THE LEGISLATORS LABOR

The Quay County Bill Passed Second from which it is formed, or partly Reading in the House.

O'MALLEY'S DISCERNING EYE

It Espies a Chance to Help the Scranton Poor District to Fifteen Thousand Dollars of State Money Annually-Other Work.

Special to the Scranton Tribune Harrisburg, March 26.—The judical apportionment bill passed the final stages in the house today with only thirty-four votes against it. Nine of these were recorded by Republicans-Messrs, Ames and Patchin, of Clear-field; Millard, of Susquehanna; Newman and Moore, Frank N., of Bradford; Moore, Daniel F., of Chester: Rice, was the only Democrat who voted for

The bill passed in the form it went through on second reading, although two efforts were made to amend it. The first was by Mr. Smith, of Jefferson, who wanted to go into committee of the whole to change it so as to detach Jefferson from Clarion, and make each a separate district. This was defeated. as was also a similar motion offered by Mr. Hermann, of Snyder. His pur-pose was to wipe out the Montour-Col-umbla district, created by the bill, by adding Montour to Union and Snyder, and attaching Columbia to Wyoming

Wouldn't Raise His Salary.

The surprise of the sessison was the refusal of the house to pass the bill increasing the salary of the superintendent of public printing from \$2,000 to \$3,000 a year. A special order was made last night for the bill on second reading at noon today and third reading tomorrow. When the measure was taken up this morning Mr. Fritz. of Columbia, called attention that it was another scheme to increase salaries. This legislature has already created a vast army of new officers," said Mr. Fritz, "and has been increasing from day to day the salaries of our present officers. The people and taxpayers of the state are opposed to squandering the state revenues in this manner. The cost of living is about one-third less than a few years ago and instead of increasing salaries it would be better to decrease them." Mr. Moore, of Brad-ford, protested against the bill on the ground that the salary of the superintendent was sufficient.

Almost an hour was devoted to consideration of the Gould bill, changing the poor system of the state so as to require counties to erect homes for care and treatment of their poor. Mr. Gould, of Erie, made a strong pleaed by men who have given a life's study to the poor system of the state sentatives from countles not having poorhouses opposed it and killed it on second reading after the vote had been reconsidered by which it falled at this stage last week. The Quay county bill, which went

row on third reading. Mr. O'Malley's Amendment.

The Gould bill providing that where a city or county takes care of its own insane or a portion of them they shall be compensated by the state at the rate of \$1.75 a week for each patient, was considered on third reading Mr. O'Malley had the words "poor district" He explained that this would make the bill apply to the Scranton amending the act of July 2, 1874, so as to and Count and Countess Von Rantzau. poor district, which for years has taken allow such association to designate the care of a major portion of its own in- presiding officer either as president or same. If the bill becomes a law the poor district will be entitled to about \$15,000 annually from the general appropriation for the insane.

THE HOUSE AT WORK.

Onay County Measure Made General. Passes Second Rending.

Harrisburg, Pa., March 26.-The house met at 10 o'clock this morning. Mr. Phillips, of Chester, offered the following resolution:

That it is due and proper to the self-re spect of the members of the Pennsylvania. legislature to protest against the diagraceful and ungentlemanly conduct of certain persons, to us unknown, while upon city | delphia. e boat No. 3, on March 25, and that upon demand that we shall, as invited guests be protected from insult and the boorish conduct of others.

Mr. Smith, of Philadelphia, objected to the consideration of the resolution and it was withdrawn. The alleged misconduct occurred during the ceremonies incident to the attempted launching of the steamer St. Paul, at

Philadelphia. The vote by which the Gould bill to of the poor was defeated last week, was reconsidered. Pending consideration of the measure the judicial apportionment bill came up on special order, and after several attempts to amend, passed finally-yeas, 131; nays, 34. The bill to increase the salary of the superintendent of public printing was defeated on

second reading-yeas, 56; nays, 69. Quay County Passes Second Rending.

