Halting on The Brink.

Boers Assembling Their Armed Host but Hold back the Fateful Word.

Doubtful Whether Their Hope Is for Peace or for Rainfall Now at Hand.

Heavy Indemnity as Well as Disarmament in Mr. Chamberlain's Mind.

By Associated Press.

Free State should appeal for arbitration ish lines of communication, but would under the arrangements concluded at seriously interfere with the forward

The Hague.

The Daily News, which appeals to the government to await President Kruger's reply before sending a second despatch, says: "If, as has been asserted on besays: "If, as has been asserted on besays: "Transyaal, all trouble would are supposed to a Boer incursion, a British post will be established at Rorke's Drift.

The Birmingham Post says: "Two

Liberal leader, and Mr. Herbert Gladernment stone, the chief Liberal whip, will are assure the

European Interest.

London, Sept. 28.-The Press Association issued the following statement this evening: "We learn that the centres of interest in the Transvaal controversy are really at Lisbon and Berlin, and this consideration, it is thought in some quar-ters, may cause a further adjournment

The future administration and finan-"The future administration and financial control of the Portuguese possess the event of war breaking out with the sisions in South Africa are held to be an integral factor in the present difficulty. The friends of President Kruger urge of infantry, cavalry and artillery. Col. The friends of President Kruger urge of infantry, cavalry and artillery. Col. Otter D. O. C., it is said, will command that it would be manifestly unfair to insist upon a partial reductions of the forts at Pretoria and Johannesburg as long as at Pretoria and Johannesburg as long as the event of war breaking out with the bother two branches.

The contingent, it is stated, will of Nanaimo harbor will have been completed by the end of this year.

A special trip to Sooke is to be made by the Oscar in the course of a few days. Treatment of infantry, cavalry and artillery. Col. It is said, will command on the course of a few days. The friends of the Roman Forum.

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Jondon, Sept. 29.—Ine Odessa ("A pondent of the Standard telegraphs: "A rumor is heard that Germany recently suggested to Russia the advisability of mediation between Great Britain and the Transvaal, and that Russia declined to have anything to do with the matter."

London, Sept. 28.—A despatch to the Daily Mail from Charlestown says: "Commandeering is proceeding in the Wakkerstroom district and probably throughout the Transvaal. Two thousand Boers are assembled at Wakkerstroom, which is eight miles from the Nastroom, which is eight miles from the Nastroom and send a force of 200 men to the stroom, which is eight miles from the Natal tal border and eleven from Laing's Nek.
Twelve hundred have been ordered to Sandispet, 15 miles west of the Natal boundary, where they will meet the Orange Free State Artillery, which has been lying low in this neighborhood for a fortnight.

Boers Taking the Field.

The Pretoria correspondent of the Daily Telegraph says: "The Transvaal Daily Telegraph says: "The Transvaal executive is absorbed in war preparations, Many Boers oppose aggressive action on religious grounds. There have been local thunder storms and rains at Johannesburg and at various parts of the Orange Free State.

Free State Openly Hostile. London, Sept. 28.—The resolution of the volksraad of the Orange Free State join with the Transvaal in the event of hostilities, although fully expected, is the leading news to-day, and will, na-turally, stiffen the Boers' independent attitude. The raad's resolution has made the brotherhood of arms between the Orange Free State and the Transvaal, of which hitherto there was only a strong probability, an absolute certainty, and the British will have to face the situ

red between European races will be born which will arrest and retard the peaceful development in the states and colonies of Africa, and develop a distrust of

"Feeling that the solemn duty restaupon it of doing everything possible to avoid the shedding of blood;

"Considering that the Transvaal gov-crument, during its negotiations with the Imperial government, which have extended over several months, has made every the Idzu Maru is still at that port with

Forces Lining Up.

