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SCRANTON, PA., SATURDAY MORNING, JUNE 26, 1897.

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VICTORIOUS CORNELI

Wins the Great University | had the nose of her shell reached the Boardman, stroke, fell Eight-Oared Boat Race.

HARVARD COMES IN LAST

Time Twenty Minutes and Thirty-four Seconds.

American Grit, American Methods and American Training Win Easily When Pitted Against English Methods -- The Long-Mooted Question Concerning Weights Is Also Settled. The Race One of the Most Brilliant

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., June 25,-Cornell won the great university eightoared boat race this afternoon. Time Yale was second by three lengths and a half. Time, 20.44. Harvard came in third, five lengths astern of Yale. Time, 21 minutes. Cornell's time by miles, 4.45; second

miles, 10.30; third, 15.34 3-5; fourth, 20.34. American grit, American methods and American training won today as against American grit coupled with English methods and English training, A crew of American college youths, trained under an American coach, won from two other American college crews in an eight oared contest, the two other crews having studied, the one under an American coach with a mixture of English and American methods and the other discarding all American teachings and methods and importing an English coach in an endeavor to prove a superiority for Henley methods. Cornell university has not been able to meet Yale university on the water since 1875 and then, as today, she defeated the boys of the blue, After long bickerings, Yale university consented, under pressure from Hav-ard, to again meet Cornell. The match was arranged and today the leading crews of the three leading colleges of this country started down the fourmile stretch together. Yale finished second, and three and a half lengths separated her from Cornell, Harvard, with her newly acquired English methods, finished third, and she was over eight and a half lengths behind the Cornellians. Her eight were thoroughly exhausted, while the exponents of American theory as applied to the propulsion of eight oared shells, finished at a hot pace, without any distress being apparent. The tide was slack, the wind favored no particular crew and absolutely no favor of any kind was shown in the nature toward the result. The race was rowed entirely on its merits.

QUESTION SETTLED.

The race also set a conclusion upor the long mooted question concerning weights. Yale stripped into their boat at an average of 171 pounds; Cornell Vale used every pound of its "beef" on the leverage of its oars, Cornell employed her trained down muscle without beef in a leisurely confident manner, that pulled her at every stroke toward victory. The English trained crew, Harvard, weighed on an average ten pounds heavier than Cornell's met, yet that extra weight told for nothing. The result of today's race is that Cornell asserts her superiority in rowing to her method of training and capability over the two larger universities, and she still holds the record for inter-collegiate eights of 19.29. which she made last year.

The race was one of the most bril-

liant in the history of aquatics in this The crews started with a stroke of 32 for Cornell and 36 for Harvard and Yale. Harvard gained a slight advantage over the others at the start. Cornell forged to the front bereached and then began a struggle for place between Yale and Harvard old enemies. Harvard struggled valiantly, but before the end of the mile and a half was in the rear of Yale. Cornell, never varying a stroke, went on with an easy swinging stroke. At the two mile point the Yale crew were going away from Harvard and the latter seemed unable to prevent it. After Yale got away from Harvard turned her attention to Cornell, and just beyond the second mile made a desperate spurt to catch the slim youngsters. Never for a moment did The weighty Cornell get rattled. youngsters from Yales used every found of leverage on the end of the oar, but they could not bring their boats alongside the craft of the Cornell boys. The Harvard men were rowing in a very weak fashion during his next mile and it was evident that they were thoroughly used up.

Refere they reached the third mil ost Yale had begun to spurt but steadly the flying representatives of the red and white never changing their steady stroke of 32 to the minute drew away if they were enjoying an afternoon As they approached the finish line it was seen that the Harvard eight were nearly to a man in difficulties hile several of the Yale men were flying signals of distress. Then the Cornell crew, is if in mockery at the omfiture of their rivals increased their stroke to 34 and shot past the judges' boat every man as fresh apparently as when he started and as if not satisfied with their wonderful exhibition, rowed for a quarter of a mile down the river first giving three rousing cheers to the man who had coached them to victory, Charles E. Courtney. Ten seconds after Cornell,

the line and immediately stopped rowing, with number 2 (Whitney) and No. 3 (Campbell) in a Park, Beverly, N. J., was wheeling

Then came Harvard, 16 seconds behind, her entire crew used up and three

back of his seat, Wrightington, at No. 3 and J. F. Perkins at No. 5 also their oars and their companions commenced to splash water over them. After a long wait for their launch, which could not get through the crowd of yachts, the men were carefully taken to their

FRESH AT THE CLOSE.