The bill creating the county of Schuylkill counties was amended on particular. Mr. Staples, of Luzerne, orphans' court in Lancaster county; inoffered an amendment, which was may be established, in the manner herein provided, in every district in this 40,000 inhabitants and an area of not for five years from the passage of the less than 400 square miles, and no line act; authorizing the formation of corof which shall pass within less than ten miles of the county seat of any county proposed to be divided; provided, that no new county shall be established which shall reduce any county in area or population below the limits specified by the constitution; and provided further, that no new county shall be formed in any district unless a board. consisting of the governor, secretary of the commonwealth, auditor general, state treasurer and secretary of internal affairs, or a majority thereof, shall approve the application therefore, and upon consideration thereof find that the creation of such proposed new public welfare and convenience of the scess in the ear.

district to be included therein, and tend to Jargely promote and advance them. Provided, further, that in the construction of any such new county no county formed, shall be reduced in population below 55,000 inhabitants, ascertained by the last preceding decennial census. The bill was discussed at some length and passed second reading as amended

Consideration of the Gould poor sys tem bill was resumed, and it fell on final passage-yeas, 78; nays, 69. The bill to establish a separate orphans' court for Schuylkill county passed finallyyeas, 121; nays, 26. The house adjourned until 3 p. m.

The Afternoon Session.

When the house had reassembled at 3 o'clock. By unanimous consent bills were read in place as follows:

Mr. McDonald, Allegheny-Constituting eight hours a day's work for mechanics women and laborers in the employ of the state or any municipality and providing that such persons shall receive not less than the prevailing rate of wages in the re-spective trades and callings. State or of Bucks; Seanor, of Indiana, and Sey-fert, of Lancaster; Mr. Kipp, of Pike, act shall be guilty of malfeasance in office and liable to suspension. State or munic ipal contractors who violate the act shall be fined not less than \$200 nor exceeding \$1.000 and forfelt his contract. Mr. Pascoe, Lohigh-To validate the

charter of the Crane Iron company, of Catasauqua.

These bills passed finally:

Defining the powers of city assessors in cities of the third class; repealing the act authorizing county commissioners to act authorizing county commissioners to rebuild bridges that may have been deable institutions; providing for the dives-titure of liens of taxes levied or assessed against lands sold at judicial sales and for the payment of the same out of the prosupport of the indigent insane in certain unties or cities of this commonwealth; authorizing appeals to be taken in equity cases of account when the liability to acount is in issue from the preliminary or-ter or decree of court requiring an account; to prevent the interference of unauthorized persons with the electrical conductors and electrical appliances and machinery of electric light, heat or power companies; to regulate the establishment, lassification and maintenance of high schools, the distribution of appropriations in aid of high schools and the employment of teachers in high schools receiving state sid; relating to husband and wife who are the parents of minor children, enlarging and extending the power, control and authority of the mother over their minor hildren under certain circumstances; to lefine who shall be responsible for the naintenance of parents placed in hospitals for the insane by courts and judges in the different counties of this commonealth: providing that the right of action for injury wrongfully done to the person shall survive against the personal representative of the wrongdoor and limiting the time within which suit for such injury must be brought; to prohibit the giving and raising a false alarm of fire in the commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

WORK IN THE SENATE.

for the measure. He said it was draft- Routine Proceedings of the Upper Branch which Prince Bismarck only did when Reported in Detail.

were introduced:

issuance of executions on judgments so as the field to stand at the side of the to make such execution and levy a lien on | prince.

By Mr. Baker-Fixing at 2,340 pounds the the weight of a ton of anthracite coal.

By Mr. Crouse-Amending the liquor law so as to prohibit the sale of liquor on elec-

By Mr. Brady-Providing for the continuance of partnership associations after present the members of his household, the expiration of the original term, and Count Herbert and William Bismarck, chairman and to make by-law

The senate passed a joint resolution that when the senate adjourns this week it he to meet on Monday evening April 8, at 8 o'clock. The senate refused to pass the bill exempting brothers and sisters, their lineal descendants from the operations of the collateral

inheritance tax. Debate Over Loan Companies.

