

THE ASSURANCE **BRITISH TRAPPED BY PAUL'S TROOPS**

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The dispaten further says:

EXCITEMENT AT WAR OFFICE.

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masses awaiting their turn to enter.

regarding yesterday's casualties, but

This delay in getting further intelli-

Puolic anxiety was increased by a

and the situation is one of grave anxi-

Beyond doubt the Boer retire-

Flower of the English cepted, but it is not the less gratifying of the proof of the good will of our American cousins." Army Are Made Prisoners.

SURROUNDED IN THE HILLS

Two British Regiments Captured at Ladysmith-Irish Fusileers, the Gloucestershires and a Mountain Battery Taken-Surrounded by the Burghers and Compelled to Capitulate-Fought Desperately While They Could-General White's Report of the Disaster-Assumes Blame

London, Oct. 31 .- The war office has received a dispatch from General White, commanding the British forces at Ladysmith, reporting that the Royal Irish Fusileers, No. 10 Mountain battery and the Gloucestershire regiment were surrounded in the hills by the Boers and, after losing heavily, were obliged to capitulate.

General White adds that the casualties have not yet been ascertained. The following is the text of General White's dispatch:

Ladysmith, Oct. 30, 10.35 p. m .--- I have to report a disaster to the column sent by me to take a position on a hill to guard the left flank of in these operations tothe troops. day the Royal Irish Fusileers, No. 10 Mountain battery and the Gloucestershire regiment were surrounded in the hills and, after losing heavily, had to capitulate. The casualties have

not yet been ascertained. "A man of the Fusileers, employed as a hospital orderly, came in under a flag of truce with a letter from the survivors of the column, who asked for assistance to bury the dead. I fear there is no doubt of the truth of the report.

ment yesterday (Monday) was a rue to draw General White into the hilly "I formed a plan, in the carrying country and away from the British of which the disaster occurred, samp." and I am alone responsible for the

This last sentence is significant and There is no blame whatever to plan. confirms the opinion of military exthe troops, as the position was untenperts here that General White is alowing himsen to be out-generalled General White, in a subsequent disby Commandant General Joubert.

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night.

ASKS DR. JURADO TO REPRE-SENT HIM IN WASHINGTON. The Honor Declined-The Doctor Will Represent Filipino Clergy

OF AGUINALDO

Only-To Ask President McKinley to Grant Them the Same Protection That General Otis Extends to the Spanish Ecclesiastics.

Stream of Anxious Callers All Day. Harsh Criticism of British Tactics. London, Oct. 31 .- Dr. Regidor Jurado, chairman of the Spanish chamber of London, Oct. 31 .- The throngs of vistors at the war office remained all mmerce in this city, yesterday even-Anxious people frantically ing received a cable message from Senor Paterno, president of the so-called fought their way to the notice board. Most affecting scenes were witnessed. Filipino cabinet, from Manila, as folwomen were heard to gasp: "I have been instructed by Aguin-Thank God, he is alive at any rate' as they found the name of some bealdo to ask you to accept the post of loved one on the list of prisoners. The

representative of the Filipino government in Washington if you are going to America for any other purpose." There was a continuous stream of callers at the war office until a late hour, everybody anxiously inquiring United States in December in the interest of the Fillpino clergy, who are the war office declared that nothing anxious to obtain the protection that had been received since Sir George Major General Otis has granted to the White's dispatch communicating the Spanish clergy. If he accepts an ofnews of the capture of the Royal Irish ficial position in Washington, it is said, Fusileers and the Gloucestershire regithe authorities would not receive him. Washington, Oct. 31 .-- Cable advices to the war department today indicate

gence is attributed in part to the breakthat General Young's column is steaddown of the east coast cable, but it ily continuing its advance in spite of stands to reason that the war office unfavorable conditions. In a cable message General Otis says: must be possessed of further news, "Young's advance north and east Cabanatuan; will occupy Talavera and which it is probable it is not thought advisable should be published as yet.

