

TWO CENTS. **HAVANA S TUATION DOES NOT CHANGE**

The Government Anxiously Awaiting the Finding of the Court of Inquiry-The Administration Will Take No Action Until Officially Informed of the Fact-War Preparations Are Meanwhile Being Made as Rapidly as Possible—History of Events of the Past in Which Insults to the American Flag Have Been Resented.

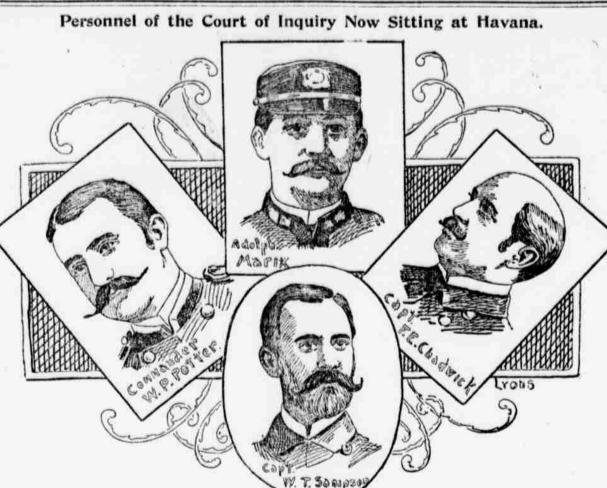
Washington, Feb. 25 .- In spite of the | which was regarded as remarkable for stories that come from unofficial sources in Havana as to sensational developments in connection with the work of the divers in the Maine's hull, the administration remains firm in its statement that there is no creditable evidence one way or the other as to the cause of the disaster and holds to its purpose to await the conclusion of the investigation now making by the court of inquiry. This position was emphasized at today's cabinet meeting. People who looked for some startling announcement were disappointed as the members without reservation frankly admitted that the subject of the loss of the Maine had been olscussed, but said that the government had received no information from Havana since yesterday and had no intention of changing its policy until there was something of substance to warrant it. The Spanish legation was equally in the dark as to any of the discoveries reported from sources that are not cited, as was showr by the message from sources that as not cited, as was shown by the message from Captain General Blanco,

Secretary Long has been under a heavy and almost constant strain ever be was awakened in the middle of the night a week ago last Tuesday by the news of the loss of the Maine, and now that matters are at least for the time being in a quieter state, he has withdrawn from the navy department and gone for a few days' rest, leaving Assistant Secretary Roosevelt to manage the department. The latter has been thoroughly advised at every step of the secretary's policy of treatment

likely to be any change in that respect by the temporary assumption by Secretary Rocsevelt. Just before the department closed, he had word of peace, hauled the sailing of the cruiser Montgomery

those days. It included 19 armed ships, 25 heavy guns and 2,500 sailors and Accompanying this formidmarines. able outfit were Civilian plenipotentiaries prepared to make the demands of this government and then enforce them by calling on the armed ships. President Lopez's government was awed into complete subjection. The American commissioners and naval officers were received at Ascuncion with much honor and every reparation within the power of the republic was given, including abject apology, sweeping disavowal and \$10,000 for the sufferers from the outrage. As the republic was willing to grant full reparation, the naval expedition did not exert the force it was prepared to use. When the facts of the expedition were reported to the American congress, the president stated that the dispatch of the fleet had had a salutory influence throughout the world and had convinced foreign nations that the United States would pro-

tect the lives of its citizens with all the force at its command. CHESAPEAKE-LEOPARD AFFAIR. The case of the firing on the United States ship Chesapeake by the British ship Leopard, is another affording precedent of the government's mode of action. The Chesapeake was proceeding to sea when she was nailed by the commander of the Leopard, with a de-mand that British deserters said to be in the hold of the Chesapeake, he surrendered. The American commander refused to comply, whereupon the Leopard first fired a shot across the bow of the Chesapeake and followed this with two broadsides. The American commander was severely wounded, three sailors were killed outright and many were wounded. Being unprepared for action, it being a time of



quiry which is now sitting on the inves-tigation of the wrecked battleship Maine must be distinguished from the "board of investigation" of which Captain Sigsee is the head. It must be understood that the court of inquiry is above the board of investigation, and if in the finding of the former body it is decided that the Maine was blown up by accident, Captain Sigsbee must face a court-martial trial and be subjected to a searchbrought out. The court of inquiry has patriotic Americans.

