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COUNTY OFFICERS.

MOARD OF COMMISSIONERS: R. S. CLARE, Chairman. H. NEWSOM HADE FELERN, L.C. HARLEY.

W. J. CHERRY, Sheriff, 1. D. BARBIN, Clerk of Superior Court. 1. H. GRIFFIN, Register of Deeds, S. H. Tyson, Treasurer,

WM. HARRISS, Coroner, 1. T. Revel, Surveyor.

TOWN OFFICERS. ALDERMEN:

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L.A. GIARK. U. H. COZART, GEO. HACKNEY, I. T. ELLIS.

P. B. DEANS, Mayor; INO. R. MOORE, Town Clerk; W. E. DEANS, Collector.

POLICE:

W. P. SNAKENBERG, Chief. EPHRIAM HARRELL, FRANK FELTON JAMES MARSHBOURNE. D. P. CHRISTMAN, St. Commissioner,

CHURCHES.

St. Timethy's Episcopal church, Rev. F. C. Bayliss, Priest-in-charge. Services: Sundays at 11 a. m. and 7130 p. m., Sunday School at 3 p. m., Weekdays-Wednesdays and Fridays at 4 p m. Holy days at 10 a. m. Celebration of Holy Communion on 1st Sunday in each month at if a. m., other Sundays at 7:45 a. m.

Methodist Church, Rev. J. B. Hurley Pastor; services at 11 a, m, and 7:30 p. m. Sunday School, 5 p. m., J. F. Bruton, Supt. Prayer meeting Wed nesday night at 7130.

Disciples Church, Rev. D. W. Davis, Pastor; services every Sunday, 11 a m, 7 to p m. Prayer meeting Wednesday night. Sunday School at 3 o'clock, p. m., Geo. Hackney, Supt.

Breshvierian Church, Rev. James Thomas, Pastor; services on the First, Third and Fourth Sunday in every month and at Louisburg Second Sunday. Services at 11 a. m. and S:30 p. m. Sanday School at 5 o'clock, p. m.

Baptist Church, service as follows: Preaching Sunday morning at 11:00 o'clock and 8 p. m. Rev. W. H. Redish Pastor. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at So'clock. Sunday School at 5 p. m., D. S. Boykin Supt.

Primitive Baptist Church, preaching on 2nd Sunday by Elder Jas. Bass; on 3rd Sunday by Elder Jas S. Woodard; on the 4th Sanday and Saturday before by the pastor, Elder P. D. Gold. Services begin at 11 a. m.

LODGES.

Regular meetings of Mt. Lebanon Lo lge No. 117 A. F. & A. M. are held in their half, corner of Nash and Golds boro streets on the 1st and 3rd Monday n ghis at 7:30 o'clock p. m. each month. C. E. Moore, W. M.

Regular meetings of Mt. Lebanon Chapter No. 27 are held in the Masonic Hall every 2nd Monday night at 7:30 o'clock p. m. each month. W. H. Applewhite, H. P.

Regular meetings of Mt. Lebanon Commandery No. 7 are held in the Masonic hall every 4th Monday night at 7130 o'clock each month.

R. S. Barnes, E. C. Regular meetings of Wilson Lodge K. of H. No. 1694 are held in their hall over the 1st National Bank every 1st Thursday evening at 3:30 o'clock, p. m. B. F. Briggs, Director.

Regular meetings of Contentnea Lodge, No. 87, K. of P., are held in Old Fellows' Hall every Thursday night. Visiting members always wel-

Regular meetings of Enterprise Lodge, No. 44, are held every Frdaynight in Odd Fellows' Hall.

POST OFFICE HOURS.

Office opens 8 a.m. and closes at sunset. Day mails close for North at 1 p. m. " " West " 1 p. m.
" South "1.30p. m. Night mails for all points close at 9 p.m.

DOLAN'S STATEMENT.

He Replies to the Aspersions of the Mine Owners.

CHARGES VIOLATED PLEDGES.

He Declares That Operators Agreed to Pay the Rate Demanded Under Certain Conditions Which Had Been Fulfilled by the Miners.

