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# **BLAINE EAGER** FOR THE FRAY,

FORTY SEVENTH YEAR

But Really Unable Physically to Stand the Strain of a Stumping Tour.

DEMOCRATS ON THE OUTS.

Tammany Accuses Friends of Cleveland of Trading Him Off.

Registration Figures That Fill the Republican Heart With Hope-Egan Expected to Answer MacVeagh's Charges To-Morrow - Managers Warned Not to Relax Their Efforts, Though Things Look Rosy Now for the Republicans-Dr. Doane a Flopper Because Chairman Carter Had No Work for Him to Do-West Virginia Considered a Good Republican State-Excellent Reports From the West-Harrity and Quay on the Out-

ISPECIAL PELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCHA NEW YORK, Oct. 22.-Regarding the oftrepeated assertions attributed to various members of the National Republican Committee on the subject of Mr. Blaine's appearing on the stump, Committeeman William Hahn said this evening: "The alleged statements by various members of the committee regarding Mr. Blame are without foundation. The committee has neither asked him to appear nor do they expect it. "Of course, it Mr. Blaine was in robust health he would not need to be urged, as his hopes and expectations of Republican success are too well known for comment. He has called here in an advisory capacity and members of the committee have called upon him in the same spirit, and that is all. He will do atl possible, by advice and assistance in every way, to further our interests, and that is all that is looked for or ex-

McKinley's Coming Work in the East. Mr. Hahn said further that Governor McKinley would come East at once upon filling his engagements in the West, and would be here October 31 and November 1, but just when the committee had not de-

Ex-Governor Beaver was a caller at national headquarters to-day. It was arranged that he should take the stump commencing on the 27th, 28th and 29th of October at Hartford, Conn., on the 31st and November 1 he will be heard in New Jersey, and from the 2d to the 5th, inclusive, at various points in New York State. The Governor said he was satisfied over the situation in the city, and desired to be assigned to country districts, where he satisfied the most work was and where he thought his services would be of the most beneficial effect.

Colonel Jack Komple, of West Virginia, who has been on the stump in New York, New Jersey and Connecticut for several weeks past, was seen at headquarters to-day and expressed himself as confident of the outcome in those States." He said his meetings had been large and enthusiastic, and he had been particularly impressed with the interest taken by the farming and laboring classes, in the discussions of the tariff and wildcat money issues.

West Virginia With the Republicans Recarding his own State he said that the Democratic majority of West Virginia was practically wiped out four years ago. He had no doubts whatever over the success of the State ticket, and said he had every reason to believe, both from personal obser-vation and daily advices received, that the electoral vote would be cast for Harrison

Dr. W. C. Doane, who was mentioned vesterday as a convert to Democratic ranks, it seems had on several occasions during the present campaign offered his services to the Republican managers, but they were not accepted. Just a month Chairman Hahn, of the speakers' bureau in which he said, among other things: " now have my sanitarium in such a condi-tion that with a few days' notice I can bey marching orders."

It is promised within a few days at most

by those high in political circles that Min-ister Egan will come out with an extended answer to the charges made scainst him the other night by Wayne MacVeagh. Mr. Egan is reported as very indignant over the remarks made by Mr. MacVeagh, and a Republicans Gain One Advantage.

It must certainly be admitted by impartial investigators of the registration figures that the enrollment for the two days places the Republicans at a decided advantage and that for the remaining two days the Democrats will have to make special exertions to recover lost ground. An analysis of the registration figures in each of the 684 districts in the city shows that the Re-publican districts have so far made the best showing. There are 36 notably representa-tive Democratic districts which fell, 725, or an average of 48 in each district, below the total registered vote last year, but in 36 equally representative Republican districts the falling off is only 1,324, or 37 to each

of registration the Democrats will have to enroll 48 voters in each of the districts referred to, to bring up their total to that of last year, whereas the Republicans will only have to add 37 names in each district. This holds good all over the city, and the average would be the same if all the Demo-cratic and Republican districts were com-

Tammany Denounces a Trade. It was announced at the headquarters of the County Democracy to-day that during the week there will be many changes in the original candidates for assemblymen and aidermen before the time limited for making substitutions, eight days before election, has expired. In many cases nominations were made without any idea on the part of the leaders or the men who were nomi-nated that the latter would be voted for on election day, but simply to gain the right to make substitution by committee and put the real candidate in the field later, after the usual deals with the Republicans and combinations intended to endanger the election of the regular Democratic candidates for assemblymen and alder-

It was said at Tammany Hall to-day that evidence is daily secumulating that the County Democracy is working in the interest of the Republicans in many of the dis-tricts. Mr. Croker said that he has evi-dence the County Democracy district leaders are endeavoring to elect Republican district nominees and secure votes for Har-and after argument before the Commis-

rison, and that money for the purpose has been furnished by the Republican campaign managers. One instance of work of this kind he cited in big Tom Costigan's district, the Fifteenth Assembly. Great indignation was expressed in Tammany Hall at this report of open treason to the Democratic cause, furnished by the men who have been posing as the only true friends of Mr. Cleveland among the Democratis in the city of New York, and efforts will be made by Tammany not only to expose, but to prevent any such deals in the close Assembly districts.

