Russia Is Inclined to Act Independently.

PEKIN IN ANAROHISTIC CONDITION

Flame and Fury Dominate the Town, While Blood Runs.

Uncle Sam Will Send No More Troops Direct to China at Present-Japanese Story of the Peking Fighting.

London, Aug. 24.—Fires, fighting and dissensions are apparently following in the wake of the relief of Peking. The Daily Mail publishes dispatches from the Chinese capital dated as late as then raging in the imperial city. The Russian commander had declined to accept the decision of the other generals not to violate the imperial precincts, and street fighting was going on. General Chaffee-so it is asserted-maintained that the Chinese had been adequately punished already, and that it would be unwise to take the imperial palace. This explains the withdrawal of the Americans after breaching three gates, as cabled by the special correpondent of the Associated Press. The Russian general, however, maintained that his government had declared war against China and that, therefore, there was no reason to prevent him carrying hostilities into the sacred precincts.

Heroic Defense of a Church. London, Aug. 24.—The following has been received, dated Peking, Aug. 16: "The Pei Tang cathedral, north of the city, which was garrisoned by thirty French and ten Italian blue Jackets, and which had no communication with the other foreigners during the progress of the seige, has been relieved by the Japanese and British. The defense of this church was most heroic. The combined forces are now posting sentries in the palace buildings to prevent looting and destruction. The whereabouts of the empress dowager is not; known to the allies.

Russians Occupy Our Positions. London, Aug. 24 .- [Copyright, 1900, by the Associated Press.]-The following dated Peking, Aug. 15, has been received: "The Americans breached three gates before the imperial palace and occupied the approaches to the last wall. During the afternoon the Amerreturned to camp, pending a conference between the generals. Thereupon the Russians occupied the approaches to the palace.

Russians Claim To Be First. St. Petersburg, Aug. 24.—General Linevitch (commander of the Russian troops in the province of Pe-Chi-Li) telegraphs to the ministry of war as follows: "At 2 o'clock in the morning of Aug. 14 our troops stormed the eastern gate of Peking and were the first to enter the city. The Russian flag was the first hoisted on the wall. The bombardment of the gate lasted fourteen hours. The Russians then scaled and occupied the wall. The Chinese, however, still held the observatory and other towers, whence they subjected our troops to a heavy enfilading fire, until our infantry forced them to leave their positions.

Important Development at Washington, Washington, Aug. 24.-The important development in the Chinese situation yesterday was the decision of the government not to send any more troops to China. All the troops now at sea, amounting to about 4,000, together with those under orders for service in the far east which have not sailed, amounting to about 3,000 more, will be sent to Manila. These troops will sall on the same route, and upon touching at Nagasaki will go on to Manila unless there are developments in China, not now expected, which would make their presence in that country necessary. Secretary Root said yesterday that no more troops were being sent to China, because they were not

JAPANESE REPORT FROM PEKING Mikado's Force Said to Occupy the Im perial Palace.

Washington, Aug. 24.—The Japanese legation yesterday received the following advices from the foreign office at Tokio, dated Aug. 23: "The commander of the Japanese fleet at Taku transmitted by telegraph on the 21st of logs in the boom, logging outlits, the following report from Peking: 'The etc., and 90,000,000 feet of standing Japanese regiment which had been detailed early on the 15th for the purpose of protecting the imperial palace, had hard fighting all day, but they could not bring it to a decisive issue as they refrained from firing on the palace. On the following day, however, they took its principal gate, and now the city is almost entirely cleared of the

"The imperial family and the ministers of state left for Sian five or six which he declares will be the most days ago, escorted by 3,000 troops un- largely attended and the most enthuder Tung Fuh Shlang. With the object of restoring order the city has the organization. been divided into districts, Japan being assigned the northern half; and Japan, the United States, Great Britain, Russia and France have each deputed an officer to carry on the administration.

"'Prince Tuan's residence has been burnt down by the Japanese. The Japanese. The Japanese naval detachment which guarded the Japanese legation lost during the siege five killed a fatal blow to brigandage in this disand eight wounded. The Japanese forces which now occupy the imperial palace have rescued foreign and native Christians from their confinement."

