stand on one leg while speaking, and on some desolate midnight shore. And before me, a hundred pages with the

The engagement of Chinese as domestic servants having been suggested as a means of relieving England's famine in maid servants, Mrs. Fenwick-Miller objects, in the Illustrated London News, that John Chinaman ic "anything but clean in his general moralize the children of a house in a shocking way." This statement -- not borne out by the experience- o. housewives in this country, where Chinese servants have been employed for thirty years and more. A well-trained Chinese is as good a house-servant as he is cleanly in his habits; he never of an instance where he has "demor-

posed of Russian Mennonites. power to control the county, and they | love shoots through my shrunken veins— | gay wooden city, and a thousand troops 100 majority.

ence of these ornaments on their hop. and down south to Ljodhus. personally to the trade and the slaughter. The continuance of the de- | young spruces. supple as the yellow mand alone accounts for the continuance of the supply. The responsibil-Ity lies primarily with the women who | many such might I have had for the want these trimmings and not with asking. Thoralla there was, for inthose whose commercial motives lead the rine hill berley; and Unn. whose them to slav the birds for profit. For thy-blue eyes shone wondrously kindly the latter there is a slight measure excuse. for their temptation arises slim, whose mother thought the lands of from their necessities, while the womwho encourage the traffic are in many another. But I was wild and spired solely by their vanity. Until Wayward, and as difficult to net as the the truth of this proposition is made face in springtime. elear to the patrons of this sort of master, King Halfdan, more easily perthe fight for the preservation of

