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TIONESTA, PA., WEDNESDAY, APRIL 25, 1900.

Three Hundred and Seventy-Eight Killed and Many More Likely to Perish From

Their Wounds-American Loss Was Nine Killed and 16 Wounded. MANILA, April 23.-Last week was one of the bloodiest of the war since the

first day's fighting around Manila. Authentic reports, mostly official, show a total of 378 Filipinos klled, 12 officers and 244 men captured and many more wounded. The number wounded is hardly guessable. Considering that the Filipinos entirely lack hospital facilities, a great majority of the wounded will die. Probaby the week's work finished 1,000 insurgents.

The Americans' total loss was nine killed and 16 wounded. Two sergeants and one private were killed in ambushes while escorting provision trains.

Twenty Filipinos in the province of Batangas attacked Lieutenant Wonde, who, with eight men, was scouting near San Jose. The lieutenant and five men were wounded and one private was killed.

Sergeant Ledolus, of the Thirty-fifth infantry, was badly wounded in an ambush near Balluad. Lieutenant Calch. of the Thirty-fifth infantry, with 70 men had a fiv e-hours' fight with 400 insurgents in the Neuva Careras district Twenty of the insurgents were killed. Colonel Smith, of the Seventeenth infantry, who captured General Montenegro and brought him to Manila, is in the isolation hospital suffering from smallpox, presumably caught from the

Filipinos.
Colonel Smith's command captured 180 efficers and men with Montenegro. The officers were brought to Manila. Montenegro, who was formerly one of the most dapper officers in the Filipino army, looks worn and haggard. He says he has led a terrible life for months, and he has offered to return to the north with Colonel Smith to endeavor to persuade his former comrades of the uselessness of opposing the Americans. One hundred escaped Spanish prisoners from the province of Tayabas, South

Luzon, have arrived at Manila. The insurgents have 400 more Spaniards in that district. Recently the Filipinos destroyed several rods of railway line near Panique, in an unsucce ssful attempt to wreck a train.

The insurgents have been aggressive in almost every province of Luzon. General Pio del Pilar's band, numbering 300, which was out of sight for three months, the leader being reported killed, has reappeared in its old field about San Miguel. Pilar is supposed to be again in command. He gave the American garrison at San Miguel, consisting of three companies of the Thirty fifth infantry with a Gatling, a threehour fight during a night attack. The as there would be a contest for the loss of the insurgents in this engage ment is not included in the foregoing total, as they removed their dead and wounded, but presumably it was considerable.

MANILA INVADED BY PLAGUE. Fourteen Fatal Cases Within a Week

Manila, April 23.—The sudden deaths of Fitipinos and Chinamen in Quiapo market have led to an investigation showing that 15 cases of the plague, 14 of which were fatal, had occurred with in a week. The market is located in the center of the city. In black, rotten, wooden buildings the keepers of the stalls live there, with their families, huddled together in great filth. Some of the victims were stricken and died within an hour. There have been several deaths in other sections of the city recently which have been traced to infection from the market.

After all the market people had gathered together the health officers threw a guard around the buildings and will keep the inmates quarantined there for a fortnight. They will then burn the market. The total number of bubonic deaths are 119 Chinamen and 66 Filipinos. The plague elsewhere has been suppressed. Not one infected person has been in the Chinese district for 10

Colonel Hardin and Major Case, with a battalion of the Twenty-ninth infantry, have sailed for the islands of Martinduque and Mahbeto. It is reported that the insurgents have 250 rifles and 7,000 rounds of ammunition. Dr. Burgos, a prominent native of Martin duque and a supporter of the Americans, accompanies the expedition to try to convince the inhabitants of the wis dom of surrender.

TO HELP CHURCHES IN GUAM. General Wheeler Asks Gifts of Station of the Cross.

Washington, April 23.—General Joseph Wheeler, in a letter to Miss Fannie Wheelan, a prominent Catholic of this city, has set on foot a movement to aid the poor churches of the Philippine and Ladrone Islands. In the letter General

"During my recent visit to the Philippines and the Ladrones I was much impressed with the great devotion of the women, and it occurred to me that it would be a graceful thing for the Catholic women of our country to show their appreciation of the piety of their sisters of the east in some substantial

"While on the island of Guam, where there are six churches, I inquired what would be the most acceptable present, and was informed that the churches, which are very similar to our small country churches, need stations of the

Thomas F. Ryan, of New York, in the work for poor churches of the United States of the Tabernacle society, the object of which is to furnish necessary articles for churches which are too poor to procure them. Their work has been connected with the Indian missions.