After the race the Cornell crew were

taken on board their launch which steamed proudly across to the boat house, where a crowd of 2,000 men, women and boys had assembled and were waving flags, handkerchiefs and pieces of bunting. The oarsmen had to fairly fight their way through the mob into the boat house. Inside, they were surrounded by undergraduates and the enthusiasm knew no bounds. Courtney and his men were overwhelmed with telegrams of congratulations from all parts of the coun try this evening. There could be no relaxation in the training of the crew as their superb condition must be maintained for the race with Pennsylvania in the History of Aquatics in This the training table at 6:30 p. m. as though they had just come in from an ordinary practice row.

AN ILLEGAL JURY.

Judge Dunham Obliged to Adjourn Sessions of Wyoming Criminal Court Until November.

Special to the Scranton Tribune.

Factoryville, June 25 .- Just as the wheels of the county court had been nicely put in motionat Tunkhannock to grind out grist of criminal cases put down for the June term and the murder case of Carleton Adams was called for trial, Hon. E. J. Jordan exploded a bomb that shook the walls of Prothonotary Reynolds' office when he exposed the fact that the jury commissioners had never taken the oath of office and that the entire list of jurors that had been placed in the wheel for the year 1897 was illegal.

Upon verifying this report by proof from the prothonotary's office, Judge Dunham adjourned court till November term, so that the jury wheel can again be refilled and the jury commissloners can have sufficient time to be sworn into office.

DEATH OF WILLIAM MACKELLAR.

The Well-Known Type Founder Ex- stopped at the armory. pires from Apoplexy.

Philadelphia, June 25 .- William R. MacKellar, Philadelphia manager of the American Type Founders company and the head of the MacKellar, Smith and Jordan company, the well known firm of type founders, of this city, died today from a stroke of apoplexy at his nome at St. David's. He was 53 years old and leaves a widow, one son and two daughters.

Mr. MacKellar was born in this city and was educated in the public schools. When sixteen years of age he entered the type foundry, with which his father was connected. In ten years in he different branches of the foundry ne gathered an experience that made him one of the foremost type founders in the country. He was a prominent club man and was a member of the Founders association of the Гуре United States. He was also prominent in religious work and quite an extensive traveller.

JUMPED THE FALLS.

Another Suicide Ends Earthly Existence in Niagara.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., June 25 .- Shorty after noon today a man about 50 years of age, walked into a saloon near Reservation park and asked for a piece of paper on which to write a note. On writing the note, the man walked directly to Prospect Point, overlooking the falls. He handed the note to a lady.

She refused to take it, and threw it on the ground. The man then mounted the stone work at the brink of the falls and jumped over. The note read as follows: "God bless all on earth and have mercy on my soul." There is no clue to the identity of the suicide.

WOMAN SPENT HIS FORTUNE,

When His Last Penny Was Gone He Turned Waiter.

New York, June 25.-When William Bryan arrived at Coney Island six years ago he was accredited with being worth \$100,000. Today he was tak-en to the Flatbush hospital a pauper, suffering from lack of nourishment. For three years the women of the island followed him about and helped him to spend his fortune.

At last the turn came, The friends of good times deserted him, and for the last three years he has worked as a waiter and messenger.

FATAL DRIVING MISHAP.

Strange Chain of Deadly Coinci-

dence Completed. Princeton, N. J., June 25 .- William Nelson Thomson, a business man, was driving this morning when one of the front wheels of his cart broke, throwing him heavily against a curbing and killing him instantly.

He was commander of a Grand Army Republic post and a member of the Masonic and Odd Fellows lodges.

MOWED DOWN BY A RUN-AWAY.

Young Wheelman's Wonderful Escape from Death.

