tions at even one port would be a seri-

the dynasty. One of the first conse-

can fleet for Spain would be the swift

return of Camara to Cadiz or some

other Spanish port, in which event he

would stand a chance to be bottled up

like Cervera at Santiago. This would

be literally "carrying the war into Af-

THE grim presence of war was

brought forcibly to the attention of the

people of this town and county on Sat-

uroay last, when a volunteer company

numbering one hundred and six sturdy

young men left for Chickamauga, Ga.,

where they have already entered upon

the stern realities of army life, and

where they will prepare themselves to

battle against a foreign foe. With few

exceptions the company was made up

entirely of Somerset county youths,

some of whom had been taught lessons

of patriotism in the schools provided

by Pennsylvania for the fatherless

children of her soldiers; others had

veteran fathers who fought for the pres-

ervation of the Union, and returned to

their homes to enjoy the fruits of vic-

ress of the Nation they had saved from

destruction; while all were imbued

away to defend the Flag with an eager-

buying American goods just as before,

1st they have been thinking, that per-

haps, it may not be such an easy mat-

with case. If it had been, the condi-

ly improved. In a few years it will be

seen what the introduction of Ameri-

can capital and the application of

first thing thing to do is to build a

via Honolulu. Great changes are com-

ing. If ex-Queen Lil will take a for-

Strange Bedfellows.

Strange rumors are affoat with reference

Democratic forces supporting the candi-

ernor and the Ishmaelite Republican fac-

Gordon, of Philadelphia, as his repre-

sentative and chosen candidate. Asso-

ciated with him in support of Gordon

clique at Harrisburg was also brought to

bear in the same cause. Judge Gordon

did not conceal the nature of his backing

nucker and Martin and a promised cam-

been brushed aside by the Altoons con-

advances of the Wanamaker aggregation

possibility of its becoming an accom-

vert into the ranks of the Swallow people

forever hereafter,

ness that will redound to their glory

SECRETARY OR INTERNAL AFFAIRS, JAMES W. LATTA.

WILLIAM W. PORTER. CONGRESSMES-AT-LANGE, GALUSHA A. GROW, SAM'L DAVENPORT

COUNTY.

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POOR DIRECTOR,

ADAM S. MILLER, Som rest Township.

CAMARA probably is a believer in tory and witness the marvelous progthe doctrine that "turn about is fair-

position of the man who is sorry he spoke. THE Nation's day of thanksgiving and prayer proved that the Nation still

WEYLER now finds himself in the

has faith in the God of Battles. IF THE annexation of Hawaii be, in truth, imperialism, Uncle Sam can the perils before them, they marched stand some more of that article.

MRS. MCKINLEY, wife of the President, has given a beautiful regimental flag to the First Regiment U. S. V. Cavalry.

THE prize boats now being captured by Uncle Sam will find a ready sale for the Salt River service to be opened immediately after the fall elections.

IT appears that Wanamaker and his

THE wheat crop this year may not equal that of 1897, but with good prices hysteries in some quarters that it was don Times telegraphed this Tuesday the farmers will have reason to continue their rejoicing over the new era short time. The opponents of annexa-

THE Maine was remembered when tom. But for the great crime in Havana harbor there would probably be no war at this time. other disagreeable things. The matter

THE FOURTH was celebrated with enthusiasm at Manila, and before the day was over Dewey probably picked gun. Taking an island or two is not up another gunboat or two to add to the interest of the occasion.

arrived at Manila harbor. They are the sleep of the German Emperor was Americans are splendidly fortified in the the water high in the air and training not "imperialists," but patriotic Amer- not disturbed for one night. John Bull trenches. ican citizens, who believe that the fruits is as serene as ne was, and France is of victory should not be thrown away.

SPANISH honor may be defined as the fall in Spanish securities than she "living on the productions of others is about Hawaii. without giving an equivalent." A willinguess to die rather than surrender that privilege constitutes Spanish chiv-

THE farmers of the West have subscribed freely to the new Government loan. They have seen General Prosperity and will notice that it took a Republican administration to bring him to the front.

AFTER the American flag was hoisted on the bluff near Guantaname, the next thing set up was a United States post-office. The Government will be collecting box rents all over Cuba cable line from San Francisco to Manila within a short time.

