

A VETERAN'S VERDICT.

The War is Over, A Well-known Soldier, Correspondent and Journalist Makes a Disclosure.

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The Rebels, However, Vielded Only to Overwhelming Numbers, and Made a Splendid Retreat-Government Troops Suffer Greatest Loss-Ita Gama Wounded

Burnos Ayras, Feb. 18.—Dispatches just received here bring details of the battle on Friday hast between the rebeis and the government forces at Rio de Anciro. A general engagement was fought close to Nichteroy, the rebels landing at Armacao and engaging the government troops at and engaging the government troops at close quarters. The engagement was so severe that Armacao, adjoining Nictheroy, was almost ruined. The rebels, however,

was almost ruined. The rebels, however, were eventually compelled to retire.
Launches conveying the landing parties left the Islami of Conceicao at 2:30 a.m., and succeeded in reaching the main land without discovery. Then in half an hour, after heavy firing on both sides, the government troops retired, having five officers and forty men prisoners and six officers and fifty men killed.

At 5 o'clock, reinforcements of over a thousand men arriving, the government troops again advanced under a beavy fire of rifles and machine guns, the Krupp battery, stationed on the Island of Caju, opposite Ponta da Arela, also being engaged.

Admiral da Gama attempted to check the advance of the troops by calling for re-inforcements of 100 men from the Island of Conceicao, and by sending armed launches from the cruber Liberdado close to the shore of the main land. These efforts stopped the advance and enused heavy losses to the government forces. Then the insurgents' ammunition fell short, their fire sinckened and the govern

short, their fire stackened and the govern-ment troops slowly gained ground.

After three hours fighting the troops were within half a ridle of Armacao, and then Admiral da Gama decided to withthen Admiral da Gama decided to with-draw his sailors, finding it impossible to remain there on account of the overwhelm-ing number of the enemy. The Laberdade's armed launches continued to hold the gov-erament troops in check while the insur-gents embarked at Armacao, the Aquid-aban covering their retreat. The Liber-dade's launches were close to Ponta da Arela, and received the brunt of the enemy's tire.

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it was it o clock before the last of the insurgents embarked, after spiking the government battery of heavy guns at Armacao. The insurgents' loss was five officers and thirty men killed, and twenty

officers and forty men wounded.

It is impossible to obtain correct returns. but the government is supposed to have lost fifteen officers and 150 men killed and many wounded. Admiral da Gama has bullet wounds in his neck and arm, but

they are not dangerous.

Both sides displayed bravery: but the sailors were demoralized at the finish by the large numbers of the enemy, and fired wildly. Still the withirawal was orderly and without a sign of panic. The govern-ment claims a decisive victory and yesterday sent 1,500 men to reinforce the garri-son of Nictheroy. Admiral de Melio, with the Republica, is now at Desterro.

New Fourth Class Postmasters. Washington, Feb. 13. — Eighty-five fourth class postmasters were appointed yesterday. Among the appointees were: New York—Cream Street, G. L. Margnet; Halcottsville, G. R. Sliter, Madalin, C. L. Halcottsville, G. R. Sliter, Madalin, C. L. Moore; New Baitimore Station, Lucius Van Aiken; Pond Eddy, Thomas Adams; Slüney Center, G. W. Booth; South Kortright, L. K. Orr; Stormville, S. D. Barrett; Argusville, H. C. Lycker. Pennsylvania—East Greenville, Daniel Dinning; Fairview, J. P. Johnson; Freedom, W. G. Jack; Huntsville, Z. Rumage; Mile Run, Rosa Dankelberger; Petrolla, W. A. Wolcott; Rush, Hugh Mulligan, Smicksburg, A. C. Cessady; White's Corners, W. H. Warner, Connecticut — Harwinton, Ellzabeth E. Russell, New Jersey—Ellisburg, Ellwood Rockbill; Gibbsburo, Mrs. L. S. Githens.

Brillery in a Damage Case.

REPRESENT N. Y., Feb. 13.—The case of Jacob Simon against Dayld H. Friedman, in which the plaintiff demanded \$15.00 damages for the algorithm of his wife's Rag Carpst Weaving! damages for the account of the Judge Rumsey. In the course of the testimony it came out that Mrs. Pickin, one of the plaintiff's witnesses, had been approached and had accepted a bribe. Judge Humsey ordered the sheriff to take into custod.
Mrs. Pitkin, David H. Friedman, the de fendant, and Mrs. Simon the woman in the case, and hold them each for the grand jury, fixing ball at \$500 in each case.

