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Strictly tailor-made, of fine quality sateen, made with deep accordeon plaited ruffle and dust ruffle; the top ruffle is finished with band of 6 rows stitching; in black only. Special, at \$1.23

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Of fine mercerized sateen, strictly tailor-made, with deep flounce and narrow accordeon ruffle and dust ruffle, four strapped cords above ruffle; comes in black only. Special \$1.75

REFUSES TO ANSWER

MacArthur Stands for His Rights at Senate Hearing.

CONTROVERSY WITH DEMOCRATS

In the Matter of a Secret Understanding With Spaniards Before the Attack on Manila.

WASHINGTON, April 12.—The Senate committee on the Philippines began its hearings today by asking a resolution offered by Senator Carmack calling upon the Secretary of War for all the or-

stisency. I have no doubt that the General will be forth with to explain and prefer that he should speak for himself. Senator McComas insisted that the question was not legitimate, that it called for superfluous and needless information and that it should not be required to answer. The discussion was extended, Republican members generally contending that the question called for a mere opinion, and was not in order, the Democrats holding that it asked for a statement of fact and was legitimate. Senator Lodge, as chairman of the committee, held that it was competent to ask the witness his opinion on a given subject, but when the question involved a criticism upon a superior officer, which was in itself a breach of military discipline, he did not, he said, believe the committee had a right to ask it or that the witness could be compelled to answer it. The ruling was freely commented upon by the Democratic members as calculated to rob the inquiry of much of its usefulness and they appealed from a ruling of the chair. A vote was about to be taken when the hour for adjournment arrived, and no vote was recorded. Before the committee adjourned Patterson was permitted to propound an inquiry, which he said he did at the instance of a representative of the Boer cause, as to whether General MacArthur had any knowledge of the enlistment of Americans in the Philippines for service

TO PRISON FOR LIFE

Miller, the Detroit Fiend, Sentenced to Penitentiary.

ALIENISTS DECLARED HIM SANE

Seventy-two Hours After the Crime, on His Way to Jackson to Spend the Remainder of His Life.

DETROIT, April 12.—At midnight tonight, 72 hours after Professor Joseph M. Miller murdered Miss Carrie M. Jackson with a hatchet, he was in Jackson Prison, sentenced to spend the rest of

ATTEMPT AT BANK ROBBERY

LACEY, Ind., April 12.—Six men broke into the Commercial Bank here early today, drilled a hole in the safe, and touched off a heavy charge of nitroglycerin. The explosion awaked citizens, who appeared before the robbers could gain entrance to the money vaults. Many shots were exchanged, but the robbers got away. The damage caused by the explosion is \$12,000.

MAGGIO SET FREE

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., April 12.—Antonio Maggio, who has been confined in jail at Las Cruces since shortly after the assassination of President McKinley, on suspicion of having knowledge of an

CAUCUS FOR FUSION

Democrats Vote to Surrender Party Organization.

THE DIVISION OF OFFICES MADE

After Long Debate Delegates Agree on "Citizens' Ticket" by 130 to 40—Disposition of Sheriff Undecided.

The Democratic caucus decided last night, by a vote of 130 to 40, to sacrifice its party organization and put a "Citizens' ticket" in the field. This ticket will consist of "citizens" and on it there will be only one Democrat—the nominee for County Surveyor. A division of offices between the Democrats and Simon Republicans was made, and an adjournment was taken until Wednesday night, when an effort will be made to nominate a ticket.

PROMINENT WORKERS IN PLANNING A. O. U. W. SUPREME LODGE CONVENTION.



C. C. HOGUE, of Albany, Grand Master Workman.



J. E. WERLEIN, Supreme Representative.



H. D. RAMSDALL, Chairman of League of Honor.



CAPTAIN E. S. EDWARDS, Chairman of Trans. Committee.

The committee of the Ancient Order of United Workmen planning the reception and entertainment of the League of Honor, has also an important lot of details to supervise. The press committee of the state informed as to the details of the celebration, and, as a result, has interested the people of the whole state in the convention. The League of Honor is an auxiliary organized by the press committee to assist in the work of stirring up general public interest and arousing the citizens of Portland to the importance of the convention. It is composed of 33 members, delegates from the 11 lodges of the city, and, as the result of its visits to the various lodges, the whole body of 3000 Workmen of the city has been organized into an effective force, exerting every energy to secure the celebration's success.

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Captain E. S. Edwards and his committee on transportation and excursions have already made the arrangements for the boat excursions from The Dalles to Portland, and from Portland to Astoria and return, as well as the arrangements for the boat excursions on the West Side line of the Southern Pacific, and back from Albany on the East Side line. All the details of these excursions have been carefully worked out, and the delegates, their families and friends will obtain an excellent impression of the state.

ARGUMENTS IN WALLER CASE

Judge Advocate's Denunciation of the Killing in Samar.

