

the Knight court martial when Cap-Littleton, of New York, played an intain Austin M. Knight, president of teresting game of golf today. the naval ordnance board, testifying match was arranged last Siturday. in his own behalf, flatly contradicted the testimony of Rear Admiral W. A Marshall given earlier in the trial. In a way it was heraided as a contest between the republican and democrat-Rear Admiral Marshall declared that ic parties and the president, as the neither Captain Knight nor any one resentative of the former, unexelse had notified him in person or by pectedly won. Mr. Littleton, who at telephone of anything concerning the the last election had the distinction monitor Puritan at the conclusion of the explosive tests. Captain Knight, of defeating Colonel Roosevelt's friend and neighbor. Congressman who is being tried on charges of neg-Cox of Oystar Bay, was regarded by the experts here as having a shade ligence of duty in connection with the sinking of the Puritan after the tests. on the president at the royal game. while on the stand today testified But he was taken entirely off his that by telephone he had notified Admiral Marshall in person of the guard by the president's game today conclusion of the tests and that the and Mr. Taft won rather handily by ship was ready to be taken to the a score of 2 up and one to play. The entire 18 holes were played out and Norfolk navy yard. Captain Knight the president's medal score was 97 said he called the office of the Adto Mr. Littleton's 99. The match atmiral by telephone from Old Point tracted great attention among the Comfort and that some one else angolfers at the Country club. One of swered at first, but that afterwards its most interesting features was the Admiral Marshall himself came to fact that the president and the con-gressman occasionally seemed to get the telephone.

#### **Recognized His Voice**.

sidetracked on some political issue or some point of constitutional law "I recognized his voice and he told me on the 'phone 'this is Marshall,' and would stand for several minutes declared Captain Knight.

gesticulating and arguing with each In response to all questions leading other, apparently forgetful of the to whether or not Captain Knight satisfied himself that all conditions er the balls. recently driven from the er the balls. recently driven from the tee had fallen into a bunker or not. in the memorandum from the ordnance bureau had been complied with The golfers who were playing behind and as to what he should have done the match seemed to enjoy the situto protect the government from loss ation rather than feel put out by the by the sinking of the Puritan, the delay to their own games. Mr. Lit. captain states that he had done evtleton came in for a good deal of erything necessary so far as his duty chiding in which the president laugh ingly joined with the remark that equired. Captain Knight stated that it had been previously agreed that he "you democrats are always letting us epublicans beat you." Declaring he remain in Norfolk until after felt "utterly chagrined," the congress the Puritan was in dock, but things seemed to be all right after the exploman left today for New York. sian and he did not deem his prea-Returning from the golf links Presl

ence in Norfolk necessary and sent a

FORMER GOVERNOR OF FLA.

WM. D. BLOXHAM, DIES

AT ADVANCED AGE OF 75

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in the fight being waged in the South against the hookworm infection, ac cording to two reports from the commission established by a dona-The the tion of \$1,000,000 from John D Rockefeller for the eradication of the disease. One of these reports by Dr. C. W. Stiles. scientific secretary of the commission, is now in press and has not been made public. It is known, however, that it deals with what has been accomplished in a sanitary way throughout the South toward wiping out the infection, and Dr. Stiles is known to be of the opinion that with the assistance the various state boards of health. work has been proceeding fav orably.

> Scientific treatment, he believes, i getting the upper hand in the fight against hookworm. The other report that of Wickliffe Rose, administrathe tive secretary of committee which has just been made public declared that the largest result achieved during the past year does not appear in the tables shown in the report. The result he says is "public sentiment created." the

> Everybody Co-operating. The people, he adds, "Are being led to seek examination and treatment by the co-operation of publicspirited, influential citizens. The inspectors on going into a new community frequently have the co-operation of a group of leading citizens. In speaking of the way in which work is being carried on, he

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the how the geographic distributells tion of the infection and the degree of infection is determined by personal inspections by the various state directors of public health, by reports from local physicians and by laboratory examinations. In addition to the nine Southern states, Alabama, Arkansas, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi, North Caroling, South Car-

