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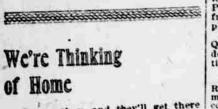
TWO CENTS A COPY.

New Fall

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Our Thoughts Arc In Touch

with those of fifty per cent. of the with those of fifty per cent. of the summer sojourners, who have been sitting in chilly rooms, and Draughty Porches at sea-side or mountain resorts during the last few evenings.



So are they, and they'll get there pretty soon. To such we would say is the best boarding house that man has ever established, or the best has ever established, or the best hotel that man has ever dreamed hotel that man has ever unreament of to be compared for one moment with "Home Sweet Home?" Not a bit of K-"Be it ever so humble, there's no place like home."

there's no place like home." We're not in the lecture writing business, but somehow, our thoughts leads to another, and we've diare also his opponents. Attorney Gen-eral McCormick said today that Senagressed somewhat, or in other words left the business track for a mo-

A Home Without

Pretty Curtains

Is only half furnished and hasn't a vestige of fireside comfort about it. Reflect for a minute and you'll adguay may get from being on the ground to manage his fight, and to-morrow David Martin, the Republi-can leader of Philadelphia, will go to the state capitol. He will remain there mit that we're right. If your cur-tains at home are a little the worse for wear, or your stock is a trifle scanty, you never had a better

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For the Next 10 Days

plates and perhaps putting a hole through the boat." "Mr. Iselin cared nothing for the As-tor cup, and thought it was better to take no chances. He could have kept on, and I am satisfied the Defender would have beaten Vigilant, but the boat was withdrawn because it is too near cup race time to have to renal CONFIDENCE ALL AROUND Leaders of Both Quay and Hastings Pactions Claim the Pield. near cup race time to have to repair accidents, and there is plenty to be done on the boat yet."

THE BATTLE IS NOT YET OVER

Mr. Martin Scoffs at the Idea That Dele gates Chosen as Hasting . Republicans Would Go Over to the Opposition. Harrisburg a Scene of Activity.

Philadelphia, Aug. 23.-Forty-one of the delegates elected from this city to support Governor Hastings at the Re-publican state convention in Harris-burg next Wednesday, met this afternoon at the Republican city headquar-ters and pledged their support in stick-ing to Governor Hastings for permaing to Governor Hastings for perma-nent chairman of the convention and to Colonel B. F. Gilkeson for re-elec-tion as chairman of the state commit-tee. After the meeting, which was held in secret, it was announced that a caucus of the Hastings-Gilkeson delegates would be held in Harrisburg on Tuesday night. The anti-Quay leaders claimed that thirteen of their Philadelphia delegates were absent from the meeting, but that their pledges had been secured. Harrisburg, Aug. 23.—Today Senator Quay sent the following letter to the delegates elected to the state conven-tion:

tion: Harrisburg, Pa., Aug. 23. Dear Sir-A caucus of delegates to the Republican state convention favorable to my election to be chairman of the state committee will be held at the rooms of the board of trade on Court House avenue. Harrisburg, Pa., on Tuesday, 27th list, at 9 p. m. You are respectfully invited to attend. Yours truly, M. 8. Quay. The senator remained in his room at

the Lochiel today, quietly directing arrangements for the wind-up of the contest. He is confident of victory, as

Admiration for America.

tor Quay's talk of bribery was a show of weakness. He said their side did not need to resort to bribery, because they had the delegates without stoop-New York, Aug. 23.—After a sixteen weeks' trip to Europe, and looking wonderfully improved in health. Car-dinal Gibbons, the chief prelate of the Catholic church in the United States, ing to anything of this kind. Congress-man "Jack" Robinson is talked of as the Quay candidate for temporary chairman of the convention.

