

CERTAIN RISK UNAVOIDABLE.

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Washington, May 9.—The naval offi-aldehyde," said the expert. "This is a morning, as follows: cials are not disposed to criticism by the news of the grounding of the Raleigh, the general opinion being that there is an unavoidable risk in taking a vessel of such draft as the Raleigh into a jettied

small quantities and pour quarts of it into vats for the preservation of butter. "This 'freezine' I have found to be

Coghlan and his officers will be entertained at luncheon by the Carolina Yacht Club. Captain Coghlan has been nvited to take formal part in the me morial exercises.

Richmond, Va., May 9.-The conference of Virginia Democrats "for the purpose of adopting such measures as may be deemed best to promote the elec-

on dress parade, nor would he yield to the appeals of the men that he find appea shelter.

"The captain never forgot for a second that he was a Clay," one of one of them explained. When General Hale was assigned to

a brigade in the Philippines he ap-pointed Captain Clay to the position of adjutant. On the first day of Mac-Arthur's advance, Captain Clay, rid-ing erect as usual, received a bullet through the neck. He lay six hours in the jungle before he was discovered. and as the wound was a dangerous one at the best, his life was dispaired of. His only thought when he was brought into the hospital was that his family should be informed that he was but slightly injured. He is now however, well on the road to complete recovery.

Among those officers who have fallen, no one will be longer or more loyally remembered by his comrades infantry. In the beginning of the hot fight at Maraquina, which General Hale conducted with such skill, that it was worthy of more attention than the overshadowing importance of MacArthur's advance permitted, Gregg was near his chief, The horse he rode had just been shot from un-der him. He was taking off the sad-dle when a man warned him that the shot had been fired by a sharpshooter in a tree near by. Refusing to take cover, as most of the men were doing. lieutenant stepped forward and standing erect, uncased his field glasses to look at the tree. Just as he raised them to his eyes, a puff of smoke was seen in the tree. Gregz put his hand to his breast, and fell forward, instantly killed.

A DENIAL BY HASKELL.

Toledo, O., May 9.-Charles N. Has kell, whom Attorney General Monnett accused of being a party to offering him a bribe to drop the prosecution of the Standard Oil Company cases said to the Associated Press reporter today that he absolutely had nothing to do with offering a bribe to any one that he was in no way con-nected with the Standard Oil Company and does not know Mr. Monnett or Charles B. Squires, his alleged briber.

### CAPTAIN SPITZER ROBBED.

umbia, S. C., May 9.-Captain Ar-Spitzer, formerly Adjutant Genthe United Confederate Veterans. place robbed of all his money railroad ticket today. Many s were shown him here. Anis that of J. A. Brown, of \$35. The police here have harbor. If the ship comes off without damage appearance. it is probable that there will not be any official notice taken of the matter. Otherwise there must be a court of inquiry to fix the responsibility.

#### FOUR LIVES FOR DOLLARS.

# Knives, Pistols and Dead Men in Okolona.

Okolona, Miss. May 9-As a result of a dispute here tonight four men, among the most prominent citizens of the town are dead. Details are confusing. len, no one will be longer or more loyally remembered by his comrades than Lieutenant Gregg, of the Fourth infantry. In the beginning of the bill which Dr. Murphey claimed Clarke owed him. The dispute became heated and a fight was precipitated. Clarke drew a knife, and slashed Dr. Murphey, severing the jugular vein. Howard Murphey, son of the physician, rushed to the scene of the killing and shot Clarke to death. Walter Clarke, brother of Charles D. Clarke and Howard Mur phey then began a duel to settle the matter. Pistols were used. The men fought viciously, the end being that both were killed.

DRASTIC ANTI-TRUST BILL.

Passed By the Senate of Texas-Stronger Than the Arkansas Law.

Austin, Texas, May 9.-The Senate of the State Legislature to-day passed finally its Anti-Trust Bill. When originally introduced the bill was identical with the Arkansas law. It has been materially amended, however, and is decidedly more drastic in its provisions.

