The Pacific Biscuit Company, controlling the cracker bakeries on the Pacific coast, has filed a deed of trust for \$1,500,000 to the Produce Exchange Trust Company of New

Judge Betts, in the Supreme Court in Kingston, N. Y., gave permission to Attorney General Davies to take proceedings for the annulment of Ramapo Company's charter.

The New York Alumni of St. John's College held their annual reunion at the Hotel Savoy and decided to contribute \$10,0.0 for Improvements at the college.

Men of the Tennessee Regiment who ar-rived Saturday at San Francisco from Manila complain that the provisions ran short on the voyage.

Sixteen thousand pounds of powder in the California Powder Mill, at Santa Cruz, Cal., exploded, killing the night watchman, A swindler representing himself as the

of the Travelers' Protective Association found a number of dupes in Norfolk, Assistant Secretary of the Navy Allen, in

his annual report, recommended the estab-lishment of a national naval reserve. The textile workers of Fall River have de-

manded an increase of 10 per cent, in wages, to go into effect December 11,

The Union Iron Works, of San Francisco is said to have been absorbed by the shipbuilding syndicate. Mrs. James Bell, of Tarrytown, N. Y.

jumped into the Hudson lilver to save her on from drowning. Frank Giles, a telegraph operator in Chi-

eago, attacked by footpads, killed one and wounded another.

Fire destroyed the Bradley block in Clevefand, the loss being estimated at \$100,0.0. John Allen was fatally injured in a football came in St. Louis,

dmiral Dewey and Mrs. Mildred Hazen were married by Rev. James F. Mackin, paster of St. Paul's Catholic Caurch, Washington, at the church rectory. A breakfast was served at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. McLean, after which the couple went on a tour

Rear Admiral Bradford, of the naval bureau of equipment, in his report to the Secretary of the Navy, calls attention to the need of more coaling stations.

The Postoffice Department will experiment with automobiles for collecting mail in the larger cities.

In Hollywood Cemetery, at Richmond, Va. were unveiled memorials to Jefferson Davis and Miss Winnie Davis, in the presence of a targe crowd. Mrs. Jefferson Davis was

Thirty-five states were represented in the opening session of the annual meeting of the American Sunday School Union at

Clarence A. Carpenter, an official of the Lake Shore Road, died at Cleveland, Ohlo, as the result of being struck by an engine. Two persons were killed and one was fatally injured in a collision at Blughamton. between a trolley car and a train.

A B. & O. freight and a passenger train collided on a high bridge at Wilmington, Del. Several people were hurt.

Miss Emma Trego and Mr. Samuel B. Keller, and Miss Bessie Carr and Mr. William Huder, were married at Carlisle. The condition of Vice President Hobart

was slightly improved. Miss Sarah C. King, aged sixty, was murdered near Stamford, Ct.

Major Jefferson Sinclair, of Elizabeth City. W. Va., is dend. The tablet to Miss Winnie Davis and that

to the four sons of Jefferson Davis were unveiled in St. Paul's Church, at Richmond. The Italian bark Salvatore arrived at

Gioucester, Mass., with the crew of the wrecked schooner William E. Downes, who had been four days in the rigging before aid

Frederick Stevens, a student in the University of Virginia, and Miss Marie Yager, of Charlottesville, Va., eloped to Washington, and were there married. It was stated in Chicago that many of the

independent telephone companies were unwilling to enter the combine formed to fight the Bell Company. The body of Colonel Dallas C. Irish, a

not far from his house. His death was due to apoplexy.

Marconi, who has been experimenting with wireless telegraph, has sold his in-terests to the Mackay-Bennett Cable Com-

Dr. Walter J. Hoffman, United States con

sul at Mannheim, Germany, died at Reading, Pa., of lung trouble, aged fifty-three, Wood Hutchinson and Frank Mankin

drank essence of cinnamon in Raleigh county, W. Va., and died from its effects. A gold brick, said to be worth \$100,000 has been melted in a Canadian mine in the Kootenni district.

Monsignor Nicholas Cantwell died in Philadelphia, aged eighty-seven. The Olympia went out of commission at

the Charlestown Navy Yard. John Lupton was fatally injured by a saw near Capron Bridge, Va.

General Ludiow says the conditions in Cuba are improving.

General Miles is in Oregon on a trip of in-Fire to Witmington, Del., enused \$50,000

J. W. Stine, of York, Pa., shot Mrs. Harry Mundis and then killed himself becar refused to run away with him. Stine had a

The National Timplate Company has been organized to develop in West Virginia the Rodgers patents, which, it is claimed, will revolutionize the tin business.

The steamer Tallahassee collided with the four-master Senator Sullivan, and both ves-sels returned to New York badly damaged, Mrs. Warren, a Presbyterian missionary, arrived in New York with an East Indian

whom she has adopted as her son. Hampton Roads is crowded with belated vessels which suffered more or less during

the recent hurricane.
\*Four men were killed and two seriously injured by a rush of dirt in a colliery near Mahanoy Place, Pa. The people of Bevier, Mo., have been ter-rorized by gangs of negroes from the mine

stockades. State Senator Phillips was arrested in Great Falls, Montana, on the charge of

sheep stealing. Kennett McKee, a child of three years, died in Chicago, a victim of faith-cure.