was also examined. The name of the witness and all the

particulars of his evidence are withheld. Late today the paymaster's safe with \$2,500 and his papers, was taken from the wreck. Beyond this no statement is made as to the value and nature of the contents, but a large quantity of water ran out when the safe was raised above the surface. The complaint is still made that the

electric lamps are of little use to the divers, as the light is faint and uncer tain, and to hold them takes one of the diver's hands. They have assuredly proved of little value in the present investigation.

The Havana papers print long extracts from the American dailies, but of course, only of delayed news. All the American commander down his colors and surrend-All the Americans are anxiously awaiting

Beyond Recognition.

ing, dated Havana today:

ficial commissioner,

Washington, Feb. 23-The court of in-pury which is now slitting on the inves-inguing which is now slitting on the inves-inguing which is now slitting on the inves-tion of the wrecked battleship Maine must be distinguished from the "board of investigation" of which Captain Sigs. for the duty to which they have been as-signed. Captain William T. Sampson, the president of the court, and his associates represent the navy department and are empowered to act as they please in the matter of the wrecked ship, and Spain can in no wise interfere with their con-duct. Captain Sampson is an old and shrewd naval officer, and his companions ing inquiry in which all the details of the shrew naval officer, and his companions discipline on board his ship will be on the court are all reliable, cool-headed, Captain F. E.



The Vizcaya had steam up all day,

up of navy officers pecultariy well fitted the New York, has also an excellent record in the navy. Naval men generally are well pleased with the personnel of the court. It may be well imagined that the decision of this court will be in ac-cordance with the flat facts, without regard to the consequences. It will bring out the truth if such is possible. If it fails no other body of naval officers would succeed. The report of the court will be sent sealed to the navy depart-ment .--- Chicago Times-Herald. \$50 in gold were found on him. This

was identified by the hotel proprietor. Fagan had a gunshot wound in his leg and the proprietor said he fired at the burglars while they were running away.

BRITISH FLAG ON OUR SOIL.

Prospects of Trouble on the Klondike Frontier--Eight Men Frozen. Seattle, Wash., Feb. 25 .- The steamer Noyo, which arrived here from Alaska to-day, brings a report that the British flag has been planted at Summit Lake, 14 miles inside of the American boundary line and 12 miles from Skaguay.

It is also reported that eight men have been frozen to death on the trail

Weather Indications Today: PITTSBURG Fair: Colder. Government Anxiously Awaiting Report of Court of Inquiry. Conference of Senator Quay and Chris The Senator Has a Long Magee. Spanish Cruiser Viscaya Leaves New York. 2 General-Proceedings of the Martin Trial. Conference with Chris. 2 Local-Gossip for Local Guardsmen. World of Sport. Magee. 4 Editorial. 5 Local-Social and Personal. Religious News of the Week. Local-Meeting of Joint Estimates Committee of Councils. Model Lecture on Charles Dickens. THEY WALK ARM-IN-ARM Local-Five Carloads of Scrantonians Hear Guilmant's Organ Recital at Wilkes-Barre, Republicans of Dickson City Adopt

THE NEWS THIS MORNING

Street Parade That Is Shrouded in Deep Mystery.

MR. QUAY AT

10 Characteristics of an American City. 11 Sunday-School Lesson for Tomorrow. First Move Toward a Reign of Sci-All Efforts to Induce Either of the Leaders to Falk Have Been Unsuce 12 Neighboring County Happenings, Dun's Weekly Trade Review. The Markets. cessful -- People Who Believe That "Something's Up" Are Unable to

TOBACCO WAREHOUSES DESTROYED BY FIRE

8 Local-West Side and Suburban.

Lackawanna County News.

ig Confingration at Louisville. Three Men Seriously Injured by the

Flames.