GEN. GOMEZ WANTS AN ARMY.

Havana, May 9.-General Maximo Gomez is trying to persuade Governor Gen-eral Brooke that a Cuban standing army of 15,000 men is a necessary adjunct to the proper government of the island. The proposition is not likely to receive much consideration at headquarters, where considerable surprise was occa sioned by this magnificent project, which, if adopted, Gomez doubtless believes would be placed under his personal control.

Rules to be followed in paying the Cuban troops were published yesterday. Although the surrender of arms is a necessary precedent of payment, where a soldier without arms can prove he saw service, he will be paid.

chemical that acts disastrously on the "General John B. Gordon and Com tissues of the stomach." rades:

The Professor told of his experiments "Our heartfelt congratulations to conwith a fluid sold extensively to butchers vention of Veterans. We announce the for the purpose of making their Ham- organization of the Robert E. Lee Monburger steaks last and keep up a healthy ument Association of the District of Columbia, the purpose of which is to

This liquid contains in great percent erect an equestrian statue of our chiefage what is known as sulphide of soda tain at Fort Meyer Heights, Alexandria ing citizens of the city. A superb choir with a complement of coloring matter," county, Va. (Signed) "Robert E. Lee Monument

a national affair.

At New York-

he continued. "It is styled an antiseptic and in certain respects it is. It must Association. be borne in mind, however, that where "Mrs. Florence Vance, President. "Miss Nina Stephenson, Secretary." fermentation and waste are arrested the digestive properties are consequently destroyed. hroughout the country will come to the

Dr. Wiley, the Government expert, who examined the antiseptic without going on the stand, said he identified it as practically the same chemical which was used during his experience at a medical college to preserve cadavers, and was now occasionally put to service in disinfecting houses where smallpox patients resided.

PROGRESS OF A GREAT TRUST

Chicago, Ills., May 9.-The Tribune

will say to-morrow: "Reports of two of the big corpora tions, which rumor has associated with the proposed eight hundred million dol-lar combination of iron and steel industries declared to-day material progress had been made during the day. The plan, already exploited to a considerable degree, is to absorb mines, mills, rail oads and factories. The two repre tatives in question said the following corporations, giving the capital stock of each, were to be included:

"The Carnegie Companies, \$250,000,-000.

"Federal Steel Company, \$100,000,000. "American Steel and Wire Company, \$90,000,000.

"National Steel Company, \$59,000,000. "American Tin Plate Company, \$50,-000,000.

"Republic Steeel Company, \$50,000. 000.

"American Steel Hoop Company, \$33.000.000. "It is proposed to take in the iron and

steel plants of importance which are still independent concerns. None of these is large when compared with the trusts, but they are considerable industries. The argest of them are:

"Jones and Laughlin Company, Pittsburg, Pa., capital \$10,000,000. "Cambria Steel Company, capital

\$5,000,000. "Scranton Steel Company, capital \$5,000,000.

Major John A. Logan has been ordered N. Z., May 9.-Everything is quiet on the island. Operations have been suso Atlanta, Ga., for duty as Adjutant pended pending the arrival of the joint General of the Department of the Gulf. commissioners from San Francisco.

Tonight the great auditorium erected especially for this occasion was formally dedicated with impressive ceremonies. Its seating capacity of 7,000 persons was taxed to hold the crowd. the stage were seated all of the distin-guished visitors and many of the leadtion of the exercises and addresses were made by Mayor Smyth, General Wade Hampton, Major Theo. G. Baker and Hon, T. W. Bacot. The prayer was made by Rev. Ellison Capers, Bishop of It is expected Confederate Associations

South Carolina and a Brigadier General in the Confederate army. Tomorrow will be the first day of the

to make the erection of the monument reunion and the occasion will also be Mr. Trimmer, in replying to words of thanks from those interested in rial Day. The parade of the veterans project, stated that although a will occur in the afternoon, at the conclu Northern man, he had come to admire sion of which memorial exercises will General Lee, and was willing to con-tribute to a memory as to that of any other area. be held in the auditorium. General Gor-

The memorial address will be made by General George Moorman, of New Orleans, Adjutant General of the Confederacy, and a salute will be fired by vete-rans of the famous Washington artillery and Hart's battery.