Atlantic City, N. J., June 25.-G. F. Arnold, a guest of the Mansion, and son of Fred C. Arnold, a well-known member of the Philadelphia Stock Exchange, whose home is at Edgewate along Atlantic avenue on his way to dinner at his hotel this evening. opposite Illinois avenue he was struck of the men utterly helpless. Hardly and knocked down by a runaway horse.

Arnold fell directly in front of a moving trolley car, but the motorman averted a double accident by quickly reversing the power and stopping the

The young man was picked up un onscious and taken to the City hospital, where he was found to have sustained severe bruises and internal injuries, but no broken bones. His Wheel was demolished.

MR. REID IN THE SWIM.

Attends a Ball Given in the Honor of

the Prince of Wates. London, June 25 .- The United States special envoy, Whitelaw Reid and Mrs Reid, dined with the secretary of state for war, the Marquis of Landsdowne and the Marchioness of Landsdowne this evening, where they met the Prince and Princess of Wales.

From there Mr. and Mrs. Reid went to the ball given by the Duke and Duchess of Westminster, at Grosvenor House, in honor of the Prince and Princess of Wales.

RIOT THREATENED.

Endeavors to Prevent Lynching at Key West May Result in the Calling Out of the U. S. Regulars.

Washington, June 25 .- This afternoon the governor of Florida telegraphed President McKinley that riot is threatened at Key West and asked him that in view of the distance of Key West from the main land and the difficulty in getting state troops to the scene of the trouble in time to be of any avail to instruct the commander of the federal troops there to act. The president replied to the governor citing the law in the case and asking for particulars. Secretary Alger has telegraphed to the commandant of the post at Key West asking for telegraphic advices giving the exact situation. The action to be taken will bepend upon the response of these inquirles The trouble has arisen from an at-

tempt to lynch a negro accused of assault upon a white woman. The negro was given a preliminary hearing before a justice and during the proceedings a man named Pendleton arose in court and asked if there were . not white men enough present to lynch the prisoner. Intense excitement insued, but the authorities succeeded in landing their prisoner in jail. Knots of men gathered in the streets and talk of lynching was freely made. Later in the afternoon while Pendleton was passing down the street he was attacked by a mob of negroes, but was rescued unharmed. This intensified the feeling, which ran high on both sides and fears of a race riot caused the local militia company to assemble at their armory. While they were not ordered into service, they voluntarily

THE LUTHER LEAGUE.

Interesting Sessions Are Held at Altoons---Officers Elected for Coming Year,

Altoona, Pa., June 25 .- At this morn-

Dr. C. E. Hay, of Allentown, and Rev. E. M. Miller, of Easton, read excellent papers on "Our Young People's Societies," They will be published in leaflet form for distribution. The general discussion that followed was participated in by several prominent delegates. W. C. Stoever, of Philadelphia, one of the editors of the "League Review," asked for a contribution of \$500 for that paper, consideration postponed. In the afternoon "Christian Efficiency" was discussed by Mrs. Rev. F. Hartman, of Altoona; Mrs. L. B. Laird, of Philadelphia, read an interesting paper on "Our Young People and the Bible." Rev. C. L. Fry spoke on "The Reading Course and How to Use It." The election of officers then took place and resulted as follows: President, Dr. H. L. Baugher, Gettysburg; secretary; A. Raymond Bard, of Reading; corresponding secretary, H. L. Hungerford, Wilkes-Barre; statistical secretary, George M. Jones, Reading; treasurer, Dr. J. F. Trexler, Lancaster. At the evening session, J. Boyd Duff, of Pittsburg, delivered an address on "No True Loyalty Without Love," and Rev. R. E. McDaniel, of Springdale, spoke on "The Young People and

Our Future. The president announced the commit-W. C. Stoever, Philadelphia, tees: chairman; executive committee, Rev. C. F. Hay, of Allentown, of the extension committee; Rev. F. F. Fry, Bethlehem, of the credential committee, and H. L. Hungerford, of Wilkes-Barre, of transportation committee. Horace W. Bickle, was appointed corresponding secretary instead of Mr. Hungerford, who resigned, Farewell words were spoken and the convention adjourned finally.

BIG HAILSTONES IN TOPEKA.

