

TWO REGIMENTS RUSHED TO ISLAND TROUBLE FEARED

Dispatch From Honolulu
Says Officers of Transport
Thomas Announce That
Two Regiments have Been
Rushed to Island.

Details Bearing on Reason
Why Government Thinks
Soldiers are Necessary in
Island are Difficult to Ob-
tain.

San Francisco, Dec. 15.—The Exam-
iner publishes the following despatch
from Honolulu:

The officers of the transport Thomas
have announced that two regiments
are to be rushed immediately to the
island in anticipation of trouble with
the Japanese. They refuse to give out
any details bearing on the reason why
the government feels that soldiers are
necessary in the island, at this time
overrun by the little brown men. It is
understood the Mikado is extremely
anxious to secure possession of the
island of Lanai, as private property.
The despatch adds:

"Attorney Gear secured an injunction
against Governor Carter and land
Commissioner Pratt to prevent their
selling the island to a syndicate. It is
understood the syndicate represents
the Japanese government or the people
ultimately expect to dispose of the
island to Japan.

ISSUES \$14,576,000 BONDS.

Norfolk and Western Railway Offers
Securities at Par to Stockholders.
New York, Dec. 15.—Directors of
the Norfolk and Western Railway
Company today announced an issue
of \$14,576,000 4 per cent. convertible
gold bonds maturing 1932.

The bonds are part of the \$34,000,000
authorized some time ago, and
will be offered to holders of the ad-
justment preferred and common
stocks, at par on basis of one-sixth
of their present holdings.

Silver Service Presented.

Norfolk, Dec. 15.—A silver service
was presented to the battleship Vir-
ginia today at the navy yard in the
presence of Governor Swanson and a
party of State officials. A silver ser-
vice was given to the cruiser Ten-
nessee in Hampton Roads. The
presentation was made by a daugh-
ter of Governor Cox, of Tennessee,
following the presentation speech by
her father. A large party of Ten-
nessee officials and others were pres-
ent. Both governors advocated a
greater navy.

POLICE EXONERATED.

Admiral Berry Accused Norfolk Offi-
cers of Treating Sailors With
Cruelty.

Norfolk, Va., Dec. 15.—The board
of control today investigated charges
made by Rear Admiral Berry against
the commanding officer of the police
treating sailors and detaining them
illegally. The sailors mentioned in
the specific complaints were Seamen
Rudolph Leuschner, Charles P. Bilby,
and J. D. Kellam. Kellam was ar-
rested on the charge of unlawful
shooting and was acquitted after
overstaying his liberty in jail, but
Leuschner and Bilby were convicted
by the civil courts on the charge of
disorderly conduct and served sen-
tences in jail in default of their
fines.

The police are of the opinion that
the sailors made the charges upon
which Admiral Berry's complaint is
laid in order to escape punishment
for overstaying their liberty, as no
evidence of cruel treatment on the
part of the police was introduced.

An Alarming Situation
frequently results from neglect of
clogged bowels and torpid liver, until
condition is unknown to those who
use Dr. King's New Life Pills; the best
and gentlest regulators of Stomach and
Bowels. Guaranteed by C. M. Shuford
and W. S. Martin & Co. Druggists. Price
25c.

Curtis Not Guilty.

Dayton, Ohio, December 15.—David
Curtis, tried for the murder of Dona
Gilman, was released on the grounds
that the prosecution failed to show
that Curtis was connected with the
crime. Curtis declared he had killed
the girl, but relatives testified that he
is mentally unbalanced.

