

## SHIP SUBSIDY

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Votes to the Good.

FOR ABOUT  
\$8,000,000 PER ANNUM.

Amendment Against Em-  
Chinese Crews on Ships Is  
Amendments Voted

Washington, March 18.—The ship  
bill passed the senate, 42 to  
25 p. m. yesterday.  
Resolution providing for the ap-  
pointment of a board to investigate  
the subject of constructing an inter-  
canal across the Isthmus of  
Panama was reported unfavorably by  
the committee on inter-oceanic com-  
merce and indefinitely postponed.  
In his speech on the ship  
bill, Frye said he would ac-  
cept inducements offered by Mr.  
Evans limiting the time of operation  
of the canal because he believed  
it to be in the interest of the bill.  
The amendments offered by  
Evans were voted down.

Evans voted on the amendments  
to 48, a strict party vote,  
with the exception of McLaurin, who  
voted with the republicans.  
The amendments of Allison that not  
more than \$5,000,000 shall be expen-  
ded in one year up to July 1, 1907,  
and that contracts provided for by  
the act after that date, not more  
than \$3,000,000 per annum, were  
voted without division.  
Evans' amendment providing  
that the subsidy be paid upon any ves-  
sel employing in her crew any Chi-  
nese not entitled to admission  
into the United States or territory  
was lost, 29 to 41.

## Form State Lodge of Elks.

Macon, Ga., March 18.—Prominent  
members of the Benevolent and Pro-  
tective Order of Elks through Georgia  
gathered in Macon for the pur-  
pose of forming a state lodge of the  
order. The growth of the Elks in  
Georgia has been very rapid during  
the few years, and it is believed  
that the interests of the order require  
the organization of the various local lodges  
into a strong state body. De-  
legates present from Augusta, At-  
lanta, Savannah and other cities of  
the state. The business sessions of  
the convention will be liberally inter-  
spersed with features of entertain-  
ment provided by the Macon lodge.

## Day School Workers Meet.

Greenville, N. C., March 18.—  
Every county in the state is re-  
presented at the annual convention  
of the North Carolina Sunday School  
Union, which began in this city  
and will continue till Friday.  
Officers in charge of the conven-  
tion are Prof. George H. Crowell, of  
Point, president; Prof. S. M.  
Elton, College, general secre-  
tary; H. N. Sow, Durham, statistical  
secretary; J. W. Weathers, Raleigh,  
treasurer. The three days' program  
is of high excellence, comprising  
lectures, papers and discussions of  
interest to all persons engaged in  
Sunday school work.

## Winter Wheat Killed.

Wash., March 18.—Reports  
of a late fall sown wheat in this  
section of the northwest continue to  
show that there seems now little  
chance that a large per cent of the  
wheat sown last fall has been winter  
killed. This is due to the fact that  
there was little or no snow on the  
ground when the ground froze to a  
depth of several inches and the  
wheat was killed.

## Cleveland Now Aged 65.

Paterson, N. J., March 18.—Con-  
gratulatory telegrams in abundance  
were received by former president  
Cleveland today on the occa-  
sion of his sixty-fifth birthday. The  
president spent the day at home  
with Cleveland and their child-  
ren. Cleveland was born in Cald-  
well county, New Jersey,  
Jan. 18, 1837.

## Rhodes is Sinking.

San Francisco, March 18.—A Cape Town  
steamer this morning says Cecil  
Rhodes is gradually sinking.

## TRINITY CHURCH ON FIRE.

The Portland Edifice of the Episco-  
palian Partly Destroyed.

Portland, March 18.—Between 3 and  
4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, Trinity  
Episcopal church in this city, was  
discovered to be on fire. An alarm  
was quickly turned in, the fire de-  
partment promptly responded and the  
flames were subdued, after wrecking  
the inside of the church and causing  
a damage of about \$10,000. The fire  
started from the furnace in the base-  
ment, or from a defective flue. The  
church building was erected in 1872  
and was built of wood.

## PLACE FOR EVANS.

Roosevelt Determined to Take Care  
of the Pension Commissioner.

Washington, March 18.—There is  
no longer any doubt that Pension  
Commissioner Evans will, within the  
next few months at the latest, sever  
his connection with the pension bu-  
reau, to accept from the president a  
position which will be a substantial  
promotion, but which is not yet de-  
finitely selected. It is well known that  
Mr. Evans has had the entire confi-  
dence of the president and the latter  
will not consider the question of his  
retirement until a position entirely  
satisfactory to the commissioner has  
been provided. No decision has been  
reached concerning the successor of  
Mr. Evans nor will any action be taken  
until the president is thoroughly  
convinced that he has found a man  
of the same high character and sterling  
worth possessed by the present  
commissioner in so high a degree.

## TOLEDO'S MAYOR ILL.

Taken With Pleurisy at Long Beach,  
California.

