TOPICS OF THE DAY.

liews from Everywhere.

A FREE-TRADE club has been organized at Cleveland, O., many prominent Re-publicans being included in its member-

THE House of Representatives, on the lest, passed the bill creating a department of agriculture by a vote of yeas,

A. L. BANCROFT, of Port Huron, Mich., on the 21st, accepted the position of Super-intendent of the Railway Mail Service, to take effect June 1.

Tsu Comptroler of the Currency, on the ist, authorized the First National Bank of ays City, Kas., to begin business with a spital of \$50,000.

The National Convention of Commis-loners of Labor Statistics met in Indian-polis, Ind., on the 22d, thirteen States sing represented.

Mrs. CLEVELAND has been invited, and will probably accept the invitation, to christen the new cruiser Baltimore, at Philadelphia, July 4.

A SENSATIONAL love affair exists in the family of the Prince of Wales, the father opposing an engagement of marriage made by Prince George.

The wife of Senator Sawyer, of Wiscon-in, died suddenly at Washington after a ingering illness, on the 21st, while her susband was at the Capitol.

The Pope's rescript has led to a falling out between Bishop Bonacum and Patrick Egan delegate-at-large to the National Republican convention.

Hoxo YES CHANG. of Brooklyn, N. Y., was among the successful applicants for admission to the bar of the State of New York, at Poughkeepsie, on the 17th.

At the meeting of Nationalists at Phoenix Park, Dublin, on the 20th, Mr. O'Brien said the Pope's rescript was worse than twenty years of Balfourian

Our hundred and twenty-five Hudson (N. Y.) firemen arrived in Washington, chithe 23d, to visit the Capitol and make a crip to Mount Vernon. They were received by the President.

A wenders party, on their way to the reacher's house, at Plymouth, Pa., on the od, ran over and killed a little girl. The thole party were arrested, and the maringe did not take place. THAL BOULANGER, on the 12d, ex-

ressed himself to a newspaper man who nterviewed him in Paris, as much d with the interest shown in Ameroncerning his policy.

The appropriation for the equipment and maintenance of the militia of the United States is this year placed at \$000,-000. Last year it was \$400,000, and previous to that \$200,000 annually.

Tunum steamships landed 2,007 immi-grants at Castle Garden on the 29th. The Umbria, from Liverpool, brought 667; the La Bretagne, from Harve, 741, and the Schiedam, from Amsterdam, 601.

Tax thirty-fifth annual conclave of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Pennsylvania opened in Philadelphia, on the 21st, with an informal reception by the various local commanderies.

THE cigar-makers of Toronto, Ont., struck on the 22d. They demand an increase of \$1 per 1,000 for mold work and \$2 per 1,000 for hand work, and a limitation of the number of apprentices.

The Senate finance committee, on the 24 ordered an adverse report on the fractional Currency bill, but in lieu thereof rill report a bill reducing the fee on costal notes of less than \$1 to one cent.

IN BATCHELDER, of Michigan, recently placed upon the pension rolls as the dependent father of a young man killed at Shiloh, is in his 104th year, and the oldest pensioner in the United States.

The letter-carriers' Eight-Hour bill, which has passed Congress and awaits the President's signature to become a law, will make places for 3,000 additional carriers and increase expenses next year

THE Senate committee on appropria-ions completed the Indian Appropriation till on the 23d. The reductions made in the House bill aggregate \$226,000, leaving the total appropriations now contained

Ir was decided by District Attorney Fellows of New York, on the 22d, not to press the indictment for grand larceny against Miss Dis DeBar, for the present, but to proceed to trial on the charge of

Tue funeral of Mrs. Sawyer, wife of the Visconsin Senator, took place, on the Sternoon of the 23d, from her late resi-No. 1830 I street, Washington. Wisconsin delegation attended in a The Senate adjourned out of re-

THE New York World, of the 20th, consined an interview between its special correspondent in Paris and Mr. Blaine, to thich the writer adds most positive assurances of Mr. Blaine's perfect and roust health.

ARRANGEMENTS are being made to cele-brate the anniversary of the battle of Get-ty-burg on July 1 next. The ceremonies will be conducted by the First Corps, on the battle-field where General John F.

