THREATENING.

# **LAWLESSNESS** AT CLEVELAND

# Mayor Farley Proposes to Stamp It Out.

#### THE CRUSADE COMMENCES

On Lines That He Has Laid Down. He Will Brook No Interference Many Strike Sympathizers Are Bitter Toward the Mayor and Charge Him with Responsibility for Present Troubles.

Cleveland, July 27.-Mayor Farley purposes to finish the campaign against lawlessness in Cleveland on the lines he has laid down and he will not brook any interference. That was made clear at the special meeting of the city council this evening when the attempt to institute an investigation of the strike on the Eig Consolidated street railway lines by a special committee of that body was defeated.

When the previous strike was settled a month ago an agreement between the company and the strikers was brought about by a special committee of the council. The agreement provided for the taking back of a certain number of the old men, for the reten tion of a certain number of the new When the present strike was inaugurated it was charged that the agreement had been violated by the company and on the other hand the company charged that the men had not been loyal to it or to the non-unionists. It was the purpose of the special committee of the council tonight to authorize that committee to institute a semifudicial investigation of the present strike by subpoenacing witnesses and sending for books and papers to ascertain whether the agreement had been lived up to and to inform the public where the blame for the strike lay.

### Proposed Action Opposed.

Mayor Farley opposed the proposed action in a vigorous speech, in which he declared that the appointment of the special committee would interfere with the plans of the executive for the crushing out of disorder. He said the only result could be to keep alive the agrication and that no good purpose would be served. "In time of peace," he declared. 'prepare for war, but when you have war the best thing to do is to bring about peace, but that cannot be done by keeping up the agitation which caused the war. This seems to be a good time," the mayorneclared, "for everybody to mind his

Several of the councilmen favored the appointment of the committee, but when the resolution came to a vote

Many of the strike sympathizers have been very bitter toward Farley. In public meetings they have charged him with responsibility for the present troubles and threats against his life have been made. This has led him to provide a guard for his residence on Euclid avenue and detectives watch the h use every night.

The presence of the troops has had a depressing effect upon the rioters and up to a late hour there had no been a single outbreak of violence. The cars were operated on nearly all lines on nearly the usual schedules, but in some parts of the city they can almost empty, the boycott of the lines by the working people being almost universal. President Everett says, however, he does not believe the boycott is effective. He thinks people are deterred from riding by the fear of personal injury and he says that as soon as the safety passengers is assured the cars will be well filled as usual.

## STOLE INVENTOR'S MODEL.

#### Smashed Up the Brass and Sold It for Junk.

New York, July 27.-Adolph Berkhelmer, 45 years old, a mechanic, of 162 East Sixty-ninth street, put in all his spare time during the last six years in making a model of a pumping en-

On Monday two young men broke into the room, stole the model, which was made of brass, smashed it and sold it to a junk man. The boys were arraigned in the police court this morn ing and held in \$2,500 ball each for

#### PAID HIS BILLS WITH STAMPS. How a Maryland Postmaster Raised His Salary.

Wilmington, Del., July 27.-Merrill Bunting, postmaster at Bunting Sussex county, was this afternoon held under \$500 ball for court, charged with making false returns of canceled postage stamps for the last nine years. Bunting's office is fourth-class, and he also keeps a store.

His salary depended on the number of canceled stamps. Bunting, it is alleged, paid some of his bills with postage stamps to swell the receipts of his

# CREMATED IN SHIP'S FURNACE.

#### Victim of Bubonic Plague on Board a Pacific Steamer.

Victoria, B. C., July 27.-Advices brought by the steamer Port Albert from Honolulu say it was stated that a case of bubonic plague developed abourd the steamer Nippon Maru. Chinaman died a few days after leav-

His body was cremated in the ship's furnace in order to destroy all danger of infection.