When the bill authorizing the formstion of loan companies came up or third reading. Senator Baker asked its Wolf Invades the Home of One Victim of purpose, and Senator Smith replied that it was to "protect the poor against the have out the three ball sign in Phila- mane Agent Kline from Tarr, a mining

Senator Penrose also defended the any future occasion of a similar nature we bill, declaring that the corporation which will be formed should the bill become a law will be a charitable one, whose profits are limited to one per cent, a month in addition to the legal. rate of interest-a blg decrease in the profits made by pawnbrokers. Senator Grady pointed out that the apparently big interest of one per cent, a month was intended to protect the company against losses by fraud. Senator Hoke denounced the bill as legalizing usury, provide for the relief and employment and authorizing the formation of companies throughout the state entitled to charge 12 per cent, per annum. Seeing the vigorous opposition to the bill, Ser ator Penrose moved its postponement

for the present, which was agreed to. The following bills passed finally: Authorizing cities and boroughs to levy a tax and make appropriations for the es tablishment and maintenance of free li-braries; relating to the competency of experts and to the rules of the evidence The bill creating the county of in questions of simulated or alterated "Quay" out of portions of Luzerne and handwriting; house bill providing for biennial organization of councils in cities of second reading in a very important the second class; establishing a separate corporating societies for the improve-ments of streets and public places; proagreed to, providing that a new county hibiting school directors, controllers or superintendents from changing the text books now in use in public schools, exclucommonwealth containing not less than | sive of high schools and normal schools porations to carry on any wholesale mecantile business, to drive, float saw logs and to store and transport water; author izing traction or motor power companies and street passenger railway companies to operate all their lines as a general sys-

> The remainder of the session was consumed in reading bills a second time and at 1.50 o'clock, the senate adjourned until tomorrow morning at 11

o'clock.

Death of William S. Kimball Norfolk, Va., March 26.-William S. Kimball, of Rochester, N. Y., the millionaire cigarette manufacturer and head of the that the creation of such proposed new American tobacco trust, died at Virginia county will permanently subserve the Beach after a short illness from an ab-

pressman. Recently she became desir-PRESENTED WITH A SWORD

The Kaiser Surpasses Himself in Honoring the Iron Chancellor.

KISSED HIS SOVEREIGN'S HAND

Meanwhile the Troops Cheer, the Bands Play and the Cannon Boom Out a Detonating Salute-Master and Discharged Servant Meet.

Friedrichsruhe, March 26.-The em-Placing himself at the head of the troops, the emperor led the way to Friedrichsruhe, where he was met by paid to the emperor, but only to Prince Bismarck.

When the emperor, at the head of the troops, arrived at the castle, the soldiers formed a half moon in the open field. The rain fell heavily, but the kaiser sat upon his horse and Prince Bismarck stood by the side of his carriage within the curve of the military crescent. The emperor saluted Prince Bismarck and addressed him as fol-

lows: "Your Serene Highness: Our entire fatherland is preparing to celebrate your birthday, in which celebration I have the honor to take part today at the head of the army to which your grace belongs The troops here assembled are a symbol of the entire army. Each field is represented and I recognize that behind these troops is the militia comprising all the German people united. This is the field sign of the elector of Brandenburg's field of successes. I could not find a better present for you than a sword, a symbol of the instrument which you helped my grandfather to forge, sharpen and wield. It is the symbol of the historic times of blood and iron. It is that means which never falls in the hands of kings and princes, also against home foes and as has been tested against foreign enemies. In memory of that memorable time you will recognize the arms of Alsace-Lorraine, which form the end of a chapter of history of twenty-five years. With the remem-brance I call upon the soldiers to present arms. Prince Bismarck, hurrah!"

All Have a Happy Time.

As the troops presented arms the band played, the soldiers shouted and omnosure the ex-chancellor said: "Will your majesty permit me to lay at your feet my most humble thanks. My military position in relation to your majesty will not allow me to further express my feeling." He then kissed the kalser's hands and his majesty urged him to mount his carriage. the Crown Prince had first entered the Harrisburg. March 26,-The senate vehicle and taken a seat to the right. and was endorsed by the Children's met at 11 o'clock. The following bills Then the ex-chancellor, escorted by the emperor, drove in front of the troops, By Mr. McCarrell-Requiring state and, after the rounds had been made, buildings to be constructed of stone quar-ried or brick manufactured in the state; the emperor personally leading Bisalso, providing that the state tax on marck's culrassiers. Court Master money at interest shall only be levied on money belonging to any person or corpora-marck's daughter, Countess Von Rantthrough today on second reading on tion in excess of 45,000.

