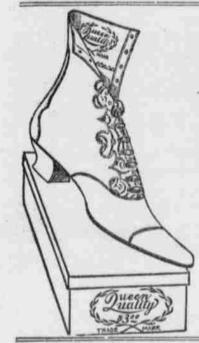
### Though the din of auction bells and the flutter of red flags and white signs, we have patiently held our peace, but now we've a word to say. But not by RED FLAG nor CLANGING BELL will we seek to attract your attention, nor by "closing out" sales

# SALEM WOOLEN MILLSTORE It is Expected Bloemfontein Will be Cap-

Well we started to say that we have just completed our Annual Invoice, and in taking stock, find that we have several lines of suits all sold out save perhaps one or two. These old suits we have placed by themselves and THEY'VE GOT TO GO FOR WE MUST KEEP OUR STOCK CLEAN. IF YOU WANT A GOOD SUIT OF OREGON WOOL AT A CLEAN-UP PRICE, NOW'S

When you come in look over our "Odds ands Ends" tables, where we've collected a few remnants of lines in underwear, sweaters, gloves, shirts, caps, cottonade pants, etc. And Mackintoshes we're almost giving them away, for we're overstocked and want

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# tured Today

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START FOR HELENA TOMRROW

the morning until sundown At sun-

Care Town, March 14 .- Thensdians

tance of 75 miles. Boers areaid to

By Associated Press to the srunt

LONDON, March 14 .- Ludy Sa Wil-

son wires to the Daily Mail freMafe-

king under date of March 6, bative

runner to Lobatsi, March 9, atlows:

"Saturday, March 3, the Po furi-

ously bombarded the brick fit and

trenches about a mile from thown,

for three hours killing one anound

ing two Colonials. Monday, Mh 5,

they made a determined attack wing

to a misunderstanding, the Cpals

evacuated the formost trench. The

Boers occuried but reserves were ed

up, and the trench was recapturedth a rush. We had no casualties.

"The Boers are very active, ait

ereaching on our lines. Since ;-

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taxes Colonel Baden-Powell anse garrison very heavily to prevent n

### Plumer Expected to Relieve Mafeking Soon - Heavy British Losses at Abraham's Kraal Las Saturday

by Associated Freez to the Journal | thousand. Their first assat was re London, March 14 .- A few hours pulsed. Only two Boers wewounded may bring important dispatches from Second assault was make one hills to Roberts. No word has come from to the left, a position of gre strategic Bloemlontein today, although sharp defended the position from 'clock in fighting is believed to have occurred.

London confidently expects that the down there were fifty yard between occupation of the Free State capitol will us. The British lost heavily. occur today. In the meanwhile, attention turns to Mafeking.

News of Plumer's approach bas given substance to the rumors of its relief. It is stated that the diminished number of the investing force may have rendered from Victoria West proceed to the Plumer's task more feasible. From Prieska district. A Kimberl farmer, Herschel comes the statement that the total collapse of the insurgent colonists total collapse of the insurgent colonists almost deserted. He cover a dis-

Town special, sails for St. Helena March River, in the neighborhood of a Klip 15th, accompanied by all the Paardeberg prisoners. Natal dispatches re- BOMBARDING count the greatest satisfaction felt there at Lord Salisbury's reply to the Boer president's peace overture.

A dispatch from Johannesburg contradicts the reports that the mines are flooded, and asserting that all is well.

NEARING

MAFEKING

CAPETOWN, March 14.-Col. Plummer is now within forty miles of Maleking.

