THE TRIBUNE IS REPUBLICAN, BUT IT IS THE PEOPLE'S PAPER.

He Used the Former Champion Up in Exactly Fourteen Rounds.

Advantage in Favor of simply dazed him. Corbett at First.

TIES WON THE FIGHT.

ans Champion of the World.

lead with his right for the jaw. It was if money can bring him into the ring." a simple ruse, but it caught the Califormian napping. Instead of keeping pulled on the gong string at 12:08 ing back his head just a trifle to allow the blow which was of the very slightest kind, to slip by, Corbett contemptuously bent his head and chest backward, and thus protruded his abdomen. Fitzsimmon's small eyes flashed, and like lightning, he saw and availed himself of his advantage. Drawing back his left he brought it up with terrible force, the fore-arm rigid, and at right angles to the upper arm. With the full power of his wonderful driving muscles brought into play, the Australian fairly ripped the blow up the pit of Corbett's stomach at a point just under the heart. Corbett was lifted clean off his feet, and as he pitched forward, Fitz-

rushed at Fitzsimmons, who had not the gong sounded. left the ring. A scene of dreadful conthrough them and struck at Fitzsimmons. The Australian kept his arms by his sides, and with a great deal of generosity, made allowance for Corbett's half demented condition. Bob merely ducked under the blow, and When Corbett clinched with him, and struck him a feeble blow on the ear.

dressing-room. followed with a quick half arm hook, bett's on points. The first time he tried it, which was in Round Three.-Jim opened with a ear and bringing him to his knees. The the third round, Jim threw back his rush and sent a left jab hard on the Australian remained down until Siler head from the fake, coming forward wind. Fitzsimmons did not like it called nine, and then got to his feet. for a counter, when he thought Fitz- and tried to rush in return, but was Jim rushed at once, and planted right simmons' glove was comfortably past wild with right and left. Jim stopped and left on both sides of the face. Fitzhis jaw. Quick as a flash. Bob doubled another left lead for the heart and simmons kept away for a time, and reback and barely missed Jim's jaw with countered smartly on the stomach. the hook. Corbett's smile died away Corbett put a left on the wind and a recuperative abilities. He was slow, for an instant, and he took no more right on the side of the head. Bob's however, and kept clinching. Jim upchances on countering on that particu. stomach showed a red blotch where lar form of lead afterwards.

on purely scientific and almost new principles. Neither of them took any ter a little long range work Jim shot advantage of the privileges allowed right and left on the body and Bob them under the London prize-ring rules, and there was very little hitting in clinches. Corbett made no attempt side and followed with a fast left on to bring around his right in breaking the wind. Both men were getting careheld up his elbows too high. Jim's only left reached the wind, but Corbett effort in the way of a parting shot, was swung right on the jaw in the clinch a full right uppercut, which he brought that followed. Then Jim put his left thick stream. Several times the men right lead for the stomach. The clinch clinched and parted with both hands followed and Bob got in a straight

up. Frequently Bob worked Jim into but slow. Corbett commenced to make a corner and reached for him right and things pretty lively, but they clinched left, with blows that would win any three times without a blow being championship battle if they had land- struck. A light left-swing on the jaw ed. Fitzsimmons, himself, admitted from Corbett was returned with interthat Corbett shuffled and side-stepped est by Fitzsimmons as far as intention CONSTITUTIONAL PREROGATIVES and J. S. Manning and Judge A. Burhis way to safety in a manner which went, but Bob's right and left missed

ing. "He got away from me time and face. Then Jim planted his right under to rights. I knew I could wear him and left. Jim sent his right to the my opportunity arrived. He was weak per cut on the chin before the break. in the last round, and all his clever- Corbett seemed to cling to Fitzsimmons ness could not keep him out of that in clinches as if to save his strength. left punch under the heart. The only Fitzsimmons shot out his left with terone which split my lip. The others I vicious right for the jaw, which was never felt. He fought fair, and hereaf- short. Corbett's left landed on the FITZSIMMONS' STAYING QUALI- ter, he may have my respects if he con-

