DISCUSS FINANCE SYSTEMS

Short, Pithy Addresses at Second Day of Bankers' Convention.

St. Paul Man Discusses Safeguards Against Check Raising and W. 8. Witham Speaks of Country Bankers,

DENVER, Aug. 24.-The second day's session of the twenty-fourth annual convention of the American Bankers' association was called to order by President Hendricks at 10 o'clock, with practically a full attendance of delegates. Prayer was offered by Rev. H. Martin Hart, dean of St. John's cathedral. Today's session was devoted to a discussion of practical banking questions. There were four general subjects under discussion, thirty minutes being allotted for each and only five-minute speeches being allowed. The first subject was "Patriotic Spirit of Bankers." The discussion was opened by J. D. Powers, president of the

First National bank of Owensboro, Ky. A call of states came first on the day's program, brief statements being made by representative bankers on general business conditions. Without exception reports of unusual prosperity came from all parts of

Robert J. Lowry of the Lowry Banking company, Atlanta, Ga., followed Mr. Powers in a paper showing that bankers have ever been ready to sustain the government with their treasure and their blood. He said that if every other moneyed class paid as just a proportion of taxes as the bankers the rates of taxation would not be one-third what they are.

"The Country Banker."

William S. Witham of Atlanta, speaking of "The Country Banker," said:

When we began giving banking facilities to rural districts, our critics were legion and many friends predicted disaster. That has all been changed by the past ten years of I can elte you to a number of corporations in the United States which successfully run hundreds branches. Does not the telephone and the vestibuled trains of this electric age multione's capacity? The fact is banking as well as other lines of business must take on progressive methods. Castor oil is now given in a tea cup, it is capsuled. A sixty-day bank note was once the limit, but now a six-months' note sells as readily. It is not unprofessional now for the panker t advertise his wares and drum for trade. is not inconsistent with conservative banking to contract for the future delivery of money as the merchant does for goods. severity of the panic of '93 with its disasters can never be repeated in this country, because of the new methods of banking and because the clearing houses of money centers have a remedy for panics.

In a town of 1,000 population employ \$15. 000 capital and that in cash. For a population of say 2,500 use \$25,000. Keep out of larger towns if you want large profits and contenument. Direct all your energies to the protection of the stockholder, for he is third and last claimant to the assets of the bank. When he is safe, of course the depositor and all other creditors are se

Don't borrow mosey of your own bank, for in case you fail it looks better to owe the other fellow's bank.

Pay only amail dividends or, none until

Pay only small dividends or none until your surplus equals or exceeds your capital. We began by paying 40 per cent dividends, but we have learned better.

Do not dermit refewals and extensions of notes. "How can you prevent it?" asks one as you are the propeer tanker in the new town, do not persiste. Never ask a renewal or extension preyour own payables. You fixed the due date and signed it—meet it.

Send a Message to the President.

Cornelius A. Pugsley, president of the Westchester County National Bank of Peekskill, N. Y., moved that the following telegram be sent to President McKinley: "The American Bankers' association, in tis twenty-fourth annual convention assembled, at Denver, Colo., representing banks of every state and territory, begs most hearfily to congratulate the president of our beloved republic upon the successful conduct of the war and the brilliant achievements of our army and navy and the prospect of peace. The motion carried unanimously.

Arthur C. Anderson of St. Paul spoke about the "Practicable Safeguards Against Check Raising." He said the point of danger in the matter of raising drafts was that it is the common practice to use the same set of blanks for the largest and smalles drafts, the vignette being the same, the paper identical and the numbers consecutive nothing about the blanks to indicate whether it could be drawn for a dollar or for thousands. His experiments and investigations pointed very clearly to the fact that nothing could either be printed or written on paper that could not also be removed from it. The protections now in use were by no means worthless, but singly or in combination they might be said to have been "weighed in the balance and found wanting." If they were to get genuine protection-protection that protects-he believed they must look for it below the surface of the paper. As \$30 might be said to be the maximum amount for which draft were bought for the purpose of alteration

All Run Down

Hood's Sarsaparilla Built Her Up. "I have been in poor health for years. I was run down in summer and was without any appetite. I was advised to take Hood's Sarsaparilla and found that it built me up, and now whenever I am out of order I resort to Hood's Sarsaparilla." IDA HALLMAN, Ellinwood, Kansas.

