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A stirring appeal has been made to the people at large by the U.S. Secretary of War for contributions, prompt and generous, in aid of the thousands of sufferers left homeless and in stary. thousands of sufferers left homeless and in starvation by the recent disastrous hurricane which swept over Porto Rico. Accurate reports state that several thousand human lives were lost, hundreds of thousands of once happy homes were destroyed, crops were everywdere utterly ruined and many thousands of human beings are literally starving for want of food. Hungry, houseless, with scarcely any clothing left to cover their nakedness, the unfortunate survivors are, we learn by telegraphic advices, threatened with the additional horrors of a pleague. Crowds of women. old men and helpless little ones are encountered on every hand piteously begging for food and shelter.

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Over ninety per cent. of the houses have been demolished and in many places the furious onset of the sea has swept away almost every vestige of flourishing little towns and villages. nourisning fittle towns and vinages. From Adjuntas, Guayamas, Zabucoa. Mayaguez, Man-nabo, Arroyo and other localities the loss of life has been apalling and the cries for help are pitiful and heart-rending. In one district alone, Utuado, over two thousand persons perished, and, as in other southern towns, those who have

and, as in other souther mounts, those was hardered escaped with their lives are in want.

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On account of the Thirty-third Annual Encompment of the Grand Army of the Republic, to be held at Philadelphia on September 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, and 9, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets from points on its line to Philadelphia, at rate of single fare for the round trip, except that the fare from New York and Baltimore will be \$3; from Newark, N. J., \$2.85; from Elizabeth; N. J., \$2 75 and proportionate rates from intermediate points.

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Tickets will be sold on September 2, 3, 4, and 5, good to return until September 12, inclusive; but by depositing ticket with joint agent at Philadelphia on September 5, 6, 7, 8, or 9, and the payment of fifty cents, return limit may be extended to September 30, inclusive.

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For this occasion the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets from all points on its line, to Philadelphia and return, at rate of a fare and a third for the round trip plus price of admission. These tickets will be sold during the continuance of the Exposition and will be good for return passage until November 30.

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