AGUINALDO'S BATTLE CRY

Finds Hope in Anti-Expansionists of America,

DEMOCRACY RELIED UPON

The Leader of the Insurrection Plainly Indicates That the Encouragement Received from This Country Has Been Instrumental in Inspiring the Filipinos to Keep Up the Fight.

Manila, July 12-7.25 p. m.-A copy of the Independencia has reached Manila. containing the speech which Aguinaldo made during the recent celebration at Tarlac, of the anniversary of the proclamation of Filipino independence. In substance it is as follows:

"Filipina, beloved daughter of the ardent sun of the tropics commended by Providence to the care of noble Spain, be not ungrateful to her salute who warmed you with the breath of her own culture and civilization. It is true she sought to crush thy aspiration for independence as a loving mother opposes separation forever from the daughter of her bosom. This but proves the excess of affection and love Spain feels for thee, Filipina, delicate flower of the East, scarcely eight months ceaned from the breast of thy mother thou hast dared to brave a great and powerful nation such as is the United States, after barely organizing and dis ciplining thy little army. Yet we reply, we will be slaves to none, nor alow ourselves to be deceived by goft words. Let us continue to defend our fatherland until independence is assured, for this is justice. We shall see at last that the great American nation will acknowledge the right which is on car side. That doctrine of the great Monroe, that America is for Americans, is not forgotten. Just as we affirm that the Philippines are for the Filipinos, Some states of the American union have arisen in our favor. Especially is the Democratic party convinced that both victors and vanquished will lose precious lives. Thus many of the people and many statesmen consure President McKinley as inhuman for having rdered his military representatives at Manila to seek means to bring about hostilities with the Filipinos These facts prove that they wished to try us to see if we are able to live up to the second color of our banner, red, which signifies courage, heroism and martyrdem. Therefore, we should not resent

this struggle with the Americans, Autonomy a Deceit.

"In spite of their expressed desire to dominate all the Philippines, well convinced are they that we fight with justice and right on our side and that autonomy is all a deceit, only serving to save certain accumulated wealth. We have never concealed our aspirations that we aspire but to independence, that we will struggle on to obtain it, perhaps from those who are now our enemies and tomorrow will be our allies, as they were for the over throw of the power of Spain. We might well accept this autonomy America offers, but what can we do with it if our ambition is independence and if we are to accept it only to later overthrow by force of arms the sovereignty of America. As I believe it is the intention of the autonomists to make use of treachery and deceit, w cannot accept such a procedure. We do not wish to be trailers afterward. We wish to show our character of frankness and sincerity and nothing more. Let us avoid the example of those natives who, having at one time been colonists, accepted autonomy to enable them to make their work surer, once everything was prepared. History has given us an example of this in recent events. Let us persist in our idea, which is ony the legitimate and noble aspirations of a people which is desirous at all cost to preserve its national honor spotless and as pure as a crys-Thus, then there will not be a single Filipino autonomist. Those who are so are in the eyes of the people but time servers, fearful of losing their riches, threatened by risks of war. Filipinos, let us be constant; let us strengthen the bonds of our union." Aguinaldo concluded with calling for cheers for independence, the union of the Filipinos and for the liberating

STEEL PLANT PURCHASE.

Last Deal Made by the Susquehanna Company.

Philadelphia, July 12.—The Susque hanna Iron and Steel company has purchased the plant, contracts, personal property and stock of raw, finished and unfinished material of the Janson Iron company, of Columbia, Pa. The price pald is said to be \$950,000.

This is the last rolling mill in that district to be purchased by the Susquehanna company, which now owns all the mills and several furnaces in that section. The annual capacity of the Janson mill is about 8,000 tons.

Pediar Palmer and McGovern.

New York, July 12.-Terry McGovern, of Brooklyn, and Pediar Paircer, of Lon don, were matched today to meet in a 22 round bout at the Westchester Ataletic chib on the afternoon of September the men to cuter the ring at 4 p. m. They will fight for a purse of \$10,000 and each man will also receive 15 per cent, of the receipts of the pictures taken of the bat-The buttle will be for the 116-pound championship of the world.

