

Dr. Swallow seems to look on Wan- have made him conspicuous, and his amaker as only a pace-setter.

As To the cause of the Maine disa ter everybody is, thus far, precisely where Moses was when the light went

THE Nation's honor is safe in the hands of the men the nation has chosen to guard and protect it.

peace are often synonymous.

THE anxiety of certain parties to name the successor of late County Auditor Silas H. Lichty is now ap- W. A. Stone, Hon. C. W. Stone, and parent. What a fortunate escape from the several other aspirants for the gu-"combine" dictation!

but 35 out of 153 votes in the convention.

some contribution to the fund for the loyally support the nominee. relief of the Maine's wounded and the families of the Maine's dead. Evi-

have a war after all.

An exploded falsehood against the Dingley law is the charge that it was framed in the interest of the sugar trust. Within six months after the passage of the law the sugar trust stock quotation declined from 159 to 120.

AT THE beginning of the nineteenth century Spain controlled more territory in the Western Hemisphere than did dications, the beginning of the twentieth century will find her without a

THE a quittal of Sheriff Martin and his deputies is in conformity with the anti-riot laws of the State. If the de-

THE State Convention of the Prohicandidates for Governor, Lieutenant of the Supreme Court.

THERE will be no fight at the Allegheny county primaries, to be held on April 2d, on delegates to the Republican State Convention, an agreement having been entered into by which Col. W. A. Stone is to have 13 of the 38 delegates, and the remainder are conceded to the Magee-Flinn people.

THE report of the Senate committee olution which required an investigav.ee law, submitted last week, recomthe classified service.

The announcement is made that our atoms. coast defenses are all right, and that as soon as the ammunition is ready we shall have everything needful in case of trouble. Let us hope that there will not be any trouble, but, if it comes, it is well to be prepared.

BOTH W. A. Stone and C. W. Stone have notified the chairman of the Blair County Republican Committee not to means that the five delegates from Blair

THE candidate for Governor who enters the contest with no purpose to is very sensitive. Europe is an armed charge of their duties without further destory that Emperor William declared at abide by the result of the State Con- camp and tinderbox that a spark might lay. A careful consideration of the record a private dinner that so long as he was vention, says the Uniontown Standard, ignite. The eastern complications, for has no business to be in the field for instance, may set the thing ablaza. Supfavors at the hands of that convention, pose that any possible action on the part be his name Wanamaker, Stone, Wide- of this government should result in an ner, or anything else. The people are alliance with Spain of a great E tropean in no mood to take up any man's per- power. I say 'suppose,' only. The adsonal grievances and use a great politi- avoid anything of the kind. The exigencal party for the purpose of satisfying cies of European politics might lead to private ends.

some Popocratic editors in this State, war. He will do all possible to avert one. says the Harrisburg Telegraph, that the He is a man of peace, and is governed by Republicans will not be able to find a Christian principles. candidate for Governor, and they have unselfishly set about selecting one for

From present indications, there will be no less than five State tickets in the field in Pennsylvania this fall. The Silver, or Bryan Democrats, and the congress and the administration should a dozen windows, burled a lighted lamp Seed Potatoes. Address Sound Money Democrats will each decide that they were needed. And still across the room, and did other things. have a ticket; then there will be the another five hundred millions could be Justice Dooley ordered him placed in a two Independent tickets, one headed added to those without the nation's in- cell to remain there one week. by John Wanamaker, and the other by Dr. Swallow; but the ticket that will down the old enemy, notwithstanding \$2,281,000,000. Today the American government never interest on less than \$250. the Wanamaker and Swallow side-shows, will be nominated by the Republicans at their convention on the curred by a part of the United States, second day of June.

that the North should do the fighting tures the solid credit of the forty-five in case of war between the United states of the Union, as firmly bound to-States and Spain. What he did say gether, thank God, and as resolute in supwas that the North was better prepared to do the fighting than the South, but that the South would do its share.

From the indications on the floor of "We're all coming, Uncle Samuel, with From the indications on the floor of a thousand millions more," is the motto Congress during the debate on the \$50,- of 1888. What a glorious closing of the 000,000 appropriation bill we should nineteenth century!-New York Sun. judge that the South would take a very lively hand in any fight in which this country might become involved. The Southern Congressmen certainly stood up for the President and patriotism. 65t E. street N. W. Washington, D. C. burg on the trains mentioned.

