RIOTANDREVOLUTION

lish a Republic in Portugal.

REBELS CONFIDENT OF SUCCESS.

The Tariff Bill Already Having a Big Effect

in Anstria.

O'BRIEN AND DILLON ARE OUT ON BAIL.

They Were Arrested in Order to Prevent the Campaig

Tour in America.

The capital of Portugal is now the scene

of rioting. This is announced as the be

ginning of a movement to proclaim a re-

public. All classes are said to be eager to

FBY DUNLAP'S CABLE COMPANY.]

LISBON, September 18.—The grave

past here are now culminating in an attempt

to overthrow the monarchy. The Anglo-

Portuguese debate, though only a pretext, has led to a Ministerial crisis, and the King

finds it impossible to form a new Cabinet.

The first outward sign of insurrection began

this evening by rioting in various parts of

the city. All the shops are closed and to-

day a sharp conflict took place between the

police and the mob, in which many on both

sides were severely wounded hand intense ex-

citement prevails. The proclamation of

Sen, or Magahoes Lima, the editor of La

cess of the Brazilian revolution, which gave

the impetus. Large funds are supplied to

us by wealthy Brazilians, and one week

after we have installed the Republic we

shall not have a single adversary. Even

the clergy are on our side. We fear no for-

eign intervention, but, on the contrary, our

Republic will shortly lead to the establish-

PATRIOTS OUT ON BAIL

Dillon and O'Brien Arrested to Prevent the

Proposed American Tour.

THY DUNLAP'S CABLE COMPANY.]

and William O'Brien, arrested for their re-

cent disturbing utterances, have been re-

leased on bail by a Tipperary Magistrate.

Mr. Dillon left Tipperary by the 5 o'clock

train this evening for Dublin, accompanied

by Mr. and Mrs. O'Brien. John Dillon

has been staying with a cousin named Val-

entine Dillon, at No.1 Marine Terrace, Bally-

brack, nine miles from Dublin, and a seaside

resort. He intended leaving there to-day.

At 7:30 o'clock this morning a wagonnette

with a coachman in plain clothes and con-

taining five members of the Royal Irish

constabulary in uniform, followed by a

police car carrying four men, three in uni-

Kingsbridge terminus, where a special train

was in waiting. On the train were Crown

Prosecutor Stephan Renan and others, and

the entire party left at 10:40 for Tipperary.

At about the same hour Mr. William

O'Brien was arrested at Clengariff, where

he was staying with his wife. He was at

once taken into custody and lodged in the

jail at Cork. Warrants are also out for

Patrick O'Brien, Thomas Condor, David

Sheehy, Rev. David Humphreys, John

Culliane and Daniel Kelly. During all the

forenoon detectives had been shadowing the

National League room in Dublin, and

they have been following the local

organizers from Tipperary for some days

John Dillon made a brilliant speech to-

the recent arrest of Mr. O'Brien and him-

self was solely to prevent them going to

America, and thereby strengthening the

feeling of the Irish citizens of that country

against the harsh measures of the present

LONDON, September 18 .- John Dillon

ment of a Republic in Spain."

martial law is momentarily expected.

welcome the new government.

FORTY-FIFTH YEAR.

KICKED IN THE DOOR.

Congressman Kilgore, of Texas, Refused to Stay in the House and be

COUNTED TO GET A QUORUM

Reed Ordered the Exits Locked, But the Westerner's Big Foot Cleared the Way.

OTHERS FOLLOWED HIS EXAMPLE,

And the Frail Structures Were Soon Falling on Every Side Before Vigorous Pedal Blows.

HIT ON THE NOSE BY A FLYIN PANEL.

Representative Dingley, of Maine, 6 is in the Path

of the Cyclone, and Barel Makes His

Escape Aliva

ONE REPUBLICAN MEMBER AMONG THE BOLTERS

Speaker Reed ordered the doors of the House locked yesterday to keep in a quorum to seat Langston, the colored contestant. Kilgore kicked in one of the doors, which struck Representative Dingley in the face, and strode out. Crain, Cummings and Coleman knocked out another exit and skipped, breaking the quorum. The House was then obliged to adjourn. A Republican caucus was called to urge the attendance or the absentees.

PROX A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.

WASHINGTON, September 18 .- The conduct of the House to-day is prophetic of what is to come in the few days yet to intervene before the adjournment. Pretty lively occurrences may be expected. No great pecupiary damage was inflicted on the hall of Representatives. Several of the green baize doors, which answer the purpose of screens and admit of the real doors being left open for ventilation, still remain.

They have not all been kicked into kindling wood by the No. 12 boots of gentlemen from Texas. Those yet intact were saved by the discreet action of the doorkeepers in relaxing the rules and allowing the Democrats to go out when, according to Speaker Reed's orders, they should have been com- members, which is 21 less than a quorum. pelled to remain inside.

The Latest Democratic Scheme, law that a quorum can be counted if the members be present, though refusing to vote, the rebellious Democrats have found a way to break a quorum at all times when the Republicans fail to muster a quorum of from the chamber. A call of the House is

ordered and they are brought in. When it is evident that a sufficient num a quorum a motion is necessary providing that further proceedings under the call be pending question, which is objectionable to the Democrats, the filibusterers again file out of the hall, and the proceedings are as eftectively blocked as before.