The Roman Catholic Prelate Expired at Erie, Pa., after a Long

ERIE, Pa., April 23 .- Rt. Rev. Tobias Mullin, bishop of the Roman Catholic diocese of Erie, died after a long illness. He was stricken with paralysis three years ago, but, having slightly improved, continued to officiate until the ap-pointment of Coadjutor Bishop Fitzmanrice, about two years ago, when he was relieved of the cares of the office. Bishop Mullin was appointed to the charge of Eric diocese August 2, 1868. The distinguishing work of his administration was the erection of a splendid cathedral at the corner of Tenth and Sassafrass streets, this city. The bishop was widely known in this

end was peaceful. DUN'S REVIEW OF TRADE.

Reduction In Iron Prices and Closing o Mills Caused Surprise.

NEW YORK, April 21 .- R. G. Dun & day, said in part:

mills by the American Steel and Wire company have filled the week with surprises. In the stock market the market for steel and iron products changes have well be foreseen.

tunnel, requiring 70,000 tons, at prices not stated, but it is known that many others have been deferred until the prospect is clearer. Wool has been inactive without change in prices.

easily met.

United States, against 184 last year, and 17 in Canada, against 22 last year.

Anxious to Hear Talmage Preach.

Formerly Prominent Man Arrested. CHICAGO, April 23.—The Chicago po-Charleston, under arrest on the charge of getting small sums of money from various persons on worthless checks. Charleston is said to be a former justice of the peace and a former member of the Nebraska legislature.

## THE MARKETS.

WHEAT-No. 2 red, 690270c. CORN-No. 2 yellow shelled, 45%/046%e; No

No. 3, 2023bc. HAY—No. 1 timothy, \$14.75@15.00; No. 2 do. \$14.00\(\tilde{\text{plane}}\) 14.50\(\tilde{\text{plane}}\) packing hay, \$7.50\(\tilde{\text{plane}}\) 8.00\(\tilde{\text{plane}}\) No. 1 clover mixed, \$14.00\(\tilde{\text{plane}}\) 125\(\text{No. 1 clover, \$13.50\(\text{m}\)}\) 14.00; loose, from wagon, \$15.00615.50, BUTTER-Elgin prints, 213-2422c; erear

Elgin, 201-2221e; Ohio, 1821181-e; dairy, 152216e low grades, 12/2/18c.

CHEESE-Full cream, Ohio, 1119/612c; three quarters, 103/calle; New York State, full cream, new, 111/2-212c; Ohio Swiss, 121/2-2131/5c; Wisconsin, 141/2-215c; 5-pound brick cheese, 13/2

pair: large, fat, 70080e; drossed, 14015

PITTSBURG, April 23. mostly heavy grade, which are slow and a shade lower; good butcher entitle steady. We quote as follows: Extra, \$5.4005.00; prime, \$5.2505.35; good, \$5.0005.20; tidy, \$4.7504.90; fair, \$4.50@4.70; good butchers', \$4.00@4.20; common, \$3.25@3.80; heifers, \$3.50\@4.75; oxen, \$2.50\@4.75; bulls and stags, \$2.50\@4.25; common to good fat cows, \$2.0004.25; good fresh cows, \$40.00 250.00; fair cows and springers, \$25,000:35.00; bologna cows, \$10.000018.00.