Suicide in a Corn Crib.

Lancaster, July 12.-James Martin, aged 64 years, a wealthy farmer of Eart Lampeter township, committed snielde morning by hanging himself in his corn

MINERS STRIKE SETTLED.

The Men Agree to Take Advance Offered at the Beginning.

Du Bois, Pa., July 12.-The strike of the soft coal miners of this district was finally settled this afternoon, All mines in this region will resume at once. The delegates were in session bere two days, with General Manager Robinson present before a final agree ment was reached. The terms agreed upon are the same as the operators offered the miners at the beginning of the strike. An advance is given to 45 cents per ton for pick mining and 22 and a third cents per ton for machines Drivers and laborers receive an advance of 10 per cent. The agreement is to continue in force for one year.

It also provides that in the event of an advance in competing regions, the miners of this region will be given a proportionate advance, The scale agreed upon is the highest that has seen paid in this region for several The resumption of operations will give employment to ten thousand miners and several thousand railroad men besides five hundred shop men. It means prosperity to the whole region.

SHOT HIS COMPANION.

Robert Fiske Killed by William Glackens.

Phoenixville, Pa., July 12.-Mistakng one of his companions for a rob-William Glackens, a boy from Philadelphia, today shot and instantly killed Robert Fiske, also of Philadelphia, at Perkiemen Junction, three miles below here. The two boys, a couple of others, arrived at Perklomen last night, where they intended to spend a week camping. Early this morning Fiske awoke and left camp without arousing his companions.

He returned later and Glackens, misaking him for an intruder, seized a revolver and fired. The ball passed clear through Fiske's brain. Death was instantaneous. The deputy coroner held an inquest, and the shooting was declared to have been accidental.

TRANSPORTS ARRIVE AT SAN FRANCISCO

The Oregon Volunteer Regiments on Board-A Royal Reception Given the Soldier Boys.

San Francisco, July 12.-The United States transports Newport and Ohio, bearing the Oregon volunteer regiments from Manila, arrived here to-The vessels were sighted earin the afternoon and soon the shricking of steam whistles, the clanging of bells and the firing of cannons announced that the first batch of returning volunteers from Manila were nearing the shores of California, Witha few minutes the streets were thronged with people wending their way to the docks and to the heights overlooking the bay, intent upon catching a glimpse of the transports as they steamed up the bay under the escort of a score of vessels which had been made ready for the arrival of the

As the transports slowly steamed up the harbor the soldiers gathered in excited groups on deck and some limbed into the rigging, where they houted and cheered like mad. The sands on the reception tugs and the screaming of many steam sirens creat- her in the tide harbor, ed a pendemonium. The soldiers wever, were held at quarantine and the dectors will make a thorough examination before the men are allowed

NO FAITH IN MARYLAND.

Physicians License of That State Not

Recognized in Pennsylvania. Harrisburg, July 12.-Recently Dr. obtained a rule on the medical council of this state requiring it to show cause to practice medicine and surgery in this state, Mr. Ludwig being a graduate of the Maryland university, Bal- those of 1897. timore, and holds a license granted him by the board of medical examiners of its accompanying upward rush in price Maryland.

The contention of the Pennsylvania Medical council was that the medical until the end of the year. It did not have of the state of Maryland fails to tell upon the returns for the year 1898. meet the demands of the medical law. The increase in the production of copof the state of Pennsylvania, and Judge per was largest in Arizona, while the Simonton in an opinion handed down lake district also recorded an advance, this afternoon sustains the Pennsyl- | Montana fell off considerably, vania councils and orders the rule discharged. There were half a dozen similar cases before the board, all of which will be governed by today's ruling,

DEATH OF CAPT. WOODRUFF.

