#### SPANISH WAR VETERANS.

Important Business Transacted at the Third Annual Encampment in Detroit.

MEMBERSHIP NOW

Col. M. Emmett Urell Elected Commander in-Chief - Amalgamation with Rival Organization Assured.

BY J. WALTER MITCHELL, HISTORIAN, NA-TIONAL ARMY AND NAVY, SPANISH WAR

The Third Annual Assembly and Encampment of the National Army and Navy Spanish War Veterans, held last week at Detroit, was the most important event in the short history of that organization so far as results are concerned. The young soldiers of the war with Spain accomplished more than mere routine business during the sessions. They firmly welded the ties of friendship already existing between the aged and battle-scarred veterans of the struggle from 1861 to 1865 and themselves. They honored both the veterans of the war of the rebellion and those of the Spanish-American war by unanimously electing as Commander-in-Chief Col. M. Emmett Urell, a veteran of both wars. In the great parade, Mon-day afternoon, Sept. 22, the Spanish war soldiers followed the Grand Army Posts as a guard of honor jointly to the older veterans and President Roesevelt.

During the war of the rebellion Col.
Urell first served in the 2d N. Y. State
Militia, subsequently known as the 82d
N. Y. Vols., having enlisted April 17,
1861. He took part in the battles of first
Roll Run Balle, Black Bull Run, Ball's Bluff, Fair Oaks, Gaines's Mill, Malvern Hill, Second Bull Run, Antietam, Fredericksburg, Chancel-lorsville, Gettysburg, Bristol Station and

the Wilderness,

He was wounded at Fair Oaks, May 31,
1862, and at Bristol Station, Oct. 14, 1863. The last wound was a serious one. The bullet penetrated his right arm and body and he was left on the field for dead. He was finally picked up and sent to a hospi-tal for treatment, and before his wounds had fully healed he returned to the front for active duty. He was discharged May 24, 1864, "on account of wounds received in action." During his service he was pro-moted through the grades from private to First Lieutenant and was brevetted Cap-tain and Major, United States Volunteers, for gallantry in the face of the enemy. Col. Urell received from Congress the highest honor that can be bestowed upon an Amer ican soldier or sailor, the Medal of Honor During the war with Spain he was

Major of the 1st Battalion, 1st Regiment, District of Columbia Volunteer Infantry, and was with his regiment in the trenches at the siege and capitulation of Santiago. Col. Urell is 58 years of age, and the pres-ent Colonel of the 2d Regiment, District of Columbia National Guard.

of Columbia National Guard.

The other officers of the National Army and Navy Spanish War Veterans elected at Detroit last week are: Senior Vice Commander-in-Chief, Harold C. Megrew, of Indianapolis; Junior Vice Commander-in-Chief, Champe S. Andrews, New York; Judge Advocate-General, Hamilton Ward, In Buffalo, Increaser, Cassal L. N. Win. Judge Advocate-General, Hamilton Ward, Jr., Buffalo: Inspector-General, I. N. Kinney, Bay City, Mich.; Chaplain-General, Rev. Father W. H. I. Reaney, U. S. N.; Surgeon-General, Dr. Louis Livingston, Seaman, New York; Sponsor, Miss Clara Barton, Gen Echo, Md.; Historian, J. Walter Mitchell, Washington, D. C.; Aiddac Care, Health de-Camp, Herbert W. Meyers, Washing-ton, D. C. The two latter officers were appointed by Gen. Urell, being his first

The National Council of Administration was elected as follows: Geo. T. Gaston, Mich.; G. Leyburn Shorey, D. C.; J. T. lew Jersey: C Gunster, and Representative in Congress H. D. Green, Pa.; J. H. Wassow, Wis-consin; J. W. Carver, Maine; F. G. Beach, Connecticut; H. L. Sutterly, N. J. The Adjutant-General and Quartermaster-General have not yet been appointed. It is unofficially stated that Adjutant-General L. C. Dyer and Robert A. Brunner, of New Jersey, Quartermaster-General, will

