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HOUSE GONE

Southern Cross, Gen. Wade Hampton's Home, Burned.

The General's Narrow Escape From the Blazing Building.

Nothing of Value Saved Except Swords of the Hamptons

The House Undoubtedly Set on Fire by a Discharged Woman Servant.

Columbia, S. C., May 2.- "Southern Cross," the home of General Wade Hampton, was burned this morning, the general escaping with a loss of part of his moustache, eyebrows and hair. The house was built of brick taker from the ruins of the Hampton mansion burned when the union army passed through. It was erected by the morrow. general's slaves, and had been the home of himself and daughter since the war. Nothing of value was saved except the swords of three generations of Hamptons. These the old warrior escued himself.

During the height of the fire the general heard the cries of a pet collie and he made an attempt to rescue it, but was driven back by the fire and badly burned about the face. He lost a valuable library and many interest.

There is no doubt that the house was set on fire by a discharged woman ser-

A BLOW TO TRUSTS.

Decision That may Drive Them Out of Missouri.

St. Louis, May 2.-The trusts received a knockout blow in the court of appeals today, which is likely to drive them out of business in the state. The judges unanimously decided that Peeled Mushrooms trusts cannot collect for goods sold within the borders of the state. The in their own juice. Missouri anti-trust law was sustained, and it is further decreed that all pools to fix a limit to the prices of any commodity is illegal. The decision today was particularly against the Nation Lead trust, which had sold goods to a St. Louis firm and was endeavoring to Mush- collect therefor.

MAKE WAY FOR COMEZ.

Havana, May 2.-The junta of Cuban generals met today, Gomez presiding, and adopted resolutions removing from active service several generals and others antagonistic to Gomez, The deposed officers are highly indignant They assert that the junta does not cossess the right to remove them.

The junta also decided to organize a Cuban national guard of 12,000 men, despite General Brooke's statement to Gomez that such a force was unnecessary and the country was unable to bear the expense.

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THE WARRING IDAHO MINERS

Gen. Merriam Arr.ves at Boise City- Regu'ars in Danger.

Boise City, Idaho, May 2.-General Merriam arrived today en route to Coeur d'Alene. He left tonight for the scene of trouble. It is reported that miners are en route from Conyon Creek to Wardner with the avowed intention of exterminating the com- Should pany of regulars encamped there. The first detachment of regulars (colored) arrived at Wardner from Spokane today. They were heartily cheered and cordially greeted by the citizens.

MERRIAM TELEGRAPHS

THE IMPERILLED TROOPS Boise City, Idaho, May 2.-General Merriam, commanding troops concertrating at Wardner, was advised tonight that union strikers had begun to march on Wardner to annihilate the colored troops that reached there today. Merriam wired orders for the company to hold out at all hazards reinforcements would be on hand to-

	BASEBALL GAMES YESTERDAY.
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Be Sati fied They Are Not Arrested for Treason.

Says Postmaster General In Discussing the Case.

Attorney General Declares Conviction Could Be Obtained on a Charge of Conspiracy.

Washington, May 2.—Postmaster General Smith announced today that the Manila mails had been closed to all circulars emanating from Edward Atkinson's "peace" society. The cabinet discussed the question at length and decided not to close the mails within the United States to Atkinson, though even that was given serious consider-

The attorney general reported that Atkinson and his associates could certainly be convicted on a charge of conspiring against the government. The administration, however, was not inclined to attach too much dignity to the affair a present but in case of a R. H. E. further outhreak the government won't hesitate to prosecute.

The postmoster general severely arthinking they should be well satisfied graves. at not already having been arrested on a charge of treason.

"No worse case of sedition," he said, 'occurred during the civil war." No notice has been sent Atkinson of the stoppage of his mail and none

Miller and Robinson: prebably will be.

FITZSIMMONS-JEFFRIES FIGHT

Cannot Occur at the Coney Island Athletic Club. New York, May 2.-The board of

police commissioners today refused a grant a license to the Coney Island Athletic club, where Fitzsimmons and Jeffries were scheduled to fight. This necessitates a pulling off of the fight at some other club. Although refusing Ratteries: Sudhoff and Zimmer; a license to the Coney Island club, the board granted a license to several other prominent New York clubs.

A TWENTY ROUND DRAW.

New York, May 2 .- Gus Ruhlin and Peter Maher fought a twenty-round draw at the Lenox Athletic club tonight. It was one of the flercest fights ever seen. The result was a big surprise as Maher was a hot favorite. Ruhlin displayed great gameness and science. He closed both Maher's eyes. Although the recipient of many hard knocks, Maher showed wonderful pluck.

Babies' shoes, 25 and 35 cents, 1 to 5

Purina Health Flour Glutan, Entire Wheat Makes Brain Bread Fresh

Snider's,

On the Square

DEMOCRATIC

Majority 8,000 or More--Negro Question Did It.

