## WAS DEADLY HAVOC.

#### SCORES OF LIVES LOST IN THE HURRICANE.

At seast Fifty People Killed and Incalculable Damage Done in Florida-Nine School Children Perish Seven Near Washington-Three Burned to Death.

In Florida-Probably fifty people killed, many of them children. Many injured. Property loss incalculable. In Stanton, Va -- An unknown number of people drowned and great damsee done.

At Sarannah, Ga -- Eleven killed; mine injured. Losses \$750,000.

In and about Washington, D. C .-Eight killed and many injured. Losses \$250,000.

At Matalie, Pa .- Six children barned to death in ruins.

At Alexandria, Va .- Four killed and many injured. Losses \$250,000. Near Sharrokin, Pa.-Two killed and many injured. Losses \$500,000. About Lancaster, Pa. Several injured and \$1,000,000 damage done.

JACKSONVILLE, Fig., Oct. 2.-Tues-609's great hurricane struck Florida at Cedar Keys and passed in its path of destruction over twenty torres and ellinges and reports show that between thirty and forty people were

It is reported from Gainesville that Cedar Keys, a place of 1,500 people, about 100 miles southwest of Jacksonwille, was swept away and many lives lest. Nobody has been able to get anything direct from Cedar Keys.

Sloving northeasterly the storm streek Willistown, a small town, where eleven houses were blown ersl probably fatally hurt.

Near Willistown was a large turpen-Vae factory, where state convicts are employed. Twenty of these were knddled together in a cabin. A heavy tree was blown across the cabin and six were crushed to death.

In Gainsville the Methodist church and about twenty dwellings and busiess houses were destroyed and quite I number of people hart, but none

At Lacrosse fifteen buildings were Irs. F. McIntosh and her baby killed. Near there four laborers who were in a cabin at turpentine works were trushed by falling trees.

DEATHS IN THE STORM'S PATH. Newberry, in west Alachua county, was totally wrecked. C. J. Eastlin, Mrs. Nancy Moss, Frank Olmstead and David Jones were killed.

At High Springs, Melissa Harren, James Morris and Saille Nobles, a solored woman, are reported killed.

At Gracy twelve houses were blown own and a woman was killed, but er babe was unburt, although it was prized some distance by the wind. At Lake Butler, Bradford county, C. II. Harkey, Mrs. J. M. Futch and her infant were fatally hurt. On ledge Richards' turpentine farm four

invicts were killed by falling trees. In Baker county McClenny, Sanderasn, Glen S. Mary and Olustee were atmost destroyed. No one was killed catright, but many were injured.
At Live Oak the destruction is com-

plete, but no loss of life is reported. Near Welborn the house of Amos White was destroyed and two of his children killed.

At Lake City eight business houses and thirteen dwellings were destroved. Mrs. Sarah Fletcher and two boys were killed and Dora Jensings, Samuel Hudson and Jonas May-

erey were fatally injured. Six persons are reported killed at Fort White, in Columbiana county, but no names are given.

In this place, in the business and residence sections, not a building esraned serious damage. Every church hespital, asylum and school building

Just north of here in Nassau county are children were killed in the wreck of a school house.

At Hillyards another school house was wrecked and four children were

At Kings Ferry, Andy Johnson, Moses Lassiter. Simon Henderson, May Jones and a child were killed. Mrs. Fisher was nursing a sick child and the infant died as the house fell. The mother was hurt, but will recover. Three sailors were killed on schooners that were loading lumber

Across the line in Georgia the devston the school house was wrecked and four children killed. In Camden county several more were killed.

## STAUNTON, VA., FLOODED

## In Unknown Number of People Drowned

and Great Damage Reported. STAUNTON, Va., Oct. 2. - Scores of families are homeless and many are anxiously seeking to ascertain the whereabouts and safety of friends, or are making searches for the bodies of those whom they know have perished. The property losses will exceed \$500, -

## BAY STATE REPUBLICAN 3.

## Nominations Made in Short Order-The

Chicago Platform Denounced Boston, Oct. 2.—The Massachusetts Republican state convention met here to-day. Roger Wolco, who has filled the executive office since the death of 'lovernor Greenhalge, was unanilously nominated for governor. The Louis platform was indersed and he Chleago convention vigorousty

## Sixty Indictments Stolen.

EUREKA SPRINGS, Ark , Oct. 2 .- The office of the circuit clerk of Boone county, at Harrison, was looted last sight. Sixty indictments for liquor selling and gambling, all the records in the same cases and \$100 in county scrip were taken. The destruction of evidence against the thieves was the Probable motive.

