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Heavy enough for cold weather, and a certain favorite. 75 cents to \$1.25.

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In new Mohair effects which are very striking, or in soft wool weaves. 62½ cents to \$1.50.

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In Brocades and all sorts of con-ceits and fancies are among the other things shown. We'd only weary you to continue details, and why should we when a giance from you at the stock can reveal so much?

## GLOBE WAREHOUSE.

## BLUE AND GRAY MEETING

Notable Gathering on the Battlefield of Chickamauga.

## HEROES OF NORTH AND SOUTH

Part in the Exercises-An Assembiage of Greatness Unequalled in History-Various Addresses.

Chattanooga, Tenn., Sept. 19.—After an interval of thirty-two years the Blue an interval of thirty-two years the Blue and the Gray today again met around the crescent of Snodgrass hill on the battlefield of Chickamauga, but not, as then, amid the mist of leaden hail which marked those dreadful days of 1863, making the conflict the most disastrons in its casualties to those concerned which history knows.

Under one fing, are united host, devoted to the advancement and prosperity of one comment the

perity of one common country, the veteran foemen of a third of a century ago met today to dedicate as a national park the ground made sacred by the blood of heroes who fought at their side.

The exercises were held on an im-mense stand built near the observa-tion tower on Snodgrass hill, the center of the deadly opening day conflict. Be-sides the federal officials, including Secretaries Herbert and Smith, Post-master General Wilson, Attorney Genmaster General Wilson, Attorney Gen-eral Harmon and congressman present, there were the following governors of states, some being accompanied by their staffs and members of the com-missions from the several states ap-pointed to act with the national com-mission in locating manuscript and mission in locating monuments and

W. C. Oates, Alabama; W. Y. Atkin-W. C. Oates, Alabama; W. Y. Atkinson, Georgia; J. P. Altgeld, Illinois; Claude Matthews, Indiana; E. M. Morrill, Kansas; F. T. Greenhalge, Massachusetts; J. T. Rich, Michigan; S. A. Holcomb, Nebraska; G. T. Werts, New Jersey; Levi P. Morton, New York; William McKinley, Ohio; Peter Turney, Tennessee; Urban A. Woodbury, Verment

Out for Fall and Winter wear will be submitted for your inspection. A walk through the department should prove highly interesting should prove highly interesting these days, as it will post you on fashion's latest decrees as to what is correct.

arranged and doct to Fourteenth regiment in camp on the field followed, and at subsequent intervals it also was heard with delight.

A Gathering Never Equalled. The gatherings on the stage as the cannon began its booming was one that was probably never equalled in the country and the gathering of spec-tators was worthy of it. They numbered thousands, who applauded their favorites as they appeared. The most notable arrival and reception was that which brought together Governor Mc-Kinley and General James Longstreet, the confederate general. A unique pic-ture was the greeting between Gover-nor Morton, of New York, and his sucnor Morton, of New York, and his suc-cessor in the vice-president's chair, Mr. Stevenson. There was a congestion of greatness on the platform, which al-most baffled the best efforts of Gen-erals Fullerton and Boycton to relieve, but finally they were all duly set in order and a semblance of quiet secured. General J. S. Fullerton, chairman of the National Park association and as Park association, and as such, Secretary Lamont's representa-tive charged with the duty of direct-ing of dedicatory services, introduced Vice-President Stevenson, who presided in the absence of the secretary of

## Vice President's Speech.

Mr. Stevenson was received with foud applause as he came to the front of the platform. The vice-president saint:
This is the fitting hour for the august ceremonies we now inaugurate. Today, by act of congress of the United States, the Chicamauga and Chattanooga National Military park is forever set apart for all common uses, solemnly dedicated for all ages to all American people. The day is auspicious. It notes the anniversary of one of the greatest battles known to history. Here, in the dread tribunal of the last resort, valor contended against valor. Here brave men struggled and died for the right as God gave them to see the right. applause as he came to the front of the

died for the right as God gave them to see the right.