A destructive fire burned out \$200,000 worth of property in Kansas City, Mo. The new fortifications at Fort Caswell

were damaged by the hurricane. The ship Charles E. Moody, long overdue,

arrived at Honolulu.

Nearly every business house in Thomas-ville, Ga., was destroyed by a fire raging

Louis de Goesbriand, Catholie Bishop of the Diocese of Burlington, Vt., is dead.

Admiral Schley, while traveling through

Virginia toward Atlanta, was given an thusiastic ovation at all stations, and at Lynchburg was officially received by the Mayor and City Council. At Danville be was joined by the Atlanta comm

Many vessels were distressed by the storm on the Lakes. The yacht Chiquits was found ashore, and all on board have probably per-

Jay H. Worst, of Berwyn, Pa., dashed

Philadelphia, who wrote affectionate letters to Mrs. Worst. Adam Keener, of York, who confessed hav-Adam Keener, of York, who confessed hav-ting fired his place for 'he insurance money, made réstitution to the company.

# THE ELECTIONS,

NASH'S MAJORITY CLAIMED TO BE 30,000 IN OHIO.

### TAYLOR WINS IN KENTUCKY

Combination of Republicans and Brown Democrats Compasses the Defeat of Goebel-Fusion Forces Victorious in Nebraska-McKinley and Bryan Win Their Respective States-Other States.

In Maryland the Democratic State ficket was elected by a majority of about 15,000. The House of Delegates will be Democratic by a large majority. The Senate will be

The Democrats carried Baltimore city by

8,203 plurality.

Republican victory in Ohio is claimed by t chirality of about 30,000. John R. McLean, Democratic candidate for Governor, does not concede defeat. Samuel M. Jones, nonpartian candidate for Governor, polled

Returns indicate the election of William S. Taylor, Republican, for Governor of Kenover William Goebel. Democrat, by about 7,000 plurality. Chairman Blackburn, of the Democratic State Committee, is claim-ing victory for Goebel. Little trouble on curred at the polls, except in Louisville, where militia were ordered out to see that minority representatives were allowed to

ee the count of ballots.

The Nebraska fusionists, whose cause champlored by Hon. William J. Bryan, have won their fight. Returns indicate the election of Silas A. Holcombe, candidate for ludge of the State Supreme Court, and head of the fusion ticket, by 10,000 to 19,000 plur

all'v over M. B. Reese, Republican
The Tammany ticket won in Greater New ork by majorities ranging from 65,000 to 70,000. In the State at large a Republican Assembly was chosen. In that body the Republicans will have a plurality of about Robert Mazet, Republican, chaleman of the Maset Investigating committee, was de-feated for re-election to the Assembly from a New York city district.

The election in Virginia was for member of the House of Delegates and one-half the nembers of the State Senate. The vote throughout the State was light, and there was practically no emposition to the Demo-eratic candidates. The Legislature chosen will elect a United States Senator to succeed Hon, Thomas S. Martin, whose term expires March 3, 1901.

The majority for A. H. Longino, Demo crat, for Governor of Mississippi, is estimated at 20,000. Iowa is Republican. The Republicans

claim 60,000 majority in that State. New Jersey elected a Republicon Legis The Republican majority in Massachu

setts shows a falling off about 18,000, It is Pennsylvania went Republican by about

Republicans confidently claim victory in South Dakota by 10,000 plurality, Demoerats admit that the State is Republican.

#### MARYLAND.

The Democrats swept Maryland. Returns were late coming in and several of the counties were reported very close. Col. John Walter Smith's plurality over

Lloyd Lowndes, for Governor, will reach nearly 15,000 in city and State. Democrats carried Baltimore city by 8,203 plurality, electing their local ticket and their entire legislative ticket.

The following State officers were elected: Governor-John Walter Smith, Worcester

Comptroller-Dr. Joshua W. Hering, Carroll county. Attorney-General-Isidor Rayner, Balti-

### NEW YORK.

New York, (Special.)-In politics it is Croker's city; it is Platt's State Greater New York is carried by the Demo rats by majorities for the local tickets run ning between 65,000 and 70,000,

The New York Assembly will be Republican by a majority of 36, Robert Mazet, the chairman of the latest Republican investigating committee, will not sit in that body, having been defeated in this city by a small majority by Perez M. Stewart, the candidate of the Citizens' Union, who was indorsed by

In New York county, comprising the Boroughs of Manhattan and the Bronx, there was a Democratic sweep almost from the Battery to the northern city line. The average Democratic majority will be about 50,000 for all county and judicial officers. Judge George C. Barrett received practically every vote cast. James A. O'Gorman, for the Supreme Court, defeated Joseph F. Daly. the fusion candidate, by about 50,000.