Col. Urell was nominated for Commander-in-Chief by Capt. Champe S. Andrews, who is a member of the New York Corps. Capt. Andrews said it gave him pleasure as a native of Tennessee and the son of a Confederate soldier, who was killed in bat-Confederate soldier, who was killed in bat-tie, to nominate a gallant Union veteran who bears on his body the scars of his prowess and gallantry, and who faced his father in mortal combat in the great-est war on record. He was glad of the opportunity, he added, and was equally glad to have served under Old Glory as a

soldier of this reunited country during the war with Spain.

President Roosevelt in his address at President Rooseveit in his address at the opening session of the Assembly paid high tribute to the old soldiers of the war from 1861 to 1865. He said they had taught the soldiers of the Spanish War how to fight and how to endure hardship and suffering, and the lesson had been a salutary one. salutary one. most important business before the

Convention was the amalgamation of the Convention was the amalgamation of the rival organizations—the Spanish War Veterans and the Spanish-American War Veterans. This has been practically accomplished. The matter of consolidation has been left in the hands of a committee from each of the organizations, with power to act. The joint committee will meet in New York City on the first Monday after the November elections, and as both associations are unanitaously in favor of amalgamation the work of the comtaining alcohol, will certainly be followed in a few hours by a corresponding depression to relieve which another dose must be taken.

In other words, many liquid patent medicines derive their effect entirely from the alcohol they counting of amalgamation the work of the com-mittees will be confined to arranging the mittees will be confined to arranging the details for that movement and declaring are temporary stimulants and not in any The obstacle to consolidation heretofore

as Col. E. J. Dimmick, of the Spanish-American Veterans, stated it, was one W. Liller, who was Adjutant-General of the latter body. Liller has now severed his connection with the latter organization and amalgamation is practically assured.

Upon the request of delegates representing naval commands at the Detroit Assembly, the name of the organization was changed by adding the word "Navy," so that it now reads, "National Army and Navy Spanish War Veterans."

A resolution was adopted for the appointment of a committee of three to request Congress to establish a Museum of War at Washington as a monument to American soldiers and sailors of all wars, from the Revolution to the siege of Pekin, China; also, a resolution providing for the appointment of a National Historia Other resolutions adopted provide that soldiers of the Regular Army should be retired on three-quarters pay after 25 retired on three-quarters pay after 25 instead of 30 years continuous service, and that soldiers holding civil positions in the colonies can be transferred to similar positions in the United States proper without being required to pass a civil service ex-

Resolutions of condolence were adopted Commander-in-Chief of the organization.
On motion of Col. Lee M. Lipscomb it
was unanimously decided that the late
President William McKinley should be
the only homography and the late the only honorary member on the rolls of the Spanish War Veterans during the existence of the organization. This, he explained, would be "a monument to the memory of that great and good man by the soldiers of the war with Spain." Resolutions were adopted thanking Mayor Marbury, of Detroit, the citizens, members of the G. A. R. and Spanish War Veterans of the city for the "magnificent series of entertains of the

000, nearly 200 commands having been organized in the States and Colonies. It is further stated that about 100 commands are in process of formation. The organization expended for supplies, relief, etc., last year \$165,000, and there is now \$5,000 in the National Treasury.

The reports of the Adjutant-General and Quartermaster-General were turned over to the Council of Administration for examination and report.

