NEW SYSTEM OF GOVERNMENT IN PHILIPPINES

MacArthur Will Be the Supreme Head of the Islands.

Taft Commission to Co-operate With Him and Formulate Necessary Rules for Establishment of a Civil Government.

Special Dispatch to The Call.

CALL BUREAU, WELLINGTON HOTEL, WASHINGTON, Aug. 6.—Major General MacArthur will divide his power in the Philippines on September 1 with the Taft Commission. Notwithstanding the reverses recently suffered by the Americans and lessons that the Filipinos are not yet subdued, the administration purposes to inaugurate a policy of combined military and civil government on the date mentioned. General MacArthur will be the supreme head of the islands and the commission will be co-ordinate with him, one being the executive branch of the Philippine government and the other the legislative branch. The commission will sit in Manila. Its jurisdiction will extend over all the islands.

As explained to-day by a high official of the Government all that section of General MacArthur's work which may be considered as of a legislative character will be transferred to it. For instance, it will make such rules and regulations as may be needful for the establishment of civil government, and which may be amendatory of the order issued on this subject by Major General Otis. If it sees fit it can amend the orders relating to marriages and divorce, prescribing rates of duty, and for the administration of private schools. It will have certain powers in the matter of appointment of officers, particularly in the schools. One of its first acts will be to issue an order establishing civil service law.

It is not proposed that the commission shall establish civil government except at points where the military situation admits of such conditions. It will co-operate with the military to assure the natives of the purpose of the United States and to treat them with consideration. Fear is expressed, however, that the insurgents will urge a few Chinese to continue their resistance and to pay no attention to the statements of the commission, basing their predictions of success upon the necessity of the American Government devoting its energies to the restoration of peace and order in China.

FIVE KILLED IN AN ARKANSAS WRECK

Switch Fails to Work and Passenger Train Crashes Into the Caboose of a Freight.

PINE BLUFF, Ark., Aug. 6.—A collision occurred on the St. Louis Southwestern (Cotton Belt Railroad) at Aurich, forty miles north of here, in which five men were killed and two seriously injured. The dead:

C. A. GAINEY, brakeman, Jonesboro, Ark.

FRANK SAMPLE, conductor, Pine Bluff, Ark.

—— LUTHER, brakeman, Thayer, Mo.

Brakeman, name unknown, Thayer, Mo.

Unknown telepraph operator.

The injured: James T. Frazer, fractured arm and badly bruised; C. A. Ellis, fireman, seriously injured.

Freight No. 15 took the siding to allow southbound passenger train No. 3 to pass. The switch failed to work and the passenger train crashed into the caboose of the freight train at full speed, killing or wounding the occupants. The passenger engine and baggage car were turned over and are complete wrecks.

LONG OPPOSED TO THE "MALE SHIRT WAIST"

Clerks in Navy Department Must Wear Coats Irrespective of Atmospheric Conditions.

Special Dispatch to The Call.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6.—Secretary Long has officially frowned on the male shirt waist idea which has taken something of a hold in Washington. In the Navy Department, at least, he has nipped in the bud the growing sentiment in favor of giving men the same rights as women in the matter of hot weather clothing.

This morning a Navy Department clerk of the male sex, properly and neatly attired in all respects but for the absence of his coat stepped into one of the Navy Department elevators and said: "Third floor, please." But the car did not move, and the conductor politely but firmly told the young man that it was the Secretary's orders that no one should be allowed to ride in the elevators with his coat off. The same rule applies to sitting at desks in public offices of the department or in private offices liable to invasion by visitors.

YOUNG MAN BEATS HIS AUNT TO DEATH

Mob Threatens to Lynch Him and He Is Hurried Away From the Scene of the Tragedy.

BRANDEBURG, Ky., Aug. 6.—The horribly mutilated body of Mrs. Annie Brunton, a widow 30 years of age, was found on the Cedar Grove road this morning.

Bloodstains on the fingers of Mrs. Brunton's nephew, Jesse Durham, caused his arrest, and he later confessed the murder and was hurried to Louisville as a lynching seemed certain.

Durham killed Mrs. Brunton with a hickory club while they were returning from a church wedding. He is 27 years old and recently left an insane asylum.

ADLAI E. STEVENSON'S PLAN OF CAMPAIGN

CHICAGO, Aug. 6.—Adlai E. Stevenson, Democratic nominee for the Vice Presidency, arrived here to-night from his home in Bloomington, Ill., en route to Indianapolis. He said:

"After the Indianapolis meeting I will make my first address in Chicago, August 15, the occasion being the meeting of the United Irish Societies. On August 21 I go to Sedalia, Mo., where I will speak at the opening of the Missouri campaign. I will also speak in Indianapolis, September 15, when the Democratic National Clubs meet there. This is all the speech-making I will do until the latter part of September, when the campaign will open in earnest."