Syracuse, N Y. Suffered Greatly. SYRACUSE, N. Y., Oct. 2.- A severe rale raged here early yesterday morng. Thousands of dollars' damage as done, but no lives were reported

#### EX-GENERALS IN KANSA

Big Crowds Listen to them at Various Places Brief Speeches.

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Arcmson, Kan., Oct. 2 .- The ex-Union generals who are touring the West and making speeches in behalf of Mckinley and Hobart, entered Kansas from Nebraska by way of the Missouri Pacific railway, escorted by Colonel C. M. Rahrburn of that line. The first stop was made at this town, which was reached at 6:30 o'clock.

General Alger had not been notified that a meeting was to be held here and the party were surprised to be awakened at 8 o'clock, the hour appointed for the meeting, by a noisy crowd of people who had gathered on

the Union station platform.
Escorted by Mr. Ingalls, General
Howard led the multitude to the west side of the Burlington & Missouri freight depot, who several hundred school children, the Republican flambean clab and a band were drawn up in lines to welcome the visitors. When Mr. invalls called for order about 2,000 people were present, but in a few minutes it wat augmented by

General Howard mounted a small table and stood while the crowd cheered He spoke briefly. 'He was followed by Coneral Stewart, General Sickles and Corporal Tanner.

At Nortonville, Superintendent Mc-Clelland, who joined the party at Atchison, held the train three minutes while General Howard addressed the school children and about 300 men and women.

At Valley Falls another short stop was made while General Sickles addressed a crowd of about 500.

There the special cars were attached to the regular passenger train, which, in addition to the usual complement of ears, carried half a dozen extra coaches carrying excursionists to Topeka. In consequence of this extra work and a delay in getting out of Atchison, the train was three-quarter of an hour late in arriving at Topeka The civic parade which it was arranged the visiting generals should review had already started and not over :00 persons were at the station to meet the party. The welcoming committee consisted of Governor Mor rill, Chairman Simpson, Mayor Fellows, L. S. Crum, D. W. Mulvane, Frank Brown, Major General Hughes and a score or more of representative Republicans. After a hearty greeting, the visitors entered carriages and were driven to the reviewing stand at the north side of the capital square to review the G. A. R. divisions.

The party is traveling in the Pull-man car "Edmond" and General R. A. Alger's private car "Michigan." consists of General Alger, General O. O. Howard, General Daniel E. Sickles, General Thomas J. Stewart, Corporal James Tanner, Major J. W. Burst, quartermaster general of the G. A. E .: Colonel George H. Hopkins, General Alger's personal friend; Colonel W. G. Beer of New York, representative of the Republican national committee and quartermaster general of the train; Fred P. Davis, press represent-ative of the party; Joseph Greusel, General Alger's friend and representative of the Detroit Journal; George Stanton Sickles and Mrs. Sickles, son and daughter of General Sickles.

MRS. BRYAN'S COURTEOUS ACT. The members of the party unite in saving that the most pleasing incident so far of their journey was a delicate bit of courtesy shown by Mrs. Bryan. wife of the Democratic candidate for president, who, while the procession n honor of the visiting generals was moving past her house in Lirsoln, displayed over her door a large portrait of William McKiniey, tastefully draped in the national colors. It was a touch of womanly grace. Deautiful as it was unexpected, and General Alger says that he will cherish it as a sweet recollection plucked from an acrimonious campaign satil the end of his days.

# CAN'T GO IN POLITICS

Attorney General Harmon to Federal District Attorneys.