PRETORIA, March 14 .- A dispatch from Bloemfontein says that in view of the mandant Suyman returned frome military situation the seat of govern- North the siege has been prosed with renewed vigor." ment may be removed to Kroonstaadt. BOER MISSION

THE ABRAHAM'S

Kraal, Saturday says:

KRAAL FIGHT. LONDON, March 14 .- According ispatch to the Times from Loup cable by the Government from some port on the coast of the State of Washington Marques, dated Tuesday, Mr. Fig. to Cape Nome and other points in Alaska. By Associated Press to the Journal. the Orange Free State Secretary.r. PRETORIA, Tuesday :- Commander De-Wessels, chairman of the Orangeje soldiers will be sent there in the near future from the general hospital in San larges report of the fight at Abraham's State Rand, and Mr. Wolmarans, ie Francisco. The empty barracks will be utilized as temporary hospitals. Transvaal Executive Cammittee, id "The British were estimated at forty leave for Europe that day by a Gin

THOSE MORMON

Conveyance, from Sorsogon to Legaspi, these companies were transferred to the local steam its. Venus and Castellano' accompanying the expedition as transports, and late yesterday afternoon the two vessels, convoyed by the Nashville, with General Kobbe on board, sailed from Sorsogon Bay for Legaspi.

Mashington, March 14.—The er of disposing of the polygamous posters, Graham and Smith, of Utalas of Lagas pides. SPAULDING of disposing of the polygamous posters, Graham and Smith, of Utalas finally disposed of yesterday. The rt of the investigating committeels though not more than 10 miles overland. forth that the President was not to So the insurgent soldiers who abandone that the President was not e Sories insurgent conditions that they were polygamists at thee Sorsegon to us three days ago have had of their appointment, but included ample time to come over to Leguspi and swell the ranks of the garrison here. following statement in their report granting of course, that they did not "Second—When both of said ps prefer the greater security of the

were appointed, two witnesses ter hat the said Graham and Smittle has repute, which was open and a sus in their respective community seing polygamists.

Both are now under indictment awaiting trial.

PUERTO RICAN

Early this morning the Venus, closely followed by the Castellana, with the Nashville an hour and a half behind there available boats and the two boats sent over from the Nashville to help in the landing. Our men embarked from our starboard side, the side of the ship exposed to the enemy's trenches, only do yards away. The enemy missed a splendid opportunity to do great exemples of the ships stream in, there is a steep missed many such, first and last, so we that the said Graham and Smith the repute, which was open and a-ous in their respective community

awaiting trial.

PUERTO RICAN

DEAD LC

| Southern edge of Leguspi, and at our left as the ships stream in, there is a steep hill used as a lookout station. Here can be seen with the sid of strong glasses, a leguspin of the later of flags over the warehouses of the town, and these cosition opposite the point where the cosition opposite the point where the cosition opposite the point where the Washington, March 14 .- Repui the warehouses of the town, and there two facts point to probable resistance to our landing. We have heard that General Panan, a Chinese half caste, commands here, and that he will light. senators spent an hour todas disser-plans for the continuation of the o on the Puerto Rican bill, Most of admitted that a deadlock existed a would admit, however, that there serious doubt reaching a harmo solution of the problem. There i-parently an increased dispositio adopt the house revenue bill.

### INSURGENTS FIGHT HA

To Keep the Americans Out of S ern Luzon.

Kept Up the Battle All Day-Reti as Night Came On, Leaving S tored Bodies Behind,

ON BOARD THE PTRAMER VENUS, aspi, Luzon, Jan. 23.—Correspondent to the Associated Press.—Five complete to the Associated Press.—Five complete the Venus, and General Koppe megative Venus, and Intervention of the Venus, and General Koppe megative Venus, and General Koppe me aspi, Luzon, Jan. 23.-Correspon

nited two warehouses filled with baled hemp. These fires could not be put out, and 8000 bales, with a total valuation of \$120,000 were destroyed by nightfall. under the pieces if he attempted to land; in short, landing there and then was out of the question.

bodies of our enemies lie in two rows in Legaspi's principal street, two blazing warehouses glare and roar in the darkness, and the American soldiers are stumbling through the village streets working to get settled for the night. Companies H, F, G, E and C, of the Forty-seventh, came back on the Hancock from Manila to Sorsogon. For

AT KL DAM & British flag ts flying from the top of the capitol.

AT MAFIMG By Associated Press to the Journal.

make a similar demonstration.

and occurred at Han King, Corea.

rafused by the house yesterday.