Reunion of Portuguese. Springfield, Ills., Aug. 24.—Portu-guese who left Madelra in 1849, and their descendants from all over central Illinois were here yesterday celebrating the day they left that island. They came to this section of Illinois immedi ately on arrival in the United States. Religious persecution caused them to eave Madeira. Only four of the orig-

inal party survive. Candidate Stevenson at Home Bloomington, Ills., Aug 24.-Adlal E. Stevenson arrived at his home yesterday afternoon from Sedalla.

Prohibition convention made W. H. | the tangle. Clark, of Ripon, temporary and permanent chairman and L. H. Larson, of Green Bay, secretary. J. B. Smith, of Madison was nominated for governor. and presidential electors selected.

POPULISTS NOTIFY BRYAN.

also the Monetary League-Great Bryan Meeting at Topeka.

Topeka, Kas., Aug. 24.—Bryan yesterday received the second official notlfication of his nomination for the presidency. This notification came from the Populist party, and Thomas M. Patterson, of Colorado, acted as the mouth- MOB BURNS TWO CITY BUILDINFS piece of the party in making it. He was at the same time informed of the Indorsement of his candidacy by the United States Monetary League, this notification being given by A., W. Rucker. The ceremonies occurred in the spacious and beautiful grounds of the state capital, and were witnessed

by a large number of people. There was little delay after the arrival of Bryan and the other notables State Chairman Ridgely, of the Populist party, promptly assumed the chair, and he immediately introduced James A. Troutman, who, as the representative of the mayor of Topeka, made a brief speech welcoming Bryan to the city. Troutman was followed by Frank Doster, chief justice of the state, who Aug. 17 declaring that a great fire was extended the welcome of the state at large. Doster was followed by Jerry Simpson, who was introduced as the permanent chairman, in the absence of National Chairman Butler. Simpson made a brief speech and then introduced Patterson, who as chairman of the national Populist convention became chairman of the notification committee. Rucker followed Patterson and then Bryan was introduced. All the speakers had been generously cheered and Bryan was received with a great shout of applause. When quiet was restored Bryan began his address, covering all the issues of the campaign. At its conclusion there was an enthusiastic demonstration. At 8 p. m. yesterday Bryan left for Manhattan, Kas.

On his way to the station Bryan called on the local lodge of Elks, and also upon the Topeka Democratic Flambeau club. He made brief addresses to both, saying to the club that he would rather see the club at a presidential inauguration than a regiment

FORT DODGE WILD WITH JOY All Because Gov. Shaw Has Appointed Dolliver a Senator.

Fort Dodge, Ia., Aug. 24.-Fort Dodge went clean mad with joy at the news of the appointment of Representative Jonathan Prentiss Dolliver as United States senator to succeed the late John H. Gear. When the news



J. P. DOLLIVER.

came, there was a wild demonstration. The chuch bells were ringing fireworks being discharged and the city was dense with powder smoke. Whistles from all the factories added to the mad discord of hundreds of tin horns and thousands of hoarse but never-tiring voices shouting approval of Governor Shaw's action and indorsement of his

Dolliver is not at home, being away on a lecturing tour with Champ Clark, of Missourl, but upon his return a monster reception and demonstration will be given in his honor. Fort Dodge claims Dolliver and for many days to

come Dolliver can claim Fort Dodge. Big Deal in Lumber Property. Duluth, Minn., Aug. 24.-One of the biggest deals in lumber and saw mill property in northern Minnesota for some time has just been effected. By it the St. Croix Lumber company, of Stillwater, acquires the interests of the Knox Lumber company, at and in the vicinity of Winton, Minn. The price paid is understood to be in the neighborhood of \$500,000. It conveys the saw mill and site, about 13,000,000 feet

Gen. Shaw at Chicago. Chicago, Aug. 24.—General Albert D. Shaw, commander-in-chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, has arrived in Chicago and is busy preparing for the business session of the organization that will be held next week. He is also consulting with the executive committee in regard to the final details of the coming celebration, siastic encampment in the history of

Cuban Bandit Killed.

Santiago, Cuba, Aug. 24.-Silvestre Rico, a much-feared bandit, was killed by Lieutenant Marino Moneada, of the rural guard, Wednesday night at Songo. The bandit's real name was Silvestre Bueno. There were several charges of hose stealing and arson against him. His death is considered trict, as it is supposed that only a few bandits remain at large.

Elks Meet at Joliet. Jollet, Ills., Aug. 24.-Several hundred members of the Order of Elks were in Joliet yesterday from various points in Illinois and adjoining states In the afternoon a parade and band contest were given, and the people generally joined in the carniv. 1. The business part of the city was decorated in honor of the visitors in purple and

white. President May Not Be There.