By Mr. Fruit-Amending the act for the zau, and her sons, and led them across are the considered tomor-

After the review the cuirassiers, with guard at the castle. The emperor ordered double sentinels at each door and presented all the members of his suite the ex-chancellor. Afterwards Prince Bismarck begged permission to present the members of his household, to the emperor. The kalser, who had dismounted, selzed Herbert Bismarck's hand and asked: "Wie gehts du?" Luncheon was served soon afterward and when the emperor proposed Prince Bismarck's health the artillery fired in the salute of twenty-one guns. During the luncheon two bands played at the

o'clock. DIES OF STARVATION.

dining room windows. The emperor

the Great Strike.

town on the Southwest railroad. James ley, and tonight he was arrested. Quarrels with his wife and five children located there during the strike. The money he carned was not sufficient to

provide food for his wife and children. Quarrels did not tell his neighbors of his destitution, until his wife became III a week ago. She grew worse and died and it is told that her death was caused by starvation, for the little bits of food gathered in was first given to the little

The agent found the children in a mest deplorable condition, almos starved and naked.

TO REPRESENT GERMANY.

Baron Von Thielmann to Be Ambassador at Washington. Berlin, March 26.-It is formally announced that Baron von Saurma-Jaltsch, German ambassador at Washington, will succeed Prince Radolin as German ambassador to Turkey, and terday is a Washington hospital. that Baron von Thielmann, Prussian minister at Munich, will be appointed ambassador to the United States Baron von Thielmann is well-known drowned.

in Washington, havng resided there for some years as secretary of legation.

RAN OFF IN A MAN'S GARB.

Queer Frenk of a Young Girl Who Wanted Freedom.

Stanton, Del., March 26.-Miss Hettle Dickey, aged 39 years, daughter of Charles Dickey, a grocer of this town, has left town, clad in men's apparel. She arrayed herself in the male gar ments at the store, taking a suit that

had been discarded by a clerk. She went to Newark, and there took a train for Baltimore, since which time urday and Mr. Wilson takes his place Monday. nothing has been heard of her.

DOUBLE TRAGEDY IN TORONTO

Jealous Man Murders His Mistress, Then Cuts His Own Throat. Toronto, Ont., March 26.-Mrs. Sarah Toronto, Ont., March 26.—Mrs. Sarah Jane Swallon, whose husband was Washington; in June he will remove to

ous of ending her relations with Bell, that she might marry John Gorey, who

had been courting her. This made Bell insanely jealous, and at an early hour this morning he cut the woman's throat, killing her instantly, and then with the razor with which he committed the murder, he cut his own throat. The two dead bodie were found lying on their bed.

HAD A TERRIBLE EXPERIENCE. Unknown Boy Taken From Express Train

at Ningara Falls. Niagara Falls, N. Y., March 26.-When the Empire State express, the fastest train in the world, reached the peror and the crown prince started yards here a brakeman discovered a from Berlin for Friedrichsruhe at 8.20 boy crouched upon the trucks. He enrode to the Schwarzenback cross roads. only give his name as Brown, was stealing his way from New York to Toronto,

where he lives. He fared badly enough with the therruhe manor house. No honors were water from the troughs in the center feet, hands and other exposed portions of his body were badly frozen.

JAMAICA MAY RETALIATE.

Threatens to Levy Increased Taxes Upon American Imports.

Washington, March 26.-There is an intimation of the levying of increased taxes on American imports into Jamaica in a copy of the annual message to her wandering down Main street, near the legislative council of the governor R. W. Taylor's store, and had brought of that island, transmitted to the state her home. The mother took the child department by United States Consul in the house and, noticing that the Eckford, at Kingston.

sources of revenue abandoned under thrown her down and when she that arrangement.

Syndicate Headed by Pullman to Build

a Railroad in Mexico. government has approved the concession granted to a syndicate of American is a prominent stockholder, for the Prince Bismarck cried. Recovering his construction of a railroad from the coal fields of this place to Nuevo Laredo, and thence along the Rio Grande border to Matamoras, and from there down the gulf to the port of Tampleo. This road will traverse one of the richest agricultural sections in Mexico.