Reed Orders the Doors Locked. When this exodus began to-day on the question whether the previous question should be called on the Langston-Venable contested election case, the doorkeeper, under instructions from Reed, kept the doors closed as they were during the call of the House. Hon. Constantine Buckley Kilgore, of the Third Texas district, which | tion directing the Secretary of the Treasury contains a round dozen of counties, each as to inform the Senate whether the rule or large as a New England State-Kilgore policy of his department which requires who had stolen the thunder of the once | the payment of checks for silver bullion great and only Holman and become the over the counter of the sub-Treasury inbronic objector of the House-desired to make his exit. He found the door was locked, and the doorkeeper in charge, Mr. Haves, refused to unlock it.

"Unlock that door," demanded the stai wart Texan.

The doorkeeper moved not, and then the big Westerner valiantly horsted his gigantic foot, the door disappeared behind it, and when the foot was removed nothing was there but the broad aperture.

The Example Quickly Followed.

William Hercules Crain, of the Seventh district, which contains no less than 28 big counties, and only about 27,000 voters all told, of every shade of color and complexion and polities, was not to be outdone by the stalwart Kalgore. Crain is not a native Texan, and solely on that account he has to outdo the Texans at their own game to make himself solid with the natives. See ing the demolition of the door by Kilgour, Crain determined on a similar exploit. Of course he could have vanished by the door smashed by his colleague, but that would have been too tame. Calling upon Cummings, of New York, and Coleman, of Louislana, who were standing near him, Crain banged down another green baize door, with the air of a mediaeval knight taking a tilt at windmills, and the three men marched forth and the quorum was

nowhere Meantime both O'Ferrall, of Virginia, and Crisp, of Georgia, had been sassing Speaker Reed at a lively rate, Crisp accusing him of being a tyrant of the most immoderate type, and the Speaker accepting all epithets as though he would be disappointed if he did not hear them.

Proud of Their Day's Work. Kilgore and Crain are strutting around this evening as proud as roosters on their accustomed barnyard mound. It is the first time Crain has been conspicuous since he went gunning, pistol in hand, a month or two ago in the press gallery for O'Brien

Moore, an aggressive correspondent. Strange to say, one member was injured physically during the exciting exodus of the Texaus. He was about to enter the door the Texans. He was about to enter the door information respecting the killing of Gener-smushed by Krigore as the latter's foot al Barrundia on board the American steam-



THE TEXAS WAY OF KICKING AGAINST REED'S RULES.

door frame or the spent force of the Texan cowhide boot struck him on the nose, doing that organ much damage. The injured man was Mr. Dingley, of Maine, one of the gentlest and most refined members of the House. For a time it was feared, and so generally reported, that the nose was broken, but this was found not to be the case upon examination.

Representative Coleman, of Louisians, who is a Republican, explains that he meant no disrespect to the House or to Speaker Reed in forcing an exit from the hall. He feit compelled to leave, but upon his first refusal by the doorkeeper he returned to his desk.

Determined Not to be Left.

Later he saw that Representative Crain, of Texas, had no difficulty in getting out, and believing that he was being made the victim of unjust treatment, Mr. Coleman made a for him, and, receiving a second refusal, forced it open with his knee.

As soon as the House adjourned, which it was obliged to do because of the lack of a quorum, a Republican caucus was caused, and was in session more than an hour. The sole topic of discussion was the status of business in the House, and the best means of obtaining a quorum to do business.

It was found upon a roll call that there are now in Washington 145 Republican Consequently there are 28 Republican absentees. The caucus resolved to make Notwithstanding the establishment of the every effort to secure the attendance of these members, and telegrams will be sent totheir presence.

Session May be Prolonged Indefinitely. It was stated that if these absentees return to Washington the remaining business their own party. They absent themselves of the session can be closed up in a few days, while a failure to secure the attendance of a Republican quorum will tend to protract the session indefinitely.

It has been perfectly apparent ever since the Langston-Venable case was brought up that it would never reach a vote until the Republicans could muster quorum of their dispensed with. The moment this motion own party, or nearly so. It is probable that is adopted and a roll call ordered on the if they had ten more Republican votes a quorum could be counted, as a very tew Democrats, like Mr. Buckalew, of Pennsylvania, have always refused to absent themselves to destroy a quorum. Until those 10 or 12 additional Republicans make their appearance the deadlock will continue. LIGHTNER.

> CRITICISING WINDOM'S POLICY. Plumb and Sherman Make a Few Remark

in the Senate.

WASHINGTON, September 18 .- In the Senate to-day Mr. Plumb offered a resolustead of through the proper clearing larger denominations instead of those suited for circulation and use in ordinary business transactions, and whether such method of payment does not result in the payment of old instead of Treasury notes.

Mr. Sherman said that while he had no objection to the resolution, what had been ne had been in strict execution of the law. The Secretary of the Tressury had no right to pay for silver bullion in anything but Treasury notes. Those Treasury notes had en issued in large denominations. There had been only a very short time to prepare for the execution of the law, and a sufficient amount of Treasury notes of small denominations could not be prepared. Those large notes, necessarily, did not enter into the general circulation of the country. doubted the policy of paying a year's inter-

RECIPROCITY ACCEPTED

By the Representatives of the House Upon the Conference Committee.

