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the death of Dreyfus.

department. It follows:

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er before the court of cassation.

HEROES OF THE BROOKLYN.

Captain Cook Designates Officers De-

serving of Special Mention.

Washington, Nov. 13 .- A supplemental

ruiser Brooklyn, relative to officers de-

eport of Captain F. A. Cook, of the

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Following this lead, the Gaulois and CABINET MEETING other Paris papers will tomorrow an-

American Commissioners Are Ordered to Admit of No Further Discussion as to the Right to Consider the Disposition of the Islands-Request for Additional Time Is Granted-Attitude of Philippine Insurgents Is Causing Considerable Anxiety.

Question.

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Washington, Nev. 13 .- The cabinet held a special session last night at which instructions, understood to be of a positive character, bearing on the Philippine question were drafted for dispatch to the American commissioners in Paris. These instructions were the outcome of a conference held earlier in the day.

They instruct the American representatives to admit of no further discussion as to the right to consider the disposition of the islands, and state that on that point the instructions already sent rust stand, the only matters for discussion being the manner of giving over the islands.

A special cabinet meeting was held earlier in the day to consider a dispatch received from Judge Day, in Paris, in which he informed the president that the Spanish commissioners had asked for additional time to prepare their reply to the proposition submitted by the United States. Although the president and his advisors are exceedingly anxious that the negotiations should proceed as rapidly as possible, the request for additional time was granted, and the Spanish commissioners will have until next Tuesday to prepare their reply.

As a cabinet meeting on Saturday is unusual, many reports were affeat as to the urgent and critical character of the subject considered. But the members of the cabinet said most positively at the close of the session that

for twenty-five years by an international syndicate, from which our power eventually acquires them, is a rumo based on facts which the Gaulois will tomorrow (Monday) give details."

sounce the scheme somewhat on these A syndicate representing \$400,000,000 capital proposes to take over the commerrial resources and advantages of the Philippines for a term of twentyfive years, paying to the dominant power therein \$125,000,000 for the privilege.

GENERAL FLAGLER SUBMITS REPORT

The Chief of the Bureau of Ordnance Makes Many Valuable Suggestions

for Army Equipment. Washington, Nov. 13 .- General D. W. Flagler, chief of the bureau of ordnance, has made his annual report to the secretary of war. It shows there were expended during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1898, \$7,384,795 and

that there still remains of the appropriations made for the ordnance bureau \$19,793,359. This large sum is derived fom the appropriations for the fiscal year, which were made for war purposes, amounting to \$21,504,592. Regarding the equipment of volunteers, the general thinks it would be as well to have the government equip them instead of their bringing their state arms into the service, saying that it could be done as quickly, owing to the condition of the arms of state troops.

He speaks in terms of praise of the manner in which work has been performed at arsenals and ordnance factories during the rush that was made in putting the country on a aldson. Captain Shoemaker believes footing for war with Spain. As to the equipment of an army he says: "So long as the principal dependence

in this country in time of war is a large volunteer force, newly levied, it is impracticable to keep on hand large sup plies of cavalry, artillery and horse equipments, as those in the course of a few years will not only deteriorate, but will have to be materially modified to keep pace with improvements. The major part of such material can, by taking advantage of the resources of Rock Island and the other arsenals and the numerous private establishments cupable of producing it, be supplied as rapidly as troops can be raised, mustered into the service and prepared for

Majority of the Insurgents to Disband-The Residents of Santiago credits it. Are Studying the English Language City Improvements

Santiago de Cuba, Nov. 13 .-- Captain Warren, an American, who has been with General Maximo Gomez for nearly two years, has arrived here. According to his statement, General Gomez will no longer have Americans about him, and is getting rid of them as fast as possible. He takes the same course

in the case of Cubans suspected of favoring annexation to the United States. The result is that some of the men who were long attached to his mmediate staff are not now with him. It will be difficult, Captain Warren believes, to get the majority of the insurgents to disband. His idea is that

when the American authorities get control of the old portions of the Island, they should give out no rations and punish severely all thefts of cattle and produce. He thinks, too, that there may be some trouble with the insurgents be-

cause of their insisting on the right to ourt-martial delinquents among themselves. There is very little serious sickness tmong the troops here. Everybody is improving with the cooler weather.