THE death of Gen. W. S. Rosecrans at Los Angeles, California, removes one of thi country's most illustrious military figures. He is the last of the Preparations For a Struggle With Spain great generals of the civil war to die. General Rosecrans passed through nany battles, but escaped without being wounded. He was a cadet at West Point, was with the army of the Mississippi and distinguished himself in different encounters, but particularly in the battle of Chickamauga. His honesty and fairness in all his dealings

the leading generals of the civil war.

Mr. JOHN WANAMAKER has finally nade public his determination to be a candidate for Governor, as will be seen by his letter published elsewhere in this paper. If he is nominated by the Republican State Convention, or someone of his naming who will be acceptable THE prudential measures of Congress to his faction of the party, he will abide seem to have had a quisting effect on by the action of the convention, other-Quay," will be placed on the ballots to less you nominate a man of our faction be voted at the Republican primary for Governor we will bolt the convenelection to be held in Blair county Sat- tion, place an independent ticket in the field, and defeat the regular Repub-

lican nominees. How different from that of Mr. Wanamaker is the course pursued by Col bernatorial nomination. All of these THE Cumberland County Conven-gentlemen have engaged in a friendly tion on the 8th instant elected three | contest to secure the nomination, and delegates to the Republican State Con- are earnestly working for the endorsevention. The Wanamaker people had ment at the various primary elections and county conventions. Each one is follows: making his own fight, and, failing to

The spirit displayed at the Bourse meeting, called for the purpose of makdently Mr. McKialey believes in quick | ing Mr. Wanamaker a candidate, and by the press which endorsed it, and the disposition shown now by Mr. Wann-Spain is evidently doing a little sober | maker's leading backers, points to the | ceived, if any, or expected to be received, | to do some harm to one or more towns of second thinking, and the general situa- fact that their real purper is the dis- relative to the loss of the Maine, the fact minor importance. tion is less threatening than it was a ruption of the Republican organization remains plainly apparent that the adminfew days ago. If Mr. Sylvester Scovel and the starting of an independent istration expects developments or medi-

> nto the hands of the Democracy. The stale platitudes in which Mr. Wanamaker indulges about reform are that Quay, politically, was the prince stroyed. of devils and that he, Wanamaker, was an angel of light.

mob fired upon by the deputies was ruary 28th, the first day of last week's ered. There must be a sufficient cause result. Such a squadrou would compel and force all others off the track. They bition party will be held in the Opera fondly hoped that the regulars would House at Harrisburg, Thursday and have a half dozen or more, but as for Friday, May 19 and 20, to nominate themselves only one set would be permitted. It was said Jeremiah Maurer Governor, Secretary of Internal Affairs, | was silenced, that he was off for good. two Congressmen at Large, and a Judge They also decided that Amos W. Knep- way to the Atlantic. If all this means country can command money, and leads per must withdraw and that their canlidates - General Koontz and S. A. Kendali-alone should be recognized as the regular bona fide bogie man bossism killers. It may be true that Maurer has been sat down upon and his political hopes snuffed out, but how about Knepper? Amos is red-headed and on civil service and retrenchment, pur- the combiners like their own hot stuff? anything in Cuba that differs from the attract the aid of bright and well-trained suant to instructions of the Senate res- How do they like curing bessism with information given by scores of other com- mex from other countries. more bossism? How do they know it petent observers who have recently vistion into the operation of the civil seris better in the fire than in the frying ited the island, and that is that it is hopelessly lost to Spain. pan? How do they expect us outsiders m ands that deputy collectors in the in- to line up with them, by giving us a t mal revenue service be excluded from | bigger, nastier and more nauseous dose The Secretaries of War and the Navy | bogie man trick won't work this time. | May 9. Second term begins July 25, 1898. appear to have been doing some exceed- What is back of the bogie man will, ingly good work in the past few weeks | and that will rend the combine into

## What Senstor Hanna Says.

tor Mark Hanna said: "The situation is one of waiting, of expectancy. Until the report of the Maine investigation is received there will not be anything of mo-

He added, after a pause: "Unles the unexpected occurs. The situation is a print their names on the ballots for the delieste one. The administration proprimary election on the 19th inst. This poses to act justly, rightly, and so as to command universal approval in all that county will go to the State Convention | may be dome. The Maine report will in- In its decision, which was unanimous, the uninstructed as to whom they shall fluence, according to its finding, the Cu- court says: support for the nomination for Gov- ban question, which will be settled sooner or later, but there are many considerations to be followed.