New Rules.

Musical Gossip.

Louisville, Ky., Feb. 25 .- The pickng, drying and steaming warehouse of the National Tobacco company, situated at Twenty-fourth and Main street, were totally destroyed by fire this morning. The loss will amount to \$1,000,000, fully covered by insurance

Three men were hemmed in by the fames and all were more or less injured. They are:

George Tishendorf, foreman picking department.

William Semple, picker. John Packham.

The latter two will probably die. W. B. Duke, president of the Ameri. can Tobacco company, witnessed the destruction of his property. He said that it would be at once re-built. From the three story drying buildng the flames spread radiply west to the four story warehouse and east to the three story steaming house. In the building which first caught, 200 hands, mostly women and children, were employed, but the majority of these escaped safely, only a few being slightly injured. In the four story

warehouse the 1,000 men at work had plenty of time to escape. **ISSUED BOGUS PAPERS.**

United States district court of issuing

bogus naturalization papers, Lindsay

Eugene Lindsny Convicted of Conducting an Unlawful Office.

Philadelphia, Feb. 25.-Eugene this time? Lindsay was today convicted in the

Verify Their Suspicions -- Mr. Mages Admits That They Talked of Governors -- The Senator Is Non-Committal. Pittsburg, Feb. 25.-United States

Senator M. S. Quay and State Senator C. L. Magee met in conference at the Allegheny National bank on Fifth avenue.

The two leaders were closeted together for nearly two hours. There were many inquiries at the bank for Mr. Quay, but inquiring ones were told that he was not there. It was desired that the meeting of the senators should not be interrupted. After the interview Senator Quay and Senator Magee were seen walking up street together, arm in arm. The two men have not been seen on the street together in several years. They walked up Fifth avenue until they reached Smithfield street, when they separated, Mr. Magee going to his office in the Times building, and Mr. Quay to the Duquesne hotel.

Mr. Quay always has business at the bank when he comes to Pittsburg, but his visit there at this time is believed to have been solely for the purpose of seeing Mr. Magee and talking over the gubernatorial situation with him. When Senator Quay was asked: "Did

you and Mr. Magee have a conference this morning?" "Yes, Mr. Magee and I had a talk."

"Did you come to any agreement as to the gubernatorial matter?"

"No, we did not."

"Did you reach an understanding one way or the other as to a candidate for governor?"

"None whatever."

"Do you care to give a statement regarding a gubernatorial candidate at No, I do not care to talk politics." Senator Magee was seen and questioned as to his conversation with Senwas formerly clerk in the prothonotary's office, and while holding that ator Quay. "Nothing in particular was spoken position is alleged to have entered into of." said the senator. a conspiracy with John A. Merrick and Richard W. Merrick, both em-"Did you not discuss the governorship," was asked. ployes of the circuit court, in the dis-"Oh, yes," he answered, "we disposal of the bogus papers. Henry Cascussed the matter, but really I have nothing to say in regard to it."

from Tampa for Key West. Up to that time the vessel had been given no orders, so that the date of her departure for Havana, if she is to go at all, is conjectural. The ship went to Tampa instead of Key West in order to facilitate the speedy return to his duties in Washington of Captain Crowninshield, chief of the navigation bureau, who saved a full day by the movement.

The Castine, the second of the United States warships on the South Atlantic station, arrived to-day at Barbadoes, where she joined the Cincinnati. She may go to Martinique to be docked, as she is in need of cleaning after her tropical service.

AWAITING REPORTS FROM THE COURT.