Stevedores on Strike.

BALTIMORE, Aug. 6.—All the union stevedores in Baltimore, numbering about 2500, went on strike to-day because the steamship agents refused to agree to employ no more non-union men. The trouble began several days ago. This morning the leaders of the union presented to the agents an agreement binding them to employ union men exclusively, which the agents declined to sign. The strike was then ordered and promptly obeyed. A large number of non-union men are at work to-night and as yet there have been no attempts on the part of the strikers to interfere with them.

Railroad Changes.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Aug. 6.—Raymond Dupuy, the new general manager of the St. Joseph and Grand Island, started today to shake up the engineering department and called for the resignation of G. P. Smith, the chief engineer. This means that a clean sweep will be made, as has been the case in other departments of the road. H. E. Fernstone, chief engineer of the Maple Leaf at St. Paul, has been offered the position of chief engineer of the Grand Island.

BURGHERS ARE PRACTICALLY IN THE LAST DITCH

General Botha's Commando Now Consists of Sixty-Three Men.

Peace Party Now Holds the Upper Hand and Kruger May Be Expelled From the Orange Free State.

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LONDON, Aug. 6.—A dispatch to the Daily Telegraph from Lourenzo Marques to-day states that a Frenchman just returned from the Boer front confirms telegrams which have been received during the last few days describing the pitiable picture of the Boer position.

General Botha's commando, originally 750, now consists of only sixty-three, and other commandos have been reduced in like proportion owing to desertions. The remaining burghers have divided into two parties, one for peace and the other for war. The peace party is the stronger. A resolution is imminent which may result in the expulsion of Kruger from the Orange Free State. Whatever happens the government will be transferred to Lydenburg soon.

A special dispatch from Pretoria, dated August 5, says General Lord Kitchener has narrowed the circle around Dewet and Steyn by driving out the enemy from one of the flank positions which he held.

Stormy Scene in House.

LONDON, Aug. 6.—One of the stormiest scenes of the present session of the House of Commons occurred this evening when William Ashmead Burdett-Coutts, Conservative member for Westminster, demanded greater powers for the hospital commission to investigate the management of the military hospital in South Africa. He declared that the truth would not be learned under the present plan of investigation, as the soldiers would be afraid to testify. A. J. Balfour, Government leader, in the course of a bitter reply, accused Mr. Burdett-Coutts of "maligning the character of the British army," and sneered at what he called the "honorable member's evident nervousness as to the result of the inquiry." He poured a verbal lava tide of scorn and attack, some of his utterances being almost inaudible amid the din arising from the Liberal benches.

Stowe Is Safe.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6.—Assistant Secretary of State Candler to-day received a private letter from Consul Stowe, in South Africa, written July 11, just prior to Mr. Stowe's trip into the Boer country. The latter speaks of a contemplated ten-day vacation, indicating that it will be purely for pleasure and the restoration of his health. This is the only word received from Mr. Stowe on the subject and the department has no information concerning the report from South Africa that the railroad train on which Mr. Stowe was traveling was besieged and almost captured by a large force of Boers.

FEW STARTERS IN THE RACES AT BRIGHTON BEACH

NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—Scratches all but ruined the racing at Brighton Beach today. Withdrawals were so numerous that there was one three-horse field, three four-horse fields and two six-horse fields. The Winged Foot handicap was the only fixture decided and only three horses faced the starter. Tower of Candles was the legitimate favorite, but he opened up at 3 to 5 and went to 11 to 10, while the wise ones played Princess Pepper from 8 to 5 to 7 to 5. Bowen, the other starter, got some play at 5 to 1. Princess Pepper got the best of the start, led all the way and won easily. Results:

One and a sixteenth miles, selling—Golden Sceptre won, Borough second, Lioness third. Time, 1:47 4-5.

Five furlongs—Glenellie won, G W W second, Alea third. Time, 1:01.

One and a sixteenth miles—Kamara won, Prince McClurg second, Belle of Troy third. Time, 1:42 4-5.

Winged Foot handicap, five furlongs—Princess Pepper won, Bowen second, Tower of Candles third. Time, 1:01.

Selling, six furlongs—Rikki Tikki Tavi won, Prestidigitator second, Pink Domino third. Time, 1:13 2-5.

Selling, one and a quarter miles—Alsike won, Rare Perfume second, Flaxspinner third. Time, 2:06 4-5.