THE iron manufacturers of the Maing valley have formed an associate with headquarters of V with headquarters at Youngstown, O., to oppose freight discrimination. They claim that for a long time the railroads have discriminated against them by charging high rates infavor of Pittaburgh

Notices were read in all the Cathelic churches of Washington, on the 20th, detailing the final arrangements for the correspondes incident to the laying of the correspondes incident to the laying of the charge of Cardinal Gibbons, and special rains will be run from Baltimore.

FIFTIETH CONGRESS

In the Senate, on the Stat, the proceedings were dull and spiritiess. Mr. Riddleberger's motion to reconsider his resolution to discuss the Fisheries trenty in open session was entertained. The Senate then proceeded to business on the calendar..... In the House, the bill creating the Department of Agriculture, the Comsular and Diplomatic Appropriation bill, and the District of Columbia Appropriation

Is the Senate, on the 22d, the rejection in se-cret session of the Riddleberger resolution to consider the Fisheries treaty in open session, and the discussion and passage in regular ses-sion of the bill to create a department of labor, were the principal points of interestIn the House the principal feature was the discus-sion of the bill to prohibit the sale of convict-labor goods outside of the State wherein they are produced.

In the Senate, on the 23d, after several bills had been reported from committees, the Senate, at 12:30 p. m., went into secret session. The doors were reopened at 1:30 p. m., and the Senate adjourned to enable a number of Senators to attend the feneral of the wife of Senator Sawyer. ... In the House Senate bills were passed granting right of way through the Lae De Finmbeau Indian reservation, in Wisconsia, to the Milwakee, Lake Shore & Western Italiroad Company. The House then went into committee of the whole on the Post-Office Appropriation bill.

PERSONAL AND GENERAL

Two following bonds were offered to the Government on the 21st: \$114,000 registered 4s, at 126% to 128; \$100 coupon 4s, at 127; \$07,500 registered 4%s, at 108 to 108%. Total, \$181,600. The following were

108%. Total, \$181,600. The following were accepted: \$5,000 registered 4s, at 126%; \$200 coupon 4s, at 127; \$500 registered 4%s, at 108. Total, \$5,700.

In the Southern Presbyterian General Assembly, at Baltimore, Md., on the 21st, the temperance question was again discussed. In the case of Rev. Mr. Woodrow, of South Carolina, the convention decided to allow each of the gentlemen who will take part in the discussion four hours.

hours.

THE River and Harbor bill was reported to the Senate, and ordered printed and recommitted, on the 21st.

GEORGE THOMAS, a peddler, shot and killed Maggie Wise, a divorced woman, in Cincinnati, on the 21st, and then shot himself through the temple and fell a corpse.

HENRY MUNERROOK, the Cincinnati saloon-keeper sentenced to the workhouse for keeping oven on Sunday, was released for keeping open on Sunday, was released by Judge Robertson, on the 21st, on the ground that the police court had no juris-

letion in the case.

THE Brooklyn Central Labor Union, at

its meeting, on the 20th, lifted the boycott on the boss brewers.

Wm. Kenn, of Cockeysville, Md., shot and seriously wounded his wife, on the 21st, and then killed himself.

The claim of Silas Gray, a private in the Union army, who in 1863 was sentenced to death for descrition (the sentence afterward being disapproved), for compensation for the time he was absent without the sentence of the se eave, was allowed by Second Comptrole

COLONEL A. W. Norris, Auditor-General of Pennsylvania, died at his residence in Philadelphia, on the 21st, of nervous pros-

tration.

THE slate-picker boys in the Henry Clay colliery at Shamokin, Pa., went on a strike on the 21st, throwing 3,000 men into enforced idleness. The trouble was caused by one of the bosses kicking a boy. Cossyable Potts, of Des Moines, Ia., was, on the 22d, sentenced to five months' imprisonment in the county jail and to pay a fine of \$100 for bribery in connection with liquor cases which he was prosenting.

THE steamer City of Berlin, which ar-red off Queenstown, on the 21st, from w York, was befogged ten hours, and e tender that went out to take off the mails and the passengers who desired to land at Queenstown was unable to locate her. The steamer, therefore, proceeded to Liverpool with her mails and passen-

FIFTEEN acres of land near Beloeil, Can., which had been plowed ready for sowing, sunk forty feet recently.