Hood's Sarsa-Is the best-in fact the One True Blood Purifier.

Hood's Pills cure all Liver 111s. 25 cents.

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he suggested a watermark "limit \$500" with such further designs worked all through the paper as to render successful cutting and patching impossible. They would thus remove the danger that lurked in all small Receives Propositions for Surrender of drafts being raised to a number of hundreds or thousands.

Mr. Anderson's suggestions were referred to the executive council for such action as TOPICS BEFORE TRUST COMPANY SECTION it may decide upon. It was decided to con- HIS LAST CONFERENCE WITH SHAFTER tinue the educational committee, with an appropriation to conduct its work.

A humorous incident of the session was the singing of the popular melody, "Hot Time in the Old Town," by the members in chorus. It was suggested by a gentleman who had referred to the alleged origin of the song in Cripple Creek. As he finished a lady in one of the boxes sang in a clear voice the first verse and then to the discomfiture of the presiding officer the whole convention joined in the chorus. The afternoon was devoted to a trolley ride around the city. A smoker was given at night at the Denver

Wheel club. Trust Company Section Meets. The trust company section of the association was held at the Denver club. In the absence of Chairman Francis Bangs of New York the meeting was called to order by Breckinridge Jones of St. Louis, chairman of the executive committee.

After the report of the executive committee a technical paper on "The Duties and Liabilities of Trust Companies Acting as Transfer Agents and Registrars" was read by Felix Rackerman, counsel for the Old Colony Trust company of Boston. Many legal problems were carefully considered and elucidated. This was followed by five-minute talks of "Why Trust Companies Are Better Equipped Than Individuals to Act in Trust Capacities; the Nature and Extent of Their

Arthur Heurtley, secretary of the Northern Trust company, Chicago, spoke on "Trust Companies as Trustees Under Private Agreement." The points of superiority of trust companies over individual trustees given were stability, security, experience and capability. F. B. Gibson, in treating the matter of "Trust Companies as Executors and Administrators," said: "We need not look far for the reason why trust companies are the best administrators. They have large capital and a constantly increasing surplus and their investments are conservative and secure; no sort of speculation enters into their business affairs; fidelity and conservatism are cardinal principles governing all their acts and their officers are trained and experienced in the discharge of their duties.

Anton G. Hodenpyl spoke of trust com panies "as guardians of minors and incompetent persons." Individual guardians, he said, caused trouble by mingling their own funds with those of their wards, neglected their duties on account of personal business, made poor investments, became irresponsible or died, or were blased in judgment by their feelings. These faults could never charged to trust companies. John H. Holliday, president of the Union Trust company of Indianapolis, spoke of "trust companies

as assignees and receivers." He said: "To sum up, the trust company is superior to the individual in the capacity of assigned and receiver, because it is permanent and responsible; it represents organized ability and experience; it has financial strength, it works more economically and quickly, it has

standing and commands respect." W. E. Fish made much the same arguments in favor of the "trust company as trustee under will."

Frederick Vierling, trust officer of the Mississippi Valley Trust company, St. Louis, read an exhaustive paper on "The Investment of Trust Funds by Trust Companies." Election of Officers.

