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## MR. TURNER TAKES A TURN

AT DENOUNCING AMERICAN SOL-  
DIERS AND DEFENDING  
FILIPINO REBELS.

**Declares Smith's Name is Raised  
to a Bloody Infamy Surpass-  
ing Robespierre's.**

**WON'T BELIEVE STORIES  
OF O'HEARN'S TORTURE**

BEVERIDGE AND HOAR HAVE A  
TILT—ANOTHER DESK IN THE  
HOUSE DRAPED IN MOURNING.

Washington, May 6.—When the bill  
providing for civil government in the  
Philippines came up in the senate today  
a controversy was precipitated by Sen-  
ator Beveridge with regard to cruelties  
in the Philippines. He attacked Rawl-  
ins for attempting to cast doubt on the  
torture and murder of Sergeant O'-  
Hearn by Filipinos. Hoar challenged  
Beveridge to produce any evidence out-  
side of the extorted confessions of Fili-  
pino to show that O'Hearn was tor-  
tured. Beveridge stated that his au-  
thority was the evidence of the Fili-  
pino prisoners. Rawlins again asserted  
his belief that the confessions of the  
Filipinos in regard to O'Hearn was ex-  
torted by cruel devices and denounced  
the torture of Filipinos by Americans.

Turner followed in a lengthy speech  
against the bill. He declared that  
Lodge's speech yesterday was the best  
argument yet given why the bill should  
fail. He criticized the dilatory tactics  
of the Philippines committee and de-  
clared that General Smith's order in re-  
gard to the inhabitants of Samar had  
raised his name to a height of bloody  
infamy surpassing that of Robespierre,  
Marat and Danton of French revolu-  
tionary fame. He read a letter from a  
clergyman's son telling of the shooting  
down of batches of Filipino prisoners  
every morning while standing in  
trenches the victims had dug. In con-  
clusion Turner appealed to the com-  
mittee to throw light on the situation  
in the Philippines. After a few re-  
marks by Hoar the senate adjourned.

Washington, May 6.—The house ad-  
journing today almost immediately on  
assembly, out of respect to the mem-  
ory of Representative Salmon whose  
death was announced.

## A VOLCANIC ERUPTION; 150 PEOPLE MISSING

St. Thomas, Martinique, May 6.—A  
volcanic eruption has destroyed several  
factories at Guerin. One hundred and  
fifty people are missing.

## A KIDNAPPED CHILD LOCATED IN ITALY

Washington, May 6.—The state de-  
partment today received a despatch  
from Ambassador Choate that the child  
Margaret Vinton Taylor, who was kid-  
napped from her home in Newport, Ky.,  
in 1898, has been positively located by  
him in a place in Italy.

## MONEY GETS OFF WITH TILLMAN AS COUNSEL

Washington, May 6.—The court today  
dismissed the charges and counter  
charges growing out of the recent street  
car fracas, in which Senator Money  
was involved. The court decided it  
had no power to refuse the nolle prosequi  
entered by the district attorney.  
Counsel for Conductor Shaney strongly  
opposed this disposal of the case. Sen-  
ator Tillman appeared for Money. He  
asserted that the court had no other  
alternative but to accept the nolle prosequi.

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## ADMIRAL SAMPSON IS DEAD



REAR ADMIRAL SAMPSON.

Washington, May 6.—Rear Admiral  
Sampson died this evening at his re-  
sidence here. The immediate cause  
of his death was cerebral hemorrhage  
and paralysis of the brain. He was un-  
conscious six hours immediately pre-  
ceding death. According to medical di-  
agnosis, Sampson's trouble was soften-  
ing of the brain and degeneration of the  
arterial system.

Among those at the bedside when he  
passed away were one daughter, two  
sons and Mrs. Sampson. The latter  
left her bed, by a supreme effort, to be  
at her husband's bedside, she being ut-  
terly prostrated by the strain through  
which she has passed, nursing the ad-  
miral. She is now quite ill and under  
medical treatment.

Three of the admiral's children were  
unable to reach Washington to be at  
their father's bedside when he passed  
away. No definite arrangements have  
been made for the funeral.

William Thomas Sampson was born  
near Palmyra, N. Y., February 9, 1840.  
He entered the Annapolis Naval acade-  
my at the age of 17 and graduated four  
years later, first in his class. His first  
service in the navy was as master for  
one year of the frigate "Potomac," at  
the outbreak of the civil war. His ser-  
vices were so acceptable to his super-  
iors that he was promoted second lieuten-  
ant. While participating in the evo-  
lutions of the South Atlantic squadron

he served on board the "John Adams"  
and the "Patapsco."

