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Will be sold comparatively cheap Many are in excellent condition. Reasons for selling are that they have been replaced with several carloads of new ones, which arrived this week.

This sale is a profit winner for horsemen.

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On Tap at all Customers

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All standard make wheels, that you will run no risk in buying. Bring your old wheel in and we will over-haul and repair it now. Have it ready for you to ride the first fine day.

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WE HAVE TOO MANY CANNED GO

> To Reduce Stock we Offer a Few Special Bargains:

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Maryland Sugar Corn, 4 for 25c. Fancy Northern, 3 for 25c.

Tomatoes.

Extra size and fancy quality,

2 for 25c.

Gooseberries,

Extra early June, 4 for 25c. Sifted early June, 3 for 25c. Fancy quality, sweet and tender, 2 for 25c.

Baked Beans. Picnic size, 3 for 10c.

Standard-large cans, 5 for 25c. Extra quality, 3 for 25c. Fancy quality, 2 for 25c.

California Peaches.

Standard Yellow Crawford, 2 for 25c.

Salmon.

Red Alaska, 3 for 25c. Columbia River, 2 for 25c. - 5 for 25c. Apricots and Eggs Plums, 3 cans for 25c.

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NEW CARPETS. FLOOR OIL CLOTHS .. AND LINOLEUM.

NEW PATTERNS.

worth 75 cents.

Extension Table, - \$3.75 Does Not Admit the Possibility of the Cuban's Ultimate Independence.

The Powers Have Been Informed of the Situation By Spain.

WOODFORD TO LEAVE

Exodus of Americans from the Island of Cuba.

WHITE-SQUADRON'S ORDERS

Spain's Reply to Our Government's Demand Arrives.

WILL SOON BE MADE PUBLIC.

Congress Will Wait Until Monday For Decisive Action.

PRESIDENT ANTICIPATES WAR

Upon Him, But Declared: "I Pray Rouse in Which Grosvenor Defends the President's Policy-A Call on the Senator Lodge reported, a bill appropriating at Multiple of Maritime States.

Special to EVENING HEBALD. Washington, April 1.—The state departreply to the President's demands. It was transmitted in cipher, and could not be trans naval aide. What these officers told lated until to-day. The chief demands are BOCK rejected, the feeling in Madrid being that they are inconsistent with the dignity and honor of Spain. Immediately after the con-

ists of attacking our honor and territory we Madrid. He stated that all now dewill not tolerate it. The White House was besieged by news-

to hear the full text of Spain's reply. It was message cabled it by this government not made public at this hour, but according to the best information obtainable to-day Spain has definitely resolved to make no further concessions to the United States.

The same authority says Spain's reply does not admit the possibility of independence for

Warships Will Leave.

The Spanish craisers Vizcaya and Almirante have received orders to start from tory Havana, says a despatch from Madrid reeived here to-day. Their destination is unknown. Information is also received here to the effect that General Blanco yesterday summoned to the palace the colonels of velcome critical at any moment, and they must prepare for war.

The Minneapolis Sailed. Movements are active in Naval circles here, and nowhere more so than about the departments te-day. Every preparation for action is being taken. The Minneapelis sailed this morning, steaming away at top speed to join the flying squadron. The Key West fleet is stripped for action, and is now ready to move at fifteen minutes' notice. A patrol of torpedo boats is on guard at that

Commoder Schley was ordered this afternoon to have the flying squadron ready to sail at one hour's notice.

The situation here is critical. The Presideut is expected to send a message to Congress to-morrow or not later than Mon-Fine quality, very cheap, 4 for 25c day, and that body will then declare Cuba's

independence. General Woodford to Leave. A cable despatch from London, received

here this merning, says that General Wood-ford, representing the United States at the sionate utterance adjured members to stay of several weeks. Spanish capital, is preparing to leave Mad-rid. While the news seems to be authentic, try into war, the evils of which would rid. While the news seems to be authentic, the state department would neither affirm nor deny the report. Americans Leaving Cuba.