## An Aeronaut Drowned.

Hillsdate, Mich., July 27. -Bert Kimball, of North Adams, Alich, an aeronaut, was drowned at Haw Bees purk this afternoon. His parachute dropped in the middle of Baw Beres lake

#### DEWEY TESTIMONIAL.

#### A Performance of the White Squadron at Metropolitan Opera House.

New York, July 27.-The executive committee of the Dewey testimonial fund met at the Astor house today. The plans of the committee which was formed to raise money to purchase a house for Admiral Dewey have nar-rowed down to the proposed production of the piece "The White Squadron." It has been decided to give the performance at the Metropolitan Opera house. President McKinley, the cabinet and Governor Roosevelt have endorsed the plan. The performance itself promise: one of the greatest theatrical productions ever undertaken in this

In the congress of nations scene 500 sailors from the Brooklyn navy yard will appear dressed in the costumes of countries represented. The crew of the Olympia will also appear taking the part of the American sailers, Rear Admiral Osborne has promised to furnish 200 more sailors for the scene, making all told about 1,000 in that part of the play. The time will be between Oct. 3 and 7.

### TRAGEDY AT A PICNIC.

#### Morris Brown, of Montrose, Is Drowned at Heart Lake.

pecial to the Scranton Tribune. Montrose, July 27 .- Morris Brown, a colored lad aged about ten years, was drowned at Heart Lake at 11 o'clock

Brown was among the excursionists from Montrose who attended a colored Sunday school picnic at the lake, and in jumping from one boat to another lost his balance and fell into the water, At a late hour this evening his body had not been recovered.

#### TRAGIC SCENE AT DEATH OF HAYES

### Kansas Officers Tells of the Fate of the First American Traitor at Ma-

Kansas City, July 27.-The tragic cene which attended the death of Corporal Leonard F. Hayes, America's only traitor in the Philippines, was witnessed by Sergeant George A. Lamarsh, of Company H, Twentieth Kansas volunteers, now in this city. Corporal Hayes, he says, became enamored of a Filipino beauty, and, describing his comrades, was placed in charge of a Filipino battery with the rank of He met his death almost in the first engagement in which he fought against his country. Speaking of this battle, Sergeant Lamarsh said:

"We had charged the Filipinas, driving them back and killing and wounding many. Among the wounded left on the field we found Hayes. He was recognized by several of the boys. One of the soldiers of the Second Oregon drove his bayonet through the body of the wounded traitor and lifted him above his head and held him there while the soldiers shot him. The body was thrown into a trench and buried with several dead Filipinos. We would have treated him worse if we had

Hayes was a corporal in Company I. First Colorado volunteers.

## MORMON ELDERS MOBBED.

#### Three Saints Fall in the Hands of Party of Masked Men.

Atlanta, Ga., July 27.-The Constitution has a special from its Covingon. Ga., correspondent which says that a mob of fifty masked men made away with three Mormon elders who have been proselyting in Jasper

The story is to the effect that three elders visited the home of William Cunnard near Newton Factory, Jasper county, yesterday and endeavored to persuade Mrs. Cunnard to join the church. While they were at the Cunpard home fifty masked men on horse sack came up and asked the elders to accompany them. They refused to do so and while they were parleying. Mr Sunnard procured a rifle and aided the mob in taking the Mormons.

Several shots were exchanged and in the excitement Mrs. Cunnard had her jaw shattered. The mob finally secured the elders and rode off with them. Nothing has been seen of them since

The elders were driven out of two towns in Jasper county early in the week.

#### PATTERN WORKS COLLAPSE. One Man Killed and Several Are

Wounded. Pittsburg, July 27.-The new pattern works of the Westinghouse Electric unpany in course of crection at East Pittsburg collapsed fate this afternoon burying a number of workmen in the ruins. Joseph Pfister, a bridge builder, of Kingsville, Md., was killed and

five others were seriously injured. The injured are: James Hilterman, Thompson, Archibald Sweet,

Frank Brown and John Sullivan. The building was being erected by the Shiffler Bridge company and only the structural iron was in position when the accident occurred. Ten men were at work at the time, but four escaped unhurt. Pfister was on the top of the building when it collapsed and he was crushed almost beyond recognition. The injured were removed to the West Penn hospital in this city. They will all recover.