Pittsburg, Aug. 30,-Before going to the St. Louis convention last night Patrick Dolan, district president of the United Mine Workers, expressed himself very freely concerning the statement of the press committee of the coal operators. The statement charges M. D. Ratchford, the national president, with making certain assertions that are untrue. It gives the details of the offers made by the operators, and shifts the burden of the blame to Ratchford.

"It is unfair to the miners and their officials to have such statements go before the public, for they are misleading and in the main untrue," said Dolan. "Let me tell something concerning what passed between us at that conference. When Ratchford had given his ultimatum and the operators were excited, and some of them very much out of humor, I took the floor. I told them that I looked into the faces of many eperators who had repeatedly told me that if the miners' officials succeeded in bringing about a suspension in certain mines that were paying a lower rate they would agree not only to pay 69 cents, but \$1 a ton. I told them that we had brought about the suspension, they asked for, and they . ISAAC FELTON. | knew I referred to the New York and Cleveland Gas Coal company's mines. It seemed absurd to them to accept our proposition to go to work at the 69 cent rate pending arbitration. I explained to them that we had brought about a suspension of the mines that seemed to bother them so much, and wanted

them to keep their promises. "Of course, it is well known that they would not listen to our proposition. then appealed to them to use their effort to bring about a conference of operators and miners in all the states involved. I told them that every one present should make an honest effort to bring about such a conference and assured them that the miners' officials would do all in their power to bring the parties interested together. It after every other effort had been exhausted to bring about such a conference had failed, I told them that I would be willing to cut loose and act independently for the Pittsburg district and have the support of the local organization. Now, if this was not fair I would like to know of an argument against it. They refused to be as good as their word on the first proposition and on the second did not even exhibit a desire to bring about a conference of the various states, as I suggested. We are in favor of bringing the question to an honorable and fair settlement and on a just basis. This effort to put the

odium on the miners is as unfair as it is unjust, and the public should know it." It has been decided to start a campaign among the miners of the Wheeling division of the Baltimore and Oblo

It was learned today that the Castonville miners who were served by an official of the Pittsburg and Chicago Cas Coal company with notices to vaexite their houses, will resist the eviction. Nearly all of them forfeited wages aggregating \$3,000 when they went out on strike, under conditions imposed upon them by the ironelad contracts they had signed. They claim the money is due them and they intend to remain in the houses until the accounts are squared.

Incidents around the camps at the De Armit mines were not exciting yesterday. The strikers entertained the usua! number of Sunday visitors attended church and quietly made preparations for the week's work, which is expected to be full of active operations. This morning Captain Bellingham, with 25 men, went to the Petersen mine where the men at work, the strikers say, are filling New York and Cleveland Gas members of the camp made the usua! | remedy morning demonstration against the Plum Creek miners.

chital tubes in a state of constant irritation, which, if not speedily removed, may lead to chronic bronchiris. No the good qualities of other remedies; prompter remedy can be found than with none of the bad. Aver's Cherry Pectoral. Its effect is immediate and the result permanent.

Mother and Daughter Burned to Death Tampa, Fla., Aug. 30,-Marie, the 11year-old daughter of Mrs. Frances Vaidez, of Port Tampa City, went to the kitchen to start a fire yesterday afternoon. She poured on keresene, and instantly there was a deafening explosion, followed by the girl's agonized cries as she ran from the room on fire. Mrs. Valdez at once went to her daughter's assistance. While she was attempting to extinguish the flames her own clothes caught fire, and the two ran screaming from the house. Both were burned to a crisp. The house caught from the flames and was destroyed. A small boy was burned in the house. The fire spread rapidiy, and five other houses were burned.

Allen Tax Law Unconstitutional. Pittsburg, Aug. 27.—The alien tax law was decided unconstitutional yesterday by Judge Acheson, of the United States court. The alien tax law directs that all persons, firms and companies shall pay three cents a day for every foreign born, unnaturalized person employed by them. It also directs all persons to keep lists of such foreigners and the number of days employed, and demands a correct account to be rendered thereof every quarter. The tax and fines are to be paid to the county commissioners, one-half to be used for school purposes and one-half for current county expenses.

