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THE NEWS OF THE WEEK

From All Parts of the New World and the Old.

Comprehensive Review of the Import ant Happenings of the Past Week Culled From the Telegraph Columns.

A new German warship has been launched. She was christened Kaiser Karl der Grosse, by Dr. von Moncke-berg, burgomaster of Hamburg.

The Boers, according to a special dis patch from Pretoria, repulsed a small force of Cape mounted police near Berkeley, West Cape Colony, captur-

The dwelling once occupied by ex-president Martin Van Buren, at 37 East Twenty-seventh street, New York, has been sold, and it is announced that the property will be converted into a business block.

Commandant-General Joubert has arrived at Newcastle, Natal. He found only 100 men there when he entered the town. The report current at Delagoa bay that 6,000 Boers have been repulsed at Newcastle is false.

An Ashcroft, B. C., report states that there was a big robbery at the Cariboo mine, near Quesnelle Forks. The big safe in the Cariboo Hydraulic Company's office was blown open, and part of the amalgam, worth \$50,000, stolen.

The Great Northern road has lately bought 17,000,000 feet of fir timber in Washington, nearly all of it for the road's proposed ore dock at Allouze bay, on Lake Superior. Nearly half this enormous order has been bought in the past 10 days.

The transport Senator is expected to arrive from Manila next week. The news of the terrible experience of the steamship Empress of India causes no alarm for the safety of the Senator, which is supposed to also have passed through the typhoon.

A dispatch from Ladysmith says that a letter was brought to the British pickets by Boer cyclists bearing a white flag, signed by the Newcastle magistrate and sent by permission of Commandant-General Joubert, stating that the British who remained in New-

Three hundred recruits, under command of Captain W. N. Hughes, Thirteenth infantry, and Lieutenants Wilsigned to the transport Manuense, at San Francisco, with two companies of the Thirty-first, under command of Lieutenant-Colonel Hayes.

The postmaster-general has issued a formal warning to all postmasters against the levying of political assess-ments, and simultaneously the civil serivce commission has called attention to the law governing the subject, and of the commission's intention to en-

raging in the mountains surrounding Leadville, Col., something unprece-dented at this time of the year.

The powers are again wrangling over Samoa, and there is talk of partitioning the islands. England has offered to purchase Germany's interest.

A band of 300 Mayo Indians have oined the Yaquis in their war with Mexico. Heretofore the Mayos have refused to aid the Yaqui tribe in its

Klapper, editor of the Deutsche Agrai Correspondenz, at Berlin, has been sentenced to imprisonment in a fortress for six months, on a charge of ese majeste, for criticizing Emperor

An explosion of mine gas in a colliery near Pittsburg, Pa., resulted in entombing 22 miners. Ten were re-scued alive, but it is feared the others are dead. The mine took fire and is

The Columbia won the second race with the Shamrock. Soon after the start the Shamrock's topmast was broken and she returned. The Colum-

Surgeon-General Sternberg has refused to recommend the building of a large military hospital at Vancouver, Wash., saying that the post hospital at that place is abundently able for the

A dispatch from Nogales, Ariz., says: A sheriff's posse has encountered Mexican bandits and killed one and wounded another. American and Mexican officers are now in pursuit of five others, who escaped.

The smallpox scare at Astoria, resultant from the case of Beecher D. Slorp, has about died out. The patient is getting along nicely, and the attending physicians have no doubt as to his

The British steamship Knight Bachelor has arrived at New Orleans from Hamburg, Germany, with 73,567 bags of raw beet sugar, equal to 7,310 tons. This is the largest cargo of foreign sugar ever brought to New Orleans.

Charles Winters, of Jacksonville, Or., a native of Sweden, aged 79 years, who has been a resident of Jacksonville for many years, died at Talent, where he had gone for a short visit

Hardy Getty, a 16-year old boy. while operating a stamping machine in a Fairhaven, Wash., metal works, had both of his lands so badly mangled that he will never be able to use them

In Surrey, England, there is a great ent, which

annually sends about 36,000 fowls to

The controller of the currency has declared a second dividend of 10 per cent in favor of the creditors of the Columbia National bank of Tacoma, Wash., making in all 30 per cent on claims proved, amounting to \$157,278.

Thieves at Everett, Wash., stole bout 2,000 feet of copper ground wire from the street railway company. The same amount of wire was stolen several

The revolution at Colombia is spread

President Kruger is reported as in favor of unconditional surrender.

Insurgents in Southern Luzon atacked Calamba, but were driven off. Eveleth, Minn., is to be moved to OF INTEREST TO OUR READERS make room for mining operations on the town site.