Marching Rations Are Ordered in Large Quantities for Camp Crockett.-Daily Drills Are Being Held.-Health of Soldiers is Excellent, the Only Sickness Being One Case of Measles. GALVESTON, Tex., March 5 .- The on the march when there is no more soldiers encamped at Fort Crockett palatable food available. KEY WEST, Fia., Mar. 15 .--- The have settled down to a daily routine waiting for something to happen. They are having the three hours of United States army transports Mc-Cielian , Kilpatrick and Sumner car-DIVISION ABOUT COMPLETE. BAN ANTONIO, Texas , Mar. 15 .rying several companies of coast ar

TROOPS ON BORDER HAVE SETTLED

INTO ROUTINE AWAITING ORDERS

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company and battallon drill daily in extended formation and Colonel Bai-When the last battery of artillery ar-rives here from Fort D. M. Rus-sell, probably tomorrow, General ley is planning to increase the time as the men become hardened to the Carter's division will be complete. The ninth cavalry, colored, from Fort D. A. Russell, marched into

Health of Soldiers toon Officials at Washington are mani-festing great interest in the health entrain eight days ago but for five days were compelled to wait for A veterinary camp was estabthat he has to report but one case of sickness berong the 1.200 men now here. A full grown soldier from Fort Barrances, Florida, broke out with measies potteday. He is be-ralized line but shout 7,200 anihospital corps mais, mostly mules would be needed

of the regiment and the men who have been "rooming" with him have The dispute over the use of the been isolated from the other sol-Southern Pacific switch track (was diers. General Mills appears confi-dent that there will be little sickness Quartermaster General McCarthy and among the men of his brigade while they remain at Fort Crockett. Depot Quartermaster Normoyle.

## Shortage of Tents.

No news reached here today from General Carter moved his quarters the three transports now en route into a spacious tent today. The great to Galveston from Hampton Roads field of brown canvass was broken with 3,000 men , although all the in a few spots by white tents borwith 3,000 men ,although all the in a sew spots by white terms but-wireless stations in this vicinity are sending electric waves scouting for them. Army ofcfiers familiar with the apeed of the vessels expressed "You may send your way cloud the pathene for the set of the set

the opinion that they would not ar-the opinion that they would not ar-the English correspondents," amiled to the complete tying up of traffic General Carter to newspaper men, on the main line of the National "nothing but maneuvers here,"

FINANCE MINISTER LIMANTOUR LEAVES FOR MEXICO CITY May Ask for Military Escort Across Texas to Border of Countries

WANTS ONLY TRUTH TOLD ABOUT MEXICO

**Declares That America Must** Not Forget That Mexico Has many Resources

NEW YORK, Mar. 15 .- Senor Jose Yves Limantour, Mexico's minister of finance, slipped quietly out of town this afternoon. apparently bound direct for Mexico City,

From what could be learned h has abandoned his idea of going home by way of Florida and Havana. for he left New York at 2 p. m. over the Pennsylvania railroad in his private car en route to BL Louis

private car en route to St. Louis, Railroad officers say from St. Louis he would go direct to Larsdo, Tex., and from that point travel to Mes-lee City by rail in a course to be de-termined by conditions on the border. May Ask for Escort. It is understood that should Se-nor Limantour ask for a military es-cort through Texas his request prob-ably would be granted to the extent of guarding him to the border be-tween Texas and Mexico. Belind him Senor Limantour left a long typewritten statement and the cierk at the deak of the hotel said he had inquired particularly about the sailings on or about March 16 of all lines running between Hava-nas and Vera Crus. It will be reof all lines running between Hava na and Vera Cruz. It will be re-called that on his arrival from Eu-rope he said he intended to go hom by way of Florida, Havana, Tuca tan and Vera Cruz and that he hop ed to arrive in Mexico City withil ten or twelve days from the date h-left New York:

fillery to Galveston to take part in the army maneuvers in Texas pass-ed Sand Key this morning. Captain Monroe of the Key West barracks on board the revenus cutter Forward met the transports in the guif and received the body of First Sergant Albert A. Voght of the 87th company who died on the transport for the 10 "There have been frequent persistent rumors," his farewell ment read in part, "that I not return to Mexico; that if who died on the transport Sumner on the way down. The body will be shipped to For Totten, N. T. it would not be to assume the of the office I have tried to ceptably for some years tords me pleasure to say the

ure to any fords me pleasure to say that returning to Mexico, not only to as sume those duties, but also to de whatever may be within my sphere of action to help the general condireceived tonight are carried out then with the interior of Mexico will be destroyed tions of my country.

Mexico Resourceful Country. How long will the insurrection last?"

parent that rebels have planned to blow up several bridges between C. P. Dias, opposite Fagle Pass and Sabinas. Coshuis, on the Mexican international line of the Mexican system and that this might occur "Quien sabe? That will depend as much upon acts of Americans as the Mexicans. May the American people never forget that Mexico is a try of wonderful resources and pos-sibilities but that their fullest de-Activity on the part of the revo lutionary forces is also expected south of Laredo, where it is said that velopment can never come except through the complete co-operation of every one who has the best interests of Mexico at heart, Shall not all such units in one determined ef-fort to bring about the desired re-





and served until the close of the West stood over Mumford and fired known that 17, were injured. The West stood over Mumford and bred three times after the officer had in progress and it is believed other His first term as governor was from 1881 to 1885. At the conclusfon of his term as governor Mr. staggered, wounded, from the shanty dead and wounded will be found be Bloxham was appointed minister to in which the outlaws had barricad- fore morning. Ralph McCallum, d themseives. All of the witnesses testified that known to have been killed. He was Boliva by President Cleveland, but ed themselves.

he declined the office, choosing rather to serve as supervisor gener-al of Florida. In 1897 he began his second term as governor, serving the officers were fired upon. Dave the officers were fired upon bave been killed. He was crushed to death. McCallum was superintending a salvage corps. Young, also charged with complicity oring to save goods in an adjoining until 1901.

He was married twice. His first in numerous robberies, told of re-building in the interest of the in-rife was Miss Mary C. Davis, of peated threats West had made in surance companies, was badly injurwife Lynchburg, Va., whom he married in the event any officer attempted to ed but will recover. 1855. A few years ago he married arrest him. Mrs. G. Morse Norvell of Hender. The evide

The evidence against the accused, is supposed to have caused the walls, son, Texas. Funeral services will be which is believed to be conclusive, wenkened by the fire, to fail, church here tomorrow.

RUN OVER BY TRAIN.

LYNCHBURG, Va., Mar. 15-C. M. Jacobs, of Suffolk, Va., was run measure a detachment of the local over and killed by an early morning military company is guarding the train today on the Southern railway jail. at Alta Vista. The body was discov-ered by the engineer of a local passenger train which was about to over it. It is not known how Jacobs was killed

## KILLED BY FALLING LOG.

tonio Catholic diocese took place to-SAVANNAH, Ga., Mar 15-Caught under a huge falling log. Harry H. held in San Fernadina cathedral, bu- for contracting with an Atlanta law Hahn, vice president of the Big Stick rist was in San Fernandino cemetery firm to assist in recovering from li-Lumber company was instantly kill- beside the body of Bishop J. C. Ne- quor houses money alleged to be due colder Thursday; ed at Montieth today. He came to raz, whom Bishop Forest succeeded the state in connection with dealings fair; moderate to Savannah five years ago from Ohlo. in 1905 .

will likely be concluded tomorrow. Much interest is being taken in the trial, though the crowds which

have gathered have as yet made no demonstration. As a precautionary

## BISHOP FOREST'S FUNERAL

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Mar. 15 .-The funeral of Right Rev. John An-thony Forest hishop of the San An-the commission to wind up the late thony Forest bishop of the San An- South Carolina state dispensary.

day. Solemn requiem high mass was severely criticises the commissioners with the state dispensary.

