SPANISH LOSE LAZA'S ARMY

Colonel and His Command Reported to Have Joined the Rebels.

WEYLER PREPARING FOR ACTIVE WORK

Will Take the Field in Person Against the Command of Macco, in Hope of Ending the War.

(Copyright, 1896; by Press Publishing Company.) Sept. 25 .- (New York World Cablegram-Special Telegram.)-A big Spanish column is reported to have gone over to the insurgents bodily in Santa Clara province. General Weyler's staff officers vehemently deny the story, but there is unmistakable anxlety in official quarters regarding the cola month ago under Colonel Laza, with instructions to raid and burn the insurgent hospitals in the Saguana mountains. No advices have been received since then.

Another rumor affoat is that Colonel Laza, after having routed Quintin Bandera at the head of a strong rebel force near Manicaraugua, marched into the Saguana hills seized the insurgent positions and holds them, awaiting reinforcements.

The steps taken by the Spanish authorities to enforce the collection of full taxes upon plantations already destroyed by the rebel torch have led to the sale of 135 esdeeds from Ceneral Wevler's revenue collectors. This company is understood to be preparing on the restoration of peace to go xtensively into sugar cane planting on the

WEYLER PREPARES TO DIE. Weyler promises once more to fight Maceo and there is great activity at the palace, which is thronged with staff officers making preparations to take the field, but Weyler himself is not happy. He realizes the bazard of the step, and for some nights he has only found sleep through chloral. Francisco Decastro, an official notary public, was summoned to the palace Wednesday and shown into Weyler's private apartments. The memorandum of his will lay before the captain general. He leaves everything to his children, his wife being the executor, Before leaving Havana, he will confess to the bishop, who will bless the troops in the

name of the pope.

His intimate friends fear for him. The say he is daring on the battlefield, and determined on sweeping clean Pinar del Rio province of rebels. The Spaniards generally, however, are greatly elated over a prospective victory, predicting an ignominious defeat of the rebels and a finishing blow inforcements on the way arrive and are disributed, General Weyler will leave Havana at the head of 1,000 men. The recent dynamite explosions made him change his plan of going by rall, and he will follow the highway toward Guanajay, Mariel, Arte-mesia and Majana, the trocha line, where he will be reinforced by 4,000 additional men. Proceeding west, his march probably will be undisturbed until he is within reach N. Y.; F. W. Hayes, Detroit; Herman Jus-of Candelaria and San Cristobal, where he tin, Nashville, Tenn.; H. W. Yates, Omaha; is likely to be harrassed by the troops of Perico Delgado, who holds the heights of Cascarajicara, Brujo and Cuzco with 2.000 lited, concluding the pilgrimage. The delemen, the former being strongly fortified

PLENTY OF CHANCE TO FIGHT. As Weyler's avowed object is to Macco, he will pay no attention to Delgado, unless forced to fight, continuing his march westward towad Paso Real de San Diego, where Vicente Nunez, at the head of 3,000 men, holds the Gair, a height within sight of Paso Real. Nunez is a hard fighter and will try to force Weyler to fight. If Weyler can avoid him he will continue westward toward Consolacion del Sur, where Robert Bermudez, at the head of 2,000 men, will be in waiting for him, fortified on the Sumidara heights.

If Weyler reaches Consolation, the pros-pect of fighting Maceo will be near. Proceeding to Pinar del Rio and Guane he will ome within sight of El Resolladero, where e can meet Maceo at the head of 8.000 men. If he pleases. The indications are that there will be no fight between Weyler's and Macco's immediate forces. Weyler is too wise to try to storm El Resolladero, a high mountain, accessible only by two path ways, to reach which many miles of rocky ground must be traversed under fire of those above. Maceo probably will not descend to an open field and meet an enemy two or three times fore numerous than his force and better equipped and drilled.

Therefore Weyler's march into Pinar del Rio will prove a failure, and although a de cided defeat of the rebels will be announced the Cubans will continue to hold their for tified heights, and it will be once m proved that it is practically impossible end the Cuban revolt by a military victory

STORMS ON ENGLAND'S SHORES.

and Buildings Destroyed. LONDON, Sept. 25 .- A very severe gale from the northeast prevails along the coast and is causing much damage. Telegraphic over the whole of the British Isles. The of delay to Ireland, the cast, northwest and west of Englan, South Wales, the channel islands and to the continent. The wires of the cable companies are working, but slowly and therefore cable messages are subject to

and the sea was terrific. Great damage was done to the buildings about the harbors wharves, plers, etc., and vessels wer stranded at many points. Their crews, how wreckage is strewn about the shore in all suspended. So far, there are few fatalities

Travelers from Europe. steamer City of Rome, which sailed from

this port for New York yesterday, had among her passengers Mr. Thomas L. James ex-postmaster at New York. SOUTHAMPTON, Sept. 25.—The American line steamship Paris, which sails from this port for New York tomorrow, will take among her passengers, Mr. Hilary A. Her-bert, secretary of the United States navy, and Miss Herbert; Thomas F. Gilroy, ex-mayor of New York, and Mrs. Gilroy; Mr. Moreton Frewen; Mr. and Mrs. Winston Churchill. J. D. Cameron, Miss Ada Rehan and Mr. George W. Smalley.