"For instance, the European situation, combinations that the people of this country would not have looked for. The THERE is grave apprehension among president does not wish for or expect

A Thousand Millions More. The sum of \$50,000,000, appropriated for possess their souls in patience until the defense by the National government, out for his meals. This happened so frequentfirst week in June the Republicans will of money at the time in the treasury, is a ly during the day that his wife has time valids or have perished in war or from on regular trains, and good to return on produce a candidate for Governor who portentous blow against the ambition of to do nothing else but prepare meals for will be inaugurated next January with any impoverished nation, like Spain, to ber husband. While others sleep Kempgreat celat, as they say in Greater New | make war upon us. But the fifty millions | nor still cats, and then he complained

when engaged in the most colossal struggle of modern times with the other part. WADE HAMPTON says he did not say Today we have to offer for war expendi-

## WAR IMMINENT.

Not Made Without Intent. NEW SHIPS PURCHASED.

name will go down into history with and department of the Gulf.

nine was exploded in Havana harbor.

All of the companies in the country engaged in the manufacture of projectiles are working double turn on contracts made by the government. Henry Hall, Washington correspond

There was a rumor in circulation to-

Those who know President McKinley's | The fact that several vessels, all faster character, and the coolness and calumess | than any fighting ship Spain possesses he has always displayed amid the most including one cruiser strong enough to his present action is rash and Ill-consid- | would also have a bearing on the possible At that conference it was decided to past ten days have forced upon the pub- naval force than ours, because it, would

rouble with Spain. thing really believes for a moment.

## The Meyersdale Normal and Prepara-

J. C. SPEICHER,

## GOVERNOR LOSES.

Capitol Building Commission Wins the coffee, 15 and 25c. Fight.

PHILADELPHIA, March 14.-Gov. Hastngs fight against the capitol building ion has been lost, and work upon contracts for the erection of the building. of their inquiry.

"Until it is shown that the commissionconstrued by this court, they should be of an impending alliance. They even before us has led us to the conclusion that | Emperor the Yankees should not posses In the absence of sufficient proof to over- | Cubs, some the legitimate effect of the defendministration naturally would wish to granting of a preliminary injunction."

## A Chicago Man's Appetite.

CHICAGO, March 13.-August Kempner of this city, ate 32 meals in one day, and saloon near his home, but frequently he takes time to rush to his home and call made searcely a drop in the bucket of that his wife and his son and daughter resources ready at hand for the United | were slowly starving him to death. Yes-States to pour from in case war should terday Kempner again proceeded to eat everything in the house, and when all Plymouth Rock Hens-Pure strain. Or-A thousand millions could be had to- was gone he grew angry, and, it is ders booked now. Also, Green Mounmorrow if the people's representatives in charged, attacked his wife, smashed half tain Seed Oats, and excellent varieties of

## THE NEW OBSERVATION CARS Between Baltimore and Pittsburg

ON THE Baltimere & Ohio Railread. The new Observation Cars "Undine" and "Bianco" on trains Nos. 5 and 6, the sure the Spanish Government does not New York and Chicago Limited Trains | want war, and will do everything himon the Baltimore & Ohio R. R., are the orable in its power to avert such a calamlatest ears of this pattern from the Pull- ity." man Shops. They are magnificently Speaking of the present policy of Spain furnished with splendidly equipped buf- in giving autonomy to Caba, the minister second of its present series of low rate fet, parlor, state room and observation said: end. The observation platform is a spec- 'The government has granted auton- ton. Special train carrying through parial feature. It is six feet deep, with ex- omy designed to give the Cuban people lor cars and coaches will leave Pittsburg tended roof, the sides being protected by the complete direction of their internal 8.00 a. m. Tickets will also be good on Internal 18.00 a. m. Ti large plate glass windows. Passengers affairs, gratifying the honorable ambition train No. 4, leaving Pittsburg at 8 10 p. can enjoy the magnificent scenery on all of the Cubans, while at the same time m., carrying through sleepers to Washsides in perfect comfort. The buffet is maintaining the historic allegiance of ington. Round-trip tickets, good to reever ready to supply light refreshments, Cuba as a colony of Spain. With the turn within ten days and good to stop off

## If War. What Then !

From the New York Tribune.