WASHINGTON, Oct 2 .- Attorney General Harmon, in accepting the resignation d Sraneis R Lassiter, United States attorey for the Eastern district of Virginia, sent the following letter to him: "Complaints had reached the De-

partment of Justice that Mr. Lassiter was acting as a chairman of a campaign committee and otherwise taking an active part in the politics c' his district. Whatever rule may prevail in other departments, it is well settled in th's that there is an impropriety in officers like you acting as committeeman to manage and conduct political campaigns As United States attorney you determine whom to pros-ecute and whom not to prosecute. You conduct or recommend the discontinuance of prosecution already commenced You have admission to the grand jury rooms and indictments are found ased largely upon your advice. If I concede that you are, as your letter to-day claimed to be, one of those rare men who are beyond the reach of the unconscious operation of feeling of personal favor or disfavor, still, the general confidence of the community in your conduct as a public officer of justice is at least a risk, if while holding that office you so engage in the excicing and often bitter political campaigns in which the entire community is ranged on one side or the other. You may be able, as you think you are, to escape or repress in what you do as an officer all effect of the rec ollections of your campaign work, but you will be utterly unable, especially in cases where your action may ap-pear to coincide with your supposed inclination to make the community believe that your action has not been in any degree so affected."

A Nicaragua Conspiracy Nipped. Managua, Oct. 2.-A plot was formed here to overthrow the government of Nicaragua and kill President Zelaya by some of the most prominent people. The conspiracy, however, was discovered on the very eve of its execution and some of the leaders were captured.

A Bride Shoots Herself Dead. CAIRO, Ili., Oct. 2 .- At 5 o'clock this morning Mrs. Frazer, a bride of four days, shot herself through the heart. She and her husband were both members of the choir of the Church of the Redeem ir, Episcopal No cauth is

# COLORADO REPUBLICANS 350 PEOPLE PERISH.

vention on the Silver Issue. COLOBADO SPRINGS, Colo., Oct. 2. Seven hundred de egates were in attendance when Chairman Hodges called the Republican State convention to order.

The convention was harmonious and the ticket was nominated through out by a unanimous vote. The report of the committee on resolutions, says:

"Resolved, That our people, irrespective of party affiliations, favor the free coinage of silver under an administration in which the people of gret that the national convention at St. Louis did not view this question as we view it.

"We accept, however, the assurance of the party that its efforts will be devoted to the securing of an international agreement for the unlimited coinage of silver as a sacred pledge. We believe that the pledge will be fulfilled, and we are firmly of the faith that the remonetization of silver, so essential to the welfare of this and all other sivilized countries, w'll be accomplished through the efforts and under the direction of the Repubthrough no other. Except upon the silver question we heartily and exdually indorse the platform of the party at St. Louis, and we declare our undiminished and unwavering belief in the great doctrines of the protection of American labor and American industries. Also in reciprocity openunciated in the national platform."

#### ABOUT WASHINGTON.

Seven People Milled by the Pary of the

Wind-Three Barned to Death WASHINGTON. Oct. 2. - Tuesday night's storm caused seven deaths in this vicinity. Dr. H. C. Sherman of this city, a cousin of Senator John Sherman, who was at his country res-Mence at Oiney, Md., while going out. to his barn, was almost struck by two falling trees. He returned to the house, sat down in a chair and almost immediately expired. Three colors ! men, whose names are unknown, were burned to death at Washington grove, a tree demolishing their cabin and overturning the lamp. Captain Robert Cheseldine, with his schooner, Capital, having a crew of a white and a colored man, were caught at Sande point. The boat was overturned and all three were drowned.

#### NO SILVER FUND.

#### A Colorado Millionaire Mine Owner Not for Bryan.

Aspen, Col., Oct. 2 .- The following reply has been received by R. C. Prown of this city from J. J. Hagerman, the millionaire silver mine owner, in response to a request of Mr. Brown, as chairman of the committee to raise a fund among the

mining men in aid of the silver cause: "After mature consideration, I have concluded that the dangers likely to follow the success of the Democratic-Populist combination would outweigh any possible benefit, and I cannot contribute to the Democratic campaign fund, either personally or through the companies in which I am pterested .- J. J. HAGERMAN."

## IRISH FLAGS NOT BARRED.

A Massachusetts Judge Decides That Erin Is Not a Nation

LAWRENCE, Mass., Oct. 2 .- July 0, Contractar Patrick O'Brien was arrested for displaying an Irish flag on a portion of the staging of the new Ward 6 schoolhouse July 4, under the statute forbidding the display of any foreign flag upon a public building. He was found guilty, and Judge Stone of the police court fined him \$10. An appeal was taken to the superior court. Yesterday Judge Hopkins ruled that Ireland was not a country in the neaning of the statute governing the case and had no flag except that of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland. The case was accordingly dismissed.

