e an follows:

# DREYFUS DAY AT RENNES

# Testimony Was Mainly in Favor of the Prisoner Yesterday.

### SEARCH FOR A SCAPEGOAT

A Serious Division of Opinion Between the Generals-An Effort Will Be Made to Shift the Responsibility for the Illegalities of the Court-Martial of 1894 Upon General De Boisdeffre

Rennes, Aug. 30.-The air of Rennes this evening is filled with rumors of aspiracies and predictions of coups de theatre, but nothing precise can be ascertained. General Mercier's attitude during the last few days has mystified his followers in the case. He is extremely elever and the general feeling is that he is preparing something, the existence of which will be revealed

It is now accepted as beyond question that there is a serious division of opinion on the part of the generals. General Roget, Major Lauth, Captain Cuignet and M. Gribella, the principal seper of the archives of the war office, form one caterie: General Mercier and General Gonse form another, and General Billot and General De Boisdeffre n third. According to one report, the first two enteries intend to throw over General De Boisdeffre, whom they feel to be faltering, and declare that he is responsible for all errors and illegalities of the court-martial of 1894, thus making him the scapegoat. According to another report, General Roget, who was not implicated in 1894 and who even fought against Dreyfus because he inherited from his predecessors the responsibility for so doing and placed over-confidence in the accounts of the matter furnished him by the general staff, will cut himself loose from Genernla Mercier, Gonse and De Boisdef-

### Quite a Dreyfus Day.

In the matter of evidence today it was onite a Dreyfus day, only the deposition of the last witness, General Deloye, being unfavorable. The testimony of M. Picot, a member of the Institute, is little likely, however, to serve the cause of the accused materially, if at all, because his introduction of Colonel Schneider, the Austrian military attache, as a champion of Dreyfus was rather calculated to arous: resentment and adversely to inluence the judges, especially as it was followed by General Roget's taetful protest against Colonel Schnelder's uncomplimentary allusions to French

Tomorrow's proceedings behind closed doors will deal with the question whether Captain Dreyfus was in a position to divulce information regarding the artiflery which was promised in the borderous. The court room continues crowded and quite a number of ladies now succeed in obtaining admis-

The local vapers publish the doubtful statement that Charles de Freyainet, on leaving the court room yes terday afternoon after his deposition, remarked to a friend: "I am leaving an atmosphere of accuittal."

## RAILROAD EARNINGS.

#### Statements of the Lehigh Valley and Pennsylvania.

Philadelphia, Aug. 20,-The statement of the Lehigh Valley railroad for the month of July, 1899, compared with the same period in 1898, shows:

Net earnings, \$182,371, an increase of \$70.413. For the eight months ended July 31, compared with the same perrell last year, the net parnings were \$2.-294,802, a decrease of \$420,851.

The statement of the Lehign Valley Coal commany for the month shows a net loss of \$52,412 against a net loss of Oct. ; \$182,805 last year. For the eight months | Lev! Morrison. Greenville; M. K. ballot. there is a not loss of \$473,552, while for | Laird. Livermore; Will B. Powell. For attorney general, J. W. Dore, of the same veried last year the not loss | Shadeland; S. P. Hellman, Hellman. Seneca, was named on the first ballot.

WHE \$577.910. of the Pennsylvania railroad for month of July, 1899, compared with the

same mouth in 1898, shows: Ings, increase, \$919,400; expenses, increase, \$789,700; net earnings, increase, \$129,700. For the seven months endel July 31, compared with the same period in 1898, the statement shows: Gross earnings, increase, \$2,705,000; expenses, increase, \$2,630,700; net earnings, increase, \$74,300, Lines west of Pirtsburg. for the month: Gross earnings, increase, \$759,200; expenses, increase, Hamilton, State College; M. E. Con-\$427,890; net earnings, increase, \$331,400. For the seven months: Gross earnings, crease, \$2.323.800; expenses, increase, \$1.167.700; not earnings, increase, \$1.-

### AERONAUT DROPS TO DEATH. Shocking Tragedy at the Punxsu- H. Binns, Pittsburg.

tawney Fair Grounds. Du Bois, Pa., Aug. 30.—N. E. Crissey, an aeromaut, feli 600 feet to instant death on the Panksutawney fair grounds fo-day Crissey was scheduled to make daily halloon ascents at the fair grounds this week. He went up to a large tube which inverted itself at the proper moment, and the bullourist and his paracture shot out and descended. When he accorded today, however, the belt by which he was held to the parachute, bloke just as he was inverting his tube and he shot like a stone to the ground beside the fair enclosure. When picked up be was deau. Five thousand persons saw the accident.

