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l as been specially devoted to this sub-

ject since, as well as to the actors in

before one as the description given of

it by the daughter of that literary veteran, Wm. Howitt. The passion play of

Ober Ammergau is an attempt to de-

most striking scenes in the life of the

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tablaux occupies several days and it is

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ed throughout by perfect reverence. It

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The New York Herald regards the village to witness the representation of LAWNS, result of Tuesday's proceedings at Syra-cuse as a substantial victory for Mr. the passion play. Up to within the past ten or fifteen years it was tedious tray--WHITE AND FANCY-"Mr. Tilden has shown even more get to Ober Ammergau. Since then India Mulls, Masalias and than his usual ability as a dexterous po- railroads have made access to the villitical strategist. Shrewdly attempting lage quite easy, and these facilities will no more than he was able to accomplish tend to draw crowds to the play this Nainsooks. he has won a decided victory in such a summer who would otherwise have way as to give no handle to his adver- been deterred from making the journey. Some Very Handsome Grenadines and Lace Bunt- saries. He has skilfully prevented a The grander scale on which the passion row in his own convention, and is as much a master of the New York delegation as if it had been instructed to tude of spectators, but the effect, it is ings vote for his nomination. Although the to be feared, will be to take from it its In all desirable shades for the season. delegates are not pledged to Tilden, a chief charm, that of reverent simplici-Very respectfully, large majority of them are his friends, and the unit rule will enable them to control the delegation in his interest.

ty. As this play becomes spectacular it will lose its devotional spirit, and its quaint tableaux, which seemed to be a T. L. SEIGLE & CO. By the time the Cincinnati convention | transplantation to times of the ancient Miscellaneous. meets he may have made up his mind miracle plays, treated in a devotional that he will not be a candidate; but, de- spirit and improved by a larger knowlcide as he may, the solid New York edge of the Bible story and greater arphalanx, acting by his inspiration, will | tistic skill, will be shorn of much if not | be a potential factor in awarding the all that has heretofore connected them nomination," The New York World pronounces the proceedings a farce, and adds: "All such a curious interest. good Democrats hoped, and probably a good many of them expected, that Mr. Tilden and the State committee which, under his influence, precipitated the defeat of 1879 upon the New York Democracy, might rise to some dim sense of



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what the situation required of them, and might show a decently prudent disposition to let the Democrats of the ple, but at the wish of the families, who State constitute a Democratic State convention. All these hopes and ex-pectations have been dissipated. The so-called State committee has shown itself to be incapable even of this very moderate measure of political sense and party loyalty. Its members have forgotten, if they ever learned, that "the gotten, if they ever learned, that "the presses heavily upon the little flances, servant is not greater than his lord; They are forbidden to look at each 'nor he that is sent greater than he that other, and it is enjoined upon the

The New York Tribune: "It is not to be expected that the Cincinnati con- When they meet each other on the vention will admit the Tammany dele- road-an accident which cannot fail to gates, representing as they do an open occur occasionally-the girl, who rarely revolt against the regular party organi- goes out alone, being warned by her zation, but the Tammany electoral ticket may serve as a scarecrow to frighten | hidden behind a tree or bushes from the convention from nominating Mr. the time that her future lord and mas-Tilden. If it does not answer this pur-ter comes in sight till he has passed by. pose—if in spite of its menacing appearance the convention nominates Mr. It happens often that the two are of the same company—for instance, when rilden—then Mr. Kelly can lay it quietly by in response to conciliatory advances, or use it as a weapon to defeat Mr. Tilden in New York. In any case, therefore, an electoral ticket will be a good thing for Mr. Kelly to have in his pocket. Thus equipped he is in excellent condition to negotiate or to fight."

Mether's Way.

BY FATHER RYAN.

Oft within our little cottage
As the shadows gently fall,
While the sunlight touches softly
One sweet face upon the wall—
Do we gather close together,
And in hushed and tender tone
Ask ench other's full forgiveness
For the wrong that each has done.
Should you wonder why this custom
At the ending of the day,
Eye and voice would quickly answer,
"It was once our mother's way."

If our home be bright and cheery,
If it holds a welcome true,
Opening wide its door of greeting
To the many—not the few;
If we share our father's bounty

With the needy day by day, 'Tis because our hearts remember

Sometimes when our hands grow wears.

This was ever mother's way.

Or our tasks seem very long; When our burdens look too heavy

And we deem the right all wrong Then we gain anew fresh courage.

