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An Extra-ordinary offer of **SILK WAISTS.**

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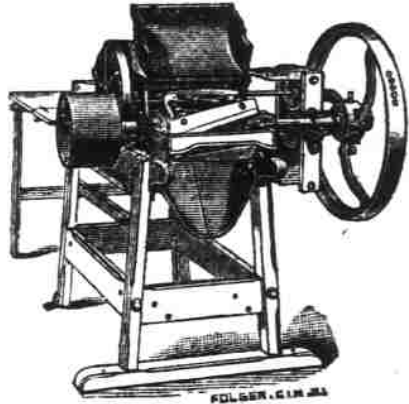
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STORM GROWS IN VIOLENCE

Much Damage Done About New Orleans by the West Indian Hurricane.

Nearly all Wires Down and Trains Delayed.

Communication With Galveston Cut Off Last Night.

Tide and Wind on Coast the Highest Since Memorable Storm of '93.

THREE PERSONS KILLED, ONE VESSEL WRECKED AND MANY DAMAGED—RICE CROP COMPLETELY DESTROYED—NO WORD FROM GRAND ISLE.

New Orleans, Sept. 3.—The West Indian hurricane increased in violence today, blowing over fifty miles an hour tonight. Three people were killed or drowned. One vessel was wrecked and half a dozen beached or damaged. The United States quarantine station was destroyed. Considerable damage was done to railroads and crops. Nearly all the wires are down, trains are delayed and there has been no mail from Grand Isle since Thursday. Several ferries stopped running today on account of the roughness of the river. The suburb of Milneburg was two feet under water. The Louisville and Nashville suffered considerably from washouts. The tide and wind on the Mississippi coast reached the highest point since 1893, when so many lives were lost. At Grand Prairie and Coulet's canal the water was four feet deep and will completely destroy the rice crop.

TEXAS CITIES CUT OFF.
Dallas, Tex., Sept. 3.—All wire communication with Dallas and Galveston is cut off by the storm. The last reports from Galveston state the storm was raging with increased fury and the water was threatening the business portion of the city.

EARLIER DESPATCHES.
New Orleans, Sept. 3.—The storm which struck New Orleans early yesterday evening continued its fury with heavy downpours of rain until daylight, doing no serious damage in the city, but prostrating telegraph and telephone wires in all directions. A large section of Louisiana felt the effects of the blow and there are reports of considerable carnage being blown down. Numerous rumors were spread of loss to shipping on Lake Ponchartraine, but at West End and Milneburg nothing confirmatory of these rumors has been received. The big excursion steamer, New Camella, came through the storm in fine shape and reached the city on time today. Lake Ponchartraine was a miniature sea all night and pounded the revetments all along the West End and Milneburg, but no structures were lost. Through the new canal, however, the sea water was backed and traffic over the road suspended. The L. & N. road is the only trunk line that reports trouble. Its trains were tied up this morning, the eastern and coast inbound trains being far behind and the outgoing train being held to await the arrival of the others.

Damage is reported to the bridge at St. Catherine, and the sea water was backed up against the track at many places along the Mississippi sound. Several hundred feet of the track were undermined and train crews were sent out to anchor it.

STORM ON GULF COAST.
Three storm-bound trains on the L. & N. reached here at 10:30, bearing Superintendent Marshall and other officials of the road. They said that there was an eight-foot washout at Lookout, seventeen miles from New Orleans. The break has been repaired and trains are expected to run as usual. The schooner J. J. Clarke ran against the Rigolets bridge at 10:30 last night and turned turtle and went under the bridge. She was loaded with merchandise and is now floating bottom up. The crew managed to clamber on the bridge and were saved.

Valuable Mineral Property.

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CHINESE GENERALS KILL THEMSELVES

News of the Situation in China Received by Japanese Legation at Washington.

Washington, Sept. 3.—The Japanese legation's advices from Peking, received by cable today, state that after the defeat of the Chinese at Peitsang General Y. U. Lu and all his family committed suicide. Colonel Li Hing Ping Heng was killed at the Tung Chow battle and Hsu Tung also killed himself. The Chinese in Peking being on the verge of starvation, a portion of the rice stored by the Japanese was distributed among them. The emperor is now ascertained to be at Hsinau Hua Fu. Peace and order having been established at Amoy, the Japanese troops withdrew on the 7th and the Chinese apologized for burning the Japanese temple.