## His Body Cut in Two.

Wilkes-Harre, Aug. 28.-James Medicie, a well known citizen of Plymouth was instantly killed by na excursion train returning from a picnic ground last aight. The body was cut in two.

#### THE DEWEY PARADE.

#### Line of Marca Arranged for the Cele bration in New York. New York, Aug. 39.-The plan of the Dewey parade as now arranged will

On Saturday morning, Sept. 30, the opening feature will be the presenta-tion of the loving cup to the admiral it the city hall by the mayor. expected that several of the German inging societies will sing in city hall park, welcoming the admiral. equivalent of the freedom of the city will be given him and he will be escorted to the lawn of the Claremont. where there will be a breakfast ten-dered him and his staff by the mayor,

Cirant's tomb. Admiral Dewey will ride in a carriage with the mayor, escorted by his staff and the marines from the Olym-From Grant's tomb the parade will pass down Riverside drive to Seventy-second street, from Seventy-second street to the boulevard thence to Fifty-seventh street, then to Fifth aveaue, then to and through the Dewey

erch and through Washington square

before the parade will start from

The commmittee of arrangements in harge of the decorations for the Dewey reception have agreed upon the plans for the electrical illumination of Brooklyn bridge. On each of the tall towers there will be affixed a searchlight forty inches in diameter, which will be readily seen all over Greater New York and New Jersey. In the centre of the bridge span, looking down East river the words "Welcome in illuminated letters, will be placed. This design will be 300 feet high and three feet deep. The letters will be the largest Huminated sign ever made, covering a space of a hundred feet in length. The lights will be strung on wires suspended from ron poles about 300 feet apart. There will be no backing to the letters and the lights will be seen both up and down the river. All of the lights will he white in color, and there will be 5,000 of sixteen candle power each.

### DEMAND FOR IRON.

#### Every Variety of Material in Every Stage of Production Is Wanted Upward Movement in Prices.

Pittsburg, Aug. 30.-A continuance

f the extraordinary demand for mate-

rial in every stage of production, with the maintenance of the upward movement in prices, are the features of the week's transactions in the metal mar-The demand is so w'despread kets. that no attempt is made to , ate or individualize it, and each day has some additions to the total. There is no prospect that the highest limit of production will overtake the business that may be classed as immediate, not in the sense of time, but as measuring necessities. Business in some lines almost a year hence is now considered immediate, because those who failed to measure the size of the revival early and delayed, find themselves compelled

Furnace men have their product sold | speech of Judge Mooney. The nat and at an advance that is materially higher than what was regarded as good prices in 1899. The rate at Pittsburg for Bessemer is \$23a23.25, a slight advance over last week, and with the the speech of Judge Mooney and in the raise comes the announcement that platform. this price is on the sales upon to July, 1900. Foundries' prices have been ad- Chicago platform and demands revanced in the same ratio with Bessemer and higher prices there are regarded as a certainty by the first of next perialism in the United States, and demonth. Bar from has taken on any mands that Cubans and the Philippines other line at \$2,40a2.50. The addition to establish independent republics. The during the week was expected, as that can party for various reasons; is unline was too low relatively, though at alterably opposed to trusts and recoma good figure before Bessemer began mends a constitutional amendment make so many rapid changes. A providing for the election of president, slight advance in sheets completes the actual changes in the local market. though, as stated last week, another sevan days will probably see a new arrangement of rates. It is a clear cerwithin probably eighteen months.