William H. Brown rode 1,000 miles awheel in 84 hours, breaking the record by seven hours. The soldiers who made trouble at

San Carlos, Indian agency, Arizona, are to be punished. William Wilkie, aged 19, was killed by Charles Chelin in Chicago, as the

esult of a prizefight. England's newspapers must hereafter look to the United States and

Canada for their paper pulp. German carp found in the Columbia and Wilamette rivers in great numbers will be frozen for foreign shipment.

Thieves entered the postoffice at Albany, Or., through a tunnel and robbed the vault, securing about \$300. The remains of Lieutenant-Colonel Miley, Shafter's chief aide, were

brought home on the Senator. He fell a victim to fever in the Philippines. Changes in ranks of naval officers have made it necessary to give Sampson and Schley less advancement than would have been given out last session

Montana was visited by a disastrou snow storm, the worst in 20 years. The loss of life will exceed 20 persons in Teton county, and 20,000 sheep perished in the storm.

A scouting party of the Thirty-sixth volunteers encountered insurgents in southwest Santa Arita, scattering them, killing six and capturing eight, and 10 rifles. No casualties.

General Castro, insurgent commander during the recent revolution, has entered Caracas. A cordial reception was accorded him. No fear of renewed fighting is felt.

A cablegram has been received at the state department from United States Consul Gudger, at Panama, stating there, and that martial law has been

Bates, Lawton and Funston have received deserved appointments. Bates has been made major-general of volun-teers, Lawton brigadier-general in regu-lar army and Funston has been given

Amos Lunt, who during eight years' service at San Quentin has executed 20 murderers, has become a mental wreck He is haunted by visions of men he has hanged. He will probably be committed to an asylum.

State elections will be held in 13 states this year. The navy department has difficulty in getting sufficient medical men.

The transport Senator has arrived safely at San Francisco. General Miles will be accompanied

by his family and a few friends on his our to the Pacific coast, Secretary Long has issued an orde signing Admiral Dewey to special

duty at the navy yard department. Fifty-three Boers were killed and a large number wounded in the en-counter with Baden-Powell's forces at Mafeking.

An enthusiastic meeting to promote the movement to erect a monument to Parnell was held in New York. Over \$10,000 was collected.

Sir Thomas Lipton has the spirit of plucky sportsman and will challenge us again for the America's cup. He says he cannot get ready for next year, but will be prepared in 1901.

The strike of the ironmolders an the coremakers at St. Paul has ended, and the men have returned to work The employers grant a slight advance in wages and recognize the union.

It is understood that the presider has given to Archbishop Chapelle definite instructions which will govern his actions relative to establishing peace with the Filipinos, but these instruc tions are to be withheld from publica-

As a corollary of the Pullman-Wagner consolidated deal, the readjustment of railroad stockholders on an enormou scale is said to be the next move on th boards. A welding together of the rail-road properties controlled by the Har-riman-Gould and Vanderbilt interests is spoken of.

War between Americans and Mexicans broke out at Naco, Ariz. with dis astrous results. The fight started between Mexican guards and American cowboys, and as a result four guards were killed and one seriously wounded An American named Ryan was instanty killed and a Bisbee miner was shot rough the leg.

The Canadian government has been advised that the United States and British governments had given effect to a provisional Alaskan boundary, which was arranged between Sir Louis Davies and Mr. Choate, in London. This arrangement makes no change at Skag-way, but it fixes a point on the Dalton trail. There is very little travel by

L. D. Carl has returned to his hom in Roseburg, Or., after a 20 months sojourn in the Alaska gold fields, during which time he is said to have

A few growers are employing Indians to pull, top and load beets, says the LaGrande Observer. It is no uncommon thing to see an Indian and Indian men drive into town in a spring hack, purchase their supply of groceries, and return to their work. Indian labor is much preferred to Chinese.

A wealthy Chinaman is rarley seen in the streets with his wife, and neve rides in the same carriage with her.

The P. A. F. cannery at Fairhaven Wash., will probably run all winter. After the salmon fishing closes they expect to send their tugs and scows outside the harbor to the halibut banks.

Miss L. Wright had a narrow escape from poisoning at Ellensburg, Wash. She ate from a plate which had contained a preparation of strychnine ac-cidentally left. The quantity was not sufficient to kill, and she soon recov-

A BIG BATTLE WITH BOERS

British Rout Kruger's Troops

EIGHT HOURS HARD FIGHTING

at Glencoe.

British Loss 250; Soers 800-Invader Surprised the British Camp by Opentug Fire With Artillery.

Glencoe Camp, Oct. 28.-After eight hours of continuous heavy fighting, Dundee hill was carried by the Dublin fusileers and the King's Royal rifles, under cover of a well-directed artillery fire by the Thirteenth and Sixty-ninth batteries. The Boers, who threatened the British rear, have re-

The fight was almost an exact cour terpart of that of Majuba hill, except that the position of the Boer and British forces were reversed. General Symons was severely, but not dangerously wounded.