Chicago, Aug. 24. - President Mc Kinley was to have arrived in Chicago next Saturday to attend the Grand Army encampment, but it is likely that he will be unable to come. Affairs in China are in a deplorable confused state, and the most careful attention Madison, Wis., Aug. 24.—The state of the government is needed to unravel

Blew the Fruit Off the Trees.

and rain storm pased over this place their presence has become an insuf- Loennecker, of Jackson, has been complete state ticket was named that prostrated the corn. Orchards ferable nuisance. They are here by nominated for congress by the Third the millions.

That in Michigan To Be Appraised by

Infuriated Self-Governors Disgrace the State.

Loots a Gun Store, Steals Dynamite and Is Responsible for Much Bloodshed and Crime.

Akron, O., Aug. 24.-The rioting of Wednesday night and early yesterday morning, participated in by a mob of about 1,500 resulted in one death, the insanity of Chief of Police Harrison | the Michigan Central. and the destruction of property worth \$700,000. The governor was appealed to and promptly sent the entire Fourth | Relies of the Rebellion Not Allowed To Be regiment and company C, of the Eighth regiment, of the Ohio National Guard, to this city, where they are now on guard. Chief of Police Harrison was driven insane, so it is reported, by the terrible experiences of Wednesday night and a blow received on the head by a brick thrown by a rioter. He be- ing. Colonel Joseph H. Wood, marshal came a raving maniac, it is said, and of the Grand Army parade to be given fled from the city in a buggy about in Chicago, wired Governor Warder daylight yesterday.

Looting of the Gun Store. Standard company's store about 11 the store for more weapons. Police- for that reason found it necessary to men and employes of the store were refuse the request. held at bay across the street while the store was looted. The Standard Hardware company is short about ninety shotguns and rifles, thirty revolvers, twenty razors and nearly 100 knives of all kinds and sizes, stolen from its store by the mob. About 1,000 loaded shotgun eartridges and 20,000 rounds of rifle and revolver ammunition were also taken. Two sticks of dynamite were also found in Robinson's sewer; pipe yard.

City in a State of Insurrection, Early yesterday morning Mayor W. E. Young issued a proclamation declaring that the city was in a state of insurrection. The men of the Eighth regiment, from Canton, reached Akron, at 6:25 o'clock this morning over the through the line of soldiers.

INCENDIARISM OF THE MOB. Two Buildings Burned to the Ground List of the Mob's Victims.

The ruins of Columbia hall and the city building are still smoking. These buildings were burned by the mob. At a. m. yesterday the officers who had been penned up in the city building after defending it desperately escaped through a rear window and ran for their lives. Previous to their departure they released all the prisoners from the prison. An hour later the mob placed charge of dynamite near the building, which when exploded smashed all the windows and did considerable damage to adjoining structures. The building | to the Parls exposition. then caught fire and was burned to the

The killed up to the time the last re port was made to the police authorities are: Glen Wade, aged 11 years, shot through the heart. Fatally injured: Frederick Vorwick, buckshot wound nings. in abdomen; Policeman Alva G. Greenbrick; Rhoda Davidson, aged 4 years, shot through the brain. Those wounded badly and otherwise W. H. Dussel, flesh wound in leg; Park

Strair, flesh wound in the leg; John E. Washer, scalp wound from brick; Arthur E. Sprague, teamster, scalp wound; John Ahren, painter, flesh wound; A. E. Chemlostky, Albert Grant, Frank Sours, Fireman L. Manchester, Fireman W. Roepeke, Fireman Minor Fritz, Fireman A. Eberly-all flesh wounds; Policeman John King. struck on the knee with a brick; Detective Edward Dunn, struck in the back with a brick; Albert Stevens, of Graham Station, shot in the foot.

At 10 a. m. yesterday it was reported that a portion of the mob had marched to East Akron, broken into a hardware store and stolen a quantity of ammuni tion and dynamite, together with all the guns in the place, and that it was their intention to charge on the troops at the first demonstration. Officers com manding the troops say that any at-tempt to start a riot will be the signal for a charge by militia.