WASHINGTON, September 18 .- The conferees on the tariff bill had a two-hours' meeting this morning, and, it is reported, made substantial progress. The most important action was the acceptance by the House conferees of the Senate reciprocity amendment. The amendments were not con sidered in order, but were taken up here and there, wherever it appeared that no serious difference of opinion existed, and

Binding twine has not yet been disposed of. It is understood that the Senate increases of duties on wines and spirits have een abandoned by the Senate members o the Conference Committee. The iron, steel and glassware schedules have not vet been considered. Messrs. Vance and Mills, of the Democratic conferees are not in the city.

AFTER THE INFORMATION.

Congress Will Call for the Facts as to the

WASHINGTON, September 18. - The House Committee on Foreign Affairs to-day directed a favorable report on a modification of Representative McCreary's resolution calling on the President for all official smashed by Kilgore as the latter's foot went through it, and either a piece of the mand they went through it, and either a piece of the mand they all Barrandia on board the American steamer will be discharged when court convenes to morrow morning.

mala, while under the protection of the American flag.

ARMOR PLATE TESTS. THOSE OF FRENCH CONSTRUCTION

Secretary Tracy an Interested Spectato at the Exhibition-One of the Plates Came From Sheffield, England-Char-

armor plate test came off to-day at Aunapolis, about a hundred people interested in ordnance attending. There were three plates, one of steel from the Creuzot Works another of steel and nickel from the same works, and a third a compound steel and wrought iron plate from Cammel & Co., of Sheffield, England. The intention was to econd application that the door be opened fire 15 shots, so that the first should be discharged at all the plates before the second shots were fired. This, with a relative placing of the plates, insured an impartial test that gives to-day's results a value over other trials of that character. Only 12 snots were fired, four at each plate. It was determined to leave the remaining shots, the fifth for each

gunwill be utilized.

The test demonstrated the great superiority of French armor plates over the English material. Incidentally this is a victory for Material. Incidentally this is a victory for American institutions, since the French pattern has been adopted by the Bethlehem people and Haltzer projectiles, which made a good showing, are expected to have a rival headed by Admiral L. A. Kimberly and Commodore Folger. The discharges were attended with heavy reports and a shower of steel projectiles. In the third shot against Creuzot steel plate the projectile rebounded 30 feet, lodging in the sand bags at the mouth of the gun. The bolts and wedges around the framework were started The third shot against the nickel plate left the projectile imbedded. The third shot on the Cammel plate jarred the frame work, deepened the cracks and extended then across the plate, perceptibly weaken-ing the target. The top was deeply and widely split. The fourth shot against the Cruezot steel plate left its surface unmarred by more than local cracks. The projectile bounded after penetrating the plate and broke into three pieces. The fourth shot on the nicke! plate produced no great defects. There were more disturbances than in the allsteel plate, but they were in the vicinity of the point of impact, and did not materially shake the reliability of the body of the plate. The projectile rebounded from a cleanly cut aperture into the gunner's house. ourth shot against the Cammel plate was damaging. It wrecked the upper portion, tearing out one-fourth of the plate bodily, and distributing the seven large and many small pieces in all directions. Secretary

A NEW COUNT OF NEW YORK.

Mayor Grant and the City Police Will Do i Themselves.

PEPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH. NEW YORK, September 18 .- Mayor Grant ook a decisive step to-day toward a recount of the population of the city by addressing letter to the Police Commissioners, asking them to superintend the work with the aid of the police force. This is in the Mayor's letter:

The Board of Health has transmitted to me a resolution, a copy of which I berewith forward to you, requesting me to cause to be made a complete enumeration of the inhabitants of this city. In my judgement such an enumeration is necessary, in order that an accurate knowledge may be had of the City of New York for the correct compliation of vital statistics and other essential public matters. The Board of Health has reported to me that an enumeration of certain districts has been made, and that, in its opinion, the preliminary figures of the Federal cenus are beyond doubt inaccurate and faulty. I knew of no department that is better fitted to provide the means for this important undertaking than your own. I therefore request that your board detail a sufficient number of police to co-operate with me in procuring a complete enumeration, complete so as to show the name, sex and residence of each inhabitant of the city and whether an adult or a minor. The Board of Health has transmitted to me

dult or a minor. Mayor Grant said that after the recoun if the total is in excess of the Federal count June he will propose to Superintenden R. P. Porter, in charge of the census, to substitute the count by the police for the June count. If Mr. Porter should reject the proposal then the Mayor will appeal to

WEAKENED THE ALLEGATIONS,

Congress.