The House committee on Indian affairs ordered a favorable report on the bill to grant right of way through the Indian Territory to the St. Louis & San Francisco Railway Company on the 22d.

A BILL directed against Chinese immigration has passed the House of Deputies of the colony of New Zealand.

Mr. John Bright, the famous English

Mr. John Bright, the famous English political economist, is soon to be dubbed

LL. D. by the authorities of the University Quo warranto proceedings have been segun in the Supreme Court of Ohio grainst clubs incorporated to evade the

State Liquor law.

Four hundred and fifty New England Baptists, in attendance on the Baptist pathering in Washington, visited Richmond, Va., on the 22d, and were entermond, Va., on the 22d, and were entermond.

ined by the young ladies of the female The street-car drivers of Rochester, N. .. , struck, on the 22d, for ten hours' work a twelve consecutive hours.

In twelve consecutive hours.

In was reported, on the 22d, that a gang of six American burglare had arrived in Paris from Loudou, and that the police were watching them day and night.

Sanual Manx, a recent importation, was arrested in Boston, on the 22d, charged with forging a draft in Germany for 20,000

THE Biddleberger resolution to consider be Fisheries treaty in open session was efeated, on the 22d, by a vote of 28 to

THE old Congress Hall, West Philadel-his, of Centennial fame, was destroyed fire on the 22d. On the 15th, Daniel W. Barnes, of Char-

don, O., was acquitted of having mur-lered his first wife. On the 21st, he was arrested for deadly assault upon his sec-oud wife, whom he married a short time after the death of his first, and who was

GOVERNOR G. C. Lucz of Michigan, with State officers Taggart and Dix, visited the battle-field of Gettysburg on the 22d. Miss Williams, of West Philadelphia, christened the new steamer Monmouth, launched from the ways of Cramp's ship-yard, on the 22d. The immigrants landed at Castle Gar-den, New York City, on the 22d, numbered 3.73%.

WM. L. PUTSAN was nominated for Gov-rnor by the Maine Democratic State conntion on the 22d.

THE corner-stone of the new Catholic University at Washington was laid, with imposing ceremonies, on the 24th.

At the Wisconsin Prohibition State convention, which met at Madison, on the 23d, S.K. Hastings and P.C. Richmond, of Madison; E. G. Durant, of Racine, and Mrs. Amy Kellogg Morse, of Eau Claire, were elected delegates to the National convention.

THE House committee on appropriations, on the 23d, concurred in the Senate's amendment to the Fension Appropriation bill dating back to the death of husbands pensions granted to widows.

A SULLDING at the corner of Broadway and John streets, New York, in the course of demolition, caved in, on the 23d, burying five men in the ruins. The fourth floor had been entirely removed, and men were at work tearing down the second and third floors. The foreman felt the building shake, and ordered the men to come down, but before they could do so the building fell.

The Senate committee on mines and

Tue Senate committee on mines and mining agreed, on the 23d, to submit a favorable report on thebill allowing William McGarraghan to go before the Court of Claims with his famous Panoche Irande claim.

It was reported from Washington, on the 23d, that General Sheridan was seri-ously ill of nervous prostration. His physicians were very much concerned as to his condition.

A NOTICE has been posted in the Wayne Iron and Steel-works at Pittsburgh, Pa., that a reduction in wages of ten per cent. will be made when the mill resumes. THE National Park Bank of New York

has instituted suit in the Supreme Court against Charles I. De Baun, its defaulting sistant cashier, for the recovery of \$95 .-00, which it was found he was short in

THE City Council of New Orleans passed, over the mayor's veto, on the 22d, the ordinance taking from General Beaure-gard control of appointments in the De-partment of Public Works, of which he vas chosen commissioner at the last election. It is thought General Beaurepard will resign. It was announced, on the 23d, that the nedical staff in attendance upon the

Emperor of Germany was to be reduced, and that but one bulletin a week was to be issued regarding the Emperor's con-

THE Democratic State convention which met at Jackson, on the 23d, was the largest held in Mistissippi for years, every county being represented. The platform adopted eulogizes President Cleveland, and instructs the delegates in his favor.