Cyclone Sweeps Over Cuba. HAVANA, Sept. 25 .- A cyclone swept over Curacoa last night. Its probable course is west or northwest. The vortex will pass near Yucatan, Havana. There is every in-dication of disastrous atmospheric dis-turbances in the eastern provinces. The barometer at 8 a. m. registered 762 meters, and the wind was blowing at the rate of twenty meters a second.

twenty meters a second. Sunnish Steamer Goes Ashore. blown ashore yesterday on Terscheling island, in the North sea, and reported to be a North German Lloyd liner, proves to be the Spanish steamer Hugo. Her crew may pull through all right.

MADRID, Sept. 25 .- An official dispatch from Manilla, capital of the Philippine 1,000 Armenians were killed during the reislands, says that after three days fighting at Rehazada, the insurgents were repulsed with the loss of fifty killed, including their

ODD PELLOWS REFUSE TO AMEND. LEADVILLE MEN ARE FIRM Defent All Changes in the Constitu-

tion Proposed-Grand Ball. DALLAS, Tex., Sept. 25.-The sovereign grand lodge, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, at today's session adopted a revised Rebekah ritual and also revised the patriarch militant ritual. A universal sign of recognition between Odd Fellows and Daughters of Rebekah was adopted. An important matter also acted upon was the adoption of a resolution authorizing the preparation of new subordinate lodge and encampment rituals, which shall include all legislation

The afternoon session was largely taken up in the consideration of the amendments Copyright, 1896, by Press Publishing Company.)

14AVANA, Cuba., (by way of Tampa, Fla.)

16 the constitution and reports of committees. The constitutional amendments were all defeated. These included a proposition to lower the age of admission to 18 years, to admit the sons of Odd Fellows at 18 years of age, to give grand bodies the right to permit their subordinate lodges to admit persons of one-eighth Indian blood and to endow past grand sires with all the rights and privileges of grand representatives. The most important legislation of the day was giving to state grand bodies the right umn's fate. The force left Remedies about at their discretion to create, maintain and a month ago under Colonel Laza, with in- dispense an aged Odd Fellows fund, under certain conditions, for the relief of those brothers who have served twenty five years in the order and who have been deprived of the benefits of the order through their lodges having become defunct and their having lost membership in the order.

A grand ball and reception was tendered the delegates tonight.

AWAKES TO FIND HIMSELF DYING.

Strange Story of a Man Who Was Sleeping in His Employer's Bed. NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—Roger E. Costello is in a dying condition at a Jersey City hostates in Fanta Clara province, the majority is in a dying condition at a Jersey City hos-of them in the Saguana district. Most of pital, the result of a pistol shot wound rethese properties are going into the hands ceived, as he alleges, while he was asleep of agents of an English syndicate under tax in the home of his employer, Dennis Reynolds, a produce dealer. Costello retired about 11 o'clock last evening, and at 8 o'clock this morning he says he was awakened by the trickling of blood from a wound in his right breast. He professes not to know how or by whom the wound was inflicted. William Reynolds, his brother Frank and Peter Fox are in cus-tody pending an investigation of the affair. The police have formed a theory that the the shot which struck Costello was intended for Dennis Reynolds, his employer, whose

> shown by powder marks on Costello's dirt. The injured man is said to have never wned a revolver, and had no reason to attempt his own life. BANKERS VISIT LINCOLN'S TOMB.

room had been given to Costello for the night. That the shot was fired at close range

Welcomed to Springfield by Congressman Connolly of Illinois. SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Sept. 25.—The delegates to the National Bankers' association arrived here from St. Louis this morning on a visit to Lincoln's tomb and home, a special car containing 100 delegates was met at o the Cuban insurrection. As soon as the re- the depot by an entertainment committee. The bankers and citizens were escorted to Oak Ridge cemetery, where Congressing Connolly delivered a welcoming address. I was responded to by E. H. Pullen of New York, president of the association: Joseph C. Henrix of New York, chairman of the executive committee; Lyman J. Gage, Chicago; R. M. Nason, Selma, Ala.; Myron T. Her-rick, Cleveland, O.; W. C. Cornwell, Buffalo, gates returned to St. Louis this evening

INVESTIGATE GRAIN RATES NOW

End Reconsignment Hearing. KANSAS CITY, Sept. 25 .- The Interstate commerce commission this forenoon concluded its hearing of the reconsignment cases. Chairman William R. Morrison, who is conducting the hearing, announce that insofar as it touched this case, it had proven satisfactory. A decision will be given out later.

The case of the Kansas grain commis-doners, which was brought up at the hearing here some months ago, was then re opened. The Kansas men contended the had been charged excessive rates, although since the charge was made the rates have been restored. They requested that the investigation proceed on the original charge. twyers for both sides presented their phase of the situation.

GAS EXPLODES IN A COAL MINE Two Men Dead and Two or Three Are Dangerously Hurt. POTTSVILLE, Pa., Sept. 25.—By an explo sion of gas in the Philadelphia & Reading company's Middle Creek colliery, near Tre

mont, Pa., five men were burned and other wise hurt. Two of them, Jasper Newton and his son-in-law, John Scegrove, died a few hours Tater. Charles S. Hoffstall and James Norton are also fatally hurt. Edward Dun nover of Tremont has a fractured arm and collar bone.