All that can now be done with reason and with honor to prevent war, is being done in vigorous preparation for nations defence. But & war should come i might be well that the country, and es-Agents of the government have been pecially the business world, should know ctively engaged during the past week in what results are to be expected. Were a preparing for a possible conflict with Spanish fleet even now on its way to at ain. Orders have been issued looking tack our ports there would be ground for orward to the mobilization of the troops less apprehension than sometimid specatationed in the west on the Atlantic sea lators have shown by their action. Most ast, and two new departments have of the important ports on the Atlantic seen created, the department of the Lakes | coast and on the Gulf are so far defended in the judgment of competent officers The Board of Inquiry has not yet sub-- that no serious harm could be expected titted its official report, but it is claimed from any such fleet as Spain can spar that the President has been officially ad- for distant service. Few details of such vised that the destruction of the Maine defences have been made public, but it i was caused by an external explosion, and known that the situation has been won that the official report will disclose that a | derfully changed within a few years, and is now changed every bour, and if the Monday the government purchased Spanish attache Sobral, who recently two Brazilian cruisers, the Amazonas went home to use what he had learned of and the Admiral Bleuraballe, built in American fortification, gives his govern England, and all possible arrangements ment accurate information it will hardly are being made to hurry their delivery on | send a hostile fleet to either of the im the Spanish jingoes. Firmness and wise he will bolt, and be an independ- this side of the Atlantic, Orders have portant Atlantic ports, unless it is ready ent candidate. In other words, Mr. been sent to hoist the United States flag to have that fleet destroyed in an effort to Wanamaker and his followers say to on both ships. One is ready to sail, and inflict some temporary damage. But "For United States Senator. M. S. | the Republican voters of the State "Un- the other has been launched, but it will | there are other considerations of importtake some time to make her ready for the ance, which may have an influence for

The greater part of the United Stat navy not now in commission are being navy is within a few hours of Havana repaired as rapidly as possible. Ships in The two Spanish vessels there would foreign waters have been ordered home, hardly venture out until powerfully reand the most powerful navy ever assem- inforced, and would be soon penned up bled in American waters is now at Key in that harbor by a greatly superior fleet. knowledge of what the contest involves Other Spanish harbors where adequate coal supplies could be taken on this side cess are. the ocean are in such posttion that they could be readily watched or blockaded. Ports of neutral powers would not be open to furnish supplies to belligerents ent of the Pittsburg Times, sums up the Any vessel entering a port to take on a the enemy; with primaries and convensituation as it existed Monday night, as supply of nel would be liable to be tions so manipulated as to defeat instead superior force warned by private dis-PRESIDENT McKinley made a hand- win the nomination for himself, will night that Secretary Long had received patches to this country. The problem of ployed to send an almost solid delegation unofficial information that the naval supplying the Spanish fleet in American to the last national convention instructed board would report that it was unable to waters, three thousand miles from home, for Senator Quay, when an overwhelming fix the cause for the explosion by which long enough to enable it to do any serious the Maine was destroyed. When his at- harm without becoming powerless and for McKinley; with manufactured contention was called to it, Secretary Long | helpless for want of fuel would not be a promptly denied having received such simple one. But Spain is hardly prenews. Whatever the information re- pared to throw away a fleet in the effort