The battle today was a brilliant suc cess. The Boers got a reverse which may possibly, for a time at any rate check all aggressive action. The British artillery practice in the early part

of the day decided the battle.

The seizure of Dundee hill by the Boers was a surprise; for, although the pickets had been exchanging shots all night, it was not untill a shell boomed over the town into the camp that their presence was discovered. Then the shells came fast. The hill was positively alive with the swarming Boers till the British artillery got to work with magnificent energy and precision.

Directly the Boer guns ceased firing, General Symons ordered the infantry to move on the position. The infantry harge was magnificent. The way the King's Royal rifles and the Dublin fusileers stormed the position was one o the most splendid sights ever seen. General Symons was wounded early n the action, and the command then

leyolved on Major Yule. The enemy as they fled, were folowed by the cavalry, mounted infantry and artillery. The direction taken was to the eastward. At the latest re ports the cavalry had not returned. A rough estimate places the British

loss at 250 killed or wounded, and that of the Boers at 800. Agreement as to Alaska. Washington, Oct. 23.—Mr. Tower, British charge here, called at the state department today and notified Secretary Hay of the formal acceptance by his government of the proposition for

> The state department is confident is has conserved American interests the matter, without unjustly treating Canada. The divisional line, bounded on the west by the Dalton cail, is placed 22 1/4 miles above Pyramid harbor, which is regarded under the treaty as a tidewater mark, so the Canadians are not allowed to reach any point on Lynn canal. Moreover, there is no permission for a free transfer across American territory of Canadian goods, except miners' belongings. These matters may figure later, when it comes to a permanent boundary line, but they

are not touched upon in this modus. St. Paul, Minn., Oct. 23 .- A Grea Northern official said today that the conclusion had been reached by the road that a strike could not be averted. Higher officials will not talk, but the vholesale merchants have been probng into the situation, and their report onfirm the statement that the Great Northern is likely to witness the mos effective tie-up ever experienced in the West. The jobbers will lose thousands of dollars per day, and are anxious to head off a strike. The recent order making conductors responsible for dam age to their trains is the last straw. Every organization is involved, and very trainman, from conductor down,

including telegraphers, will go out if the strike is ordered.

The Columbia Wins. New York, Oct. 23 .- Through wild and heavy seas, in a breeze that ap-proached the dignity of a gale, the galant sloop Columbia today vanquishe the British challenger Shamrock by minutes and 18 seconds actual time and minutes and \$4 seconds corrected time, thus completing the series for the rough-weater duel and a glorious Yan-

Crisis in Venezuela Ended. Caracas, Venezuela, Oct. 23 .- The crisis is virtually over. General Anlrade, the president, has accepted the onditions proposed by the insurgent commander, General Castro, and will go abroad, the presidency devolving on the vice-presidency. Castro will enter Caracas peacefully, thus avoiding

Want Reciprocity. Washington, Oct. 23 .- Reciprocit arrangements are sought by the island of St. Kitts and Turk's island, British West Indies. The arrangements so far cover nearly all the British West In-

dian possessions. Library for Manila Soldiers. San Francisco, Oct. 23 .-- A commit ee of prominent citizens headed by Rabbi Jacob Voorsanger, and including among its members General Shafer, Mayor Phelan and Mrs. Phoebe learst, has taken steps toward the esablishment of a library in Manila for the use of the United States soldiers The project, which was originated by the late Colonel Miley, has been taken

ap with enthusiasm by men and women

who are determined to carry it into ex-

Manila, Oct. 23 .- The Democracia reports that the juntas in the Orient and in Europe intend to send a delegation to Washington to present the Filipino cause. Regidor will probably be he president of the delegation and agoncillo and Apacible will be amon

ing the delegates to Philadelphia Venezuelan Dynamiters. Caracas, Oct. 28 .- An attempt was nade last night to dynamite the residence of Senor Matos. Andrade's epresentative in the negotiations with neral Castro.

LAWTON AT SAN ISIDRO. His Expedition Moving North to Take

Manila, Oct. 23.-General Lawton and General Young are at Arayat with a force of nearly 3,000 men. The gunboats Florida and Ocste are preparing to move along the river to San Isidro, which will be held as a base for operations in the north. Extensive prepara tions have been progressing for several days, and the expedition, whose objective point is Tarlac, is expected to start today. Supplies will be taken on

General Lawton's force consists o eight companies of the Twenty-fourth infantry, under Captain Kellar; eight companies of the Twenty-second infantry, under Major Baldwin; nine troops of the Fourth cavalry, mounted, under Colonel Hales: a mixed regiment, consisting of one company of the Thirtysevent infantry, six guns, comma by Captain Scott, one company of cav alry and Captain Batson's Macabeb scouts. The Third cavalry is equipping at San Francisco, to join the ex