It is estimated that no fewer than 18,000 people in this section are learning English in addition to the school children. The greater part of Marina street is now macadamized. This improvement

is to be extended throughout the entire city, in place of the ancient cobblestones The United States revenue steamer Manning is now here, with Captain Shoemaker, chief of the revenue cutter service, who came to investigate as to the need of a vessel for Collector Don-

that Collector Donaldson's request should be complied with. Owing to the heavy weather the Manning, instead of the converted yacht Hist, will be placed at the disposal of General Wood, commander of the mili-

tary division of Santiago, for his trip rom Guantanamo slong the northern coast of the province. The Manning, with General Wood, will probably leave on Tuesday.

W. C. T. U. CONVENTION. Number of Delegates Fill the Pul-

pits at St. Paul.

St. Paul, Minn., Nov. 13 .- This was campaigns. There should, however, be a quiet day among the W. C. T. U. on hand field and siege artillery with delegates so far as convention work carriages and a portion of the harness was concerned. u in his efforts to get the best social. A number of the delegates filled lo- He was ably assisted in the fire Passed Assistant Engineer J. E. Patter ing. But one session of the convention was held, Miss F. W. Greenwood, world's national superintendent of evangelistic department, preaching at the People's church. The temple matter and election of officers which promses so much excitment Monday and Tuesday, was kept as much in the background as possible for subjects in which all are interested. The temple matter is due to come up late Monday afternoon when Mrs. Matilda Bearse, the founder of the temple, will make her report on it and seek to overcome the adverse decision of the executive committee on the subject. The polling of the delegates continues actively and everybody is confident of winning. A very lively contest is promised, the first move probably being an attempt to secure a secret ballot. Friends of the temple believe they can gain most by such a course, because of the limidity of some of the delegates, The general opinion has been that Mrs. L. M. N. Stevens, vice-president large, and acting president, would be unopposed in her candidacy for the place made vacant by the death of Frances Willard, but several other candidates have been announced. Mrs. Martin H. Dunham, of Ohio, one of the Temple trustees, and now state president of Iowa, is a prominent candidate and her friends hope for help from the friends of the temple. Another prominent candidate is Mrs. G. B. Forbes, state president of Connecticut. Mrs. Stevenson's resignation leaves the position of corresponding secretary vacant and a number of prominent workers have been mentioned for the office. There is little canvassing being done and Miss Anna A. Cordon, formorly Miss Willard's confidential friend and secretary, seems to be the most prominent in the field. There seems no reason to doubt that the other officers will be re-elected. The place of the next meeting has not yet been decided upon, but it is probable that it will be Seattle. There are a number of eastern cities that have invited the convention to meet in the east, but the general sentiment seems to be in favor of Seattle.

Mercantile Houses of All Nation-The father-in-law of Dreyfus disalities Have Asked the Commander He says he has received excellent of the Cruiser Charleston to Reaccounts from the colonial office quite recently as to the prisoner's health. main, as Spanish Authorities Can-Despite these assurances there are not Afford Protection. lark rumors afloat. In view of the

from Dreyfus declaring that he had Manila, Nov. 13 .- The following adabandoned all hope was conveyed to Mme, Dreyfus on Friday, many peoices have been received from Hollo capital of Panay, one of the four prin-A dispatch from Paris on Friday cipal islands of the Visayas group. said that Mnie. Dreyfus had applied "The insurgents have occupied Linat the office of the minister of the colganis, Oton and Pavia, suburbs of Hoontes for permission to selid her husband some warm clothing, for his reilo, and are daily expected to attack turn home. The request was refused the town. The Spaniards have abanon the ground that the government doned the Mole and destroyed the con-At the same time, according to the necting bridges. dispatch, the authorities read her a "Business is paralyzed and the in-

letter from her husband to the effect habitants are in a state of terror that having for five months addressed The mercantile houses of all nationalappeals for revision to General De Boisdeffre (recently chief of staff of itles have signed a circular asking the the French army) without getting any commander of the United States cruisreply, and being weary and exhaust er Charleston to remain, as the Span ed by his useless appeals he would ish authorities are incapable of affordwrite no more to his family or to anybody. He described himself as ill and dying and bequeathed to "the gening them protection."

