

DEFEAT FOR TANNER

Cullom Faction Controls Illinois Convention.

THE FIGHT CAME AT THE OUTSET

Controller Daves Was Elected Temporary Chairman - Hancey's Chances for Nomination.

PEORIA, May 8.—The initial test in the Peoria State Convention today proved a defeat for the Tanner faction.

"I wish to state that I do not agree with those who maintain that the question of trusts is not a political question.

C. W. Peters, of Chicago, was made temporary secretary of the committee.

WEST VIRGINIA REPUBLICANS.

State Convention Chose Delegates

Instructed for McKinley.

FAIRMOUNT, W. Va., May 8.—The Republican State Convention was held today, Governor Atkinson presiding.

It is claimed by our Democratic friends that this plan for raising revenue was dictated by the tobacco and sugar trusts.

He denied the claim that the Constitution extends automatically over the newly acquired possessions.

REFORM PREPARATIONS IN CHINA.

YIFU, Peking, May 8.—Oriental advice by the steamship Tosa Maru indicate that the investigation by the Chinese Government assures them that reform preparations have not yet advanced to such a point as to become an active source of alarm.

ARRESTED, SHE KILLED HERSELF.

BUTTE, Mont., May 8.—Alma Pruett, a young domestic, died this morning in the County Jail from the effects of a dose of corrosive sublimate, taken with suicidal intent.

FOR RETURNING CHINESE.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 8.—The Secretary of the Treasury has directed Collector Jackson to detail an inspector from the Chinese Bureau to attend to the making out of papers for Chinese merchants domiciled in this country who are on the eve of departing for China with the intention of returning.

THE STARS AND STRIPES HOISTED OVER TUTUILA.

AUCKLAND, N. Z., May 8.—Advices received from Samoa announce that the American flag has been hoisted over the Island of Tutuila and great native rejoicing, and that the chiefs have made formalcession of the island to the United States.

FIGHTING LABORER KILLED.

BUTTE, Mont., May 8.—John Graham, a laborer, was shot and instantly killed in one of the general sleeping rooms of the Free Chicagoan at Hong Kong.

THE PLAGUE IS AT HONG KONG.

WASHINGTON, May 8.—The United States Consul-General at Hong Kong cable today that the plague has broken out at that port.

NO AID FOR OREGON.

Hanna Pleads a Shortage of Campaign Funds.

WASHINGTON, May 8.—It is not expected that the National Republican Committee will lend any financial aid to the Oregon campaign.

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ANTI-BRYAN ORGANIZATION.

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CHURCH'S ORGANIC LAW

COMMITTEE MAKES ITS REPORT TO GENERAL CONFERENCE.

Most Important Matter to Come Before the Meeting—Question of Subsidized Papers.

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ATTACKED BY REBEL BAND

AN ILO ILO GARRISON IN A TIGHT PLACE.

Twenty Men Resisted Four Hundred Insurgents, Killing Many of the Enemy—Pettit Court-Martial.

MANILA, May 8.—A force of rebels May 2, attacked 20 men of Company I of the Forty-fourth Regiment, stationed at Barotac, Ilo Ilo Province, Island of Panay.

SPEARKE BEAT CHOYNSKI.

CHICAGO, May 8.—Tom Sharkey, at Tattersall's, tonight knocked out Joe Choynski, of California, in two rounds.

MACARTHUR'S LIST OF CASUALTIES.

WASHINGTON, May 8.—General MacArthur has compiled the following list of casualties among the troops:

PROMINENT REBEL CAPTURED.

MANILA, May 8.—General Pantarong Garcia, a prominent insurgent officer of the northern provinces, was captured yesterday, with some valuable documents.

GENESSEE HOTEL BURNED.

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CHILDREN PERISHED IN FOREST FIRES.

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SHEEP VALUES IN OREGON.

As Viewed by the American Protective Tariff League.

American Economist.

The farmers of Oregon are about to write the opening page in the history of the political campaign of 1900.

Next month Oregon sounds the first note in the campaign of 1900.

IN RESPONSE TO INQUIRIES MADE OUT BY THE AMERICAN PROTECTIVE TARIFF LEAGUE, IN CONNECTION WITH ITS SHEEP CENSUS, '97 REPORT AS AT HAND FROM THE STATE OR OREGON.

THE 67 REPLIES ARE FROM 67 SHEEPRAISERS IN VARIOUS PARTS OF OREGON, AND THEY DISCLOSE THE FOLLOWING STATE FACTS:

1. Number of sheep owned in March, 1895 (free-wool period), and average value per head?

2. The estimated basis of 2,500,000 sheep for the whole state, the increase in value for 1898, as compared with the Democratic free-wool year of 1895, is upward of \$1,700,000.

At this rate of gain, how long will it be, under the encouraging stimulus of a protective tariff, before every pound of wool needed by the manufacturing industries of the United States is supplied by the woolgrowers of this land?

How long will it be before Oregon's sheep flocks will have reached a total of 7,000,000?

WE PRINT THIS ARTICLE AS A MATTER OF INTEREST, BUT HONESTY REQUIRES A QUALIFICATION.

There is no doubt that a tariff on wool tends to increase the price, not only of wool, but of every article of value, and to every consumer.

But the tariff is not to be credited with all the improvement in the sheep industry.

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KIDNEY AND BLADDER TROUBLES

PROMPTLY CURED

A Sample Bottle Sent Free by Mail.

Dr. Klinger's Swamp-Root, the wonderful new discovery in medical science, fulfills every wish in promptly curing kidney, bladder and uric acid troubles, rheumatism and pain in the back.

near here, by a fire which spread like a wildfire.

DAILY TREASURY STATEMENT.

WASHINGTON, May 8.—Today's statement of treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the \$50,000,000 gold reserve in the division of redemption, shows:

Available cash balance..... \$44,552,277

Unclaimed.—Who is that ugly old woman over there by the piano?

Advertisement for Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, mentioning various ailments like rheumatism, nervousness, and weakness.

Don't Give up the Ship.

When the demon of disease has pursued you to the very brink of despair, don't give up the ship.

"I used to have numb spells that would last for hours; had pains all over my body; had no appetite and my head ached me so that I thought I would lose my mind.

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