The election of officers was then taken up, the following being chosen: Chairman, Breckinridge Jones, Mississippl Valley Trust company, St. Louis; vice chairman, Otto Banard, Continental Trust company, New York; chairman executive committee, Anton G. Hodenpyl, Michigan Trust company, Grand Rapids; secretary, Arthur Heurtley, Northern Trust company, Chicago;

executive committee for three years, Otto Bannard, Continental Trust company, New York, F. B. Gibson, International Trust company ,Denver; Arthur Heurtley, Northern Trust company, Chicago; executive committee for one year, in place of Breckinridge Jones, resigned, John H. Holliday, Union Trust company, Indianapolis. Among the number present at this meeting were J. H. Ingmersey of the People's Trust and Savings bank of Clinton, Ia., and Emmons Johnson, Leavitt & Johnson Trust company

LOOKS AT FORTIFICATIONS British Naval Inspector Examine Esquimait Dock Yards-England May Sieze Coaling Station.

of Waterloo, Ia.

VICTORIA, B. C., Aug. 24.-Captain Edward Collister, inspector of British naval stations in the Pacific, paid a hurried visit yesterday to the Esquimalt dock yards. He refused to be interviewed and stayed but a couple of hours, but it has leaked out that the object of his visit was in regard to a projected increase of the fortifications at Esquimalt, which will more than double the present capacity. Collister has also said that an island in the Pacific near Honolulu is to be seized by Great Britain for a coaling station.

Parkburst's Proposed Crusade. Copyright, 1898, by Press Publishing Co. LONDON, Aug. 24 .- (New York World Cablegram-Special Telegram.)-In reply to a request for a statement about an antivice crusade in Brooklyn, Parkhurst wires from Freiburg:

"As usual, I do not feel at liberty to divulge in any way the plans and purcoses of the Society for the Prevention of Crime. I can only state that according to reports which reach me the municipal administration which owes its origin to the adroitness of Mr. Croker, supplemented by the treachery of Mr. Platt, makes tropical soil for the propagation of vice and crime and shows broad fields that are already white to the harvest."

Leyland is Elected. Copyright, 1898, by Press Publishing Co.) LONDON, Aug. 24.-(New York World ablegram — Special Telegram.) — Naylor Leyland's return from Southport would be victory mainly won by his American wife rather than himself, and such a victory is the result declared tonight. Curzon's conservative plurality to 1885 of 764 has been replaced by Naylor Leyland's liberal

Ten Years for Attempted Murder. GIBRALTAR, Aug. 24.-Owen Collan, the solicitor who shot and bludgeoned Mr. Hubert Birkin at the Bristol hotel, Tangier, Morocco, a couple of months ago, after Birkin had insured his life for £50,000 and had made a will leaving Collan £25,000, has been found guilty of intent to murder and sentenced to ten years penal servitude.

Colombia May Reduce Its Army. Copyright, 1898, by Press Publishing Co.) COLON, Aug. 24 .- (New York World Caolegram-Special Telegram.)-Congress is considering the advisability of reducing the army one-half, restricting the president's enormous power and the abrogation of foreign treaties.

Canadian Pacific Enruings. MONTREAL, Aug. 24.—Canadian Pacific earnings for the week ending August 21 were \$491,000; for the same period last year, \$505,000; dcrease, \$14,000.

Miners Drowned. LONDON, Aug. 25.-A dispatch from Vicana to the Daily News says that 300 miners were drowned by the flooding of the Kasimir coal mines at Nience, near Schnewiz, Silesia, three days ago.

MOVEMENTS OF GEN. GARCIA nounced that the admiral might now be said to be convalencent. The physician, more-

Manzanillo but Refuses.

Volunteers and Guerrillas Daily Joining His Forces and Spanish at Holguin Will Soon Be Dissolved.

NEW YORK, Aug. 24.-The following report from General Garcia was received at the Cuban junta today. The report was addressed to President T. Estrada Palma:

GIBARA, Aug. 3 -On the 16th of July 1 held the last conference with the American general. Shafter. He informed me that the Amercan troops had captured Santiago de Cuba. Aware that my troops were no longer needed in that vicinity, while they were needed very much in other places still occupied by the enemy, I so informed General Shafter. He asked me to delay my departure two or three days, which I did, starting on the 20th toward Holguin by way of Jiguani. I am at present with my general headquarters in the town of Gibara, where

I arrived on the 30th of July. On the 29th, while encamped in San Pedro Cacocum, I learned that General Luque had vacuated this town and that General Luis de Feria with the troops under him had occupied it. The Spanish list in the hospitals is over 600 sick and wounded, whom I have provided with beef.