The disaster has caused a feeling akin probably Aliaga today; objective, San to consternation, and in Gloucester-Jose and Carrangian; wet season has shire and the north of Ireland, where rendered roads in that section impracthe captured regiments were recruited, ticable for wagon transportation and the blackest gloom prevails, families progressing difficult." A message from General Miller at awaiting with beating hearts the

names of the killed and wounded, Manila says that William P. Chamberwhich are fully expected to reach a lain, the messenger who was wounded high figure. Many homes are already in the fight in which Captain Guy in mourning in consequence of losses Howard was killed, is doing well. sustained by those regiments in pre-

DEATH OF CAPT. FRENCH. Wounded Officer Dies After Amputa-

special dispatch from Ladysmith pub-lished in the late editions of the Lonon afternoon papers to the effect that tion of Leg. before darkness yesterday the Boers re-occupied the old position held by Washington, Oct. 31 .- A cable dispatch from General Otls to the war their heavy artitlery, which General epartment announces today the death White had reported silenced by the of Captain Charles French, Thirtyguns of the naval brigade from the sixth infantry, who was wounded in Powerful, and had opened fire again. esterday's fighting near Florida Blanca. "The enemy are again closing in General Otis says that death was

the result of shock consequent upon amputation of the leg below the knee, able progress until in January he benecessitated by the wound.

Montreal, Oct. 31 .- Fire which broke

out at half past five o'clock this morn-

ing in the Webster house, a small hotel

on St. James street, caused the death

of three persons and the probable fatal

FIRE IN MONTREAL.

The Webster House Burned-Three Persons Perish-Majority of Guests Escape in Night Clothes.

FERRYBOAT COLLISION. THE PRESIDENT Coroner Rausch Has Decided to Issue Warrants for Captains. New York, Oct. 31 .-- Coroner Rausch, after a consultation with the harbor

police regarding last night's collision in North river, decided to issue warrants for the arrest of the captains of the steamship City of Augusta and

and the ferry boat Chicago, on the cnarge of manslaughter. The affidavits are signed by the police and are based on the case of John Bryson, the driver of the mail wagon, who was drowned.

Mrs. Mary Weir, of Brooklyn, called at police headquarters today and stated that her husband, Alexander Weir, a coal dealer, was missing, and that she feared he was on the ferry boat cul-

ous Members of the Party.

Richmond, Oct. 21 .- The torpedo boat

Shubrick was successfully faunched

here today in the presence of President.

McKinley, many members of his cabi-

net, Governor Tyler, of Virginia, and

an immense outpouring of people. The

demonstration was marred in some of

doned until tomorrow, owing to the weather and the decorations of the

other Virginian cities and points out-

representatives of the press.

orm of his car, spoke as follows:

courtesy and kindness."

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cago. Word was received at police headquarters from Brooklyn that a man named Carl McCready had been reported missing. McCready was a prooklyn man and is supposed to have been on the ferry boat which was run nto and sunk.

The police think that the body of a its features by a heavy rain storm. woman which was picked from the The civil carnival rarado was abaa-East river, off eighty-second street, this afternoon, is the body of one of the vicitims of the collision.

buildings presented a bedraggled and Captain Daggett, of the steamship woe-begone appearance. But the people City of Augusta, accompanied by counresidents as well as visitors from appeared before the coroner and sel. was held in \$10,000 ball which was furside the state, who came to witness the nished by Superintendent Levere of the launching, and see the parade were Savannah line. The reports of Captain enthusiastic. Durham of the Chicago, and Captain Daggett were filed with the local board of steamboat inspectors this afternoon. The reports will not be made public until the investigation is finished.

ILLNESS OF THE VICE PRESIDENT

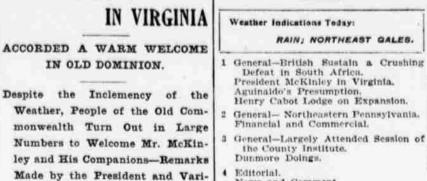
Authorized Statement by the Physicians Who Have Attended Mr. Hobart-His Present Condition.

