POISON FOR HER RIVAL.

Instead of the Daughter.

Chandler, Okla., July 16 .- Miss Grace

Allen, of Fredonia, Kan., is under ar-

rest, charged with poisoning Miss Phronia Eches and her mother. The

latter is dead. Jealousy prompted the

love with the same man. Before be-

ing arrested Miss Allen tried to commit

are school teachers.

of the Malagasies."

with the British."

suicide, but was prevented. The rivals

Miss Allen first attempted to polson

Miss Eches on Saturday last, and on

the following night made another at

tempt by putting poison in her food. Mrs. Eches ate the food and died.

THE ENGLISH IN MADAGASCAR.

Alleged Evidence of Their Intrigues

with the Natives.

proclamation alleged to have been is-

sued by the chiefs of the Tanalas tribe

ers to massacre all the Europeans in

the island with the exception of the

English, who, according to the procla-

mation, must be regarded as "allies

Commenting upon the activity of

English intrigues in the island, Figaro

adds: "Wherever the natives revolt

against us we find them in alliance

THE WAR IN CUBA.

Reports of Engagements, with Con-

bers Said to Have Surrendered.

siderable Insurgent Losses -- Num-

Havana, July 16 .- Official reports from

Cienfuegos, where Capt. Gen. Weyler is

announced to have arrived, state that

the Sagunto squadron has defeated the

insurgents in Platanos, forcing them to

ber dead upon the field. The Spaniards

captured a quantity of arms and muni-

tions of war, beside a splendid outfit of

An engagement is reported to have

surgical instruments.

ported to have surrendered.

and forty-five were unarmed.

leaving nineteen of their num-

of Madagascar, inciting their follow-

Paris, July 16.-Figaro publishes a

deed, both the young women being in

TWO CENTS.

SCRANTON, PA., SATURDAY MORNING, JULY 17, 1897.

TWO CENTS

DEADLOCK ON THE TARIFF

Conferees No Nearer an Agreement on Sugar.

House Conferees Will Accept No Compromise.

Thus Far the Ultimatum Has Been "The House Schedule or Nothing." Members Prepared to Remain All Summer if Necessary -- Efforts of the Senate to Confirm the Nomination of M. H. McCord as Governor of

Washington, July 16.-Tonight the tariff bill conferees are no nearer an agreement on the sugar schedule, which continues to be the main bone of contention, than they were when they began. Each side is standing out as firmly as ever for its own rates. The house conferees are convinced that they can win, supported as they are by almost the unanimous sentiment of their party in the house, and some of them talk with resignation of remaining here all summer rather than yield to the senate

There were rumors during the day that the senate conferees were about to surrender on sugar, but they proved to be utterly without foundation. Believing that if the senate itself were permitted to vote on the question it would recede from its rates on sugar, there was also talk during the day forcing an expression on the subject from the senate in some way for its effect on the conferees, but this, also, on an investigation proved to be little more than idle gossip. So far as can be ascertained the senate conferees are as determined as those of the house not to surrender. There is little doubt, however, that they would accept a compromise if the other side would agree to it.

The difficulty is that the house conferees refuse to entertain any proposition for compromise. Thus far their ultimatum has been: "The house schedule or nothing." While the sugar schedule blocks the way to an agree-More progress has been made for the minor features of the bill, and tentative agreements have been reached in many of the important paragraphs. An influential member of the house who is kept well advised of the situation, said tonight that if the sugar schedule were out of the way a complete agreement could be reached in four nours. course, there is always the possibility that the conferees may get together at any time, but as yet there is apparently no prospect of breaking the deadlock. If the present situation continues until Tuesday or Wednesday next the current opinion among the members of the house is that a disagreement will be reported for the purpose of giving each house an opportunity to instruct its conferees on the main obstacle to an agreement.