London, Sept. 29—The Daily Chronicle Boers would have taken the initiative by

London, Sept. 29—The Daily Chronicle says: "We understand on the best authority that the delay attending the Boer reply is due to hopes still entertained by the Transvaal of a peaceful settlement. The Boers distrust Mr. Chamberlain. They fear that if they make concessions he will only increase his demands; therefore they have been trying to approach Lord Salisbury directly. They trust the Premier as much as they distrust the Colonial Secretary. If Lord Salisbury would give a pledge that the golden bridge was meant seriously, they would venture upon it. "We regret to say that this last desperate effort has broken down, since Lord Salisbury cannot go behind Mr. Chamberlain without creating a cabinet crisis. It is deplorable, nevertheless, that state etiquette should be strong enough to obstruct the path to peace. "We hope it is not true that Mr. Chamberlain intends to demand disarmament, a heavy indemnity, and the withdrawal of Dr. Leyds, which could only result in war."

The paper suggests that the Orange Free State should appeal for arbitration under the arrangements concluded at movement.

reply before sending a second despatch, says: "If, as has been asserted on behalf of the Transvaal, all trouble would have been avoided had Mr. Chamberiain's despatch last Friday said 'convention,' instead of 'conventions,' we do not believe a British cabinet would decline to clear the matter up. It is for President Kruger to speak. It is indeed only a matter of a consonant, for we are convinced that it is in his power to get the consonant cut off."

London, Sept. 28.—Mr. Chamberlain arrived at the foreign office this aftermoon. The cabinet council is summoned to meet at 10:30 to-morrow morning. Speaker Gully is returning to London, and Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, the Liberal leader, and Mr. Herbert Gladstone, the chief Liberal whip, will arrive here Monday. franchise will secure peace, other ques-tions being dealt with by the Republic gradually or by arbitration, all existing differences will disappear."

A Canadian Contingent.

Toronto, Sept. 28.-It is reported cal military circles that the government has completed all the necessary plans for despatching a Canadia contingent of troops to South Africa to co-operate with the British forces the event of war breaking out with the

Halifax, Sept. 28.—Major Borden, commander of the Queen's Nova Scotia Hussars, has offered the services of his troops to the British secretary of state

Grenadiers to the Cape.

London, Sept. 28 .- As the Second Battalion of Grenadiers embarked on a ransport at Gibraltar for London this afternoon they received a "hurry call" ordering them to proceed to the Cape, for which place they start to-morrow. Mules for Transport.

New York, Sept. 28.—The British government chartered steamers yesterday in Liverpool of the Elder-Dempster line to sail for New Orleans and load mules, supplies, forage and teamsters for some

South African port.

The first of the vessels will be due in that port October 4th or 5th, and the second a few days later. One will carry 00 and the other 1,200 mules.

WILL SAIL ON SATURDAY. Damage to the Barbara Boscowitz Ne cessitates but a Short Stay on the the Blocks.

"The resolution of the President's speech and the official documents and correspondence submitted of her submerging at Aberdeen-on-Skeena, (thanks to the official neglect which permitted that old ice-breaker to remain the control of the strained state of the strai The "old reliable Barbara Boscowitz" a menace to navigation) that she will be Africa, which has arisen in consequence of the differences between the Imperial government and the government of the Transvaal which threatens to lead to hostilities with calamitous consequences, which to the which inhabitants will be immeasurable;

"Being connected with the Transvaal by closest confederacy and standing in the friendliest relations possible with the Imperial government, fearing that if war should break out between them, a hatred between European races will be born which will arrest and retard the peace-

STUCK AT PORT TOWNSEND.

Washington Authorities Also Asked for a Ruling as to Oriental Dysentery.

endeavor to arrive at a peaceful solution of the differences raised by aliens of the Transvaal, and taken up by the Imperial government as its own cause, which endeavors have unfortunately had only this result, that British troops were concentrated on the borders of the Transvaal and are still being strengthead;

"Resolved, that we instruct the government to still use every means to maintain and insure peace, and in a peaceful manner contribute towards a solution of the existing difficulties, provided it be deemed not violating the honor and the principles of the Orange Free State and the Transvaal, and wish the ministry to make known its opinion that there exists no cause for war, and that war against the Transvaal, as now undertaken, or occasioned by the Imperial government, will morally be war against the whole white population of Africa, and in its consequences criminal for come what may, the Orange Free State will honestly and faithfully fulfil its obligations towards the Transvaal by virtue of the political alliance between the two republics."