Thirty-two years have passed and our eyes now behold the public spectacle of the honored survivors of the great battle coming together upon these heights once more. They meet not in deadly conflict, but as brothers under one flag—fellow citizens of a common country, all grateful to God that in the supreme struggle the government of our fathers—our common heritage—was triumphant and that to all of the coming generations of our country. of the coming generations of our country-men it will remain an individable union of

indestruct ble states.

In a large sense we cannot dedicate, we cannot consecrate, we cannot hollaw this In a large sense we cannot dedicate, we cannot consecrate, we cannot hollaw this ground. The brave men, living or dead, who struggled here have consecrated it far above our power to add or detract.

I will detain you no longer from listening to the eloquent words of these who were participants in the bloody strugglethe sharers alike in its danger and its glory.

At the conclusion of Mr. Stevenson's speech, prayer was offered by the Rt. Rev. Bishop Galore, of Tennessee, after which the great audience of 30,000 peo-

ple joined in singing "America" and "Auld Lang Syne." When the strains of the sweet Scotch melody died away, General John M. Palmer, the venerable senator from Il-

#### linois, was introduced, and he made an eloquent address. Senator Gordon's Relic.

When Senator John B. Gordon, of Georgia, was introduced he was ap-plauded to the echo and his conciliatory plauded to the echo and his conciliatory speech upon the Issues of the war earned him further prolonegd applause. When he concluded cries arose for Longstreet, and that old veteran, still erect and vigorous despite his 78 years, was introduced by Vice-President Stevenson. Before he began, however, General Gordon again claimed the attention of the crowd. Holding aloft his hand he said: "I have here a button, drenched with blood, taken from the coat of a poet soldier, George Lytie. coat of a poet soldier, George Lytle, author of the well-known lines begin-ning "I Am Dying, Egypt Dying," who fell on this immortal field. It was cut from his coat by G. C. Lindsay, colorbearer of the Tenth Mississippi regiment, who authorizes me to present to any friend of that hero who will accept and cherish it and hand it down to pos-

and cherish it and hand it down to posterity."

"From this battlefield," he continued, "I appeal to my comrades in gray and their sons, to lock shields with the blue and their sons, to prevent any future occupation by Great Britain in Venezuela and resist any further coercion by England of Nicaragua, and in fairness to the president and his able secretary of war and to the secretary of the navy who fought with me at the Wilderness in 1861, I will say, had we been fully prepared, that British gunboat would never have landed at Corinto. If we had possessed a navy strong enough to cope with England, the American flag would have floated from the topmast, the decks cleared for action and bristling guns from an American man-of-war hoarsely thundered the grand doctrine of 1816. There is a useful lesson in the occurrence. Strengthen the army and navy, look to the armaments of our warships and render more efficient our seacoast defenses. In other words make the United States the first naval power of the world and when another landing by England at Corinto is attempted, when European colonization in Venezuela is essayed, and when British greed in Nicaragua is re-

peated or any other invasion or encroachment of the Monroe doctrine is threatened, the followers of Lee and Grant, the sons of veterans of the blue and gray, some Decatur, Jones, Perry, Farragut, Semmes or Maffitt upon the quarter deck of an American man-of-war will unfurl the flag of Washington, Lincoln, Grant and Lee in the English channel and the 'Yankee huzzah' and the 'rebel yell' will resound along the British seacoast."

Turning to Attorney General Harmon, a resident of Cincinnati, which was also General Lytle's home, General Gordon presented it to him. Subsequently Silas Mofort, of Cincinnati, informed General Harmon that George Lytle's nephew, the son of his sister. Lytle's nephew, the son of his sister, was present on the ground, and Mr. Harmon sent the presious relic to him.

General Longstreet's Address. General Longstreet made a short ad-dress which, unfortunately, was deliv-ered in so low a tone as to be inaudible, after the first few sentences, more than a dozen feet away. He said that he had had the honor of a presentation to the army of the Cumberland on a former occasion. The seasion was more pleasant than the present, but the events ant than the present, but the events even more stirring. He referred to the exasperating European interference in Hawali. Nicaragua, Venezuela, Trini-dad and the general but steady purpose of Great Britain to nullify or encroach upon the Monroe doctrine.