It is reported also that the insurrosity of my country the care of regents have taken the whole of the islands of Negros and Zebu, of the It appears that Mme. Dravfue then isked permission to telegraph her hus-Visayas group. As the cable connec-

band the decision of the court of casions are cut it is impossible to consettion. This request was also refused. firm this rumor. Then, through a friend, she appealed On Nov. 6, General Rios, Spanish to President Fauce, but with no bet-

The dispatch said her governor of the Visayas, is said to counsel would bring the whole mathave declared a seven days' armistice. n order to communicate with Madrid Paris, Nov. 13 .- Careful inquiries with a view of transferring control to nade at the Colmar this evening show

that nothing is known there as to the Americans. Major Bell has gone to Hoilo to as-It is now believed that the telegram

ertain the facts of the situation. The United States transport Scandia thanks to Almighty God upon whose fa vor the happiness and true greatness of will leave tomorrow with sixty sick

and discharged men. the peace of our country, which has con-tinued for a third of a contury, has been

THE MANITOBA SAILS.

Government Transport Carries Men and Horses to Neuvitas.

erving special mention in the battle by the events that have transpired within Savannah, Ga., Nov. 13 .- The governof July 3, has been filed with the navy the last six months; has given new strength to our government; has added nent transport Manitoba sailed for Neuvitas, Cuba, at 5.30 o'clock this much to the love we have for our country. morning carrying General Carpenter Sir: 1 request to supplement my report for the battle of the 3rd of July, and that and his headquarters and six troops of the Eighth regular cavalry, about it will be filed with that report made on-700 men together with horses and a July 7. The splendid and efficient work done in large amount of stores and supplies. the engine and fire rooms was largely due ! The despatch with which the Manitoba

rgy with which the Central railroad

officials and the army officers within

whose province the matter lay applied

The six troops of cavalry arrived here

early yesterday morning and were on

MAY BE THE LAST.

tions Are Nearing an End.

ence may be the last

themselves to the work. Vice

have been accomplished. To this end let our usual places of wo-, the zeal and intelligence of Passed As- was handled excels anything in this ship be attended by the citizens of our distant Engineer Carter, who went immo-diately to his station in the engine rooms and was unremitting throughout the accommonwealth on this day set spart for thanksgiving and prayer and let us all with Spain. The Manitoba arrived from New York at 10 o'clock yesterday morning and within less than 18 hours | interests and render thanks to film to whom we owe every blessing. Given under my hand and the great scal of the state st the city of Harrisburg. after her arrival she was on her way to sea again with the troops and stores aboard, the work of loading having this twelfth day of November, in the year been accomplished within about fifteen Lord, one thousand eight hours. The vessel was loaded at the dred and ninely-eight, and of the coun-Central railroad wharf and the demonwealth the one hundred and twentyspatch was made possible by the en-Daniel 14, Hastings,

on the

Officals Anxious to Explain His Visit

to Spain.

PRIVATE IN CHARACTER

The Stops at Cadiz and Cartagena Largely a Health Precaution-Attitude of Germany Is Neutral and Friendly-The Visit Considered Inopportune-A Popular Demonstration on Part of the Spanish Citizens Is Feared.