## The Algers in New England.

West Chester, Pa., July 27.—General Alger, with Mrs. Alger, left the home of their daughter, Mrs. Balley, at Thorndale, today for a two weeks' visit to friends in the New England states. They will re-turn in a few days to Thorndale. Both the General and Mrs. Alger are in good

## Drowned 155 Persons

Berlin, July 27.-A dispatch received are today from Nijini-Norgorod reports that a freight steamer and a pas that the latter sank, drowning 155 persons. The captain of the cargo ship has been arrested for disregarding signals.

## ALASKAN DISPUTE IS POSTPONED

#### NEGOTIATIONS PUT OVER FOR THE SUMMER.

Object of the Port Lynn Canal Offer. Probability of a Satisfactory Settlement in the Fall-Views of Senator Perkins

mbassy has been removed to Newport for the summer, and the negotiations regarding the Alaskan boundary will suspended until fall. The offer made by the British charge d'affaires to take up for consideration the proposition to give Canada the use of a port on Lynn Canal seems to have been a purely diplomatic move. Its purpose was to keep life in the negotiations and prevent their lapsing. Apparently the British offer was prompted by the bellicose talk in the Canadian house. which, without speedy action of some kind, might have led to strained relations. The offer was an earnest of the deep desire of the home government to reach a satisfactory adjustment without regard to colonial petulance. This assurance having been given

the negotiations may safely be waived for a few weeks or even months. There will be no danger of a permanent break so long as this proposition remains open to discussion. It is not neces-sary even to look forward confidently to an adjustment on the basis of a free The final agreement, which it is believed is sure to come, may be constructed on an altogether different foundation. Great Britain having once rejected the proposition, now comes forward with an offer to consider it. Salisbury takes this method of letting our state department understand that, however irreconcilable the American and Canadian positions may have eemed, there is no good reason to despair of an agreement-points once apparently determined may again become the subject of discussion. The negotiations may go on until they discover a successful issue.

### Talk at Ottawa.

Great Britain evidently takes no more stock in the bellicose talk at Ottawa than does the United States, and, as Great Britain will ultimately be called on to make good the Canadians' words, it is of a great deal more importance to maintain agreeable relations with Salisbury that with Laurier.

A high state department official said today that he believed a satisfactory arrangement would be made after the lose of the summer vacation. Before the return of the British embassy to Washington nothing need be expect-1. As for the Anglo-American commission, its day of activity and usefulness

Seattle July 27. Unit States Senator George C. Perkins, who returned here yesterday from a trip to Alaska, does not believe there is anything to arbiboundary. He said:

"It would certainly be just as reasonable for us to insist on taking up the boundary question between the United States and Canada again, and declare our dissatisfaction with the forty-ninth degree of fatitude. England ong ago recognized the boundary for which we are contending. She didthat when the Hudson Bay company. which at that time was practically Canada, executed a ten-year lease of the territory from Russia, for which she is now contending. She leased it from Russia and renewed the con tract for a second ten years. What setter proof could we ask of Great Britain's attitude as outlined in that contract? Portland canal is ours, and we should see that the line extended along the summit as long as the range does not lie to exceed ten marine leagues from the sea."

## WIGGINS WANTS SPACE.

#### Los Angeles Will Exhibit Wines at Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, July 27.-At the headquarters of the national export exposition today a telegram was received from Secretary Frank Wiggins, of the Les Angeles, California, chamber of commerce, asking for 1,000 feet of space for the exhibit to be made by the chamber of California wines, liquors and fruits. Another telegram was received from the export agents of the Eastern and Southern cotton mills asking for a large amount of space for the exhibition of all American cotton fabrics made in New England and the south. One of the export agents who wired Assistant Director General Feider is the export agent for eighteen of the largest cotton concerns of New England.

