

TWO CENTS.

States Minister at

Pekin.

Foreigners Have Fled-Imperial

Mr. Conger's report has not induced

the state department to vary the line of action it has laid down. The naval

force of the United States at Pekin

now represented by one vessel, the

Newark, has not been strengthened

but if occasion should arise, Admiral

Kemoff might be reinforced to almost

any extent, likely to be needed, in the

course of three or four days, from the

numerous American fleet still at Ma-

Owing to the peculiar character of

the Chinese coast, naval vessels of for

midable type are unable to approach

the populous provinces in China, and especially are the "Boxer" afflicted

communities inaccessible to naval ves

The state department does not con-

template the use of United States

troops, and it would be difficult to

ing in the Philippines, even if it were

found expedient to employ the milli-

Crisis Exists at the Falace.

alarming reports are constantly arriv-

ing from the country, especially from

Pao-Ting-Fu. The telegraph wires from

Pekin to Pao-Ting-Fu are cut and all

It is reported that a serious crisis ex-

ists at the palace. The Ultra-Conser-

news comes via Tien-Tsin.

Pekin, Sunday, June 3 .- The most

spare any from the force now operat-

nila and vicinity.

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tary arm.

Minister Conger at Pekin:

SERIOUS

INTELLIGENCE

Conger.

SCRANTON, PA., TUESDAY MORNING, JUNE 5, 1900.

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COEUR D'ALENE AFFAIR. **GRAVE REPORTS** Minority Report on the Investiga-

tion Is Given Out. FROM CHINA Washington, June 2.-The minority eport on the Coeur d'Alene investigaion was given out today by Representatives Lentz, of Ohio, and Hay, of Virginia, who drafted it. A Despatch from United

The minority report points out that the evidence taken during the investigation shows that there was absolutely no rioting in Shoshone county, Idaho after April 29, 1899; that when the United States troops arrived upon the scene quiet had been restored and no resistance was being made to the state authorities, who were arresting as rapidly as possible those who were suspected of being implicated in the crime f April 29, 1899, and that the president of the United States has kept and is still keeping soldiers in that community and by so doing is upholding a ty-rannical course of conduct pursued by Boxer Atrocities Increasing-All the governor of Idaho.

The minority point out five fingrant Government Unwilling or Unable instances of abuse of power and violato Suppress the Trouble-Report tion of law by General Merriam, the of Dissension in the Palace-Rev. ommander of the troops and declare that his conduct has resulted in the Charles Tracy Pitkin Safe. gravest injuries to the liberty of the itizens, "Innocent men," the report says, "have been kept in prison for months without trial and have been Washington, June 4 .- The following finally discharged without any charges cable message has been received at the being preferred against them. At one state department from United States time or another there were 1,100 men

in the prison at Wardner, known as Pekin, June 4.-Outside of Pekin the murders the 'bull pen.' They were kept there many months. They were not tried. and persecutions by the "Boxers" seem to be on the increase. The PostTing-Fu railway is temporarily abandoned, Work on the Pekin and Hangkow line is stopped. All foreigners They were not charged with any crime; they were held and guarded by United States troops." have field. The Chinese government seems either unwilling or numble to suppress the trouble. The troops show no energy in attacking the

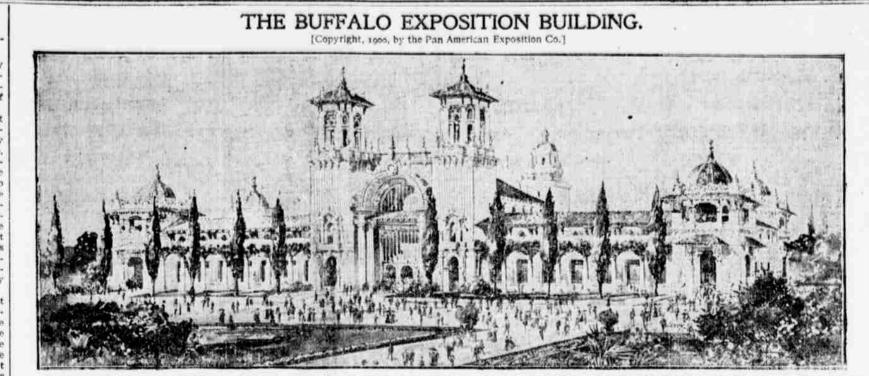
The majority report was also completed today and submitted to the minority members, but it will not be made public until approved by the house military committee, which conducted the investigation.

