# **LEAGUE GETS** TO BUSINESS

Pledges Itself Anew to the Task of Redeeming the State

#### WANAMAKER IS PRESENT

He Makes a Speech in Which the Career of the Business Men's League is Reviewed-He Believes That the Overthrow of Senator Quay Should be the Main Issue and Intimates That the Swallow Ticket is an Inadequate Rallying Center-Homer Greene, of Honesdale, is a Member of the Committee on Resolutions.

Philadelphia, Aug. 25.—The Republican Business Men's League of Pennsylvania today, in this city, held its first meeting since March 16 and outlined the plans of the association with respect to the election of members to the next legislature. The resignation of Elias Deemer, of Williamsport, as president of the league was accepted and Thomas Hoopes, of Chester county, was chosen to fill the vacancy. Homer Greene, of Wayne county, was named as Mr. Hoopes successor on the executive committee. Among those present were Hon, Charles Tubbs, Tioga county; Homer Greene, Wayne county; Captain W. H. Lanius, York; R. J. Huston, Lancaster; Hon. E. Luden, Reading; J. L. McCaskey, Cumberland; Frank W. Stewart, Huntington; Robert H. Patterson, Juniata; S. L. French, Luzerne: Hon, Daniel F. Moore, Chester; Hon, Plummer B. Jeffries, Chester; General Charles Leiper, William Sellers, Joseph M. Huston, William T. Tilden. Howard B. French and James A. Hayes, Philadelphia.

After some discussion among the members the following committee on resolutions were appointed: Homer Greene, Wayne county; Charles Tubbs, Tioga; William T. Tilden, Philadelphia; R. J. Huston, Lancaster; Captain W. H. Lanius, York.

#### THE RESOLUTIONS. The report of the committee, which

Whereas, The machinery of the Re publican party in the state of Pennsylvania, including county and district or ganizations, has been controlled and use: by the machine leaders for selfish and improper ends, with the result that the will of the voters has not been fairly extheir interests properly cared for, and

Whereas, Believing that only the per-sonal defeat of Senator Quay can destroy his machine, which is essentially a personal organization, held together and sustained wholly by patronage and vast sums of money, that are only possible for him to command because of his offi-cial position, therefore, be it

Resolved. That the Business Men's league of the state of Pennsylvania hereby pledges itself anew to the task of re ming the state from the political doit and disgraced the Republican party. Resolved, That to this end we direct our earnest and united effort to the nom-

ination and election of members of the coming state legislature who will carn-eatly oppose all the various forms of jeobery which made the last legislature dis gracefully notorious, and who will elect in place of the present senior senator from this state, a senator who will fitly and justly represent the people, and the in-terest of this great commonwealth.

Resolved, That the executive commit-tee of this league be enlarged and directed to officially invite all parties and associations desiring to unite against the Quay machine to meet for consideration of a definite plan for the defeat of the Quay legislative candidates.

Resolved, That the executive commit

tee of the league is hereby authorized to enter an aggressive campaign in every legislative district in the state, to procure speakers and distribute literature and adopt every honorable method of warfare in behalf of legislative candidates openly and unalterably opposed to the further rule of the Quay machine. Resolved. That the executive committee

be directed to appoint a committee on finance to obtain an adequate campaign fund for the legitimate expenses of the campaign, the books of which committee, both for receipts and expenditures shall be open to examination of all contribu-

### MR. WANAMAKER TALKS.

While the committee on resolutions was in conference ex-Postmaster Gen eral John Wanamaker and several oth er members addressed the meeting. Mr. Wanamaker in the course of his speech referred to the beginning of the fight against Senator Quay and the organization of the Business Men's league. The purpose of the league, he said, when it was organized in November, 1896, was to free Pennsylvania from its infamous management and to lift the Republican party from the degrading control that it is said did not hesitate in Philadelphia by the use of national committee money to defiantly buy the nomination and election of a sheriff at cost of 30,000 votes, taken from Mc-

Kinley in his hour of peril. Touching on the senatorial fight following the announcement of the speak er's candidacy for Senator Cameron's seat, Mr. Wanamaker said: "That contest, actively entered into by the Business Men's league, was the first potent attack on the citadel of the state political machine, and it marks the beginning of a new epoch in Pennsyl-

vanua politics. "Men became articles, pieces of furniture, in the Quay stock, with prices attached in plain figures, and the Republican ticket bore than plain advice: Huy me off with an office or money." "he speaker continuing referred to

the last legislature as a callendar of but the rumor is not confirmed.