### RACE TROUBLES AT KINGSTON. Natives of Jamaica Attack Indian

Coolie Laborers. Kingston, Jamaica, July 27.-A com-

plication of strike and race troubles is threatened between native and India. coolie laborers. After the Agrarian riots reported in a dispatch to the As sociated Press under date of June 14. the Lianrumney plantation replaced natives with coolies. Yesterday natives attacked the coolies and a riet ensued which resulted in a victory for

The police have secured eight of the ringleaders who are held pending further developments which are feared owing to the general condition of excitement.

## Shot in a Chicken Coop.

Mount Holly, N. J., July 27.—Charles Kale, an employe on the Walton farm near Moorestown, shot and fatally wounded George Williams, while it is alleged the latter was in the act of stealing Williams Jast night. brought to the hospital here today in a

#### Paper Warehouse Burned. Chester, Pa., July 27 .- The paper ware ouse of Edwin Garret was partially fire today. Loss, \$29,000; coy-

ered by insurance. Postmaster at Thorn Hill. Washington, July 27.—Stoten Emerick was today appointed postmuster at Thorn Hill, Allegheny county.

### DEFYING THE GOVERNOR.

#### Sheriff Sheetz, of Fulton County, Refuses to Honor a Requisition.

Harrisburg, July 27 .- Sheriff Sheetz, of Fulton county, is defying the gov-ernor of the state in refusing to honor the requisition granted to the New Jersey authorities for William Darling. who is in jail here and who is wanted for the murder of Henry Dunham, at New Market, N. J., four years ago.

When Detective Ferguson arrived with Governor Stone's requisition at McConnellsburg, the county seat of Fulton, he was astonished on being told by the sheriff that until he had Washington, July 27 .- The British paid \$275 he could not have Darling. The sheriff informed him that \$37 was for expenses and the other \$238 was for risk incurred in the capture of the prisoner,

The detective returned to Harrisburg ind sought the advice of Attorney Seneral Elkin and the latter raphed the obdurate sheriff that he pursuing a dangerous policy and he hould honor the requisition. A charge of carrying concealed dead-

#### weapons is held against Darling in Fulton county.

#### A Team to Be Called the St. Louis Browns.

TO ORGANIZE NEW CLUB.

St. Louis, July 27.-The project to rganize a new base ball club in this ity to become a member of the Amerlcan association, which was organized about a month ago, has been perfect-

The St. Louis base ball association has been formed and a team to be called the St. Louis Browns will be organized in time to take the field early next season. The old Sportsmen's park has been acquired and, under the name of Athletic park, will be fully

equipped for base ball purposes. The situation is now stated to be as follows: There will be two major base ball leagues in 1900. One will be known as the American association and the other as the National league and the circuits of the two will be made up as follows:

American association-New York Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washingon, in the east, and Buffalo, Detroit 'hicago and St. Louis in the west. National league-Boston, Brooklyn, Philadelphia and Pittsburg, in the east; Chicago, St. Louis, Cincinnati

### and Louisville in the west. RUHLIN MEETS LAWLER.

#### Twenty Round Go Was a Poor Exhibition.

Denver, July 27 .- Gus Ruhlin and learge Lawler met before the Olympic slub tonight in a 20-round go. The out was a poor exhibition so far as science was concerned. Lawler's ability to take punishment was the only creditable feature of the affair. Ruhlin forced the fight from the first and semed to land where he wished when his arms were free from Lawler's elinches.

In the first round both men fouled rom the first blow and the crowd manded that the fight be stopped. But Masterson, the referee, declared that the fight should go on for the benefit of the crowd. In the second Lawler went down

with a right on the jaw and stayed down till ten was counted, but the referce did not call him out In the third round Lawler was knocked through the ropes. After that he went down repeatedly to avoid punishment and in the ninth he failed

o rise promptly and was declared out.