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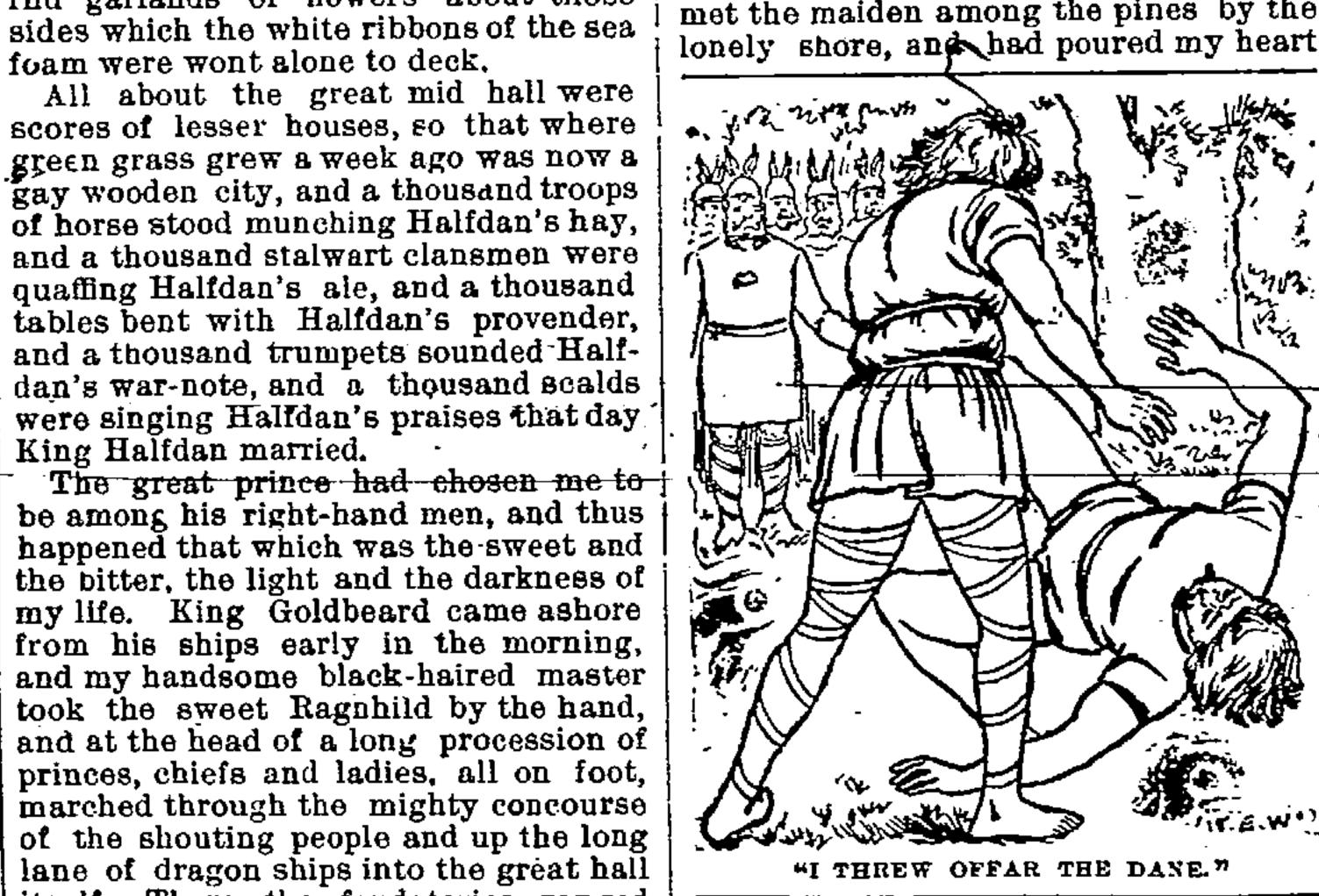
of the northern sea I sit by the dim gets drunk; and we have yet to hear | shine of my lamp, while the night wind | of the vikings that had paled the cheeks fingers that tremble like the white "Raven of the Wind." "Ægir's Steed hair. Long. long it seems since that | the Sea," carved in runic on each steep braid was cut from the head that grew | rising prow, in two long rows a mile c Long, long months of pain and days | two in length, with parti-colored its-luster, and the dark stain of blood is | vestments in their idle ranks of oars. - upon it, yet as I. the monk Ulla. I rnd garlands of flowers about those I sides which the white ribbons of the sea my lips and press it where naught but | foam were wont alone to deck. the sign of the new faith should be vious elections that they had the to those coffi lips—something of the old green grass grew a week ago was now a something of the strong passion that of horse stood munching Halfdan's hay, once nerved them tingles into those and a thousand stalwart clansmen were withered fingers that smooth that gleam- | quaffing Halfdan's ale, and a thousand publicans and Populists joined forces. | ing toy so tenderly, and a white mist | tables bent with Halfdan's provender. | rises to my dull eyes, and my head and a thousand trumpets sounded Half-

nominated a droops forward, and the little cell seems , and started in to defeat | widening out as wide as life itself; and | were singing Halfdan's praises that day sad as the sound of the wind among | King Halfdan married. pine trees, desolate as the beat of the waxed warm and a thorough canvass | tireless pulse of the sea upon the rim of | be among his right-hand men, and thus | was made, but the Russians had the the night comes to my lonely heart-the happened that which was the sweet and It was in the time of my master. Half- | my life. King Goldbeard came ashore | counted on election night it was dan the Black, and I was a Norway jarl from his ships early in the morning. and lived by the white lip of the sea in | and my handsome black-haired master found that the so-called foreign ticket Baldersund. I was young then, I was took the sweet Ragnhild by the hand, had won the day by an average of scarcely twenty, and had herds and men and at the head of a long procession of and farms all the way up the wild coast | princes, chiefs and ladies, all on foot. and boar hounds lay on the rushes by my | lane of dragon ships into the great hall inglenook, and my bows and spears lav | itself. There the feudatories ranged tee on bird protection presented a re- | carved my meats each day, and were | with them went on to the further end. custom of wearing birds' feathers, vests and filled my barns. And I was On one sat Harold with his peers; on wings and bodies on hats. The com-strong and tall and big of limb, and al. the other, facing him, was Halfdanmittee helieved that the women feel though I was so young I had already and I on his right—and four strong been twice abroad and had harried jarls from the corners of his kingdom too little responsibility for the pres- across the wide sea in distant Fareviar | to flank us. The last bench across the | happy beyond expectation and knowl-I had other two was filled by ladies, and amid | footsteps. Princes had courted me and | dem of rough gold in her golden hair--not kill the birds they are entitled to scalds had sung; everything I had, sat the bride. atilize the fruits of other people's everything that a told heart could hope crimes against the feathered friends for or a strong hand reach—everything the bride-price paid and the bench gifts | but one: the chair on my left hand still of humanity. The attitude cannot be stood empty at the feast, no bright eyes and frightened Ragnhild clinging weeptoo severely condemned. Every per- welcomed Ulls returning victorious from ing for a minute to her father's neck, rad-haired sentineld were gone the rain. We shipped the landing planks— It is a typical Massachusetts to son who wears a hat trimmed with a foray, no tall Norway maid tempered with her presence the rude revelry in parts of birds contributes directly and | his father's hall. for Ulla was unwed. Yet it was not for lack of litting choice, for our maids were straight a

