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convention, met at 4 o'clock.

GREAT ASSEMBLAGE AT THE STATE CONVENTION NOW IN PROGRESS IN CLEVELAND.

Governor Nash Makes the Opening Speech, Referring to Cuba and the Philippines.

TRIAL HEATS OF CANDIDATES FOR SENATE NOMINATION

SOME TALK OF HANNA FOR PRES-IDENT, BUT THERE IS NO DIS-POSITION TO DENY ROOSEVELT'S RIGHT TO A SECOND TERM.

Cleveland, Ohio, May 27.-The ar- tion. mory which has eight thousand chairs of Cincinnati, chairman of the state HANGING OF NEGRO WHO central committee, called the republican state convention to order this aftermoon. The leaders, notably Mr. Hanna, Governor Nash, General Grosvenor, and visiting congressmen were Prayers were offered by Rev. John S. Rutledge, of the Glenville Methodist church. Chairman Durr announced that the state committee had selected the following temporary officers for the

Chairman Governor George K. Nash; o'clock this morning. secretary, John R. Malloy, Columbus; sergeant-att-arms, Wm. F. Gass, Cin-

tion on being introduced:

gloomy days of 1896 it made promises of the crime, he was executed. full of brilliant hope for the nation. The people trusted and we have en- ABSOLUTE DIVORCE GRANTED tered unon a career unparalleled in the history of the world. I congratulate you that in the person of Theodore Roosevelt we have a president from puhsue, without variation and untarnished, the great and beneficial polirepublic, was unfurled floating over an that thus has been redeemed a republi- woman for whom he bought wine. of hope, and law and order for their made public. people. Our enemies may hurl their calumnies upon our soldiers and sail- ONE KILLED, THIRTY INJURED; ors and upon honored representatives of our government, but they cannot dim the glory of our flag, nor retard the day when the blessings of our free

were announced for members of the 17 feet below into the excavation. new state committee, vice-presidents and assistant secretaries of the conven- killed and 30 persons were severely intion and the usual committees. Ad- jured, several of whom it is expected journed to 10 a. m. tomorrow.

The preliminary meetings to the convention consisted of conferences during trampled on. Many women were among the forenoon and meetings by congressional districts at 2 p. m., at which members of committees were present and assisted officers of the convention,

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selected prior to the convening of the One of the most important conferences held was between Senator Hanna and George B. Cox, of Cincinnati, and it continued so long this morning that quite a crowd was kept in waiting out-

M. Sover the The Mark the cold

senator then left his quarters in the Holendon for his business office. The distinguishing feature continues to be the trial heats of candidates for the senatorial nomination and other places on the state ticket next year. TON FORBIDDEN. The workers today were especially interested in the contest for member of

the state central committee that holds over till after the next state convention and controls the machinery at a time when Senator Hanna will stand for reelection. The control is also wanted by those who are in anticipation of the pine Bill. next republican national convention.

There is much talk in the open field for Hanna for president two years hence as well as for re-election as senator by the legislature that is to be chosen next year.

side of Senator Hanna's office.

There is no opposition expected to President Roosevelt. Those who are talking about the delegation to the next national convention say they do not want an anti-Roosevelt delegation, but one that would not be anti-Hanna in the event of President Roosevelt not being nominated.

It is understood that Senator Hanna will be tendered an ovation and called upon for a speech in the conven-

KILLED JARDEN FAMILY

cheered as they entered the armory. WILLIAM H. LANE PAYS PENAL-TY OF ATROCIOUS CRIME IN PHILADELPHIA.

> Philadelphia, May 27.-William Har-Lane, colored, was hanged of 10:08

The crime for which Lane paid the death penalty was particularly atroci-Governor Nash was tendered an ova- ous. On the morning of April 1 he shot ators by the people; that a majority of do so by the board, have returned to and killed Ella Jarden, by whom he Governor Nash spoke at length of was employed as a servant, and her pew amendment providing the election the action of the state legislature in two daughters. Madeline, aged 12, and regard to taxation and corporations, Eloise, aged 7 years. Lane had stolen and urged that corporations should not money from his employer and seeing be looked on as the enemies of the peo- the consequences of his thefts he deple, saying that they should be fos- liberately shot the woman and her tered and encouraged, as they devel- younger daughter in an upper room of oped the state's mining resources, op- their home, and then called the elder erated the great manufactories, con-child from the street where she had ly. structed the railroads and transacted been playing and shot her. After the the business connected with the trade shooting Lane escaped to Camden, N. and commerce, until the state had be- J., but was arrested a few hours later come very great and very prosperous, at the railroad station in that city. He Referring to national affairs, he said confessed his crime and after a formal hearing was sentenced to death. Jus- vesterday, requesting the president to "I congressiate you that the national tice was not delayed in meting out republican party controls the destines punishment to the negro and, in less of this great republic. In the dark and than two months after the commission United States and stating his views or

TO A MINISTER'S WIFE

Newport, R. I., May 27 .- Mrs. Porter, whose lips fell the solemn pledge to wife of Rev. Charles Hunt Porter, was granted an absolute divorce today. The cies of William McKinley. One week testimony showed that the minister ago today, the flag of free Cuba, a new Went to New York April 16 last and spend the night at a disreputable independent nation. I congratulate you house on West Fortieth street with a

can pledge, given by a powerful na- The witness testified to seeing the tion to a weak and nearly exhausted minister and his companion undressed people. I congratulate you that our in a room. Rev. Porter made no deflag still waves in the Philippine isl- fense. He resigned from the church ands. There it will remain the signal and disappeared before the scandal was

TEMPORARY SIDEWALK FELL

New York, May 27 .- The temporary institutions will be enjoyed by that sidewalk in front of a building being erected at Fifth avenue and Eighteenth The twenty-one congressional dis-street collapsed this afternoon when tricts were called at the conclusion of a crowd was watching the parade in Governor Nash's speech and the select honor of the French guests. One huntions made at the district meetings dred and fifty spectators were thrown

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A panic followed the collapse and many were severely hurt by being the victims.