Heavy rains, the first in weeks, be gan last night, and have continued Evening-Lawton is supposed have reached San Isidro. No commu

nication has been received from him

since he left Arayat this morning. American Loss Was One Killed. Manila, Oct. 23.—General Young's advance guard of General Lawton's col- government. umn, left Cabio yesterday morning and entered San Isidro. The American loss was one killed and three wounded. The heaviest resistance met with was the death in the Philippines on Saturat San Fernando, where the enemy de-day of Major Guy Howard, son of Genstrooyed a bridge. General Rio del eral O. O. Howard. The cablegram Pilar arrived from San Miguel and perwas received by Judge J. M. Woolsonally commanded the Filipinos. He worth, father-in-law of Major Howard, and the bulk of the enemy retreated up and read as follows:

the river. One Spaniard and 15 insur"Guy Howard killed in action to-

appear to be friendly. Federation of Labor. Washington, Oct. 23.—The executive council of the American Federation of Miss Woolworth, and the nuptials were

the federation financially assist the jewelers of New York, Newark and Providence, with a view to more

ANOTHER BATTLE ON. thorough organization of the trade and be helpful in every way to secure recognition of the union, as well as a reduction in the hours of their daily labor.

San Francisco, Oct. 23.—Advices re-ceived by the Alaska Commercial Com-fire is ineffective.

Boers are shelling. Dundece, east of Glencoe, at long range, but that their ire is ineffective.

Boers are shelling. Dundece, east of Glencoe, at long range, but that their pected to check it. pany indicate that there can be no longer any doubt that the British steamer Pelican, which left Puget sound in October, 1897, for China, foundered near the Aleutian islands, Commercial Company's agent at Un-alaska. It is dated October 6.

Dewey's Trip to Philadelphia Washington, Oct. 23.—Admiras Dewey last night met a select committee of the municipality of Philadelphia headed by Mayor Ashbridge, who tend ered him the hospitality of Philadelphia during the latter part of this month Admiral Dewey accepted the invitation, naming October 31 as the date o his arrival, returning on the night of

Chicago, Oct. 21 .- A special to th Times-Herald from Evansville, Ind., siys: An agent of the British govern ment was in this city today and shipped 100 mules to St. Louis. They are intended for South Africa. There are several agents scouring the counties of Southern Indiana and Illinois, buy ing mules for the British government

London, Oct. 23.-The British offic asserts that the verbal changes in the terms of the Alaska modus vivendi are of no practical importance, and have been readily agreed to, and that it is assumed Secretary of State Hay and the British charge d'affaires in Washington will sign tomorrow.

Yaquina, Or., Oct. 23.-A gale ha blown for the past 24 hours, being accompanied by heavy rain and thunder and lightning.

The heavy sea carried away about 700 feet of the north jetty. The total lenght of that jetty was about 2,300 feet, and it was part of improvements that cost about \$700,000.

Thirty-Ninth at Vancouver. Vancouver Barracks, Wash., Oct. 28.—This afternoon the steamer Un-America's cup with a magnificent dine and Lurline, towing a large barge, reached the government wharf at Van-couver barracks. On board were two and the trouble started. Weddle was battalions of the Thirty-ninth, the stabbed three or four times, one slash band, hospital corps and all their bag- being in the abdomen and letting the gage and equipment.

In the House of Lords. London, Oct. 23 .- In the house lords, the premier, the Marquis of Salisbury, presented the queen's message calling out the militia and move an address of thanks to her majesty The address was immediately adopted and the house adjourned until Thurs

President at Washington. Washington, Oct. 23.—President Mc Kinley and party reached Washington, nearly an hour behind schedule time. Mrs. McKinley's health has been improved by the trip.

Germany Opposed to Arbitration London, Oct. 23.-The Times' Ber lin correspondent says: The suggestion of submitting the Samoan ques tion to arbitration does not meet with approval in authoritative circles here

fifth regiment, at Fort Snelling, will The wreck was a rear-end collision be-break camp Sunday morning and leave tween two southbound extra freights. for San Francisco, en route for the Trains to and from the north are de-Philippines. Priests' Eucharistic League. Philadelphia, Oct. 20.-The second day's session of the Priests' Eucharistic League began today, with the celebraion of the pontifical mass in the cahedral, Papal Delegate Martinelli

was the celebrant. Archbishop Ryan

preached the sermon, formally welcom-

Minneapolis, Oct. 21.-The Forty

Among the prominent Catholic digni taries attending was Archbishop Chris tie, of Oregon. One of the Buffalo papers runs it entire plant by electricity furnished rom Niagara Falls.

Fillpinos Ask Otis for a Discussion of Peace Terms.

REQUEST WAS NOT GRANTED

Officer Killed and Two Men Wounded In an Attack on a Launch-Death of Major Howard.

