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**ARMY BILL HAS
FINALLY PASSED**

Now Goes to the President for
His Signature.

PETTIGREW BROKE LOOSE

Stated He Hoped the Filipinos Would Win—
Fortification Bill Passed House—
Latham Made Plea for
United Democracy.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—After an eventful legislative experience beginning with the present session of congress and covering about two months, the bill for the reorganization of the United States army today passed its last stage in congress and now goes to the president for his signature. The final step was taken in the senate where, by a vote of 33 to 25, the conference report of the bill was agreed to. The house of representatives had already agreed to the report of the conference. The report was kept before the senate continuously today, even the shipping bill giving way.

An opportunity developed on the Republican side to criticize the report, based on the alleged freedom which the conference had taken in introducing new provisions. On the final vote several Republican senators voted with the Democrats against the bill.

The vote on the bill was as follows:
Yeas—Aldrich, Allison, Bard, Clapp, Cullough, Deboe, Dillingham, Dooliver, Elkins, Fairbanks, Furaker, Foster, Frye, Hanna, Hawley, Keen, Kyle, Lindsay, Lodge, McEnery, Morgan, Nelson, Perkins, Platt (Conn.), Proctor, Quarles, Sewell, Shoup, Simon, Stewart, Thurston, Wetmore—33.
Nays—Allen, Bacon, Bates, Berry, Butler, Chandler, Chilton, Clay, Cockrell, Culberson, Gallinger, Hale, Hoar, Jones (Ark), Keno, McComas, McCumber, Mallory, Martin, Penrose, Pettigrew, Pettus, Rawlins, Teller, Vest—25.

Pettigrew made one of his characteristic speeches during the consideration of the bill, referring to the fact that the senate had refused to pass his resolutions making inquiry for the facts concerning the situation in the Philippines. He asserted his belief that the official records would show that the battle of February 4th was ordered from Washington, and he charged that only such facts were given to the public as suited the party now in power. He charged that notwithstanding the instructions to the Paris commission had been sent to the senate in secret, the president had quoted explosively from them in his letter of acceptance, omitting such portions as did not suit his purpose, "and yet," he said, "the senate refuses to make the document public."

He also charged that General MacArthur's report had been suppressed for partisan purposes and that the reports of the Taft commission were colored upon orders from Washington to fit the emergency. He asserted that the Filipinos are not enemies of the United States and he hoped they would be successful in their contest for liberty.

"I hope the day will never come," said he, "when I shall cease to sympathize with a people struggling for liberty, no matter where they are."

Pettigrew took special exception to the provision in the bill authorizing the enlistment of Filipinos.

Pettigrew introduced and had read a long letter from Tomas Mascardo, a military governor of one of the Philippine provinces, in which it was charged that more severe torments upon the Filipinos by the American troops had been inflicted than the Spaniards had ever been guilty of.

"Robbery, pillage, violation and murder," the letter said, "are the first proofs of protection we receive when the American soldiers enter a Filipino community."

The letter-writer characterized General Otis as "the blind instrument of the ambitious McKinley."

The shipping bill was discussed during the latter part of the day and some progress was made on the amendments. Chandler announced that a night ses-

**BUSINESS WILL
BE SUSPENDED**

Even British Railways Stop at
Hour of Queen's Funeral.

TEN MILES OF WARSHIPS

Vessels of All Nations Will Salute Body of
Lamented Queen—McKinley Sends
Wreath Eight Feet in Di-
ameter.

LONDON, Feb. 1.—Tomorrow will be a day of complete national mourning, not only in London, but throughout the provinces and colonies. There will be a general closing of shops and suspension of business as well as the holding of memorial services.

The directors of the Northeastern Railway of England have ordered that at 2:30 p. m. tomorrow, the hour appointed for the funeral at Windsor, all trains shall be brought to a standstill and every servant of the company shall remain motionless for ten minutes.

The managers of the London afternoon papers have decided unanimously to suspend publication tomorrow, Saturday.

COWES, Jan. 31.—A glittering crescent of light stretches this evening from Cowes to Portsmouth. It consists of ten miles of warships of the British, French and German navies. These lie at anchor ready to take part in tomorrow's ceremonies when the navy will pay the last tribute to a sovereign whose reign was marked by the greatest naval progress in the history of the nation.

Apart from these spectacular rows and rows of twinkling port lights separated from each other by only one cable's length, one might fancy that the quiet town of Cowes and Ryde might be undergoing a blockade. At the head of the line are the old paddle wheel royal yachts. Then in single column come British battleships. Half way to Portsmouth the single line merges into a stately double row of vessels of foreign nations and the biggest of the British craft lying there and waiting to salute the body of England's lamented queen.

RESCUED FROM A WRECK

Captain and Fourteen Seamen of Rus-
sian Bark Cuba Saved by Ger-
man Steamer Barcelona.

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—The German

MAYOR WILL NOT SIGN

**ST. LOUIS MAY NOT BE ABLE TO ISSUE
BONDS FOR WORLD'S FAIR.**

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 31.—Mayor Zeig-

STEVE BRODIE DEAD.

OPERA HOUSE BURNED.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 31.—Fire late

**JOINT SMASHING
BEARING FRUIT**

Whisky Salesman Fined \$200 and
Sent to Jail for 60 Days.

MOB DEFENDS MRS. NATION

Topeka Police Tried to Arrest Her But Crowd
Interfered After She Was Put Out
of Saloon—New York W. C.

PUT OUT OF A SALOON.

TOPEKA, Jan. 31.—Mrs. Carrie Na-

NEW YORK UNSYMPATHETIC.

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—At the Wo-

DE WET COMMITS OUTRAGES.

CAPE TOWN, Jan. 31.—The Boer

FLOWERS FROM MCKINLEY.

LONDON, Jan. 31.—The United States

IDAHO OPPOSED.

**STATE OF WASHINGTON WILL BE UNABLE
TO ANNEX THE PANHANDLE.**

BOISE, Ida., Jan. 31.—In view of

GERMAN PRINCE FAVORED.

PREPARATIONS FOR FUNERAL.

SALT LAKE, Jan. 31.—S. W. Eccles,

TWO MINERS KILLED.

TACOMA, Jan. 31.—Information has

ARRIVAL OF PRINCES.

DE WET ADVANCING.

**BRITISH FORCE ENGAGED IN BATTLE WITH
TWO THOUSAND BOERS.**

LONDON, Jan. 31.—General Kitchen-

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