THE J. Lusk Canning Company, of San Francisco, which made an assignment re-cently, filed an inventory, on the 22d, showing total liabilities to be \$254,000, and

total assets, \$40,000. CHARLES JACKSON, the sixteen-year old son of Edward Jackson, living in the north ern- part of Monroe County, Ind., was drowned while fishing on the 22d. He was seized with a fit and fell in the river.

THE eight-months' strike at the Black Diamond Steel-works at Pittsburgh, Pa., was officially declared off by the Knights of Labor on the 23d. The boycott has also been lifted, and the strikers are return-

The up-town central office of the Met-copolitan Telephone Company of New York was burned out on the 23d. Loss about \$50,000. The cause was the cross-ing of an electric-light wire with a tele-

THE strike of the street-car drivers of Rochester, N. Y., was settled, on the 23d. on terms favorable to the men.

LATE NEWS ITEMS.

In the Senate, on the 24th, the speech of Senator Stewart on the presidential v power was the marked feature of the da proceedings.......In the House, in addition to bills of no general interest, the Post-Office Appropriation bill was passed.

THE Girard (Pa.) wrench factory was burned, on the 24th, entailing a loss of 40,000.

THE Russian force in the trans-Caspian territories has been reduced. Don Panno was reported better on the

THE following congressional nominations were made, on the 24th, by the Maryland Democrats: At Baltimore, Third
district, Harry Welles Rusk, renominated; Fourth district, Isadore Raynor, renominated. At Frederick, Sixth district,
Colonel H. Kyd Douglas, of Hagerstown.
Lave news from China says that the
people from the flooded districts along
the Yellow river are to be encouraged
to emigrate.

A DISASTROUS conflagration occurred at Ohno, in Yechizen, China, on April & Out of 2,000 houses in the town 1,800 were destroyed and many people lost their

THE marriage of Prince Henry, of Prus-sia, to Princess Irene, of Hesse, was solem-nized in the chapel at Charlottenburg Castle on the 34th.

JUDGE WARELY, in a test case at Omaha, seb., has decided in favor of Sunday base-ball playing.

ALFRED DUNKEL, a Nebraska wife-murlerer, hung himself in the Columbus jail

GENERAL SHERIDAN was reported as reeling much better on the 28th. THE corner stone of the new Catholic University at Washington was laid, with

imposing ceremonles, on the 24th.

Two GENTLEMEN, named Richard N.
Ray and Thos. Chalow, occupying a buggy, were instantly killed by a passing train, near Roup Station, Pittsrgh, Pa., on the 24th.

burgh, Pa., on the 24th.

Two MEN were killed and two others fatally injured by a botler explosion in a saw-mill at Portage Station, near Bowling Green, O., on the 24th.

QUEEN VICTORIA'S birthday was duly celebrated throughout the Dominion of Canada, on the 24th, with all the old-time enthusiasm. Balutes, military parades, excursions and other festivities are re-

ported from numerous points.

Mas. Gronge Reed, of Napance, Elkhart County, Ind., took her three-monthsold child in her arms, on the 23d, and jumped into a well. Both were drowned. She left a note saying that she was tired of living, and would take her child with her to rest. Here age was twenty-

Tree.
It is said that Governor Hill of New York will retire from politics and return to the practice of law.
Union College, at Schenectady, N. Y., has elected Prof. Harrison Webster, of Rochester, president.

FRANCE AND ITALY.

The Recent Priction Has Thus Far Palled to Bring About Bloodshed, Notwith-standing the Efforts of the Hadicals on Hoth Sides of the Border.

Hoth Sides of the Border.