Adjutant of Fifth Infantry Succumbs

to Yellow Fever at Boniago. Washington, July 12.-The adjutant general today received a dispatch from Colonel Comba at Boniage, near Santiago, announcing the death of Captain Thomas M. Woodruff, adjutant of the Fifth infantry. He died of yellow fever ast night.

Captain Woodruff was a West Point graduate appointed from the District

MURDERED AND CREMATED. Sad Fate of an Aged Miser Near Richmond.

Richmond, Mo., July 12.-The resilence of Thomas Graves, eight miles during the night and today the bodies \$501,515,581. of Mr. Graves and his aged sister, Lucy, were found in the ruins.

Graves was considered a miser, and it is the general belief that the were murdered and that the building was burned to hide the crime.

Mrs. Ramsey Indicted.

New York, July 12.—The grand jury to-day indicted Mrs. Grace Ramsey, for the murder of her husband at the Garden hotel in this city on June 22 hast by cut. ting his throat with a ragor while he was arleep. Mrs. Ramsey has been proarlicep. Mrs. Ramsey has been pro-nounced instance by three experts and will probably be sent to an asylum. She for-merly resided at Williamsport, Pa.

Fatal Yacht Race.

Lubec, Me., July 12.—During a yacht uses here teday, a boat containing three persons was capsized and two of them. Hollis C. Nickerson and Eben Small,

THE PARIS FLOATS FROM THE ROCKS

AMERICAN LINER TOWED TO FALMOUTH LAST NIGHT.

Scotch Firm Awarded the Contract to Repair Her-Promised to Do the Work Quicker Than Americans. Special Train with Workmen Leaves Glasgow for Southampton. The Question of Salvage-Agents' Opinion of the Vessel's Injuries.

Glasgow, July 12.-A special train having on board a large force of workmen will leave here tonight for Southmpton for the purpose of extensively overhauling the American line steam ship Paris. It is said that a Clyde firm has been awarded the contract to repair the vessel as it promised to effect the repairs more speedily than Amerian shipbuilders.

Faimouth, July 12.-Superintendent Alsbett, who has been in charge of the salving of the Paris, is greatly elated. He says the work of refloating her was complished with remarkable case. The wind happened to make the tide a foot higher than expected, and immediately after it was perceived that the steamship was affeat a steam winch connected with the hawser fast to an enchor astern was set in motion and the Paris was speedily clear of the ocks. During the night her pumps marially reduced the amount of water in her holds. The worst hole is four feet square. The superintendent no longer has the slightest anxiety as to the success of the operations to previde for the rafety of the ship.

New York, July 12.-President Grisom of the American line said this morning that the news that the Paris was off the rocks was quite as unex-pected to the officials of the Internaional Navigation company as to the public. He added: We heard from the underwriters

st week that she had been floated and beached in the sand at a place settled upon some time ago, in case she should be moved. It was a great surprise to us; we did not expect that the Paris, or what would be left of her. ould be moved until next spring tides. "Our attitude to the vessel and to the underwriters in whose charge sha will be determined by whether or not she is what is called a 'constructive total loss,' If the cost of putting her into shape again exceeds her value as she lies at this mement, she is such a loss and we shall receive the insurance on her; if not, the underwriters will repair her and deliver her to us exactly as she was before grounding. Personally, I have no doubt that she is not a constructive loss, but that cannot be positively determined for ... o or three months at the very least. In the meantime all we can do is to wait. A board of surveyors will be appointed by the underwriters, which will value her carefully as she stands and estimate the cost of full repairs. If by any chance have anything to do with her again. Falmouth, July 13.—The Paris en-

Preparations are being made to beach COPPER PRODUCTION.

midnight, towed by five tugs.

tered the harbor safely shortly after

The Year 1898 One of General Prosperity in the Industry.