Los Angeles, March 18.—Samuel  
Jones, mayor of Toledo, is seriously  
ill at Long Beach with pleurisy. Mr.  
Jones was taken sick immediately  
after an address delivered at the ban-  
quet given by the Economic League at  
which he was the guest of honor. He  
is, however, believed to be out of dan-  
ger.

## NEWSBOY KILLED.

Gamblers Fight and the Bystander  
Receives Death Wound.

Creston, Iowa, March 18.—As a re-  
sult of a gambling quarrel, John Jack-  
son has a dangerous knife wound  
across his face and John Robinson  
has a bullet wound in his left hip. A  
stray bullet from Robinson's gun killed  
Ollie Ohlschatager, a newsboy, not  
involved in the quarrel.

## Smallpox Relieves Murderer.

Mount Holly, N. J., March 18.—  
Thanks to the prevalence of small-  
pox in the county jail John Young,  
convicted of the murder of Washing-  
ton Hunter, was not hanged today,  
the date set for his execution. Upon  
learning of the existence of smallpox  
among the inmates the jurors ap-  
pointed to witness the execution re-  
fused to enter the jail. This gave  
the condemned murder a new lease of  
life and it is not improbable that his  
counsel will take advantage of the pe-  
culiar facts in the case and endeavor  
to prevent the sentence being carried  
out now that the date for the execu-  
tion is passed.

## Ogden Celebrated.

Ogden, Utah, March 18.—Ogden  
celebrated the commencement of the  
work on the Ogden-Lucine or what is  
known as the Harriman cut-off on the  
Southern Pacific. The city was in  
gala attire, parade, speaking, a bar-  
becue for thousands and other attrac-  
tions affording enjoyment. At sun-  
rise a salute was fired and pandemo-  
nium broke loose, all the whistles of  
the railroad shops, locomotives, and  
factories adding to the din of the  
bells.

## Prosperous Year for N. Y. P. & N.

Cape Charles, Va., March 18.—  
Stockholders of the New York, Phil-  
adelphia & Norfolk Railroad held  
their annual meeting here today. The  
annual reports showed that the busi-  
ness of the freight department of the  
railroad has been unusually busy this  
season, owing to the enormous quan-  
tities of sweet and white potatoes  
sent by farmers to the lower penin-  
sula and Virginia, by this road, to  
Northern markets.

## Emperor Meets Prince.

Brunsbuckle, Prussia, March 18.—  
Emperor Wilhelm left this morning  
on board the battleship Wilhelm Sec-  
ond, to meet Prince Henry at Cuxha-  
ven, where the steamer Deutschland  
is expected to arrive at 7 o'clock to-  
night.

## THE PLAN OF MILES REPEAL WAR TAXES

The General Offered a Plan of  
Pacification. Senate Committee Will Report  
House Bill Favorably.

TURNED DOWN BY  
ROOSEVELT AND ROOT

President Wrote Him that the War in  
the Philippines was so Near an End  
that he Could Not Order a Change  
of Policy in the Islands.

Washington, March 18.—It is stated  
the plan of General Miles for the  
pacification of the Philippines, which  
was disapproved by President Roose-  
velt and Secretary Root, contemplated  
the selection of a half-dozen repre-  
sentative Cubans and the same  
number of Porto Ricans, who should  
accompany General Miles to the Phil-  
ippines. These men would be given  
opportunity to talk with the Filipinos,  
regarding the beneficent results of  
American rule in their islands. Gen-  
eral Miles also proposed to bring a  
number of prominent Filipinos to the  
United States for the purpose of  
studying American institutions.

Lieutenant-General Nelson A.  
Miles, made a specific request at the  
war department to be sent to the  
Philippines, and in connection therewith  
submitted a plan by which, in  
his opinion, the war could be brought  
to an end without further loss of life  
on either side. He proposed to em-  
ploy means similar to those used by  
him so successfully in his Indian cam-  
paigns. Secretary Root, after due  
consideration, denied General Miles' request  
and disapproved the plans  
submitted. The papers so endorsed  
by the secretary were sent to the  
White House, and the president sub-  
sequently concurred in the secretary's  
action. The final indorsement, dis-  
posing of the matter, is to bear date  
of March 5, 1902.

In effect, President Roosevelt and  
Secretary Root hold that the war in  
the Philippines is already at an end,  
or virtually so, and that the adoption  
of General Miles' plan, involving a  
change of policy in dealing with the  
inhabitants of the archipelago, would  
be unfair to those officers, military  
and civil, whose work has brought  
about the almost complete pacifica-  
tion.

## RUSSIA PREPARING FOR WAR.

Siberian Railway Refusing Shipments  
of Merchandise.