Henry R. Beekman, late Corporation Counsel of the city, expressed himself to-day as sure of New York for the Democratic ticket by at least 40,000. A number of Swiss Democratic clubs have been lately organized and will poll a large vote. A great many of the silk weavers are Swiss and have been been controlled to the c and have heretofore voted the Republican ticket. Ex-Commissioner of Public Works D. Lowber Smith called at headquarters today, and said that all lukewarmness of Tammany toward the national ticket was

ended.

Judge M. Otterbourg, formerly Minister to Mexico, predicted to-day at headquarters that Cleveland would receive 9 out of 10 German votes, because he had met personally hundreds who voted against Cleveland in 1888, who would support him this year, and that he was daily growing in favor, and his attitude on the labor question and others of great importance was much better understood now than four years ago.

Ago.

Howard L. Thompson, of Ohio, son of the late Democratic leader of that State, is a keen observer, and has looked over the situation here and predicts the Democratic majority will be 40,000 and that New York will decide the election. He has advised his friends to take all the bets they can get, as he considers it so sure that it is just like finding money.

Money Reported to Be Scarce. The Evening Telegram to-day raised a sen-sation by publishing a long story to the effect that the Republican National Committee had exhausted its \$2,500,000 cam-

mittee had exhausted its \$2,500,000 campaign fund and been obliged to call on Senator Proctor, and B. F. Jones, of Pittsburg, for a loan to tide them over till collections by subscription could be made.

Colonel H. L. Swords did not appear surprised when told it was reported that the committee was running short of funds and that Mr. Jones' visit was the result of an argent call for assistance. In fact, he said: "You know it takes lots of money to conduct a campaign properly, and as Mr. Jones duct a campaign properly, and as Mr. Jones is a wealthy and earnest Republican, it would no be surprising if he is here to give money if it is needed and has been called

Chairman Carter was seen at the Plaza Hotel, just after he had finished dinner and had settled himself to read the papers. When told of the story he did not attempt to conceal his annoyance. "You can say," he said, "that I positively decline to discuss for publication the finances of the Republican committee.

Further questioning could not induce Mr. Carter to either affirm or deny any of the

#### HARRITY STILL CONFIDENT

jority. This expectation was based on the firm belief that the city of New York would

give Cleveland at least 75,000 majority; on the hard and effective work done in the State outside the great city in the interest of the Democrats, and on the number of Republicans who have indicated their determination to vote with the Democrats on National issues. Many prominent Re-publicans have not only announced their purpose to vote for Cleveland, but a large body of Republican workingmen have written the National and State Committees

of their change of political faith.

Mr. Harrity puts much dependence on
Tammany in the great contest. He believes
that the organization will all along its lines
exert itself to the utmost to roll up a tremendous vote for Cleveland. The second Democratic ticket nominated in the city he thinks will not have any appreciable effect on the vote for the Democratic candidate for President It will be supported by a considerable number of Democrats who are opposed to Tammany, but it is not calculated to promote trading.

Mr. Harrity is delighted with the showing

of registration, and looks forward to a large increase the last two days as compared with that of corresponding days in 1888. The big meeting to be held in Madison Square Garden, on the last day of registration, he does not believe will have a detrimental effect, as the attention of the Democratic voters who may not have qualified themselves to vote at that time will be called to the fact in every conceiv

Mr. Harrity complimented Pennsylvania Democrats, who have contributed to the National Committee very highly. Their subscriptions, to partly offset the huge Re publican fund, were exceedingly liberal

## QUAY ON TO NEW YORK.

He Will Probably Go To-Morrow and Giv Chairman Carter a Boost.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 22 - [Special.] Senator Quay left the Continental Hotel to day, but left no word touching his future movements. Before going away Senator George Handy Smith and Collector Cooper, along with General Reeder, were among his callers, and they were very ignorant as to his intentions. George Handy Smith said

his call was a purely social one, and Col-lector Cooper had no remembrance of what the two talked about.

Mt. Quay will go New York some day next week, probably Monday. He is not sure of entire freedom from his vertigo vis-itations, but if there is an absence of that trouble he may stay two or three days at Chairman Carter's headquarters. The visit Chairman carter's neadquarters. The visit is made in response to the appeals of the Republican managers, whose anxiety to have Mr. Quay's opinion and views on the work at this critical stage of the campaign appears to be paramount to all things else.

## A TEST IN FULTON COUNTY.

The Commissioners Certify All of the Nomi nations to the Sheriff.

McConnellsburg, PA., Oct. 22.-Obections to the certificates of nomination of the Democratic candidates for Fulton county offices were recently filed in the Court of Common Pleas and with the County Commissioners. The point in the objections was that the postoffice address of the candidates and officers of the nomination convention were given as their residences instead of the townships. President Judge McClean, of the district, heard argu-ment on the 21st and dismissed the objec-tions, holding that the court had no jurisdiction, as the objections alleged were as to the form of certificate and the question was for the Fulton County Commissioners to finally decide.

sioners, a majority of the board decided that if there were formal defects in the original certificate, they were cured by the amended certificate. They at once certified the names of all the candidates to the Sheriff for proclamation.