dark and dismal days for Pennsylvania, and at the same time asserted that bribery and corruption ran riot, Mr. Wanamaker touched on the work of the league in the interest of reform, and the vote of Dr. Swallow for state reasurer. He spoke of Dr. Swallow's candidacy for governor and his en-dersement by Popullsts, Honest Government, People's and Liberty parties. Continuing he said:

INADEQUATE RALLYING CENTER. This ticket thus launched and repre-centing but one section of the anti Quay voters, is obvicusly an imadequate rally-ing center for all the varied shades of sentiment composing the popular re-volt: whereas, in the present contest, the single and supreme issue is the over-throw of the Quay machine and the effacement of Quay methods in the govern-ment; wisdom and good politics it would seem should have dictated a postponement of less imminent issues, and an effort at the unification of the scattered forces of revolution. The worthy advo-cates of Prohibition cannot with safety ignore the exigencies which lay before all good citizens the duty in this critical hour of joining hands with each other in achieving the common end we all profess to have in view. When public thieves unite for plunder surely honest men should not find it difficult to unite for de-

If the rescue of the state from the pow-erful robber barons of politics was not he burning question, and the election now ending to return to the United States senate for six years more M. S. Quay who is chiefly responsible for the de-plorable condition of state politics—this year might be as good as any to record testimony for temperance and prohibi-ion. This experiment to test the Proion. This experiment to test the by it bitton vote, swollen as it will be by offering a rallying point to all dissatis-fied party men will be costly business if it assists in fixing the Quay shackles on Pennsylvania until 1908

Leaving a discussion of the state ticket Mr. Wanamaker spoke of the necessity for great effort in electing a legislature, free from the influence and domination, he said, of Senator Quay and the importance of these opposed to Quay's mastery of the Republican machine to unite with that end in

## OVATION TO CAPT. CLARK

The Commander of the Oregon is Greeted by Applause While Being Taken to a Hospital.

Philadelphia, Aug. 25 .- Captain Clark, of the battleship Oregon, was carried through this city today on his way to New York where he will be placed in the naval hospital, to be treated for Twice when the captain was recognized on the litter upon which he was borne he was heartily cheered by crowds which quickly collected. In the Broad street station of the Pennsylvania railroad, an impromptu ovation was tendered the hero of the 15,000-mile voyage "around the Horn," to which he was unfortunately too weak to respond.

Shortly after the St. Louis was docked at Cramps, Captain Clark was carried on a stretcher from the vessel to a carriage. He was rapidly driven through the city to the Broad street station. Again he was placed on litter and carried aboard a sleeper attached to the noon train for New

The strict rules at Cramps prevented mary people seeing the captain as he was carried from the St. Louis, but those on hand tried to make up for those who would have been pleased to have greeted the captain. Broad street station, however, there was no secrecy. As soon as the litter was seen the rumor went out, "that's Captain Clark" and in a twinkling there was an outburst of handelapping and cheering which was quickly pressed as the bystanders realized the condition of the gallant commander. The captain is said to be in better

health than when he was taken from his battleship aboard the St. Louis, and his quick recovery is looked for.

#### HOME FOR JOURNALISTS. Initial Steps in the Enterprise Taken at Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, Aug. 25.-The quarterly meeting of the board of governors of the International League of Press Clubs of the United States and Canada was held here today at the Pen and Pencil club. Among those present were: P. C. Boyle, of Oil City, the president of the league; Secretary Frank Rice, of Boston; Treasurer James S. McCartney, Philadelphia; Fredericks, New York: F. D. Madeira, Baltimore; Mrs. J. Longfellow C'Donobue Washington: L. M. Williamson, Philadelphia, and F. D. Weiler, Reading. Steps were taken towards making a provision for building a home for journalists and other important matters were considered.

A special committee was appointed with F. D. Madeiro, of the Associated Press, Baltimore, as chairman, to make all the arrangements for the annual convention of the league at Baltimore in February next. The next eting of the board of governors will be held in Omaha in October next, during the week the president of the United States is to attend the exposition.

### NINTH REGIMENT INVALIDS.

#### En Route for Wilkes-Barre on a Special Train.

Chickamauga, Aug. 25.—A special ments for Venezue. hospital train left here this evening fully occupy them. Wilkes-Barre, Pa., carrying to their homes about 50 sick soldiers of the Ninth Pennsylvania regiment.