The Closing Address Cries were renewed for favorite gov-ernors, but Vice President Stevenson presented Lieutenant General Governor Schoffeld, who spoke briefly. The heat being intense, Gevernor Morton felt compelled to retire, and his de-parture was taken by many of the audience to mean the completion of the programme. The consequence was that the exercises were abruptly and somewhat unexpectedly brought to a close. The occasion, despite the heat and the immense crowd in attendance. passed off without a single unpleasant feature or incident, the accident to Governor Upham, of Wisconsin, hav-ing occurred at a place remote from the scene of the dedication, and some time before it began.

#### SPANISH CRUISER SUNK. More Than Forty Lives Lost Off the Port

of Havana. Havana, Sept. 19.—The cruiser Bar-castegui was wrecked at midnight last night by coming in collision with the merchant steamer Mortera in the canal at the entrance of the Port of Havana.

General Delgado Parejo and several other officers and thirty-six of the crew The Barcastegui was a third-class cruiser carrying five heavy and two rapid-fire guns. She was of 1,000 tons displacement and 1,878 horse-power engines, and was built in 1876. She left this port at midnight with General Delgado Parejo on board. On reaching the mouth of the harbor close to Morro Castle she came in collison with the Mortera, which was a steamer engaged in the coastwise trade. The Mortera struck the cruiser on the starboard side, and so badly injured her that she sank at once. The Mortera, though sank at once. The Mortera, though badly damaged, stood off to give assist-ance to those on board the Barcas-tegui, and with her boats saved the

tegui, and with her boats saved the greater part of the crew.

General Parejo, Captain Ybanez, First Lieutenant Lopez Aldazajo, Second Lieutenants Juneo, Soto and Canajo, Dr. Martin, Pueyo, the purser, Zarzuela, machinist, and thirty-six of the crew were drowned. Aide-de-Camp Gaston was saved. Victor Aroja, and other of the officers, had his leg broken but was picked up by a boat from the

Mortera. General Parejo's body has been recovered. Captain Ybanez's body was also recovered, but in a badly mutilated condition, indicating that he had

#### been crushed in the collision. WILL MEET AT DALLAS.

Sovereign Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows

Selects the Place for Next Convention. Atlantic City, N. J., Sept. 19.—The principal busines transacted at the fourth day's session of the sovereign grand lodge of Old Fellows was the selection of a piace of meeting for the next annual session. After a heated debate Dallas, Tex. was chosen almost unanimously. There will be no election of officers this year. A new roster will be chosen at the Dallas convention.

An amendment was presented to the committee steport on the degree of Rebekah repealing the new code. The amendment, after a warm discussion, was voted down. Past Grand Sire J. B. Nichoison, of Pennsylvania, was presented an easy chair as a token of esteem by the publishers of the "Odd Fellows' Souvenir" of St. Louis. The presentative B. M. Dulley, of Missouri, who paid a high tribute to the distinguished Philadelphian, who ably and feelingly responded. debate Dallas, Tex., was chosen almost

feelingly responded.

The representatives accepted an invitation to take a sail on the ocean tomorrow afternoon, extended to them by the Atlantic City lodge. The convention expects to conclude its deliberations on Saturday. Mrs. Theodore Ross, wife of the grand secretary, who suffered a fracture of a lower limb while getting out of a carriage last night, is im-proving, but her case is considered seri-

## MRS. LANGTRY'S JEWELS.

ous owing to her advanced age.

Stolen from Her Bank in London on a Forged Order.

London, Sept. 19.—During the absence of Mrs. Langtry on the continent a forged order was presented at her bank, the Sloome street branch of the Union Bank of London, for her jewel box, which contained \$200,000 worth of gems. The box was delivered to the bearer of

Mrs. Langtry returned home a few days ago, and today when she sent to the bank for her jewels she learned that the box had been delivered on Aug. 24. She immediately drove to the office of Sir George Lewis, Q. C., her legal ad-viser, and informed him of what had taken place. Scotland Yard was at once notified of the robbery. Up to the present time no trace has been

found of the missing jewels.