EFFORTS TO CONFIRM M'CORD. The senate spent more than four hours in executive session today in an effort to confirm the nomination of M. H. McCord to be governor of Arizona, and adjourned after 6 o'clock without having succeeded in that purpose. The failure was due, however, only to the absence of a quorum. vote was secured showing 26 votes for and 11 against confirmation—8 less than a quorum. The contest was over Mc-Cord's record as developed by the investigating of the committee on territories and was made principally by Senators Berry, Bate and Teller. The debate was of a generally uninteresting character, dealing with the details of the charges against McCord which cover practically the past twenty

The opposition to confirmation was based on the plea that a man against whom there were so many charges should not be elevated to so high an office until he was absolutely cleared of the charges. It was asserted that the committee had refused to make an investigation of some of the charges and that the McCord family had made an immense fortune out of land legishis congressional district in Wisconsin for which he was responsible. It was declared on behalf of the committee that its investigation had been thorough and it was held that it should be sufficient to refleve Mr. Mc-Cord of the aspersions upon his char-

IN THE HOUSE.

The house today agreed to the partial conference report on the general deficiency appropriation bill, and then concurred in the senate amendment. fixing the limit of cost of armor plate for the three battleships, now building, at \$300 per ton. This was the main item still in dispute between the two

A strong effort was made to induce the house to agree to a substitute proposition fixing the limit at \$400, as recommended by the secretary of the navy, but after a three hours' debate the house, by a vote of 142-45, con in the senate amendment. Mezsrs. Stone, Republican, Pennsylvania; Daizeli, Republican, Pennsyl-Boutelle, Republican, Maine, supported the \$400 proposition, which was opposed by Messrs. King, Democrat, Utah; Underwood, Democrat, Alabama; Barlow, Populist, Col-Simpson, Populist, Kansas Gains, Democrat, Tennessee; Wheeler, Democrat, Alabama; Sayers, Demoerat, Texas, and Carmon, Republican.

Mr. Foster's Success. ngton, July 16.-Ex-Secretray Foster is believed to be meeting with a large his death

measure of success in his efforts to secure from the British government additional measures of protection for the seals in Bering sea. While he has not yet reported that the British government have formally consented to participate in a conference with this object in view, unofficial advices indicate that this is about to be accomplished. to be accomplished.

CARNEGIE'S FINE.

Reduced by President Cleveland from \$220,000 to \$144,000.

Washington, July 16.-Ex-Secretary Herbert said today that the statement made recently in the senate that President Cleveland had remitted the heavy penalty imposed upon the Carnegle company for furnishing defective EACH SIDE REMAINS FIRM armor to the government was not correct. Mr. Herbert explained that after armor to the government was not corthree months of investigation he de termined to inflict a fine of about \$220,-000 on the firm for fraudulent practices, and that he so informed the pres-

> An appeal was taken to the white house, however, by the armor people, and eventually the fine was cut down to \$144,000 and paid up, and receipts for it are held by the company.

HANNA FAVORS PEACE.

He Will Gladly Co-operate with Operators in Securing an Amicable Settlement of the Coal Strike.

Washington, July 16.-The following elegram, sent out yesterday, was reelved by Senator Hanna today:

Pittsburg, Pa., July 15,—"Hon, M. A. Hanna: With earnest co-operation of Eleveland operators in Pittsburg district strong possibility of securing uniformity agreement, which miners and DeArmitt say and we believe would result in settlement of strike. Can such assistance be

(Signed) "Owen, Little & Bishop." The following response was wired

immediately:
"Owen, Little & Bishop, Pittsburg:
Telegram received. Our coal interests at
Pittsburg are represented by Mr. Thomas Young, who is there and will co-operate along the line suggested. I will wire Cleveland urging other operators to join the movement. Will gladly co-operate and will urge other operators to do the (Signed) "M. A. Hanna, '

In addition, the following also was sent:

"M. A. Hanna & Co., Cleveland, O.: See other coal operators and strongly urge them to join in the movement for amicable settlement of coal strike at "M. A. Hanna," (Signed)

Alexandria, Ind., July 16.-By a strike of the bit drawers at the plant of the Kelly Axe Manufacturing company, 500 men are made idle. The strikers claim that they are not paid for axes called "seconds." The factory will be closed indefinitely.