Washington, July 12.-The report of the production of copper in 1898 has just been submitted to the United States geological survey by Special Agent Kirchhoff. The production of the United States in that year was 526,375, George W. Ludwig, of Chambersburg, 591 pounds, which is by far the largest product ever reported. This report shows that 1898 was one of general why it should not issue him a license prosperity for the copper mining industry, the full product being marketed at prices slightly better than The actual searcity of copper, with

and its enormous expansion of stock speculation, did not in reality develop

EXPORTS FOR JUNE.

Statement Furnished by Bureau of Statistics.

Washington, July 12.-The monthly statement of the exports for June, 1899, of domestic breadstuffs, provisions, coton and mineral oils, issued by the bureau of statistics, shows as follows: Breadstuffs, \$19,781,057, decrease as ompared with June, 1838, about 9,321, 000. Cotton, \$8,073,706, increase, \$547,000, Cattle and hogs, \$2,644,466; decrease, Provisions, \$15,656,528; rense, \$2,205,000. Mineral oils, \$5,481,-991; increase, \$509,000. Total, \$51,057,-748; net increase, \$3,215,000. For the

Breadstuffs, \$262,655,106 against \$524,-306,069 last year. Cattle and hogs, \$28,-605,079; last year, \$36,910,482. Provisons, \$162,618,778; last year, \$158,090,661. Cotton, \$208,743,969; last year, \$229,940,. 477. Mineral oils, 855,317,269; last year, southwest of Richmond, was burned \$55,171,000. Totals, \$718,940,201; last year,

Athletes at Southampton.

Southampton, July 12 .- The members of the athletic teams of Valc and Harvard universities who arrived by the Ameri-can liner St. Louis this evening are in excan ther St. Louis ton evening are in ex-cellent health. There was a busy scene on the Southampton dock when they dis-embarked. They were greeted by the United States consul. John E. Hopkey. and a number of personal friends. Early tomorrow morning they will leave for their training quarters at Brighton,

Astor Not a Resident.

New York, July 12.-William Waldorf Astor today through counsel, secured from Justice Stever, in the Supreme court, a writ of certificari directing the commissioner of taxes and assessments o review their decirion in assessing his personal preperty at \$2,000,000. Mr. Aston claims that he is a non-resident and that he does not possess the personal property upon which he has been assessed.

PAUL JONES'S BONES.

Belief That They Were Thrown in Potter's Field in Paris.

Washington, July 12.-Inquiry was recently made at the state department in regard to the grave of John Paul Jones, the great naval hero of revolutionary days, who died in Paris, July 18, 1782. He was buried there with the highest honors by the French government, but it appears that the present location of his grave is not known. The secretary of state recently addressed a letter to Henry Vignaud, of the United States embassy in Paris, asking whether the grave of John Paul Jones in Paris is known and marked. He has received a reply from Mr. Vignaud saying that although he had made earnest and frequent inquiries of the

whereabouts of the grave, One thing established by his inquiries, however, he says, is that John Paul Jones was not buried in the cemetery where the remains of Lafavette lie, as has been supposed by some persons,

ity authorities in regard to the mat-

ter, he has been unable to discover the

In another quarter it is intimated that, owing to a custom prevailing in Paris, the remains of John Paul Jones were deposited in a rented grave for a term of years, and that on the expiration of the lease, a great many years ago, the bones of the distinguished American patriot were thrown into the Potter's Field.

EDUCATORS AT LOS ANGELES

The Teachers' Convention Settles Down to Steady, Hard Work. Problems Discussed.

Los Angeles, Cal., July 12.-Today the National Educational association convention settled down to stendy, hard work, there being eleven departments holding sessions in the afternoon, in addition to general sessions both morn. ing and evening.

Mrs. Helen Grenfell, state superintendent of public instruction, of Colorado, read a paper in the general session hearing the suggestive title of 'Quo Vadimus." which bere upon reations existing, and which ought to exist, between the school and the home. Hon, L. Carvey, superintendent of pub-lic instruction, of Wisconsin, in dealng with "Fundamentals in Teaching," struck a responsive note in outlining how far the individual freedom of the teacher is bounded by the organization of the school curiculum.

