## VICTORY FOR GREECE

HER SOLDIERS TAKE FORT AGHIA WITH MANY PRISONERS.

Cretan Christians Wild With Enthusiasm For the Cause Represented by King George—Powers Issue an Ultimatum—It Is Not Yet Heeded by Greece.

ATHENS, Feb. 17.—The first definite news of a Grock victory in Crete has just been received, and the wildest enthusiasm followed the receipt of the intelligence.

The Greeks, it is said, attacked and captured Fort Aghia, taking 400 Musulmans prisoners. Among the number are 100 Turkish troops, the remainder of the prisoners being Moslems who had taken refuge in the fort.

Details of the engagement are lacking. One report states that no fighting occurred, the garrison surrendering upon the demand of the Greek commander. As no mention of any losses is made in any of the dispatches it is surmised that this report is true.

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Notwithstanding the reports that the powers would take concerted action to prevent Greece from making further hostile moves in Crete, warlike preparations are being made with all possible dispatch. In addition to the "corps of occupation" already on the island, which corps numbers 1,500 men of all arms, another regiment embarked upon a transport and sailed for Crete last night.

The people are in a frenzy of excitement and demand that the Cretan question be settled now for all time. It is popularly thought that when the powers find the annexation of the island which Greece has in view an accomplished fact they will readily acquiesce in this spoliation of the Turk.

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Khana, Crete, Feb. 17.—The commanders of the foreign squadrons have sent a joint note to Ismail Bey, the newly appointed governor of Crete, successor to Prince Georgi Herovitch, resigned, informing him that they had addressed an ultimatum to the commoder of the Greek fleet requiring him to withdraw from Cretan waters. They requested the governor, Ismail Bey, to find a way of notifying the insurgents of this fact and of summoning them to yield up their arms, also of informing them that the powers had taken measures to prevent Greece from interfering in the affairs of Crete. An Italian gendarmerle officer was at once dispatched with a flag of truce to the lines of the insurgents at Akrotiri. He delivered the message, but the chief of the insurgents replied that they would maintain their present position and send a definite reply in behalf of the revolutionary assembly Monday. Their action will probably depend upon the course adopted by Colonel Vassos, the commander of the Grecian forces on the island of Crete.

Colonel Vassos declared to a representative of the commanders of the foreign squadrons he did not recognize the Turkish vall, but would exceut the orders of the king of Greece and occupy Crete. Captain Mandato reports that the Greeks have two battallons of infantry, one of artillery and two mountain guns, together with many Greek volunteers. The Greek army of occupation has taken up a position between Galatea and Platania.

Citimatum From the Powers.
LONDON, Feb. 17.—A dispatch to The
Daily Mail from Vienna says it is reported that the powers have addressed a collective note to Greece demanding the withdrawal of her naval and military forces
from the island of Crete within 48 hours,
falling which the port of Pireus will be
blockaded and general hostilities commenced.

Berovitch's Lack of Courage.

London, Feb. 15.—A dispatch to The
Times from Khanla, dated last night, says
that the resignation of Prince Georgi
Berovitch, governor of Crete, has already
been accepted, and he departed yesterday on board the Austrian Lloyd



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Albany, Feb. 12.—The "battle of the
ballots" in the L. A. W. assembly for the
bigh office of president is now a thing of
the past, and for the next year Chief Consul. I. B. Potter of New York will rule
the destinies of the American wheelmen.
It took little time to count the ballots,
but when the result was announced 12 was
found that out of 271 votes cast Mr. Poter had received 155, Mr. Elliott 115 and



and for the dramatic presonal exchange between Mr. Chandler and Mr. Pettigrew, the latter being one of the bolters from the St. Louis convention.

Mr. Chandler's speech lasted three hours and was replete with incident. It was an argument against single standard of each metal, gold or silver, and a warning against a poley of monometallism. Then the senator turned to political phases of the question, speaking in turn of Bryan, of Palmer and of McKinley. Mr. Palmer and a few brief remarks.

This was the full ticket elected:
President, I saae B. Potter, New York city; first vice president, A. C. Morrison, Milwaukee; second vice president, C. F. Kircker, Patresson, N. J.; treasurer, J. W. Clendening, Covington, Ky.; auditing committee, J. Van Ort, Pennsylvania; George L. McCarthy, New York; J. Fred Adams, Massechusetts:

ALBANY, Feb. 18.—What the League of American Wheelmen in the closing season of its annual convention declined to downs of equal importance if not greater than those things they did. They declined to allow professionals, no matter of what standing, to either full or asseciate membership in the league; they refused to allow the assembly at its meetings to select the city for the annual meets; they declined to olive the city for the annual meets; they declined to down as of equal importance if not greater than those things they did were to divide the city for the annual meets; they declined to often of the constitution that provides only for amateur riders and draws the color line; they declined to often as a sary for the racing committee.

A REAL ROMANCE.

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to Sir Edmund Lechmere, baronet and
deputy Heutenant of Worcestershire,
Miss Wright is 22 years old and was the
belle of London last season. The marriage
is the outcome of a romantic love affair.
In the fall of 1895, while Miss Wright was
visiting one of Sir Edmund's castles in
Marwickshire, the castle took fire, and she
was hemmed in by flames in one wing.
Sir Edmund saw her danger, wrapped
himself in a sheet soaked in water, dashed
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A. Klingensmith of the First National
bank was held up by a colored man and
forced to hand over \$400. The man entered
the bank when no one but Mr. Klingensmith was present and asked for some
change. When the cashier looked up, the
black man held a revolver to his head and
ordered him to hand over the cash. Mr.
Klingensmith handed out a package containing \$400, and as soon as the robber
left the bank the cashier gave the alarm,
and a crowd was soon in pursuit. After a
hot chase of a mile or two the man was
captured and the money recovered. The
prisoner would give no name, but is supposed to belong in Pittsburg.