CHICAGO, Aug. 6.—Harlem results:

Six furlongs—Onamastus won, Hermoso second, Sly third. Time, 1:13.

Six and a half furlongs—Heigh Ho won, L T Caton second, Rival Dare third. Time, 1:19½.

Steeplechase—Globe II won, Passe Partout second, Last Past third. Time, 3:37 2-5.

One mile—Orimar won, John A. Morris second, Boney Boy third. Time, 1:40.

Five furlongs—Silverdale won, Money Muss second, Satin Coat third. Time, 1:01.

One mile and fifty yards—Papa Harry won, Blue Lick second, Owensboro third. Time, 1:44 2-5.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 6.—Results:

Mile and a quarter, selling—Chorus Boy won, El Derim second, Orris third. Time, 2:09½.

Six and a half furlongs, selling—Madrone won, Free Lady second, W. J. Baker third. Time, 1:21¾.

Six furlongs—Grantor won, Odnor second, Necklace third. Time, 1:14½.

Handicap, six furlongs—The Light won, Tom Collins second, Diana Fonso third. Time, 1:14¼.

One and a sixteenth miles—Lady Callahan won, Eugenia S second, Hottentot third. Time, 1:48½.

Five and a half furlongs—Obia won, Tony Lepping second, Wall third. Time, 1:09¾.

DETROIT, Aug. 6.—Results at Windsor:

Six furlongs—Iola won, Trune second, Rideout third. Time, 1:13½.

Six and a half furlongs—George H Ketcham won, R. Q. Ban second, Juanetta third. Time, 1:21.

Seven furlongs—Chappaqua won, Beguile second, Master Mariner third. Time, 1:27.

One mile—Alcaskey won, Flora Daniels second, Peter Duryea third. Time, 1:42.

Steeplechase—Covington Ky won, Poorlands second, N. C. Creed third. Time, 2:54.

One mile and a sixteenth—Fantasy won, Little Reggie second, Earl Fonso third. Time, 1:48.

DETROIT, Aug. 6.—All the betting choices won at Highland Park to-day. Results:

Six furlongs—Jennie won, Spaldy Y second, Sir Florian third. Time, 1:14.

Four and a half furlongs—Edgeworth won, Toad Rainey second, Ida Quicklime third. Time, :56.

One mile—Baffled won, Hungarian second, Lady of the West third. Time, 1:41.

Seven furlongs—John Yerkes won, Chopin second, Royal Sterling third. Time, 1:26½.

Six and a half furlongs—Springwells won, Sweet Caporal second, Come Quick third. Time, 1:20.

Six and a half furlongs—Left Bower won, Mattlock second, Nimrod third. Time, 1:20¾.

SARATOGA, N. Y., Aug. 6.—Iroquois Belle won the Hendrie stakes this afternoon with ease. The track was slow, on account of Sunday's rain.

The first of the $5000 all-aged races has been set down for decision on Thursday. It is called the Beverwick Brewing Company's handicap and will be at a mile. Following are the allotted weights:

Batten 118, Bannockburn 117, Sanders 117, Admiration 116, Fly by Night 113, Firearm 110, Rockton 108, Martimas 107, Charentus 106, Gonfalon 105, Macleod of Dare 102, Mayor Gilroy 102, Wait Not 100, Autum 95. Results:

Five furlongs—Dublin won, McAddie second, Scurry third. Time, 1:03½.

Selling, mile—Peat won, Specific second, Rinaldo third. Time, 1:42¾.

Hendrie stakes, $1000 added, one mile and a sixteenth—Iroquois Belle won, Killashandra second, Motley third. Time, 1:49¾.

Selling, seven furlongs—Lieber Karl won, Dolando second, Morey third. Time, 1:27¼.

Handicap, one mile—McMeekin won, Queen of Song second, First Whip third. Time, 1:41.

Buffalo Circuit Races.

BUFFALO, Aug. 6.—About 2500 people crossed the river to-day to attend the opening of the Buffalo grand circuit meeting held at the Fort Erie, Ont., track today. Weather fine. Results:

2:19 trot, purse $1200—York Boy won second, fourth and fifth heats. Time, 2:12½, 2:13¾, 2:15½. Dillonite won the third heat in 2:15½. Senator K won the first heat in 2:13½. Palm Leaf, Kellmont, Abdul Meer and Metrall also started.

2:16 pace, purse $2000—Winola won in straight heats. Time, 2:11½, 2:12¾, 2:15½. Joe Gham, Ferrum, Emoine, Electrite, Alice J, Beauty Spot and Lolita also started.