A SPANISH soldier who was about eign trip lasting a year or so she will peration hanged himself with his counturns. try's flag. Having made up his mind to die, the unfortunate man evidently courted the very worst form of death Pittsburg Leader.

THE terrible disaster of the Bour gogne's wreck for the time overshadowed even the war news. One feature of the tragedy which stands out in dark contrast with the tales of heroism so familiar now to the public, is the brotality betrayed in the cowardly seif- into the Altoons convention with Judge ishness of many on the doomed steam-

GOVERNOR HASTINGS, in addressing | was David Martin, the Philadelphia ringthe troops of the Pennsylvania Na master, and the influence of the Hastings Merrimac's Crew Traded for Seventeen tional Guard, told the men that if they were so situated that they could do so, they should enlist, but "if the accumulations or savings of a man's industry and thrift are to be swept away, if those dependent upon him will suffer by his main at home and care for them, and | behind him, he was in a position to make no citizen or soldier will dare raise a a better campaign than any other candihand or voice against his loyalty or his date in the field, and on these grounds he

WHAT we have honestly gained, that may we justly and fairly hold. Be. vention, it was taken for granted that the cause possessions have come to us by the fortunes of war, it does not follow that this deserves to be called a war of tom fleets on our coasts. It is easier to it is impossible to disregard the gossip foot, but were not blindfolded. call names than to prove arguments, which is in circulation, and when it is

has called a meeting of the State committee, to be held Tuesday, July 19, at will be a blessing if Mr. Jenks, whose 2 p. m., to nominate a candidate for personality and public record make his thing but the matter in hand. It was Judge of the Superior Court, to succeed candidacy respectable, if not formidable, not then later than 4 o'clock, and just as make nominations to fill vacancles ere one of the first results will be to drive tone which indicated considerable defi- of the attack our sailors receives \$100 ated by death, resignation or other held. There appears to be only one have been promising to support the Dem- o'clock." candidate for the place on the ticket, ocratic ticket. The number of Republi-Judge W. D. Porter, of Allegheny, cans, whatever their grounds of dissatis- bowed to the Spanish officer without ed to the vacant seat on the Superior John Wanamaker anywhere in his selfish slowly to the American lines, with Hob-Court bench, with the assurance that | wild goose chase after honors which the | son and his companions following.

ual invasion, or even a formal occupation of any of its ports. For either of If Mr. Jenks and Mr. Wanamaker are these purposes a large army would be to go into partnership, it is superfluous to necessary, and no army will be sent. predict that they will go down together tional Bank building. For particulars and the torgodo bom di stroyers \$500,000

Has Santiago squadron which report says is to be sent over ean probably batter down the Surrendered? defences of half a dozen of the principal ports of Spain, and bombard the cities. The smashing of the fortifica-

our blow to Spain's prestige, and would be likely to raise such a popular storm Bombardment Discontinued to Give the Spaniards against the authorities as would upset Another Chance. uences of the departure of an Ameri-

> GOING SMASH CAMARA.

> WASHINGTON, D. C., July 12 .- The following was received at the War Department this morning:

"PLAYA DEL ESTE, via Hayti, July 12. Adjutant General, Washington,

"Headquarters First Army Corps:

"It has been very quiet; but little fighting. A flag of truce up since 2 o'clock; considering proposition for surrender, now that I have town surrounded on the north. Line completed at 5 p. m. by General invade a strange country and make Ludlow, right down to the bay. The line is rather thin, but will have it strengthened in the morning by Gen. Henry, who has just arrived at

"Only three or four casualties; no one killed as far as I can learn. Expect to have two of the new batteries in position to-morrow. Great deal of suffering among the people who have gone out of Santiimbibed the heroic spirit from their ago. Am doing my best to relieve it, but not entirely successful.