Manila, Oct. 24 .- An American fficer was killed and two men wounded by the Filipinos in an attack on s launch with General Lawton's expedition in the Rio Chiquita, near San The rebels fired volleys from General Otis has replied to the three

insurgent officers who entered Angeles last Friday with a request, made through General MacArthur, for permission for a Filipino commission, headed by a Filipino major-general, to visit General Otis in order to discuss peace terms and to arrange for the delivery of American prisoners, that the desired interview cannot be granted because the suggested propositions of the flipinos are vague, indefinite and unmilitary, and because the Americans from Portland about Saturday next. must continue to decline to receive any representative of the so-called Filipino

Omaha, Oct. 24 .- A special cable was received here today announcing

gents were captured. The loss of the enemy is not known. The town people Ma Major Howard was well-known in Omaha, being on his father's staff when the latter was stationed here. He was married in this city 15 years ago to Labor, at its session today, voted that a notable society function. Mrs. How-

Heavy Firing Reported From Vicinity

Cape Town, Oct. 24.-A dispatch

Met a Strong Force.

cavalry, while pursuing the defeated

Glencoe Camp, Natal, Oct. 24.-Heavy, firing is now in progress in the northwest of this camp.

THE IOWAS REACH PORT

Transport Senator Weathered the San Francisco, Oct. 24.—The Fiftyfirst regiment of Iowa volunteers, numbering 764 men and 46 officers, under the command of Colonel J. C. Loper, arrived here today from Manila, on the transport Senator. There was no sickness aboard. The only death reported is that of Edward Kissick, company F, of Oskaloosa, Ia., who died at Nagasaki of dysentery. The only incident of the voyage was an accident that happened to Edwin Statler, company M. and Homer A. Read, company A. three days out from Nagasaki. They were injured by the breaking of a spar, which fell on them. Statler's leg was

broken and Read sustained a fracture of the skull. Both men are doing well. The Senator was caught in the tai' of the typhoon encountered by the steamer Empress of Japan. She was tossed about lively for several hours, but suffered no severe damage. Sc serious did the situation appear to the officers of the steamer at one time, that all the passengers were ordered be-low, and the hatches were battened

The Deadly Knife. Lebanon, Or., Oct. 24.-A serious stabbing affair occurred at Sweet Home last evening. J. P. Hahn, the Sweet Home merchant, stabbed and serrious ly wounded Albert Weddle, the sawmill man at that place. The trouble arose in the settlement of accounts be tween the two men. Weddle's brothe owed Hahn and Hahn tried to work intestines out. A physician was summoned from this city, and when he arrived he found Weddle in a critical condition, and there is but little expectation of his recovery.

Hahn said he was coming to Lebanor to surrender himself to an officer, but he has not arrived here. The feeling at Sweet Home is bitter against him.

Colon, Colmbia, Oct. 24.-The reve lution has extended from Gundina-marca to Lima. The Colombian gunboat Movaca is about to leave for Gauca, where an army of 10,000 men is being assembled by the government.

Salt Lake, Oct. 24 .- An air-brake ailure caused a wreck on the Oregon Short Line at Farmington, 18 miles north of this city, this evening. Fireman Harry Coleman is painfully, but not fatally injured, and Engineer Sim Pigman was badly shaken up. Both saved their lives by jumping.

Minneapolis, Oct. 24.—A special the Times from Great Falls, Mont., says: Nine men perished in the recent blizzard. Five bodies have been recovered, and it is probable that this is not half the list. The last body herder. The sheep had eaten off his beard, clothing and part of his boots. Several bands of sheep without herders found was that of H. Herrald, a she have been wandering in that country, and point to unknown deaths.

Of the 672 known volcanoes, 279 are usually in activity.

CAUGHT IN A TRAP. Official Report of the Death of Captain

Howard. Washington, Oct. 25.-The war department today received the following from General Otis:

Manila, Oct. 25 .- Captain Guy Howard, quartermaster of volunteers, was killed yesterday near Arayat while in a launch in the Rio Grande river, by concealed insurgents. His clerk, a civilian employe, and a native were

General Lawton is operating at San Isidro. Forwarding of supplies to that point continues, attended with some difficulty on accout of lack of traspor-tation which will be supplied soon. This morning Kline, commading at Calamba, vigorously attacked the insurgent force concentrating on his front, routed them from the trenches and pursued them three miles. His casualties were one private killed, one corporal and three privates wounded.

The enemy's loss is not known. READY FOR TRANSPORTS.

Probable Date of Departure of Thirty ninth Infantry. Vancouver Barracks, Wash., Oct. 25. —Captain Povey, quartermaster on the transport Lennox, visited the post to-day and said he thought the Thirty-The transports are expected to arrive in Portland Wednesday, and there is no reason why the regiment should not be able to get away by the end of the week. According to the latest orders, the two companies of the Forty-fifth infantry which have been recruited here, will sail with the Thirty-ninth, and then join the remainder of the regiment at Manila.