Since so much depends upon the report of the court of inquiry it may be interesting to note that so far Secretary Long himself does not know when to expect this important document. He rather expected that the court would wind up its work at Havana before leaving, so as to avoid the necessity for a return trip. One member of the cabinet had a more definite opinion on the subject expecting the receipt of the report from the court about the middle of next week. There is reason to believe that meantime, and to prepare for the reception

of a report that would show the disaster to be other than the result of an accident, some of the officials of the administration have been looking up the subject of indemnities so as to lay the foundation of a case in the event it should be decided to resort to that method of settlement.

There are a large number of precedents which will aid the authorities in sharing their action in this direction when the facts are fully established While none of the cases show the fearful loss of life sustained by the Maine explosion, yet they include many instances in which the United States has adopted energetic measures to redress the killing of American citizens in foreign countries. In a general way these methods of redress have included demands for indemnity, proclamations excluding the warships of the offending nation from our harbors, display of force, non-intercourse, withdrawal of our minister, reprisal and blockade. Some of these steps border very closelyon war, although they are regarded as the movements just preliminary to actual hostilities and as amounting to a threat that force will follow if reparation is not made.

CASE OF THE WATER WITCH.

The case of the Water Witch is considered to be the most analagious to that of the Maine, should it be established that the Maine disaster was not the result of accident. The Water Witch was a United States ship engaged in 1855 in surveying the entrance to one of the rivers of Paraguay, Withthe court for Key West has not out warning, and by orders of President Lopez, of Paraguay, a force of troops opened fire on the Water Witch, silling the man at the helm and woundvessel would sail tomorrow; ing others. Intense feeling was arous depended on the developments of the ed in the United States when the facts testimony. became known. The president reported The Spanish cruiser Alfonso XII has the facts to congress and in his mesheen towed to a buoy further within the harbor to make room for the cruiser sage asked authority to make a dem-Viscaya which is expected here toonstration of force which would ensure suitable redress. Congress authorized morrow or the next day from the him to "use such force as is necessary" north.

to secure ample reparation. An armed At the afternoon session of the court fleet was hastily assembled on a scale of inquiry the examination of divers

Tremendous excitement prevailed in the United States over this outrage. President Madison speedily issued a proclamation of exclusion from American ports all British warships, He also caused energetic protests and demands to be presented at London. The British authorities promptly disavowed the action, called the admiral under whom the outrage had been perpetrat-

ed, and without request tendered indemnity sufficient to support the wive and families of all those who had been killed and wounded.

NO MINES AT HAVANA.

An Official Denial of the Existence of Explosives in the Harbor.

Washington, Feb. 25 .- In view of the widely published report that the harbor of Havana contains a system of submarine mines, a statement around examined. which has centered the chief public interest in connection with the disaster court will not talk for publication, I to the battleship Maine, Senor du Bosc, am informed on the highest authority Spanish charge d'affaires at Washingthat the evidence of the diver, Morton tonight made to the Associated Press the following statement which, coming from such authority, may be an outside agency. considered as an official denial:

"I wish to state on my own official knowledge that no mine exists inside who descended today. or outside of Havana harbor, nor is there any submarine defense of any terday. kind. The report is so absolutely false and ridiculous that it could only have originated in the minds of those persons anxious to incite the evil passions of both nations for their own miserable ends. I consider the very suggestion of such a thing an insult to

THE WRECK SINKING.

Spain."

Very Little Accomplished About the Hull of the Maine by Divers.

Havana, Feb. 25 .- The wreck of the Maine is slowly but surely sinking into the mud. Before the hull could be raised it would be necessary to remove the guns and deck debris. For lack of proper appliances practically nothing in this line has been accomplished. Aside from the officers and cabin effects the salvage thus far has been pitifully small.

to raise the wreck. epresentatives made this demand after The cloudy weather and rain made viewing the condition of the ship. the work of the divers unsatisfactory oday and very little was done. It is

The wreckers today turned their atsaid that a hole has been made by the tention to salving the great guns. Twenty unknown bodies of the crew divers in one of the forward hatches, vere recovered from the wreck by the and it is hoped that a number of bodies will be recovered. The court of divers at noon today. The bodies were frightfully burned and mangled and it inquiry sat longer than usual today, the six divers being examined more may be impossible to ever identify some of them. in detail than heretofore. The time of the departure of the Mangrove with

that all

determined. Captain Sampson said to day that it was doubtful whether his

ion could do.