> Army officers commenting upon General Shafter's dispatch say that it evidently foreshadows the end, which will be unconditional surrender of the town. As the dispatch was undoubtedly sent yesterday, some officers believe the city has already surrendered.

with that love of country which has All doubt as to the sailing of Commodore Watson's fleet for ever characterized the American peo-ple. It was a glorious sight to behold Spain was removed this morning when naval orders were announced this body of heroic young men leaving and all officers under orders to the new squadron were ordered to re- pathy for all those who suffer bereavment their various avocations and severing port without delay.

sacred home tier, resolved, if neces-The official announcement places the Massachusetts in the squadron sary, to imperil health and sacrifice life at the call of duty. Strong of limb, of in place of the Iowa. A naval officer said that the squadron would sail marked intelligence, and conscious of on Wednesday or Thursday.

The object of the fleet's operations against Spain is to meet and destroy Admiral Camara's fleet.

HOBSON ON THE MERRIMAC.

He Tells the Story of the Merrimac's Fa-

mous Trip.

Kingston, July 8, 9:15 p. m.-The return

of Assistant Naval Constructor Richmond

P. Hobson, of Merrimac fame, to his ship,

Hobson sat once more among his me-

his marvelous escape and his imprison

bor and then from the other, from those

of the cliffs, firing wildly across and kill-

ing each other with the crossfire. The

"Her stern ran up Estrella point, Chief-

We were all aft, lying on the deck. Shells

iron and passing clear through, while the

plunging shots from the fort broke

"'Not a man must move' I said, and it

was only owing to the splendid discipline

of the men that we all were not killed, as

the shells rained over us and minutes be-

again one or the other of the men ly ng

dering whother the next, shell would not

"'Had not we better drop off now, sir'

"It would have been impossible to get

the catamira a anywhere but to the shore

where the soldiers stood shooting, and I

hoped that by daylight we might be rec-

ognized and saved, The grand old Mer-

rimac kept sinking. I wanted to go for-

ward and see the damage done there

where nearly all the fire was directed,

draw all the fire on the rest. So I lay

the batteries and the Vizcaya was awful

When the water cause upon the Merri-

mae's decks the cate naran was cut loose

from the wreckage, but she was still made

fast to the boom and we caught nold of

"One man thought we were safer right

"A Spanish launch came toward the

"Then we were put in cells in Morre

rifle pits in front o me. Yesterday the

Bounty For Warships Sunk.

Not glory alor e accrues to the men of

Spaniards became as polite as could be.

ing above water.

his men had been kille 1.

motionless. It was splendid the way these

but one man said that if I rose it would

with his face greed to the deck and w or

ome our way, would say:

And I said: "Wait till daylight."

through her decks.

ly owing to the work done by the mine

inside the harbor, joining in.

mates and told the story of his experience,

parked by wild enthusiasm.

Late War News.

THE action of the Senate last week Sampson's fleet began shelling Santiago in passing the resolution providing for the annexation of the Hawaiian Isl- at 2:30 Monday morning, throwing shells ands seems to have created no excite- over the ridge protecting the city. The hombardment lasted for two hours, when ment in Europe. The war with Spain Shafter reported that the shells were inand what may grow out of it seem to effective. The last shot, however, struck be sufficient at present to engage the ata prominent church in the heart of the the flagship New York, last night was tention of the Europeans, so far as the city, which was heavily stored with powlieutenants have decided not to put up United States are concerned. A few der and amuniton, causing a tremendous an independent State ticket, but will years ago it was looked at in a different explosion. When the war ships ceased continue their fight for the Legisla- way. About the time Mr. Cleveland firing and before a land attack was begun, and his agent - Paramount Blount - a flag of truce was seen coming from the were engaged in trying to support Lili- city. The object of this was not known nokalani there was such a display of Monday night. The Madrid correspondent of the Lon-

hinted war might be looked for in a morning: "The cabinet resigned in coution were sure that England, Germany, opinion of initiating peace negotiations." in. Then came the firing. It was grand, able benefit from its use, and it greatly France and several other nations would The Board of Inquiry appointed to ex- flashing out first from one side of the har- mitigates those infirmities specially incinever permit such a step, and that if it amine the wrecks of the were attempted, foreign fleets might be reports that only one ship, the Maria Terexpected in a few weeks to be hammer- esa, former flagship of Cervera, can be ing San Francisco to pieces, and doing saved.