A great change has come over the Spanish Maine disaster has been made known, and advices from there show it to be dangerous for Americans to remain in Cuba. A general exodus is about to begin among the Americans, and over one hundred of them arrived at Tampa, Fla., last night. Counsel General

Lee realizes the seriousness of the situation. No Offer of Foreign Mediation. The attitude of European powers continue to be seriously discussed in official quarters, as it was felt that an offer of European mediation was almost certain to follow a war crisis. No distinct offer has been submitted up to the present moment. In this connection the cable reports from Berlin the independence they had won from Do you want a good Tapestry Brussels at 60 cents that Germany was menacing Spain on and old claim, and was about to make a naval demonstration in Cuba, at-tracted much attention. The German had known them, drew tears from the ambassador, Dr. Von Hollenben, said that he had received no information as At KEITER'S. that he had received no information at the had been told within 24 hours of the Cuban funta that qualified with the Cannamba case re-

terred to in the dispatch. The Spanish minister is also unacquainted with the Cannamba case, and does not credit the report that Germany has taken

steps of a decisive character, The Spanish ambassador at Berlin is the father-in-law of the Spanish min-later here, and that latter would be quite likely to know if Germany had made a move involving the dispatch of a warship to Cuba for punitive purposes. It was the general feeling that if Germany had taken any such action it would have a most decided influence upon the Spanish-American situation one seriously prejudicial to Spain For this reason it was the opinion of diplomate that Cormany would not choose such a juncture as the present In order to make emergency demands in a claim against Spain

Said a prominent diplomat today: "Spain seems to be under the impression that the national honor forbids her from surrendering any part of her colonial domain under the pressure of the United States. There are, however, precedents showing that European powers have preserved their dignity while making similar concessions. It may be remembered that the Ionian Islands, a part of the Turkish empire, were afterwards coded to Greece by Great Britain, and that Venitia was resurrendered by Austria not directly to Italy, but to France, who transferred it to the government of Victor Eman-

Congress Will Wait Until Monday, Congress will wait until Monday be-fore any action is taken. The president has asked delay until that time, and assurances have been given by those in charge of affairs that there will be nothing done until Monday.

Both committees of congress dealing publican Congressmen Who Called with foreign affairs were in session yesterday. The senate committee continued its examination of the report on God That We May Be Able to keep the Maine, and the house committee, Peace"-An Exciting Debate in the by a party vote, refused to take any action on Cuba until Monday.

The senate committee agreed to, and

more of the Danish West India islands, to be used for naval purposes. The senate committee had before it ment last night, at midnight, received Spain's | Captain Sigsbee, of the iii fated Maine,

The committee of Republicans which waited on the persident yesterday reported to the conference at a meeting held after the adjournment of the ference between Prime Minister Sagasta and Minister Woodford, the Spanish note answer-made a frank declaration as to what ing the demands was telegraphed to the was taking place between the two gov-powers, together with a copy of the American concluded with these can demand. Referring to the conference
Senor Moret said: "We are still Spaniards."

Left with the delegation, however, was After the meeting of the Spanish Cabinet that he did not expect a peaceable ad-ast evening Prime Minister Sagasta said: justment. In strictest confidence Mr. "We have done and will do all in our power McKinley outlined the course of com-to maintain peace, but if any intention ex-munications between Washington and

pended on dispatches to be communicated and received probably within 48 paper men and members of Congress, anxious hours. The response of Spain to a was expected hourly, and surely would be received within 24 hours. After it arrived it would be necessary for this country to send another cable note as a reply to Madrid. All this might be accomplished in less than 48 hours. An Exciting Day in the House.

For three hours the packed galleries and excited members of the house listened to a passionate outburst of oraon the Cuban question, during which the intensity of feeling was alternately manifested by cheers, jeers and hisses. Time and again the excited throngs in the galleries were admonished to be silent, and once, at least, it seemed as if a motion would be made unteers and told them the situation may be to clear them. The three speeches which stirred the assemblage to its depths were made by Mr. Grosvenor, of Ohio, who, it was assumed, spoke for the administration and who practically pledged it to the cause of free Cuba; cheapyon can buy ca Mr. Balley, of Texas, the Democratic leader, who announced the Democratic position as for free Cuba without war, if it could be avoided, but with war if rors of war.

ington state, provoked the speech of Mr. Johnson, which aroused the members and the galleries to the fever pitch of excitement. Mr. Lewis had de-nounced the proposition that Cuba purchase her freedom from Spain, which, it was alleged, the administration was fostering. Then it was that Mr. Johnson, in a brilliant speech, pleaded for evening at the residence of Miss Sallie Wasley, peace. He faced the storm of hisses on South White street. It was given in honer which swept down upon him from the of her guest, Miss Brens, of Lanslowne, who follow after endless train. He gave it as his opinion that if an ultimatum had been sent to Spain It meant war, as Spain's pride would not permit her A great change has come over the Spanish to humiliate herself before the world. He eulogized every influence that made for peace, and declared his belief that St. Clair team last night in an exciting game, the Cuban Junta would agree to \$100,000,000 for the independence of the