There is perfect order in the town; new municipal authorities have been elected and everything is working regularly. The United States steamship Nashville was in the harbor when I entered. I requested its commander to ask his government to open this port to foreign commerce, or with the United States at least, for there is great scarcity of provisions. The Spaniards took everything they could get. General Luque is in Holguin with 12,000 men and twenty-four cannon and I am trying to force him out, although I can only count on 4,000 men and four cannon with which to fight him. Volunteers and guerrillas are daily joining us. About 1,500 have already joined us and if it continues the Spanish army will soon be

Mayari, Fray Benita, Jururio and Jandiaga are garrisoned by our army. The rest of hese towns were evacuated on the 22nd of July, leaving 100 sick and wounded that we are caring for in the hospitals. When the Spaniards left Mayari we defeated them. apturing their convoy, consisting of 300 fles, 150,000 Remington and Mauser cartridges, two cannon with ammunition for hem and provisions and clothing. They suffered severe losses, not many arriving at

I have received propositions for the surrender of Manzanillo under conditions which I have refused to accept. Very soon all my department will be free from the dominion CALIXTO GARCIA. of Spain.

PROVISIONS FOR HAVANA Several Trade Steamers Reach the Harbor-Blanco Treats Wounded

Americans Well. HAVANA, Aug. 24.-Tomorrow Colonel Gilinski and Lieutenant Poinkaneff, Russian officers accredited to the headquarters of General Blanco for the purpose of witnessing the military operations, will leave for Manzanillo and Santiago. Today they visited and bade farewell to General Blanco

and the chiefs of staff. This morning the American schooner B Frank Nealy arrived from Key West with wenty passengers and a cargo of provisions. There also arrived the steamer Matanzas from New York with provisions, the French steamer Roger from Barcelona and the Mexican and Vera Cruz, all with provisions. Tomorrow the coasting steamer line, from delphia. In this duty he succeeds Com-Batabano on the coast to Santiago, will be modore Watson, now in command of one of re-established. The vessels will carry mail, the divisions of the North Atlantic squadron. Gage. The nomination was then made for

cargo and passengers to Santiago. The steamer Baracoa has arrived at Sagus with a cargo of provisions. It has not, howver, begun to discharge, as it is awaiting a decision as to whether it will have to pay duties on the cargo, having paid at Santiago \$15,700 for what she has on board.

The commanding general in the Sancti Spiritus district reports that two American soldiers in the column operating with Maximo Gomez have presented themselves to him, being ill. They were immediately sent to the hospital. News has been received that Lieutenant Johnstone has arrived at Sancti Spiritus. General Blanco has ordered that all Americans who present themselves ne well received, that assistance be given them and that they se treated with al consideration. The sick at the hospitals General Blanco's order says, must be treated

with solicitude and kindness. The colonial government has decided with reference to custom house duties that merchandise from Santiago and other ports occupied by the American forces shall be con-

idered as foreign merchandise. The secretary of the committee which is collecting funds for the increase in the Spanish navy has published a letter protesting against the use of the money already collected for the Spanish casino and insist ing that the funds be transmitted to Spain for use according to the original plan and that the collection of money be continued for the original purpose.

ALGER GOES TO CAMP WIKOFF Making a Personal Observation

the Condition of the Soldiers There.

NEW YORK, Aug. 24.-Secretary of War Alger, who arrived in town last night from Washington, left at 7:40 this morning on his way to Camp Wikoff. He was driver to the Thirty-fourth street ferry in company with Colonel Hecker, who is connected with the quartermaster's department and is looking after the transportation of troops. Major Hopkins, assistant adjutant general, is also of the secretary's party.