SHOOTING AFFRAY IN **TEXAS COURT HOUSE**

Three Prominent Men Lose Their Lives as the Result of an Old Feud-Governor Requested to Call Out Troops.

St. Augustine, Tex., June 4 .- Three rominent men gave up their lives in a shooting affray at the court house to-day. They were: Felix Roberts, correspondent of the Galveston News; Sid Roberts and Sheriff Noel Roberts. A few weeks ago Sheriff George Wall was shot to death by Curt Borders as the result of an old feud. Noel Roberts was appointed sheriff. Last Satruday the second life was taken in the quarel, when Eugene Wall, son of the murlered sheriff, killed Benjamin Brooks, member of the opposing faction. Today the contending factions met in the court house here. All were heavily

armed and quickly lined up for a battle. The sheriff and two of his family fell to before the deadly fire of their enemies. to More trouble is feared, as many of the dead men's friends have started to the



This picture of the Electricity Building at the Pan American Exposition to be held in Buffalo next year, is made from a drawing by the architect. It will be a commodious structure feet long and 150 feet wide, and of marked architectural beauty. The south facade will front the mail and the north the midway.

DAIRYMEN MEET **GOVERNOR STONE**

DEMAND DISMISSAL OF HAMIL TON AND HUTCHINSON.

Resolutions Presented Condemning the Work of the Dairy and Food Commission-Mr. Hill States That the Oleo Law Is Enforced in New York State and That but 2.000,-000 lbs Were Sold Annually, While the Sale in Pennsylvania Was 11,-

Harrisburg, June 4 .-- A conference of representatives of the dairy interests of Pennsylvania was held in this city today with Governor Stone in relation to the administration of the department of agriculture. There were in attendance delegates from the State Grange, Farmers' Alliance, dairymen's societies and Pure Butter Protective association. Prior to calling upon the governor a meeting was held at the board of trade, at which C. P. Faucett, of Westchester, president of the Pure Butter Protective as- General MacArthur Makes Report in sociation of Pennsylvania, presided. Resolutions were adopted commending with "admiration the devotion duty and the fearlessness enforcement of the law in relation

oleomargarine," by James M. Beck, of Philadelphia, United States ate resolution inquiring as to the numdistrict attorney, and requesting

PORTO RICO OFFICIALS. LAST GASPS OF A President McKinley Sends Names of Candidates.

Washington, June 4 .- The president day sent the senate a number of A PICTURESQ ominations for Porto Rico: Jose Severo Quinones, of Porto Rico, is nominated to be chief justice of the Supreme court of Porto Rico, and

Members in Full Louis Sulzbacher, of Missouri, Jose C. Hernandez, of Porto Rico, Jose M. eries Thronged Piquieras, of Porto Rico, and Rafael Spectators-Mr Noeto Y Abeille, of Porto Rico, to ba on the Philippi associate justices.

Among other nominations for Porto Rico are William H. Holt, of Kentucky, to be United States district judge: Edward S. Wilson, of Ohio, to be United States marshal; Nonh B, K. Pettingill, of Porto Rico, to be United States district attorney, and

Rowe, of Pennsylvania, and Juan Hernandex Lopez, of San Juan, Porto Rico, to be members of the commis-Brumbaugh, of Pennsylvania, to be commissioner of education. The nominations for members of the executive council are all Porto Ricans.

FILIPINOS KILLED.

Response to a Request from Congress Through Secretary.

Washington, June 4.-Secretary Root today made answer to the senscene from Nacocogdoches. Telegrams President McKinley to retain him and the number of prisonors taken speech of Mr. Speoner, of Wiscensin.

Manila, June 4, 1900.

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| LONG SESSION | Weather Indications Tojay: PARTLY CLOUDY. |
| A PICTURESQUE GATHERING IN THE SENATE. | 1 General-South African War Situation. Setions Condition in China. Dairymen Confer with Governor Stone. Picturesque Session of the Senate. |
| dembers in Full Dress and the Gal- eries Thronged by Gaily Attired | 2 General-Northcastern Pennsylvania, Financial and Commercial. |
| Spectators-Mr. Teller's Speech on the Philippiens One of the Fea- | 2 Local-James Noian Murder Trial. Many Pleas of Guilty in Quarter Sease Court. |
| tures of the Day-Objection Is | 4 Editorial, News and Comment, |
| Made to the Nomination of Otis as Major General-House Proceed- | 5 Local-Trolley Companies at War. Methodist Ministers Meet at Kingston. |

THE NEWS THIS MORNING

Local-West Scranton and Suburban.