Danville, Ill., July 16.-The Kelly, Pawnee, Blenburne and Brookside companies signed an agreement today to offer to the miners of this district the about a million of the million and half tons produced annually in this district.

WOMAN BREAKS OUT OF PRISON.

Mrs. Bertha Johnson Makes a Second

Escape and Is Recaptured. Lima, Ohio, July 16.-Mrs. Bertha Johnson, who is awaiting trial for attempting to kill her husband, made her escape from jail last night by digging out a staple which fastened a trap door leading to the roof of her cell. She lowered herself down by means of a rope made from bed clothes, and walked to Elida, seven miles.

She was tracked by bloodhounds to where she boarded a freight train, and was overtaken at Delphos and arrested. This was her second escape from jail.

SARAH WAS UNGRACIOUS.

Refused to Attend the Reception Given for Her at Portsmouth.

Portsmouth, England, July 16 .- Mme. Sarah Bernhardt, who arrived here today on her provincial tour, provide i an annoying disappointment for the munic-

They had made elaborate arrange ments to give her a formal civic reception and assembled in the town hall in their municipal robes, awaiting the tragedienne. At the last moment Mme. Bernhardt refused to attend the reception, giving as the sole reason that she did not feel strong enough to climb the steps.

DESPERATE DUEL.

Bock Mason, an Ex-Convict, Exchanges Shots with an Officer. Paris, Ky., July 16 .- Bock Mason, a

esperate negro ex-convict, was shot and instantly killed this afternoon by Luke Connolly, a Louisville and Nashville watchman, after a street duel in which ten shots were fired.

Mason was wanted on a charge of murder and when Connolly attempted to arrest him he opened fire on the officer. The latter stood his ground and returned the fire, three of his bullets striking the negro in the region of the heart. Connolly was unhurt.

DIVORCED AND WEDS AGAIN.

Quick Work of a Young Preacher and a Rich Widow.

Lexington, Ky., July 16.-Rev. Early R. Redmon, a well-known young minister of the Christian church, went to Cincinnati yesterday to marry Mrs. Jennie Hunter, a wealthy young widow of Cripple Creek. Colonel Redmon obtained a divorce from his first wife, who was Miss Sarah Lambrick, on last

He charged her with unfaithfulness

Distinguished Officer Dead.

New York, July 16.—General Phillipe Regis Des Trobriand, who was a distinguished officer of the Union in the War of the Rebellion, died at Baypost, L. I., last evening, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. C. P. Post, with whom he was spending the summer. He came here from his home at New Orleans about a month ago.

Cornsheller Kills a Veteran.

Woodstown, N. J., July 18.—W. H. Har-rison Snelbaker, aged 57, a veteran of the war, having served in the Twelfth New Jersey volunteers, died today. Snal-baker mangled his hand in a cornsheller some days ago, and though his finger had been amputated locklaw set in, causing his death

FREIGHT TRAIN

Shocking Accidents in International and Great Northern Yards.

THREE WHITE BOYS ARE KILLED

A Negro Also Mangled by Falling Under Wheels While Attempting to Steal a Ride .- The Young Victims were Sitting on the Track Asleep When Overtaken by the Train.

Austin, Tex., July 16.-This morning at 2 o'clock, a freight train in the International and Great Northern yards here ran over four white boys who were sitting on the side of the track asleep, killing three of them instantly and badly wounding the fourth, The killed were:

JOHN BRIDGES, 15 years. CHARLES SWEENEY, 13 years. L. MONTGOMERY, 13 years.

The injured is Henry Estis, 16 years They all were of Fort Worth. train ran over the boys as it came into the yards. On leaving an hour later, a negro named Cox, of Waco, who attempted to grab a brake bar to steal a ride, lost his hold and falling, was mangled to death.

107 DAYS FOR CONTEMPT.

A Case Involving Payment of 86 for n Young Mistress.