2:19 class, trotting, purse $2000—Boaroma won in three straight heats in 2:19¾, 2:13¾, 2:14½. Elliot, Letah S, Iris O, Katie McCracken and Larabie the Great also started.

CINCINNATI LOSES TWO STRAIGHT GAMES

Philadelphia Plays Listlessly and Falls an Easy Victim to the Pittsburg Nine.

CORRECT STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

Clubs—	W.	L.	Pct.	Clubs—	W.	L.	Pct.
Brooklyn	53	30	.638	Chicago	42	42	.500
Philadelphia	45	38	.542	St. Louis	38	44	.463
Pittsburg	45	39	.536	Cincinnati	38	48	.442
Boston	42	42	.500	New York	31	49	.387

CINCINNATI, Aug. 6.—Boston won both games to-day by timely batting and rallies in the final inning. Sensational fielding was plentiful in both games. Score, first game:

Clubs—	R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	1	5	0
Boston	4	11	3

Batteries—Phillips and Peitz; Dineen and Clarke. Umpire—Swartwood.

Score, second game:

Clubs—	R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	3	6	3
Boston	4	8	1

Batteries—Newton and Peitz; Lewis and Sullivan. Umpire—Swartwood.

PITTSBURG, Aug. 6.—The Philadelphia team played listless ball to-day and fell easy victims to the Pittsburgs. Attendance, 2600. Score:

Clubs—	R.	H.	E.
Pittsburg	7	10	1
Philadelphia	3	12	4

Batteries—Chesbro and O'Connor; Donohue, Douglass and Murphy. Umpire—O'Day.

CHICAGO, Aug. 6.—Brooklyn pounded Cunningham hard in the first five innings, evening up the score, but made only two singles after that. Attendance, 1400. Score:

Clubs—	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	8	9	1
Brooklyn	7	12	2

Batteries—Cunningham and Chance; Kennedy and Farrell. Umpire—Hurst.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 6.—Powell was in superb form to-day. Attendance, 2100. Score:

Clubs—	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	3	3	0
New York	0	4	0

Batteries—Powell and Criger; Hawley and Bowerman. Umpire—Emslie.

By Wheel From Ocean to Ocean.

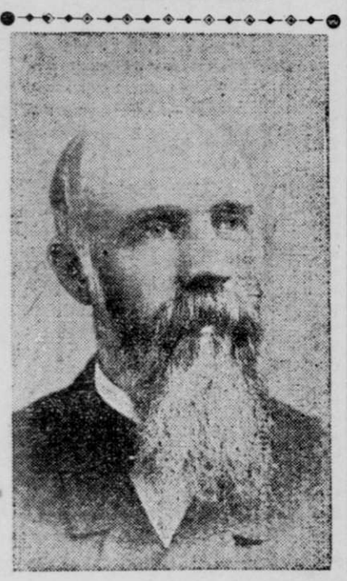
SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 6.—M. E. Backenstoss reached Seattle to-day, having ridden his bicycle or walked where the roads were bad all the way from New York. He claims to have made the trip in eighty-one days.

JAPAN WILL KEEP COOLIES AT HOME

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6.—A dispatch has been received at the Japanese Legation here from the Japanese Foreign Office announcing that the Government of Japan had prohibited for the present the emigration of all Japanese laborers to the United States and Canada.

WITNESS OF FAY MURDER IS NOW INSANE

Experience With Train Robbers Wrecks the Nerves of a Denver Man.



W. J. FAY OF ANAHEIM, WHO WAS KILLED BY TRAIN ROBBERS IN COLORADO.

Special Dispatch to The Call.

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., Aug. 6.—J. Olinger of Denver, Colo., is in the County Jail here in a demented condition, caused by excitement and fright in the hold-up by robbers on the Union Pacific near Hugo, Colo., Saturday night, in which W. J. Fay of Anaheim, Cal., was killed. Olinger is a Denver undertaker and was formerly a barber in Bloomington. He had not been here for fifteen years and was coming on a visit.

He became violently insane on the Chicago and Alton train coming from Kansas City and was taken in charge at Mason City, Ill., by the Sheriff and brought here. He was in the same seat with Fay when the latter was killed by robbers.

Olinger is rational at times, but when his mind reverts to the robbery he loses all control of himself and is apparently overcome by fear. He says the robbers shot at him several times, and there is a bullet hole in his valise. His wife wired from Denver asking his condition and that he be given every attention.