tinues to merit it." teenth Round Did the Business puncher, but I never calculated on his sent his right across on the stomach | these dispatches heretofore, for Corbett and Made Fitzsim- round had lasted ten seconds longer, I and smiling in each others faces. would have landed him to a certainty. His nose was clogged with blood, and on the jaw, which made Fitzsimmons his legs were wobbling. The gong groggy, and the Australian tried to Carson, Nev., March 17.-After two sounded just as I was about to plus corner his rival, but Jim was too fast years of doubt and vexatious post him with my right and end the battle. and got away, sending a left on the ponements, the heavy-weight cham- He recuperated wonderfully, and I jaw as he skipped back. Bob was not stayed away from him until I thought grinning quite so much now. Jim was plonship of the world was decided be- he was about ripe for another drubbing a bit wild with the right at the stomyand cavil, when Robert Fitzsimmons at short range. My neglect in not ach on the first attempt, but on the ant James J. Corbett helpless to his standing off when he tapped me on the second he landed viciously on the kness with a left-hand blow under the cheek in the fourteenth round, lost me wind. They exchanged hard right body heart after one minute and forty-five the championship. That heart punch blows, and then Corbett landed with seconds in the fourteenth round of simply choked me up. I could not both hands, his right finding the body their battle in the arena here this af- breathe or move for fifteen seconds and his left the jaw. In the clinch he and it was sevral minutes before I uppercut Fitzsimmons, and the latter The great contest was won in the realized that I had committed a breach returned the compliment with a right simplest manner, and the knock-out of etiquette in trying to follow up my hook on the jaw. Corbett sent in two was the result of one unwary move opponent after he put me out. I meant right-hand body punches, and they on the part of Corbett. After the first it when I said I would be his friend clinched. After they stepped back minute of the fourteenth round had hereafter. He whipped me fair and Jim's right reached the wind, but Bob spent in a few harmless clinches square, but I don't think he is the best countered with a jolt under the chin.

his body inclined forward and throw- o'clock. The men faced each other, Corbett with his back to the sun and Fitzsimmons blinking slightly as the bright rays struck him full in the face. Corbett danced around lightly on his toes, Fitzsimmons covering his ground more slowly. Both were cautious and smiling. They feinted for an opening. Fitzsimmons forced his man into a corner and was the first to lead with a left swing, which missed Jim's head by about ten feet. The Californian did not land in his first attempt. More leading at long range followed. Fitzsimmons forced Corbett into a rally and uppercut him lightly in the clinch. Corbett shot a light left on the body on the jaw, with a half-arm punch, and broke away clean. Fitzsimmons swung his left, but missed. A hard point of Fitzsimmons' jaw to minimize simmons shot his right up and around. exchange of lefts followed, in which the danger. Corbett showed much catching Jim on the jaw and accelerat- the Australian got a little the worst more confidence, and shifted his at ing his downward fall. Corbett sank of it. Fitzsimmons then adopted ag- tack from body to jaw. Four times his left knee, and with his out- gressive tactics and rushed Corbett to before the bell rang, Jim's right and streehed right, grasped the ropes for his own corner, but Jim got out of left landed lightly on the point of at support. His left arm worked convul- danger and sent in a heavy right on tack, and as the bell rang, he uppersively up and down while his face was the body as he slipped away. Fitzsim- cut Fitzsimmons in a clinch. twitching with an expression of the mons put a hard left over the heart Round Six.-Fitzsimmons opened the Stratest agony. Referee Siler threw up and Jim swung wildly with his left, round with a right and left swing for his hands on the call of ten and left but landed his right on Fitzsimmons' the jaw, which were both short. The the ring. There were some cries of wind. Corbett ran into a clinch, but fast Australian seemed to grow very "foul" when the referee declared Cor- they quickly broke clean. Fitzsim- vicious at his failure, and he rushed at us since the foundation of our governbett out, but they were unheeded by mons was still forcing matters, but a Jim and hugged him hard, attempting ment. In other words, both powers anybody, as the battle was won fairly hard left swing put him on the de- to wrestle him against the ropes. fensive. Jim swung his left on the The defeat nearly drove Corbett wild. heart, and they came together. On roughting, and cautioned Fitzsimmons. When he was able to feel his feet, after the breakaway Bob sent a vicious left The caution seemed to have the dehis seconds had helped him to his corn- uppercut to the jaw. A clinch followed sired effect, for in the clinches, which

