

Minority Report of Ways and Means Committee Favors Free Trade.

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matter in which form territory is ac- speaking on affairs in the Philippines. was applied for but was refused by the quired, it is to be held under our con- Mr. Williams defended the Prilippine stitution with the object of finally be- policy of General Otis and President ing admitted into the union as a state. McKinley and closed with an appeal to

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8 .- The ways in support of this doctrine the decis- continue President McKinley at the CAL TAIN SMITH DEAD. ous of the supreme court are uniform helm of state, asuring his hearers that representatives reported on the Porto and in harmony with the doctrine here- such a helmsman would bring the ship to port safe and secure.

of the powerful new American explosive He started the first daily newspaper thorite, made from the formula of Dr. in the state of Washington-the Puget Tuttle, of the state of Washington, Sound Dispatch, at Seattle-and conwhose compound, if the claims for its ducted the Democratic Herald at Portproperties are sustained, will be of in- land. He was mayor of Seattle in 1879 alculable effect on the conduct of war. and 1850.

The army made some experiments He leaves four sons,

Rich tariff bill today.

The minority report is signed by all the democratic members of the ways and means committee and Representative Newlands, the silver member. It says in part:

"The undersigned members of the committee are unable to agree with the as follows: conclusions of the committee in respect to the bill reported to regulate the trade of Porto Rico and for other purposes and respectfully submit our views as follows:

"The bill raises two questions which must be considered and determined. "I. The right or power under our written constitution to enact the meas-

"2. Whether, if we have the power, should congress exercise it in the manner provided in the bill?

"The bill im framed upon the idea and the asumption that congress has

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in enunciated." After calling attention to the presi-

dent's recent recommendation for the from Mr. Bryan and he finally rose abolishment of all customs duties be- and thanked those asembled for the tween Porto Rico and the United States hearty reception. He said: and the report of the secretary of war

"We do not know why these sudden consent of the people and by the peochanges have occurred. We cannot believe that the president has been conwith him with all my heart. But if verted from the opinion he so lately he means that the people of the Philexpressed or that he now admits the ippines are to be taxed without repreunwisdom of the solemn advice he so sentation, then I don't agree with him. recently gave to congress. We are not I have my own ideas of the destinies of advised that his opinion was hastily formed and that he had not maturely the people, for the people and by the considered the subject upon which he Leople means. Republicanism rests upwas advising us.

"We do not believe the people of this believe God ever created one nation to land ardently attached as they are to our free institutions can be brought to favor a policy which oppresses the entered upon the government of Forto inhabitants of the territory owned by of government in all parts of the Rico unrestrained by the provisions of the United States anywhere and world. But I cannot see why we ought

The report then takes up the consti- lie floats, even if such a policy should serve in a degree to enrich some

of the citizens of the United States We protest earnestly against the adoption of a robber policy which makes this republic take the place of a ruth-**Pimples Turn** ess monarchy, Spain, in despolling Porto Rico, now a portion of the United States.

> "We recommend that the pending bill does not pass."

GOVERNMENT FOR ALASKA.

Delegation at Washington Urging Certain Changes Before the Gold Rush.

Cancer often results from an im-parity in the blood, inherited from menerations back. Few people are en-irely free from some taint in the blood, and it is impossible to tell when it will break out in the form of dreaded Oan-per. What has appeared to be a mere simple or scratch has developed into the most malignant Cancer. NEW YORK, Feb. 8 .- A special to he Tribune from Washington says: A large delegation from Alaska is ere urging congress to enact some legislation under which a government may be organized in that territory as soon as the rush to the gold fields be-

"I had a severe Gancer which was at first say a few blotches, that I thought would restrict the blotches, that I thought would by firsted by several able physicians, but in spite of their efforts the Can-cer spread until my con-dition became alarming. After many months of treatment and growing standily worse. I de-dided to try S. E. S. which was so strongly bothe produced an im-provement. I continue." sins in the spring. Among the delegates are Governor John G. Brady; W. L. Distin, surveyorgeneral: Wm. A. Kelley, supervisor of the census; John M. Rice, who was approvement. I continue pointed a delegate by a mass conven-

and in tion of miners: Richard E. Lewis, a lour months the last little soab dropped off Ten years have elnpsed isease has returned." R. F. WILLIAMS, Gillsburg, Miss. business man of Juneau; Mr. Washburn, manager of the Alaska Commer-It is dangerous to experiment will Cancer. The disease is beyond the ski of physicians. S. S. S. is the only cure who is now librarian of the Georgecause it is the only remedy which town university. goes deep enough to reach Cancer.