sedges by the tarns and fair as the I spring flowers of the fields when the May snow rolls back from them, and stance, whose locks were as yellow a met in shady forest path: and Thyri the Ulla and their own would well match together, and Thora the smiler and , free blue hawks that sail along the cliff Matters were like this when my

suaded, had determined to marry the the comely Ragnhild, daughter of Harold It is gratifying to the Wash. Goldbeard, and, everything having been settled by the ambassadors, one day is theid in the national capital, and it is tain flat came trooping the Norway lords

Offar, the Dane, in a wrestling of Queen Ragnhild and all her co ' any, and won a prize and laid it or And the third day, between the rising



into my own, and thus Ulla was happy that afternoon, pleasant the distant

of the shouting people and up the long

Among the fair Dens's medican on the own homester.

rocks; soft the carpet of felted mosses. and fair the nodding flowers that fringed I scarcely know what followed. I saw our path! On the next morning I went to the made on bended knee. I saw the fair | tent where she lodged by the sullen old and then I saw King Halfdan take her red-haired sentinels were gone, the doors were opened and, sick at heart and fearful. I turned to one who stood barian envoy and where the fair white

girl who had come with him. Heavy as lead fell the answer on my ears: east—had struck and been struck by fury had ordered out his ships, had cloak and sandals, had gone down to the great square sail, Cloak of midnight sea, and sailed away through me that sheet, and it was colored blue darkness to the land of the stranment! For half a day I ran up and down the shore distracted, rage and wallow continues the shore distracted, rage and wallow continues the notion of political fractions. Bitter was my grief and disappoint-Then I bethought me of my longship in the sun with a hundred colors, beauand had her dragged to the shore, and, tiful and complete from stem to stern, swift as a white sew-mew before a my sea bride sat shining on the ways!

over the rough water, beat up and down of the second day from my vow we were of the democratic spirit in Germany the English coast for a week hoping to ready, and helf the valley came to see in accord with its growth in other was off. All went well with the launch tions. kings' shore and sailed for many days ing and in a few minutes after the prons about the islands, asking at every town ship of the foreigners with a



king by winter's fires and yearnful to see the work that Skaun the care penter and Vedrey of the brushes had it had done for long, while the winter i sloth dropped from me and the hunger born anew in my heart. A better skeid i as last winter's ice in the shadows of une-right up from the water edge to | first place, women are in many the high gunwale, while inside the white as a maiden's linen. The tall men; in the second place, invention rowlock holes for sixty oars. A lovely

indeed, and cunning Vedrev ha ing stem to stern. And Skaun had seen other things are equal, an advantation the issues involved, and while the ul- will be unable to take any further part | shapely sides; he had been aft and for- | tue is becoming more and more desirable to be unanimous, it is thought | Exposition. before. Once more I would venture a | will not always last. Wages, like with a combination of leading European | will leave for Ohio to-day or to-morrow too long within my heart I vowed then

