FILIPINO REBELS AGAIN HOSTILE

INSURGENTS REORGANIZED.

Aguinaldo Refuses to Accept Amnesty Offered by Uncle Sam-Many American Casualties Reported for Last Work.

Telegrams from Manila, dated Sunday, say: Senor Buencamino has received from Aguinaldo an answer regarding his peace proposals. Aguinaldo declines to consider them and declares that he is unwilling to agree to a com-

promise.
The amnesty expired September 21, and the conditions that existed previous-

and the conditions that existed previous-ly have been resumed.

The insurgent demonstrations last week prove to have been more extend-ed than was at first reported. From Cagayan and Isabela provinces and the northwestern districts of Luzon come northwestern districts of Luzon come accounts of insurgent operations and American precautionary measures. Merchants in the province of Albay are getting their bemp to Manila as rapidly as possible, fearing that otherwise it will be burned by the insurgents.

At Holio there was considerable ansative lest an uprising should occur; but the insurgents there are ceasing their activity and teturning in white clothing to the garrisoned towns of the district. As a resumption of insurgent operations

As a resumption of insurgent operation is considered quite probable the Americans there are taking the necessary

The American casualties in killed, wounded or missing during the last ten days approach 100, including those at Sinilcan at the east end of Laguna de Bay, where the insurgents, after the engagement, delivered ten bodies of our

Documents captured in Manila show that the insurgent activity in this vi-cinity was ordered by rebels here, fol-lowing instructions from the Hongkong

LONG FIGHT ENDED.

Iron Scale Signed Sunday-Many Mills to Resume Operations.

At 6:30 o'clock Sunday morning the conference committees of the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Tin Workers and of the manufacturers and workers and of the manufacturers signed the wage scale for the bar iron and puddling mills, which will remain effective until July 1, 1901. This was accomplished after an all-night session of the two committees, and at its conclusion all who had taken part were well nigh exhausted. The agreement reached was a compromise between the demand of the workers and the offer of the manufacturers.

the manufacturers.

The conclusion of this conference ends one of the mest important wage contests that has ever been peaceably settled between the iron workers and manufac-

turers of this country.

As soon as the scale was signed, tele grams were sent in every direction ord-ering fires to be built at once and preparations made for a resumption of the mills that have been in enforced idle-ness for nearly three months. About 20,000 men will be given work as a re-

sult of this settlement.

The mills affected are located principally in Western Pennsylvania, Eastern Ohio and Indiana.

DARING DAYLIGHT ROBBERY.

Nevada Bank Mulcted of \$13,000 Gold by Bandits in a Sensational Manner.

The first National bank of Winne mucca, Nev., was robbed of about \$13. 000 Wednesday by three men who entered the front door and with revolvermade all present throw up their hands. There were five people in the bank at the time. One robber, at the point of a pistol, made Nixon open the safe and take from it three sacks of gold coin. They threw this in an ore sack, together with all the gold coin in the drawer. The robbers then marched the five men out through a back door to an alley, where three horses were wait-ing. The men were kept covered with

guns until the desperadoes mounted their horses and escaped. The whole affair occurred in but five minutes. An alarm was quickly given and several shots were fired at the desperadoes as they sped through town, but without effect. The robbers returned shots, but no one was hit. Officers and armed citizens started in pursuit of the robbers, who took a course up the A posse also started from Gold Conda to head them off,

VICTORY AT HEAVY LOSS.

Allies Have Captured the Pei Tang and Lu Tai Forts.

Shanghai telegrams, dated Thursday, say: The allies to-day captured the Per

Tang and Lu Tai forts with great losses These ports are about 25 miles north of Taku at the entrance of the Pei Tang Ho river. The surrender of the forts was demanded at 2 o'clock on Tuesday, with the threat of immediate attack by the Germans and Russians in the event of refusal.

Two thousand six hundred Germans left Tien Tsin Wednesday to join a force forming in the neighborhood of Taku, already composed of 4,000 Russians, 7,500 Germans and other foreign troops, the intention being to attack the Pei Tang forts Thursday at daybeak the intention being to attack the Tang forts Thursday at daybreak.

Jameson Raider Blinded.

