DESERET EVENING NEWS: THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 1902.



President Interested in Arrangements as to Crowds.

PRECAUTIONS TO BE TAKEN

Large Force of Secret Service Men From Washington and Policemen Will be Present.

New York, Feb. 6 .- Wallace W. Downey, member of the firm which is building Emperor Williams' yacht, has returned from a conference with President Roosevelt. The President is suid to have asked particularly about the arrangements as to the crowds at the launching. He is said to have told Mr. Downey that Prince Henry is to be the guest of the nation and that the nation will be responsible for his safe-1y. For that reason great care is imperative in editing the list of guests and seeing that no one not vouched for by a responsible person shall be permitted to attend. Mr. Downey has had charge of all the arrangements for the launching and all the invitations are to be sent from his office. Lists are to be furnished him by the German embassy; the President and Mayor Low. In addition to the names on these lists the firm will invite a number of friends and fellow-shipbuilders. It was to pre-vent a too wide distribution of courtesies that the authorities have been careful to restrict the number of invited guests. Every name must vised by the secret service bureau at Washington. No name not vouched for in the most satisfactory manner will be allowed to remain on the list.

be allowed to remain on the list. The New York naval militia, 500 strong, will act as special guard for the prince, and the President at the launching, it will be formed in a dou-ble line from the pier on which the prince. President Roosevelt and the aunching party will land, and through automing party will and, and through the line the party will march to the lautohing stage to be erected, under the bow of the Meteor. A large force of secret service men from Washington, Central office men and policenten in uniform also will be

on duty. A squad of secret men repre-sinting all foreign nations also will be present to see that no crank is permitted to gut near the prince. These latter officials, the leading men in their line of work in the greatest European capitals, will, it is stated, accompany the prince on his tour of the coun-

Reports of much interest will be made today at the regular mosting of the chamber of commerce, when the various committee charged with the re-reption of Prince Henry will tell what has been done.

Elaborate preparations are being made for the decoration of the Metro-politan opera nouse on the night of the rala performance in honor of the gince. A sub-committee of the opera committee is preparing a scheme of accoration which will make the audi-grium appear like a bower. The colors el Germany will be conspicuously dis-played in all parts of the house. The



be bought in the high-protected_mar-kets of this country instead of the cheap markets of the world. I much prefer political union, for that involves the best kind of commercial union that can be established between the two coun-Introduced by Newlands Inviting Her to Become a State.

"Such annexation is entirely in line with the traditional policy of the coun-try. When the time for statehood comes, Cuba, Porto Rico and other West BENEFIT WOULD BE MUTUAL Indian islands in our possession, can be incorporated into the Union as one state, thus doing away with the dan-ger of over-representation in the Sen-

In Line With Traditional Policy China and the Tariff. Would First be Erected Into a Territory, then Comes Statebood.

Victoria, B. C., Feb. 6.-Gen. Shar-rette, United States trade commissioner to China interviewed by the North China Daily News, Hongkong, said re-Washington, Feb. 5.—Representative Newlands, of Nevada, of the ways and means committee, who was the author of the resolution enneying Mawail to Washington, Feb. 5.-Representative

FITZ AND JEFF details of the same. SURE TO MEET.

Fight Will Probably Take Place by The Middle of April.

WILL BE AT SAN FRANCISCO

The Yosemite Athletic Club Has Carefully Laid Plans for the Championship Battle.

That Robert Fitzsimmons, the red topped Cornishman, will be the next man to face the big boiler maker, James J. Jeffries, who now holds the championship belt, in the padded rind, is practically assured, unless something occurs between now and the middle of April, the great battle will take place by that time in San Francisco before the Yosemite Athletic club. The plans of the club have been carefully laid and it is believed they will be carried out to the letter.