The Men Accused of Train Wrecking Indicted for Interfering With a Switch. TROY, September 18 .- John Reed, Thoma Cain and Arthur Buett, who, it was said, had confessed to the wrecking of the Montreal express on the New York Central road near Castleton on the night of September 4, went before the grand jury here to-day, but the indictment will not be made until tomorrow. It is understood that they will be indicted, not for train wrecking, but for in-terfering with a switch over a mile north of the wreck. This weakened the force of all

allegations about confessions. The cases of John Kiernan and John Cor. dial, the other two alteged wreckers, whom the detectives claimed were implicated by the confessions, were investigated, and it is understood that no evidence was found by

Secula, said in an interview with a DIS-PATCH correspondent: "The idea of a Portuguese Republic was born of the suc-

PROVE THE BEST.

acter of the Trial. SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.1 WASHINGTON, September 18. - The

plate until Monday, when the eight-inch

British Government. Tracy was present, and took an active inter RELIGION AND POLITICS. The Mixture of the Two Draws the Ire of the German Police.

> BY DUNLAP'S CABLE COMPANT, BERLIN, September 18 .- The pelice de clare that the Socialist meeting on Tuesday night was broken up, not for violation of the special statute enacted to regulate socialism, but for an offense committed against the law. Herr Vogtherr, one of the officials of the Berlin municipality, had called on the Socialists to secede from the National church, when Curate Reaeli said:

"We stand by the Lord Jesus Christ?" No sooner were these words uttered than the audience of 1,500 began to hiss and how and indulg in catcalls until pandemonium reigned supreme. The scene, which was s significant, if not repulsive one, the Socialists acting more like demons than human beings, was brought to a sudden termination by the appearance of the police, who soon cleared the hall, but made no arrests.

THE MONARCH'S MEETING.

Everybody in Germany Seems to be Happy [BT DUNLAP'S CABLE COMPANY.]

BERLIN, September 18 .- The entire pres this morning unites in extending felicitations to the nation on the meeting of the two emperors at Rohnstock to-day, their friendly demonstrations being regarded as a guaran tee of peace. In this chorus of congratula tion there is but one discordant voice, that of Prince Bismarck's organ, the Hamburgs

That journal contains a vicious attack or Austria, and declares that the real interests of Germany are not to be furthered by the prolongation of the Dreibund, but are rather to be sought in an alliance with Russia, and the carrying out of Russian policy in Eastern Europe.

AUSTRIA TO RETALIATE. Five : Thousand Persons Thrown Out

Work by the McKinler Bill. [BY DUNLAP'S CABLE COMPANY.] VIENNA, September 18 .- The rumor that the McKinley bill would take effect on October 1, has led the Viennese manufacturers engaged in the mother-of-pearl industry, which depends entirely on the American market, to reduce their working hours onehalf and dismiss 5,000 of their hands. The

step has aroused the employes to action and they will join with the manufacturers in petitioning the Minister of Commerce to take neasures of retaliation, in order that the in-Beginning of an Attempt to Estabdustry may be saved from annihilation. It is suggested that a prohibitory duty be

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placed on mother-of-pearl. Cardinal Manning Recovering. [BY DUNLAP'S CABLE COMPANY.] LONDON, September 13.-Cardinal Man-

ning is slowly recovering from the severe cold that has lately kept him a prisoner, but is still weak from its effects.

DOLLARS NECESSARY

PRESENT. compers Blames the Fallare of the New York Central Movement Upon the Knights of Labor-Why He Did Not Spenk Before - The Philosophy of Strikes.

ISPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCE. NEW YORK, September 18 .- President Compers, of the Federation of Labor, who, althought he has not forgotten the oratorical drubbing he received at the hand of Powderly kept his mouth shut tight all through the New York Central strike, thinks now that the time to keep silence has expired.

He said to the reporters, to-day: I regret that the New York Central strikers been defeated, but it is only what I expected and foresaw the day after the strike was ordered. The cause of the defeat lies within the order of the Knights of Labor itself. I was invited to address the first mass meeting held in Union Square to express sympathy with the men on strike. While then expressing the strongost feeling of sympathy with the men I did not attend the meeting, because if I had been present I should have felt impelled to say what I now say. The strikers were then in the midst of the struggle, and no sincere labor man would say a word then that might work to their disaduantage. The Knights of Labor are constantly denouncing strikes and trades union methods, and, as a consequence, they are never prepared for the inevitable—the strikes that are forced upon working men. As a result their lack of preparation and want of knowledge necessary to conduct strikes render defeat almost certain at the start. Why, the very week the railroad strike was ordered the official journal of Knights of Labor contained an article denouncing strikes.

In my report on the subject of strikes submitted to the American Federation of Labor this passage occurs: "It is true that no man who has given the question of strikes and the labor problem any thought can look upon strikes with favor, but to be continually condemning them is entirely another thing. To know when to strike and particularly when not to strike is a science not yet fully understood. To strike upon a falling market or when insufficiently organized, not properly equipped with funds, is unquestionably the height of ignorance." This about describes the condition of the New York Contral men when they began their struggle. I can only emphasize that now by adding that the strike is a natural reverse the describes and the interest in the condition of the New York Contral men when they began their struggle. I can only emphasize that now by adding that the strike is a natural reverse the condition of the new York Contral men when they pected and foresaw the day after the strike

pegan their struggle. I can only emphasize that now by adding that the strike is a natural renow by adding that the strike is a natural result in the progress and development of the industrial problem. There is a science in the preparation for and the conduct of a strike which, by the way, is a dangerous instrument in the hands of theorists and amateurs. The defeat of the strikers may encourage some employers to assume the aggressive. While the sympathy of all workingmen and women went out to the strikers, they foresaw the regrettable result just announced. They are not discouraged by the result, but they realize more than ever the absolute need of a combination of all the forces in the industrial field. Coupled with this combination there must be a determination to lay

