

## FME INVOLVES NT BY GENERAL MANAGER.

s presented to the Los Angeles ill proclaim a special election on for a city manager and a board addition to the mayor and city iments are adopted at the eleche the first city of its size in have a general manager. ints as drafted, only the mayor wied. The manager will be ap-uncil, subject to the veto power manager in turn shall appoint who will supersede various city will be under civil service rules. have charge of the municipal for will be president of the city

will take part in the deliberat without a vote.

sound reason why they should time at knitting wrist-bands, s for the soldiers. The purld lend it a dignity and they hoever caught them at it. You me why I do not do it myself, minute if I were not kept so iting machine. Even at that ny hand at it before the winter

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TURKISH TROOPS KILL CHRISTIANS. Athens, November 23.—A despatch from Constan-tinople says that a large force of Turkish troops, transferred from Adviatinople to Trebizond, Asia-Minor asked all the chemeratic ally agreed upon scale of prices to the chemeratic ally agreed upon scale of prices to the same as that practically agreed upon scale of prices to the same as that practically agreed upon

WITHDRAW FROM MEXICO. Washington, November 23.-Secretary of War Gar-rison announced to-day that General Funston has notified him that all the American soldiers and mar-ines at Vera Cruz will be embarked at noon to-day and would sail immediately. for the United States.

GERMAN BOMBARDMENT HEAVY.

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Paris, November 23.-It is officially announced that the Cathedral at Ypres has been damaged and numerous houses have been set on fire by the German bombardment which is particularly heavy against that town.

FIGHTING IN THE STREETS. Vera Cruz, November 23 .- Unconfirmed rumors are current that Zapatistas have attacked Mexico City and that fighting is going on in the streets.

NO DECISIVE RESULT. Berlin, via Wireless, November 23.—The following official report from the German General Staff was eccived here to-day :-

"On the 22nd the situation in the eastern theatre of the war was unchanged. In Poland the fighting for victory is still going on. The struggle south of Plock in the region of Lodz and near Czestochowa continued."

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be under the direction of A. H. Wiggin, chairman of The plan is the same as that practically agreed upon

transferred from Adriatinople to Trebizond, Asia-Minor, sacked all the shops of Christians in the latter town and killed three Christians. to be changed daily if in the judgment of the committee conditions warrant.

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