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"The Kind You Have Always Bought" BEARS THE SIGNATURE OF

Insist on Having The Kind That Never Failed You.

WAR TAX PUZZLES SOLVED.

Decisions by Internal Revenue Commission

Below are quoted a number of decis

ions on the war revenue tax made by

Commissioner Scott, of the internal rev

on the presentation of his bank book to

the savings bank does not require

it in the form of an order for the pay-

Where certificates of stock are deliv-

ered as collateral, the stock to be for-

feited only upon condition of failure to

pay the debt for which it is pledged, a

have, in addition to a 50 cent stamp, a

Bonds required in legal proceedings

administratore and guardians, are not

exempt, and the stamp tax must be paid

Telegraphic disputches sent by state

A 10 cent stamp is sufficient upon a

officers of an incorporated company,

without regard to the number of signs-

Revenue stamps are not required on

tures of national banks of notes in circu-

Bitters will be presumed to be mediciual

preparations, and taxable unless the pen-

medicinal character is clearly shown. Bonds of municipal officers require to

be stumped, under the act. - Excusage.

Two Millians & Year.

amount of the stamp required.

government bonds are taxable.

are exempt from taxation.

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America's Terms Acceptable and McKinley Awaits Official Notification From Madrid

CLASH NOW FEARED WITH AGUINALDO

Vaxican Appeals for American Protection of Catholics---Insurgents Prevent the Surrender of Manila.

LONDON, Aug. 3.—The Madrid correspondent of the Mail says: The government has accepted the principal of the American con- into effect immediately. ditions, but the acceptance will not be made public until inquiries to Washington on matters of detail have been answered, thus rounding off still in doubt, the directors of the naval the preliminary basis.

The Madrid correspondent of the Daily News says:

The government's reply to the American peace terms left here Monday evening. The government believes that the nature of the negotiations requires the greatest secrecy, and that their success will depend upon the observance of the most absolute reserve here. Official silence, therefore, is complete.

The Rome correspondent of the Daily Chronidle says: Spain, it is asserted here, has accepted the American terms, with

unimportant reservations, and the peace preliminaries will be signed before Saturday.

The Madrid correspondent of the Standard says:

The government's reply to the American terms was forwarded yesterday evening, through M. Cambon, and there is a strong prospect probability, remain upon its war footing that peace will be concluded.

Peace Delegation to Be Chosen.

NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—A special cable to the Evening Journal from ties in Alaska, Hawaii, Cuba and Porto adrid, published in a late edition of that paper, says:

Spain accepts the principal conditions of peace as set forth by the perstively demand a considerable force from Constructor Bowles, will be about All bankers, brokers and others sub American government, and only the peace details are needed to cause for garrison duty. For some time at August 12th. The Indiana will also ject to special tax, who did not pay such tax prior to August 1st will be subjected hostilities to cease at once. A peace delegation will be cho No stamp is required for an ordinary to confer with the representatives of the United States.

The peace conditions set forth by President McKinley were dis-A 2 cept stamp is required on an order for each drawn on a merchant by one of cussed at length today by the cabinet, and at the conclusion it was given out officially that the terms of the United States would be ac-Certificates of deposit, if left a certain cepted. There are one or two amendments to the propositions of the time, are taxable the same as promissory United States which Spain will ask to be made, and if this is done, peace will be declared at once. The withdrawal of funds by a depositor

## The Terms of Peace.

stamp, if there is nothing accompanying WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—Following is an official statement given out not so certain about the Cubaus after the latter vessels are put out of commisby authority of the president today as the terms of peace offered by their performance at Santiago, and sion. the United States:

"In order to remove any misapprehension in regard to the negonations as to peace between the United States and Spain, it is deemed shiftless, lazy men that infest the island proper to say that the terms offered by the United States in the note will prove a source of continual irristamp is required as a pledge and not as handed to the French ambassador on Saturday last are in substance Where a bond is given with a gueranty as follows:

company as surety, the bond should "The president does not now put forward any claim for pecuniary of the strong arm of the United States indemnity, but requires relinquishment of all claim of sovereignty over until a generation has passed. stamp denoting one-half of one cent on or title to the island of Cuba, as well as evacuation by Spain of the each dollar or fractional part thereof island; cession to the United States and immediate evacuation of Porto their ability to take care of themselves, in which to transact the public business. paid by the principal obligor on the bond Rico and other islands under Spanish sovereignty in the West Indies, and beyond a small detachment of artil. He thought that it would secure better are exempt from the stamp tax, but bonds and like cession of an island in the Ladrones.

