

## Pres. Gomez and a Venezuelan Battery



## OHIO WILL MAKE A GREAT DISPLAY

Buckeye State Will Cut a Prominent Figure in the Inaugural Ceremonies.

## NEW-YORK IS PROMINENT

WILL HONOR VICE PRESIDENT ELECT BY SENDING ITS ENTIRE NATIONAL GUARD TO THE GREAT PARADE.

Washington, Feb. 25.—William H. Taft's home state, Ohio, will make an imposing showing in the inaugural parade March 4. Two crack Ohio regiments—the 7th and 8th Infantry—will represent the Buckeye state. Troop A of Cleveland, noted for its fine black horses and brilliant uniform, will be the personal escort of Mr. Taft.

Some of the civic and political organizations from Ohio that will pay honor to the new president are the Citizens' Taft club of Cincinnati, with nearly 300 men in line; the Stamina Republican club of the same city, with 200 men; from 300 to 500 Knights of the Macabees of Cleveland; the Republican Glee club of Columbus, 100 men and the Buckeye Republican club of Columbus, about 200 strong.

New York state will similarly honor James S. Sherman, vice-president-elect, by sending a full complement of its National Guard and a number of organizations, including the Sherman Scouts of Utica, named in honor of Mr. Sherman, which body will carry a large oil painting of their patron.

### Beehives of Bustle.

The fact that Washington is making ready for the great quadrennial event is in evidence on all sides. The headquarters of the several committees are veritable beehives of bustle. The sound of hammer and saw can be heard on all sides, and decorators are as busy as bees beautifying the downtown districts.

The interior of the pension bureau is being put in readiness for the big ball and promenade, which will be one of the principal features of the inaugural period. A large room on the G street side of the building has been placed at the disposal of the inaugural committee for use as an emergency hospital, and arrangements for the care of sick and injured there and along the route of the parade are being completed by a subcommittee of the committee on public order, under the direction of Maj. Richard Sylvester and his medical assistant, Dr. D. Percy Hickling. The committee, of which Maj. Sylvester is the head, will meet at 8 o'clock this evening in the New Willard hotel, when a report of all the arrangements for policing the District and caring for those who are unable to care for themselves will be made.

Applications for quarters are being received in large numbers by Chairman M. I. Weller of the public comfort committee. Referring to the prospective rush March 3 and 4, Mr. Weller said today:

"The headquarters of this committee at Tenth street and Pennsylvania avenue, will be kept open all night March 3. Our station at the union railroad station will be opened March 1, and information furnished to strangers immediately upon their arrival."

## BOSTON MAN WEDS.

In the list of Marriage licenses issued at Eaton appears the name of Arthur F. Nelson, of Boston, Wayne county. He was licensed to wed Gertrude H. Toney of Dixon township, Preble county Ohio.

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## NOT MUCH OF A DELAY

Local Trains Have Not Had Difficulty Leaving or Entering Cincinnati.

## WRECK CREW AT HAMILTON

Local trains have not been delayed greatly by reason of the floods in the last two days' washing out the tracks between this city and Cincinnati. At Hamilton where the greatest damage was done the Richmond wrecking crew has been employed steadily for the past two days replacing washed out tracks. At Coke Otto, a suburb of Hamilton the Four Mile river went on a rampage and did great damage in that place. Houses were twisted off their foundations and it is believed many thousands of dollars worth of property destroyed. The people were warned of their danger by the ringing of church bells and the blowing of whistles.

## PENN RELAY CARNIVAL.

Splendid List of Events Arranged for Meet in April. The Athletic association of the University of Pennsylvania will give its fifteenth annual intercollegiate and interscholastic relay race meeting April 24, open to all colleges and universities of the United States and Canada.

There will be three races to determine the college championship of America. One race will be for a distance of a mile, each man to run a quarter mile. The second race will be four miles, each man to run a mile. The third race will be two miles, each man to run half mile. The University of Pennsylvania will be found in all three, and it is expected that Harvard, Yale, Princeton, Cornell, Columbia, Chicago, Michigan and Wisconsin will also enter them. There will be, in addition, a number of other races between colleges. The following scratch events will be held, open only to college men, graduate or undergraduate, in which the first prize will be a gold watch: Hundred yard dash, 120 yard hurdle, high jump, broad jump, shot put, hammer throw, discus and pole vault.

## BASEBALL POINTERS.

Old Cy Young has blossomed out as a basketball player. He made one of a basketball team in a game at Milwaukee recently.

Harvard and Yale certainly made choice selections for coaches for their pitchers in Mathewson and Ed Walsh. There are none better.

