PUPILS OF POLITICS,

Prohibitionists Are Up to All the Tactics of More Ungodly Parties.

CUT UP IN TWO FACTIONS.

One for Gen. Bidwell, of California. the Other for Demorest.

FUSION IS NOT VERY POPULAR.

Indiana's Anti-Administration Candidate for Governor Gets There.

PLATT STILL THE BOSS IN NEW YORK

CINCINNATI. June 28 - All the necessar preparations have been made, and at 10 o'clock to-morrow morning the sixth National Convention of the Prohibition party will begin its sessions in the Music Hall in which Hancock was nominated. The convention, unless an effort, now not very promising, to patch up differences and agree on a new man shall be successful, will meet with a fight on hand for the honor of being the Presidental nominee of the party.

The fight is throwing an air of political feeling over the proceedings, and what with lithographs and badges of the two rival candidates, campaign headquarters, charges and counter-charges and night conferences, an outsider may catch something of the spirit which pervades more important political conventions

General Bidwell, of California, and W. Jennings Demorest, of New York, are the leading competitors for the nomination, and their supporters are becoming so excited over the matter that talk of the advisability of bringing out a dark horse as a means of healing the two factions begins to be heard. Two Possible Dark Horses.

H. Clay Boscom, a well-known business man, of Troy, N. Y., is the man most metioned in such a case, and occasionally Gideon T. Steward, of Ohio, and Prof.

Dickie, of Michigan, are suggested.

While talk of a compromise is heard, neither General Bidwell's nor Mr. Demorest's friends look on it with favor, and many delegates think the matter has gone many delegates think the matter has gone so far that it must be fought out. General Bidwell's friends claim his nomination on the first ballot. General Bidwell has strong Eastern support in New York and Pennsylvania, the two largest States. He has in the former two-thirds and in the latter three-fourths or more of the delegates. Most of the leaders are for him, and ex-Governor St. John who could proband ex-Governor St. John, who could prob-ably get the nomination if he would take it, is working hard for Bidwell and will place him in nomination. Chairman Dickie, of the National. Committee; Miss Williard, Mrs. Gougar, A. A. Stevens, of Pennsyl: vania, Dr. Funk and others are, also, supporting Bidwell.

The Demorest supporters arrived in larger numbers to-day, and it is evident that he has a considerable following, though handicapped by lack of support in his own State. He is expected to stand well in the South, and perhaps in some of the Western States.
Colonel R. S. Thevis, Rev. Samuel Small,
Prof. Grandison, of North Carolina; John
Lloyd Thomas, Secretary of the National
Committee, and Henry B. Hudson, of the
Blue and Gray, are his principal advocates.

Complimentary Nominations Probable. Gideon T. Stewart, of Ohio, will probably be put in the nomination, and the Pro-hibition Presidental nomination being itself largely of a complimentary nature, there is no telling how many persons will receive informal ballots.

To-night caucuses of the two leaders were held to arrange for the proper conduct of the two booms. The Demorest men are making much of the strong sentiment against fusion with the People's party, and one charge they make against Bidwell is that he is inclined to withdraw if Weaver is nominated. The have out lithographs of Demorest, inscribed "No compromises." is nominated. The have out lithographs of Demorest, inscribed "No compromises, no fusion, no deals." The Bidwell men retort that the Demorest campaign largely rests on financial contributions. The Prohibition newspaper organs are coming in for a share of denunciation, and charge that Demorest's lack of support in New York State is due to machine methods, to which The Voice is a party. The opposition to fusion with the People's party is very marked, and Miss Willard was to-night apparently almost alone in open advocacy of it.

The Temporary Officers Named. Ex-Governor John P. St. John, of Kansar

will be in the chair to-morrow at the first session of the convention. That was settled this evening before the adjournment session of the convention. That was settled this evening before the adjournment of an important meeting of the National Committee. A. F., Wolfenbarger, of Nebraska, will be the secretary of the convention. The choice of a Nebraskan for the honor was regarded as an alive branch to the People's party, emphasizing the intention of the Prohibitionists to at least help in wresting Nebraska this year, if possible, from the grasp of the two older parties, whether a fusion of the People's party and the Prohibitionists be attempted or not.

A. A. Stevens, of Pennsylvania, or Prof. Dickie will probably be Permauent Chairman. A. E. Wilson, of Illinois; J. A. Tate, of Tennessee, and E. F. Stevens, the baseball editor of the Boston Herald, were chosen for Assistant Secretaries, and E. T. Chafin, of Wisconsin, for Sergeant at Arms.

There was a lively exchange of personalities at the committee meeting over the adoption of the Treasurer's report. Sam Small said certain names occurred too often sciption of the Treasurer's report. Sam Small said certain names occurred too often as having been employed by Chairman Dickie for prohibition work. He charac-terized them as "hangers on."

Hot Shot for Rev. Mr. Small,

E. T. Chafin, of Wisconsin, scored Rev. Mr. Small, saying that gentleman's resolu-tion was an idiotic performance. After the resolution had been adopted without divi-sion, Chairman Dickie spoke, declaring the resolution had not been violated, as it was understood when passed, and spoke of the resolution as a "tom-tool one." Mr. Small, as a personal explanation, got an opportunity to reply, and sailed into Mr. Dickie for

a few minutes.