WHISTLER WANTS A FIGHT.

dispute between Mr. Whistler and Sir William Eden, growing out of the refusal to deliver a portrait he had painted of Sir William's wife.

Mr. Moore ignored the challenge, and Mr. Whistler has written to his seconds regarding his dealings with what he calls "a run-away."

Desperado Powell Is Brought to Bay by

Wild Beasts. Frankfort, Ind., March 24.-Jeff Powhounds and arrested late last night. Powell had taken refuge at the home of his father, "Indian Jim," who lives outskirts of this city. Stephenson is still alive.

KILLED BY STEPFATHER.

left for Berlin by special train at 3 Two Children Who Are Missing Now Believed to Have Been Murdered.

Huntington, W. Va., March 26 .- A week ago two young colored children named Finley disappeared and no trace could be found of them. The police be-Greensburg, March 26.-A sad story came convinced that they were murfour-per-cent-a-minute fellows who of destitution and death comes to Hu- dered by their stepfather, Charles Ringo, who recently married Mrs. Fin-It is thought the bodies of the children were thrown into the river.

VARIOUS WIRINGS.

A Prisco footpad fatally shot Walter Blake, a Stockton newspaper man, and es-Mrs. Harriet Beecher Stowe most em-

phatically is not violently insane, as falsely reported. The St. Louis board of revision found H

548 fraudulent registrations and wants a new election law at once, By a fall from the roof of a four-story milding, Ames Melching, aged 75, of New York, received fatal injuries,

In attempting to alight from a train at foot and was dragged to death. George D. Bahner, the injured George

town college foot ball player, died yes-While duck shooting in Pleasant Har-bor, N. S., Louis Hilchey and William

Borgal had their boat smashed and were A federal court decision at New York says stockholders of the Nicaragua Canal company are entitled to rank as creditors

FROM WASHINGTON.

Dupuy de Lome Will Succeed the Talk R. Ensign Abbe, a Thompsonville (Conn.) apple merchant, who had been missing since March 6, turned up in Hartford, in a dazed condition.

For causing the death of Loretta Han-nigan, of New York, by malpractice, Soloto Senor Muruaga. on H. Mann and Dr. Henry Pettingill Senor de Lome was the Spanish minare held under \$10,000 bail each

Mr. Bissell will retire from office on Sat-MAY LYNCH THE NEGROES. Prominent lawyers say no one can be

of Man and Woman.

compelled to pay the income tax, unless some amendment to the new law is made, which will provide for the law's enforce Next week the president will remove to Jane Swallon, whose husband was Washington; in June he will remove to companied by his wife, the couple were fair; possibly very light snows in the killed two years ago, has been living for Buzzard's bay. He does not expect to attacked by four negro highwaymen. the past year with John Bell, an ex- have to call an extra session of congress. beaten into insensibility and robbed of followed by warmer Wednesday night,

Had Fitch Been Caught, His Shrift Might Have Been Brief.

ASSAULTED MAGGIE M'ANDREW THURSTON TO GET REVENGE

Attempted Crime of a Drunken and

Dissolute Character Almost Ends in Bloodshed-Culprit Held for Court.

Forest City, March 26.-An attempt at t horrible crime was made in this boro'clock this morning. The emperor deavored to remove him, and found alighted from his special train at Au-that the unfortunate fellow was frozen ough Monday evening, when "Jack" muchle and accompanied by his staff, to the trucks. The boy, who would character, attempted to assault the 4-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James McAndrew. Just after supper Maggie, the little girl in question, went outside the house expecting to return Prince Bismarck. The emperor led the troops to the front of the Friedrichsteen of twenty minutes, her mother of the tracks. The water flew back and | went to look for her, but could not find deluged the boy, tearing the flesh from the little girl. Thinking that possibly his face and legs. He would have Maggle had wandered to the home of fallen had he not been frozen fast. His her grandmother, Mrs. Harry Evans. Mrs. McAndrew went there. The child had not been there. Now, thoroughly