Trinidad. Key West, Fia., Feb. 25 .- On the

The Merritt Wrecking company, it

vana this evening, were Captain Everett and John Haggerty, divers of the Merritt & Chapman Wrecking company, who are going to work on the Maine. They take with them two as-

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nd with anchor hove short was plain the arrival of tomorrow's mail. Con ly making ready to sail away. The sul General Lee says he has received pilot, Jacob Locknan, who is to see her no news of importance from the state out of the harbor, went aboard. Voldepartment today nor been notified to ames of black smoke poured out of the expect the arrival of any one of promspaniard's smokestacks. But the meinence. It is believed here that if any hanics who were at work over last American, of national reputation, comes night on the steering gear, which was to Havana now it will be to study the situation for himself and not as an ofut of order, were not through with the repairs at high tide, and it began

to look as though the cruiser would not be able to get away, when, at 1.25, **TWENTY BODIES RECOVERED.** she weighed anchor and got slowly under way. They Are Frightfuily Mangled an

It was just 1.15 o'clock when Spanlard hoisted her anchor, but beore she got well under way she was New York, Feb. 25 .- The Mail and halled by a party of officials from the

Express this evening prints the follow-Spanish consul's office, who hurrled own to the Tompkinsville pier, Joseph Favres Sotello, the Spanish vice-con-The United States naval board of insul, the secretary of the consulate and quiry continued taking the testimony of the divers who have been working two others, were in the party. The in the wreck of the Maine. Those who vice-consul waived a handkerchief, exwere sent here from the battleship citedly, and the others twirled their Iowa and the cruiser New York were hats to attract the Vizcaya's attention. The blg ship slowed up and hung in While, of course, the members of the

the eye of the wind, until Vice-Consul Sotello had jumped into a rowboat and propriation to the committeee on apput off to her. propriations or to any individual mem-

ADDITIONAL INSTRUCTIONS.

bers of the committee. It was intigan, as to the condition of the Maine. mated that there was a plan to defeat shows almost beyond the possibility of On reaching the side of the ship the ice-consul had considerable difficulty a doubt, in the opinion of my informant, that the Maine was blown up by in getting on board, owing to the swell

in the bay. At last he fulfilled his mis-Furthermore, Morgan's report was sion and was rowed back to the dock. rerified by the other American divers. It was said that the vice-consul delivered some additional instructions to All the testimony of the civilian wit- Captain Eulate, commander of the warnesses of the disaster was taken yes- ship; letters for the officers and seamen from home, and the vessel's clearance The court will finish its work here papers from the health department, for disposed of to-day

omorrow and proceed at once to take which she had been waiting since 9 the testimony of the survivors. It has a. m. also been decided not to return to Ha-

The naval tug Nina, in command of vana, all the information as to the Lieutenant Dougherty, and having on cause of the disaster obtainable here board a few marines and pollcemen, having already been secured. It is beescorted the Vizcaya down the bay. lieved that a decision has been prac-The police boat Patrol also went some tically reached. The witnesses yet to distance as a body-guard to the debe examined will hardly change the parting Spaniard. As she started on verdict. The court has decided against her trip the Vizcaya saluted the Nina with three blasts of her whistle, which any attempt to raise the ruined battleship. The members are convinced that the tug returned.

A crowd of people were on the pier would be useless, as she could never be kept affont, and the Spanish authorwatching the departure of the cruiser, ities here will be informed that if they and because she did not raise the wish the wreck removed from the har-American flag, nor fire a salute in pass ing Fort Wadsworth some uncomplibor they must attend to the work themselves. This decision gives a betmentary remarks were made. "Just ter idea of the terrible havoc wrought like them," sngered one man, "sneaking out like a disgraced cur." in the Maine than columns of descrip-

When passing Quarantine the Vizcaya's funnels were belching volumes as announced today, wanted \$2,000,000 of black smoke and she was leaving The company's the escorting boats behind rapidly. The killing him instantly. Spanish flag floated at half-mast from gav on the mainmast, but at no time

did she show the American colors. The Nina went through the Narrows and then returned. The Patrol came back soon after the Nina.