Spain would have to choose at the star can somehow be held back we may not movement which will throw the State tates a plan of action which must result and some other important ports or per in serious international complications. manent abandonment of Cuba and Porto Upon no other conceivable hypothesis Rico. To defend them would require can its past and present course be ex- about all the force that Spain can spare plained or understood. If there is not, that is fit for service three thousand miles all discounted by the fact that his cam- nor has ever been, a reasonable proba- from home. Not one harbor is so defendpaign for election to the United States billity of trouble with Spain over the ed by modern fortifications as to be safe Senate a little over a year ago was the blowing up of the Maine or the Cuban if attacked by a strong naval force. But most corrupt in the politics of the State. question itself, then the administration a Spanish navy, if divided up in an effort When he found it personally and will have hard work to be acquitted of to defend numerous points, would be at politically profitable to act with Sena- the charge of having done more to excite the mercy of a concentrated fleet directed tor Quay he did so, and it was only af- and alarm the country than could possi- from Key West. The conditions seem to ter a quarrel, brought about by his bly have been accomplished by all the make it necessary for the Spanish to hold sensational newspaper stories that have a large part of their naval force for the any other country. From present inadequate supplies could be furnished.

> exciting circumstances, and know, more- fight any, might be organized into a flyover, how carnestly he has desired to ing squadron for the purpose of reaching avoid war and deprecated the agitation of Spanish ports and preventing the ship-Spain has no coast-defence vessels of the The Brooklyn has been brought from monitor type, such as the Terror, which Venezuela. The Bancroft and Helena is held capable of making this harbor exhave sailed from Lisbon, Portugal, to tremely dangerous for any warship, howleft the North Pacific for South American ever comes, modern war is a matter of ports and is believed to be really on her money, mechanics and science. This nothing and everything is peaceful, with- the world in invention, construction and out prospects of this peace being even | handling of machinery and electrical dedisturbed, then this country is certainly vices. It is not too much to say that the "putting the ocean in a tempest to waft a intelligence and skill of American me eather." That such is the case no one in | chanics would count for more than the Washington whose opinion is worth any- mere size of guns in any conflict with Spain. For that nation is one of the least There is much conjecture as to the in- developed in the use of modern machin formation given by Senator Proctor to the ery or in the body of trained and skilled hopeful, like Tom Cooper, and is not President to-day. Whatever it is, it is mechanics who are capable of using such likely to take his medicine without being scrupulously kept private, but no machinery with most effect. Nor has the

## Give the Children a Drink

ealled Grain-O. It is a delicious, appe tizing, nourishing food drink to take the place of coffee. Sold by all grocers and than we ever got before? Beside, where tory School prepares for teaching and for liked by all who have used it because does consistency come in? Bah! the college. Six teachers. First term begins when properly prepared it tastes like the finest coffee but is free from all its injurious properties. Grain-O aids digestion and strengthens the nerves. It is not a stimulant but a health builder, and children, as well as adults, can drink it with great benefit. Costs about 1 as much as

## Spaniards in Nervous Mood.

LONDON, March 14 .- A despatch to the the new building can now be proceeded Times from Havana says that the Maine with. The supreme court this morning | Court of Inquiry has concluded its rerefused to grant the appeal of the com- port, which will be presented to Governmonwealth from the Dauphin county ment at Washington within a fortnight ourt, asking for a preliminary injunction | Nothing is known regarding the opinion restrain the commission from awarding of the members of the court or the result

A dispatch to the Times from Madrid describes the Spaniards as being in a nervous mood, their condition being such ers have exceeded the authority vested in | that the slightest hint of good will from a them by the act of assembly, as thus foreign paper is clutched at as an earnest whether it is generally understood or not, permitted to proceed in the proper dis- beed such ridiculous inventions as the

ants' responsive answers to the material | there will be two verdicts in the Maine averments of fact contained in the bill, as | case. The verdict of the Spanish court amended, there is nothing to justify the of inquiry is daily expected from Havana,

He says: "The Spanish Government will find i difficult to dissent from the judgment of its own commission should the reports of

the two courts conflict." The Times publishes a letter from its then, it is said upbraided his wife and Havana correspondent reviewing the family because they allowed him to three disastrous years since the outbreak starve. Kempner, according to the evi- of the revolt. He computes that the redence produced in police court yesterday. bellion has cost Spain \$300,000,000; while spends considerable of his time in a the drain of men has been equally enor-

Half of the troops sent to the islands

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## Bernabe is For Peaco.