Paterson, N. J., Oct. 31 .- The following statement of the origin and de-velopment of the illness of Vice-President Hobart is authorized by his family and by the physicians who have attended him:

'The illness of the vice-president may be said to date from the fall of 1898, prior to his return to Washington in November. At that time his physicians observed symptoms of embarransed respiration, with frequent attacks of angina pectoris. This condi-tion responded readily to treatment and when the vice-president went to Washington in the latter part of November he was in good health. He stood remarkably well the strain and excitement incidental to the opening

of congress and he) was making favorbriefly came a victim of the grip. Following this there was a return of the heart trouble, accompanied with signs of deform and spoke as tollows: generation. His allment was diagnozed

as dilated right heart due to myocarditis. The recovery from this attack was less rapid, and on the last day of the session of the senate the strain and ex-



News and Comment. General-Reasons Why Mormon Rob-erts Should Not Be Seated in Con-

Local-Report on the New Y. M. C.

THE NEWS THIS MORNING

A. Plans. Old Forge Murderer Still at Large. Local-Official List of Candidates for next 'Tuesday's Election. Fight Over the New Trolley Road. Local-West Scranton and Suburban. Round About the County.

Local-Live Industrial News, Dr. Bullard on Homeopathy.

THE REVOLUTION IN CENTRAL AMERICA

President Mckinley and his official party and the invited guests of the city Seven of the Insurgents' Vessels Deof Richmond were hurried into carstroyed-Leader Uribe Killed and ringes in waiting and conveyed to their

Ruiz Taken Prisoner.

The trip to Richmond was unevent-Colon, Columbia, Oct. 31 .- A report ful. On the train were two hundred invited guests of the William R. Trigg has reached here that on October 22 ship building company including promtwo armed government steamers deinent officials of the government and stroyed seven insurgents vessels, one of the latter sinking with, it is rumored, At Fredericksburk the train made a 200 soldiers. The government troops even minute stop, where in spite of the storm the president was given a cordial welcome by several hundred were victorious in a pitched battle with the insurgents near Bucaramanga. cople. Introduced by M. G. Willis, The insurgent leader, Uribe, was chairman of the reception committee, President McKinley, from the rear platkilled and the insurgent leader Ruiz taken prisoner.

"asy fellow citizens: It gives me very It is now believed that the revolution great pleasure to meet my fellow citiis ending. zens of Fredericksburg and your wel-

come is all the more appreciated be-SINGING BROKE UP A HOME. cause upon such an inclement morn-ing so many of the people have as-

Young Man with a Fine Tenor Voice sembled here. I am sure you will not expect me to do more than to make Won the Wife Away.

Allentown, Pa., Oct. 31.-Wesley Hawk, a young silk weaver of this city, we should give to those Islands the best this simple acknowledgement of your The president then introduced the was arrested today by Chief of Police government possible, which I know we McGee, at the instance of Amos Dunin, are entirely capable of doing. I believe members of the cabinet who accounpanied him, each being received with of Fleetwood, Berks county, who charges Hawk with alignating the af-fections of his wife. During was formiapplause. The president also introluced General Fitzhugh Lee, who spoke resources we can command to a prompt and successful conclusion, and I there-At the conclusion of General Lees ty and is active in Democratic politics. remarks there were loud cries for Sec-He is wealthy and owns a great deal the solution of President McKin-of property at Fleetwood. His wife is ley, which is charged with that duty, in ctary Root, who appeared on the platan attractive woman of 30 years, and all measures for the accomplishment of