The rest of the sick soldiers of the Pennsylvania regiments will go bome Saturday at which time an hospital train from Pennsylvania will reach Camp Thomas in charge of Governor Hastings.

Holmes' Suspension Reconsidered. Washington, Aug. 25.-The National eague board of directors has reconsidered its suspension of Holmes, the Balore base ball player. The fine against the New York club still stands. Today was the first day on which the suspen sion of Holmes was to have gone into effect and the announcement of the an-nullment of the suspension order was wired all clubs by President Young be-fore the time for today's games. Holmes played with Baltimore against Cincin-

#### French Cruiser Foundered. Paris. Aug. 25.—The evening papers re-port that the French armored cruiser Bruix has foundered in the Indian ocean;

### THE PROBABLE **PEACEMAKERS**

THEIR NAMES MAY BE AN-NOUNCED TODAY.

Expansionists Will Be Pleased-All the Members of the Commission Except Judge Day Staunch Advocates of an "Imperial" Policy, It Is Reported-Senators Frye and Davis in Conference with the President-Gen. Tracy Not Likely to Be One of the Envoys to Paris.

Washington, Aug. 25 .- When President McKinley announces the names of the peace commissioners, which will probably be soon after the cabinet meeting tomorrow, the friends of territorial expansion will be satisfied with the character of the men selected, With the exception of Secretary Day, all the members of the commission are staunch advocates of the retention of such holdings in the Philippines as will insure the commercial and political supremacy of the United States in the Pacific. Judge Day's position in the commis-

sion is likely to be as peculiar as it is in the cabinet. From the day of his appointment as secretary of state, on every important question affecting our foreign relations, he has been in a minority in the cabinet, usually with no support except that of Secretary Gage, and yet there is no other mem ber of the cabinet who is regarded more highly by his colleagues as a level-headed, conscientious counsellor. or on whose soundness of judgment and personal loyalty the president leans so trustingly. In spite of his conservatism, he has always been regarded as the President's personal representative in the cabinet, and on the peace commission he will be regarded as representing in his official actions the purposes of the executive, without regard to his individual predilections, or, in other words, Judge Day will serve as the president's confidential personal friend, and will not attempt in any way to impress his own views

on his associates. It is a peculiar relationship, but one from which good results are expected, So long as Judge Day is on the commission the president may feel sure that no action will be taken which might be embarrassing to him.

#### THE MASTER MIND.

The master mind of the commission will be Senator Davis, of Minnesota, whose position with regard to the Philippines is not subject to doubt. senator is not afraid of the word "imperialism" or of the doctrine of expansion. Since his selection as a member of the commission he has been reticent in regard to questions likely to ome up before it for a decision, but there is no reason to think that he has changed his opinion in the last month. It will be Senator Davis' aim to help mulate a treaty which shall the extr be limit of his personal views without incountering any opposition n the senate as will postpone its ratfication or endanger its success.

Seneator Frye, of Maine, has not made a public declaration of his postion with regard to the Philippines. The nearest approach to it was in an interview published on June 18, when congress was getting ready to adjourn. "I am not prepared to say just at present how we shall dispose of them," te said at that time, "except to say that whatever we do with the islands they must not be returned to Spain, nor do I believe the American people will ever so consent. As a matter of fact the time has not yet . ived when we can safely and intellmently discuss the exact policy we shall pursue with the territory we shall wrest from Spain. Aside from Cuba we can safely lay the matter away for future reference and discussion. Some very nice questions arise in this connection, questions that cannot be so easily disposed of as one can dispose of his breakfast.

In the same interview Senator Frye, who is this morning in conference with the president and Senator Davis, said that if he were to write the Republican platform this year it would compose the following propositions:

First, the annexation of Hawaii; secand, the construction of the Nicaraguan canal; third, the revival of our merchant marine; fourth, every possible extension of our commerce with foreign countries; fifth, the enlarge ment of our navy.

"Nations, like individuals," he added, must have a care for the future and plan accordingly. The dream of today may prove reality tomorrow; we must go forward; we dare not go back-

To Davis and Frye, as members o the senate foreign relations committee, the commission will look for counsel as to the temper of the legislative branch

of the treaty-making power. It is doubtful whether General Tracy will become a member. He is engaged now in preparing the case of Venezuela for presentation before the commission which will meet in "aris this fall. Ex-President Harrisor and General Tracy were engaged to a ake the final arguments for Venezue. and that task will

A member of t | cabinet said this morning that he id not believe the president would put any member of the supreme court on the commission. He said there were questions likely to come before that body which might later come for ultimate determination before the supreme court, and it would be unwise to have one man as a member of both tribunals. The conference be tween the president and senators Davis and Frye today will have much to do with the character of the instructions given to the commission and with the time of its meeting.