Washington, March 12-Senator Luis Polo y Bernabe, the new Spanish minister, said yesterday; "I am sure the United States does not want war, just as I am

## WANAMAKER IS A CANDIDATE.

Full Text of His Latter-Will Actively Ea-

ter the Compaign. John Wanamaker on Thursday mornog made reply to the committee from the Bourse meeting, which asked him to be a car d date for governor. He consents to run; his letter follows:

DEAR Stus: I consent to be a candidate r governor in pursuance with your reuest presented to me February 7. My reply to you has been necessarily delayed. These are the reasons: I have not wanted to become a candidate and add to my labors the duties of

escently conducting a campaign. I have been endeavoring to persuade ron to select any one of a dozen men of the control of the Spanish authorities in he state available for the place. I ardently hoped that the leaders of the Republican party would accept the notice served upon them by the Bourse meeting that the people intend to have something

to say as to who should be their next gov-The developments of the past two weeks have been invaluable to your cause and onclusive upon me in determining my

The crisis upon us is serious in its bearne upon the future standing and prosperity of the state. Since the last three unty conventions I have had a clearer vision of the dangers of the situation and now, after ample time to analyze existing editions, and having carefully considred every phase of the situation from all itical standpoints, I have arrived at this final decision with a comprehensive personally and what the chances of suc

I am neither deceived nor influenced by

false hopes, and know full well what my prospects of success are; with the delegate-election machinery in the hands of caught there in the act of loading, by a of register the will of the voter; with the same highhanded methods that were emmajority of the voters of the state were as was done at the last year's state conbe against me if nominated.

> But I am no more moved by these conditions than by the rumored deals of poll- with intent to kill and wound. Neinnit gicians, the threats of character assessins, | er was imprisoned and indicted. the tongue of slander or the fact that nearly one-third of all the delegates to the suit against his wife for divorce on the next state convention have already been ground of unfaithfulness. Last evening elected. I ignore all personal considera- a decree was granted him, after which duty, and making the issue one of prin- indictment against him. Judge Smith ciple, not spoils, I am ready to go forward sentenced him to pay a fine of \$1 and with you in your battle for political costs, the minimum penalty. The judge emancipation, convinced that the right | then scored the grand jury for finding an will ultimately triumph and that the peo- indictment in the case, declaring a man ple desire to settle the question them- was justified in using a deadly weapon

selves, and settle it this very year. If this action of yours in bringing me home. A conference of combiners was held the war feeling, cannot now believe that ment of supplies by merchant vessels into the field creates discord within party not solicited the nomination. Neither is armed and riotous, a conviction must court, says the Meyersdale Commercial. behind the preparations which for the Spain to keep at home a much larger it essential that I be elected governor. It will cost me nothing to step aside at any That the Reader Will do Well to Carerun only two candidates for Assembly lie mind the belief that there is danger of have to protect several ports at office. time for such a man as you and your associates agree to; who represents something more than a slate or the will of a perpetuating boss. I simply hold it to be imperative that some one shall be select-son to be thankful for its existence. Its Norfolk and Key West. The Oregon has ever heavily armed. Finally, if fighting ed to whom the interests of the state can se safely entrusted, who shall represent the people, not the edict of any one man. Therefore, let there be no misundertanding as to where the responsibility ests, and let the Republican voters denand a strict accounting. With school fonds long past due, and personal prop-

founds long past due, and personal property taxes withheld from counties to allow the state treasurer to farm out millions of dollars to favorite banks; with a capitol commission breaking down the restrictive barriers erected by popular sentiment, and planning a building that will cost millions when complete; with the knowledge that indemnity bonds, padded pay rolls, Lexow bills, legislative junketings, and mileage grabbers will be paid out of the state treasury, if the machine elects its governor, I am convinced from proofs in my hands from all parts of the state that the people are ready to unite with you in driving back the bosses kicking. Be that as it may, how do one believes that Senator Proctor learned course of Spain in Cuba been such as to the knowledge that indemnity bonds, unite with you in driving back the bosses and re-entering upon their rightful in-

The next chief executive of Pennsylvania must be a man possessing the fullest confidence of the the people, without a Lexow collar and free from every stamp of the machine.

of the machine.

When the people rise they are all powerful to desire the end of misgovernment of cities and states. It may take time and toll, but there must be many true men and women in Pennsylvania ready to take a stand and remain standing until a process of collisions. It is a short time relieved me of the trouble. I have no hesitation in highly recommending them, as they will do. I am sure, for others what they have done for me."