The heavy wind of the morning

DISCHARGED FOR INCOMPE-TENCY

COLUMBIA, S. C., Mar. 15 .- "Neglect of duty and incapacity," are the reasons assigned by Governor Blease for an order issued last night peremptorily removing from office Dr. J. J. Murray, of Columbia, J. Steele Brice, of Yorkville, A. N. Wood of Gaffney, Avery Patton of Greenville, and John The governor, in his proclamation

> WASHINGTON, March 15 .- Forefair; moderate to brisk winds becoming variable.

garding the murder of H. F. DeCou, a well iknown American archaeologist ny under a North Carolina charter. Carolina met here today for a ses by Arabs at Cyrene, Africa, on March The name of the company is the sion of two days. At a public meet-Dy Arabe at Cylindrican embassy at Virginia Power company, Dr. J. J. Ing addresses by D. M. Gannaway, Constantinople has cabled that sol-Mott of Statesville, N. C., is the president of the Virginia union; Dr. diers have been dispatched to arrest the known perpetrators. Mr. DeCou, who was formerly instructor in Greek archaeology in the Greek academy, was a member of an American scientific expedition oper-Mr. American scientific expedition oper-ating under the direction of Richard to the new company, covering over a hundred thousand horse powdr. in Virginia and North Carolina. which is in the Turkish province of Banghazi, in northern Africa. The

> an early date to develop this power and will generate electricity for both

### JURY AT LAST SECURED

VITERBO, Italy, Mar. 15 -After much difficulty a jury was secured to day for the trial of the 32 members of the carommora, who are charged in various decrees with the murders of their fellow theives Gennaro Cuoecolo and the latter's wife, Maria Cutinelli Cuoccolo. The four seats yesterday were filled during the fore-noon and two jurors in addition to 15.—Fore-Fair, much sworn in. When the last juror had r generally northwest orthus distributed president Bianchi adjourned proceedings were resumed. left vacant when the court adourned cast for North Carolina : Fair, much sworn in. When the last juror had Friday generally qualified president Bianchi adjourned

moving spirit behind the big organi-North Carolina union: Mayor Harry

turned over the deeds to such sites afternoon a committee was appoint-

ARMY TRANSPORTS PASS.

tillery to Galveston .to take part in

These advices briefly made it ap

all rail communication

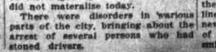
within 24 hours,

at any moment.

This committee, the names of whose members are not divulged. will report at another meeting to

GAYNOR WANTS TO ARBITRATE offering to act as arbitrator in the pany employes, provided the men return to work at once and appoint Last night it was discover enable me to say that such griev-ances will be rectified."

If action is taken immediately, he concludes, he believes the strike will be settled to the satisfaction of every-body. The general strike, therein



# ALMOST UNANIMOUS

WILMINGTON, N. C., Mar. 15 .-Under authority of an act of the last session of the general assembly by popular vote the city of Wilmington today adopted the commission form of government, the vote being practically unanimous, only 22 votes be-

ing cast against the measure out of a total of 1.200,

While there was no organized op-position to the communisation form, the city office holders and others worked hard against the bill. It was never thought however, that Wil-mington would reject the commission NEW YORK, March 15.-Mayor Gaynor came out with a letter tonight form of government as the business ed up almost solidly for it. Still, no one expected the overwhelming

return to work at once and appoint a committee to present their grisy-ances to him. "I have assurances ward had been misplaced or stolen. ances to him. "I have assurances and it was feared that vote of the enable me to say that such griev-ances will be rectified." and it was feared that vote of the have to be thrown out. It was found



## details of the crime, which are meagre, were reported to the department by Mr. Norton and the American embassy was directed immediately to investigate.

Most of the water power which the doctor has secured and which the Virginia Power company now owns in on New river. It is understood be held tomorrow. power and light purposes.