Columbus, Ohio, (special.) - Latest returns show that while there were Democratic gains in Cincinnati and other cities, McLean is likely third at Cleveland and possibly at Teledo, in which cities Jones draw much more heavily from the Democrats than from the Republicans. At the same time the Republican net gains ou side of Cincinnati, Cleveland and Toledo are such as to indicate a plurality of from thirty to forty thousand for Judge Nash for Governor and the entire Republican State ticket, including a majority

of the Legislature. The latest returns are in favor of the Repul licans, especially since they indicate that Jones hurt the Democrats much more than the Republicans in Cleveland, Toledo, Co lambus and other cities, while the early reports indicated exactly the opposite

Judge Nash, Republican candidate, was receiving the congratulations of his friends and neighbors at the Neil House after II P.

He said: I claim my election by at least 30,0 0." At 11.2 . P. M. Chairman Dick said: "The returns from Hamilton, Cayahoga and Lucas counties are as yet too meager to give defin-ite figures. Enough have been received to ndicate the election of Judge Nash by greater plurality than that of Governo fushneil two years ago, which was 28,165 thus ensuring the election of the entire Re publican State ticket. Both branches of the

Legislature are Republican. After this announcement further returns

Escaped from Jail. Cakland, Md., (Special.)—Charles Williams, who was in Oakland jall awaiting the action of the grand jury on the charge of burglarizing the store of Carney & Pendergast at Huttons, in Garrett county, escaped from prison. Sheriff Lee Was absent and one of his boys opened the jall door to put in some coal, when Williams rushed over the boy and got away.

San Francisco's Mayor Ban Francisco, (Special.)—Ninety-five precincts complete give the following on mayor: Phelan, Dem., 1,266; Davis, Rep., 845. If the present ratio is maintained Phe-lan's plurality will be about 1,5 0.

Committed Murder, Then Suicide. Philadelphia, (Special,)-Otto II. Ross gan, aged 25 years, 1749 Wiley street, that and instantly killed Mrs. Gertrude Gill, aged 22 years, 292! Gordon street, after which he committed suicide by shooting himself. The woman had been separated from her hus-band for some time. On Saturday night she quarreled with Boessgen. Then the latter breated what he afterward accomplished.

Paris, (By Cable.)—The Berlin correspondent of the Pigaro says Emperor William Is resolved to occupy Tiger Bay, south of Angola, on the west coast of South Africa, if England occupies Delagoa Bay.

Washington, (Special.)—The Postmaster-General has ordered the establishment of free delivery service at Moundsville, W. Va., with four letter carriers. The service will commence on January 1.

were received indicating greater Republican

NEBRASKA. Lincoln, Neb., (Special.)—It is evident to both parties that Nebraska has repledged her allegiance to the fusion standard which Hon. William J. Bryan so ardently champlor

There has been a steady falling off of the ote, but while the fusionists have suffered little, the Republican loss has been not less han three to a precinct. If the present ratio is maintained ex-Governor Hole fusion State ticket will be elected by not less than 10,000. Fusionists claim much more.

Returns from 780 precincts in Nebraska sutside of Omaha give Holcomb, fusion, 8,701; Reese, Republican, 8,934.

At midnight 42 out of the 76 precincts in Smaha had been heard from, giving Reese, for Justice of the Supreme Court, 3,978, Holomb, 4,146. The same precincts last year gave Hayward, Rep., for Governor, 4,028 Poynter, fusion, 3,533. The indications are that Holcomb will carry the city by a small The Lincoln State Journal posts a bulletin

saying: "At the present rate of gains Hol-comb is elected by 12,000 majority." Mr. Bryan said: "The campaign in Ne-braska was a fight on national issues, and the result is a protest against the policies

of Republican administration.

KENTUCKY. Louisville, Ky., (Special.)-By the com bined efforts of the Republicans and anti-Goebelites, Attorney General W. S. Taylor, Rep., has been elected governor of ucky by a majority variously estimated from seven to fifteen thousand over Goebel Dem. Returns received up to midnight also indicate the election of the entire Republican ticket, while the complexion of the leg-

islature is in doubt. The weather throughout the state was perfect, and more than an average vote was polled, the total falling but little short of th rote polled in the last presidential election Comparatively little disorder prevailed, and aside from several arrests for alleged violations of election laws, the election was characterized by a remarkable degree

Governor Bradley remained in Louisville furing the day, and had the Louisville Legion in readiness for marching orders. 'militia was called out after the close of polls to enforce an injunction granted by a local judge, but the presence of the militia was not needed, and the companies were

soon ordered back to the armory. Chairman Long, of the Republican cam onign committee, said at midnight that Caylor's plurality would not be less than 15,000. This estimate, he said, was based upon estimates received from a majority of he counties in the state. Governor Bradley estimates Taylor's plurality at fron

At midnight there were still many miss ng precincts, but 181 out of 203 in the city of Louisville and Jefferson county give Tay for a plurality of 3,862. With all the return in and the present ratio of Republican gains naintained, Taylor's majority in the city

At midnight Chairman Long, of the Re publican Campaign Committee, claims that General Taylor has carried the state by from 10,000 to 15,000 majority. He says that Taylor has carried the Third, Fourth, Fifth Ninth and Eleventh Congressional districts while the Eighth and Tenth are close. The Republicans have made heavy gains in most all of the Democratic strongholds, which were expected to give Goebel large majori-

#### MISSISSIPPI.

Jackson, Miss., (Special.)—The election passed off very quietly throughout the State. The Democratic majority is estimated at 30, 000. Returns are very scattering so far, and indicate a close vote on the Noel amendment

for elective judiciary.