ALL IN A MUDDLE,

bination there must be a determination to lay aside the dollars necessary to sustain the men

form, drove up to the house where Mr. Dillon was stopping. When the door was opened Head Constable Casey asked to The World's Fair Site Question is Still see John Dillon, who in response to the

Unnettled. people and Haltzer projectiles, which made a good showing, are expected to have a rival in an American production at no distant day. The 12 shots to-day were carefully noted as to effects by a Beard of Codenses as promptly arrested on a warrant signed by the resident magistrate, J. B. Irwin, made the resident magistrate, J. B. Irwin, made opposed to a double site and it was decided, after which barouches were secured and the permitted to breakfast before being re-moved, and was then taken in a drag to the If the request is refused, the commission will report to Washington that no adequate site has been offered.

There are also indications of a change of sentiment in regard to the director general ship, and from indications to-night the local directory will select one man as Director General, probably George R. Davis, while the National Commission will elect a man of their own with the title of "Commisall foreign and inter-State exhibits in connection with the fair.

The local directors held a secret meeting, lasting until midnight. The result was the indorsement of George R. Davis, of Illinois as the choice of Chicago for the position of Director General.

CHILDS TO BUY THE GROUND

On Which the Shakespeare Memorial night at a meeting in Dublin, in which he declared that the aim of the Government in Erected at Stratford-on-Avon. ISPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH. PHILADELPHIA, September 18.-The controversy over the claim of Lord Sack-

ville to collect rent for the ground at Shakespeare's birthplace, on which the memorial fountain erected by George W. Childs stands, may possibly result in the acquisition of a part of the great poet's town to Mr. Childs. It was aned to-day that Mr. Childs had sent across the sea a proposition to purchase the ground. Lord Sackville, who contends that the ground is a part of his estate, is pretty nearly at liberty to name his own

The people at Stratford-on-Avon hold that the ground is a common, and has been such for years and the payment of rent is re-sisted on that point. Lord Sackville is not so desirous of getting money out of it as he

QUEER TACTICS.

The Reported Arrest of Dillon and O'Bries

In Dublin. LINCOLN, NEB., September 18 .- Presi dent Fitzgerald, of the Irish National League, reports that the delegation of Irish embers will be composed of William O'Brien, John Dillon, T. P. Gill and the indefatigable organizer and worker, Secre-tary Timothy Harrington. Mr. Fitzgerald received the following cablegram to-day, dated Dublin, September 18:

Dillon and O'Brien arrested this morning, widently to p event a visit to America and example our resources. Mr. Fitzgerald says such tactics will only erve to exasperate the Irish in America than they otherwise might be.

CRUEL WORK OF A FIEND

Woman Murdered and Left for the Hogs to Devour. LONG PRAIRIE, MINN., September 18 .-

Last night a man named Frederick Paul that Mrs. Louis Buelow, a neighbor who ived at Bear Head, eight miles from here, while she was at work in a potato patch. The fiend then cut off his victim's ears. The little daughter of the murdered woman was the only witness of the affair and told her father on his return.

After killing the woman Paul went home

and killed himself, being found by his brother some hours later. Coroner Cotes went to the scene of the tragedy a few hours after the discovery and found that hogs had eaten off the dead woman's face. No cause s assigned for the tragedy, and it is thought the man was insane.

Wants to Cat Them Down. LOUISVILLE, September 18 .- In the Contitutional Convention to-day, Judge De Haven offered a resolution reducing the number of Representatives in the Legisla-ture from 100 to 60, Senators from 38 to 28, and extend the Governor's term to six years. (Dem.)

OUT OF THE CONTEST.

One of the Candidates for Governor Now Declines to Run.

HIS NAME IS CHARLES MILLER.

and He Was Nominated by the Recent Prohibition Convention.

A MEETING OF THE COMMITTEE CALLED

TO CONDUCT A SUCCESSFUL STRIKE AT Water Ticket. Charles Miller has declined the Prohibi-

'combination of unforseen circumstances.'

resterday and insisted upon the immediate

eceptance of his resignation. A new can didate will speedily be placed in the field. OFFICIAL TELEGRAN TO THE DISPATOR. PHILADELPHIA, September 18 .- Charles Miller, of Franklin county, who was recently nominated by the Prohibition State Convention for Governor, declines to be the standard bearer of the cold water party, and the Prohibition State Committee wil meet in Harrisburg on Wednesday next, the 24th inst, to fill the vacancy at the head of the ticket. Chairman H. D. Patton, of the Prohibition State Central Committee.

was informed of the intention of the nomi

nee for Governor not to run through the

medium of a letter addressed to him from

A. Ricketts, who was Chairman of the State Convention, inclosing a letter of declination on account of a "combination of unforsees circumstances," from Mr. Miller. Upon receipt of these letters Chairman Patton telegraphed to the members of the State Committee and called a meeting of the Executive Committee of that body at the Girard House in this city for this afternoon. Mr. Miller appeared before the Executive Committee and his declination was fully discussed. He insisted upon its immediate acceptance and resisted all entreat-ies to reconsider his determination. He gave no reasons other than those set forth in his letter. It was decided to refer the matter to the State Central Committee, and Chairman Patton was authorized to call a neeting of that body for September 24 at