MISSIONARIES BUTCHERED.
New York, Sept. 3.—Father Sette, a Roman Catholic missionary, who escaped massacre by the aid of native Christians, writes that when the Boxers made the attack some of the priests fled. Father Okerme Felering from Belgium was fatally wounded and died two days later. Father Cracomantonio was killed and his body cremated. Bishop Pantoull and Rev. Father Gambano were warned by friendly natives and hid in a boat. Reaching Hecian Fu they were met by a howling mob who hacked them to pieces, burned their bodies and scattered them to the winds. Two Chinese priests were also slain and every Christian house in the vicinity destroyed.

M'KINLEY'S LETTER OF ACCEPTANCE

To be Published Monday—A Guess at Its Contents.

New York, Sept. 3.—A special to the Herald from Washington says: President McKinley's letter of acceptance, which is to be published Monday, is said by members of the administration to be the strongest presentation of the present campaign that has yet appeared. The president has not sought to avoid the question of imperialism. Much of his letter is devoted to the issue reached by his administration of the islands wrested from Spain. He shows what has been done in the way of improving political conditions in these islands. Attention is called to the steps that have been taken toward the establishment of civil government in Porto Rico, in accordance with the act of congress and the institution of civil government in the Philippines under the Philippine commission are referred to. The theme to which much attention is given in the letter is the prosperity of the country under the present tariff and monetary system.

This brings the financial issue up, on which the president is said to take a firm stand in support of the maintenance of the gold standard as essential to the continuance of the present commercial and industrial prosperity of this country.

WILL OPEN THE NEW CATHEDRAL AT SAVANNAH

Notable Religious Event Planned for October 18

Washington, Sept. 3.—Archbishop Martinelli, the papal delegate to the United States has yielded to the request of the southern prelates and will open the new cathedral at Savannah, Ga., which is now almost finished on the site of that destroyed by fire two years ago. In order not to conflict with the other engagements of the archbishop, the date of the opening has been set for October 18 when Mgr. Martinelli will dedicate the structure in the presence of all the bishops of the south, with many, it is expected, from other sections. The event promises to be one of the most memorable from a religious standpoint, in the history of Georgia, as the golden jubilee or fiftieth anniversary of the Savannah sea which fell on July 19 last, is to be observed coincident with the cathedral's opening.

RALEIGH'S AUDITORIUM.
Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 3.—The auditorium committee have decided upon a site for the building. It is one block from the main business street and has a frontage of 91 feet and a depth of 210 feet. The lot will be cleared of all buildings on it and thoroughly up-to-date auditorium will be built.

CAFFERY WILL NOT ACCEPT

New Orleans, Sept. 3.—As announced by Senator Caffery's friends, he will not accept the nomination for the presidency tendered by the national party. He will not support Bryan.

Remember me for cuts and oot matresses.—Mrs. L. A. Johnson, 43 Patton Avenue, phone 186.

El Principe de Gales, La Sinceridad, Robert Burns and other choice cigars at Grant's Pharmacy.

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Absolutely pure with a delicate perfume—Grant's Talcum Powder. Tin box 10c., 3 for 25c. Grant's Pharmacy.

BRYAN SPEAKS TO BIG CROWDS AT MILWAUKEE

Heads a Procession and Talks About "Imperialism."

Milwaukee, Sept. 3.—Bryan was the guest of honor at a picnic given by the Milwaukee county democrats. He made two addresses at the national park this afternoon, addressing an enthusiastic crowd of 10,000. At the exposition building tonight he addressed 5,000 more. Bryan chose imperialism as the chief topic of discussion. He was accompanied by Mayor Harrison, of Chicago; Chairman Johnson, of the executive committee of the national committee, and 200 members of the Cook County marching club. Bryan headed the parade, after which he went to the national park. He spoke bitterly of "hundreds of precious lives" sacrificed in the Philippines, and said the whole wretched mess in the Philippines was "inspired by commercial greed." There was great enthusiasm at both the afternoon and evening meetings.

GROKER MURPHY COMBINE HAS THE UPPER HAND

Hill's Adherents Confess Defeat—Color Out Yet.

Saratoga, N. Y., Sept. 3.—The most significant feature of the political situation on the eve of the democratic state convention, which meets next Tuesday, is the admission by all of Hill's adherents tonight that the Croker-Murphy combine has the upper hand and will be able to dictate everything. Color is out of it and the machine will name the candidate for governor and the whole ticket, besides preparing the platform. Stanchfield, of Elmira, seems to be in the lead for the governorship, with Shepard, of Brooklyn, and MacKay, of Buffalo, next in the order named. The Hill forces recognize they are beaten and seem to take their defeat with good natured composure.