HOGS — Receipts liberal, 35 cars; market slow and 10@15c lower. Extra heavy, 45.70; best mediums, 85.65%5.70; heavy Yorkers, 85.55 @5.00; light Yorkers, 85.40%5.50; pigs, 45.00% 5.15; results, 82.76%5.00 5.15; roughs, \$3.75025.00. SHEEP AND LAMBS-The supply fair, 20

loads on sale; market slow on sheep, steady on lambs, at about unchanged quotations. The quotations are for elipped stock. We quote: Choice wethers, 45.2065.20; good, 45.0065.15; fair mixed, 34.2564.75; common to good, 35.50 choice lambs, 36.1066.25; common to good, 35.50 (66.00; veal calves, 5.2065.30; beautiful and statements.) (66.00; venl calves, \$5.25@5.50; heavy and thin,

CINCINNATI, April 28. HOGS-Market active and lower at \$1,5000 CATTLE-Market easy and lower at \$3.2500

steady at \$4.35@5.50. Lambs-Market steady

f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 red, 7514c in elevator; No. I northern Duluth, 755ge, f. o. b. afloat, to arrive; No. 1 hard Duluth, 775ge, f. o. b. CORN-Spot market easy; No. 2, 465;c. f. o. b.

afloat and 45% in elevator.

OATS—Spot market dull; No. 2, 28c; No. 3, 27%; No. 2 white, 20226%; No. 3 white, track mixed western, 28's 28c; track CATTLE-Forty cars on sale; market slow

SHEEP AND LAMDS—Twenty two and one half cars on sale; market for sheep steady lambs more active; good stock, 18825c higher one car unsold; four ears arrived after the market was over. Unshorn sheep, \$5.00 ac.50;

# EVENTS OF A WEEK.

NEWS OF THE WORLD BRIEFLY NARRATED

The War In the Philippines, Crimes, Tri-State Happenings, Foreign, Business and Other Events Boiled Down For the

NEWS FROM THE PHILIPPINES.

It was estimated that during the past week the Filipino insurgents have lost about 1,000 men, dead or may die from wounds.

A dispatch from Manila announces that Colonel James S. Pettit, of the Thirty-first volunteers, in command at Zamboanga, has been courtmartialed for handing a prisoner of war over to President Medell, of Zamboango, who killed the prisoner at once, without trial. Pettit is the officer with whom Lieutenant Colonel Webb C. Hayes, who recently resigned, is said to have quarreled, owing to Pettit's dickering with a Morro dato for the right to land troops, and compelling his men to submit to indignities from the natives.

The rebel general, Montenegro, surrendered to Colonel Smith.

The insurgents attacked San Jose, in the province of Batangas, and Santa Cruz, on the lake, fruitlessly. Twelve hundred Tagalogs attacked

Case's battalion headquarters of the Fortieth regiment, at Cagayan, island of Mindanso, on the 7th. The Americans had 15 casualties, while of the attacking force 50 were killed and 80 wounded or taken prisoners. The enemy, numbering 150 riflemen, the remainder being Bolomen, archers and monnted spearmen, swooped down in a howling mass at daylight, surprising and killing three of the sentries. They swarmed the streets in small parties, some bearing scaling ladders by means of which they attempted to enter the houses. The Americans tumbled out of the

barracks and formed in the plaza and companies began sweeping the town. The subsequent street fighting lasted about 20 minutes. Twelve of the wounded Americans are now on board

the hospital ship Relief The enemy withdrew to the mountains in great confusion.

General Young, at Manila, reported that 300 insurgent riflemen and bolomen attacked the American garrison at Batoc, province of North Ilocos, but were repulsed, losing 160 men. The Americans had no casualties.

Captain Dodd, with a squadron of the Third cavalry, recently surrounded a village in Benguet province, and surprised 200 insurgents, living in barracks, apparently a recruiting center for the province. The enemy lost 53 men killed. Our troops also captured 44 men and burned the village. One American was wounded.

HAPPENED IN WASHINGTON.

Mr. Allen, the new governor of Porto Rico, sailed from Washington for his post of duty.

General C. Gillmore, chief of General Miles' staff, continues critically ill at his residence in Washington, as the result of his participation in the Porto Ricon campaign.

Owing to continued ill health, Hon! John Addison Porter, secretary to the president, tendered his resignation, and the president accepted it, to take effect May 1 next. George B. Cortelyon, of New York, the present assistant secretary to the president, was appointed to the office.

Grosvenor (Rep., O.) and Williams (Dem., Miss.) had a lively row in the house, on Wednesday, during the debate on the naval appropriation bill. The senate considered the Alaskan

civil code bill, Wednesday. The house had the naval appropriation bill under consideration Wednesday.