## DEWEY AT TRIESTE.

## The Olympia Will Arrive in New

York September 30. Trieste, July 27.-Captain Lamberton and the three other officers of the United States cruiser Olympia, today attended the funeral of the sailors who were killed recently by an explosion on board the Austrian torpedo Adler. This afternoon Admiral Dewer drove through the suburbs of the city It is now expected that the Olympia will arrive in New York by September St.

## COMMITTEE IN GRIEF.

#### Six Messenger Boys Who Inaugur ated a Strike.

Pittsburg, July 27.-The strike of the Postal Telegraph company's messenger soys ended today. All of the boys went back to work at the old terms except six, who composed the strike ommittee. They would not be taken back by the unpany and they were left to their fute by the other boys.

### SUICIDE OF A VETERAN. Captain Graham Shoots Himself

## While Despondent. Harrisburg, July 27.-Captain James

Graham, 68 years old, a veteran of the Civil war, committed suicide today t Middletown by shooting himself, He was despondent because of ar liness from which he had been a long sufferer that did not yield to treatment. He was married and had considerable proptry.

## Parnell Statue Fund.

Dublin, July 27.-A meeting convened by the lord mayor, was held at the manon house today to Inaugurate a for the erection of a statue of Charies Stewart Parnell. The members of the nmety-eight centenary committee posed the erection of the statue as inop-portune and likely to jeopardize the plans if the Wolf Tone memorial. After a stormy session, resolutions in favor of the erection of the Parnell statue were adopted.

## Coxey in the Steel Business.

Pittsburg, July 27.-"General" Jacob S. Coxey has purchased the old steel plant f Graff, Bennett & Co., at Milivale, near here, and will remove it to Massilion, O. I is his intention to creet a large open tearth steel plant at a cost of \$150,000. 200 men.

## Anti-Canteen Agitation,

Reaver Falls, Pa . July 27.-At a mass neeting of the Woman's Christian Temperance union held here today, resolu tions were unanimously adopted protest-ing against Attorney General Griggs' decision in reference to the canteen system and appealing to President McKinley to carry the anti-canteen law into full

## ASSASSINATION OF HEUREAUX

#### GENERAL OPINION THAT IT WAS 1 General-General Hill Captures Cal-A POLITICAL CRIME.

The President Fired at by Four Individuals-It Is Reported That Assassin's Party Are Gathering Forces Preparatory to Attack the Government Troops-The Situation Is Critical.

Fort De France, July 27 .- The body

f President Heureaux has been taken to Santiago De Las Caballeres. resident's widow has requested that he remains be transported by railway o Porto Plata and from there to Santo Domingo by sea, but the governor of Santiago fears disorder if the body hould be removed from there by train. The governor of Santiago confirms the general opinion that the assassinaion of President Heureaux was a political crime. It is reported that the assassin's party are gathering forces

preparatory to attack on the governnent troops.

It has been learned that the comanions of Caceros, the assassin, when President Heureaux was killed, were Juan Pichardo and Horacto Vasquez. The latter is the brother of a deputy

n parliament. Puerto Plata, July 27.—President Heureaux, who was assassinated in Moca yesterday afternoon, had gone there to see Jacobo Lara. The president at the entrance to the city was

fired at by four individuals. The body has been brought to Santiago attended by a government escort and members of the late president's family.

The situation is critical. Enemies of he government are trying to disturb the peace. General Wenceslas Figuerea, the vice-president, succeeds to the presidency. He will continue the plan f retiring paper money

Fort de France, July 27.—Vice-President Figuereo, who assumes the president lential functions, acting with the ministers, has informed the widow of President Heureaux that the body of her husband will be interred at Santiago De Las Caballeros, and orders for the carrying out of this plan for been given to the governor of Santiago. It is currently reported that this course was decided upon in order to avoid the excitement and manifestalions which would be the result of the removal of the remains to the city of Santo Domingo. In order to be prepared for any emergency, General Pepn, governor of Santiago, has taken in portant precautionary measures and has decided to demand that arms and ammunition be forwarded to him from Santo Domingo.