Scores on the Ball Field, Chicago, Aug. 24.-Following are the

scores at base ball recorded yesterday by League clubs: At New York-Phil adelphia 4, New York 5; at Boston-Brooklyn 3, Boston 6; at Pittsburg-Cincinnati 3, Pittsburg 2; at St. Louis - Postponed on account of wind

American League: At Cleveland-Buffalo 6, Cleveland 4; at Milwaukee-Minneapolis 1, Milwaukee 2; at Indianapolis - Detroit 3, Indianapolis 8: at Chicago-Kansas City 2, Chica-

Caught His Foot in Cog Wheels. Coloma, Mich., Aug. 22.-While at work in the Lake Shore basket factory lioy McKean accidentallly slipped from a pile of material on which he was sitting. His foot was caught between two rapidly revolving cogwheels on the large peeler and crushed nearly to the instep before the machine could be stopped. It was necessary to re-move a bolt and drive the wheel along its shaft to release him. Amputation of a portion of the foot was found nec-

Police Want Them for Forgery. Chicago, Aug. 22 .- M. F. Ryan and his alleged sister, Mrs. E. Ross, if they are eaught by the police will be charged with forgery, swindling and perjury. They obtanied \$1,800 from Walter M. Howland in the Portland block by mortgaging to him property at 4442 St. Lawrence avenue which did not belong to them.

Too Many Crickets for Comfort. Anderson, Ind., Aug. 24.—The crick- India rubber has been lately discovet plague is excessively annoying. The insects made their appearance after the storm last Friday night, and Mentone, Ind., Aug. 24.-A wind they have continued to swarm until

VALUE OF RAILWAY PROPERTY

Experts for Taxation.

Detroit, Aug. 24 .- The state tax commission, acting on a suggestion of Governor Pingree, has decided to put experts at work immediately appraising the property of the steam railroads of Michigan, so as to have a report ready for the governor to submit to the next legislature, when it meets next January. Professor Mortimer E. Cooley. of the University of Michigan, has been engaged to take charge of the work under the direction of the tax

commissioner. Professor Henry C. Adams, of the chair of political economy in the State University, and who is secretary of the interstate commerce commission, will probably be engaged also. The value of the railroad franchises will be taken fatal wounding of a babe and two into consideration by the appraisers, adults, injuries to sixteen citizens, the who will first examine the property of

CANNOT HAVE THOSE FLAGS.

Taken from Memorial Hall. Springfield, Ills., Aug. 24.-Acting Governor Warder has refused permission to the Grand Army officials to remove the old battle flags of Illinois regiments in the civil war from Memorial hall at the state capitol build-

that the flags be taken from their our opposition to the McKinley policy casements and sent to Chicago to be About forty rioters broke into the carried in the parade. window. Later fully 500 returned to al of the flags from Memorial hall, and

> Outrageous Fraud on the Gallows. St. Paul, Aug. 24.-Rather than be arrested, William Steffen, of Caledonia, Houston county, Minn., committed suicide after a fight with the officers. After beating his wife he drove her out of the house and she sought refuge at her father's house with three children. Late in the night he tried unsuccessfully to entice her back, pre sumably to kill her as he was in a great rage and had a revolver, threat ening what he would do when she and children came back. A warrant was procured, but after a battle, rather than surrender he killed himself.

Farmers' Congress. Colorado Springs, Col., Aug. 24.-The Valley railroad and were marched di- sessions of the National Farmers' Conrectly to the city building. No at- gress yesterday were marked with tempt was made to prevent their prog- more than ordinary interest. The mornress. As soon as they arrived a cordon ing session was opened with the read-of troops was established around the ing of a paper prepared by Baron Herbuilding. The streets in the vi- man, agricultural attache of the Gerchity were crowded with people, but man legation at Washington, on "The there was no attempt made to break | Common Interest of Farmers Over the World." D. F. Coburn, secretary of agriculture of Kansas, followed Baron Herman with an iteresting paper on "Agricultural Acquirements in the

He Arrived at Home a Corpse. Oelwein, Ia., Aug. 24.-When the morning passenger train on the Great Western road reached Oelwein from Chicago it bore the remains of a man who drank two ounces of carbolic acid. A porter discovered him in terrible pain in the sleeper when a few miles from the city. He was given milk to drink, but died on the train. The dead man proved to be Clarence Rich, whose home was in Red Wing, Minn., and to which he was hastening, having been

Records on the Diamond. Chicago, Aug. 22.-Following are the scores made yesterday by League clubs at base ball: At St. Louis-Cincinnati 8, St. Louis 9; at Philadelphia -New York 4, Philadelphia 5-ten in-

American League: At Chicago-Minlesse, struck over the heart with a neapolis 1, Chicago 3; at Buffalo-Detroit 2, Buffalo 3; at Cleveland-Indianapolis 4, Cleveland 2; at Kansas City-Milwaukee 11, Kansas City 4.