There is reason to believe that the value placed upon them is not exaggerated, as they have been long famous and included three tiaras, one being of diamonds and pearls, another of diamond and rules and a third of diamond. diamond and rubles, and a third of dia-morals and turquoises, besides several necklaces and rivieres. The box, in fact, contained nearly all the gems and precious stones that Mrs. Langtry pos-

The order upon which it was delivered was written on paper marked with Mrs. Langtry's town address, No. 21 Pont stret, S. W.

## CUBAN ARMS SEIZED.

Large Consignment Intended for the Rebels Seized in the West Indies. Brussels, Sept. 19.—A Belgian firm doing business in the West Indies has received a cablegram from one of its employes, stating that an immense quantity of rifles, swords and cartridges, intended for the Cuban insurgents, have been selzed on the Island of Andros, where they had been secretly brought from New York.

Andros lies about 150 miles north of the Island of Cuba.

## NEW JERSEY REPUBLICANS

Proceedings of the State Convention at Trenton.

## JOHN W. GRIGGS FOR GOVERNOR

The Representatives of the Party Are Enthusiastic Over the Emancipation of the State from Democratic Misrule - Platform Adopted.

Tenton, N. J., Sept. 19 .- The Repub ican state convention held here today was the largest and most enthusiastic in the party's local history.

The successful candidate for the gub-ernatorial nomination, John W. ernatorial nomination, John W. Griggs, is an eminent lawyer of Paterson. He sat for eight years in the state senate as Passaic's representative and his career in that body was brillant. Many laws now upon the state's statute books were framed by him. His name is familiar to all Jer-seymen, and if there be any who have never seen him or heard his eloquence they will have plenty of opportunity to do so this fall, as he is going to take the stump and speak in every city, town and village of the common-

wealth.
Taylor Opera house was packed with the delegates and spectators, and at times there was confusion and disor-der growing out of the zeal of the followers of the men seeking the nomina-tion, but ex-Judge Fort, who presided over the convention, managed to keep it pretty well in hand, and at no tim lost control of it. Griggs was nominated on the third ballot, when numerous counties which had voted either wholly or in part against him went solidly

over to him.

The platform included the following: The Platform.

We, the representatives of the Republican party in New Jersey, in convention assembled, reaffirm our devotion to the national policy of our party; our opposition to any attempt to impore upon this country a debased or deprecated currency and our firm belief in the wisdom and beneficene of a tax upon imports which will afford protection to American Industries and adequate revenue.

We reaffirm our purpose of restoring to New Jersey a clean and honest government. Three years ago we appealed to the voters of this state without regard to party to join us in the effort to rescue the state government from the grasp of a band of political marauders who, for partican and personal purposes had, by ne-

state government from the grash of a band of political maranders who, for partisan and personal purposes had, by nefarious methods, secured control of every department and institution of the state. No event in the history of New Jersey has so signally demonstrated the patriotism of our people as the grand response to this appeal. In 1893 a majority of more than 20,000 on the legislative ticket testified to the desire of the people to escape from the domination of the political band its and in 1891 the unparalleled majority of nearly 47,000 volced the sentiment of the people in favor fo good government and committed the power of legislation to the hands of the Republican party.

We congratulate the people of the state upon the magnificent results of this revolution.

Intion.

If entrusted with executive and legislative power we pledge ourselves to the continued work of reform. We diedge ourselves to the abolition of every act now on the statute books inimical to the interests of the people. We pledge ourselves to oppose an attempt to impose upon the people at ax for the support of the state government any attempt to impair or divert from its proper use the fund for the support of the free public schools; we pledge our selves to the abolition of unnecessary offices and the reduction of exceptive salaries; we pledge ourselves to the purification of every department of the state government, to still further legislate for the general good and to an administration of the affairs of the state which shall have for its sale object the welfare and prosperity of the whole people. If entrusted with executive and legisla-

## SCHLATTER HEALS THE SICK.

Denver Cobbler Exhibits Marvelous Denver, Colo., Sept. 19.—Francis Sch-latter, the poor cobler and alleged healer, is giving a marvelous exhibition of human endurance. He closed his fourth day apparently in good condition, though a bright red spot in the palm of his right hand showed how arduous a task it is to grasp with no small muscular effort the hands, which are stretched out to him at the rate of hree a minute for seven hours daily He stands in the sunlight, covered only by his long locks of hair, leaning with a hand upon the fence, but often uses wait patiently for the opportunity.

both hands in giving the healing touch to the constantly increasing people who Already people are stopping in the street to tell idle by-standers how they street to tell idle by-standers how they have been cured. Deaf, blind, paralytic and rhuematic persons profess to have been cured within these four days. A number of cases have been registered and their future progress will be watched. Schlatter's mail grows rapidly, iPeople were in line this morning by 6 o'clock, and at 4 p. m., when Schlatter ceased his labors, the long line of sick mortals was the long line of sick mortals was stretched far down the street.

