

SECRETARY LONG INSPECTED THE NAVY

The Many Improvements in League Island Yard.

CRAFTS IN THE DELAWARE RIVER.

The Cruisers Minneapolis and Columbia and Ram Katabdin Receive Attention--The Secretary Declined to Give any Opinion Regarding the Navy.

Philadelphia, Oct. 29--Secretary of the Navy Long today made an inspection of the improvements under way in the Delaware river and visited League Island navy yard as the guest of members of the Pennsylvania delegation in congress. The trip of the secretary to this city was the result of the recent report of the naval board of experts who ignored the claims of the friends of League Island as a site for a big fresh water dry dock.

Senator Platt expressed the hope that the secretary would recommend the erection of a dry dock at League Island of sufficient size to accommodate the largest ships of our navy. The secretary intimated his belief that the yard possessed natural advantages as a site for a great fresh water basin in which the ships of the navy could ride at anchor when not in active service.

NANSEN'S OPINION.

He Sees No Reason Why Andree's North Pole Scheme Should Not Succeed.

Philadelphia, Oct. 29--Dr. Fridtjof Nansen, the arctic explorer, read a paper to the American philosophical society today on the scientific results of his recent expedition. Dr. Nansen was elected a member of the society about two months ago.

KILLED AT EXETER COLLIERY.

John Doran of Wyoming Fell Down the Shaft.

Pittston, Oct. 29--John Doran, who was engaged by Contractor Alexander Smith as a rockman in the work of sinking the Red Ash shaft at the Lehigh Valley's Exeter colliery, fell down the shaft this morning and was killed.

Pennsylvania Statement.

Philadelphia, Oct. 29--The statement of the Pennsylvania Railroad company for the month of September and nine months of 1897, with comparisons with the same periods of 1896, follows: Lines directly operated--September, gross earnings, \$263,900; expenses, \$228,000; net earnings, \$35,900. For nine months--Gross earnings, \$2,727,400; expenses, \$2,391,800; net earnings, \$335,600. Lines west of Pittsburgh and Erie, directly operated--Gross earnings for September, \$200,200; expenses, \$175,200; net earnings, \$25,000. For nine months--Gross earnings, \$2,084,200; net earnings, \$726,800.

Labor Meeting at Hazleton.

Hazleton, Pa., Oct. 29--A series of labor meetings are to be held in this county the next week. It was announced today by the local committee that President Gompers, of the American Federation of Labor; P. J. McGuire and George Chance are to speak not only in Hazleton, but in Wilkes-Barre and the upper end of the county as well. They will be here tomorrow night, when a monster mass meeting is to be held, and in Wilkes-Barre Monday night.

AMORITA SMOKING MIXTURE. We will mail a 2 ounce sample box of AMORITA to any address in the United States on receipt of 25c.

HENRY GEORGE DEAD

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designating the organizations may be carried. "All labor organizations intending to take part in the procession of Sunday afternoon are requested to communicate at once with John Brian Walker, chief marshal.

OPINION OF LEADERS.

Low is Ready to Receive the Votes--Senator Platt Asserts That Tracy Will Lose no Votes.

New York, Oct. 29--Mr. Low, candidate for mayor of Greater New York on the Citizens' union ticket, regarding Henry George's death, said: "The sudden death of Mr. George under the stress of the campaign, is a great tragedy. No soldier on the battlefield ever gave his life for his country more evidently than Mr. George has laid down his life in behalf of the city of New York. He was in the most high-minded, absolutely devoted to the services of his fellow-men, as he thought they could best be served, he has fallen in the thick of the battle against the tyranny and corruption of one-man power controlling the political machine and thus depriving the people at once of their rights as free men and of control of the government of the city in the public interest.

"I would like to avail myself of this opportunity to express to the family of Mr. George my sincere sympathy in their irreparable loss. "During the campaign Mr. George repeatedly recognized that fundamentally this is a fight against bossism and all that implies in political degradation and corruption. In view of Mr. George's death, I wish, therefore, to say to the people of the city that I shall give myself to this contest in their behalf with a new and higher resolve as though I had received it a last charge from his dying lips.

The campaign committee of the Citizens' union unanimously passed a resolution declaring the death of Henry George, in whom the committee recognized "a pure, high-minded man, an unselfish patriot and a brave and uncompromising champion of the people's rights against political tyranny and corruption.

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WISE ADVICE TO HUSBANDS.

Those Who Have Ailing Wives Will do Well to Accept It!

Do not wrangle and quarrel, and finally rush into the courts and try to get a separation from your faithful wife; but just stop a moment and think! Your wife, who was even-tempered and amiable, and all that was lovely when you married her, has changed. Now she is peevish, irritable, jealous, discontented and miserable--in a word, she has uterine disorder of some kind.

Law is not the remedy for this condition, she needs medical treatment, her uterine system is at fault. My advice to you is, sit down and write a letter to that friend of women, Mrs. Pinkham, of Lynn, Mass., state fully and freely the whole case to her and she will honestly advise you what to do. Give your wife that chance, good man!

If you do not wish to write about your wife, bring her a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, watch its effects, you will soon see the beginning of the improvement; then get her another and keep it up until she is restored to you, the same lovely woman you married years ago.