From a reliable source this morning t was learned the principal reason the match between Jeffries and Sharkey had been declared off was that Fitzsimmons had practically agreed to meet the champion early in April before the Yosemite Athletic club of San Francisco. It has been well known for some

time that the Yosemite Athletic club

time that the Yosemite Athletic club has been making great efforts to induce the lanky Cornishman to meet Jeffries in San Francisco. According to a well-informed sporting man these efforts have been crowned with success. The Yosemite club, it is said, has made Fitz the most tempting offer. The story goes that the landlord of Bath Beach has been guaranteed \$7,500, be-sides his training and traveling expen-ses, to meet Jeffries before the Yose-mite club, with the privilege of taking mite club, with the privilege of taking 35 per cent of the entire gross receipts

as per cent of the entire gross receipts of the fight in case the Cornishman loses. If he should win 65 per cent will be his share of the gross receipts. Should the fight draw a \$40,000 house, which it surely would, Fitzsimmons' share, in case he proved the winner, would be about \$17,500. The losing end of the purse would net him something like \$10,000. like \$10,000. In relation to a fight between the two

great sluggers, Otto Floto makes the following comment in the Denver Post: It begins to look as if after a few more days of wranging Jeffries and Fitz will be matched. The contention of the Australian that he is entitled to haif the gate receipts, or rather half of the share that will be allotted to the fighters, is rather asking a great deal from the champion. It will be re-membered that when the first match was made between Jeffries and Fitz the laiter insisted on 65 per cent of the fighters' share, win or lose. Jef-fries in order to get the chance to win

fries in order to get the chance to win the caampionship, agreed to these un-heard-of terms. Now it ought to be Jeffrics who should say to Fitz, "Let's have the same terms we had the last time, only I will take what you re-ceived, in the coming match." We all know that Jeff and Fitz will draw one of the insect atthering over another of the largest gatherings ever assem-bled to witness a fight. We also know that without Fitz on one end of the

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loar is better than no loaf at all. The match, if arranged, will take place in San Francisco, as Manager Kennedy is now in New York arranging the details of the same WILL NOT MEET TONIGHT.

Basket Ball Game Between City League Teams Postponed.

The basketball game scheduled to ake place tonight between the Y. M. A. and Company C. teams of the city league, will not come off. The game has been postponed until some-time next week, but just when, has not been decided as yet. Some trouble arose over the rental of the L. D. S. symusatim and the Y M. C. A. Com. gymnasium and the Y. M. C. A., Com-pany C. aggregations declare they will play their games somewhere else. If suitable arrangements can be made, the contests will be pulled off at the

rmory hall. Freeman Bassett of the L. D. S. Ath-letic association, says the association is perfectly willing to do the right thing, and hopes the difficulties will be straightened out soon and the balance of the source of the balance

of the games played in harmony. It seems that every time a league is form ed trouble shows its head in some form and causes the death of the organization, and usually the trouble is the re-sult of some petty splite on the part of some of the players.

SPECIAL SHOOT. 123

Well Known Trap Shooter Participates in the Event.

Owing to the visit of Harvey Mc Murchey, a well known trap shooter, a special shoot was arranged at the traps yesterday afternoon in which he participated and carried off the hot in one event. In the twenty-five bird event he missed but one shot, but in the fifty bird contest Cal Callison got the better of him by three points. Mc-

Murchey left today for Ogden, en route to the coast. Following is the score of the special shoot: 50 TARGET EVENT.

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Fitzsimmons says he was only joking when he sued the manager of a Brook-lyn theater for \$50,600 damages for in-juries received in failing down a flight of stairs. Previous to this statement many people thought Fitz was crazy.

Harry Corbett, who has blossomed out as one of the puglistic leaders in San Francisco, is not averse to helping rother Jim's game along a bit. Harry says that Jim really wants to fight and hinks a match may be arranged with Jeffries for next September.

The second game of the series in the girls' basketball league was played at girls' basketball league was played at the Armory this afternoon. The con-test was between the teams from the High School and L. D. S. U. There is a great deal of rivalry between the teams and the High School team is de-termined to deteat the others, if possi-ble, G. P. Daniel of the Y. M. C. A. was referee of the game. The result come too late for anouncement came too late for announcement in these columns.