The National Auxiliary, Ladies of the Spanish War Veterans, held its Annual

The National Auxiliary, Ladies of the Spanish War Veterans, held its Annual Meeting in Detroit during the National Assembly. The principal business trans-acted was the election of National officers and steps to provide for the general ex-tension of the Association. Mrs. Gen. John A. Logan declined to again serve as Presi-dent and acting more her suggestion Mrs. A. Logan declined to again serve as President, and acting upon her suggestion Mrs. Flora A. Lewis, of Washington, was elected as her successor. The other National officers elected were: Mrs. Isabelle Alexander, of Cleveland, Ohio, Senior Vice President; Mrs. William H. Hubbell, of New York, Junior Vice President; Mrs. F. S. Hodgson, of Washington, Inspector; Mrs. Henry N. Conden, of Washington. Chaplain; Miss Cornelia Clay, Treasurer; Mrs. E. Gertrude Mitchell, of Washing-Chaplain; Miss Cornelia Clay, Treasurer;
Mrs. E. Gertrude Mitchell, of Washington, Conductress; Mrs. L. M. Huyck,
Washington, Guard; Mrs. L. M. Ferguson, Washington, Color Bearer; Mrs. Ellen
Spencer Mussey, Referee, and Dr. Ida
Heiberger, Surgeon,
Mrs. Lewis appointed Mrs. Hoyt A.
Holton Corresponding Secretary, and Miss
Armes L. Little Recording Secretary both

Agnes I. Little, Recording Secretary, both of Washington.

National Council of Administration-Miss Harriet E. Hawley, Washington; Mrs. Avery, Ohio; Mrs. Mary T. Denein, New York; Mrs. Isabel Thonnay, New York; Mrs. A. E. Wilkinson, Washington; Mrs. Matilda E. Sprague, Washington; Mrs. Dennison, Ohio; Miss Jennie Megide, New Jersey, Mrs. Ferdieston, Ohio. Mrs. Dennison, Onio; Miss Jennie Mc-Bride, New Jersey; Mrs. Eggleston, Ohio; Mrs. Mary Thomas, Brooklyn; Mrs. Rose Wheeler, New Hampshire; Mrs. Royce, District of Columbia. Miss Clara Barton, of the Red Cross So-

ciety, was elected National Sponsor for

A son of Mrs. Lewis, the new President, was killed on the firing line at Santiago. Among the notable women at the Convention was Mrs. Capron, widow of Capt. Allyn K. Capron, of the Rough Riders, who was killed at the head of his troop during the first day's fight before Santiago. fore Santingo.
Commander-in-Chief Urell was given a

rousing reception upon his return from Detroit, Friday evening, by the local Spanish War Veterans, and his comrades of John A. Rawlins Post, G. A. R., and En-campment 69, Union Veterans' Legion.

Tons of Checks.

ioner Yerkes, of the Internal Commissioner Terkes, of the Internal Revenue Bureau, has been compelled to rent an outside building in which to receive and store checks and drafts bearing imprinted stamps now being sent in for redemption. The original act providing for the redemption of these imprinted stamps limited the time within which they goved by the received for redemption to the redemption of the redemption of these imprinted stamps limited the time within which they gove the received for redemption to the redemption of the redemption of these imprinted stamps limited the time within which they gove the redemption of the r could be presented for redemption to two years from the time they were purchased from the Government. Subsequently that

time was extended to Jan. 1, 1904.

Almost immediately after the act was passed banks and large business houses began sending in their surplus stocks, and in a short time the quantity had reached the point where the weight threatened the walls of the rooms and corridors where they were stored, necessitating a prompt removal. Up to this time 194 tons have been destroyed or returned to the senders after cancellation, and there are now about 60 tons on hand, with the daily receipts almost equal to the cancellations.

A Correction. EDITOR NATIONAL TRIBUNE: Will you permit me to correct an error in the issue of The National Tribune of Sept. 18? In the column devoted to the "National En-campment" the comrade, speaking of the battles of Franklin and Nashville, says of battles of Franklin and Nashville, says of the Fourth and Twenty-third Corps, "that they were reinforced by Brig.-Gen. A. J. Smith's detachment of the Fifteenth Corps." It should have read, "Was rein-forced by Maj.-Gen. A. J. Smith's detach-ment of the Army of the Tennuessee, Right Wing of the Sixteenth Corps."—P. C. Smith, 119th Ill., Kausas City, Mo.