The chief interest in the day centered in Yalobusha county, where a senatorial primary was held, in conjunction with the regular election. A bitter personal fight was made on Senator Sullivan, who is a candi date for the short term ending March 4. 1901. Returns from nearly all the precinct ndicate that he has received the instruction by a majority of nearly two to one. McLaurin received the long-term instruction by an overwhelming majority.

### MASSACHUSETTS.

Boston, Mass., (Special.)—The result of 331 cities and towns, including Boston, out of the 353 in the state, give Crane, Rep. 154,721; Paine, Dem., 97,096. The same towns and cities in 1898 gave Wolcott 174,-845; Bruce, Dem., 100,701. This shows a Republican loss of twenty-two per cent, and a Democratic loss of four per cent. On this basis, the Republicans have carried the state by 65,000.

### SOUTH DAKOTA.

Stoux Falls, S. D., (Special.)—Stoux Falls Argus leader, basing estimate on reports thus far received from points in South Dakota, claims the election of the Republi nominee for State Supreme Court by 10,000 majority. This is also the estimate of the national Republican committeemen.

### VIRGINIA.

Richmond, Va., (Special.)—Never before a the history of the city was there a quieter election. The vote was small. About the only reminder that an election was in progress was the fact that the front doors of the arrooms were closed.

A. C. Worsham, the only man who ran against the Democratic nominees for the House of Delegates, was buried under nearly all the ballots cast. The election in Virginia settles it beyond the preadventure of a doubt that Senutor Thomas S. Martin will suc himself. There are comparatively few Republicans and independents elected. Of the 'regulars" Mr. Martin has an overwhelming

### Arbitration for Samoans

Washington, (Special.)—Assistant Secretary Hill, for the United States; Mr. Tower, for Oreat Britain, and Mr. Mumm von Schwarzenstein, on the part of Germany, at the State Department, signed a convention providing for the adjustment by arbitration of claims of inhabitants of Samoa for dam ages resulting from the naval and military operations there last spring.

Salt Lake, Utah, (Special,)-Straight balsix precincts, with six precincts to hear Thompson, Republican,

Thompson's majority, 164. Chief of Police Killed. Hattiesburg, Miss., (Special.) - John F. Schnett, chief of police of Hattiesburg, was shot and killed by I. N. Hollingsworth, the traveling representative of a ratent washing

machine. The shooting occurred in a quar-

mayor, 4,943; Barnes, Democrat, 4,776.

The Whiting a Total Loss Wilmington, N. C., (Special.)—The steamer Catherine Whiting, 800 tons, Capt. F. C. Miller, from Satilla river, Georgia, to New York, laden with 350,000 feet of lumber, be-

onging to the Hilton-Dodge Lumber Com

pany, went ashore 20 miles south of Frying Pan Shoais. She is a total loss and was valued at \$20,000. The captain and crew of right men were all saved and brought to this Free Delivery at Moundsville Washington, (Special.)—The Postmaster-General has ordered the establishment of

# CABELLO TAKEN.

GEN. PAREDES SURRENDERS AFTER TERRIBLE BATTLE.

### HE IGNORED THE POWERS.

Fleets of Five Nations Bombard-Ruin and Devastation-Killed and Wounded Number 650 People-Gen. Paredes Made a Stubborn Defense, But Gen. Guerra Forced an Entrance.

Porto Cabello, Venezuela, (By Cable.)-General Paredes, a former commander in the army of Ex-President Andrade, who had refused the demand made upon him by Gen. Cipriano Castro and the de facto au thorities to surrender the town, even when this was re-enforced by the request of the British, American, French, German and Dutch commanders, surrendered, after a terrible battle.

The aspect of the city is one of ruin and devastation, and it is estimated that up-wards of 650 persons were killed or wounded during the fighting. Dr. Braisted, of the United States cruiser Detroit, and the other surgeons of the var-

lous warships in the harbor, are ministering to the wants of the wounded, Gen. Ramon Guerra began a land attack upon the town and the position of General Paredes on Friday night. Desultory fight-

ing continued until Saturday morning about

4, and then a flerce struggle ensued. Gen-

eral Paredes made a stubborn defense, but

General Guerra forced an entrance into the

town at 5 o'clock Saturday. As early as 8 o'clock Saturday morning the fleet arrived and began a bombardment, but the range was too great and the firing proved ineffective.

#### KENTUCKY VOTE.

Result of Election Will be Uncertain for

Several Days. Louisville, Ky., (Special.)—The second seek of uncertainty regarding the result of the balloting for governor of Kentucky be gins with little prospect of an immediate definite result. The official count has been in progress two days, and official returns from a large majority of the 119 counties have narrowed the contest down to a nose finish. Each side claims the election of its ticket, but the estimated plurality of either does not exceed 3,000.