Walter Hill, of Georgia; Joshua Levering, of Marylank; Colonel Bain, of Kentucky; John W. Russell, of Detroit, and A. tucky; John W. Russell, of Detroit, and A. A. Stevens, of Pennsylvania, have been suggested as good Vice Presidental timber. The color line has been the cause of considerable excitement. Rev. C. M. Grandison, D. D., President of Bennett College, Greensboro, N. C., is one of half a dozen or more colored members of the convention, who have been sent here from various Southern States. At the Gibson House he had no more difficulty in registering than the white delegates from his State; but, when it came to getting meals, he was rewhen it came to getting meals, he was re-fused attendance unless he retired to a room separated from the main dining hall. This alternative he resolutely de-clined, and he was left without food for an dilied, and he was left without food for an bour, until practically all the other guests had vacated the place. The Chairman of the North Carolina delegation declared that, if necessary, the members, about 20 in number and all Caucasians except francison, would remove to some other botel. The Virginia, Georgia and other delegates avoided trouble by separating from the whites on arrival at the railway station and going to boarding houses of which the proprietors were colored people.

Temporary rules have been framed. They are calculated to enable the presiding officer to control proceedings. Two hundred

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less, the Illinois delegation to hight in cau-cus decided to present the name of Judge David McCullough, of Peoria, for Presi-dent. The Illinois delegation is reported to have determined, also, to make a fight to have the national headquarters at Chicago instead of at New York.

PLATT IS STILL BOSS.

His State Goes Through Unbroken in the New York State Compatites—Whitelaw Reid Shakes Hands With the State Leaders of His Campaign-The Colored

Contingent. NEW YORK, June 28.—[Special.]—With its organization complete, the Republican tate Committee is now ready to begin the hard work of the Presidental campaign in New York. The organization was effected in parlor D. R., of the Fifth Avenue Hotel, to-day, and the administration had very little to do with it except by the voice of its few representatives on the committee to make the acceptance of the slate prepared

by Platt and Miller unanimous. Whitelaw Reid, the party's candidate for Vice President, was in the hotel, but he did not go before the committee, and he said that he made no suggestions. He had a parlor where he received his friends. "I came here," said he, samply to meet and shake by the hand the leaders of the party and the men who will run the campaign in this State. I have been away from home a long time, and have not had an opportunity to meet them before.'

Hon. Whitelaw Reld a Visitor. Word was passed through the corridors that Mr. Reid was in room 63, and he was soon besieged by Republican leaders from all sections of the State, who had assembled to assist the committee. All these had been brought together by a common desire to see that their interests and those of the Republicans in their Congressional districts were well cared for by the committee in the performance of the duty devolved on it by the State Convention to reorganize the party machine in each of the new districts.

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The work of the committee went through according to programme without shitch. When Chairman William Brookfield called the committee to order John N. Scatcherd, of Buffalo, nominated him for re-election as Chairman, and he was chosen unanimousas Chairman, and he was chosen unanimously. John S. Kenyon, of Syracuse, was continued as Secretary. W. H. Hoag nominated General Samuel Thomas for Treasurer, and he was chosen with a unanimity
which told a story of the beautiful harmony
that had been counseled on the part of the
administration when it was found that Platt
and Miller did not propose to relinquish
their grasp on the party machine.

The Great Fight of the Day. Then came the fight of the day. It was over the selection of the "additional member" who is to represent the colored voters of the party. Rev. Dr. William Derrick was the "additional member" and was a candidate for re-election. There were three other candidates, Rev. Jeremiah R. B. Smith, pastor of the Seventeenth Street A. M. E. Church, of this city and editor of the

Echo; James Davis, of Troy, and Charles P.
Lee, of Rochester.

All of the oratory, excepting that spent
in Rev. Mr. Smith's behalf, was wasted.
He received 21 votes to Derrick's 9 and

He received 21 votes to Derrick's 9 and Davis' 2. Lee was withdrawn.

The committee then disposed of the matter which had brought so many representatives and would-be representatives in Congress and other statesmen together, by entrusting to a committee of five the business of fixing and determining the basis of representation in each of the existing Congress districts in the first convention to be held therein, and the number of delegates and the manner and method of choosing the the manner and method of choosing the same in each of the said conventions. This committee was mostly Belden men, and the Belden contingent from the Syracuse Con-gress district, who had been waiting for the news in the corridor outside the committee's meeting room, went away in high feather.

After the committee adjourned the Executive Committee organized and elected William A. Sutherland, of Nochester, Na-tional Committeeman.

GRAY IS NOT SULKING.