Why take Johnson's Chill & Fever Tonic? Because it cures the most stubborn case of Fever in ONE DAY.

A WEEK'S NEWS CONDENSED.

Tuesday, Aug. 24. Ex-State Senator J. C. Bills, of Iowa. committed suicide by shooting at Dayenport, Ia, Cause, Ill health. Princess Kaiulani, niece of ex-Queen Liliuokalani, is going back to Hawall, and hopes to be made queen.

The grand total of appropriations made by the Fifty-fourth and Fiftyfifth congresses is \$528,735,078.

The fight against Senator Mills in Texas is being made on the issue of free or protected raw materials. Adolph Luetgert, the rich sausage maker of Chicago, was put on trial yesterday, charged with wife murder.

Wednesday, Aug. 25. The American flag is reported to be flying on Clipperton Island, in the Pa-

The contest over the estate of the late Andrew J. Davis, of Butte, Mont., who left \$8,000,060, has been settled. Mrs. Hugh Wallace, daughter of

Chief Justice Fuller, is dying of appendicitis at Ashford's farm, state of The police of Chicago broke up a

they could not awaken the subject. being obliged to call on the hypnotist. Thursday, Aug. 26. Mary Kyle Dalias, poetess and autheress, died in New York, aged 50. It is reported that the Duke and

Japan.

been appointed consul general to St.

A peddler gave Mrs. Dean, of Winsted, Conn., a trial dose of headache cure, which was nothing but chloroform, and while she was unconscious he robbed the house.

President Kruger in the volksraad deivered a sensational speech, declaring that they could not recognize the suzerainty of Great Britain in the South African republic.

Frank Johnson, colored, has confess-John D. Marshall, a Maryland farmer. A little child was found shot through the heart at Langford, N. Y., and its insane mother is suspected of the deed. One passenger was killed and several seriously injured by a collision at Alta Vista, Ia., on the Chicago Great Western railway.

Frederick Bohm and his 12-year-old son were struck by a train at Patchogue, L. I. The father was killed and the boy badly injured.

If it be found that the hides imported from China caused the poisoning cases at Dubois. Pa., bide imports from that country will be stopped. Saturday, Aug. 28. A man was brought to a New York

hospital having lost the power of speech through hunser. The ball and chain remedy for the tramp nulrance is to be tried in Mid-

dlesex county, N. J. John Hallenbeck shot Lizzie Humphreys in Williamsburg because she

McDonaldswas lost in Behring sea, but

bark Resita Faro, off the Morocco her crew. Monday, Aug. 80.

Farmer Burton L. Hotchkiss, of through the window of his home by an "Healer" Schlatter, who is in Chi-

cago, Ills., denies the report that he married Mrs. Ferris, widow of the Fer-Sanders Eichardson, a tough charactor, who tried to break up a colored

camp meeting at Lancaster, was given a severe thrushing by the preacher. Fire from a mining lamp caught the clothes of a little child of John Archibaid, at Bagad, Westmoreland county, Pa., and the infant was burned to a

Many of our people are suffering from nervous troubles, Scrofula, Sores Rhetimatism, Dyspepsia, Catarrh, and other diseases who can promptly be Ceal company contracts. The other and permanently cured by that sterling

"PARKER'S SARSAPARILLA—THE KING OF BLOOD PURIFIER." It has been used by thousands and A hacking cough keeps the bron- never known to fail. Only the finest selected purifying tonic herbs and roots are used in its manufacture. It has all

> The World's Light Harvest. Buda Pesth, Aug. 30.-The ministry of agriculture has issued its annual estimates, in which it describes the world's harvest as extraordinarily light. The total yield of wheat is placed at 573,760,000 metric hundredweight, while the present annual requirements are estimated at 655,150,000 metric hundredweight. It is calculated that for 1897 and 1898 there will be a shortage of 50,800,000 hundredweight. The stocks remaining on hand from 1896 are approximately estimated at somewhere between 38,000,000 and 45,-000,000. The total supply for the year, reckoning both the present stocks and the harvest, is estimated at from 610,-000,000 to 051,000,000 metric hundredweight.