Kid Smith, George Condie and young Phil Green are training hard for their coming battles and each is apparently confident of victory. Green is in charge of Brown, his chum, and bout, Jeff could not draw the money. is rounding out Into Therefore some of the friends of the red-topped fighter will argue that as it shape for his fight with "Silent" Rowan. The way he hits the bag and takes two to make a match, Fitz is entitled to all he asks for. This is very lands on his sparring partner indi-cates that if he lands good on the silent one he will think he has been struck by a boil of lightning or an extrue, and were I in a position to dic-tate to Jeffries, would advise his accepting the Fitzsimmons proposition, press train. Green looks small, but he But Delaney and others in the wake of the champion are not prepared to is wonderfully strong, and is develop stand silently by and allow Fitz to dlo- ing clever footwork and speed. every contest he en-It is apparently impossible to have a ters. They call the lanky Australian a hasketball league in good working or-der in this city. Two attempts were made this year to form a league. The "pinhead' and other pet names. But it begins to appear that in so far as looking after the money interest in a match, he is fully able to look after himself. There's nothing like experifirst met with rank failure. The sec-ond seemed to be starting off all right when suddenly there is trouble about the hall rent and two of the teams are said to have declared they would not ence after all. It "wises up a sucker fast." Ten years ago when the writer had the management of Fitzsimmons, poor old Bob did not know enough to come in out of the wet. In fact he play in the hall where it had previously been agreed to have the games. It is to be hoped the teams will come to would have met any man in the coun-try in a four-round bout for \$500. That satisfactory understanding in the mat-ter, and that the balance of the games ter, and that the balance is the sum he was receiving per week in those days and meeting all comers every night. What a look of scorn would come over his face if any one offered him that amount today. Fitz, however, is not a bad fellow, and is en-titled to all he can get. One thing is guite certain, that he will draw \$100 with Jeffries for every \$1 that Sharkey would have drawn and therefore is en-titled to a little better percentage than the sallor. It's a cluch, however, that if the positions of Jeffries and Fitz were reversed, the latter would never the sum he was receiving per week called for in the schedule will be played Mexican Pete is still in town, and strange to say he is not indulging in anything stronger than dairy milk. Pete claims this at least. More than this he is in training again and declares he will have another go with Jimmy Burns if the latter is willing to meet him again. Pete is working out at the Athletic club rooms and is really looking better than when he left here for Ogden. Billy Sauer has taken hold of the Mexican and says that reversed, the latter would never in a thousand years agree to "split the money, regardless of the decision." within a month he will be able to de Fits has got an outside chance to win feat Burns with hands down and will and if he has any gambling blood in his veins at all, he ought to take that chance and allow the money to go for hold his own with any of the local heavyweights. Sauer says Pete is one of the very best of his class if properly handled and he proposes to take good care of him and arrange a match if per cent to the winner and 35 per cent to the loser. That's a pretty fair prop-osition. Rather than lose the match, however, Jeff will undoubtedly agree to possible. "Young Corbett's" alleged love affair in Denver is following him around the cut the money, figuring that a half a circuit. Miss Slater, who says she is his flancee, and who intimates in her MAKES CHILDREN BRAINY. conversations that though she has frequent quarrels with the Proof About Feeding. champion, sh can always win him back, says that their last discussion was over the date It has been proved times without number that properly selected food will build up the brain. The testimony of a for the wedding day. The fighter, she claims, wanted an early date, which School teacher on this subject is good. The letter is long and only the import-ant facts will be given. "While I was teaching school in 1998. she refused to agree to because she could not get her trousseau ready it time. Asked about it, "Young Corbett' a little girl in the household where I lived was very fond of Grape-Nuts and would eat all she was allowed. I nosaid that Miss Slater must need a new bonnet, as she has talked her present headgear full of holes. He adds emticed that she was a remarkably bright pupil. There were five other children, phatically that the engagement is the creation of Miss Slater's desire for pubpupil. There were five other children, all of one family, that were so marked in their work. They were really the brightest family I ever knew, so I ques-tioned to find what they were using. They replied, 'Only Grape-Nuts.' I learned upon further inquiry that this was their chief diet for breakfast and discovered that their luncheon consist-ed generally of Grape-Nuts with cream and a little fruit. lic notice that he never intended to marry her; never asked her to marry him, and never contemplated it. After Joe Walcott fought Young Peter Jackson at Philadelphia he was hauled back to Boston, where his manager, Billy Pierce, resides. Joe be-haved very well, until several colored friends invited him out to a cakewalk. Then he broke loose. Rigged out in a I had suffered from dyspepsia, head-aches and general debility greatly and, as I knew, my diet was not well selecthigh collar and a longtall coat, Joe placed his trusty razor in one pocket placed his trusty razor in one pocket and a big sixshooter in another. He also took with him a quantity of bad booze. Jos and his friends boarded a street car, and while sailing along at a high rate of speed Walcott pulled his large smoke can and began firing. A squad of coppers landed on the black demon's neck and he was dragged to but The neck and he was fined by and ed, I took up Grape-Nuts Breakfast Food and carried it to school for lunchon. I soon discovered a change in my condition and found that Grape-Nuts afforded more nourishment than bread, take in my basket. After luncheon I would feel strong and bright for the af-ternoon's work while before I had fre-The next day he was fined \$15 and ternoon's work while before I had fre-quently been haif ill. In the spring of 1900 I went to college, rented a room and boarded myself, sub-sisting largely on Grape-Nuts, and I cannot speak too highly of the food as a brain nourisher. At the end of a year's schooling I obtained a position in one of the ward schools in this, a college town, and am well and happy. The wife of the college principal tells me that there is no food that egrees with her as well as Grape-Nuts and that testimony was repeated by a lady friend in my own home." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. costs for making a gunboat of a trolley car. OUTSIDE EVENTS. C HALLENGE TO RAMSEY. Cheyenne Crack Rifleman Would Like to Meet the Coloradan. Cheyenne, Wyo., Feb. 4.—There is a possibility of a match rife shoot be-tween Peter Bergersen, the champion offhand shot of the world, of this city, and M. C. Ramsey of Grand Junction.