Well-Known Methodist Stricken. Richmond, Ind., Aug. 24.-Rev. Arthur A. Curme, Sr., a retired Methodist minister, and a member of the city council, was stricken with paralysis, and his entire right side is affected. Curme is one of the best-known men of Richmond, and has been active in city affairs for years. He is 68 years old.

Hugh L. Coplantz Missing. Joliet, Ills., Aug. 24. - Hugh Coplantz has been missing from Joliet since last Saturday and his present whereabouts are unknown to his friends. He has also left the employ of the Kennedy Biscuit company, of Chicago, for whom he held the agency here. His accounts are all right.

NEWS FACTS IN OUTLINE.

W. G. and W. E. Walling, of Chicago, have made a record by climbing 11,-350 feet up Mount Assinaboine. John J. Ingalls' will leaves his entire estate to his widow.

All the persons accused of complicity in the Havana custom house frauds have been acquitted. The shah of Persia will be the guest

of the Emperor of Austria in Septem-N. J. Spruce, wife and two children, Austin (Chicago suburb), were poisoned

by eating toadstools. Postoffice messengers at Chicago must quit the cigarette or Uncle Sam's employ

The British government in India has decided to depose the Maharajah of Bharatpur, owing to his dissipated habits.

Chicago wholesale grocers have cut price of sugar 12 cents per hundred-Omaha's population has fallen off 26.98 per cent. in the past ten years. It

is charged that the census of 1890 was | dore Roosevelt writes in relation to his padded. The engagement of Miss Iabel Stillman and Perry A. Rockefeller has been announced.

The nucleus of a new town in Texas is called Triangle. It is laid out in the form of triangle, its lots are triangular and the twenty-three houses already built are all three-cornered. Salt water is to be used for sprinkling the streets of Tacoma.

The Newfoundland sealing season has been the best for the past twentyfive years, 375,000 seals having been captured. In South Australia a mine of na

ered. Nominated for Congress. Wyandotte, Mich., Aug. 22.-M. G.

ROOSEVELT ASKING FOR MERCY From the Host of Republicans Want-

ing to Hear Him-Bryan Has

a Very Busy Day.

Will Head Democratic Ticket

For Wisconsin.

Milwaukee, Aug. 23.-The Democratic state convention met here yesterday and after preliminary organization with Clark L. Hood as temporary chairman, took recess to 2:30 p. m., run until his successor is elected. but it was nearly 4 p. m. before it reassembled. P. H. Martin, of Green Bay, was made permanent chairman and made a speech eulogizing Bryan. Other speeches occupied the time until 5 p. m., when the committee on resolutions reported. The resolutions affirm the principles as set forth in the platform adopted by the Democratic pauty in convention assembled at Kansas City, "and hereby pledge ourselves to give our utmost support by voice and vote to the furtherance of the candidacies of our matchless leaders, William Jennings Bryan and Adlai Steven-son. * * We expressly declare

as adjutants to our republic." Planks on the State Policy. Other resolutions favor legislation equalizing the tax laws of the state upon the basis of constitutional uniformity and a revision of the laws relating to transportation rates and license fees of quasi-public corporations. Opposition is expressed to a joint resoution amending the constitution and vesting the control of public schools in the hands of the state superintendent; also to a joint resolution for a "general" banking law. The present caucus law is condemned and a revision is favored resulting in direct method of nominations. Louis G. Bomrich, of Kenosha, was then nominated for governor by acclamation and the convention took a recess.

of establishing colonial dependencies

Full Ticket That Was Named.

Following is the full ticket completed at the sesion opened at 8 p. m.: For governor, Louis G. Bohmrich, Ke-For governor, Louis G. Bomrich, Kenosha; lieutenant governor, Thomas Patterson, Waushara; secretary of state, Joseph H. Woodnorth, Milwaukee; state treasurer. August Bartz, Fall Creek; attorney general, George C. Cooper, Superior; state superintendent, omer B. Hubbell, Beaver Dam: in surance commissioner, Robert A. Thompson, LaCrosse; railroad commissloner, George W. Hill, Antigo; chairman of the state central committee. A F. Warden, Waukesha, Presidential electors were also nominated.