# HARRITY'S DUTY TO STATE.

The Secretary of the Commonw Leaves Democratic Headquarters Long Enough to Attend to Some Necessary Work at Harrisburg – Some Contests

HARRISBURG, Oct. 22. — [Speed.] — Secretary Harrity left the National Demo-Secretary Harrity left the National Demo-cratic headquarters yesterday to attach his name to the certificates of nomination re-quired to be forwarded to the County Com-missioners and Sheriffs of Pennsylvania, as required by the Baker ballot reform law. All were signed by the Secretary of the Commonwealth to-day, except those involv-ing Judicial contests or about whose val-idity doubts are entertained at the State Department. The nomination papers in proper legal form were mailed to-day, after several days of unremitting work in their preparation.

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Mr. Harrity, through Attorney General Hensel, this afternoon presented a number of petitions to the Dauphin county court for a rule to determine the questions which have recently suggested themselves at the Department. One of these relates to the contest in the Twenty-fourth Congressional district, composed of the counties of Washington, Fayette and Greene and a portion of Allegheny county. Campbell Jobes claims to be a "reform Republican," and Mr. Harrity wants to know whether this name is a sufficient infringement on the name "Republican" to keep Jobes' name off the nomination papers. In this case the court decided that it had no jurisdiction.

In the application for a rule to decide the validity of papers filed by John R. Farr and T. C. Von Storch, each of whom is a candidate for the House on the Republican ticket in the First Legislative district of Lackawanna county, the Court granted the request, and the rule was made returnable on Thursday next.

Similar action was taken with regard to a petition presented by the Attorney General lavolving the right of several Prohibitionists to have representation on nomination papers who, under the decision in the

eral involving the right of several Prohibitionists to have representation on nomination papers who, under the decision in the Reed-King legislative case, originating in Philadelphia, had not a sufficient number of signers to their papers to entitle their names to be printed on the ballot prepared by the State Department. In the Reed-King case it was decided that the percentage of signers should be based on the last vote for the same office for which any candidate may be running. idate may be running.

The total number of election districts in the State to-day is 4,873, an increase of 382 during the last year.

## CLEVELAND IN TARMANY'S HANDS.

He Will Not Do Anything to Offend Gilroy

NEW YORK, Oct. 22 .- [Special ]-Another hitch has come about the proposed demon-stration of the Democratic business men in Madison Square Garden next Saturday. That Cleveland Will Carry New York and Be Elected-Pleased With the Way in Which Pennsylvania Democrats Have Contributed This Year to the Campaign Fund.

HARRISBURG, Oct. 22.— [Special.]— While here to-day Secretary Harrity spoke most encouragingly of the prospects of Cleveland to capture the Presidental prize. He confidently predicted that New York State would give the Democratic candidate for President a decided majority. This expectation was based on the Further objection to the demonstration

the garden on Saturday evening, it was be lieved that this should not be considered

## WHOLESALE ARRESTS MADE.

Many Albany Politicians Locked Up for Illegal Registration.

ALBANY, N. Y., Oct. 22.-Twenty-two warrants for the arrest of persons, who, it is claimed have registered illegally in this city have been issued by the United States Commissioners. Those so far arrested are Charles Milloy, George Sullivan. Albert Morgan, John Casey, William Flanagan, Patrick Hogan and Fred McDermott. Warrants are in the hands of Deputy United States Marshal O'Neill, for the arest of the other 15 persons.

It is claimed that Flanagan and Casey

each registered illegally in three wards 21 times, and the others several times each. The evidence on which the warrants were issued was furnished by Deputy United States Marshal Albert O'Neil, who says there will soon be many more arrests

#### BLAIR COUNTY COMMISSIONERS Nearly Frantic Because They Haven't Re

ceived Their Sample Ballot. ALTOONA, Oct. 22 .- [Special ]-The Blair County Commissioners are greatly worried over the delay of the State officials to send on the certified copy of the ticket. The latter had until midnight Thursday to receive objections to nominees. Yesterday they telegraphed the Commissioners that the copy would be mailed this afternoon by registered letter to Hollidaysburg. Tonight the Commissioners came to Altoona to intercept the letter so as to give it at once to the Gazette Company for printing. But the desperately desired letter was not on the train.

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There are no registered letters delivered here on Sunday, so the copy, if mailed to-night, will be carried on to Pittsburg and cannot get back here before next Monday. The Commissioners are frantic over what they call an inexcusable delay, and the printers are in a box as to getting the work done in time, having but nine days for it.

## HILL IN WEST VIRGINIA.

He Will Speak in Huntington the Sate day Before Election.