and the campania. He was given a most enthusiastic welcome. The Campania got in before she was expected, and, slipping by Fire Island, got into quarantine before the delegation from Detroit and Baltimoré could catch the revenue cutter which had been placed at the cardinal's disposal. When the Campania arrived at comparating short. Philadelphia, Aug. 23.-The opening of headquarters at Harrisburg by Senator Quay has stirred up the Hast-ings people to a sense of the advantage at the cardinal's disposal. When the Campania arrived at quarantine short-iy before 2 o'clock, Cardinal Gibbons, surrounded by a party of Catholic clergy, stood on the starboard side for-ward and waved his hat to the only friend who succeeded in catching the cutter Chandler, Joseph T. Keiley, an attache of the treasury department, and son of Major John D. Keiley, city treasurer of Brooklyn, a personal until after the convention and will watch the moves made by Quay and endeavor to checkmate them. Martin

will also see to it that none of the Hastings delegates are seduced from their allegiance, and he will impress upon all the desperate nature of the fight and the necessity for standing treasurer of Brooklyn, a personal friend of the cardinal's and at whose home he will pass the night. Cardinal Gibbons looked well. His Mr. Martin says he is not alarmed by the stories and rumors in curculation of defections in the ranks of the Hastings forces in this city and is as cheerful and confident as ever in his manner. When asked what he thought of them and of way

SCRANTON PEOPLE HOPEFUL They Are Confident of Success at

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS. The Matter Will Be Decided Tomorrow Officers Elected at Yesterday's Mosting Royal Assistance Is Received from

of the Grand Lodge. Wilkes-Barre, Plymouth and Honesdale-Allentown Chews Peanuts,

Reading, Pa., Aug. 23.—The fourth day's ression of the Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania, Knights of Pythias, was called to order at 9 a. m. The new code special to the Scranton Tribune. of rules was the first order of business and they were finally disposed of at 11 o'clock. There were a number of Ecle, Pa., Aug. 23 .- Though our dele gation were tired out last night, we manage to make our presence felt and heard in the opening service of the con-vention. We have distributed all the changes and amendments from the committee's report, the most important being that in reference to the grand vention. We have distributed all the badges and hymns that we brought with us and have had more printed. The attendance of delegates from coun-ties outside of Erie is small and this showing made a great disappointment to those in charge. This is on account of the high cullroad rates and on ne-count of its being held so soon after the international convention at Boston. tribunal. The new constitution was then adopted as a whole. The following officers were installed by Grand Chancellor Jackson this after-

noon: Grand chancellor, Charles G. Freed, Philadelphia; vice-chancellor, H. N. Dunnell, Socanton; grand prelate, Charles F. Linde, Philadelphia; grand keeper of records and seal, George Hawkes, Philadelphia; grand keeper of the exchequer, Julius Mountney, Phila-delphia; inner guard, Scott Diebert, Pittsburg; outer guard, C. M. Deem, Beschwe; Reading. These members of the grand tribunal

These members of the grand tribunal were given out this evening: Edward H. Wayne, Philadelphia, five years; W. H. Hood, Philadelphia, five years; Robert Carty, Philadelphia, four years; W. H. Falls, New Castle, three years; Di E. Brindle, Carlisle, two years; James C. Lludsay, Bradford, one year; F. Howard Armstrong, Ply-mouth, one year. Gettysburg was selected as the next place of meeting, in August, 1896.

THE CARDINAL RETURNS.

He Talks Freely Upon His Visit to th Pope - Various Questions Discussed.

arrived this afternoon on the Cunard liner Campania. He was given a most

eyes sparkled with health and his cheeks, rounded out considerably, bore unmistakable evidence of having been erful and er. When em and of us Quay elected in go over to way up North river, his eminance

chooting down citizens, or if such a course would be advised by him. In reply to this the governor says that In reply to this the governor says that at the proper time what force may be necessary to successfully quell the fight will be easily secured. He further ad-vises the sheriff to notify the fighting management at once that they intend to suppress the fight at all hazards, so that the management can cease opera-tions on the ring and building at Dallas. Eric Convention.

VICTORY SEEMS & CERTAINTY

international convention at Boston.

the meeting ring with convention song

Scranton! 96!"

as well for us.

our efforts.

ENDEAVORERS AT ERIE.