In the several department sessions almost the entire gamut of education discussed from child study through the kindergarten and gramour grades, the polytechnic and act branches, to the ultimate points of a business college curriculum on one hand and the university course on the other. In the initial stage of what in its entirety was a prolonged discussion of existing methods, child study was taken up as the link between the home and the school, and at the other end of the continuous line, President to whom all contributions should be David Starr Jordan, of Leland university, and Dr. Nicholas M. Butler, of ussion on the practicability of a national university, a question of the greatest interest and Importance to educators as well as the cultured people throughout the country. In addition to these various phases of educational effort, the highly specialized form of education adapted to the needs of the deaf, blind and feebleminded has cen under consideration; the physical education has not been neglected, and t patriotic tinge has been given to the eedings by a discussion before the Hobart society of the significance of

he frontier in American history. Miss Gertrude Edmunds, principal of the training school, Lowell, Mass., read paper on "Child Study in Normal and Training Schools."

In discussing "Problems in Arristic Rendering," Miss Katherine M. Ball, supervisor of drawing, San Francisco, contended that children's standard of excellence is regulated by what they have seen or what they have heard. The nominating committee met to-

list of officers who will be balloted on COMPTONE President, A. P. Corson, ex-state superintendent of schools, of Ohio; vice president, E. Oram Lyle, of Fennsylvania; secretary, Irwin Shepard, of

Winong, Minn., present meumbent: treasurer, C. G. Pearse, superintendent of schools, Omaha. As there is no known opposition to

doubt be elected unanimousty. COMING YACHT RACE.

The Columbia and Defender Will Sail on July 21.

Newport, R. I., July 12.-It seems probable that the first race between

the Columbia and the Defender, under the auspices of the Newport Yacht Racing association, will be sailed on July 21 instead of July 20, as previously announced, but the final decision will depend entirely upon the time required to complete the repairs to the last iwelve months the statement is as | Defender's boom and for stepping the Columbia's new steel mast. Herman Duryea, chairman of the committee having the races in charge, said today that he expected the two boats would meet on the twenty-first, but the second race between them would not be held until the following Tuesday, the 25th Instant, and that the racing after that would continue indefinitely. He did not know how many races would be sailed. There might be ten or there might be only three, but the association pronoses to give the boats plenty of chance to test the speed of each and enable the crew of the Columbia to get all racing practice possible.

Ex-Senator Gorman Ill.

Magnetia, Miss., July 12.-Permer Benator Arthur P. Gorman, of Maryland, is ill at the Hesnerus hotel and his wife and two daughters are at his bedede. His suffers from exhaustion, or a relapse of the grip.

Indianapolis News Sold.

Indianapolis, Ind., July 12,-The Indianrandamapons, Ind., July 12.—The Indian-apolis News was seld today to Deievan I Smith, of Chicago, and Charles R. Will-ians for \$37,000. They already owned 25 2-3 per cent. of the stock.

DESOLATION IN LONE STAR STATE

FLOOD DISASTER ALMOST WITH-OUT A PARALLEL.

Many Square Miles Covered with Water at a Depth of from Five to Twenty Feet-Twenty Populous Towns Inundated-100,000 People Homeless-An Appeal for Help. Manner in Which Contributions Should Be Sent.

Washington, July 12 .- Representative R. B. Hawley, of Texas, who is now Washington, today made public the following statement with reference to the flood situation in that state:

The disaster which has overtaken the emmunities in southern Texas is without parallel in our country, some points the precipitation was three and one-half feet in sixty bours, resulting in a dood of enormous proportions, covering an area of many square miles to a depth of from five to twenty feet, and a loss of from twesty-five to forty million dollars.

No less than twenty populous towns have been inundated as well as thousands of well established and well ordered farms, which today are in a comdete state of desolation. Practically every work animal, every milk cow, toether with all stock cattle and every estige of vegetation have been swept away, leaving the country completely evastated. Within the influence of this awful disaster reside over 100,000 people, almost half of whom are in a state of helplessness today except as they may be provided for by those who tre generous and able to assist them.