HUNTINGTON, W. VA., Oct. 22.—Sens tor David B. Hill has accepted an invitation to address the Democrats of the city, Saturday evening, November 5. On the same evening the Republicans will have their far well rally. General W. H. Gibson, of Ohio, will be the sprincipal

UNIONTOWN, Oct. 22 - [Special.]-The Democrats in Fayette, Greene and Washington counties opened the campaign in this region to-day by an ox roast at Old Fraim. Six thousand people were present, many driving miles in-big load wagons to attend. D. F. Patterson and Candidate

## PRINTED PROFAME LANGUAGE.

A Third Party Editor in the Hands of Uncl

Sam for the Offense. FORT SCOTT, KAN., Oct. 22.—[Special.]— The editor of the Waverly Sun, Daniel W. Swearinger, to-day arrived in this city in the custody of Deputy United States Marshal W. W. Spencer, who had placed him under arrest on the charge of using the mails as a circulating medium for professe literature. The alleged profanity was used in an article published in his paper, in which he executates in severe terms the editor of a cotemporary.

The editor gave a \$500 bond for his appearance before the Federal Court at Topeka. Swearinger edits a Third party organ.

Tennessee Democrats Claim the Man Behind Buchanan Gets \$15,000

FOR BRINGING HIM OUT.

Chairman Carter Said to Have Furnished the Big Money.

LETTERS FLASHED UP

In Which the Alleged Peal Is Described Fown to Details.

THE REPUBLICAN DEFENSE IS FORGERY

ISPECIAL TELEGRAN TO THE DISPATOR. NASHVILLE, Oct. 22.-Ever since John P. Buchanan announced his candidacy for re-election as Governor it has been claimed by the Democrats that a deal existed between him, or rather the man who controls him, John H. McDowell, and the Republicans. There was no other way to account for Buchapan's course, they said, than on the assumption that his purpose was to defeat the Democratic party in lennessee and turn the State over to the Republicans. No sensible man, they argued, ever dreamed for a moment that Buchanan could be elected or could even get within respectable distance of success.

To-night the Democrats produced what they call documentary proof of a deep, dark scheme to capture Tennessee's elec-toral votes for Harrison and Reid and elect Winstead Governor. The contract, they say, was made with John H. McDowell, who is leader of the Third party in the State. McDowell was formerly a Demo-crat, and is a member of Buchanan's administration.

Dictator of the People's Party. When - Buchanan was defeated for the Democratic nomination for a second term McDowell bolted the party and took up with the Populites, and at once was proclaimed their dictator. The Democrats furnish their proof from high Republican authority. It is in the shape of rrespondence between Joe J. Ivins, editor of the Knoxville Republican, and George W. Hill, member of the National Republi-can Committee from this State. The corres-pondence fell into the hands of a Democrat. The first letter is dated October 6 and is from Ivins to Hill and says in substance:

You are the Republican National Commit-teeman for Tennessee, therefore a leader of the party, and as such leader and committee-man ought to be able to advise me, as a Re-publican journalist, in a controversy I am having with myself on a question of party duty. We have been placed in a peculiar condition in Tennessee by a peculiar set of circumstances. The distracted condition of the Democracy led us easily into a combina-tion with an element of that party repre-sented by McDowell and Buchanan for the overthrow of the regular Bourbon organiza-tion, that element being known as the Third party or Populites.

Dictator McDowell's Price Was 1 3,600.

It has seemed to me that those distance designed to the seement of the Democrate being water in numbers and with feebler claim to the popular support than the Republican party should have come to, us without call, at least without much coaring, but instead of that we have gone to them and paid, that is paid McDowell, \$15,000 in money through our National Committee, of which you are a member, to gain their help in overturowing the regular Democracy in this State and to give the State to Harrison and Reid.

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I have been personally gratified to see how earnestly you have sought to do that which would bring us success, break up the Solid South, give us honest elections, a force bill, if it must be, and an everlasting end of Bourbon role in any part of the country. I know you have sought to do only that which you believed to be right, but I appeal to you now to say upon reflection if we have not gone too far in the compromise of principle, if we are not discrediting the Republican party and are not wanting in fidelity to its principles when we open our arms to treason and political perfldy, to bereay and fanaticism and join hands with men like John Mo-Dowell, the man who has pledged the destruction of his party for a stated sum of money and a promise that he shall have our support for the United States Senatorship.

Buchanan as Independent Candidate. The bargain with McDowell was to give u a clear field for our electoral ticket, a clear ticket in the first three and in the Eighth Congressional districts, and to help us to elect a Legislature that would not only repeal the present election laws but enable us to establish a system that would give us permanent control of the State. McDowell for the \$15,000 and the guarantee of support for the single stipulated and contracted to bring Bu-chanan out as an independent candidate for Governor, and to keen him in the field until the close, delivering to us full control of the

the close, delivering to us full control of the State.

