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NORTHEASTERN PENNSYLVANIA

FIERCE FIGHT ON TRAIN.

D., L. and W. Detective Edwin Hutchison Makes a Valiant Attack Upon Four Tramps Who Were Aboard a Milk Train .- Was Badly

Stroudsburg, July 9.-Edwin Hutchison, a Delaware, Lackawanna and Western detective, had a fierce fight with tramps on the 5.57 p. m. milk train near Oxford a few evenings ago. Milk thieves have been numerous of late and Detective Hutchison got on the train at East Stroudsburg to guard it. As the train pulled out of Oxford he saw four men board it and enter a car. He reached the car they occupied just as the train was entering the tunnel. The tramps started for him just as soon as they saw him, and before he could re-cover himself they had him on the bot-

tom step of the platform of the car. Hutchison got a grip on the railings and held on, yelling, to attract the attention of the trainmen. The sound of his voice was lost in the roar and clatter of the wheels. The men kicked him, and one of them beat his hands with a club, but he held on.

The train at that moment struck a sharp curve, almost throwing the men on the platform from their feet, and in the momentary cessation of hostilities Hutchison again gained the platform and had time to draw his club. Dealing blows right and left, he got hold of the knob of the door of the car, opened it, and tumbled inside, the men following him. All over the car they fought, and when the train slowed up at Washington the milk cans were scattered in every direction, and the four tramps had broken heads but were still full

of fight. It required the services of two policemen and eight railroad men to get them from the car and shackle them. A valise containing a full outfit of burglar tools was found in the car they entered at Oxford, and all the men were armed razers and knives. Detective Hutchison was badly hurt. His face and head were cut, two of his teeth were knocked out, and the bones of his right hand were broken in the struggle.

NOT WISELY, BUT TOO WELL.

Girl Enters Suit Against Her Deceiver for Breach of Promise.

Wilkes-Barre, July 9 .-- Amelia Smith, a daughter of Charles Smith, a farmer of Black Creek township, through her attorney, J. R. Sharpless, has ea tered a suit against John Crouse for breach of promise to marry and asks for \$5,000 as a balm for her wounded affections. The plaintiff in her statement alleges that she was 21 years old on Sept. 25, 1878, and that on Sept. 25, 1893, she renewed a former acquaintnnce with John Crouse, who is about the same age, Crouse was employed by her father and they were intimate and became engaged to marry each other in November, 1893,

In 1894 the defendant went to Hazieton, but corresponded with the plaintiff regularly until April of this year. recognizing her as his afflanced and presented her with vases, laces, handkerchiefs and gave her his photograph. Miss Smith alleges that several weeks ago Crouse ceased his correspondence and wrongfully married another person contrary to the promises made the plaintiff, although she remained true and has been willing to fulfill her contract. She places the damages to her wounded heart at \$5,000, but adds that money cannot repay the loss she has sustained in position, character and social circles by reason of the defendant's breach of the engagement.

YOUNG GIRL'S SERIOUS CHARGE.

Accuses an East Strondsburg Young Man of Assaulting Her.

Strondsburg, July 9.-While walking near the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western crossing in the rear of the glass factory shortly before midnight on Wednesday, "Arch" Fenner, a rail-roader, found the unconscious form of a young woman. He recognized the girl as Mamle Vanwhy, of East Stroudsburg. She was lying as if dead. Fenner called for assistance at the Dearr cottage and when it came the girl was taken home.

She remained in a comptose state until yesterday. When her senses re-turned she accused a prominent East

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Stroudsburg resident of striking her The Vanwhy girl claims that the man became angry and accused her of going out with other people. He gave her a blow in the breast and in falling she struck a stone, injuring the back of

BICYCLE TIRE BLOWS UP.

Its Contents of Cement Strike William Beels in the Eyes.

Wilkes-Barre, July 9.—William Beels, of the firm of Beels & Ferter, bloycle repairers on North Franklin street, met with a somewhat peculiar and rather serious accident yesterday norning. He was repairing a bicycle tire which, while being penetrated with a red hot poker, exploded, its contents of cement striking Mr. Beels fair in the face and eyes. The stuff filled his eyes, blinding him for a time. After Mr. Ferter had extracted some of the fragments from his partner's eyes, Mr. Beels went to Dr. Lewis Taylor under whose treatment he remained for two hours, after which he went to his home in Sugar Notch. One of his eyes is quite badly injured and he will be

capacitated for work for a few days. The cement in a bicycle tire is com-posed of rubber and naphtha and when blown up tightly the naptha becomes very explosive and much similar to fire damp. When Mr. Beels stuck the red hot poker into the tire, the latter was tightly blown up, the valve hole was closed, and hence the explosion.

