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This morning occurred the parade preing the dedication of Grand Army ca. It was reviewed by the Vice sident and other officials.

The programme for the remainder of day is:

[2:30 p. m — Dedication of Grand Army 12:30 p. m. — Dedication of Grand Vice (White lot), with addresses by Vice resident Morton and Grand Commander -Dedication of Grand Army

Meeting of Department Comanders; meeting of Board of Directors anders; meeting of Board of Directors attomat Women's Relief Corps. 5 p. m.—Drill by National Fencibles, winners at the Omaha encampetent.

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3 p.m.—Camp fire of Sheridan posts, 6. A. R.; reunion of the Twelfth, Four teath and Twenty second Corps and Twenty second Corps and Santonasters.

Shiemasters. 8-30 to 11:30 p. m.—Reception to W. C. heits of the G. A. R., and other or-management of the Potomac.

headed by Mrs. John A. Logan. For this affair the rotunds of the Capitol has been gorgeously decorated.

The work of the encampment—that is, the business which brings them together each year—will be done on Wednesday and Thursday, but the great day, the great celebration of the occasion, will be to-morrow and to-morrow night. From 10 o'clock in the morning until the aunlight fades a line of veterans will march down? Pennsylvania avenue from the Capital past the White House in grand review. They will march in double 'line, and represent as nearly as well fed and well dressed peaceful veterans can the scene cancided at the grand review at the close of the war. Vith flags and percent emblems on every hand, with hundreds of bands and drum corps and trumpeters playing martial airs, the veterans, bearing flags, some of which were riddled and torn in battle, will follow the line of march of the grand review. As they pass the southeast corner of the Treasury they torn in Battle, will follow the line of march of the grand review. As they pass the southeast corner of the Treasury they will be greated by the voices of a thousand children singing patriotic airs.

To-morrow night will be the grand fireworks display. This will occur in the Monument Grounds near the Washington Monument. In addition to the usual

Monument. In addition to the usual display of bombs and rockets there will be representation of shells bursting as in battle, a salvo of bombs like artillery and battin, a salvo of bolloo fine artifiery and three very elaborate set pieces. In one of the set pieces will appear the national Capitol in a glow of light, beneath which will be inscribed in letters of fire "Washington Welcomes the Nation's Heroes," Another will propagate portraits. ington Welcomes the Nation's Heroes." Another will represent portraits of Grant, Sherman and Sheridan, with the eagle holding branches/of lainel over their heads. The third piece will represent a sailor and a soldier shaking hands over a stand of colors draped over cannon, with G. A. R. emblazoned over their heads, and a monitor and fort belehing volumes of fire and smoke in the background. At the same time rockets and Roman candles and red lights will be burnt in all parts of the city.

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On Wednesday will be the meeting of the encampment at Albaugh's Opera House, the convention of the Woman's Relief Corps, parade of the Union Veteran Legion and a large number of corps meetings during the day. On Thursday there will be any number of eamp fires, conventions and receptions. But the features of the day will be the re-prion of the encampment in the Pension Office Building in the evening. On Friday there will be excursions to Mount Vernon and elsewhere, camp fires, reunions and receptions.

VIGILANCE EVERYWHERE

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CHICAGO, Sep. 19. Chicago is to have a more perfect system for the inspection of immigrants than is new in regue in any city in the world. If carried out more persect system for the inspection of immigrants then is now in rogue in any city in the world. If carried out as is now outlined, a large sanitary station, comprised of an invingrant's hotel, baggase warelouse, and fungigating clant, four or five hospitals, for various contagious and infectious diseases, and surrounded by twenty area of ground will be established just outside the limits of Chicago.

PORLAND, Me., Sep. 19. -At Vanceboro, on the boundary line of Maine & New Brunswick, the Maine Central Railroad Company is srecting a building for the use of travelers who may be ill or under suspicion of having the cholera. The company has issued an imperative order for the thorough cleansing and disinfecting of all its stations and other buildings.