Want Mines at Havann Removed. WASHINGTON, Aug. 24.—Negotiations have been opened through diplomatic channels by which it is expected that the Span ish government will co-operate with the authorities here in the removal of the mines and torpedoes in Havana barbor before the military commission assembles there. The naval authorities believing this to be a proper precaution before any of our naval ships enter the harbor with the commissioners. The suggestion was made through the State department, and has been forwarded to the Spanish government through the French embassy. There is little doubt the matter will be arranged.

Does Not Desire Annexation. (Copyright, 1898, by Press Publishing Co.) LONDON, Aug. 24 .- (New York World Cablegram-Special Telegram.)-A Daily Mail Kingston dispatch denies that a plebiscite is to be taken in Jamaica on the question of annexation to the United States. There was never any suggestion of such a thing, but it was mooted that certain planters are promoting a petition to the queen asking for the cession of the island to the United States. These planters are dissatisfied with Chamberlain's hesitation to adopt countervailing duties against bounty-fed sugar.

Schley Greatly Improved.

WESTPORT, Conn., Aug. 24.-This morning found Rear Admiral Schley greatly improved and everything now points to a speedy and complete recovery. The admiral passed a comfortable night and was up with the members of the Wortley household. The admiral announced today that he intends going to Washington tomorrow unless his physician absolutely forbids it. After his forencon visit Dr. Gregory an-

nounced that the admiral might now be said over, found his patient so greatly improved that he deemed it safe to grant him permission to leave Sagatuck tomorrow, provided the improvement continues. Accordingly, it

is stated Admiral Schley is making plans to go to New York tomorrow, where he will ship aboard his flagship, the Brooklyn, and later in the day proceed to Washington. It is added, however, that these plans are sub-

MONEY SPENT FOR RELIEF In Addition to Congress' Appropria-

tion of \$50,000 There is \$321,019

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cellaneous supplies.

Given by Cuban Committee. WASHINGTON, Aug. 24 .- In addition to the \$50,000 appropriated by congress and distributed by ex-Consul General Lee for the relief of the people of Cuba, the central Cuban relief committee appointed by the president distributed foods, medicines and general supplies to the poor and suffering Cubans to the cash value of \$821,619. Of this amount \$175,032 was in cash contributions and \$146.587 in supplies. The total shipments of supplies was 2,942,102 kilos or 3,236 tons, of which quantity 2,856,833 kilos were food, 66,753 kilos were clothing, 13,652 kilos medicines and 4,864 kilos were mis-

REPORT FIGHTING IN CUBA tory from Madrid to Effect Hundred Insurgents Have Been Killed and Wounded.

LONDON, Aug. 24 .- According to a diseatch from Madrid to a local news agency, here has been serious fighting between the Spaniards and insurgents in Cuba, in which the insurgents lost 500 killed and wounded. The report cannot be confirmed from other

PAYMENT OF LOCAL OFFICIALS. salary Bills Presented to Collector of

Customs at Santingo. NEW YORK, Aug. 24.-A dispatch to the ferald from Santiago de Cuba says: Customs Collector Donaldson is finding the duties of his office more extensive than he probably had any idea of at first. He has had the difficult task of dealing with the entire ecclesiastical establishment of the province of Santiago. The entire clergy, from Archbishop Crespo down, sent in their monthly "impress" for payment of salaries. The archbishop's salary originally was \$18,. 000, but had been reduced to \$12,000, owing. as stated in the "impress," to the bad con dition of the treasury. To Mr. Donaldson was also presented claims from the professors of the institute schools, police and other bodies, all of whom were paid under the Spanish law by the head of the custom department. The claims were tabulated and submitted to General Shafter, who will ask for instructions from Washington.

Of two companies of the Second immunes eturning from Guantanamo many are sick from fever. Major Boetner, commanding, is very ill. Brigadier General Ewers has also returned.