Denths of a Day. CHICAGO, Sept. 25.-Rev. Edward N.

Smith, formerly superior in St. John's college, Brooklyn, died last night at St Joseph's hospital of cancer. He was paster of St. Vincent's Roman Catholic church here the congregation of which, under his direction, has just finished a new church at a cost of \$190,000. Father Smith was eduated in Missouri and was well known in St PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 25 .- James

Tyler, former president of the Nortelk & Western railroad, is dead, aged 74 years. LINCOLN, Sept. 25.—(Special.)—Colonel ohn H. Alford, who for fourteen years has ecupied the position of accountant at the state treasurer's office, died very suddenly at his late residence, 1618 D street, last night. Several months ago Mr. Alford was stricken with paralysis but recovered so that he could return to his duties in the state treasurer's office. He was on duty yesterday forenoon as usual and appeared to feel better than he had for some time About 11 o'clock, however, he was taker suddenly ill and soon became unconscious, in which state he remained up to the time of his death last night. The funeral will occur tomorrow afternoon, at 2 o'clock from his late residence.

SHELBY, Neb., Sept. 25.—(Special.)—Mrs.

J. R. Johnson died of typhoid fever yester-day marning and was buried in the after-noon. She had been ill but a short time.

Justice Field's Increasing Age. SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 25.—Stephen H. Field, associate justice of the supreme

court, left last night in his private car for Washington. When coming out of the elevalor at the Polace hotel to go to the car-riage waiting for him in the court the aged journst walked with great difficulty and in evident pain. Ife had nothing to say and did not leave his carriage until it drove up alongside his car at the Oakland mole,

Race Horse Seriously III. SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 25.- Morello, one of the sensutional horses of the American known to every one interested in the of W. V. Reis, at Alamo, swing to a strained back. The great son of Eolus and

Cerise is under the care of a veterinary and i

One Thousand Armenians Killed. CONSTANTINOPLE, Sept. 24.-(Delayed n Transmission i- It now appears that cent massacre at Egin, in the Kharpat dis-trief. It is reported that 100 Armentans have been killed at Divrig, in the same

General Brooks Announces that a Provost Elias Carr of North Carolina has writ-Guard is in Control.

MINERS REFUSE TO DECLARE STRIKE OFF

Right of Governor Melntyre to Place the City Under Martial Law to Be Tested in the Courts.

LEADVILLE, Sept. 25 .- Under the latest or military police force.

Great pressure has been brought to bear upon Edward Boyce, president of the Western Federation of Miners, to induce him to use his influence with the Leadville Miners' mion to call the strike off. He refused and said that not 5 per cent of the miners would vote to call the strike off,

An attempt will be made today to have An attempt will be made today to have the accused men admitted to bail. Judge Owers will probably grant the application. It is expected that General Brooks will have them immediately rearrested. They and all county boards. have them immediately rearrested. They and all county he will be cited for contempt of court and the governor's right to place the community under military rule will be reviewed in court. The case is likely to reach the su-

preme court on a writ of error.
The cases of the officers of the Miners' union who are under arrest came up in the district court today on an application by sheriff and the city marshal, being exam-ined, said they had arrested the men on case the prisoners under bonds.

The first delegation of seventy-five miners from Missouri arrived over the Denver & Rio Grande railroad at 4:20 p. m. The train was a special, and was met at Malta, three by two companies of militia. They escorted the train to the city, where it vas met by 560 men with two Gatling &uns. the seventy-five miners were surrounded by oldiers and taken to the Emmett mine. As they proceeded along the street friends of the strikers crowded closely upon the troops and poured abusive epithets alike upon miners and militia. One officer finally drew his sword, striking one of his termenters across the face with the flat side of the sword. The order was given to charge the crowd with gun butts and push them back to give room or the marching column. The march was then resumed without further incident,

John W. Mitchell, the Denver Times corespondent, who has been in the guardhouse since Wednesday, for disobeying an order from Adjutant General Moses, was today re-

CLEVER WORK OF TWO JAIL BIRDS. Their Plans to Escape Are Frustrated

nt the Eleventh Hour. PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., Sept. 25.—(Special Telegram.)-An attempt to escape from the county jail by a couple of desperate inmates this morning was frustrated by the wakefulness of the wife of Jailer Holloway. The two men, Gillespie and Clark, are convicted casure of the court to receive his sentence They had managed to obtain possession of oring and even pried up a repaired piece the scene of the former unsucceasful at ing on the outer brick wall, when the noise of his pounding was heard. They were return, and both men were placed in another cell.

NORTH LOUP, Neb., Sept. 25 .- (Special.) At the Valley county fair the attendance yesterday was good, drawn chiefly by the announcement of a balloon ascension, but the exhibits, though good, are not nearly so numerous as those of last year. No speaking on the grounds has been arranged and the drawing cards are limited to a number of speed events in the ring and daily balloon ascensions. The exhibits of ive stock and machinery are probably less numerous than those of any year since the organization of the society, thirteen years ago. The exhibits of products include some very choice home grown fruits and a very fine display of vegetables, including sample of sugar beets nearly a foot in diameter.