FREY'S VERMIFUGE

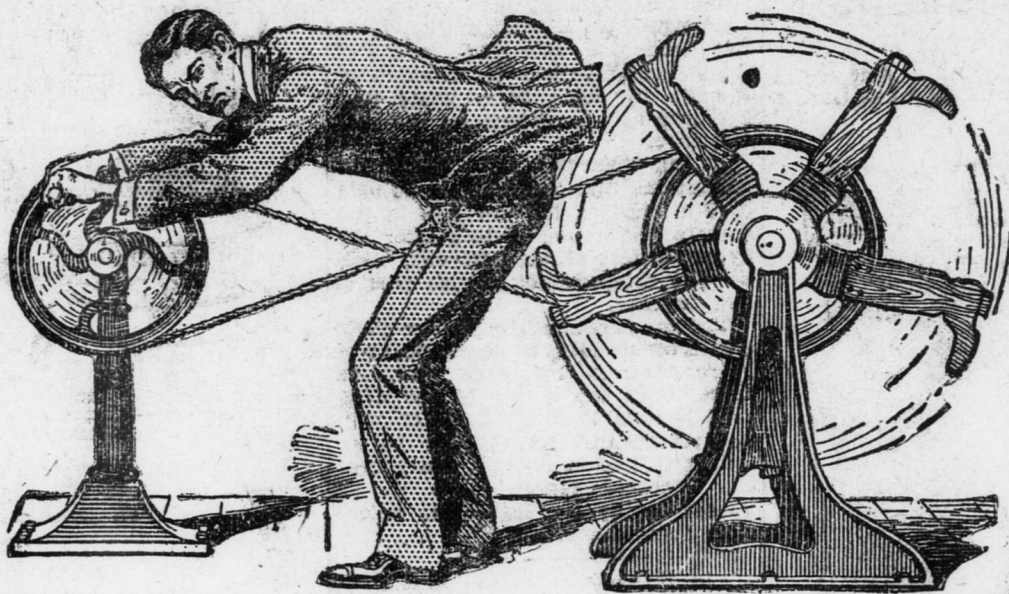
is the same good, old-fashioned
medicine that has saved the
lives of little children for the
past 60 years. It is a medicine
made to cure. It has never
been known to fail. If your
child is sick get a bottle of
FREY'S VERMIFUGE

A FINE TONIC FOR CHILDREN

Do not take a substitute. If
your druggist does not keep
it, send two five cent stamps to

FREY'S VERMIFUGE

E. & S. FREY
Baltimore, Md.
and a bottle will be mailed you



This man bought a supply of tobacco with-
out acquainting himself with the distinctive taste
of SCHNAPPS Tobacco, which has the cheering
qualities that gratify his desire to chew, and at
less expense than cheap tobacco.

SCHNAPPS has been advertised in this
paper so that every chewer has had an
opportunity to get acquainted with the
facts and know that drugs are not used
to produce the cheering quality found in
the famous Piedmont country flue-cured
tobacco, and that SCHNAPPS is what he
ought to chew. Still there are chewers
who accept other and cheaper tobaccos
that do not give the same pleasure.

Some day they'll get a taste of the real
Schnapps—they'll realize what enjoyment
they've missed by not getting SCHNAPPS
long ago—then they'll feel like kicking
themselves.

SCHNAPPS is sold everywhere in 5
cent cuts, and 10 and 15 cent plugs. Be
sure you get the genuine.

MAKE DENATURED ALCOHOL.

Internal Revenue Department Swamp-
ed With Letters of Inquiry About
Business.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 14.—The
internal revenue department is be-
ing swamped with letters of inquiry
from all parts of the country in re-
gard to the manufacture of denatured
alcohol, the new law relating to
which is to become effective the first
of the year. From the letters it is
evident that many farmers and others
are of the mistaken opinion that the
manufacture of the alcohol will be
a simple matter and that great
profits are to be derived from the
business.

The internal revenue commissioner
desires to have it understood that
this is a mistaken idea. In the
opinion of the department it will be
impossible for the farmer, or for
even an association of small farmers,
to engage profitably in the manufac-
ture of denatured alcohol. In the
first place it is absolutely obligatory
for the makers of the product to
own not alone distillery machinery,
which is costly if the product is to
be made on a large scale, but it is
necessary, under the law, for the
manufacturer of denatured alcohol to
have one bonded warehouse upon
the premises for the storage of nat-
ural spirits as they are first dis-
tilled and another bonded warehouse
adjoining the first for the denatur-
ing or poisoning of the tax-free al-
cohol. The changing of natural spirits
into denatured spirits is to be
watched by the government just as
jealously as the production of the
original alcohol or the manufacture
of whiskey by the rectifiers.

BINGHAM AGAINST COURTS

By Nine Gods of War, He Will Run
His Department.

New York, Dec. 15.—"Who is run-
ning the police department, the courts
or me?" asked Police Commissioner
Bingham this afternoon.