Four Thousand Young Christian Workers Engage in a Service of Prayer.

be justified in using force, even to

Erie, Pa., Aug. 23.-A perfect day broke upon Erie and 4,000 zealous Chris-tian Endeavorers and their friends tian Endeavorers and their friends hailed it by coming out at sunrise and singing "Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow." Prayer meetings were then held all over the city. The feature of today's meetings were the noon day sessions at the shops, docks, jail, hospital and other public places. They were conducted by bands of lead-ers who were accompanied by forty or fifty ladies and gentlemen as singers and speakers. and speakers. Secretary McDonald, of Altoona, re-ported a total of 3.665 societies in the

state with a membership of 187,000, a gain of 506 societies in ten months. Every county in the state is represented. Philadelphia leads with 402 socie-ties and Allegheny county is next. Twenty thousand one hundred and

count of its being herd so soon after the international convention at Boston. This morning the committees were ap-pointed. The one most interesting to the Scranton delegation of course is the committee on place of '96 corvention, composed of the following: E. N. Mc-Brier, of Erie, chairman: W. A. Gilles-pie, Philadelphia; R. M. Davidson, Ve-nango: Rev. G. B. Essenwein, Harris-burg; J. B. Irwin, Blair; Wilbur Par-sons, Troy; C. R. Jones, Renova; A. B. Hess, Waynesboro; T. C. Bryttan, Pitts-burg; Miss L. B. White, Butler, and Rev. Amel Lewey, Altoona. This com-mittee will mest tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock to decide our fate. Tonight the Scrantoninans feel confident that they will be successful and are making the meeting ring with convention songs eighty-three dollars has been raised for missionary and benevolent work. The treasuerer reported a deficit of \$300

Rev. W. A. Stanton, D. D., of Pitts-burg, preached the convention sermon this forenoon. The services in the tent Endeavor are attended by from 4,000 to 5,000 people.

AUGUST SHRINKAGE.

The Business Transactions of July Were and cry. The latter is as follows: "Rah! Rah! Rix! Rah! Rah! Rix! Scranton! Inflated to a Degree That Made a Dull-

ness During This Month Imperative. Scranton! 96!" Allentown is very quiet in its efforts but whether this plan will be effective is still to be seen. They came here with a tame song singing to the tune of "Auld Lang Syne," but their efforts to sing were so feuitless that they have concluded to change and are now sing-ing their '95 song, which was prepared for York last year. Scranton is re-colving royal assistance from Wilkes-New York, Aug. 23 .-- R. G. Dun & Co., In their weekly review of trade, tomorrow will say: The volume of business shrinks, as

is natural in August, and the shrink-age seems rather larger than usual because transactions in July were somewhat inflated for that month.

for York last year. Scranton is re-ceiving royal assistance from Wilkes-Barre, Plymouth and Honesdale cepre-The price of wheat has fallen 3%, cents during the week, recovering a fraction on Thursday in spite of all efforts to hold back supplies from farms and to encourage buying. sentatives and our hosts, the Central only state Journal publishes a lead-ing article nominating him for the presidency. It says: "On the quetion of money, Judge Caldwell stands squarely for the free coinage of silver. In a recent inter-view at Denver, this able jurist said it would be little less than a crime if the Pennsylvania society, are doing fully Wheat ought to go abroad freely at present prices, but Atlantic exports, flour included, have been only 1,352,602 bushels for the week, against 2,694,764 last year, and for four weeks only 4,348,632 bushels against 10,937,447 last year. Impressive stories of short We have been honored today by the appointment on the nomination com-mit of our chairman, C. E. Daniels. The delegates are all well and happy and are hoping and praying for suc-cess tomorrow. We are looking forit would be little less than a crime if the people of this country permitted Wall street to fasten upon this nation the year. Impressive stories of short crops abroad have little weight in the presence of such a record, and the abstention of foreign purchasers proves more effective than the withward with pleasure to the arrival of Brother Manning, whose genial enliv-ening presence we have sadly missed in gold standard ' Judge Caldwell's position on labor matters is commended, and his famous Omaha decision in the Union Pacific receivership quoted.