These men make requests for legisla-tion that they claim is absolutely nec-It dissipates nervousness and melancholy These men make requests for legislaessary for the protection of the people casary for the protection of the people and the preservation of the peace. They ask for the establishment of courts at St. Michael or Cape Nome, at Eagle City and at Juneau or Skag-way. There is now only one court in the territory and the people are com-pelled to go 1090 miles and often a pence distance and to remain away

There were loud cries for a speech

"With some of the things that the to the same effect, the report concludes speaker has just said I heartily agree. When he spoke of governing with the ple and for the people, and I agree

this country, of what government of

on the consent of the people. I don't cross the seas to seize and govern another. I agree with the speaker that we ought to plant the seeds of our form

over which the flag of the repub- to do it with cannon, nor why we should



to be good humored Jollity and exhuberant health are a proverbial combination. The hearty man who is always laughing doesn't have any trouble

with his digestion. It has been said that laughing makes people healthy. The truth is that health makes people laugh. It is impossible to estimate the tre-mendous influence of health upon human

character. A man with a headache will not be in a happy, contented frame of mind. A man who suffers from a weak stomach and an impaired digestion will sit and grumble through the best meal ever

and grained. A bilious man who is not a bore, is deserving of a place in a museum. A nervous man who is not petulent and fault-finding is a curiosity. All these con-ditions lead to grave diseases, when the victim becomes not only disagreeable, but dependent as well A wise wife will real-ize that while the old saying that a "man's beart is in his stomach," is not literally true, it is a fact that his stomach sweetens or sours his character according as it is healthy or unhealthy. Dr. Pierce's Golden cial Company: Louis Sloss, jr., a busi-ness man from Skagway, and Father Barnum, a Roman Catholic missionary who spent many years in Alaska, but who is now librarian of the Georgetissues and replaces them with the firm muscular tissues of health. It builds net

and imparts mental elasticity and contact

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WASHINGTON, Feb. 8 .- The adjutant-general has received a cable message from General Otis as follows:

"MANILA, Feb. 7 .- Captain Smith, Nineteenth infantry, died at Soged at 8:30 p. m., February 5, from gunshot wounds. The body is in a sealed casket and will be shipped to San Francisco." Captain Smith was a native of Connecticut. He graduated from the military in June, 1879, and was appointed second lieutenant of the Ninteenth infantry. He became a first lleutenant in that regiment in December, 1889, and raptain in January, 1895. He participated with his regiment in the Spanish-American war, and at its close served as collector of customs at Ponce. Puerto Rico, until last summer, when new experiment. he accompanied his regiment to the Philippines.

A cable message was received at the var department from General Otis tolay as follows:

MANILA, Feb. 7 .- Escaped Spanish risoners report that they saw Lieutenant Stockley a prisoner in the hands of the insurgents January 28, near Antinmanan, near South Luzon. The officer referred to is Second-Lieutenant Paul D. Stockley, of the Twenty-first infantry, who has been missing the plate. from his company since January 12. ast, at a point in Tallsay, Balangas.

PLAGUE IN MANILA.

Reported to Be Gaining Headway in Spite of Military Precaution.

VICTORIA, B. C., Feb. S .- Accordng to news brought by the steamer Empress of China, the plague in reported to be gaining much headway n Manila. Telegrams to the Japan Daily Mail, under date of January 17, friends of that instrument now believe are to the effect that there were twelve success is certain. Ambassador Camases on one street on that date. The bon has brought back the information utbreak is said to be causing great of the earnest desire of the French xcitement.

The Manila Times of an earlier date ays some excitement was caused by the reports of two cases of the disease elieved to be bubonic plague. The victims were Chinese who came by steamer from Hong Kong. The plague s still raging at Hong Kong.

OTIS TO COME HOME.

The Arrival of the New Commission Will Relieve Him of Further Responsibility.

NEW YORK, Feb. 8 .- A special to realized the mistake it has made in e Herald from Washington says!

Major-General Otis will be detached treaty secret and denying even to the from duty as governor general of the members of the finance committee ac-Philippines and commander of the de- cess to the data and correspondence partment of the Pacific immediately upon which the treaty is based. Mr. after the arrival of the new Philip- Casson will, it is understood, change pine commission and will be ordered to this policy and give more publicity to return to the United States. This ac- his arguments for the treaty. tion will be in compliance with the The treaty provides for material re

sensational results but naval officers editor of the Post Intelligencer, Seattle, who have had some experience with the the third, city editor of the Spokesman terrible stuff are extremely curious re- Review of Spokane, and the fourth is garding its tremendous possibilities, city editor of the Anaconda Standard. They have found it so in rt that a red hot poker can be thrust into a mass



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