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ron of the United States under command THE TRIUMPH **OF DEWEY**

He Receives the Gold

Sword from Conofficer of their navy, and of your great

THE SPEECH OF MR. LONG

gress.

A Glowing Tribute to the Bravery and Diplomacy of the Hero of Manila-President McKinley Presents the Sword-The Situation Trying for Admiral Dewey-An Ovation to Schley.

Washington, Oct. 3 .- The culmination of Admiral Dewey's triumphal home-coming was reached today, in the your ships, your cannon and your de-voted officers and men, you moved on shadow of the dome of the national capitol. Here he received from the the enemy's batteries on shore and on sea with unflinching faith and nerve and be fore the sun was half-way up in th hands of the president the magnificent jeweled sword voted him by congress heavens had silenced the guns of the foe in commemoration of the victory of sunk the hostile fleet, demonstrated the supremacy of the American sea-power Manila bay, This was the official provocation for the ceremony. But and transferred to the United States un empire of the islands of the Pacific. Later, by your display of large powers of more official sanction could never have thrown into the demonstration the fervor of enthusiasm that was meted out to the admiral as he appeared before the vast audience, composed not only of all the highest officials in the land but of spectators drawn from every quarter of the United States. The battle of Manila bay was not forgotten, but it might be said to have been relegated almost to second place in the defore, and you have added to it another size to do honor to the man who had proved himself as great after victory as before it, and who had shown in the long and trying months that followed his naval triumphs the qualities of a statesman and a wise administrator, as islands which make the great empire of well as those of the lighting leader of the sea, in relieving them from the bondage and oppression of conturies and in a victorious fleet.

And enhancing these qualities was putting them on their way, under the protecting shield of your country's guidthat of manly modesty, displayed in ance, to take their place in the civiliza-tion, the arts, the industries, the liberties the quiet dignity with which he met the occasion. This trait of Dewey's and all the good things of the most en character was evidenced from the mo-ment he reached the stand, side by so that generations hence your name character was evidenced from the moside with the president. He paused at shall be a household word enshrined in this point for a moment, unwilling ap-parently to take the place that had been prepared for him on the right of tribulations and difficulties of the present the platform, lest he should appear to moment, they will in due time give way usurp the place due to the chief magis-to the dawn of a glorious new day-a day trate. President McKieley grasped the situation in an instant, and taking his ion of one people over another, but of the imperial moral and physical growth and expansion of all the peoples, whatgreat sea captain by the arm, placed him by gentle force in the chair that had been intended for him. Later in have come under the shelter of the broad shield of the United States of America. lay, as the carriages bearing the official party drove away from the capitol, between walls of cheering peopresident again displayed his tant by remaining covered and ignor ing the demonstration bimself, leaving acknowledgment to the admiral

of Commodore George Dewey on May 1, 1995, and that, to enable the secretary to carry out this resolution, the sum of #10,-000, or so much thereof as may be needed, is hereby appropriated out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriat

a cheer went up that shook the build-'Approved June 3, 1898." It was by that solemn enactment, ap-proved by the president, that the people of the United States made provision for ings.

Then followed the rational anthem America in which the vast concourse putting in material form one expression of their appreciation of your valor as an joined in singing and the troops were put in motion, passing in review before achievement as their representative m opening the door to a new era in the civilization of the world. The victory at the stand. When the last had gone by the admiral re-entered his carriage and was driven rapidly away to the Mc Manila Bay cave you rank with the most distinguished naval heroes of all times. Lean home to rest for the great dinner in his honor tendered by the president Nor was your merit most in the brilliant victory which you achieved in a battle fought with the utmost gallantry and at the White House tonight.

are not ungrateful."