Balley Sets the Galleries Wild. Mr. Balley, the Democratic leader, was quick to seize the advantage which Mr. Johnson's position had afforded, and in a ringing speech, which set his followers and the galleries wild, he announced his belief from what Mr. Johnson had said that the purpose of the Republicans in refusing to the Democrats on Wednesday was to give the administration an opportunity to compel the Cuban patriots to buy the butchers of Spain. He said he, too, deplored war, and in describing its awful horrors, as the southern people eyes of his colleagues. He declared

States in war. All they wanted to have their independence recognized, and with the munitions of wa ain their independence could be chieved. In conclusion he said the Demograts were for free Cuba without war, if possible; with war if necessary. This speech of Mr. Bailey's drow the fire of the administration spokesman to

fire of the administration spokesman to the floor, General Growvener, of this With his reply the climax of the day was reached. He charged Mr. Balley with attenuation to make political cap-ital. He denounced the statements that the administration intended to force Cuba to buy her freedom on the silly invention of an idlot, and declared that from the president down the adnition of her independence, he said would be but a half way measure. If thrilled his nuditors when he ask what meant the war preparations that were going an night and day if not that when action was taken tooking be backed up if necessary by and navy of the United States.

A Call on States' Navat Mittilla. the determination to have the naval per year and the matron \$300. The appealute militia of the several states prepared ments were those of Director Middle for. for immediate service should this by Director Abrenated agreeing with his found necessary. This conclusion was at a specing of the Board of Food Ditthe outcome of a conference of the recturs held on the first Manuary members of the naval strategic board. Last, Washington Onne also of St. Chir. en Letters will be sent to the governors appointed Sleward to second Gordon Rec and to adjutant generals of all states of Wayne township, also a Republican.

rattle? God forbid. Will compromise that a suit has been, or will be brought give you back your son? Will it untracted the natter to an issue. In the men rape your daughter? Will it revive the mother who urged them on with the mother who urged them on with the The investigation was pushed by Stewa last breath which starvation allowed? Reset to vindicate his monagement, and Fight it out. Uncle Sam is dusting off | was immed from outside sources to-day the his uniform."

HERE IS A TRADE TONIC

Like the blue birds which make their ap-pearance with the approach of spring, so we appear before you with an announcement of our line of groceries and Easter nucls. Our groceries are as good as a tonic and good groceries with economical prices are a pravetetative to exorbitant charges. Our store is not among the largest but our stocks ranks first. We would suggest that you give us a trial for Easter. As a leader we offer the best Call-The leading and chapest grocer, B. A. FIHEDMAN, 216 West Centre street, three doors below brick school building. 4 1-3;

Robberies about town are rapidly becoming a popular fad. A victim of this new fad is Joe Mandour, the East Centre street merchant, whose warehouse was paid a visit last night. It is situated on East Ruspherry Chir. thieves took with them 10,000 cigars, a quan- fied now being traced by officers.

Endlers Gift Making

The presenting of gifts among the memmoval to their new residence, are of an end Nora, the recipient of a handsomely furnished room yesterday, but his son, Thomas, aroused yesterday afternoon when his father announced to him that a beautiful combinain a corner of the parlor should become his set to fit any size book or pamphlet. His aunt, Mrs. D. J. Cleary, of Mahanoy City, also presented him with another writing desk, made of the same material and finished in the same color. Mr. R. F. Gill was the best in Butler township; \$100, Margate recipient of a reclining rocker, trammed with tapestry brussels. The chair is the gift of Miss Grace Cleary and her two little brothers. of Mahanoy City.

A Warning.

Among the business changes made yesternecessary, and Mr. Johnson, of Indi-ana, who spoke for peace, declaring gents furnishing store from 17 to 33 West that it was our duly to go to the ex-Centre street. Notification is given to a treme in magnanimity to avoid the hor- gang of loafers who make that locality a place of rendezvous, that if they fail to cease Mr. Lewis, a Democrat from Wash- the habit more stringent measures will be

> Injured. George Urbanawics, employed at the Cillberton colliery, was injured about the face

and head by a fall of coal yesterday. Miss Brens Entertained. A pleasant social gathering was held last

by Policeman Mullaby last night for su

Basket Ball. The Danville banket ball club defeated the pay by the score of 12 to 9. The Danville team

will play at Pottsville this evening.



EVANS IN I

Change in the Stewardship of the County Almshouse.

SUIT IN COURT WILL FOLLOW

Went into Effect To-day News From the County Scat-Torbert Wins His Land Suit.

to the independence of Cuba it would Almshouse at a special meating of the Baird The most important action taken by the appaintment. His wife was elected the navy department yesterday was Matsan. The salary of the Steward is \$1,000

where there are mayal militia organi- the lat of April. Orms has been chief keep where there are movel militia organizations asking them to set in motion
the machinery for dilling and equipping the state organizations promptly,
so they may be ready within a very
few hours' notice of a call to arms.