He Heartily Indorses the Ticket at a Big

Mass Meeting. INDIANAPOLIS, June 28 .- [Special.]-The Democrats made a demonstration here to-night in honor of the Chicago nominees. Governor Gray presided over the meeting, and in a spirited, impressive speech gave the assembled multitude to understa his Democracy was of that sturdy kind that could not be weakened because of any personal disappointment. He gave the ticket an emphatic indorsement. Previous to the meeting a brilliant street parade was made by the many Democratic clubs. Rockets and Roman candles marked the line of

Claud Matthews, the Democratic candi-Claud Matthews, the Democratic candidate for Governor, and other prominent Democrats addressed the meeting, which was hardly accommodated in the largest public hall in the State. In the street parade there appeared about 100 handsome transparencies. Hits at the war, tariff and force bill, were plentiful, among them, "down with the McKinley tax," "The tariff is a fraud," "To catch rats, set traps in the New York Tribune office." Numerous others referred to State and local matters.

COMBINING THEIR FORCES.

Prohibitionists, People's Party Men and

Others Try to Get Other. CINCINNATI, June 28.-Mesurs G. M. Miller, Chairman E. Evans and Secretary Hiram Maine, of the Executive Council of National Reformers, called a meeting at the Palace Hotel this afternoon, at which were present a mixed company of Prohibitionists, People's party men, etc., and spent several hours discussing the feasibility of uniting all the reform forces in a single

party.

The result was the appointment of a committee of seven, to recommend to the Prohibitionist Convention and to the People's Party Convention to instruct their re-spective National Committees to confer with each other with a view to the unification of the retorm forces; furthermore, that the name of the Prohibition party be changed to the National Reform party.

A Committee With Not a Forakerite COLUMBUS, O., June 28. - [Special.]-The Republican Campaign Committee was organized to-day, with C. W. F. Dick, of Akron, Chairman, and John R. Malloy, of Columbus, Secretary. The committee consists of 18 members, distributed over the State, and does not contain a representative of the Foraker element in Ohio politica. There were three colored candidates for members, representing Cincinnati, Cleveland and Columbus. In the interest of harmony they were all elected.

Replacing Wisconsin's Gerrymander Madison, Wis., June 28.—The Legislature convened at 10 o'clock this morning to reapportion the State into Senate and Assembly districts, the Supreme Court hav-Assembly districts, the Supreme Court having declared the apportionment made by the Legislature of 1891 illegal. After perfecting the organization and appointing a Joint Committee on Apportionment the Legislature adjourned until 10 o'clock in the morning. The Democrats and Republicans will submit bills for reapportionment to morrow.

delegates are necessary to order a roll call.

The unit rule does not prevail.

At midnight Bidwell seems to have a clear field for the Presidency. Many coolheaded people think he is pretty sure of nomination on the first ballot. Nevertheless, the Illinois delegation to-night in cau-

CHASE COULDN'T BE BEAT,

Though the Strength of the National Adration Was Against His Renomi nation for Governor of Indiana-The

Fr. WAYNE, June 28 .- [Special.]-The Republican State Convention met here to-day. The name of Hon. Charles W. Fairbanks for Chairman was loudly cheered. Mr. Fairbanks spoke in part as follows:

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A tariff for revenue is so opposed to the policy of the Republican party that no one can mistake the issue. As ever mindful of that great party, to the workingmen of this country, who are the bone and sinew of the Republican party, the Minneapolis Convention pledged anew its confidence and faith in the proposition that upon all imports coming in competition with the products of American labor there should be levied duties equal to the difference between wages abroad and at home. Is not that right! Is not it patriotic! The Democratic platform looks only to the receipts at the Custom House. Its only concern is to see that revenue is raised, wholly regardless of the effect on the American producers and American workingmen.

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lows:

The Republican party is congratulated on its renomination of President Harrison, whose administration is heartily inderesed; denounces the gerrymander of Indiana; it says "debt and Democracy are synonymous terms in Indiana;" arraigns the Democratic party for the passage of an unjust tax law; denounces the demanded repeal of the 10 per cent tax on State issues of the Democratio national platform; favors President Harrison's recommendation of compulsory safety couplers on railroads; wants convict labor in States governed so as not to conflict with free labor; indorses liberal pensions; speaks tenderly of the late Governor Hovey; sympathizes with Hon. J. G. Blaine in the loss of his son, and adopts the eagle as the emblem of the party in the coming campaign.

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The convention reassembled at 1:20, and The convention reassembled at 1:20, and after some preliminary work got down to business. Governor Chase and Theodore Shockney were then placed in nomination for Governor. Chase was nominated on the first ballot, although opposed by the friends of President Harrison, securing two-thirds of the entire vote. Shockney was then nominated for Lieutenant Governor. Judge Byron K. Elliott received a few scattering votes for Governor, he declared much against his will. Following is the ticket nominated:

nominated:

Governor, Ira J. Chase; Lieutenant Governor, Theodore P. Shockney, of Randolpf county; Secretary of State, A. A. Johns; Auditor of State, John W. Coons, of Marion; Treasurer of State, Fred J. Scholz, of Vanderburg (second ballot); Attorney General, J. D. Ferrell, of La Grange, (second ballot); Reporter of the Supreme Court, George M. Haywood, of Tippecance; Superintendent of Public Instruction, Jas. H. Henry, of Morgan; State Statistician, J. S. Thompson, of Shelby; Judges of the Supreme Court, John D. Miler, Byron K. Elliott and R. W. McBride, the present incumbents; for Judges of the Appelate Court, A. G. Cavin, of Monroe; John K. Thompson, of Dearborn; James B. Black, of Marion; M. S. Robinson, of Wayne, and W. Crumpacker, the present incumbent.