An Appeal for Help.

The whole state of Texas is alive o the situation and is doing its utiost to redeve the suffering. It is, lowever, impossible for the state alone, within the time necessary, to succor those people or come to their relief. When the great Johnstown flood occurred Pennsylvania could easily have aken care of their own if given time, but as time was as it is now, the essential factor, they were obliged to appeal to a generous public in every part of the union and from every quarter the relief was immediate, on a scale commensurate with the disaster.

To this public the flood district of Pexas appeals today to supply the necssaries of life until the horrors of the flood shall have passed and the people shall be in a position to again address themselves to the task of re-establishing their homes. For this purpose it is urged through the press, the different commercial bodies and municipal authorities of every city of the union that this appeal be answered, For the distribution of this relief a system is being organized throughout the flooded district immediately under the direction of the governor of Texas, whose care every dollar will be judi

CRUELTY TO DREYFUS DENIED.

Report of Proposed Rescue by Americans Responsible for Palisade. Paris, July 12 .- M. Lebon, the former

chilly and effectively expended.

minister of the colonies, has addressed a long letter to the government in reply to the charges of M. Louis Haver member of the French institute, who accompanied Mme. Dreyfus to Rennes, who alleges Dreyfus was cruelly treated in his island prison. The former minister says no one in 1896 questioned the justice of the verdict of the Dreyfus court-martial and that in September, 1896, It was reported than an American vessel was about to rescue the prisoner, and there was some talk among the warders as to the possibility of his escape. Hence M. Lebon became solicitious for the safety of the prisoner and ordered Dreyfus to be confined in his hut with double locked doors, but with a sentinel inside night and agreed upon the following until the hut was surrounded with a palisade, when the but might be opened. The building of the palisade occupied longer than expected, but no harm to the health of the prisoner was

M. Lebon denies tampering with the orrespondence of Dreyfus.

CUBANS FOR ANNEXATION.

the candidates mentioned they will no But Enforcement of the Tariff Law

at Havana Causes Complaint. Washington, July 12.—Brigadier General Rosser, who has just reached Washington from Cuba, called at the white house today. General Rosser has seen mustered out and is on his way home to Virginia. When asked about

Cuban uffairs he sald: "Many things are moving along moothly, but there is almost universal complaint about the enforcement of tariff rules and laws at Havana. The trouble, of course, is that military men have not been trained in these matters. The different officials fix different duties on goods.

When asked about the sentiment for unnexation General Rosser said: "Every man on the island with a dolar's worth of property never wants to see the United States hag pulled down,

They know it means anarchy, chaos and oppression." Steamship Arrivals.

Bremen, July 12.-Arrived: Kaiser Wil-elm Der Gresse, from New York. liremen, July 12.—Arrived: Kulser Wil-belm Der Gress, from New York, Queenstown — Arrived: Aurania, from New York for Liverpool, Antwerp—Ar-tived: Westernland, from New York, Seilly—Passed! St. Louis, from New York for Southampton and Werkendam, from New York for Amsterdam, Dover— Passed: Trave, from Bremen for New York, Rotterdam-Arrived: Maasdam, from New York, New York-Arrived: Furnesia, from Glasgow, Sailed: New York, for Southampton and Teutonic for Liverpool; Noordland, for Antwern Cleared; Bremen, for Bremen via South Southampton - Arrived: Louis, from New York.

Ordered to Manila.

Washington, July 12.-Orders were is ued at the wer department today direct our headquarters and two battalions of the Nineteenth infantry to leave Camp Meade in time to reach San Francisco to all on the transport Tartar on the 224

THE NEWS THIS MORNING

Tribune.

Weather Indications Teday:

General-Aguinaldo's Address to the

Filipinos.
General Wood's Heroic Efforts to
Stamp Yellow Fever at Santiago.
Texas Flood Situation Without Paral-Steamer Paris Towed to Falmouth.