ted against one another for the chair-There was an exquisite bit of comedy skill, waged without error, and crowned with overwhelming success. It was still more in the nerve with which you sailed following the trying formalities, though it escaped an but those directly on the from Hong Kong to Manila harbor; in the spirit of your conception of attack; stand. As the admiral closed and took his seat he turned to the presiyour high commanding confidence as : dent and in a guizzical tone inquired: er who had weighed every risk and prepared for every emergency, and who also had that unfaitering determination "Now, don't you really think I did preity well for an amateur " to win, and that utter freedom from the thought or possibility of swerving from Once during the ceremonies Secre tary Long embraced an opportunity a purpose, which are the very assurance of victory. No captain ever faced a more to ease the trying situation for the chief actor in the day's events. When crucial test than when that morning the secretary began his address the bearing the fate and the honor of your country in your hand, thousands of miles sun was shining directly in Admiral from home, with every foreign port in the Dewey's eyes and without his hat he world shut to you, nothing between you and annihilation but the thin sheathing of was at its mercy. The secretary quietly inserted in his address a low aside, Admiral, turn your chair a little, we

Congress that voted me this priceless

gift and I thank the people, I promis-

shall serve as an object lesson to teach

my children's children that Republics

At the end of the admiral's speech

don't want to have you blind." Ovation to Schley.

One of the most remarkable features of the event was the ovation to Rear Admiral Schley on the return of the party from the capitol to the white house. His carriage was several numbers behind that of the presiiministration, by your poise and prudent and Admiral Dewey and received an ovation that could be scarcely ranknly in act, but also in word, which is ed below that extended to the presi-dent himself. The tumult grew as the lmost more important, you proved your-elf a great representative citizen of the carriage proceeded down the avenue United States as well as new its great naval hero. The lustre of the American navy was gloriously bright before, and and the crowd surged around it till the horses were brought to a foot pace. constellation of stars was glorious be Its Finally a company of the high school cadets came to the rescue and formed about the carriage in a hollow square. star of the first magnitude. And that, in the time to come, it is to be your still Thus protected and flanked by a force of the police the carriage reached the greater honor that you struck the first blow, under the providence of God, in the enfranchisement of those beautiful white house with a long gap between it and the next official guests.

Out of the store of his experience the president was able to give Admiral Dewey one valuable suggestion before leaving the capitol. The venerable Cardinal Gibbons was presented and after an exchange of greetings the president asked the admiral if he felt equal to a general ordeal of handshaking. The hero of Manila swerved from this, saying that his right arm was partially paralyzed from his experience in New York.

"Let me suggest to you," said the president. "hereafter you shake the other man's hand, don't let him shake yours. You save yourself by not letting them get the grasp on you."

THE DEWEY DINNER.

President McKinley Entertains Over Eighty Guests. -President Mc

REPUBLICAN CLUBS. it shall stay in my family forever and Convention of the State League Will

Be Held at Harrisburg. Harrisburg, Oct. 3 .- The annual con

vention of the State Léague of Republican clubs will be held tomorrow in the Harrisburg opera house. Archbald Mackrell, of Pittsburg, president, and Jere H. Shaw, of Philadelphia, are here arranging the details of the gathering. Mr. Mackrell says there are 150 clubs in the league in good stand-

ing and that a majority of these will send delegates. The convention will convene at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning and will complete its business in one day.

An address of welcome will be delivared by Mayor Fritchey, of Harrisburg, to which A. C. Robertson, of Pittsburg, will respond. Addresses will also be made by Governor Stone, Attorney General Elkin, Adjutant General Stewart, Secretary of Internal Affairs Latta, Colonel Barnett and Mayor Ashbridge, of Philadelphia. There is no opposition to the candidacy of J. Hampton Moore, of Philadelphia, for president.

TARVIN ON DEMOCRACY.

He Maps Out a Plan of Action for the Faithful at Dyllas-An Anti-Expansion Wall.

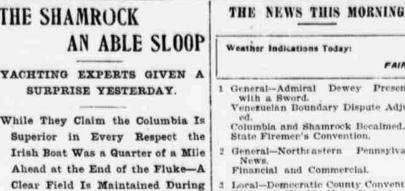
Dallas, Texas, Oct. 3 .-- The Demoratic carnival was continued today at he fair grounds and a big crowd was n attendance.

Mr. Bryan and party arrived at the trand stand at 10.25. Ex-Governor "rittenden and Major Salmon, of Misouri; Judge Tarvin, of Kentucky; Jovernor Sayers, Senator Berry, of Arkansas; Champ Clark, John I. Mar tin, Congressman Sulzer, O. H. P. Belmont and the entire Texas delegation sat on the platform.