London, March 18.—With reference  
to the Russo-Japanese war rumors,  
the St. Petersburg correspondent of  
the Times says he is able to vouch  
that the Siberian railway is declining  
consignments from merchants be-  
cause the resources of the line are  
fully occupied in forwarding  
troops and war material to Vladivostok.

## Amalgamated not Worrying.

Pittsburg, Pa., March 18.—Officials  
of the American Amalgamated Asso-  
ciation of Iron and Steel Workers  
express not to be worrying over the  
rumors that a new national union of  
the iron and steel workers is to be  
formed, and that organizers of the  
Steel Workers' association of Ameri-  
ca, which is the name of the new  
body, are gathering recruits in Ohio,  
Indiana and Illinois fields. Amal-  
gamated leaders say the new organiza-  
tion owes its origin to the dereliction  
of the South Chicago and Milwaukee  
steel workers from the Amalgamated  
during the steel strike last summer.  
At that time the steel workers in  
those two cities refused to obey the  
order of President Shaffer to go on a  
strike. The Amalgamated declares  
that it was a case of "get out or be  
kicked out" with the disaffected ele-  
ment and that they chose the former  
and now propose to build up a national  
organization from those lodges  
which refused to go on strike. None  
of those lodges will be allowed repre-  
sentation in the convention of the  
Amalgamated association to be held  
in Wheeling in May.

## Royal Arcanum of Tennessee.

Chattanooga, Tenn., March 18.—  
The Tennessee grand council of the  
Royal Arcanum is in session here  
with about one hundred delegates,  
representing the local bodies of the  
order throughout the state, in attend-  
ance. A considerable amount of busi-  
ness of interest to members of the  
order is to be transacted.

## REPEAL WAR TAXES

Senate Committee Will Report  
House Bill Favorably.

TO STRIKE THE WAR BUR-  
DEN OFF THE COUNTRY.

The Report Will Come Before Senate  
Next Week and it is Expected the  
Bill Will Pass Repealing the Taxes  
With Little, if Any, Opposition.

Washington, March 18.—At a meet-  
ing of the senate finance committee  
this morning, it was decided to report  
favorably house bill repealing all of  
the war taxes. A few unimportant  
amendments, which do not alter or  
affect the bill, were agreed to. The  
report will probably not be made until  
next week.

As an instance of what the war tax  
burden is upon the country, a corpora-  
tion recently formed, in which Pen-  
dleton men are interested, had to con-  
tribute in revenue stamps upon its  
capital stock at the rate of 5 cents on  
the hundred dollars, \$1,500 in cold  
cash, which went into Uncle Sam's  
overflowing pocket, the contents of  
which is a temptation to congress to  
waste and squander at all times.

## BRITISH WORST BOERS.

Capture Commandant Emmett Which  
British Report With Elation.

London, March 18.—Lord Kitchener  
in his report to the war office today,  
announces the capture of Commandant  
Emmett, the redoubtable Boer  
who led the victorious Boer forces  
in their fight at Fort Italia, in Zululand,  
last October. His capture was  
affected in a fight Saturday night near  
Nogholi basin, in which four Boers  
were killed and six wounded in the en-  
gagement. Commandant Behren was  
also captured and Commandant Celi-  
ers, who did effective work at a criti-  
cal time during the engagement be-  
tween General Delarey and General  
Methuen, was wounded. Since the  
10th instant, the Boers have lost 11  
killed, seven wounded and 126 have  
surrendered.

## GATES TESTIFIES.

In the Suit Brought by Man Who  
Wanted to Share in Profits.

New York, March 18.—John W.  
Gates took the witness stand this  
morning, when the hearing in the suit  
brought by John H. Parks against  
Gates for an accounting of the profits  
made in forming the American Wire  
& Steel Company, was resumed.  
Gates testified he had entered into a  
written agreement with J. P. Morgan  
to finance the formation of the com-  
pany, but that the plan fell through  
and he so notified the plaintiff and  
others associated with him.

## Rebellion in China.

Hong Kong, March 18.—The rebel-  
lion in Kwang Si, Kwang Tung and  
Yunan provinces is assuming a seri-  
ous aspect. The rebels recently routed  
a large imperial force, after a  
two days' fight. The rebels are loot-  
ing the towns, seizing the government  
supplies and murdering mandarins.  
Many imperial soldiers are joining  
them.

## Go-As-You-Please Race.

Syracuse, N. Y., March 18.—When  
the gong sounds at 8 o'clock tonight,  
a dozen of the foremost pedestrians  
in the United States will take to the  
track in Taylor's Hall and begin a  
45-hour go-as-you-please race. The  
affair is under the auspices of the  
Portland Pedestrian Club and judging  
from the interest manifested in the  
arrangements, the attendance will be  
large.

## Liberals Gain a Victory.

Washington, March 18.—The navy  
department this afternoon received  
the following cablegram from Captain  
Rogers, commanding the United  
States gunboat Marietta at Colon:  
"The liberal army has gained a victory.  
The rebels have possession of the  
country west of Panama. Fight-  
ing is expected on the Isthmus."