> > As From the Dead.

Albion, N. Y., Aug. 39 .- W. E. Lord. enlisted in 1863, when a boy, at Lake Mills, Wis., and went to the front. He was not heard from afterwards, and was given up for dead. His family moved here soon after, and were overjoyed by his appearance Saturday. Lord, who is now superintendent of public works at Pittsburg, attended the Grand Army encampment at Buffalo, and while there learned of his family's whereabouts.

Erastus Corning Stricken. Albany, N. Y., Aug. 30. - Erastus Corning was stricken with apoplexy late last night, and little hope is enertained of his recovery.

Why take Johnson's Chill & Fever Tonic? Because it cures the most stubborn case of Fever in ONE DAY. health, strength and happiness.

They Come With Small Fortunes From the Klondike.

SCARCITY IN THE FOOD SUPPLY.

All Opinions Agree That It Will Be Impossible to Transport Enough Food to Provide For the Klondikers, and Starvation Is Imminent.

Seattle, Wash., Aug. 30.-The steamer Portland arrived here yesterday morning. The Portland carried 13 miners, each of whom brought only a small part of his stake. The total amount of dust on the vessel is perhaps \$575,000. The miners on board, with the amount of their total mining profits, part of which was brought with them, are as follows: J. Rowan, \$50,000; Jim Bell, \$45,000; Joe Coldsmith, \$25,000; N. W. Powers, \$35,666; W. W. Caldwell, \$35,-000; W. Oter, \$30,000; C. K. Zilly, \$25,000; F. W. Cobbs. \$25,000; W. Zahn, \$15,000; seven days' hypnotic exhibition, but A. Buckley, \$19,000; M. S. Lansing, \$15,-600; B. W. Farnham, \$16,000; M. R.

Camler, \$15,060. * William Ogilvie, Dominion land surveyor, who has been making topographical surveys of British possessions along the Klondike, has been recalled Duchess of York will visit Canada next by the government for consultation as to important matters affecting new Count Mutsu, formerly Japanese min- gold fields, and is now en route to Otister at Washington, died at Tokio, tawa via San Francisco. He will make a report embodying suggestions for William R. Holloway, of Indiana, has new mining laws governing the sale of liquor and taking wood for fuel, etc. He made a census of the production of the new fields, and finds 23 claims produced \$526,600, and says that \$70 .-000,000 is no exaggerated estimate of the amount that will be produced by 180 claims on Bonanza, Hunkers and Eldorado in three years.

fair money with rockers and shuices. ed in Washington that he murdered This year miners are passing entirely over ground of this richness in theirsearch for sand and gravel that will pay like that of the Klondike discoveries. Up to date none of the claims show any signs of exhaustion, and scarcely a dozen are more than well opened. Every one has large areas of ground to be worked. Mr. Ogilvie says it is impossible to make anything like an accurate estimate of the probable yield of the mines. The ground is not at all even in richness, and the width

of pay streaks varies greatly. All vessels touching at St. Michael's this summer have had great difficulty in keeping their crews, who have caught the gold fever very soon after arriving. One schooner, from Victoria. was entirely descried, and her crew, from captain to cook, started up the river for Klondike. The crew of the schooner J. M. Colman endeavored to desert also, but the attempt was discovered in time, and by a display of firearms the men were compelled to remain on duty. The mates of the schooners Jewett and Colman and the The British scaling schooner Agnes | carpenter of the Fred E. Sander were paid off at Ft. Michael's, and departed at once for Dawson. Every vessel from Pirates carried off the captain and St. Michael's has come away shortfour of the crew of the Portuguese handed. The Portland lost several of W. A. Tyan, one of the special cor-

respondents en route to the Fukon gold fields, writes from St. Michael's Rock and, Conn., was fatally shot under date of Aug. Is to the effect that there is grave danger of a famine on the Klondike this winter. According tosufficient foed at Dawson City to support the population already dependent upon that base of supplies. R. T. Lyng. local agent of the Alaskan Commercial there are already over 2,000 idle men every day via the Chilkoot pass, while there this year will not exceed 4,600 ing from Klondike who left there in July report that the food was running very low then, and it was disposed of as fast as discharged from the steamers. Old timers realize the situation, and predict distress and death

as a result of the Klondike craze. H. N. Stanley who went to St. Michaels as a press representative, returned to this city on the steamer Portland.