ho formerly held the championship or 100 consecutive shots. Reports have eached Chevenne from Salt Lake that reached Cheyenne from Sait Lake that Mr. Ramsey has expressed a willing-ness to meet Aergersen, and as the lat-ter is always willing to shoet anyone under almost any conditions, a match may be arranged if Mr. Ramsey de-streagt.

There is no truth in the report that Ranney ever defeated Bergersen. When he shooters have met at Denver and ther places Bergersen always walked away with the prizes, and was never defeated by Ramsey.

Local sports will back Bergersen for any amount against any man in the world. Bergersen prefers 200 yards strictly offhand standard American target, ten shots or 100, but he is willing) accept almost any proposition.

It is not likely that a match will be pulled off Fere, at least not in the near future. M., Ramsey is not in the city. He left for his home b) Grand Junction last week. While here he expressed a willingness to meet Bergersen and it is possible a match will be arranged to come off in Denver.

THE OAKLAND RACES. People Made Happy by Victory of

Five Favorites,

San Francisco, Feb. 5.—Five favorites, won at Oakland today, and the public went home in a happy frame of mind. The only upset occurred in the third race, where Esternell won from Mon-toya and Lass of Langdon, the latter being favorite. Summary: First race, one mile, selling-Bob Palmer won, Monda second, Countier third. Time, 1:56%. Second race, three and a half fue-

Second race, three and a half fur-ongs, selling-Hudson won, Amoruna second, Nigrette third, Time, 434 sec-

onds. Third race, five and a half furlongs, selling—Externel won, Montava sec-ond, Lass of Langdon third. Thre, 1:10, Fourth race, mild and fifty yaTds, selling—Diderot won, Pat Morriscy sec-ond, Quadra third, Time, 1:46%. Fifth race, six forlongs, selling— Scorpto won, Bard Burns second, Hua-chuca third. Time, 1:15%. Sixth race, seven furlongs, selling— Econic won, Gusto second, Brag third.

