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LATE TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

APPROPRIATION OF FIFTY MILLIONS. Uncle Sam Has Millions for Defense—War Preparations Going on at a Lively Rate—War Ships to be Purchased in London—The President to Visit the Coast.

WASHINGTON, Mar. 8.—The Cannon deficiency bill, carrying \$50,000,000 for the national defense, which measure was drafted yesterday at the instance of the administration, was favorably reported to the house today by unanimous vote of the appropriation committee, and its consideration begun. When the bill was discussed at some length, it was passed by a unanimous vote of the house.

Washington, Mar. 8.—The senate today considered the District of Columbia appropriation bill. A meeting of the senate committee on appropriations made it clear that the Cannon \$50,000,000 national defense bill will be reported promptly and probably unanimously.

Washington, Mar. 9.—The senate committee on appropriations this morning agreed to the bill passed by the house yesterday appropriating \$50,000,000 for the national defense. The senate passed the bill unanimously, 76 votes being cast in the affirmative, and not one in the negative.

The vice-president and the speaker of the house signed the bill this afternoon, and it was immediately sent to the president, who affixed his signature at 8:30 o'clock p. m. This bill is now a law.

To Buy War Ships. London, March 9.—The indications are that the United States government will not wait for the arrival here of Commander Brownson in order to purchase warships. Definite orders have already been made for the purchase of ships building here, with a view to forestalling Spain, who is supposed to be bargaining for the same vessels.

Do Not Fear the Cold. "I suffered every spring and fall for several years with a severe cold. Two years ago I began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla and it built me up so that I have had no cold since, and I do not fear colds as formerly. I have the Hood's Sarsaparilla." Chas. Woods, Box 112, West Seattle, Washington.

Hood's Pills are the only pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla. Cure all liver ills.

SHIPMENT OF TORPEDOES. Large Quantity of Material Ordered to Key West.

New York, March 8.—It is said that imperative orders have been received at Willet's point to prepare for shipment a large quantity of material for torpedoes. Several tons of explosives, 11 drums of single conducting cable, four drums of multiple cable, five 1000-pound anchors, 20 500-pound anchors, wire cable for mooring and tackle for their attachment to the torpedoes are called for. The material will be forwarded to Key West, it is believed, where it will be utilized in the preparation of torpedoes to protect the approaches to that port. Twenty men have been picked from each company at Willet's point to take a five-day course of instruction at the torpedo school. These may be sent to Key West to plant the torpedoes.

The 20 large guns received from Washington are being unloaded at the main dock. They are intended to complete the armament of the Chicago and Atlanta, but it was said that they would be used on the liners St. Louis and St. Paul, if necessary.

IN WEYLER RESPONSIBLE. Proof That He Fabricated Explosives in Birmingham, Ala., March 8.—Captain G. F. Hamlin, general manager of the Dittmar Powder Company, of New York, is reported in this city. He confirms the report that the Dittmar concern sold explosives to Weyler's agents in November, 1896. Captain Hamlin does not know for what purpose the explosives were used.

"I sold to Weyler's agents 8000 pounds of dynamite in November, 1896," said Mr. Hamlin. "At the same time, 100 miles of rubber-covered insulated copper wire was purchased and sent to Cuba on the ship carrying the dynamite. This might have been used in the destruction of the Maine three weeks ago tonight, as it was pretty well established that Weyler was using this powerful explosive to form the most terrible naval destroyers of modern times."

At the War Department. The war department is not behind the navy. General Flagler, chief of ordnance, is very busy reaching out in every direction by means of the telegraph and the mail to learn just how far the resources of the big private manufacturing concerns can be relied upon to come to the aid of the war department in arming and equipping a volunteer army, should one be found necessary.

General Miles is looking after the per-

sonel closely, and today was trying hard to perfect the organization of the two new regiments of artillery which congress has granted. The officers must be referred to congress, and the commissions are only waiting on the forms. Beyond the statement that two lieutenant-colonels of the existing artillery regiments would be made colonels of the new regiments, the names of the officers are withheld.

The Maine Inquiry. Three weeks ago tonight the Maine was blown up. As it was last week at this time, so it is now—nothing is known officially of the cause of the disaster. The court is at work hard, but this is all that is known at the navy department. It is not even known when it may be expected to finish its work, but the importance of this does not diminish by the lapse of time, and in the midst of divisions caused by more recent happenings the more thoughtful officials have not lost sight of the fact that, when the report of the court of inquiry comes to the navy department, the government may be face to face with another and vital issue.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve. The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Slocum Drug Co., E. J. Slocum, manager.

Will Visit the Coast. Washington, March 8.—President McKinley and Secretary of Agriculture Wilson have announced their intention of visiting the Pacific coast this summer.

England is all Right. London, March 10.—In the house of commons today Hon. Hubert Valentine Duncomb, conservative, will ask the parliamentary secretary for the foreign office, Curzon, whether to a view to recognizing the identity of the interests of all English-speaking peoples, her majesty's government will consider the advisability of placing the services of the British fleet at the disposal of the United States, in event of complications between the United States and any foreign power.

In addition Donald Morrison, Marston Liberal, will question the government as to whether there is any truth in the reports that communications on the Cuban question have been exchanged between the British ambassador at Washington and the government of the United States.

A Narrow Escape. Thankful words written by Mrs. Ads E. Hart, of Grotton, S. D., "Was taken with a bad cold which settled on my lungs, cough set in and finally terminated in consumption. Four doctors gave me up saying I could live but a short time. I gave myself up to my Savior, determined if I could not stay with my friends on earth, I would meet my absent ones above. My husband was advised to get Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds. I gave it a trial took in all eight bottles. It has cured me, and thank God I am saved and now a well and healthy woman." Trial bottles free at E. J. Slocum's drug store. Regular size 50c and \$1.00 guaranteed or price refunded.