STROMSBURG, Neb., Sept. 25 .- (Special.) Rev. C. L. Hamilton, who has been the pastor of the Methodist church at this point for the past year, has been trans-ferred to Doniphan and left for his new home yesterday. Rev. Mr. Hamilton is one of the most popular ministers that has

FREMONT, Sept. 25.-(Special.)-The remains of Smith Knode, the railroad man, who died here so suddenly yesterday were taken to his home in Hiawatha, Kan., this Knode had had several attacks of heart disease and his death is thought to have been due to this cause.

Roberts County Seat Contest. PIERRE, S. D., Sept. 25 .- (Special Telegram.)-After an all day argument on an alternative writ of mandamus, the supreme ourt this evening made the writ permptory, ordering the commissioners

Roberts county to submit to the people at the November election the question of county seat removal. The question has been hotly fought from the start, and means political complications in that county this fall. ST. LOUIS, Sept. 25 .- William Callison, a to this city and disposed of a load of cattle, lost \$3,150 at the East St. Louis fire last night. In the crush somebody cut out the pocket of his trousers and extracted the

purse containing the money. The thief failed to get \$500 more which Mr. Callison had in an inside pocket. Two Were Saved, Two Drowned. WHEELING, W. Va., Sept. 25.-Thomas Willard, bricklayer, while on a drunken spree yesterday took his son, aged 18, Mary Wilbert, aged 12, and Mary Gray skiff riding on the Ohio river. He upset the boat. James McGrail rowed out and rescued Mary Gray Willard and Mary Wil-

bert were drowned. Brained His Wife with an Axe. BUFFALO, Sept. 25.-Peter Kamm killed his wife today with a blow with a hatchet. Then Kamm cut his own throat and died at the feet of the slain woman. The double tragedy occurred in the home of Mrs. Kamm's mother, husband and wife having

been separated for several months. Fires of a Day. ST. LOUIS, Sept. 25.-Ten tanks of oil selonging to the Waters-Pierce Oil company at East St. Louis were destroyed by fire last evening. Many thousands of barrels of oil were burned. Loss \$45,000, fully in-

Leigh Silver Men Organize a Club. LEIGH, Neb., Sept. 25 .- (Special Telegram.)-A Bryan free silver club was organized here last night with members from and Platts. Stanton and Colfax counties. They four

TO NAME A NATIONAL PLOWER. BOLD ROBBERS IN CHICAGO Convention Called to Meet at Ashe-

ville, North Carolina. LINCOLN, Sept. 25.—(Special.)—Governor ten to Governor Holcomb, asking that Nebraska delegates be appointed to a convention at Asheville, N. C., for the purpos

Governor Holcomb has received a request from President R. M. Allen of the Nebraska Beet Sugar association to appoint twenty delegates to attend the public meeting to be held at Grand Island November 17 and 18, 1896. The governor has not yet named the delegates. The University of Nebraska, LEADVILLE, Sept. 25.—Under the latest the State Board of Agriculture, the State orders of General Brooks this city was today Horticultural society, the State Dairymen's placed under the control of a provost guard association and the State Federation of Labor have been asked to name ten delegates each; county or local agricultural societies five each, presidents of boards of trade and commercial clubs five each, the State Normal school, private and denominational colleges three each, and labor organizations, farmers' institutes and granges three each. General managers of all the railroads have been invited to attend in person or by representative, and all editors of various publications will be entitled to scats in the

flower of America." This convention has been called to meet on October 21, 22 and

may then obtain writs of habeas corpus.

Should General Brooks ignore such writs presidential choice. Today the ballot box For the last week a vote has been taken was opened with the following result: Mc-Kinley, 193; Bryan, 66; Palmer, 2; Bentley, 5; blank, 6. Total, 272. These votes

their counsel for their release on ball. The sheriff and the city marshal, being examined, said they had arrested the men on the advice of the district attorney. The district attorney moved that the cases be nolled, thus confessing that he had no evidence against the prisoners. Judge Owers dealed the motion, but said he would release the prisoners under bonds.

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At the Capital—A, D. Stiles, At the Lincoln—E, F. Jordan, J. W. Woodward, Henry N. Oerter.

eports by the superintendents of the var-ous divisions of the work accomplished during the past year. All showed a large amount of good accomplished along the various lines of work done. The reports of Mrs. N. M. Richardson on legislation and enforcement of law; of Mrs. D. D. Nichol on scientific temperance instruction; of Mrs. G. W. Clark on purity, were especially excellent. In the evening an entertaining program

was given in the Temple, Mrs. L. E. Luce read a well prepared paper on "Chrisburglars, the former having been sentenced some time ago and the latter awaiting the a paper entitled "The Old and the New," which delineated the progress of women and their various spheres of action. Mrs. Frank Hammond recited a poem by Wait Mason, "The Death of a Drunkard." Music was furnished by the Normal quartet. Mrs. Guile of Lincoln, Mrs. Lee and Mrs. Chase were elected delegates to the national union which meets this year in St. Louis. The morning meeting opened with devo-lonal exercises conducted by Mrs. E. M The superintendents for the ferent departments were then selected, and after hearing the reports of the committees and the transaction of some routine business the convention adjourned. The convention has been a very successful one

and the visitors feel much gratified. BLAIR TAX COLLECTOR ARRESTED

Lee Johnson in a Gell, Charged with BLAIR, Neb., Sept. 25,-(Special.)-Lec Johnson, a delinquent tax collector, was arrested yesterday at the instance of his endsmen for being delinquent himself. He has been collecting taxes for about four years and recently has given receipts and only turned over part of the proceeds, it is The county treasurer sent out notices to all delinquents and so far re-ceipts to the amount of \$690 have been filed. More are expected to follow. Johnson admits the charges and hopes to get bonds today.