It is said at the office of the Spanish consul-general that the Vizcaya will proceed to Hav: a without stopping en

route.

Huntingdon, Pa., Feb. 25 .- The safe tured. He gave his name as Fhilip

When searched \$105 in currency and | county politics.

since February 15 THE DAY IN CONGRESS.

Exciting Debate on the Question of **River and Harbor Appropriations** Corbett's Contest in Sonate.

Turley (Tenn.) with speeches in oppo-

FATAL QUARREL.

sults in Death

seating him.

par, an ex-policeman, was also in the Washington, Feb. 25 .- A long and John Merrick is ill, but both plot. somewhat exciting debate over the question of river and harbor appropria-Richard Merrick and Caspar gave testimony against Lindsay, and at the end tions was precipitated in the house toof Lindsay's trial pleaded guilty to the day during the consideration of the charges against them. The men set up a bogus court in th sundry civil appropriation bill. It was back room of a saloon. The elder Merpractically agreed by all those who rick acted as judge and his son as court clerk. Lindsay appeared as participated that there would be no river and harbor bill at this session of counsel for the applicants, all of whom congress and this led Mr. Moody to were of a low order of intelligence attack the contract items carried in and unable to speak the language. Casthe sundry civil bill. He selected an par, through his familiarity with their appropriation of \$350,000 for Rockland, languages, solicited their trade and Me., which is in Mr. Dingley's di t i t 'steered" them to the "court." and his remarks in denunciation - of

Sentence was deferred until the trial what he termed favoritism approached the sensational. Mr. Dingley denied of the others. that he had ever suggested the ap-

WAR PREPARATIONS.

Froops Can Be Sent to Havana on Short Notice.

all the items in the bill so as to force Tampa, Fla., Feb. 25 .- Although consideration of a general river and flicials of the company have not stated harbor bill but the intimation was not so publicly, pretty much everybody here borne out by the vote upon the amendunderstands that the plant system has ment upon which the debate rested. completed arrangements for the trans-Mr. Berry, of Kentucky, succeeded in portation of troops and ammunition to securing the adoption of an amendment Havana on short notice. Should war increasing the appropriation for the be declared, it is said, they have per-Kentucky river from \$150,000 to \$250... fected plans to land a large body of 000. Only four pages of the bill were troops in Havana within 36 hours after their arrival at this place.

Hon. Henry W. Corbett's right to a Troops can be transported here from seat in the senate from Oregon was Washington and New York in from 24 under consideration by the senate this to 30 hours. The company has also arafternoon for five hours. Mr. Spoonrangements, it is understood to prompter (Wis.) concluded the speech which ly land men and arms at Key West and all strategic points on the coast of began yesterday in favor of Mr Florida and at Mobile. Corbett, and was followed by Mr. Teller (Colo.), Mr. Allen, (Neb.), and Mr.

BURNED BY HOT STEEL

sition to the seating of Mr. Corbett and Mr. Turner (Wash.) in favor of Five Men Badly Injured at Pittsburg Mitta.

Pittsburg, Feb. 25 .- Five men were hadly burned by being splashed with hot metal at the Monogahla steel Wrangle Over a Young Woman Reworks at McKeesport about 2 o'clock this morning. The workmen were hoisting a huge vessel of molten metal. Jamestown, Pa., Feb. 25 .- Ray Fry and Hugh Sewell, prominent young The pot slipped and upturned, the contents running over the sides. men of this place, quarreled about a William Sample was burned about young woman last night, and Sewell

the face and body, while four others thrust a knife through Fry's heart. named Snyder, Chessler, McCarthy and McClue, received injuries. All the Horrified at his deed, Sewell attempted suicide twice, first by cutting men were taken to their homes except his throat and then by drowning. He Sample, who was removed to the Mc-

Keesport hospital. His injuries, however, will not prove fatal.