Econic won, Gusto second, Bragg third. Time, 1:30.

THEY WILL BACE.

Hal Corbett in Training to Meet Jack L. in July.

It now looks as if the owners of Hal orbett and Jack L. really mean busiless in the proposition to race the James Chesney, owner of the former,

has turned his horse over to Tom Me-Coy to be trained and cared for until Coy to be trained and cared for until the race. He says the math will be one of the best ever pulled off in the state. Hal Corbett has a record of 2:15% and Col. Ed Loose's Jack L. has a mark of 2:18. The match is to be for \$2,506 and as a number of well to do men are be-hind each horse the money to change hands will run up to at least \$10,000, it is thought. s thought.

DAVE SULLIVAN'S TROUBLES.

He is Already Counting the Win ner's Money-In His Mind.

From all accounts Dave Sullivan is a peculiar little fellow. He is worrying his very life out these days for fear that when he whips McGovern, as he says he will, the excuse will be made says he will, the excuse will be made that Terry was not in proper shape, or that Harris will say he won on a "fluke." Dave don't seem to doubt for

a minute his ability to put Terry out, and in his mind he is already counting the winner's money. Sullivan is not a "Young Corbett" by any means and there is no apparent reason why he should worry so. The

following from Louisville about hits the nail on the head: "Before the Hartford fight stories had been circulated that McGovern was not

in the best physical condition, that he was sick and had been for many months. The rumors were steadfastly denied. That there was more than a little truth in the reports was proved



Girl's Handsomest Coats, Half Price

Speaking briefly let us say not one of these little coats but would be worth its full regular price of right now did we choose to put them away, for next winter. And for these very good reasons, they are up to the moment in style, the latest to come to us, are perfectly tailored and made of the best materials produced. No other why or wherefore for cutting price is there than the crowded quarters of the children's store-a fact known to you as well as to us. Box and haif fitting coats, three-quarter lengths, satin fined and in these colors: castor, dark red, brown, dark blue and green. Ages 6 to 12 years. Fri-The \$5.75 coats-\$2.88. The \$6.75 coats-\$3.38. The \$9.75 coats-\$4.88.

And up to \$20.00, entire stock of coats -HALF PRICE

Boys' Reefers, Half Price.

Half priced because there's not a great many-not more, we think, than will last the two days with such a reduction price. It's an opportunity not to be neglected for all are the handsomest reefers of this winter. Some made of red, blue, brown and castor color melton cloth, well fined, coat collars of velvet, doube breasted, but these are in sizes and and systam only, then there's a sldp up to 13, 14 and 16 year sizes made of chinchilias and Oxford gray cheviots. Frides \$4.60 to \$8.50. Friday and Satur-day-HALF PRICES.

Exceptional Shoe Opportunity for Men, Women, Boys and Girls.

The spectre of on-coming stocks and no place to store them has put a price pusher to these that will stimulate their leaving. Broken lines, to be sure, but worth while finding out whether your size isn't here in something Friday and Saturday-

Men's enamel and patent colt skin shoes that sold at \$5,00 and \$5,50 re duced to-\$4.25,

Men's heavy oil grain buckle shoes that were \$1.75 to \$2.25 two days-

Men's 75c a pair storm rubbers-20c.

On bargain table boys' shoes in calf skin, viel kid, patent leathers and off grain, \$1.50 up to \$3.00 grades, because broken lines-\$1.28,

Little children's shoes, sizes 4 to 8, kanguroo calf skin, in button or ince styles, reduced from \$1.00 to 70c.

Misses fine French kid shoes, button styles, hand turned soles, sizes 11% to 2, \$3.00 regular shoes-\$2.20.