At 7:45 the Nashville passed us and steamed close into the heach. She ex-amined the shore, and from the Venus we could see a long line of black sand trenches to the right of the town; also

between the stone warehouse in the center of the village there were other trenches and heavy stone walls. The trenches were crowded with men, some

ing those on shore she was not of our party, but merely a neurall and inactive

The president has signed the financial bill.

docks, in front of the hemp warehouses' But the captain of the Venus' 'marred. He had seen the trenches fill it with Fillipinos. He had seen a lio sing officers giving orders, concent at it their soldiers in positions, from which they would have his vessel under a cross fire if they landed at the wharf, and he explained that it was impossible to get into this deck without less than one hour's backing and hauling; further, that his stern lines had to be taken ashore and made fast to the sand anchors well up-

After the fighting was over and the men had time to talk, an officer said:

"By God, is that what I've been waiting 30 years to see, the shooting down of black men as if they were rabbits?"

The distorted, shattered and bloody bodies of our enemies lie in two rows in Legaspi's principal street, two blazing

LONDON, Mar. 14--It is officially announced that

Lord Roberts has occupied Bloemfontein, and that the

DEMONSTRATION IN CHINA

Waters,

New York, March 14.—Special to the Journal and Advertiser from Wash-

ngton saya: German ambassador Von Holleben had a long conference with Act-

emonstration in China might be expected, from Russia shortly. The navy de-

WORLD'S WORK.

Congressman Lentz's request that the affiliation of Yenators Carter and

re made at a point half a mile down the beach, to the mouth of Legaspi, and about 500 yards beyond the end of the heavy sand intreachments; that this

anding party would advance into the town, and that the Nashville would

shell the enemy's works in front of our

men, as they came along the beach.

Then there was rouch bustle and ac-

tivity on board the Venus, as details of the sharpshooters, from each of the four

anding was to be made. Here our

posed as follows:

with rifles and uniformed, others in white. They watched the actions of our vessels closely, but no shot was fired on either side. The Nashville's inspection of Legacian past 10, it could be seen the property of Legacian with the first past 10, it could be seen the property of Legacian with the first past 10, it could be seen the property of Legacian with the first past 10, it could be seen the property of Legacian with the first past 10, it could be seen the property of th

thon of Legaspi was long and careful.

The English gunboat, Plover, came in behind us this morning and followed the Nashville close to the beach. Her big white flag awung out in the breeze, tell.

white flag awung out in the breeze, tell.

boats were joined by two from the Cas tellano, and the landing party was com-

About 30 men from H company, Cap-

tain Bently commanding; 40 men from G company, Captain Simmons com-manding; 20 men from F, under Lieu-tenant Murphy; 15 from E, under Lieu-tenant Smyzer, and about 60 men from

At 25 minutes past 10, it could be seen through the fine, mist-like rain that the seven landing boats were close to the beach. We looked ashore to discover

onr intending to repel the advance of our landing party into the town. At that instant, the Nashville opened fire on

The C, under Captain Bishop. Major Ship-wome, ton commanded the landing party, and

Heitfeld concerning the Coner d' Alene troubles be shown the committee, was

In the house of commons the war loan passed third reading today,

Sulzer Defend Rights.

THE PUERTO RICAN TARIEF BILL IS UPPERMOST

The Finance Bill Signed By President McKinley--About British Fortifications

By Associated Press to the Journal, tors assorted that the president was now WASHINGTON, March 14.-Feeling ran anxious for the proposed tariff of 15 per high at the Cour d'Alene investigation | cent. today. George Cornell was on the stand. One of his recitals was as to the old able length, and vigorously supported soldier who because of the brutality of the bill, and was expressly determined the negro soldiers toward him, took that the Governmental features should the grand army button from his coat not be abandoned. He also defended and threw it away. Cornell said a the tariff provisions as being an advantmemorandum of the affair was taken age instead of a hardship upon the peofrom him, and he saw it afterward in ple of Puerto Rico. He declared that possession of Bartlett Sinclair. Lentz the bill, as amended by the committee, gave notice that he would call on Sin- levying at 15 per cent duty on products clair to produce the books. Chairman both ways was the best measure that Hull interrupted the speaker to remark | could be passed. to Lentz that this was the province of was listened to with great interest He he committee, and without such action favored the house bill, and especially Lentz's notice amounted to nothing, the tariff plans. He said that from a Lentz asked that the committee make party view the tariff ought to remain. the request, and this was done.