While working in a mine north of Lead, S. D., Capt. Grant Tod, of Lead, has been appointed freman in the State was accidentally struck on the back of the neck by a mining hammer. The D. Patty, of Westmoreland county. was accidentally struck on the back of the neck by a mining hammer. The blow shattered the nerves in such a way that total blindness has come to the man, and it is feared that it will be permanent. Tod was a Jameson raid-

tarily surrender will not be sent out of court. the country, but will be detained at camps at Bloemiontein or Pretoria. This proclamation gives great satisfaccamps at Bloemfontein or Pretoria.,
This proclamation gives great satisfaction to those who are anxious to see
the war concluded as it is believed that
it will give the coupe de grace to the
Boer resistance. It has been repeatedly
stated that many of the burghers would
lay down their arms if they were assured that they would not be sent to St.
Helena or Ceylon by the British.

LATEST NEWS NOTES.

Stokes' planing mill at Altoona, Pa., burned, Loss, \$5,000. Titusville, Pa., will have free rural mail delivery October 1.

Washington county (Pa.) farmers are suffering from a water famine. The war department reports health onditions at Cape Nome much improv-

Pittsburg, Pa., contributions for the Galveston relief fund have reached \$49.

135.67 Short water supply forced the closing lown of several Cambria mills at Johns-own, Pa.

Owing to a water famine at Lonacon ing, Md., trains are hauling water into

Colored Baptists of Butler, Pa., laid

he cornerstone for their new church diffice Sunday. Butler county, Pa., is stirred up by

conflicting claims of auditors and over-ieers of the poor. crops over the Captain Generalcy of Es-tremadura, Spain.

A fire in the Hass Keni district, Turkey, has destroyed 150 houses, 40 shop and a synagogue.

The grand jury at Steubenville, O. found nearly 70 indictments for alleged illegal liquor selling.

It is acknowledged in England that the Conservatives will be victorious in

the coming election. Connellsville (Pa.) region operators unticipate a coke boom in consequence of the authracite strike.

James Radcliffe, fire boss at the Braz nell (Pa.) mine when the explosion of curred, has been arrested.

Two steamers and six lives were lost a collision at entrance to Lake St

Clair, Michigan, Friday. An effort to smuggle 1,400 kilos o pium into Hayana was frustrated by e authorities Saturday.

Mrs. George Smith was burned to leath at Huntingdon, Pa., Saturday, while making grape butter. Efforts of the Portuguese to disarm oers entering Portuguese territory has

resulted in several clashes Lord Methuen routed a Boer convoand captured a gun lost at Colensonany cattle and much ammunition.

Helle Archer, the actress, who died Watren, Pa., left a fortune of about

10,000, which will go to her parents. The Argentine Republic has appro-riated \$30,000 for a building and extibit at the Pan-American exposition.

Anthracite operators are raising prices and taking other means to dis-courage the panicky demand for coal. Fire Saturday destroyed the grain warehouses and elevators on the Atlantic dock, Brooklyn. Loss, \$100,000. The Presbytery of Buffalo, N. Y., has voted 32 to 10 in favor of a change

in the Westminster confession of faith. Mrs. Almira Bruden, of Ashtabula lied from hydrophobia caused by the bite of a dog received two weeks ago.

At Texarkana, Ark., the plant of the Union Compress Company burned, with 2,000 hales of cotton. Loss, \$150,-

The South Danvers bank, of Peabody, Mass., has closed its doors, being unable to meet its outstanding obliga tions.

The presidents of two great anthra-cite companies have agreed to confer with Archbishop Ryan on the strike sit-

Father Ducey, of New York, who in estigated the strike on the spot, de-ends the miners and declares their quar-

rel just. Two burglars at Punxsutawney, Pa., held up Father Weinker, Catholic priest, in his bed, securing a gold watch

President Mitchell proposes the bi-tuminous method of settling labor troubles, and does not insist upon recogni-tion of union.

Independent Lakeside oatmeal mills at farmers and other residents along the Joliet, Ill. Estimated loss, \$50,000; insurance, \$41,000,

The story of the massacre by Russians of the entire Chinese population of Blagovestchensk, 5,000 in all, seems to be confirmed. Two more regiments of the national

guard are on waiting orders. Troops patrolled thoroughfares in and around Shenandoah, Pa. At Canal Dover, O., Laura Baxter,

an heiress about to obtain her majority, has been abducted from the home of her foster parents.

An edict issued by the Chinese im-perial government shows that Prince Tuan, the anti-foreign leader, is again in the ascendant,

The St. Louis presbytery, composed of the churches of Eastern Missouri, decided, by a vote of 32 to 1, against revision of the creed.