Bridgeton, N. J., July 16.-After hav-ing served 107 days for contempt of court, James Frederick Merrill was released from the county jail on his own recognizance by order of Judge Ludlow yesterday. About one year ago Ruth Ada Merrill had Edward Gaudy, of Cedarville, arrested on a charge of felonious assault. Her father, James Frederick Merrill, was the prosecuting witness. The girl was not yet six een years old, and at the hearing Gaudy made no denial of his relations with her, but claimed that he had paid her father \$6 for her. As she was under the legal age of consent, however, Gaudy was sent to jail and the grand jury found an indictment against him. Merrill did not obey the court's subpoens to appear as a witness against Gaudy, but went away, it is said, under inducements. Some time ago his whereabouts were learned and he was arrested on a bench warrant. Before the case against Gaudy could be brought to trial the girl, Ada, married him and now lives with him. A nolle pros was therefore entered by the prosecutor, Since his arrest Merrill has remained in jail. When the matter was present-

MAD DOG IN TENEMENT.

iently punished.

ed to Judge Ludlow yesterday he con-

cluded that the man had been suffic-

an from Room to Room Terrifying the Inmates.

New Brunswick, N. J., July 16 .- Exhibiting all the symptoms of hydrophobia, a small black-and-tan dog last night created a small sized panic in a tenement house in this city in which nine families live. The dog belonged to John A. Manley. While Mr. Manley was sitting at the table reading his paper the dog suddenly jumped upon the table and began to howl at a frightful rate. Before Manley could recover from his surprise the animal jumped

and ran to the top of the house. The doors of several rooms of the apartments were open, and the dog rushed in one door and out of another and soon had the inmates terrified. Major John Parsel, a war veteran tried to run the dog down with an old saber, but the little animal was too quick for him. It finally took refuge in a box and was penned up before it did any harm. Policeman Reed carried the box through the yard and killed the dog.

SLICK SHOPLIFTERS IN JAIL.

Sarah Worthington and Lillian Bate. man Sentenced for a Year.

Baltimore, Md., July 16.-Sarah R. Worthington and Lillian Bateman, of New York, who were arrested last May in that city, charged with the larceny of jewelry from Baltimore firms, pleaded guilty in the criminal court today, and were each sentenced to jail for one year.

The method pursued by these young women in their stealing consisted in making some trivial purchase, and as the same time engaging the clerks in pleasant conversation. Upon their departure the theft would be discovered They seemed well satisfied at getting off with one year's imprisonment.

KNEE PANTS MAKERS STRIKE.

Two Thousand Men and Women in New York Enter Protest.

New York, July 16 .- The knee pants makers, an independent branch of the Socialist Trade and Labor Alliance, numbering 1800 men and 200 women, held a mass meeting tonight in anticipation of the big strike scheduled for the last days of this month.

The leader of the knee pants makers says that the operators are trying to eke out an existence on a pittance of \$7 a week for 14 hours as a day's work. The speakers tonight advised the operators to stand together for living wages, the enforcement of the weekly wage system, shorter hours of toil and the renewal of last year's agreement.

ROMANCE OF THE ENDEAVORERS. Lovers Parted for Six Years Meet

Again and Marry. San Francisco, Cal., July

years ago Miss Mary B. Davis and George C. King were sweethearts in Louisville, Ky. King, who was formerly a clerk in the employ of the uncle of his bride, was sent out here as his agent after Miss Davis' parents had discovered his suit. Miss Davis was here with the En-

deavorers and met King. The old love was renewed, and yesterday they were wedded at the Palace hotel.

Medats of Honor.

Washington, July 16.—The president has awarded medals of honor to Captain Har-ian J. Swift, of Buffalo, of the Second New York Mounted rifles, and Charles Day. of Wellsboro, Pa., a private in the Tenth

GOLD FINDS IN ALASKA.

Marvelous Reports Brought from the New Pincer District.