holding of wheat by western farmers. It is a relief to turn to the great in-dustries, in which the enormous orders Simon McMahon Is Killed by Being Rui placed some weeks or more ago cause phenomenal activity for the season. Bradford, Pa., Aug. 23.-There was a tragic finish to a hub and hub race at Horrible Spectacle Witnessed by Real In iron, notwithstanding some uneasi-In iron, notwithstanding some uneasi-ness because the output has greatly increased, heavy purchases by two leading companies have advanced the pitce of Bessemer 50 cents, and a new combination has raised galvanized barbed wire to \$1.80, while combina-tions are being formed in wire rods and common wire, and advance in prices is expected. Other prices are unthe Volunteer fireman's tournament here today. Simon McMahon, of Sala-manca, N. Y., was killed and Martin C. Hubbell was critically injured. The Northwestern Volunteer Firemen's as-sociation has held a tournamet here, lasting the down Half a down court an unconscious lineman hanging twen

EASILY SWEEPS THE COUNTY Forces of the Administration Are Tri umphant at Every Election Districts The Army of Bluff and Bluster

Another Big Victory for Governor

Hastings.

LEHICH

Routed at Every Hand. Allentown, Pa., Aug. 23.-The Lehigh

Tribune.

county Republican primaries were held here tonight and from the returns received, the Hastings forces have swept the county. The primaries tonight elected delegates to the county convention which will be held tomorrow. There will be 166 delegates in the con-OUR NEW STOCK OPEN. vention and of these the Quay people tonight are only claiming forty-two. In this city out of sixty-one delegates, Hastings got fifty-two. The vote tonight assures the Hastings people the election tomrrow in the county conven-

Our Own Importation. state convention. Lehigh has been generally placed in the Hastings column and the result to

night is not much of a surprise. All Brocade and the counties in the state have now held

can ticket, has been revived today. Judge Caldwell will visit Topeka next

Tuesday on business connected with

LIVE WIRE TRAGEDY.

dents of Vine Street, Philadelphia,

Philadelphia, Aug. 23 .- The form of

Jacquard Mohairs.

Lizard Mohairs and

Alpacas,

Plain Mohairs and

Topeka, Kan., Aug. 23.-The move-ment in favor of Judge Henry C. Cald-well, of the United State circuit court, Sicillienes. for president in 1896, on the Republi-

novelties.

Crepons, Boncle and

Camel's Hair Checks,

the Santa Fe receivership. His visit is likely to be made the occasion of a demonstration by free sliver men and railroad employes in Topeka. The Daily State Journal publishes a lead-Stripes, Etc.

The line comprises many exclu-sive novelties and as the designs will not be duplicated an early in-spection is desirable.

We have now on sale an elegant line of the latest London and Paris

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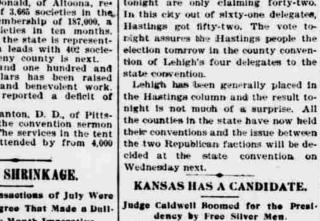
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The Newest Lace Curtains

On the market are offered at the following special prices for ten days. Come after that, and you'll find us making a profit on the present special prices.

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60 pairs in eeru only	35c
60 pairs in ecru only	55e
38 pairs in ecru only	6240
60 pairs ecru or white	8ikt
60 pair ecru or white	
48 pairs ecru or white	
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As we've hinted above, if you wa	
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makes or higher grades you can get them at correspondingly low figures, but only for ten days at present figures.

Snap Shots at Little Odd Lots in **Chenille** Curtains

only one or two pairs of a kind or coloring. Plain curtains with dado, \$3.50

kind at \$2.75. Same style as above, \$4.50 kind at

\$3.25 All plain Chenille, \$4.25 kind at

All piain Chenille, \$6.50 kind at

Figured all over Curtains, were 7.50; special price \$5.75.

SAY!