WORK OF SANITARY BOARD.

Three Hundred Herds of Cattle Remain to Be Examined.

contracts for the opening of a men's fur-nishing store and to have circulated bogus checks, obtaining shout \$200. An Harrisburg, Feb. 25 .- The State Live Stock sanitary board met to-day at noon in the executive department. The empty satchel was found at his boarding regular appropriation of \$10,000 for the

Death of Wilson Gearbart. arian Pearson reported that 1,400 herds Danville, Fob. 25 .-- Wilson M. Gearhart, hief clerk in the state department at of cattle had been examined and that Harrisburg, who has been til at his hom-300 herds of cattle remain to be ex. in this city for some weeks past, died this morning. He leaves a widow, son and two daughters. His death was due amined.

He was directed to strictly enforce the new law requiring the inspection to typhola fever. Mr. Gearhart was a prominent Republican and a leader in of cattle brought to this state for breeding purposes,

ARE THE FACTS KNOWN?

Report That the Administration Has Received Important News.

Washington, Feb. 25,-There is rather startling story current tonight, which has a strong bearing on the recent interview which Senator Quay has denied. It is that the administration has been furnished information which conclusively establishes that the Maine was destroyed by Spanish treachery. This information, which is said to have reached here on Saturday or Sunday. was brought from Havana by a person who had actual knowledge whereof he spoke. He stated that the Maine was blown up through a conspiracy formed immediately on her arrival at Havana. The names of three of the conspirators are alleged to be known. one of them being a Spanish officer. The conspirators are all Weyler adherents and opposed to Blanco and his plan for autonomy.

It is also said that after laying this nformation before the president the informant left for Tampa, Florida, where he will await the arrival of the naval board of inquiry and then make his statement to it under oath. This is the story, and it is alleged that the administration is convinced of its truth and is now merely striving for delay in order to gain time for preparations for war in case Spain does not promptly apologize and pay indemnity for the loss of the Maine. It is certain that preparations are being made.

The incessant activity in the war and navy departments is not carried on without a purpose. The war department is known to have selected the regiments in the several national guards which will be called out should hostilities ensue. The national guard of the District of Columbia will first be called, it being under the sole authority of congress, and following that certain regiments, selected on account of their rating for efficiency, from Pennsylvania, New York, Connecticut, Ohio and other states where the guards have attained the highest state of drill and discipline.

Terror at Hampton Poals. Norfolk, Va., Feb. 25.-The monitor Terror remains at anchor in Hampton Reads. She is constantly under steam, expecting orders to leave. It is said that ammunition has been shipped to Fort Washington from the Fort Monroe arsenal.

Ryan Whips Green.

San Francisco, Feb. 25.-Tommy Ryan bested George Green in the eighteenth round of a fine contest tonight. Up to the fifteenth, the fight was pretty even. regular appropriation of \$10,000 for the work of the months of March, April and May were made. State Veterin-hard drives. Both men put up a good

The Herald's Weather Forecast.

New York, Feb 26 .-- In the middle states nd New England, today, fair and clear weather will prevail with slightly lower temperature and fresh to light westerly rinds, shifting to easterly by tonight in the western parts of this section,

is under arrest. Where Is N. H. Harris? Huntingdon, Feb. 25.-The police are poking for a man calling himself N H. Harris, formerly connected with Hood, Bonbright & Co., of Philadelphia, Har-ris is alleged to have made extensive

PLIGHT OF SAFE ROBBERS.

Philip Fagau Surrounded by Circumstantial Evidence.

in the Washington hotel was blown open early this morning and \$800 in money was tolen. From marks in the snow the thieves were tracked to Entriken, where one of them was cap-

Fagan, of Latrobe, Pa.

