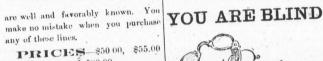




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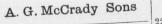
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Uncle Sam Will Have to Pay Them. Santiago de Cuba, Aug. 16.—A secret meeting was held last night at the Palace between the commanding officers of the American army and the Cuban leaders. The strictest secrecy was maintaihed, but it can be said with good authority that General Garcia was present. The meeting lasted one hour and a half. The informa-tion obtained is to the effect that the Cuban situation was thoroughly review-ed, and that it was resolved to disband the Cuban army, and that the United States should pay the men off. This involves the exponditors of \$15,000,000, but it is most important to the prosperity of the island, whose wealth is entirely agricultural, nobody, planter or farmer, daring to cultivate his lands. while in-surgents are in the field, raiding and burning. Uncle Sam Will Have to Pay Them. ALL READY FOR BUSINESS!

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Shipment of Spanish Soldiers

Saniparent of Spanish Soldiers. Sanitago de Cuba, Aug. 16.—The Spanish steamer Isla de Luzon sailed yesterday morning for Spain, having on board 9,186 Spanish soldiers. The Isla Panay will probably sail to-day.

Rough Riders Returned. # York, Aug. 16.-The Rough s are home. With Col. Theodore of and Fighting Joe Wheeler they reached Montauk Point. They came e transport Miami.

Bring along your cash and I will convince you of the fact. E. A. PIERCE, Delta

Lightning Struck Soldwas Lithia Springs, Ga., Aug. 16.-During a terrific blunderstorm here lightning struck Carop Holson. Soven soldiers are in the hospital seriously hurt. BRITAIN AND RUSSIA.

John Bull Will, It Is Said, Demand That Li Hung Chang Be Dismissed From Office. FLORAL WORK

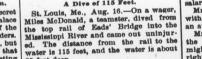
London, Aug. 16.—The Forsign Office, was reported here yesterday. though a report as yet lacks confirmation. in-ids to demand that the Chinese Govtends to demand that the Chinese Gov-ernment dismiss Prince Li Hung Chang from power on the ground that he is responsible for the recent anti-British attitude of the Tsung Li Yamen. J. HAY & SONS, BROCKVILLE Cabinet

Santiago de Cuba, Aug. 16.—Trouble with the Cubans is breeding. Their atti-tude is one of sullen hossility towards America. The better class in Cuba favor the annexation of the island to the United States, and a majority of the masses are ready to work and accept the shelter and protections afforded by an American pro-tectorate; but they are influenced by a cortain class of rabid corators and breeders of sedition and rebellion against anything smacking of law and order. This inflags-matory class demands and urges the recognition of Cuba for Cubans and sources all offers or suggestions tending behind the nead and mined instanty, although the engineer tried to attract his attention by whistling. He seemed not to notice it. Mr. Dewey was about 70 years of age. He leaves a wife, who is at rears of age. He leaves a wife, present visiting relatives in Chief

Killed in the Klendike. Killed is the scientific. Ottawa, Aug. 16.—A letter received in the city announces that Francois Mar-leau, son of Napoleon Marleau of Hull, has been suffocated to death while dig-ging a claim in the Klondike. He was overcome by the gas, He let for the gold fields about two years ago, and is sup-posel to have accumulated considerable wealth. ecognition of Cuba tor suggestions tending purns all offers or suggestions tending o prosperity under an American protoc-orate and excites popular discontent. Their advice to the Cubans is to repudiwealth.

Their advice to the Cubans is to reputi-tate all offers of peace or a cessation of hostilities, and to look upon the armistice as an agreement between the United States and Spain on their own account and not binding upon the free and inde-pendent state of Cuba, whose liberati army not only repudiates pacification, but will ignore the armistice to the point of continuing to wage war and shooting every Spaniard in the field. Governor of New Guines Governor of New Guines. London, Aug. 16.—The Queen has approved the appointment of Mr. George Ruthven le Hunte, C.M.G., Colonial Seoretary of Mauritins, to be Lieutenant-Governor of British New Guinea, in succession to Sir William MacGregor, M.D., K.C.M.G., O.B., who is retiring from that office.

A Dive of 115 Feet



25 feet deep. Barrie Votes for Municipal Lighting. Barrie, Aug. 16.—By a majority of 170 bees in a total of 586 freeholders of this two carried a bylaw yesterday to raise

35,000 for the ins ectric lighting plant.

Portaguese Gevernment Resigns. Lisbon, Aug. 16.—The Ministry has resigned and Senor Lucanio has been charged with the task of forming a new Cohinet

A War Correspondent Dead. Hail Destreys 20,000 Acres of Grain Hail Destreys 30,000 Acres of Orani-Carring'on, N.D., Aug. 16.—A hall storm, destroying 20,000 acres of grain has swept over the western part of Fosts and Eddy Counties. Oddfellow Omcers Elected.