Base Ball News and Comment. Round About the County.

Local-Live Industrial News

MRS. AMERMAN

Joseph Dixon to be Used Taking

Worcester, Mass., June 4 .- The will

of Mrs. Ella Amerman, widow of ex-

Rogers of the Philadelphia Club.

take a resumption of the enterprise."

Dreyfus, owner of the club,

Rochambeau Statue Unveiled.

Vendome, France, June 4 .- The statue erected

Steamship Arrivals.

men, via Cherbourg and Southampton; Taurie

Philadelphia, June 4 .-- John I. Rogers

Care of Horses and a Dog.

ings.

Washington, June 4 .-- Congress is in the last gasps of the long session and its expiration apparently is to be quite perfunctory. Unless something sion to complie and revise the laws extraordinary occurs no further gen-THE OTHER WILL OF of Porto Rico; and Martin Grove eral legislation of national importance will be enacted before final adjourn-The ment. The senate was in session more than ten hours today, nearly four hours of which were spent in ex-Ten Thousand Dollars Left to Rev. ecutive session. The only features of the day session was the speech on the Philippine situation by Mr. Teller and the effort of Mr. Pettigrew, of South Dakota, to obtain consideration for the anti-trust bill passed by the house last Saturday.

Congressman Amerman, of Pennsylva-Tonight a picturesque session was nia, was filed for probate today. The held, a sort of social session, at which sum of \$10,000 is left in trust, the inmany of the senators appeared in full come to be used in taking care of her dress and the galleries were thronged ate resolution inquiring as to the num-ber of Flifpinos killed and wounded Mr. Pettigrew replied at length to the Dixon, former pastor of the Warren in the council."

NEWS FROM PRETORIA Announcement That the

CONFLICTING

City Is Preparing to Surrender.

KRUGER GOES EASTWARD

But Is in Constant Wire Communication with the Leaders at Lourenzo Marques-Lord Roberts Is Silent, but It Is Known That Some Great British Movement Is in Progress Outside of Pretoria-The City Full of Strange Burghers.

London, June 5, 3.20 a. m .- Of official intelligence regarding what is transpiring outside Pretoria there is little or nothing today. Lord Roberts is silent. Nevertheless, by piecing together items from various correspondents, it would seem that Lord Roberts' immense army is all employed north of Johannesburg, except one brigade, which is at Johannesburg, and that six columns are converging on Pretoria.

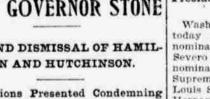
An undated news agency message from Pretoria, vla Lourenzo Marques, June 4, says:

"Pretoria is now invested by the British. No resistance will be offered. The city will be surrendered by the burgomaster as soon as a formal demand is made.'

This message purports to come in cipher. President Kruger commands the telegraph eastward from Pretoria and telegraphic news from Pretoria to Lourenzo Marques has ceased, but the messengers of newspaper correspondents continue to pass to and fro on the railway. The latest to arrive at Lou-renzo Marques bring events at the Boer capital down to a late hour Friday night. At that time, according to these sources of information, the military leaders had quite recovered from the panic and had determined to defend the town. One message, which is dated June 1, says:

"Pretoria is full of strange burghers, but most of the commandos are laagered outside. A great war council of generals has just concluded its delibrations. The decision as to the future military course has not been made known. Louis Botha and Delarcy sat

Another dispatch, Baptist church, Boston renzo Marques by messenger and dated at Pretoria, Friday at midnight, says: "The war council assumes the powrs of the government. Its members declare that the capital may still be successfully defended. One commander declared:



300,000 Pounds.

Joseph F. Daley, of New York, Leo S.

vative party is averse to taking re-pressive measures and urges the dowager empress to allow the "Boxers" to finish the work of driving the foreigners out of the country.

The Moderate party, led by Prince Ching, calls attention to the serious danger of provoking a conflict with the powers.