There's a Wash Goods Sale going on right across from our Drapery Department. Should you visit the store during its continuance, you minually hangs around there, but, of course, it's optional whether you visit it or not. To tell you the truth prices and stocks are equally low there, but the knowing ones if a 'bite or two' every day like the disciples of Isaac Walton who ished by the brooks and streams.



the statements of conspicuous Quay men that several delegates elected in the interest of Hastings will go over to the former, he said:

firm

Hastings Men Alive.

the former, he said: "There is nothing to warrant any of the rormer, he said: "There is nothing to warrant any of the rumors that have been started. The result as published has not been changed. Every man elected on Wednesday in the interest of the ad-ministration can be relied upon. The figures remain as they have been an-nounced. All I know of the men, and from all my advices, I am satisfied that there will be no 'flop.' These stories have been started for a purpose, and they have been made about men who, as soon as they heard them, quickly and strongly denied them." Christopher L. Magee, of Pittsburg, was in the city today and had inter-views with several of the local leaders. He expressed satisfaction with the sit-

several visits to the pope gave me much pleasure. He is a really wonder-ful man, and his physical condition for He expressed satisfaction with the sit ful man, and his physical condition for a man of 85 years is truly phenomenal. He is a triffe more stooped than he was eight years ago, when I saw him last, but his intellect is bright and strong, and his power of endurance is simply wonderful. He is in better health now the expressed satisfaction with the sit-uation here and as stoubly as ever de-clared that Governor Hastings and Col-onel Gilkeson will be winners on Wednesday next at Haerisburg. Republican State Chairman Gilkeson

Republican State Chairman Gilkeson replied with a refusal to the request of Li-utenant Governor Meyer, Aud-iting General Lyon, Secretary of In-ternal Affairs Latta and Theodore Flood that he call the state convention together to make up the roll of the dele-cates to the state convention. In his letter of declination Mr. Gilkeson says: "Gentlemen—I am in receipt of your pope." letter of declination Mr. Glikeson says: "Gentlemen—I am in receipt of your letter of Aug. 16, and in reply thereto let me say that I regard the making up of the roll of delegates to the state con-vention as a purely ministerial act. In discharging this duty I shall follow the custom of all my predecessors. In ref-erence to your suggestion that 'being a candidate for chairman of the state committee, it would be indelicate and improper for me to make up the coll of pressed, in a letter to me, the mos profound admiration. The America committee, it would be indeficate and improper for me to make up the coll of delegates, and thus decide the contests in my own interest." I desire to say that I have no purpose whatever of decid-ing any contests. I shall put up on the roll the names of the duly accredited delegates, elected by the regular district conventions, leaving absolutely to the state convention the duty of passing upon all contests." "Harrisburg, Pa., Aug. 23.—Senator Quay had a chance to rest at the Lochlei today, but this evening there were many callers, including a delega-

It is a Perfectly Formed Boy and Ha Hearty Appetite. Liberty, N. Y., Aug. 23.-A baby whose weight was only one and one-half pounds was born near here Fri-day last, to Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Henry, were many callers, including a delega-tion of old soldiers of this city. He says the fight is won, and expresses a Brooklyn couple, who are stopping there for the summer. The child is a male and perfectly formed. Its head is the size of a peach of medium growth, and the other por-tions of its body are small in propor-tions of its body are small in proporabsolute confidence in the defeat of the anti-Quay people. Governor Hastings is equally confident, and intimates is equally confident, and intimates that bluffing will not count where voting is necessary. The governor and Attorney General McCormick left this city this afternoon, it is supposed, for a conference with other administration tion. It eats its meals with a relish, and Dr. J. L. C. Whitcomb, the at-tending physician, is confident that the a confer leaders.

UNLUCKY DEFENDER.

he Celebrated Yasht Continues to Dis-The Town of Irvona Threatened With play Signs of Weakness.

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Bristol, R. I., Aug. 23 .- The Defend-Bristol, R. I., Aug. 23.—The Defend-er's mast was unstepped this morning and now lies on the pier at the works here, where a gang of men are at work stripping it. The new steel gaff is all ready, but the steel boom is not ex-pected to be finished before next Tues-day, and will not be used in the trials with the Vigilant. The steel gaff will probably not be used, either, until af-ter the races next week. The new mast for the Defender will be stepped tomorrow and the work of rigging her

Destruction. Altoona, Pa., Aug. 23.—The large tan-nery at Irvona, on the Pennsylvania and Northwestern railroad and about three miles from Coalport, is on fire and the town is the attened with destruc-tion. This city has been appealed to for assistance and No. 3 Engline com pany was sent at 9 o'clock. The danger to the town of Irvona. Clearfield county, is now past but the fire is still working on a pile of 50,600 cords of bark. The population is about 600.

infant will survive.