upon her Dumn lavished all that money | its difficult task. could buy, as ther fancy dictated. "Fellow citizens of the state of Vir-When she wanted a plano it was at When she wanted a plane it was at once procured, and when she desired a spanking team that attracted her have seen Russia closing in upon tha ginia: 1 have no words to express to you the gratification which I feel in being the secretary to aid the presiwas plue disposal. Mrs. Dumn loved the society of young not only be excluded from those mar-Mrs. Durnn loved the society of young hot only be excluded from those mar-nien, and her husband never objected until Hawk made his appearance in the town. He came there about a year ago to work in the silk mill, and soou after In the presence of such a colosmus of he met the pretty Mrs. Dumn. Hawk, despotism and military socialism the welwho is possessed of a fine tenor voice, fare of every tree people is in danger, had little trouble in winning the ad- Long before any one dreamed that we miration of Mrs. Dumn, who is pass-ionately fond of music. ionately fond of music. Hawk paid frequent visits to the

fore shall sustain with my utmost effort

MR. LODGE ON

A Few Reasons Why the

Philippines Should

Bc Retained.

THE KEY TO THE ORIENT

A Possession Rightfully the Property

of the United States by Treaty with

Spain-The Chinese Question De-

mands Vigilance on Part of the

Boston, Oct. 31.-At the annual dine ner of the Republican club in this city

onight Henry Cabot Lodge delivered

a masterly address on the situation in

United States Senator Lodge spoke in

The only government and the only sovereignty in the Philippines were these of Spain, and they have transferred to us rightfully and righteously in the Philippines, as a consequence of Dewey's

great victory in Manila Bay. We have been attacked there by insurgents, na-tives of the island, under chiefs who

would now be vegetating in the exile at Hong Kong unhonored and unsung had it not been for the American fleet and the American army. These insurgents,

just before the radification of the treaty

of peace, attacked our troops, wantonly and without provocation, and that was the way the war began. The insurgent

leaders showed to us the blackest in-gratitude, and there is no proof what-

over that they represent even the Tagal minority of the people of the island, I believe in retaining the Philippine

I believe in retaining the remaining in the policy. They should be retained as a possession of the United States, not in-corporated in our body politics nor brought within our tariff. We can trust

ourselves to govern them well and to gain the entire assent of the governed. I

Administration.

the east.

part as follows:

EXPANSION

Our Trade with China.

forescen this peril looming on the hori-Hawk paid frequent visits to the Dumn house, but his calls became so later the United States, in mere soltwas going to visit friends at those vast markets must be held our commerce, of our farmers and our Dumn gave her \$300 to 1 ay the expen-ses of the trip and to enable her to have a pleasant time. She, however, of American enterprise need fear no

following is a list of the officers taken prisoners today: "Staff Major Adye.

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Irisn	Fusiliers.
Col. Carleton,	Lieut. McGregor,
Major Munn.	Lieut. Holmes.
Capt. Burrowes.	Lieut, Kelly,
Major Kincaid,	Lieut, Dooner,
Capt. Rice,	Lieut. Kentish,
Capt. Silver.	Lieut, Kinahan.
Lieut. Heard.	Licut. Jeudwine.
Lieut. Southey,	Chaplain Matthews
Lieut. Phibbs,	

Of the above, Captains Rice and Sil onceived a gigantic trap out of which. ver and Lieutenant Dooner were the official dispatch shows, wounded. George ... dite only escaped with diffi-

Gloucestershire Regiment. Major Humphrey, Lieut, Nisbet, Major Capel-Cure, Lleut. Ingham, Major Wallace, Lieut. Davy.

Capt.	Duncan,	Lieut.	Knox.
Capt.	Conner,	Lieut.	Temple.
Lieut.	Bryant,	Lieut.	Smith.
Lieut.	Radice,	Lieut.	Mackenzie.
Lieut.	Breul,	Lieut.	Beasley.
Lieut.	Hill.	Lieut.	Gray.
Lleut.	Short,		

Of the above Captains Duncan and Connor were wounded.

Royal Artillery. Major Bryant.

Mounted Battery. Lieut. Wheeler, Lieut. Moore Licut. Nugent. Licut, Webb.

Advices from Cape Town show that the Boers are gathering in considerable force at Dewdorp, southwest, of Ladysmith, while large forces of Boers are advancing over the Helpmakaar road. A big camp of Boers is to be formed between Harrismith Bridge and Potgietere Farm camp, at Dewdorp, which must be looked for. it is said, will extend four miles.