Round Two.-Fitzsimmons opened fusion ensued. The ring was crowded with a left swing, but missed his mark. with an excited mob, but Corbett burst They came to a clinch and were rather slow in breaking away. A vicious left from Fitzsimmons just grazed Corbett's breast and again they were inclined to hug in the clinch. After the breakaway Jim sent in a neat left on the face and a right on the body, dancing away without a return. Fitzsimmons again forced Jim into his corner, swinging right and left for the body. the champion only smiled. It was with but Jim's fast foot work took him out great difficulty that Billy Brady and of reach. Fitzsimmons came into a shouts of his friends in the arena, Corthe seconds succeeded in quieting Cor- clinch and in the breakaway got a stiff bett followed his man all over the ring bett down and getting him back to the left uppercut. Bob swung wildly right jabbing him hard with the left. Bob during the next two weeks will be days. The condition of affairs at Retand left. Long range sparring in which appeared to be very near Queer street, spent in executive session. The fight was clean and speedy. It Corbett did most of the leading fol- and hugged Corbett closely. While he demonstrated two facts-that Corbett lowed. Jim got in a left on the ribs clung on, Corbett uppercut him in the in the Senate, the treaty will be disthe eleverest boxer of his weight in and repeated the blow a moment later. wind, and pasted a right and left on cussed together with the consideration 25 were wounded in the six hours the world, and that Fitzsimmons is Fitzsimmons smiled and tried to corn- the jaw, and forced Fitzsimmons into of presidential nominations, and it is fighting, which occurred yesterday outable to hit him. The California boy er Jim who dodged quickly out of his corner. Fitzsimmons came back at the confident expectation of the comsmothered the Cornishman with left reach and came back with a left on the him, however, and the fighting that mittee that it will be able to have this labs in the face, and right and left wind. Another left on the stomach ensued was fast and furious, both men convention out of the way by the first body blows. Fitzsimmons' most effect- brought the round to a close with the being covered with blood. Jim sent a of April. we attack was a semi-fake left swing, men in a clinch. It was clearly Cor- hard right to the jaw, and swung his

the Californian's left struck. Bob took The battle, as predicted, was fought a hand in the forcing and lashed out wildly, missing with both hands. Afcame into a clinch and landed his right on the ear before they separated. Corbett shot a terrible right on Bob's away, probably because Fitzsimmons fully and cleanly out of clinches. Bob's around very clumsily, and failed to on the body, and as Bob came into land by at least a foot every time he clinch. Jim piled two stiff rights on tried. He did get in one good upper the wind and followed up with anothcut in the fourth round, splitting Bob's er on the body. Fitzsimmons landed upper lip and starting the blood in a a nice left on the jaw after missing the

drive on the wind. A little hugging followed and for the first time the referee came in between the men and broke them. Before the bell sounded a cessation, Fitzsimmons put a neat []] right on the body and swung his left to the jaw and the honors were fairly

a left, which failed to land, and they clinched and broke clean. Bob tried with right lead for the head, but missed and Corbett put a hard right punch on the body, and in the clinch swung his right to the jaw. Bob was determined the mark by a few inches. Corbett "I never saw such a clever man in landed two heavy rights on the wind, my life," said Fitzsimmons this even, and put a straight left flush in the again, when I thought I had him dead Bob's ear and easily escaped a right out, so I kept coming right along until wind, and Bob clinched, taking an upblow that really worried me was the rific force on the wind, and swung a stomach, and he repeated the dose a second later. He swung, missing right Corbett's version of his own Water- and left, but on his third trial he sent loo did not vary greatly from Fitzsim- his right to the stomach, and followed mons.' "I made a mistake in not keep- up with two swift lefts on the jaw. ing away," was the way he put it. Corbett was on the aggressive now, and being able to reach me. If the sixth Time was called with the men clinched

Round Five.-Jim swung a hard left

and counters, Fitzsimmons made a fake man yet, and we will have another go A left jab from the Californian made Fitzsimmons' mouth bleed, and a howl Round One .- Time-keeper Muldoon of joy went up from Corbett's admirers at the sight of blood. This seemed to nerve Jim, and he came in with a vicious right and left on both sides of Fitzsimmors' head. Fitzsimmons came back with a right swing, which caught Corbett just above the ear, and the Californian clinched. They stepped back on the word from the referee, and then Jim put a heavy left on the jaw to which Bob had no return. A right on the body and a stiff left on the jaw flush on the face, made the claret flow freely from Fitzsimmons' nose and mouth, and he appeared a little rattled. Jim was now doing all the work and he supplemented a right and left which was just enough behind the