San Diego, Cal., July 16.—A special this evening from Thomas Higgins, well known on the coast as master of the steamship Excelsior and a reliable man, says:

"The Excelsior has just arrived a San Francisco from Yukon River, Alaska, with thirty miners on board and over two tons of placer gold. The miners tell marvelous tales of the richness of the Kloondyke placer, which they say is the greatest ever known. "The smallest stake made by any

miner during the season was \$12,000 Some made \$50,000, while two mer panned out \$100,000 last winter. "The Excelsior made the quickest run on record from Yukon, beating the steamer Portland, also coming down with forty miners and tons of gold in

the hold. This is placer gold, nearly

pure, not gold ore." These steamers were sent specially with supplies to the miners, and bring the first news since last summer from the placer district far up on the Yukon river. A wild rush to the Alaska mines is expected as a result of the roseate reports.

ANDREE'S BALLOON STARTS.

The Explorer Reported to Have Made a Favorable Ascension.

Tromsoe, Island of Tromsoe, Finmark, Norway, July 16 .- The steamer Svenskaund, which has arrived here from Spitzbergen, reports that Herr Andree, the aeronaut, ascended in his palloon on Sunday afternoon at 2,30. The ascent was made under favorable circumstances; the wind was good and

FEATURE OF THE STRIKE.

all was well.

Peace Seems to Prevail Everywhere at Present .- Coal Takes Another Tumble in Price.

Pittsburg, July 16.-Duliness at miners' headquarters and in all the mines in the Pittsburg district and unusual activity in the coal market characterized the features of the strike today. For a strike so general, it causes little excitement. Peace seems to prevail everywhere, but how long this state of affairs will continue cannot even be guessed. The miners are apparently willing to be idle and as yet no suffering has been reported at district headquarters.

The miners' officials were very much elated over news from West Virginia. Several telegrams from the organizers in that section of an encouraging nature were received. "There is nothing startling to report from any of the districts," said Patrick Dolan. "The men, with the exception of a very few, are out and we are satisfied with the situa-

Coal took another tumble in price today. It sold for \$1.25 at the mine, a decrease of 25 cents from the day previous.

A tour among the operators demonstrated that there was plenty of coal on hand. It was learned that the Pennsylvania Gas Coal company, Westmore land Gas Coal company, Manor shaft Keystone Coal company, Washington Run Coal company, the Boon and Al lison mines were furnishing consider able coal. It was estimated that the mines east of Pittsburg are furnishing

150 cars a day. Nearly all the empty coal cars in the Pittsburg district are finding their way to the West Virginia coal fields The Baltimore and Ohio took several trains of them today. It was also learned that 250 cars were going from the Pocahontas field in West Virginia into Cleveland. The records show that a cargo of 2,000 tons was loaded Wednesday, a similar one on Thursday and the north wing was loaded today with the same amount. Another cargo will be loaded tomorrow. The price is \$2.39 alongside, of free on board the vessel It was learned tonight that the programme of the miners' officials is to oring out all the men possible in the West Virginia field and to bring all the

organizers to Pittsburg. Columbus, O., July 16.-President Ratchford, in speaking of the action of Governor Hastings in signing the miners' bill just passed by the Pennsylvania legislature, providing for the weighing of coal before it is screened, said: "It is the strongest expression of friendship for the cause that Governor Hastings could have made at this particular time."

Word was received at national head quarters today that the suspension in Illinois is practically complete.

PATRICK MADDEN KILLED.

Run Down by a Trolley Car South of Pittston.

Special to the Scranton Tribune Pittston, Pa., July 16.-Patrick Madden, aged 24, who resided with his widowed mother at Sebastopol, had both his legs crushed by a Wilkes-Barre Traction company car last night, in the vicinity of No. 14 breaker, about a mile below Pittston. The hospital physicians hoped to save his life by amputating both legs, but his chances of recovery

are thought to be slight. The motorman of the car claims that Madden was sitting on the rail, apparently asleep.

KILLED BY A FREIGHT TRAIN.

Denton, Md., July 15.—Frederick B. Stambaugh, one of the wealthiest and most prominent citizens of this county, was killed by the north bound freigh train on the Delaware and Chesapeake railway st Ridgely this morning. Stambaugh was a native of Pennsylvania, He was identified with several important business enterprises at Ridgely and has accumulated considerable wealth. He was about 45 years old. A widow and one daughter survive him.