HUGO, Colo., Aug. 6.—The officers who are searching for the robbers who held up the Union Pacific and murdered William J. Fay, one of the passengers, Sunday morning have been working with very small clews. It is said that two ranchmen working thirty miles south of Hugo, who have been suspected of "rustling" for a long time, will be visited to-morrow on suspicion of their being the robbers. A black mackintosh was left in the car by one of the bandits, and that is said to be the only tangible clew in the hands of the officers.

EXTRADITION LAWS REGARDED AS TOO LAX

Opinions of Foreign Press on Movements of Anarchists in America.

Monument to Be Erected in Honor of Humbert and the Chamber of Deputies Will Be Draped in Black.

LONDON, Aug. 7.—Discussing editorially methods of stamping out anarchism, the Daily Mail says this morning:

"In the first place, such a headquarters for outrage as exists at Paterson, N. J., ought to be closely watched by the European secret police, and full powers of extradition should be granted everywhere.

"It is impossible to note without regret that the United States has found itself unable to surrender certain men charged by the Italian police with complicity in Bressi's deed."

ROME, Aug. 6.—The Chamber of Deputies to-day reopened with an immense throng present. The tribunes were draped with black. The president of the Chamber, Signor Villa, delivered a memorial address, eulogizing the late King Humbert. He was frequently applauded. The address was received amid signs of deep mourning, although its more effective passages were frequently interrupted with cries of "Long live the King!" Signor Sarracco, the Premier, associated himself with the words of Signor Villa, who then proceeded to read dispatches addressed to him by presidents of foreign Chambers, after which he announced that several Deputies had made a number of propositions with the object of rendering especial honor to the memory of the late King.

Among these he said were proposals that the Chamber should remain draped in black for six months; that the Bureau of the Presidency should present an address to Victor Emmanuel and Queen Helene and that the memory of the deceased monarch should be commemorated in an imperishable monument.

Views of Socialists.

Signor Turati, Socialist, in the name of his party, protested against the assassination, declaring everybody had a right to live, and that Presidential assassinations were useless. This statement caused some sensation, and when Signor Pantani, in the name of the Republicans, made a similar statement, adding that his group associated itself with the sorrow of the country, the declaration was greeted with cries of "Crocodile!"

Signor Pantani retorted: "We do not speculate like you on a crime committed."

The uproar then became deafening and it was impossible to hear the further words of the Deputies.

Calm having been restored Signor Sarracco spoke in favor of the various propositions, with the exception of the Socialist vote.

Signor Villa invited the Deputies to take part in the funeral, and then added that the new King would take the oath next Saturday in the Senate before both Chambers. The house then arose amid cries of "Long live the King!"

The Senate approved propositions identical to those voted in the Chamber of Deputies.

MONZA, Aug. 6.—The train carrying the remains of the late King, which will be accompanied by the Duke of Aosta and the Count of Turin, will leave Monza Wednesday afternoon at 4:15. It will stop two minutes at Milan, five at Genoa and ten at Pisa and will arrive at Rome Thursday morning at twenty minutes past 7.

Grim Joviality.

GENEVA, Aug. 6.—When the news of the assassination of King Humbert of Italy was announced to Luchenni, the Italian anarchist, who stabbed and killed the Empress of Austria here September 10, 1898, he manifested great joy, saying there was no doubt that before long all the sovereigns would undergo the same fate, commencing with the new King of Italy. Luchenni, who is undergoing a sentence of imprisonment for life, refused to answer any questions on the subject of the assassination of the King of Italy.

MILAN, Aug. 6.—Bressi, the assassinator of King Humbert, has abandoned the attitude of calm which he had assumed since the murder was committed and has been giving way to fits of passion. This has necessitated placing him in a straitjacket for ten hours.

LONDON, Aug. 6.—The reply of Victoria to the address of Parliament to the throne, moved July 31, with reference to the assassination of King Humbert of Italy, thanks Parliament for the address and says:

"I unite with you in the expression of indignation and deep concern at the tidings of the assassination of my illustrious ally, the King of Italy. I have not failed to convey to his successor your sentiments of abhorrence of such a crime and your sympathy with the royal family, Government and people of that country."

VALUE OF BICYCLE IN MILITARY OPERATIONS

Report of Major-General Maurice, Who Witnessed Sham Battles of English Volunteers.

LONDON, Aug. 6.—Major General John Frederick Maurice, commanding the Woolwich District, who superintended the experiment in connection with the volunteer maneuvers which began Saturday of holding Forty Roads in the north of Sussex with several thousand cyclists—the idea being to check an invading army until British troops of all arms could collect in large numbers nearer London—reports that the cyclist defenders have successfully repelled the supposititious invaders.

The result is regarded as establishing the superior mobility of cycle forces.