General-Base Ball Results, Financial and Commercial

Local-Board of Health Inspects the Water Supply.

Mrs. Hackley Must Sign Coal Lease. Editorial.

News and Comment. Local — Veteran Newspaper Man Drowned in the Susquehanna, Woodworkers Join the Strikers.

Local-West Scranton and Suburban. News Round About Scranton, Local-Coal Mining Problems, Dunmore News Budget

GALLINGER'S CASE.

A Lively Session-The Senator Offers to Back Up His Statements Outside of the Committee Rooms.

Concord, N. H., July 12.-The hearng before the United States civil service commission on elerges of the violation of the law on political assess ment by United States Senator Jacob H. Gallinger, is practically concluded. The final session today proved most sensational. Not only did Senator Gallinger accuse his colleague, Schator Chandler, of speaking an untruth, but offered to back up his statement outside the committee room. Previous to this incident Senator Chandler Iacame involved in a warm dispute with Chairman Mark S. Brewer, of the conmission, and not only accured him of partiality but threatened to ask for his

The author of the assessment circuhr, William S. Thayer, did not testify fore the commission, and it was the mpression tenight that no further evidence would be taken. The commission has also received a communication from Mr. Thaver in which he scated that he prepared the circular on his own responsibility but that Senator Gallinger knew of its being sent to federal officeholders. The hearings both yesterday and today were marked by bitterness on the part of the senators toward each other,

WHEELER STARTS FOR MANILA His Daughter Will Accompany as a

Red Cross Nurse. Chicago, July 12.—General Joseph H. Wheeler passed through Chicago today bound for the Philippines on an unknown mission. As he put it him-

"I am ordered merely to report to General Otis and do not know what I shall have to do when I get there. Lexcept to return by December, when ongress meets. Being in the army, felt that I had no right to remain idle all summer and fall and asked to

be sent on active service." Miss Annie Wheeler, the general's daughter, accompanies him to Manila. She goes out as a Red Cross nurse without pay and intends to remain as long as health permits or her services

are needed. WILL BE BUSY ONE YEAR.

Shops of Pottstown Bridge Works

Resume Active Operations. Pottstown, July 12.-The extensive shops of the Pottstown Bridge works started active operations today after years of idleness. The ferce which commenced work this morning will be steadily increased until the different departments are filled up with at least 1,000 hands. Work was commerced on an order for 10,000 tons of structural iron for the New York Ship Building company, whose plant is about to be built at Camden, N. J. The order will keen the works busy for one year, It required one month to put the plant in order for the resumption of work.

TO EMPLOY 5.000 MEN.

The Westinghouse Company Will

Build Works in England. London, July 12.—It is announced that the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing company, of Pittsburg, will build works at Manchester and employ 5,000 men. George Westinghouse will

direct the enterprise. Baron Kelvin, professor of natural philosophy at Glasgow university, who acted as electrician for the Atlantic cables in 1857-38 and 1865-66, for the French Atlantic cable in 1869, for the West Indian cables in 1876, and for the Mackay-Bennett Atlantic cable in 1879, will be the technical adviser of the company in England.

TRANSVAAL AMERICANS.

They Are Liable to Become Britishers in Event of War.

London, July 12.—The Capetown corspondent of the Daily Mail says: The Transvaal field corners are retusing to register American citizens unless they take outh to bear arms for the republic in the event of war. The Americans, therefore, threaten to become British subjects so as to avoid commandering. The Transvant government is making representation to Washington on the subject.

Lackawanna a Through Line.

Cleveland, July 12-There is a well an henticated rumor in railroad circles here oday that the Delaware, Luckawanna and Western Railroad company is nego-lating for the lease of the Nickel Plate oud from the Vanderbilts. The Lacksf the Nickel Plate on luwiness to the

Pennsylvania Pensions.

Wastington, July 12-Pension certificates, issue of June 28, tennsylvania; Increase-Charles D. Tingley, Alford, Susquehanna, 48 to 212. Reissue-James D. Colgate, Hawley, Wayne, \$8.