Boston, Sep. 19. —The State Board of Hotelt is conding out to resilead and

ing of all its stations and other buildings.
Boston, Sep. 19.—The State Board of Health is sending out to railroad and other corporations all over Massachusetts a circular calling attention to the necessity of maintaining cleanliness in water closets, depot restaurants, railroad cars, etc.

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QUEENSTOWN, Sep. 19.—Dr. Hodges,
Health Officer at this port, has been ordered to board, outside the harbor, all
ships arriving from New York and in case
sickness be found on board, to give the
captain a choice between quarantine here
or at Liverpool.

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Kingston, Sep. 19.—In view of the reports of cholera in New York, it has been ordered that all vesseis arriving in Jamaica from any port of the United States be subject to quarantine for period in the discretion of the authorities.

Ottawa, Sep. 19.—An extra of the "Canada Gazette" has been issued containing the proclamation of a quarantine on the Canadian border against passengers and merchandise from the city of New York.

Columbus, O., Sep. 19.—On account of the cholera scare all railway managers have been notified that no more immigrants will be allowed to enter thio without certificates.

ARRESTED AT COLON.

The U. S. Inspector Julied for Violating the Quarantine.

PANAMA, Sep. 19.—The Prefect of Police in Colon yesterday stopped United States Consul Ashby and United States Inspector of Customs Vopham near the

Inspector of Customs Vopham near the Colon docks, and in the presence of a crowd charged them with violating the quarantine which had been placed upon the steamship Newport.

The Prefect spoke very sharply to Mr. Ashby, admonishing him that his conduct was beyond excuse and threatening him with deportation as punishment for his contempt of the authorities and the his contempt of the Mr. Governor's proclamation. Mr. Vopnam was taken to jail, but was released at was taken 8:30 in the

was taken to jail, but was fettered was 18,30 in the evening.

The condition of business in Colon is without precedent in recent years. Hundreds of men who have found work at the docks have been deprived of employment by the exclusion of ships from Europe and the United States. The utmost destitution prevails among the families of these men and serious disorders are threatened. these men threatened.

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In response to a request for help one hundred soldlers and police were sent from Fanama yesterday to suppress disturbances in Colon.

Trade has been so decreased by the cholers panic in Colon that there has been for a week little railway business between that eity and Fanama, and yesterday the service was reduced to one train a day.

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New York Officially Declared to Be Free from the Dread Disease.

NO DEATHS REPORTED FOR SIX DAYS

Not Even a Suspected Case. New that the Nature of the Conerty Girl's Ailment is Known A Death From the Plague in New Jersey : No Trouble Expected from Fire Islanders-The American Consul and Customs Inspector at Colon Rehuked. No Quarantine at Charleston.

New York, Sep. 19.—The city is free from cholers. No deaths resulting from that disease have occurred since September 13, and there are no suspected cases in the metropolis at the present time.

"With no deaths for six says and no suspected cases reported," said Secretary Emmons Clark of the Health Board this morning, "we feel justified in stating that cholera has been stamped out of the city."

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The official report in the case of Peter Callahan disposes of the last deaths supposed to have resulted from cholera. Callahan was attended by Dr. John R. Gillespie of No. 319 East 55th street, who gave the cause of the man's death as "disrrhora and exhaustion." The Board of Health having officially sustained this report, no room for doubt is left in this case.

Several branches of business are suffering more or less on account of the disease. Fruit and vegetable merchants are not doing more than one third of the business usual at this season of tha year. The retail dry goods stores and other branches of shopping are missing many of their out of town customers.

The rumor that the Health Board doctors had made a great mistake in diagnosing the case of Mary Connerty, the Yeacoption Hospital patient, and that the tooling woman was enciente and that Asiatic cholera had nothing to do with her case, created considerable anusement among the medical profession

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With the making of each infected house a special police patrol beat in the precinct in which it is located, a number of policemen are relieved of this duty, and the cedinary work of tenement inspection and cleaning which they direct can go on. The Board of Health has instructed the sanitary superintendent to rigidly enforce the section of the Sanitary Code which provid what no bundles or baskets of soiled lines shell be carried as street cars.