### Seven Cows Killed

Lancaster, Pa., Aug. 25.—Seven cows be-onging to B. Frank Trout, farmer of Georgetown, in the lower end of Lancater county, were killed by lightning during a thunder storm last night.

### Iron and Steel.

Philadelphia, Aug. 25.—On the Stock ex-change today, 769 shares of Cambria Iron company were sold at 51651½, no change, and 50 shares of Pennsylvania Steel, com man, at 19, a decline of %.

# SHAFTER'S ARMY SAILS.

SCRANTON, PA., FRIDAY MORNING, AUGUST 26, 1898,

#### His Command Nearly All Out of Santiago Yesterday.

Washington, Aug. 25.-The last of Shafter's army will sail from Cuba tomorrow. The following dispatch was received at the war department late this afternoon:

Santiago, via Hayti, Aug. 25, 3.30 p. m. Adjutant General, U. S. A., Washington: Command all embarked this morning except Twenty-fourth United States in-fantry; detachment of recruits for First Illinois volunteer infantry, and a part of the Ninth Massachusetts volunteer in-fantry, all of which will embark tomor-row morning on transports now here. General Burt is with First Illinois on Berlin and Berkshire with 350 conval-escents, leave this morning for Montauk Poirt. I will leave with headquarters and one company of First infantry on Mexico by noon today. Instructions about Ori-zaba proceeding to Montauk Point just received. Allegheny left yesterday with Ninth Massachusetts on board. Unionist having on board one company of First lilinois and private herses leaves to-day; Saratoga with Lieutenant Colonel Freedman and 350 of Fifth infantry, arrived this morning; 300 more expected on the Knickerbocker in two or three

Shafter, Major General.

#### WARRING DEMOCRATS.

### The Gordonites and Anti-Gordonites Present Their Claims at Headquar-

Philadelphia, Aug. 25.-The executive ommittee the Democratic state committee met here today and heard statements from each of the Gordon and anti-Gordon city committees, with a view of determining which is the legal committee, After a session lasting from early in the morning until nearly s o'clock at night, during which there were a number of exciting scenes between rival local Democrats, the committee adjourned until next Friday, without coming to any decision. This was based on the failure of the executive committee to notify each of the six representatives of each faction claiming membership on the committee. Instead of doing this, but one of each faction had been notified to be present, and the executive committee feared that as a result there might be

ome legal complications. Apart from this the claims of both sides were aired at length. Chairman Ryan, of the anti-Gordon committee. was the principal spokesman for that party, and presented in turn the Twenty-seventh ward chairman who said they had been regularly elected. Magistrate Gorman, speaking for the Gordon faction, questioned the legality of the investigation but said that the Gordon side was perfectly willing to come to an agreement based on the conclusions of three from each of the rival city committees.

The executive committee then went into secret session with the above mentioned results.

#### HAWAIIAN COMMISSIONERS. They Arrived Safely at Honolulu on Aug. 17.

San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 25.-The steamship Moanan arrived here today from Australian ports via Honolulu. An Associated Press correspondent

writes from Honolulu under date of Aug. 18, as follows: "The congressional members of the committee to report on a form of govrnment for the territory of Hawaii

arrived Aug. 17 on the Mariposa. The three commissioners met President Dole and his cabinet at the executive building by appointment. The compliments of the president and his olleagues had been sent to the United States senators and the representatives earlier in the day."

### MILES WILL RETURN.

#### Sickness Among Troops at Porto Rico on the Increase. Ponce, Porto Rico, Aug. 25.-The

United States transport Obdam, from Charleston, arrived this morning bringing Mrs. Miles and her daughter, the wife of Col. Rice. General Miles con templates an immediate return to the Inited States. It has been decided to send the

Fourth Pennsylvania, the Third Wisconsin and the Third Illinois volunteers home without delay. Sickness among the troops is on the increase. There are over six hundred men now in hospital quarters, General Ernst's brigade will leave for San Juan today by way of Huayama.