Forces Lining Up.

ed from their vessel and were lost in a tog. The Pheasant also brings news Forces Lining Up.

London, Sept. 28.—A cable despatch to the Times from Capetown says: "The Boers would have taken the initiative by Borealis, Captain Harold, boarded three Borealis, Captain Harold, boarded three Captain Harold, boarded three Borealis, Captain Harold, boarded three Bor Borealis, Captain Harold, boarded three times, last on September 11, had 336 skins; Walter L. Rich, Captain Coles, boarded September 11, had 468 skins; Ocean Belle, Captain Lavender, boarded September 11, had 491 skins; Penelope, Captain D. G. Macaulay, boarded August 17, had then 170 skins.

News is received from the North that the United States revenue cutter Grant's cruise along the Aleutian group in search of the steamer Pelican, missing

search of the steamer Pelican, missing since October 12, 1897, was unsuccessful. The cutter Perry also had an unful. The cutter Perry also had an unful. successful cruise in search of the missing schooner Lady George, which sailed a year ago from St. Michael, for Puget

GOSSIP OF THE WATER FRONT.

Steamer Utopia has been formally passed by United States Inspector Bryant as in good condition, and suitable for the Victoria-Puget Sound run to which she has temporarily returned. The people who travel might not have given her s good a certificate of character, and will be glad to learn that the Victorian is

expected to resume service on Saturday—this time it is hoped to stay.

Steamer Tees was at the Brackman & Ker wharf yesterday, loading a large consignment of hay and grain. Sailing for the North towards midnight, she had about 200 tons for the White Pass & Yukon railway company, and half as much more for the Victoria-Yukon Co.

Floadway and Fifth avenue and a million flags flutter over the town. Not Honolulu, in practically the same place where the Miowera came to grief two years ago. She was en route from New York for the Hawaiian capital with nitrate cargo.

Britin avenue and a million flags flutter over the town. Not even the churches have escaped the general decorations.

A million visitors are here to participate in the glorious celebration. The Chicago Reports Receipt of Large Order

from Honolulu, to load a return cargo and the official visits the Admiral receivof lumber. Steamers Capilano and Coquitlam time to breathe.

Icarus from Behring sea manan at 6 last evening. Bark J. D. Peters is en route North rom San Francisco for a return cargo the long stream of salutes continued without interruption all day.

Ship Langdale shifts to the inner har-

cargo. Will Go to the Asylum.—Mary Troy, a middle aged woman, who has been living by herself near Parson's Bridge and the actional capital and Major-middle aged woman, who has been living by herself near Parson's Bridge and the actional capital and Major-middle aged woman, who has been living the actional capital and Major-middle aged woman, who has been living the actional capital and Major-middle aged woman, who has been living the actional capital and Major-middle aged woman, who has been living the actional capital and Major-middle aged woman, who has been living the action of the actional capital and Major-middle aged woman, who has been living the action of the actio trouble, was brought to the city by Sergeant Langley yesterday, adjudged insane, and will be sent to the asylum today. For some time the woman has refused to eat anything, subsisting on wild peas and berries gathered in the woods. She first came before the public some years ago when she got in front of a train on the E. & N. railway and had part of a foot taken off. A few months ago she caused some amusement by advertising for a husband.

the honors befitting their rank, but the climax was not reached until Governor Roosevelt of New York came down the bay, accompanied by Gen. Francis V. Greene, some officers of the New York Naval Militia and several of Dewey's captains at Manila, including Capt. Dyer, of the Baltimore, Capt. Wood, of a train on the E. & N. railway and had part of a foot taken off. A few months ago she caused some amusement by advertising for a husband.