Baltimore, May 2.-The latest returns show Hayes, democratic candidate for mayor, elected by a majority of 8,000 to 10,000 over Malster, republican and present mayor. The town is wild over the result. The fight was bitter from start to finish. The democrais stood for good government and captured most of the reform and independent vote. The negro question was largely responsible for the republican defeat, the democrats insisting this was a white man's city.

The democrats swept the entire city electing 18 out of 24 members of the first branch of the city council and the entire second branch. The putting on the ticket for the council of Hiram Wattie, a notorious negro, also cost the republicans a number of votes.

THE DEAD FROM THE MAINE.

Bodies of the Victims Likely to Remain at Hayana.

New 1 ork May 2.- A despatch to the World from Washington says that the bodies of the victims of the Maine may rest permanently at Havana and Key West, where they were first buried, although it was contemplated by congress and the authorities at Washing-Washington for final burial in Arling-

This is suggested by the fact that the graves of the Maine's dead at Havana have been recently placed in rerfect order and elaborate plans have been made for beautifying and marking the spot. A wall of masonry, with anchors and lieces of cannon, is to inclose the riot, and already tropical raigned Atkinson and his associates, parts have then planted about the

Congress spropriated \$10,000 to de fray the extenses of bringing the bodies to Washington, but as yet no move has been made to disinter them, and it does not appear that any move will be made at an early date.

It is understood that it is due to the mutilated co dition of the bodies that the naval authorities are averse to exposing them to view, as would be the case if they were removed.

Friends and relatives would be spar ed farther pain by permitting the dead heroes to lie where they now rest Naval officers have labored to mark the graves and to identify each body so that in case they should be removed there would be no mistake.

RALEICH SAILS SOUTHWARD.

Philadelphia, May 2.—The Raleigh sailed today for Wilmington, N. C., where she will remain several days. She will next go to Charleston to take part in the celebration by the Confederate naval veterans on May 20. She will then go to Portsmouth, N. H., where she goes out of commission.

REJECTED BY THE SOUTHERN.

Louisville, May 2.-The Southern railway has rejected the option given by holders of the mortgage bonds of the Air Line because the price is higher than the Southern feels justified in paying. The effect of the rejection seems to be that the deal for the Air Line is off for the present.

WETS WIN AT HOT SPRINGS.

Hot Springs, N. C., May 2.-The wet

ticket carried the election here today by a large majority. Thomas Ebbs was elected mayor, Isham Gorenflo Dr. Crim and Arthur Shaw aldermen

THE BEST

Fruits

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Lawton's Column Captures More Filipino Villages.

Scattered Sixteen Hundred Insurgents and Pursued Them.

Our Only Casualties in the Day's Fighting, Two Wounded,

A Me sage From Gilmore-List of the Prisoners in His Hand Writing.

Washington, May 2.-The following was received from Otis tonight, dated Manila today:

"Lawton's column, passing westward from Norzagaray, captured Balinag and villages in the vicinity yesterday, scattering and pursuing 1,600 insurgents. His only casualties were two wounded. The insurgents lost several ton that they should be brought to killed and a large number wounded and captured, the numbers not stated. I have opened up communication with Lawton via Malolos, by means of Hale's troops and detachments from this city." "

WORD FROM CILMORE.

Manila, May 2.—The first authentic information regarding Lieutenant J. C. Gilmore and party of 14 men from the Unlited States gunbolat Yorktown, who were captured by the Fulipine April 12, was restived boday at the hands of Maj. Argueleses of the staff of Gen. Luna. It is in the form of a liet of the missing men and signed by Lieut Gilmore. The lieuxemanit reports that he and painty had been brought across the mountairs from Baker, where they were captured. This information was brought in response to a note which Gen. MacAnthur secit Gen. Lunia by Major Shields and Lieut. Hayne and which three officers bearing a flag of truck canried across Luna's lines yesterday, the note, after asking information regarding American prisoners in Gen. Lune's hands, confluded with the message that he (Gen. MacArthur) would be pleased no meet Gen. Luna. Major Shields and Lieut. Hayne found a span of railway bridge mile away from St Thomas broken.

IKE THE FREDA WARDE CASE

A Woman Kills Her Friend and Herself to Prevent Separation.

Stockton, Cal., May 2 .- A tragedy which recalls the Freda Ward case in Tennessee occurred here this morning, when Mrs. Virginia Hassel, wife of a well-to-do Englishman, killed her friend, Mrs. William Heckman, and then shot herself dead. The most plausible theory is that she did the deed for fear of being separated from her friend. Mrs. Hassel was separated from her husband and Mrs. Heckman also had domestic trouble.

HENRY B. HYDE DEAD.

New York, May 2.-Henry B. Hyde, president of the Equitable Life Insurance association, died here today of heart disease.

Ladies' storm rubbers, 35 cents, at G.

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