NOTED CHICKEN THIEF.

A 24-OUNCE BABY BORN.

TAN BARK ON FIRE.

Destruction.

Kansas Posse Runs Down a Man Wh Kansas Posse Runs Down a Man Who Has Stolen Thomsands. Topeka, Kan., Aug. 23.—A chicken they the name of Poole was arrest-ed early this morning near Le Compton with nearly 300 chickens in his wagon, which he had stolen from farmers. For two weeks he has been traveling through Shawnee and Douglass coun-ties at night and has stolen and mar-keted neveral thousand chickens. Last night a posse was organised to run him down, and when captured he was on his way to Kansas City with his stolen plunder.

ter the races hext week. The new mast for the Defender will be stepped tomorrow and the work of rigging her will be rushed. The boat will be ready by Monday and will at once leave for New York. She suffered not the slightest injury by lodging the mud jap. Mr. Iselin was seen today, and while he did not care to talk very much, said that there is absolutely no truth is the story that the hull of the boat is in any way in-jured. The mast was simply weak. Mr. Herbert Leeds was positive that the boat was not strained a particle. He said: "We have long known that the mast was too light, and when it began to show its weakness, it was decided better to withdraw from the races and not risk taking the mast out of her, with the possibility of its going over the side, straining the slummium

lasting two days. Half a dozen counup North river, his emin with his usual graciousness, talked willingly of his trip. "My health," he said, is magnificent. "When" he continued "aven my several in New York. The climax of

the festivities were to have been reached this afternoon with a hub and hub race. The Atbott Hose company. "Why," he continued, "even my stomach is all right now. My visit to Rome was not of special significance of Salamanca, N. Y., was entered in the race, and drow a position alongside of the D. B. Whipple Hose company, of Cuba, N. Y. When the starter's pistol was fired both companies got away and ran over the 200 yard course in a dead heat dragging the heavy to the Catholic church. It was per-functory and it a visit which we are supposed to make at certain periods." "Will the pope write a supplement-ary letter on American church af-fairs?" he was asked. in a dead heat, dragging the heavy hose carts behind them. Simon McMahon was in the lead on "There was no necessity of our dis-cussing such a letter," he replied, "and I do not think he will write one. My

TRAGIC END OF A RACE.

Over by a Hose Cart at Bradford.

the Abbett's coar rope, and just as he crossed the finish line, stumbled and fall Two other members of the team fell over his prostrate body. Before the other runners could check their speed a wheel of the heavy hose cart struck McMahon in the left side, just as he was attempting to get up. The cart bounded high in the air and struck the other two man McMahon was conbounded nigh in the air and struck the other two men. McMahon was con-veyed to the Riddle House in a carriage where he died in less than an hour. He was 22 years old. Mart. C. Hubbell, one of the men who was struck by the cart, is now in a critical condition, and he may not recover than he was eight years ago. The pope," continued his eminence, "has a delightful personality, and is won-derfully entertaining. We talked gen-erally of American church and politi-

he may not recover. The 200-yard hose race was won by the Fast Ward Hose company of But-ler, Pa., and the Abbott Hose company cal institutions, about which he is de-cidedly enthusiastic, and for the future of which he is hopeful. American poler. Pa., and the Abbott Hose company of Salamanca, and Tannery Hose com-pany of Limesone, N. Y., were a tie for second place. Best time, 28 1-4 seconds. The hub and hub race, 200 yards, was won by the Tannery Hose company, with the First Ward company of But-ler second. Best time, 22 3-5 seconds. litical institutions have constituted a subject of special study and reflection by the pope, and for them he has exconception of what constitutes liberty

is fully approved by the pape, wh thought our idea was the true one." **OUEER ACTS OF A CHICAGOAN** "Did you discuss the labor question with the pope," he was asked. "I believe," said the cardinal, reflec-