The Foraker resolution providing for the administration of civil affairs in Porto Rico, pending the appointment of permanent officials under the recently passed Porto Rico law, was passed by the senate Thursday.

On Friday, Representative Hepburn, in charge of the Nicaragua canal bill, announced that a definite arrangement had been reached by which the bill will be considered by the house on May 1 and 2 and passed. The committee on rules had taken no definise action. The house committee on interstate and foreign commerce made an important change in the Hepburn Nicaragua canal bill, striking out the provision for the "fortification," and thus providing what is expected to be a compromise, which will aid in bringing the bill to an early con-

On Friday the senate had under consideration during the greater part of the session the conference report on the Hawaiian civil government measure. Mr. Cullom made an extended explanation of the changes in the bill. The report was the subject of sharp criticism.

Mr. Fornker (O.) pronounced a eulogy on the late Lorenzo Danford, a representative from Ohio and the senate adopted resolutions expressive of its SOITOW.

Senator Platt, of Connecticut, astonished the senate Saturday by declaring that congress has no authority to legislate for Cuba, the island being exclusively under control of the military authorities

The Quay case was debated in the senate Monday. The house Monday considered the postoffice appropriation bill.

#### TRU-STATE EVENTS. J. M. McKinsley, grand secretary of

the Royal Arcanum, died of apoplexy in Cleveland, with which he was strick- | other foreign subjects. en while in his office. Mr. McKinsley was 56 years old.

attend the Ecumenical conference in action.

New York city, is ill at Kingston, O. the home of his relatives, suffering from mental exhaustion. It is not expected he will be able to attend the

An Italian killed four men and wounded two in a disorderly house near Johnstown, Pa. It is believed he was run over and killed by a train.

The West Penn Hospital Cot club, of Pittsburg, presented a fine ambulance and a span of Kentucky mules to the hospital.

Mrs. U. S. Grant and Mrs. Fred Grant will attend the Americus club banquet in Pittsburg Friday evening in celebration of the birthday of General Grant. The attorney general of Ohio held that the appropriation of \$500,000 for the Toledo centennial exhibition was not le-

candidate for the Republican nominstion for secretary of state of Ohio, withdrew from the race.

VICTIMS OF DISASTEB.

in danger of perishing by forest fires in the Manitoba woods. Walter Jennings, aged 7, was perhaps

Martin Ruzek, a Pole, fell out of a window at 1343 Penn avenue, Pittsburg, and broke his neck.

At Minden, La., a white man was shot by a negro, who afterward committed suicide, and two of the negro's alleged accomplices were lynched.

After a quarrel at Lewisburg, Pa., Newton Motz was stabbed to death. James Lenhart was arrested, charged with the crime.

NEWS OF FOREIGN LANDS.

There have been several attacks by the Boers on the British positions in the Free State, resulting in sharp but indeapparently has not yet begun.

Lord Methnen's great wagon convoy was nearly taken by the Boers during the English retreat to Boshor.

Lord Roberts as to the generalship displayed by Buller, Warren and Thorneycroft in the Boer war were made public

The British war office makes public a dispatch from Lord Roberts, which does not confirm the reports that the siege of the garrison at Wepener has been raised, and says that the Boers are still attacking the place "in a very half-hearted manner.

William Redmond, the Irish member of parliament, in an open letter asked flags were flying in Ireland in or of the queen's visit when men were dving in war. Over 1,000 Boers made an attack on

the British entrenchments at Elandslaagte, presumably to cover a retreat of the main force. It is reported that Lord Roberts and

commander-in-chief in South Africa. Lord Roberts' action in criticising Generals Euller and Warren has only

ed Buller will resign. The Paris exposition was still in a

W. T. Stead, the English editor, who has been in Paris, declares that the temper of the Freuch people is for war with England and a trivial incident is enough to start it.

with the idea of further placating the Irish, will purchase a residence in Ire-Mande Gonne sued an Irish paper for

libel for saying she was a government

BUSINESS JOTTINGS. The German-Australian company will

establish a new line of steamers to Sydney and Brisbane, by way of Cape Town. The sailings, which will begin on May 19, will be monthly.

J. G. Johnson, vice chairman of the Democratic national committee, declared that Bryan's would be the only name presented at the Kansas City convention and that he would be nominated by acclamation.