GRAND ISLAND, Neb., Sept. 25.—(Spe ial.)-The harvesting of sugar beets for the Oxnard Beet Sugar company was begun today. Over 100 wagen loads were received by noon. The number of employes at the factory will be greatly increased in the next few days. The factory has been in operation for the last two weeks in the manufacture into sugar of some of the syrup remaining over from last year.

Implicated in Craig's Murder. PAWNEE CITY, Neb., Sept. 25 .- (Special. -O. F. Fullerton, a laborer of Tecumseh was placed under arrest in that city today and brought to Pawnee City, charged with being implicated in the murder of N. A. Craig, night watchman at Table Rock, or Monday night. He will be held a few days pending the investigation.

Franklin County Fair Closes. FRANKLIN, Neb., Sept. 25 .- (Special Telegram.)-This was the last day of the Franklin county fair, and it has been the most successful fair ever held in this county. The race track was in fine condition and fast time was made in both running and trotting races. The display of fine stock was large and good, as were the exhibits in the art hall. Better weather could not have been had. Bloomington won the ball game today by a score of 15 to 8. Today's defeat makes three games for the season that the club has lost out of eighteen games.

Fremont Students Enloy a "Time." FREMONT, Sept. 25 .- (Special.) - The High school students had their annual have and hound chase last evening. There were six hares, the others constituting the hounds. The start was made from the High school grounds at 7 p. m. and the limits a short distance morth of the city. Bugles and horns were used instead of the usual slips of paper. The chase lasted three hours and three of the harcs sucecceded in reaching their goal.

Rob a Farmer's Besidence PAWNEE CITY, Neb., Sept. 25 .- (Special Telegram.)-The farm residence of Sam Small, west of here, was robbed yesterday afternoon of its contents to the amount of \$25. The valuables taken were clothing and lewelry. The robbers (there being four of them) were argested today by Deputs sheriff Fuller, and will have their trial

BANCROFT, Neb., Sept. 25.—(Specia) Telegram - Frank Waite, working for Charles Graff, near here, was buried in The little girl unfortunately lost the slip of

Two Men Secure Sixteen Hundred Dollars and Escape in a Milk Wagon.

of petitioning congress to adopt a "national COVER FIVE EMPLOYES AND ROB CASHIER

Thieves' Buggy Breaks Down While the Patrol Wagon is Chasing Them and They Shoot a Milkman for His Rig.

CHICAGO, Sept. 25 .- Two men carefully disguised committed a daring robbery at the Union Foundry company's office in Brighton park this afternoon, robbing the company of \$1,600. They then escaped by means of a buggy, but not before they had shot one man and fired several shots into a crowd of people who were chasing them. A patrol wagon gave chase, but did not succeed in capturing the robbers.

The foundry is in a lonesome place at 11. Facts Discredit Candidate Bryan. the extreme end of the Brighton park, and no other buildings are near it. In the office when the robbers entered were D. F. O'Neill, president of the company; M. A. O'Rourke, treasurer; C. B. Hopke, general superintendent; Charles O'Gorman, clerk, and John O'Neill, clerk. Mr. O'Rourke was Urges Silver Men to Keep Their Sents engaged in filling the envelopes of the men preparatory to paying off, and the top of his desk was covered with money. The meeting in the old-fashioned Music hall to-robbers compelled the five men to line up, night was sensational in the extreme and Bentley, 5; blank, 6. Total, 2/2. These voices were confined to actual customers, no customer being permitted to vote more than once. The "polls" were opened one week once. The "polls" were opened one week once in the confined to the like one kept them covered with two big revolvers, the other scooped up all the money in sight—about \$1,600—and then both money in sight—about \$1,600—and then both people under ordinary circumstances. An The certificate of nomination of Samuel made a dash for the door. They had left people under ordinary circumstances. An Maxwell, democratic nominee from the Third a buggy standing near the building and, hour before the candidates party arrived

Nebraska National Guard during the late encampment at Lincoln park. The commutation is based on an estimate of 30 cents per day per soldier. Warants for the amount of \$4.634.40, pay per diem of the guard, were drawn last Monday, making in all so far, \$6.340.45. No estimate of the amount due for transportation has yet been furnished. Omaha people in Lincoln: At the Lindelirevolvers, and when the chambers were son stockholders of Boston are listening to empty he reloaded. The "long" man, who the frantic appeals of the various officials had thrown his revolver into the bottom of who defrauded them of their hard carried than the stockholders. the buggy paid no attention to the shooting, but kept on driving the horse at a What do the stockholders of Massachusetts N. Oerter.

W. C. T. U. CONVENTION CLOSES.

Many Subjects of Interest Are Considered by the Delegates.