Henry Lindlinger Arrested by a Wes tively, "that he considers the labor question-that is generally-you will understand, as settled. We did not discuss it at lengh." Shore Railroad Conductor,

Rochester, N. Y., Aug. 23.-A man giving the name of Henry Lindlinger, of Chicago, bound for New York, ap-parently about 30 years of age, was West Shore train shortly after leav-ing Buffalo and turned over to the po-

lice here. sitting in his seat he suddenly threw his pocketbook and satche through a car window and grabbed the satchels of several other passengers and treated them in a like manner. It is stated he attempted to disrobe him-self in the Buffalo depot while the train was waiting there.

SHE WAS NO ACTRESS.

Yet Mrs. Bjerbaum Lost Valuable Diamonds at a Hotel.

Diamonds at a Hotel. Atlantic City, N. J., Aug. 23.—Mrs. Max Bjerbaum, wife of a Philadelphia broker, who is stopping at the Hotel Majestic, on Virginia avenue, was robbed while in bed in her room about s o'clock this morning of \$1.200 worth of diamonds. The jewels were taken from a case on the bureau. W. H. Morgan, alias "Dave" Morse, of Chicago, is locked up in the Central station here charged with the robbery. The police look upon their capture as one of great importance. They believe the prisoner had an accomplice, as none of the valuables were found upon his person.

GOVERNOR IS WITH THEM.

Ile Will Suppress the Proposed Corbett Fitzsimmons Fight in Texas.

Fitzsimmons Fight in Texas. Austin, Tex., Aug. 23.—Governor Cul-borson this morning made public some correspondence between himself and sheriff Cabel, of Dallas county, about the Corbett-Fitzsimmons prize fight. The governor, in his letter, asked Cabel if he intended accepting the attorney sphere is opinion holding the prize righting law valid. Cabel replied that if any writ was placed in his hands by the county attorney he would certainly serve it. In case no writ is issued and the responsibility is thrown entire-iy on him, he will unhesitatingly dis-charge his duty. He in turn, asked the governor if, under the law, he would

expected. Other prices are unchanged, and the new orders for iron and steel products are not at present large.

Failures for the week have been 222 in the United States against 234 last year, and 43 in Canada against 33 last vear.

WORK FOR MR. DENBY.

Will Probably Be Obliged to Insist Upon an Impartial Investigation of Kucheng Affair.

Washington, Aug. 23 .- The news contained in press dispatches from Shang-hai that Liu Ping Chang, the degraded viceroy of Szu Chuan, had been ap-pointed imperial high commissioner to investigate the outrages on the English cheek.

missionaries has not been confirmed officially through any dispatch re-ceived at the state department, but when such confirmation does come, the resentment of this government is like resentment of this government is inke-ly to be made known in such a man-ner that China will realize how much in earnest the United States are in bringing the Kucheng massacre to a conclusion satisfactory to this country Liu's record, as contained in official communications received at the state department this month, is not calcu-lated to impress the United States with a belief in any desire on his part to

a bellef in any desire on his part to make an impartial inquiry. When the Chengtu rfots took place, it was claimed that they were instigat-ed by the viceroy, who was alleged to have spread stories that the mission-aries were killing children. It is prob-able that Mr. Denby will be instructed to request the Chinese government to revoke Liu's commission on the ground of his actions at Chengtu and his hosof his actions at Chengtu and his hostility to foreigners.

AROUSED AND BEATEN.

Dr. S. R. Hayes, of Alcony, Ohio, Maltreated by Five Mon.

treated by Five Men. New Carlisle, Ohio, Aug. 23.-Dr. S. R. Hayes, a reputable physisian of Al-cony, six miles northwest of this place, was awakened at 1 o'clock Tuesday morning. On going to the door he was selzed by five men who compelled him to dress and wo with them. They led him to an alley, where they brutally beat him, breaking his nose and terribly bruising him about the

and terribly bruising him about the body.

TO GET MORE MONEY.