This we all at first thought worth agreeing to. We have paid, I mean the National Committee has paid, about, if not quite, \$10,000 of the money to date and promised to pay the remaining \$5,000 ten days before the election. Chairman Carter not being willing to pay the whole amount—a wise precaution. I am led to suspect. We have compiled with our side of the bargain so far. McDowell has complied with his part so far as to place the Governor who seems to be either helpless or plastic in his hands in the field as a candidate. I dislike to believe the Governor of Tennessee is in open league with McDowell. I believe Buchanan is a Democrat. I want to believe him an honest man, but the circumstances are mysterious.

McDowell Insisted on His Hire.

McDowell Insisted on His Hire. You know there was a hitch in Buchanan upon was made to McDowell. Then came the Third party indorsement, manipulated by McDowell. After this there was another by McDowell. After this there was another delay in the payment and then came McDowell's threat to Chairman Baker, of the State Committee, that unless the second payment was in his hands by a specified day and hour he would take Buchanan out of the race. It was then that you, Captain Baker, Hon. John C. Houch and others hurried to New York to procure the immediate further action of the National Committee.

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Nor is this all. On Sunday, September 18, he was at Knoxville meeting prominent Republicans and again threatened that Buchanan would withdraw the following Tuesday evening at 7 clock unless more funds by that hour were paid over to him. Now then, as you know, he has been receiving money from the Republican party since our State Chairman, at the instance of National Chairman Carter, advanced him the first \$2,000. This is a matter of everyday talk among Republicans and Democrats alike, and I go into details to emphasize the remarkable predicament we find curselves in with a man of insatiate greed, unblushing corruption and the most determined political perfidy; a man who can demand and be paid money without stint and whom we as Republicans have agreed to help put in the United States Senate to the everlasting diagrace of Tennessea.

Houck Quoted in Opposition.

The question with me is whether we are not equally guilty with McDowell unless we expose him and boldly denounce the whole scheme and whether the tenwe expose him and boldly denounce the whole scheme and whether the temporary advantage we gain will not work the permanent damnation of the party in the State. It is proper to add that I have talked with a number of persons about this matter. Congressmand J. C. Houck among them, and he, having knowledge of all the facts, concurs in the view that we have fallen into a very perplexing situation and one involvement. Will do likewise the state of the public school if Mr. Hitchman, his partner, will do likewise the state of the public school if Mr. Hitchman, his partner, will do likewise the state of the public school if Mr. Hitchman, his partner, will do likewise the state of the public school if Mr. Hitchman, his partner, will do likewise the state of the public school if Mr. Hitchman, his partner, will do likewise the state of the public school if Mr. Hitchman, his partner, will do likewise the state of the public school if Mr. Hitchman, his partner, will do likewise the state of the public school if Mr. Hitchman, his partner, will do likewise the state of the public school if Mr. Hitchman, his partner, will do likewise the state of the state of the public school if Mr. Hitchman, his partner, will do likewise the state of the public school if Mr. Hitchman, his partner, will do likewise the state of the public school if Mr. Hitchman, his partner, will do likewise the state of the state of

ilicity to bring permanent party harm.

Mr. Hill in his response, which is dated October 8, fully agrees with Mr. Ivins that the bargain made is a very bad one. He criticises the National Committee very severely for giving money to McDowell and says that if Chairman Carter had been as liberal with State Chairman Baker as with McDowell and Buchanan the State might have been carried. He says that if the National Committee had furnished any other money to the State except the \$15,000 to McDowell he did not know it. Mr. Hill concludes by saying that the best thing for the Republicans to do is to repudiate the contract.

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Denounced as Bold Forgeries.

At this writing the contents of the letters are not generally known, but the Republicans already denounce both as the boldest forgeries. Neither Mr. Ivins nor Mr. Hill can be reached to-night. Republicans here feel confident that the letters were written by a Democratic newspaper man at the instigation of someone at State Democratic headquarters.

It might be added that there are two hostile factions among the Ropublicans in Tennessee, one being led by Federal office-holders, and the other by anti-Administrationists. Mr. Hill and Mr. Ivips belong to the last faction.

#### CHINA THREATENS US. the Claims to Be Able to Wipe the Earth

With This Country, but Will Try Other Persuasives First-American Mission aries to Wear Tags.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 22 - Wah Kee, a Chinese newspaper published in this city. prints what purports to be a mail summary of news from China by the last steamers. Among the articles, one is printed as a supplement to the paper, and believed to be inspired by the Chinese Government, and to be in the nature of confidential instructions to Chinese subjects in the United

structions to Chinese subjects in the United States. It is suggested that they make speedily and emphatic as possible certain representations to Senators and Congressmen at Washington.

The proposition advanced is that every Chinese in this country is compelled by the Geary law to register within a year with the alternative of going to jail and being expelled from the United States. Concerning this proposition, the article, as translated, reads as follows:

China has plenty of wealth, plenty of guns and big ships of war of modern construction, and plenty of soldiers. China is not afraid of the United States, and can cope with her in war: but China does not want to fight with the United States, for there are many other means of retaliation. The article states that the people of the

The article states that the people of the United States were nervous after the New Orleans affair, when it was feared Italy might send warships to these abores to demand satisfaction for the slaughter of her citizens, and that the United States began hastily to construct battle ships and guns. China, it says, has both these, the United States is not ready. If Chinese registration is persisted in, China will insist that Americans resident in China shall register and wear tags, on penalty of imprisonment and axpulsion. China will also impose a heavy tax on American imports, particularly flour and cotton.