Ex-Congressman David G. Colson, who participated in a duel at Frankfort, Ky., in which three men were killed, was acquitted of the charge of

murder. adopted the name of "Lincoln Republi-

John W. Gates, president of the American Steel and Wire company, is quoted as saying that his action in shutting down 12 plants is vindicated by the action of the board of directors in cut-

All Europe is watching America's attempt to collect claims from the sultan and will rejoice if she succeeds. The American charge d'affaires was granted a long interview with the sultan.

Turkek replied to the American demands, stating that Turkey will compensate American missionaries under the same conditions as in the case of

Bishop J. M. Thoburn, of the Metho- United States in the indemnity claim, dist Episcopal church in India, who ar- and it is believed the powers having

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begun, and the end of which cannot Apart from the disturbance in speculation there has been produced a measure of distrust regarding prices that are maintained by the great combinations which pay for the present, tend to deter buying. In the iron business the formal reductions were almost wholly anticipated in actual sales. Some urgent and important contracts have been made, including that for the New York

Wheat has declined a fraction in price and corn advanced a fraction, both markets being rendered comparatively inactive by certainty that the remaining foreign requirements will be

Failures for the week were 184 in the

MANCHESTER, April 23.-Rev. Dr. Talmage, on leaving the church here Sunday, where he had preached, was called upon by an immense throng, which had been unable to enter the building, and was urged to speak again. He complied, preaching in the open air.

PITTSBURG, April 29.

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13½; limburger, new, 132/13½c.
POULTRY—Chickens, live, small, 552/5c per pound: ducks, dressed, 15@16c per pound: live, 75c@\$1.00per pair; turkeys, 12@14c; dressed, 16 CATTLE-Receipts fair; 60 cars on sale

SHEEP AND LAMBS-Market for she

WHEAT-Spot market easy; No. 2 red, 785gc

elipped do, \$3.75055.50; unshorn culls, \$3.5000 elipped do, \$1.00\23.50; unshorn lambs, \$2.50; clipped lambs, \$5.25\0.000000; unshorn culls, \$5.00 g 6.25; ellpped do, \$5.00; spring

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Howard Mannington, the anti-Hanna

Five hundred men are believed to be

fatally mangled by a catamount near Clifton, Forge, Va.

RECORD OF CRIMES.

cisive fighting. The attacks in soveral instances were repulsed and the Boers driven from their strongholds in the kopjes. The siege of Wepener garrison is still kept up, but reinforcements are near there, if they have not arrived. The general advance of Lord Roberts' forces

Severe criticisms in a report made by

General Kitchener have been quarreling and that the latter was sat upon by the

the more endeared him to the people of England, who are crying for the recall of the erring generals. It is not believ-

state of chaos.

It is believed that Queen Victoria,

MISCELLANEOUS.

The Silver Republican party has cans.

ting prices 20 per cent. The great Ecumenical conference on foreign missions began in New York and President McKinley and ex-President Harrison were among the speakers.

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ECRMENICAL CONFERENCE MEETS

Representatives of Different Countries Gathered to Promote Spread of Gospel In Foreign Lands-Addresses Made by

a Number of the Delegates. NEW YORK, April 24.—The business sessions of the Ecumenical conference on foreign missions began simultaneously in Carnegie hall and the Central Presbyterian church. Walter B. Sloan, secretary of the inland mission of China, led the devotional exercises in Carnegie hall, and the Rev. James Cunningham, M. A., of the Memorial Presbyterian church of Wadsworth, London, conducted exercises at the Central Presbyterian. At Carnegie hall the Rev. Dr. Augustus A. Strong, president of Rochester Theological seminary, delivered

an address on the "Authority and Purposes of Foreign Missions." The Rev. S. Hudson Taylor, founder of the China Inland mission, spoke on "The Source and Power of Foreign Missions."