Captain R. P. Wainwright, First cavalry, arrived at the post today, and will purchase horses for the cavalry, which will be sent to the Philippines.

Report From Cape Nome. Washington, Oct 25 .- Captain Shoemaker, chief of the revenue cutter service, received from Lieutenant Jarvis a brief report, dated St. Michael, Alaska, September 30, on the recent trip of the revenue cutter Bear to Point

Barrow, in the course of which he says: "At Cape Nome are some 3,500 people, with the possible addition of from 500 to 1,000 from Yukon river points. I think there will be ample accommo dations for all desiring to go out, and has just arrived announcing that the also sufficient provisions for those who Boers are shelling. Dundeee, east of remain. Typhoid fever is prevalent,

"Good order is maintained, but London, Oct. 24.—According to s to get rid of before the winter closes, special from Glencoe camp, the British and I will co-operate with the military authorities and the United States mar- They-were immediately saluted with a and that her entire crew perished. The Boers, were engaged by a strong force shal to that end. There is also a large number of sick and indigent whom it their major fell with a bullet in his will be necessary to take away on the leg, but as he lay where he fell, he lit Bear to prevent suffering. The Bear is a pipe and smoked placidly while the en route to Sitka."

Washington, Oct. 25.-The annual report of Rear-Admiral Hichborn, chief of the bureau of construction and repair of the navy department, contains a number of estimates and recommendations with regard to the naval station on Puget sound. The recommendations show that some of the equip ment is badly in need of repair, and much in the way of new apparatus and appliances is required to bring the station up to the average standard.

Russia and France May Take a Hand. London, Oct. 25 .- Sensational rumors of the designs of foreign powers, inimical to British interests, meet with scant credence, though it is admittedly on land which Great Britain is now mobilizing. In Vienna, it is reported the British naval movements are due to a sumor that Russia, with the assent of France, is about to acquire station on the African coast.

Elsewhere it is stated the move

it could easily be joined by the Russia Black sea fleet, via the Straits of Daranelles, is occasioning suspicion. Washington, Oct. 25 .- General Otis'

f the French Mediterranean fleet in

the neighborhood of the Levant, where

secount of the latest Filipino peace vertures is as follows: nessage was received at Angeles under a flag of truce expressing the desrie of Hon. President Aguinaldo to send a commission to Manila to arrange the difficulties connected with the delivery of Spanish prisoners, and to discuss a matter of particular character. A reply was returned that the commission accredited by any one other than General Aguinaldo, general-in-chief of the insurgents, could not be recognized or received. There has been no later cor-

The Bandits Escaped. Atchison, Kan., Oct. 25 .- Notwith standing the fact that fully 500 armed men surrounded the island between Atchison and Doniphan all last night the two bandits who Saturday night killed one man and wounded another at Doniphan, and duplicated this crime here yesterday, while being pursued by a posse, crept through the line of guards during the night, and, stealing a team, escaped.

Kansas City, Mo., Oct. 25.-A com bination known as the National Lead. Zinc & Smelter Company, with a capitalization of \$10,000,000, and with a surplus of \$500,000, to control and work large interests in the Joplin-Galena district, has been formed. The concern was promoted by Marcus Pol-lasky, president of the National Mine Company, of Kansas City, who has just returned from New York, where he succeeded in interesting Eastern capi-

Lead and Zine Trust.

London, Oct. 25 .- Late this evening it was announced that a sensational burglary had taken place yesterday at the Savoy hotel, London, where the room of Mrs. Stockwell, of New York, widow of a New York jeweler, was en tered and robbed, it is understood, of jewelry valued at £10,000 and bank notes and other negotiable currency to

employed in the cotton mills of Maine are \$7.08; of the women, \$5.60, and of children, \$2.73.

Opened the Engagement at Dundee Saturday.

CONTINUED THE FIRE SUNDAY

arge Force Commanded in Person by Kruger and Joubert Said to Be Attacking Glencoe. London, Oct. 25 .- The Daily News mestic trade lines. From both coasts of this country come reports of insuf-ficient tonnage offering to handle goods seeking a foreign outlet, and freight rates are considerably higher than they

ublishes the following dispatch from advsmith, dated Sunday night: "A large force under Commandant-General Joubert and Commander Vogan, opened fire on Dundee yesterday. The fire was continued today. The result is not known here."

Cape Town, Oct. 25.-News has been received from Dundee to the effect that the Boer disaster at Eland's Laagto staggered the Boers completely, render-ing the attack upon Dundee feeble. Therefore, there is no cause for anxiety.