Thanks to Representative Jett. The members of Samuel T. Hughes Post, 534, Department of Illinois, Collinsand Capt. Young, both of New York; Carl ville, Ill., have unanimously passed resolutions of gratitude to Hon. Thomas F. Jett, Representative, for his service in procuring for them a cannon, which has been received and mounted in the public square, and also for his eloquent and patriotic address on the occasion of the cannou being dedicated to the city. They feel all the more grateful to him because his action in their behalf was taken after the fortunes of politics had placed Mr. Jett outside of their Congressional District. They promised him their life-long appreciation and assistance at any time

in the future when it can be of any value. Sigel Monument.

A committee, of which Gen. Stewart L. Woodford is President, has started a movement to secure public aid in erecting a monument to Gen. Franz Sigel, who lied recently at his home in New York

## WHAT GOES UP

Must Come Down.

Nothing is more certain than that the use of so called tonics, stimulants and medicines, which depend upon alcohol for their effect, is injurious to health in the

In other words, many liquid patent medicines derive their effect entirely from the alcohol they contain.

sense a true tonic. In fact it is doubtful if any medicine or drug is a real tonic. A true tonic is something which will re-new, replenish, build up the exhausted nervous system and wasted tissues of the Liller has now severed body, something that will enrich the blood th the latter organization and endow it with the proper proportions of red and white corpuscles which pre-vent or destroy disease germs. This is what a real tonic should do and no drug

or alcoholic stimulant will do it.

The only true tonic in nature is wholesome food, thoroughly digested. particle of nervous energy, every minute muscle, fibre and drop of blood is created

daily from the food we digest. The mere eating of food has little to do with the repair of waste tissue but the perfect digestion of the food eaten has everything to do with it.

The renson so few people have perfect

digestion is because from wrong habits of living the stomach has gradually lost the power to secrete the gastric juice, pep-tones and acids in sufficient quantity. To cure indigestion and stomach troub-

les it is necessary to take after meals some harmless preparation which will sup-ply the natural peptone and diastase which every weak stomach lacks, and probably the best preparation of this character is Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets which may be by a rising vote on the recent death of found in every drug store and which con-den. W. H. Hubbell, of New York, late tain in pleasant palatable form the whole

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## PENSION POINTERS.

Inquiries Answered and Suggestions Made.

G. B., Wanpaca, Wis .- The only equalization bounty bill that passed Congress All the Land Wonders at the was vetoed by President Grant. The President has no power to return bills for amendment. He must approve, veto, or allow them to become a law without his

H. P., Cordz, Mo.—A child's pension is ordinarily the widow's rate with \$2 per mouth added. That is to say, child's pension under the act of 1890 is \$10 per month, and under the general law, \$14

W., Vincennes, Ind.—Technically the war of the rebellion did not come to a close till Aug. 20, 1866. In the administration of the pension laws the war i held to have practically closed by July 1, 1865. After April 2, 1866, hostilities were limited to the State of Texas. Boun-ties were offered and paid for enlistments in the volunteer army as late as April 30,1865, and for enlistments in the Regular Army as late as June 30, 1865. Enlighteents in loyal States after April 13, 1865, are held for pension purposes not to have been made in or for the war of the rebellion and any service rendered under rebellion, and any service rendered under such enlistments must be shown to have had a direct connection with the suppres-sion of the rebellion, in order to be pensionable under the act of 1890.

T. G. H., Grand Junction, Colo.-The T. G. H., Grand Junction, Colo.—The general law pension rate for actual loss of arm below the elbow or of leg below the knee is \$30, not \$24. The proposed pension bill, so far as it relates to general law pensions, does not propose to increase rates except where there is actual loss or disability of a limb. It does not propose to increase all those receiving certain rates of pension tain rates of pension.

Work of the Pension Office.

The report of certificates issued for the week ended Sept. 20 shows: Army Invalid: Original, 6; increase, 216; ceissue, 24; restoration, 1; renewal, 20; supdemental, 7; duplicate, 25; accrued, 103. To al, 402.