### DELEGATES TO BOSTON.

#### Governor Stone Selects Representatives for Farmers' Congress.

Harrisburg, Aug. 20,-Governor Stone appointed the following delegates to- hourne for governor, was chosen as the day to represent Pennsylvania at the farmers' congress to be held at Boston,

Philadelphia, Aug. 56—The statement | W. Oster, Osterburg; S. F. Barber, Sigafoos, of Darke, was nominated. the Harrisburg: A. F. Kimmel, Orwigsburg; Stephen D. Yost, Conyngham: ame mouth in 1898, shows; William Knorderer, Alleghany; Sam-Lines directly operated, gross earn-uel McCreary, Neshannock Falls; W. H. Stout, Pine Grove; W. C. Patterson, State College; W. A. Gardiner, Andrews Settlement; R. J. Weid, Sugar Grove; E. W. Clark, Clearidge; Hiram Peoples, New Providence; T. E. Orr, Pittsburg: R. H. Thomas, Mechanicsburg: John P. Taylor, Reedsville: J. S. Burns, Clinton: H. H. Russell, Beele Valley: Levi Wells, Spring Hill: John ard, West Grove: Gabriel Hiester, Harrisburg: W. F. Hill, West Ford: C. G. Hutchison, Warrior's Mark: L. W. Lighty, East Berlin; William Penn Lloyd, Mechanicsburg; Edwin Lonesdale, Chestnut Hill: T. O. Milliken, Cornpropsis Mills: T. J. Phillips, At-O. W Stoughton, Prospect; R.

### WRECK ON THE ERIE.

One Man Killed-Many Are Injured. New York, Aug. 30.—The Eric accommodation train from this city due at Arlington, N. J., at 2 o'clock, was wrecked on the bend just east of Arlongton. Two freight cars broke away from a siding at Montelair and raaway down the incline past Aslingten, crashed into the passenger train Just 1 efore it got around the ben J. William Nurie, of Arlington, was killed Criesey was Z. veers old, and an experienced ballaconst. He belonked in fatally injured. Ten others were not accountly injured.

sermusiy injured. Almost every person on the train was bruised or cut, but none seriously enough to require medical attendance The cars are an almost complete wreck and a heap of wreekage blocked the tracks for several hours.

## CLEAN WON ON FIRST BALLOT

LIVELY DAY AT OHIO DEMOCRA-TIC CONVENTION.

Sessions Full of Dramatic Plays. The Name of Bryan Cheered Whenever It Was Mentioned-Demonstrations Also Made Over Free Silver and Imperialism, and Anti-Bossism-Opposed to Trusts.

Zanesville, O., Aug. 39.-The Democratic state convention had a day of dramatic plays. While there were half dozen other candidates for governor, the McLean men have claimed verything with such confidence that they undertook to be magnantaious in minor parts, although they were at the same time careful that the star candidate was not eclipsed. McLean was commuted on the first ballot by a half vote and the figuring was so close that the dramatic scenes and changes on the second ballot with "second choice" reserves flocking to M. war standard did not take place claimed that McLean could have had 4.8 votes out of the 892 on the first balinstead of 40%, and that he would have had over 500 on the secure hallot. At may rate the delegates all voted for their local favorites on the first ballot and thus the programme of complimenting them was carried out without the leader drawing from any of his competitors.

After the adoption of the majority port on credentials, the McLean men felt that they could make any place on the balloting that they desired. The vote of 380 to 341 in defeating the m aerry report on credentials was the hardest fight the McLean men had during the day, as they were then without the lifty-six contested votes from Juyahoga county and on that vote they could not have made a nom-

Even without the Cuyahoga vote they had 395 votes on the adoption of the majority report on credentials and that was only seven short of enough to nominate. shrewdest plays in the drama was the motion to amend the report on permanent organization so as to continue the temporary organization and this corrected the only stipulation that the McLean managers made last night at the meeting of the committee

#### Mooney's Good Impression.

Judge Mooney made such a good impression that all wanted him for permanent chairman and the amended reort also continued as secretary Hon Thomas J. Cogan, the friend of Mc-Lean, and shut off the anti-McLean men who had been named in the report for sergeant-at-arms. The convention much of the time was

beyond the control of the sergeant-atarms and his assistants. The convention was properly repre-

sented in its platform and the keynote through the first six months of 1900. Bryan was cheered whenever it was The convention showed demonstra-

tions over free silver, and imperialism,

anti-bossism and all the indictments in

The platform reaffirms the entire nomination of William J. Bryan for the presidency in 1909. It opposes "imother advance and is as active as any not only be permitted, but encouraged of \$5 per ton to structural material platform also denounces the Republi-

vice-president and United States senators by a direct vote of the people. The recess from 3 to 4 n. m. was taken to confer with Colonel James Kilbourne for second place on the ticket ainty that the revival will not shrink and the recess was continued in vain till 5 p. m. for that purpose. When the convention re-assembled there were attempts to nominate Kilbourne, notwithstanding his repeated declinations. ind his friends withdrew his name as fast as the McLean men presented it. Finally Judge A. W. Patrick, who today seconded the nomination of Kil-