Mr. Steevens, the war correspondent of the Daily Mail, describing the engagement at Ladysmith, says:

'By 10 o'clock the British had driven the Boers back several miles, when the retirement was ordered, which Sir Archibald Hunter conducted with cided to supersede him. great skill, retiring battalion by battalion, covering the movement with the quarters. artillery of their guns by alternate batteries. The Boer artillery, field, quick-firing and siege guns, immediateland and will be available to reinforce ly opened a heavy fire all round, showing their knowledge of war by aiming at the guns and wagons as they retired.

"Little damage was done, however, and our operations were quite un-Redvers Buller's army, but they flurried.

"At the end of the action a bearer company advanced under a Red Cross flag to seek the wounded and was fired on by the Boers, apparently through a misapprehension or because of want of discipline, since the fire ceased soon, onial troops. In the meantime the native doolee bearers continued their advance, their cool bravery being most praiseworthy. "All the troops retired in safety and

pickets were left on the field." Except a vague reference in the Standard none of the special desnatches make mention of the two missing battalions, statements regarding them evidently having been excised by

the censor. The Daily Mall, referring to an offer made through Hiram Maxim from 200 Americans, who propose to give #250 each and provide their own horses and equipments, tendering their services to the British in South Africa, says:

'Of course, this offer cannot be ac-

Repetition of Majuba Hill. From scanty advices received up to 11 o'clock p. m., it seems tolerably certain that the disaster was a simple epetition of the battle of Majuba Hill, though on a larger scale. The two regiments were allowed to march into trap set for them by the Boers. It

injury of a fourth. The dead are: Joseph F. Wilson, balliff, Sherbrooke, Quebec: John Bens simply a case of the Boer spider bow, Ottawa; Jane McCcon, employe and the guileless British fly. In fact, of the hotel. he whole engagement of Monday seems Captain J. K. Oswald, of Montreal, to have been brought on by Commana broker, jumped from a window and lant General Joubert, who skillfully

fractured his skull and will probably die. Sir The fire broke out behind a sideboard in the dining room and quickly spread

General White advanced with the Wilson and over the whole house. idea of driving the Boers from the hill Benbow were killed by jumping from seven miles out which General Joubert windows while the firemen were engaged in hoisting ladders to rescue made an ostensatious show of fortify-Mrs. McCoon was found suffethem. The Roer commander left a force sufcated in her room. There were about 40 guests in the ficient to draw General White on, while he mass of the Boers moved stealthhotel at the time and most of them esily round the British right, to deliver caped in their night clothes only. The house was not provided with fire esflank attack, and to endeavor to cut capes as the law provides. The prop-

off General White from Ladysmith, erty loss is placed at \$40,000. The British commander succeeded in peating off the attack but only with great difficulty, and during the turning SCHAEFER OUTPLAYS SLOSSON. novement his troops suffered from a

But the Latter Maintains His Lead Harsh things are said in military circles of the British tactics, which

at the End. ave made possible the ambush of the New York, Oct. 31 .- The second night's Eighteenth Hussars at Glencoe and play in the professional cushion carom now the loss of two fine regiments. It billiard match was a close struggle s feared that Sir George White is no and the small crowd that braved the match for the Boers in that cunning rain to see the experts were well reby which Boer tactics are conceived paid for their trouble. Schaefer outand it is pointed out that if the British played Slosson by just ten points, but ommanders continue to lead their men Slosson maintained his lead at the end. ino obvious traps, further disasters The final score at the end of the evening stood 600 to 495 in Slosson's Sir George White's honest admission The final block of 300 points favor. of full responsibility and the terms of will be played tomorrow evening. The his despatch are regarded in some match and \$1,000 stakes will go to the ircles as virtually placing his case in player whose total reaches 900 first. the hands of the home authorities, Schaefer's splendid brace at one and it is even rumored late this evenpoint gives his admirers ground for

ing that the war office has already dehoping that he may yet win out. The The report. highest runs were: Schuefer, 35, 57, 22, however is discredited in well informed 20; Slosson, 22, 18, 17, 12; Averages, Schaefer, 376.79; Slosson, 363.79; Total About 6,000 fresh troops will arrive at tonight, Schaefer, 310; Slosson, 300. Capetown on Sunday next from Eng-