Recognition for Cuba. Chicago, March 10.—A special dispatch to the Chronicle from Washington, says: President McKinley has completed the draft of a special message to congress, in which he recommends the recognition of Cuban independence. It is his intention to send this message to congress within two weeks. To support his claim that the time has arrived when the United States should intervene and stop the devastating war in Cuba, the president will submit the correspondence received from the consuls in Cuba and Minister Woodford at Madrid.

Everybody Says So. Casenrol's Candy Cathartic, the most wonderful medicinal discovery of the age, pleases and refreshes the taste, acts gently and positively on kidneys, liver and bowels, cleanses the entire system, dispels colds, cures headache, fever, habitual constipation and biliousness. Please buy and try a box of C. C. Candy Cathartic, 10, 25, 50 cents. Sold and guaranteed to cure by all druggists.

FRESH COMMENT. The republican state convention should know no Mitchell, no Simon, no Corbett, no Scott, or other man or faction. They should meet with one common cause in view: that of nominating the strongest ticket possible; and if those Maltcombs factions appear on the scene they should be put on a scow or barge and started back to Portland, where they will be at liberty to fight it out. The state has nothing to do with Maltcombs' local fight, and the "scow" constitution should not allow themselves to be drawn into it.—Valley Transcript.

Women who contemplate taking to themselves husbands who fought in the late war, should do so before July 1. After that time no pension will be attached to the marriage certificate. The veterans will be married for love or glory, and not for a possibility of revenue for their widows. The pension appropriation bill which has been reported to the

ROYAL BAKING POWDER Absolutely Pure

house contains an important amendment to the present law. The amendment provides that hereafter no woman who marries an old soldier will, in the event of an old soldier's death, be entitled to a widow's pension.—Evening Republican.

Dreadfully Nervous. Gentle—I was dreadfully nervous, and for relief took your Carl's Clover Root Tea. It quieted my nerves and strengthened my whole nervous system. I was troubled with constipation, kidney and bowel trouble. Your Tea soon cleansed my system and thoroughly that I rapidly regained health and strength. Mrs. E. A. Sweet, Hartford, Conn. Sold by Conser & Brock.

BRIEF MENTION. Ed Holland was up from Lexington yesterday.

What is Hop Gold? Best beer on earth. See ad elsewhere.

E. L. Freeland is on the sick list, being a sufferer from rheumatism. Guinness's famous old "Dublin Stout," imported, at Chris Borebers'.

Mrs. F. J. Hallock will depart on Monday night for Sumpter to join her husband.

Fine home-made taffy at the Orange Front. A clean, fresh stock of goods—leave your orders.

Painless remedy for extracting teeth. If not as stated, no charges. Try Dr. Vaughan's new plan. 604-1/2.

If you need something for your system call at the 'Phone—The Telephone saloon, City hotel building.

Alex Gunn returned this morning from a trip to Iowa, where he spent a look after some business matters.

Dr. B. F. Vaughan will leave for the interior March 17th. Those desiring dental work should call at once.

Wanted; red headed girl and white horse to distribute the premiums given away with Hoe Cake soap. Apply "nit." a-30

Miss Etta Minor has moved her dress-making parlors into the building formerly occupied by G. W. Ren as a law office. We presume you use soap and if so the best is cheapest. Hoe Cake is strictly pure with no free alkali. Rhea & Co. a-30

W. J. Bruce, of Bruce Bros., proprietors of the Golden Rule hotel at Pendleton, came in this morning and will remain a few days in Heppner.

E. W. Rhea & Co. are rustling after the spring trade, and if good goods and fair dealing go for anything, they will surely have their share. 628-29

Mrs. E. W. Rhea and Mrs. S. W. Spencer entertained a number of their lady friends at tea on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Rhea.

H. B. Ewing, editor of the Buckley Banner, published at Buckley, Wash., has spent the week in Heppner. He was here to attend the trial of his brother.

Dyspepsia cured. Shiloh's Vitalizer immediately relieves sour stomach, coming up of food distress, and is the great kidney and liver remedy. Sold by Conser & Brock.

Arlington Record: Attorney Garley went to Heppner Saturday to attend the circuit court. Mr. Garley will defend W. B. Ewing charged with assault with intent to kill Jim Fitz.

E. W. Rhea & Co. positively guarantee to meet any prison on wool bags. They will not be undersold and their customers may depend on this proposition, as they are in it to stay to the finish. 25-1/2

Uncle Tom Scott, of Galloway, sold his farm at that place this week to Harry Bartholomew. Consideration \$3500. Mr. Scott will move to Lewiston, Idaho, in a short time where he will make his future home.

A donation party was given Captain and Lieutenant McGregor last evening. A large supply of edibles and useful articles were donated and we are informed that quite a sum of cash was also given them.

A. A. Roberts left for Portland last Tuesday evening to attend to his duties as deputy U. S. marshal. He has been here some time on attendance on his wife who has been quite sick, but who, we are glad to report, is convalescent.

Karl's Clover Root Tea is a pleasant laxative. Relieves the bowels, purifies the blood, cleans the complexion. Easy to make and pleasant to take. 25 cts. Sold by Conser & Brock.

The Gazette carries a full stock of morning news, correspondence style, with envelopes to match. Those desiring such stationery can have their wants supplied at this office. 14