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# ACTION OF CONGRESS.

SENATOR CHANDLER SPEAKS IN BE-HALF OF BIMETALLISM.

He Makes a Strong Plea In the Senate For the Double Monetary Standard, Spirited Controversy With Pettigrew. House Sustains President's Pension Veto,

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WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—Senator Chandler's speech in the senate in the advocacy of bimetallism was one of the notable efforts of the present session, not only for the scholarly care with which the senator presented the question from his standpoint, but for the bitter sareasm addressed to Senator Palmer and the Indianapolis convention, the arraignment of Silver Reput? Ileans who bolted the St. Louis convention and for the dramatic pelsonal exchange between Mr. Chandler and Mr. Pettigrew, the latter being one of the bolters from the St. Louis convention.
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Prominent People Deceased.

Charles Christy, the last of the famous Christy minstrels, died in Kansas City Saturday.

Ex Congressman John Randolph Tucker, a member of a prominent Virginia family and figure in American politics, died at his home in Lexington, Va., aged 75 years.

General Joseph O. Shelby, one of the most dashing and berillant soldiers of the Confederate army, commonly known as "Fighting Joe" Shelby, died at his farm, meur Adrian, Mo., aged 66 years.

William P. St. John, the banker, abox cate of free silver coinage and treasurer of the Democratic national committee in New York.

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### MOTHERS' CONGRESS.

A Notable Meeting Now Being Held In Washington.

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Much interest has been manifested in the movement, and the deliberations of the body and the papers to be read are expected to be of unusual interest. They will treat of topics important to every mother. The association has for its object the moral, mental and physical training of they oung and their rescue from eruelty, crime and unshoj nifuences. Mrs. T. W. Birney of this city was the originator of the idea and delivered an address of welcome to the delegates.

The association numbers among its officers Mrs. Pheebe A. Hearst, Mrs. Addal E. Stevenson, Mrs. John R. Lewis of New York, Mrs. Mary E. Mumford of Philadelphia, Miss Mary Louise Butter of Chicago, Miss Earma Morton, sister of Secretary Merton, and Mrs. William L. Wilson, who are exposen of national reputation, who are exposen of manifered treating the properties of the congress are an interest to th

# BRYAN WINS HIS SUIT.

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Lincoln, Neb., Feb. 17.—The supreme court has rendered an opinion in the case of W. J. Bryan and others against Elmer B. Stephenson, in which the judgment of the lower court is affirmed.

This is the case where the proposition to issue "gold" bonds by the city council, when the proposition, as submitted to the voters, did not contain the gold clause, was objected to. Bryan and other citizens made a test case of it and asked to have the issue of the bonds with the "payable in gold" clause enjoined.

The order was granted in the district court, and Stephenson, the broker negotiating the sale of the bonds, brought the case to the superior court. The highest court has now reallimed the decision of the district court. The amount of the bonds to be refunded is \$534,000. The court did not pass directly on the validity of gold bonds, but merely on the technical features of the election at which the funding bonds were voted.

The Fastest Torpedo Boat,

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Newpours, R. I., Feb. 11.—Torpedo boat No. 6 has proved herself to the naval officers not only to be a remarkable craft, but also probably the most speedy in the world when continuous running is taken into consideration. The true official figures on the run give her a speed of only 28.72 to 28.73 k nots, but it was quite apparent to those on beard that the boat was not forced to her limit and that she might be rated as a 30 knot boat if in the hands of a trained crew, for at no time was the steam limit of 225 pounds reached, nor did her propeller reach 400 revolutions per minute, while there was every indication that she was equal to much above tils.

New York Legislature.

Albany, Feb. 17.—The senate adopted the house resolution commending the course of Senator Hill in behalf of an American citizen imprisoned in Cuba. The senate confirmed the nominations of Ashley W. Cole, George W. Dunn and Frank M. Baker as railroad commissioners. The assembly passed bills permitting the creetion of bootha within stoop lines. A bill was introduced for the creetion of a library building in Bryant park, New York. New Yorkers spoke in favor of the bill to limit the height of buildings.

LITTLE VALLEY, N. Y., Feb. 17.—The grand jury has found indictments for nurder in the first degree against Albert Jones, Arthur Farrell and John Corkins, Jones, Arthur Farrell and John Corkins, Jr. These are the Olean boys who confess-ed to setting fire to the Burlingame gro-cery at East Olean in which Leon H. Pitts lost his life.

# New Bank For Perth Amboy

# General Markets. New YORK, Feb. 16.—FLOUR—State and western dull and lower to sell; city mills patents, \$4,902.515. winter patents, \$4,902.475 city mills clears, \$4,802.49; winter straights, \$4.35 city.

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DULITH. Feb. 13.—The case of Mr.
Alfred Merritt against J. D. Rockefeller,
growing out of the consolidation of the
iron interests on the Mesaba range, which
finally got into Mr. Rockefeller's control,
is reported to have been settled for \$500,000 in cash paid to Merritt. It is understood here that all the members of the
Merritt family who had claims against
Mr. Rockefeller have joined in the settlement. The total claims amounted to \$4,000,000 or \$5,000,000. In the Alfred Merritt case a verdict for \$940,000 was secured
in June, 1893, but a new trial was ordered.

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LUTHER C. SMITH, Superintendent.

LEHIGH VALLEY RAILROAD. November 16, 1896. Arrangement of Passenger Trains. LEAVE FREELAND.

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9-30, 10-54 a.m, 12-28, 6-09, p.m, from Philadelphia, New York, Bethichem, Allentown, and Mauch Chunk.

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