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evile

When the witness hesitated Mi

"Well, about 10 per cent," answered

N. B. Bradley, of Michigan, argued that the beet sugar industry was the first of the protected industries to di-

rectly benefit the farmers and for that reason he urged that it should not be

disturbed to the detriment of the farm-

AGAINST THEIR PARTY'S

POLICY IN HOUSE.

ness in the house today was the ote

upon the argent deficiency bill which

Mr. Cannon, chairman of the appro-

bill to appropriate \$500,000 for "the

Mr. Richardson, the minority leader,

against it with the exception of the

(Miss.); Gordon, (O.); and Crowley,

Mr. Richardson then moved to re-

The bill then was passed, after which

IS EXONERATED

the house went into committee of the

JURY INVESTIGATING TUNNEL

DISASTER FINDS STEAM

OBSCURED SIGNALS.

New York, Jan. 24.-The coroner's

jury, after investigating the recent ac-

cident at the Park Avenue tunnel,

whereby a number of lives were lost

Because an Envoy is to Attend King's

Coronation.

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 24-In the house

today Representative Averdict (dem.),

of Covington, introduced a joint reso-

lution condemning the action of Presi-

dent Roosevelt in sending a special en-

voy as the representative of this coun-

try to the coronation of King Edward

VH and expressing the shame felt by

schools of this state which do not give

Admiral W. S. Schley full credit for

the victory at the battle of Santiago.

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whole on private pension bills

following sixteen who voted for it:

to put the other side on record.

Richardson.

(III.).

came over from yesterday.

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the public on this issue.

What was most feared," he said, was that free trade with Cuba of



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stand?" asked the chairman. Payne said amid laughter, "Make it Mr. Haywood.

rnment Makes would not be opposed by Hawaii." Charge Against British Naval Attache.

Entered Private Quarters in Naval Ship Yards and Made Inquiries.

EPISODE CAUSES-A MILD SENSATION

NOT BELIEVED, HOWEVER, THAT OFICER'S RECALL WILL BE ASKED-COMPLAINT MADE TO BRITISH EMBASSY.

Washington, Jan. 24.—Charges of ever priations committee, demanded a sepsealousness made against Naval At- arate vote upon the amendment to the tache Bailey to the British embassy caused something of a stir in official circles today, and there is much interest in the outcome. It is not believed that the government went to the extreme of asking his recall.

A naval attache is supposed to obtain all the information possible in re- er held that a motion to recommit gard to the naval progress of the na- would not be in order until after the tion to which he is accredited. Up to bill had been formally read by the title Admiral and Mrs. W. S. Schley upon he time of the Spanish war naval at taches were free in furnishing information to foreign naval and military attaches, but the war taught some lessons of prudence. No information is furnished any attache now except in exchange for information equally as valuable in possession of his govern-

A rule also has been adopted that all ments.' naval attaches shall seek information only through the intelligence of the ment followed. mavigation bureau. It is said that Bailey broke this rule, but the main cause of complaint was after having been refused permission to witness some tests or manoeuvres he proceeded to do so. He is also charged with have (Ark.); Taylor, (Ala.); Snark, (Ohio); ing gone into the private shipyards Williams, (III); Zenor, (Ind.); Miers, where the American warships are be(Ind.); Nortes, (G.); Kern, (III.);
ing built and having made inquiries Lindsay, (N. Y.); McCullough, (Ark.);
about these ships.

(III.); Fox,

HAWAII OPPOSES FREE MARKET TO CUBAN SUGAR

Would not Object to a Ten Per Cen Concession to the Cubans.

Washington, Jan. 24.-The Cuban reciprocity hearings were resumed today under the ways and means committee with a large attendance of those representing the beet and cane sugar, ENGINEER WHISKER tobacco and other interests opposed to concessions to Cuga, and with the ex-pectation that some of the government officials in Cuba might be present later in the day to sum up the advantages of reciprocity.

The attitude of the Hawaiian sugar planters opposing concessions to Cuba, were presented by William Haywood, formerly United States consul-general to Hawaii, and now representing the Hawaiian planters and the chamber of commerce of Hawaii. In the course of his statement he said:

"Hawaii is not opposed to Cuba being assisted if congress in its wisdom de- and a score injured, returned their vercides that the United States is morally vict this evening, finding the New York responsible for Cubes welfare. To Central rollroad company alone regive to Cuba a free market for her sponsible. Engineer Whisker and the sugar will be to give an alien people fireman were exonerated and dischargjust as much advantage as American ed, on the ground that steam obscured citizenship gives to Hawaiians and the the signals. extra advantage of not being obliged to conform to the stringent laws regarding labor and immigration. With annexation Hawaii lost her best source of labor supply-China, All her food, clothing, machinery, and in fact everything but a few vegetables, come from the states, and the only thing she has to pay with is sugar."

Chairman Payne asked the witness if the slightest concession to Cuba would ruin the Hawaiian industry.