Muir, accountant in the offices of Messrs, R. Dunsmuir & Sons, was unit-ed in marriage to Miss Caroline Hemington Green, the youngest daughter of Mr. A. Green. Rev. W. Leslie Clay officiated, the groom being supported by Mr. J. E. Martin, and Miss Berridge and Miss H. M. Green attended the After the ceremony a reception was held when Mr. and Mrs. Muir received the congratulations of a large circle of friends. They received numerous handome presents. As the couple left the ouse to board the steamer Islander on their way to Vancouver and the Sound cities they were lustily cheered and given a parting shower of rice and old shoes.

The Hot Bird Comes High.-It necessary for one to have a good paying claim, if not a bouquet of them, behind im, to indulge in the luxury of a cole of the and hot bird at Dawson, withou visions of impending bankruptcy disturb-ing the appetite. Here is an extract from the Hoffman House bill of fare for from the Hoffman House bill of fare for the 10th instant, published in the Gleaner of that date: "Grouse, whole, \$4: reed birds, \$2: teal duck, \$3; mallard duck (one-half), \$3; prime beef, \$1.50; spring chicken (one-half), \$3.50; radishes, 50c.; lettuce, 50c.; fresh tomatoes, 50c.; cucumbers, 50c." After place of the characteristic place of the scene of the collision.

The horse also established in the was not injured. The horse also established in jury, having left the buggy at the scene of the collision.

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New Tack of Inspector Calls For Reference of the collision and the picturesque strait he was not injured. The horse also established in jury, having left the buggy at the scene of the collision. looking at this programme the chee-chake usually decides he isn't hungry, the latest arrived of the N. Y. K. liners.

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Pageant.

to Eclipse Anything Yet Seen in America.

Line Will Be Nine Miles Long With Half Million People Afloat.

Olympia Overrun With Visitors-**Governor Roosevelt and** Army Officers.

By Associated Press. New York, Sept. 28.-New York is

decked like a bride in honor of the gal- to visit that city next month. He goes Steamer Oscar was at Tacoma yesterday, discharging 150 tons of Mount Sicker ore for the smelter. She goes from the City of Destiny to Lummi Island, butting grace the noble buildings of Governor Roosevelt. there to receive salmon for delivery here Broadway and Fifth avenue and a mil-

British ship Drumblair has declined gaily apparelled soldiers of many states the transport engagement offered her by the United States government, and will carry out her original charter for wheat from Puget Sound to the United King-

England, with anchor and chain gone and windlass broken. She was en route from Hamburg for Puget Sound.

Charles Wurtele, who succeeds J. K. Rogers in the management here of the G. N. R. and Nippon Yusen Kaisha interests, is to take charge of the Victoria office next Monday.

Engineer Roy of the department of public works hopes that the deepening of Nanaimo harbor will have been completed by the end of this year.

Uniformed members of the staff from London yesterday to a firm of horse dealers at the Union stock-yards to buy up all the 1200-pound 'gunners' the Western market afforded, and make arrangements for immediate shipment. Stress was laid upon the fact that the animals were wanted for the impending South African campaign, and the commission was finished, and stands a superb tribute to the nation's hero. It is more beautiful than the arch of the Roman Forum.

ed scarcely gave him, and his officers troops to the British secretary of state have been chartered to carry rails to The Jackies got the medals which confor the colonies, for duty in the Trans- Skagway for the White Pass road extenplayed them to the various visitors un A warship, supposed to be H.M.S. til Jeffries, the pugilist, came aboard carus from Behring sea passed Car
Jack loves a fighter, and while the pugil ist was aboard the tars were obliving all else. Owing to the stream of officials

or Saturday to discharge her general head of the Washington committee, called to submit the programme for ception at the national capital and Major ng by herself near Parson's Bridge and the army. They were received with all the army. They were received with all the waters to survey the islands of the honors befitting their rank, but the Aleutian group near Unimak Pass. The reant Langley yesterday, adjudged inago she caused some amusement by advertising for a husband.

Muir-Green.—At the residence of the bride's parents, Heywood avenue, Beacon hill, last evening Mr. Douglas D. Muir, accountant in the offices of Messrs. R. Dunsmuir & Sons, was unit.