## WHITE HOUSE PAMAGED

The Storm Injures the Root and Carries Off the President's Elegatoff

Washington, Oct. 2 -- The White House was somewhat injured by the storm, a portion of the copper rooting being stripped off and other lamage done. The tall flagstaff from which the signal was given to the lity that the President was in town. disappeared completely. In the beautiful grounds surrounding the house twenty-five of the splendid trees, elms, sycamores, walnuts and magnoilas, some of great age and historical associations, were completely leveled

## The Jones-Pulitzer Case.

JEFFERSON CITY, Ma., Oct. 2.-In the Supreme court this morning, in bane, the first case on the docket was that of Charles H. Jones vs. the Pull itzer Publishing Company to restrait the company from interfering with his management of the St Louis Post Dispatch. The attorneys were allowed five hours by the court to argue

Six Children Barned to Death POTTSVILLE, Pa., Oct. 2. - The storm blew down the coal breaker at Matalie, belonging to the Pennsylvania Anthracite Coal company. Six tenement houses belonging to the camp were destroyed by fire and six chil-dren, inmates, lost their lives. The fire originated from a stove overturned in one of the summer kitchen from the shaking of the wind.

Democratic Claims for Missourl.

St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 2 .- Returns from 1,100 school districts to the Dent ocratic State committee show an increase over the Democratic vote of 1892, and it is claimed that Mr. Bryan will come to St Louis with a plurality of nearly 100,000.

Suver and temperatio clubs Fuse. Sr. Louis, Mo., Oct. 2. - The consolidation of the National Association of Democratic clubs and the Association of National Silver clubs has finally been perfected and the latter organi hation will take an active part in the

#### Regret the Action of the St. Louis Con- TERRIBLE LOSS OF LIFE IN FLORIDA.

Is Mrcly to Reach 500 Hundreds of Fishermen Overwhelmed-Cedar Keys Laid Waste-Town After Town Almost Completely Wiped Out.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Oct. 3. - At least 350 lives-possibly 500-were lost in and about Cedar Keys as a result of the terrific hurricane and tidal wave Tuesday night. Of 100 fishing the country had confidence. We re- and sponge boats with from four to ten men each, anchored below the town Monday night, only about twenty escaped destruction, and the loss of life there is estimated at from 830 to 150 In the town itself, before the storm, a thriving place of 1,500 people, twenty dead bodies have been recovered from the mud and ruins. Few houses are left standing and scores are sufering from injuries.

The town was situated at the morth of the Suwanes river on a number of small keys connected by bridges. Scores of lives were also lost in the sponge fishing section. The hurricane struck the place about 3:30 o'clock Tuesday morning and continned for several hours. Though warn-ag had been given, nothing indicated blow of unusual severity, and up to .! o'clock the night was calm and quiet. At that time a moderate breeze sprang up from the eastward, increasing gradually until a thirtymile wind was blowing. About 4 o'clock a perfect tornado was blowing. Then the wind suddenly changed to the southeast, bringing a perfect deluge of water, the tide rising two feet higher than in the gale of 1894.

DEATH IN A TIDAL WAVE. At 7 o'clock an immense tidal wave came in from the south, carrying destruction with it. Boats, wharves and small houses were hurled upon the shore and broken into fragments. This tidal wave caused the principal loss of life, many houses being swept away from their foundations and the inmates drowned.

In Cedar Keys, when the tidal wave eame and overwhelmed the houses, many of the inmates floated in the water, clinging to pieces of timber; others clung to tree tops for hours, antil the water receded. They were buffetted by wind and waves and many men fainted, but clung even while unconscious to the tree limbs. Many are still unaccounted for, and families and friends are filled anxiety, hoping for the best, but fear-ing the worst. In view of the utter destruction wrought by the storm, it seems miraculous that there is a single person alive in Cedar Keys to-day.

While the gale was at its height fire broke out in the Bettina house. In a few seconds the entire building was wrapped in flames, which quickly communicated to the Schlemmer hotel, adjoining, and in a very short time nothing was left of either house except the bare walls. The inmates saved nothing. They made their escape by wading through four feet of

The bridges connecting the keys were swept away, and the only communication is by means of boats, of which few are left. Then, too, most of the victims were buried deep in mud by the tidal wave, and many of the bodies will probably never be recovered.