Death of Richmand Aulick.

Trenton, N. J., July 16 .- Richmond O. Aulick, step-son of George M. Robeson, secretary of the navy under General Grant, died here today at Mr. Robeson's residence. Aulick was a son of the late Captain Aulick, of the United States navy, and grandson of Commodore John H. Aulick. The deceased was a graduate of Princeton university and a member of the New York bar.

To Mark Convict Goods. Washington, July 16.—Representative Dorr today introduced in the house a bill to prohibit the sale of convict-made goods unless branded as such.

BUSINESS OUTLOOK VERY ENCOURAGING

Aside from Coal Strike, the Skies Are Cloudless.

With the Money Markets Unclouded and the Uncertainity About Legislation Removed There Seems Nothing That Can Hinder Progress.

NOTHING TO HINDER IMPROVEMENT

New York, July 16 .- R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade tomorrow wil

Crop Prospects Have Been Improv-

ed .- Home Industries Are Active.

Excepting the great coal miners strike, which may terminate at any time, there is scarcely a feature of the business outlook which is not encouraging, the season considered. Crop prospects have been improved by needed rain in some regions, and foreign advices continue to promise a large demand. In many home industries, particularly in building, there is more activity than in any year since 1892, and the week has brought a better demand in boots and shoes and in woolens, while the movement of freight, mainly iron ore, through the Sault Ste Marie canal is the largest in its history. With money markets unclouded, there is nothing in sight to hinder rapid improvement when uncertainty about legislation has been removed, for the miners' strike could not last long if business and industries should become active. There is much less apprehension of a failure of fuel supply than there was during the first few days when prices rapidly advanced, and large quantities of coal from West Virginia have reached northern markets,

but some of the miners in that state have struck. The advance in wheat to 81% was not due to the government estimate, which was followed by a decline, but to foreign advices and considerable buying for export. Cotton is 1-16 higher, the closing or partial stoppage of important New England mills hardly neutralizing in market estimation the appre

hensions of injury from drought.

The cotton goods market does not yet reduce large accumulated stocks, as the curtailment of production shows, but is growing a little more healthy without change in prices. Speculation in the wool market continues with prices a all points stronger. The output of iron furnaces July 1 was 164,064 tons weekly against 168,380 June 1, but several fur naces have gone into blast since July 1, and the output is large for the sea son. Presumably an unprecedented share of it is to supply the great steel companies, which are even now putting more furnaces into blast, and have heavy orders taken when prices were dropped, while the demand for strucshapes and plates is large bars improving, though steel bars are now at the lowest quotation ever known in Pittsburg, 874 to 90 cents with Bessemer pig quoted slightly lower. Tin plates are also lower at \$3.10 for full weight, and less than \$3

s paid for 100-pound boxes. Failures for the week have been 263 in the United States against 269 last year, and 27 in Canada against 39 last

DIGGING FOR A BURIED MINER.

Rescue Nearing the Man Who Has Been Imprisoned Teu Days. Phoenix, Ariz., July 16.-John Stevens, the miner imprisoned by a cavein at the Mammoth mine at Goldfields forty miles east of Phoenix, is still alive, and day by day answers back

the signals of the rescuers working in the new shaft being sunk to reach him This is now the tenth day of his imprisonment, and whether in that time he has had food or water is only conjecture. It has been feared as well that his supply of air would fail. The rescue shaft is now within thirty feet of the 200-foot drift where Stevens is and during the night it is thought a drill hole may be sunk to him through

which to send water and food. The entire force of the mine has been divided into short watches in sinking the shaft, and the labors of the miners have been herculean. Two shafts started before the one now being pushed had to be abandoned or

account of caving earth. Stevens, who is an old Colorado miner, has, it is believed, made considerable progress toward the rescuers. The cave-in was caused by insufficient timbering in a great underground slope, from which several hundred thousand dollars' worth of rich ore

have been taken.

T. J. Tipton Comes to America with

MILLIONAIRE WANTS A WIFE.