Advices from Santiago received here at a late hour report that the situation there is becoming more serious.

### DEWEY RECEPTION. Committee Discusses Expense-Four-

teen Governors Will Parade. New York, July 27.-The committee on plan and scope of the Dewey reception committee held a meeting today at the city hall. It was decided to have a display of fireworks in all of the five boroughs at points to be designated, with an electrical display for three rights at the New York and

Prooklyn city halls, A report having gone out that newspaper men from other cities would be treated as guests of the city, the committee made a report to the effect that while newspaper men would be treated with every courtesy that would not mean that the city would assume their hotel bills or other personal expenses Replies from fourteen governors accepting the invitations to take part in the parade were received.

## JEFFRIES SAILS AWAY.

#### A Crowd of Friends See Him Off at the Dock.

New York, July 27.-James Jeffries the pugilist, sailed for Southampton in the Fuerst Bismarck today. Quite crowd of his friends were at the dock to see him off. His brother, John, and Ross C'Nelll, accompany him on his Jeffries' state room was filled trip. with the fioral offerings of his admirers and just before the ship sailed he was presented with a life size picture of himself: Jeffries' trip is for both

business and pleasure. So far he has two matches in England and from London he will no to Paris, where he is to box Jem Smith. the former champion of England. Jeffries will also give exhibitions in theatres in London and Paris.

## STRIKE AVERTED.

#### Jersey City Freight Handlers Persuaded to Continue Work.

New York, July 27 .- A committee of the Jersey City freight handlers employed by the Pennsylvania railroad called on Superintendent Shephard this afternoon and asked that the pay of the freight hands be increased from

17 to 20 cents per hour. Mr. Shephard told them that while ne could not grant the request he would guarantee to present the matter to the officers of the company and had no doubt that the company would be reasonable with the men. This seemed be satisfactory to the committee and it is believed there will be no

## Seventeen Years for Corcoran.

Wallace, Idaho, July 27.-In the case of Paul Corcoran, charged with the mur-der of James Cheyne, in connection with the Wardner strike, the jury today ar-rived at a verdict of guilty of murder in the second degree. One of the juror held out six hours for murder in the Judge Siewart sentenced Corporan to seventers years in the peniten-

## Pennsylvania Pensions.

Washington, July 27.-Pension certificates: Additional-Wesley J. Devine Skinner's Eddy, Wyoming, 56 to 18; Abra ham Lusk, Burlingame, Lycoming, \$6 to \$10. Increase—Isalah Dailey, Tobyhanna, \$6 to \$8; Daniel Devine, Rush, Susque-\$17 to \$24. Original widows-Susanna Nungerson, Red Rock, Luzerne, 18, arms.

### THE NEWS THIS MORNING

#### Weather Indications Today:

Alaskan Boundary Negotiations Post-

Lawlessness Runs Riot at Cleveland.

General-Pittston News Budget. Base Ball Results. Financial and Commercial.

Local-Arguments in the Old Forge In-

junction Case. Supreme Court on Local Legislation. Editorial.

News and Comment. Local-Insurance Experts Here to Ex

amine Fire Department.
Tax Collector Farr Will Not Be Evicted. Contractors Will Test Legality of Building Inspectors' Ordinance.

Local-West Side and Suburban,

News Round About Scranton Local-Thomas F. Archbald's Letter on Missionary Work in Far East. Live Industrial News.