Beyond the bar there are a score of masts visible just above the water, and each top indicates the burial place of a sponging schooner and its crew. It is possible that many of the vessels were blown out into the gulf and rode out the hurricane, but the Mary Eliza's captain thinks that by far the greater number are beneath the water with their crews. He says that there was not one chance in thousand for such frail craft to live in such a hurricane. It is expected that for days to come corpses of the spongers will be found along the

THIRTY DEAD IN LEVY COUNTY. In the Western part of Levy and Alachua counties not less than 200 families are left destitute. Scores were injured and over thirty were killed in Levy county. The town of Fannin was completely destroyed with the exception of one small house The town of Needmore was demol-

ished. The postoffice building at that place was completely demolished the postmaster can find no part of the man or postoffice fixtures. Every house at Yular, Judson and

Chiefland was destroyed, with one or two exceptions, killing people of both the former places. The people of Bronson have issued an appeal for aid for the destitute.

Reports from Baker, Suwanee, Nassau and Columbia counties confirm the previous reports of death and de-struction. The death list has been increased by nearly a dozen. Colum-bia county fared very badly. All the country south of Lake City is devas-tated. In the Caleb Markham neighborhood scarcely a house is left standing. In the vicinity of Payne and Mount Taber postoffices the destruction was great, but the accounts are yet meager. Fred Hodge, a farmer of that locality, was fatelly crushed and his wife killed by the falling of a tree on their house.

Fort White fared badly, all the churches, school houses, many stores and residences being blown down and many others injured BUIN IN EVERY DIRECTION.

Mikesville and other Southern points have not yet been heard from. Hagen station, ten miles southeast from Lake City, was wiped out, stores demolished and dwellings destroyed. At Lake Butler the destruction was almost as great and Lacrosse was almost wiped out of existence.

Increase of National Bank Notes. WASHINGTON, Oct. 3. - The monthly statement of the comptroller of the currency shows the amount of national bank notes in circulation September 30 was \$:33,552,030, an in-crease for the month of \$4,025,581 and for the twelve months \$20,729,793.

Poison Choked Out of His Mouth CARTHAGE, Mo., Oct. & -William J. Warrington, an organ salesman, was arrested in this city to-day on eight counts of embezzlement from the Newman Bros Organ Company of Chicago. He tried to take arsenic but the officer choked him and made bim spit it out.

#### TOUR OF THE GENERALS.

Numerous Kansas Towns Visted by the Gold Orators.

EMPORIA, Kan , Oct. 3 -The first of the generals to arise this morning was General Howard. He sleeps lightly, and as soon as he felt the motion of the car as the special pulled over the frogs and switch joints of the Topeka yards at 7 o'clock, he tumbled out of his berth and dressed up for the day. The first stop was made at Osago City. where a crowd of about 1,000 had

General Alger was introduced by Marshall of Osage City. The five rais and the one corporal presereed themselves on the platform. General Alger was still hourse and he spoke but briefly.

General Alger then introduced General Howard. He had heard frequently of late, the sneer about "pulling the old soldier's leg " He wanted to say simply that the old soldiers had gone to war to preserve the country under one flag, and they wanted now only that the country should continue. He appealed to the voters not to let any 'fooi Pops" mislead them. The Populists were men who wanted another form of government-a divine government with the railroads and telegraphs all operated from Washington, and the Lord on duty to conduct it

At Emporia about 5,000 people gathered to hear the generals. They spoke in a similar strain as at Osage City.

At Strong City a halt of twenty min-utes was made and Generals Alger, Sickles and Howard made short speeches to about 5.0 people. It was not a responsive audience and it evidently was largely dominated by free silver sentiment, but it paid respectful attention and when General Sickles spoke it become somewhat enthusiasand repeatedly cheered his periods.

At Florence General Stewart was the star speaker, where 500 or 500 men, women and children gathered at the train. He was interrupted frequently by the bell of a locomotive nearby. Finally, he stopped, saying: "I can't talk against a bell. That bell is like a Populist, always going through the country making a noise and interrupting the good things." General Howard, General Marden and General Alger also spoke.