It is impossible to confirm or deny the report of the crisis, but signifi-cant indications of the feeling of the government toward foreigners are contained in the attempt to arrest Lin, Chinese manager of the Pekin leaders will slide off very easily. John syndicate; Kia, chief of the Shan-Si commercial bureau, and Fan, a leading banker of Shan-Si, on the ground that they were dangerous characters, but in reality because they are connected with new British enterprises. All of them were absent and they have not yet been arrested.

The British minister, Sir Claud Mac-Donald, has addressed a note to the Tsung-li-Yamer, demanding to know why the arrests were ordered.

Tien-Tsin, June 3 .- Two more of the party of foreigners who fied from Pao-Ting-Fu have arrived here. One of them was severely injured. The relief expedition has returned.

No report had been received up to the time this dispatch is sent from the body of mounted Cossacks which started in search of the refugees, and fears for the safety of it are entertained.

Cossacks Fight the Boxers.

Tien-Tsin, June 4 .- The Cossacks returned this evening. They report that they had a fight with the Boxers at Tuli, killed sixteen and wounded many, Lieutenant Bleuskey, Dr. Hamilton, a trooper and a civilian were wounded.

is reported from Pao-Ting-Fu that eight Americans and three memders of the China inland mission are The missionaries are in Erie, Lehigh Valley, Delaware, Lackmissing. great danger.

Washington, June 4 .-- Some slight encouragement as to the conditions six weeks ago, reported for duty. In prevailing at the end of the Pekin railway, where the engineers have been beset, was conveyed indirectly handlers, whose places to a considin the form of a cablegram received at the state department this after-The department had cabled noon. Minister Conger in the interest of friends of Rev. Charles Tracy Pitkin, one of the American missionaries at ers will be at work again. With the Pao Ting Fu, asking for information as to his condition. Mr. Conger replied that the missionary was safe and well. In obtaining this informa-

tion he must have first acquainted himself with the situation at Pao Ting

Chinese Officials Indifferent.

London, June 4 .- According to a special dispatch from Shanghai the Cos- to secure the prize for him. sacks were dispatched to the rescue of the Belgians, after a stormy interview between the Belgian minister and the members of the tsung li yamen. The dispatch says also:

'Over forty miles of bridges and stations on the Lu Han railway have been destroyed and it will take months to repair the damage.

"The German and Austrian legation guards have arrived at Pekin. It is asserted that the government is delaying the transition of telegrams in order to conceal the movement of the Boxers. Apparently the Chinese officials will do nothing to prevent massacres or outrages unless the powers take vigorous concerted action

have been sent to Governor Sayers, requesting him to call out the militia.

HARMONY IN NEW YORK. Democrats in New York Will En-

dorse Chicago Platform.

New York, June 4 .-- If the proceedings of the state convention of the Democratic party tomorrow are as harmoniously conducted as was the meeting of the state committee tonight, the programme laid out by the T. Norton, of Troy, upon the suggesvention and Eliot Danforth will be permanent chairman. It is altogether probable that the

clatform presented and adopted will be as radical as the most ardent admirer of William J. Bryan can wish, The Chicago platform will be nearly if not absolutely endorsed, an antitrust plank drawn by Comptroller Coler will be one of the features and attention may be called to the fact that a bill drawn by Democrats and almed at trusts has been on the statute books for two years and never has been enforced by a Republican administration. The delegates-at-large will

Ex-Senators Murphy and Hill, Richard Croker and Augustus Van Wyck, by the governor in the executive It is the belief the delegates will be Instructed for Bryan. Ex-Senator Hill has been selected as the chairman of the committee on resolutions.

BUFFALO STRIKE OVER.

Railroad Employes Who Quit Work Some Weeks Ago Return.

Buffalo, June 4 .- This morning bevardmen and freight handlers of the awanna and Western, New York and

Pennsylvania railroads, who quit work some instances there was no place them, notably so among the freight erable extent had been filted. The old men will, however, he given preference over the new and less satisfactory workers, with the probable result that before long all of the strikexception of the freight handlers most partment of agriculture has been inof the men receive an increase of pay.

Gen. Palmer a Candidate.

Wilker-Barre, June 4 .- Ex-Attorney General almer today announced his candidacy for the Republican nomination for congress in the Lu-zerne district. He mays, however, that he will not spend a cent to secure the nomination but will depend upon the honest vote of the masses

Pennsylvania Postmasters.