"If the courts are to handle the de-
partment, then I will sit still and let
them do it. But, by the nine gods of
war, I will not appoint an inspector
any of these captains whom the courts
seem anxious to see promoted.

"Neither will I give any reasons, in
court or elsewhere, for my refusal to
appoint these men. I want the inspec-
tors to be commanders and to have
brains.

"When I think what the police de-
partment could be made—the wonder
of the world—it makes me weary."

These remarks were called forth by
the announcement that papers were
being prepared in a mandamus pro-
ceeding to compel the commissioner to
appoint eligible captains to inspec-
torships.

Following The Flag.

When our soldiers went to Cuba
and the Philippines, health was the
most important consideration. Willis
T. Morgan, retired Commissary Ser-
geant U. S. A., of Rural Route 1, Con-
cord, N. H., says: "I was two years in
Cuba and two years in the Philip-
pines, and being subject to colds, I took
Dr. King's New Discovery for Con-
sumption, which kept me in perfect
health. And now, in New Hampshire,
we find the best medicine in the world
for coughs, colds, medicine in the
world for coughs, colds, bronchial
troubles and all lung diseases." Guaranteed
at C. M. Shuford and W. S. Martin's Co. druggists. Price 50c
and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

Washington, Dec. 14.—The amend-
ment increasing the salaries of sena-
tors and representatives was defeated.

Beautifying methods that injure the
skin and health are dangerous. Be
beautiful without discomfort by taking
Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. Sun-
shiny faces follow its use. 35 cents.
E. B. Menzies.

Case of Rigby is Continued

Wealthy Young Man of
Durham Under Charge
of Stuffing Ballot Boxes,
is Granted Continua-
tion of Trial.

Raleigh, N. C., December 15.—The
case of W. T. Rigby, the wealthy
young man of Durham, N. C., was given
a continuation of his case this morn-
ing by Judge Purnell, until January
1st. The continuation is in order that
the trial in the Federal Court may
not interfere with the trial in the
State courts.

Rigby is charged with contempt of
court and also with stuffing ballot boxes
in the last election. It is understood
that he had men subpoenaed to at-
tend the Federal court in Durham in
order to get them out of the way of
the trial there. Judge Purnell intimat-
ed today that he might possibly hold
the lawyers who represented Rigby
and who advised him to pursue this
course, in equal contempt.

The Durham Catering Company,
of Durham, N. C., was chartered to-
day at a capital of \$5,000 by F. A.
Ogburn and others.

In Praise of Chamberlain's Cough
Remedy.

There is no other medicine manufac-
tured that has received so much praise
and so many expressions of gratitude
as Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It
is effective, and prompt relief follows
its use. Grateful parents everywhere
do not hesitate to testify to its merits
for the benefit of others. It is a cer-
tain cure for croup and will prevent
the attack given at the first appear-
ance of the disease. It is especially
adapted to children as it is pleasant
to take and contains nothing injurious.
Mr. E. A. Humphreys, a well known re-
sident and clerk in the store of Mr. E.
Lock, of Alice, Cape Colony, South
Africa, says: "I have used Chamber-
lain's Cough Remedy to ward off croup
and colds in my family. I found it to
be very satisfactory and it gives me
pleasure to recommend it." For sale
by Shuford Drug Co.

WHITE IS UNDECIDED

Richmond, Va., Dec. 15.—William H.
White, the Norfolk lawyer, to whom
has been offered the presidency of the
Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac
Railroad, is still uncertain whether
or not he will accept the position. It
is the belief in railway circles that
he will ultimately accept.

The committee appointed by the
stockholders to notify White of his
election this morning received from
him a letter in which he expressed
thanks for the offer, and said that he
has the matter under advisement, but
would like a few days in which to
consider it.

CASTORIA.
The Kind You Have Always Bought

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Steamer Hauled Off.

New York, Dec. 15.—The Austrian
steamship "Clara," which went ashore
at Mantoloking, was hauled off.

Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea is
simply liquid electricity. It goes to
every part of your body, bringing new
blood, strength and new vigor. It
makes you well and keeps you well.
35 cents. E. B. Menzies.

Standard Oil Dividend.