Virginia West Virginia and Tennes-see will celebrate the revolutionary bat-tle of Kings Mountain at Sycamore Shoals, Tenn., Sept. 25. The matinees given by all the thea-ers in Washington, D. C., for the bene-

fit of the Galveston victims resulted in the total receipts of \$2,984.

At the banquet in Berlin Saturday ev-ening in honor of the laying of the At-lantic cable the American and German national anthems were played. Jim Howard, on trial in Kentucky for the murder of William Goebel, will like-

ly be acquitted if he can prove that he was clean shaven on January 30. Capt. S. B. Paxton, of California, Pa.

Proclamation to the Boors.

A proclamation has been issued announcing that the burghers who voluning selected by the Dauphin county

The executive committee of Christian Endeavor society, has decided to hold the convention of 1901 in Cincinnati, providing that satisfactory rail-road rates and local arrangements are

A brother of John D. Rockefeller has organized an anti-cattle thief association in Kansas, and is engaged in running down thieves who raided his droves.

CLOUDBURST DEVASTATES TEXAS

HEAVY LOSSES.

The Nucces River Country Under Many Feet of Water-Death List So Far Numbers Eighteen.

A cloud burst in the Nueces rive ountry, Texas, 90 miles west of the Southern Pacific road, resulting in a terrific flood and much loss of life, is reported. It is claimed that from 30 to 40 Italians employed on the sheep ranches were drowned and all the ranches swamped. Extensive damages have been inflicted on the upper Colorado and the Concho river valleys, par-ticularly at and near Brownwood, Blan-ket and San Angelo. Wire communica-tion with all these places is cut off. It is feared many lives have been lost The last telegram from Brownwood, Sunday morning, stated that the town was flooded and entirely surrounded by water, and that people and goods were being removed to places of safety in rowboats and rafts. Bulletina from Temple state that the tracks of the Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe caliroad are un-der water to the depth of 15 feet south of Brownwood, and that nothing can be heard from places up the line. It is raining bard for approximately 100 miles in all directions from Brownwood, and as the streams in that part of Texas are now very treacherous in the matter of sudden rises, a disaster is feared.

FOUR NEGROES LYNCHED.

Louisiana Mob Invaded a Tangipoa Parish Jail-Reign of Terror.

In Tangipoa parish, La., Friday night four negroes were hanged after the jail in the village of Pontchatonla has been broken open and the prisoners, accused of robbing the family of Henry Hollel-ter, had been taken from their cells. Mrs. Louise Holfelter, who resisted the colored men, was choked and beaten so unmercifully that she lost her mind.

There were 14 colored suspects in the Pontchatoula jail, accused of various robberies. Friday night at 9 o'clock a ommittee of white citizens called on heriff Nix and demanded the keys to Sheriff Nix and demanded the keys to the jail. The sheriff refused to produce them. Axes were brought and the jail was immediately broken open. Four suspects were langed to a tree about two blocks away, after being made to confess to having participated in the burglary of Holfelter's house.

Not until 7 o'clock next morning were the bodies cut down. Meantime the coroner's jury returned a verdict of death by "unknown hands." Citizens death by "unknown hands." Citizens scoured the parish throughout the might, arresting all the negroes they could get their hands on. These were crowded into the jail at Pontchatoula. Mayor Jackson and the sheriff are using stayor Jackson and the sherin are using every means to restore order, but are making slow progress. The better ele-ment among the colored population is flaving to the churches where the time is being spent in prayer,

ANOTHER TEXAS DISASTER.

Trinity River Rises to High Flood Tide Three Persons Drowned.

Trinity river rose 20 feet during the night on account of 12 hours' rain Three persons are reported drowned, Hundreds of families were driven from their houses in the lower portion of Fort Worth, Tex.

A relief corps was organized and as-sisted many families to places of safety.

The storm of Friday night over north-western Texas was one of the most dis-

western Texas was one of the most dis astrous rain and electrical storms ex-perienced in years. Farmers declare that the injury to the cotton crop will reach to per cent. The Trinity river, at Dalminous method of settling labor trou-les, and does not insist upon recogni-on of union.

Thursday night and overflowed its banks Friday. Sheriff Hughes sent out mounted couriers from Dallas to notify

State Greatly Benefitted.