He says: "I have been seven weeks at the mouth of the Yukon, at St. Michaels, where I saw all the miners coming out and interviewed them. As a result I feel it my duty to advise everybody to stay out until next spring. Wild and in been circulated since the first discoveries were made. The strike, however, was and is one of the greatest, if not Probably \$2,000,000 was cleaned up this spring, and next spring I look for from \$5,000,000 to \$7,000,000. The fields have hardly been opened up as yet, but these going in new must bear in mind that everything in that region was staked long before any reports reached the outer world, and that those going in now must prospect for themselves, buy claims from the present owners or

work for the owners. No new strike had been reported up to the time of my leaving, and another may not be made for five years, although Alaska is an enormous country and will yield. I believe, more gold than we dreamed of. But it is also in ways a bleak, barren, desolate country-a country incapable of supporting any preat amount of animal life, and a country of such rigorous climate, both winter and spring, that none but the most hardy can possibly live in it. Even they must have abundance of food and warm clothing.

"I am aware there is a popular impression that supplies can be bought in the vicinity of the mines. They may at present buy at six times the Seattle prices, but they are taken, at even those figures, faster than they can be got in, and before winter is half over. if the present population stays in, there will be actual starvation."

Which is worse, imprisonment for life or a life-long disease, like scrofula, for example? The former, certainly, would be preferable were it not that Ayer's Sarsaparilla can always come to the rescue and give the poor sufferer

GENERAL SOUTHERN NEWS.

Atlanta, Ga., Aug. 25 .- In Talbot county E. E. Low was discovered by C. E. Womble in a compromising position with his daughter. Womble fired on Low, but missed. Low ran, but Womble caught him and beat his brains out with a stone, killing him instantly. He then went to the police headquarters and surrendered. Both

men were prominent farmers. Montgomery, Aug. 26,-F. R. Lloyd, better known as "Rufus Sanders," the well known dialect writer of this state. and who has been of the platform pretty much all over the south, was killed yesterday near Greenville, Ala., by John Gafford. The account says was brutally assassinated, the weapen used being a double barreled shotrun. Mr. Lloyd was a member of

he legislature. Caniden, Ala., Aug. 28.-Jack Pharr, a negro convict, working on a farm near Claiborne, Monroe county, murlerously assaulted a clerk in a store on the place. Pharr was robbing the safe when the clerk appeared, and to escape the negro hit him on the head with an ax. Pharr was arrested, and confessed. An officer started to the county jail with him, but a mob interfered and hanged the negro.

Danville, Va., Aug. 28.-Dr. John R. Cabell, a prominent citizen of Danville, was assassinated Thursday night at his country home, near Callands, 25 miles from here, by Edward Hankins, his tenant. Cabell had refused to rent Hankins the farm for another year, and Hankins had refused to move away, from which arose the dispute which resulted in the killing. Dr. Cabell was 74 years old. He is a brother of ex-Congressman George C. Cabell,

Lynchburg, Va., Aug. 26,-Collector Agnew today formally tendered the position of cashier of the collector's of- ported that the tribesmen are gatherfice to Mr. J. M. McLaughlin, postmas- ing near the Zizaret sanitarium, and ter of Lynchburg under the Harrison much anxiety is felt regarding the Until the wonderful discoveries of administration. Mr. McLaughlin ac- safety of the women and children there, Klondike were made ground worth cepted the place and will enter upon as the failway officials are asking for ten cents to pan, with one, two or three | the discharge of his duties on Oct. 1. | military protection for their property. feet pay of dirt, were considered very | The appointment of Mr. McLaughlin | If the route is considered safe the wonot been mentioned in connection with be brought away, but otherwise troops the place, and it was well known that will be sent from Quetta to protect he was a candidate for the postmaster- | them. ship to succeed the present incumbent.