After Bridgeton's Speak Easies Bunnaros, N. J., Feb. 13.—The Citi-zens' Municipal league are actively en-gaged in a fight against Bridgeton's unlicensed saloons, speak easies and drug atores. Last week they caused the arrest of four persons, proprietors of places where liquors were sold illegally. The trials are exciting, as the league march from their headquarters and are present at the hearings in a body. Nearly all the clergy of the city are taking active part with the league in trying to suppress the illegal truffic.

Murdered Through a Window.

LOUISVILLE, Feb. 13.—Madison Todd, a wealthy farmer living between Waco and Richmond, Ky., was assassinated while sitting at a table reading a newspaper. The murderer crept to a window and fired two louds of buckshot into his body. His young brother Will, with whom he had some trouble lately over the settlement of the family estate, and a negro who worked for Todd have been arrested on suspicion.

NUGGETS OF NEWS.

The Britis house of commons reassem bled yesterday.

John Galloway, head of the eminent en-gineering firm of Manchester, England, is dead. Dr. Horatio Quincy Butterfield, presi-

dent of Olint (Mich.) college, died yester day of pneumonia. F. A. Pusher, late United States consul at St. Thomas, Ont., under Harrison, died

Storms of great severity are reported from all parts of Great Britain and Germany, with great damage to shipping.

The anniversary of Lieuchy.

The anniversary of Lincoln's birthday was generally observed throughout the country hat night by banquets and speech

General McCook has ordered the broops recalled from the Mexican border and sout back to their garrison at Fort Separal. for

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TREE CITY, Ind., Feb. 15.—William H. Artunam, a farmer living about six miles northead of Teil City, yesterday killed his wife and cidest sen, John Kass and William Nogle were the first to reach the house off bey bound Artmann lying on the flow with the nurreleved wife and boy. As seen a they entered the home Artmann hunged up and rushes at them like as influentiated wile benue, and it saws with great difficulty the they pre-present him.

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The Military of the Subscription at parameters to be seemed by the president were the following: John Barrett of Oregon, to be minister resident and covering general of the United States to State, Thomas R. Jerinigan, of North Carolina, to be emissile general of the United States at Shanghi, China. To be consults of the United States and Sound States and Sound States and S Washington, Feb. 18.-In a list of non-

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Turned State's Evidence

WEST CHESTER, Pa., Feb. 13. -Ed. Land dale, the young man who was connected with the Downingtown burglary gang. with the Downingrown burgiary gang, has turned state's evidence. Lansdain fears the wrath of Ed. Patterson, the laider of the gang, who is still at liberty. His story implicated the men now in fall in the rob-bery, being Henry Hilton, Rittenhouse Henry, Esymour Johnson, Ellet Brown and D. Geldman. Lansdale says that the coath taken by the men was to the effect that are me who "gave the thing awas"

here, when Sinw, it is charged, struck the boy on the neck with his blowpips, cutting a dangerous mash. The pipe was not and had notion glass on it, and when a physi-cian went to dress the wound the glass, when removed, brought pieces of flesh The wound will most likely prove fatal. Judge Williams in the United States Shaw was arrested.

Legislative Extravagance. DENVER, Fob. 18 - The legislature has been in session a month at a cost to the state of over \$50,000, and as yet not a single law has been enacted. Representatives ar indigmant at the refusal of Auditor Goody

Explusion in a Power House PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 18.—An explosion of terrific force occurred at the power house of the Philadelphia Traction company at Thirteenth and Mt. Vernou streets caused by the bursting of the main steam Five of the employes were severel fulured, one of whom may lose a leg-



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Further Correspondence Sent to Congress by the President.

GRESHAM-THURSTON INTERVIEW.

The President's Chief Advisor Declared That He At No Time Declined to Give Belleite Answers to Questions From provided by the Hamilton Representative

WARRENDESS, Feb. 16. - The problem ence, hulleding two disputation reserved a few days encorrous Minister Willia, and a reply to-one of them from the secretary of

state.