Matrimonial Designs. New York, July 16.-It * was nounced today that Thomas J. Lipton the Glasgow millionaire tea merchant who is now stopping at the Waldorf, would like to marry an American girl Mr. Lipton gave \$125,000 to the princess ct Wales' jubilee fund to feast the poor of London. He came here on the Campania last week, on what was sup posed a business trip only, but to several gentlemen whom he has met in New York he has confessed a more se

rious object. "I have arrived at that age whea .I need a wife," he said. "I don't care how much money she has or what her position in society is. I've got enough noney, I guess, to support two persons I like America, what I've seen of it and I've always been a great admirer of the American women. I don't care anything about a title. I'd marry a poor New York girl as quick as the richest duchess out of a London drawing-room. All I want is a good wife."

CUBANS PARDONED.

Havana, July 16 .- Acting upon the sugrestion of Captain General Weyler Queen Regent Christina has granted par-ions to the insurgent chiefs, Rogello Camacho, Domingo, Gonzales, Castillo, Gillermo, Fuente and Rivero, who were under sentence of death.

Bush Murderer Executed.

London, July 16.—A dispatch from Syd-ney, N. W. S., says that Frank Butler, he Australian bush murderer, was exc-

cuted yesterday. He confessed to having committed four murders.

taken place at Bahia Honda, Province of Pinar del Rio, in which the insurgents were defeated with a loss of eighteen killed, among them a major. Seven or more of the insurgents are re-

Reports from Pinar del Rio state that

seventy-eight rebels have surrendered

in that province. Thirty-three of those

who gave themselves up were armed

ANOTHER NEGRO LYNCHED. His Victim Was a Woman, Whom He Set on Fire, and the Alabama Mob

Hanged Him. Montgomery, Ala., July 16.-Major Perrell, a negro, yesterday assaulted Mrs. Martin Thomas, a white woman, living in the country, five miles from Elba. Ala. She was alone in the with her six months' old baby. After the assault the woman was struck in the head and thrown on the bed beside her sleeping infant. Fagots of pine wood were then piled upon her and set

on fire. The flames attracted some passersby and they rescued the woman in time to get her dying statement. The baby was roasted. Terrell was arrested, when a mob broke up the court and took him out and hanged him.

Bordentown, N. J., July 16.—The body of a man found drowned in Black's creek on Wednesday has been identized

as Barney McCoy, who served in Company C. Ninth regiment, New Jersey vol-He was a thought to have been foully dealth with, Pulled Down Old Glory. Toronto, Ont., July 16-An American flag ying at the city hall in honor of the vis

iting delegates to the Epworth league con-

Fonl Play Suspected.

vention, was torn down by an ultra Brittoday. The man was at once arrested and locked up. Dr. Stokes Dead. Now York, July 16 .- Rev. Dr. Elwood H. tokes, president of the Ocean Grove

Camp Meeting association, died tonight at his home at Ocean Grove, N. J. Erie Buys the Northern. New York, July 16.-It was announced oday that the control of the Northern

Railroad company of New Jersey has been bought by the Erie Railway company. The Herald's Weather Forecast. New York, July 17 .- In the middle state and New England, today, fair to partly cloudy weather will prevail with nearly stationary or rather moderate tempera ture, sultriness, increasing slightly, and fresh southwesterly to southeasterly winds, followed by local rain, mostly light On Sunday, in both of these sections, partly cloudy to fair weather will prevail with fresh variable winds and slight tem perature changes, preceded by light or moderate local rain and followed by clear-

ing and warmer weather. THE NEWS THIS MORNING.

Weather Indications Today: Light Showers; Southerly Winds.

General-Deadlock of Conferees on

Today Ends the Camp at Mt. Gretna. Three Boys and a Negro Killed by the Encouraging Outlook in Business. Sport-Rochester Walks Off with Scranton. Eastern, National and Atlantic League

Keogh Retains the World's Pool Championship. Coming Race Meet at the Driving

Ball Games

Washington Gossip.

State-Governor Hustings Turns the X-Ray on Appropriations Bills. Suicide Rather Than Lynching, Editorial.