> nominee for Beutenant governor. For Supreme judge, D. C. Badger, of London, was nominated on the fourth

For treasurer, James I. Gorman, of Lawrence, was nominated on the first

#### ADMIRAL DEWEY AT NICE. He Is Cordially Received by the Deputy Mayor.

Nice, Aug. 39.-Admiral Dewey today eceived a visit from Consul Fletcher, of Genoa. The deputy mayor of Nice in the absence of the mayor, presented the compliments of the city to the admiral, who expressed his thanks. The cruiser Olympia sails from Viltefranche at 4 o'clock tomorrow evening.

#### . MILK TRUST SHOWS ITS HAND. Price of Lacteal Fluid Is Advanced Ten Cents a Can.

New York, Aug. 30.-The executive ommittee of the Consolidated Milk case of the fifty-nine rioters in jail exchange today decided to raise the here and at Savannah. price of milk to \$1.31 per can, an increase of 19 cents. on the first of September.

### Tests of High Explosives.

Washington, Aug. 50. -Secretary Ruot and General Miles left Washington this vening for New York to witness several nportant tests of high explosives, projectiles and other munitions of war at the Sandy Hook proving grounds tomorrwo. The tests will be made under the direction of the board of ordnance and fortifications.

# Legislative Bribery Trials.

Harrisburg, Ang 20 - District Attorney Miller has put the legislative brilery trials down for the 20th of Montagonius

### PROCLAMATION TO CUBA. Issued from the Executive Mansion

on August 17. Washington, Aug. 30 .- The following proclamation to the people of Cuba under date of August 17, issued from the executive mansion, has been made

> public. It reads: The disorganized condition of your island resulting from the war and the absence of any generally recognized authority aside from the temporary mili-tary control of the United States have made it necessary that the United States should follow the restoration of order and peace by giving its assistance and supervision to the successive steps which you will proceed to the etablish ment of an effective system of self gov ernment. As a preliminary step in the performance of this outy I have direct-ed that a census of the people of Cuba or taken and have appointed competent and disinterested citizens of Cuba ar numerators and supervisors.

It is important for the proper arrange ment of your new government that the information sought shall be fully and accurately given and I request that by every means in your power you ald the officers appointed, in the performance

William McKinley.

#### GREAT FIRE AT YOKOHOMA. A Square Mile of Buildings De-

stroyed-Loss, \$6.000,000. Volcehoma, Aug. 12, via Victoria. Aug. 30.-The greatest fire in the history of Yokohoma occurred August 12, when a square mile of buildings was destroyed and sixteen lives lost. The property loss is estimated between \$5,000,000 and \$6,000,000.

The famous Theatre street was destroyed from end to end. The owner of the house where the fire started was killed by a mob.

#### PRESIDENT AT CANTON.

#### Mr. and Mrs. McKinley Among Old Neighbors.

Canton, O., Aug. 30.-For the first ime in nearly a year President and Mrs. McKinley are among their relatives, neighbors and friends in Canton for a few days of rest. The special rain arrived at noon to meet a great oncourse of people ready to extend a hearty welcome and to escort the presidential party to the Barber home, where they will be guests during their stay in the city. To all the demonstrations in his honor the president returned an acknowledgement with pleasant smiles and bows as the party frove along the streets.

Members of the Eighth Ohio, who served in Cuba, called and paid their espects tonight. At the Barber residence, Judge Bald-

win, in a few words, expressed to the president the hearty welcome friends. To this the president re-

"Judge Baldwin and my fellow cititens: I appear only for a moment that may give expression of my appredation of the more than a gracious welcome which you have extended to me today. After all there is no place ike home (Tremendous cheering and ries of 'Amen'). And this is my home renewed cheering). Here thirty-two r thirty-three years ago # commenced ny professional life. Here have been formed some of the most tender and sacred relations; some of them, infeed, have been severed, but this is the seat of my memory. Here for nearly a third of a century you have given me kindly greetings, words of encouragement and showered upon me honor after honor, all undeserved, and I appear before you now only to express what is in my heart; that I am glad to see you, glad to meet you, to look into your faces once again and feel the inspiration of approval" (Loud and renewed applause). The president's remarks were punctuated with vigorous and prolonged cheering.