After adopting a resolution in favor of

After adopting a resolution in favor of liberal appropriations for the World's Fair the convention adjourned at 11 o'clock P.M.

STEWART WOULD ACCEPT

The People's Party Presidental Nomina tion if Offered to Him.

OMAHA, June 28.—The work of preparing for the independent convention goes merrily on. J. N. Wills, of Kansas, national lecturer of the Farmers' Alliance, is in the city and says Kansas is coming en masse. The Womans' Suffragists will be represented by Susan B. Anthony, Mrs. Clara D. Colby, editor of the Woman's Tri-bune; Rev. Anna Shaw, Mrs. Lease and Mrs. Johns, of Kansas; Mrs. Dr. Dailey, of Omaha, and many others. They have a plank for the People's party platform and insist that "the men" accept it. A big crowd of ex-Confederates are coming from Texas. To-day private letters were received in To-day private letters were received in Omaha from an intimate friend of Judge Gresham which settled in the minds of all the doubt about Gresham's candidacy. Gresham will not allow his name to be used. Another letter was also received from Congressman Watson, of Georgia, who has been regarded as the probable nominee for Vice President. Mr. Watson declines to allow his name to be used dealering the allow his name to be used, declaring that be prefers to be in the House. The Stewart boom has once more taken a move. Some one has shown where, previous to the old party nominations, Senator Stewart said: "If Cleveland and Harrison are nominated the electoral votes of Nevada and all silver States will go to the Independents." It is announced to-day positively by friends of Senator Stewart that he would accept the

The Third Party in Tenne

NASHVILLE, June 28.—The third party convention, consisting of about 250 dele-gates representing all shades of political beliefs and formerly belonging to both Republican and Democratic parties, met here to-day. Organization was perfected and the day spent in speaking. The platform as-sails both the old parties; demands free and unlimited coinage of silver and an increase of the currency to \$50 per capits. Forty-eight delegates were appointed to the

TORNADOES IN THE EAST.

Many Pennsylvania Towns Visited, Includ

ing a Summer Resort. EAGLESMERE, PA., June 28 .- The corner of a tornado passed over Eaglesmere yes-terday at 5 o'clock. Some damage was done to a few cottages and a number of trees fell. The Lakeside was comparatively uninjured, except a few window glass panes. None of the other hotels were in jured at all.

The storm which passed over Eastern The storm which passed over Eastern Pennsylvania last night assumed the proportions of a tornsdo in some districts, and in others it was confined to a heavy rainfall. In Reading the streets were flooded, several houses were struck by lightning, and a number of persons were hurt. In Chester county the storm was the worst in 20 years. At Crumlynne a car on the P., W. & W. was struck by lightning while in motion. Baggagemaster William Lewis, of Chester, was probably fatally injured. The damage to crops will be very heavy.

MCKEESPORT, June 28 .- [Special.]-Reports reached here to-day from Mt. Clemens, Mich., that in drilling for water on the place of B. B. Coursin, of McKeesport, a heavy vein of gas was struck, water being thrown over the top of the derrick. This is the first strike of natural gas in that part of the country, and was only brought about by the drilling of a deep artesian

The End of a Ventursome Cow. NOMER CITY, PA., June 28 - [Special.]-Last week Farmer Butterbaugh missed a valuable cow and hunted for her for some time. Some days afterward one of the family went into an old cellar under the house, where the animal was found dead. She had entered the open door and knocking down the prop which held it open, was shut in and starved to death.

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BISHOP WASN'T DEAD

When the Autopsy Was Held on the Famous Mind Reader, Or

HIS MOTHER IS MUCH MISTAKEN.

Exciting Scenes at the Trial of the Physicians Who Presided.

THE DECEASED WANTED THE AUTOPSY

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH, 1 NEW YORK, June 28.-Washington Irving Bishop, the mind reader, was invited to a dinner at the Lambs' Club on the evening of May 12, 1889. After dinner he gave an exhibition of his mind-reading powers. At the climax of his effort he tell into the arms of the by-standers in a cataleptic trance. He was taken to an upper room in the club-

house and attended by physicians.

Whether he remained in a cataleptic trance until the following afternoon when an autopsy was made, or died before the autopsy, has been a matter of dispute ever since between the physicians who were concerned in the autopsy, Drs. John Arthur Irwin, Frank Ferguson and Irwin H. Irwin, Frank Ferguson and Irwin H.
Hance, and Bishop's mother, Eleanor
Fletcher Bishop. Mrs. Bishop endeavored
to have the three doctors indicted
for morder, for killing her son while he
was in a cataleptic trance, but the grand
jury indicted them only for a misdemeanor
in making an autopsy without the permission of the nearest relative of Bishop or

of the Coroner.