three days were over. And, hot in the ...me surpass her maie rival. It revulsion of my feelings. I set Skaun to be considered, too, that if work some of the lazy-boned villeins who had basked in my porch and snored by my never be, and then had blushed again | pine wood fire all through the snow and '

winter hulk put on her war gear and tirely by women. These occupance blossomed like a summer tree. We now give employment to large me that point Congressman King will go didate. Sweet was the breath of the pines | fetched out her sixty great oars, "Feet | bers of men as well as of women. by steamer to Cuba and make as thor- "I stand as the choice of the Republication by steamer to Cuba and make as thor- "I stand as the choice of the Republication by steamer to Cuba and make as thor- "I stand as the choice of the Republication by steamer to Cuba and make as thor- "I stand as the choice of the Republication by steamer to Cuba and make as thor- "I stand as the choice of the Republication by steamer to Cuba and make as thor- "I stand as the choice of the Republication by steamer to Cuba and make as thor- "I stand as the choice of the Republication by steamer to Cuba and make as thor- "I stand as the choice of the Republication by steamer to Cuba and make as thor- "I stand as the choice of the Republication by steamer to Cuba and make as thor- "I stand as the choice of the Republication by steamer to Cuba and make as thor- "I stand as the choice of the Republication by steamer to Cuba and make as thor- "I stand as the choice of the Republication by steamer to Cuba and make as thor- "I stand as the choice of the Republication by steamer to Cuba and make as thor- "I stand as the choice of the Republication by steamer to Cuba and make as thor- "I stand as the choice of the Republication by steamer to Cuba and make as thor- "I stand as the choice of the Republication by steamer to Cuba and make as thor- "I stand as the choice of the Republication by steamer to Cuba and make as thor- "I stand as the choice of the Republication by steamer to Cuba and make as thor- "I stand as the choice of the Republication by steamer to Cuba and make as the choice of the Republication by standard by standa of the Sea-wolf," of ash (four men sat painted rowlock holes. Then we slung croaching upon his industrial domain of the insurgents, their strength and was declared by them in convention. rudder aft on the starboard; we put the being an intruder and trespasser black leather tent on board, and under hors. it the hudfat sleeping-bags to shield me churl her uncle, and it was empty! The and my jolly piliagers from the English many were the white feet of captive of which one of the veteran official girls we hoped would tread them—and states a suggestive fact—that the a hundred stout rollers in case our gregate values of the planes, organ-lengship needed to be beached. Then gregate values of the planes, organwe put in the arms chest and filled it to sewing-machines, carpets and similar the brim with glistening swords and articles of luxury now owned there axes, praying all the time to Odin that | exceed the whole valuation of the town their shine might be dimmed ere we re- as it was forty years ago. In 1857 of turned; we put the brass kettles on a fraction of the so-called rich posses of water with little lids. Next we set and straight and hoisted to the anar e strand, and, cursing everything Wind. It was the great jarl Kand

and white and made of woolen stuff as apparent as in other nations, were soft as silk. Lastly of all the glisten- | the sword and rife are not so domini yellow, each overlapping each, were set ing ground. With every strain along the bulwarks, and there, flashing Bo well had we worked that the dawn | throne from attack. This development

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save themselves by taking such round as they may please with re-Referring to the figures of labor have beet to that question. It is author atively stated that all the Indiana

making it more and more an absolute

Trm, and he is not a candidate for reection. The same is true in Michigan nd to a considerable extent in Illinois lawaii. There is very little likelihood . the House being able to reach a vote ably certain that a two-thirds vote en by employers for their employment will be annexed by a joint resoluion, which only requires a majority 1. hat Speaker Reed will not permit a critical condition, although he is well necessarily be-traversed in reaching As to Caba, it is reasonably certain . more easily controlled, neater. he had adorned the vessel from glitter- many years yet to give women, when the is wanted in which to consider of the heart, and it is feared that he A.