At 11.45 a, m, Chairman Carden called the meeting to order and introduced Judge James P. Tarvin, of Kentucky, president of the Ohio Valley League of Bimetallic clubs, and the first speaker. He devoted considerable of his address to a denunciation of trusts, which he said were the creatures of legislation. In the course of his speech, Mr. Tarvin said:

"The Republican party of the United States stands today as the tool and the machine, and the representative of the money power and the trusts and the orporate interests of the United States. It is dominated by Hanna, its figurehead, McKinley, and its principal ornaments are, Griggs, Hobart, Quay, Clapp, Eagan, Corbin and Alger, with the demagogue Roosevelt as a sideshow. The Democratic party of the United States stands now as the repsentative of the labor and producer of the land, of the common and ob-scure people of the United States, of the doctrine that every man is entitled to the benefit of his own labor and to

country stands committed to the Chicago platform of 1896. In all human probability it will adopt the same platorm in 1990, and, as for me. I would world. be glad to see added to it a declara-During the five and a half hours' sail tion in favor of the initiative and refthe Shamrock was thrice ahead and the history of the white house social erendum, a declaration in favor of twice the Yankee boat showed the way. municipal ownership of public utilities. For the first ten minutes the Shama declaration in favor of the election rock led, then for five the Columbia's of United States senators and United gracoful bow showed ahead off the States judges by the people and a decgreen boat; for 45 minutes following invation in favor of the abolishment of the Shamrock, then for three hours the the life tenure of office in case of Columbia, and for the last hour and a United States judges. It will declare half it was the Shemrock that led the against the acts of President McKinley way. The breeze blow as high as 12 in the Philippines, because imperialism knots an hour and as low as three and the gold standard and the trusts are shifted about through eight points of se together. If the Democratic orthe compass. Each in turn b at the ganization pursue this course and again nominate Mr. Bryan for presiother running before the wind and was in turn beaten, beating against dent, I do not believe there is money the wind at various stages of the race, mough in the world to bring about his so that many of the experts who saw defeat. the two heats sail today, are disin-



New York, Oct. 3.-The biggest crowd of sightseers and vachtsmen who ever sailed down to Sandy Hook to witness the attempt of a foregn cup hunter to wrest from America the yachting supremacy of the world returned this evening to New York crestfallen and disappointed. The winds from the caves of old ocean had proved too light and shifty and the first of the international series of 1899 between the two greatest racing machines ever produced by England and America degenerated into a drifting match and had to be declared off, because neither could reach the finish line in the time

the Race

allotted by the rules. To avoid just such winds as occurred today in which luck and not the crew and yachts win, the rule provides that if one of the boats does not finish within five and one-half hours the race is declared off, so at the end of the time this evening when the yachts were still four miles from home. with the Shamrock leading by something more than a quarter of a mile the committee officially declared that there had been no race. The yachts were then taken in tow by their respective tugs and brought back to their anchorage inside Sandy Hook. The clean-limbed racers had sailed out this morning fresh for battle, but the sea had refused them a field conflict. Under the rules the first race is now post-

poned for two days, or until Thurs day. But the fluke today gave the yachting sharps and the spectators much

to think about and some surprists. Columbia Superior.

The Columbia is undeniably the pretier boat, she is tall, stately and graceful lines and towering mast. The Irish boat, with her broader beam and longbase line, looked slower and heav-Perhaps her green colors makes ler. her look clumsier, as if she were forced through the water, while the slim Columbia pierces it like a rapier.

Though indocisive in every respect as to the abilities of the great rival single stickers, today's race indicates that the Irish boat with her English skipper and her Scotch crew, is the ablest sloop ever sent across the Atlantic in no more. The Democratic party of this the hope of lifting the one hundred guinea cup, which the America brought back 48 years ago and which has since been successfully defended against the

good and bad luck

vas clouded racers.

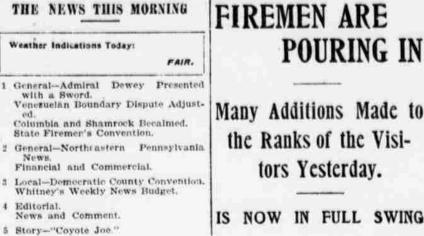
into the river and was drowped.

frightened over their experience.

men were soon sobered up and badly

Joe Gans Defeats Spider.