Army widows, etc.: Original, 50; reissue, 2; restoration, 1; renewal, 70; duplicate, 8, accrued, 2. Total, 133.
Navy Invalids: Restoration, 1; accrued, 2.

Total, 3.

Navy Widows, etc.: Original, 2.

Army Invalids (war with Spain): Original, 33; increase, 9; reissue, 1; duplicate, 1. Total, 44.
Army Widows, etc. (war with Spain): Ori-ginal, 2; reissue, 1. Total, 3. Navy Invalids (war with Spain): Original,

troubled with any kind of disease, and I will troubled the company, at that time a presence of the company, at that time a presence of the company, and since its introduction has been instrumental in curing thousands upon thousands of ailing people throughout the country of all manner of diseases, a number of which are enummental them to write to me and tell the presence of the cases and prescribe a simple home treatment which I positively guarantee to effect a complete cure, absolutely free of charge. I care not how serious their cases and prescribe a simple home treatment which I positively guarantee to effect a complete cure, absolutely dispose their cases and prescribe a simple home treatment which I positively guarantee to effect a complete cure, absolutely guarantee to enter the complete cure, absolutely guarantee to effect a co of diseases, a number of which are enumerated in the advertisement. The company desires no one's money whom Vitavore cannot positively benefit and for this reason do not offer the medicine for cash, but desire each person to test it before paying for it, and none need pay unless benefited and satisfied. The company is regarded as reliable, is well known to the reading public, have what they claim, and will do as they agree. A large number of our readers have already accepted this offer and can consequently testify concerning the merits of the medicine, but those who have not should not hesitate to give V. O. a trial according to the liberal offer made by the Theo. Noel Company.

me make them well. I feel that this is my life work."

So great is the sensation wrought in the medicial world by the wonderful cures performed by Prof. Adkin that several professional gentlemen were asked to lavestigate the cures. Among these gentlemen were Dr. L. B. Hawley, and Dr. L. G. Doane, both famous physicians and surgeons. After a thorough and palastaking investigation these famous physicians were so astonished at the far-reaching powers of Prof. Adkin and the wonderful efficacy of Vitaopathy that they contended to forsake all other ties in life and all other kinds of treatment and devote themselves to assisting Prof. Adkin his igreat work for humanity. With the discovery of the Adkin Vitaopathy treatment, eminent physicians are generally agreed that the treatment of disease has at last been reduced to an exact sclence.

Widows' Pensions.

EDITOR NATIONAL TRIBUNE: Under date of Sept. 19, there appeared in the Topeka Capital a special from Washing-ton on retrenchment in the allowance of pensions. Among other things the au-thor says:

"There are thousands of women draw-ing pensions from the Government simply because they are widows of men who drew pensions. These women married men after the war was over, many of them just before the soldiers' deaths, and now they claim the right to draw that soldier's pension. It is fair enough to give a pension to the widow of a soldier who was his wife before he drew a penbut I am in favor of a law that will prohibit the granting of a widow's pen-sion to any woman who married the sol-dier after he was granted Government

sion to any woman who married the solider after he was granted Government aid. Such a law would reduce the payment by many thousand dollars."

Any veteran who will give utterance to such diabolical rot is unworthy of membership in the G. A. R., and unworthy of confidence or respect of any man who were the blue or who delights in our country's history.

There may be isolated cases where the widow of an old soldier is not justly ensitled to a pension. But is there a general law on our statute books that works absolute justice in every case? If this writer's views were enacted into a law the present wives of all the unmarried boys who left the colleges, farms and stores at their country's call, served their country with unparalleled fidelity, came home crippled and maimed, and who could never have maintained a family but for the pension a grateful Government allowed them, and afterward married, would be placed under a ban. These wives, who are the mothers of the veterans' children; these wives, who for a lifetime have shared the mothers of the veterans' children; these wives, who for a lifetime have shared the mothers of the veterans' children; these wives, who for a lifetime have shared the mothers of the veterans' children; these wives, who for a lifetime have shared the mothers of the veterans' children; these wives who happened to have married a few years earlier shall be remembered. There are also many veterans who bear with who was startled, "How to be Cured and llow to Care Others." This book tells you exactly how Prof. Adkin, will cure you. It will also send you a copy of his marvelous new blook entitled, "How to be Cured and llow to Care Others." This book tells you exactly how you yourself may possess this great healing power and cure the sick around you.