### FAST TIME AT GLENVILLE. Hal B Wins the 2.09 Race Purse of

\$2,500. Cleveland, July 27.-There was another large crowd at the Glenville track today in anticipation of the fine port that would be developed by the :09 pace and the 2:08 trot, and those who expected to see fast time were

not disappointed. The average of the eleven heats of the day was 2:08 14-100, and the three heats in the 2:09 pace were the fastest

of the season thus far, There were ten starters in the 2:09 pace, purse \$2.500, which was the first race of the afternoon. Hal. B. was the favorite and he proceeded to win the first heat with ease. The judges docided that Ace and Nicol B, had not been driven to win, and all bets for the heat were declared of, the drivers of the two horses named being fined \$25 each. The next two heats were a batde between Hal. B. and Ace, but the favorite took them both. Time, 2:06%,

:0414, 2:05% The Abbot was a hot favorite in the :08 trot, purse \$2,000. Kentucky Union took the lead in the first heat, but was overhauled by the Abbot who finished first by a head. Eagle Flanagan looked like the winner of the second heat, but the wonderful driving of Geers sent the Abbot over the last half in 1:82% and won by a neck. The third heat was easy for the favorite. Time, 2:08%, 2:08%, 2:08%,

There was a big field in the 2:11 pace, purse \$1,500, best two in three, with Fanny Dillard the favorite, but Hydrogen got the first heat, Dillard being set back by running. Dillard took the second heat after a hot finish, but she was distanced in the third, the race going to Hydrogen, Time, 2:07%, 2:08%,

#### The 2:16 trot, purse \$1,500, was quicksettled by Surpol taking the two eats necessary. Time, 2:1112, 2:11. Pilot Evans was second in both heats

## PAUNCEFOTE'S DEMANDS.

gaged in Drafting Definite Acts. The Hague, July 27.- The committee engaged in drafting the definite acts spent the entire day in attempting to reconcile the demand of Sir Julian Pauncefots that non-signatory powers be entitled to adhere to the arbitration convention only by the unanimous consent of the signatory powers and the amendment of Count Nigra, head of the Italian delegation, permitting such adhesion if no other power opposes. The attempts, however, were without re-

The plenary conference adopted the preamble dealing with the laws and customs of war, and the adaptation of the Geneva convention to naval war. The articles of the two conventions

#### Great Britain's acceptance of an accession to the plan.

### CREMATION OF INGERSOLL. The Corpse Reduced to Ashes at

were definitely adopted.

Fresh Pond, L. I. New York, July 27.-The body of Colonel Robert G. Ingersoli was eremated | itary obligations to the wind. at Fresh Pend, L. L. teday. The body was placed in the retort at 11.50, and at Infantry, comprising 500 men and sev-2 o'clock all that remained was ashes. There were no services at the evenuatory. Even the organ, which is usually played while a cremation is going a was silent. This was at the request of the family. No one except the mem hers of the family and two members of the cremation society were admitted

Mis. Ingersoll bore up better than i was expected she would. When the retort had sufficiently coolal the cradle was drawn out and the alum-sonked sheet was opened. ashes were then placed in the usual canister and then in the urn. were sealed and the urn taken in charged by the ingersoil party. The return trip of the funeral party was then

#### begun. FIRE AT MILL CREEK.

Large Number of Buildings Destroyed-Loss \$12,000. Wilkes-Barre, July 27 .- A disastrous (reek, five miles north of this city, to

night. The following property was destroyed: George Sheldock's hotel; Samuel Middleman's general store; three new blocks in course of erection by James McGrearty and two dwellings owned by Mrs. John Kinney. Loss, \$12,000 The fire is said to have been of in

#### cendlary origin. Poison in the Coffee. Cabmi, III., July 27.- Three members of

ned Tuesday and his son died last right. A married daughter was arrested today and confessed to putting poison in the family's coffee. Smith & McNeil's Scorched. New York, July 27 .- Smith & McNeil's otel and restaurant in Washington

street, this city, was damaged by fire to the extent of \$50,000 today. A woman

was severely burned about the face and

Walter S. Warthem's family were pols

# CALAMBA HAS BEEN TAKEN

# Another Town in the Philippines Captured.

### OUR LOSSES VERY SMALL

Brigadier-General R. H. Hall's Force Victorious-American Casualties, Four Killed, Twelve Wounded-The Campaign on Laguna de Bay-Report That Filipinos Are Obtaining Supplies From Japan.