New York, Dec. 15.—Among the 4-
500 persons who are fortunate enough
to be stockholders of the Standard Oil
Company there was distributed to-
day the sum of \$10,000,000, represent-
ing a quarterly dividend of \$10 per
share. This is the annual dividend for
the year to 40 per cent, which is
the same as was distributed last year.
In the seven years since the formation
of the Standard Oil Company of New
Jersey, in 1899, the enormous total
of \$301,000,000 has been paid in divi-
dends. Of this total it is estimated
that more than \$150,000,000 has gone
to John D. Rockefeller.

In Honor of Tuft's Men.

Medford, Mass., Dec. 15.—A mem-
orial tablet in honor of the Tufts col-
lege men who fought in the civil war
was unveiled in Goddard Chapel this
afternoon with interesting ceremonies
and in the presence of a notable as-
sembly of Grand Army veterans and
others. Col. J. Payson Bradley, de-
partment commander of the G. A. R.
officiated.

Facts Given Out.

Washington, D. C., December 15.—
Representative Roberts of Massachu-
setts, introduced a bill to-day making
the non-commissioned officers and en-
listed men of companies B, C and D
of the Twenty-fifth infantry—negroes
discharged from the service by or-
der of President Roosevelt, eligible for
enlistment in the military or naval
service.

The bill is intended to restore to
these men all the rights lost under the
order of discharge.

A vegetable corrective for the stom-
achs of babies and children with the
name of each ingredient in plain Eng-
lish on every bottle, that is Cascas-
weet, the ideal medicine for the little
ones. Contains no opiates. Conforms
fully with National Pure Food and
Drug Law. Write E. C. DeWitt & Co.,
Chicago, Ill., for the "Baby Book."
Sold by C. W. Shuford and W. S. Mar-
tin.

Washington, Dec. 15.—The Depart-
ment of Justice has received from the
District Attorney at San Francisco a
telegram giving in detail a statement
of agreed facts between the city au-
thorities and himself in the matter of
the Japanese school controversy, and
has transmitted the telegram to the
Secretary of State for his considera-
tion.

E. C. DeWitt & Co., of Chicago, at
whose laboratory Kodol is prepared
assure us that this remarkable digest-
ant and corrective for the stomach con-
forms fully to all provisions of the Na-
tional Pure Food and Drug Law. The
Kodol laboratory is a very large one,
but if all the sufferers from indigestion
and stomach troubles could know the
virtues of Kodol it would be impos-
sible for the manufacturers to keep up
with the demand. Kodol is sold here
by C. W. Shuford and W. S. Martin.

Deficiency Bill Passed.

Washington, Dec. 15.—The House
passed the urgent deficiency bill, car-
rying \$581,500.

During a brief discussion of the bill
Mr. Williams asked whether it had
been pledged on the part of the gov-
ernment that the present occupancy of
Cuba by the United States troops was
temporary.

"Unqualifiedly yes," replied Mr. Lit-
tauer, in charge of the bill.

No Opium in Chamberlain's Cough
Remedy.

There is not the least danger in giv-
ing Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to
small children as it contains no opium
or other harmful drug. It has an es-
tablished reputation of more than thirty
years as the most successful medicine
in use for colds, croup and whooping
cough. It always cures and is
pleasant to take. Children like it. Sold
by Shuford Drug Co.

LETTER TO SHERIFFS.

State Treasurer Lacy Urging Sheriffs
to Settle Before January 15th.

Raleigh, Dec. 14.—State Treasurer
B. R. Lacy is issuing to sheriffs of
all the counties in the state letters
which contain the following significant
paragraph: "The balance in the State
Treasury November 30, the end of the
fiscal year, was \$338,000, which sounds
like a big balance, but when you re-
member I checked out of that for the
running expenses and appropriations
to state institutions Dec. 1 about \$100,000,
that there will be \$275,000 pension
warrants to pay this month, \$75,000
New York interest, \$30,000 James-
town exposition, running expenses Jan-
uary 1 about \$35,000, with \$100,000 for
school in January and the legislature
on hand, I must have about \$600,000
on hand before January 15. I write
therefore to let you see the necessity
of pushing your collections."

The sheriffs of only two counties
have settled in full for state taxes,
these being E. A. Powell of Vance and
J. T. Ellington of Johnston county.

In Honor of Miss Patton.