"The United States will occupy and hold the city, bay and harbor the army will be able to leave the progiven by persons appointed by the court, of Manils, pending the conclusion of a treaty of peace, which shall determine the control, disposition and government of the Philippines. If these terms are accepted by Spain in their entirety, commissioners tremendous increase in the regular army by an amendment to the constitution of In cases where the consideration in a will be named by the United States to meet commissioners on the part would be imperative so soon as congress the United States providing for their deed is nominal, the actual value of the of Spain for the purpose of concluding a treaty of peace on the basis provides the requisite authority. property conveyed should govern the above indicated."

## Insurgents Declare Vengeance.

officers in discharge of their official duties WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—The officials here make no concealment of their apprehension of serious trouble to follow the execution of our Powers of attorney executed on the program in regard to the Philippines. The reports of the military back of stock certificates used in connecand naval commanders of late have contained warnings of expected tion with the transfer of shares require conflicts with the insurgents, and no surprise will be felt at the receipt to be stamped, in addition to the tax on of news of an outbreak at almost any moment. Powers of attorney to sell or transfer

The United States feels that it has assumed a moral obligation toward not only the foreign residents of Manila, but toward the upprotected classes of the Spanish community-women, children, nuns and their original occupations as speedily as proxy for use in voting at an election of priests. Therefore, when intimation came that the insurgents were circumstances will permit. So long as threatening the lives of some helpless monks, orders were sent to the the nation is absolutely in need of these last June the largest class in its history. American military commander to look into the matter, and to act in volunteers, it is certain that they will The class numbered thirty. The fall the reports of earnings and dividends, the interest of civilization and humanity.

and reports of condition, made to the As, according to reports, the insurgents have shown particular tion to hold them strictly to their terms grade branches can enter the sub-freshhostility towards the monks, it is a reasonable expectation that before of entistment from the moment their ser- manclass. No examinations are required controller of the currency by national long a collision will have occurred with the American troops, if the vices may be dispensed with, and it for graduates of accredited schools. forwarded to the controller of the car. latter undertake to interfere in the execution of the vengeance of the rency requires no stamp. Neither are insurgents. stamps required on the semi-annual re-

## Protection of Catholics.

Curcago, Aug. 2 - A special from Washington to the News says: The war and navy departments have received, through Cardinal Ram- gould include most of the troops at Eugene, Oregon. polls, papal secretary of state, a cablegram from the pope expressing Chicksmagus and Camp Alger and those The courses offered are those of a good the keenest auxiety for the safety of the bishop and clergy at Cavite scattered throughout the various mili-Information received at the vatican is to the effect that Aguinaldo and his forces have planned the massacre of the Catholics.

Immediately upon receipt of the information, cablegrams were (all, and it will certainly go there at that my, logic, philosophy, psychology, mathsent to General Merritt and Admiral Dewey directing them to take time, whether for offensive operations in smatter and physical education. Music every means possible to prevent the insurgents from harming Catholics. case Havane is not surrendered, or as the and drawing are also taught. The tu-

When people lay, try, and lay again, it means they're attended. The people of the United States are now buying Cascarets Cardy Catharia at the rate of two million boase a year and it will be three million before New Year's. It means merit proved, that Cascarets are the most designiful howel. The receipt of the news has caused much uneasiness here. If an equal occupation after peace has been ition is free. All students pay an inciattempt of this kind is made by Agninaldo, it will surely lead to a con- The reduction of the navel forms will ing. heat and light in the dormitory cost druggists life, Nic. Nic. Son, curs gueranteed. Biet between the forces under him and those of the United States.

WAR ABOUT ENDED.

Tribune from Washington says:

Army and navy officers consider the war practically ended, so far as actual bostilities are concerned, and that there will be no occasion bereafter to fire a hostile shot except in the slight resistance that may be offered by the Spaniards to the progress of the American forces in General Miles' Porto Rican campaign.

At any rate it is considered inconceiv able that any new extensively operations will need to be undertaken, and that character, it being the intention to diseven if the peace negotiations are conducted in the dilatory manner which pressed into the service and improvised has come to be inseparable from the Spanisrds, an armistice can bardly be deleyed more than a week or ten days, as already been taken by the orders issued by that time the Spanish garrison at yesterday returning the St. Paul and the San Juan and Manila will have laid St. Louis to New York as soon as they down their arms as they did at Santisgo. Under the circumstances, it is not surprising to find that in the war department as well as the navy department, preparations for the new conditions of peace are rapidly going forward, and some of them, at least, will be carried quired them, they will be returned to

With the future of the Philippines and military services are devoting their attention chiefly to the West Indies and the forces ashore and affoat in the Atlantic and east of the Mississippi. The as transports. Perhaps the army will be necessity for the maintenance of a large army for occupation of Cuba and Forto Rico will militate to prevent any reduction in the Miles establishment for some time to come, although most of the volunteers who have not up to this time left American soil will probably be mustered out of the service within a month after the treaty of peace is concluded.