Women's two-strap slippers, for home or dress occasions. French heels, reduced from \$2.25 to \$1.75; another style with bow and buckle, sold at \$1.75, two days—\$1.45.

Just thirty-five pairs now left of women's skating shoes, so a price to send them away in two days. Best made, high tops, heavy extension roles, \$3.50 to \$4.50 regular for-\$1.50.

Women's Newmarkets to \$45.00 for-\$19.75.

Although the sale began Monday, beauties are here yet because nearly all we have were included at the price, and when it is remembered the long coat hasn't reached even half way its popularity to come-so say most au-thoritative fashion makers—this occasion cannot fall of fullest appreciation. All styles with and without yokes, tight, loose, half and box backs, coat and storm collars, made of fine chevious, kersey or fancy mixture cloths in tan color, castor, black and Oxford grays. \$27.50 up to \$45.00. Newmarkets—\$19.75. \$6.75 and \$8.75 Genuine Marten Scarfs, \$4.95. Fur scarfs of genuine marten with four tails and chain fastener—the very best you or we have known for \$5.75 and \$8.75, because our selling time 19 drawing to a close, Friday and Saturday choose at—\$4.95.

90c Black Taffeta Silks-60c.

Wear guaranteed black taffeta silks-and this a lot of four pieces at sacrifice prices to make a two days stirring time in the still store. For waist or jacket lining, petilcoats, separate skirts or shift waists these are most de-sirable. Friday and Saturday instead of 90c a yard-69c.

\$1.25 Black Cheviots and Diagonals—75c.

Time's here to consider the need of a black suit or separate skirt, and these cheviots and diagonals should appeal strongly for either purpose. They are rich in dye, the best of wearing fabrics, fifty-two inches wide, our regular \$1.25 a yard quality, two days longer-75c.

25 TARGET EVENT. McMur-DOUBLES.

Sporting Notes.

expenditure of the resolution annexing Hawaii, to many thousands of dollars.

President Going to Charleston.

Washington, Feb. 5 .- President and Mrs. Roosevelt, and a party who will accompany them to the Charleston exion, will leave here for the South next Monday night in a special train over the Southern railway. Tuesday over the Southern railway. Tuesday night will be spent at Somerville, S. C., as the guest of Capt. Wagner, president of the exposition. At this point the party will inspect the tea farms near-

On Wednesday the party will go Charleston, spending the day in that diy. At night a hanguet will be given the President and party at the Charles-

The return journey will begin Thurs-day, Yeb, 13. In the Président's party will be Secretaries Wilson and Hitch tock, Atty.-Gen. Knox and Postmaste General Payne and the ladies of their

Anti-Anarchist Bill.

Washington, Feb. 5 .- The anti-anarchist bill which will be reported to the House in a day or two, contains one feature not heretofore alluded to. This a provision giving to foreign ambasors and ministers accredited Washington protection against assaults and punishing with death any such as suit which results in the death of a foreign ambassador or minister. The section providing severe penalties for conspiracies in this country against foreign rulers, does not, however, embrace imbassadors and ministers, as Chairman Ray, of the judiciary committee, who is drafting the reports, feels that reat care is necessary not to exceed the constitutional right to punish erimes originating within the states. The protection of foreign rulers against conspiracies is considered justified by the law of nations, but it is not deemed expedient to extend this to ambassadors and ministers residing here.

New Developments in Northern China

London, Feb. 6.-The correspondent of he Daily Mail at St. Petersburg says the believes that important develop-ments are pending in northern China; that Great Britain has taken a strong line with respect to the Manchurian ention and that Russia and Great Britain are likely to arrive at a sort of self-denying ordinance to foster the commerce of northern China to the exelusion of ruinous military rivalry. Nothing is yet definitely decided, says the correspondent, but it is known that Great Britain intends to make strong forts to foster and protect her Chl-

Will be Against Schley.

nese trade.