Harrisburg. It is intimated that as Mr. Miller known to be connected with the Standard Oil Company his withdrawal may be made with the idea of assisting Candidate Dela-

ENTHUSIASM FOR PATTISON. Chirteen Thousand People Greet Him at the

Lavelle Fair Grounds. ESPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATOR. ASHLAND, PA., September 18.-The man gers of the Lavelle Fair scored a big day o-day. They had distinguished visitors and a crowd of people numbering about 13,000. The Democracy of Ashiand was alive with enthusiasm in honor of the visit of Hon. Robert E. Pattison and other prominent members of the party. A reception committee met them on the arrival of the noon Reading train, and the party, which consisted of Hon. Bobert E. Pattison, State whole party driven to the Lavelle Fair

Grounds, where they met with a grand reeption. The people flocked to the gates when they were informed that the party had arrived and the entrance was almost impassable. After much handshaking the ex-Governor mounted the stand and when the cheers sub-sided he made a short address, in which he arged the farmers to rise to an independen cale and not be led by one man. He was loudly cheered at times, and at the conclu-sion of his speech State Chairman Kerr took he stand and spoke for a half hour. The party then returned to this place and oarded the 6:14 train for Philadelphia.

FREE RAW MATERIALS.

That is the Song of the Massachusetts Dem

ocratic State Convention. WORCESTER, MASS., September 18. Chairman P. A. Collins called the Democratic State Convention to order at 11:30 this morning, and was at once made temporary chairman, and without any formalities the usual committees were appointed. John E. Russell was elected permanen chairman, and in a lengthy speech reviewed the political situation.

Without any opposition the following ticket was then nominated: Governor William E. Russell, of Cambridge; Lieut enant Governor, John Corcoran, of Clinton Secretary of State, Elbridge Cushman, o Lake Village; Treasurer, William D. Trefrey, of Marblehead; Auditor, Ed L Munn, of Holyoke; Attorney General, Elisha B. Maynard, Springfield, The comes out strongly for Cleveland and free

THEY COULD NOT AGREE.

The Republican Conference at Johnstow Adjourns.

PEPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH. JOHNSTOWN, September 18 .- The Republican Congressional Conferences repre senting Blair, Bedtord, Somerset and Cambria counties, which has been in session at Ebensburg since Tuesday morning, adjourned at a late hour last night without agreeing. The three conferees from Bedford adhered throughout the half-hundred ballots to Cessus; the three from Blair to Hicks, and the three from Somerset and the three from Cambria stuck to Scull. The adjournment was to the 30th inst., to meet at Ebensburg. It is feared that the conference will be long drawn out, and that a bitter feeling will be engendered among these heretofore amiable counties.

PRECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCE. BEDFORD, September 18 .- The Senatorial onferees of the Thirty-sixth district, comprising the counties of Somerset, Fulton and Bedford, adjourned this evening to meet

again on Tuesday, October 14, in Bedford.

Eleven ballots were taken during the con-ference. As it looks at present the deadlock will be continued far into the fall. A spl't in Democratic Ranks. ST. LOUIS, September 18 .- The Democratic Congressional Convention of the Eighth District found it difficult to unite upon one candidate to-day and the result was a split, one convention nominating ex-Congressman John J. O'Neil, and the

other Patrick O'Malley.

FRANLIN-After a three-days' struggle o make a candidate for Senator the Republican conferees of the Warren-Venango dis-trict adjourned this evening to meet in this city again on Monday, September 22,

Nominations for Congress First Ohio—Bellamy Storer (Rep.) Second Ohio—John A. Caldwell (Rep.) re-

DELAMATER ELIGIBLE.

HE MAKES A BRIEF REPLY TO THE HEN-SEL CHARGES.

Statement That He Has Consulted Numerous Attorneys Upon the Subject -The Republican Candidate Well Received in Berks County.

SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCEL! READING, September 18 .- This afternoon Senator Delamater arrived in Reading. He was met at the depot and driven to all the points of interest and also to the Berks County Fair. At 8 o'clock to-night the Grand Opera House, where the meeting was held, was crowded. Henry A. Muhlenberg, a prominent attorney, was elected chairman. That gentleman briefly addressed the immense assemblage, and at the conclusion of his remarks Senator George W. Delamater was introduced. He was greeted with loud applause when he stepped to the front of the

ion nomination for Governor because of a tage. In the course of his remarks, Mr. Delamater said he came before the meeting as a stauch Republican, and that the gathering He met the Executive Committee of the party was that of the large Republican representa-tion of Pennsylvania. He paid a compliment to the intelligent Democrats, and said many of his personal friends were such, but at the same time he emphasized the fact that the men at the head of successful business enterprises were more frequently Repub-licans than Democrats. Mr. Delamater promised, if elected, to serve the people, and not merely a handful of men who wanted him to obev their dictates. He took up the charge made by W. U. Hensel here at the Democratic Convention this week, that he (Delamater) was not capable, or that he was ineligible for the office. He thanked Mr. Hensel for his kindness in enlightening his Republican friends in advance of his elec-

> "Why did not Hensel wait until after the election?" said the speaker "and then ascer-tain if I am or am not eligible to the Gover-

norship."