At Marion the crowd was unmistakably Republican and applanded vigorously. When the train reached Hillsboro, a German sett ement, 390 When the train reached people were standing on the platform, but the town was not on the schedule for a stop and the train shot by, When General Sickles, sitting in the observation room, caught signt of the disappointed crowd be cried out to the brakeman: "Stop the train and we will back up to those people, may never see them again." And the train was stopped and backed up white General Stekles spoke to them. They wanted him to speak in German. but he does not speak that language and spoke to them in English of their countrymen, the brave Sigel.

## CLOUDBURST IN ARIZONA.

Six Persons Dead and Four Others Missing at Benson

BENSON, A. T., Oct. 3,-Part of the town was washed away and six persons drowned in a flood from a cloudburst in the Whetstone mountaics, twelve miles southwest of town. The dead, whose bodies have been recovare: William Seek, his wife and two children, and Oscar Ashburo, a cattleman. Four more persons are missing. It is expected that great loss of life and destruction of property will be reported from all along the San Pedro river.

# WILL WAIT FOR ELECTION.

If Mckinley Wins the Leadville Miners Will Return to Work at \$2.50. LEADVILLE, Colo., Oct. 3 .- As a re-

sult from the miner's meeting last night, the majority have decided to remain quiescent until after the election. If McKinley is elected the present intention is to abandon the strike. If Bryan is elected the hope is that the price of silver will advance and the management will at once concede all demands of the union.

New Ruse of a Thief.

St. Joseph, Mo . Oct. 3.-A dapper looking young fellow, who gives the name of A. B. Gorman, and who is believed to be an all-around crook, was locked up yesterday on a charge of larceny. He had a new dodge, which he worked to a successful termination. His scheme was to go into dentists' offices and steal the purses which women leave on the tables while they were in the chair. He dropped into Dr. Newall's office and stole Mrs. H. Ozenburger's purse with \$33, and later in Dr. Kronkite's, where he is alleged to have made away with Mrs. Mary Evans' purse. He visited a haif dozen other establishments and made hauls, it is said. He is thought to have worked the same game

## Fusion Arrangement in Texas.

DALLAS, Texas, Oct. 3 .- From auhentic sources it is learned that the details of fusion between the Republicans and Populists are complete. The Republicans will rote the Populist state and county tickets, the Populista well support most of the Mckinle; electors and the parties divide the congressional districts, giving three to the Republicans.

South Carolina Negroes Drowned SAVANNAII, Ga., Oct. 3.-Reports come from Savannah river sections of South Carolina that there was considerable loss of life among the negroes in Tuesday's storms. The small schooner Island Flower is believed to be lost with her crew of three men.

Internal Merenue Receipts Large. PEORIA. Ill., Oct. S .- The internal rezenue collections in this distrist for September were \$1,574,801 - \$550,000 larger than a year ago and larger than since the Wilson bill went into effect in August, 1894. There would have been \$5,000,000 if taxes had been paid on spirits shipped out in bond.

Married at Their First Meeting. MEXAO, Mo , Oct. 3 -M. B. Smith of Lacl de and Miss Lydia B. Schiable of this wace, who had been corresponding and had exchanged photographs, that who had not met previ-

#### A DRUNKAPO'S CRIME.

Fatally Injures a 17-Year-Old Girl aus Kills Himself With a Razug

Holgare, Ohio, Oct. 3 -- A terrible double tragedy occurred last night two miles south of this place in the home of Mrs. J. P. Ricker, a widow. The family consisted of the widow and wo children, her daughter, Annie, 15 years old, and a son. Another inmate of the home for some time past hat been a boarder, Nathan E. Spellman. The latter came home in a beastly state of intoxication and was reprimanded by Mrs. Ricker. Spellman, while the son was at school and Mrs. licker was out attending to the stock, went into the house, and found the aughter ironing. What followed can only be surmised. Anna Ricker was attacked and her skull crushed. Spellman then undertook to destroy his own life by hanging. This attempt being a failure, he resorted to a method more successful. Lying on his back across a bed, his head hanging to it almost touched the floor, he drey a razor across his throat, severing the Ligular vein.