Operators of Copper Plants in Michigan

Houghton, Mich., Aug. 23.-Quincy, Wolverine and Kearsage copper mines announce a 10 per cent. raise in wages, effective from Aug. 1. The other six active mines in the district have previously announced an advance from

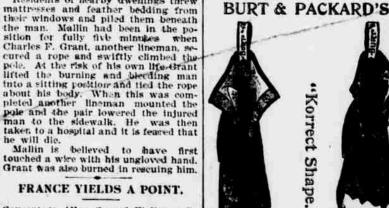
Indianapolis, Aug. 23.-This morning at Mount Jackson, across the river, some boys shot and killed a carrier pigeon which was resting in a tree. On one leg of the bird was found an aluminum tag bearing the characters "12 C. H. W., 96." Ti is thought that the bird is possibly one that was released at Calais,

France.

Bribery Case Dismissed. • Carlisis, Pa., Aug. 3.—In the alleged bribery charge against Judge Biddle and C. C. Basshore, when the case came up for a hearing today before a justice of he peace. Alexander Goodheart, the prose-cutor, withdrew the information and there was no charge to present. The case was dismissed at the cost of the prosecutor.

from his burning flesh was the specia-cle that startled the residents of Vine street in the vicinity of Eleventh street shortly before noon today. John Mal lin, who was employed by the Bush Electric Light company, ascended a pole for the purpose of stringing a new wire. He had been working but a few moments when a scream of terror directed the gaze of passers-by to the net work of wices. There lying partially upon several of the wires through which a strong current was passing and partly sustained by one of the cross trees of the pole was the lineman. His right arm hung powerless over a live wire which had burned through his whirt sleeve and into the flesh and from the point of contact a white smoke curled up. The man's face rested sgainst another wire and the spectators

313 Spruce St., Scranton. could see the wire burning Residents of nearby dwellings threw



FRANCE YIELDS A POINT.

Consents to Allow Consul Waller to Be Visited in Prison.

Paris, Aug. 23.-It is semi-officially announced that his government has granted the request of the United States ambassador, the Hon. James B. Eustis, to allow a cepresentative of the United States embassy to visit John L. THEY WEAR WELL. THEY FIT WELL. THEY FEEL WELL. THEY LOOK WELL. THEY SELL WELL. We have them in a hundred styles. Waller in his crison, ander the usual prison regulations. It is stated, how-ever, that no further steps can be taken until the papers in the case arrive. It is understood that pressure has been brought to bear upon Mr. Eustia been brought to bear upon ar. Eustra-from Washington, in view of the strong representations made in the Ameri-can newspapers on the subject, and that nothing will be left undone to ar-Lewis, that nothing will be seri undone to ar-rive at the true facts in the case. The negotiations between the two governments are said to be proceeding in the most friendly spirk.

SOLE AGENTS,

BLAME FOR DENVER DISASTER

Proprietor of the Wrecked Hotel, and Not the Eugineer, Responsible. Denver, Col., Aug. 23.-The latest the ory advanced regarding the Gumry ho tel disaster is that it was Mr. Gumry

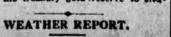
It is claimed that Mr. Gumry, know ing that his engineer was drinking, may have gone down to see if the bolier had planty of water in it, and finding that none showed up in the water gis may have turned on the pump.

Big Strike Ended.

Big Strike Ended. Terre Haute, Ind., Aug. 23.—The miners' strike in this state came to an end to-day when the operators generally agreed to pay the 60-cent price in the bituminous field. The men were told they could work at that price so long as the operators found it profitable to pay 60 cents.

WASHINGTON NOTES.

The treasury began today the payment of the adjusted income tax refund claims. Gold withdrawals at New York today for export to Europe as reported to the treasury amounted to \$555,000. This re-duces the treasury gold reserve to \$100-\$255,654.



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Raise Wages Voluntarily. instead of the engineer who caused th explosion

the same date. The increase in Houghton county will amount to nearly \$50,000 a month. The advance was volntary on the part of the mine owners.

SHOT A CARRIER PIGEON.

Thought the Bird Journeyed to Indiana from Calais, France.