Washington, Nov. 13 .- It is understood that assurances have been giv-THANKSGIVING PROCLAMATION on by the German government that Issued by Governor Hastings on the visit of Emperor William of Germany to Spain is entirely devoid of official character or significance, that the official trip of the imperial party ngs issued the following proclamation ended when they left Palestinc, and that the proposed stop at Cadlz and Cartagena is largely a health precautom and pursuant to the proclamation of the president of the United States. I. Daniel H. Hastings, governer of the com-sea trip would be long and arduous if unbroken by these stops at the spandesignate and ret apart Thursday, the if unbroken by these stops at the Span-twenty-fourth day of November, 1498, as ish ports. The assurances appear to the annual day of thanksgiving to be ob-served by the citizens of this commonbe voluntary on the part of the Berlin officials, and to be in line with the care taken in that quarter of late to minimize and remove the bad imbrought peace to a reunited country have the people of the United States and of the pression caused by several incidents ountry had so great cause for giving occurring during the recent way. The state department had not, so far as our people must always depend. Prosper-ity has reigned within our borders, but peror's movements, and certainly there peror's movements, and certainly there was no purpose of inquiring as to the interrupted by war made necessary in stop at Spain, although this action by the cause of humanity and in the interest of the peace of the world for the years that are to come. The patriotism of our entire people has been made prominent the peace negotiations with Spain are at a critical juncture and when, technically, the war is still in progress. At the same time Germany has con-The horrors of war cannot be pulliated and the losses that we have sustained we stantly reiterated her neutral and know have brought sorrow to a large friendly attitude and the emperor himself took occasion in his last address hould all be thankful for the results that to the Reichtag to give strong expression to the German purpose to maintain the strictest impartiality between this government and Spain. At the same time, the officials here and in Berlin have recognized that a strong public sentiment of animosity was being developed between the people of hun-, the two countries and steps have been taken to offset this as far as possible. The last move in that direction was at a recent dinner given by Chancellor yon Bulow at Berlin to Ardgey D. White, the United States unbassador, and Dr. von Hoffeben, the derman nonbassedor to the United States, now visiting in Germany. It was intended that the new assistant secretary of state, Mr. (10), should be out of the guests, but he was detained in Hol-

nothing of a critical or disturbing character had developed at Paris or had been under consideration.

The attitude of the insurgents in the Philippines has given the administration considerable uncasiness, for it is feared that if they are allowed to continue their hostile activity there may be protests which this government will be compelled to regard. The difficulty in the situation is that the insurgents are operating at points outside the ishand of Luzon, where the United States has never been in actual possession, and where it would be difficult to place troops to maintain the status Nevertneless -it is believed to be it.cumbent on this government to do comething in this direction, and the military and naval authorities at Manila will be so advised.

The president has received a personal message from Judge Day, thanking hea for his inquiry as to the judge's nealth, and saying that he was much Indoved

WAR MAY CONTINUE.

Uncomfortable Plight of the Spanish Peace Commissioners.

Parls, Nov. 13 .- Among onlookers herthe impression exists, though it is not the regult of any official statement, that the Spanish peace commissioners will not sign a treaty which the American commissioners could sign.

It seems almost pozsible, though, that in the pitiable pressure to which the Spanish commissioners are subjected between their large creditors, who are on the spot watching them, and the stern attitude of the United States, the Spanlards moy abandon their struggles and leave the two forces to confront each other.

It will not be decided until tomorrow morning whether the next joint session is to occur tomorrow or on Tuesday. The Spaniards, it has been arranged, will inform the Americans tomorrow morning whether they need the day to prepare their next memorandum. If they want Monday, the meeting will take place on Tuesday,

Under the rules of procedure adopted by the conference, it is understood, the deliberations may not be unexpectedly concluded by either side.

The statement is printed here this evening that the last memorandum from the Americans is regarded by the Spaniards as a stern ultimatum. But as a matter of fact, the Americans have not presented an ultimatum, save as their treatment of the subjects in hand may be unanswerable. It is only since Wednesday last that the Spaniards have begun to feel that the Ampricans purpose taking over the Philippines, and that, too, without any assumption of Spanish indebtedness. As are now convinced of this, it may he that Spain's next presentment in conference will be the supreme cally of her diplomatic, argumentative and cactical forces. It may even mark the conclusion of all she has to say, but if the rules of procedure are followed, the Americans would still have another presentation to submit.

Ever sin e October 1 if has been within the range of possibility that at any meeting an open runture might occur. and on one or two occasions it might have been saelly a fact even before the taking up of the Phillippine questior

The houndaries of the field in which | date in 1900, 1,189.

required for 500,000 men. Such guns and carriages cannot be turned out in | cal pulpits in the morning and evenlarge numbers until about six months after initiating the work."

For equipping an army with a supply of small arms he thinks there should be a supply of 100,000 on hand of any new arm and the arsenals kept in a condition so as to produce 2,500 per day.