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W. G. Stevenson returned yesterday from California where he went to attend the State fair races at Sacramento, in which his mare Fannie Putnam took

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officers.
While considerable powder was flung part. while considerable powder was flung into smoke down the bay more will be burned to morrow during the great naval pageant of the Hudson river. The marine parade, unless it is marred by bad weather, which the local forecast unfortunately predicts, is expected to eclipse all previous water pageants on this side of the world. It is expected that the line will be nine miles long and half a million people will be afloat. To-night "The Burglar," written by Augustus Thomas, will be the bill.

Brown shot himself in the right temple in his room at the Queen's hotel. In his coat was found a letter in which he devanted house last evening, when they presented Dickens' famous masterpiece "Oliver Twist." The various roles were in capable hands, Miss Woodthorpe as "Nancy" being especially strong in the great murder scene. To-night "The Burglar," written by Augustus Thomas, will be the bill. half a million people will be afloat. Tonight there was a preliminary illumina tion of rare beauty.

DEWEY'S WELCOME HOME.

remendous Greeting From Assembled Fleets as Olympia Moves to Post of Honor.

New York, Sept. 27.-Through frolicksteel-walled men-of-war as their stately ship glided up to her position at the head chicken at \$7 per are a trifle like the new Banquet 4-inch collar—they come great naval pageant starts on Friday.

From the Nanaimo Free Press

swarmed with tugs, yachts and steamers and every sort of harbor craft, all jet-black with wild, cheering, exalting people, while the towering white walls of the city beyond were brave with a million welcoming flags. To-day's greeting to Dewey was the greeting of his comrades of the navy, and it was eminently fitting that his comrades in arms should have the first chance at him whom the millions are waiting to honor. The people will begin to get at him on Friday and Saturday.

COL. HUGHES CALLED DOWN. Too Hasty in Recruiting For Transvaal-Minto Cannot Visit Chicago-

From Our Own Correspondent. Ottawa, Sept. 27.—Gen. Hutton has written a sharp note to Col. Sam Hughes over his movement to raise volunteer corps for the Transvaal Under the British Army Act, it appears, Hughes has rendered himself liable to a fine of £20 for attempting to procure recruits for the army without authority.

The Governor-General to-day wired the Chicago authorities that he will not be able, owing to pressure of business,

The department of public works is ad-

Chicago Reports Receipt of Large Order

for Transport Service. Chicago, Sept. 27.-The Record dom.

British ship Glenalvon, well known at this port, has returned to Cuxhaven, England, with anchor and chain gone and windlass broken.

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Assists in Choosing Successor to Mem

ber He Appointed to Office. Montreal, Sept. 27.—(Special) — Sir Wilfrid Laurier was the chief speaker at the Liberal convention at St. Croix, for the county of Lotbiniere, to select a candidate to fill the vacancy caused by the appointment of Dr. Rinfret to a posiion in the Quebec customs. Brosseau, notary, of St. Croix, was named as candidate.

TO SURVEY ALEUTIANS. Inited States Expedition Will Make Wireless Telegraphy Simplify the Work,

Seattle, Sept. 26.—Superintendent Pritchett of the United States coast and that department when he was called chett of the United States coast and upon the death of Sir John Thomp-geodetic survey announces novel use of son, upon the death of Sir John Thomp-son, to form a government. He resigned wireless telegraphy. Next season the U. S. S. Pathfinder will be sent to Alas-

Augustus Thomas, will be the bill.

Car and Buggy Collide.-A collision of curred last evening on the Esquimalt road as tram car No. 14 was on its way to Esquimalt. Just as it was crossing the road near the Half-Way House, a covered buggy came along. The buggy was caught by the car and pitched sev-eral yards, the driver being thrown a still greater distance. He was picket ing white-caps the Olympia moved majestically up the lower bay to-day and House, and on reaching the city quite regained consciousness. Fortunately he was not injured. The horse also ex-Fortunately

ence Under the Act.

