SHAMOKIN, Pa., June 8 .- With his hands on the throttle a crazy engineer on the Pennsylvania railroad made the run of an express train between Pottsville and Wilkesbarre, guarded by the conductor and fireman. It was an ex-

citing and sensational passage. Engineer Elmer, who had run on the Pennsylvania railroad for many years, was considered one of the most competent men in the service. He talked pleasantly to the fireman, and there was nothing like insanity until after running a few miles Elmer stopped his train. In explanation he told Conductor Zach Moyer that there was "a freight ahead," and that without orders he would not

Moyer, thinking the man was joking, laughed, and said it was all right ahead. Thereupon the trip was resumed. New Castle was reached, and again Elmer asked for orders. Moyer's suspicions were aroused, and during the run to Morea he watched Elmer's movements from the baggage car. The engineer shifted about in the cab, and at times acted as if he were about to lear from acted as if he were about to leap from the cab window. In running a long stretch of track he suddenly stopped the train, and said the water for the boiler was low, although the tank was almost full. Conductor Moyer and the fireman came to the conclusion that Elmer's mind was deranged.

Then the conductor climbed into the cab and watched the throttle as a hawk would watch a scared chicken, and whenever the crazy man would put on an extra head of steam the other men shut it off. By flattery, pleading and resorting to numerous strategical moves the train was brought safely into Wilkesbarre.

To Reorganize the Miners.

PITTSBURG, Pa., June 8.—Efforts will be made at once for the complete reorganization of the miners in the coke re-gion by the United Mine workers of America. Vice president Penna, of that organization, said today: "Our fight against the coke operators must be maintained as long as we cannot get our rights. The fight cannot be evaded. I believe it will not be long before there will be another strike in the regions. The settlement at present is one purely through force. The men have no obligations, moral or legal, to remain at work for three years. A settlement like the present one will never remain in force.

Not Guilty of Bribery.

MEDIA, Pa., June 9 .- The jury in the case of Dr. Henderson Hayward, of Birmingham township, on trial here for election bribery, returned a sealed verdict after being out twenty-six hours. The verdict as returned acquitted Dr. Hayward of bribery, but half the costs in the case were ordered to be paid by him and the other half by Charles Phipps. Phipps was the witness who had taken the \$50 from Dr. Hayward, and who the jury had decided was the real prosecutor in the case.

Dropped from the Second Story. READING, Pa., June 9.—Albert Sweigert, dropped from a second story win-dow at Second and Penn streets, and was taken to the Reading hospital, suffering from a broken nose and other injuries. The house is occupied by Mrs. Lizzie Bennitch, and Sweigert, who is not a ledger there, had, it is said, gained access by stealth. How he came to drop out of the window is not known. For some time, it is charged, Mrs. Bennitch has been persecuted by Sweigert, and recently had him arrested.

Thieves in Camp.

NEW CASTLE, Pa., June 9 .- A wholepossession. All were committed by the mayor as vagrants and professional thieves. They will have a hearing Thursday. Nothing is known as to whom the valuables belong.

Both Claim the Office.

HARRISBURG, June 5 .- Z. X. Snyder has made a formal application to Dr. Waller for the office of state superin-tendent of public instruction. He was promptly informed, after an amicable conference, that Dr. Waller considered the place as indubitably his, and it was settled that the matter should be referred to the courts for proper adjudica-tion. The time of the trial has not yet

They Charge the Pinkertons. SCOTTDALE, Pa., June 9.-Master Workman Wise and Secretary Parker, active leaders in the late coke strike, declare that threats have recently been made against their lives by Pinkerton detectives. Parker says he was deliberately shot at on Saturday night near Wheeler. The two labor leaders are discussing the advisibility of hiring officers to investigate the matter.

The Jimtown Rioters on Trial. Uniontown, Pa., June 9.—The trial of John McSloy, C. M. Parker, Michael Damon and twenty-seven others for conspiracy and riot at Jimtown during the coke strike was commenced before Judge Ingraham. All will be tried together. J. S. Schoonmaker and Thomas Lynch are the prosecutors. More than a hun-dred witnesses will be examined.

The Tri-County Fair. Pottsrown, Pa., June 8.—There are 105 entries for the races at the spring fair of the Tri-County society, which opens here to-morrow and continues four days. This is the largest number

in the history of the society.

A Reading Physician Killed. READING, Pa., June 9.—Dr. George H. Landis, aged 62, and deaf, a well known physician of this city, while at-tempting to cross the Reading railroad tracks here was struck by an engine and instantly killed instantly killed.

Died of Quick Consumption. READING, Pa., June 9.-Dr. Albert J. Cressman, a member of the pension examining board and secretary thereof, died of quick consumption, aged 35. Four weeks ago he attended to his large

## HIPPOLYTE'S RULE.

His Offhand Manner of Ordering Executions.