Washington, June 4 .- The following fourth class postmusters for Pennsylvania were ap-pointed today: Ariel, Wayne county, A. J. Keyes; Equinunk, Waye county, M. W. South-well; Vilas, Lycoming county, W. S. Russell; West Line, McKean county, M. A. Eilinger

DEATHS OF A DAY.

Philadelphia, June 4 .- John Wister, one of the leading iron masters of the state, died today at his home in Germantown, aged 70 years. Washington, June 4.-Silas Wright Hastings, late colonel of the One Hundred and Forty-sec-ond New York volunteer infantry and brigadier general United States volunteers by brevet, died fast night in this city. He leaves a wife and freer at hiteren

in office. A series of resolutions con- since the insurrection began. Having and directed to be presented to the General MacArthur, commanding at governor, The resolutions recom- Manila, and received the following remended the appointment of Jason sponse, which was submitted to con-Sexton, of Montgomery county, as gress; dairy and feod commissioner to the Adjutant General, Washington: With reference to your telegram of 22d ultimo,

vacancy created by the resignation of Levi Wells and setting forth that Secretary of Agriculture Hamilton tured and surrendered, 10,425; number prisoners "has demonstrated that he either is unwilling, does not know how, or is unable to enforce the laws now exist-dictor efforts and imme-dictor efforts and in the second se unable to enforce the laws now exist-ing against the illegal sale of oleo-margarine in this state, and therefore accurate report would take weeks to prepare. tion of ex-Senator David B. Hill, will margarine in this state, and therefore be the temporary chairman of the con- that he cannot be longer entrusted Number reported killed probably in excess of with the execution of these laws so vitally important to the dairy interests of the state,

The Resolutions.

The resolutions urge the governor to request the resignation of Secretary Hamilton and demand the dismissal of George G. Hutchinson, chief clerk of the dairy and food commission: TO ADVERTISE AMENDMENTS. James Terry, special agent at Pittsburg, and "all other incompetent and negligent officials who have shared with Secretary Hamilton and ex-Commissioner Wells responsibility for the scandalous maladministration of the dairy and food department. The dela- tary of the Commonwealth Griest to advertise the proposed amendments to gates to the conference were received the constitution which the supreme chamber at 2.30 this afternoon and court has decided Governor Stone had were presented by Mr. Faucett, after no right to veto. which Isaac Clever, of Philadelphia, papers in every county of the state secretary of the board of trade meeting presented the resolutions adopt- three months prior to the November

date.

ation.

fast fighting.

They will be published in two news-

The party was driven to the

the afternoon receiving callers.

report to the president at once

dental hotel, where General Otis spent

left for Washington tonight and will

Dixon-Callihan Fight.

delegates at large to the Kansas City convention.

election. If they should pass the next ed by that gathering. Among the dellegislature they will again be pubegates who called upon the executive lished three months prior to the elec William ere Representative tion of 1901, when they will be voted Creasy, of Columbia; William T. Hill, upon by the people. One provides for of Crawford county; Master of the State Grange Senator W. Hampton personal registration in cities and the tween 2,000 and 2,500 car repairers, Rice, of Bucks county, and Eastburn other allows the introduction of voting machines. Reeder, of Doylestown, former dairy

and food commissioner. Mr. Clever read the resolutions to the governor, who received the copy without comment. William G. Embree, of Chester county, in behalf of the farmers of Pennsylvania, said they feel that they are very much aggrieved by the non-enforcement of the oleo laws. He contended that Secretary Hamilton has never enforced the law, and that there was no active efforts to enforce the law until the newspapers brought the matter to public attention. The de-

efficient, and the farmers hold the authorities for the non-enforcement of the law. Joseph C. Sharples, of Delaware county, spoke in behalf of the creamery interests. He said the oleo law has never been enforced, and that Secretary Hamilton and his subordinates are incompetent and are censurable for what they have done and what

they have not done. He said Secretary Hamilton deceived the dairymen into believing that the oleo law was being enforced and permitted the life gal traffic of oleo to go on without

hindrance Sold as Pure Butter.