Tote. There seems to be an undertanding among those in power that ect up for more careful consideration. with long diplomatic service abroad, is authority for the statement that there

The purpose of personally investigating | the State capitol at Columbus. tions, men "began it." The spinnis and. He has his passports and per- balloting does not begin until Tuesday, u the knitting, even the weaving, the sonal letters of introduction to Consul Ian. 11. The date of the Republican making of garments, all of the codes General Lee, and is only waiting to re- __caucus has not yet been fixed, but it is t, and made them work as they had ing and preserving, the products celve favorable news from his child, usually held on Thursday or Friday ately on receipt of this information he publication beyond saying that he has ditions will be en route for the Yukon will take the train for Key West. From | not heard of any other Republican can- | region soon afterward. that if he reproaches her with sugh an investigation of the condition | licans of Ohio," said he, "as that choice Tovernment of the natives, as possible. | dacy has been formally indorsed by their behalf in the House. He is am-

bitious and energetic and is willing to Nake of obtaining the information λ

Loss to Lafayette College. Easton, Pa., Dec. 20.—Pardee Hall, Nash Brothers' buildings were burned. sented to Lafayette College by Ario seen issuing from the first floor of the with Dickens' "Old Curiosity Shop," W. Pardee in 1871, at a cost of \$285,000, de- big department store of Benner & and since then has read "David Copit was got under control. The eastern fewers store, the buildings adjoining. part of the building was sayed. The Live hours work the fire was centre and the western portions were The loss will exceed \$100,000. The total insurance is \$100,000 on the building. I be small. \$9,000 on the Ward library. \$6,000 on Washington Society and \$4,000 on Franklin Society rooms.

Killed Three at a Bull Figit. Guadalajara, Mexico, Dec. 20.-At a finese. A big lobby of Chi-Spanish bulls jumped the barricade that the measure. Wong Chin Foo.

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the dispatch of an American squadron to the Gulf of Mexico has not made a

He Will Be Moved to His Home



MAJOR MOSES P. HANDY.

i enough to be moved to South Carolina. | the miners. laced her over men—that is, sobriety. This verificate and final vote in behalf of Cuba in making arrangements for the Paris is now in Norway, and to Lieut. Henry

A Republican ex-member of Congress, says He Hasn't Heard of Any Other Senatorial Candidate. Washington, Dec. 20.—Senator Hanna

aumbers, and the system of Spanish | was declared by them in convention. | ment has decided to permit Americans | shapers and the system of Spanish | assembled at Toledo, and my candi-Congressman King is one of the all except four counties in the State." Speech in the Town.

Grand Forks, N. Dak., Dec. 20.—The this iness portion of the city was threat
date the goods reach such territory.

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- t ened by another fire last night, which . might have been more destructive than that of Friday, when the Hotel -. Shortly after 6 o'clock smoke was |

in 1879 and rebuilt, was again | Beggs, and in less than fifteen min perfield," Plutarch's "Lives," and is almost destroyed by fire Saturday utes the bullding was in flames. The deeply interested in metaphysical oh. morning. It began at 5 o'clock, and the fire had crept into the Stanchfield works, his immediate study being the burned flercely for three hours, when clothing house and the H. A. Stone work on mental philosophy. St. Louis, Dec. 20.—A fire started in 1. Benner & Beggs will be the basement of the building occupied Chinese Want to Vote.

Representative Butte, of Illinois, has introduced a billing the naturalization of Amer-Washington and the soon after the holiday recess a lungs.

Before Hainey had run a block to the improving, but there are still \$2,000.

printed by Congress.

Secretary Alger. He will have particular charge of the Will go to Dyez, or Skaguay, or Chilcat

cemain on the ground to carry out the Secretary Alger is giving much study

I plies to the miners in the Yukon counstores, and the business that will folliver their goods directly in Alaska the War Department will be saved the Customs for the Port of Indianapolis, necessity of making a choice among

Secretary Alger's estimate now is that no less than 3,000,000 pounds o. se guided safely with more than 304. that of securing the consent of the Canadian Government for the passage of the relief expeditions over that part of Canadian territory which must

The Secretary will cable to William ' | Teller Reindeer Station, in Alaska, who purchase in Lapland 600 head of reinvia New York, as early as possible. Mr. Kjellman and Lieut. Allen will be

cast with fortune, and in a burst of pleasure and such life as had lain asleep competition between sobriety at question.