Manager McGraw has discovered another "phenom" in the person of A. J. Schoeller, the Leland Stanford shortstop. He will take him to Marlin Springs.

Frank Bowerman chafes at inaction and would scour the country for players. Good engineering at the schedule meeting in Chicago, Feb. 16, will accomplish better results.

Manager Clarke Griffith of Cincinnati may try Mike Mitchell on first base. He has secured Oakes, an outfielder of the Los Angeles club, who will be tried out in right field if Mitchell makes good at first.

Two brothers of Covaleski, the Philadelphia National pitcher who defeated the Giants three times in one week last season, have been signed to play ball with the local Tri-State League club next season. Stanley is a pitcher and Jim a third baseman.

## IN SEVERE STORM FLEET IS TOSSED BUT WEATHERS IT

Big Fleet of Battleships Rides Gracefully Through the Angry Waters of Hampton Roads.

## ADMIRAL SPERRY HAS LEFT FOR WASHINGTON

He Will Retain His Command Of the Great Fleet, Which News Delights Both Officers And Men.

Fort Monroe, Va., Feb. 25.—After being flooded in brilliant sunlight all morning the American battleship fleet was swept by another storm yesterday afternoon. The big battleships and cruisers did not suffer, but the steam launches made decidedly heavy weather of it.

Two sailors on launches were tossed overboard, but both were rescued. A launch belonging to the battleship Rhode Island was partly wrecked. A party of women was aboard and when the boat crashed into a side boom of the armor clad several fainted. The launch drifted rapidly away from the ship, the engine having caught a "dead center" in reversing. Another little steamer was sent out, but the helpless launch had drifted more than a half mile in the choppy sea before being rescued.

### Sperry to Retain Command.

The water was the roughest known in recent years in Hampton Roads. Many tea and dinner parties planned on board the various ships had to be postponed. Shore boats did not attempt to make the battleship lines during the storm.

Rear-Admiral Sperry left for Washington today. He goes to consult with the navy department authorities as to the further plans for the fleet. The officers were much gratified by the reports from Washington today that Rear Admiral Sperry would continue as commander in chief of the battleship fleet until his retirement in September.

The invitation of Norfolk to officers and men to visit that city on Saturday was accepted. One hundred and forty officers and 2,000 blue jackets will join a parade in which several hundred regular troops from Fortress Monroe will participate.

### Distribution of Fleet Planned.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 25.—Secretary Newberry is arranging the disposition of the vessels of the Atlantic battleship fleet pending the reassembling of the fleet May 15 for the summer maneuvers off the New England coast. All the battleships are to be overhauled at their home navy yards proceeding thence within the next two weeks.

The third squadron under Rear Admiral Arnold, after completion of some minor repairs on the North Carolina, will proceed to Cuban waters for their winter target practice. On returning the third squadron will be abolished and Rear Admiral Arnold will become head of one of the naval boards at Washington. The flagship Maine will be placed in reserve and the Idaho, Mississippi and New Hampshire will take the places in the north division of the Atlantic fleet of the Illinois, Kearsarge and Kentucky, which will be placed in reserve. The armored cruisers North Carolina and Montana will be assigned to special duty after returning from the West Indies.

### Cheese Souffle.

Grate a quarter of a pound of cheese. Put a quart of stale bread crumbs and a pint of milk over the fire. Stir and cook until smooth. Add the cheese, and after it cooks for a moment season with salt and cayenne pepper. Take it from the fire and add the yolks of four eggs, mix and stir in the well beaten whites of the eggs. Turn into a baking dish and bake ten minutes in a quick oven.—Scrap Book.



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As Chairman of Rivers and Harbors Committee He Benefited Nation.

## HE WILL SUCCEED FORAKER

THE YEARS HE PRESIDED OVER WATERWAYS COMMITTEE OF THE HOUSE HE MADE THE FINEST IMPRESSION.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 25.—Representative Theodore E. Burton, chairman of the rivers and harbors committee of the house, who has reported the last river and harbors appropriation bill of the 60th congress and the last waterways bill with which he will be associated as chairman, can look back over his years as head of this great committee with unfeigned satisfaction. He has made a most remarkable record, not only as a legislator but as a practical, far-seeing builder of the nation's waterways.

Mr. Burton had the unusual honor accorded him of an unanimous election as chairman of the rivers and harbors committee by the members thereof, speaker Reed at the time holding that such procedure was permissible on the resignation of the prior chairman. Mr. Burton at the time of his election was the ranking member of the committee. This action was taken at the beginning of the third session of the 55th congress in the fall of 1898, since which date Mr. Burton, who retires on the 4th of March from the house of representatives has continued to be head of the committee.