Mra. Bishop has been untiring in her efforts to bring the doctors to trial: but her efforts came to nothing until to-day, when they were called to the bar of the General Sessions for trial before Judge Fitzgerald. A Scene Confidently Anticipated.

Mrs. Bishop, in deep mourning and carrying a crutch—for she is lame—sat in the inclosure for women witnesses. It was expected that she might make a scene, and two court officers were directed by Judge Fitzgerald to sit near her to restrain her if the necessity arose.

Assistant District Attorneys Weeks and

Macdona represented the people; E. H. Moeran and Alfred Pagelow appeared for Dr. Irwin, John M. Bowers for Dr. Ferguson, and Nelson J. Waterbury, Jr., for Dr. Hance.

Each of the defendants demanded a separate trial and Dr. Irwin turn care.

separate trial, and Dr. Irwin's turn came first. Assistant District Attorney Weeks first. Assistant District Attorney Weeks said that setting aside as entirely out of the case the consideration whether or not Irving was alive when the autopsy was begun, the jury would have to determine whether or not the autopsy was held contrary to law. All men naturally recoiled from the suggestion that a man would dissect the body of a living person, and the jury must not permit any thought of this horrid suggestion to prejudice them in weighing the evidence. The Mother Deeply Affected.

At this moment Mrs. Bishop burst into tears and sobs. Mr. Weeks called as his first witness, Dr. Hance, one of the de-fendants. Dr. Hance testified that at about 2 o'clock on the afternoon of May 13, 1889,
Dr. Irwin called upon him and informed him of Bishop's death. Dr. Irwin said that Bishop's death was due to heart failure and failure of respiration as a result of the nervous exhaustion following a mind-read-

The final feat that Bishop performed, Dr.
Irwin said, was a most exhausting one.
Two members of the club went to the office Two members of the club went to the office of the club and picked out from an old register the name of a visitor to the club. Bishop, meanwhile, remained in another room blindfolded. When he was told that he was at liberty to set out to find the name that the two members had picked out, he placed a hand on the shoulder of each of the

register. Almost immediately afterward he fell unconscious into the arms of the bystanders. He was taken to an upper room and laid upon a lounge. He received medi-cal attention, but he died.

Description of the Autopsy.

The witness went to Hawks' undertaking shop at 8 Sixth avenue. He found Hawks and several assistants who had prepared Bishop's body for the autopsy. Drs. Irwin and Ferguson were there. Dr. Ferguson performed the autopsy after having made the usual preliminary examination. The chest was opened and the heart and lungs were taken out and examined. Then the were taken out and examined. Then the skullcap was removed and the brain was taken out and examined. Bishop's brain weighed 40 ounces and was intensely con-

Dr. Ferguson, another of the defendants, testified that Dr. Irwin called on him on the afternoon of May 13 and said that a patient of his had died. He wanted Dr. Ferguson to make the autopsy for him. Dr. Irwin said that Bishop had died at 12 Irwin said that Discovery the impression from this statement that Dr. Irwin o'clock. The witness received the impression from this statement that Dr. Irwin meant that Bishop had died at midnight the night before. He did not discover until after the autopsy that Bishop had died at 12 o'clock noon that day.

"On that autopsy, doctor, had you any doubt that the subject was dead?" asked

Mr. Weeks. Had Not the Slightest Doubt

"I had not the slightest doubt in the Lawyer Moeran moved that Judge Fitz gerald advise the jury to acquit Irwin on the ground that the prosecution had failed to make out a case. Judge Fitzgerald

denied the motion.

Mrs. Bishop arose, leaning upon her crutch. Tears flowed down her withered cheeks. She cried out: "I am willing to prove that they were guilty of murdering

my boy."
"The officers will preserve order," said
Judge Fitzgerald briefly, and the officers

Judge Fitzgerald briefly, and the officers beside Mrs. Bishop stepped up to her and persuaded her to take her seat.

In his opening for the defense Lawyer Moeran said he would prove that the autopsy was performed in accordance with a wish often expressed before the death of Washington Irving Bishop. This wish was repeated on many occasions in the presence of Dr. Irwin. of Dr. Irwin. Warned to Discontinue His Work.

Dr. Irwin testified that he first met

Bishop in 1879 in Liverpool. As he was passing the Lambs' Club on the evening of passing the Lambs' Club on the evening of May 12, 1889, he remembered that there was an entertainment going on, and he went in. Bishop had just concluded one of his mindreading feats. He complained of feeling ill, and asked the doctor to feel his pulse. The doctor did so, and advised Bishop to discontinue the performance. Directly afterward, however, Bishop performed the feat of discovering the name in an old register of the club. Just as he had written the name he fell backward in a cataleptic fit.

The doctor attended to him and he recovered consciousness. Then he was taken to a room upstairs and was laid upon alounge. Dr. Irwin sat opposite him and Bishop apoke freely of his physical condition. The doctor told Bishop that his performances were dangerous to life and that there were changes going on in his brain. Bishop replied: "Well. I suppose you will find that out at the autorsy."

plied: "Well I suppose you will find that out at the autorsy."