Field Was Char.



Tribune.

6 Local-State Firemen's Convention (Continued.)

- Local-Condition of the Fire Department. Annual Meeting of the Womans' Foreign Missionary Society. Local-West Scranton and Suburban. News Round About the County.
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BRITISH CLAIMS ARE DISALLOWED

Venezuela Award in the Nature of a Compromise-The Award Means That of the 60,000 Square Miles Claimed by Venezuela That Country Obtains Only 100.

Paris, Oct. 3 .- The decision of the Anglo-Venezuelan boundary commission some of Great Britain's claims as o the interior and on the coast are disallowed. The frontier will start at the Waini river.

The award was unanimous. It is considered in the nature of a compromise rather than as favoring Veneguela

The award of the tribunal briefly obtains only 100, formed ountry

Barima, and a portion in the interior while Great Britain retains all the forest country. At the meeting of the tribunal today called for the purpose of officially reading the award there were present M. De Martens, who has presided over the deliberations of the tribunal, and the other four members of the commission. The award had een prepared in Frnch and in English. Mr. D'Oyly Carre, private secretary to Baron Russell, of Killowen, one of the British members of the tribunal, read the English text and M. De Martens read the French.

After the reading M. De Martens, speaking in English, said he was glad to announce that after three months of hard work the court had unanimously decided upon the award which had just been read. It was a pleasant duty now session of the firemen's convention to restore the former good understand- | yesterday afternoon.

IS NOW IN FULL SWING Convention Formally Opened with

Addresses by Ex-Chief Hickey, Mayor Moir, Hon. John E. Roche, State President Cohn and Prayer by Rev. Rogers Israel-Reports of Officers and Nominations Take Up the Most of the Afternoon-Thirty-Four Companies, Many of Them with Brass Bands, Are Scheduled to Come Today-Illuminated Run and Asphalt Dance Tonight.

TOW THE band is playing. The firemen's convention is in ful swing. All the delegates are

here, the convention sessions are on, the visiting companies are commencing to pour in and take possession of the city and the varied enertainments provided by the local mmittee are in full blast,

Yesterday morning the delegates assembled at the court houe and were enrolled. In the afternoon, the first business session was held. Addresses of welcome were delivered by ex-Chief summarized, means that, of the 60,000 Hickoy, chairman of the executive con-square miles claimed by Venezuela that vention committee, Mayor Moir, and vention committee, Mayor Moir, and Hon, John E, Roche, all of which partly of the marshland near the river | were responded to by State President Cohn.

Reports of officers were received, showing excellent progress by the association and effective work by the officers and committee. Nominations were also made and then the convention adjourned till this morning.

Far be it from The Tribune to detract in the slightest measure from the reputation earned by delegates to conventions of state firemen's associations, but in all truth and honesty it must be stated that no great body of visiors the city has had the honor of entertaining have conducted themselves in a more decorous manner than have the firemen thus far in their stay, and no large convention the city has had, was more orderly, businesslike and harmonious than was the first

Last night when the delegates had

A Trying Situation.

For Dewey, it was a trying as well as a triumphal day. It has been given to few officers in the naval history of the country to sit before a crowd of thousands while the chief of the naval establishment dilated upon their exploits, and then to stand before the same crowd to receive at the hands of the president a sword prepared for him at the behest of the representatives of the whole people. The strain upon Admiral Dewey reached almost to the breaking point. None but those nearest to him could see how he labored to repress his feelings during the address of Secretary Long, but when he arose to receive the sword from the hands of the president no one could mistake the flash of the white gloved hand as it rose to dash away the tears before the admiral came to the rigid attitude of attention before his chief.

Secretary Long's Address.

Secretary Long spoke as follows:

"My Dear Admiral-Let me read a few extracts from our official correspondence, covering less than a fortnight's time, and now known the world over: "Washington, April 24, 1898.