Fast Cruisers on Reserve List. WASHINGTON, Aug. 24.-Orders have een given for the two triple-screw cruisers Columbia and Minneapolis, which rendered good service in the operations in the West indies, to go into "reserve" at the League Island navy yard. Although their force is reduced, the vessels will not go out of commission. While in reserve both vessels will be in command of Captain T. F. Newell, now of the Minneapolis. Captain J. H. Sands, who has been in command of the Columbia throughout the Spanish war, was today detached from that duty and ordered to duty as governor of the naval home at Phila-

Review of Camp Alger Troops. WASHINGTON, Aug. 24.-The review of the troops of Camp Alger was completed this afternoon when the Third Virginia, First Connecticut and Eleventh signal corps

passed before General Corbin. An order has been issued to appoint mustering out officers, but as yet no action has been taken. Major W. K. Wright, chief commissary, probably will be the chief mustering out officer, with Major M. C. Butler and Captain J. C. W. Brooks as assistants. All are regular army officers. No steps will be taken toward musterout until the War department designates the regiments to be disbanded. These probably will be the Seventh Ohio, Thirteenth Pennsylvania, Tweny-second Kansas and First Rhode Island.

Compliments of War Board. WASHINGTON, Aug. 24.-The Navy department to-day gave out a complimentary etter addressed by Secretary Long to the president of the War board, in recognition of its services. The secretary refers to the faithfulness and diligence of the members of the board in the discharge of their duties. The letter is addressed to Rear Admiral Sicard and his associates on the board, Commodore Crowninshield and Captain Mahan (retired).

Kansas Immunes Start for Cuba. NEW YORK, Aug. 24.—The Vigilancia left at 9:30 o'clock tonight enroute to Cuba with the Twenty-third regiment Kansas volunteers, consisting of 875 immunes, under the command of Colonel James Beck. The men arrived at Jersey City this afternoon, after being on the road from Kansas City three days. They were quickly transfered to Brooklyn and after being allowed time for refreshments were hurried on board the Vigilancia.

Promotions for Manila Heroes. WASHINGTON, Aug. 24.-The president oas called upon General Merritt, commanding the military forces at Manila, for his recommendations regarding the operations that resulted in the surrender of the capital of the Philippines. It is the president's purpose to promote the officers who rendered conspicuously meritorious services in the land fighting at Manila just as was done in the case of the gallant officers at Santiago.

Sickness at Fort Myer. WASHINGTON, Aug. 24.-There are about 400 cases of sickness-typhoid fever, malarial, etc.-under treatment at the military post at Fort Meyer, opposite this city, in Virginia. The patients came mostly from the camp at Falls Church and have taxed the accommodations of the post to the ut-

No Orders for Blanco. MADRID, Aug. 24.-The government defiitely denies that it has sent an order to General Blanco instructing him to resume hostilities against the insurgents. General Blanco has full liberty to act as occasion may require.

Spanish Securities. MADRID, Aug. 24.-Spanish 4s closed today at 67.70. Gold was quoted at 65.

Movements of Ocean Vessels, Aug. 24 At Liverpool-Sailed-Nomadic, for New York. Arrived-Wassland, from Philadel-At New York-Sailed-Germanic, for Liverpool; Noordland, for Antwerp. Arrived-

Saale, from Bremen; Teutonic, from Liver-pool; Werra, from Naples. At Queenstown—Sailed—Aurania, for New York; Catalonia, for Boston. At Southampton-Sailed-Lahn, for New Copenhagen-Arrived-Island, from

At Hamburg-Arrived-Palatia, from New Naples-Arrived-Karaminia, from At Napl New York. At Bremen-At from New York. Bremen-Arrived-Kaiser der Grosse,

Filippines Are Willing to Accept Most Anything but That.

DEMAND A GUARANTEE IF THEY DISARM

Ready to Accept an American o English Protectorate or Annexation to the United

States.

MANILA, Philippine Islands, Aug. 24.-At conference today between the insurgents and the Americans the former declared em-I stically that they were willing to cooferate with the Americans and to surrender their arms promp'ly if asured that the islands would remain either an American or a British colony, or under the protectorate of the United States or Great Britain. Otherwise the insurgent leader asserted they would not dare disarm, but must positively refuse to do so. They threaten a fresh rebellion within a month if the Americans withdraw.