hung fire, and now it has been practi-Miles at Santing8, where he held a concally accomplished without firing a ference with Shatter and Sampson. From 4 o'clock until dark Sunday aftermon the American gans in front of Sansuch a serious business as it once was. tiago poured a deadly fire into the Span-The Charleston on the way to Manila gobbled up a small garrison in the La- ish ranks. The fire from the Spaniards THE first ship-loads of troops have crone Islands, and, so far as is known, in the trenches was very weak. The mine caught her full amidship, hurling

The Navy Department was advised

great rent in the Merrimae's side. A cable from Madrid asserts that the United States makes the following demands as conditions of peace: Firstshe began to sink slowly. At that time and seems far more concerned about The possession of Cuba and Porto Rico, she was across the channel, but before with a port in the Canaries. Second-An she settled the tide drifted her around. indemnity of about \$240,000,000. Third-The retention of the Philippines as a The truth is, Europeans have someand sullets whistled around. Six-inch. guarantee of the payment of the indemshells from the Vizesya came tearing into thing more important now to think about than trying to frighten the peo- nity. These terms are regarded as imthe Merrimac, crashing into wood and ple of the United States. Since May

Admiral Camara's fleet which sailed last week for the Philippines and had entered the Suez Canal has been ordered ter, after all, to frighten us. Hawaii back to Spain. might have been annexed years ago

The surrender of Santiago was formally offered by the Spanish commander, Gen. tion of the islands would now be vast- Toral, Saturday, but the conditions attached caused a prompt refusal of the offer by Gen. Shafter. The negotiations, however, resulted in extension of the American methods will mean. The armistice, Gen. Toral proposed the immediate surrender of the city, but insisted that his army be permitted to march away under arms and with flying colors, and declared that he would fight to the last ditch unless the conditions were accepted. Gen. Shafter replied that nothto be captured at Guantanamo in des not know her old home when she reing but unconditional surrender would

be accepted by him. * Admiral Cervera and his entire staff and crew, numbering in all 692 Spanish prisoners, arrived at Portsmouth, N. H., on Sunday, on the big auxiliary erniser to the prospect of an alliance between the St. Louis. The officers were on parole and enjoyed the full freedom of the ship. The greater portion of the prisoners were dacy of Hon. George A. Jenks for Govothed in the uniform of Uncle Sam's me; behaved. The fire of the soldiers satiors. Nearly all of the Spanish seation which travels under the banner of menl were naked when captured. Adthat saintly personage, Hon. John Wanmiral Cervera said: "My fleet was the amaker. Mr. Wanamaker, it will be rebest my country could give, and my men called, made violent endeavors to break were the bravest of any in the world. I am grateful to my conquerors for the kindness and consideration shown us."

HOBSON IN OUR LINES.

Spaniards. Brave Hobson and the men who took

the Merrimac into Santiago channel with from the leaders of his party. On the him were exchanged Wednesday, and Merrinac. We agreed to capture berand contrary, he informed a conference of are now on the cruiser New York. The run. Justas she came t lose the Spaniards Democratic managers that with Wana- eight American heroes were traded for saw us and a half dozes marines jumped 14 non-commissioned Spanish officers and up and pointed their ri fles at our heads. paign confribution of goodly dimensions | three Spanish lieutenants. The place selected for the exchange

and Spanish lines, two-thirds of a mile literally demanded that the nomination beyond the entrenchments occupied by be given him. Judge Gordon having Colonel Wood's Rough Riders, near General Wheeler's headquarters and in the centre of the American line. The American prisoners left the Reina Mercedes Hospital on the outskirts of later to see the hombardment of shells

Santiago, where they had been confined, striking and bursting around El Morro under any circumstances, the Jenks people would contemplate an alliance with a st 245 in the afternoon, in charge of Maj- Then we were taken into Santiago. I had Republican faction of malodorous record or Irles, a Spanish staff officer, who the courtmartial room in the harracks. was not dreamed of by the average ob- speaks English perfectly. The prisoners My men were kept prisoners in the hosings of the question as Spain's phan- server of State politics. Now, however, were conducted to the meeting place on pird. From my window I could see the army moving and it was terr thie to see those Colonel John Jacob Astor and Lieuten-

and an apt phrase can not, by any in- learned from Democratic sources that ant Miloy, accompanied by Interpreter ing shot down by the Sp miards in the genuity, be made to take the place of a such an alliance has been suggested and Maestro, were in charge of the Spanish seriously weighed and measured, with a prisoners.