CYCLONE IN BRITAIN.

Loss of Life and Property on Land and Sea Reported.

LONDON, Aug. 7.—A cyclone has prevailed throughout the United Kingdom since early last evening. Loss of life on land and sea and the destruction of shipping and other property are reported.

Teachers to Visit McKinley.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6.—The delegation of Cuban school-teachers now receiving a course of instruction at Harvard University will visit this city on August 18 for the purpose of paying their personal respects to the President of the United States and to inspect public institutions and attractions of the national capital. The school teachers, numbering 1400, will arrive here in the morning and leave in the evening for New York, where they will board army transports in waiting to take them back to China.

Guardian for Hoyt.

CLAREMONT, N. Y., Aug. 6.—The appointment of James O. Lyford of Concord as guardian of Charles E. Hoyt, the playwright, was made in the Sullivan County Probate Court to-day. The appointment was made at the request of Mrs. Hoyt. Mr. Lyford will assume management of all of Mr. Hoyt's business affairs and will endeavor to preserve as much as possible of Mr. Hoyt's personal estate, the monetary value of which is a matter of conjecture.

Loudon Declines.

CHICAGO, Aug. 6.—Frank B. Loudon of Chicago was asked by Comptroller of the Currency Dawes to-day whether he would consider an offer of First Assistant Postmaster General, the place recently vacated by Perry S. Heath when he became secretary of the Republican National Committee. Mr. Loudon declined because his affairs would not admit his accepting.

Bubonic Plague at Hamburg.

HAMBURG, Aug. 6.—A case of bubonic plague has been discovered on a vessel in the harbor. All possible precautions have been taken to prevent the spread of the disease.

BRYAN WELL ON HIS WAY TO INDIANAPOLIS

Lincoln People Make No Demonstration on His Departure.

Enthusiastically Greeted at Each Stopping Place, Shakes Hands With Hundreds, but Declines to Speak.

LINCOLN, Nebr., Aug. 6.—In accordance with Bryan's expressed wish, there was an entire absence of demonstration on the part of the Lincoln people when he started on the trip to Indianapolis to-day. The party occupied a sleeper on the Denver, Burlington limited, which left here a few moments after 6 o'clock and will reach Chicago between 8 and 9 o'clock tomorrow. It was composed of Mr. and Mrs. Bryan and their son, Governor Thomas of Colorado and Mrs. Thomas, John I. Martin, sergeant at arms of the National Committee; Mr. Bryan's private stenographer and Governor Thomas' secretary.

A number of Mr. Bryan's friends were at the station, but there was no crush and no demand for a speech. The curious ones were limited to passengers on incoming trains from the East, who when they were told the Democratic Presidential candidate was on the platform soon crowded around him. General O. O. Howard, who arrived from Chicago to speak to-morrow before the Epworth League assembly, got off the train just in time to shake hands with Bryan before he left.

PACIFIC JUNCTION, Iowa, Aug. 6.—Bryan's brief run from Lincoln to Omaha was devoid of interest except at the little town of Gretna. As the train approached this point Bryan explained that ten years ago, when beginning his first campaign for Congress, it was there he made his first speech as a candidate. As the train drew into the station a flagpole erected then in his honor was to be seen still standing. Quite a large crowd had congregated and Bryan was loudly called for at the rear platform. He did not attempt to make a speech, but in the space of two minutes shook hands with about a hundred people.

Mrs. Bryan was loudly cheered when she appeared on the platform.

OMAHA, Aug. 6.—Between 1000 and 2000 people assembled at the Burlington station at 7:30 o'clock to-night to see W. J. Bryan and party pass through. A cheer went up as the train rolled in and Mr. Bryan stepped out on the rear platform.

Before the train was fairly at a standstill scores of enthusiastic people were climbing over each other to shake the hand of Bryan, who smilingly leaned over the platform rail and cordially greeted all within reach. A switch engine interfered with the proceedings, but some recklessly sought to gain a foothold on the steps until cautioned of the danger.

ALL IN READINESS FOR FORMAL NOTIFICATION

INDIANAPOLIS, Aug. 6.—Arrangements have been completed for the meeting to notify William Jennings Bryan and Adlai E. Stevenson of their nomination for President and Vice President by the Democratic party.

Military Park, where the meeting will take place, has been elaborately decorated. The speakers' stand will accommodate all the distinguished visitors, including members of the committees, and in front arrangements have been made for sixty press tables.

The exercises at the park will begin at 2:30, and will last two hours. Mr. Richardson of Tennessee and Governor Thomas of Colorado will make the addresses of notification and replies will be made by Bryan and Stevenson. An informal reception will follow, but this will be brief.