It was the fate of Lieutenant Samp-  
son, then only 25 years of age, to be  
acting as executive officer on board the  
iron clad "Patapsco" when she was  
blown up by a torpedo in Charleston  
harbor, January 15, 1865, and sank in  
15 minutes. In his report to the secre-  
tary of the navy Commander Quacken-  
bush said:

"The cool intrepidity displayed by  
Lieutenant Sampson deserves the high-  
est praise."

In 1866, while serving on the Colorado,  
Sampson received his commission as  
lieutenant-commander. From 1868 to  
1871 he was instructor at Annapolis.  
After a cruise, he reached in 1874 the  
grade of commander. Again from  
1876 to 1878 he was on shore duty at  
the academy and in 1882 he was station-  
ed at the naval observatory, a position he  
held until 1885. He was also a mem-  
ber of the board of fortifications and  
other defenses, which convened in  
Washington in 1885. From 1886 to 1890  
he was superintendent of the academy.  
In 1890 Sampson attained the rank of  
captain, and in that year was delegate  
to the international maritime confer-  
ence at Washington. He next com-  
manded the cruiser "San Francisco,"  
and after the formation of the new  
navy was in command on the Iowa,  
one of the most formidable of modern  
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## QUEEN'S CONDITION IS VERY CRITICAL

New York, May 6.—Reports announc-  
ing the critical condition of the queen  
of Holland have caused the deepest  
sorrow here, cables the London corre-  
spondent of the Tribune. Since the day  
Wilhelmina took the Dutch throne, the  
English people have watched her car-  
eer with the utmost interest and the  
hope is universal that the care with  
which she is surrounded will preserve  
her life.

Queen Wilhelmina's physicians in  
their bulletin, issued at Castle Loo, say:  
"After a slight rise in her tempera-  
ture yesterday evening, the queen had  
a quiet night and slept most of the  
time. Her temperature is normal and  
her condition at present moment is  
fairly satisfactory, although the pa-  
tient still requires great care and at-  
tention."

A bulletin posted at Castle Loo at 2  
p. M., today, announced that Queen  
Wilhelmina's temperature had "con-  
tinued normal up to the present" and  
said that her majesty's "other symp-  
toms do not call for special remarks."  
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## THE JONES-HANCOCK WEDDING IN RALEIGH

WEEKLY CROP BULLETIN GENER-  
ALLY FAVORABLE—CROPS  
GROWING RAPIDLY.

Special to the Gazette.

Raleigh, May 6.—This morning in  
Christ church Miss Lucy Alice Jones  
was married to Charles Hancock. The  
bride is a daughter of the late Dr.  
Jones, who was for many years presi-  
dent of Greensboro Female college. Mr.  
Hancock is a member of the faculty  
of the university of Virginia.

The weekly crop bulletin reports that  
the past week has been generally fa-  
vorable. The temperature averaged  
five degrees above normal, with rainfall  
irregular. Crops are growing rapidly.  
The Red Men have formulated an or-  
phanage scheme to present to the  
grand council next week.

## INDICATIONS THAT STRIKE HAS BEEN AVERTED

Scranton, May 6.—The sentiment of  
the United Mine Workers' officials who  
gathered here is that there will be no  
strike. A report is published here that  
President Baer of the Reading railroad  
has decided to grant such concessions  
as will satisfy the miners. Mitchell  
arrived at midnight. He says the sit-  
uation is as threatening as ever.

Philadelphia, May 6.—President Baer  
declines to talk. The opinion here is  
that he has yielded to pressure exerted  
by Senator Hanna and will agree to a  
slight increase in pay but no decrease  
in hours.

New York, May 6.—Wall street had a  
report today that the presidents of sev-  
eral coal roads met in the Jersey Cen-  
tral building for the purpose of agree-  
ing on concessions to the miners with  
a view to avoiding a strike. Railroad  
presidents declare that no such meet-  
ing has been held and no concessions  
will be made.

## MORO PRISONERS SHOT ATTEMPTING ESCAPE

Washington, May 6.—Chaffee cabled  
the war department today telling of an  
attempted escape of Moro prisoners  
held by troops under General Davis in  
Mindanao. Chaffee expresses regret  
over the killing of some of them, say-  
ing it was intended to release them all  
except the head men. He says the  
guard and one company opened fire  
without orders.

## CHICAGO SAILORS AGAIN ARRESTED IN ITALY

London, May 7.—A despatch from  
Trieste states that last night a number  
of sailors belonging to the American  
cruiser Chicago assaulted citizens on  
the street. Four men were arrested  
and turned over to the commander of  
the Chicago who paid all claims for  
broken windows.

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