### WILL BE MUSTERED OUT .

#### Seventy-First New York and Second Massachusett Regiments.

Washington, Aug. 25 .- By the firs of October the Seventy-first New York regiment and Second Massachuset regiment, now at Montauk Point, will Clarence Steicher ...... D have been mustered out of the United States service.

Orders were sent tonight to General Wheeler, in command of the troops at Camp Wikoff, to grant to the officers Martin Smith ..... of the two regiments leaves of absence and furloughs to the men, each for thirty days, at the end of which time the regiments are to report at their state camps to be mustered out of the service.

### DROWNED IN CONOWINGO. Frightened Horse the Cause of Miss

Bigley's Death. Lancaster, Pa., Aug. 25.—Miss Margaret Bigley, aged 18 years, was drowned in the Conowingo creek in Fulton township, this county, this morning. A bridge had been carried away by the high water, and Miss Bigley and her brother were fording the creek in a carriage.

The horse became frightened in midstream, upset the vehicle and the young woman was drowned. The body has not been recovered.

### GRAND CIRCUIT RACES.

Glens Falls, N. Y., Aug. 25.—The grand circuit meet at Glens Falls was con-tinued today in good weather. The 2.30 trot, which had been interrupted by rain, was finished and John Noion got the three straight heats. Best time, 2.134. The interrupted 2.40 trot, best two in for 2-year-olds, was taken in t heats by Helen Grace. Best time,

Argetta took the 2.15 pace in straight heats. Best time, 2.14%.

### HOSPITAL TRAIN ON RETURN TRIP

BRINGS 94 SICK SOLDIERS FROM CAMP ALGER.

Of the Above About 24 Are Convalescent, But Many of the Others Are in a Serious Condition-Nearly All Are Typhoid Cases and Are from the Eighth and Twelfth Pennsylvania Volunteers.

Philadelphia, Aug. 25 .- The Pennsylania hospital train which left here last night under the auspices of the Medico-Chirurgical hospital for Camp Alger, arrived home again tonight with 94 sick soldiers on board. Of these about 24 are convalescent, but some of the others are said to be in a serious condition. Nearly all are typhoid cases. The soldiers are nearly all from the Eighth and Twelfth Pennsylvania and a few from the Sixty-fifth New York and Seventh Ohio. All the sick and convalescent were taken to the Medico-Chirurgical hospital.

Camp Alger was reached shortly be-fore 11 o'clock this morning. The loading of the sick was begun immediately and by 3 o'clock the last had been made comfortable. Shortly after the start north was made; the train left Washington at 5.10, and between that city and Baltimore an average of over a mile a minute was made. Four men who had been convalescent suffered a relapse on the way, but the remainder rested comfortably. It was nearly 10 o'clock tonight when the train pulled into the 31st and Chestnut street station of the Pennsylvania railroad. Ambulances and patrol wagons were in readiness and the men were carried tenderly from the train and hurried to the hospital. At a late hour tonight all were reported comfortable, Following is a list of the patients:

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	Joseph Klein	1.	8th
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	M. A. Davis	K.	Sth
	W. H. Dressler	F.	12th
	W. R. Watts	F.	bth
	F. R. Long	F.	8th
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Death May Result From His En

Ed Rogers ...

John Clundy

Harry Peterson .....

William Backert .....

counter With the "Jap." Atlantic City, N. J., Aug. 25 .- While wrestling today at the Inlet park for the championship belt turned over to Richard K. Fox by Ernest Roeber, the "Terrible Greek" Herkalides, and the "Strong Jap" Takezwa became involved in such a heated struggle that the former was rendered unconscious by the fearful pressure exerted by the

Japanese wrestler. The latter weighed but 149 pounds being 2e pounds lighter than his oppo-nent. When the match was stopped the Greek was black in the face and was in spasms. Tonight he lies in a precarious condition and his death is expected.

### President Will Visit Somerset.

Washington, Aug. 25,-President Mc-kinley announced this afternoon that he will leave Washington for Somerset, Pa., at 9 o'clock next Saturday morning to visit his brother, Mr. Abner McKinley. He will spend Sunday there and on the way will stop off at Camp Meade, Middletown, Pa., for about half an hour Other plans are contemplated which are likely to make his trip longer.

### THE NEWS THIS MORNING

#### Weather Indications Today

General-Sixteen Men Drowned in Collision at Sea.
Peronal of the Peace Commission.
Business Men's League Would Redeem the State. Sick Soldiers from Camp Alger Taker

Threatening: West to Southwest Winds.

to Philadelphia General-Secretary Alger Visits Soldiers at Mortauk. Financial and Commercial.