#### SYMPATHY FOR LABORI. Expressed by American Bar Association at Buffalo.

Buffalo, Aug. 30.-Vice-President Manderson called the American Bar association to order today. A resolution expressing sympathy with M. Labori in his suffering and his struggle for Justice in the Dreyfus case was adopted after much opposition.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Hon. Charles F. Manderson, of Nebraska: secretary (re-elected), John Hinkley, of Maryland: treasurer (re-elected), Francis Rawle, of Pennsylvania: executive committee, Edmund Welmore, of New York; U. M. Rise, of Arkan-sas, and Charles Noble, of Wisconsin. A vice-president from each state was

After transacting further routine ousiness the conference adjourned withur date.

Many of the members will remain to attend the conference of the International Bar association, beginning tomorrow.

INDICTED FOR MURDER.

#### Counsel for Delegall Will Endeavor Mott, of this town, for \$25, to Secure Change of Venue.

Darien, Ga., Aug. 30 .- In the Superior court special session, John Delegall today was indicted and arraigned for the murder of Deputy Sheriff Townsend. There was no demonstration of any sort. Counsel for Delegall will endeavor to secure a change of venue on the ground that, owing to the condition of public opinien, an unblased jury cannot be obtained in this county. The grand jury is now investigating the

The rioters at Savannah will be rease of 19 cents.

The new price will go into operation brought on a special steamer tomorrow morning. Four troops of cavalry are now on duty.

### Pennsylvania Pensions.

Washington, Aug. 20.—Pension certifi-cates: Increase, James W. Kester, Hones-dale, 212 to 37. Original wildows, Mary Edwards, Mossow, Lackawaina, 38; Clara D. Marshall, Durmore, Lackawaina, 38; Renewal, Annie Dean, mother, White

### Appointment of Mr. Elkins.

# THE CONDITIONS OF PORTO RICO

#### INSULAR COMMISSION REPORTS TO SECRETARY ROOT.

It Recommends a Civil Government to Take the Place of the Present Military Regime-The Army to Be Retained for a Time, but Kept in the Background-English to Be Made the Official Language.

Washington, Aug. 30.-The insular commission, consi ding of General Kennedy, Judge Curtis and Major Watkins, which has given six months study to the conditions of the island of Porto Rico, today made its report to Secretary Poot. It recommends a form of civil government of the island to take the place of the present military regime and submits for adoption a code of laws. The code of laws and the civil government prolosed do not give the Porto Ricans the elective franchise for any offices nor extend to them the privilege of trial by jury except in the United States courts in cases of felonies involving an amount in excess of \$5.00 It recommends that the military force emain in the island, but be kept in be background and touch the people only with a soft hand. to be made the official language of the island, but for the present all exept the federal courts are to be conducted in Spanish. In place of the Spanish system of courts an Areat an system is to be provided; a supreme court, a district court and a probate court with limited civil and eriminal jurisidicton and justlees of the peace and police courts in thecities, also a federal court to have exclusive jurisdiction of all federal questions.

There are to be five supreme judges, three of whom are to be Americans and two natives, two federal judges three district judges and eleven probate judges; one attorney general and ne deputy; one district attorney and two deputies and a prosecuting attorney in each of the seven judicial disricts of the Islands.

A complete civil, county, township and city government is to be provided and all the officers of the civil administration are to be natives, the higher officers to be appointed by the president, the others by the governor general and the county commissioners. The boundaries of the civil divisions of the island are to follow the present Spanish boundaries.