Mr. Willis' first alleparely relates the particulars of his refusal to persist out the observance of the exclusion of the distance of the exclusion of the first anniversary of the provisional severe such. The second dispatch contains an additional except from President Duic's letter of dan, it to Minister Willis.

The letter relating to Greeken's and Thurston's interview is dated Feb. 7, 1991. In its Secretary Greeken writes to Minister to Minister to Minister to Minister the secretary for the secretary

Thurston's interciew is dated Feb. 7, 1984. In it Secretary Greekans writes to Minister Willis regarding the statements made by President Dob quoting an interciew between Thurston and kinnell? He says he had two interviews with Thurston on Nov. 14, which were very brief. At the first meeting Thurston submitted two questions, one as to the authentity of the latters pathlished in the papers from Mr. Gresham to the president, and if it was the intention of the president to use force.

To the first Gresham replied in the affirmative, and to the other that a cabinet meeting was about to be held and he had

no time to talk with the minister. At the second interview Thurston called by an appointment and the question about force was repeated. Secretary Gresham told him that no action would be taken by Minister Willis which would imperil the Minister Wills which would imperil the lives or property of the previsional gov-ernment, and if they suffered in any way if would be in consequence of their own acts or attitude. Thurston said the maswer was not satisfactory, and he wanted the secretary to be more explicit. Gresham replied that he could not be

more copiler at this time, and added:
"You can draw your own interences from
what I have said and correct any fulse impressions that have been created by what
has been published."

The secretary says he answered the several questions from a slip of paper on his table. He slid not say in either interview that he was not at liberty to answer either

Fatal Fight Among Miners.

Buszu, Ind., Feb. 13.—Three men were seriously—one probably fatally—hart in a drunken row at Knightsville, a little mining town east of here. Fred and Jordan Britton, miners, attacked Thomas Gultigar The bost cysters in all styles at all hours. for and stamped and cut him up to such an extent that he will probably die. The flight soon became general, and a man named Evans reserved soveral dangerous wounds. Deputy Marshal Barney Martin in attempting to quiet the men was assaulted and frightfully beaten. The Brittons have not been caught

Peckham's Nomination Reported.

Washington, Feb. 13.—The action of the senate judiciary committee on the nomination of Mr. Peckham for associate justice was reported to the senate in executive session yesterday afternoon without recommendation, and next Thursday at o clock was set for consideration of the matter in executive session. There is a probability that the question of confirma-tion may be considered in open executive

Berrin, Feb. 12.—A telegram from St. Petersburg says M. Sacharin, the crat's physician, has declared that it. Petersburg is not suited for the coar's health, and advises him to live at Kieff. The transfer of the coar's health, and advises him to live at Kieff. The transfer of the coar's health, and advises him to live at Kieff. The transfer of the coar's health, and advises him to live at Kieff. The transfer of the coar's health, and advises him to live at Kieff. The transfer of the coar's health, and advises him to live at Kieff. The transfer of the coar's health, and advises him to live at Kieff. The transfer of the coar's health, and advises him to live at Kieff. The transfer of the coar's health, and advises him to live at Kieff. The transfer of the coar's health, and advises him to live at Kieff. The transfer of the coar's health, and advises him to live at Kieff. The transfer of the coar's health, and advises him to live at Kieff. The transfer of the coar's health, and advises him to live at Kieff. The transfer of the coar's health, and advises him to live at Kieff. The transfer of the coar's health, and advises him to live at Kieff. The transfer of the coar's health, and advises him to live at Kieff. The transfer of the coar's health, and advises him to live at Kieff. The transfer of the coar's health, and advises him to live at Kieff. The transfer of the coar's health, and advises him to live at Kieff. The transfer of the coar's health has the coar's he

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STOCK AND PRODUCE MARKETS

Closing Quotations on the New York and

law has been emeted. Representatives are indignant at the refusal of Auditor Goody-koantz to besne warrants for their salaries until a bill is passed designating from what fund or funds the money shall be taken.

Death of a Leading Baltimorean.

Baltimoni, Feb. 18.—Joseph James
Taylor died yesterday at his residence in this city. He was one of Baltimore's weathly retired merchants, at one time active in the management of the Baltimore and Susqueimana Steamboat company and owner of a line of constwise steamers.

Explosion in a Power House. Philadelphia Exchanges.

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