Chinese ministers, consuls and others in the United States are instructed to dwell

the United States are instructed to dwell on the fact that this country has in years past been friendly to China and afforded protection to Chinese residents; but that the change of sentiment, as indicated by the registration act, has been brought about by the machinations of office seekers, who desire to curry favor with a certain class in the United States, and eventually obtain a share in the control of public affairs.

## LOOKING FOR A BATTLE

Mob Bent on Hanging Eight Negroes, bu

Officers Will Protect Them. CHESTERTOWN, MD., Oct. 22-A des perate riot is impending here. A mob is being organized to lynch eight negroes indicted here to-day for the murder of Dr. Hill, and Judge Wicks has ordered the Sheriff to summon a posse of 50 men to defend the jail where the indicted negroes are confined. The Judge save the prisoners must be protected, if 1,00° men have to be summoned to do it. On the other hand, the friends of Dr. Hill, the victim of the negroes, are determined to be revenged. It is said that word has been sent to friends of Dr. Hill all over this part of the country to assemble at a certain hour to-morrow night at the outskirts of the town and prepare to take the murderers from the jail and hang them at any cost.

## OUT OF BREAD AND WATER.

Troubles Heaping Upon Altoona House wives All at Once.

ALTOONA, Oct. 22.-There is not ar ounce of water in the Kittanning Point reservoir, from which Altoona draws her supply, and the water is so low in the storage reservoir that the supply has been cut off during the last eight hours. The re-sult to-day was that users of steam factories

could not move their machines.

A temporary bread famine has caused housewives to hustle in vain for supplies. housewives to hustle in vain for supplies. Some could not get a bread supply for tonight. The extensive drouth has almost ruined crops in Blair county. Mountain fires are raging south of Altoons, and this city would be at the mercy of the flames should a conflagration occur.

## A SUIT AGAINST WATCHORN.

an Old Partner of His Wanting an Accounting as Fellow-Publisher.

COLUMBUS, O., Oct. 22 -[Special.]-F. L. Patrick, the publisher of Powderly's "Thirty Years of Labor," brought suit this evening in the Common Pleas Court against Robert Watchorn, State Mine Inspector of Pennsylvania, asking for an accounting. Patrick & Watchorn were partners in the publication, which proved a failure, and a Cincinnati firm is now holding the plates and a portion of the edition of a balance of bout 4,000.
Mr. Watchorn was in Columbus to-day,

and it was expected to get service on him, but he had departed for the East before the officer of the court could find him.

## A MEXICAN'S LAST FLOP.

He Deserted the People's Party and Was - Found a Corpse.

Los VEGAS, N. M., Oct. 22.-A Mexican, Patricio Maes, who has renounced the People's ticket in this county and had publicly announced that he would hereafter affiliate with the Republican party, was found hang-ing lifeless to the river bridge at an early lour this morning.

It is undoubtedly a political murder, but

no cine has as yet been found to the perpetrators of the deed. The man was in poor circumstances, and leaves a wife and two FRICK IS PHILANTHROPIC.

MT. PLEASANT, PA., Oct. 22 .- [Spe

gust Anderson went down into the hold to stop the leak, when the barge sank and both men drowned.

#### La Touraine's Passengers Made Happyby Arriving at New York.

IN A CYCLONE AT SEA.

Columbus celebrations. - Daily Paper.

KEPT BELOW DECKS FOR TWO DAYS

By a Storm That Threatened to Fairly Engulf the Huge Vessel.

MANY HOURS OF REAL AGONY FOR ALL

PERSONAL PRINCIPAN TO THE DISPATOR 1 NEW YORK, Oct. 22.-Passengers on the French steamer La Touraine, which got in to-day, were glad to get ashore. For nearly two days they had been imprisoned below decks while the vessel was tossed about up right leg was almost broken. His watch, rench steamer La Touraine, which got in and down, hither and thither, by a genuine

cy slone. La Touraine left Cherbourg at 6 o'clock on the afternoon of the 15th. For two days the voyage was uneventful and the vessel made excellent time. Last Monday morning, however, the barometer began to grow fretful, and for several hours caused the officers of the vessel great unessiness. On the morning of Wednesday the sea began to grow restless. and the hitherto steady motion of the vessel was jarred at regular intervals by the

ssault of an angry wave. The sky grew dark, and toward evening began to rain. The wind rose and the waves donned their fighting caps of white. the passengers were sent below and all was

The Approach of the Cyclone. At 8 o'clock in the evening there came

At 8 o'clock in the evening there came from the south a weird, roaring whistle that told of the approach of the cyclone. The captain got the ship's nose to the southward to receive the blow head on, and she plowed on at full speed. With a roar the storm struck her. The first shock of the wind came upon her port bow, which was almost lifted out of the water. A tremendous wave arose and let it down gently. The wind seemed to come from every direction at once, and the masts quivered. The vessel's head swung unsteadily to starboard and then back. The captain reduced her speed, but the engines were practically useless at times, so high was the sea. The captain saw that the vessel had encountered the edge of a cyclone. He ordered her speed reduced again and again, until the indicator showed only eight knots.