Last week the Free Press alluded to too high for common mortals to revel in.

Mallard ducks at \$6, and no chance for the customer to stuff himself with feathers! And yet they say a man who is sportively inclined can get any kind of game in Dawson without going off the main street!

Never, perhaps, did a triumphant with Allan had been selected as arbitrators to decide upon the proposed new special rule for the coal mines, providing for an ashore from balcony, window or house top, and the man-of-war anchorage at Tompkinsville, where the fleet lay, fairly to warpears that their duties as

arbitrotors will take a much larger scope. Inspector of Mines Thomas Morgan has laid separate complaints against the managements of the Union (Comox) collieries and the Extension collieries, for employing incompetent persons, viz., Chinamen, in their respective mines underground. Under the Amendment act of 1899, matters of this kind, instead of being taken into the civil or criminal courts for preliminary adjudication, are referred to arbitration, the new section 70 providing as follows:

"70. The inspector of mines shall give a decision on the matter as observed by him or submitted to him within twengive a decision on the matter as observed by him or submitted to him within twen-ty-one days, and should he decide that the employment of such incompetent or incapable person or persons exists, the in-spector of mines shall notify the owner, agent or manager of the mine of the matter complained of, and should he refuse or neglect to remedy such matter, the inspector shall, within twenty-one days after sending such notice to the owner, agent, or manager, notify the minister of mines, and thereupon the minister of mines, and thereupon the matter shall be determined upon by ar-bitration in the manner provided by this act, save and except that in such arbitration the parties to such arbitration shall be the owner, agent, or manager of spector of mines, on behalf of the minis-

Sir Mackenzie

Leader of the Conservatives in lawful, and because they declined to acthe Senate Here On

a Visit.

Has Come West Purely for Pleasure, Dropping Politics for the Time.

Victoria has been favored during the prisoners as intended but that they will ast ten days with more than the usual be delivered up. number of distinguished visitors, not the least of whom, Sir Mackenzie Bo- ao have expressed their readiness to ac well, arrived last evening and registered cept American sovereignty in exchange at the Driard. The veteran Conservative for protection against the harassing politician, ex-Premier of the Dominion Moros. A native officer has offered Major and present leader of the opposition majority in the Senate, looked quite hale and hearty when he landed from the General Otis one thousand Maccabebe tribesmen to fight the Tagals of the laguna de Bay district.

The troops engaged in fighting at Cebu Islander, and one seeing him walk brisk-ly up the street would hardly take him

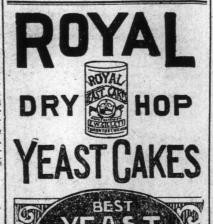
Sixth infantry, Twenty-third infantry for a man of 76 years of age. He does The insurgents are trying to incite the not look a year older than he did upon his visit to Victoria as minister of customs on his way to Australia and later times against the American garrison. Captons of the control of the c as Premier. His present trip was taken purely for pleasure, and he has tried as far as possible to forget all about politics and politicians for the time being. He has been at the front his force has the being here have been in Vancouver for some time. and politicians for the time being. He has been in Vancouver for some time been reduced to 70 men. They now re-

company him.

The life of Sir Mackenzie Bowell has The life of Sir Mackenzie Bowell has revolt. Two mayors have been a busy one. He was born at Rickinghall, Suffolk, England, on December Malabon is a shipping point where provisions and other stuff is brought from visions and other stuff is brought from the control of the co 27, 1823, but moved to Canada with his parents in 1833. During the Ameri-Manila by trains and shipped into the the troublesome times passed he entered the newspapr business, in which he was outside sympathy. Two Englishmen who most successful and was honored by his fellow craftsmen by being elected vice-president of the Dominion Editors' and Reporters' Association and president of the Ontario Press Association. For a lengthened period before accepting public office he was editor and proprietor of the Belleville Intelligencer to whose columns be is now again a resultar and vigorous. ested in many of the large Eastern manufacturing, railway and other companies and was Most Worshipful Grand Master all the American commissions in the and Sovereign of the Orange Association of British America from 1870 to 1878, when he resigned. Sir Mackenzie American officers north of Manila telegraphy. 1878, when he resigned. Sir Mackenzie was first elected to parliament in 1867 and was re-elected at the successive gental and the successive gen eral elections until 1896, when he was good government after the American appointed to the Senate. In 1878 he was sworn of the Privy Council and appoint- press a band of robbers, three of whom ed minister of customs, in which position he continued for 18 years, retiring from the premiership on the return from England of Sir Charles Tupper.
Sir Mackenzie Bowell is one of the "Grand Old Men" of Canada, one of those who made the Dominion what it is and have bent all their energies to the