Referee Siler quickly noticed the

er. he broke away from them and and the men broke without a blow as followed, Bob was much more cautious. Corbett landed a light left on the face, and Bob came back with his right on the body lightly, but missed a terrific left swing for the jaw. They prerogatives given it by the Constituclinched, and Bob caught Corbett a tion. It will, by ratifying this treaty. hard clip with the right on the side of endorse and subscribe to the doctrine the head on the breakaway. Corbett of universal arbitration to which the sent in a neat on the side of the, T --, United States stands pledged, and then announcing the conditions under which sent in a neat and effective right on the leave all questions as to details conwind, and came again with a right on nected with the submission of specific granted to Crete. The situation here the ear and a left on the mouth and subjects to the constituted authorities is becoming more serious as each day popular daily in the State. nose, which started the blood afresh. of both countries. Encouraged by his seconds and the left, catching Fitzsimmons under the percut him repeatedly in the clinches, and swung right and left three or four times on the jaw. Fitzsimmons appeared very groggy, but Jim lacked

strength to get in the deciding blow. In a clinch, Jim took a short arm punch on the nose from the Australia who had recovered wonderfully. A couple of jolts on the wind before the bell rang weakened Jim. As Fitzsimmons went to his corner he heard his wife say something about blood on his face. He turned quickly and said: "Never mind the blood; Ive got him licked."

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Round Four.—Jim again led off with The Senate Committee Orders a Favorable Report.

AMENDMENTS REGOMMENDED

TO BE OBSERVED.

President to Name Jurists for Arbi trators-Senate to Decide What Arbitration.

Washington, March 17 .- The Senate Committee on Foreign Relations spent two hours this morning in the conside- \$35,000 as the result of the examination ration of the general treaty of arbitra- of the books of the Association by an tion with Great Britain, and then or- expert book-keeper. dered a favorable report to be made to the Senate to-morroy, with amend- tion occurs, was sent for to explain the ments in line with those indicated in matter, but did not appear, and is said recommended for the District attorney-

The amendments are administrative only in character. The scope of the treaty has not been touched. Much of the public criticism against the action of the Committee during the last session was due to the alleged fact that the committee had emasculated the convention and made it practically a mere shell.

The amendment to the first article, that no question relative to the foreign or domestic policy of either party should be included, which was previously given such prominence, has disappeared entirely. The same result is reached, however, in a very different

The designation of King Oscar, of Sweden and Norway, as the umpire, has been stricken out, as has been all reference to the justices of the Suprema Court of the United States as members of the Tribunal, established under the treaty. In place of this designation, it is stipulated that "Jurists of repute' shall be named by the President, to act as such arbitrators. The chief amendment to the convention, however, is found in the clause which reserves to the United States the sanction of the whole treaty-making power in deciding what question shall be submitted to arbitration. This provision will make it necessary for the President to submit to the Senate for its approval all questions intended to be submitted to the Arbitral Court. The committee have acted in the belief that it has only reserved to this government the identical power reserved by Great Britain, which, under the treaty, decides through its premier what questions shall be arbitrated.

Under the British form of govern-

ment one man alone, the Premier, act-

ing for the crown, determines all matters of this sort, and is the sole treatymaking power of that nation. There is, under this general treaty, no de- Railroad director question in the coun-British government, and reasoning entirely settled so far as the council man, of Raleigh; District Attorney R. thus, the Senate Committee sees no was concerned. reason why there should be any change in the practices-based upon the stipthat have governed such questions with taking his own good time to announce are made equal, and the subsequent proceeedings under the treaty, after it shall have been ratified, shall be a cording to the laws of the respective governments of the contracting parties. It is needless to point out that under the treaty as thus amended, no argument can consistently be advanced that that Senate is relinquishing any of the

Pending the arrival of the tariff bill

TARIFF BILL NEARLY READY.

Amended in Committee and to be Reported Tomorrow.