plished fact, there is manifest reason for The meeting between Colonel Astor I was exchanged." prudent Democrats to be on their guard. and Major Irles was extremely courte-From a Republican point of view, it one, but very formal, and no attempt was back into the Republican ranks or to di- noe:

"Our understanding is, gentlemen causes, after a convention has been most of the Republican malcontents who that this truce comes to an end at 5 Colonel Astor looked at his watch,

whom Governor Hustings has appoint- faction, that could be persuaded to follow making a reply, and then started back whet more than \$170,000.

the State committee will nominate him. people steadfastly refuse to accord him is The meeting of the two parties and the wofully small. Then, again, any deal by exchange of prisoners had taken place in fighting power, the award in such a see OF COURSE the demonstration against the Spanish coast cities by the American is bound to allegate the spanish coast cities by the American and the Spanish coast cities by the American is bound to allegate the spanish coast cities by the American is bound to allegate the spanish coast cities by the American is bound to allegate the spanish coast cities by the American is bound to allegate the spanish soldiers who were entrenched near the meeting place, and the keepest the spanish coast cities by the American is bound to allegate the spanish coast cities by the American and spanish soldiers who were entrenched near the meeting place, and the keepest the spanish coast cities by the American is bound to allegate the spanish coast cities by the American and spanish soldiers who were entrenched near the meeting place, and the keepest the spanish coast cities by the American and spanish coast sympathies of numerous right-thinking interest was taken in the episode.

Store room in basement of First Na- The four univers cost \$3,000,000 each, Much damage can be done to Spain with a crash permanently rulnous to both, inquire at Bank or of Geo, R. Scull. | feach,

of \$170,000.

Thanks for Victories Won. President McKinley at 11:40 Wednes

PRESIDENT'S PROCLAMATION.

McKinley Asks the Nation to Return day night issued the following proclam ion to the American people:

to the people of the United States of America At this time, when to the yet fresh resmbranes of the unprecedented succes which attended the operations of the United States fleet in the Bay of Manila on the first day of May last are added the tidings of the no less glorious achieve ments of the naval and military arms of our beloved country at Santiago de Cabs, it is fitting that we should pause, and, staying the feeling of exultation hat too naturally attends great deeds grought by our countrymen in our counry's cause, should reverently bow before the throne of divine grace and give devout praise to God, who holdeth the nations in the hollow of His hand and worketh upon them the marvels of His high will, and Who has thus far vouchsafed to us the light of His face and led our brave soldiers and seamen to victory. I therefore ask the people of the United

states opon next assembling for divine worship in their respective places of meeting to offer thanksgiving to Aimighty God, who, it' His inscrutable ways, now leading our hosts upon the waters to unscathed triumph, now guiding them in a strange land through the dread shadows of death to success, even bough at a fearful cost; now bearing them without accident or loss to far distant climes, has watched over our cause and brought nearer the success of the right and the attainment of just and hon-Instead of the heroic discipline which

With the nation's thanks let there be mingled the nation's prayers that our gallant sons may be shielded from harm alike on the battlefield and in the clash of fleets and be spared the scourge of sufferng and disease while they are striving to uphold their country's honor; and withal, let the nation's heart be stilled with holy awe at the thought of the noble men who have perished as he roes die. and be filled with compassionate symer endure sickn ss, wounds, bounds and by reason of the awful struggle. And above all, let us pray with earnest fervor that He, the dispenser of all good, may speedily remove from us the untold afflictions of war and bring to our dear land the blessings of restored peace and to all the domain now ravaged by the ernel strife the priceless boon of security and tranquillity

WILLIAM MCKINLEY. Executive Mansion, Washington, July 6, 1898.

The Sultan and Our Missionaries.