"Dewey, Hong Kong.-War has commenced between the United States and Proceed at once to Philippine Spain. Islands. Begin operations at once, par-ticularly against the Spanish fleet. You You must capture vessels or destroy. Use ut-most endervors, "Long."

in full health of mind and body to re-ccive it here; here in the national cap-"Manila, May L "Secretary of the Navy, Washington-The squadron arrived at Manila at day-break this morning. Immediately engaged itol: here on these consecrated steps where Lincoln stood; here standing be-tween the statue of the first president of enemy and destroyed the following ves-sels. * * * The squadron is uninjured. Few men were slightly wounded.

"Dewey." May 4.

"Secretary of the Navy, Washington .-- I have taken possession of the naval sta-tion, Philippine Islands. I control bay completely, and can take city at any time. The squadron in excellent health and spirs. I am assisting and protecting Span-h sick and wounded. "Dewey." "Dewey.-"The president, in the name of the American people, thanks you and your officers and men for your splendid achievement and overwhelming victory In recognition, he has appointed you act-ing rear admiral, and will recommend a ote of thanks to you by congress as a foundation for further promotion.

In those few words, what a volume of history; what a record of swift, high, heroic discharge of duty. You went, you saw, you conquered. It seems but yes torday that the republic, full of anxiety, strained its listening ear to catch the first word from those distant islands of sea. It came flashing over the wires t May morning as the sun burst that May through the clouds, and filled every hear with the flumination of its good cheer In the twinkling of an eye your name was on every lip; the blessing of every Ameri-can was on your head, and your country strode instantly forward a mightior power among the nations of the world. As we welcome you back there comes also the vivid picture of that time, with all Its hopes and fears, and with all its swift succeeding triumph and glory.

"Let me now read the act of congress in pursuance of which we are here "Resolved, By the senate and house of representatives of the United States America, in congress assembled, that the secretary of the navy be, and he hereby is, authorized to present a sword of hone Commodore George Dewey, and to cause to be struck bronze medals, commemorating the battle of Manila Bay, and to distribute such medals to the officers and man of the ships of the Asiatic squad-

sword to you as the mark of its approval. our country has recognized therefore no Vashington, Oct ally the great rich fruits which, even before returning from your victory, you Kinley, in honor of Admiral Dewey, tonight gave the largest dinner party in have poured into her lap, but also her

ver their race or language or color, who

By authorizing the presentation of this

her triumph in war.

late you on your return across the sea

the United States and him who is its liv ing president today; here in this beauti

ful city adorned with the statues of its

statesmen and heroes the number incom-plete until your own is added; here amid

this throng of citizens who are only a

type of the millions and millions more who are all animated by the same spirit

of affectionate and grateful welcome. I cannot doubt that it is one of the proud-est days of your life, and I know that it

is one of the happlest in the heart of each one of your fellow countrymea,

wherever they are, whether on the con-

timent or on the far-off islands of the sea. Now, following the authorization of con-

gress I present the sword of honor which

hold in my hand-my hand-rather let it

to to you through the hand of one who

in his youth also periled his life and

fought for his country in battle, and wh

The President's Speech

the people of the United States with

one voice have welcomed you with love

sword the President said:

1 . . .

the United States.

own responsibility to discharge the great trust which is thus put upon her and fulfunctions. Covers were laid for over eighty persons. The guests included If the destiny of her own growth and of the empire that is now her charge. It 's a new demand upon all the resources of the cabinet, the governors of nine states, justices of the Supreme court. her conscience, wisdom and courage. It is a work in the speedy and beneficent some of the members of both houses of congress, army and navy officers and nsummation of which she is entitled t thers. It was a brilliant affair. An erdial help, sympathy and uplifting of all her citizens, not the faint-hearted hour before the hour announced a large crowd of spectators had gathered in icubis and teasing cavils of any of them. front of the white house and watchel It is a work on which she has entered in the arrivals. Admiral Dewey came at the interest of early peace in those new lands, their stable government, the ex-tablishment in them of law and order, the 8 o'clock and as he passed inside with Flag Lieutenant Brumby and Flag Secsecurity of life and property, and the American standards of prospecity and home. Let those when fear remember that though her children, guided by you, retary Caldwell the admiral was enthusiastically cheered. Rear Admiral Schley was given a similar ovation. The guests passed into the cast room, took the wings of the morning and dwelt in the uttermost parts of the sea, even whence they proceeded to the corridor. there the hand of our fathers' God shall which served tonight as the state dinlead them and his right hand shall hold ing room, the usual room being too them. In this work, in view of the great small for the purpose. The corridor part you have taken in the sudden devel-opment of her sovereignty, your full and communicating rooms were beaufull tifully decorated with plants and flowknowledge of the situation and the just ers. On the large colored glass screen hold you have on the hearts of all back of the president's chair had been people, she looks for your continued service and listens for your counsel in the high hope and purpose that the triumph of her pence shall be even greater than hung the president's flag and on the opposite side of the table to the rear

