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WILKIE WALKS.

The President's Speech on Results of the Spanish War at a Banquet in Boston.

OUR ACTION IN THE PHILIPPINES

He Defends the Course of the Administration in Deciding to Take Possession of the Islands on Humanitarian Grounds—He Criticizes Those Who Were Anxious to Begin the War Now

Censure the Administration—Nothing Said as to Permanent Annexation of the Islands—Results of War Greater Than Anticipated.

Boston, February 16.—President McKinley arrived in Boston today to be the guest of the Home Market Club at a banquet in his honor at Mechanics hall.

The evening event of the day and the principal feature of the president's visit to Boston was the banquet tendered to him by the Home Market Club at Mechanics hall tonight.

At 8 o'clock the music sounded, announcing that the banquet was ready to be served and the immense company marched into the hall.

At 9 o'clock the music sounded, announcing that the banquet was ready to be served and the immense company marched into the hall.

At 10 o'clock the music sounded, announcing that the banquet was ready to be served and the immense company marched into the hall.

At 11 o'clock the music sounded, announcing that the banquet was ready to be served and the immense company marched into the hall.

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PRESIDENT OF FRANCE DEAD

He Died of Apoplexy at 10 o'clock Last Night After Three Hours' Illness

Paris, February 16.—M. Felix Faure, president of the republic of France, died at 10 o'clock, after an illness of three hours.

About 6 o'clock M. Faure, who was then in his study, went to the door of the room of M. Legall, his private secretary, which is contiguous to the study and said: "I do not feel well."

Mr. Legall immediately went to the president's aid, led him to a sofa and called General Balaud, general secretary of the president's household.

The president's condition did not appear dangerous, but Dr. Humbert, on perceiving that he was rapidly getting worse, phoned for Dr. Longue and Dr. Cheuret, who arrived with M. Dupuy and were joined later by Dr. Bourguy.

M. Dupuy communicated the sad intelligence to the president of the senate, M. Paul Deschanel, president of the chamber of deputies.

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At 2 o'clock the music sounded, announcing that the banquet was ready to be served and the immense company marched into the hall.

LEGISLATIVE MATTERS

Are Made in the House

Norwood Impeachment Again Postponed.

ANTI-ANNEXATIONISTS PARTY-DISAGREEMENT

Strike From Sundry Civil Appropriation Bill Clause to Pay Spain for the Philippines—A Motion to Reconsider the Bill With Instructions to the Committee to Attach the Nicaragua Canal Bill—This Motion Now Pending on Appeal on Point of Order

Washington, February 16.—The reorganization bill was reported to the senate today and Senator Hawley, of Connecticut, chairman of the military affairs committee, gave notice that he would move to proceed with its consideration at the earliest possible time.

The naval personnel bill was taken up and read but no effort made to proceed further with its consideration.

The postoffice appropriation bill was under consideration during the greater part of the afternoon, but was not disposed of finally.

Senator Morgan, of Alabama, offered the Nicaragua canal bill as an amendment to the reorganization bill.

Senator Sherman, of Ohio, presented a resolution to amend the constitution to prohibit polygamy.

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Fire! Fire! Fire!

WE WILL KNOCK THE BOTTOM OUT OF PRICES FOR THE NEXT WEEK IN SLIGHTLY DAMAGED FURNITURE

BY FIRE AND WATER

It will be your loss if you fail to see what we are going to offer. COME QUICK.

The Sneed Co.

Terms Cash. We Told You So!

A Few Good Overcoats Let Come in and Get One.

Having Gotten Our Orders for Dress Suits Complete We are Now Open for New Contracts.

New Goods Coming in This Week.

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THE BIG SALE

THE C. W. POLVOGT CO'S

Bargain Week

will be continued from Monday, February 13th, to Saturday, February 18th on account of the hard rains and extreme cold weather during the past week.

Our Terms CASH, For This Big Sale.

THE C. W. POLVOGT CO.

Sole agents for the W. B. Corsets and the Standard Paper Patterns.

ONLY SIX LEFT

of that sample lot of TRUNKS.

All 30 inch Must Close this Week at Cash.

H. L. FENNELL 22 N. FRONT STREET

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OUR GROUND HOG

AND ORDER

Coal and Wood

J. A. SPRINGER & Co

We Can Supply Your Wants

Jewelry.

DINGELHOEF BROS., Jewelers and Opticians.

Slocum's Assignment Stock MUST BE SOLD WITHIN THIRTY DAYS REGARDLESS OF COST.

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At 4 o'clock the music sounded, announcing that the banquet was ready to be served and the immense company marched into the hall.

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