FREMONT, Sept. 25.—(Special.)—At the session of the Woman's Christian Temperance union convention yesterday afternoon Mrs. W. H. Clemmons of Fremont was elected recording secretary and Miss Ella Watson of Lincoln assistant. The most of the afternoon was taken up with verbal reports by the superintendents of the varreports in the buggy paid no activated to the stockholders of Massachusetts say to the fact that only two years age one-quarter of the railroads of this country were in the hands of receivers? Is that street, they were confronted by a crowd of fully 100 men. The pursuers steadily increased until a crowd of several hundred people followed close behind. Men in wagons and bicyclers by the score took up the chase, but the robbers' horse was a good one and outran all of them.

In a short time the patrol wagon from the Brighton park police station was upon the scene and although the thieves had a long start, it kept after them on a full run. At morrow's convention and said: "Men appropriate the stockholders of Massachusetts say to the fact that only two years age one-quarter of the railroads of this country were in the hands of receivers? Is that to the interest of the interest o

> which was a spirited one, to a late hour had not been captured.

His Own Witness' Words. of Kings county opened the campaign tonight at the Clermont Avenue rink in Brooklyn amid much enthusiasm. Six thousand persons cheered Chauncey M. Depew and Franklin Fort of New Jersey and waved thousands of small American flags, with which every chair was provided. All the was utilized. Chairman Hanna was on the platform. When the meeting was called to order Mayor Wurmser made an address presenting Mr. Deoew, who was given an enthusiastic welcome. Mr. Depew reviewed the Chicago platform and the recent speeches of Mr. Bryan in Brooklyn, in wit and sarcasm, and evoked much cheering. Continuing his criticism, he took up Mr. Bryan's reference to Henry Ward Beceher. Bryan's reference to Henry Ward Beecher, in which Mr. Bryan wished for the presence of the preacher, and said: "During the flat money and unlimited currency excite-ment of 1877, Mr. Beecher delivered a fatudy of the populistic candidate for the hearse. with established standards tampers with the very marrow and vitality of public faith. As now by facility of intercourse all the delegates sent for means and the control of the control of the police declined to interfere. Then As now by facility of intercourse all the world is one open market, the need of one and the same standard of money uniform universal and unalterable, becomes imperi-ous. Gold is the world's standard. Gold s the universal measure of value. In the court of the commercial world's conscience, we shall be convicted of endeavoring to cheat men who have come to our rescue in the dark way. This congress would not have existed, nor any government of the United States, but for the strength given to our armies by foreign capitalists; and now to return their aid by base treachery is to deserve an infamy as deep as the lowest depths of hell. But woe to those men. builtheaded, without eyes, who are altempt ing to undermine the integrity of the na-

ion and the crowd was convulsed when the speaker added: "If Mr. Bryan ever says again after this has appeared in print that Beecher is a good platform for the common people to stand upon, he has more gall than I give him credit for and I concede him the

hog's share."

When Mr. Depew finished there were cries of "Hanna." which continued until that gentleman came to the front of the stage. "If I have been successful in anything." said the republican national chairman, has been in knowing enough not to too much McKinley says a Brooklyn repub meeting is an inspiration and I agre-him. When I see the governor, with him. When I see the governor, I will tell him that I bring the greetings of his Brooklyn friends and the promiswill make material expression of them in Mr. Fort's address brought the meeting to

EUSTIS, Neb., Sept. 25.—(Special.)—At the republican representative convention held here Tuesday for the Sixty-sixth district Hon. John C. Gammill of Frontier county was nominated for representative.

Little One Lost Her Sister.

A little girl named Lizzie Sanny was icked up at the Webster Street depot last evening by the police and taken to the station. She stated to Matron Bennett that she lived with her purents at Tilden, Neb. her father being a farmer. Vesterday morning they placed her on the train and sent o feet of earth, while digging a cave yeaday. He managed to extricate himself and address of her relative, and arriving,
and crawled out of the cave, where he was here, found herself lost in the western are hopeful
found in spaams. His spine was seriously metropolis. An effort will be made to locate. Kirkpatrick, the sister of the infant traveler.

THE BEE BULLETIN.

Weather Forecast for Nebrasks-Local Showers; Cooler; North Winds.

1. Weyler Loses a Colonel's Column. Leadville Strikers Stand Firm.

Bold Robbers Raid Chicago. McKinley Argues Against Free Wool. 2. Bryan Talks in Old Massachusetts.

Webster Springs a Sensation. 3. Ben Butterworth in Nebraska. Old Soldiers Resent an Insult. Senator Stewart Refutes Himself, Affairs at South Omaha

4. Editorial and Comment.

5. Venezuelan Commission's Report. Essex, In., Has a Bad Fire. 6. Council Bluffs Local Matters

Big Twenty-Four-Hour Bicycle Chase. 7. Commercial and Financial News, Business of the Last Week Reviewed. 8. How the Gallows Was Cheated.

9. Democrats Get After Dan Wheeler Local Excursions to Canton Talked Of. Exposition Election Deferred. Queer Story from the Police Station. 10. Some Real Facts About Mexico.

Mexico and Its Fourth of July. Richard Vaux Runs a Great Bluff. Clouds of Meteors Are Coming. 12. How a Soul Was Saved.