Washington, Feb. 5.-The Post tomor will say: It was stated last night that the President's response to the ap-plication of Admiral Schley would be made public next Saturday. It is under tood that it will be adverse to Schley A visitor visitor at the White House with om the President talked on the sub ject, quoted the President as saying he thought the verdict of the majority report ought to be sustained.

Hobson Wants to Retire.

Washington, Feb. 5 .- It is expected an effort will be made to secure legislathe authorization for the retirement from the naval service of Constructor Robson. Capt. Hobson is now in Wash-ington, and is desirous of retiring, bas-ing his application on the bad state of his even resulting from exposure in of his eyes, resulting from exposure in Working on Spanish ships after the late war. The naval retiring board con-cluded that his disability was not suf-ficient to warrant the retirement under the existing resulting and recurring the existing regulations, and recourse must be had to Congress. It is believed that the navy department will approve of such legislation if its opinion is saked for by Congress.

day introduced a joint resolution inviting the republic of Cuba to become a part of the United States, first as a union, to be called the state of Cuba; and also authorizing a 25 per cent reduction of duty on the present crop of Cuban sugar, in consideration of Cuba's granting preferential rates to the United States. The resolution confines the 25 per cent reduction of duties to the period priod to Jan. 1, 1903. The provision as to annexation is as follows:

"That in the meantime the republic of Cuba is invited to become a part of the United States of America and her people to become citizens of the United States, with the assurance that Cuba will be entitled at first to a territorial form of government under the Consti-tution and laws of the United States, with a delegate in Congress to represen

people and that ultimate statehood will be granted when in the judgmen ot Congress, it is advisable to admit Cuba, including such other West India islands belonging to the United States as may be deemed advisable, as a single as may be deemed advisable, as a single state in the union, to be called the state of Cuba." Mr. Newlands, in explanation of his resolution, said: "All those who have appeared to voice Cuba's needs and re-

quirements have indicated that an in-vitation to Cuba of annexation would be accepted. Annexation by force would not be justified. It must be accomplished if at all by the free act of the Cuban people. At present there is no machin-ery in Cuba by which the popular will can be tested, but the Cuban consti-tution has been adopted. The Cuban congress will meet in February, a Cu-ban government will be organized, and the United States will then leave the government and control of the islands to its people. Cuba then will be in position to express her will, and it is only necessary to tide over the present

emergency by a temporary measure, such as I have introduced, reducing the duty on Cuban sugar one-fourth for one year and inviting Cuba to become a part of the United States under a territorial form of government, under the Constitution, her people to be citizens, Lot subjects, with the assurance that ultimately statehood will be granted. "By coming into our political union



in cereal coffee products 54% California figs and prunes,

scientifically blended with 46% well ripened grain, makes a table beverage of rare quality.

In FIGPRUNE there is combined, with the delicious fruit flavor, all the nutritious and health-giving qualities of fruit and

a speedy settlement of the tariff ques-He felt that the interests of the tion. United States were safe in the hands of Sir Ernest Satow and Sir James Mackpart of the United States, first as a ay, the British contmissioners, and territory and then as a state of the those of other countries in conjunction, with local merchants of the countries interested. He considered the negotiations of the commercial treaty a mat-ter of far greater moment and difficulty in which many conflicting interests would be involved rendering an unanimous agreement hard to be arrived at. He also expressed doubts as to Chinese official willingness or ability to apply the drastic measures which might be-

come necessary. The fundamental fea-tures of the new treaty would, he said, be to open up fresh treaty ports, secure to foreigners the right to build and own property, to work mines, construct rail-ways in the interior and generally to secure better trading facilities.

Complimentary Dinner to B. S. Coler

New York, Feb. 6.—Former City Comptroller Bird S. Coler, has been given a complimentary dinner by the citizens committee of one hundred in Brooklyn. Five hundred persons were present. Many of the Democratic lead. present. Many of the Democratic lead-ers of Brooklyn and this city were among them. Mr. Coler spoke against dictatorship in politics, but declared himself an organization Democrat, as rganization is necessary in politics. Devid B. Hill sent a letter of regret in which he paid many compliments to the guest of honor.