The State and city of New York wil Collis P. Huntington. This amount, as collateral inheritance tax, will be paid. Comptroller Coler has already submitted to State Comptroller Theodore P. Gilman a statement that the inheritance tax on specific bequests will amount to \$88,800. The balance will be made up out of the large residuary estate, which may amount to \$20,000,000. The estate is valued at \$50,000,000. is valued at \$50,000,000.

Li Takes a Strong Guard.

Li Hung Chang, according to Shang Li Hung Chang, according to Shanghai dispatches, assumed the scals of the viceroyalty of Chi Li Friday. His officers are busy raising 8,000 foreign drilled men and well-armed veterans, who are now encamped at Yang Chow, and will proceed to Tien Tsin as Earl Li's bendermard. bodyguard.

bodyguard.

It is reported that Liu Kun Yi, viceroy of Nankin, alarmed at the prospects
of the German fleet ascending the Yang
Tse Kiang, is placing obstructions in
the channel below the Kiang Yin forts,
and sending troops to the northeast of

Cuban Blacks Victorious.

Telegrams from Santiago de Cuba, say: The elections of delegates to the constitutional convention have resulted in favor of the black party throughout this entire province, and the whites now openly declare themselves to be an-The battleship Kentucky, the cruiser Albany and four smaller warships were ordered to the Asiatic station to reinforce the already powerful American squadron there.

A receiver has been appointed for the Pennsylvania Germania Building and Loan Association, J. T. Hopple being selected by the D. T. Hopple being death to the Republican party was held and was attended by about 1,000 negroes.

The battleship Kentucky, the cruiser to a frenzy and who wore badges containing a skull and crossbones, signify-store was unearthed. While carting away waste paper from the basements of stores he would throw in goods, the Country of the city, carrying tallow candles and torches. A mock funeral of the Republican party was held and was attended by about 1,000 negroes.

Enterprising Highwayman.

A reward of \$2,000 has been offered for the capture of the lone highwayman who held up the west-bound Northern who held up the west-bound Northern Pacific passenger train near Athol, Idaho, Saturday midnight, and secured \$500 cash and a quantity of watches and jewelry from the passengers. Sheriff Bradburn and a large posse are in pursuit. The robber has been traced to a point three miles south of Athol, where he held up a ranchman and stole his horse.

SEVERAL KILLED.

Sheriff's Deputies Fired Into a Mob o Minera With Telling Effect-State Troops Ordered Out.

Riots broke out at Shenandoah, Pa and the sheriff of Schuylkill county, Pa

and the sheriff of Schnylkill county, Pa., was hastily summoned from Allentown. After he arrived he gave his deputies the order to fire, and they obeyed, killing a Hungarian and a little girl.

Adjt. Gen. Stewart issued an order at midnight, Friday, after a conference with Gov. Stone and Gen. Gobin, ordering the Fourth, Eighth and Twelfth infantry, Battery C. of Phoenixville, and the Governor's troop of Harrisburg, Pa., all of the national guard, to proceed with the least possible delay to the Schuylkill region in command of froceed with the least possible delay to the Schuylkill region in command of Gen. Gobin, to the relief of Sheriff Toole. Col. Richardson took charge of the movement of the troops and camp equipage, and it is expected all the troops will be at Shenandoah inside of eight hours. eight hours.

eight hours.

Gen. Gobin left on a special train for Shenandoah, where he will establish headquarters and will be joined by his staff. Maj. Gen. Miller has been notified of the ordering out of the troops, and he is now on his way to Harris-burg from Franklin. Attorney General Elkin has also been summoned from In-diana, Pa., to consult with the govern-

FAVORS A FIGHT.

Father Phillips Issues a Statement in Favor of Striking Miners.

Father Phillips, of St. Gabriel's Catholic Church, Hazleton, Pa., who has worked diligently for arbitration as a means of settling the strike, issues means of setting the strike, issues a statement in which he comes out flatly on the side of the strikers. In the statement he says: "If the executive officials of the big coal-carrying companies have been correctly quoted by the papers, arbitration is no longer a means to the end desired by the general orbits around a striker of the same of

means to the end desired by the general public, namely, a discontinuance of the conflict between labor and capital.

"There is now no alternative but fight to the finish between organized labor and organized capital. Honest efforts for peace have been throttled, and since the control of the reason and justice and mercy will not be heard the operator must either ar rogate to himself the title of coal king and sway his scepter over unwilling subjects or the miners must meet the issue by renewed efforts to deplete the market by the complete prevention of production."

PHILIPPINE COMMISSION REPORTS.