Doan's Kidney Pilis, for sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Mailed by Foster Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S. Remember the name—Doan's—and take, no substitute. new order of politics is an accomplished

Somebody must begin. I am ready to do my part. The fight must be fought and fought to the finish if it takes all summer with the autumn and winter thrown in.

My views in detail as to the live Issues of the hour, I may have the honor to live

sttracting more attention than ever, being | see proper. evidence that we are selling cheaper be muse we are selling more Furniture. The March 18, 1898. past year's sales, exceeding very largely those of previous years, have been placed o our credit-naturally caused by our low prices, which are lower than named lsewhere. Our '98 line is better than any fore-now ready for inspection.

## C. H. COPPROTH. LAST POPULAR MID-WINTER EXCURSON TO WASH-INGTON.

Baltimere & Obio Railroad. On Thursday, March 24, the last midwinter Excursion to Washington, via the Baltimore & Ohio Railcoad, will be run at the very low rate of one fare for the round trip. Tickets will be good going regular trains within ten days, including date of sale. Do not miss this last opportunity to visit the National Capital during the session of Congress. Get tickets Eggs for hatching of thoroughbred and full particulars from Agent Balti-

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var.ia Railroad Company will run the second of its present series of low rate of Assembly aforesaid and its supplements. excursions to Baltimore and Washing-

Pittsburg.

Soven Minos at Havana.

New Your, Merch Li.-The Press this. morning prints the following from Vincent S. Cooke, its correspondent at Key

HAll theories, speculations and conjectures as to how the batrleship Maine was destroyed will be cast aside when the Court of Inquiry present+ with its finding the material evidence of the existence of not one mine, but of seven, in the harbor of Havana. A shattered section of a submarine eshie containing seven aductors is in the powersion of the Court, delivered to it by one of the American divers, and it is the strong-t proof yet offered that the Maine's designation was encompassed by an agency within

the city of Havans. This discovery was made about 30 from the submerged bow and within the been working."

Fitzhogh Lee Jr., Returns. TAMPA, Fia., March 13.-Fitzhugh Lee,

here late this afternoon on the steamer Olivette from Hayana. He was reticent about saying anything revealing official matters, but made the following state-"I have been in Havana only ten days having gone there to visit my father on my regular winter vacation. While in Havana I ascertained a number of facts concerning the present strained situation between Spain and the United States. I

am of opinion that war between the two

countries is imminent, notwithstanding the fact that diplomacy will be taxed to its furthest limit to prevent it. The Maine disaster and the attitude of the United States Government upon the beligerency question will be the chief incentives. While the report of the Court of Inquiry, now at work in Havana investigating the Maine disaster, has not been made public, their determination is probably known to the officials."

More Unwritten Law.

East Lavenpoot, O., March 13,- Judge tests and bogus claims to be sustained by Smith of the County Court from the bench a state committee that can be relied upon | late last evening declared that any man to seat enough contesting delegates to was justified in killing or attempting to give the machine candidate a majority- kill the man who had broken up bit home and led his wife astray. The Judge vention with the delegates of the 27th dis- also arraigned the Grand Jury that had trict of Philadelphia-and the contest that indicted a man for shooting the destroye s now set up, without a scintilla of regu- of his home. A short time ago Henry larity or legality, in the 24th district of Neinninger, living a short distance from Philadelphia, involving six delegates, this city, discovered an intimacy between and with a chairman who gives timely his wife and John Mertz. Neinninger got warning that the state organization will a revolver and fired upon Mertz, wounding him. Mertz made complaint agains Neinninger, charging him with shooting

Meanwhile Neinninger had entered ons, I accept your invitation as a call of Neinninger entered a plea of guilty to the upon another who had broken up his

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C. W. WALKER,

Auditor

# A DMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Emcline Brubaker, inte of the Bor ough of Somerset, Somerset Co., Pa., dec'd. Letters of administration on the above es ate having been granted to the undersigned by the proper authority, notice is hereby gis-en to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment and these having claims against the same to present them dely authenticated on or before Saturday, the 30th day of April, 188, at my office in the Horough of Somerset, Pa. JAMES L PUGH, Administrator of Engline Brubaker, dec'd

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