LONE STAR LINE SUSPENDED.

New York, May 9.—It was said at the offices of the Lone Star Line to-day that the line had temporarily suspended its New York-Galveston service.

An evening paper says: "The Lone Star steamships now in the New York-Galveston trade, it is understood, have been sold and will be used between San Francisco and the Hawaiian Islands. This ends one of the fiercest transportation struggles of this decade. The advent of the Lone Star Line into the coastwise commerce brought on a war which knocked rates from 50 cents to 2 cents per 100 pounds between New York and Galveston and which upset the rate situation of the whole South-

# TESTIMONAL FOR DEWEY.

to be presented with a monster testi-monial consisting of autograph letters from nearly every member of President McKinley's Cabinet, Governors of States and prominent United States Senators.

Apia, Samoa, May 4 .-- Via Auckland, The Virginia Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows met at Lynchburg this morning about three hundred representatives being in attendance.

tion of Senators of the United States by the direct vote of the people, and until that result is accomplished, the selection of party Senatorial candidates by some popular method," meets here tomorrow. Up to 11 p. m. over three hundred delegates had reported.

## TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

The President has appointed Mrs. W. Fagan postmaster at Ply-Emily mouth.

The American Library Association is in annual session at Atlanta, Andrew Carnegie was elected an honorary member in recognition of his munificence to educational institutions.

The Michigan Senate yesterday passed an income tax bill which pro-vides for a tax of one-fourth of one per cent on all incomes of one thousand dollars and upwards.

At a meeting of the New York Board of Aldermen an enthusiastic resolution calling for an official reception to Admiral Dewey upon his arrival in that city was adopted unanimously.

Governor Smith, of Montana, exresses himself as opposed to the war in the Philippines as being un-Ameri-can and in furtherance of a policy which he believes to be a menace to the republic itself.

The Duchess of York, accompanie1 by the Duke of Connaught and Geo. J. Goschen, First Lord of the Admicalty, and others, launched the new Royal yacht Victoria and Albert at Pembroke, England, yesterday.

The Havana Commercial Company, now fully organized with a capitalization of \$20,000,000, will confine its business for the present to the manufacture and export of havana cigars and cigarettes and Cuban leaf tobacco.

Secretary Wilson has gone to New Orleans, to examine the sugar interests. From there he will proceed to a number of points in the lower Mississippi Valley Washington, May 9.-Admiral Dewey upon his return to the United States is in an investigation of the agricultural situation.

> Roland Burnham Molineux, charged with the murder of Mrs. Kate J. Adams, was discharged from the Tombs yesterday, the grand jury hav-ing failed to re-indict him, and was immediately after re-arrested on a warrant charging him with assault with intent to kill in sending evanide of mercury to Harry Cornish.

Norfolk, Va., May 9.-The election for west. aldermen of Elizabeth City, N. C., re-sulted in the choice of M. N. Sawyer, J.

C. Commander, J. B. Flora, John L. Sawyer and W. H. Weatherly, white Democrats; B. F. Spence, white Repub-lican, and Bryant Freeman, colored Republican. The proposition to issue \$35,-

000 in city bonds for public improve-ments was hotly contested, but was carried by 56 majority.

ON THE DIAMOND.

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SCHEDULE FOR TO-DAY.

aid of the local body, as it is intended

Baltimore at Boston. Washington at Brooklyn,

New York at Philadelphia. Cincinnati at Pittsburg.

St. Louis at Cleveland.

ELIZABETH CITY ELECTION.

At Pittsburg-