Charles M. Ward, who was at the Lambs' Club that night, testified that in the cataleptic fit Bishop, though a slight man, showed immense strength. When he recovered a discussion arose as to the reason for his powers as a "mind reader." One of the club men asked Bishop to what he ascribed this mental power and Bishop said: "That will probably be discovered in the autorsy." The case is still on.

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AN IMPORTANT DECISION.

JUNE 29, 1892

The Supreme Court of Ohio Holds the Ma sie Law Constitutional—A Heavy Rebate for the State From the Capital Stock of All Corporations;

COLUMBUS, O., June 28 - [Special.]-The Supreme Court to-day rendered a decision holding the Massie law to be constitutional. holding the Massie law to be constitutional. It is of interest to all incorporated companies in this State. This law authorizes the Secretary of State to retain as fees for the State one-tenth of 1 per cent of the capital stock of corporations for issuing certificates of incorporation or consolidation. In addition, the decision opens up the way for taxing franchises in Ohio.

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ing franchises in Ohio.

The cases were those of Osian, D. Aashley, et al against Daniel J. Ryan, Secretary of State, and the Pittsburg, Akron & Western Railway Company against the Secretary of State. Even to the Circuit Court of Franklin county, the court affirms the decision of the lower courts.

Ashley, as trustee, paid to the Secretary of State, under protest, \$52,000 for filing articles of consolidation of the various lines composing the Wabash system, and in order to bring the constitutionality of the law into question, suit was filled to recover

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The Panhandle system is required under the decision to allow the Secretary of State to retain \$75,000 paid for filing articles of consolidation, and, in all, the State is richer by \$177,000 up to April 15 last, when Secretary Ryan was succeeded by C. L. In addition to this the opinion opens up the way to tax franchises as well as cor-porations, and make them pay yearly rev-enue to the State, should the Legislature so decide, as the opinion can be construed that way. The decision will bring into the State Treasury about \$200,000 each year.

THREE NEGROES SHOT DOWN.

A Terrible Retribution for a Terrible Crime Committed in Texas-Masked Avengers on the Roadside Intercept Them on the Way to Jail.

COL MESNEIL, TEX., June 28.-As a sequence to the news from this place last ight, relating to an outrage near Spurgis, intelligence comes to-night that three negroes, Prince Woods, Tom Smith and Henry Gaines, arrested Friday while undergoidg examination trial, confessed to having committed the orime. Three of them went to Sheffield's home about 10 oclock at night. The next day the five negrous were arrested on suspicion, and investigation led to the confession.

Upon the confession being made, ten men Upon the confession being made, ten men were deputized to convey the negroes to Woodville jail. They started with them Friday afternoon. When out about fourteen miles from Spurgis, they noticed a lot of red flags, apparently from the roadside bush, behind which were 50 masked and armed men, who demanded the release of the negroes, and leveled their guns upon the guards, who acceded to the demand. The guards were told to retrace their steps a few pices, which they did

demand. The guards were told to retrace their steps a few ptoes, which they did A few moments later a volley from the guns of the masked men told the fate of the negoces. The deputies returned to the spot, finding the three negroes literally riddled with bullets, all dead. The corpses were taken in charge by relatives in the neighborhood and were buried Saturday evening. Hundreds of people were there to witness the burial.

EXCITEMENT AT A HOTEL

A Candidate and Four Other Guests Held Up for All Their Money.

HENNEPIN, ILL., June 28 .- [Special. John Soboski, Prohibition candidate for Bishop, meanwhile, remained in another room blindfolded. When he was told that he was at liberty to set out to find the name that the two members had picked out, he placed a hand on the shoulder of each of the gentlemen and walked downstairs to the office.

Bishop went direct, to the register and asked for a pencil and paper. When they were produced he wrote the name that the two members had picked out from the old register. Almost immediately afterward he fell unconsequent.

the others made their way up the stairs, where the guests were sleeping. Two were stationed in the long hall, and the others, entering the rooms in succession, aroused the sleepers and forced them to march out and stand in line. Then the rooms were revisited, and the plunder secured reached \$1,200. The robbers then departed. Soboski, procuring a horse, gave chase. He overtook three of the thieves, and in a lively skirmish the pursuer's horse was killed under him. Then

CLEVELAND CARS BUNNING.

Each Has Four Officers Aboard, and the Track Is Also Policed CLEVELAND, June 28.-The East Cleveland Street Car Company started cars this morning under police protection. Four officers guard each car and 250 others are stationed at places along the line. Up to evening no difficulty had been experienced,

evening no difficulty had been experienced, although crowds of strikers and sympathizers hang about the barns on the streets. The Broadway and Newburg Company will not undertake to move cars until the success of the East Cleveland Company is assured. A committee of employes of the Brooklyn electric line was appointed last night to demand 20 cents an hour for all men. Manager Johnson today declined to confer with ger Johnson to-day declined to confer with the committee. It was decided last night that if the demand was refused the Brook. lyn men would strike.

CHOLERA IN RUSSIA.