London, May 22.—The peculiarly selfish, and in many respects childish attitude assumed by Italy toward France, having failed to bring about an armed conflict between the two countries, it has remained for the Radical Deputies at Rome and Versailles to do what they can toward producing this result. It is true that Italy's policy toward France and other countries since her entrance into the triple alliance has been extremely arrogant, but it is doubtful whether it has been less offensive to France than it was before the Rome Government became a party to the Austro-German compact. In spite of the friction between the two countries, caused by the failure to conclude a commercial treaty, there is, perhaps, less trouble on the France-Italian border than there has been in several years, and the announcement that the French and Italian Radical Deputies contemplate holding a meeting to protest against the policy of Italy causes some surprise and no little amusement. In any rupture of commercial relations between France and Italy, the latter must inevitably get the worst of it, and it would seem to be a question of only a short time when the differences between the kingdom and the Republic will adjust themselves without resort to agitation. Deliberate discussion of a disputed point is undoubtedly essential to its settlement, but the assumption that French or Italian Radicals, and particularly a combination of both, can discuss any matter without making it worse than before is beyond all precedent, and altogether too closely allied to the impossible to warrant belief. before is beyond all precedent, and altogether too closely allied to the impossible to warrant belief.

DEATH FROM EXPOSURE.

A Weary Wanderer Who Died Among Strangers While Trying to Return to His Boyhood's Home.

Cincinnati, May 23.—Officer Hammond, while passing the intersection of Lower River road and Burns street, found lying in a freight car a young man who was very pale and almost unable to speak. It was learned from his slowly-whispered words that he had no money or friends, was sick and wanted to be cared for. He was taken to the hospital. He said his name was Thomas Wynne, twenty-six years old. Some years ago he left his home at Canton, Pa., and since that time had wandered over the country. Conhad wandered over the country. Con-cluding to return to his boyhood home, he walked until he reached some point in In-diana a week ago. All his efforts to obdiana a week ago. All his efforts to obtain work were in vain, and finally he was taken sick. One night last week he crawled into a freight car. His illness grew worse, and he hardly remembered feeling the car move. He had had nothing to eat since he lay down in the car. He was placed in the medical ward and given every possible attention, but at five o'clock he died. He seemed to be well educated, and said that he had prominent relations in Pennsylvania. The direct cause of death was exposure. cause of death was exposure.

STATISTICAL.

Vigures of Interest to Marine Men and Shippers in Relation to Internal Com-

DETROIT, Mich., May 22.—General O. M. Poe, United States Engineer, has just completed a special report to the Chief Engineer at Washington which is of great interest to marine men and shippers and to the country at large, in view of the present discussion on the improve-ment of the St. Mary's Falls canal and the Hay Lake channel and the "Soo" route generally. The gist of the report is contained in the following figures: Down freight, 3,749,436 tons; up freight, 1,745,213 tons; total, 5,494,649 tons. Average distance each ton was carried by water, 81.4 miles; total freight charges, including terminal charges, \$10,075,153; average freight charges per ton per mile,

The Bureau of Statistics gives the average freight charges per ton per mile on the trunk railroads for the year 1886 in round numbers at Ic. Thus the average freight charges by rail compared with those by water appear to be as 811 to 812.

Upon this basis the \$10,075,133 representing the cost of freight transportation by this water route during the season of 1887 would have been, if the freight had been carried by rail, \$44,632,283. To realize what this benefit means it is only necessary to state that it represents more than ten times the cost of improving the canal and St. Mary's river to the present time, or about six times the estimated cost of the proposed further improvement.

BRAZILIAN EMANCIPATION.

An Ensetment Brief, But to the Point, ting a Million Slaves and Appr tices-The Late Bondmen's Conjugal Re-

NEW YORK, May 22.—The Herald this morning publishes a letter from Rio De Janeiro, dated April 28, containing the provisions of the Emancipation law recently passed by the Brazilian Legislature. The Emancipation bill is very short, having only five brief articles:

First Declaring free from the date of the bill all slaves in the Empire.

Second. Relieving from further the free-born children of slave m Third. Localizing the new freedmen ithin their counties for two years.

Fourth. Empowering the executive to saue the necessary regulations. Pifth. Revoking all contrary provis-

It is estimated that the law emanci-pates six hundred thousand slaves and relieves from apprenticeship four hun-dred thousand children of slave mothers Previous to the passage of the law, the voluntary emancipation movement had taken firm root in the provinces of Rio De Janeiro and Minas Geraes. One notable fact in connection with the freeing of the slaves is the anxiety of the freedmen to legalize their unsanctified conjugal unions and to legitimize their offspring, as the Brazilian law humanely permits by after magnings.

Hard on the Settlers.