## WHIPPED BY WOMEN. Minnesota Teacher Adorned with Mo

lasses and Feathers. St. Cloud, Minn., Sept. 19.—John Welna, a school teacher at Olding Fort, ame to town this morning and reported a case of molasses and feathers in school district No. 88 yesterday morning, in which he was the victim. Three strong women visited the school and at once poured a pail of molasses over Welna's body and then emptied a big bag of feathers over him. Welna's hands were pinioned behind him in the presence of the scholars by one of the women and he was also struck on the head and face with a pail, leaving

ugly cuts.

Warrants were issued by direction of the county attorney this morning for the county attorney this morning for the arrest of the three women, Mrs. Katie Zinner, Mrs. Stephen Dieterich and Mrs. Luther Nimrood. Welna be-gan his term a few weeks ago, and found a warning pinned on the door of the schoolhouse that it would not be healthful for him to teach that district. The only motive for the action on the part of the women is that Welna was arrested last fall for whipping a child named Halleck, but the evidence showed the punishment was not over severe and Welna was discharged.

## MR. QUAY TO RETURN.

lle Will Leave Florids for Philadelphia

on Saturday Next.

Pittsburg, Pa., Sept. 19.—Word has been received from San Lucia, Fla., that Senator Quay will leave there on Saturday and arrive in Philadelphia by Saturday and arrive in Philadelphia by Sunday night. It is Senator Quay's present intention to come directly home to Beaver. One of the first things for his attention will be a meeting of the state Republican committee, likely to be convened in Philadelphia Oct. 1, or earlier.

measures taken to promote the cam-paign throughout the state. Another matter that lends to the state committee's gathering unusual interest is the fact that the next June national delegates are to be selected, and very probgates are to be selected, and very probably some lines will be laid down at the Philadelphia meeting which will indicate what policy will be followed by the Quay people in this matter.

## PLOT TO KILL DURANT.

Prisoner Discovered Who Carried

San Francisco, Sept. 19.—The police have discovered and frustrated a plot to assassinate Durant. The plot was concocted by a well-known crimina while awaiting sentence in the county jail. He expressed his intention to his fellow prisoners of killing Durant at the first opportunity, and the matter coming to the ears of the sheriff an extra precaution was taken not to allow Durant to exercise with the other prisoners, and to drive him to and from the court either in a buggy or

from the court either in a buggy or out side of the prison van.

On search being made of the cell a broken table knife, whetted to a keen edge, was found therein. The prisoner has since been sentenced to twenty years in the penitentiary. Before be-ing taken to the penitentiary he admitted to the police that it was his intention to kill Durant, but that he had no opportunity to use his knife. The police refuse to divulge the name of the criminal.

## EDAM'S PASSENGERS.

Survivors of the Wreck Are Landed at Plymouth.

London, Sept. 19.—Fifty passengers and forty-three members of the crew of the foundered Edam have been landed at Plymouth. Captain Brunsma, commander of the wrecked vessel, says that the Edam was struck on the port side amid ships. The vessel, he says, had favorable weather throughout the voyage across the Atlantic and no trouble of any kind was experienced until the channel was reached, when a thick fog was encountered.

A sharp outlook was kept on board the ship and for a time all went well. Then one of the lookouts suddenly saw through the fog a vessel bearing down on the Edam and gave the alarm. The signal to reverse the engines was quickly given and the order was promptly obeyed, but it was foo late to avoid a disaster, and almost immediately came the crash that resulted in the foundering of the Edam. An inspection soon showed that there was no hope of saving the vessel and the order was given for the passengers and crew to take to the boats.