SISTERS' INSTITUTE CLOSES.

Over Two Hundred Sisters from Var-

ious Paris of Country Present. Wilkes-Barre, July 9 .- A week's in stitute for the Sisters was today concluded at Mallinckrodt convent. The institute opened on Monday morning last and was attended by over 200 Sisters of the Orders of Christian Charity and of Mercy. Sisters were present from the following places: Baltimore. Philadelphia, Poughkeepsle, Albany, New York city, Newark, Rondout, Mauch Chunk, Honesdale, Scranton, Pittston, Wilkes-Barre, Hazleton, Reading, Syracuse, Harrisburg, Luzerne borough, Pittsburg, Plains, Towanda and Nanticoke.

The institute was for the purpose of presenting the latest and most improved methods and ideas of educational work, being in this respect much similar to institutes held by the teachers of the public schools.

LEAPED FOR LIBERTY.

Edward Vrooman, of Susquehanna, While Being Taken to Jail, Jumps Off a Moving Train and Tries to Drown Himself in a Lake.

Montrose, July 9 .- Edwin Vrooman. of Susquehanna, while being brought to jail here to await trial on a charge of burglary and robbery preferred by the landlord of Hotel Langford, made a desperate leap for liberty.

When the train on the Lackawanna and Montrose railroad had reached a point about two miles from Alford, the isoner, although handcuffed, jumped out the car door, dashed through the oods skirting the lake and leaped into

Vrooman was standing in the water when captured, threatening to end his life then and there by drowning; but meditation and the sight of a revolver in the hands of the officer, caused him to change his mind.

Towanda, July 9.-Ben Hall, the secnd of the alleged counterfeiters arrested in Smithfield township week, had a hearing before United States Commissioner Mix yesterday Neighbors testified to seeing Hall nanufacture dollars and quarter dollars in a wooden mould, and he was held in \$1,000 bail for trial in the United States court at Williamsport in September.

RICH HAUL BY THIEVES.

Pittston, July 9.-The burglars who save been operating at Pittston and vicinity made a rich haul at the Campbell's Ledge hotel the other night. Five men entered the place and secured be tween \$300 and \$500 in money, and dianonds and other jewelry to the value of \$2,000.

BITTEN BY A DOG.

Wilkes-Barre, July 9 .- The 3-year-old on of Hugh Williamson, of Ashley, was badly bitten by a log on Thurs day. The child put his arm about the neck, when the animal turned and bit him three times in the face making ugly and dangerous wounds

Gets a Widow's Pension.

Washington, July 9.—An original widow's pension has been granted to Minerva Ruch, of West Nanticoke, Luzerne county. Pa.

FACTORYVILLE.

Uncle Charlie Jackson was overcome with the intense heat last Wednesday and is in quite a feeble condition. Pantowna Rebekah lodge, Indepenlent Order of Odd Fellows, initiated one candidate at their regular meeting ast Tuesday evening.

Photographer Manchester is making very fine picture for Langstaff Hose company, No. 1. The picture consists of the hose cart decorated with the stars and stripes and flowers ready for parade, and attached to same, the beautiful team of Arabian fire horses, owned and driven by their owner, and vice president of the company, Mr. George W. Stanton. The back ground and surroundings is composed of groups of the officers and members of the company in full uniform. The picture when completed will adorn the company's pleasant rooms in the town

Allan Dickson is in from the West, visiting his mother, Mrs. Ruth Dickson, and other relatives in this place. The annual reunion of the Wrigley family was appropriately held at the

home of John Wrigley at Lake Carey L. D. Kemmerer is slowly recovering from his recent serious lilness Mrs. George Snyder, of Nicholson,

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The oppressive heat for the past week has sent many of our residents to the nearby lakes, and the usual number of city people are flocking here for the summer to enjoy our pure waters and

healthy climate. Buffalo Bill's advertising agents were doing our town yesterday. Aunt Sabra Seamans is still in a critical condition.