THEY LOOK MUCH LIKE MURDER.

Merchant Regaud, Who Was Suspected of Favoring Legitime, Shot formation-Remarkable Tyranny.

NEW YORK, June 9.—The steamship Oranje Nassau of the Dutch West India mail line arrived at this port from Portau-Prince, bringing news of the latest attempt at revolution in Hayti.

The vessel put in at Port-au-Prince on Sunday, May 31, and found the inhab-itants of the town greatly excited and soldiers parading the streets.

The outbreak of the rebels occurred

on Thursday, May 26. While President Hippolyte was attending church a former cabinet minister, at the head of eighty followers, all well armed, stormed the prison and released 200 political

and other prisoners.

The released prisoners were provided with arms and ammunition, and when Hippolyte's troops arrived on the scene there was a bloody battle. Hippolyte, fearing that he would be shot down by some of the rebels if he appeared on the street, remained in the church all day guarded by soldiers.

the rebels were soon routed. The leader of the rebels, the former cabinet minister, whose name the officers of the vessel did not learn, was captured and shot at once. By night of Thursday forty of the rebels had been captured and put to death. Others were captured and shot on Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Every man suspected of being in sympathy with the insurgents was put to death without trial as soon as capminion. In 1873, when it was shown tured. Most of the 200 prisoners released from jail by the insurgents were recaptured and shot.

Cause of the Revolt. The outbreak seemed to have been precipitated by the killing of Ernest Rigaud, the largest merchant at Port-au-Prince, by order of President Hip-

Rigaud, who alleged that he was a French subject, had been in Paris some time, and had only recently returned to Hayti. Ex-President Legitime is in Paris, and is supposed to be in secret communication with his sympathizers in Hayti. Rigand was suspected of being in sympathy with the Legitime party and of aiding them. It was believed that he had brought from Paris a cargo of arms for the rebels

On Thursday morning, May 28, President Hippolyte went to the house of Ri-gaud, followed by a detachment of sol-diers. The soldiers remained outside, while the president entered alone. He asked the merchant if he did not have guns concealed in the house. Rigaud answered that he had no guns in the

"Then you have them at your store," said the president. The merchant replied that he had no guns concealed anywhere, but it is said

Putting his hand on Rigaud's shoulder the president said: "Come with me." Hippolyte's Sentence Executed.

They left the house together and stepped out in front of the waiting soldiers. Without another word to Rigaud Hippolyte stepped aside and gave the order to fire. The soldiers raised their guns and fired a volley into the body of the rich merchant. He fell dead in front of his house.

Hippelyte no doubt thought this would frighten the friends of Legitime, who contemplated an outbreak, but it seems to have roused them to fury, and the attack on the prison and release of the political prisoners followed in a few

On Saturday morning, May 30, a nephew of Ernest Rigaud, who was as-sociated with him in business, called at President Hippolyte's house to ask about sale arrest of twenty suspected thieves was made by the New Castle police at Lawrence Junction. The men were in camp in the woods, and large quantities of silver and jewelry were found in their was done by the soldiers without orders, and he intended to demand an investigation. As soon as he addressed the president and stated the object of his visit Hippolyte ordered him shot. He was at once dragged into the street by the sol-

diers and shot dead. Hippolyte Alarmed.

The outbreak caused great excitement in Port-au-Prince, and thoroughly alarmed Hippolyte and his government. The full military reserve force was called out, the custom house and all public buildings were closed, and no one was allowed to leave the city with-

out a passport from the government. Several citizens who wanted to take passage on the Oranje Nassau were ar-rested by the soldiers, taken before the general of the army, who refused to allow them to depart when he found they had no passports. Two German merchants were the only persons who secured passports, and who were allowed

to leave by the steamship. Day and night the troops of Hippo lyte patroled the streets searching for persons suspected of sympathizing with the insurgent party. Business was practically suspended. The bodies of the rebels shot were left lying in the streets for several hours as a warning to their friends. The officers of some of

the German vessels in port went on shore to look at the dead bodies. A Peace Festival Interrupted. On Monday a grand festival of peace was ordered by Hippolyte. Two Hay-tian men-of-war were in port, and they were profusely decorated. The festival was to celebrate the fact that the rebels had been defeated and peace established, but the festivities were probably rudely interrupted. At 11:30 a. m. the officers and men on the steamship heard the roar of guns in the town again. The fir-ing was prolonged, and soldiers could The vezsel left the port at 12 o'clock noon without learning the cause of the firing. It was probable, they thought, that an outbreak had occurred.