William T. Hill, in behalf of the State grange, said the complaint of the grangers is that oleo is being sold under the guise of pure butter with the sanction of the department of agriculture. The oleo law is enforced in New York state, and there is no reason why it cannot be enforced in Pennsyl-

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on the Philippines, but did not condemning the administration of the de- no detailed information of the subject clude his remarks. The remainder of named as custodian of the animals and partment of agriculture were adopted the secretary cabled the inquiry to the session was consumed in hearing he is directed to look after their welconference reports and in passing fare, minor measures on the calendar. Another will has been filed in Scran-

The senate committee on military affairs today reported favorably the ton, Pa., and it is said that the parents nomination of General Otis to be a of Mrs. Amerman will contest the last major general. When reported to the will filed on the ground of undue insenate in executive session there was

fluence by Mr. Dixon. the request for immediate action, but objection was made and the nomina----tion went over. BASE BALL UNION.

House Proceedings.

An Opinion on the Subject by John I. The house today agreed to the senate amendment to the sundry civil bill appropriating \$5,000,000 for the Louislana purchase expesition at St. of the Philadelphia base ball club, in Louis. The vote was 127 to 75.

move most wounded from field and compara-The house also agreed to the senate vely few fell into our hands. Officers of high ank and dangerous, suspicious men have been item for the Mississippi river, with an etained as prisoners, most other men disamendment reducing the appropriaharged on field as soon as disarmed. Propose o release all but very few prisoners at early tion to \$2,250,000, With these exceptions the items of the sundry civil (Signed) MacArthur, bill still in dispute after the adoption of the partial conference report were He said: sent back to conference. The disputed items of the Districtof Columbia ap-Secretary Instructed to Contract propriation were agreed to and the of labor. It is merely a sport, and has with Two Papers in Every County. bill went to the president, leaving only four bills in dispute between the two Harrisburg, June 4 .- Judge Weiss made an order today directing Secre-

houses. Mr. Tawney, of Minnesota, is making an effort to delay final adjournment until action is had on the Grout oleo bill, but he met with no success today.

OREGON ELECTIONS.

Meagre Returns Indicate the Election of Wolverton and Moody.

to another club half the purchase money shall be paid to the player. Portland, Ore., June 4 .-- Meagre re-The men object to the farming out turns from the interior, and the few process and will insist that when a votes counted in this city, indicate the club has no immediate use for a election of Wolverion (Rep.) for Suplayer he shall be released to resume preine judge and Moody (Rep.) for playing elsewhere. It was denied that the Philadelphia congressman in the Second district, players have an interest in the move

Returns from Marion county, the most populous county in the First Congressional district, show that Tongue (Rep.) for congress is running ahead of his ticket and has made gains over

of several cases of small pox on board Wholesale Robbery of Passengers

Near Shanghai.

by subscriptions opened in France and In the United States in honor of General Rochambeau, of revolutionary war fame, was unaded here this Shanghai, June 4 .- A number of desperadoes, disguised as passengers, have afternoon with great ceremony. The city was richly decorated and the houses were festooned with French and American flags. United States pirated the British Yang Tse steamer furnished by General Shafter, who Kutwo, went to meet the returning general.

Ambassador Porter delivered a speech and many Americans attended the ceremony.

Corporations Chartered.

Harrisburg, June L.-These corporations were chartered today by the state department: The Weaver-Hirsh company, Allentown, capital \$190,-Philadelphia, June 4 .-- George Dixon, the ex 000; Lorelei Building and Loan association, Phil adelphia, capital \$1,000,000; the Scaboard Coal company, Greensburg, capital \$1,000; Blue Ribbon Jersey Bar company. Duquesne, capital \$10,000; American Sheet Steel company of Penn-sylvania, Pittsburg, capital \$1,000; Summit Wire company, Pittsburg, capital \$1,000; the Home-stead Oil company, Homestead, capital \$10,000; Eagle Foundry and Machine company, Allecapital \$10,000; Bunker Hill Gas comgheny.

sany, Kittanning, capital \$1,000. convention at Batan Bouge today elected United states Senator McErnery, Senator-elect Fosier, justice Bianchard and ex-Mayor Fitzpatrick as

domed B. K. Polk for congress.

"'With the help of God the hour vill still come when Great Britain will acknowledge the independence of the two republics. A tremendous change will yet come over the situation.

"General Delarcy said that Pretoria would be defended to the utmost, adding: "There is every chance that we will yet beat the enemy out of the country."

"President Kruger is somewhere to an interview today, said he will not the eastward, but is in constant wire oppose his players joining the projected communication with the leaders here. union of players, if they desire to, or There is, however, a deep feeling of to their affiliation with the American anger against him on account of what Federation of Labor, but he ridculed is now called his unnecessary flight, the idea that any advantages would and because he and the officials took accrue to the players by such union. all the gold and left their subordinates unpaid. The latest phase of public "Base ball is not a trade or industry opinion is a marvelous revival of courthat can be classified under the head age.