It is a mistaken idea that a cough aconired during the warm season need not be regarded seriously. Facts prove the contrary. Do not neglect yourself. A simple and effective remedy is at your hand. PARKER'S TOLU COUGH SYRUP is a quick and agreeable remedy for Cough or Cold, Hoarseness, Whooping Cough, or any affection of the Throat or Lungs. Pleasant to take -Children like it.

Richmond, Va., Aug. 25.-News has reached here tonight of the death of two men and the fearful shocking of several others by lightning at Bush Creek, on the edge of Floyd county. A large number of men had gathered to assist Joshua Lester in threshing. A thunderstorm came up and all took lightning struck the latter, killing a young man named Dobbins and another named Simmons, and so wounding Helms Lester that he is not expected to live. Others were severely

Little Rock, Ark., Aug. 25.-New discoveries of valuable deposits of pearls in lakes and rivers in Arkansas have added greatly to the excitement aland today thousands of people are wading through the water in different parts of the state searching for the precious gems. The latest and most sensational discoveries were made in the Arkansas river and the creeks, lakes and bayous near Little Rock where pearls have been picked up ranging in value from \$10 to \$800 each. Hundreds of people are working the Saline, White and other rivers, and many valuable finds have been reported. Covington, Tenn., Aug. 26 .- A con-

stable and his assistants, in attemption to make a levy on the household goods of Mike Hill, colored, living at Atoka, was not at home, but his wife and two proached the house Hill's wife came attempted to shoot the officer, when she was shot by one of the officers, Hill's sons then joined in the melce, and both were killed. More trouble is expected, as the constable has telegraphed the sheriff here for more men, Grafton, W. Va., Aug. 26. - Judge Dent, of the supreme court of apenals, today awarded a writ of habeas corpus on motion of Colenel John T. McGraw, directing to the sheriff of Tucker county, commanding him to produce the body of Colonel Robert Easthma, now in jail, charged with the murder of Colonel Thompson, before that court at Charlestown on Sept. 2. The writ of prohibition heretofore awarded by Judge Dent against Judge Holt in this case is set down for the same time. when the whole matter will be heard and determined. The friends of Colonel Eastman now claim that the case will be taken to a jurisdiction where prejudices and bifter feelings are not

Quinine and other fever medicines take from 5 to 10 days to cure fever. Johnson's Chill and Fever Tonic cures in ONE DAY.

Union, W. Va., Aug. 26 .- At least 10,-990 people attended the Confederate reunion held here yesterday under the auspices of Camp Mike Foster, United Confederate veterans. The town was handsomely decorated in honor of the event. A grand parade opened the exercises of the day. It was headed by 200 lovely girls and their escorts, finely mounted on horseback, wearing the colors of the Confederacy. The spectacle was one of bewitching beauty. Following this pageant marched hundreds of Confederate veterans. Senator John W. Daniel, of Virginia, was the orator and delivered an eloquent address. This was followed by an abundant dinner. The proceedings took place in a beautiful grove on the outskirts of the town.

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Quarreling Among Themselves Over the Division of Booty.

TWENTY THOUSAND SOLDIERS

Will Be Required to Get the Rebellious Tribesmen Under Subjection. The Rebeis Gathering in Force Near the Ziaret Sanitarium.

Bombay, Aug. 30 .- Confirmation has been received of the rumors that the Afridis are quarreling among themselves over the division of the booty taken from the captured forts. Only about 500 of them have been left to guard the Khyber pass, the others having dispersed to seek supplies of provisions. This is probably the reason

for the cessation of hostilities. The general idea here is that if further delay occurs in punishing the Afridis, for which purpose at least 20,-600 men are required, there will be a general uprising on an enormous scale, extending from Orakzailand to Zaimukht, beyond, Kuram, and into Waziristan, despite the presence of the British field force in the Tochi valley. east of Rustam. Between Buner and the Indus the tribes appear to be dis-

inclined to join the rebellion. Little fresh news has been received kere from the frontler. An attack has been made on Shimwari, in the Samana range, but the attacking force was repulsed, losing five killed and many wounded. There is considerable excitement among the tribes along the Bolan route to Quetta, and the telegraph wires have again been cut. It is re-

The column under Colonel Gordon, which was dispatched to the Samana district yesterday, is composed entirely of native troops, and is fully equipped with medical commissariat and transport services. It has orders to force the Kohar pass if necessary.

