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CENTRE B'LDG., PA., THURS., AUG. 21.

CONGRESSIONAL RESUME.

Laborers of the National Legislators at Washington.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.—The senate referred the Quay resolution to the committee on rules. Mr. Hoar introduced an amendment to the resolution, including the election bill among those to be considered before adjournment.

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A Serious Shooting Affray. CHICAGO, Aug. 18.—A serious and probably fatal shooting affray occurred at an early hour Sunday morning by which six people were shot. It seems that a number of laborers employed by the Addison Pipe company, whose place is located fifteen miles from this city, came here Saturday night and imbued freely and on their return home on a "Big Four," which brought a number of passengers, a general fight ensued among the laborers. Revolvers were used and the smoke cleared away six were found to have been shot, two probably fatally.

No "Yelping" at Quay's Heels. WASHINGTON, Aug. 16.—In the senate Mr. Quay made a personal explanation as to a remark attributed to him in certain newspaper reports of the Republican caucus. He had been represented as saying that he did not wish to have southern members of the house of representatives yelping at his heels, urged on by the speaker. He had made no such remark, and had made no reflection on the distinguished presiding officer of the other branch of congress.

The Gift of France. NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—The statue of Lafayette given by the French government to the United States, which arrived here yesterday, will be erected in Lafayette square, Washington. It is a beautiful work of art. Its height, with pedestal, is 50 feet, and its cost was \$300,000. The pedestal bears on its four sides bronze groups emblematic of Lafayette's career in America.

A Millionaire Commits Suicide. NEW YORK, Aug. 18.—Millionaire Joseph A. Jameson, one of the well known Broad street firms of bankers and brokers, Jameson, Smith & Co., committed suicide by hanging yesterday at the residence of his sister, Mrs. Amos Cotting, on Fifth avenue. Temporary insanity, caused by illness, is given as the cause. Mr. Jameson leaves a widow and five adult children.

Train Robbers' Rich Hunt. KANSAS CITY, Aug. 18.—The safe of the Pacific Express company was robbed of \$90,000 by train robbers on the Missouri Pacific railway yesterday morning. The train, which was held up in "Robbers' cut" by five men and Expressman Avery was compelled to open the safe, the robbers emptying its contents into a sack. The robbers escaped without molesting the passengers.

The Tariff on Steel Rails. WASHINGTON, Aug. 16.—Messrs. Aldrich, Hiecock and Sherman, of the senate finance committee, gave a hearing to representatives of the Philadelphia iron interest who are anxious to have the rates on steel billets and rails fixed by the McKinley bill restored by the senate.

The President's Birthday. WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—To-morrow President Harrison will be 57 years of age, and he intends to celebrate the event by spending a few days at Cape May Point. This will be his last trip to the seashore, and it is probable that Mrs. Harrison will spend the month of September at Cresson, Pa.

A DESPERATE AFFRAY.

Two Men Slashed with an Ax in a Dark Room.

BLOOMSBURG, Pa., Aug. 18.—A shocking tragedy occurred at Dunlop Saturday night, the details of which have just reached here. The reports far as received, do not say that the principals of the affair were killed instantly, but subsequent developments show their wounds are fatal. The names of the victims are Frank Schuraski and Patrick Monahan. John Minics, who committed the crime, is now in jail awaiting a hearing.

Public opinion is in sympathy with the prisoner, as evidence so far received has learned shows he committed the crime while resenting an insult to his wife. Schuraski and Monahan went to a saloon during the night under the influence of liquor. After reacting it some noise was made which attracted the attention of Minics, who appeared in the room with a lamp in his hand, followed by his wife. One of the men told her to go in and mind her own business, but she declined to do so, at the same time making a retort, but before it was finished, the lamp which her husband had been holding was thrown across the room in the direction of the woman was standing.

Minics at once became furious and seizing an ax, slashed right and left with terrible effect. The light was now extinguished and a terrible struggle ensued. Mrs. Minics was knocked to the floor senseless, where she was found when the rescuers arrived. Minics was also overcome by a blow on the head but soon rallied. Monahan was found on the step with his skull split, a deep gash was cut in his shoulder and he was otherwise bruised. His companion, Schuraski, was found in the house, where he had been knocked by a blow on the forehead, which was split clear across. Neither of the men can recover.

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A GREAT EISENHOOD. Candidate Delamater Addresses a Gay Gathering at Hazleton, Pa.

HAZLETON, Pa., Aug. 19.—One of the greatest eistedfods held in the history of the coal fields was that of yesterday. The town was gayly decorated with bunting and hundreds of people came streaming in all day. Choirs from all over the coal regions participated. They have been preparing for this event for months past.

Mr. Delamater arrived unexpectedly at 3 o'clock, and a committee appointed to meet him did not arrive at the hotel until he had been in town for half an hour.

Last evening Delamater presided over the session and made a brief speech, the pith of which was pleasure at the cordial reception tendered him, and the magnitude of which was totally unexpected. After the session adjourned he made a brief speech from the balcony of the hotel, in which he said, among other things, "the object of the party was free ballot and to put the burden of taxes on corporations and take it off the farmer and laboring man."

The Pennsylvania Cutoff. PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 19.—The construction by the Pennsylvania railroad of the cutoff from Glenfield, Pa., to Trenton, N. J., will shorten its line from New York to the west. Work on the new road is progressing rapidly. It will be forty-nine miles long, and will save ten miles over the present route by way of Philadelphia. The delay which is going through a great city entails and the dangers from a network of tracks crowded with traffic will be avoided.