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been the very personification of faithful-ness and loyalty; who have nursed and cared for the old soldier in his infirmity, been a mother to his children; they, too, according to the views of this parsi One or two of these excellent tablets taken after meals will prevent souring, fermentation and acidity and insure complete digestion and assimilation.

Street's Decrease Tablets are completed to the views of this parsimonious correspondent, must be neglected by their Government. As well might it be urged that if an old soldier has children born to him after he received Government aid, they should be disinherited by the

Government their father helped to perpetuate.
If this correspondent represents views of any Congressman, as he pre-tends, then it is safe to assume such Congressman is still a mourner for the Lost Cause.

If the writer represents his own views,

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The report of Adj't-Gen. L. C. Dyer the shows that during the past year the membership had increased from 12,000 to 138.

Wholesome food, and they are in every sense a genuine tonic because they bring about in the only natural way a restorative of nerve power, a building up of lost tissue and appetite, in the only way it issue and appetite, in the only way it freely or if he is a pensioner, his name should be dropped from the pension rolls.

F. M. Higgsson, Belleville, Kan.

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Navy Invalids (war with Spain): Original, I. Navy Widows, etc. (war with Spain): Original, 2. Army Invalids (act of June 27, 1800): Original, 240; increase, 686; additional, 82; resisue, 15; restoration, 2; renewal, 26; supplemental, 3; duplicate, 37; accrued, 149. Total, 1,240. Army Widows, etc. (act of June 27, 1800): Original, 254; increase, 1; reissue, 1; renewal, 1; supplemental, 3; duplicate, 8. Total, 268. Navy Invalids (act of June 27, 1800): Original, 1; increase, 2; additional, 1; renewal, 1; duplicate, 3; accrued, 1. Total, 25. Navy Widows, etc. (act of June 27, 1800): Original, 5. Mexican War Survivors: Increase, 3; resisue, 2; accrued, 2. Total, 27. Mexican War Widows; Original, 1. Indian Wars (1832-42) Survivors: Original, 2. Accrued, 2. Total, 4. Indian Wars (1832-42) Survivors: Original, 2. Totals—Original, 617; increase, 917; additional, 83; reissue, 66; restoration, 5; renewal, 118; supplemental, 13; duplicate, 82; accrued, 261. Total, 2,162.

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To National Tribune Readers.

The Theo. Noel Company are again making their offer to send a package of Vitea Ore on trial to every subscriber of The National Tribune, or friend recommended by readers, and every person in need of medicinal treatment of any kind should be certain to accept the same. Their offer occupies a large part of page 8 and all can profit by reading it through carefully. This medicine was discovered many years ago by Theo Noel, the president of the company, at that time a pressure bound of the company, at that time a pressure bound and the company, at that time a pressure bound as the clared, said Prof. Adklh, "that my powers are of God, they call nie a Divine header, a man of mysterious powers. This is not so. I care because I understand nature, because, and a restore health. But at the same time I believe that the Creator would not have given me the opportunity to make the discoveries I have made or the ability to develop them, if He had not intended that I should use them for the good for humanity. I therefore feel that it is my duty to give the benefit of the science I practice to all who are suffering. I want to me in the strictest confidence if they are to all who are suffering. I want to me in the strictest confidence if they are to me in the strictest confidence if they are to me in the strictest confidence if they are to me in the strictest confidence if they are to me in the strictest confidence if they are to me in the strictest confidence if they are to me in the strictest confidence if they are to me in the strictest confidence if they are to me in the strictest confidence if they are to all who are suffering. I want to me in the strictest confidence if they are to all who are suffering. I want to me in the strictest confidence if they are to all who are suffering. I want to me in the strictest confidence if they are to all who are suffering. I want to me to the suffering transport to be a suffering to the suffering transport to be a suffering to the suffering tr

treatment of disease has at last been reduced to an exact science.