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The report of vital statistics for the past week shows that there had been 758 deaths, a death rate of 21.48 per 1,000. Of the deaths four were from cholera and ninety-eight from diarrhoeal diseases. The number of deaths during the previous week was 731, a death rate of 20 73 per 1,000.

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The concensus of opinion from the Health authorities yesterday was that the health of the city was first class. While the danger of cholera is not yet over, they expect no epidemic. They do expect sporadic cases, but these can be readily extended to.

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Even the cholera cannot materially lessen the number of people who flock to these shores. During the past week there were landed in this port 4,953 cabin and 3,621 steerage passengers. Usually the number of steerage passengers is four times in excess of the cabin passengers. Three weeks ago the horavia, the first cholera ship, arrived in port, and although six other steamers have brought the dread divease as far as the lower bay, and nearly one hundred vessels have come in with passengers who have passed through countries in which the plague has gained a foothold, at no time since the first arrival has the outlook been so bright as at present.

The experience of the past fortnight will undoubtedly go far to alight begeneral alarm that is felt at the approach of Asiatic cholera, and to show that science has at last triumphed over what has been the terror of nations for years.

As all ships containing steerage from Hamburg are in port, and all steamship lines have agreed to bring no more steerage. Until the cholera ceases to be epidemis in Europe, Dr. Jenkins declares that the worst is not only over, but that he does not look for any more cholera ships.

Only one new case has been reported during the past twelve hours. This was on the Bohemia.

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on the Bohemia. The passengers now being detained at the different quarantine camps are becoming restless to got away. They greatly annoy, and in many instances abuse, the Health Officers during their visits, pleading or demanding to know how much longer they are to be detained.

TO A CALIFORNIA JUDGE.

Whitelaw Reid's Niece Soon to Be Max ried at Ophir Farm.

CEDARVILLE, O., Sep. 19.—Friends of Whitelaw Reid here are just in re-

ceipt of the following invitation:

"Mr. and Mrs. Whitelaw Reid request
the pleasure of your company at the
marriage of their nice, Miss Ella Spencer
Reid, to Judge Ralph Chaudler Harrison,
on Thursday, Sep. 27, at 12:30 o clock, at
Ophir Farm, Rye, N. Y.

Miss Reid has lately returned from a
protracted visit to the Pacific coast,
where she met Judge Harrison. Her engagement was kept a secret until the occasion of Mr. Reid's recent visit to his
mother at Cedarville. Miss Reid has been
a member of her uncle's household for
several years, being his favorite nices.
He has been extremely devoted to her,
partly due to the Tact that she is a
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Judge Harrison is a native of CaliforJudge Harrison is a native of California, where he occupies a high standard in
the opinions of his acquaintances. He is
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years of age.

UNEASINESS IN WASHINGTON.

Fears That the Big Encompment May Bring Cholera to the Capital.

Washington, Sep. 17.—The appearance of cholera in New York occasions great of cholers in New York occasions great uneasiness among the citizens of Wash-ington in view of the fact that 250,000 strangers coming from all parts of the country will be crowded together here

strangers coming from an particular strangers coming from an are next week. Every arrangement has been made for the comfort of the guests, but the sanitary conditions will not be perfect, and would be favorable to the rapid apread of the disease should it appear here during the encampment.

The camp is on low ground with only temporary sewerage, and the school houses which will be occupied are not provided with the conveniences of dwellings. There will be no freight brought to the city during the encampment on account of the immense travel on the railroads and most of the food supply will have to be kept for a week. The authorities speak lightly of the danger, and they will do well to take greater precautions, is the general opinion, than they have yet taken.

The Federal authorities will do all they can to help preserve the healthful sur-

The Federal authorities will do all they can to help preserve the healthful surroundings of the veterans during their visit. Secretary Foster said that he does not think there is any danger to the encampment from the choleta. He said that he did not regard the situation in New York as very serious, believing that the disease would not be allowed to spread. He did not think there was reason to apprehend its appearance here, nor that it would in any way interfere with the encampment.

THE PRESIDENT'S POWERS

His Right to Restrict Immigration in a

His Right to Restrict Imangration in Emergency Defined.