Frightened Workmen of Baku Fleeing From the City in Droves.

St. Petersburg, June 28.-Consterna tion prevails in some parts of the Empire owing to the rapid spread of cholera. At Baku, on the west coast of the Caspian Sea, 35 new cases of the disease were reported yesterday. Baku is a great petroleum ship-

ping port.
Thousands of the workmen employed in the city and at the petroleum springs on the peninsula of Apsheron, on which Baku is situated, have become so frightened that they are leaving in droves.

Bedford Democratic Nominations. BEDFORD, June 28 .- [Special.]-The Democratic County Convention met to-day. For Assembly, Josiah Amos and David Holderbaum were nominated on the first ballot. The nominations of Amos and Holderbaum are considered strong, the former having been twice elected prothonotary by large majorities, while the latter is a leading granger and popular all over the county.

A Combined Picule at Idlewild,

One of the largest picnics at Idlewild was that of yesterday, when the pupils of four Sunday schools went there. They be longed to the Oskland, the Shadyside and the Highland avenue Presbyterian churches and the Second United Presbyterian Church of Wilkinsburg. There were 3,000 people on the grounds.

Goods Stolen by the Cartload, UNIONTOWN, June 28. - [Special.] - The costoffice and store at Cook's Mills, conducted by J. M. Marsh, were broken into and robbed early this morning. The thieves poisoned the watchdog on the premisea. Small sums of money were secured and goods were carted away by the cartload.

No Natural Gas Office for Br BRADDOCK, June 28.—[Special.]—In order to centralize their business the Philadelphia Gas Company has decided to shut down on the office here. This action is owing to the heavy decrease in business here since the meter system went into effect.

RECIPROCITY ON TOP. ON FIRE WITH ECZEMA

Octopus America Is Surely

KNOCKING OUT BRITISH TRADE.

Canadians Frantically Urge England to Adopt Protection.

THE CONGRESS IN SESSION IN LONDON

LONDON, June 28.-The second congress of the Chambers of Commerce of the Empire opened at 10 o'clock this morning. The ongress will sit four days. The deliberations are presided over by the Rt. Hon. Sir John Lubbock, President of the London Chamber of Commerce.

The programme of the congress includes the discussion of commercial relations of the mother county with her colonies and ossessions, with special regard to the renewal of European treaties and recent com-mercial legislation in the United States.

The Rt. Hon. Sir John Lubbock and Lord Knutsford, Secretary of State for the Colonies, welcomed the delegates. Lord Brassey offered a resolution, declaring "that in the opinion of this congress it is expedient that practical arrangements should, if possible, be devised to secure closer commercial union between the mother country and her colonies and dependencies." The resolution was adopted unanimously. A Free Trade Resolution Introduced.

Mr. Medley moved a resolution, declaring that fiscal union between Great Britain and her colonies by preferential duties, being based upon protection, would be politi-cally disastrous, and that the arrangement that would best conduce to an intimate com-mercial union would be for the self-govern-ing colonies to adopt, as closely as circumof Great Britain.

Sir Charles Tupper opposed the resolution. He said the American McKinley bill

shows no favor to great Britain. There are risks of the octopus America throwing its tentacles over the West Indies and the Spanish Antilles with a view to driving out Spanish Antilles with a view to driving out British trade, and it is going to do so. British Consuls reported that Great Britain had lost Brazil, and that America was getting hold under her in her reciprocity system. Americans, he declared, do English commerce greater wrong than does the McKinley tariff in their efforts to drive England out of the Southern hemisphere.

They attacked Cansda, also, under the mistaken idea that by imposing a duty upon the products for which they are Canada's natural market they could bring Canadian producers to their knees and leave

Canadian producers to their knees and leave the Canadians no alternative but to become a part of the United States No Union on a Free Trade Basis,

Sir Charles said that in 1890 Canada took one-seventh of the manufactured exports of the United States, but that was not enough to save them in the presence of the Monroe doctrine of one government from th Equator to the Pole.

Mr. Burton, of the Toronto Board of Trade, held that there is no prospect of commercial union between Great Britain and Canada, so far as Toronto is concerned, on the basis of free trade. The best policy, he held, is preferential trade. Canada could not adopt free trade, having the United States tariff so close to them. Other Canadian delegates supported a preferen-tial tariff as opposed to free trade.

BAD ON BISMARCK.

Newspaper Attack Upon the Ex-Chancellor the Talk of Ail Berlin-Public Opinion Turning Against Him for His Opposition to the Kalser.

BERLIN, June 28 .- The article against Prince Bismarck which appeared in yesterday's North German Gazette is almost the soie ubject of conversation to-night. Public opinion is almost unanimously on the side of the Government. The North German says: Prince Bismarck's utterances throw a cloud on his great historic figure which is calculated to injure both the State and the calculated to injure both the State and the empire. Unless he intended solely to thus yent his ill humor, his action can only be explained by his desire for personal changes in the Government; and it is feared that the means used to achieve this end will give a serious shock to the State. The question, therefore, is whether he has not abused his right of criticism. We do not remember a case of similar conduct on the part of a retired statesman of any country. Prince Bismarck's statement, that on his departure from office all personal influence over the Czar ceased, is a most singular case of self-deception.