The regular army, which has been expanded during the war from a strength of 25,000 to an approximate numerical aggregate of 75,000 men, will, in all for several years, the country having been awakened to the expediency of maintaining a greater standing army at home, while the enlarged responsibili-Rico, and perhaps the Philippines, imleast Cuba cannot be trusted to work come North as soon as possible, and even Admiral Bampson's flagship, the New without the guardianship of at least 50,000 trained soldiers. Porto Rico will the middle of August. undoubtedly require about 10,000, unless greater difficulty attends the establishment of law and order in these islands than is now apprehended, when double that number would be needed.

Of Porto Rico's rapid progress and of the ability of its people to relieve the United States of much concern, army grave fears are manifested that the professional guerrillas and military agitatore, together with the large element of tation and probably compel the adminis-

at all. Its people have demonstrated lery and perhaps a company of infantry legislation if the session would be extection of the islands entirely to the strictly to legislative matters.

If the Philippines are to be held, a

PEACE PREPARATIONS.

Indications Favor Early Mustering Out of Volunteers.

[Associated Press.] New York, Aug. 1 .- A special to the Tribune from Washington says:

It is recognized on all sides that more

service, officers as well as enlisted men. tive default or negligence.—Eugene Regare serving at great personal sacrifice and should be discharged to return to

be of a more sweeping and immediate \$2.50 per week.



pose of nearly all the vessels which were

for various hostile operations since the Maine was blown up. The first step has can leave the West Indies. Their guns will be taken off at once, their naval officers detached, including Captain Sigsbee and Captain Goodrich, and as speedily as the vessels can be restored to the condition they were in when the navy actheir former owners, the American line. The Harvard and Yale will be given up week or so later, and the navy will then cease paying \$9.000 a day for these four vessels, which for the past few weeks have been used exclusively by the army able to charter the vessels for a time, or at least until the owners consider it advisable to undertake the restoration of their trans-Atlantic voyages. It is almost certain that the war department, if compelled to send additional reinforcements to Manila, will promptly impress these vessels and hurry them around to

the Pacific for that purpose. The naval authorities have also shown their confidence in the result of the peace negotiations by ordering at least three of the heavier warships to New York for

The Texas is expected to go into dock on Tuesday, and the Brooklyn a week later. The Iowa will be put into the new dock, which has just been purchased, as soon as it is ready to receive her. which, according to the latest assurances York, is expected to go into drydock by

According to the naval authorities the prospects are that all the volunteer officers, as well as the men, who are relieved from naval service will be able to return to their homes by September 1st. This refers, of course, only to naval militiamen whose places on the regular warships will be taken by enlisted men reofficers have little doubt, but they are lessed from the auxiliaries as quickly as

SPECIAL SESSION TALK.

Gov. Lord Favors Electing United States Sepators by Direct Vote

SALEM, Aug. 1 .- In speaking of the legislative session Governor Lord said tering of justice and the protection of today that while the election of United property there by the continual exertion | States senators and the appointment of numerous state officers, such as railroad commissioners, etc., continued to be a part of the labors of the legislature, a session of 40 days was too short a time

The governor believes that our system of electing senators should be changed election by the people, and that the appointment of state officers by the legislature, or other officers than those belonging to their own body, should be discontinued as contrary to constitutional principles. His idea is that the power to appoint to office is not embraced within the purview of legislative duties, and that its exercise has furnished us with a legal anomaly of legislative appointees to state offices having their than nine-tenths of the volunteers now in terms indefinitely extended by legisla-

University of Oregon.

The University of Oregon graduated unbesitatingly respond to the necessities term will begin September 19th. Stuof the occasion, but there is no disposi- dents who have completed the tenth which have not reached Fernandina, Catalogues will be ecut free to all appli-Jackson ville and Sun Francisco, should cante. Persons desiring information be ordered to their states for mustering may address the president, Secretary J. out within the next ten days. These J. Walton, or Mr. Max A. Plumb, all of

tary departments. General Lee's Seventh | modern and ancient languages, physics. corps at Jacksonville has always been chemistry, biology, geology, English, eloistended for duty in Cubs late in the cution, advanced engineering, astrono-