Fighting at Glencoe. London, Oct. 25 .- The Daily Telegraph has received the following from Ladysmith: "The Boers, reported to be 9,000 strong, and under the command of Commandant-General Joubert and

President Kruger in person, are again attacking Glencoe. General Yule, commanding our troops, has moved his camp back into a better defensive London, Oct. 25.-The war office re eived the following dispatch from General George Stewart White, commander

in Natal: "General Yule telegraphed me yesterday evening that the wounded at Dundee were doing well." This dispatch partly relieves the anxiety regarding Glencoe, as the British

there had evidently not been attacked

up to last evening. Battle of Eland's Laagto. London, Oct. 25.-The Daily Mail publishes the following description of the battle of Eland's Laagto, from its sspecial war correspondent, G. W. Stevens, filed at Ladysmith:

"The battle was a brilliant, complete success. The Boers numbered from 1,200 to 2,000, and probably had about 100 killed and 150 wounded. The fight itself was like a practical illustration of handbook tactics, each arm represented doing its proper work "The Gordon Highlanders, in their

attack, advanced in magnificent order. advance continued. As man after man dropped, supports were rushed into the firing line, our men darting from cover to cover, splendidly led and ever advancing. Yet, as ridge after ridge was won, the Highlanders still found a new ridge confronting them, and thus they fought their bleeding way until the final ridge was neared, with nearly

every officer down. "Then, slamming every available man into the firing line, Manchester, Devons and light horse all mixed, with bugles chanting the advance, bagpipes surge, our men swept yelling forward

and the position was won. "Meanwhile, squadrons of lance and dragons lapped round the Boer left lank, catching the enemy as they retired in order, goring and stamping them to pieces. And the commando

and Angeles. Manila, Oct. 25 .- The insurgent around Calamba and Angeles have bothered the Americans lately with their repeated attacks, which, like most of the Filipino attacks, consist of

IN SOUTHERN LUZON.

shooting a lot of ammunition into their pponents' camp from long range Major Cheatham's battalion of the Thirty-seventh infantry, three companies of the Twenty-first infantry, a battery of the Fifty artillery and a Gatling gun sallied out this morning from Caamba, drove the Filipinos from their trenches and pursued them for three miles, inflicting heavy loss on them. One American was killed and three were wounded of the Twenty-first in-

Ilo by a flag of truce, and the insurgents killed one of them, wounded one and captured a third. The gunboat was unable to fire for fear of wounding the Americans. The second battalion of the Nine teenth regiment, Major Reefe comnanding, embarked for Ilo Ilo today to

Four men from the gunboat Marivelos

were lured ashore 18 miles from Ilo

reinforce the troops. Chicago, Oct. 24.—Colonel Charle enby and Professor Worcester, special ommissioners to the Philippines, en oute from Vancouver to Washington reached Chicago today. Colonel Denby and Mrs. Denby, and their son, T. G. Denby, who acts as his father's secre tary, left at 3 P. M., for Washington.

United States Supreme Court. Washington, Oct. 25 .- Chief Justice Fuller today took his seat on the bench of the supreme court of the United States, for the first time during the present session of the court. Justice Brewer has been indisposed since his return from Paris, and was not present today. The court denied the motion for an advance in the case of William Boyle, of Sheshone county, Idaho, who was sent to prison on the charge of complicity in the Idaho labor riots of

Yellow Fever at Jackson. Jackson, Miss., Oct. 25 .- Eight new ases of yellow fever are reported in Jackson tonight. This makes a total of 18 cases now under treatment. The patients are scattered over the city, statement tonight declaring the dis-

Spanish Minister Resigns Madrid Oct 25 -The minister of justice, Senor Duran, has residual 2.50 per bunch; pineappus, consequence of the decision of the gov-inal; Persian dates, 6@6%c per justice, Senor Duran, has resigned in ernment to suspend the constitution

TRANSPORTATION INADEQUATE.

Rates Are Moving Up and Have Bearing on Export Trade.

Bradstreet's says: More nearly, perhaps, than ever before, does the volume of general trade and industry tax exist-ing transportation facilities handling the same. From nearly all parts of the country, but particularly from the West and South, come reports of car scarcity. Some of this congestion seems to be the result of a diversion of traffic ordinarily carried on by water routes to already crowded railroads. The inability of present transportation facilities to cope with the existing situation is, however, not confined to do-

were a year or more ago. This latter feature, in fact, is one which may have important effects upon our foreign trade during the balance of the year.

With few notable exceptions prices continue strong. A number of lines have advanced quotations, while the great body of staple articles manifest all their old foreign. all their old firmness. Some weakness in wheat prices is directly traceable to higher freight rates because of the partial closing of the door to relief

from growing domestic stocks.

Raw wool is firmer and even higher on better demand at the East, some heavy speculative transactions being

reported The strength of lumber is apparently Business failures for the week number 221, as compared with 164 last week, 213 in this week a year ago, 225 in 1897, 202 in 1896, and 259 in 1895. Business failures in the Dominion of Canada for the week number 20, as compared with 19 last week, 24 in this

week a year ago, 27 in 1897, 48 in 1896, and 36 in 1895. PACIFIC COAST TRADE.