High Point, N. C., Dec. 14.—The
W. O. T. Club entertained yesterday
afternoon at the home of Miss Connie
Charles in honor of Miss Winnie Pat-
ton, who is soon to be married at her
home in Morganton. The affair was a
miscellaneous shower and the gifts
were of the dainty and useful sort,
which were taken to the home of Miss
Charles to mark the occasion. The W.
O. T. Club presented a beautiful cres-
cent pin of pearls to Miss Patton. A
solid course was served.

The following named members were
present: Miss Patton, Mesdames
Aubrey Hoover, A. S. Caldwell, Jr.,
A. S. Parker, S. H. Tomlinson, Misses
Mary Alexander, Berta Ragan, I. Irving
Paylor, Blanche Bradshaw and Connie
Charles.

Open the bowels and get the cold out
of your system. Kennedy's Laxative
Cough Syrup opens the bowels and at
the same time soothes the inflamed
membranes. Contains Honey
and Tar. Drives out the cold and stops
the cough. Absolutely free from any
Pure Food and Drug Law. Pleasant
to take. Sold by C. W. Shuford and
W. S. Martin.

Is Bryce Lucky One.

London, Dec. 14.—Parliamentary
circulars show much interest in the
prospect of James Bryce's appointment
to the Ambassadorship at Washington.
When some of the Irish members asked
Bryce if they might congratulate him,
he did not deny the report, but
merely replied: "You must not believe
everything you hear."

Standard Oil Case.

Thomas W. Ryley's production of
"The Belle of Mayfair," the latest mu-
sical play by Charles H. E. Brookfield
and Cosmo Hamilton, with the music
by Leslie Stewart, has been warmly re-
ceived in New York, where it has
been put on for a run at Daly's. Miss
Christie MacDonald and Miss Irene
Bentley have the principal parts.

Townsend's Bill.

Washington, Dec. 14.—Representa-
tive Townsend's bill for a compulsory
investigation of the troubles of employ-
ers and employees affecting the trans-
portation of mails or free movements
of the interstate and foreign commerce
is under consideration by the house
committee on interstate foreign com-
merce.

Clear thinking, decisive action, vim
and vigor of body and mind, the spar-
kle of life, comes to all who use Hol-
lister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 25 cents.
Tea or Tablets. E. B. Menzies.

The Naval Display.

Paris, France, December 15.—Admi-
ral Thierry is to command the
French Squadron of the naval display
at the Jamestown Exposition which
will include the armored cruisers
Kleber, Jules Ferry and Victor Hugo.

CHILDREN CRY FO
FLE'CHER'S CAST O

THE ORIGINAL
LAXATIVE COUGH SYRUP

For all Coughs and asth-
ma expelling Colds from the sys-
tem by gently moving the
bowels. A certain
relief for croup and
whooping-cough.
Nearly all other
cough cures are
constipating,
especially those
containing Opium.
Kennedy's Laxative
Honey & Tar moves
the bowels, contains
no Opium.

KENNEDY'S LAXATIVE
HONEY AND TAR

PREPARED AT THE LABORATORY OF
E. C. DEWITT & CO., CHICAGO, U. S. A.
C. M. Shuford, W. S. Martin.

LADIES

DR. LAFRANCO'S
COMPOUND

Safe, Quick, Reliable Regulator
Superior to other remedies sold at high prices.
Cure guaranteed. Successfully used by over
2,000,000 Women. Price, 25 Cents. Druggists
or by mail. Testimonials & booklet free.
Dr. Lafranco, Philadelphia, Pa.

HOLLISTER'S

Rocky Mountain Tea Nuggets

A Bary Medicine for Bary People.

Brings Golden Health and Refreshing Vigor.

A specific for Constipation, Indigestion, Liver
and Kidney Troubles, Piles, Rheumatism, Impure
Blood, Bad Breath, Stomach Disorders, Headache
and Backache. It's Rocky Mountain Tea in tab-
lets. 50 cents a box. (Genuine made by
Hollister's Tea Company, Madison, Wis.)
GOLDEN NUGGETS FOR SALE BY PEOPLE
Women find quick relief in Dr. Thatcher's
Liver and Blood Syrup.