Sir George White. Transports will ar-SPANISH SENSATION. rive there daily after Sunday until by the end of next week 28,000 troops will

Count D'Almenas Claims Three Islhave been landed in South Africa. ands of Philippine Group. These men are intended for General Sir Madrid, Oct. 31.-A sensation was undoubtedly be detached to Natal if aused in the senate today by the declaration of Count D'Almenas that owthe situation there should become pering to the ignorance of the Spanish ilous. The British army will eventually American peace treaty commissioners reach the huge total of \$9,634, of which 69,634 will be regulars and the other three islands of the Philippine group, the two Batanes and Calayan Islands, 20,000 miscellaneous, but excellent colboth north of Luzon, were not included Late this evening the Prince of Wales in the scope of the treaty.

These islands, he assorted, ought to and the Marquis of Salisbury sent their be made the basis of negotiations for respective secretaries to the war office to make inquiries, but the reply given the liberation of the Spanish prisonwas that no further news had been ers. Large crowds still waite

New Jersey's Balance.

the vicinity shortly before mid-Trenton, N. J., Oct. 31 .- State Comptroller Hancock tonight sent a telegram to Governor Voorhees, at his home in Eliz-The tidings of disaster will have the effect of giving a strong impulse to the popular movement to raise funds for abeth, stating that the balance in the state treasury at the close of business tonight, which ends the fiscal year, is the benefit of the wives and children of the men at the front. The way \$1,253,153,42. This is an increase of about office, under the signatures of the Mar-\$250,060 over the balance a year ago. The increase is due to the large revenue of quis of Lansdowne, secretary of state the past year for fees for filing articles of incorporation. The receipts from this for war, and General Lord Wolseley

source alone was \$780,000. Appomattox

itement of delivering the closing speech was so great that he was on the verge of a collapse.

"A few weeks after, toward the middle of March, the vice-president and his family, together with the presidential party went to Thomasville, Ga., visit Senator Hauna. The fatigue of the trip affected Mr. Hobart very unfavorably and his condition was further impaired by the intense heat and humidity then prevailing. As soon as possible he was taken to Long Branch where beneficial results from the sea air and quiet were expected. His progress toward recovery was not made, however, at the rate that was anticipated and a trip to Lake Champlain, with the fatigue and exposure incidental thereto, hastened rather than retarded the course of the disease. Since then his system has not responded to the ministrations of his physicians and the critical condition of the last few days has been the result.

was favorable at 2 o'clock this morning. "There is no immediate danger," the last bulletin.

Vice-President Hohart's condition

SAVED A GIRL AS SHE LEAPED.

Passenger on Car Platform Held Her and Dragged Her Along.

Williamsport, Pa., Oct. 31 .- A handomely dressed young woman who refused to disclose her name attempted to jump from a Pennsylvania railroad train near Montandon today. G. W Smith, a passenger, noticed the girl, who appeared to be much perturbed rush onto the platform. He followed and was just in time to catch her by the collar of her tight-fitting coat as she flung herself into space.

Hanging on to the railing of the car, Mr. Smith clung to the struggling girl, as her feet bumped along over the ties. A brakeman came to the rezcue and the young woman was drawn back to safety. She gave as her rea son for attempting suicide that she did not want to go back home. She had a ticket good from Scranton to New Castle

Colonel Yule Promoted.

London, Nov. 1.-The Gazette announce the promotion of Substantive Lieutenant Colonel W. A. Yule to the rank of major general on the staff to command the Fighth brigade of the South African field force with the substative rank of colonel in the army.

DEATHS OF A DAY.