of Admiral Dewey's seat was the four starred blue flag of the admiral of the It is my good fortune, under the terms navy. Among the guests were Senaof the enactment of congress, to have the tors Hanua, Foraker, Platt, Depew and honor of presenting to you this beautiful sword. If during the many coming years, Penrose, ex-Secretary Alger, Governor which I trust shall remain sheathed in peace, as God grant it may, that fact will Roosevelt, Rear Admirals Sampson and Schley and Charles Dewey and George perhaps be due more than to anything G. Dewey. else to the thoroughness with which you have already done its work. I congratu-

SCROLL FOR DEWEY. Will Be Presented with a Handsome

Souvenir. Philadelphia, Oct. 3 .- The Philadel phia commercial museum will present to Admiral George Dewey a handsome scroll, inviting him to attend the opening ceremonies of the international commercial congress at the national export exposition in this city on Ocober 12.

It is a handrome scroll of blue and gold, illuminated with gold letters. On the top is a drawing in water color of the main entrance. Each capital letter is illuminated in gold. The seal of the Philadelphia museum is also in gold The back consists of old moire gold silk. The entire scroll is bound in blue leather.

TRANSVAAL SITUATION.

London, Oct. 3 .- There are no new de is today the commander-in-chief of all velopments in the Transvaal situation. Arrangements for the despatch of war or armics and navies, the president of stores and men continues. A quantity of balloon material has been sent to South

When Secretary Long handed the Africa. A telegram from Paris announce: that M. A. Renaud, president of the in-ternational arbitration and peace league, "Admiral Dewey, from the time of has sent an appeal to Lord Salisbury enyour entrance into New York harbor treating him to chose a power to act with a power chosen by the Trausvaal with your gallant crew and flagshin,

with the object of averting war. Steamshin Arrivals.

and gratitude. I am proud to add my voice to the others. New York, Oct. 3 .- Arrived: Kaiser Wilheim Der Grosse, Bremen, etc.; South-wark, Antwerp. Cleared: Friesland, Ant-werp; Phoenicia, Hamburg; Bovic, Liv-"There was no flaw in your victory at Manila. There will be no faltering in maintaining it."

New York, Southampton When the president spoke those Passed: Patria, New York for Hamburg Cherbourg-Salled: Kaizer Friedrich words, there was a deafening thunder Cherbourg-Salled: Kaizer Friedrich. Hamburg and Southampton for New York. Boulogne-Salled: Palatia, Ham-burg for 'New York. Lizard-Passed: of applause that lasted for several minutes. The president then handed the sword to the admiral. Spaarudam, New York for Rotterdam. Bremen-Arrived: Bremen, New York via "In the name of the people of the

United States." Southampton. New York-Sailed: Lahn The admiral took the sword and replied:

The admiral took the sword and re-lied: "T thank you, Mr. President, I thank Ne York for Bremen. Browhead-Passed: Saale, Ne York for Bremen. Browhead-Passed: the Secretary of the Navy I thank the i Majestic, from New York for Liverpool

"But if the Democratic party departs clined to believe that there is a pin to from the principles or any of the princhoose between them bur when the cipies underlying the Chicago platform race is closely analysed, it is absoof 1896. I believe it will be third when functly provin that the Columbia the votes are counted at the November election in 1900.**

LAWTON AT BACOOR.

A Movement to Clear the Country of Insurgents.