Later there was another exciting con- If the bill was defeated, he asserted that troversy. One of the attorneys in be- it would hand the legislation over to the General Cronje, according to a Cape massing a strong force on Vasil Our Navy Will Have a Squadron in Oriental balf of the state of Idaho was present, Democrats. He urged the Republicans and Sulzer referred to outside "coach. to stand firmly together for the bill. ing." Dick of Ohio said: "I object to he believed in free trade with Puerto the insulting remarks of the gentleman Rico and thought the matter could be from New York."

Sulzer-"Never mind what you want and not attempting either a civil govto do about it. I have rights here. ing Sectretary of State Hill, in which the latter was presumably informed that a The witness then went on with his partment announced that the Chinese equadron will be established and Rear testimony.

### Admiral Kempff will take the squadron for cruising the Chinese and Japanese ABOUT BRITISH It is believed that the formation of a Chinese squadron by the United States s to be a spectacular warning to Russia and France that American interests are FORTIFICATIONS involved in any change in the conditions in China. Presumably Germany will

ly Associated Press to the Journal

WASHINGTON, March 14 .- In the house committee on military affairs Sulzer agreed upon without compromise or called up the resolution directing the amendment. secretary of war to inform the house ther than any other senator in declaring what fortifications any foreign power is his unalterable position in favor of erecting along the northern frontier of trade with Puerto Rico. He said that the United States, especially at Poget | we had no right to tax our dependencies, Telegrams from Seoul stated that an insurrection of formidable proportions Sound, and in the northwest border and that if we did not intend to treat country. The resolution went over Uncle Sam has bought the steamer Columbia of the Northern Pacific Co., without action. and after making a few trips to St. Michaels she will be placed on the regular

### THE CURRENCY

BILL SIGNED.

A bill has been introduced in the Senate authorizing the construction of a WASHINGTON, March 14 -- President Pro Tem Frye has affixed his signature There is a well-defined report at Vancouver garrison that 200 convalescent to the bill fixing the standard of value of the money of the United States. The night, taking up a position four miles measure then went to the President for his signature. It was signed at once.

Teller discussed the constitutional question involved in the Puerto Rico

### PUERTO RICAN

TARIFF BILL

WASHINGTON, March 14 .- During the in the senate the course of the adminis- without result. ration was frequently mentioned, and he statements made that the country was aroused because it had seemed that companies, were loaded into our own three available boats and the two boats wishes of the president. Several sena-

Senator Hanna made a speech that This was a Republican congress, and there should be Republican legislation. a ljusted by leaving a military Governor

ernment or tariff legislation at the present time. Senator Davis said it was not because the tariff would keep out or let in certain products that Congress should act but because the almost universal sentiment which he said had been kindled by the manner in which Puerto Rico had come into the United States. It would be time enough to consider the

Philippine tariff when it was reached. Senator Perkins wanted the bill

the new acquisitions as we treated other acquired territory, we should not retain

GEN. BRABANT

ADVANCING.

ALIWAL NORTH, Cape Colony, by courier to Burahersdorp via Stormberg Innetion, Tuesday, March 13 .- General Brabant's forces arrived here Sunday, The Boers had retired the previous beyond the Orange river where General Brabant attacked and drove them back, securing the position after a sharp en-

PASSENGER

**AGREEMENTS** 

Curcago, March 14.-The meeting of the passenger agents of Western railways and representatives of the Canadian Pacific called for the liscussion of the Puerto Rican tariff bill trans-continental rates came to an end purpose of settling differences over

WHEAT MARKET.

San Francisco, March 14- Cash 95, Cuicago, March 14-May 6034 Cash 69.

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