New York, May 22.—A Kansas City special says: Suits have been begun in the United States Court at Denver, Col., minst ninety-seven farmers in the art of San Luis Valley, the lands b claimed by a Dutch company called the United States Freehold, Land and Immigration Company. The suits involve half a dozen villages, including San Luis, the county seat of Costilla County. The com-

NATIONAL DEMOCRACY.

grangements Made in St. Louis to Assure a Good Time for Those Who Attend the National temperatic Convention—Music, Paradra, Illuminations, Excursions, Han-

St. Louis, May 22.—The committee of arrangements for the National Democratic Convention have completed the official programme for convention week, and it is now in the hands of the printer and will be issued the present week in elaborate form. The programme is as

SATURDAY, JUNE 2.

7 p. m.—Inspection of decorations and appointments of the nave in the Exposition building by the committee.

7:20 p. m.—Opening of the hall.

8 p. m.—Grand pre'immary concert by Postle waite's Band.

TUESDAY, JUNE 5.

9 a. m. -Opening of Convention Hall to the

delogates.

7:30 p. m.—Hilumination of Olive street from Brondway to Fourteenth.

8 p. m.—Grand parade of military, Fire Department, uniformed societies and uniformed political clubs, resident and visiting.

8:30 p. m.—Review of parade in front of Exposition building by president and delegates to the convention.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 6.

9 a. m.—Continuance of convention.

8 p. m.—Diumination.

8:30 p. m.—Grand pyrotechnic display on the

THURSDAY, JUNE 7.

Complimentary banquets.
 Steamboat excursion, to be timed with adourament of convention.
 N. m.—Illumination.

Sp. m—Illumination.

The opening of the hall on Saturday, with a preliminary concert, is for the purpose of giving the committee an opportunity to carefully inspect the appointment of the nave and pass upon the decorations, in order that any additional work decided necessary can be done Monday. The illumination Tuesday night will be complete from Broadway to Fourteenth. The illumination Tuesday night will be complete from Broadway to Fourteenth, and a grand display is anticipated. In addition to the many pyramids and trees of lights, there will be double arches at Fourth, Twelfth and Fourteenth streets, with illuminated portraits of many of America's distinguished statesmen, both departed and living. The arrangements for the grand parade are perfected, and it will be an imposing and memorable event. There will be perfect arrangements for the review at the Exposition building. The pyrotechnic display on the river Wednesday night will be one of the grandest ever seen, and the festivities of the week will be at their height on that evening. The committee the festivities of the week will be at their height on that evening. The committee has perfected arrangements for the delegates to the convention to view the fireworks, which will be highly appreciated for convenience and comfort. The arrangements for the banquets and steamboat excursion Thursday will be timed to suit the delegates, and will depend upon the adjournment of the convention. The illumination of Thursday night will be the farewell event. the farewell event.

A DOUBLE WRECK.

Terrible Destruction of Sailroad Property a Double Wreck Near Randoly uri –At Leust Two Lives Lost.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 24.-A double Kansas City, Mo., May 24.—A double wreck occurred yesterday morning at a small creek, one mile east of the Milwaukee bridge, at Randolph, and five miles from this city. The accident was caused by the giving way of the bridge spanning the creek. Many cars and two engines were precipitated into the water, four men were killed and three badly injured. A little before three o'clock an eastbound freight train on the Rock Island railroad approached the creek at a high rate of approached the creek at a high rate of speed in order to clear the way for the eastbound freight on the Hannibal & St. Joe railroad. The Rock Island uses the Hannibal track between Kansas City and Cameron. Just before the engine ed the bridge Engineer Pete Weltzer noticed the structure early to the water, which was run-He shouted to Fireman Snyder to jump. Before they had time to do so the train dashed on to the bridge and both Weltzer dashed on to the bridge and both Weltzer and Snyder were thrown into the creek. They escaped with slight injuries. Five freight cars, loaded to their utmost capacity, then piled in the creek in an indiscriminate mass, splintering and mashing the cars, and throwing their contents into the water and on the banks. The engine, No. 533, got over the bridge safely, but was pulled back by the tender, and stands upon end far above the debris. Y. Royston, a brakeman, was on top of one of the freight cars which went into the creek, and was instantly killed, being mashed beyond recognition. Royston was a married man, and lived at Elgerton Junction, Kas. nd lived at Elgerton Junction, Kas. Brakeman Edward C. Anderson was sent thead to flag the Hannibal freight. He mistook the tracks, and walked along on the Wabash track in the direction of the Milwaukee bridge, and was run over and killed by a Wabash freight.