While the returns so far received favor Taylor, the result of the count may hinge on the decision given by the county election ommissioners in several places where con tests have been begun on the ground of alleged irregularities. One of these contests, that In Nelson county, has been decided adversely to the Republicans. It involves 1,198 votes—nearly as many as either

side claims as its plurality.

The Democrats will contest the votes of some of the mountain counties, which return large Republican pluralities. The most Important county involved is Knox, which gave Taylor 1,398 plurality. There are also contests in three precincts in Louisville, which went Republican.

In any event, it is difficult to see how a bitter contest before the legislature and the courts can be avoided. All the contests now being considered by the county election offlcers will have to be argued before the State Board of Election Commissioners, which must meet at Frankfort within a month Both sides are prepared for this with all the legal talent at their command. Meanwhile, everything hangs on the official count which will consume a large portion of the week.

### FOOLED BY AGEINALDO.

American Army Enters Tarlac, but Full to Find Him.

Mani a. (By Cable.) - Colon-l Bell's regient and a small force of cavalry entered Tariac, without opposition.

Where Agninaldo, with his army, and the o-called government have fled is a mystery General MacArthur took Bamban Satur-ay. This is supposed to be the strongest position held by the Filipinos except Tariac The brief account of the engagement re-ceived indicate that the rebeis fought according to their recent tactics, retreating after firing a few volleys. One officer

the Thirty-sixth Regiment is the only American reported killed. General MacArthur began his advance at daylight, Colonel Smith, with the Seventeenth Regiment, on the right; Major Bell's command, the Thirty-sixth, on the left, and the Ninth in the center. Colonel Smith encountered a small force at six o'clock, easily dispersing the rebels. Colonel Bell secures a position on the mountain, from which he poured an enfliading fire from rifles and Hotchkiss guns upon the first line of the enemy's trenches. The Filipinos stood the fire for twenty minutes, and then retreated to the to the mountains, General MacArthur en-tered Bamban at ten o'clock, and Colonel Smith occupied Capas, the first town be-

General Lawton's headquarters is still at

Cabanatuan. General Young, with his cavalry and in fantry, is still pushing ahead through the fearful mud, but his exact whereabouts is

### THE MONEY STRINGENCY.

Freusury Officials Give Reasons for Dis

lieving It Will Soon Be Over. Washington, (Special.)—Treasury officials xpect that within a short time the money irawa from the financial institutions of the East for the movement of the crops and other purposes in the West will begin to find its way to New York, and that the apparent strineency in money will be accordingly re-laxed. This return, which this year, they say, appears to be somewhat later than usual, will be brought about by the payment of the debts contracted by business men in the West, whose notes either already have natured or are closely approaching

## Fight With Footpads.

Chleago, (Special.)-Frank Glies, a police elegraph operator, was attacked by two lootpads. He killed one, wounded the secand, and a third builet from his revolver struck a pedestrian in the calf of the leg, inflicting a slight wound. The dead robber

Pittsburg, (Special.)—Grace Garsart, a beautiful young lady of seventeen years, committed suicide at McKeesport by shoot-ing herself in the heart. Investigation by the police of the girl's late life would indi-cate that the cause for the deed was despond-

Troops Landed. San Francisco, Cal., (Special.)—The Ten-essee Volunteers landed, and went into camp at the Presidio preparatory to being

mey, brought about by a visit to a fortune

Ptonsoine Poisoning.
San Francisco, Cal., (Special.)—Fifty privates of Company K of the Forty-second Volunteer Infantry were the victims of otomaine poisoning, and 18 of them are now in the general hospital at the Presidio slowly recovering from the effects of their sudden indisposition. The poison is supposed to

have been in the hash, Moody Addresses Thousands. Kansas City, Mo., (Special.)—Dwight L. Moody, the evangelist, who began an eight-day revival service here Sunday, spoke to 90,000 people at Convention Hall. Four thousand people were unable to gain ad-

### BRITISH NOT COOPED UP.

General French Manages to Get Out Ladysmith—Boer Force Headed Off.
Esteourt, Natal, (By Cable.)—Brigadier
General Wolfe-Murray has received important despatches from Ladysmith by a runner,

but their contents have not yet been divulged The armored train with a detachment of the Dublin Fusiliers and a railroad engineer ing staff which left here for Colenso to repair the line and which also intended to go through to Ladysmith if possible has returned here. The commanding officer re-ports that he proceeded beyond Colenso and found the dwellings there untouched. There had been no looting except in the single cas. of a store, which was looted by Kaffirs.
It is reported that the Boers are not within

wenty miles of here. The builet holes in the uniforms of Durban Volunteers show the narrowness of their escape from Fort Wylle, which was only effected after the heavy fire of the Dublia Fusiliers had inflicted severe loss on the Boers. A member of the garrison who was hard-pressed by the Boers leaped into the river amid a shower of builets and, diving epeatedly, reached a far bank unscathed,

General French managed to leave Ladymith by the last train from there. miles from Colenso the Boers fired on the train, but no one was hit. The General is going to Cape Town in order to take command of the cavalry. The border regiment

arrived on Friday.
Sub-Inspector Petley, of the Natal police, says that his men alone, forming one of several burial parties, interred sixty-four Boers who were killed at the battle of Talana Hill The Dublin Fusilters are being served with new kits, as they lost everything in the retreat from Dundee. The colonial forces are already fighting in their shirt sleeves, and it is expected that this will spread to all the forces before long.