The Porte has demanded the recall of two American missionaries from the province of Aleppo, on the pretext that their mission for distribution of relief is likely to cause disturbances. "The sick man of Eurore," as he is derisively term. ed, is as unreasonable as his political health is feeble. As a bright contrast to his obstinacy and stupidity, the people of ment in Morro Castle, watching the shells America are acknowledging far and wide explode outside his cell under a murderthe beneficence of the mission of Hestetter's Stomach Bitters, namely, to relieve "I did not miss the entrance to the harand prevent malaria, rheumatism and bor," he said, "as Ensign Powell in the kidney complaint, chronic dyspepsia, conlaunch supposed. I headed east until I stipation and liver trouble. The nervous, sequence of irreconcilable difference of got my bearings, then made for it, straight the weak and the infirm derive unspead bloody flux, pain in the stomach, and it dent to advancing years. Sleep, appetite the system, ensue upon its use, which Troops from Santiago had rushed down should be regular and persistent. An when the news of the Merrimac's coming | early resort to this fine preventive is log

The List Completed.

Merrimac's steering gear broke as she got to Estrella point. Only three of the WASHINGTON, July 9, 1895. torpedoes on her side exploded when I The war department received this ditouched the button.. A huge suis-marine patch from General Shafter last night: "Playa del Este, July 9. "Camp Near Santingo, July 8, 1898.

Adjutant General, Washington: "Complete report received to-day of loss low. - Blairsville Courier. on July 1 and 2: Killed 22 officers, 20 enlisted men: wounded, 81 officers, 1,203 enlisted men: missing, 79 enlisted men The reports giving the names of the killed and wounded are being rapidly prepared

Flags, Pictures and Patriotic Devices a Fisher's Book Store.

American and Cuban flags, handsome Paper Flag Window Pieces, Patriotic Buttons, Flags and other devices to wear | will be a vote for Swallow that will ason coat lapel, Flag Pins, Books on the tonish everybody. Cuban War, War Maps, Histories of Spain and Cuba, Magazines, Newspapers came hours of suspense. The men's and Illustrated Papers bearing on the mouth's grew parehed, but we must lie great war now waging. Be up to the a year for Repulicans to come together there till daylight, I told them. Now and limes and posted. CHAS. H. FISHER.

Congress Adjourns.

WASHINGTON, July 8,-The House adjourned precisely at 2. Immediately there were cheers, followed by singing of benefits in which our own great State, patriotic songs.

proposed three cheers for President Me-Kinley, which were given twice over by but of the Nation's policy for the future, the Republicans. Then followed cheers is McKinley deserving of heartiest, yes, joined by the entire House for Admiral Dewey and Gen. Joe Wheeler. The Senate adjourned sine die at 200 Rheumatism Cured in a Day.

"Mystic Care" for Rheomatism and Neuralgia radically cures in 1 to 3 days. Its action upon the system is remarkabl and mysterious. It removes at once the cause and the disease immediately disappears. The first dose greatly benefits; the edge and clung on , our heads only be- 75 cents. Sold at Benford's Drug Store,

there; it was quite light; the firing had The Hawaiian Commission. ceased except that at the New York's launch and I feared E usign Powell and Westington July 8.-The President dar appointed Senator Davis, of Minemmittee: Representative Hitt, of Illi-'Is there any officer in that boat to receive a surrender of prisoner s of War. I shout- the United States. Messrs. Davis and dom of the grounds under limited parole. was under a tree between the American ed. An old man leasted out under the Hitt, of the American comm awning and waved his hand. It was Adare Republicans, and Senator Morgan a miral Cervera. The marines lowered Democrat. President Dole and Chief their rifles and we wen; helped into the Justice Judd will be named by the American commissioners to assist them. Castle. It was a grand sight a few days

Hot Weather Reading.

For 5 and 10 cent magazines, as well as the 25, 35 and 50 cent ones, Fashion Magazines, and a large general stock of light literature for the hot summer months, go FISHER'S BOOK STORE.

Me Necessity of Being Blind or Deaf. ealthfulness in hundreds of cases which in the past have been considered incura-I knew something was con ting and then bis.