It was just ten minutes after the wreck ing of the Rock Island train when the Wabash freight, composed of an engine and twelve box cars, heavily laden, came and twelve box cars, heavily laden, came thundering along. The wreck was not discovered by the engineer. Benjamin Mc-Clellan, until it was too late to stop the train. He sounded the whistle, and the engineer, fireman and brakeman jumped from the train. In jumping, Engineer Mc-Clellan was thrown against a pile of ties, his scalp was torn in several places, and one of his legs broken. At this time the men about the week heard heart-rending shrieks. this time the men about the wreck heard heart-rending shricks, and saw two men standing on top of the approaching train. They were gesticulating and shouting for help. Their cries were drowned by the horrible crash which followed. The Wabash bridge was parallel to that of the Hannibal, and distant from it only about two feet. They were braced together, and the braces. Instead of this bridge breaking it turned to one side, throwing the engine into the creek, and pulling elsven cars on top of it. The engine is completely demolished, and the cars are broken into splinters. The wreck of the Wabash train was more disastrous than that of the Rock Island.

GREENVILLE, Miss., May 22.—Three horrible and unjustifiable crimes were
avenged yesterday by the hanging of one
white man named Graham and two negroes named David Moore and Willard
Hall. The execution took place in the jail yard at Bolivar, the county seat of Bolivar County. About two thousand peo-ple witnessed the hanging. David Moore, a large negro, had killed one of his com-pensions during a game of dice. Willard Hall, a big aix-footer, white drunk, killed a fifteen-year-old boy. Graham the white man was about twenty-five years old and of rather a delicate appearance. He was hanged for Filling two white men on gunflower river.

It is agreed upon a date, and the were withdrawn. Kennedy immediately were withdrawn. Kennedy immediately as three-mile race, with a turn, three after the series of the series

ANOTHER SOUVENIR

Mrs. Cleveland the Recipient of Another Token From Mr. Goo. W. Childs, &s a Souvenir of Her Visit to Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, May 25.—Mrs. Cleveland devoted several hours yesterday to sight-seeing and visiting different places of interest in the city. Shortly before noon, Mr. Geo. W. Childs repaired to the Academy of Music, where, according to previous arrangements, he was conducted to Mrs. Cleveland, and shortly afterwards, and in company with Rev. Charles Wood and Mrs. Wood, of Germantown, with whom the President's wife is stopping during her brief stay in the city; Miss Wood, of Scarborough, N. Y.; Mrs. Wister, Morris and Miss Hoy, of Bellefont, Pa., took carriages and were driven to the Ledger office, where the party was joined by Mayor Pittler and J. G. Rosengarten. The visitors J. G. Rosengarten. The visitor, were conducted to Mr. Childs' private were conducted to Mr. Childs' private office, where they at once became inerested in the many souvenirs for with that sanctum is famous. Mrs. Clevelant was especially pleased with the many handsome and choice relies of General Grant's trip abroad, and was also entertained with Mr. Childs' description of the historic reminiscences connected with his large collection of clocks and other fruits of a life's collection of relies. Arranged on a table in the outer office leading up to Mr. Childs' sanctum, were several com-Mr. Childs' sanctum, were several com-plete sets of silver desk ornaments, numplete sets of silver desk ornaments, num-bering about sixty in all, each set being of different design. After Mrs. Cleveland had inspected the different relics, she was invited by Mr. Childs into the outer office, and conducted to the table upon which the silver ornaments were displayed.

"As a memento of your visit to-day", said Mr. Childs, "I desire to present you with one of these sets. You can make your own selection".

"They are all so pretty that it is difficult

"They are all so pretty that it is difficult to determine which is the handsomest," said Mrs. Cleveland, smiling.