Bacoor, Luzon, Oct. 3 .- General Lawton came to Baccor this morning and organized a general movement to clear up the country between Imus and I'acoor, taking the personal command General Lawton's force consists of all the troops from Bacoor and Zapote, five companies of the Fourteenth regi-ment, Colonel Baggett commanding, the time a lowance expired. Megrath's troop of the Fourth cavalry; Reilly's battery of two guns and another hattery of two guns.

General Fred Grant is co-operating with a force composed of three companies of the fourth regiment Major Price commanding; Knabenshine's scouts and one gun. General Lawton's force crossed the

boats in their frenzied engerness to let river part of Bacoor, a part of the nothing of the beautiful spectacle estroops using small boats. A hundrel cape, crowded down upon the racers marines from the fleet are assisting. until their back wash impeded their The American losses yesterday in the progress through the water and caused

fighting with the insurgents at Imus were a captain of the Fourteenth regiment and a corporal of the regimental signal corps killed, and three men of the Fourteenth regiment and three of the Fourth wounded.

SAMPSON'S SWORD.

New Jersey's Testimonial Will Be Presented October 25.

Trenton, N. J., Oct. 3.-Governor HORSE WAS DROWNED.

Voorhees today received a letter from Captain French E. Chadwick, of the Exciting Experience of Young Men flagship New York, making some sug-Who Attended the Towanda Fair. gestions regarding the presentation by special to The Scranton Tribune the state of New Jersey of a sword to Admiral Sampson on October 25. He stated that the ceremonies will be attended by Rear Admirals Higginson. Phillips and Crowninhsield, Captain Brownson, Commander Wainwright Lieutenants Blue, Usher and Winslow Captain Chadwick suggested that the nour of the presentation be'changed from noon until later in the day.

Bitter Controversy Ended.

Berlin, Oct. 3.-As the result of Em-Strasburg will receive a Catholic faculty, thus ending a long and bitter controversy.

Root Defeats Craig.

New York, Oct. 3 .- At the Lenox Ath letic club tonight Joe Gans, of Balti-more, won the decision over Spider Kelly, of California, in 25 rounds of fast fighting Chicago, Oct. 3 .- Jack Root, of Chicago got the decision over Frank Craig, the "Harlem Coffee Cooler" at the end of six rounds at the Tattersails tonight at 133 pounds

ing between the contending parties. He then eloquently thanked his colleagues and the respective counsel, tendering on behalf of the tribunal special thanks for the hospitality extended to all by France. The sentiments he repeated in French Ex-President Benjamin Harrison, the

personal counsel for Venezuela, then made a few remarks and was followed by Sir Richard Webster, personal counsel for Great Britain, who thanked the French government for its hospitality and said that England and Venezuela would work side by side in harmony

The sitting was then adjourned.

ARTILLERY OF BOSTON

Members Are Now Celebrating the 262d Anniversary.

Philadelphia, Oct. 3 .- The members sh wed her superiority at every point of sailing, running, reaching and beatcompany, of Boston, which is cile ing whenever the wind freshened, and brating its two hundred and sixty-sothat it was only in the lightest air that end anniversary, were kept basa tethe Shamrock could make headway This morning, in response to against her. Both had their share of the invitation of Mayor Ashbrilue, the officers of the company visitel the city. The Columbia had the better of the hall, where they were tendered an its shifting wind on the run down to the formal reception by the maxo and other city officials. After this was mark, and beat the Shamrock two minutes and forty-four seconds, while over the Bostonians were escorted to on the beat home, after increasing her the National Export exposition, where te d to over a mile at one time, the they spent the greater part of the day. Shamrock overhauled the Yankee and Many of the members also visited was a quarter of a mile ahead when the historical places in and around the

city. At 7 p. m. the artillerymen gave a reception at their hotel and an hour later they sat down to an elab-The feature of the race which pleased orate hanquet to which all the promieverybody most was the perfectly clear nent city and state officials have been field which was maintained. For the invited. They will leave for Boston first time, this year, the government

tomorrow. took a hand to prevent a repetition of the occurrence which marred the race FAST TYPESETTING. when the accompanying excursion

William Stubbs, of Baltimore, Breaks the Record.