Local-Gas and Water Company Will Run a Pipe Line Through the Mountains. Orders Affecting Mail to and from the

Editorial. Superiority of American Machinery,

Local - Convention of Deaf Mutes Providence Pave Will Be Held Up. Local-West Scranton and Suburban,

News Round About Scranton General - Thirteenth Boys Running

### HOSPITAL TRAIN AT FERNANDIA

#### It Departs With Thirty-six Patients on Board.

Fernandina, Fla., Aug. 25.—The Philade!phia hospital train which has travelled nearly 1,000 miles for the purpose of hurrying to Philadelphia the sick soldiers of the Third Pennsylvania regiment pulled into Fernandina a few minutes before 3 o'clock this afternoon, almost five hours behind schedule time. Less than an hour later the fever afflicted Pennsylvanians were being pitched aboard the hospital train and made as comfortable as pos-

There are thirty-six patients on the train. All are Philadelphians except six, one each of whom are from Illinois, Delaware and New Jersey. The other three are Sergeant William John Company E. Garrettsford, Pa.; Godfriend Holysman, Company A, New Holland, Pa., and Thomas Roberts, Company G, Scranton, Pa. Nearly all the men are suffering from malaria, there being but a few serious cases of typhold fever on the train. It was nearly 5.36 when the last patient was placed on the train. After

### FOURTH HOSPITAL TRAIN.

taking some ice and other supplies on board, the train, at 6 o'clock, started

on its journey northward.

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12th

#### It Is Now on the Return Trip to Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, Aug. 25,-The fourth hospital train to leave this city for southern camps, and the Second Pennsylvania state hospital train, left the Thirty-second and Market streets station of the Pennsylvania railroad at 9.15 o'clock tomight for Chickamauga. The purpose of this train in Governor Hastings' own words "is to make a clean sweep of all sick Pennsylvania soldiers and as many from other states as can be accommodated."

The train was secured entirely by the state authorities with the assistance of the national relief commission, and Governor Hastings accompanied the party, assuming full charge. The train is made up of ten day coaches fitted with cots for nearly 200 sick, two day coaches for 100 convalescents, and three Pullmans for the doctors, nurses and Governor Hastings and party. was run as the third section of the western express. After reaching Pittsburg it will become a special. Henry Sykes, of the Episcopal hospital. this city, is in charge of the physicians and nurses. The latter number sixteen. The first stop will be made at Harrisburg, where Mrs. Hastings will

Accompanying the governor from this city were Colonels Reynolds, Mo-The camp at Chickamauga will be

Connell and McKain, of his staff reached Saturday forenoon. Stops will be made after this at Knoxville, Tenn. and Lexington, Ky.

The trip will consume about five or six days. Beturning, the train will six days. come into the state at Pittsburg and stors will be made thereafter Greensburg, Johnstown, Altoona, Huntingdon. Lewiston and Harrisburg From there the remaining soldiers will be sent to their homes or to hospitals in other parts of the state.

### CUBAN WAR EXPENSES. From January to June Spain Spent

447, 369, 450 Pesetas. Madrid, Aug. 25 .- The Gazette gives the Cuban war expenses from January

1 to June 3 as 447,369,450 pesetas. The queen regent presided at today's cabinet council. The home situation was discussed and Senor Sagasta, the premier, gave details of the capitulations of Manila and Santiago and explained the manner in which the Autilles will be evacuated.

The landing of troops at Corunna continues. The men present a piteous spectacle. Eight died today. The cabinet council also discussed the situation of the army at Manila and sanctioned the despatch of funds to Admiral Cervera and to Manila for

the inimediate needs of the Spanish prisoners Tranquility prevails throughout the

#### peninsula. Beaten by Tommy Butler.

New York, Aug. 25.—Alexander Scott, heavyweight pugilist, was so severel beaten by Tommy Butler in a boxing box at the Greenwood Athletic club, Brook iyn, tonight, that he was taken from the ring unconscious and at midnight he had been revived. Butler has been arrested. .

### Full Prohibition Ticket.

Oshkosh, Wis., Aug. 25.-The state Proconvention today nominated full ticket headed by E. W. Chaffin, of Wankesha, for governor. Resolutions dopted declare for Prohibition in all territorial acquisitions.