Details in regard to General Brocklehurst's operations on Friday towards Dew-dorp show that the British force consisted of the Eighteenth and Nineteenth Hussars, volunteer cavalry, with a battery mounted infantry; the Fifth Dragoons, Royston's Light Horse and two batteries. At midday General Brockelburst drove the Boers from all their positions, shelled three of their guns into silence and headed off 1,000 Boers from the Pietermaritzburg road. The Light Horse pressed too far into a gully and were extricated by the Dragoons, all getting safely away. Under a heavy fire Lieutenant Pom eroy, of the Fifth Dragoon Guards, pluckly rescued a dismounted trooper from the fire zone. The British casualties were slight, The moral effect is excellent.

### AMERICA FOR "OPEN DOOR."

Said to Have Taken a Hand in Chinese

Question. London, (By Cable.)-A dispatch from Washington states that the American State Department recently asked France, Germany and Russia to give written assurances regarding the preservation of the "open door" in China, being dissatisfied with mere oral assurances and rejecting a proposal that the United States should seize a port and estab-lish a sphere of influence in China.

"If these assurances are declined," says the dispatch, "the United States will insist upon China observing the strict letter of the treaty giving the United States equal rights with other powers in that country. The Daily Chronicle, commenting editor-ially upon "this new departure in American policy, which will be fully approved in Eng-iand," dilates upon its "formation

land," dilates upon its "immense import-ance," and suggests that it "may affect the international politics of Europe in a very remarkable degree." The London papers continue to praise the report of the United States Philippine Com-

mission. The Daily News says:
"It is not quite in line with the Declaration of Independence, but experience has shown that the main doctrines of that famous in strument presuppose a long apprenticeship

#### to freedom THE ILLINOIS FLAG LAW.

Court Decides it Invalid on Account of the

Informer's Fee Clause. Chicago, Ili., (Special.)—The Illinois flag law, which prohibits the use of the American flag, or representations of it, for advertising purposes, and which has provoked litigation was declared unconstitutional by Judge Gibbons in a long opinion deciding the habeas corpus proceedings brought by J. J. Hartigan, proprietor of the Glasgow Woollen Milis, who was arrested for its vio-lation. The judge declares that the informer's fee clause in the flag act is against the spirit of American law. The decision turns on this point, the court holding that the power granted by the constitution to the vernor of the state to pardon offenders and remit fines and penalties is in conflict with the statute, which guarantees to the

#### informer a share of the fine. A FIREMAN'S INVENTION.

Chicago, (Special.)-The Chronicle says:

Has a Machine that Will Revolutionize the Firing of Locomotives.

An employe of the Pennsylvania Road has invented a machine that will revolutionize the firing of locomotives. Its work is to throw coal into the engine fire-box with an even distribution. It may allow locomotives to be operated by one man instead of two. The machine is arranged so that an engineer, merely by turning a little wheel, can place coal on a fire-box at a speed of twenty-one cubic feet a second. Engineers think that the new mechanical shoveler will

#### titute in the engineer's place in case any thing happens to the latter.

never displace firemen, no matter how suc-cessful, as there must be a man ready to sub-

DR. MAXCY LEE CONVICTED.

Man Who Killed His Father Recommended to Mercy. Charleston, S. C., (Special.)—Dr. Maxey G. Lee, of Darlington, this State, who killed his father, Dr. Lee, several months ago, was found guilty "with a recommendation to

mercy," which probably means life impris-onment in the State penitentiary. Testimony showed that Dr. Lee, the father, was in the hall talking to his son, the accused, who had in his hand a hammeress gun, which was discharged, fatally younding the elder man. The plea of the

## defense was accidental homielde. Naval Exhibit at Paris.

New York, (Special,)—Lieutenant H. C. Poundstone, United States Navy, has been assigned to the charge of the naval exhibits at the Paris Exposition of 1900. The auxiliary cruiser Prairie, which is now fitting out at the New York navy yard, will sail for Havre about November 15 with a large carg of the naval and government exhibits for the United States commission.

It is proposed to make the naval exhibit elaborate. A model of the battleship Maine, destroyed at Havana, and one of the new Maine, with those of other leading ships of the navy, will form an important part of the

Raieigh, N. C., (Special.)—News reached here that the safe in the office of Sherifi Hughes, at Hillsboro, was cracked. The robbers got \$5,000 in cash, \$1,000 being in \$20 gold pieces. No clue had been obtained as to the identity of the thieves. The robbery is supposed to have been the work of

Williamstown, Ky., (Special.)—Sam Brock, an aged farmer living near Owenton, mis-took his son for a burglar and stabbed him, inflicting a wound from which he died. Brook has disappeared, and it is feared he has committed suicide.

# DEWEY IS MARRIED

Small Company.

UNITED FOR LIFE.