Rumors are current tending to throw doubts upon the genuineness of the ameer's reply to the viceroy of India regarding the complicity of Afghan subjects in the uprising.

The disarming of the Khyber rifles, which formed a part of the garrison at Jamrud, was a complete surprise, but the orders were obeyed without any Much individual firing into the camp

at Jamrud has taken place, as many as a hundred stray shots having been fired at the outposts in a single night Some of these shots were fired at so short range that three native officers who were on watch were killed. It speaks well for the discipline and obedience maintained in the camp that not a single shot was fired in reply. Fears are expressed of the fall of

Rustam, northwest of Mardan, the whole district being in the hands of the enemy. General Wodehouse has gone from Mardan to Rustam, where the force, which now amount to 2,600 men, with two guns, will be strengthened. It has developed that the capture of Fort Lundi-Kotal was accomplished through treachery, and that the original report that a fight lasting two hours took place within the walls of the fort was unfounded. The 350 Khyber Rifles who were stationed there be longed to various clans, and included a number of men from the Peshawur valley. After fighting of a desultory nature some of the Shimwairs dropped from the walls and fled to their homes The Afridis on the walls soon began to exchange greetings with the beseigers of the fort, whereupon the gates were opened from the inside and the enemy poured in. Some of the defenders fled and others remained and fraternized with the besiegers. The Pesahawurs were disarmed. Six of them were held as prisoners and the remainder, to the number of 20, were allowed to go free. It was this news which led to the disarming of a portion of the garrison at Jamrud. It is believed that the Khyber Rifles, garrisoning the forts in the Khyber pass, had acted in a similar that they have succeeded in sending manner.

The fighting now seems to be centered along the Samana range, and this tends to prove that a general uprising of the Orakzais has taken place. It is probable that some of the small outposts will prove untenable, but it is believed that Forts Gulistan and Lockhart are quite strong enough to resist the attacks of the enemy.

Brigands Loot and Destroy a Town. Hong Kong, Aug. 30 .- Matt Salet. a notoricus brigand, with 200 followers. raided the government station at Polop Gaiya, captured M. Newbronner, day of the president's return will be the officer in cahrge, killed a corporal and then sacked the treasury of \$20,000. The town, which consisted entirely of Juan" at the Opera, and free perforwooden kajang houses, was then fired. | mances at the various theaters. and every building destroyed. Gaiya is the export and import center of a considerable district, and the population was largely Chinese, Salet, at last accounts, was fortified at Inaman, and it is feared will attack Sanda-Kan and massacre the Europeans, after looting the town.

Spain's Queen Regent Threatened. St. Petersburg, Aug. 27.-Prince Louis Napoleon, who is colonel of the czarina's lancers, and who received, in common with all the colonels commanding at the review at Krasnoe Selo, the cross of the Legion of Honor, has announced that he is unable to accept it, as he had, while still in his cradle, received from Napoleon III the grand cordon of his country's order. Consequently, the lieutenant colonel of the ezarina's lancers will receive the cross intended for Prince Louis.

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GOBIN FOR COMMANDER.

