proves Cartain General Blanco's con-duct ir denying that the Majne's maga-sines were blown up with dynamite, as the Americans have alleged."

### JOYOUS NEWS FOR MILITIA. Apt to Be Sent First On Call For Volunteers.

Washington, March 21.-Secretary Al-

thinks of great importance to the army
in case of hostilities, is the employment of halloons for observation purposes. He has asked repeatedly for an
appropriation from congress for experiments in this line, but thus far his efforts to obtain money have been unsuecrestial.

London, March 21.—The Vienna corresundent of the Standard save-

He hopes that some money may soon to put at his command for experiment-ing with balloons, as he claims they

### NOT A SCIENTIFIC REPORT. Grounds For Such Opinion of the

capecture of inquiry, ewing to disaster.

"American naval officers," says La Lucha, "are not likely to decide analyst brother officers. The divers could not give expert testimony, owing to the fact that the machinery was imbedded four feet in the much, it is greatly to be regretted that more time and care were not given to the preparation of a report for which the whole world waits and which is likely to change the entire feetings of a part of the American people of the America

Havana, April 30, 1883. New York, March 21.—The remark-able disclosure is made by Leslie's able disclosure is made by Leslie's Key West, Fla., March 23.—T' Weekly in this week's insue, that on lory liner Leona, from New Yor Weekly in this week's issue, that on April 28, 1883, General U. S. Grant wrote to General U. S. Grant wrote to General U. S. Grant wrote to General Adam Badeau, telling how easy it would be for the United States to capture Hayana by a combined attempt by our land and mand torces. In this leiter, which is printed in fac simile by Leatler's Weekly, General Grant says: "That the hostlifty of the native population of Spanish authority would make this (the capture of Hayana) a comparatively easy trusk for any first class power, and especially easy for the United States, in case of war with Spain."

# AN OMINOUS SIGN.

British Ship Owners Insist On War Clauss In Charters.

New York, March 23.—The Evening World says: An ominous sign that the strained relations between the United States and Spain will result in war is furnished by English ship owners, who have ended to their agents that all chavters must contain the war chause. This clause, which is posted in the Maritime Exchange, is as follows:

"It is understood the steamer is to be employed in africily neutral trades, is not to carry concrusand oargo or trade with perts declared under blockade; also, in the event of war boing declared by at against Great Eritain by our partiting tower this chain to carry concrusand oargo of the Sile States.

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Ade: also, in the event of war being declared by or against Great Stritain by any martime power, this charter to to be notll and void at the end of the current voyage.

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Lendon, March M.—It is reported that the United States in negotiating with the Ebling Ship Building company of the carried party.

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# INSULT TO THE WEST.

Charles Dudley Warner's Dirty Fling At Silver Men.

Washington, March 22.—Secretary Alger's office at the war department presented an unusually bury aspect today, A number of members of conspreading and Hoar, and Representative Marsh of Hilbols. Abuser McKibley, the president's brother, was also among these who called, but his stay was very bief.

Representative Marsh is chairman of the house committee on militia, which has recently reported the bill to regard the house committee on militia, which has recently reported the bill to regard to the bill, and has been also soldery to take its efficiency and to appropriate \$1,000,000 for its support. The chairman axid he had spoken to Speaker fleed recently in regard to the bill, and he begied to be able to call it up in the louse for consideration within a reasonable time. During his interview with Secretary Alger Mr. Marsh ursed that in the event of hostifiles the first receared of the government for soldiers should be the state militia, who should be invited to volunteer for the country's defense.

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These mea, he pointed out, are well organized, well drilled and officered and are in a position to render very effective service. In view of these facts, Mr. Marsh believed that it was the futty of the government to call upon those oil soldiers for duty in case they care to volunteer. If any members or officers of the guard preferred not to enlist because of family or pusiness care and responsibilities, then their places might be taken by volunteers from outside the service.

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Madrid Papers Say Maine Reports

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PREPARING THE SPANISH MIND.

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CHINA'S DISTRESS.

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London, March 25.—The Vienna cor-respondent of the Standard says:

"I am credibly L formed that Spain has informally inquired at Paris whether France, as her largest creditar and traditional friend, would, either time of war. alone, or in conjunction with other powers, mediate at Washington, and also whether it is possible to place a Spanish loan in France."

span for which the Whole world waits and which is likely to change the entire feelings of a part of the American people toward Spain and Cuba."

La Lucha publishes also an interview with Comeil General Lee, which quotes him as saying that he knows rashing of the nature of the report, but is satisfied that General Blanco never conceived of the disaster until he heard the shock in the harbor.

GRANT'S VISION PROPHETIC,

Substance of a Letter He Wrote In Havana, April 30, 1883.

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# McKinley a Man of Peace.

# the Ebling Ship Building company of Germany, for a first class torpedo heat of about 200 tens, which is ready for

# PROBABLE FUSION IN OREGON

Inherited By the Eldest Daughter of King Leopold.

