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It wears and gives pleasure for years and is always worth the price paid for it. Our many years of business at the same stand with the same principles of keeping nothing but reliable jewelery is a testimonial of what our goods stand for.

We intend that this store shall be first in your thoughts when that buying reliable jewelery question come up. Our prices have reached the bottom scale, they can nowhere be made lower for the same grade of goods.

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Furnaces.

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Have it done now. This is the time for examining We'll make the best time and do the best the plumbing. work for you. The state of the s

Hardware.

special low prices prevail here. No danger of inferiority. Our hardware line is as good as can be made. Steam Fittings, Stoves and Ranges, Farm Tools, Etc.

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Sheets and Pillow

Bed Spreads.

New embroidries and insertions suitable for trimming waists dresses or underwear, these come in all over. Edgings and insertings from half inch wide to flouncing widths in a variety of neat patterns.

We have received several cases of white bed spreads; these have been hought at a very low price, and for that reason we for the price which range from 69c to 3.50 At 89c we have a full size crochet spread, marseilles patterns neatly hemmed and ready for use regular dollar quality.

New Wash Fabrics.

cases.

ready for use. What's the use of cutting and sewing when the made up article can be had at about the same price you would have to pay for the material. Sheets from 45c to 60e pillow cases Sc to 20c.

are ready they come in the protitiest combination you ever saw, and are deserving of your early inspection. Now is the time to buy wash goods and have them made up and ready for the warm season. New colorings and designs in Lawns, Dotted Swiss Muslins, Batistes, Dimities, Madras and Ginghams.

Our complete line of New Spring Dress Goods and Silks Now Ready. The Shopbell Dry Good Co.

PRINCE HENRY ARRIVES OF DUSHORE, PENNA.

Brother of German Emperor Received a Hearty Welcome.

VESSEL WAS DELAYED BY STORM

Land Batteries and American Squad ron Fired Salutes, and There Were Greetings From the President, the Army, Navy and New York City.

New York, Feb. 24.-Prince Henry Prussia, representative of his brother, the emperor of Germany at the launching of the latter's American-built yacht, reached New York yesterday and was cordially welcomed as a guest of the nation. The land batteries that guard the outer har-



PRINCE HENRY OF PRUSSIA.

sounded the first greeting in a ponderous salute of 21 guns, the rifles of a special squadron assembled in his honor re-echoed the sentiment, there were verbal greetings from the representatives of President Roose-velt, the army, the navy and the city of New York, and a great crowd lined the way in the city to see the German sailors and the prince of Germany,

The great storm against which the Kronprinz Wilhelm had struggled for days, and which had glazed the At-lantic coast in an armor of ice, had lost its force and resigned its way to warm sunshine and cheery blue skies, so there were no regrets that the royal guest was a full day late for the en-tertainment provided for him.

Rear Admiral Robley D. Evans, the commander of the special squadron and honorary aide to the prince and his staff, left the flagship Illinois at 440 cicles in the naval tug. Nine 9.40 o'clock in the naval tug Nina. They were all in full-dress uniform. The Nina met the Kronprinz Wilhelm beyond Fort Wadsworth, and, swing-ing around on the starboard side of the liner, steamed up the bay. Prince Henry, attired in the uniform of an admiral of the German navy, and sur-rounded by his naval and military staff, in brilliant uniforms, stood on the bridge of the liner. As the naval tug got nearer to the side of the steamship Prince Henry and Admiral Evans caught sight of each other and

exchanged informal salutes. As the two vessels, with a flotilla of tugs and official craft, moved in past Fort Wadsworth the first of the salutes of 21 guns was fired. As the first gun sounded the prince advanced General Knowledge that is to prinz Wilhelm and stood at attention. be found in a really down to has he passed the big American flag floating over the fortifications he touched his cap in salute, and the members of his suite did likewise. The flag at the jackstaff of the Kronprinz Wilhelm was dipped, and the German naval band accompanying the prince played "The Star Spangled Banner." The guns of Fort Wadsworth were not spent before those across the Narrows. at Fort Hamilton, boomed out their salute. When that ceremony was over the Kronprinz Wilhelm was stopped and the Nina hauled around to her port side and Admiral Evans and his staff boarded her. After a brief halt the liner moved

All answered at ahead and was soon abreast of the special squadron off Tompkinsville. The German standard was run to the foretop of the Kronprinz Wilhelm, and Vernon Hull's

American fleet to salute. The San
Francisco, Cincinnati, Olympia and illinois raised the German naval standard and then began to fire. The prince
stood at attention on the bridge, and
beak of him were Admired Evans and Large Store. back of him were Admiral Evans and his staff and the numerous suite of the German visitors. The prince and his staff were especially interested in the Illinois and Olympia, and offered washington, Feb. 24.—Ex-Fresident Washington, Feb. 24.—Ex-F

warm congratulations to the American admiral on the splendid appearance of his squadron.

nis squadron.