A public school system, with provision for a superintendent and board of public instruction and a complete system of public schools conducted in English by American teachers is provided, and also night schools for lliterate adults. The right to teach Spanish where demanded is given. Full general corporation and railroad laws with the right of eminent domain are provided, thus opening the island competition and ending the system All taxes which hear heavily on the soor and all double taxes on non-residents are abrogated. A marriage law is provided like those in the states,

### injunctions, etc. THE STAPLES FORTUNE.

#### It Is Believed That Heirs Have Been Victims of a Fakir.

Special to the Scranton Tribune Stroudsburg, Pa., Aug. 30,-The much talked about English fortune which is to be distributed among the Staples heirs of this town is believed to have utterly collapsed. Some years ago the heirs raised \$500 and gave it to a man named Thatcher to secure for them their fortune. Ex-Collector Charles B. Staples, of this town, who is one of the heirs, opposed the giving of the Wilker fee to Thatcher. Word has been received from London of the attempted suicide of Thatcher, who is accused of swindling citizens of Ohio. Michigan and other states. The sensational report published in a city paper a few weeks ago to the effect that Chauncey Lenarauex, a Carbondate, Pa., farmer, had or was to receive part of the fortune claimed by the Staples heirs is not credited here.

Mr. Daniel Stemple, of East Stroudsburg, the treasurer of the Staples fund to prosecute the claims, recently in an interview said: "I have seen the article referred to, but take no stock in it. We do not think the Lenareauxs are heirs, although Wesley Van Fliet, another heir, has heard of them, but we cannot trace where they came in: The Daniel Staples referred to in the Carbondale story is supposed to be me. I have no idea that the story is true." One of the heirs recently sold his chances to Photographer Charles G.

### New Counterfeit Bill.

Washington, Aug. 20.—The secret service has discovered a new counterfelt two-dollar treasury note of the series of 1891, check letter D. Bruce register, Roberts treasurer, portrait McPherson. The seal is dark red instead of pink and the parallel ruling is poor, as is most of the athe work. It is a fairly deceptive hithe work. It is a fairly deceptive photo-etched production and the slik fibre distributed throughout the genuine paper has been closely imitated.

### Killed Resisting Arrest.

Maryville, Mo., Aug. 30.—The Rev. William Johnson, former pastor of the African Baptist church of Maryville, and on evangelist of the colored Raptist church of Kansas and Missouri, was kill-al tonight by Officer John Wallace white resisting an attempt to take him to jail, Johnson was convicted this afternoon of saving assaulted a white woman and entenced to nine months in bull-

### Decision for Tommy White.

Dubuque, Ia., Aug. 30.—Tommy White got the decision over Henry Lyons, col-

### THE NEWS THIS MORNING

#### Weather Indications Today:

General-Testimony Pavorable to Captain Dreyfus. Filiphos Concentrating for an Attack. McLean Nominated for Governor by Ohio Democrats.

decommendations for the Government of Porto Rico. General—Northeastern Pennsylvania News in a Nutshell, Base Ball Results. Pinancial and Commercial.

Local-North End Citizens Wish to Annul Paving Contract.
D. I. & W. and Engineers Come to an Agreement.

Editorial. News and Comment.

Local-Firal Arrangements for the Carriers' Convention. Trolley Company Appeals to Court. An Exciting Runeway.

Local-West Scranton and Suburban Advertisements.

News Bound About Scrauton

# WRECK ON THE VALLEY.

### Black Diamond Delayed at Pittston by a Freight-Rumors of Babylon

cial to the Scranton Tribune Pitiston, Aug. 30,-This afternoon. freight train on the Lehigh Valle toad, going north, between the station here and the Junction, met with a wreck that succeeded in blocking the north bound track for several hours. and compelled the Black Diamond express and several others trains to usthe opposite track. A broken axle in the middle of the train caused the trouble, throwing the car across the rails, and outside of the inconvenience to traffic the damage was not

very extensive. There are several ugly rumous extant up in Duryea owing to the la'e difficulty at the Babylon colliery and Mine Foreman McCarty has received notification that if he did not resign his life would be in jeoprady. coming to the notice of the officials, quantities have been thrown into the they have sent out a defy that if the men do not return to work at a spefied time they will close down the works for the balance of the year. Timen at their last meeting declared that McCarty must go and will not go back until that time. This is the situation and it is not a very healthy one.