Washington, D. C., March 17 .- The tariff bill will be reported to the House States Commissioner and held in \$2,500 covered easily, showing his wonderful on Friday of this week. This was the bail for examination Friday morning. conclusion reached by the Republican members of the Ways and Means Committee at their meeting today. The only other matter of importance agreed upon was in transferring all asphalt and bitumen to the dutiable list. Some crude forms of these articles are now on the free list. The rate was fixed at one dollar and fifty cents a ton on asphalt not dried and not advanced in any way. A duty of three dollars a ton was placed on asphalt in its more advanced stages. The purpose of placing asphalt on the dutiable list was principally because more revenue was needed and for the further reason that all the importations are controlled by one company which the committee un-Round Seven.-Fitzsimmons came up derstood is receiving a large figure from looking fresh and stood his ground. the sale of the commodity. Several Corbett, however, was the first to lead hours were spent in making verbal er, easterly to southerly winds. with a left on the jaw and a right on amendments to the bill and correcting South Carolina: Local showers, fol-

ing of the full committee tomorrow.

James S. Manning and Judge Burwell Au thorized to Answer.

Charlotte, N. C., March 17 .- All the old directors of the North Carolina Railway Company met in the city today for the purpose of consulting to-gether in regard to the action brought Practically Settled in by the Southern Railway Company against the North Carolina Railroad Company and the individual directors of that company. These were the dirictors appointed under Democratic administration. The present Governor, D. L. Russell, Rep., has removed them. although he has never made public the names of their successors.

The bill filed by the Southern Railway Company was read and discussed. well were authorized to answer the CENSUS OF NORTH CAROLINIANS same on the part of the directors. The matter will be heard before Judge Simonton at Greensboro on the 6th of April.

A SECRETARY'S DEFALCATION.

Matters Shall be Submitted to The Virginia Mutual Assurance Society Robbed of \$35,000.

> Richmond, Va., March 17.-The Board of Directors of the old Mutual Assu rance Society, of Virginia, make public Special to The Tribune. this afternoon a defalcation of some

retary, in whose accounts the defalca- Chairman Holton was unanimously to have left the city. All the securi- ship of the Western district, and this ties of the corporation, which is one of may be accepted as equivalent to apthe oldest and strongest in the State, pointment. Another conference was are intact, the loss being on collections.

BUT THE N. C. RAILROAD DIRECTORS WERE NOT DISCUSSED.

Councilman Says the Governor is Playing week. The Attorney General observed Hide and Seek.

There was another brief called ses-

sion of the Governor's Council yesterday afternoon about 3 o'clock. However, the North Carolina Railroad lease Republican headquarters. The gathquestion was not discussed. The pur- ering there at noon pose of the meeting was to prepare for suggested to Lieutenant Governor the extension of the time for a large sum of State bonds as provided for by the recent session of the Legislature. and to some one else it was suggestive These bonds have been due and the of the Federal Court at Asheville and State has been anxious to cancel them for the past seventeen years, but many of the holders have not yet presented their holdings for cancellation. Dur- and Major W. W. Rollins, of Buning this time the Legislatures have been combe; W. P. Ormsby, John A. extending the time for their expiration from session to session.

There now seems to be a sentiment among the Governor's Council against G. Farmer and A. B. Freeman, of Henfurther extension of time. They claim derson; D. A. Shoof and J. T. Cramer, that it is the duty of the holders of these bonds to present them and receive new ones in their stead without Wilkes; W. H. Odom, of Anson; Thomfurther delay.

Aside from the bond question there was no business before the council, and the session was of only a few minutes'

nent member of the council last night Judge E. W. Timberlake, of Franklin; as to the status of the North Carolina viation from the universal rule of the cil, and was told that the matter was Bradshaw, of Randolph; A. C. Leh-

It appears that the council has consented to the appointment of certain J. M. Moody, of Haywood; State Chairulations of the written Constitution- men as directors and the Governor is man Holton and Lieutenant Governor have acknowledged the correctness of mance; Sam Holton, of Durham; J. D. the recent partial list of the directors Allbright, of Catawba Co.; Bill Teague, selected; but the names of the re- of Alexander; A. A. Wilson, of Gasmaining two directors and the proxy they decline to supply. One councilman said that he supposed the Governor Among the prominent colored Republiwas playing hide and seek with the cans present were: John Dancy, Geo. Southern railroad and the United Scurlock, Dr. J. E. Sheppard and John States Supreme Court.