Representative C, B. Jeaun, of Onio.
has sent the following referam to
President Paima, of the Cuban juntar
President Paima of the President "Having maintained the war for three was present. The Felish woman iomate years by their own bravery, resources and sacrifices unprecedented in all history, will the Cubans accent combinate to day that Mr. Orme kanded in promise when they can overhear in the resignation and will invite a full invest throat of their brutal enemy the death tion in the county courts. It was also sta

pending forther investigation by the Bou The testimony of two former patients

the female scyling new sured, one people at Gordon and the other formerly of No. Munhelm township, was taken by the lo Board of Charities, which is composed Dr. John G. Carpentor, Major Heber 8, Thompson and Charles H. Woltjen, of Patteville: Robert Alliam, of Port Carlon, and Dr. Leukar, of Schnyikill Haven. Their test ony is said to have had an important hourog in the matter.

they of eigerettes and a number of pipes.

Mr. Mandour expects to capture the roblers in charge of one of the wards in the old hos as he received a telegram at noon to-day from a friend residing at Pottsville, which stated though an inmust, died there. The formerly that cigars were being soid there which re-semble Mandour's brand. The thieves are now being traced by officers.

resided in St. Clair and Mahaney City. His body will be taken in charge of by Rev. Father Muldewbey, of Schuylkill Haven.

DESIGN DECORDER City of Philadelphia to English Suptice church of Girardville, premises in Girard-ville, \$25. Polis Makius and wife to John W. Hornberger, premises in McAdon; \$1,500 Dappets, premises in Edited township; \$5.0 premises in Shemandonic, \$150. Washingto Mayer and others to Catherine Mayer, prer of the parter should become his tast in Shenandonh, \$1,700. Willing It is made of solid oak and highly Loose and wife to base B. polished in a cherry color finish. The shelvan of the case areas arranged that they can be Hobert J. Mills to The Schuylkii and to R. and the R Robert J. Mills to the Schuylarii Trust Company, premises in Pottsville, \$1 James A. Medlar, trustee, to Frank C. Reese, premises in Pottsville; \$200 Sam lses in Butler township; \$100, Margaret Bowman to Amanda Rhichart, premises in Schuylkill Haven; \$1,550; John Gures-kow and wife to George Zeigler, premises in Kline township, George Zeigler to Annie Bring cash and size of room and see how Abraham K. Schwartz to Frankli theapyon can buy carriets and oil cloths at Klouser, promises in Hegins township, not in the habit of stocking away bricks's carpet store.

41-61 Abraham K. Schwartz to Benjamin Klouser. premises in Hegins township; James A. Medlar, trustee, to Elizabeth Horner, premises in Pottaville: Mary Ann Luffler and hos kand to Mutual Guarantee B. & L. Associa tion, premises in Pinegrove, \$1,700; William Kreis to Kate McBreen, premises in Middle port; Joseph Patterson and others to J. M. Strause, premises in North Manheim town ship; J. M. Strauge to the Borough, of Lamb

ingville, premises in North Manheim town ship. TORRECT WANK In the case of John & Riffert against William L. Turbert Judge Endlich directed a vordict in favor of the defendant. It was shown that Torbert has been in possession of the 400 acres in land involved for 25 years, and this fact alone would make him owner of

the land. THE NEVERS CASE.

Testimony was taken this afternoon in support of the reasons for a new trial filed in Smashed a Window,
Stiney Markawicz was placed in the lockup sloper. Frank Welder, one of the jurous admitted that he is a candidate for County ing a window at Obelski's store on West Commissioner, but mys he did not vote for Meyers, and is a Democrat. He said that he called Court Crier Graber to the door of the ary room and asked him for more grab and

eigars on two occasions.

Mr. Graber corroborated the testimony in this respect and he said that the message de ivered to J. H. Dunkleherger, one of the arors, was relating to the illness of the

J. H. Dunkleberger was sworn and said the dispatch be got from Graber related to his wife alliness. He admitted that he is a memher of the Farmers' Taxpayers' League and that he contributed to the prosecution of Poor Director Neri Diotrich. He gave noth-ing towards the prosecution of Meyers. Dr. J. W. Sallade, veterinary surgeon of Pottsville, said that Elias Kiloger, one of the Juryman, was in conversation with him and remarked, "Too hell with Charley Meyers." The testimony will be submitted on Mon day during the argument of the motion for

LOVAL TRISHMEN. President Daniel Duffy and Secretary A

A. Hoyle, of the Irish Catholic Bensyol-(Continued on Fourth Page.)

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any goods for future seasons

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