In all some 8,000 men and women have been cured by the powers of Prof. Adkin. Some were blind, some were lame, some were deaf, some were paralytics, scarcely able to move, so great was their infirmity. Others were afflicted with Bright's disease, heart disease, consumption, and other so-called incurable diseases. Some were sufferers from kidney trouble, dyspepsia, nervous debility, insomnia, neuralgia, constipation, rheumatism, female troubles, and other similar ills. Some were men and women addicted to tism, female troubles, and other similar Ills. Some were men and women addicted to drunkenness, morphine and other evil habits. In all cases Prof. Adkin treats he guarantees a cure. Even those on the brink of the grave, with all hope of recovery gone and despaired of by doctors and friends alike, have been restored to perfect health by the force of Vitaopathy and Prof. Adkin's marvelous skill. And, remarkable as it may seem, distance has made no difference. Those living far away have been cured in the privacy of their own homes, as well as those who have been treated in person. Prof. Adkin asserts that he can cure any one at any distance as well as though he stood before them.

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Who is Rt7

EDITOR NATIONAL TRIBUNE: I have in my possession a badge with the following inscription: "Wm. W. Eaton, Co. I, 1st Regt. Mass. Volunteers (Hooker's Division)." I would be pleased to have it returned to the owner or his relatives upon proper proof being submitted to myself.

James W. Webb. Rankin's Post, 10, 13

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Forsyth Post 15, Toledo, Mrs. Beal, 201
E Street Northwest.
Old Guard, Dayton, Washington Hall,
Third and Pennsylvania Ave. Southeast,
Relief Corps, 135 Carroll Street South-Memorial Post, Cleveland, free quarters. Bulkley Post, Akron, 215 East Capitol

Woman's Relief Corps, The Ebbitt. OKLAHOMA-Senate Hotel, 225 Pennsylvania Ave.

PENNSYLVANIA-

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Post 58, Harrisburg, 621 Seventh Street Northwest. Hay's Post, Pittsburg, the Litchfield. Anna Ross Post, Philadelphia, 201 East Capitol Street.

Zook Post, Norristown, Amazon House.

McLean Post, Reading, La Fetra's

McPherson Post, Pittsburg, Howellton Iouse.
Abe Patterson Post, Allegheny, Ardmore Hotel.

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Lincoln Post, Shamokin, 1435 Rhode
Island Ave.
John A. Koltes Post, 228, Cutler House,
222 Third Street Northwest.
Post 11, Norristown, Ennerson House,
602 Pennnsylvania Ave.
Post 41, Pittsburg, 215 East Capitol
Street.

U. S. Grant, Philadelphia, 215 East Apitol.
Ladies of G. A. R., 1213 I Street North-

Ротомас-Grand Army Hall, 1412 Pennsylvania Ave.
Woman's Relief Corps, Wimodoughsis,
14th and New York Ave.

RHODE ISLAND-The Normandie. Slocum Post, 937 K Street Northwest.

SOUTH DAKOTA-Elsmere.

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#### **ENCAMPMENT NOTES.**

Comrade E. W. Elliot, Assistant Adju-tant-General, Department of Washington and Alaska, Walla Walla, Wash., writes: "The Union Veterans of the Pacific The Union Veterans of the Pacinic Coast States are all alive in anticipation of the coming Encampment of the G. A. R. at Washington City. Every one that can in any way get there will be in line for the last grand parade down Pennsylvania Avenue. The State of Washington will, for this far away State, send quite a large delegation. Department Comp a large delegation, Department Com-mander B. C. Bedell and his staff will be in Washington Oct. 6. Department Headquarters will be established at 721 12th street, between G and H, where all

veiled and dedicated Thursday, Oct. 9. A fine program has been arranged. The mae program has been arranged. The most prominent speakers will be Lieut.-Col. Wm. C. Alborger, of San Francisco, Cal., and Geo. H. Selkirk, of Buffalo, N. Y. It is expected and hoped that a goodly number of the boys will be present. Committee — A. H. McKeloy, Nehemiah Sperry, Jos. D. Wilder.