This was our dear mother's way."

THE SYRACUSE CONVENTION.

What the Big Dailies Have to Say.

Thus we keep her memory precious

While we never cease to pray That at last, when lengthening shadows Mark the evening of our day.

They may find us waiting caimly To go home our mother's way.

And we rise to proudly say:

"Let us do our duty bravely-

lent condition to negotiate or to fight."

The New York Times says: "The net result of the two conventions leaves the Democratic party of New York a the Democratic party of New York a the first harmony than it was the first harmony that harmony t little further from harmony than it was | they must guard themselves as from before. Tilden's supporters demonstrate their power to do as they please, and very adroitly accomplished all that was necessary for the support of their table, where he remained motionless. candidate at Cincinnati without pre-voking a contest over instructions. New ened teacher was rushing to the child, York is indespensable to Democratic when his comrades called him back, success, and if New York cannot be "It is nothing," they said, "only his carried with Tilden it certainly cannot brother's future mother-in-law is going

be carried without him,"
The New York Express says: "The Tilden convention did not want harmony. Between Tildenism and Democracy there is open antagonism. Tilden goes to Cincinnati as a personal candidate, backed by a clique of personal followers, but opposed by the genuine Democratic sentiment of the State. He goes there a defeated candidate from the start—as a presidential possitive dead beyond resuscitation."

Raleigh Observer.

The board determined to go forward to some extent in the work on the building, and hope to have the "domestic" building completed during the summer. The board think that the conflict complete completion of this building will

bility dead beyond resuscitation."

The Yew York Sun says: "The Democracy of New York adhere to Mr. department of the institution. The oility dead beyond resuscitation.' Filden solely and exclusively, because building is fitted up with the modern he was elected President of the United appliances and conveniences, and the States in 1876, and because he and they work on it is already far advanced. were cheated out of the election, and In compliance with an act passed at hey are for his nomination now not the late special session of the General because they love him personally, but Assembly, the board ordered twenty-because they believe in the right of five convicts to be put at work conself-government, and wish to vindicate structing a road through and draining that right in 1880 in the most emphatic certain lands in Jones and Onslow

manner possible." counties. It is hoped that this will develope valuable lands in those counties, Tilden never showed to better advantage than in his management of this crisis, and the work of Tuesday will strength-shows that there are now between 1,100 en his claim to the respect of the party at large, although it may not better his prospects of obtaining the nomination. He is not likely to be the nominee, but he is more than ever in a position to looms are operated by a number of fe-say upon whose shoulders his mantle male convicts. The shoemaking de-

shall fall." The Philadelphia Press says: "Tilden to time during the past six months by ad his men well in hand, and conducted the addition of hands and machinery, and his convention with all the cleverness its capacity largely increased. It is now and cunning which have made him the turning out between 4,000 and 5,000 power he is in his party. He declined pairs of shoes per month. The work to treat with Tammany, and the whole done in this department has already course of his convention was to frame gained considerable reputation. It is a belittling estimate of Kelly's strength for its effect upon Pennsylvania and the other States whose conventions foltrade.

low in a few days,"

The Washington Star says: "The action of the convention commits the delegation to Tilden as surely as though instructions had been voted, but it must be admitted that in pursuing the silent, half way policy he did, he confessed, in effect, the loss of gation to Cincinnati, the effect would have been to revive the fast wavering propects of the 'Sage of Gramercy Park.' As it is, the proceedings really bear witness to his departing power."

The Passion Play of Ober Ammergan.

never yet been equaled. It is the last | scious of his extinction. remaining relic of the miracle plays of the middle ages, has been repeated at Ober Ammergau every tenth year for burnt, and his clothes nearly torn off of more than two centures, and perhaps him.

Instant Death by Lightning. Salisbury Watchman

Rufus, a son of Jacob A. Kluttz, living a few miles southeast of this place, was struck by lightning, about 2 o'clock, his power and popularity, which is visible to everybody else. Had the convention, amid shouts of applause and cheers, sent an instructed Tilden delevers. plow horse was unhitched and the lad. the subject of this notice, about 14 years of age, placed his back against a dead gum tree standing near, to shelter from the rain. Lightning struck the tree and the boy fell forward on his face. His father, who was near, holding the horse, watched for a moment to The famous passion play of Ober Ammergau, a village in the Bavarian Alps, is to be repeated this summer him dead. Without a gasp, a groan or with accessories and in a style that has struggle, he had passed away, uncon-