GEORGE F. WILLIAMS SENSATIONAL

in the Hall Until Morning. BOSTON, Sept. 25 .- Mr. Bryan's evening

scene and although the thieves had a long start, it kept after them on a full run. At Thirty-sixth street and California avenue the buggy lipped over and threw the robbers into the street. The patrol wagon was not far behind at this time and it was thought they could be captured. The thieves, however, quickly picked themselves up and dashing across the prairie came out on Grand avenue. Near the corner stood Frank Nyhoft's milk wagon and the robbers leaped in. The short man drew a small revolver and fired one shot at Nyhoft, the bullet taking effect in his right leg above the knee. The robbers whipped up the horse which was a suirited one and up ard majority undertaking to defeat our rights in that convention tomorrow." (Howls

were found standing in an alley. In the bottom of the tipped-over buggy were found uting tickets to the convention and added: the four big revolvers and blonde wig and "I wrote to the mayor of the city added: two dark false beards, a blonde wig and "I wrote to the mayor of the city of Bos-the four big revolvers used by the robbers." Ion (a storm of hisses), pleading to him for an honest convention and saying that we should hold him personally respons plause and cries of "Good") for upset-ting the will of this convention. He and those he is leading—for he is the leader, NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—The republicans I tell you, of that side—let him hide no longer. (Applause and hisses.) He and his men decided that they would keep up their fraudulent methods until tomorrow. Now, what I propose, is this: That when this meeting is ended, those who hold credentials in this house, shall remain here." applause and cries of "We will.")

Here the song of "We Won't Go Home

available space upon the floor and stand Until Morning" was started, and for a few was utilized. Chairman Hanna was on the minutes nothing but applause and the singprocured order, he continued: "I ask them to remain here to hold meeting either for the drafting of a bill of equity to be presented to a judge tomorrow morning to secure their rights or else if

when you are gathered you deem it bes to remain in this hall until 11 o'clock to morrow. (Great splause and cries of "We will do it.") I will pay for the breakfasts though I cannot provide them." (Great apfrom the preacher, and said: During the flat money and unlimited currency excite plane and enthusiastic cheering.) Then a ment of 1877, Mr. Beecher delivered a famous sermen on Thanksgiving day of the year on the perils of the hour. In it he gallery started up the tune "Hold year on the perils of the hour. In it he gallery started up the tune "Hold used this language which I commend to the An appeal to the police to clear the house

during Mr. Williams' speech was at its height, Mr. Sewall, and later Mr. Bryan, appeared and were greeted with uproarious applause. Later at night the members of the Bimetallic union entertained Mr. Bryan at dinner and recention.

BOSTON, Sept. 25-2:30 a. m.-The doors of Music hall have been locked and police men placed on guard by the owners of the building, who will allow no one to enter the lunch ordered for the delegates being also locked out.

VOTERS WERE OUT IN FULL FORCE. Republicans Hold a Rousing Meeting

at Cambridge. CAMBRIDGE, Neb., Sept. 24.—(Special.)-The largest political meeting ever held in Cambridge took place this evening under the auspices of the McKinley club, the speaker of the occasion being E. Rosewater. There was a torchlight procession headed by a band and Young Woman's March ing club of seventy members, and a Young Girls' Cadet club numbering twenty, all in handsome uniforms. The hall, which has a seating capacity of 700, was packed to its fullest capacity half an hour before the speaking commenced, and a large number of voters.

commenced, and a large number of voters were unable to gain admission. The stage was occupied by a number of prominent citizens. Fully one-third of the voters present were populists. Mr. Rosewater was listened to with the closest attention, and his speech was frequently interrupted by bursts of applicuse.

question, and presented it in an entirely new light. His arguments were based upor simple, plain proposition entirely within the comprehension of the audience. He exposed the manner in which the free silver advocates were attempting to delude the voters in this campaign, and by his arguments proved that the claim of the silverites could not be justified by either history logic or common sense. The meeting was the most successful of its kind ever held in

Split in the Democratic Banks. ratic conferees of the Eighth congressional

ARGUMENT FROM FREE WOOL

Mr. McKinley Talks to Four Delegations at Canton in One Day.

DUOTES FIGURES ON PRICES AND IMPORTS

Shows Ohio Wool Growers How Their Industry Declined When Governs ment Was Placed in Hands of a Democratic President.

CANTON, Sept. 25 .- Members of the Mc-Kinley household had not breakfasted when the first delegation arrived this morning. It was from Marion, Ind., occupied a special train of eight coaches and represented. the glass workers of Grant county, Indiana. The introduction was made by Dr. W. R. Francis. Mr. McKinley replied as follows:

"My fellow citizens of the city of Marion and of Grant county, Indiana: I congratulate you upon being first today. (Laughter.) No other delegation has yet preceded you. (Renewed laughter.) I give you, each and every one of you, warm and cordial welcome to my home. I welcome the republicans and the citizens of the Hoosier state the state of that grand old war governor, Oliver P. Morton (applause) and that splendid president and patriot, Benjamin Harrison. (Great cheering.) You are here this The meeting in the old-fashioned Music hall tee up, night was sensational in the extreme and
two may lead to trouble tomorrow. to support that cause because you believe it will insure your own best welfare and the best well being of the country at large. (Applause and cries of "That's right,") You believe in that cause because you have tried it, and, having tried it, you know you have been more prosperous in your occupations under the policy which it represents than you have ever been under any other (Lour cries of 'That's right.') And if anything was needed to confirm you in your devotion to that policy it could be found in your experience of the last four years, Under no other policy, under no other principies have you enjoyed that degree of in-dividual or national prosperity which for ore than thirty years you enjoyed under lions (applause) and you are here this morning to testify anew your devotion to repub-lican principles and your deep and abiding interest that they may be successful throughout the country next November. (Cries of "That's right.")