A committee representing the business interests and Democratic organizations of the State will leave here at 11:45 o'clock to-morrow morning for Lafayette, where it will meet the Bryan train.

At the Union station the reception formation will include upward of one hundred Democratic clubs from all parts of the State and from Cincinnati, Chicago, Louisville, St. Louis and other cities. The line of march will be nearly two miles in length through the principal business streets and will end at the park.

At the night meeting in Tomlinson Hall Mayor Carter Harrison of Chicago will preside. Mayor Harrison will speak at length, after which he will introduce W. J. Bryan. Following Mr. Bryan Webster Davis will address the audience.

Provisions have been made for an overflow meeting to be held at the monument.

The railroads have arranged for special trains from various parts of the State and from present indications the crowd will be very large.

SWEEPING DEMOCRATIC VICTORY IN ALABAMA

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Aug. 6.—A general election for State and county officers and for members of the General Assembly was held in Alabama to-day and a large majority was returned for the Democratic ticket, headed by William J. Sanford of Lee County, who will be inaugurated Governor December 1.

The Republicans, Populists and Prohibitionists, besides the Democrats, had tickets in the field, but returns so far indicate a victory of the Democrats by an overwhelming majority.

The Democrats have also gained several members of the General Assembly. The Populists and Republicans will together possibly have twelve of the 133 members of the Legislature, a loss of about 50 per cent.

The Democrats have elected county officers in several counties which have heretofore been strongly Populistic.

General apathy marked the election and a light vote was cast. It is estimated by the Democratic committees that the majority will be more than 50,000. The election was regarded as a test on the mooted question of holding a constitutional convention, which is favored by the Democrats, and the increased majorities are taken to indicate that the people are favorable to the holding of a convention which will eliminate the negro from politics.

The Legislature, which meets in December, will elect Senator Morgan to succeed himself and will be called upon to legislate upon important matters.

In this, the Ninth District, Congressman Underwood was nominated without opposition to succeed himself.

In the special election in the Eighth District, Judge William Richardson of Madison County was elected to succeed General Joseph Wheeler, who resigned his seat in Congress.

DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL COMMITTEEMEN NAMED

CHICAGO, Aug. 6.—Chairman Jones of the Democratic National Committee gave out the list of sub-committees of the main body to-day. Former Governor Stone of Missouri was named on the executive committee and Norman E. Mack of New York was left off. The only representatives the Eastern States have on this body are Committeeman Guffy of Pennsylvania and George Fred Williams of Massachusetts.

John R. McLean of Ohio is put at the head of the ways and means committee.

The list of committees follows, the chairman, vice chairman and secretary being first, second and third respectively:

Executive Committee—James G. Jones, Arkansas; J. G. Johnson, Kansas; C. A. Walsh, Iowa; W. J. Stone, H. J. Clayton, Alabama; Thomas Gahan, Illinois; J. J. Campau, Michigan; J. M. Head, Tennessee; J. M. Guffy, George Fred Williams, T. D. O'Brien, Minnesota; Thomas Taggart, Indiana; J. C. Dahlman, Nebraska.

Ways and Means Committee—J. K. Jones, John R. McLean, J. C. Walsh, Urey Woodson, Kentucky; Adair Wilson, Colorado; B. E. Tillman, South Carolina; J. G. Johnson, T. E. Ryan, Wisconsin; M. F. Tarpey, California.

Press Committee—J. K. Jones, Clark Howell, Georgia; C. A. Walsh; Josephus Daniels, North Carolina; Norman E. Mack, J. G. Johnson.

Advisory Committee—M. O. Blanchard, Louisiana; John N. Osborne, Wyoming; John T. McGaw, West Virginia; H. M. Teller, Colorado; Fred T. Dubois, Idaho; C. Tillotson, Kansas; William V. Allen, Nebraska; J. B. Weaver, Iowa; Eugene Smith, Illinois.

The Day's Dead

Girl Dies of Her Injuries.

Special Dispatch to The Call.

PETALUMA, Aug. 6.—Loretta, the little 2-year-old daughter of H. H. Wyatt, died this morning as the result of a scalding. She was left alone Saturday morning and in playing about the house upset a vessel of boiling water and was terribly scalded about the neck and breast. The little patient suffered awful agony.

Dennis Coghlan.

TOLEDO, Ohio, Aug. 6.—Dennis Coghlan, the wealthiest man in Toledo and Northwestern Ohio, died at his home here to-night, aged 80 years. He owned many of the large business blocks in the city and was a stockholder in many banks, besides being the owner of a large brewery interest. It is estimated that his fortune amounted to $15,000,000.