An interesting feature of the report is that which treats of coast defense. The general says: "Attention is especially invited to the experience of the last few months in attempting to provide quickly a coast defense. It is believed to be impracticable and we will always be forced in any emergency to rely upon what has been provided in time of peace. I think it fair to state, though not in the way of complaint, that this has been urged upon congress each year, for the past ten years,

"The situation is very simple. plan has been adopted for providing a complete coast defense. With the present facilities of the department this work can be carried on economically and in the most efficient manner in such a way as to complete the present plan in about seven years. Estimates ought to be submitted each year for so much of the work as the facilities for its production will permit. It rests with congress to determine how much of the work can be provided for each year consistently with the resources of the country. But the work cannot progress faster than the appropriations provide for

'It is probable that there must be added to the plans and estimates for the coast defense rome provision for the defense of added possessions. General Flagler does not claim for the 45-calibre Springfield rifle an equality with the new 20-calibre magazine ride of the army, but says that it is a very good arm and possesses many merits. The machiners for the man ufacture of small area ammunition was none the best, yet the department turned out 90,000,000 rounds for the

Details are given of what was done to rapidly increase the coast defenses hen the war begun. He calls atten. tion to the fact that congress has nev er supropriated what was asked for powder and protectiles, and in ecasequence the supply at the beginning of the war was inadequate and he gives some instances of the work done by the department to make good the de-

Briency.

General Flagler says: "The war has furnished no opportunity for determining by experience the effects of our modern sea cost armament against modern battleships. The reports of the experience gained, however, tend to

onfirm the opinion that the fire from ships cannot silence the fire or seriously cripple the armament of our modern batteries; that the ships could not withstand the fire of our modern batteries and that therefore the chins annot artack the batteries successful-Whether the ships can run by the Sutteries without too great a hisk has not been shown. This will dop nd on the skill and rapidity with which the guns are served, provided the ships

are not stopped by the mines." Considerable attention is devoted to the progress of work at the varous arsenals and the guns which are boing nude. On September 30, 1898.

there were 447 sea coast guns mounted It is estimated that on June 30, 1889, there will be 900 and on the same

KOREAN VISITOR.

Mr. Chong Ki Ye Destres to Master Her Trial Will Occur on December our Lingo. Washington, Nov. 12 .- Mr. Chong Kt Ye, connected with the household of the crown prince of Korea, and eldest

son of Mr. Chin Pom Ye, the minister from Korea to this country, has been appointed an attache of the Korean legation here and is now on route to take his posi.

He is 24 years old, and his main mission to this country is to be educated plied: in the English language and customs He left Korea unaccompanied Sept. 25 arrived in San Francisco last night and she will be convicted. is expected to reach Washington the latter part of next week.

London, Nov. H .- The Unity Mail says this morning that the French naval con-struction programmic for 1860 includes two sattleships of 14,000 tons each, with very powerful armament, and protoction, two cruisers of 4,000 tons each, two large tornedo hoat destroyers and eleven torpedo

France Will Build Ships.

and Assistant Engineer Fitzgerald. Naval Cadets U. S. Macy and J. H. Woodward were stationed at the batters nd were cool and efficient in duty Naval Cadet J. A. Hand was at the cen-

tral station and conveyed all orders and instructions deliberately and well. Naval Cadets J. W. L. Clement, R. W. Vinceni, J. T. Bowers, C. W. Forman were stationed in the powder division and did effective duty. Pay Clerk O. I. Mancock volunteered

dent Egan, of the Central, and Captain for a station and did excellent work in the Baker, chief quartermaster of the Sevpowder divison. enth army corps, remained wharf the greater part of the night.

TENOR WITH A DAGGER.

Francisco Collenz Wounds Miss Mor rison, the Prima Donna.

St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 13 .- At the Century theater, in the course of the presentation of "1. Pagliacci," tenor Francisco Collenz carried out a finale in one of the acts by a bit of realism cotton, that was not on the programme,

With unwonted ardor, Mr. Collenz counded Miss Nedda Morrison, the prima donna in the arm with a dagger. Blood spurted forth from a wound in the left forearm, the actress fainted and the curtain was rung down. Manager Levering called for a physician from the audience. Dr. Thompson responded and speedily revived Miss Morrison who was forced to retire to her hotel. The wound is not serious.