Prince Henry disembarked at 12.55
p. m., at that moment walking down
the decorated gangway from the Kronprinz Wilhelm into the elaboratelydecorated pler. He then passed
through an ornamental gangway and
arch to the gang plank of the Hohenzollern, which had been decorated in
the German colors and was covered
half its length. Taking the precedence
due to his rank, Prince Henry walked due to his rank, Prince Henry walked up the gang plank, followed by the officers of the Hohenzollern.

The first of his callers to arrive after he had boarded the Hohenzollern was General Brooks, U. S. A., accompanied by two aides. Admiral Barker and h', aide, Captain West, representing the United States navy, followed, and then came the German ambassado at Washington and his suite of mili-tary and naval attaches and secretaries. Following the German ambas-sador came the special representative of the president of the United States, headed by Dr. Hill, first assistant sec-retary of state, and including General Corbin, Colonel Bingham and Com-mander Cowles, the brother-in-law of the President.

The prince boarded the tug Nina at 3.30 p. m. yesterday to repay his calls He was accompanied by one aide and Admiral Evans and Ensigns Evans and Chapin. He visited the navy yard first, called on Admiral Barker, and then Governors Island, where ne called on General Brooke. From Governors Island the tug proceeded to the battle ship Illinois, where he called on Ad-piral Evans and inspected the ship He was received by the squadron with the honors due to his rank. From the Illians the prince returned to the jier at Thirty-fourth street and went or board the Hohenzollern.

reception given in his honor by the Deutscher Verein at the club house of the organization. He was escorted through the streets from the dock where the Hohenzollern lies to the club house by Squadron A, of the National Guard, and attended by his suite, Rear Admiral Von Baudissin and his officers and other guests. All the party were in carriages, while at the head of the line rode a detachment of mounted police. In the prince's carriage rode Rear Admiral Evans and Assistant Secretary of State Hill. Assistant Secretary of State Hill.

At 1 a. m. today the prince and his

party left for Washington.

MISS STONE RELEASED

Missionaries Arrived at Strumitz and Made Themselves Known. Constantinople, Feb. 24.—Miss Ellen M. Stone, the American missionary, who with Mme. Tsilka, was captured by brigands in the district of Salonika on September 3 last, has been re-leased and arrived at Strumitz, Mace-donia, at 3 o'clock yesterday morning Nobody was at Strumitz to meet Miss Stone, as the brigands had given no indication where they proposed to re

lease the prisoners.

Madame 'I'silka and her baby were released at the same time. They are all well. Miss Stone immediately made herself known to the authorities

at Strumitz.

The first news of Miss Stone's re The first news of Miss Stone's re-lease was contained in a telegram received by Mr. Dickinson, the Ameri-can consul general at Constantinople, from the American vice consul at Sa-lonika. Strumitz is near the Salonika Uskub Railroad. Miss Stone proceed-

ed to Salonika without delay.

It is said that on account of the necessity of protecting the innocent persons who assisted them, the Ameri-can delegates will never divulge where and how the ransom money for the release of Miss Stone was paid. The correspondent learns, however, that the ruse of filling the money bags with lead after the ransom had been paid, with a view of making it appear that the mission to pay the ransom had failed, was completely successful.

Young Rooseveit in Wasnington. Washington, Feb. 24.—The Federal Washington, Feb. 24.—The Federal express, on which Mrs., Roosevelt, young Theodore, Miss Roosevelt and Dr. dixey were passengers, arrived at 2.15 o'clock Saturday afternoon, almost four hours late. Dr. Rixey said that young Roosevelt was in excellent condition and was even better at the end of the trip than when he started. He was enveloped in blankets and hurried to the White House. and hurried to the White House.