New Orleans, Oct. 31 .-- Charles E. Parker, the well-known sporting man, who was stricken with paralysis while reada paper in a cafe yesterday evening lied today.

Portland, Me., Oct. 51 .- Henry Adams Neely, lashop of the Protestant Episco-pal diocese of Maine, died at 9 o'clock Saratoga, N. Y., Oct. 31.-Rev. John Wesley Cracraft, a retired clergyman of the Protestant Episcopal church, died here today of paralysis, aged 72 years. He was born near Cleveland, and had

built a number of churches in Illinois and Ohio. The largest was the church of the Ascension at Chicago. Clifton Springs, N. Y. Oct. 3.—Colonel J. C. Battersby died here hast night, aged 80 years. He was present at Lee's more than the was present at Lee's surrender, when he was licutenant col-onel of the First regiment, New York cavalry, attached to Grant's command, He devoted years to the reproduction on canvas of the scene of surrender at

lent of the United States in the conduct of a war where the men of the north and the men of the south fight side by side under the came old flag. maintaining the honor of our common country, which, God helping, the northern and southern soldiers of the United States will maintain forefer, united, free, a blessing to humanity and the sustaining strength and power of justice throughout this world."

At 11.01 the president's train stopped at Ashland. ...ere the Richmond reception committee, headed by Governor Tyler, welcomed the president to the state

The president, after introduction by Governor Tyler, addressed the citizens as follows:

Secretary Root's Address

"My fellow citizens: I have very greatly touched by the more than gracious welcome extended to me by the governor of Virginia on behalf of its people. It gives me peculiar pleasure to come into this state.

"Over one of the chapels in the city of London is the motto, 'think and thank.' When we think of our national blessings, when we think of the glorious unification of all the people of our forty-five states and territories we are most thankful to a kind providence that has cast our lines in such pleasant places and has given us such a glorious heritage. If we only count our mercies, our thanks for them would be countless. I thank you and bid you good morning" (Great cheers and applause)

At the Jefferson hotel the president and party held an informal and somewhat enforced reception in the lobby of the building. It is estimated that a thousand persons shook hands with him before he would permit the police to clear the way for him to go to his private apartments. A little later luncheon was served in the dining rooms of the hotel, some 300 persons sitting down, and the presidential party were driven to the ship yard, the president being warmly cheered all along the route. At the vard an immense crowd had assembled. The president having been introduced from the stand by Mayor Taylor, spoke as follows:

Mr. McKinley's Remarks.

am glad to meet my fellow citizens a Richmond and to join with them in this interesting celebration in honor of the launching of the torpeds boat Shubrick, built in this city, of American material, by the labor of American workingmen for the use of the American navy. I congratulate buildors and workmen upol this evidence of their skill and industry so creditable to the manufacturing company and so highly commended by the officers of the government.

This is not the first contribution which Richmond has made to our splendid navy She equipped the warship Texas with al her machinery, bollers and engines, while ner machinery, bouers and engines, which were tried and tested with entire satis-faction in the brilliant naval engage-ment in the harbor of Santiago, when that gallant vessel so gloriously assisted in the destruction of Cervera's fleet, winning a memorable victory and hastening an honorable and enduring peace. I heartily rejoice with the people of this great city upon its industrial revival and ipon the notable prosperity it is feeling

in all of its business enterprises. You are taking advantage of the commercial opportunities of the hour. You are advancing in manufactures, extending your markets and receiving a deserved phare of the world's trade. What can be more gratifying to us than the present conditions of the country? A