MASSACHUSETTS—
Cochram.
Post 19, Fitchburg, Central Union Mission.
Post 53, Leominster, McCauley's Hall, 209 Pennsylvania Avenue Southeast.
Post 15, Boston, Washington Hall, 200 Pennsylvania Avenue and Third Street Southeast.
Reynolds Post, Weymouth, Mrs. Anna M. Baden, 211 A Street Southeast.
MICHIGAN—
The Arlington.
Post 17, Detroit, Mrs. Hughes, 1012
Fifteenth Street Northwest.

MINNESOTA—

The local lodge of Elks is preparing to Contract the public in general is invited, especially the G. A. R. and all kindred patriotic Orders. The Society of the Daughters of Veterans is composed of the loyal daughters of the soldiers and sailors of '61 to '65, who are banded together to perpetuate their memory, brighten their path through life, help their widows and orphans, and assist the G. A. R. in any way they can, and it will be a pleasure to them to grasp the hand of every soldier at this reception.

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The local lodge of Elks is preparing to entertain in lavish style the members of the Grand Army of the Republic who are

Mrs. Calista Robinson Jones, National President of the Woman's Relief Corps, has issued very handsome invitations to the reception which the National President and her staff will tender to Gen. Torrance and his staff on Wednesday evening, Oct. 8, at Convention Hall. While invitations have been issued to peo-ple prominent in the two Orders and in public life, all comers will be welcome, and there will be room for all. Convention Hall is the largest hall ever used for reception purposes at a Grand Army En-

Play Ball.

Fitzgerald, Ga., Sept. 20, 1902. EDITOR NATIONAL TRIBUNE: At a meet EDITOR NATIONAL TRIBUNE: At a meeting of Post 17, Department of Georgia and South Carolina, G. A. R., held at Fitzgerald, Ga., this day, I was appointed a committee of one to inform you that we are coming to the Encampment, and, further, that we hereby challenge any Post or city (Washington preferred) to meet or city (Washington preferred) to meet us on the diamond and play us a game of baseball for fun or marbles. The only conditions being that our opponents must be all old veterans, and that they wear no spikes in their shoes, so they may not disable us or themselves in falling over us. We are in earnest in this matter, and leave it with you to arrange it for us. We are coming about 40 strong, and want to show to the world that the old vets are still on earth and some, at least, know how to play ball.—A. W. KEENY, O. D., Post 17.



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to the White Lot in the locality assigned
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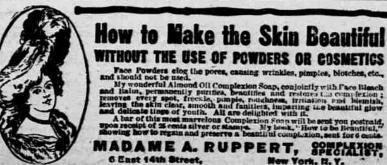
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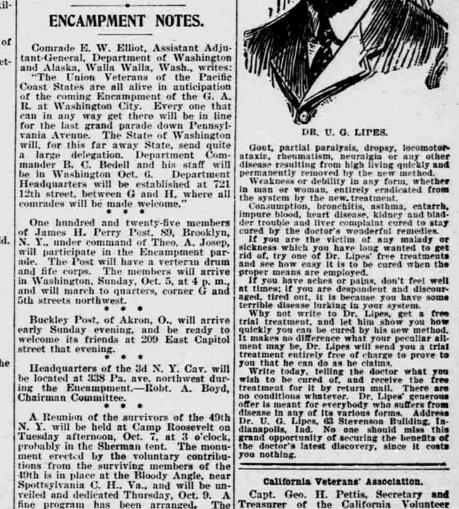
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