MANILA, April 12.—The Judge-Advocate, Major Henry P. Kingsbury, replied today to the summing up before the court-martial yesterday of Captain Arthur T. Waller, representing Major Littleton W. T. Waller, who is being tried for executing natives of Samar without trial. Major Kingsbury made an eloquent address. He contended that Major Waller was under military and not martial law, and that there was nothing in the conduct of the men who were shot deserving of such punishment. The Judge-Advocate blamed Major Waller himself for the disasters which befell the marines and accused him of abandoning 10 helpless comrades, whose bones are now bleaching on the banks of the Lanang to die of hunger. The Judge-Advocate's denunciation of the methods by which the prisoners, who were to be shot, were chosen, was dramatic. They were lined up, he said, "for the raffle of death, at the sole will and pleasure of Private Davis, a marine, who was judge and prosecutor. He referred to Davis' testimony in terms of withering scorn, accused Major Waller of listening to the dicta of duty; asserted that the dictates of duty, asserted that the evidence, acted in many instances in a highly commendable manner and declared that their faithfulness and their devotion to duty had been disclosed before the court. Captain Marix requested permission to make a short reply. He protested strongly against criticism of the way in which the court-martial was conducted. The campaign, which he said, was outside the case, and again insisted that martial law ruled by the mere nature of the conditions. The court deliberated more than half an hour. No decision was announced.

IRONWORKERS' WAGE SCALE SIGNED

WHEELING, W. Va., April 12.—At a conference of the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel & Tinworkers and officials of the Republic Iron & Steel Company, the scale for the year beginning July 1, 1902, was signed. It is that of last year. It affects about 25,000 workmen in the bar-iron mills of the country. This is the first time that a scale was ever signed before the convention. That body will ratify the action of the committee. The arrangement means that there will be no strike or lock-out of the Republic Iron & Steel Company and the American Tinplate Company have been granted the same consideration.

CLEAR CASE OF SELF-DEFENSE

CLEVELAND, O., April 12.—Judge Kenyon, sitting on the bench of the Court, today discharged Charles Anderson, who yesterday shot and killed William Franks in South Euclid, a suburb. After a brief hearing the court said it was a clear case of self-defense. It was shown that Anderson did not shoot until he had been assaulted and that Franks had frequently threatened to kill him. Twenty-four hours before the shooting Anderson married the divorced wife of Franks. Anderson recently came here from Enley, a suburb of Birmingham, Ala.

HIGHER BONDS IN BOODIE CASES

ST. LOUIS, April 12.—Judges Ryan and Douglas, sitting on the bench of the Criminal Court, announced that they had taken special cognizance of the fact that the bonds heretofore taken in the "boodie" cases were not sufficient to hold the defendants, and accordingly the bonds were doubled all along the line.

THIEF ON A LARGE SCALE

New York Suburbanite Fills His House With Loot.

NEW YORK, April 12.—In the residence occupied by a man known as George T. Howard, at Ridgewood, N. J., the police have made a startling discovery. For two years Howard, his wife and a 10-year-old son have lived at Ridgewood. The man is a highly respected. He was known as a tea and coffee merchant doing business in New York. Theft soon began to occur in all the country surrounding the homes and carriages were missed, freight depots were looted, and farmhouses and barns were entered promiscuously. Finally two horses and carriages were stolen from Murray, N. Y. One of the horses wore a peculiarly shaped shoe, by which it was tracked for 20 miles, the trail ending in Howard's barn, where the property was found. Search warrants were at once issued, the house entered and found to be filled with all sorts of plunder. Only Mrs. Howard was at home. Mr. Howard had disappeared, as had the boy, who fled to Jersey City, where he was found and arrested, but in the meantime he had communicated with his father, and took his arrest with the greatest degree of composure, even smiling contemptuously at the police when they tried to make him tell where his father had gone. Then the exploration of the house began. On the back porch was found nearly a new road wagon, in the hallway was a new double sleigh. The house has 14 rooms, and each room was filled with goods. Three wagon-loads of property were taken to the village lock-up, and as the available space in the lock-up was filled, officers were put in charge of the remainder of the stuff, which ran from fancy embroidery to new stoves.

NINE YEARS' FRUITLESS CHASE

EL PASO, Tex., April 12.—A peculiar case is reported from Parral, Mexico, as the outcome of a chase after a man charged with the robbery of a stage coach in Idaho in 1893. Postal authorities have been on the trail of a man supposed to be Charles Gilbert Webb, suspected of being implicated in the above robbery, for nine years, and only recently effected an arrest of the suspect at his father's saw mill, 25 miles from Parral. American authorities have just received an appeal

CHICAGO FIREBUG

Blaze Started in Seventeen Buildings in One Night.

CHICAGO, April 12.—After extinguishing 18 fires yesterday, most of them close together and apparently of incendiary origin, the firemen of South Chicago at daybreak today were called upon to contend with the most serious of the long string of blazes. The first of this morning's fires consumed a barn containing several horses. St. Patrick's Church came next, and was destroyed before the firemen could reach it. Scarcely had they reached the church when they were recalled to fight a dangerous-looking fire at Willard Stone bell forge works. After a hard fight here the flames were checked. Meanwhile the warehouse of the Washington Ice Company had caught fire, and before the flames were subdued \$5000 damage had been done. The Calumet Theater came next, sustaining \$10,000 damage before the fire was extinguished. A four-story structure, having a feed store on the ground floor and dwelling above was discovered to be burning before the theater fire was put out. Two families escaped in their night clothes. The building was destroyed. Meanwhile Nicholas Schroeder's saloon had burned down. The total loss of this morning's fires is put at \$50,000. As the buildings were not near each other, the firemen feared that the fire was the work of an incendiary. The people of South Chicago were greatly alarmed by the rapid work of the firebug.