Will leave for Onio to-may of to-motion to-m Congressman William Henry King, go direct to his home at Cleveland and wheels of these locomotives are puncof Salt Lake City, Utah, has made all | will spend Christmas week there. Ear- | tured, and through the orifices steam | chances of Crow and Ashbridge. irrangements to take a trip to Cuba for | ly in the following week he will go to plays upon the snow, which freezes | ch. Among the twelve were James Elverand lays a track for the cars. Sev- | and Vedrey running here and there as are supplanting men in some occupation of affairs on the Isl
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they had never run before and called a decided a de n | lect the road which is most practica-Secretary Alger says that he believes before starting on his trip. Immediately on receipt of this information he the dairy, were not many years at who has been ill at Salt Lake City, preceding the balloting. Senator Hanthe the first expedition will leave Dyea n.

> Canada Gives Her Consent. the shape of a horseshoe. Ottawa, Ont., Dec. 20.—The Govern-

Thorn Reads Philosophy. Sing Sing, Dec. 20.—Martin Thorn, in ! He started in when he arrived | sible adjournment of the convention | km Sing Sing Prison, is an omniverous Big Fire in St. Louis.

by the Mermod & Jaccard Jeweiry ... * | gration was adopted. Company, at the corner of Locust street and Broadway, early yesterday morning, and in an almost incredibly i short time the five-story building was I completely gutted. The total loss will |

Fell and Was Captured.

All Wast Arbitration. with for an included to Connemorial, signed by several thousand

Portland, Ore. On the way he will stop parent effort at accuracy, Mr. Harmon of influence and our possessions, and the District of Boston and Charlest b explained that Davey had spent many likewise those of Germany. Thus we town, Mass.; Edward C. Duncas, of have given carte blanche to Germany It is supposed the defense will seeb | confidant of both powers, and the semiof the party to show Davey was attentive to Mrs. official Fremdenblatt of Vienna says Pooley,

He had absconded with her husband's many took in protecting. conquering Japanese. This sign never the Germans will now he realized in

NAMED BY THE PRESIDENT. to the Senate. Saturday sent the following . It is hinted that France and England

William P. Williams, of Illinois. This is very doubtful as far as England | Monterey, William Penn Nixon, Collector Customs for the District of Chicago. power, if they have the will, to exclude Archibald A. Young, Surveyor England from their arrangements. The | . norance of what action the Govern-John L. Hodges, Assayer in charge of

the Mint of the United States at Den-Tory papers of London wild with rage. | -Joseph Spear, Jr., Surveyor of Customs in the District of San Francisco. | . States for the Northern District of Il- | The Harvey Steel Patents Discov- |

Frank W. Parker and John R. Mc. 1 patents for making steel armor plate े wie. Associate Justices of the Supreme । Court of the Territory of New Mexico. i .. The Senate confirmed a long list o. Ethan A. Hitchcock, of Missouri.

of Chicago; William P. Williams. for the use of the Harvey processes. Navy Department for several years EXPENSIVE ELECTION BET. hat the Harvey process was really an | Philadelphia Lawyer Gives a \$2,000 | Philadelphia, Dec. 20.—A dinner of the matter carefully investigated. As Gee." All are professional burgiers. old one. Secretary Long finally ordered twelve covers, which cost \$2,000, or a result there was discovered in the se- The men were arrested at the house of more than \$150 a cover, was given cret archives of the Patent Office Farrell, at 331 East Seventy-seventh

made before the election for Sheriff covering identically the same process. The men making the bet were in the can citizen representing clients living wanted for breaking into Peyser's provalidate the Harvey patent, as it shows | Ned Farrell is the best known of the a clear priority on the part of the lot. He began his acquaintance with