Guerrilla War Kept Up for Political Purposes-Many Want Peace.

The Filipino insurrection, fostered and maintained by the Tagalogs, assisted by the Ladrones, who are mainly ex-convicts and criminals of the worst character, will cease if the election confinance. firms the present policy. The leaders admit that their last hope is the election of Bryan, and that if he is defeated they will surrender and their forces will lay down their arms.

The Philippine commission, composed of Republicans and Democrats, has made a preliminary report on the con-ditions in the islands. The most sig-nificant statement of the commission is that the insurgents are constantly endeavoring to mass a sufficient force to crush one of the American garrisons

for political effect in this country.

The report was made at the request of the President, who desired the views of the commission on the general condition of the islands as to peace and industry, business and revenue conditions prevailing progress of and options prevailing; progress of and op-portunity for education; disposition of the people toward the United States.

FIGHTING IN SOUTH AFRICA

Boers Fire and Loot a Town, Also Damage Locomotives.

Telegrams from Lorenzo Marques, dated Tuesday, say:
A pitched battle has been fought midway between Kaap Muiden and Hectorspruit, resulting in heavy Boer losses. The Boers removed and threaten to destroy the cogwheels of locomo-tives used between Watervalboven and tives used between Watervalboven and Watervalonder, without which the railway cannot be worked. They have blocked and damaged the railway for six miles on the Crocodile Poort section, have destroyed the culverts and the Hectorspruit bridge and looted and burned Komatipoort. The British are now at Komatipoort, and heavy fighting is proceeding. It is rumored that Mr. Steyn has arrived here.

Gen. Pole Carew has occupied Kaap Muiden, about 20 miles east of Nelspruit.

Muiden, about 20 miles east of Nelspruit, where he captured a number of locomotives and a considerable quantity of rolling stock.

Big Gas Well at Du Bols.

A gas well gustier was struck at Lanes Mills six miles from DuBois, Pa., at a depth of 3,000 feet. The well was drilled by a local company. Early Sunday morning the drill struck the vein, the gas coming to the surface with terrific force, blowing tools and rocks over 100 feet in the air.

and sending troops to the northeast of Kiang Su for fear the Germans may land troops there to attack Tsing Kian Fu.

Cuban Blacks Victorious.

Giver 100 teet in the air.

It is estimated by experts that the well is good for 3,000,000 feet every 24 hours. The well is in an entirely new territory and will come into direct competition with the Standard Oil Company, whose wells supply DuBois and neighboring towns and are located 25 miles from there.

Arrested for Petty Thefts.

Isaac Shulman, a drayman, was ar-rested at Youngstown, O., and on the

Germany is said to have discovered that the real instigators of the Boxer outrages are high mandarins hitherto unsuspected. Germany and Great Britain seem to be lining up against Russia and France, each side courting the adhesion of the United States.

Peary Supply Ship Lost.

The Lily of the North, which left Halifax last month with supplies for the Peary Arctic expedition, is lost. The disaster is reported from Cape Breton, but nothing additional save that the crew was saved has reached Halifax.

DOWIE ELDERS COATED WITH TAR

MEETING PREVENTED.

Victims Disrobed, Daubod and Then Turned Over to the Police-They Are Sent Out of Town.

Under instructions from Overseer at arge Piper, of Chicago, Elder Silas Moot, of Lima, who was forcibly deported from Mansfield, O., August 12, and Elder Ephriam Bassinger, of the Bluffton, O., Dowiete apostles, who had een deported by the authorities for the

been deported by the authorities for the past four Sundays, arrived in Mansfield Sunday morning at 6:35 o'clock, attempting to hold Zion services.

They were recognized by a small crowd at the depot, which rejused to let them enter a cab, but followed them up the street and surrounded them near the contract of the co the center of the city. They were ther taken by the mob, which by this time had been vastly increased, to the Rich-land buggy works, where Bassinger disland buggy works, where Bassinger dis-robed, but the crowd tore Moot's cloth-ing from his body, as he refused to dis-robe himself. A paint bucket and a britsh were then secured and a snoke-stack varnish, a tar-like substance, was daubed over them from head to foot. It was matted in their hair and beard, and no part of their bodies escaped but their faces.

Their bodies were then partially cov Their bodies were then partially covered with their clothing, and the elders were marched to the home of E. H. Leiby, a local Zion follower, who was driven out of the city last Sunday. There they promised not to return to Mansfield, but later they said they agreed not to return unless Overseer Piper ordered them to come.