Populists Also in Convention. The Populist state convention, comprising about fifty delegates, opened late in the afternoon. Cyrus M. Butt, of Viroqua, was chosen for temporary chairman, and made a short speech. After a short recess A. A. Worsley, of Racine, was made permanent chairman, and took occasion to say that if the Democrats wanted to fuse with the Populists the first advances must be made by the other fellows. The platform was then presented and adopted and is a standard Populist pronouncement. A committee was appointed to convey word to the Demo cratis state convention that the Populists would vote for the Democratic

presidential electors. BUSY DAY FOR COL. BRYAN.

He Makes a Number of Speeches Es

Route to Topeka. Falls City, Neb., Aug. 23.-Yesterday was a busy day for Bryan. He may be said to have begun the day before Tuesday closed, for it was after 1 o'clock yesterday morning when he reached Auburn, his first stopping place after leaving Lincoln. Getting a few hours sleep there he was prepared to commence the day early. He began his speech at Auburn shortly after 8 o'clock and made an hour's ad dress, and after being driven rapidly to the station he was compelled to wait fifty minutes for a delayed train to take him to Tecumseh, the next stopping place. At Tecumseh he spoke comparatively briefly, and after taking a hasty dinner started upon a twenty-two-mile drive across country

to Pawnee. This drive was made by means of three relays in two hours' time, and it was apparently a pleasant diversion. At Pawnee as at Auburn and Tecumseh there was a good attendance, as there was also at the night meeting held at this point. The day meetings were all held in the groves of the court houses of the counties. The trip from Pawneee to Falls City was made in a freight caboose behind a special engine secured by the Pawnee county

committee. Bryan had the largest audience of the day at the evening meeting at Falls City. Bryan left at 2:30 this morning for Topeka, reaching that city at 10:30.

Washington, Ia., Aug. 23.-The Unitand, the official organ of the "United Butler Will Not Preside.

Topeka, Kas., Aug. 23.—Chairman Butler, of the Populist national committee, will not attend the Bryan notification meeting today. Vice Chairman Edmisten, it is announced, will preside in his stead.

THAT DEMAND FOR ROOSEVELT.

He Has to Appeal for Protection Against Those Who Want Him. Chicago, Aug. 23 .- "Work me up to

the limit, but do not put me over the limit until after election day," Theoitinerary for his coming western tour. In other words, he wants to be permitted to live until he has voted and has been voted for. Governor Ressevelt's letter was in response to a notice from here of the demand for him through the west. He has to be protected by the national campaign managers against this demand and against himself.

Every place that wants him simply cannot have him. To find the happy medium is really becoming a serious problem for the managers. His disposition is to go everywhere and speak to everybody, as he did in New York pointed an associate justice of the sutwo years ago when elected governor. His voice, untrained for a campaign of he filled until Idaho was admitted as contained any bad news it contained open-air speaking day after day, never a state. has recovered from the strain he put on it then. He has had trouble with clerk of Parr's bank, accused of steal-

Croker and Murphy Meet. New York, Aug. 23.-Ex-Senator Ed-

ward Murphy came to this city yes-terday and met Richard Croker, lead-er of Tammany hall, at the Hoffman House. At the close of the conference it was announced that Murphy will remain here until after the elec-American Troops Plant Flag on

Democratic leader of the state.

Dolliver Appointed Senator.

pointment of Representative J. P. Dol-

liver to be United States senator to

fill the vacancy caused by the death

of Senator John B. Gear. The ap-

pointment runs to March 4, 1901. The

legislature does not meet in regular session till 1902, and Dolliver's ap-

pointment is likely to be renewed to

Politics at Old Orehard.

dresses were made at the Republican

mass meeting yesterday afternoon.

fornia; General Adam E. King, of Maryland, and Representative McCall,

discussion of imperialism, declaring it

DRESSED WELL: DIDN'T WORK

Result: First Borrows Money and Next

Gets a Check Cashed.

veranda of one of the fashionable

homes there. Barnum came here a

cigarettes and never worked. He some-

times told acquaintances, and he ac-

father to quit the stage and live a

Indianapolis better adapted to win-

ning social plaudits. He borrowed

money from his newly-acquired

friends. Monday he persuaded a friend named Zwick to cash a

the Sum of \$12.

robbed some time during the night.

destroyed all the furniture, broken the

lamps and desks and smashed every-

each place. Neither safe was touched,

so the robbers secured but little booty.