INDUSTRIAL NEWS.

Over sixty feet of the east gangway of the mammoth vein in the Yorktown No. 1 slope closed without much warning Tuesday, and since then none of the dusky mineral has come from that quarter of the mine. Heavy timbers were crushed like so many straws, and to put the depressed portion in any kind of shape for work it will have to be entirely retimbered. A third shift will, says the Hazleton Standard, be put to work there to expedite the task of opening the gangway, which should be consummated the latter part of

Complete statistics, just made available, show gross receipts of the 195 principle electric railways in the United States for 1896. The figures rossess especial interest as demonstrating by actual results the growing importance of trolley transportation and the magnitude of this comparatively new interest. General prosperity among these lines is reflected by the fact that 37 companies only out of the entire number report decreased receipts, and these for the most part are usually of very small precentages.

Coal shipments from Honeydale during the month of June: By canal, 41,-985 tons; rail, 66,536 tons. Since January 1, by Erle railway, 414,259 tons since opening of the season by canal, 145,139 tons. Number of boats cleared during June, 311. Coal on hand at Honesdale, 11,703 tons. Coal mined and shipped by D. & H. C. Co. during last month, 292,246 tons; during season, 1,572,924 tons.

The Pennsy are contemplating the equipment of all their passenger engines with chime whistles. At present but a few engines, principally in night service, have these melodious whistles. The change would be highly appreciated by the residents of towns and cities along the route.

company denies that it has been proposed by that company to reduce wag-The Jersey Central crews on the

General Superintendent Lawall, of

the Lehigh and Wilkes-Barre Coal

Tresckow branch are working almost night and day in consequence of heavy

WAS HE INSANE.

if So, Many of His Macaulay Ideas Were Tinged with Lurid Sanity.

from the Chicago Tribune "This man," said the keeper of the asylum, "is one of our most interesting

"What is his peculiarity?" asked one of the visitors. "He thinks he is the historian Macau-

lay. What are you working at this morning, Mr. Walk-I mean my lord?" "I am about half through my history of America," replied the dignifiedlooking personage seated at the little

"Will you show these gentlemen the ages you have just written?" "With pleasure.

The manuscript he submitted with a

ourtly bow read as follows: "At this time the United States has not a friend among the leading nations of the earth. France, the old-time ally f the republic, has been alienated by an effusive display of American sympathy in behalf of the Germans during the Franco-Prussian war. The sensational manner in which the horrors of Russian prisons had been described in American pictorial magazines, and the popular indignation awakened by the recital, had effectually cooled the friendly ardor of the Muscovite government. The hostility of Germany had been aroused by trade misunderstandings and jealousies. An arbitration treaty with England had falled by reason of the hostility of the United States senate. Italy cherished a feeling of resentment on account of the troubles and humiliations growing out of a massacre of Italians in New Orleans a decade before. Canada, on the north, was distinctly unfriendly, and Mexico, on the south, while outwardly amicable, had never forgotten Cherubusco, Buena Vista and Reseca de la Palma. The struggle that was beginning between the American Union and Japan for the possession of the Hawalian Islands had estranged the rising power of the Orient. With its foreign relations in this unsatisfactory condition, with a sea coast almost wholly unfortified, with internal dissensions of its own, with hardly a battle-ship that would keep afloat in a storm, and with an annual expenditure for pensions that would have sufficed to maintain a very large standing

y into a war with several foreign powers at once, as will be described in the ucceeding pages. "Is he really insane?" asked another of the visitors. "This is the incurable ward," re-

army, the United States leaped joyous-

sponded the keeper briefly, and they passed on to the next ward. Out of Debt.

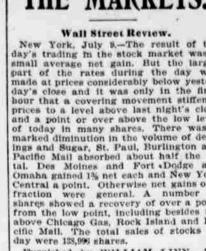
From Tid-Bits

Wilson-How so? Briggs-I have just succeeded in borrowing enough to pay every cent I owe in the world.