5 Local-Religious News of the Week. Social and Personal. 6 Local-Councils Committee Give Wheel men a Hearing. W. Flettz's Fight for Republican

League President. Local-St. Luke's Summer Home at Improvements Under Way in the Central City.

8 Local-West Side and City Suburban. 9 Lackawanna County News. 10 Story-"A False Conclusion." Fashions at Saratoga

11 Local and Foreign Welsh News. 12 Neighboring County Happenings. Financial and Commercial.

ORDERS TO School Teacher Kills the Mother BREAK CAMP

Thirteenth Begins the Homeward Trip This Morning.

LAST DAY WAS DELIGHTFUL

Brigade Engaged in a Lively Sham Battle.

This Morning at 6 O'Clock the Tents Will Be Down and Two Hours Later the Boys Will Be on the Rond Home -- Expect to Arrive in Scranton at 3 O'Clock This Atternoon--Captain McCausland, of Company G, Entertains at a Dinner.



COLONEL H. A. COURSEN. Commander of the First Regiment of the

State National Guard.

By Associated Press, Mount Gretna, Pa., July 16.-Today, the last of the Third brigade encampment for the year, routine was strictly enforced.

Battery C was out at 5 o'clock and

made the valley quiver with the four

drilling this morning and Captain Ota gave his men practice in squad carbine firing. The signal corps attached to the

Ninth regiment were practicing signaling from the mountains to headquar-There were hundreds of people from Lebanon and Harrisburg to see the expected sham battle this afternoon, but it was not a sham battle after all, as General Gobin objects to that, but the spectators were rewarded by hearing battalion and company firing. For over an hour the entire brigade sent skirmishers into the woods hunting imag-

inary enemies and knocking them over by the hundreds. ORDERS TO BREAK CAMP.

Special to the Scranton Tribune Camp Lewis Merrill, Mt. Gretna, Pa., July 16 .- Orders were received at headquarters this afternoon for the Thirteenth regiment to break camp at 6 o'clock tomorrow morning and be ready to take the train at 8 o'clock. The Ninth regiment will move at the same time. Tonight the tents are being taken down and general preparations for departure being made. The regiment will arrive in Scranton at prob-

ably 3 o'clock p. m. The last day at Gretna has been the most delightful of all. In the morning there were regimental drills and at 3 clock this afternoon the brigade participated in the usual sham battle which to the soldier is a delicious act of war. Fourteen rounds of ammunition were given out to each man, General Gobin first arranged his line of battle along the eastern extreme of the field and facing brigade headquarters. The regiments then moved up in order with troop A and the battery of artillery playing their respective parts. The Thirteenth was in the thick of the fight, that silver trophy capturing

spectators on the field. After the brigade drill the Thirteenth gave a regimental dress parade. The Third brigade band honored Colonel Coursen with its service during the parade. Then the regiment assembled at their quarters. Adjutant Mattes read a regi-mental order reprimanding Sergeant Patrick I. Walsh, Sergeant William J. Cutler, Corporal George W. Roberts and Private Leslie S. Fritchey, all of Company B, for not participating in the regiment parade in Philadelphia. The reprimand was leniently and regretably expressed and the men will not be reduced to the ranks as is usual in

general attention from the thousand

such cases. Tonight everybody is making the most of the last few hours, UNOFFICIAL ORDERS.

Unofficial orders were received by Quartermaster Tracey this morning to have the tents down by 6 o'clock Saturday morning and the baggage on the train by 8 o'clock. Twenty men will be detailed to break camp. General Gobin at first ordered the Fourth regiment to look after all the work of tent razing of every regiment, but General Stewart countermanded the order and each regiment will take charge of its own "breaking." The detail of twenty will remain after the regiment's departure, and will remove all state property

from the Thirteenth's ground. Lieutenant Tracey will be in charge The Ninth regiment will move at the same time, only their train will go north, the Thirteenth's going south. Tonight in Company G's mess tent Captain R. J. McCausiand, who has won general favor, gave a camp din-

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