The Night as Dark as Pitch.

The Night as Dark as Pitch. The night was dark as pitch, and all that the men on the lookout could see were the crested heads of the waves. Toward midnight the storm turned the ship completely about, heading her north-west. Heretofore she had been doused with spray, but now she shipped green water repeatedly over her starboard quarter. The ship's heavy brass saluting gun became loose and was repeatedly lifted by the sea and came down with a bang.

At 3 o'clock the storm began to abate, and by 4 o'clock La Touraine had resumed he ourse. The storm continued, though with diminished force, until 7:20 o'clock in the morning. At that hour the vessel slipped out of the cyclone's path.

## CURED BY THE RELIC.

by the St. Ann Fragment. NEW HAVEN, CONN., Oct. 22.-No in stance of alleged miraculous healing has aroused so much local excitement as that which, it is asserted, has taken place at the French Catholic Church here in the last week. About a fortnight ago there arrived at the church a holy relic, a hit of bone of the body of St. Ann. It was exposed be-fore the altar of the church a week age, and to-night Father Carter, the priest in charge,

to-night Father Carter, the priest in charge, announced two wonderful cures.

One is that of Annie Higgins, a 14-year-old girl, who lives in Braiford, and who has been afflicted for a long time with hip disease so badly that she has tiern compelled to use crutches continually. She prayed before the altar and touched the relic and the disease left her, according to her own and the priest's statement. Her own and the priest's statement. Her crutches were left at the church. The other case is that of Mrz. Hannah J. Kent, of this city. She has been subject to chronic rheumatism for years, and since the arrival of the relic has made daily visits to it. She stated yeaterday that every pain had disstated yesterday that every pain had dis

ASTORIA, ORE., Oct. 22.-A Union Pacific barge loaded with wheat ran into a dock last night and had a hole knocked in her bottom. Captain Marshall Short and Au-

# THE COOLEYS' SUCCESSORS

THESE BE GREAT TIMES FOR BUTLER.

General B. F. Butler recently acquired control of all the output of bunting in the

United States. He knew America would do the decorating act strong on account of the

Rob and Attempt to Murder a Marcher in Columbus Parade.

UNIONTOWN, Oct. 22.—[Special.]—Tom Brown, of Hopwood, was attacked by two unknown men near Mountain View Park and beaten almost to death. Brown marched with the Sons of Veterans in the parade here yesterday, and when the procession reached the park he started down through the field. When a few rods from the park two strangers ac-costed him. While one was engaging him in conversation the other struck him senseless with a club. His hand was cut

able were stolen.

The unconscious man was picked up and taken to his home. It is generally supposed the deed is the work of the Cool Spring gang, which gives promise of being more dangerous than the Cooleys.

## MRS. HARRISON EASIER.

Than for Some Hours Past, WASHINGTON, Oct. 22.-After Dr. Gardner's second visit to-day Mrs. Harrison lozed off into a gentle alumber, from which she awoke later, a little refreshed. The general condition of the patient to-night after Dr. Gardner's eight o'clock visit, in-dicated that while there was no material change manilested, she was more comforta-ble than she has been for 24 hours.

The doctor reported that the patient passed a quiet day and was easier than she was yesterday, and there were no indications of any immediate change for the worse. The President remained by the bedside of his wife throughout the day only leaving her for a few minutes in day, only leaving her for a few minutes in the evening for a stroll in the grounds the rear of the White House.

# ROBBER PERRY ESCAPES,

Or Else He Is Hidden in the Large Yard

the Prison at Auburn, N. Y. AUBURN, N. Y., Oct. 22.-If there was an inmate of Auburn prison who was subected to more than the usual surveillance in that institution it was Oliver Curtis Perry, the bold express robber who was re-

Perry, the bold express robber who was recently sentenced in Lyons to half a century
behind prison bars.

The prison officials have used every precaution against the escape of their most
dangerous prisoner, and yet he managed to
escape from his cell this afternoon, and he
is now either a free man or else hidden in
some nook or corner of the large yard. The
entire prison force is doing duty to-night
to chard against his escape providing he to guard against his escape, providing he has not already scaled the wall.

#### MEMPHIS, Oct. 22.-Hop. William Speed prominent lawyer and capitalist, President of the East End Dummy Railroad, diuffering from mental aberration caused b

THE DISPATCH DIRECTORY.

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# TWO SHOTS AT DAWN

Warn Old Man Pritts, the Moonshiner and Homicide, That There Were

OFFICERS ON HIS TRACK.

Perilous Trip of Pittsburg Secret Service Men Into the

MOUNTAINS OF SOMERSET COUNTY

The Illicit Distillery Is Fired and the Operators Escape.