alarmed, she inquired at the houses of different neighbors, but to no avail. Returning home, she found Fitch, or Fitzpatrick, as he sometimes calls himself, standing on Main street, in front of her house, holding the child in his arms. She asked him where he had found Maggie and he said he had seen little girl had been crying hard, asked The significant paragraph reads: her where she had been. The child re-"The withdrawal of the government of plied that a man had stood on their the United States of America from the back stoop when she went out and had reciprocal arrangements with this col- coaxed her down the steps. He had ony, entered into in 1891, and the reim- then seized her, crossed Main street, position of the duty on sugar leaves us and carried her into a vacant lot, near free to restore to our tariff some of the Krantz's bottling works. There he had screamed, threatened to choke her. The child being hardly old enough to un-AMERICANS GET A CONCESSION derstand the intentions of her brutal captor could go no further with her story, but her mother found on exam-ination that the little one's under-Borotheran, Mexico, March 26.—It is clothing was torn in shreds and that announced officially that the federal she was wet and bedragged where she had been thrown on the ground. Evidently the screams of the child had capitalists, of which George Pullman frightened the fiend from carrying out

Looking for the Criminal. A posse of men, with the almost crazed father, started out in pursuit of Fitch, and had they succeeded in finding him it is highly probable that the story of a lynching would have been the criminal. Meanwhile the officers marck regarding the line of policy to Challenges Gentge Moore, the Novelist, but is ignored.

had been in pursuit of Figure Content of the Moore of Cassic Kelly.

TEMPER JUSTICE WITH MERCY on Delaware street, where he has been fight a duel. Mr. Moore was the inter-W. J. Maxey at 9 a. m. At the office of boarding. He was taken before Squire the justice the little girl easily indenti fied Fitch as the man who had carried her off. Two employes of Mr. Krantz also swore that he came into the bottling establishment with the girl in his arms; that they asked him where he was going with her, and that he said he had found her on the street, and was going to take her home. When RUN DOWN BY BLOODHOUNDS. there Fitch was under the influence of

Fitch swore he was so drunk he did not know what he was doing, but was sure he had offered no indignities to ell, the Boone county desperado who the child. Justice Maxey held him in committed a murderous assault on \$1.500 bail to appear before the next Stephenson at the Elizaville grand jury at Montrose. In default of church Friday night, was followed to bail he was taken to the county seat this city by a posse of men with bloodyesterday morning by Officer N. E. Banker were playing with a revolver. Brundage.

DAVIS IS NURSING A BOOM.

Would Like to Be President or Secretary

St. Paul, March 26.-"Cushman Davis for president?" That will be the rallying cry of the Minnesota delgation in the next Republican national convention. Congressman Tawney, card that will be played on behalf of Davis is his famous telegram to the Duluth labor labor leader at the time of the Chleago strike. This will be backed up by his speech in the senate sustaining the acton of the president

in the same manner. The Minnesota senator's ambition, failing the presidency, is not to preside The will of Frederick Douglass will be in the senate. Davis has one ambition, and that is to be secretary of state. For years his studies have been seriously directed to preparation for the day when his ambition may be realized.

DID NOT LIKE FRECKLES.

Miss Pearson Dies From Effect of Soln tion Used to Remove Them.

Greenville, Pa., March 26.-Miss Mary Pearson, of Grove City, Mercer county, died in terrible agony, the result of applying a solution, for removing freckles, of corresive sublimate and alcohol. She had secured the recipe from a friend. When she applied the lotion her face became terribly blistered and soon other symptoms of poisoning appeared the senate confirmed Chester A. Stebbin ending in death despite medical attention.

NEW SPANISH MINISTER.

ntive Murnaga.

Madrid, March 26.-Senor Dupuy de Lome has been appointed Spanish mininter to the United States in succession

ister at Washington three years ago, serving only six months, and being succeed by Senor Muruaga. He is a Conservative.

People at Tuskaloosa Capture Assailants

Tuskaloosa, Ala., March 26.-While John Barr, a merchant, was returning home from his store late last night, accompanied by his wife, the couple were

the proceeds of the day's sales, which Barr had in his pockets. Barr will die, and his wife is in a critical condition. Isaac Tinkersley, Isham Falls, John Roberts and Mack Falls are in fail and have confessed. Excitement is intense

and they may be lynched.