A Sepoy Deserter Executed. CALCUTTA, June 9 .- A dispatch received here from Manipur states that the Sepoy who deserted from one of the native regiments in the British service and who was one of the leaders in the recent revolt against British authority, being prominent among the natives who massacred Chief Commissioner James W. Quinton and the members of his party, was hanged yesterday. The execution took place in the public square in the village of Manipur.

CANADA'S PREMIER DEAD. John A. Macdonald Succumbs After

a Week of Paralysis. OTTAWA, June 6.-After a week of ottrawa, June 5.—After a week of the prostration, paralyzed from overwork, worry and the waning vigor of age, Sir John Alexander Macdonald, premier of Canada, died at Earncliffe. his magnificent home, shortly before

10:30 o'clock to-night John Alexander Macdonald was born in Glasgow on Jan. 11, 1815. In 1820 the family crossed the Atlantic and set-Down at the King's Command, and | tled in Kingston, Ont. The boy began His Nephew Shot for Asking In- the study of law when 16 years old, and was admitted to the bar in 1835. In 1844



He was the prime mover in bringing about colonial union in 1867, was created that the governmental party had accepted \$200,000 from Sir Hugh Allan, president of the Canadian Pacific railroad, for the purpose of carrying elec-tions, Sir John resigned. But he was quickly returned to parliament, and 1878 again became premier, holding the position until his death.

It Went Through on Its Merits. WASHINGTON, June 9 .- Referring to the published statement that during the time he was United States Senator President Harrison exercised his influence to have the pension allowed which was the other day granted to Mrs. Elizabeth L. S. Harrison, his brother's widow, Pension Commissioner Raum said: "An examination of the papers in the case and inquiry among those who have had charge of it for years fail to disclose any intercession whatever by General, Sen-ator or President Harrison, or by any one representing him. The case through on its merits."

Born Without Eyes.

NEW YORK, June 6 .- A remarkable case, almost unique in medical annals, will be brought before the society of the eye and ear infirmary Monday evening. It is that of a child born without eyes. The child is a son of Mr. and Mrs. he insulted Hippolyte and ordered him Adolph Zucker, of 228 Stanton street. out of the house.

When born two weeks ago last Sunday the nurse and father were astonished at the discovery that the infant was sightless. Where the eyes should be there are only two sunken hollows. The eye lids are closed as tightly as though glued together. In all other respects the child is properly developed.

The Behring Sea Bill Passed.

LONDON, June 9.—In the house of lords Lord Salisbury, in moving a second reading of the bill relating to Behring sea, made sympathetic reference to the death of Sir John Macdonald. He said the bill was to enable England to be free to act on the subject of arbitration and provided for giving compensation where there should be any real loss through England's action. The government did not admit liability for the whole compensation. He believed Russia to be favorable to arbitration. The bill was read a second and third time and passed.

Gen. Butler Wins.

BOSTON, June 9.—United States District Judge Nelson gave his decision upon the application of Gen. B. F. But-ler fer the release of Mrs. Johnson upon a writ of habeas corpus, and after a long opinion ordered the discharge of the prisoner. It was in the case of Mrs. Johnson, who was under the accusation of perjury under peculiar circumstances, that Gen. Butler lately attempted to appear before United States Judge Carpenter, who created a sensation by refusing to allow the distinguished counselor to address him.

An Earthquake in Italy. ROME, June 8.—Further particulars of the earthquake show that it was felt throughout all north Italy. At Verona the shocks were three in number and very strong. The people were killed at stricken. Three persons were killed at injured Marcenigo and seventeen badly injured at Sadiacolovera.

Mr. Bartine Dead. ASBURY PARK, June 8.-Richard S. Bartine, the Asbury Park lawyer who had been suffering since Tuesday from hydrophobia caused cy the bite of a cat last September, died at his home in Loch Arbour. He was unconscious for eleven | Deering Binder and Mowers, the Albright spring hours before his death

Mrs. Young Is Free. WEST CHESTER, Pa., June 6. - The habeas corpus proceedings in the case of Mrs. Blanche Young, charged with pois-oning her husband was heard yesterday. The judge discharged the woman on the ground that there was not sufficient evidence to hold her.

Duncan Committed for Trial, LONDON, June 6 .- R. C. Duncan, of Washington, who is charged with attempting to murder his wife near Bettys-y-Coed, North Wales, was arraigned for a hearing yesterday, and was committed for trial.

Capt. McChester Dead. DETROIT, June 8.—Capt. George Mc-Chester, one of the best known news-paper men of Michigan, died here yes-terday, aged 52 years. He was con-nected with The Detroit Free Press for

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Gen. Schoffeld to Wed.

Keokuk, Ia., June 6.—Maj. Gen.
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