The natives assert that the religious orders are instigating opposition to American supremacy. Many Spaniards assert that they are eager to invest their fortunes in new enterprises, but that they fear ruin if the Americans withdraw. A few monopolists, fearing competition, are secretly intriguing against the new regime. Newspapers published in both the English and Spanish languages have already appeared. The United States transports Rio Janeiro

and Pennsylvania arrived today, the former bearing two battalions of South Dakota volunteers and recruits for the Utah light artillery and a detachment of the signal corps, and the latter the First Montana volunteers and 300 recruits for the First California vol-

Fighting in the Philippines.

MADRID, Aug. 24.-The government has received a dispatch from General Rios, govrnor of the Vizcayas islands, and the successor of General Jaudemos in the governor generalship of the Philippines, saying that there has been bloody fighting between the Spaniards and the insurgents, with an estimated loss to the latter of 500 men. The Spanish losses were "unimportant." The dispatch says that a number of insurgent chiefs were captured and shot. A sergeant of gendarmes attempted to repeat the uprising and barely escaped lynching at the hands of the populace. He was turned over to the courts and shot. General Rios adds that he has organized

six battalions of natives and Spaniards for the purpose of resisting a threatened invasion of insurgents from the island of Luzon, and also a small squadron to watch the coasts and rivers of Mindiano island and the Vizcayas. The government is highly satisfied with the service of General Rios.

NORRIS BROWN IN THE SIXTH

(Continued from First Page.) interests of the party. Governor Barnes was finally endorsed.

The platform adopted demands "the acquisition of all the territory we can consistently get under the peace protocol."

GAGE FOR CALIFORNIA'S GOVERNOR. Coast Republicans Pledge Representatives to Favor Adequate Navy. SACRAMENTO, Cal., Aug. 24.-The state epublican convention to-day nominated Henry Gage, a Los Angeles attorney, for governor. Gage had only one opponent-George C. Pardee, of Oakland-who, before a ballot was taken, withdrew in favor of

Gage by acclamation. The platform, which was adopted unanimously, reaffirms adherence to the national platform adopted in St. Louis in 1896, and extends the thanks of the republican party to the sailors and soldiers of the army and navy. Sampson, Schley, Hobson, Wheeler and Lawton are complimented, and express tribute is paid to the navy. California senators and representatives of congress are pledged to vote and work for the building of an adequate navy, and insist that a part thereof be constructed on the Pacific coast. A glowing tribute is paid to President Mc-Kinley, and the people of the United States are congratulated that the broad American policy of the president has dissipated all sectional issues. Belief in the financial plank of the republican platform of 1896 is resecure an international monetary agreement whenever an opportunity to flo, so shall be presented. President McKinley is commended for his refusal to consider any the Spanish-Cuban debt. The declared pol-

ffirmed, and the administration is urged to proposition to look into the assumption of icy of the president to accord to the people of Cuba an opportunity to form a stable government, thus redeeming the promise made to the world, is indorsed, but the platform demands the annexation of the island of Porto Rico and other West India slands and of the Philippines. The acquisition of Hawaii is rejoiced in. The records of the republican representatives in congress are indorsed, and the building of the Nicaragua canal is demanded. The platform favors the foreclosure of the mortgages of the Pacific railroads by the government, unless the indebtedness is paid. The platform demands that congress pass an exclusion act prohibiting further Japanese and coolie immigration, and that such exclusion act shall prohibit both the Japanese and Chinese not located at the Hawaitan islands from entering the United States. The platform touches upon a number of local state issues, and closes with an ndorsement of the work of the state league

of republican clubs. The Second congressional district convention to-day nominated Frank Ryan for congress.