100 DROPS

CASTORIA

A Vegetable Preparation for As-
similating the Food and Regula-
ting the Stomachs and Bowels of

INFANTS & CHILDREN

Promotes Digestion, Cheerful-
ness and Rest. Contains neither
Opium, Morphine nor Mineral.
NOT NARCOTIC.

Recipe of Old Dr. J. C. W. Fitcher

Pumpkin Seed—
Aloe—
Rhubarb—
Sassafras—
Licorice—
Ginger—
Cinnamon—
Cloves—
Mastic—
Turpentine—
Sulphur—
Castor Oil—
Water—
Sugar—
Vanilla—
Essence of Peppermint—

A Perfect Remedy for Constipa-
tion, Sour Stomach, Diarrhoea,
Worms, Convulsions, Feverish-
ness and LOSS OF SLEEP.

For Similar Signature of
J. C. W. Fitcher
NEW YORK.

At 6 months old
35 DROPS—35 CENTS

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For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have
Always Bought

Bears the
Signature
of
J. C. W. Fitcher

In Use
For Over
Thirty Years

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THE CENTAUR COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY.

SLIGHT WRECK AT LOWELL.

Trains Nos. 39 and 36 Collide, Head-
On—No One Injured—Damage Was
Slight.

Lowell, N. C., Dec. 15.—A slight
head-on collision occurred here this
morning between trains No. 39 and
36. The collision occurred on the
main line and came about from a
misunderstanding of orders. No one
was injured to any extent. Two
cars damaged considerably and were
left here on the siding. The pilots
of both engines were knocked off,
but the trains both proceeded shortly.

FIRE AT WADESBORO.

Fire Thought to Be of Incendiary Or-
igin Destroyed Considerable Prop-
erty.

Wadesboro, N. C., Dec. 15.—Two
larns, the property of J. A. Winfree,
together with two mules, grain, pro-
vender and implements were burned
last night here.

The fire is supposed to be of in-
cendiary origin.

The Fubushima mill at Osaka has
decided to add 20,000 spindles, so as
to increase its yarn production for
shipment to China.

ELECTRIC LIGHT

The office of the company is und-
Martin's Drug Store. Please keep your
lamps clean. Rub them with soft dry
paper. When lamps are wanted in place
of old ones the latter must be returned
to the office.

For any trouble notify the office so
repairs may be made in due time. New
wiring of stores and residences will be
done at cost of material and labor.

The family medicine in thousands of
homes for 52 years—Dr. Thatcher's Liver
and Blood Syrup.

Germans Discuss War.

Berlin, Germany, December 15.—
Among the military and naval officers
the possibility of a conflict between
the United States and Japan has been
quite freely discussed and profes-
sional views appear to agree that Japan
would take the Philippines Islands
and place upon the United States the
necessity of conducting across the
Pacific a prolonged sea and land cam-
paign which would call forth immense
expeditions, against great natural ob-
stacles.

Want U. S. Protection.

Washington, Dec. 14.—Nearly every
state has sent Congress petitions pray-
ing for the establishment in Africa
of an independent government for ex-
slaves and their offspring under the
protection of the United States. No
action is expected at this time.

GEN. NOGI INJURED

Tokio, Dec. 14.—Gen. Nogi, the Ja-
nese commander who captured Port
Arthur was thrown from his horse
while returning home from the palace.
He fell on his head and became in-
conscious. His condition arouses ap-
prehension.

**KILL THE COUGH
AND CURE THE LUNGS**

WITH **Dr. King's
New Discovery**

FOR CONSUMPTION
COUGHS and
COLD

Surest and Quickest Cure for
THROAT and LUNG TROUBLES,
OR MONEY BACK

**RED ROCK FRUIT
PUNCH**

6 Lemons
8 Oranges
1 Pineapple
4 Quarts Red Rock
1 Pound Sugar.
1 Pint Maraschino Cherries

Crush Oranges and Lemons, chop
Pineapple fine, cover with Sugar, allow
to stand three hours, press out the
juice and add to this juice the pint of
Cherries and plenty of cracked ice. Just
before serving add the four quarts of
Red Rock.

This amount will serve twenty-five
guests.

Hickory Bottlings Work

Bottlers of

High-Grade Soda Water in all Stan-
dard Flavors.

**Red Rock Fruit
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