## CRIPPLED BY A HAIRPIN.

Girl Suffers Frightful Agony for Five Years. La Grange, Ind., Sept. 19.-For five years Blanche, daughter of Milton Bingham, has sat with her head bent over touching her knees and suffering tion was finally determined upon as a line unknown last resort, and, yesterday a physician darkness.

years old she has than a child of 5. has not developed more

#### RIOT IN A SYNAGOGUE. Fight Started During the Celebration of

n Jewish Festival. Bradford, Pa., Sept. 19.—Rosh Ha-shanah was being celebrated by the congregation in the Kennedy Street Orthodox Hebrew church tonight and a small-sized riot was started by the Garilekle brothers, who came in during the services and demanded that L. H. Cohen give up his seat to them, and upon Cohen's refusal one of them threatened to knife him. Morris Her-ron came between them and tried to re-

lice were sent for and the two Garfinkle brothers were arrested and placed under ball.

## PITTSBURGER'S SUICIDE. Young Man Kills Himself in a Hotel at

Fort Erie, Ont. Fort Erie, Ont., Sept. 19 .- A young man committed suicide at the Cottage hotel here last night by shooting himself through the left breast He came here Monday from Pittsburg, where he said he had been employed at the Western house. He was about 26 years of age, about five feet nine inches in height, wore a dark Christie hat and light gray trousers. A young woman

was with him yesterday. In the dead man's pocket was found woman's portrait and 45 cents in money. The only clue to his identity is the name "Fessenden" found on his

#### collar. COKERS MADE GAINS. The Striking Sentiment Is Growing at

Uniontown. Uniontown, Pa., Sept. 19.—The reports from the southern end of the coke region indicate that the cokers have made big gains within the past twenty-four hours. Report has it that all of the men at Oliphant, Kyle and Winn works of the Frick company came out on a strike this morning and that many other plants in the southern end of the

region are badly crippled.

The Italians at Oliver's plant who were the first to strike and threatened to mob any workmen who should take their places were discharged last evening and will be evicted from the com-pany's houses. Reports from meet-ings held last night indicate a growing sentiment among all classes of coke

#### TO FILL LEMON'S PLACE. An Election Will Be Held to Choose

Successor to the Late Senator. Philadelphia, Sept. 19.—A special to he Telegraph from Harrisburg says: It is understood that President Prorem. McCarroll, of the senate, will not issue his writ for a special election to fill the vacancy in the senate caused by the death of Senator Lemon. The people of the district, it is said, do not want to elect a senator this year and would rather that it be deferred until next year. There is bound to be some friction between Blair and Cambria countles over the selection of a candi-date, as both countles will have aspirants.

Will Labor with the Monks present Intention to come directly home to Beaver. One of the first things for his attention will be a meeting of the state Republican committee, likely to be convened in Philadelphia Oct. 1, or earlier.

At this meeting Senator Quay's action in appointing an executive committee, with Frank Willing Leach as chairman, will be passed upon, and

## PHILADELPHIA NOT ALONE

Other Cities of Pennsylvania Will Probably Be "Penrosed."

PURIPICATION FOR PITTSBURG

#### Strong Pressure Is Being Made to Have the Committee Visit the Smoky City of the Allegheny Region. Municipal Legislation Needed.

Philadelphia, Sept. 19.—Philadelphia will not have the exclusive attention of Senator Penrose's investigating commildee, for from the present aspect of affairs the "Lexowing" process will be carried out to Pittsburg, where strong pressure is being brought to bear on the committee to paythe smoky city a visit.