"I hope not," answered Mr. Hay-"How much reduction could

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something approaching that would be brought about and that meant ruin to Triumphal Progress of His Hawaii. But a 10 per cent concession H. C. Leavitt, of Ames, Neb., speci-Trip From Washington fied the methods which, he said, the sugar trust was adopting to mislead to Chicago

> Makes Brief Speech From His Car Platform Cumberland,

OF PHILIPPINE SOLDIERS PLAN FOR ENTERTAINMENT IN THE CITY BY THE LAKE

SIXTEEN DEMOCRATS VOTED WILL REMAIN IN CHICAGO TILL TUESDAY-TRAVELING IN A Washington, Jan. 24 .- The first busi-

PRIVATE CAR OVER THE BAL-TIMORE & OHIO.

Washington, Jan. 24.-Admiral and MINE WORKERS' MONEY panied by her maid, left for Chicago protection and shelter of the officers this morning at 10:50 o'clock over the and enlisted men of the army serving Baltimore & Ohio in a private car atin the Philippines." His purpose was tached to the regular train. The car was decorated with handsome flowers.

sought to meet this demand with a Chicago, Jan. 24 .- All the arrangeproposition to recommit, but the speakments have been completed down tothe smallest detail of the reception of their arrival in this city tomorrow.

'Would it be in order to move an At the station the visitors will be me amendment to provide that the presiby civil war naval veterans and Mayor dent should submit to congress a de- Harrison and city council committee tailed statement of the expenditures Naval reserves will escort them to the under this appropriation?" asked Mr. auditorium. In the afternoon the receptions will be given the admiral by the "It would not," replied the speaker." Hamilton and Press clubs and in the The previous question has been or evening a banquet will be tendered dered on the bill and pending amendhim. Monday they will hold a public reception from 3 to 5 o'clock at the The vote upon the Cannon amend-Auditorium. At 6 o'clock the admiral The amendment was adopted, 178 to will be dined by the officers of the 105. These republicans voted solidiy Illinois navel militia. for the amendment and the democrats

Admiral Schley and party will leave Chicago for Louisville on Tuesday via \$500, and was passed. the Monon, in President McDoel's private car, The train will leave Dearborn station at 8:30 p. m., and will be met by citizens at Lafayette, Craw-tordsville and other points en route with flowers, music and brass bands.

Cumberland, Jan. 24.-Ten thousand people greeted Schley when the train commit the bill with instructions to stopped here today. Ex-City Attorney amend the amendment so as to provide Gordon introduced the admiral saying: that the president should furnish, or 'He cannot speak to you of the wrongs cause to be furnished, a detailed state- he has suffered and is suffering but we, ment showing how the appropriation the great American people, can speak of \$500,000 had been expended. The out in thunder tones and see that the motion to recommit was defeated, 124 great political wrong is righted.' Schley received much cheering.

Schley said he felt at home among the citizens of Cumberland, and viewed their demonstration as an endorsement of his services.

McKeesport, Jan. 24.-Schley passed through here tonight bound west Over five thousand were at the Baltimore and Ohlo depot. He received cheers and some of the crowd yelled: This is where the projectiles were made that helped you in the battle of Santiago.'

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TWENTY-ONE KILLED BY A MINE EXPLOSION

Eight Injured Were Rescued, Five of Whom Will Die-Work of Rescue Consumed six Hours, and scene Was a Pitiful One.

Oakaloosa, Ia., Jan. 24.-An exp-losion occurred in the Lost Creek mine today, while a hundred miners were at work. Those nearest the shaft escaped, while those in the interior we re caught by the falling debris or over come by gas. Twenty-one bodies were taken out and eight rescued, so maimed that five are expected to die. The fire was extinguished after several hours' work and not until several of the dead were burned beyond recognition. The work of rescue qui ckly began but the flames and debris retarded the efforts of the rescuers. Many of the rescuers were overcome by gas and smoke.

The scenes around the shaft were pitiful. The women and children of the dead or entombed rushed about, shri eking, groaning and praying. It was six hours before the mine was thor our v explored and the last body re-

FOR M'KINLEY MEMORIAL

\$500 VOTED BY THE UNION-MITCHELL RE-ELECTED PRESIDENT.

Indianapolis, Jan. 24.—The United Mine Workers' convention today reelected the following: President, John Mitchell; vice-president, T. L. Lewis; secretary and treasurer, W. B. Wilson. A resolution providing for the appropriation of \$1000 to the McKinley monument fund, extolling his virtues and denouncing anarchy was tabled. Mitchell made a speech declaring McKinley was a friend of labor and saying the miners could well afford to make the contribution to the monument. The resolution was recommended and amended, making the appropriation

TO RESIST PASSAGE OF CRUMPACKER BILL

Southern Republicans Congress to Agree on Line of Proceedure.

Special to the Gazette.

Washington, Jan. 24.-The southern republicans in conference will meet again Monday to take some steps to resist the passage of the Crumpacker bill. The committee appointed at the last meeting is expected to report and will probably suggest instead of the Crumpacker bill some measure designed to compel state officers to properly administer the election laws of the state.

Conveying Mrs. Stone's Ransom. Seres, Macedonia, Jan. 24.-The bearers of the ransom for Miss Stone and Madame Tsilka, having with them \$72,500, reached Demir-Hissar (Rouma-Raleigh, N. C., Jan. 24.-In Gaston nia) January 21 and proceeded to the county farmers are vaccinating their mountains on horse back, accompanied brays.

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REPORTED ATTEMPT TO KILL KING DENIED

London Jan. 24.-A despatch from Athens denies the reported attempt to assassinate the king of Greece.

Three Killed: Nine Injured

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