Robert E. Speer, secretary of the

board of foreign missions of the Presby-

terian church of the United States. spoke on "The Supreme and Determining Aim In Foreign Missions." The meeting in Central Presbyterian church was addressed by Rev. James I. Vance, of Nashville; Rev. Henry T. Chapman, secretary of the United Methodist Free Churches in England; Rev. Paul de Schweinitz, secretary of the board of missions of the Moravian church, and Rev. Dr. H. C. Mable, secretary of the American Baptist union. Rev. James Cunningham, M. A., of

of the theme for the day, "The Authority and Purpose, the Source and Power, and the Supreme and Determining Aim In Foreign Missions." Rev. I. B. Wolf, Rev. J. Wilkie, Rev. L. W. Scudder, Rev. Dr. Parker, of Northern India, and Rev. J. E. Abbott, of Bombay, addressed the meeting upon

missionary work in farther India.

The meeting at the Madison Avenue

London, England, presided and con-

tributed a few words to the discussion

Reformed church was devoted to a discussion of missionary work in Mohammedan lands. Rev. James L. Barton, president of the American board of missions in Turkey, spoke of the situation in the Ottoman empire. Rev. William Jessup spoke upon mission work in Syria; L. H. Hutton, president of the Presbyterian mission board,

spoke on missions in Arabia; J. Har-

graves Ridgeford on early efforts of mis-

sionaries in Northern Africa, and John

Giffen, a missionary of Egypt, of the

United Presbyterian church, on Lgypt. George Washburn, president of Robert college, in Constantinople, said in "Contrary to a seeming belief, missionaries in Turkey have no political purposes whatever. All that they ask of the Turkish government is that they be given the rights guaranteed by the

treaties existing between the tw

Dr. Grace Kimball, of Vassar college,

tries.

formerly missionary to Turkey, spoke briefly on Turkey, Dr. Edward Riggs on Greece and Rev. T, C. Wilson on Jerusalem and mission work in Palestine. At the Broadway tabernacle several missionaries gave a general survey of the mission work in the islands of the Pacific. Bishop John F. Hurst, of Washington, spoke on the Philippines, Rev. Canon Edwards, of the Exeter cathedral, London, and secretary of the London Bible society, then spoke of the work which the Bible society had done in the islands of the Pacific. He said that society had spent over 20 years in compiling a new testament in the language of the Filipines, but Spain had not allowed them to do any missionary work in the islands, and hence they had not been able to make any use of the work, but now that they had the United States to deal with the society would al-

low the American missionaries to use this work. He also said, referring to the United States: "England rejoices in your joys and delights in your prosperity." Rev. Dr. Wardlaw Thompson, London, and Rev. John G. Payton, of

#### and Sumatra, and was followed by Rev. O. H. Gulich, a native of Hawaii, and Rev. W. E. Consins, of Madagascar.

the New Hebrides, told of the work in

those districts. Rev. J. R. Callenbach

D. D., of Doorn, Holland, spoke of the

Dutch mission work in Javamx, Bornec

THE ECUMENICAL DELEGATES BUSY, Many Spoke In Churches About New

York Sunday-President Attended Church. NEW YORK, April 23 .- Although no session of the ecumenical conference was held Sunday, most of the members of the conference found it a very busy day. With few exceptions they accepted invitations to speak at one of the services held in the several hundred churches of the five city boroughs, and

President McKinley attended the 11 e'clock service at the Brick Presbyterian church, on Fifth avenue. With him were his brother, Abner McKinley, Secretary Cortelyou, and Mr. and Mrs. Morrit K. Jesup. The president breakfasted with Mrs.

McKinley in their apartments at the

Manhattan hotel. Mrs. McKinley was

much rested after the trip to this city,

but did not feel well enough to attend

even in the neighboring cities and

towns.

At the church Rev. J. H. Laughlin, missionary from the province of Snan Tung, China, delivered an address on the progress of Christianity in that country. Although this province is the storm center of the Chinese nation, owing to the residence there of large numbers of the "boxers," he said that 1838.

#### the missionaries were doing good serv- MANY REBELS FELL. ABOUT 1,000 DEAD, OR MAY DIE,

IN PHILIPPINES.

ice and that the growth of Christianity had been great. Both going to and coming from the church the president was recognized by many people on F fth avenue. A small crowd gathered around the hotel, to whom he bowed in an amiable manner

In the afternoon the president and Mrs. McKin ley drove in the park. The services in other prominen ahurches in this city were conducted by the most prominent of the missionaries now attending the Ecumenical confer-

HANNA TO BE CHOSEN.