### JOE PATCHEN'S VICTORY.

#### Big Event of the Grand Circuit Meeting at Hartford.

Hartford, Corn., Aug. 30.-The log vent of the grand circuit meeting at Charter Cak park today was the first war are mostly smuggled in by Japan-two-minute pare ever scheduled. There ese and Chinese. If that was stopped were five starters. John R. Gentry and the other sources of supply cut off drawing out after a contest in which there was a distate between the park management and the owner of the horse. In due time Aguinaldo would be willing to treat. Other islands would follow Luxon and surrender. The re-The trouble arose over a misanders and ng as to whether the event was a two of franchises to favored corporations, in three or a three in five. It was a three in five and Gentry drew his horse, much bloodshed. Admiral Bradford the management protesting and leaving added the matter in the hands of the judges, who will decide after taking evidence.

is provided like those in the states, with a plan for legalizing consent marriages and legitimatizing children, one-half of whom on the Island were born out of wedlock.

Highway and poors laws are provided and the courts are given full power to issue writs of habeas corpus, legional constants in the first heat when Joe Patchen came in any heavy legion for Searchlight, led to the stretch in the first heat when Joe Patchen came in any legional constants. and under the whip and a hard much took

the mile in 2.01%.
The second hest was Patchen's all the way and the final heat which took the race in 2005, equals the track record made in 1908 by Sinc Pointer in an exhibthan race with Gentry. There was much enthusiasm. After the first heat Jus-Patchen sold 2 to 1, with Hegash 4 to 3 that he would get inside of the money.

The unfinished race of Tuesday, the 2.13 trot, was won by Peter the Great, Malcolm Forbes four-year-old the race being his third appearance in company His fastest mile, 2004, has been equalled only twice by four-year-old stations. Captain Jack were the 210 trot after a

The 2.17 trot was augmished, Dollade and Letah S. such taking a heat-

#### The latter was the favorite. THEY DEMAND JIMINEZ Revolutionists at San Domingo Wast-

ing for Their Leader. Cape Haytien, Adv. 26. Advices received from the cities of Santiago and Pust-to Plate, in San Domingo, say that both have proclaimed in favor of General Juan

laidro Jiminez, the revolutionary astu-

A provisional government has been es-tablished at Santlago where the pres-ence of General Jiminez is demanded with enthusiasm by the people. Havang, Aug. 30.—Governor General Brooke does not know that Jiminez, the aspirant to the Santo Domingo presideney has been arrested at Santlage, Cuba, as reported. He says he received a tele-gram from General Wood, military governor of the province of Santiago, yester day evening, asking if Jiminez should be

detained, and he immediately answered

#### in the negative. SIX LIVES LOST. Fatal Results of a Fire in Yuma.

Arizona. Yuma, Ariz. Aug. 30.—Fire today in E. F. Sanginetti's merchandist store, nonliged in the loss of six lives and caused 3150,000 damage. A crowd of men wire carrying goods from the building when the second floor fell upon them. Realies killing six, a number were injured.

The list of killed: City Conneilman H. F. Nears, Radaddafa Wilson, James Tapla, Julan Presadio, R. R. Lyons, Rich. Julan Presadio, R. R. Ivora, Rich-

### Steamship Arrivals.

New York, Aug. 10 - Acrived: Tentonte, from Liverpool. Suited: St. Louis, Sonthumpton; Friedland, Antwerp, Britanic, Liverpool. Botterdam, Acrived Rotterdam, New York, Boulogne Saited: Kalser Wilhelm Der Grosse, Bromen and Southampton for New York, Physical Research mouth-Arrived Parricia, New York for Hambarg and proceeded Southampton -Arrived New York, New York, Queens-town-Sailed; Secvic, New York, Liztown-Sailed; Servis, New York, Liz-ard-Possed: Furst Hismarck, New York

# Boer Policeman Assaults a Negro.

New York Aug. 20 - Commissioner General Peck has appointed William T. El-kins, of Philadelphila, a member of the art commission to the Paris exposition.