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Philadelphia Provision Market. Philadelphia, July 5,-Wheat-Dull an %algo. lower; contract grade, July, The 72c.; August, Thailligo.; September, nominal; October, nominal. Corn—Quiet but steady; No. 2 mixed, July, 30% alic.; August, nominal; September, nominal; October, nominal, Oats-Unchanged; No. 2 white, July, 24½a25c; August, 24a25c.; Sep-tember, 24a25c.; October, 24a25c. Butter— Firm, good demand; fancy western creamery, 15c.; do. Pennsylvania prints, lo. western do., 16c. Eggs-Easier; fresh nearby, 10½alle.; factory full cream fancy, 7½a7½c.; do. do. do. do., fair to good, 6½ a7½c. Refined Sugars-Firm; fair demand. Cotton-Firm and 1-16c. higher. Tallow-Firm; fair demand; city prime in hogsheads, 31/2c.; country do. do., bar-rels, 3c.; dark, do., 25/2c.; cakes, 31/2c.; grease, 24/2c. Live Pouitry—Firm; fowls, 10alic.; old roosters, 7c.; spring chickens, 12al6c. Dressed Poultry—Duli and lower; fowls choice, 9c.; do. fair to good, 8a84c.; brollers, western, desirable sizes, 15a16c. do. small and scalded, 10a14c.; nvarby, do. as to size and quality, 15e1sc. Receipts-Flour, 1,800 barrels, 20,000 sacks; wheat, 2,600 bushels; corn, 25,006 bushels; cais, 23,000 bushels. Shipments—Wheat, 2,300 bushels; corn, 22,000 bushels; oats, 15,000

New York Produce Market. New York, July 9.-Flour-Dull and lower to sell. Rye Flour-Quiet. Corn Meal—Quiet. Rye—Quiet; No. 2 western, 37c., c. i. f., Buffalo. Barley—Dull; feed-ing, 284c., c. i. f., Buffalo. Barley Mait—

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New York, July 8.—The result of the day's trading in the stock market was a small average net gain. But the larger part of the rates during the day was made at prices considerably below yesterday's close and it was only in the final bour that a covering movement stiffened prices to a level above last night's close and a point or over above the low level of today in many shares. There was a marked diminution in the volume of deal-ings and Sugar, St. Paul, Burlington and Pacific Mail absorbed about half the to-tal. Des Moines and Fort Dodge and Omaha gained 1% net each and New York Central a point. Otherwise net gains of a fraction were general. A number of shares showed a recovery of over a point from the low point, including besides the above Chicago Gas, Rock Island and Pacific Mail. The total sales of stocks to-

ing, rooms 705-706.

Manhatian Elle 89%
Mo, Pacific 18%
N. J. Central 84%
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N. Y. S. & W. 10½
N. Y. S. & W. Pr 28%
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Tenn, C. & Iron 22½
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Scranton Board of Trade Exchange

Scranton Axle Works Scranton Pass. Railway, first

ing, 284c., c. i. f., Buffaio. Barter Dull. Wheat-Spot weak; No. 1 north-

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THE MARKETS.

ern New York, 80%c., f. o. b., afloat; op-tions opened a shade lower, railied on foreign buying and light northwestern reforeign buying and light northwestern re-celpts, but turned weak under liquida-tion, declines abroad and the heaviness in corn and closed %c., net lower; No. 2 red July, 77%a78c., closed 77½c.; Septem-ber, 71½a72 7-16c., closed 71½c.; Septem-ber, 71½a72 7-16c., closed 71½c.; November, 73½a 73%c., closed 73½c.; December, 73%a74¼c., closed 73½c. Corn—Spot quiet; No. 2, 30c., elevator; 31½c. affoat; options opened steady and advanced on covering, but later weakened under reports of rain steady and advanced on covering, but later weakened under reports of rain west, closing partly \(\frac{1}{2} \), net lower; July \(\cdot \) losed 30\(\frac{1}{2} \), August closed 31\(\frac{1}{2} \), September, 31 15-16a22\(\frac{1}{2} \), c, closed 32. Oats—Spot qulet; No. 2, 22\(\frac{1}{2} \), c, No. 3, 21\(\frac{1}{2} \), i. No. 2 white, 25c.; No. 3 white, 24c.; track mixed western, 21\(\frac{1}{2} \), 22\(\frac{1}{2} \), track white, 24a 30c.; options quiet and weaker with the other markets closing unchanged to \(\frac{1}{2} \), cover: July closed 22\(\frac{1}{2} \), 2 September lower; July closed 22½c; September closed 22½c. Beef-Dull. Butter-Steady; creamery, Hall 1-5c.; do. factory, 7½m; 7½c; Elgins, 15c.; mitation creamery, 7½a22½c.; state dairy, 19a14c.; do. creamery, Halio. Cheese-Steady; state, 7½a ery, Haloc. Cheese—Steady; state, 7½c.; 7½c.; small, 7½a7½c.; part skims, 4a5½c.; full skims, 2½a3c. Eggs—Steady; state and Penrysylvania, 12a12½c.; western fresh, He. Tallow—Quiet and firm for country; city, 5½c.; country, 3½a3½c. Petroleum—Dull,