Cretan Situation More Serious.

Canea, March 17.-The Admirals com, manding the foreign warships in Cretan waters, have issued a proclamation not an applicant for any Government an autonomous administration will be passes, owing to the presence of ten Mr. Flannigan, of Alamance, said he Acting Chairman Davis will urge as thousand refugees who are receiving stood for the same great principles adspeedy action in the Senate as possible. rations from the government, which It is quite likely that much of the time will necessarily be stopped in a few imo is similar, and at Candia the situation is worse.

Six Turkish soldiers were killed, and side of Candia.

Arrested for Filibustering.

New York, March 17 .- George Mowbray was arrested to-day on a charge of having aided and abetted a fillibustering expedition to Cuba, which left Baltimore on the steamship Woodall in June, 1895.

He was arraigned before a United

Internal Revenue Collections.

Washington, D. C., March 17 .- The total collections of internal revenue for the month of February last were \$10,729,016, an increase of \$42,684 over February, 1896. The collections from July 1st, 1896, to and including February last, were \$98,909,085 against \$98.-881,370 for the corresponding period of 1895-'96, an increase for the period ended February last of \$27,715.

Weather Bulletin.

Washington, March 17 .- Virginia: Rain, probably clearing in the afternoon; that McKenna is the first Catholic who warmer; southerly winds.

North Carolina: Local showers; warmthe phraseology. There will be a meet- lowed by clearing weather; warmer in ex-Congressman W. Bourke Cockr. northern portion; easterly winds.

Favor of Chairman Holton.

JUDGESHIP STILL REMAINS OPEN

AT THE CAPITOL.

Only One Man Who Does Not Want an Office-Pritchard's Committee R) om "Inter-State Republican Headquarters."

Washington, D. C., March 17 .- At the morning conference today between Senator Pritchard and Representa-Mr. F. D. Stegar, the assistant sec- tives Pearson, Linney and White, State held in the afternoon, when it was agreed to defer final action on the marshalship until tomorrow.

The Judgeship of the Eastern district was not considered in conference today, but the matter was brought to the Attorney General's attention by Senator Pritchard this afternoon. It was then decided that some disposition Extension of Old State Bonds Considered -- of the matter would be made this incidentally that Mr. Price had filed very strong endorsements.

Senator Pritchard's committee room is known as the inter State Reynolds a call of the State Senate, Greensboro. Among those present were: H. A. Gudger, P. A. Cummings Schultz, of Forsyth; Col. Charles A. Cook, of Warren; H. S. Anderson, M. of Davidson; Milton McNeill; of as S. Rollins, of Madison; A. L. Byrd, of Harnett; E. W. Hallyburton, of Burke; F. P. Axley and J. W. C. Long, of Iredell; J. A. Smith, of Bessemer A Tribune reporter asked a promi- City; J. B. Fortune, of Cleveland; J. B. Respass, of Washington; G. S. B. Glenn, Geo. W. Candle, of Jackson; Reynolds; J. W. Flannigan, of Alaton, and E. A. Aiken, of Transylvania,

> "I am the only man in this multitude of people," said Mr. Freeman, of Henderson, to The Tribune, "who is position." He observed incidentally that The Tribune is the best and most

> vocated by "Flannigan, of Texas," in the Chicago National Republican convention years ago.

> "I have just completed my papers," said Mr. Dancy, "today, and tomorrow will be submitted to the President by Senator Pritchard. Lieutenant Governor Reynolds and a large delegation of influential colored people will accompany the Senator, and I feel that I am a winner."

> Adjutant General Cowles and Col. Eugene Harrell, of the State Guard, arrived last night.

> Sam Bradshaw is happy tonight. In addition to other successes he won a pile on Fitzsimmons.

Rev. Baylus Cade is here urging the appointment of Judge Timberlake to the vacancy in the Eastern Judicial Dis-J. B. H.

First Catholic in the Cabinet.

Rome, March 17.-The Observatols Romano, a papal organ, publishes an article upon the nomination of Hon. Joseph McKenna as Attorney General in the Cabinet of President McKinley, in which the paper makes the claim has been nominated a Cabinet Minster of the United States since the founda-

tion of the American republic. The Pope to-day gave an audience to of New York.