PRIVATE BANK ROBBERY

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FORTUNE IN AN OLD CHEST

NEW YORK, April 12.—W. E. Koch, a jeweler, has, according to a York, Pa., special to the Press, found cash and securities valued at \$15,000 in an old chest, several years ago Koch purchased for a trifling sum at a public sale, a small antique chest. Having no immediate use for it, he placed it in the garret over his place of business. Finally he decided to use the box, and upon taking it apart for repairs, a false bottom was found, underneath which was found the hidden treasure. The former owner of the chest is unknown.

HELEN GOULD'S GIFT TO BE DEDICATED

NEW YORK, April 12.—The new \$100,000 building for the naval branch of the Young Men's Christian Association, near the Brooklyn Navy-Yard, built with funds contributed by Miss Helen Gould, is so nearly completed that it is expected the work of the branch can be transferred to it within two weeks. The formal dedication will take place on May 15. Secretary Long will make an address. The building has five stories, a basement and a roof garden, and is in the architectural style of the French renaissance.

BRIGANDS EXTERMINATED

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 12.—A band of seven Bulgarian brigands has been exterminated in the Vilayet of Monastir, in Macedonia, by Turkish troops. The brigands captured the tower of the village of Kadli Koi and then fortified themselves. The troops surrounded the place and demanded the surrender of the brigands, who replied with a fusillade, which was returned by the Turks until all the occupants of the tower were dead.

The delegates to the Democratic city and county convention met in caucus in the Eagles' Hall last night and held a session, which was terminated only by the sound of the gong of the late cars departing for the distant precincts. During a meeting of nearly four hours' duration many matters were considered. The most important was that the Democracy should surrender its party organization in the county and city and place a citizens' ticket in the field. This was carried after a long debate by a vote of 130 to 40. On this ticket only a single man will be named as a Democrat, and that will be the nominee for County Surveyor. The name of the single candidate is thought to be a preservative of party identity, but some objections to it were raised by straight Democrats.

DIVISION OF OFFICES

The division of offices as agreed upon by the conference committee and adopted by the caucus was as follows: State Senator—Democrat. Joint Legislative—Six Democrats, two of whom it is agreed shall belong to labor unions, and one to the "Good Government Association," and six Republicans, two of whom it is agreed to belong to labor unions, and one to the "Good Government Association." Joint Representative—Democrat. Sheriff—Left to the committee. County Judge—Democrat. County Commissioner—Republican. County Treasurer—Democrat; but not fully decided. County Clerk—Republican. County Assessor—Republican. County Surveyor—Democrat. County Coroner—Republican. County Auditor—Left to the committee. East and West Side Justices of Peace—Democrat. East and West Side Constables—Republicans. Mount Tabor and Multnomah District Justices—Democrat. Mount Tabor and Multnomah District Constables—Democrat.

CITY OFFICES

Mayor—Democrat. City Auditor—Republican. City Treasurer—Republican. City Assessor—Democrat. Municipal Judge—Democrat. City Engineer—Democrat. Councilmen of the city—First Ward—Democrat. Second Ward—Democrat. Third Ward—Republican. Fourth Ward—Republican. Fifth Ward—Republican. Sixth Ward—Republican. Seventh Ward—Democrat. Eighth Ward—Democrat. Ninth Ward—Democrat. Tenth Ward—Democrat. Eleventh Ward—Republican.

ROAD SUPERVISORS

District 52—Democrat. District 53—Republican. District 54—Republican. District 55—Democrat. District 56—Democrat. District 57—Republican. District 58—Republican. District 59—Republican. District 60—Republican. District 61—Republican. District 62—Democrat. District 63—Democrat. District 64—Republican. District 65—Republican. District 66—Republican. District 67—Republican. District 68—Republican. District 69—Republican. District 70—Republican. City Road Supervisor—Republican.

NEW YORK, APRIL 12.—W. E. KOCH, A JEWELER, HAS, ACCORDING TO A YORK, PA., SPECIAL TO THE PRESS, FOUND CASH AND SECURITIES VALUED AT \$15,000 IN AN OLD CHEST, SEVERAL YEARS AGO KOCH PURCHASED FOR A TRIFLING SUM AT A PUBLIC SALE, A SMALL ANTIQUE CHEST. HAVING NO IMMEDIATE USE FOR IT, HE PLACED IT IN THE GARRET OVER HIS PLACE OF BUSINESS. FINALLY HE DECIDED TO USE THE BOX, AND UPON TAKING IT APART FOR REPAIRS, A FALSE BOTTOM WAS FOUND, UNDERNEATH WHICH WAS FOUND THE HIDDEN TREASURE. THE FORMER OWNER OF THE CHEST IS UNKNOWN.

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