Anna Ricker, at last accounts, was we, but unconscious, and there is no ssible hope of her recovery. Spellman is dead.

#### CANNON IN THE AIR

New Feat Brings Death to a Venture some Aeronaut.

PAGLA, Kan., Oct. 3 -At the Miami county fair here yesterday, George Anderson, the aeronaut, who was shot from a cannon suspended from a balloon, missed the parachute and was cilled in the 1,500 foot fall. Anderderson was employed by Professor Rozart, and St. Louis, Mo., was his home. Ten thousand people wit-nessed the awful accident. Anderson refused to put on the safety belt with rope attachment, and relied only on a cotton clothes-line cord tied to his wrist for safety.

#### BANK ROBBERS SHOT.

Townspeople Kill One and Wound Another, but a Third Gets \$2,000.

LA GRANDE, Ore., Oct. 3 .- Cy Fitzrugh, a man named Brown and an unknown robbed the First National bank of Joseph, Wallowa county, of \$2,000, by coercing the officials by a display of arms, but before they could escape they were attacked by a number of residents of the place. Alex. Donnelly, aged 25, killed Brown and wounded the unknown, who was caught, but Fitzhugh got away on a horse with the sack of coin.

#### COINAGE IN SEPTEMBER.

Nearly as Much Silver as Gold Money

Turned Out by the Mints. WASHINGTON, Oct. 3.—The monthly statement of the director of the mint shows the total coinage at the United States mints during the month of September, 1896, to have been \$5,915,-363.50, which is divided as follows: Gold, \$3,140,922.50; silver, \$2,754,165; minor coins, \$10,226. Of the silver coined \$2,700,100 was in standard dol-

## MR. BRYAN IN DANGER.

As Unknown West Virginian Said to

Have Attempted an Assault. CINCINNATI, Ohio, Oct. 3.-A special to the Times-Star from Wheeling, W. Va., says: "During the Bryan parade last evening an unknown man tried to assault the candidate. The fellow made a rush for the earriage and, with an oath, cried: 'Let me at him.' A blow from a cane in the hands of a guard sent him bleeding and stagger

ng into the crowd." Nebraska Gold Democrats

OMAHA, Neb., Oct. 3 .- The national Democratic party of Nebraska met here last night in state convention and named a full state and congressional ticket and electors. The state licket is R. S. Bibbs, Governor; O. F Lieutenant-Governor; Aud-Biglin, Lieutenant-Governor; Aud-tor, Emil Haller; Treasurer, Frank McGibbons; Secretary of State, James Mattes; Attorney General, R. S. Patrick; Superintendent of Public Instruction, S G. Glover; Commissioner, G. M. Baer; Regent, Dr. J. L Leas; Supreme Court, Frank Irvine, W. H

Washington's Losses Quite Severs. Washington, Oct. 3 .- The lieuten. ants of the eight police precincts each reported yesterday the estimated total damage in his precinct from Tuesday night's storm. Their totals aggregate \$483,500. The unroofing of so many nouses caused a brisk demand for cooling tin and sent the price up. The sioned by the falling of the Albert building on Pennsylvania avenue, from the ruins of which the body of James Frazgerald, employed at the navy yards, was taken.

No Meeting for Thurston.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 3 .- The uational Republican committee assigned Senator John M. Thurston to speak in this city tonight, but when he arrived this mornig he found that the local and had not even announced his coming or secured a hall. He cancelled the engagement.

A Septuagenarian Bicyclist Killed. OTTAWA, Ill., Oct. 3 -While riding a bicycle, A. V. Mitchell of Streator, aged 73, fell over an embankment and his neck was broken, death being instantaneous. He was a civil war eran and a leading inhabitant of the

Harrison to Make Two Speeches NEW YORK, Oct. 3.-Benjamin Har rison has agreed to make two speeches under the auspices of the national comm'ttee on his way home to Indian. apolis. One will be delivered on next Monday evening in Richmond, Va. and the second Tuesday afternoon in Charleston, W. Va.

A Missouri Hay Train for Georgia. CLINTON, Mo., Oct. 3.-A Lowery grain company shipped forty-six cars of hay in two special trains out of here to day for Atlanta, Ga. They are decorated with banners and will be run through by day as hay specials ously, w re married here yesterday from Southwest Missouri to Atlanta