Following we relate the circumstances of a case of this nature. Mrs. MELBA ROUNTON, of Canby, Ind., says: "I have used Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and found it to be of great benefit to me. The doctors said I had womb trouble, I had the headache all the time, also a terrible backache, was nervous, cross and irritable. I looked so pale that people would ask me what was the matter. I suffered in this way for about four years, until one day about in despair my husband brought me a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I commenced its use, and much to every one's surprise, it cured me. It has completely changed my disposition for the better also. Several of my neighbors, knowing what the Pinkham medicine has done for me, are taking it, and are much pleased with the result."

AVOCA.

The borough schools will reopen on Monday morning. Miss Anastasia Hoban and Cella Maloney will become students of St. Cecilia's academy.

BRITISH SHELL A TOWN.

Latest Engagement in the Vicinity of Khartoum. Cairo, Oct. 29--Despatches from Berber, the southernmost point reached by the Anglo-Egyptian expedition on the Nile, say that the report of the British general, the derwish commander at Metemeh, the derwish position between Berber and Khartoum, has announced in the Housat that the British were during the bombardment of Metemeh by the British gunboats on October 20, when the British shelled the town and retired after inspecting it with a view to attacking its strength and defensive works.

Lehigh Valley Earnings.

Philadelphia, Oct. 29--The monthly statement of the Lehigh Valley Railroad company for September, 1897, shows net earnings \$22,848.15, a decrease compared with the same period of 1896, of \$22,848.15. The statement of the coal company shows a net loss for September, 1897, of \$35,612.19, compared with a profit of \$41,995.70 for the same period of 1896.

Women's Convention.

Harrisburg, Oct. 29--The executive committee of the Federation of Pennsylvania Women decided today to hold the next annual meeting at Chester, Oct. 25-28, 1898.

A POLITICAL POINTER.

If you endorse the free trade and free-silver Chicago platform as the Lacksawanna Democracy does, "fully and without reserve," then work and vote for Senator Hornell at its own headquarters in McKimley protection and prosperity, turn these agents of Bryan down.

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Connolly & Wallace. THIS WEEK IN THE CLOAK DEPARTMENT WILL BE A BUSY ONE. A big new stock and little prices all through the line will make it so. Just opened a lot of 500 garments from one of the best manufacturers in the business, every coat or Cape being of the very latest style, well made and perfect fitting. In fact, it is the choicest line of garments we have ever seen, and at a great reduction from regular prices. VERY SPECIAL Ladies' Black Cheviot Coat at \$4.00 A Great Bargain. CONNOLLY & WALLACE, 127-129 Washington Avenue.

HELP WANTED-MALES. AGENTS WANTED. \$1,000 IN PRIZES A GRAND MUSICAL EISTEDDFOD WILL BE HELD IN Central Market Hall, Allentown, Pa., Thanksgiving Day, Nov. 25, 1897. ADJUDICATORS. MORNING SESSION, 10 O'CLOCK. 1. PIANO SOLO. "Rondo Capriccioso" by Franz Liszt. 2. BASSO SOLO. "Gypsy Rhapsody" with Piano accompaniment. 3. FEMALE QUARTETTE. "The Swan Song" by G. Schumann. 4. BASSO SOLO. "Queen of the Sea" by J. Strauss. 5. FEMALE QUARTETTE. "The Swan Song" by G. Schumann. 6. MALE QUARTETTE. "The Swan Song" by G. Schumann. 7. DIET. (Tenor and Bass). "The Swan Song" by G. Schumann. 8. CONTRA TENOR. "The Swan Song" by G. Schumann. 9. BASSO SOLO. "The Swan Song" by G. Schumann. 10. FEMALE QUARTETTE. "The Swan Song" by G. Schumann. 11. BASSO SOLO. "The Swan Song" by G. Schumann. 12. FEMALE QUARTETTE. "The Swan Song" by G. Schumann. 13. BASSO SOLO. "The Swan Song" by G. Schumann. 14. FEMALE QUARTETTE. "The Swan Song" by G. Schumann. 15. BASSO SOLO. "The Swan Song" by G. Schumann. 16. FEMALE QUARTETTE. "The Swan Song" by G. Schumann. 17. BASSO SOLO. "The Swan Song" by G. Schumann. 18. FEMALE QUARTETTE. "The Swan Song" by G. Schumann. 19. BASSO SOLO. "The Swan Song" by G. Schumann. 20. FEMALE QUARTETTE. "The Swan Song" by G. Schumann. CONDITIONS. No. 1. No prize will be awarded without sufficient merit. 2. Objections must be made to the committee in writing. 3. Competitors claim the right to hold preliminary examination on Nov. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13. 4. Competitors can use piano, organ or both. 5. Female choruses can be conducted by either a lady or gentleman. 6. Members of the competing choir are not allowed to assist another choir. 7. If less than three choirs shall compete on No. 14, the prize will be \$50. 8. No. 15, the prize will be \$50. 9. The committee claims a right to request the success of competitors to take part in evening session. 10. All names of competitors must be in the hands of the corresponding secretary on or before November 1, 1897. JAMES McKEEVER, Cor. Secretary. CATASQUA, LEHIGH CO., PA. For application slips address Corresponding Secretary. BUSINESS PERSONALS. FREE IMPORTANT INFORMATION TO MEN (plain envelope). How after ten years' fruitless doctoring, I was quickly restored to full vigor and robust manhood. No. 1, D. B. Frank. No money accepted. No connection with medical colleges. Sent absolutely free. Address Box 576, Chicago, Ill. WILLIAM VOULEK, Solicitor.