Manila, July 27, 7:10 p. m .. - Brigadler General R. H. Hall with 1,000 men has captured Calamba on Laguna de Bay. The loss to the United States forces

was four killed and twelve wounded. Calamba is a town on Laguna de Hay, about thirty miles southeast of Manila. It is much further south than the United States troops have yet penetrated on land. It is in the province of Laguna. It has a population of 11,476, and is twenty-seven miles from Santa Cruz on the eastern shore of the bay. Its capture is not considered of any strategical importance, except as a part of the plan to harass

and worry the insurgents. It is reported in Filipino circles in Manila that the insurgents recently received consignments of saltpeter and lead from Japan. The insurgents had been experiencing many difficulties in the manufacture of gunpowder, that which they produced lacking power of penetration and range. The two friars who were recently ar-

rested here on suspicion that they were bearers of messages to Aguinaldo from

the Filipino junta at Hong Kong have been liberated for want of evidence on which to prosecute them. As soon as an authorization can be received from Madrid to incur the necessary expenditures, the Spanish General Jaramillo will send a commission omposed of Senors Toral and Rios to Tarias to carry food, money, medioners there. The commission will also re-open negotiations for the release of the captured. It is reported that \$3,-990,000 in Mexican money will be offered to the insurgents for the release of the Spaniards. General Jaramillo

## declines to confirm that report

A Desiter on the Ohio. the transport Ohlo, which, with the Newport, satled at midnight last night the Philippines, was Benjamin Givens, private of Company H. Fourth United States infaniry, manacled and Entire Day Spent by Committee Enguarded, to be returned to Manila for trial on the charge of "desertion in the face of the enemy," the penalty of

which is death. The young soldier has been confined in the Presidio guard house since last Friday. He was taken there from the transport Indiana. When arraigned before Colonel Freeman, at the Presidio yesterday, Givens said that he did not realize for a week after he deserted his post the enermity of his offense. He had been drinking heav-By and In his half-crazed condition went aboard the Indiana. Four or five days out the first sergeant of his company, who was coming home in charge of an insane soldier, saw him and reported him to the commanding officer. Givens was taken into custody and as soon as the vessel arrived he was sent to the Presidio. Orders from Manila. The arbitration scheme still awaits directed that he be sont back there for

court marthst. Givens deserted from his company when it was stationed at blockhouse No. 7, a mile and a balf north from Mantla. The command was under instantly from marauding bands, One day in the latter part of May he went to Manila, drank heavily and cast mil-

Four commindes of the Nineteenth eral hundred recruits, were on board the Newbort and Ohlo. The Tacama. took 300 horses for the Fourth cavalry.

PRESIDENT AT PLATTSBURG.

#### Mr. McKinley and Party Enjoy the Air of the Adirondacks. Pinttsburg, N. Y., July 27,-President and Mrs. McKinley spent their first day at Hotel Champiain very quietly, After their arrival this morning, the president took a long walk through the park surrounding the hotel: He was alone. In the afternoon he took another long walk. He keenly enjoys the bracing air of the Adirondacks

enjoying the beautiful view of lake and ountain scenery This afternoon the president received official notice of the death of President fire broke out in the village of Mill Hourcaux, of the republic of Santo Domingo. He immediately sent a dis-

and seems to be much relieved to get

away from the cares and worries of

Washington, Mrs. McKinley remained

in her apartments all day, resting and

patch of condolence. The regular weekly hop was held in the hotel parler tonight, but the president and Mrs. McKinley did not at-

#### tend, retiring early. Steamship Arrivals.

New York, July 27.-Sailed: Furst Bismarck, for Hamburg. Browhead-Passed; Tauric, New York for Liverpool, Queens-town-Salled; Teutonic, for New York, Rotterdam, Arrived; Rotterdam, from New York. Satted: Spaarndam, for New York via Houlogne.

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

Washington, July 27.-Forecast for Friday: For eastern Pennsylvania, threatening Friday and probably Saturday; light south.

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westerly winds.