The speaker said he had in his possession the legal opinion of such well-known lawyers as John C. Johnson and Samuel Hollingsworth and a dozen other prominent Philadelphia attorneys as to his eligibility. Mr. Delamater closed by paying a high compliment to the Republicans in attendance at the meeting and also thanked the committee for the reception accorded him. Governor Beaver followed and spoke for half an hour in a semi-numorous strain. He defended the present administration and said that he had figures to prove that the administration had been a just and only a

GROWING BEAUTIFULLY LESS

Are the Chances for Naminating a Republican in the Forty-Seventh.

FRANKLIN, September 18 .- The situation in the Forty-seventh Senatorial district is growing desperate, and the prospect of a candidate being nominated is growing beautifully less, as both the aspirants for the office have expressed a determination to stick, and thereby allow a Democrat to walk off with the plum. Mr. Allen, of Warren, claims that, according to promise and precedent, he should be renominated, as he withdrew on a former occasion and allowed Hon, J. W. Lee to be nominated without opposition, with the understanding that Warren should receive two terms. He also claims that he can carry the district over any man

the Democrats can nominate.

Mr. Crawford claims that Warren county has had her full share of candidates for Sen ator, and that on account of factional fights in that county it is doubtful if Senator Al-

DEMOCRATS FREL CERTAIN Of Success in the Only Republican District In South Carolina. manent organization of the Republican

State Convention was finally effected this evening by the felection of George W. Murray, a negro, man. Brayton was entirely ignored. Brayton's friends have therefore determined to put him in the field as a candidate for Congress against Miller, in the only Republican district in the State-the Seventh This will insure the election of a Demo rat, and the return of Congressman Elliott There is a strong disposition to nominate a

State ticket, and the question is now being discussed.

PREVENTING A BATTLE. Actions to Avoid Personal Enmity in a Sen-

ntorial Contest. ATLANTA, September 18 .- In the heat of the Senatorial canvass it is feared that personal enmity was likely to ensue and be ome permanent through rumors circulated by friends of Governor Gordon and Colonel Livingston. At the solicitation of these gentlemen, a board of honor took up the satter, and after hearing the statem from both sides, brought about an honorable

leaving the political phases untouched. DION BOUCICAULT DEAD.

THE NOTED ACTOR AND DRAMATIST BREATHES HIS LAST.

Devoted to Theatrical Matters From His Youth-Author of Numerous Popular Plays-Founder of a Dramatic School-His loftuence as a Writer. ISPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCE.1

NEW YORK, September 18 .- Dion Boucicault died at 9:30 to-night, after a brief but severe illness. Mr. Boucleault had caught a cold, which developed into pneumonia on Tuesday afternoon. He rapidly became worse. He was conscious up to the time of his death. The only persons with him when he died were his wife and nurse.

Dion Boucicault was born in Dublin, Decem chant in Dublin, and was educated for a civil engineer, but devoted himself to the drama

chant in Dublin, and was educated for a civil engineer, but devoted himself to the drama. In March, 1841 he purchased the comedy, "London Assurance," which was brought out in Covent Garden Theater. He married Agnes Robertson, and in 1853 came to the United States, delivered lectures in New York, and then returned to the stage. In 1880 he went to London and brought out "Colleen Bawn." In 1861 "The Octoroon!" was produced. After that he wrote more than 100 dramas, some original, and others adaptations from the French. In 1863 he brought out "Dot," and the "Relief of Lucknow," followed by the "Streets of London," "Arrah-Na-Pogne," "Rip Van Winkle," the "Parish Clerk," the "Flying Scud," "Hunted Down," and the "Long Strike." In 1867 he produced "Food Play," the latter written in collaboration with Charies Reade.

In 1874 he returned to the United States. In 1873 he produced "Daddy O'Dowd," "Mora," "Minii," and "Led Astray." Of his other plays the best known are "Janet's Pride," "Louis XI." "Faust and Marguerite." "Paul Lafard," "A Dark Night's Work," "The Dead Secret," "Andy Blake" and the "Shaughraun." He excelled as a dramatist in brightness of dialogue, dramatic action, and the treatment of incidents. His melodramas were more natural than those that preceded them. He elevated and improved the character of the Irish drama. The plots of his plays were seldom original, but in the drawing of character, the introduction and handling of dramatic incidents, and the composition and scenes of pathos, passion or humor, he displayed originality, knowledge of human nature and dramatic judgment. He elevated the status of the dramatic author by insisting on higher rates of compensation than were usual, and by making the play itself the leading attraction. One of his pets deas in recent years was the founding of a school of dramatic art, where people could receive proper training for the stage. receive proper training for the stage.

Struck by a Cyclouc. ATLANTIC, IA., September 18 .- A cyclone struck about four miles south of Manning at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Two men were reported killed and several injured. Damage to property will be heavy, COUNTERFEIT CURIOS

Turned Out in Canada and Then Sent to the United States.

THREE

CENTS.