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frequent as to excite public comment. defense, would be obliged to take an in-The husband became suspicious, but in- terest in the Chinese question and to dulged Hawk's attentions to his wife insist that we would not be shut out until several months ago, when he from those markets. Suddenly came forbade him the house. Not long after Spanish war, Dewey's fleet was at Manila forbade him the house. Not long after Hawk left Fleetwood and came to Al-pines. We were at Hawali, and we had entown, whither he was followed six our foothold on the Island of Luzon. The weeks ago by Mrs Dunn. The latter, master of Manila can make terms with it is slleged, told her busband that every power in the East and Wilkes-Barre for some weeks, and open in the interests of our industry and Dumn gave her \$300 to jay the expen-

came only as far as Allentown, where she joined Hawk. The two lived together at a hotel until Saturday night, when Dumn, why had heard of his wife's unfaithfulness, the couple, but a friend of Mrs. Dumn,

who had learned of the husband's intentions, came to Allentown on the same train and gave the couple the tip, Mrs. Dumn managed to pack trunks just in time to escape. but

Hawk was arrested today at work and was lodged in jail. The police have possession of many gushing love letters that passed between the couple.

PENNSYLVANIANS IN GOTHAM.

Their First Annual Dinner Held at the Waldorf-Astoria

New York, Oct. 31 .- Two hundred nembers of the Pennsylvania society of New York held their first annual dinner at the Waldorf-Astoria tonight. Those who responded to toasts when called were Charles Emory Smith. "The President of the United States;" ongressman C. W. Stone, of Warren. "The State of Pennsylvania;" J. Pa. L McCurdy, the "Fellowship of Pennsylvanians and the South;" Hampton Carson, "The Philadelphia Bar;" Fred Powers, "The Newspaper Press;" Tunis G. Bergen, "Kindred Societies;" Rev. S. D. McConnell, "Pennsylvania and the Church," and John Drew, "Old Philadelphia and the Stage.'

CAPE COLONY PROCLAMATION.

Sir Alfred Milner Issues Reply to the Boer Manifesto.

London, Oct. 31 .- The colonial office received this evening a dispatch from Sir Alfred Milner, governor of Cape Colony, saying that he had issued a proclamation in reply to the Boer proclamation annexing a portion of Cape Colony, in the course of which he had warned British subjects to dis-

regard all such annexation pronouncements Sir Alfred Milner adds, however, that so far as he can discover, the people north of the Vaal river accept the al-

leged annexation as a fact.

The Other Side.

rival.

There is another side to this question, the side of duty and of honor. We were brought to the Philippines by the fortune came to Allentown to investigate. He of war. I can conceive of differences of had warrants issued for the arrest of opinion as to the wister of our keeping them. I can understand differences of opinion as to our methods of governing and administering them, but I cannot understand when our soldiers are in the field, face to face with an enemy, that her there should be any party, or any oranization of men in this country, ready to cry out, Surrender! The soldiers of the United States in the Philippines, where they have the right to be by the laws of nations, by the laws of this news of manons, by the laws of this country and by the laws of sound morals are fighting with the public enemies of the United States. Under those circum-stances I see but one course, I do not know how others may vote, but I vote with the army that wears the uniform and carries the flag of my country. We alone stand between those islands and utter anarchy, or their conquest by Rus-sia or Germany. I am opposed to turn-

ing those islands over to anarchy, I believo that we can give to those people a larger measure of peace and hap-piness, of freedom and prosperity than any other nation in the world, for 1 believe in the capacity, in the honesty and the good faith of the American people. We can subdue this insurrection, we can bring peace and order to these islands, we can give liberty and prosperity to being the series and the prospective of the series of the ure," a word which has never been there yet? There is but one answer the American people, brave and high spirited as they are, will make, and that answer is Never! Never! Never!

Steamship Arrivals.

New York, Oct. 31.-Cleared: Noord-iand, Antwerp: Teutonic, Liverpool; St. Louis, Southampton, Sailed: Taurio, Liverpool; Kaiser Wilhelm Der Grosse, Bremen via Cherbourg and Southampton, Rotterdam-Arrived: Maasdam, New York, Isle of Wight-Passed: Patria New York for Hamburg.

WEATHER FORECAST. Washington, Oct. 31 .- Forecast for

Wednesday: Eastern Pennsylva-nia-Rain followed by fair Wednesday with northeasterly, shift-ing to northwesterly gales. Thurs- fair and cooler. ***************