State Senator Penrose was seen to-day and questioned as to whother the committee had authority to investigate the municipal affairs of Pittsburg. In reply he said:

"The committee was appointed on the petkion of the Municipal association, of Philadelphia, but as far as the committee are concerned they would very cheerfully go to Pittsburg if the people of that city desire it. As Mr. Magee has stated that he would welcome the committee into Allegheny county. I do not believe there would be anybody left to dispute its author-

The committee could certainly hear voluntary testimony, even if there was any question as to its jurisdiction. One of the objects of the committee is to recommend legislation at the next ses-sion of the legislature looking towards improvement in municipal government, and they will undoubtedly visit other cities with the view of comparing their municipal institutions. It is probable, therefore, that they will visit Pittsburg in any event."
"The committee," he added, "will un-

doubtedly begin active work in Phila-delphia the first week in October, and as it does not have to report until January, 1897, it has ample time to complet

#### WILD MAN OF STONY CREEK. Farmers Unable to Determine the Identity of a Chicken Thief.

LaPorte, Ind., Sept. 19.-For a week past farmers living near Stony creek, Noble county, have missed chickens and sheep from their places. Yester-day John Holly, a farmer living on the creek, reported that at an early hour in the morning his wife was awakened from her sleep by weird noises and an unusual commotion in the sheep pen back of the barn. Holly arose, and, taking his gun cautiously approached the sheep pen. He had not gone more than a few steps when he saw the agony. Medical authorities failed to nude figure of a man, his face cov-reach a correct diagnosis, and death ered with long hair, run in the direction was believed to be inevitable. An opera- of the woods. Holly quickly fired, but the unknown man disappeared in the

found and removed a large wire hairpin, which had become incrustated
with a covering of lime formation as
large as a man's fist.

It is the theory of medical experts
that the hairpin was forced into the
girl's body in infancy. Although 14 depredations had been com mitted by the man whose identity is enveloped in mystery. It is said that about three years ago a farm hand named James Sweet was driven out of that community, and was never heard of again. It is now believed the suffering from some form of derange-

## ment.

NEW SILVER PARTY. White Metal Men Propose to Put a Na-

tional Ticket in the Field. Chicago, Sept. 19.—The free silver forces of the United States will be con-solidated and headquarters will be esron came between them and tried to restore peace, whereupon one of the brothers smote Herron on the jaw and felled him to the floor.

The wildest excitement prevailed and metallic union will occupy a similar position in the same body. This much was agreed upon at the conclusion of the conference of the silver leaders at

the Auditorium hotel.

The new consolidation of bimetallic leagues, perfected its organization today, and a committee of nine was ap-pointed to take charge of affairs and to keep their headquarters in Chicago

open. The committee promptly launched a bomb in the shape of the following resolution: That it is the sense of the committee that an early conference of bimetallists from all states which are willing to place the cause above party be called to meet and formulate a plan toward holding a national convention to nominate candidates for president and vice-president of the United States upon a

## platform favoring independent metallism for the United States." CHOLERA'S RAVAGES. Over 17,000 Deaths Have Occurred in

Jupan. San Francisco, Sept. 19.-Authentic Information is that Japan and North China are fairly alive with cholera germs. Siberian officials have degerms. clared Japanese open ports infected. Over 17,000 people have died in Japan

from the plague.

In China the disease has gained a firm foothold. At Che Foo the disease is spreading rapidly. Miss Turner and the child of Dr. and Mrs. McFarlane, of Chu Chual London mission, died.
At Nauking much illness prevails
among the foreigners, many of whom
have been forced to leave the country.

Governor's Leg Broken. Chattanooga, Tenn. Sept. 19.—This af-ternoon while driving over Lookout moun-tain. Governor Upham, of Wisconsin, jumped from his carriage and broke his leg. The horses became frightened and the road being precipitious the occupants of the carriage jumped, with the result stated.

Agricultural Society in the Sonp. West Chester, Pa., Sept. 18.—The property of the Chester County Agricultural society will tomorrow be in the hands of the sheriff. Today two executions were issued against the society, one for 14,000 and the other for 18,000. The mortgages are held by Charles Marshall and Sarah A. Sill, of Kennett township.

Scotland Will Build a Yacht. New York, Sept. 19.—The Evening Tele-gram says today that it is practically as-sured that a syndicate of Scotch yachts-men will challenge next year for the American cup. It is said the challenge will soon be issued.

Schooner Lark Released Washington, Sept. 19.—Collector Brown, at Key West, Fla., telegraphed that the schooner Lark, detained on suspicion that she was about to engage in a fillbustering expedition, was today released for lack of evidence.

## WEATHER REPORT.

For eastern Pennsylvania, fair and warmer Friday, and probably showers on Saturday; southerly winds.

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