The paper, in refutation of this statement, then refers to the defensive treaty with Austria in 1879 against Russia, and the decree of 1887 forbidding German loans on Russian stock, and quotes articles from the Russian press declaring that the downfall of Prince Bismarck was a happy event for Russian official testimony may some day be disclosed. The paper asks whether Prince Bismarck is not secretly the real leader of the opposition. It declares that the remarks attributed to him which were recently published in the West Deutsche Zeitung, were disrespectful to Emperor William. The paper, in refutation of this

respectful to Emperor William.

The contention of Prince Bismarck, the Gazette adds, that Emperor William, toward The contention of Prince Bismarck, the Gazette adds, that Emperor William, toward the end of his (Bismarck's) term in office, kept him from the capital, shows that the memory of the ex-Chancellor is failing. The Gazette concludes by saying that it is the duty of those continuing Prince Bismarck's work to protect their endeavors against the man whose work they are continuing.

PARLIAMENT'S LAST GASP.

The Queen Signs the Dissolution Decree in a Council of Ministers. LONDON, June 28.-The Queen held a council at Windsor Castle to-day. Her Majesty signed the decree dissolving Parliament. The Queen's speech proroguing

Parliament says: The time has arrived when it is expedient that the electoral body of the country be consulted by the assemblage of a new Parliament. I have, therefore, summoned you for prorogation at an earlier period than usual. I am glad to record that my friendly relations with foreign powers remain unaltered. Treaties have been duly ratified referring the differences with the United States with respect to the Bering Sea to arbitration.

An Afghan Army Defeated.

SIMLA, June 28 .- Some time ago the Ameer of Afghanistan sent agents among the independent tribes in the border land

between India and Afghanistan, with the object of getting them to acknowledge him as their suzerain. The Ameer's agents met as their suzerain. The Ameer's agents met with poor success, owing to the influence of Umra Khan, whose growing power aroused the Ameer's jealousy. The latter dispatched an army of 3,000 men against the tribes, which has just been defeated by the tribesmen. The communications of the Afghan army were cut off. It is said the Afghans lost 1,500 men in killed and wounded.

Archbishop Ireland's Victory Conceded, LONDON, June 28.—Archbishop Ireland arrived in this city to-day. He will sail for New York to-morrow. The Tablet, which has hitherto refused to recognise the decision in the Stillwater question as a complete triumph for Archbishop Ireland, now says the dispute is ended.

Mrs. Ario Pardee's Demise HAZLETON, PA., June 28.-Mrs. Ario Pardee died after a long and lingering illness to-day. It was to better her health that the Pardee family took the trip to Florida where her husband died.

Tupper Forced to Admit That the Terrible Sufferings of a Little Baby. Seven Doctors and Two Hospitals Fail,

My haby boy, 5 months old, broke out with exama. The itching and burning was intense; the eczema spread to his limbs, breast, face and head, until he was nearly covered; his torturing agonies were pitiable to belioid; he had no peace

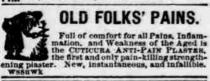
agonies were pitiable to behold; he had no peace and but little rest night or day. He was under treatment at different times at two hospitals and by seven doctors in this city without the least benefit; every prescription of the doctors was faithfully tried, but he grew worse all the time. For mouths I expended about 39 per week for medicines, and was entirely discouraged. I purchased CUTICURA CUTICURA SOAP and CUTICURA RESOLVENT and followed their directions to the letter. Belief was immediate, his sufferings were eased, and rest and sleep permitted. He steadily improved and in nine weeks was entirely cured, and has now as clear a stin and is as fair a bor as any mother could wish to see. I recommend every mother to use it for every Baby Bumor.

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President. PROPOSALS.

PROPOSALS-SEALED PROPOSALS WILL
be received by F. J. Osterling, Architect, Telephone building, up until JULY 9,
12 M., for the heating and ventilation of the new North Ward Public School building to be erected corner Eighth street and Duquesne way, Pittsburg, Pa. General plans for the building can be seen at the office of the architect. Each bid must be accompanied by a detailed plan and specification, clearly showing the system proposed. Bond for the amount of the contract to accompany each bid. The right is reserved to reject any or all proposals.

DR. G. S. SHAW, President,
DR. E. W. SWENTZEL, Secretary. PROPOSALS.

CONTROLLER OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY, PA., PITTSBURG, PA., June 27, 1892. NOTICE TO BAKERS AND BUTCHERS.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office until 4 o'clock P. M. FRIDAY, July 1, 1892, for supplying Allegheny County Jail with bread and meat from the 15th day of July, 182, to the 18th day of January, 1893. Bread to be good quality wheat bread. Proposals for meat to be: First, good quality of boiling beef, not to contain more than 25 per cent bone, second, to be free from bone and fat, and to be accompanied with such amount of soup bone as the warden may direct. For further information inquire at the county jail.

The Prison Board reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

JAMES A. GRIER,

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