

MR. VEST FULL OF BUSINESS

Wants to Investigate the Charges of Corruption in Spanish War.

A FINGER ON PENSIONS

Proposes Hereafter to Scrutinize Pension Bills—A Measure to Modify Clayton-Bulwer Treaty—The Anti-Scalping Bill Received—The Urgent Deficiency Bill Passed by the House Without Opposition.

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ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE

Officers Elected at Cleveland Yesterday.

TWO WOMEN BURNED FATALLY

Another Injured Severely in a Fire in Toronto.

SPAIN RESENTS IT

Want no Blessings from Heaven Via the United States.

Lafayette's Captain

Even after night had fallen the Vedamores were kept cranking about in the vicinity, but when day broke they were gone.

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SPANIARDS ARE BITTER

Result of the Peace Negotiations at Paris Are Not Satisfactory.

AMERICANS ARE RELIEVED

While Outwardly Calm and Courteous the Chagrin of the Spanish Commissioner Is Apparent—They Charge Equal Blame Upon the Nations of Europe and the United States for Spain's Downfall.

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Department Unable to Control the Flames at West Superior

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A New Trial Will Be Necessary in the Gould Case

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