With the aid of the other ladies, she selected a set, and it was forwarded to the White House yesterday afternoon. All the ladies, including Mrs. Cleveland, were also presented by Mr. Childs with a handsome cup and saucer. A visit was then made to Independence Hall, after which the party proceeded to Drexel's banking house, and were introduced to the members of the firm.

At half-past one o'clock the sight-seeing trip was brought to a termination,
and the carriages conveyed the entire
party to the Bellevue Hotel, where a number of ladies and gentlemen had assembled in one of the parlors, on the invitation of Mr. Childs, to meet the distinguished lady.

At two o'clock a lunch was partaken of,
as which the fallowing were present: at which the following were present: Mrs. Cleveland, Rev. and Mrs. Chas. Wood, Miss Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W.

Childs, Dr. and Mrs. S. Weir Mitchell, Dr. J. M. Da Costa, Dr. and Mrs. Samuel
W. Gross, John C. Bullit, Mrs. S. Hayes,
of Paris; Robert H. McCarter, of New
York, and J. G. Rosengarten.
Mrs. Cleveland's stay at the Bellevue
was prolonged for several hours, and on
leaving the hotel with Rev. and Mrs. Wood, they took a train for the latter's residence in Germantown. Mrs. Cleveland will depart for Princeton, N. J., this morning, where she will be the guest of Prof. Maynard, of the College of New Jer.

sey, for several days.

GENERAL SHERIDAN'S ILLNESS His Malady Much More Serious The His Friends Were Willing to Have Make

New York, May 24.—The Herald has the following from its Washington corre apondent: From thoroughly reliable sources it is learned that the story of General Sheridan's illness was only half told. He has been very ill, indeed dantold. He has been very ill, indeed dan-gerously so. For twenty-four hours from Monday noon his condition was such as to cause his family and physicians to fear his demise at any moment. He had a stroke of apoplexy. Being the second stroke he has had, the alarm of the family and physicians can well be understood. On account of the efforts of members of the household and other intimate friends to conceal the true facts, it is difficult to learn just when the first symptoms appeared, but from the same relible source above referred to, it is know that no less than five physicians were it consultation on Monday night and Tuesday morning, and that three surgeons—O'Reilly and Harvey, of the army, and Dr. Yarrow—were in attendance O'Reilly and Harvey, of the army, and Dr. Yarrow—were in attendance all night Monday night. It is also positively asserted that a priest was seen to hurriedly enter the house simultaneously with the doctors at a time when all was excitement in the General's chamber above. The priest remained in the house all night, showing that the family was prepared for the worst. It was not until noon yesterday that he showed marked signs of improvement. He was then able to sleep naturally sitting in a chair. He has continued to improve and is now believed to be past the critical stage.

THE ROYAL WEDDING.

Marriage of Prince Henry of Prussia and Princess Irone of Hesse.

Bunilis, May 24.—The marriage of Prince Henry of Prussia to Princess Irene of Hesse was solemnized to-day in the chapel at Charlottenburg Castle. The town was crowded with people who were anxious to catch a glimpae of the royal party. When General Von Moltke arrived he was cheered enthusiastically by the thousands waiting on the outside jof the castle. At noon all the bells of Charlottenburg were rung to announce that the ceremony had begun in the chapel, and a sainte of thirty-six guns at 12:30 o'clock announced that the bride and bridegroom had exchanged rings. Emperor Freder had exchanged rings. Emperor Frederick and the Dowager Empress Augusti were present at the ceremony. Prince Henry and Crown Prince William were dressed in full naval uniform. Prince William were present at the ceremony. Henry and Princess Irene are first cousins, the Prince being the second set of Emperor Frederick and his bride the third daughter of Grand Duke Ludwig of Hesse. Both are grand-children of Queen Victoria.

Woncester, Mass., May 25. — John Teemer and Albert Hamm, his trainer, left here yesterday for Boston. Teemer is in fine condition for his race with Gaudatr on Decoration Day. A dinner complimentary to Teemer was given here

Gaudatr on Decoration Day. A disn't complimentary to Teemer was given here Wednesday by Commodore Coburn.

Negotiations for a match between J. W. Kennedy and Fred Plaisted came to an end Wednesday evening, the men failing to agree upon a date, and the deposits to agree upon a date, and the