The soon-to-be senator from Ohio, succeeding Mr. Foraker, first went on the rivers and harbors committee in 1895 and since that time as member and chairman, Mr. Burton has the rare distinction of having assisted in making approximately half of the total provisions for rivers and harbors since the foundation of the government.

Deepens the Harbors. Nearly three hundred million dollars have been appropriated between the years 1895 and 1909 for our rivers, harbors and canals and improvements upon five thousand miles of waterways have been initiated or continued during his term as chairman.

Nearly all the harbors of the country have been materially deepened or enlarged since Mr. Burton became chairman, especially the great harbors of New York, Philadelphia, Galveston and Mobile.

Among other important improvements the present chairman of the rivers and harbors committee has seen accomplished are the provision for a 35 foot channel at the mouth of the Mississippi; widening and deepening waterways of the great lakes, including all of the prominent harbors thereon. Mr. Burton can lay claim to never having had an amendment put on the

## river and harbor bill against his opposition, although several hundred amendments have been offered on the floor during his chairmanship.

### SIZES OF BOOKS.

Meaning of the Terms Folio, Quarto, Octavo and Duodecimo.

The words "folio," "quarto," "octavo," "duodecimo" and the like have almost, if not quite, lost their original meaning. At first they had reference only to the number of leaves into which the sheets used in making the book were folded. Thus if these sheets were folded once the book was called a folio; if the sheets were folded twice, so as to form four leaves, the book was called a quarto; if they were folded four times, so as to form eight leaves, the book was called an octavo, and so on.

The duodecimo, or 12mo, is an irregular size. To make it the sheet must be folded so as to form twelve leaves. Fold one-third of the width of a sheet lengthwise on itself. Next fold the paper across its breadth in the center. Next fold the sheet across its length—that is, fold the two leaves on the four. Finally fold it again across and in such shape that it may easily be sewed in with others to form a book.

But though, strictly and historically, quarto, octavo, etc., have reference solely to the manner of folding the sheet, they are, as a matter of common practice, used to specify the sizes of books.

If the sheets on which books are printed were of uniform size a quarto page would be as unvarying an area as a square foot or an acre, and before the invention of machines for making paper there was such uniformity to be found in the sizes of sheets.

But when paper making machines were introduced and the use of molds was abandoned sheets came to be made of all dimensions. As a result quartos and octavos had all sorts of dimensions, and the terms, when used strictly to indicate how the sheet was folded, became worthless as designations of size. The use of the old terms was nevertheless not abandoned, but instead they were first used to indicate a rather wide range of sizes and finally were attached to certain more definite sizes, without reference to the method of folding.

The practice of the publisher nowadays is first to determine what size of page he wants. The sheet he uses will be large or small, according to the capacity of the press at his disposal. On that sheet he may print, say, eight octavo pages, or he may print thirty-two, but he will call the book an octavo, though by its folding it should be called either a quarto or a 16mo.

In other words, the publisher calls his book by the name of that one of the old sizes to which it happens to come nearest.

The confusion resulting from the changes noticed here has not passed away yet, but efforts have been made to give definiteness to the old words.—New York Tribune.

A form of sport very popular in Burma is bull racing. These contests are largely attended by the natives, who bet considerable sums of money on the result. A native sportsman who owns one of these bulls values it at \$12,000, and it is said to bring him in yearly from \$5,000 to \$7,000.

## TWO EXECUTED TODAY TRAIN CATCHES FIRE

One Man Killed His Stepdaughter, Other One Murdered His Affinity.

## BOTH OF THEM WERE HUNG

West Chester, Pa., Feb. 25.—Irwin A. Lewis was legally hanged in the county jail this morning at ten o'clock for murdering his five year old stepdaughter, in June, 1907 near Landenberg, Pa.

### Killed His Affinity.

Reading, Pa., Feb. 25.—Frank Palmer was hanged at the jail at ten o'clock this morning for murdering his affinity, Gertrude Clinton, here in September, 1907.

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After a Brakeman Had Been Crushed to Death by Rear End Collision.

## MUCH LIVE STOCK ABOARD

Chicago, Feb. 25.—Today Charles Curtis, aged thirty-five, a brakeman of Galesburg, Ill., was crushed to death beneath a locomotive when the rear section of a Chicago, Burlington & Quincy stock train crashed into the section just ahead at Eighteenth street. The train took fire, but the fire department saved several hundred head of live stock from being roasted alive.

"They say her married life was one long series of battles." "Yes; she always refers to her ailments as her penance."—Smart Set.

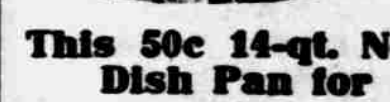
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