BELL, CHIEF OF SECRET SERVICE.

Now in the Dominion in Search of the Cunning Operators.

THE RARS 1804 DOLLAR DUPLICATED.

Discovery of the Fraud Made at a Philadelphia Ans-

United States Secret Service Agents, with Chief Bell at their head, are in Canada lookng for counterfeiters. The specialty of nese operators is rare coins and curiosities. A clew was obtained through a letter to a onvict in a Michigan prison.

SPRINAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATOR !

TOTONTO, September 18. - Superintendent George C. Bell, of the United States Secret Service, arrived in Toronto from Buffalo on Sunday night, accompanied by two detectves, one of whom was dispatched with a rig to the country, while Mr. Bell and his companion retired to the seclusion of a room in the Queen's Hotel. The officers have in hand one of the most extraordinary cases of ounterfeiting that has taken place in America for many years, and the investigation as far as it has progressed indicates that a regularly organized gang of counterfeiters have been a work for years manufacturing base nore particularly copies of rare te and other curios. It has been

anufactured in the neighborto and expressed to the United akville and other small staty of Peel. tions . The in the unit has been conducted secretly for the bis, but as yet the counterfeiters has not un to earth. Superintendent Be .. consult with the Toronto detectives in the hope of locating the Canadian workers in base metal. When the first

that some of these counterfeits

counterfeit was discovered it created a great deal of excitement among dealers in old coins, and the Numismatists' Association of the United States started the secret service on an investigation that has so far resulted in the discovery of extensive counterfeiting, both in the States and in Canada. The one dollar issue of 1804 was recalled and only four were left in circulation. Each of these coins is now valued by numismatista at \$500, and it was a counterfeit of one of these that led to the first discovery. A dealer in Philadelphia every year holds an auction sale of old coins, and among the packages offered for sale was found a one dollar coin apparently of the 1804 issue.

different appearance to the genuine article.

Among those who attended the sale was
Colonel Loudon Snowdon, Director of the
Philadelphia Mint, and upon a close examin-

The coin, however, appeared to be too new for such an old date, and the alloy had a

NOT ONE OF THE FOUR. He knew the names of the four men who held the only four coins of 1804 in circula-tion, and this led him to examine the piece closely. He discovered the fraud, and afterward noticed that the last figure on the date had been punched out of a dollar of 1895 issue, of and the hole was then plugged up with a figure 4 punched from another coin. The work was so neatly executed that none but

an expert with the aid of a powerful magnifying glass could detect it.

The detectives succeeded in locating several of the mints in the State of Louisians, and among the stuff seized were many counterleits of old coins. While the inquiry was being prosecuted an incident occurred in the Michigan prison that threw some light on the work of the counterfeiters and brought the secret service to Toronto.

In this prison there is confined a notorious counterfeiter, Peter McCartney, who is undergoing a sentence of 25 years. A short time ago a letter was received at the prison from McCartney's wife to her husband, in which was enclosed an old Roman coin attached to which was a piece of ribbon.

A MYSTERIOUS MESSAGE,

The letter explained that the coin was sent to Pete as a souvenir from his affectionate wife, but when the officials discovered that the coin was a counterfeit it was concluded that the wife had sent it to show that the old game was being continued. The secret service men were fied and a detective was on Mrs. McCartney's trail. He soon discovered that she lived in Tioga, Ill., and that she had an associate, one Dr. Baker, who was in the habit of paying periodical visits to Niagara Falls and Toronto, sometimes getting off at Oakville and occasion ally at neighboring stations and driving to Oakville, where he sent small packages by express to different dealers of old coins in

A detective was secretly dispatched to Oakville, and, it is alleged that a short distance from the village, in the garret of an unoccupied building, he found an almost complete counterfeiting outfit. Superin-tendent Bell and his companions came to

Toronto to follow up this clew. END OF THE SESSION.

various cities in the United States.

land Holds a Bauquet. TOLEDO, September 18 .- At the business session of the Society of the Army of the Cumberland to-day Columbus was chosen as the place of the meeting next year, September 23 and 24. The following officers for the ensuing year were elected: President. W. S. Rosecrans; one vice president from each State represented in its membership; Corresponding Secretary, General Henry M. Cist; Recording Secretary, Colonel J. H. Steele: Treasurer, General J.

S. Fullerton. A resolution of thanks to Congress for its action in behalf of the bill to make the battlefield of Chicamauga a national park was adopted. The banquet, which closed the annual meeting, took place to-night at the Roody House. General Alger came

BOLD STAGE ROBBERY.

over from Detroit to attend the bar

Passengers Relieved of \$50 While the Thieves Escape.

SAN ANDREAS, CAL., September 18 .- A stage from Valley Springs to San Andreas was stopped by two masked men this afternoon about four miles from this town. Eight passengers on board were robbed of about \$50 and the wooden treasure box of Wells, Fargo & Co. was also taken. Another box remained untouched. Immediately upon the arrival of the stage here the Sheriff started in search of the

HUDSON, N. Y., September 18 .- The recent rains in this vicinity has created a threatening freshet in various parts of the county. Roseman's knitting mill is flooded in the first story. All dwellings are unoc-cupied and the inmates are moving with boats.