# LOUISE'S LAST ESCAPADE

FURNISHES GOSSIP TO THE

Crispi "Politically Censured."

Dervishes Driven Back.

Athara (on the Nile), March 22.—An Angio-Egyptian cavairy patrol was in conflict with a party of Dervish horsemen an Monday, II miles up the river. A hand-to-hand encounter with spears occurred, and the Dervisies were driven back. Russiana Disgusted.

London, March 23.—According to a special dispatch from Shanghai, M. Suril Alexiaf, the Russian representative is the Corean custom house, and his entourage, disgusted over their failure in Corea, have been transferred to Port Arthur.

Pingue In Arabia. Jeddah, Arabia, March 23.—It is officdelign amounced that a surpicious case of sickness, believed to be the plague, has been discovered here. The plagrinage to Mecca has just begun.

# FOR AN EIGHT-HOUR DAY.

### Demand Will Be Made at Milwankse On May L.

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Milwaukee, Wis., March 2L-In accordance with the plan decided upon at the last national convention of the American Federation of Labor, organizers have been working quietly for the past month organizing in the heliding trades in this city, looking to a unlied demand on May I, for an eight-hour working day. The executive council of the liming Trades will hold a meeting tenient to discuss the Chile Will Not Sell.

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# Marquis de Mun.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

CUBAN INDEPENDENCE.

Recognition Resolution Introduced In the House Yesterday.

Washington, March 23.—Representative Clark of Missouri today introduced in the following resolution:

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MAJORITY OF THE POPULISTS SEEM TO FAVOR IT.

Fight Expected In State Convention Today-Disclosures of Republican Boodleism In Philadelphia.

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MARQUIS OF SALISBURY.

Solid Trustworthy Report That He Will

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thor of the Great Frauds.

Rome. March 22.—The chamber of deputies today adopted by a vote of 207 to 7 the committee's report recummending "rollitical censure" against former Premier Crispi, who has been accused of complicity in the Bank of Naples scandals and of Hegal trafficking in decorations. He will not be prosecuted.

Signor Crispi in greatly incensed at Klog Humbert and the higher authorities for not interfering to protect him. the purpose of making Mr. Griggs said that not liable for the set

St. Paul, March 22.—J. H. Southall, late chief cierk of the upper Mississipply river division of the United States engineering department, whose dealings in time checks to the extent of nearly half a million dollars were made public sesterday, was arrested this evening by United States Marshal O'Connor and placed in Jail, in default of \$25,000 ball

Quotations On Three European Bour-

of the bourse today Spanish & were quoted at 1818. The closing price yester-day was 76.40.

# London, March II.—On the stock ex-change today Spanish I's were weak, de-clining to II. a net loss of I's from ves-torias's closing price. Later they ad-vanced to 17%, but eased out slightly. JOY OF TEMPERANCE PEOPLE.

Miss Bradley and Her Bottle of

Water Get a Great Send-off. Washington, March 23.-Members of he Women's Christian Temperance Union assembled today in large num; bers at the Pennsylvania depot to withers at the Peimsylvania depot is witness the departure of Miss Christine
Bradley, who will tomorrow christen
with water the new battleship Kentucky. There were speeches at the station by Mrs. Eila M. Thatcher, the Rev.
W. F. Crafts, Representative Todd, of
Michigan, Mrs. M. B. Platt and others,
in which reference was made to the
fact that the Constitution, "Old Ironsides" and the Hartford were christined
with water.

# Vancouver, B. C., March 21 - A wreck this morning near Point Havey. A westbound freight speeled ran into a mid slide, and the engine and eight cars were derailed. Fireman A. Hepburn was killed.

Killed In Railroad Wreck.

House Republican Ideas of a Way to Strengthen It

NATIONAL BANK MACHINE

Pertland, Ore., March 22.—The Popu- ALL RESPONSIBILITY TO BE CAST IN ITS HOPPER.

> Burden Will Rest Upon Banks of Finding Gold For the Legal Tender Notes Which Will Take the Place of Greenbacks, Retired By Indirect Methods.

The control of the co Washington, March 33 .- The report of the Republican sub-committee to the house committee on banking and cur-

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SPANISH 4'S WEAK.

Quotations On Three European Bourses, Including Its Own.

Harcelona, March 2.—At the opening gold experts during the last five years quoted at 16.18. The closing price years was 25.60.

# Pagis. Murch 23.—Spanish 6's on the bourse today opened weak at 23 3-12 against 35 3-15, the closing price of yester-day. Committee On Foreign Relations Propagates to 3-15, the closing price of yester-day. SENATE MAINE INVESTIGATION.

Washington, March, 23.-The senate ommittee on foreign relations, at its secting today, informally discussed the



### SPRING IS COMING

and in a few days nature will put on her gurb of loveli-ners to gladden the heart of man

Let Us Vie With Nature and array our homes with a beautiful

with a beautiful garb of color and design. How Can This Be Done?

at once your wall paper fro m an endless variety of ex-quisite designs and delicate tints.