Philadelphia, Oct. 3.-William H. Stubbs, a compositor on the Baltimore Lord Dunraven to file his famous pro-Sun today broke the world's record for test. The g vernment was determined machine typesetting, in a contest for this year that the course should be a wager of \$450 a side with William protected against unofficial trospassors. Duffy of the Philadelphia Inquirer. A flotilla of revenue cutters, and swift The contest was hold in the Philadob torpedo boats, flying red barred white phin Times office. Stubbs set 66.617 flags, guarded the course, keeping exems in five hours and thirty five mincursion steamers, yachts and tugs at utes, or an average of 11.340 erns an | a pe fectly safe distance from the cannours

The previous record was 10,800 enas an hour, made in the St. Louis Post-Fispatch office, four years ago. In the contest today. Duffy the loser set 626 cms in five hours and twenty-three

Towanda, Oct. 3 .- Messrs, Powers Governor's Appointments. Harrisburg, Oct. 3.-These appointments were made today by Governor Stone: and Young, hailing from Orwell and Standing Stone absorbed a little too George W. Kennedy, of Potisville, mem-ber of state pharmaceutical board; Wil-liam Morrison, of Carbondale, alderman Third ward, vice Michael Loftus, doceas-ed; Hyman Wymbaum, Pittsburg, achoimuch "fire water" while attending the fair at Towanda last Friday. On returning home they went to sleep and started to drive along the side of the river at Standing Stone. When the arship in the veterinary department of the University of Pennsylvania; Winfield L. Parsons, alderman Seventh ward, Wilkeshorse was about to step up the bank one of the men attempted to guide the Barre, vice W. S. Parsons. animal the other way, when it plunged

minutes

Paper Mill Burned.

Downington, Pa., Oct. 2.-The large paper mill of S. A. Bicking was destroyed by fire today together with all its con-tents except one engine. The mill had

Washington, Oct. 3 .- Forecast for Wednesday: Eastern Pennsylvania -Fair Wednesday, rain Thursday; seen idle for a week past for the purpose of putting in new machinery and a re-sumption was planned for today. The building was of brick, four and one-half + shifting to northeasterly Thursday. +

nothing to do but make bother there wosn't a bit more noise than any ordinary convention gathering would produce. Those of our own city, who assembled in the principal streets to watch the town grow searlet, had their trouble for their pains. The fire laddics were disappointingly good.

It isn't because it is not a large convention that the excitement is not more interse. The convention is the largest in the history of the association. The explanation is found in the fact that the local firemen, unlike these of some smaller cities where the convention has been held, have something better than boisterous horseplay with whice to amuse and entertain their guests.

Today the visitors will be kept unusually busy. Two convention sessions will take the entire motning and afternoon and in the evening there is to be of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery | an illuminated run by the central city companies to be followed by a big asphalt dance that everybody and his wife is going to attend. Between times the local firemen will be showing their guests about the city in the trolley cars or taking them to the mines, mills and other interesting points.

Large additions will be made to the ranks of the visitors during the days as no less than thirty-four large companies, many of them accompanied by bands are scheduled to arrive before the night is many nours old.

First Session.

THE convention was called to order at 2:10 o'clock by ex-Chief P. J. Hickey, chairman of the local executive committee. After a few well chosen words he introduced State President C. H. Cohn, who formally opened the convention. Hev. Regers Israel made an invocation and then Mayor James Moir was introduced to extend the 'city's welcome. Mayor Moir said:

It is a pleasant task assigned me-to extend a warm welcome to the firemen. The firemen ought to have a warm wel-come. (Laughter.) After four years' effort we have succeeded in inducing you to hold your convention in the most progressive city in Pennsylvania.

We have been making great prepar-ations for you. Our honorable judges have set aside for you the best room in our temple of justice. Chief Walker complained to me this morning that the decorations of the arches lacked color. reassured him that there would be no trouble on that score; that you had brought along a sufficiency of color to change the hue of the arches and the whole town, for that matter.

In talking with the chief of police, he old me that his force was never in better condition than at present. He also said that he has just had the patrol wagon rebuilt and repainted for you. (Laughter.) He meant, of course, that was for use should any of you fall y the wayside. You needn't have any fear on account of the chief. He is a veteran fireman himself. (Cheers.)

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