Norris' Antecedents. NORFOLK, Neb., Aug. 24. — (Special Telegram.) — W. F. Norris, the nominee of the republicans in the Third was born in Thomaston district. He moved with his parents to Minnesota in 1861. Entered the military academy at West Point in 1868 and graduated in 1872. He served eight years in the regular army, resigning in 1881, and began the practice of law in Nebraska. Was elected to the state senate in 1883, serving one Served as district judge in the term. Seventh and Eighth judicial districts for eight years, beginning in 1888. present residing and practicing law

Fusionists to Divide the Offices. DEADWOOD, S. D., Aug. 24.-(Special.)-The populists, democrats and free silver republicans have at last perfected a fusion and the three will be a unit in the approaching lection to be held at Whitewood Septem per 17. The offices of the election are divided in this way: The people's party will have the naming of the entire legislative icket; the democrats will nominate state's attorney, auditor, register of deeds, treasurer and coroner. The people's party will cominate clerk of courts, sheriff, county su-

Wakefulness Horsford's Acid Phosphate taken before retiring quiete the nervee and causes refrostling sleep. Piessant to the taste. - Shun Substitutes.

ENOUGH OF SPANISH RULE perintendent and county surveyor. The free the Connecticut Peace society. The sessions all of which will be held in the new temple will continue for four days. Arrangements were made today to make the meeting take ing of county judge, the form of a peace Justice in celebration of the signing of the peace protocol. The

Ohio Democrats. DAYTON, O., Aug. 24.-The democratic state convention today nominated the following ticket;

Secretary of state, Upton K. Guthery of Marion Judge of supreme court, Hugh G. Nichols of Clermont.

Clerk of supreme court, David S. Fisher of Delaware county. Food and dairy commissioner, John Baker of Hancock. Member of the Board of Public Works

T. Dwight Paul of Summitt county. The convention adjourned at 5 p. after being in continuous session all day. There were no incidents of special interest after the contest between Joseph P. Dowling and Allen O. Myers had been declared

draw in the interest of harmony.

The effort to get a new plan of party organization in Ohio failed of final adoption but it was given another chance by such reference as will bring it up next year. The new organization seems to satisfy those working for the nomination of Paul J. Sorg for governor next year and not displeasing to the McLean, Brice or other elements, and the campaign this year will be made on the Hanna issue and next year on Senator Foraker for not taking steps against Hanna While the resolutions do not favor unlimited colonial expansion, General Findlay chairman of the convention, said the platform meant to expand by the consent of those to be governed. The most decisive feature of the convention was its preference for Bryan in 1900 on the same platform as in

Minnesota Democrats Turn Out. ST. PAUL, Minn., Aug. 24.-Senator Jame K. Jones of Arkansas, chairman of the dem scratic national committee, was tonight tendered a complimentary banquet by the Min nesota democracy. Senator Jones has been recruiting at Lake Minnetonka. Preceding he banquet there was a public reception at the parlors of the Ryan hotel, where those who desired were afforded an opportunity of paying their compliments to Senator

Long Deadlock Probable. NEW HAMPTON, Ia., Aug. 24 .- (Special relegram.)-The Fourth congressional disrict republican convention had taken 100 pallots up to this evening without a choice. long deadlock seems probable.

Congressional Nominations. JACKSON, Miss., Aug. 24 .- The Eleventh district congressional convention this afternoon nominated for congress O. R. Pierce MANISTEE, Mich., Aug. 24.-C. J. Chaddock of Muskegon was today nominated for

congress by the Ninth district democratic convention. Pennsylvania Coal Miners' Troubles HAZLETON, Pa., Aug. 24.—Seven hundred men employed at the Audenried and loney Brook strippings of the Lehigh and

Wilkesbarre Coal company went out on strike today and those who did not strike were told to go home by the company offiials until the grievances which caused the ifficulty are adjusted. The inauguration of the strike is said to be due to the discharge of two Hungarian night shift laborers Universal Peace Union. MYSTIC, Conn., Aug. 24.—The thirty-sec-ond annual convention of the Universal

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