Rescued from a Well. HARRISBURG, Aug. 18.—"I'm worth a dozen dead boys yet, ma; what's the use of crying? I'm not hurt," said 14-year-old Willie Irwin, Jr., of Marysville, after being dug out of a dry well in which he had been buried four hours. Willie's father had lowered him into the well at 4 o'clock to bring up a bucket. The well had caved in just as the boy reached the top, and the father, with other men, had set about recovering the presumably crushed young body. Willie fell near to an old pump stock in the center of the well. That saved his life. At 8 o'clock, when dug out, he had only a sprained ankle and some bruises.

A Rattlesnake Story. WILLIAMSPORT, Pa., Aug. 18.—E. B. Campbell, Jr., D. L. Deane and A. B. Carnett returned from a surveying expedition on the headwaters of Young Woman's creek. While making their way through the timber they suddenly found themselves in a den of rattlesnakes. Seizing clubs and stones, they pitched in, and in a short time killed twenty-one of the reptiles. Before they got out of the woods they killed eight more snakes. The largest measured five feet in length and the smallest three feet.

Machinists May Strike. PITTSBURG, Aug. 19.—The machinists employed in all departments of the Westinghouse company's air brake works presented a petition to the company today for nine hours' work for ten hours' pay. If the demands are not granted the men will strike within forty-eight hours. About 1,200 men will be affected. The machinists in the electrical department of the Westinghouse company are now on a strike and the movement is in sympathy with those machinists in that department.

Warren Jackson's Fate. HARRISBURG, Aug. 19.—Mrs. Warren Jackson, wife of the Philadelphia colored politician supposed to have been drowned here three weeks ago, arrived here and was shown the ring and cuff buttons taken from the body of the man. She examined them carefully and said that while the jewelry is very similar to that worn by her husband, she does not think it is his. It is thought, however, that she may be mistaken, and the body will be exhumed.

Slate in the Oil Fields. STRONG RUN, Pa., Aug. 18.—Much excitement has been caused by the striking of coal slate in the oil field near this place. The slate is the same as found in the anthracite coal fields. The prospects are now favorable for both coal and oil in the most northern township of Berks county.

Pennsylvania Counties. LANCASTER, Pa., Aug. 19.—Census Supervisor Landis has announced the following census returns: Lancaster county, 149,479; Chester county, 89,239; York, 99,490; and Delaware county, 78,000.

THE HISTORY OF A WEEK

Wednesday, Aug. 13.

Cardinal Gibbons is visiting Brooklyn.

The state convention of the Missouri Farmers and Laborers' State union convened at Sedalia.

Superintendent of Census Porter's latest estimate of the population of the United States is 61,950,000.

The comptroller of the currency has appointed George W. Stone, of Wilmington, Del., examiner of national banks in the district of Delaware.

Governor Francis, of Missouri, appointed twenty-nine delegates to represent the state in the national farmers' congress which meets at Council Bluffs, Ia., Aug. 23 to 30.

At Dayton, Wash., fire destroyed property to the value of \$28,000, well insured. The buildings destroyed were mostly small wooden structures. The water supply was scarce.

Thursday, Aug. 14.

Pitman Grove camp meeting closes today. The second brigade of New Jersey troops is at Sedart.

The funeral of John Boyle O'Reilly, in Boston, was very largely attended.

President Harrison is expected to visit Cape May on Saturday for the last time prior to the family starting for Cresson.

Rutgers college has secured a legacy of \$10,000 by the will of P. Vanderbilt Spader, who in his lifetime gave the institution a valuable library of 6,750 rare books.

The pacing mare Nellie King, valued at \$2,200, with a record of 2:38, belonging to Judge T. J. Terhune, dropped dead while she was being exercised at Lebanon, Ind.

Among the prominent people who arrived in New York from Europe were Mrs. Robert Lincoln and her two daughters, Joseph Chamberlain and wife, Sir Lyon and Lady Playfair and Mrs. J. Sargent.

Friday, Aug. 15.

The Boston boot and shoe firm of John P. Foster & Co. consisted of the Yale Medical college.

An explosion in the Kendall soap factory in Providence, R. I., resulted in the death of seven persons at work there. Ten were very badly burned.

Phil Rohan, a member of Rohan Bros. foundry works in St. Louis, and one of the best known Irishmen in that city, was hit on the head with a hammer by Chief Engineer Bruce, of the electric light plant. The injury is fatal.

The schooner Senator Salsbury, which arrived at Gloucester, Mass., is the earliest arrival ever made at that port from the Iceland halibut fishing grounds. The winter was very fine. There was no destination among the people.

The first convention of the Quarrymen's National union adjourned after a three days' session at Quincy, Mass. A national constitution was adopted. The next convention will be held at Concord, N. H., on the first Wednesday in August, 1892. There are about 40,000 quarrymen in the United States, and it is intended to embrace them all in the national union before the convention of 1892.

Saturday, Aug. 16.

The queen will prorogue parliament on Monday next.

The revised census of St. Louis shows a population of 607,223.

Attorney General Miller and family are at Albany Park, N. J.

The population of Saginaw, Mich., is given by the census bureau at 66,130.

The Nebraska state Democratic convention nominated James E. Boyd, of Omaha, for governor.

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