Where? Why, of course, at the store of

ARMY REORGANIZATION.

Report of the Military Committee Now Before the House, Washington, March 21.—The samp remaination bill was adopted unanimo

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it to allow the conditions to remain

ELECTRIC CAR LINES.

No Extension of Lines Beyond City

Limits Lawful. nukee, Wie, March 24-A drois-

H. DINWOODEY FURNITURE CO. \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

be treated as a separate and distinct incident for the present.

There was some discussion as to what would be done with the report of the board of inquiry when it reached the senate Monday, and it is probable that a motion will immediately be made to refer it to the committee on foreign relations. The members of the naval committee claim that the senate having authorized it to investigate the Maine disaster, this committee should have the report of the naval board referred to it as a matter of courtesy as well as right.

An effort will be made to adjust the whole matter by the time the report arrives, so that no debate will occur until after the committee has considered the report.

MIPERILED BY HIGH WATER

GRAVE DANGER TO CITIES IN

THE OHIO VALLEY.

Heavy Floods Do Incalculable Damage—Blizzards In Missouri Extending to Arkanass.

Richmond. Ind., March 21—Heavy floods are deling to account the report.

fixeds are doing incalculable damage. The large bridge over Whitewater river has been destroyed by fire and water.

Canton, O., March 22.—One of the heaviest rain storms in the city's history was experienced last night, and the greater part of the east end of the city is under water today. Heavy damage will result.

Pi taburg, March 21.-Three great rivrandy river coal interests have suffered togets aggregating \$169,000, and great inconvenience must necessarily follow. Reports received from towns on either side of the three great valleys show great damage to the valentile property on the lowlands, and with the water still rilens, grave fears are entertained of even heavier losses.

Mills along the three rivers are silent and merchants and families in the lower part of the two cities have been conveiled to remove their goods to higher ground. The less cannot be estimated tonight, but it will reach a high

Milwaukee, Wis., March 24 - A droislon which will be of interest to every
electric street car company in the country has just been handed down by the
supreme court at Madicon. It is to the
effect that there can be no extension of
street railway lines beyond the city
limits, even though a franchise has
been granted, without the award of
damages where property owners object. It also makes no difference
whether or not the companies have the
right to carry freight or express matter. When the courts decided that the

street rel'way was not an additional burden upon the highway, the railway was operated by horse power. Since the advent of electricity the circlet railway has been brought close to the status of the steam railways.

To Any Reliable Man.

Marelon appliance and one month's remedies of fare power will be sent on this, without company in the world in the treatment of me world in the treatment of the content of the

The city electric light plant is drowned out. The Starr plane factory and the Nixon paper mill have suffered heavy loss. Alany people have been driven from their homes. The streets are badly damaged.

Dayton, O., March 23.—Dayton is in worse damper than at any time since 1886, when the central part of the city was flowled. The Miami river shows 18.2 feet at the government game, and is riving. Last year, when about 584, 696 damage was done, the river's highest mark was 16.4 feet. North Dayton is completely under water, and about 366 houses are almost overed.

The water is in the cellars in the central portion of the city, and large and valuable stocks of merchandies will undended by marker, so that the loss in that direction alone will be tremendous. A thousand families are suffering.

Pittsburg, Pa., March Zi.—The Allegheny and Menongahela rivers will probably reach a stage of 10 feet of water toutscht. Tremendeus rains feil at 30 soints in the two upper valleys list night, and the water is rushing toward Pittsburg at a rapid rate. Extense districts are already flooded in Allegheny.

St. Loois, March 21.-A regular Da-St. Loois, March 22.—A regular Da-brita bilizzird prevails in St. Louis and ylchity, extending down into Arkansis and in part of Hilbois. Last night the temperature began to decime, and to-day at 8 o'clock a fall of 88 degrees from the highest point regulared yes-terday was reported by the local weather officials. The heavy rains of the part for days have caused all rivers in Mistouri to rise rapidly. The Omage and Gasconsdo especially are souring floods of water into Missouri, which, in turn flows into the Missouri, which, in turn flows into

S. The national reserve notes will continue to be legal tender until received into the treasury from falsed and Hauddatins banks, when liability and Hauddatins banks, when liability and Hauddatins banks, when liability are rement, and they will be redeemed and cancelled.

SILVER REDEMPTION.

9. Standard silver dollars are to be redeemable in gold, but eliver certificates are redeemable only in standard silver dollars. The parity of silver with gold is secured by a gold redemption that will follow the submission of the beissued only in denominations of fl. 32 and 35. Logal tender notes, reserve notes and currency are to be issued in denominations below \$10.

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# HIGH WATER CAUSED IT.

been received from the administration by various members, was that the president is pursuing a wise and conservation of the commence of the commence of the committee said that the course of the needledned was surely convicient the soveriments and intelligant people of the world that the Datid States was justified in its policy and we would have the moral support of Europe when the crisis came.

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