MARCHAND'S RETURN.

He Will Remove the French Expedition to Jubitil.

Cairo, Nov. 13 .-- Major Marchand, ommander of the French expedition at Fasheda, started today for that point with Captain Bavatler, who carried Marchand's report to Paris and brought the reply of the French government. On their arrival at Fashoda the ex-

pedition will immediately retire; by way of Sobal, southwest of Fashoda. at the junction of the Sobal river and the White Nile, from which point they will move overland to Jibutil, the French post in the Eesa district, on the west coast of the gulf of Aden.

the mails, has been set for Doe.

Murder and Suicide.

aged about 18. Young Latz came hom

5 in San Francisco.

DISCUSSING RACE RIOTS. MRS. BOTKIN ARRAIGNED

Americans

Meeting of Prominent Colored Citizens in New York.

s nnected with it.

San Francisco, Nov. 13. - The date for New York, Nov. 13 .- Concerning the race riots in North and South Carolina. the tried of Mrs. Cordella Botkin, and T. Thomas Fortune said today that a cused of the murder of Mrs. John P. meeting of colored citizens and others Dunning, of Dover, Del., by means of a box of poisoned candy sent through would be held in Cooper Union on next Thursday evening to discuss the situation. At the meeting it is expected The indictment charging her with the that E. D. Bassett, ex-United States crime was read to her today, and when to answer the charge, she re-"Not guilty." Chief of Police minister to Hayti, will preside. All the pastors of Afro-American churches in Lees has prepared a strong case against New York will take part. Many promthe accused woman and is convinced

inent white citizens have been invited to attend the meeting, which will be strictly non-partisan. It is also expected that meetings will

he held on the same evening in Ros-Reading, Pa., Nov. 15-Morris J. Luiz, ton, Philadelphia, Washington and aged 44, a shoemaker, was shot and fa-tally wounded today by his son, Hervey, Chicago.

Blaze at Canyon City.

intoxicated and his father reprimandes Baker City, Oce., Nov. 15.-Fire which started in the Eakborn hotel at Canyon City, Kept county, destroyed the entire bestness portion of the town and a numtwo shots through his father's head. "The latter ran into the street and fell over from the loss of blood. The boy then committed suicide by cutting his throat per of residences. The loss will excell from ear to car.

By the governor. David Martine Secretary of the Commonwealth

General--Princeton Defeats Yale at

Local-Official Vote of Last Tuesday's

Local-Official Vote of Last Tuesday's Election.

Local-Sermon by Rev. W. F. Glubous.

Local-Warrants Issued for Dyna-

Vanderbilt to Tunnel the Pocono

8 Local-West Scianton and Suburban.

0 General-Thirteenth Leaves for the

Saturday Evening.

Harrisburg, Nov. 13,-Governor Hast-

In accordance with a time honored cus-

monwealth of Penrsylvania, do hereby

Not since the war which threatened the

estruction of the Union and which

South This Morning. Jottings of the Industrial World.

9 News Round About Scranton

Old Coat Found in Twin Shaft

Foot Ball

Legislature

4 Editorial

miters

last evening:

wealth.

Mountains

Pinancial and Comercial,

Comment of the Press.

EIGHTH CAVALRY SAILS.

Now En Route for Puerto Principe. Cuba.

Washington, Nov. 12 -- Adjutant Centheir way to sea with supplies to last eral Corbin received a dispatch tonicy for several months within 24 hours. after their arrival here. The Manitoba announcing that the Eighth cavalry went down the river drawing 21 feet sailed at 5 o'clock this morning for ten inches, passing the obb tide without Puerto Principe, Cuba. difficulty. She was followed by the