Putting off the necessary treatment causes serious damage in hundreds of cases which might be wholly restored. In 1877 Miss Annie Rolfe, 257 Forty fifth St., Pittsburgh, came under the Admira) Sampso r's commund for the destruction of Cer vern's fleet, but a con-

man on the Spanish warships at the time of the attack our sailors receives \$100 in 1897, she expressed, unsolicited, her bounty, in accordance with section 4635 had lasted so many years, and will be to my business, and to do any work negative for the perfect of the solicited of the United had lasted so many years, and will be had lasted so many years, and will be giad to answer any who may desire to communicate with her. From the first of the year, Dr. Sadler has associated with him an eminent European physician, Dr. A. Sigmann, of the University of Vienna Austria, who has had an extensive experience in all the very latest knowledge relating to medicine, and all who consult Drs. Sadler & Sigmann will get the benefit of their combined skill and experience, the best known to this age of progress.

Dr. Humpbreys' Specific 77 cures 18 sy Fever and Rese Colds; all druggist; 25; or Humpbreys' Medicine Company New York. glad to answer any who may desire to If there were 1,700 men on Ce rvera's ships (which presented a force infe rior to the Americans) the bounty will be some-If it appears that any others of the Spanish vessels were attacked and destroyed by any of our vessels inferior in

The total cost of the vessels of Ca. veru's squadron year about \$12,700,000 AN OCEAN HORROR.

The Trans-Atlantic Steamer La Sourgogne Goes Down.

OVER 500 PERSONS WENT DOWN TO DEATH.

HALIFAX, N. S., July 6,-In one of the thick fogs which at this time of the year hang like a pall over the Grand Banks and Sable Island, in the North Atlantic, occurred on the early morning of July 4, one of the most appalling ocean disasters in the annals of trans-Atlantic commerce and, in fact, in the history of steam-sailing in the world. Without a moment's warning almost, the great French line la Bourgogne, with 725 souls on board, was run down by the iron sailing-ship Cromartyshire, and such a terrific hole was torn in the big steamer's port side that she sank within half an hour, carrying with her to the ocean's bottom over 500 of her passengers and crew, while the balance who were not drawn down by the fearful suction struggled and fought for life until 163 were at length rescued from death by the crew of the Cromartyshire which ship survived the collision.

The story of the fearful disaster from the few officers and crew who were saved is yet to be told, but if the words of the passengers who were dragged aboard the Cromartyshire and later brought into this port by the steamer Grecian, are to be believed, the last few minutes on board the Bourgogne witnessed some of the mo terrible scenes of horror and cruelty that have blotted the history of a civilized

so often has been the one bright feature steamer fought like demons for the few lifeboats and rafts, battering the helpless passengers away from their only means of salvation, with the result that the strong overcame the weak, and the list of one hundred and sixty-three saved contained the name of but one woman. The disaster occurred at 5 o'clock in the morning of Monday, July 4, about sixty miles south of Sable Island, which lie nearly a hundred miles off this port. The Bourgorgne had left New York bound for Havre on the previous Satur-

day, while the Cromartyshire was on her way over from Glasgow. At first it seemed as if there was some attempt at discipline. A few of the boats were swung off and some of the passeugers allowed to get into them. But as the steamer began to settle and list to port, the officers lost control of the crew, and what was probably a panic ensued
Passengers and crew fought for the boats
and life-rafts, and it was a fight to the
death in itself, while death in the waters
stared every one in the face. The strong
battered down the weak, the women and
children being pushed far away from the

Ten per cent, of the purchase money to
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the remainder on April 1, 1829, one-third
the remainder on April 1, 1829, on children being pushed far away from the hope of being rescued. Fists, oars and even knives were used by some of the demons to keep their places. The officers seemed to have been powerless before their own men, and only four were saved. The fight for life on the decks of the steamer did not last long, for in a little more than half an hour she gave a lon

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lurch to port and went down.

Political Notes. How nice! Wanamaker is to help elect Jenks Governor, and then Jenks is to help elect Holy John U. S. Senator, And t Monday of the safe arrival of General was telegraphed and soon lined the foot ically suggested to those who seek its aid. what will the people be doing mean-

> "I broughout the State political matters are quiet, so quiet as to be positively painful, and, judging from the haste with being taken, it seems likely that when the parade starts everybody will be inthe procession except Jenks and Swaiow.—Blairsville Courier.
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> Members of the executive committe of the Honest Government party of Phila
> offer it for sale

the Honest Government party, of Philadelphis, under whose standard Rev. Dr. Silas C. Swallow is running for Governor express great confidence in the success of their candidate at the polls in November next. Leaders of the movement declare that there is an overwhelming revolt against the action of the Republican and Democratic conventions, and that there