Later, when the police gathered, the

Piper ordered them to come.

Later, when the police gathered, the elders were turned over to them and taken to the city prison, where the tar was removed from their bodies by applications of lard and benzine, new clothing was procured, and at noon they were placed upon a west bound Pennsylvania train and sent out of the city.

A BLOODY FEUD.

Tennesseeans Make a Battlefield of Hotel
Dining Room—Fatal Results.

The Howard-McGee feud had a tragic climax Tuesday, in which one man was killed, two others fatally and one seriously wounded. At noon Charles Jones and his brother Joshua entered the Clew hotel dining room, at Madisonville, Tenn., which was filled with guests, and took seats at a table. A moment later Calvin and Tom Howard entered the room and met the

way of doors and windows.

When the firing ceased Charles Jones was found dead on the floor with two bullet wounds in the heart and three in his head; Joshua Jones and Calvin in his head; Joshua Jones and Calvin Howard were mortally wounded and unconscious, and Tom Howard, the only one of the quartet left on his feet, had a number of bullet wounds in his body.

BESIEGED BY NEGRO STRIKERS.

South Carolina Planter Has a Thrilling Experience.

ver reported in South Carolina occur-ed at Eastover, Richland county. The dren. The Hodges barricaded themselves. When the negroes advanced to
break in Hodges shot the ringleader.
He kept the men at bay for four hours
with a shotgun, his wife standing by with
revolver in hand. Finally three mountthe opposing faction. The former then
withdrew to another part of the room
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withdrew to another part of the room negroes fled. They are still threaten-ing the house. There are 20 negroes to one white man in the Eastover region.

Sarcasm by Chinese Official. Ioan Chen, secretary of the Chinese legation in England, declares that the Chinese system of fighting devils and propitiating gods by beer-bottle shrines s a great deal more inexpensive than the use of costly cathedrals, and claims for their praying machines greatly su-perior efficacy. He asserts that the whole trouble in China grew out of the aggressions of the missionaries.

DIRECTLY AGAINST HOWARD.

Witness Swears That the Prisoner Admitted

He Had Killed Goebel. In the trial of James Howard Monday at Frankfort, Ky., for the murder of William Goebel, Bowman Gaines chensk, which was undoubtedly carried out under direct orders from the Russian authorities. The Chinese population of 5,000 souls was excerted out of jump the fence immediately after the shooting of Goebel. James Stabblefield, and then, being led in batches of a few jumpleds to the river bank was order. shooting of Goebel. James Stabblefield, who lost a leg and an arm in the Clay county feuds last year, testified that Howard stopped at his house in February soon after the shooting and said.
"I never sight down my gunbarrel but what I get meat or money, and this time I got both."

Witness said he put the direct question: "Jim, do you mean to say that you killed Goebel?" Howard, he said, responded in the affirmative, and said ne believed his mountain friends would stand by him and that 500 men could not take him to Frankfort for trial. Stabblefield said he did not tell the story of Howard's confession to him until he heard that Howard and his friends were planning to kill him.

After the Oatmeal Truit.

A syndicate of English capitalists has A syndicate of English capitalists has made a proposition to buy all or a majority of the stock of the American Cereal Company, the oatmeal trust at Akron, O., and as they offer to give \$175 per share they will undoubtedly have little trouble in securing control. The highest price paid for the stock has been \$120, while two years ago it went below \$50. The capital stock of the company is \$131,000. company is \$3.341,000.

An effort is being made at Akron, O., to bowl Chief of Police Harris out of public office by aboltshing his office.

REBUILDING GALVESTON.

Martial Law Has Coased-Labor is Now at a Premium - Work of Cleaning Away Debris Continues.

Thursday evening Mayor Jones, of Galveston, Tex., proclaimed that martial law would cease at noon to-morrow, and the civil authorities would assume direction of municipal affairs. This was done at the suggestion of Gen. Scurry, who expressed the belief that conditions had reached such a stage that the civil authorities were able to cope with the situation. This, however, does not mean the immediate withdrawal of the militia. They are to co-operate with the city officials in the enforcement of order, and will continue on duty as a part of the government.