Washington, Sep. 17.—The following is the opinion rendered by the Department of Justice to the President, on his powers under the law to restrict immi

gration:

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, WASHINGTON.

THE PRESIDENT—Sir: By your telegram you ask for an opinion as to the extent of the powers conferred upon the Surgeon General of the Marine Hospital Service and the Secretary of the Treasury, with your approval, to make quarantine regulations with reference to immigration from infected ports

lations with reference to immigration from infected ports. In answer I have to say that every Government is under obligation to take all necessary measures to preserve the life and property of its citizens, not only from foreign invasion but to adopt such sanitary measures as are calculated to protect the people from those pestileners which have been found nearly if not quite as destructive as war. This is but another application of the maxim that self preservation is the first law of nature, and it may be added, of reations.

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GOV FLOWER THREATENED

Mysterious Box Sent to Him at the Widsor Hotel, New York.

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New York, Sep. 17.—A mysterious box, which is believed to contain an infernal machine, was received by Gov. Flower at his cholera headquarters in the Windsor Hotel a day or two ago. The nature of the contents were fortunately discovered before any harm was done.

The box was followed up by a letter the contents of which indicated that it was inspired by the same disordered brain which planned the mysterious machine.

The manly stand taken by the Governor in resisting the mob at Fire Island and in placing the unhappy passengers of the Normannia in the shelter provided for them by the State seems to be the only excuse for the outrage.

It was just after the Governor sent his personal check to bind the purchase of the Surf Hotel that the infernal machine fiend formulated his scheme. It would be unjust to accuse the representative of any particular set or class of men, but the inference is that the scheme of murder regiments as the property of the surface or class of men, but the inference is that the scheme of murder originated in the mind of some man in earnest sympathy with rioters at Fire Island.

REVEALED BY DEATH.

A Cholera Suspect a Baron - He Was Lieutenant of Uhlans.

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New York, Sep. 17.—The Bowery lodger who died on Tuesday at Bellevue Hospital, under circumstances that suggested Asiatic cholera, was the Baron Von Wittken of Poerania. His identity has been revealed by Alexis Schoenemark, who called on Gen. Clark at Sanitary headquarters to ascertain if the report of his friend's death from cholera had been contradicted, as it had been established that he had poisoned himself with arsenic.

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Schoenemark said Von Wittken was
Sey years old. His family were all military people and he obtained a lieutenancy
in the Unlan Lancers in which regiment
his father was a major. When he died
the Baron inherited \$50,000. He squandered it within a year and came to
America six mooths ago. He tried in
vain to get employment and became despondent. The last his friend saw of him
was on Monday, when he gave him fifty
cents.

Garman Beet Sugar Quarantined.

PHILADELPHIA, Sep. 17.—Two million dollars worth of beet sugar is in quarantine at the Delaware Breakwater, the Board of Health not yet having decided to pass it up. The vessels will probably be detained a week.

All Quiet in Indian Territory.

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South McAlerster, I. T., Sep. 17.—All is again quiet in Choctaw Nation.
Through the exertions of Agent Bennett and the chiefs of both factions the trouble has again blown over and the armed forces have dispersed. The prisoners have been turned over to the government and will be placed in jail again and held there for trial. It looked much like war until 4 o'clock, when an agreement was reached. The men who were encamped near here have gone flome.

HAMBURG'S FILTHINESS

The Tenement Districts in a Terrible Condition.

EVERY SANITARY LAW DEFIED.

People Living on Refuse Ment-Clothes of Cholera Patients Hidden So That They Cannot be Disinfected The Mortality Especially Heavy in These Districts -2,400 Orphaus Left a Charge on the Community -The Plague's Ravages Elas-

Hamburd, Sep. 17—The thermometer here varies between 70 and 75 degrees Fabrenheit. The air is humid and op-pressive, and the city is suffering under a dead calm. There have been 637 fresh cases to-day,

There have been 93, fresh cases to day, or 11 less than yesterday; 213 deaths, or ten more them yesterday; 345 burials, or 18 more than yesterday. In the cholera hospitals and barracks the number of patients is 3,003.