A Pennsylvanian Leads the Grand Army of the Republic. Buffalo, Aug. 27: - Cincinnati's triumph in securing the national encampment for 1898 and Pennsylvania's victory in winning the commander-inchief of the Grand Army were the features of the encampment. Both battles were hard fought. The struggle was precipitated immediately after the executive session was called to order. The selection of the next place of meeting was first taken up, and the rival

cities were given a hearing. On the first ballot Cincinnati received 526 votes and San Francisco 214. The vote had not been announced when Mr. Woodruff withdrew San Francisco, and asked that the selection of Cincinnati be made unanimous. This was

agreed to by acclamation. Nominations for commander-in-chief were then declared in order, and the following names presented: J. P. S. Gobin of Lebanon, Pa.; Isaac Mack of Sandusky, O.; George H. Innis of Boston, and John P. Linehan of New

Hampshire. The first ballot resulted: Mack, 253; Linghan, 181; Gobin, 296. The vote on the second ballot was never announced officially, but as cast it stood: Gobin, 358; Mack, 249; Linehan, 123, Before the result could be announced the Ohio delegate who nominated Mack moved that the election be made unanimous,

which was done. The other officers elected are: Senior vice commander, Alfred Lyth of Buffalo; junior-vice commander, F. B. Allen of Connecticut; surgeon general, Dr. David Mackage of Dallas, Tex.; chaplain-in-chief, Rev. F. C. Bruner of Chicago.

Uruguay's President Assassinated. Montevideo, Aug. 26 .- During a national fete which was held here yesterday President J. Idiarte Borda was shot and killed by an assassin. The assassination of the president occurred just as he was leaving the cathedral, where a te deum had been sung. The assassin was arrested. This was the fourth attempt on the president's life, the first being made by a crazy student named Revecca. Another attempt was made to assassinate the president on the afternoon of April 21 last. An unknown man met President Borda on the street and shot at him. The president escaped without injury, and the criminal was captured. On May 20 a bomb was sent to him in a box, but the police were suspicious, and it was destroyed.

Killed While Ficeing From Arrest. Hoboken, N. J., Aug. 30. - Samuel Dwyer was run over and killed by an Erie train yesterday while fleeing from arrest. Dwyer and a number of others were members of a Hoboken gang. Three policemen descended upon them. Dwyer and two others fled. They raced along Seventh street to where the street crosses the Erie tracks. There was a train approaching. Dwyer's companions crossed the track in safety. Dwyer hesitated, but seeing the police almost upon him turned just as the locomotive reached him. He leaped for the pilot, but missed his footing and rolled down in front of the engine. The engine and eight coal cars passed over his body, tearing it to pieces.

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Those Slippery Fillbusters. Tampa, Fla., Aug. 30.-A large Cuban expedition under the command of Colonel Mendez got away Saturday night, taking a special train in the suburbs under cover of darkness. The train was rushed over the plant system to Cleveland, on the Pace river, near Punta Gorda, where the tug Fearless, commanded by Captain Merwin, is supposed to have been ready to take the men and their equipments out to sea to meet a larger boat, on which the trip is to be completed. The Cubans managed to get out of the city without attracting attention, some of their number being left behind to make themselves conspicuous about the streets as a blind. The Cubans say that their expedition is the best equipped with men and munitions of any

Faure's Welcome Home.

Paris, Aug. 30.-The city is growing into a frenzy of enthusiasm over the welcome to be extended to President Faure on his return tomorrow from his visit to Russia. The principal streets and buildings are profusely decorated with flags and bunting. A group of tradesmen held a meeting Saturday and resolved to erect a grand stand and a triumphal arch, and committees are busy in all quarters of the city. All the vehicles seen on the streets on the Jecorated with the tricolor, and there will be a free performance of "Don

Alleged Insurance Swindler Caught. Port Townsend, Wash., Aug. 28 .- The steamer Portland, due from St. Michael's, has on board an alleged murderer who was chased by detectives half way around the world. He is Frank Novak, who kept a store near Cedar Rapids, Ia. Several months ago the store was destroyed by fire. Novak's relatives claimed that a dead body found in the ruins was his, and demanded \$35,000 insurance on his life. The insurance companies employed detectives, and claim to have proof that the dead body was that of Edward Murray, murdered by Novak.

Two Drowned While Boating. Lynn, Mass., Aug. 30.-Thomas Hayden, aged 32 years, and Nicholas Gabarine, an Italian, of Boston, were drowned in Flax pond yesterday by the capsizing of a rowboat.

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