Chicago Grain Market.

Chicago, July 9.-The leading futures Chicago, July 9.—The leading futures ranged as follows: Wheat—No. 2 July, 70%a70%c; September, 68%a65%c; December, 68a67%c, Corn—No. 2 July, 26%a26%c; September, 27%a27c; December, 28%a28%c, Oats—No. 2 July, 17%a17%c; September, 18%a18%c, Mess Pork—July closed, 37.62%; September, 37.77a7.70. Lard—September, 34.12%a4.42%; October, 34.17a4.10. Short Ribs—September, 34.47%a4.42%; October closed 34.47%. Cash quotations were as follows: Flour—Firm; No. 2 spring wheat, 70%c; No. 3 do, 63a70c; No. 2 red, 70%c. 70%c.; No. 3 do., 63a70c.; No. 2 red, 70%c. No. 2 corn, 25%a26%c.; No. 2 yellow, 26a 26%c.; No. 2 oats, 17%c.; No. 2 white, f. o. b. 21%a22%c; No. 3 white, f. o. b., 19%a 2c.; No. 2 rye, 24%c; No. 2 barley, nom-inal; No. 3, f. o. b., 25%a3lc; No. 4, 27%c; No. 1 flax seed, 77%a78%c; prime tim-othy seed, \$2.76; mess pork, \$7.60a7.65; lard, 34; short ribs, \$4.25a4.55; dry salted shoulders, 4%a5c.; short clear sides, 4%a4%c.; whisky, \$1.19; segars, unchanged. Re-celpts-Flour, 5.000 barrels; wheat, 1,000 bushels; corn, 247,000 bushels; oats, 278,000 bushels; rye, 10,000 bushels; barley, 14,000 bushels. Shipments—Flour, 5,000 bushels; wheat, 7,000 bushels; corn, 338,000 bushels oats, 182,000 bushels; ryc, 17,000 bushels barley, 1,000 bushels.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, July 9.-Cattle-Offerings fair ly well taken at generally strong prices native beef steers, \$3.80a5,20; the bulk at \$4.20a4.75; calves, prime lots, \$6.50a6.65 Hogs-Market active at an advance of 5c sales at \$3.20a3.62½; pigs brought \$2.25a 3.60; prime spring lambs advanced 10c. sales ranged from \$3.25 to \$5.50; yearlings brought \$3.50a4.30. Sheep-Market in fair demand at \$2.25a3.85 for natives. Receipts, cattle, 3,000 head; hogs, 17,000 head; sheep

East Liberty Cattle.

East Liberty, Pa., July 9.—Cattle— Market steady, prices unchanged. Hogs— Market steady at unchanged prices. Sheep -Market firm, prices unchanged; spring ambs, \$4.25a5.50; veal calves, \$8a6.50,

Oil Market. Oil City, Pa., July 9.—Credit balances, inchanged; certificates, no bids; ship-ments, 50,469 barrels; runs, 107,044 barrels.

SIX-YEAR-OLD HERO DROWNED. Edward Richlitz, After Saving a Lit-

tle Brother, Loses His Life. Milwaukee, July 9.-Edward Richlitz, years of age, died like a hero after aving his brother, two years younger, from drowning. The two boys were playing in the yard while their parents were away. The cistern was open and in it was water to the depth of four feet.

In some way the younger boy stumoled and fell into the mouth of the cistern. Edward, with a coolness beyond his years, threw himself on his stomach and reaching down managed to draw his brother out of the cistern Just as the little fellow was safe on the ground, the older boy was overbalanced and in turn fell into the cistern. The cries of the younger boy at tracted the attention of the neighbors, but before they could reach the cistern Edward was drowned.

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