The Carnegie Company seems to have | Fisher, he robbed the cashier of Hall's date and lost. So certain was each anticipated this discovery, for they plane factory of \$2,800. In 1880 he broke that a dinner, to be given to twelve have recently purchased the Krupp all records by robbing Patrick Jerome wager. Mr. Elverson, Jr., was wearing process is now said to be superior to City, of \$2,400. This was the first and at the time a diamond pin shaped like | the Harvey process, and it is even hint- | last time that any one ever robbe. that the souvenir of the dinner be in the Harvey-process knocked out, now The present royalty allowed for the says it can state as a fact that the At each plate to-night was a horse- method. and an exact imitation of the one worn | Harvey process has been reduced from | Cuban Republic has lodged an ultima-

Dominion where there are regular reached in this way. The pins cost made and to be made under existing not contamnate independence transportation companies to carry the. probably \$80 apiece and the cases \$6. contracts by the two concerns is 24,612 h.

Great Credit. Milwaukee, Wis., Dec. 20.—Champion | the island.

Gompers Re-elected President. Nashville, Tenn., Dec. 20.—It is pos- i Robert Fitzsimmons, who is playing an ing on the McCoy-Creedon fight, said: "I do not take the rumor that McCoy l Gompers has been re-elected president, |___ will challenge me seriously. There are defeating Ernest Kreft, of Philadel- | w plenty of people ready to challenge me | ohia. The report of the Committee on 1 ... the president's report contained the now that I have retired from the ring ear, recommendation that the president is McCoy is entitled to no special credit sue an appeal to the unions to con- for whipping Creedon. Creedon has not tribute toward a fund for the aid of | been taking care of himself, and was | h. the striking engineers of England. The 1. was at New Orleans when I defeated happened to be in the tunnel. report of the committee in regard to the question of the restriction of immihim a year ago McCoy would not have l whipped him. He is more than a match i for McCoy, and I expected him to win

Shamokin, Pa., Dec. 18.—In a dispute | ... at the Exchange Hotel yesterday James | all bluff inspired by the Brady-Corbett Hainey, an alleged confidence man, shot and mortally wounded William McNamara of this place. The bullet 92,000 Idle Men in New York.

passed through one of McNamara's New York, Dec. 20.—Times are steady wife and two chil- | -

To be Consuls of the United States. seilles, France; Frank W. Mahin.

is concerned, for Russia and Germany Rhode Island, to be Consul of the are known absolutely to have the United States at Leeds, England. gense of England's exclusion and ig- | ice; Richard Lebert to be Surveyor-Navy - Passed Assistant Surgeon Paymaster George H. Griffing, to be pay inspector; Assistant Naval Constructors Robert Stocker, Frank W. Hibbs and Elliot Snow, to be naval

> BIG BAG OF BURGLARS. Three Famous Crooks Arrested with

Tools of Their Trade. wanted in the Quaker City for the burglary of Albert Abraham's jewelry, There had been a suspicion in the store, 24 North Ninth street, on the

The men are Ed Ferrell, alies "Me lady;" Andy Craig, alias "Fairy Mc-Guire," and Ed Mason, alias "Ad Mason, alias

A Cuban Ultimatum. ame by Mr. Elverson, Jr., at the time of the the original price of \$100 a ton to \$10 a tum with Secretary Sherman declaring

not mean the absolute independence de

Death in a Tannel. was killed instantly and H. G. Hickson walking in the Belt Line tunnel beearly yesterday morning. It is thought train on the Baltimore & Ohio Ballway. but Hickson has not yet been able to give a connected account of how thes

Bismarck is Failing. London, Dec. 20.—A special dispetor "I will not fight the victor. I re- from Hamburg says that Prince Bistired from the ring March 17. All this marck, who braced up for the March talk about another go with Corbett is peror's visit, has relapsed into his too cally Prince Bismarck is repisite

Speaker Reed to Speaker Washington, Dec. 22. British