TOOK GLASS MAKERS FROM CANTON. "You are interested in Indiana just as we are interested here in Ohio, both in agriculture and manufacture. You know some-thing in that great gas belt what manufacturing means to any community. You know that where there is successful manufacturing there is a prosperous city and there is al-ways prosperous agriculture. (Cries of "You are right.") The farms about a little manufacturing city advance in value and the mar-ket of the farmer is subspeed every time you put up a new factory in any community or in any city. You have in your city of Marion, as I recall an industry which manufactures glass that used to be in the city of Canton. Am I right about that? (Cries of "Yes.") It is a good industry. Well, now that fairly illustrates my idea. That used to be, as I said, a Canton industry. We would very much preferred to have had it remain here, but it was taken away. How-ever, it didn't go cut of our country. (Applause.) It went into a neighboring state and therefore benefits the American family-American workmen still do the work. Wo gone on the other side and out of the United States. In a word, we want to do our manufacturing at home, and if we cannot do it in Ohio we are willing to have you do it in Indiana. (Great cheering and cries of "Good" good," and "What's the matter with McKin-ley?") And if we cannot do it in Canton I do not know of any city in Indiana in which I would rather have it done than the city of Marion. (Applause.) I am glad to meet you here this morning. We want in this country good times, good wages, steady employment, a good home market and then we want to continue the good, sound, round, honest dollars with which to do our business and pay our labor. (Tremendous cheering.)
"My fellow citizens, I thank you for this morning call and bid you hearty welcome. It will now give me pleasure to meet and

greet each one of you personally." (Applause and cries of "Hurrah for McKinley.") WHERE HE WENT TO SCHOOL. Shortly before 11 o'clock a special train of twelve coaches on the Cleveland, Canton & Southern brought a delegation to visit Major McKinley and extend the greetings of Crawford county, Pennsylvania, It in-cluded a club of students from Allegheny college, which McKinley attended in 1860.

Rev. Flood of Meadville, prominent in Chau-tauqua circles, made the introductory ad-dress, and Mr. McKinley wild in reply; "Dr. Flood and my fellow citizens of Crawford county and of the city of Meadville, Pa.: It gives me genuine pleasure to greet and welcome you here at my home. I remember a year ago to have visited your city and county, and I shall never forget the warm welcome which I received from the faculty and students of Allegheny college and from the old suddiers of territories. lege and from the old soldiers of northwest-ers Pennsylvania. (Applause.) And I am delighted to have a portion of you return my call

my call. "I recall with sensations of pleasure and satisfaction the brief time I spent in old Allegheny college. It is among the degra-est memories of my life. That old justituton only a year ago conferred upon me a ton only a year ago conferred upon me a very distinguished honor. I trust I may never disappoint its confidence. (Applause and orles of "You never will.") I recall, too, that from the walls of old Allegheny went out the young men to do battle for their country, and none did better service for the union and the flag than the young men who went from that institution and from the other great institutions of the country. from the other great institutions of the country and from the schools of the land. (Appliance.) Your county is a republican county. (Cries of "You bet it is.") Dr. Flood has already stated that you have received a banner for having given the largest repub-lican majority. I trust that majority will

not be diminished in 1896. (Applause and cries of "Not any.") 'No matter what may be our occupation in life, we are all interested in good gov-ernment; we are all interested in good laws and we are all interested in having general prosperity. Unfortunately, we have not enjoyed general prosperity in the past four years. (Cries of "No. no.") Times have years. (Cres of No. 10. 10. been prostrated; been hard; business has been prostrated; laborers were idle; farmers were unable to receive just reward for their busbandry, and now the thought of the people and the and now the thought of the people and the desire of the people is to return to the good times of 1892 (applause), times from which they ran away and which they have been

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"Now, my fellow citizens, what we want this year is to cast our ballots for that party and for those principles which will secure to us the greatest prosperity. We want no idle mills in the United States, and to the end that we may have neither idle mills nor idle men we must do our work in the United States and not outside of the United States. (Great cheering and cries of "That's the stuff.") You may disagree with me, but I believe in a protective tariff. (Tremendous applause and cries of "So do we.") I have always so believed and I have never I have always so believed and I have never felt called upon to make any apology to anybody anywhere fortes of "Good, good, you don't have to.") for having been de-voted to the great principle which promotes district met here vesterday and after a you don't have to ') for having been de-wrangle split and named two nominees Northampton and Carbon counties favoring Laird H. Barber of Carbon, and Monroe and gives employment and good wages to Ameri-

Pike countles renominating Representative Joseph K. Hart. The district is democratic by a narrow margin and the republicans are hopeful of electing ex-Attorney General we want to continue the use of the good dol-Kirkpatrick, whom it is expected will be lars we have had since 1879. (Applause.)