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WILL BE GLAD WHEN

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DENOUNCES THE BILL AS "MON-POSITION ON QUESTION OF POP-ULAR ELECTION OF SENATORS.

Washington, May 27.-In the senate today after routine business consideration of the Philippines bill was resumed. Patterson of Colorado spoke four hours against the measure, denouncing the bill as "monstrous." He approved of treating the Filipinos the same as Cubans and would rejoice when the American flag in the Philippines was pulled down and the flag of the Filipino will be the last distribution of wages republic hoisted.

Soon after the senate convened today a bill was passed establishing a regular term of the United States court in the western district of Virginia to be held

at Roanoke, Va. Mr. Burrows, chairman of the committee on privileges and selections, remittee was opposed to the house resolution providing for the election of senthe committee was in favor of the Deof senators in all states shall be uniform and congress shall have power to enforce the amendment, and finally the majority of the committee was opposed to the resolution as amended. Mr. Burrows said the committe had not directed him to report the resolution to the senate either favorably or adverse-

Mr. Wellington, of Maryland, moved to discharge the committee from further consideration of the resolution, This motion was over.

A resolution offered by Mr. Hoar inform the senate whether there be any law which would prevent and Filipino not under arrest from coming to the desires as to his country to the president or to either branch of congress, was adopted.

A conference report on the army appropriation bill then was called up. The question was on Mr. Hoar's motion that the senate ask for a full and free conference, insisting upon its amendments. Mr. Spooner insisted that the house would regard the adoption of the motion as an affront to its dignity.

After some discussion, Mr. Hoar withdrew his motion. Mr. Proctor, in charge of the conference report, offered a concurrent resolution for the appointment of a committee of three senators to meet with a like committee of the house to confer on the subject of the conferences between the two houses, and especially on the matter of instructions to con-

Mr. Gallinger, (N. H.) indicated that the house had been offensive in the senate, but he was called to order by Mr. Pettus, of Alabama, who held that what had occurred in the other house was not a proper subject of comment. Mr. Pettus's motion providing that the matter to be considered by the joint committee should be particularly the message of the house on the army appropriation bill. This amendment was accepted by Mr. Proctor and as amended the resolution was adopted. The chair (Mr. Platt), of Connecticut, named Mr. Spooner, Mr. Proctor and Mr. Pettus as the committee on the

part of the senate. Consideration then was resumed on the Philippine government bill, Mr. Patterson continuing his speech in op-(Continued on eighth page.)

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the Schuykill district were officially notified today by the engineers, pumpmen and firemen that they will strike June unless the Union scale is paid.

Wilkebarre, Pa., May 27.-The state mine inspector declared this evening that if the operators are unable to keep the pumps going in the mines after next Monday seventy collieries will be totally destroyed within two weeks STROUS"-SENATE COMMITTEE'S and the loss will be twenty million dol-

Rifles Reported Shipped.

Hazelton, Pa., May 27.—Everything is quiet this morning at the Cranberry colliery of A. Pardee & Co., where the engineers, firemen and pumpmen quit yesterday. Several clerks employed at the Silver Creek colliery, who refused to act as firemen and pump runners, were discharged.

This week most of the strikers in the Hazelton district will receive their wages for the first half of May. This until the suspension in ended.

It is stated that a consignment of rifles were sent to some of the collieries on the south side late last night.

Springfield, Ill., May 27.—Union miners at Litchfield, whose union was susported that the majority of the com- pended by the state executive board of United Mine Workers of America for not returning to work when ordered to work. Manager Crabb having agreed to abandon some of the low coal veins in which the miners claim they had to work and were unable to make money by mining coal.

Weavers Strike.

Philadelphia, May 27.-Five hundred damask weavers went on strike here today for higher wages, closing a number of mills.

One Strike Ends.

Washington, May 27 .- The strike of the Union carriage works of this city, which has been in force . for -seven weeks, has come to an end. The em-

PELEE CONTINUES

THOUSANDS FROM NORTH POUR INTO CROWDED FORT DE

FRANCE.

Fort De France, May 27.-Ten thousand persons are deserting the northern part of the island and coming to Fort De France, which is already overcrowded with refuges. Mount Pelee continues to emit ashes and molten matter, which is covering the maountain.

Prof. R. T. Hill, the American geologist has gone on an expedition which will try to reach the peak of Pelee. Profs. Kennan and M. Jacassi left for the interior of the island Thursday. No news has since been received of their whereabouts and considerable anxiety regarding their safety is felt.

Volcanic Ashes Falling. Rosus, Island of Dominico, British

West Indies, May 27.—During the whole of last night ashes fell from the volcano on the island of Martinique here in greater quantity than ever experienced since the outbreak of Mount Pelee.

Pottsville, Pa., May 27.—Operators in ployes and the union agree on conces-

The agreement is to become operative August 4, work in the meantime to be under the old system of hours and

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