# WASHINGTON.

From our Regular Correspondent. Washington, Oct. 9, 1899.

That Mr. McKinley is getting afraid of the Pailippine question, and of imperialism generally, was shown by the announcement, practically official, made this week, that the administra passed upon differently from what it Talbot, bishop of the diocese of Cention had no further Philippine policy does a rank outsider. In other words tral Pennsylvania. than to whip the Pilipinos into sub- most men will always agree that the mission and then turn the whole mat- other folks ought to arbitrate their dis- ber of Altoona, met with a serie is acter over to the Congress. This is putes. Even ministers of the gospel cident on Saturday, which resulted in clearly a republican trick, intended to share that bit of human nature. That his death. While engaged at making affect votes in the fail elections. Mr. is why there was quite a hubbub and a pipe connection in a ditch the dirt McKinley has not changed his im- a chorus of no's from the English min- caved in, covering hum to the neck. perialistic ideas, he has only become isters present when Rev. C. Cort, of He was removed, but not until he convinced of the necessity of making Maryland, offered a resolution at one had been frightfully squeezed. the majority in Congress, which he of the sessions of the Pan-Presbyterian thinks he can control, responsible for Alliance, now sitting in Washington, the adoption of a permanent imperial declaring against war between Engpolicy. Perhaps he will tell those who land and the Transvaal Republic and will listen to the stump speeches he that the dispute should be arbitrated. intends making from the rear platform Every minister who spoke against the of the parlor car in which he is now resolution declared himself in favor of traveling about how he intends to arbitration on general principles, but leave this important matter to the wis- he had some special reason for opdom of Congress, and perhaps he will posing it in this case. Among the bamboozle somebody with such stories, delegates are ministers from both the but it is very doubtful. The average countries named, and to a man they American isn't an easy chap to bam- believe war to be unavoidable. boozle.

Admiral Dewey is a diplomat as well as a fighting man. He determined as soon as he heard about it that he would not join Mr. McKinley's political show in its flying trip to the west, and when they began hinting rather strongly to him that Mr. Mc-Kinley would like to have him do so, he quickly put a stop to it by accepting the invitation of the governor of Massachusetts to go to Boston on the 12th inst. It was a snrewd play on Dewey's part, as it gives the administration a strong hint that he doesn't intend to allow himself to be used as a vote getter.

ington this week everybody noticed The American Society of Professors what a change had come over him. of Dancing has placed its disapproval He no longer talked of the election in on the long prevailing, though somecans, but admitted that they had the in the waltz and two step the woman hardest kind of a fight on their hands, will manage her skirts with her fight and that McLean was a hard man to hand, while the man will allow his left beat. His talk convinced those who hand to hang naturally by his side. heard him that the reports of his fight No other attitude will be considered which have been coming from Ohio in good form. ever since he got back from Europe The American Society of Professors fight of his life.

News from the Philippines shows that the Filipinos are by no means idle while this government is preparing to crush them. They have been attacking our troops at several points this week with great vigor, with the same old results. We keep on licking them, but they won't stay licked. Gen. Otis also wasted cable tolls to inform the War Department that there was nothing in his latest negotiations with

### Navy Department clique may do what they please they cannot change the v-rd et of the people, that the principit honors of the war with Spain be- of Trinity Episcopal church at Rening to Dewey and Schley.

The question of arbitration always church, Lancaster The ceremony strikes those whose interests would be was performed by Rt. Rev. ethelhert

"DEEDS ARE FRUITS .--- Words are but leaves." It is not what we say, an outhouse and gashed her throat but what Hood's Sarsaparilla does that tells the story. The many wonderful cures effected by this medicine are the fruits by which it should be judged. These prove it to be the great, unequal- After partaking of his dinner on Satled remedy for dyspepsia, rheumatism, scrofula, salt rheum, catarrh and all other ailments due to impure or im- an adjoining property, concluded to poverished blood.

Hood's Pills are non-irritating, mild effective.

## New Styles for Dancers-

A special from New York to the Philadelphia Press says: Here's news for dancers. No more will there be When Boss Hanna was in Wash- clasping of hands in round dances.

were not exaggerated in the slightest of Dancing debated for two days over degree. He says he always fights the change. Just before the close of best when scared. If that is true, he the convention the new style was adis now in the condition to put up the opted. Here is the official description applying to all round dances:

> the waist with his right hand, his left hand falling naturally by his side; the crisp. The flames spread rapidly and lett hand of the lady resting upon the scarcely had the body been removed gentleman's upper arm, her right arm ightly holding the dress."

> The Society also adopted the "Imperial Three-step," a new dance sub-mitted by Oskar Duenweg, of Terre Haute, Ind. The "Gavotte Pompadour," a stately dance adopted from owing to the extreme youth of the the time of Madame Pompadour, was bride. She is but 13 years old, and submitted by Adolph Newburger, of went to the altar in

## STATE NEWS ITEMS.

--- Rev. Howard W. Diller, pistor ova, Pa, was ordained to the priesthood Sunday morning at St. John's

-John Rowe, a well-known plum-

-Jacob Geitz, a well-known farmer of Kisman, near Sharon, swallowed a dose of poison Sunday night which his wife had procured to exterminate rats and died shortly afterwards. He had remarked a day or two ago that life was not worth living when ill health kept a man from his work.

-Despondent over domestic troubles and the dread that she was becoming insane, Mrs. Thomas Cooper, aged 58, of No. 62 Deacon street, Scranton, arose Monday morning, kissed her relatives good-by, went into three times with a razor. It is feared that she cannot recover.