Dealers Have Telegraphed East for

Big Supply of Window Glass. Topeka, Kan., June 25.-Hailstone nany of them as large as hens' eggs, fell here tonight, destroying the windows in nearly every building in the city. Every skylight is destroyed. The track of the storm was two miles wide. Trees were stripped of foliage, while wheat and corn fields were wiped

graphing East for supplies,

Girl's Assnifant Lynched. Paducah, Ky., June 25.—It is reported here that Miller, who assaulted the 5-year-old daughter of J. B. Withers, at Eddyville, and was taken to Princeton for safe keeping, was secretly lynched at Princeton last night.

out. Local glass dealers are tele-

Bank Charters Granted.

Washington, June 25.f-Authority has been granted for the organization of the First National bank of Ebensburg, Pa.,, capitsi, \$50,000. The Nazareth National bank of Nazareth, Pa., has been authorized to begin business. Capital, \$50,000.

Died for a Dog.

Atlanta, Ga., June 25.-Terrell Hudson a negro, died on the gallows at Decatur today. The fall broke his neck. Hudson killed Semborn Malsolm, another negro, in a quarrel over a dog.

STORMY SESSION IN THE HOUSE

Presiding Officer Scott's Bill-a-Minute

Programme Interrupted. RICE, OF BUCKS, CREATES SURPRISE

He Refuses to Accept Forty-Two Dollars that Did Not Belong to Him. Representative Spatz Objects to passed finally. Bills of Expense in Shiffer-Leh Contest, and Arouses General Discus-

Harrisburg, June 25 .- A storm broke t in the house this morning soon after the opening of the morning ses-sion and continued with fury for more than an hour. Mr. Scott, of Philadelphia, was in the chair and started out to put the first and second reading appropriation bills through at the rate of one a minute. He got along very sicely until he reached the bill allowing the elections committee \$1,831 for extra car fare, carriage hire, telegrams, etc., in the Shiffer-Leh contest from Northampton county. Mr. Spatz, of Berks, and others demanded a roll call on the bill but Mr. Scott refused to recognize them and the measure passed econd reading.

Mr. Spatz next undertook to kill the bill appropriating \$1,000 for counsel fees in this case, He said the fees were exorbitant and ought not to be paid. Mr. Lytle, of Huntingdon, attacked Mr. Spatz for his persistency in fighting legislation of this character and appealed to the house to pass the measure, Mr. McElhanny, of Allegheny, said it would be unfair for the house to refuse to pay the bills of the attorneys. He did not believe a single attorney has asked for more than he is entitled. Others joined in the discussion. The bill finally passed cond reading by a vote of 148 to 9. After passing several other appropriation bills the second time, Mr. Creasy, of Columbia, moved to reconsider the vote by which the first election bill had passed.

The house was at this stage in turmoil. Members were standing in the aisles discussing the bills in loud tones. Speaker Boyer entered the hall during the confusion and promptly relieved the speaker pro tem. Order was quickly restored and peace and quiet reigned during the rest of the session. The motion to reconsider was adopted and the till was again before the house,

AN ACTION UNPARALLELED. Mr. Rice, of Bucks, a member of the lections committee, evented much surorise by moving to strike out of the bill an item allowing him \$42 for extra car fare and other personal expenses. He said he had not spent a cent for telegrams, car fare or carriage hire and did not propose to take money that did not rightfully belong to him. The item was stricken out by unanimade and a roll call on the motion resulted in 60 years to 87 nays. This ended the controversy and the remainder of the morning session was consumed in the consideration of appropriation bills on second reading. Short ly before adjournment Mr. Bliss, of Delaware, moved to reconsider the vote by which the concurrent resolution session of the State Luther continuing until the next session of the legislature the committee to inleague Dr. A. L. Bemer, of Scranton; vestigate convict labor created by the last legislature was defeated. A short discussion followed after which the vote was reconsidered and the resolution was amended by inserting a proviso that the expense of the investigation shall not exceed \$5,000.