From Lourenzo Marques comes a dispatch, dated June 14, saying:

no place in a federation of labor. When the players band themselves together "It is known that some great Britin an effort to dictate to us the mansh movement is in progress outside ner in which we shall conduct our busis | Pretoria, The mysterious movements ness it will then be time for the magof President Kruger's secretary and nates to retire. And under such cirphysician, particularly their secret cumstances I shall like to know where visit to the Dutch warship Friesland. the players will find capital willing to thich is in the harbor here, has aroused suspicions that important per-One reform advocated by the union. sonniges are expected. it is said, is that when a man is sold

Boers Are Baffled.

The news from minor theaters of ostilities is less cryptic. The Boer operations to break Lord Roberts' communications have been completely baffled and the Boer columns are n danger of being surrounded by the British forces at Ficksburg, Senekal, Heilbron and Lindley. General Runinstead of throwing himself ment which was thoroughly agitated against the Boers entrenched at Eedwhile the eastern teams were playing ulphberg.moved toward Ficksburg and r the west. Zimmer, Ely and Tannestablished communication with Genhill, of the Pittsburg club, now playeral Brabant, The Boors marched ing here, will represent their team at parallel with Rundle, intending to the meeting next Sunday at Brookeize a strong position on the Fickslyn without opposition from Barney burg road, but General Rundle got there first. The 1,500 Hoers who were in his movement are now reported to

be going elsewhere. The correspondents with General Rundle continue to point out the hardness of the fight of last Tuesday, but they believe that it will be the last resistance.

Boers at Cleveland.

Cleveland, June 4 - The Boor envoys arrived are today and attended a mass meeting tonight tendered in their konor. The hall was taxed to its capacity. All three commissioners made speeches and addresses were delivered also by weral local orators. Resolutions were adopted souncing the British government.

Potter Gets a Divorce,

Newport, H. L., June 4 .- James Brown Potter was granted an absolute divorce from his wife, Cora Urquhart Potter, the noted actress, today, and given the custody of his doughter.

************** WEATHER FORECAST.

Washington, June 4 .-- Forecast for Tuesday and Wednesday: Eastern Pennsyl-vania, partly cloudy Tuesday with moderate temperature; showers and Wednesday; fresh northeasterly winds Tuesday

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ed. Antworp-Arrived: Westernland, New Gibraltar-Sailed: Ems from Genoa and Vork. Naples, New York, Foundry Laborers Strike. Buffalo, June 4.-Nearly 700 laborers, members f the Foundry Laborer's union, struck today for \$1.75 for an eight-bour day, and advance of 25 cents. As a result about 1,290 molders and core makers employed in the various shops of the

city are idle. Mrs. Sherman Ill.

Mansfield, O., June 4.-Mrs. John Sherman grew worse rapidly today and at 10 o'clock was unconscious. Her physicians throught she ceuld not live until morning. General and Mrs. Nel-son A Miles have been telegraphed for,

Norp.

ampion featherweight of the world, and Tim allihan, a clover featherweight of this city, ought six of the liveliest kinds of rounds at he Pennsylvania Art Athletic club tonight and Callihan surprised everyone by the strong fight he put up. The local man had slightly the betput up. The local man had slightly the oct-of Dixon in points on aggressiveness and

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Louisiana Democrat Convention. New Orleans, June 4 .- The Democratic state

Polk Endorsed.

Danville, Pa., June 4 .- The Montour county Democratic convention today unanimously en-

They committed wholesale robbery, terrorizing the passengers, who were quite unable to offer resistance. The thieves escaped with their booty, New York, June 4.-Arrived: Friesland, Ant-erp, Cleared: Kaiser Wilhelm Der Grosse,

the transport Meade, General Otis and all on board had to submit to vaccin General Otis was brought over from Angel Island on a special steamer

his vote of two years ago. arrived last Wednesday from Manila,

GENERAL OTIS LANDS. Is Brought from Angel Island on Special Steamer.

BRITISH STEAMER PIRATED. sas allowed to land today. Because

San Francisco, June 4 .- After five tays in the quarantine at Angel Island, Major General E. S. Otis, who