Labor in Galveston is at a premium. There is not an idle man in the city. Regardless of station or position a man must work. The merchant and his clerk are working side by side along with the man who has known nothing but hard work since the time of his row, and the civil authorities would as-

but hard work since the time of his childhood. The work of removing the dead from the debris still continues. The pre-vailing method of disposition is crema-

vailing method of disposition is crema-tion, and as each corpse is taken out it is thoroughly saturated with coal oil and thrown into a blazing fire. Funeral pyres are blazing throughout the city and in this way Galveston is ridding herself of the dead.

S. E. Barton, a nephew of Clara Bar-ton, of the Red Cross society, suggests the raising of a fund of from \$5,000,000 to \$15,000,000 to aid the people in reto \$15,000,000 to aid the people in re-building their homes. An appeal of this nature will be made to the people of

the United States. BURIAL IN UNITED STATES.

The Government Will Bring Its Dead From China and Pacific Isles.

Colonel William S. Patten, of the quartermaster's department, has completed arrangements for the free trans-

A moment later Calvin and Tom How-ard entered the room and met the Jones brothers face to face. In an in-stant revolvers were drawn by the four men and about 30 shots were fired in quick succession, the terrified guests making their exit from the room by way of doors and windows.

When the firing ceased Charles Jones was found dead on the floor with two the navy.

JR. O. U. A. M. SEPARATED.

Division at the State Meeting and the Insurgents Withdraw.

The war between the two factions of the Pennsylvania State council of the Junior Order United American Mechanics over the per capita tax resulted in the bodies holding separate meetings and nominating different sets of offi-cers at Philadelphia, Tuesday.

The meeting was the one authorized by the National council, and that fachands demanded an advance of to cents a hundred pounds for picking cotton. W. S. Hodge, as spokesman for the other planters, refused the demand. Hodge was pursued to his home by 400 negroes, who surrounded his home, in which were his wife and two small children. The Hodges barricaded themselves. When the negroes advanced to break in Hodges in Hodges advanced to be a hundred task of the control of the negroes advanced to be a hundred task of the negroes advanced to be a hundred task of the negroes advanced to be a hundred task of the negroes advanced to be a hundred task of the negroes advanced to be a hundred task of the negroes advanced to be a hundred task of the negroes advanced to be a hundred to the negroes advanced to be a hundred pounds for picking cotton. Which has been opposed to the body recognized by the National council, and that faction which has been opposed to the body recognized by the National council and which has been opposed to the body recognized by the National council and which has been opposed to the body recognized by the National council and which Monday refused to join in a special meeting, was admitted to the session along with the "regulars." The latter numbered task and the other faction which has been opposed to the body recognized by the National council and which Monday refused to join in a special meeting, was distincted to the body recognized by the National council and that faction which has been opposed to the body recognized by the National council and which Monday refused to join in a special meeting, was admitted to the session along with the "regulars." The latter numbered task and the other faction which has been opposed to the body recognized by the National council and which Monday refused to join in a special meeting, was admitted to the session along with the "regulars."

and separate sessions were held.

Mississippi Steamers Burned. Fire Friday destroyed the steamers War Eagle of the Eagle Packet Comwar Eagle of the Eagle Facket Company, and the Carrier of the Calhoun Packet Company, at St. Louis, Mo One man was burned to death, anothe is missing and a third severely injure Property valued at \$100,000 was destred. The whariboats Eagle and Illiwere badly damaged. The cargo of Carrier, consisting of wheat, apples other produce, was destroyed.

MASSACRE OF CHINESE.

Five Thousand Alleged to Have Been Mu dered by Russians.

A Moscow correspondent telegraphs that reports have been received there of a horrible massacre at Blagovesthundreds to the river bank, was ordered to cross over to the Chinese side, No boats were provided and the river is a mile wide. The Chinese were flung alive into the stream and were stabbed or shot at the least resistance, while Russian volunteers, who lined the bank, clubbed or shot any who attempted to land. Not one escaped alive. The river bank for miles was strewn with

Aunties Give It Up.

The National party, composed of men who feel that they cannot conscientiously vote for McKinley or Bryan, at a conference held at Boston, Mass., Friday, abandoned the idea of keeping a presidential ticket in the field.

CABLE FLASHES.

Another death from bubonic plague and one new case are reported at Glas-

gow.

The Duke of Manchester, in his bankruptcy proceedings, places his liabilities at £15,000.

Five hundred Boer refugees, of whom
20 are wounded, arrived at Lorenzo

Treacher.

Marques Tuesday. Seventy-two new coal mines have been opened in Prussia this year, in creasing the output for 1900 by 2,500,000