The ticket cases were opened and the

tickets scattered all over the floor. The

stations were about sixty feet apart.

About half way between them a crew

of men were working all night loading

freight cars. They heard nothing from the stations and saw no lights.

Gov. Scoffeld Is in Camp.

23.—The camp of the Third regiment

by visitors Tuesday. In the rifle prac-

Refused to Patronize the Trust.

Ohfo "Infuriated" Citizens Again.

Free Rural Mail Delivery.

fice department has ordered the estab-

lishment on Sept. 1 of rural free de-

livery service at Milton, Wis., Milling-

ton, Mich., Virden, Dallas City and

Nauvoo, Ills., and additional service at Springfield, Ills.

United Christian Party.

Ia., has been nominated by the na-

tional committee of that party as a

er, aged 60. He accepted the nomina-

Joliet Wire Company Fight.

Jollet, Ills., Aug. 23.-Judge Dibell

yesterday, in passing on the motion to

take control of the Joliet Wire com-

pany and Trust Woven Wire Fence

plant from the Robinson faction and

give it to the Alabama Steel and Wire

company, decided against the Alabama

company. Both sides are fighting for

supremacy and this decision is but a

temporary victory. The principal trial

Prominent Minnesotan Dead.

H. Barry, at one time one of the most

prominent Democrats in the state, died

Tuesday at the age of 77. He was born in Westerly, R. I., in 1825. In 1857

he was elected attorney general of the

state of Minnesota, and during Presi-

He was caught passing a £5 note.

Winona, Minn., Aug. 23.-Charles

is pending.

Washington, Aug. 23 .- The postof-

Camp Douglass Range, Wis., Aug.

About \$12 in cash was secured at

thing in sight.

at midnight.

nished.

He did not like Chicago and thought

a bogus issue.

Old Ochard, Me., Aug. 23 .- Four ad-

tion. Murphy said he expects to co-Imperial Granary. operate with the state committee for the election of W. J. Bryan. Croker gave out a statement to the effect that he recognized Murphy as the actual REPLY IS GIVEN TO LI HUNG OHANG

This Government Cannot' Negotiate Des Moines, In., Aug. 23.-Governor Shaw last evening announced the ap-

for Peace with a Paretic.

Another Dispatch from Conger-Chinese Capital Occupied by the Allies-Imperial Court Goes West-Other War News.

Washington, Aug. 23 .- The reply of the United States government to Li Hung Chang says, in brief, that this The speakers were Senator Lodge, of government cannot enter upon negotia-Massachusetts; Lee Fairchild, of Cali- tions until there is a government in China which can prevent the hostiliof Massachusetts. The Massachusetts ties of Chinese troops and Chinese senator devoted his attention to the citizens against the forces of the powers. The text of the reply has been communicated to the other govern-

London, Aug. 23. - "Today 1,500 Americans attacked the imperial pal-Indianapolis, Aug. 23.-Horace V. ace," says a dispatch to The Morning Barnum, claiming to be the son of a Post from Peking, dated Aug. 15, "and Chicago millionaire, is a prisoner in captured four of the courts. The Amerthe Marion county jail, charged with ican flag is flying over the imperial fraud. Barnum was arrested at Green- granary, and the imperial bank has been looted."

field Monday night while he sat on the Some Tsung-Li-Yamen Doings. Describing events prior to the reyear ago and took apartments. He lief. The Morning Post's correspondent dressed nattily, talked fluently, smoked cables: "On Aug. 12 the tsung-li-yamen requested a conference with a view to peace. No armistice was granted, however, and that night we enquired lots of them, that he had been dured the longest fusillade of the whole seige. It lasted twelve hours. Aug. 13 the tsung-li-yamen begged to an actor, but had been advised by his be excused from any conference, say-ing that the members were too busy. Later they wrote that they had forbidden firing on us and would court martial any who disobeyed. During the evening many shells fell in the legation compound.

check. It was bogus and the friend Must Dicker with the Dowager. had him arrested. Barnum sent for The Chronicle publishes an inter-Zwick and said his father will right view with the Japanese minister in London, Kato Takaki, which repre-MUCH TROUBLE FOR NOTHING sents him as having said: "The em-Burglars Wreck Two Railway Stations for So long as she lives, so long as she remains in China, whether the supreme Platteville, Wis., Aug. 23.-The city power is taken from her or not, she was thrown into much excitement yes- | will always be the greatest froce-the terday by the discovery that both the one above all others to be reckoned Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul and | with. The difficulty will be to get any one who can speak for her. I fear Chicago and Northwestern railroad that the influence of Li Hung Chang stations here had been broken into and is now of extremely little weight. The powers must come to a final under-The interiors of both stations were standing quickly. Rlots, anarchy, complete wrecks, the thieves having bloodshed and misery throughout China will be the inevitable result of a policy that does not immediately disclosed itself. The government must be re-established."