The house started in this afternoo on appropriation bills on third reading and final passage. Speaker Boyer gave notice that he would send a telegram tonight to every absent member ordering him to be in his seat tomorrow. There are fifty-seven appro priation bills on the calendar for third reading and final passage. Only one of the bills under consideration this afternoon was defeated. That was the measure allowing the elections committee \$3,970 for extra car fare, telegrams, carriage hire, etc., in the Saunders-Roberts contest from the Third Philadelphia district.

BILLS PASSED FINALLY.

Among the bills which passed finally were the following: \$1,250,000 for the care and treatment of the indigent insane, \$346,000 to the soldiers orphan schools, \$126,000 to the Western penitentiary, \$40,000 to the state hospital for injured persons, Hazleton; \$11,000 to the Mercer hospital, \$14,000 to the Phillipsburg hospital, \$175,000 to the Sailors and Soldiers home, Erie.

\$7,000 to the Ashland hospital; \$24,000 to the Nautical school ship, Philadelphia; \$5,000 to the Penn asylum, Philadelphia; \$800 to the state game com-\$18,225 to the Connellsville hospital; \$70,136 to the Morganza reform school; \$150,630 to the Huntingdon reformatory; \$52,800 to the Western Pennsylvania institution for the feeble minded; \$10,000 to the insane hospital at Warren to erect disposal works to treat sewage: \$29,400 to the state board of charities; \$5,000 to the Chickamauga battlefield commission; \$8,000 to St. John's general hospital, Allegheny; 85,000 to the Corry hospital; \$30,000 to the Allegheny general hospital; \$20,000 to the Pottsville hospital; \$2,000 to the temporary home for children, Allegheny; \$10,000 to Rush hospital, Philadelphia; \$102,500 to the Eastern penitentlary; \$25,000 to extend the water supply at the Danville insane hospital; \$25,900 to the Philadelphia polyclinic; \$50,000 to the homeopathic hospital, Pittsburg: \$10,000 to the Shenango Valley hospital, New Castle; \$10,000 to the Bethesda home, Pittsburg; \$19,000 to the home for colored children, Alle-gheny; \$2,000 to the Curtis home, Pittsburg; \$3,500 to the Reineman maternity hospital, Pittsburg; \$25,000 to the Gynaceau hospital, Philadelphia; \$49,006 to the Hahnemann hospital; \$4,000 to the Philadelphia home for in fants; \$1,500 to the home for children, Pottsville: \$10,000 to the Chester be pital; \$10,000 to the Philadelphia lying-in charity.

The rules committee reported the following order of business for tomor-

That there be held a session of the nouse in the evening commencing at s o'clock; that the business to be considered shall be appropriation bills first reading; appropriation bills third reading and final passage,

Two sessions of the house will be held Monday. An afternoon session to commence at 1 o'clock and an evening cesion to commence at 8 o'clock. That he order of business shall be appropriation bills on second reading; propriation bills third reading and final passage; senate bills first reading; senate bills second reading and senate bills third reading and final passage.

SENATE PROCEEDINGS.

When the senate met this morning the consideration of bills on third reading was at once taken up. Several measures, not of general interest, were

The bill authorizing hotels to sell liquor on Sunday failed to pass finally The act to prevent the employment of ncompetent persons as miners in the anthracite mines passed without any opposition, as did the act requiring the weighing of bituminous coal before screening

The expense bills of the several inestigating committees appointed by the legislature passed second reading The senate adjourned until tomorrow

WRANGLING OVER REVENUE.

Mr. Lytle and Mr. Voorhees Give a Exhibition Not on the Bills.

Harrisburg, June 25.-The appropria tion bills were laid aside at the night session and the senate amendments to the new revenue bills taken up. The mercantile license measure was adopted as it passed the senate by a vote of 108 to 68. The bill makes a radical change in the existing law in relation to mercantile appraisers. It takes the appointment of these five officials in Philadelphia out of the hands of the city treasurer and auditor general and places it in the control of the state treasurer and auditor general. appraisers in the counties are appointed by the auditor general, instead of the county commissioner, as made under the present system. Numerous amendments were offered to the bill. but all were voted down. One presented by Mr. Creasy, of Columbia, fixed the mercantile tax \$1 for each \$1,000 worth of sales or fractional part thereof under \$5,000.