A war Correspondent Dead. London, Aug. 16.-Mr. A. F. Mac-donald, who accompanied the expedition which was sent out in the hope of rescu-ing General Gordon from Khartoum, as correspondent, is dead. The deceased was by bisth a Cahadian.

and Eddy Contexts. Oddfellow Officers Elected. Galt, Ont., Aug. 12.—The second day's session of the Grand Lodge of the 7.6 O.F. convened at 9 e'clock yestenday. All the grand officers were elected by acola-mation, with the exception of the grand warden. The ether officers elected were: J. E. Farewall, Whitby, Grand Master; James McClung, Woodteok, Deputy Grand Master; J. B. King, Toronto, Grand Storstary (7.W. J. McCormack, To-ronto, Grand Trasurer; Harry White, P. G. M., three-year director for the Odd-fellows' Homes Charles Packers, audi-tor. P. G. Lawse of Chatham, after three ballots, was chosen Grand, Warden. Sorry That Col. Hay Is Leaving. Borry That Cel. Hay is Leaving. London, Aug. 16.—The afternoon papers, wikhout exception, express regret at the probable return of Ambassador Hay to the United States to succeed Secretary Day.

ballots, was oncent outside the second secon

that the matters could have been arranged so that the necessity of a special session would have been preclud-ed. He urged, howeve, since the present session was a fact, the the bill be con-sidered without haste, and reserved any singent and a hostile crowd, which had gathered, and was awaiting their arrival. Stones and other missiles were thrown and many persons were slightly injured, and a number of windows were broken. tidered without haste, and reserved any urther remarks till it reached the com-

Barn and Season's Crop Bu

Bara and Scason's Crop Burned. Highfield, Aug. 16.—A spark from a passing train sot fire to the stubble in a field belonging to Peter Wardlaw, con-cession A, Etoblocke, and before it was observed had spread to the barn. The last load of grain off 90 acres was stand-ing on the threshold, and when it was run out it was in fiames. The whole of this season's crop was consumed, together with some pigs, live stock and imple-ments. Much difficulty was experienced in saving the house.

mittee stage. "" Mr. Heyle's Suggestions. Mr. Heyle's Suggestions. Mr. Hoyle, as representing North Ontario, a constituency largely interested, congratulated the Government upon getting the decision from the Privy Council, and made a few suggestions. Learning from the Attorney-General shat is matter of obstructions along the uged some restrictions in this matter, sepocially as the obstructions along the Beaver and Severn Rivers were found an inconvenience to anglers in his riding. Paople, he thought, should have the opportunity to fish without being com-poind to go 15 miles to do so. He also suggested that the game wardens, as not being overburdened with work, might take upon themselves the duties of fisher-ies largeotors, and avoid the expense of salaries of new appointees. Mr. Foy wanted the bill consolidated with the Fisheries bill, to which it was an amendment. Mr. Hardy thought this might involve A Burglar Attacks s Women. Berlin, Ont., Aug. 16.—Mrs. M. F. Anthes had occasion to go down stairs for something for the baby, when she was accosted by a midnight marauder, who endeavored to choke her. Her screams were heard by her brother, who slept in the house. He quickly got his revolver and chased the burglars away, fring three shots after them. There is no clue to the thisres, who got little or nothing.

Mr. Hardy thought this might involve Orange and Green.

might deprive the province of pos rights now in dispute. Orange and Green. Ottawa, Aug. 16.—As the Orange Young Britons of Ottawa, several hun-dred strong, were marching to church Sunday in celebration of the opening of the Darry gates, they encountered a funeral of a prominent Catholio. While the cortege passed the bands ceased play-ing and the procession stood with heads bared, winning for themselves the thanks of a host of Catholies. The Battle Begins Afresh To-Day. The bill will come up in committee of the whole on Thursday. To day the Con-table bill will be introduced.

stable bill will be introduced.
In response to Mr. Whitney's protest,
Mr. Hardy decided practically not to ask
the House to sit mornings. Prorogation
this wook is a possibility.
Mr. John. Richardson, M.P.P., (East
York), denied that he had been approached
ed with the offer of the job of Fisheries
Inspector, or that his constituency would
be opened for Hon. John Dryden.

An Explanation.

Mr. Hoyle's Suggestion

Cataract Fewer From Hamilton. Hamilton, Aug. 16.—In a very few days the Cataract Power Company will be supplying power to Hamilton concerns from the turbines near St. Catharines. The wiring is completed and the machin-ery is now being tested. It is said that 5,000 horse-power is available

SPORTING.

SPORTING. Sir Thomas Lipton's challenge for the America's Cup with his yacht Shamrock has been accepted by the New York Yacht Club. Commodore Amelius Jarvis of Teronto will sall Henrich Duggan's (Mentreal) Catamaten half-rate in the Seawanbaka-Corinthias cup races at Lake St. Louis Esturday. The race is an international one.

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