NO GUESTS WERE PRESENT

Ceremony Performed in Washingto at the Rectory of St. Panl's Catholic Church, by Rev. James F. Mackin, Pastor of the Church, in the Presence of

Washington, (Special.)—Admiral George Dewey and Mrs. Mildred M. Hazen were married quietly at the rectory of St. Paul's Catholic Church in V street, near Fifteenth this city, shortly before ten o'clock Thursday morning. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. James F. Mackin, pastor of the church, assisted by the Rev. Joseph H. Foley assistant pastor, and the Rev. Sidney Hurl but. The ceremony was of the simples character, according to the rites of the Cath olfe Church, and the only witnesses beside the officiating clergymen were Mrs. Washington McLean and Mrs. Ludlow, wife of Admiral Ludlow, mother and sister, respec-tively, of the bride, and Lieutenant Cald-

well, Admiral Dewey's secretary.

The arrangements for the wedding were made with all the secrecy which has attend ed the whole affair. After procuring the license for the wedding Lieutenant Caldwell called upon Father Mackin, of St. Paul's, of which church Mrs. Hazen is a communicant, and arranged for the wedding. As Admiral Dewey is not a Catholic, a special dispensation was required for the performance of the ceremony, and this was procured by Father Mackin from Bishop Curtis, vicar general

of the Diocese of Baltimore.

At 9.45 two carriages—containing the wedding party drew up—before the modest red brick rectory in the rear of St. Paul's. The general public had no intimation of the ceremony was to take place, and not a single spectator was present as the party alighted. Admiral Dewey and Lieutenant Caldwell quickly stepped from their carriage, and the Admiral assisted the bride sleet and her mother and sister from the other carriage. Mrs. Hazen was gowned in a pearl gray slik, over which she wore a long, stylish black wrap, trimmed with silver fox and lined with lavender silk. Admiral wore a black frock coat, gray trousers and a silk hat. Upon entering the rectory they were ushered into the reception room, where Admiral Dewey was presented to Father Mackin and the two clergymer who were to assist in the ceremony. being presented to Father Mackin miral said he had heard that Father Mackin had in his early years been a sailor, and it gave him additional happiness to know that he was to be married by a clergyman who had at one time followed the sea. Father Mackin replied that when he found he could not become an admiral, he had determined to become a priest. Mrs. Hazen removed her wrap, and she and the Admiral immedi ately took their places in the center of the little reception room, where the ceremony was performed which made them man and wife. Father Mackin and his assistants

wore simple black cassocks, The ceremony was performed with the ring, according to the nuptual rites of the Catholic Church. Including the address of Father Mackin, it consumed less than five minutes. Father Mackin was the first to hall the bride as Mrs. Dewey. Congratulations and felicitations followed, and the wedding party drove directly from the rectory to the residence of the bride's mother Mrs. McLean.

After arriving at the McLean residence Admiral Dewey was driven to his own house There he changed his costume for a travel ing suit, returning to the McLean residence foot. The wedding breakfast at Mrs. McLean's lasted an hour. There were pres ent only the bride and groom, Mrs. McLean Mrs. Ludlow, Lieutenant Caldwell and Mr. Fred Burgher. The table was elaborately

## lecorated with bride's roses.

SERVICE STRIPES

Uniformed Force of the Baltimore and Ohio Provided With Gold Lace. Early this fall the management of the Bal ore and Ohio Railroad decided that the uniformed force should be provided with service stripes, and on the winter uniform each man has one or more gold stripes on his right sleeve if he has been in the service for five years or more. The gold stripe stands for five years continuous employment by the company, and a glance over the list develops an interesting and instructive con-

dition of affairs.

The ordinary man, in a peaceful and uneventful vocation, is seldom in continuous service for forty years, yet on the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad there is a hale and hearty old man, with keen, undimmed eyes, and a springy step that has been in the continuous employ of the company for 50 years.

W. H. Green is his name, but everybody

Captain Green is probably the oldest passenger conductor in the world and wears ten stripes on his right arm. Next to Captain Green, in length of ser-vice, comes S. R. Hume, who is entitled to nine gold stripes of five years each. S. T. Gill and S. Riley are wearing eight stripes, and there are seven on the blue coat slee of E. Caskey, J. F. Galloway, J. E. Lee,

on the line calls him "Captain Harry.

R. Mullen, W. L. Pearl, A. E. Pickett and L. G. Watkins. It is a remarkable fact that the condu tors of the Baltimore and Ohio Ballrond represent so many years of service. In fact, the average for 191 conductors is 20 years. Some of the passenger brakemen have seen long years of continuous employment, there being three entitled respectively to four

five and six stripes. For many years Baltimore and Ohio train employes have had an enviable reputation for politeness to passengers and attention to duty, and the adoption of the service stripe system will give the traveling public an op portunity to recognize long and faithful

### who were watching a parade in henor of the returned Iowa volunteers, were precipitated into a celiar. No one was fatally injured, but all were badly bruised. NEW WAR IMPLEMENT.

