

WATSON PREPARED TO ACT. THE POPULIST NOMINEE TIRED OF BEING SNUBBED.

EXPECTED TO RETIRE FROM THE BIFURCATED POPOCRATIC TICKET OR CALL ON HIS PARTY FOR A RUNNING MATE IN PLACE OF BRYAN.

Atlanta, Ga., Oct. 1.—The Impression is abroad here and is fast ripening into a conviction that Thomas E. Watson, the Populist candidate for Vice-President, is on the point either of leaving the ticket or calling on his party to give him another running mate than Bryan.

PANIC CAUSED BY FIRE.

SEVERAL PERSONS BADLY HURT AT THE WOODLAWN REPUBLICAN CLUB'S MEETING.

In the course of a Republican political meeting at Woodlawn last night, a small boy knocked over a kerosene lamp. A panic followed, and several persons were seriously injured.

WORK OF THE VENEZUELAN COMMISSION.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—The members of the Venezuelan Commission will resume their discussion of the boundary question next week at their headquarters here, when the evidence collected and studied independently during the last few months will be compared and arranged for incorporation in the report on the final determination of the true division line.

MINING PROPERTY ON THE RISE.

Colon, Colombia, Oct. 1.—Advices received here from British Guiana are to the effect that the yield of gold in that country is steadily increasing and mining property is rising in value.

HER OWN WAY OR DEATH.

A HEADSTRONG GIRL COMMITS SUICIDE.

THE SIXTEEN-YEAR OLD DAUGHTER OF THE PROPRIETOR OF THE HOTEL AMERICA TAKES POISON BECAUSE SHE WAS NOT ALLOWED TO RETURN TO SCHOOL WHEN SHE WANTED TO.

The suicide of Charlotte E. Beruth, sixteen years old, the daughter of A. T. Beruth, proprietor of the Hotel America, at No. 15 Irving Place, was announced yesterday, after the body of the girl had been buried in Woodlawn Cemetery.

A LAD CRUSHED TO DEATH.

KILLED WHILE RIDING HIS BICYCLE.

AN EXPRESS WAGON COMING IN FROM A CROSS STREET BORE DOWN UPON HIM AND HE WAS TRAMPLED UNDER THE HORSES FEET.

Another bicyclist met death yesterday while pursuing his favorite sport in the streets of the city. The victim was Walter Harris, fifteen years old, who lived at No. 329 East Fifty-seventh-st.

FRANCE AND RUSSIA WILL MAINTAIN ITS INTEGRITY.

Berlin, Oct. 1.—A Constantinople dispatch to the "Tagblatt" says that the German Government, publishing a statement that France and Russia are resolved to maintain the integrity of Turkey and the status quo in the East.

A NEW LEAGUE FOR TURKEY.

London, Oct. 1.—The Vienna correspondent of "The Daily Mail" telegraphs that the Powers have agreed upon a pacific settlement of the Eastern question which is honorable to all parties.

IS IT ANOTHER PRESS CANARD?

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WEDGED BETWEEN TWO CARS.

AN ACCIDENT TO A CAB WITNESSED BY BIG THEATRE CROWDS.

THE DRIVER SUFFERS A SEVERE SCALP WOUND—CABLE-CARS BLOCKED FOR A LONG DISTANCE AT A MOST INCONVENIENT TIME.

Just as the audience of the Olympia, at Broadway, Forty-fourth and Forty-fifth sts., were pouring into the street after the performance last night, a peculiar accident, in which two cable-cars and a cab were involved, took place in front of the music hall.

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Jacksonville, Fla., Oct. 1.—Although only meagre reports of the destruction wrought by the hurricane of Tuesday night in this State have as yet been received here, it is known that more than twenty towns and villages were wrecked.

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MORRISON BEHIND THE BARS.

Tray, N. Y., Oct. 1.—County Treasurer George H. Morrison of Rensselaer County, who was placed under arrest yesterday afternoon on warrants sworn out by Melvin R. Millus, chairman of the Finance Committee of the Rensselaer County Supervisors.

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