Some 2,900 of the patients now under treatment are of the dress of the city's

some 2,500 of the patients now under treatment are of the dregs of the city's population. They live in abject misery in the filthiest quarters, and are of the class which has suffered most severely from every epidemic of the last fifty

The other 30) patients, with hardly a dozen exceptions, belong to the families of fairly prosperous artisans. Of the per-sons who have died of the cholera in the last three weeks, 3,040, or about 40 per

last three weeks. 3.040, or about 40 per cent., were children.

In 1,000 families both parents have been taken, and thus 2,400 orphaus have been left a charge on the community.

The Board of Health have just finished an investigation of the tenement districts of Hamm, Horn, Barnbeck and Hammerok. An appulling condition of affairs was revealed.

A member of the investigation com-

At the control of the investigation commission says that even since the outbreak of the plague the people have defied every law of sanitation. Hardly a tenement house was found in the four suburbs where any sanitary convenience whatever had been provided by the landlord. Cesapools behind most of the tenements have been filled with decaying gerbage, while in the houses, hardly thirty feet off, persons were sleeping seven or eight in a room.

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Since the scarcity of employment has been felt, the commissioners said, the people in these houses have only had vegicables and refuse ment to eat. After deaths from choica they have neglected to use any of the distinct ting materials delivered to them, and have put on dead men we other a before saminary officials were untitled of the death.

The peoply from these localities have constituted consequently, two-thirds of the victime of the plague, and are still filling the hospitals with their sick. In Wandoback, where the cholera was supposed to have been stamped out, there were some 35 new cases and 13 deaths to the outbreak is call to be done to the contract of the characteristics.

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The outbreak is said to be due to the The outbreak is said to be due to the impossibility of coliecting all the clothes in the death rooms for disinfection. As soon as the people apprehend that officers are coming they smuggle away garments which they think might be injured by disinfection.

The expected rush homeward, prophesied for the last part of this week has not come, and probably will not come until the aick list and death list shall have been considerably shortened.

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LIVERPOOL, Sep. 17.—A eargo of fruit arrived yesterday from Hamburg, consigned to dealers in London. As the fruit was sound, the health officers concluded they had no right to confiscate it, and most of it went to jam factories.

CADIZ, Sep. 17.—All vessels arriving from New York are under an order just issued, to be subjected to quarantine at Spanish ports. The passengers will thus be protected from catching a variety of diseases prevalent in Spain.

Sr. PETERSBURG, Sep. 17.—The cholera epidemic is subsiding throughout Russia. To-day in St. Petersburg there were eight deaths from cholera, and fity-nine persons were seized with the disease.

PANIS, Sep. 17.—There were four deaths from cholera, yesterday, in this city, according to the official report, and fitteen new cases.

GRAYESEND, Sep. 17.—Schooner Titanic, from Antwerp, is detained in quarantine.

fifteen new cases.
GRAVESSEN, Sep. 17.—Schooner Titanic, from Antwerp, is detained in quarantine at Gravesend, with one case of cholera

on board.

STETTIN, Sep. 17.—There were seven deaths from cholera, to-day, in this

The Newport Dilemma.

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PROVIDENCE, R. I., Sep. 17.—Gov. Brown has not come to a decision in regard to the petition of Newport citizens for a special meeting of the General Assembly to authorize a city election in their city to enable them to vote at the Presidential election, as they may not be able to do in the present deadlock. It is expected, however, that he will convene the Assembly the first week in October.

Conductors for Coal Trains.

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SHEMANDOAH, Pa., Sep. 17.—By orders just issued each coal train on the Lehigh division of the Philadelphia & Reading Railroad will hereafter be governed by a conductor instead of the engineer as here-tofore. By the new arrangement about 40 promotions to conductorships have been made on the Mahanoy branch alone, and as many new men taken.

Will Pay 10 Per Cont., as Usual, Will Pay 10 Per Cent., as Usual.

New HAYEN, Conn., Sep. 17.—The directors of the New York, New Hayen & Hattford Railroad Company deny the story published yesterday that the company would pay 8 per cent. dividends instead of 10, as heretofore. A director stated that, the subject had not company at any of the meetings of the directors of the road.