The bill making a general increase in licenses of brewers, distillers, wholesalers, bottlers, etc., was defeated by a vote of 65 yeas to 92 nays. These measures were originally known as the Bliss beer bills, but they were changed by the senate finance committee so that scarcely a dozen members recognized them when they were taken up for consideration. During the discussion on the second bill an exciting

scene took place. Mr. Lytle, of Huntingdon, in defending the measure, said that last Friday when the legislators went to their homes they could not tell their constituents how the deficit in the state treasury was to be wiped out. But when they returned Monday they found that one man had been here. He had smete the rock with his wand and revenue gushed forth to relieve the charities of the state.

MR. LYTLE TAKES OFFENSE. Mr. Voorhees, of Philadelphia, who sits across the aisle from the Huntingdon member, looked up from the paper

he was reading and smiled. Mr. Lytle took offense at this and said: "The gentleman from Philadelphia actions, and prices are firmly held. who is reading the paper need not laugh, for but a few years ago he would have concurred in this sentiment | year and 24 in Canada against 24 last by standing up and clapping his

Mr. Voorhees quietly laid down his paper and wheeled around in his chair, Mr. Lytle talked a few minutes on the question and sat down. was the Philadelphian's turn now and

he replied in these words: "The gentleman from Huntingdon goes out of his way to besmirch the gentleman from Philadelphia. He has the unfortunate habit of allowing his tongue to run away with his judgment. If it had not been for this defect gentleman from Huntingdon would now be occupying the chair, which you, Mr. Speaker, grace with such ability. As regards Senator Quay, when he is right I follow him and when he is wrong I am against him. Mr. Quay, who is the political mentor of the gentleman from Hunt-

ingdon is not my ruler. I am as good a Republican as the gentleman from Huntingdon and I am lesirous that sufficient revenue be raised to care for every charity in the state. Why, if Senator Quay is anxous to raise revenue, did he not have the beer bills pass the senate? It has been hinted about that it was because of an agreement between certain gentlemen holding high and honorable positions in the United States senate with the brewers trust. The gentleman from Huntingdon has been the colding schoolmaster of the house during this and many other preceding

sessions, but he shall not lecture me unless he gets a lecture in return. Mr. Lytle said he had not mentioned Senator Quay's name in his remarks and explained that he had no intention of trying to besmirch the Philadelphia gentleman. This ended the incident and the vote was taken on the The remainder of the session, which closed at 12 o'clock until 12 to morrow, was given up to the consideration of senate amendments to other bills, none of which are material or of general interest.

SANG ON THE SCAFFOLD.

Clark Lewis Is Hanged Before a Large and Orderly Crowd.

Favetteville, W. Va., June 25,-Clark Lewis was hanged here today at 12:40 p. m. in public before a large and orderly crowd. The condemned man sang

on the scaffold. Lewis was hanged for the murder of Charles Gibson, whose death ap-peared to be desired by Mrs. Gibson to enable her to continue her uninterrupted carousels with Lewis and one or two others who were jointly convicted with Lewis.

HELD A LIVE WIRE.

Michael Gill's Thrilling Experience at Pittston.

Pittston, June 25 .- The Item says Michael Gill, of Port Griffith, had an experence this morning that he will not soon forget. Neither will Patrick Madden nor ex-Chief of Police Keating, who came to his assistance as he lay writhing on the sidewalk quickly forget the five minutes that clapsed

before the wires were cut off and the

victim set free.
Mr. Gill was walking down South Main street between 12 and 1 o'clock this morning when he brushed against a wire that was hanging over the sidewark almost in front of Arvidson's saloon. Without thinking of the consequences he grasped the wire to brush it aside, and the next instant he was writhing in agony with a blue flame issuing from his finger ends and from

the heels of his shoes.

The sight was sickening and the smell that arose from the man's burn-ing flesh was described by Mr. Madden as being simply horrifying. Ex-Chief of Police Keating heard the call for help that was made by Mr. Madden, who happened to be walking just be hind Mr. Gill when the accident occurred.