AN OLD CONFEDERATE ARSENAL Brought to Light While Excavating in Richmond.

Richmond, Va., Sept. 3.—The construction of the waterways of the Virginia Electrical Railway and Development company have brought to light the foundation of one of the largest and most noted arsenals in the whole confederacy.

There are being taken from these foundations at the foot of Seventh street any quantity of old ammunition, consisting of grape and canister shot, percussion caps, and shot of every size and shape.

This arsenal extended from Seventh and Bird streets along the west side of Seventh all the way to the river, and was in charge of Colonel Gilliam. Across the canal, on Johnson's island, was the factory for the manufacture of percussion caps and other explosives.

The famous old arsenal was blown up by the confederate forces on the morning of the evacuation.

AT TATE SPRINGS.

There is the largest crowd known for September and the latter part of the season at Tate Springs, which is at its height in gaities and pleasures. Senator Reagan and wife of Texas are among the recent arrivals who are enjoying this fountain of health. Senator Reagan is the last surviving member of the cabinet of the southern confederacy.

They have proved: Columbian Insecticide for Roaches; Columbian Louse for Bed Bugs. Sole agents, Grant's Pharmacy.

No need to worry about the kind of lemon and vanilla to buy. Just tell your grocer to send Blue Ribbon.

FILIPINOS WAITING RESULT OF ELECTION IN NOVEMBER

Expect Full Autonomy for Islands if Bryan is Successful.

Madrid, Sept. 3.—A Filipino committee has been established here under Senor Arejola, an adherent of Aguinaldo. The government refuses to have any relations with the committee. Arejola says Paris is still the headquarters of Senor Aguinaldo, Aguinaldo's representative, who is awaiting events in the Philippines and the results of the presidential election in the United States. He declares that if Bryan is elected the Filipinos expect the United States to fulfill its pledges and grant full autonomy to the archipelago.

Arejola adds that the latest messages from Manila state that Aguinaldo is at the head of a considerable force and has ample funds. He has retaken eight places from the Americans. The Filipinos completely hold the island of Mindano, where they have established a government.

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THE ANTHRACITE MINERS WILL NOT CEASE WORK ON MONDAY.

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Board Listens to Appeal of Merchants and Others. Issues a Statement Regarding the Miners' Grievances. More Than 100,000 Ready to Go Out at the Call.

AN ORDER TO STRIKE ON MONDAY IN THE HAZLETON AND WILKESBARRE REGIONS—FOREIGN MINERS HA DARNED THEMSELVES AND RIOTOUS TIMES WERE EXPECTED.

Indianapolis, Sept. 3.—The executive board of the United Mine Workers late tonight issued a statement postponing the strike for a few days. This decision was taken as a result of appeals by letter and telegraph from merchants and others in the anthracite regions, all of which urged a postponement of action and attempt to compromise.

The executive board's statement reviews the situation, pointing out the gradual reduction in wages by the system of dockage, until it is no longer bearable, but in order that the operators may have a further opportunity to avert the strike, and more time may be had for negotiations, the miners' executive board does not deem a strike on September 10 advisable, but the miners are advised to hold themselves in readiness to cease work at once if the present negotiations fail.

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Hazleton, Pa., Sept. 3.—Committees of the union miners of three districts held a secret conference today and a message of some kind was sent to headquarters at Indianapolis. All hands absolutely refused to give out any statement. It is generally believed there will be a strike. Those who refuse to go out will be driven out, and a riotous time is looked for. Every foreigner has provided himself with firearms. The gunsmiths have been busy four weeks repairing arms owned by miners, mostly Hungarians and Italians, who have been buying largely of cartridges.

VAST HOST READY FOR THE CALL

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Sept. 3.—The developments of the last few days bear out the assertions of the leaders that ninety per cent. of the miners in the anthracite coal region will obey the order to strike on Monday, or as soon after as the call is made. In every part of the coal region the ranks of the union has been swelled by large bodies of recruits. Over 2,000 have joined in the last few days. There is no evidence to prove the assertions of the operators that only 20 per cent. of the men will strike. Experts say the men will be able to exist for two months without assistance from the union. They will get their pay for August next week, and this will help greatly. Anticipating violence, the sheriffs in the various towns are taking the names and addresses of those who have volunteered to serve as deputy sheriffs.

The estimates of the number that are ready to strike range from 12,000 to 15,000.

THE PLAGUE IN GLASGOW.

Glasgow, Sept. 3.—An official bulletin issued today says two additional plague cases have been admitted to the hospital and that additional persons have been placed under observation.

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