Mr. Elkins has wired his acceptance from the last round and White landed almost at the sun and the landed almost at the sun and the last round and White landed almost at the sun and the last round and White landed almost at the sun and the last round and White landed almost at the sun and the last round and White landed almost at the sun and the last round and White landed almost at the sun and the last round and White landed almost at the sun and the last round and White landed almost at the sun and the last round and White landed almost at the sun and the last round and White landed almost at the sun and the last round and White landed almost at the sun and the last round and White landed almost at the sun and the last round and White landed almost at the sun and the last round and White landed almost at the sun and the last round and White landed almost at the sun and the last round and White landed almost at the sun and the last round and White landed almost at the sun and the last round and White landed almost at the sun and the last round and White landed almost at the sun and the last round and White landed almost at the sun and the last round and white landed almost at the sun and the last round and the last round and white landed almost at the sun and the last round and the last round and white landed almost at the sun and the last round and the last round and white last round

# FILIPINOS ARE **AGGRESSIVE**

# Now Preparing to Attack the Town of Imus.

### LATEST FROM THE FRONT

Aguinaldo Orders His Generals in Cavite to Surround the Town. American Forces Entrenching-The Town Was Surrendered to General Lawton-Rear Admiral Bradford's Plan to Stop the Philippine War.

Manifa, Aug. 20, 6,30 n. m.—It is reorted that Aguinaldo, the Filipino leader, has ordered the rebel generals in the province of Cavite to close in on and attempt to take the town of Imus. and it is added that trooms are concentrating around the town from the take country.

The rebels, it is asserted, have an outpost of 700 men on the Das Marinas road and an equal force in the town of Anabo. The Americans are intrenching the town and they have no fear of the result of any attacks by the

The mayor of Imus delivered that town to General Lawton June 14, saying that the people desired peace and to be friendly with the Americans. The Fourtsenth infantry and one battery of artillery were stationed in the place as a garrison. Tons of concented salipetre and thousands of pounds of antiquated artillery ammunition and bro n powder were discovered in the powder house and large

### HOW TO STOP PHILIPPINE WAR. Rear Admiral Bradford Says Luzon

Is to Be Blockaded. Turner, Me., Aug. 30.-Rear Admiral R. B. Bradford chief of the bureau equipment of the United States navy, who is visiting his old home here, says a complete blockade of Luzon would speedily end the Philippine war and that the blockade is to be made. The Filipines' munktons of war are mostly smuggled in by Japanlow Luzon and surrender. The resuit would be the same as though acries of battles and

I doubted the wisdom of obtaining those islands. I have been the three times and I know their great

# NEW CATTLE DISEASE.

#### The Monroe County Farmers Lose Valuable Stock.

Strondsburg, Fn. Aug. 30.—The peeuliar catale disease which is killing off cows may the western harder of the county by the wholesals continues at an elarmingly rapid rate. The farmers are very much exercised and are at loss to understand the exact causes. The greatest loser has been C. A. Dorney, who owes a farm at Hickory Rus. neroes the Monroe border, Mr. Dorney's less up to the present time is 70 head of time Jorsey cattle. Down y's ford numbered two bundred waen the disease broke out. The disease is puzzling state authorities and until the public the exact cause will not be known. It opposes mostly to affect young cattle, yearlings and two and three year olds. It is believed to be a form of Toxas fever and resembles anthrax and black by The symptoms appear very suddenly. In the meraing when the cattle are furned out they may be healthy and at night be dead, The first symptoms are hemorrhages throughout the skin and nose, a stellfor about the ribs and neck but no high temperature. Cattle that are effected die in from four to twelve hours and

common year rapidly. The shrubbery has been carefully examinod to ascertain if the disease couldhave been contracted by the cattle having enten of any poisonous plant, but there is no evidence that the cuttle. had raten any of the poisonous laurel discovered. It is the opinion of the doctors that the disease is due to a germ and not to eating poisonous vegeration which would have produced in-Cummation of the stomach and Intestimes which was not developed at a post mortem. Mr. Dorney's loss will

#### amount to \$10,000. OFF FOR PHILIPPINES.

### Twenty-seventh Regiment Leaves Camp Meade.

Harrisburg, Aug. 29.—The Twentyseventh regiment, commanded by Colonel Bell, started from Camp Meade this morning in three special trains for duty in the Philippines. The regiment will encamp for some time in the Presidio in San Francisco before boarding the transports for the Philippines. The regiment is one of the finest volunteer commands in the United

#### equipped for duty in the tropics. ....... WEATHER FORECAST.

States service and is fully armed and

Washington, Aug. 30.-Porecast for Thursday: Eastern Pennsylva-nia-Fair Thursday and Friday; fresh east to south winds. West-