## Thomas Bayard Ill.

Dedhum, Mass., Aug. 25.-Thomas F. Bayard, former ambassador to England, who is ill at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Samuel D. Warren, at Karistein,

# DISASTER ON THE DEEP

# Fishing Schooner Sunk by the Steamship Norge

### ARE DROWNED

Cut Down on the Grand Banks During a Fog-Liner Was Going at Full Speed-Captain Did Not Believe the Mist Was Thick Enough to Justify Reducing His Headway. Lost Vessel Hailed from Bayonne, France-Nine of Her Crew Rescued and Brought Here-List of

New York, Aug. 25 .- A gray mist settled over the Grand Banks during the afternoon of Aug. 10. The Thingvalla line steamship Norge, Captain Knudsen, raced through the fog at full speed, the watch being able to see three cables length ahead. Although the decks of the liner were wet and cheerless many passengers strolled up and down, wrapped in waterproofs. Suddenly the watch in the bow shouted an alarm to the officer on the bridge. There was a hurried interchange of orders, a jangling of bells in the engine room and a quick shuffle of men across the decks. Then the sails of a schooner were seen dead ahead by the passengers. Then came a shock which jarred the liner slightly, a sound of splintering wood, crash of falling masts, cries for help in French and then all was quiet save for the rumble of the steamship's machinery which had been set at full speed astern. The Norge was once more wrapped in the

Captain Knudsen reached the bridge at the moment the collision occurred, and when the ship began to lose speed ahead and answer the reversed propeller, he ordered one of the life-boats cleared away. While the boat's crew was obeying the orders three men were helped aboard the Norge by the men in the bow. They had been found clinging to the anchor chains into which they had jumped when their vessel was cut down. They proved to be the captain and two men of the fishing schooner La Coquette, from Bayonne, France, The Norge's life-boat picked up six of the Frenchman's sallors, who were found clinging to wreckage. Sixteen

men went down with the schooner. The starboard bow of the Norge is badly scratched and there is a large hole in it just below the water line. The hole was made by the anchor of the schooner.

The French consul will hold an investigation tomorrow at the consulate, 35 South William street. The survivors will be sent back to Miquelon. The rescued seamen went to the office of the French consul at noon. There they gave their names as Captain Louis

Berree, Henri Ruillon, Victor Cherelle,

Joseph Laqure, Joseph Lafevre, Leon

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#### Republicans of the State Make Nominations. Sacramento, Cal., Aug. 25.-The Re-

publican state convention finished its nominations teday and adjourned. The full ticket nominated is as follows: Governor, Henry T. Gage; lieutenant governor, Jacob F. Neff; secretary of state, Charles F. Curry; controller, E. H. Colgan: treasurer, Truman Reeves: attorney general, Tierce L. Ford: clerk supreme court, George W, Roots: justice supreme court, W. C. Van Fleet; justice supreme court, D. B. McFarland; surveyor general, M. J. Wright: superintendent public instructions, Thomas J. Kirk; railroad com-

#### Ryan: Third. H. Victor Metcalf; Sixth, Russell A. Waters; Seventh, J. F. Neeham.

missioners, E. B. Edson and N. B.

Blackster, Congress: First district, John A. Barnham; Second, Frank

Ill from Eating Canned Meat. Cleveland, O., Aug. 25.—Four companies of the Eighteenth Pennsylvania infantry arrived today by steamer from Sault Ste Marle, where they have been guarding the canal during the war. All but two privates departed by train for Middletown, Pa., where they will be mustered out. Privates William C. Fry and William T. Wall, of Pittsburg, became ill on arriving in port, having eaten canned meat which proved poisonous. were taken to a hospital. Their cases are not dangerous.

### Sick Members of the Ninth.

New York, Aug. 25.-Two hundred and nine members of the Ninth regiment of New York volunteers arrived on the Pennsylvania reilroad from Chicka-mausa toduy. They went to their re-spective homes, all being on the sick list,

#### ....... WEATHER FORECAST.

Washington, Aug. 25.-Forecast for Friday: For eastern Pennsylvania, threatening weather; west to southwest winds. For western Pennsylvania, fair; fresh southwesterly winds.

New York, Aug. 28.—(Herald's forecast)—In the middle states and New England, today, fair, less suitry weather will prevail, preceded by some cloudiness and local fog on the castern New Engined coast with slightly lower temperature, with fresh southwesterly to north-