How He Can Give Gresham a Roland for

an Oliver. Washington, March 26,—The state de-partment professes to have received no intimation from Minister Thurston or any one authorized to speak for him that he will leave Washington tomorrow to return to Honolulu. It is certain that Mr. Thurston will not call at the state department to make his

adieux. There is some possibility that Mr. Thurston may become minister of foreign affairs in the Hawailan cabinet In such an event it is highly probable that Minister Willis would be found persona non grata to the Hawalian sec

RED TAPE IS BREWING.

An Official Report Will Be Made Concerning the Carlisto Case.

York, March 26.-Collector James T. Kilbreth had a long talk with Surveyor of the Port Maguire today over the alleged violation of the law last Saturday, when Secretary of the Treasury Carlisle took William K. Carlisle, his son, off the steamship Paris on a revenue cutter before the quaranofficials had passed her Collector Kilbreth ordered Mr. Maguire to prepare an official report forthwith on the matter.

LI HUNG IS BETTER.

Public Opinion in Japan Strongly Con-

demns the Fanatical Assault. Shimonoseki, March 26.-Li Hung Chang passed a good night. The surgeons attending him have decided not to extract the bullet. The assault upon the envoy is likely to delay the business of the peace commission only

The most profound indignation prevails throughout Japan at the outrage upon Li Hung Chang, and the vernacular press are unanimous in their ex pression of the deepest regrets.

Will Dissolve the Reichstag and Make

Von Waldersee Minister. Berlin, March 26.-It is learned that ues we have ever seen officered. the kaiser, during the luncheon at Friedrichsruhe today, referred to the political situation. He said that he was firmly determined to dissolve the reichstag, and that Count Von Waldersee would become chancellor shortly. His majesty has ordered Count Von told. But no clue could be found of Waldersee to confer with Prince Bis-

Raises Money for His Wife. Louisville, March 26.-In the trial of John Wilson for horse stealing at Glasgow, Ky., Wilson's attorney pleaded for mercy, as Wilson's wife and baby were at home penniless. When the jury went out to their room they made up among

themselves a purse of \$60. Coming out of the room the foreman handed the money to the judge for the wife and children and gave Wilson two

PLAYED WITH A PISTOL.

years for his crime.

There Were Two Little Boys; but Now There Is Only One. Pottsville, Pa., March 26.-This morn ing two little boys named Jones and Jones was fooling with the weapon when it was accidentally discharged

and the bullet entering Banker's head killed him almost instantly.

KEYSTONETTES. Mine cars at Locust Gap crushed lifeles Fire did \$2,000 worth of damage to Wil-

son college at Chambersburg.

All the old liquor licenses in Monro ounty-sixty-three in number-have been

Reading are now running full handed with Judge Scott has put his foot upon th transferring of liquor licenses in North-

ampion county. Ex-Councilman Hugh McCullough DuBois, has been made receiver of the defunct DuBois bank. Pneumonia and grip killed six people at

Pottsville on Sunday, making the biggest death rate for two years, Projected trolley railways near Read-ing will be abandoned owing to supreme court no domain decision. Proceedings by Lancaster county to re

begun immediately at Lebanon. Street railway employes at West Ches ter loudly complain because they have not been paid for nearly two months. It is said the attorney general has give the governor an opinion to the effect that Recorder Curley cannot be removed.

pane broken and every occupant hurt, one Governor Hastings has appointed and

Robert Love's house near West Ches

of Condersport, to be associate judge of The death sentence of Antonio Rizzutti, the demonted Schuyikill county murderer,

was commuted to life imprisonment by the board of pardons. William Creager, of Susquehanna county, and Robert Smith, of Wayne, have

been appointed janitors of the house com-

mittee rooms at Harrisburg. The value of the proposed improvement of the channel of the Delaware river and the need of the grant of \$500,000 to carry on the work, were presented to the members of the legislature last night by a delegation of prominent citizens of Philadelphia William T. Beyer, of Lancaster, counsel for the county of Lancaster in its suit for \$75,684.31 against the city of Lancaster, has secured from Judge Ehrgood a mandames execution on his judgment against the city. It now remains for the sheriff to not in his work "and do the rest."

WEATHER REPORT.

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