LOCATING THE FALLEN STONE BARN

Captain Mitchell, Internal Revenue Collector of the Pittsburg District; M. G. Leslie, his first deputy; Colonel Culbertson, Chief of the Secret Service, and George Fisher, Captain Dupont, H. M. Reed, United States officers, returned from the mountains of Somerset county last night, where they had been on a fruitless search for moonshiners. The men were almost

exhausted. Two weeks ago Colonel Culbertson was notified that old man Pritts, the notorious illegal distiller wno is wanted for the killing of Hochstetler, another moonshiner, some months ago, had again established himself in a dense ravine, five miles west of Scullton, a postoffice in the Somerset Mountains. Pritts had been to:ated by Officer Fisher, His still, supposed to be one of the largest illegal concerns in the region, had been constructed in a rough wooden shanty at a point to which it was almost impossible even for the officers to walk.

Near the Fallen Stone Barn. As near as the spot could be located it was five miles east of the Fayette county line and was near what is known all over Somerset county as the "fallen stone barn." This is all the information Colonel Culbertson had when his party started out on Friday. The still had been located by Fisher during the night, and while he has been almost continuously for five years in that particular section, where he has located and assisted in the capture of more stills than any other man in the service, he was not entirely positive that he could locate it again when the party started for Pittsburg. "We'll take chances on our finding the place," Colonel Culbertson said on Friday afternoon while discussing the matter with

Fisher. "You take us to within five miles of it and we will do the rest." According to arrangement the party assembled at Rockwood, on the Baltimore and Ohio road, just after midnight yesterday morning. All told, there were nine officers.

Prepared for a Fight. Each carried a Winchester and a revolver, Before retiring Colonel Culbertson arranged to have the party called at 4 o'clock in the morning. He had also arearly morning drive, and at 4:10 all were heading direct for Scullton some 18 miles away. To reach that particular point it was necessary to drive circuitously along the mountain path, giving to the trips perilous air and making the adventure more or less exciting. A Rockwood liveryman led the way. Before starting he said he thought he knew the road, but after it became daylight he admitted that he had turned his horses in the direction of the place and had deliberately trusted to luck. The other teams followed him with the same blind confidence.

Traveling in Darkness and Silence Traveling in Darkness and Slience.

The party had traveled at a smart gait for two hours before those in the same seat could see each other. The fog hung thick as a mourning veil and for two hours not one of the party had spoken above a whisper. The road, here and there a trifle hilly, was all along distressingly narrow, and while all chopped their way through the darkness without in any way evidencing nervousness, each was considerably startled on the return trip at what in the darkness

the darkness without in any way evidencing nervousness, each was considerably startled on the return trip at what in the darkness must have been hairbreadth escapes.

It was just breaking daylight when the party reached Mischner's registered distillery. It was the first stop that had been made. A conference of the officers was held.

"Drive on to the bluff a mile beyond and "Drive on to the bluff a mile beyond and we can get our bearings," Officer Fisher said. "We can't trust anybody in these mountains," he continued. Without a word the drive was resumed. When on the bluff another conference was held. Measurements with the eye were taken, and after some difficulty the fallen stone barn was located. It was probably five miles distant. It was decided, however, to drive to a point more convenient and another start was made. The party had senseely gotten started until convenient and another start was made. The party had scarcely gotten started until Collector Mitchell discovered a worm of blue smoke curling straight into the six out of the ravine to which they had been heading. No one spoke above a whisper, and while all supposed they were at least five miles from civilization except the Mischner distillery, they seemed afraid of being betrayed by their voices.

Two Shots Sound the Alarm. After a hurried consultation it was de-After a hurried consultation it was de-cided to drive on about a mile, leave the horses, surround the illicit still and surprise the noted old moonshiner. They had but started again when two quick sharp reports rang out with startling force. The shots seemed to have been fired from a point midway between the officers and the ravine

midway between the officers and the ravine for which they were driving.

"It's all up boys, there's the alarm," Colonel Culbertson said with an air of disappointment "the boys will slip us sure." Another consultation was beld, and it was decided to leave the teams and head on foot for the point where the still was supposed to be located.

It required extraordinary effort to clumb through the underbrush, but at every step the spiral of smoke seemed to grow larger and more distinct, and all were encouraged by the hope of a capture. When within probably a mile of where the still was located the party separated and surrounded the point and then closed in like a squad of well-trained militia.

well-trained militia. The Old Moonshiner Had Fled.

The officers were playing a skillful game. They expected the old criminal to fight for liberty, and they moved upon his resort with care. They had located his piece all right, but they were too late. The two shots had evidently served the proper notice, and when the Government officials closed in they found the little moonshine shop still burning. The still and the copper worm had been removed and the distiller and homicide had gone with them. A more disappointed crowd never found themselves in the mountains.

Colonel Gulbertson intended making several other raids. A cold, cheerless rain began falling before the party returned from the Pritts resort, and the hunt was abandoned. The officers will make no further efforts in Somerset county for several months. The Old Moonshiner Had Flad.