Columbus Junction, Iowa, (Special.)—By the giving way of a sidewalk, 100 persons,

A Trolley Kite, to Carry a Bomb Aloft, to Be Exploded Automatically. Chicago, (Special.)—Silas J. Coyne, a car warfare. The device consists of a series of kites, supporting a cable, upon which a "trolley" kite is made to travel. The trolley kite carries a bomb of high explosive power which is automatically released. By means of specially-constructed kites, of which Mr. Coyne is the inventor, he claims to be able to support a cable nearly seven miles in length by using a number of the kites i

MAJ. BELL TAKES MABALACAT.

Several Filipino Officers Killed in the Engagement.

Manila, (By Cable.)—General MacArthur has occupied Mabalacat. His entire line, including the Tweifth, Seventeenth and Ninth

Infantry and part of the Fourth Cavairy, is extended three miles in front of Angeles, in good tactical position. Major Bell took Mabalacat. Being ordered he pushed into the town, driving out two companies of Filipinos and killing several of their officers. The Americans suffered

### WORK OF TRAIN WR

Three Persons Fatally Injured Number of Others More on Toledo, O., (Special.) Micha train No. 310, from Toledo tol ditched by the spreading of a Alexis and Vienna, Mich. Three

injured. They are: John McKay, Indianapolis; about face and head by glass,

John O'Neil, Detroit, firemas head and arms.

William Hamilton, engineer probably internally injured. Seriously injured: Charles Calvert, Detroit; he

urt.

Marine Fancuff, Walbridge, der dislocated. Charles Kross, Detroit, head b leck lacerated.

Jacob Bosensall, Detroit, bade

out about head with glass. Devore M. Ashton, Detroit broken and face cut. Mrs. Sarah Whipple, Monroe

badly hurt and body bruised. Dean Ashmore, Detroit, are ered at wrist. S. A. Freshney, Fort Wayne about head; knee dislocated.

Ralph Spare, New York, hand badly out. Conductor Markins, bruisel ody. Fifteen or twenty other pas

bruised and shaken up, so ceiving slight wounds. William Hamilton, the thrown through the window was badly bruised by the fall about the face and head. His proved serious. He retained, ficient presence of mind, when from the shock, to hurry to his

draw the fire, thus preventing ; The accident was the result plece of work by unknown t and happened at a point just treatle. Two freight trains the road in safety a short time the rails were spread it was to bolts that held the fishplates screwed. The nuts were ly in any way. A couple of big as section hands use were for side the track, indicating how

NEGROS GREETS M'RD Island Government Hope for Its People Washington, (Special.) ablegram has been received

The following received from

"The civil governor, con

To the President of the Unit

and secretaries who constitute ernment of this Island in taking thereof this day have the h affectionately saluting your Ertrust that, in the inauguration of government, based upon the democratic institutions which that great republic so grand and a new era will open up to this; will enable it to reach the legiti its inspiration. Menecio Soveri Charlestown, W. Va., (Sp.

reached here from Raieigh

sudden death of Wood Hut Frank Mankin by poisoning Jerry McGrady and Ed. Smith to get on a spree together, and any liquor, they went to the sa Snuffers, near the marshes, as eral bottles of essence of cia next day Hutchinson and Manks McGrady and Smith are in a c tion, and will probably die. Death of a United States Reading, Pa., (Special.)—Dr. Hoffman, United States consul

Germany, who came here !! ago, died of lung affection, ago years. He was formerly conne Smithsonian Institution, and with Western scientific expedit ceived decorations from a numb rulers and scientific bodies. of Reading, a graduate of Jeffe German War.

Boston, Mass., (Special.)—Adm dagship Olympia went out of ed the Charlestown Navy Yard Wel officers and the crew were as quarterdeck, where Captain Las them good-bye. Retreat was sounded while being hauled down, and this end of the famous vessel. A bear

will now make inspection of he

to the Navy Department who

necessary. Captain Lamberton.

The Olympia Out of Cor

Trolley Car Occupants Binghamton, N. Y., (Specia sons were instantly killed, fatally injured in a collision here between a trolley car as Lackawanna and Western m The motorman, whose life i The trolley car was wrocked, sengers, a middle-aged women nedy, who resided in Scott. young man named Newton, killed. The conductor and

ington to await orders.

ger, who were standing on form, saved their lives by ju-Kansas City, Mo., (Special.) a fishmonger, who last May is Campbell, Emma Landis and was found gullty, and his p life imprisonment. A strong

to prove that he was insane. Fatal Political Argu Appeals having been ma uth for her relief, Mrs. Jacks that the true state of the

known, as she is unwilling

donations except those of

monials of love and admiration Big Cotton Warehouse Jackson, Miss., (Special. cotton warehouse at Crystal Sp five miles south of this city, we stroyed by fire Sunday more hundred bales of cotton were The total loss is estimated at some time there was grave da eral confingration, and a P

Jackson Fire Department

scene on a special train, but its Sir Thomas Lipton sailed fro for England. He received a s off by thousands at New York.

Philadelphia, (Special.)—He sixteen years old, plunged b over the rail of the gallery of Theater, falling into the audited below, and crushed be youth was anxious to secure seat, and rushed down the all speed that he was unable to hospital the physicians exp

Fell From a Theater

The Pennsylvania Railroad gan to operate the Delaware F timore, Chesapeake and Atia Cieveland, Akron and Columb