Of course the men knew too much about the nature of electricity to attempt to aid the man by taking hold of him. The attention of Mrs. Brannigan, who lives near by, was quickly attracted to the scene. Mr. Keating seeing her looking from a window call ed to her to get him an ax. With this request Mrs. Brannigan quickly complied and the chief used the implement to cut the wire at each side of

the prostrate victim. Mr. Gill was picked up and carried to the house of Mr. Davis, near by, where to the surprise and delight of every body, he quickly regained conscious-

NO STEP BACKWARD.

Improvement in Business Continues Gradual, Although the Season of Midsummer Quiet Is Near.

New, York, June 25,-R. G. Dun & o's weekly review of trade will say: There is no step backward in business although the season of midsummer quiet is near. Improvement continues gradual and prudently cautious as before, although in many branches evident where no signs of it appeared a few weeks ago.

The main factor at this time is the steadily brightening prospects for crops. Harvesting of wheat has already begun in some winter wheat states, with surprisingly good results in the central region and California, spring wheat is doing remarkably well with a practically unknown increase of acreage. The price has advanced 11/2 cents during the week.

Iron and steel products average small fraction lower in published quotations but only because private conessions which are now refused were various authorities concealed two weeks ago. Pig iron is firm-er with a better demand at the east and at Chicago, but the impatience of valley furnaces to resume work keeps Bessemer and Grey Forge at last week's quotations at Pittsburg. The best of the news is material increase in orders in plates and part for ship building, in bars for agricultural implement works in structural shapes for buildings

There is an encouraging increased demand for all textile goods, even for cottons, which have so long been slow and though it is but moderate there is nothing of a speculative character in trans-

Failures for the week have been 216 in the United States against 217 last

BAD EGGS FOR THE UNION JACK. Over-Zealous Riverton Patriots Vent

Their Displeasure. Riverton, N. J., June 25 .- Among the esidents of Riverton is William Tricker, who is at the head of one of the epartments of Dreer's seed farm. Tricker is of English birth, with a ingering fondness for the old country. The Victorian Jubilee made him feel very good indeed, and he ran up the Union Jack out of his third story win-

The British colors were allowed to float unmolested all of yesterday, but after nightfall it fell a victim to the over-zealousness of some patriots, who gave it a shower of malodorous eggs. Some of the eggs passed through the window and made things unpleasant in the house, and Tricker was greatly enraged. He thinks he has a clue to the egg-throwers and will endeavor to see them punished in some way.

Big Warehouse Burned. New York, June 25 .- A fire in the New

York Central terminal warehouse at Fifty ninth street and Twelfth avenue this af-ternoon caused a loss of \$65,000. Great quantities of molasses and cotton seed oil were stored in the cellar and it was at first feared that the fire would cause a damage of nearly a million dollars.

Queen Visits School.

Windsor, Eng., June 25 .- The irove to Windsor park today and visited 6,000 school children who were celebrating her majesty's jubilee. Later the queen received delegates from fire brigades be onging to all parts of the kingdom.

Eight Dwellings Destroyed. Wilkes-Barre, June 25 .- Fire at an early our this morning destroyed eight dwellng houses in Plymouth township. Loss \$9,000.

THE NEWS THIS MORNING.

Weather Indications Today:

Generally Fair; Cooler

1 General-Cornell Wins the College Boat Race. Day's Work of the State Legislature, Tariff Debate Drawing to a Close. Sports-Eastern, National and Atlan-

tic League Scores. Programme of Scranton Races.

Musical Gessip. Sliders Win the Uniforms.

Amateur Base Ball. 4 Militorial. Washington Gossip.

Religious News of the Week, Social and Personal. 6 Local-United States Commissioners

Legislated Out of Office. . Court Proceedings. Local-Hon, W. S. Linton Speaks to

Patriotic Sceleties. Baptist Young People's Meeting. 8 Loca!-West Side and City Suburban,

9 Lackawanna County News. 10 Story-"Neagoe." 11 Live Notes from Gwalia.

12 Neigt boring County Happenings. Financial and Commercial.

FINISHING UP TARIFF BILL

Senate Completes Silk, Wool and Tobacco Schedules.

FEATURES THAT REMAIN

Many of the Items Will Cause No Controversy.