Scattle Markets. Onions, new, \$1.00@1.25 per sack. Potatoes, new, \$16@18. Beets, per sack, \$1.10. Tumips, per sack, 75c. Carrots, per sack, 90c. Parsnips, per sack, 90c. Cauliflower, 75c per dozen

Cabbage, native and California, \$1 @1.25 per 100 pounds. Peaches, 65@80c. Apples, \$1.25@1.50 per box. Pears, \$1.00@1.25 per box. Prunes, 60c per box. Watermelons, \$1.50. Cantaloupes, 40@50c.

Butter—Creamery, 28c per pound; iairy, 17@22c; ranch, 20c per pound. Eggs—27@28c. Cheese—Native, 18@14c. Foultry—12½c; dressed, 13½c. Hay—Puget Sound timothy, \$12.00; choice Eastern Washington timothy, \$1600.

eed meal. \$23.

shorts, per ton, \$16.00

\$21; whole, \$22. Flour—Patent, per barrel, \$3.65; clended straights, \$3.25; California, \$3.25; buckwheat flour, \$3.50; graham, per barrel, \$2.90; whole wheat flour, \$3.00; rye flour, \$3.75. Millstuffs-Bran, per ton, \$15.00;

Corn-Whole, \$23.00; cracked, \$23;

Barley-Rolled or ground, per ton,

Feed-Chopped feed, \$20.50 per ton; niddlings, per ton, \$22; oil cake meal, Portland Market Wheat-Walla Walla, 56 66 57c; Valey, 58c; Bluestem, 59c per bushel. Flour—Best grades, \$3.25; graham,

\$1.65; superfine, \$2.15 per barrel. Oats—Choice white, 34@35c; choice gray, 32@83c per bushel.

Barley—Feed barley, \$15@16.00; prewing, \$18.50@19.00 per ton. Millstuffs-Bran, \$17 per ton; middlings, \$22; shorts, \$18; chop, \$16 per

Hay—Timothy, \$9@11; clover, \$7 @8; Oregon wild hay, \$6@7 per ton. Butter—Fancy creamery, 50@55c; seconds, 48%@45c; dairy, 87%@40c; tore, 22 1/2 @ 27 1/c. Eggs—22@23 %c per dozen.

Poultry-Chickens, mixed, \$3.00@ 4.00 per dozen; hens, \$4.50; springs \$2.00@3.50; geese, \$5.50@6 for old; \$4.50@6.50 for young; ducks, \$4.50 per dozen; turkeys, live, 1236@14c per pound. Potatoes-55@65c per sack: sweets 2@21/c per pound.

Vegetables-Beets, \$1; turnips, 90c;

per sack; garlic, 7c per pound; cauli-

flower, 75c per dozen; parsnips, \$1; beans, 5@6c per pound; celery, 70@

Young America, 14c; new cheese 10c

se-Oregon full cream, 13c;

box; peas, 8@4c per pound; tomatoes, 80c per box; green corn, 121/4@ Hops—7@10c; 1898 crop, 5@6c. Wool—Valley, 12@18c per pound; Eastern Oregon, 8@14c; mohair, 27@ 80c per pound. Mutton—Gross, best sheep, wethers

Mutton—Gross, best sheep, wethers and ewes, 31/2c; dressed mutton, 61/2@ To per pound; lambs, 71/20 per por Hogs-Gross, choice heavy, \$5.00; light and feeders, \$4.50; dressed, \$6.00@6.50 per 100 pounds. Beef-Gross, top steers, \$3.50@4.00; ows. \$3@3.50; dressed beef, 6%@

71/40 per pound. Veal—Large, 61/2071/20; small, 8@ 8 %c per pound. Wool—Spring—Nevada, 12@14c per pound; Eastern Oregon, 12@15c; Val-ley, 17@19c; Northern, 8@10c. Hops-1899 crop, 9@12%c per

Butter-Fancy creamery 30@310; do seconds, 27@29c; fancy dairy, 24 @26c; do seconds, 21@28c per pound. Eggs—Store, 25@88c; fancy ranch, Millstuffs - Middlings, 20.50; nran, \$16.50@17.50.

Onions-Yellow, 75@85c per sack.

Hay—Wheat \$7.50@10; wheat and oat \$6.00@9.00; best barley \$5.00@7.00; alfalfa, \$5.00@7.00 per tea. straw, 25@40c per bale. Potatoes-Early Rose, 40@50ct Ors gon Burbanks, \$1.25@1.50; river Burbanks, 50@75c; Salinas Burbanks, 90c@\$1.10 per sack.

Citrus Fruit—Oranges, Valencia, \$2.75@3.25; Mexican limes, \$4.00@ 5.00; California lemons 75c@\$1.50; do choice \$1.75@2.00 per box.