In this connection an interesting bit ship Accara, carrying 15,500 bales of of information has reached the war department. Arrangements have been made by the Spanish authorities to send back to Spain the Spanish troops. numbering 9,500 men, upon the arriv-El Imparcial Says Peace Negotiaal of the American garrison. IL WAS expected that they would sail next Puesday or Wednesday, but an unex-Madrid, Nov. 13 .- El Imparcial says. cted obstacle has arisen among the the government has forwarded instrucmen themselves. They are on the verge

tions to Senor Montero Rios, president of mutiny, openly declaring they will of the Spanish peace commission at return to Spain until they Madeld, and that Monday's conferreceived their pay, now far in accents, but for service in Cuba. The mutiny exone "unless the American commissionends not alone to the chlisted ers moderate their claims." According but to their officers, and is directed to Ei Imparcial a member of the cabagainst the executive officials of the inet has virtually declared as much. Madrid government on the Island. The government has received a dis-Some of the men have not been said patch from General Rios, governor of for nearly a year, and to all of them the Visayas islands, reporting the reseveral months' pay is due

bellion in the islands of negroes, and The situation has created no par ennouncing the departure from Hollo ticular concern in the minds of the of the mail steamer Munos, with a American, authorities as it is not likenumber of invalided men, whose rely seriously to affect the control of patriation has been authorized by the that portion of the Island ov the Amercan forces; but it is realized that those The Madrid papers today declare that 9.500 soldiers. If they should persist the expected visit of Emperor Wilin their refusal to return to Spain. liam is a matter of no political immight become dependents whom portance and that the German amwould be difficult to care for, and ulhassador's visit to Berlin is in no way mately, perhaps, a menace to sci government on the island,

The Spanish authorities express fear of their ability to solve the prob lem presented, but how they will salv it if the men, backed by their officers absolutely refuse to return home with out their pay, is not clear.

Li on the Shelf.

Petcie, Nov. 15.- 14 Hung County may been ordered to proceed to Tet Nam, cap-itol of the province of Shan Tung to concert measures with the vicerov Shan Tung to prevent future incadations of the Yellow river (Hoang Ho). Tain appointment is regarded as virtually

of justice and law."

New York. Queenstown-Sailed; Lu-Harve, Nov. 13 - Arrived: La Touraine,

ILL FEELING PREVAILS.

and.

Private advices received here by officials state that the meeting was important as furnishing an opportunity for a free and full discussion of all the subjects that have threatened to estrange the two governments and for the establishment of a much more friendly understanding. It is recognized, however, among officials, state and diplomatic, that while official sentiment is satisfactory there continues to be an undercurrent of ill-feeling with the public and press of the two countries. For this reason the present movement of the emperor in stopping at the Spanish ports causes something of a shock in diplomatic quarters as it is felt to be one more obstacle in the way of the happy approachment which was being executed by the authorities here and at Berlin. With a view of minimizing the visit the assurances are now communicated as to its non-official character. The suggestion that the emperor may be asked by Spain to act as arbitrator between the l'nited States and Spain In case the Philippine issue becomes acute is dismissed as absurd on the ground that no such plan would be considered for a moment unless both countries joined in a request for it. The arrival of the emeror at Cadiz and Cartagena is awaited with considerable apprehension by the German authorities as it may give rise to a Spanish popular demonstration open to misconstruction in this country. With a view of avoiding such an affair the German charge d'affaires at Madrid has been instructed to notify the Spanish government of the strictes; unofficial character of the em-

peror's visit. Earnings of the B. and O.

Baltimore, Nov. 13.-The approximate ross earnings of the Baltimore and Ohio the month of October railroad were \$2,395.952 an increase of \$11,736.43 over the corresponding month of 1897.

Desperate Jack Nickles.

Placervill, Cal., Nov. E.-Yeaterday centing near Shingles Springs, this coun-Jack Nickles shot and killed his wife and his mother-in-law with a rifle and then killed himself.

WEATHER FORECAST. Washington, Nov. 11-Forecast for Monday: For easiern Pennsylvania, rain, followed hy eleaving Monday; fair and conter Trickbay: · fresh to brisk out lowest to west

winds. ************************

French Bondholders Anxious. Paris, Nov. II.-At a general meeting of French holders of Cukan bonds held here vesterday, a resolution was adopted to appeal to the "good faith of Spain and the spirit of equity of the United States" to settle the question of their right reditors "in conformity with the rules

shelving Prince Li.

* Steamship Arrivals.