William Clark.

WESTERLY, L. I., Aug. 6.—William Clark of Newark, N. J., president of the William Clark Thread Company, died suddenly at his home at Watch Hill this morning of heart failure, which followed a severe attack of indigestion. He was well known on both sides of the Atlantic.

Conrad Busch.

Special Dispatch to The Call.

SANTA CRUZ, Aug. 6.—Conrad Busch, an octogenerian, died at his home, at Aptos, in this county, where he has resided thirty-four years. He was a native of Germany and 84 years old. A wife and three children survive him.

Mrs. Carrie N. Walker.

DETROIT, Aug. 6.—Mrs. Carrie N. Walker, superintendent commander of the Ladies of the Maccabees, died at her residence in this city to-day. She had been ill for six weeks.

David Flannery.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Aug. 6.—David Flannery, who was chief operator in the Confederate army between New Orleans and Memphis during the Civil War, died today of old age.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

PRESIDENT TYLER'S DAUGHTER.

A Venerable Lady of Noble Lineage Speaks a Timely Word.

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"One of the most aristocratic faces seen in Washington is that of Mrs. Semple, daughter of President Tyler. She has passed her eightieth year and yet retains an exceedingly youthful complexion. Personally, she is charming, and impresses one as stepping out of the European courts," so says The National Magazine, under the heading "Social Sidelights at the Capital."

The following is a letter from this interesting lady, written from the Louise Home, Washington, D. C., to The Peruna Medicine Company of Columbus, Ohio, concerning their great catarrh tonic, Peruna. Mrs. Semple writes: The Peruna Medicine Company, Columbus, Ohio:

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GREEN GOLDEN MAY TESTIFY IN POWERS CASE

Prosecution Says He Can Disprove Statement of Defendant.

Walcott Admits Militia Were on Duty, but Denies They Were in Marching Order When Goebel Was Shot.

GEORGETOWN, Ky., Aug. 6.—The fifth week of the trial of ex-Secretary of State Caleb Powers for association in the crime of the killing of Governor Goebel was begun to-day. The testimony threw no light on the tragedy. This afternoon R. C. O'Benjamin, the negro attorney who represents "Tallow Dick" Coombs, the negro defendant, asked to be allowed to make a motion at the regular meeting hour for investigation as to conduct regarding confessions of Coombs, in which he was said to be betraying secrets of prosecution.

Judge Cantrell informed him that an investigation would not be necessary. O'Benjamin then gave out an interview, in which he says that the Coombs confession was made in the presence of himself, Commonwealth Attorney Franklyn and Victor H. Bradley of the prosecution, and that Coombs made all of the statements attributed to him, except as to the amount Youtsey is alleged to have offered Hockersmith to kill Goebel. He says Coombs did not say $1200. O'Benjamin also produced a letter from his client, Coombs, in which the latter expressed the utmost confidence in him. Coombs' nephew is here to-night and says he has made a vain search to find Hockersmith. He thinks Hockersmith is in either New Orleans or San Francisco.

Captain Golden and other representatives of the prosecution, conferred with Green Golden, one of the alleged accessories, in jail at Frankfort, yesterday, and there is a possibility that the latter may be introduced as a witness in rebuttal to contradict the testimony of the defendant himself.

Captain Walcott, who had charge of the Frankfort militia, said on the stand today that the company was on duty at the State Capitol the day the Legislature met and throughout the session, but denied that soldiers were lined up for marching orders when the assassination occurred.

CIRCUS FOLLOWERS ARRESTED.

Minnesota Militiamen Round Up a Desperate Gang.

DULUTH, Minn., Aug. 6.—One hundred militiamen left here last night for Cloquet, Minn., to effect the capture of the circus crowd which has been terrorizing the small towns in Northern Minnesota. The militiamen arrived there during the night and when the circus train pulled in quickly surrounded it and waited for daylight. The circus people knew nothing of their presence until to-day. Twelve of the circus men wanted for assault by the Sheriffs of Cass and Hubbard counties were arrested and taken to Cass Lake, where they will be tried. They made no resistance, although most of them were armed.

Doc Baker of Texas, who is believed to be the leader of the gang, was not found so far as known here. The militiamen returned to Duluth to-day.

Strike Is Growing.

HAVRE, Aug. 6.—The strike among the stokers and bunker men of the French line steamer La Bretagne, which was scheduled to sail Saturday for New York and which has been delayed here by the trouble, is assuming great proportions. The sailors are now joining in the movement. Some disturbances have occurred, but nothing serious in that direction has happened.

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