apbuilding of the country. ELOPED AND SUICIDED.

Toronto Man Who Left Wife and Children Now in Chicago Morgue. a corpse in the morgue, while Mrs. Violet



Prisoners' Hard Luck.

Americans Won't Allow Spanish Ship to Receive Them as Offered.

Garrison of Malabon So Small That Soldiers Must Stay by Barracks.

Aguinaldo Trying to Win Ropu larity by Good Behaviour of His Forces.

By Associated Press.

Manila, Sept. 27 (5:50 a.m.-The Am erican authorities have declined the re quest of General Jaranullo, the Spanish officer who is settling spain's military affairs in the Philippines, to send a vessel under the Spanish flag to collect the In Victoria Spanish prisoners at insurgent ports as stipulated by the Filipinos, on the ground that the ports are closed and that such a step therefore will be uncept the Filipino dictation. The authorities are ready to send an American vessel. The Spanish commission therefore will return to the insurgent lines and endeavor to establish an arrangement for the delivery of the prisoners on board an

American vessel. Aguinaldo has issued a statement say ing the warlike activity of the Americans has prevented the concentration of the

The Tagals of the island of Mindan-

visiting his son, the collector of cus- main near the big church where they are toms at that port, and will spend a few days in Victoria renewing old acquaint-ances. His daughter, Mrs. McCarthy, and C. M. B. Halton of Belleville, acmoney for the insurrection and preached revolt. Two mayors have been elected

was major of the 49th battalion of vol-unteer rifles serving on the border. When most successful and was honored by his fellow craftsmen by being elected vice-that the Americans are treated more

r- given the freedom of the camp and fiv pesos each with which to celebrate. was also said the Filipinos have offere

were executed. gambling in the villages under his co

Patermo, the president of the so-calle Filipino cabinet, has fallen into disfavo among the Filipinos on account of h peace proclivities. planning to repeat his treachery of the insurrection, when he went over to the Spaniards.

Aguinaldo has issued a decree invitin Filipino deserters to return within month in which case they will be part Manila, Sept. 28.—10 a. m.—Generals Macarthur, Wheaton and Wheeler, with four regiments and a battery, advance at daybreak this morning upon Pura about eight miles northwest of Bacolor

in Pampanga province. KILLED IN THE RING.

Knockout Blow in Tenth Round Proves Fatal-Ryan Cancels Engagements -McCoy and Choynski.

Grassvalley, Cal., Sept. 28.—As a result of a prize fight here last night between Jim Pendergast of Sacrament and Charles Hoskins of this place, the latter is dead. Hoskins was knocked the tenth round, and althou the physicians worked on him all nig they could not save his life, The re eree, Pendergast, and all the secon were placed under arrest.

Denver, Col. Sept. 28.-Tommy s ill in this city and announced that he would be unable to fight Jo Choynski and Jack Root in Chicag next week. He has also cancelled he match with Jack McDonough for F day night in this city.

Chicago, Sept. 28.-Kid McCoy a Joe Choynski have been matched six rounds, the fight to take place he on the night of October 6.

New York, Sept. 28 .- Marty McCue New York got the decision on point over Joe Cain of Brooklyn at the Broa-way Athletic Club to-night at cate weights for 25 rounds. Oscar Gardne the Omaha Kid, was to have met McCue but yesterday forfeited on account of lness and Cain was substituted.

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