Iowa wants to tax all drinking men  
\$2 a year. Then it should be at least  
\$3 a stomach.

## NEW YORK MARKET.

Reported by I. L. Ray & Co., Pendle-  
ton, Chicago Board of Trade and  
New York Stock Exchange Brokers.

New York, March 18.—The wheat  
market was stronger today under the  
influence of reports of damage to  
crops from the Southwest, where zero  
weather has prevailed since the big  
storm commenced. Liverpool closed  
6-1/2. New York opened 80 1/2 and  
closed 80 3/4. Chicago opened 74 1/2 and  
closed 75. Stocks were higher. Money  
4 per cent.

Closed yesterday, 80 1/2.  
Opened today, 80 1/2.  
Range today, 80 3/4 @ 80 1/2.  
Closed today, 80 3/4.  
Sugar, 127 1/2.  
Steel, 42 1/2.  
St. Paul, 164 1/2.  
Union Pacific, 99 5/8.

Wheat in San Francisco.  
San Francisco, March 18.—Wheat  
—\$1.11 1/2 @ 1.11 1/2 per cental.

## Princess Louise's Birthday.

London, March 18.—Today being  
the fifty-fourth anniversary of the  
birth of Princess Louise (Duchess of  
Argyle) the bells of St. George's  
chapel, Windsor castle, and St.  
John's church pealed merrily in hon-  
or of the event. In the afternoon a  
royal salute was fired in the Long-  
walk. Princess Louise was born at  
Buckingham Palace March 18, 1848.

## Half Million for the Pope.

Rome, March 18.—It is stated that  
during the year 1901 the pope figured  
as legatee in over 700 wills through-  
out the Catholic world, the aggregate  
amount thus left to him being \$600,-  
000. The largest single legacy to his  
holiness was \$60,000, bequeathed to  
him by a wealthy Italian manufacturer,  
and the second largest \$20,000,  
said to have been left him by an  
American woman.

## Working for Oxnard.

Washington, March 18.—Henry Ox-  
nard, the beet sugar baron, had a  
long talk with President Roosevelt  
this morning. Oxnard presented ad-  
ditional arguments against the grant-  
ing of tariff concessions to the Cuban  
sugar planters.

## Prince Henry Greeted.

Cuxhaven, Germany, March 18.—  
Prince Henry arrived here this after-  
noon and was cordially greeted by  
his brother, the kaiser, and a great  
crowd.

T. B. Johnson lost 500 of his sheep  
at his farm near Telacasset, Union  
county, by piling up.

## ANTI-TRUST LAW

Government by Roosevelt  
Moving to Enforce It.

RAILROADS RESTRAINED IN  
POOLING AGREEMENT

Proceedings Against General Council  
of all Railroads Begun at Chicago  
and Kansas City for Violation of  
Sherman Law.

Chicago, March 18.—Injunction  
proceedings against the general coun-  
cil of all railroads entering Chicago  
and Kansas City, restraining them  
from aiding or abetting the formation  
of pooling agreements and in fixing  
discriminating rates or other viola-  
tion of the Sherman anti-trust law,  
were begun here this morning. Simi-  
lar action will be taken in Kansas  
City tomorrow.

## MISSOURI RIVER STOPS.

Ferry Stranded in Mid-Stream at  
Chamberlain, South Dakota.

Sioux City, March 18.—Early Sun-  
day morning the Missouri river at  
Chamberlain, South Dakota, suddenly  
went dry, stranding the ferry in mid-  
stream. Ice has been running and it  
is feared that a great gorge has  
formed above the city. Couriers were  
sent out to investigate. If a gorge is  
formed it will cause an immense  
damage when it breaks.

## Thieves Will Flee.

St. Louis, March 18.—John Murdell,  
one of the ex-aldermen indicted for  
bribery, failed to appear when the  
case was called this morning. His  
bond was forfeited. The prosecuting  
attorney stated in the court that he  
expected the other persons under in-  
diction to disappear and that any  
amount of money will be spent to  
prevent the cases from coming to  
trial.

## Hugh O'Neill.

New York, March 18.—Hugh  
O'Neill, founder of one of the largest  
retail dry goods houses in New York,  
is dead, aged 59 years.

**Dr. Price's**  
**Cream**  
**Baking Powder**

Used in Millions of Homes.  
40 Years the Standard. A  
Pure Cream of Tartar Pow-  
der. Superior to every other  
known. Makes finest cake  
and pastry, light, flaky bis-  
cuit, delicious griddle cakes  
—palatable and wholesome.

NOTE.—Avoid baking powders made from  
alum. They look like pure powders,  
and may raise the cake, but alum  
is a poison and no one can eat food  
mixed with it without injury to health.

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