-John Eggert committed suicide by hanging near Tobyhanna Mills. urday, Eggert went for his daily walk. Sunday Frederick Kohn, who lives on make his neighbor a call. When he came near the house he was horrified to find the body of John Eggert hanging to a tree.

-A man whom many claim to be swindler has been operating in Susquehanna, Wayne and Lackawanna counties with great success. He sold in each town he visited an interest in an alleged new invention, a machine for the manufacture of perfume from the natural flowers. The victims dis-Ohio as a walkover for the republi- what grotesque, custom. Hereafter covered that the perfume is purchased at a drug store.

> -A terrible death by fire overtook James Shinners at Bowman's Patch near Mahanoy City, Saturday night. His home, along with its contents, was also consumed by flames which

originated from causes mysterious. It was nearly to o'clock when one of Shinner's sons returning from town found the house afire. The doors were locked. Another son arrived by this time and the two burst in the "The gentleman holding the lady by door. They found their father dead upon the floor, burned almost to a before the building callapsed, an utter ruin.

### Sold Daughter For \$300.

Great indignation has been aroused at Mt. Carmel over a recent marriage, the Russian New York City, and approved; as church of that city dressed in short were "The Netherlands," a waltz by skirts. The groom is thirteen years George Prufting, of New Haven, and her senior. Lev. Father Maher, who the "Querona Minuet," by M. B. Gil- officiated, tried hard to prevent the marriage, and performed the ceremony under protest. A short reception followed, but the bride found more pleasure playing about the place with other little girls than she did in mingling with the guests. It is claimed that the girl's parents gave her to George Honiak to pay off a debt of \$300. An exchange says : They have now organized a compressed air free air trust, and in due time we will have our breath strained breath, and if we don't pay by the 10th of the month the company will shut off our wind.





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the Filipinos. Nobody outside of the War Department supposed for a moment that there was.

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Either Mr. McKinley must suppose bert, of Boston. that John Sherman has no friends left in Ohio or his enmity towards the old man has made him reckless of the consequences of putting a new indignity upon him. Sherman was in Washington, but no provision was made for lives that are taken yearly by careless him to participate in the ceremonies attending the welcome of Dewey, and he was not invited to the State dinner given at the White House in honor of Do not shoot at a noise or moving ob-Dewey. Three other ex-members of ject in the bushes, but wait until the Mr. McKinley's cabinet-Gary Bliss and Alger-participated in the ceremonies and attended the dinner. This chance at a deer than to lose your shabby treatment of Mr. Sherman has been unfavorably commented upon, even by warm supporters of Mr. Mc- ed the death of a human being. Aside Kinley. It looks like trying to kick a man when he is down.

That the people seldom err in their judgment of men and things has been more demonstrated, in Washington during Dewey week. Second only to the ovations given Dewey himself have been those given the Rear Admiral Schley every time he has shown himself where there was a crowd. The

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by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is ing of the record for long runs, as the result, and unless the inflamation much time is now consumed by prescan be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh. which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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## Splendid Advice to Hunters-

As the game season is about to open, and in view of the many human sportsmen, the following from the Sportsman Magazine for September is worth reading by all who go gunning: object is clearly recognized before you trust, A liquid air trust is now pull the trigger. Better lose your only likely to follow, then will come the peace of mind forever through the remorseful consciousness of having caus- through a meter at so much a from the costly lessons that have been

taught, remember there are other hunters roaming the forest as well as yourself.

Novel Railroad Scheme-

The Delaware, Lackawanna & Western Railroad will maugurate a new system of car illumination, whereby the car wheels are utilized to furnish electric power for incandescent lamps. Dynamos are mounted on the car trucks by means of cradles frictional appliance on the axle. This is a new departure for train lights on G. H. CHAPPELL, GRANT PARE, ILL. the part of the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western, elthough the system is in successful operation on the Santa Fe and New York Central. An appliance for automatically oiling the car axle will also be tested. If successful, this scheme may mean a lowerent methods of oiling up.

## The Man With the Hoe-

Some one has figured out how far a farmer has to walk to plant and at-We will give One Hundred Dollars tend to forty acres of corn. To plow the ground with a sixteen-inch more, and to cultivate it afterwards, 350 miles, making a total of 750 miles, in addition to gathering.

## Sick Women Advised to Seek Advice of Mrs. Pinkham.

[LETTER TO MRS. PINKRAM NO. 94,863] "I had inflammation and falling of the womb, and inflammation of ovaries, and was in great pain. I took medicine prescribed by a physician, but it did me no good. At last I heard of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and after using it faithfully I am thankful to say I am a well women. and power is obtained by means of a I would advise all suffering women to seek advice of Mrs. Pinkham."-MRs.

> "For several years my health was miserable. I suffered the most dreadful pains, and was almost on the verge of insanity. I consulted one of the best physicians in New York, and he pronounced my disease a fibroid tumor, advising an operation without delay, saying that it was my only chance for life. Other doctors prescribed strong and violent medicine, and one said I was incurable, another told me my only salvation was galvanic batteries, which I tried, but nothing relieved me. One day a friend called and begged me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I began its use and took several bottles. From the very first bottle there was a wonderful change for the better. The tumor has disappeared entirely and my old spirits have returned. I heartily recommend your medicine to all suffering women."-MRS. VAN CLEFT, 416 SAUNDERS AVE., JERSEY CITY HEIGHTS, N. J.

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