THE WAR ON YELLOW JACK

General Wood's Heroic Measures to Stamp Out Fever.

CLOSING OF SANTIAGO

Mayor Ordered to Close All America can Hotels and Liquor Saloons. Intoxicated Americans and Loiterers to Be Arrested-Headquarters of City Department Removed to Cristo-Troops Sent to Songo. Precautions Against Infection at Morrow-No One Allowed to Approach-Provisions for the Garris. son Left on the Road Some Distance from Castle.

Santiago de Cuba, July 12.-General Leonard Wood, in command of the department of Santiago de Cuba, issued today an order establishing absolute quarantine. All officers and employes of the government, with the exception of those belonging to the department, are forbidden to enter the city, Major Carr and Surgeons Mendoza and Nuncz are detailed to take charge of the fever patients in the city, which is placed under strict regulations. Other officers will have charge of the yellow fever hospital on the Island.

The mayor is directed to close all American hotels and saloons, to forbid other liquor dealers to sell intoxicants to Americans and to arrest all intoxicated Americans or lolterers in caloons. The principal hotels and saloons are designated by name. The pack trains have been ordered

to establish camps outside the city. and all the troops will be moved to Songo, except one company at Morro Chstle The headquarters of all the departs ments were moved today to Cristo, and the railroad and steamship lines

are forbidden to bring Americans into

the city. No ships are permitted to louch at the wharves. The strictest regulations have been established for the protection from fever of the company of soldiers at Morro Castle. Supplies are to be left at a read depot and will be taken to the soldiers by teams from the camp. No travelers will be permitted to leave here without having undergone five days' detention in camp.

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General Wood proposes to

PASSENGER TRAIN ROBBED. Southbound Colorado and Southern

Held Up in New Mexico. Trinidad, Col., July 12.-Southbound. passenger train No. 1 on the Colorado and Southern railroad was robbed by our men at a point five miles south of Folsom, N. M., last night, the same, dace at which a passenger train was teld up last September.

After the train had been brought to standstill and the crow had been intimidated by guns, the robbers used dynamite with good effect, blowing open the sides of the express car, Superintendent Webb and the Wells Fargo express agent, Glover, both say positively that nothing was obtained by the robbers. Mr. Webb left here for the scene of the hold-up this morning on a special train, accompanied by officers with horses. He is confident he will be able to overtake the robbers. Only a few passengers were on the train and they were not molested. As soon as the robbers had seasched the express car they mounted herses which very hitched nearby, and, firing a few

as valuable express matter in the express safe. INDIAN GIRLS TO REMAIN.

shots to alarm tvainmen and passen-

gers, fled without any attempt to go

through the mail car. Persons here

who say they know assert that there

vas a large amount of money as well

Effort to Have Them Removed from Shoshone Agency Fails. Washington, July 12.—The interior department has wired instructions to the White Rock Sheshone agency in Nevada, directing that the three Indian girl students sought to be removed from the agency school as the result of an Indian court's verdict, be permitted to remain there until

otherwise directed. The refusal of School Superintenlent Egan to allow their dismissal was the cause of the trouble between Avens Maybugh and the school employes.

DEWEY MAY VISIT STRAUSS.

British Steamer Immogene Will Eg. cort Admiral to Constantinople. Constantinople, July 12.-The United

States minister here, Oscar S. Strauss, has urgently invited Admiral Dewey to In the event of his acceptance the British special service steamer Immogene will proceed to the Mediterranean

Washington, July 12.—The contributions excived lodge to the Dewey home fundamented to \$225, unking the total to late #11,688. ***********

The Dewey Home Fund.

to excert the admiral to this port,

Washington, July 12 - Perseast for Thursday: For eastern Pennsylvania, menerally fair; continued

WEATHER FORECAST.

high temperature with prospects of cooler weather Friday afternoon or night; variable winds.