Will Likely Go as One of the Delegates to Philadelphia-Maunington Withdraws. COLUMBUS, O., April 23 .- The Repub-

lican state convention is to be held here Tuesday and Wednesday. There are but five state officers to be elected this fall, and the most important of them is the secretary of state. The others are judge of the supreme court, state commissioner of schools, state dairy and food commissioner and

members of the state board of public

For supreme judge John A. Shauck, of Dayton, now serving on the bench, is candidate for nomination for another term, and will get it without opposition. For member of the state board of public works C. A. Goddard, of Portsmouth, now serving his first term in that office, will be nominated for another term without opposition. For state school commissioner the incumbent, Lewis D. Bonebrake, is, by the unwritten law of the party, entitled to a second term, and will probably get it. Messrs. Shanck, Goddard and Bonebrake are serving their second terms, and ordinarily there would be no ques-

tion about their nomination. The case is quite different with State Food Commissioner Blackburn. He is finishing his second term, and the rule against third terms is strong except in the case of judges of the supreme court. It was a matter of some surprise when Commissioner Blackburn announced his candidacy for another nomination. Four other persons have entered the race for this nomination-S. C. Wheeler, of Sandusky; Byron Lutz, of Ross county; T. J. Harbaugh, of Putnam county, and F. B. McNeal, of Miami county. It is generally expected Blackburn will be the nominee. R. M. Nevin, of Dayton, has

been selected for chairman of the con-

The Democratic state committee will

not be called together to fix the time and

place of the state convention until after

vention.

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It is believed that the delegates-atlarge to the national convention will be Senators Hanna and Foraker, Governor Nash and Congressman Dick. Senator Hanna has expressed his desire for someone else to be selected, but place in the event of Senator Hanna's

declination being accepted it is thought

that he will be chosen in the interest of

The withdrawal of Howard Manning-

ton assures the nomination of Lewis C.

Laylin for secretary of state without

the Republican convention is over.

GROW'S AMDITION. Wants Pennsylvania Republican Conven tion Again to Nominate Him at Harrisburg This Week. HARRESBURG, Pa., April 23.—The Republican state convention will be held here on Wednesday to nominate candidates for congressman-at-large, auditor general and four presidential electors-atlarge, and elect eight delegates-at-large to the national convention at Philadelphia. Colonel Ned Arden Flood, of Meadville, reached here, and was to open headquarters today at the Lochiel hotel for his father, Dr. Theodore L. Flood, a candidate for congressman-atlarge. Two persons will be selected for this office, and one of the incumbents. Samuel A. Davenport, of Erie, is not a candidate. The other is Galusha A.

congress 50 years ago, and has served three terms as congressman-at-large. He is an active candidate for renomination, and will be here tomorrow to take personal direction of his canvas. Another candidate who is after this office is Robert H. Foerderer, of Philadelphia, who has been endorsed by a majority of the delegates from that city. Senator E. B. Hardenbergh, of Wayne county, has no opposition for auditor general. It is expected that the party

Grow, of Susquehanna, who entered

leaders and a majority of the candidates and delegates will reach here by Monday night. George Oliver Declines. Pittsburg, April 23.-Mr. George Oliver, in a letter, has declined to accept

the Republican nomination for congress-

THE SULTAN'S IRADE.

man-at-large for business reasons.

Destroyed Property of American Missionaries to Be Rebuilt at Kharput, Constantinople, April 24.-An imperial irade has been promulgated authorizing the rebuilding of the property of the American missionaries at Kharput

and the construction of an annex to the

Washington, April 24.—Lloyd Gris-

com, the United States charge d'affaires

at Constantinople, has cabled the state

department that the Turkish minister

for foreign affairs has informed the am-

bassadors that the porte will not raise

Roberts college at Constantinople

tariffs without previous agreement with Sir Trancis Marindin Dead. LONDON, April 24.—Sir Francis Arthur

Marindin, senior inspecting officer of railways, in connection with the board of trade, is dead. He was bern May 1,

Disease Bred by Filth.

Wheeler says:

Miss Whelan is associated with Mrs.

HOGS-Marigot weak; state hogs, \$5.8°\$5.00; western do, \$5.70.

rived in this country ten days ago to similar claims will support American

There is the greatest interest in political circles regaring the attitude of the