Russia Will Not Be Left. The Mail's correspondent expresses the opinion that his labors in China will be of long duration, "as pacification will be a difficult undertaking." and seventy-five thousand Russian troops are already in the Far East, or on the way there by land and sea, or under orders to embark. This statement is made by the Moscow correspondent of The Daily Graphic, who adds that mobilization is in progress and the Tenth battalion was overrun all over European Russia, and that there are now at Odessa fourteen tice Private Forrest, of Eau Claire, steamers chartered to take troops.

beat all records in a skirmish run in CONGER SENDS WELCOME NEWS. Wisconsin, scoring 50 points out of a possible 65. Private Surnett, of West

Superior, led the scoring, making 244 Sunday-Captain Deilly Is Dead. points. Governor Scoffeld arrived here Washington, Aug. 23 .- The state department authorizes the announcement of the receipt at an early hour West Superior, Wis., Aug. 23.-The yesterday morning, through the consul text book committee of the board of at Chefoo, of a telegram from Conger education here took a rap at the soin the department cipher to the follow called book trust by refusing to deal with it when it could do as well elseing effect, dated Peking, Aug. 19: "The entire city, with the exception where. The committee has just made of the imperial palace, is occupied by its contract for school supplies for the Japanese, Russian, British, Americans ensuing year and in the list were books and French. It is being appropriated which the American Book company into districts for police supervision. The Chinese army fied. The imperial and one independent firm both furfamily and the court have gone westward, probably toSi-An-Fu, in the province of Shen-Si. No representa-Akron, O., Aug. 23 .- In an attempt of a mob to obtain possession of a netives of the Chinese government are in gro to lynch him here last evening the sight in Peking, and the conditions are officers fired over the heads of the rioters. This resulted in a fusillade, chaotic. The palace is expected to be taken immediately. aMny misionaries during which two persons were killed, one a 10-year-old boy and the other a hav estarted for home, while others remain in charge of the Christian refu-4-year-old girl. Many were wounded.

gees, numbering about 1,000." Conger's message was particularly weicome to officials in showing how completely the entire city is dominated by the allies. The military situation was of quite as much interest in the developments as was the diplomatic. Admiral Remey reported early in the morning confirming the press report of the death of the gallant Captain Reilly in the final assault on the outer walls of Peking. Almost as important ed Christian, published at Rock Isl- as the Peking news was the statement that the Boxers are again con-Christian party," makes the statement centrating around Tien-Tsin, and last that J. F. R. Leonard, of Ainsworth, Sunday morning the Sixth cavalry with about 400 English and Japanese troops had a lively brush with the candidate for president of the United Boxers eight miles outside of Tien-States. Leonard is a prosperous farm- Tsin, where about 100 of the Chinese were killed, and five Americans wound-

The casualties reported by General Chaffee as occurring in action Aug. 14 include six killed, as follows: Battery F, Fifth artillery, Captain Henry J. Reilly; Robert E. Walsh, James O. Hall and Daniel W. Simpkins, Ninth infantry; Russell T. Elliott and James C. Wiber, Fourteenth infantry. The wounded number twenty-eight, most of the cases being slight.

A dispatch from Remey stated that "Dickens' command is landing today. Peking, Aug. 16, all except imperial city cleared of Chinese troops. American troops arst to enter imperial city, have penetrated to the gates of

the palace. The most important dispatch of the day was not made public by the war department, but was the subject of an extended conference at the White House. It was from General Chaffee, dated the 18th, and dealt entirely with military operations and condi enough as to the unsettled conditions London, Aug. 23 .- J. Joss, a former in China, and the prospect of long and ardous work in restoring peace, to his throat ever since, and still has it. ing about \$300,000 from the bank in form the subject for a consultation of January, has been committed for trial. some hours between the president and He was caught passing a £5 note.