Iowa Wants Lacey Bill Passed.

Des Moines, Iowa, Feb. 6.-The Iowa house of representatives has memorial-ized Congress to pass the Lacey bill to indemnify the states for payments made on account of the purchase of swamp lands at \$1.25 an acre. This includes about 1,000,000 acres in Iowa. The senate judiciary committee has prepared a substitute for the house res-

Lee Says Corbin Was Correct,

London, Feb. 6 .- Maj. Arthur Lee formerly military attache of the Brit-ish embass; at Washington, who announced in the house of commons Mon-day right that the British army offlday hight that the British and other cers purchasing horses in the United States could have had the services of the "chief horse expert" of the United States army, said to a representative of the Associated Press today that

Adjt.-Gen. Corbin was guite accurate in saying that he (Maj. Lee) never had any communication with the adjutant-general's department on the subject of horse buying. At the same time, said the major, he had nothing to withdraw in his statement, as cabled to the Associated Press.

"I purposely used," said Maj. Lee, "the indefinite term of 'chief horse ex-pert' of the United States army, as I had no intention of indicating any more closely the individual referred to. My only object in mentioning the matter and a little fruit.

was to criticize the English govern-ment for its neglect of opportunities." Rev. Jos. Stuckey Dead.

Chicago, Feb. 6 .- Rev. Joseph Stuckey is dead at Danvers, Ill. He was a bishop of the Mennonite church and has been in charge of the Danvers church since 1860. One brother Rev. Peter Stuckey, is located at Wayland, Iowa. Bishop Stucksy had traveled ex-

tensively over the middle states es-tablishing new churches. In all, he had ordained eighteen bishops and baptized 1.350 persons.

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at the fight and since then they have been corroborated. recent operation on Terry's The nose, for what was given out as a de-flected nasal septum, caused by a punch on the nose, was for nothing less han a case of catarrh, a disease from which he has been a sufferer for more than a year. It is asserted on good au-thority that it has also affected his

"Since the operation and to within a few days, McGovern has been compelled to go about with a silver tube in one of his nostrils, and consequently has had to forego active preparation for his coming fight. The effect of this has been to drag the little fellow down from his normal weight to 122 pounds. "At that weight it is impossible that McGovern is in prper condition to en-gage in a contest with an opponent like Dave Sullivan. The question, there-fore, is, can he get into proper condi-tion in the three weeks intervening be-tween now and the date of the fight?

"Until his nose has perfectly healed McGovern may not indulge in use of the gloves, as a chance blow might un-do all the results of his recent treatment. One of the causes of his recent defeat was attributed to too much tage boxing and not enough of the eal article in training.

"McGovern trained less than fifteen days to meet Young Corbett, and # that time was not able to pick up an f his old method of fighting. Since hen most of his time has been spent s before, on the stage and the rest of under medical treatment. Now, with little possible chance of using gloves for at least another week, he engages to do battle with a boy who is ac-knowledged to be one of the toughest propositions in his class."

"Wild Bill" Out.

"Wild Bill" Hanrahan went to the bad the other night when he tackled Frank Childs, that burly coon that ap peared on several occasions in Denver. Childs put the queer street ticket Hanrahan in the fourth round. T This will undoubtedly end the championship aspirations of Hanrahan. After his victory over Marvin Hart at Louisville Hanrahan, if we remember right, chal-lenged any heavyweight in the business and his friends even went so far as to say that Champion Jeffries was not barred, but that Sharkey was preferr-ed. Now, the wild one would have had a great chance against the cham-pion, if his performance the other night can be taken as a criterion. From re-ports he never had as good as a look-in with Childs, who won pretty much as he pleased. Marvin Hart will now

have to dispose of Hanrahan in shorter order than Childs did to redeem him self from the defeat suffered at th hands of the former a short time ago.

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