Of the Ninety Odd Paragraphs Passed and Still to Be Settled, the Reciprocity Clause, Coal in Connection with Canada's Tariff, and Iron Ore Paragraphs Among the Most Important Items Left.

Washington, June 25 .- The senate today completed the wool schedule, the silk schedule and the tobacco schedule of the tariff bill and with this accomplished the tariff leaders had the satisfaction of knowing that all the schedules of the bill and the free list had been gone over once. There now remains only to go through the bill a second time, passing on the items passed over. These are very numerous and important, including hides, gloves coal, tea and beer. After that the internal revenue features of the bill will be all that remains. Progress was rapid today, although every paragraph to carpets was stubbornly contested The consideration of the silk schedule led to a strong contest against the proposed duties on silk fabrics, Senators Teller and Mantle joining with the Democrats in opposition. The paragraph was passed by the slender majority of two. The tobacco schedule went through with little friction after the committee had advanced the duty

slightly on wrapper and leaf tobacco. Several items which were passed over n account of lack of agreement among representatives senators have been made the subject of compromise, or of caucus ruling. Though the progress on the measure has not been rapid during the last few days, Senator Allison and the other leaders expect that good headway will be made tomorrow and next week.

The most important of the left over paragraphs are lead ore and lead in pigs, watches and watch jewels, the Hawalian treaty, tobocco, cigarettes cattle seeds tea coal hides leather, alizarin dyes, gloves, bagging for cotton, cotton ties, fish, floor mattings, iron ore, gypsum, wearing ap-

parel and bags. The subject of hides was settled last night by the Republican caucus. The rate of duty was not agreed upon, but

it will be an ad valorem rate. The coal paragraph will provoke considerable discussion. New interest has been injected into the question by the reciprocity feature of Canada's new tariff and it is said that the operation of the Canadian law will shut out our coal if a high rate of duty is imposed

on coal imported from that country. CANADA'S PERMISSION.

The clause in Canada's tariff which affects our action on coal is as fol-

lows: "Rituminous slack coal, such as will pass through a half-inch screen, subject to regulations to be made by the comptroller of customs, 20 per cent. ad valorem, but not to exceed 13 cents per ton of 2,000 pounds (being equivalent of 15 cents per top of 2.240 pounds), provided that if the United States congress shall fix the duty on such coal at a rate not exceeding 15 cents per ton of 2,240 pounds, then the duty on such coal imported into Canada as provided in this item shall be the minimum duty on such coal from all countries notwithstanding anything

to the contrary in section sixteen of this act. There is also a paragraph relating to 'coal, bituminous round and run of mine," providing for retaliation in case the United States congress imposes a

duty exceeding 40 cents per ton.

DUTY ON LEAF TOBACCO. The finance committee was sustained by the caucus last night in its compromise rate on leaf tobacco, but Senators Hawley, Platt and Spooner will continue the contest in conference com-

mittee for a higher rate. The caucus also settled the matter of watches and watch jewels, but in this case the finance committee was not skistained. The latter and lead ore paragraphs are all expected to occasion some debate. revenue features of the bill may not take so much time as has been supposed for the finance committee is not prepared to stand up very resolutely for its propositions in this section,

The finance committee held a meeting this morning, but the proposed reciprocity clause was not considered.

"Old Hoss" Hoey Is Ill. Detroit, Mich., June 25.—William Hoey, the actor, widely known in theatrical cir-cles as "Old Hoss" Hoey, who has been taking the baths at Mount Clemens, has lately developed rights of mental un-soundness and yesterday a party of friends started with him for New York city, where he will probably enter Belle-yue hospital for treatment.

Steamship Arrivals.

New York, June 25,-Arrived: Lucania, from Liverpool. St. Michaels-Passed steamer Ens, from New York for Genoa and Naples.

The Herald's Weather Forecast. New York, June 26.—In the middle states and New England, today, clear and sligtly cooler weather and fresh to light northwesterly to westerly winds will prevail, proceded by local rain on the castern New England coast. On Sunday, in both of these sections, clear and sighty cooler weather will continue with light westerly to northerly winds, followed by a slight rise of temperature in that sec-