School Teachers Sail For Manila. New York, Feb. 24.—The United States army transport McClellan put to sea last evening on her voyage to Manila by way of Gibraltar and the Suez Canal. On board the McClellan are 200 school teachers. The vessel also carries a quantity of supplies to the quartermaster's department at Ma-

nila. It is expected that she will reach the Philippines some time during the second week in April.

Cleveland Will Not Attend Banquet.
Washington, Feb. 24.—Ex-President Grover Cleveland has declined the invitation of President Roosevelt to attend the beneaut at the White House.

FIST FIGHT IN SENATE

Fight, In Which He Received a Bloody Nose-Were Torn Apart.

Washington, Feb. 24.—A fist fight between two senators on the floor of the United States senate while that body was in open session marked the close of a bitter speech on the Philippine question by Senator Till-man, of South Carolina, Saturday af-termoon. For nearly three hours the man, of South Carolina, Saturday afternoon. For nearly three hours the South Carolina senator occupied the floor, discussing the Philippine situation from his picturesque viewpoint. His remarks were interlarded with frequent spicy exchanges with other senators, in the course of one of which he made some insinuations that a senator had been influenced by improper considerations in his yere on proper considerations in his vote on

proper considerations in his vote on the treaty of Paris.

His statement was developed in a colloquy between him and Mr. Spoon-er, of Wisconsin. Mr. Tillman at first declined to mention names, but when the Wisconsin senator reminded him that he owed it to himself, to the senate and to the country, to "name the man," Mr. Tillman indicated that he referred to his colleague from South Carolina.

Little imagining that his words were likely to be prophetic, Mr. Spooner re-marked sententiously: "I will leave the senator to fight that out with his colleague.

colleague."
Mr. McLaurin was not in the chamber at the time, being engaged in committee work, but he was sent for, and appeared just as Mr. Tillman concluded his speech. Pale as ashes, Mr. McLaurin rose to address the senate, speaking to a question of privilege. He reviewed Mr. Tillman's charges brighty and the senate of t lege. He reviewed Mr. Tillman's charges briefly, and then denounced the statement made by his colleague "wilful, malicious and deliberate

Scarcely had the portentious words fallen from his lips when Mr. Tillman. sitting a few seats from him. with Mr. Teller, of Colorado, between them. Mr. Teller, of Colorado, between them, sprang at them. Mr. Mcl.aurin, who had half turned toward Mr. Tillman, met him half way, and in an instant the two senators, having swept Mr. Teller aside, were engaged in a rough and tumble fist fight. Mr. McLaurin received a heavy blow on the forehead, while Mr. Tillman got a bad punch on the nose, which brought blood. Assistant Sergeant arms Layton sprang over desks to reach and separate the combatants, and himself

Layton sprang over desks to reach and separate the combatants, and himself received several blows. He got between them finally and by main strength wrenched them apart.

Senators Warren, of Wyoming, and Scott, of West Virginia, two of the most powerful men in the senate, leaped to his assistance, and pinloning the arms of the belligerent senators. the arms of the belligerent senators,

forced them into their seats.

Intense excitement prevailed in the senate and the galleries, which were thronged with people who had been attracted by the spirited debate. Everybody was on his feet. Not a word, however, was spoken. Senators stood about the chamber, for the moment quite helpless, and pale to the lips. Finally order was restored par-tially, and in the midst of intense excitement the senate went into executive session. For two hours the senate discussed the event behind closed doors. When the doors were reopened it was made known that both of the South Carolina senators by unanimous vote had been declared to be in contempt of the senate. They were per-

apologies to the senate. The statements were listened to by both the senators and the people in the gallerles with breathless interest.

Senator Tillman left the capital when adjournment was taken for recess, and did not return for the night session. Senator McLaurin was in the chamber about 8 o'clock, but left early. Neither senator, when seen at his home, would make a statement.

There have been a number of con-

ferences among senators as to what should be done to preserve the dignity of the senate and to manifest its sentiment with reference to the two senators who violated its traditions. While no plan of procedure has been acroed appear it is learned that there agreed upon it is learned that there will be very deliberate action, and it is said to be more than likely that it will be no less than thirty days before the South Carolina senators are restored to their full powers as senators, this deliberation on their case being in the nature of a punishment, since they will not be allowed to ad-dress the senate or vote until no longer in contempt of the senate.

Endowment For Allegheny College. Cleveland, Feb. 24.—F. A. Arter, of his city, has given Allegheny College, at Meadville, Pa., \$60,000 to complete a fund of \$200,000 for endowment purposes.