The Easton Free Press gives this advice to Republicans: "This is pre-eminently and support their tickets, state, congressional and county. The results of the administration of President McKinley are far more important to the people now than any other question. Supported as it should be, and as we believe it will be, it Thursday, Aug. 4, 1898, with bring lasting benefits to t' e nation and our own particular section of this State, will largely participate. Not only in the matter of the conduct of the war, but of the Nation's policy for the future, is McKinley deserving of heartiest, yes, unanimous support, and to this end Pennsylvania's voice on election day in Nowall was a rousing majority, for the State of the Nation's policy for the future, is McKinley deserving of heartiest, yes, unanimous support, and to this end Pennsylvania's voice on election day in Nowall was provided in the north by not of Mrs Solomon Uhl and on the south by lots of Mrs Solomon Uhl and on the Representative Bromwell, of Ohio, State, will largely participate. Not only and by a rousing majority, for the State Republican ticket, and by the election of Republican Congressmen."

THE CAPTURED SPANISH OFFICERS.

They Will Be Imprisoned at the Naval Academy at Annapolis. All the Spanishish naval officers cap-

tored by the American fleet are to be con fined within the limits of the naval academy grounds at Annapolis. They will be placed in the quarters vacated by the American naval officers who left the academy to go into active service, and will be treated with the greatest consideration. esota, chairman of the foreign affairs having earned the admiration of the American sailors by their splendid exhibinois, chairman of the house foreign rela- tion of courage in the face of almost inevtions committee, and Senstor Morgan, of itable death. Admiral Cervers, it is au-Alabama, commissioners to assume pected, will be among the prisoners, who, charge of the territory just annexed to in all likelihood, will be given the free

A MECHANIC'S VIEWS On the Most Important Local Question We Have at Present to Discuss.

Opinions expressed publicly through

this newspaper by people in the commoner walks of life who live in some distant State lack the interest which is attached to opinions held by residents of the Western part of Pennsylvania. The former have always a suspicious halo about them which is absent in the latabout them which is absent in the lat-ter. To put it plainly, the reader would sooner believe the statement of a man somer believe the statement of a man living in Greensburg, Pa., than the state-ment of a resident of Woonsocket, R. I., and when the Greensburg citizen courts loquity, the experience which follows can certainly be depended upon. Mr. Amoz Eisaman, painter, whose office and shop is at 331 W. Otterman street, lives on Brushton avenue, Greensburg, Pa. Write him if you are in deathy about his him if you are in doubt about his state-ment, and ask him if it is not true. Mr. Elsaman says: "I can thank Doan's Kid-ney Pills for the good health I am now enjoying. I never felt better than I have the late Judge Wickham. Under the should take upon his shoulders the burden of the Republican State organization of the Re

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of such awful moments, the crew of the Saturday, August 6, 1898, At I o'clock P M.,

No. 1. The homestend farm, containing 1644 acres and allowance, adjoining lands of Abraham Sivits, Jacob Pritts, Wm. Faust, Levi Queer and Aaron Bittner, of which about low acres are clear add in a good state of cultivation, having thereon erected a new

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-OF-Valuable Real Estate

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By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the Orphans' Court of Somerset county, Pa-to the undersigned directed, there will be ex at I o'clock P. M.,

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AT 1 O'CLOCK P. M.

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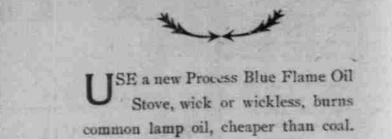
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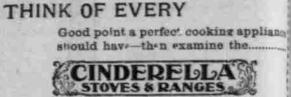
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JOHN R. SCOTT,
Auditor.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of John G. Coleman, late of Quema-houling, town-ship. Somerset Co., Pa., dec'd. booling, township. Somerset Co., Pa., dec'd.
Letters testamentary on the above estate
having been granted to the undersigned by
the proper authority, notice is hereby given
to all persons indebted to said estate to make
immediate payment, and those having claims
signified the same to present them duly authenticated for settlement on or before Saturday, July 23, 1898, at my office in the borough
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