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SCRANTON, PA., SATURDAY MORNING, JANUARY 15, 1898.

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OBJECTIONS TO M'KENNA The Subject of His Confirmation Arouses Debate.

MR. HOAR ON THE A. P. A. He Denounces the Association as Un-American.

Senator Allen Opposes Immediate Action on the Question of Confirmation, and Believes That Other Charges Against the Candidate Should Be Considered--The Agricultural Bill Passes the House--A Limited Edition of the "Horse Book" Will Be Printed.

Washington, Jan. 14.--When the senate went into executive session today the report on the nomination of Attorney General McKenna...

Mr. Hoar spoke briefly of the opposition to Mr. McKenna, saying that the judiciary committee had investigated...

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MR. ALLEN'S OBJECTIONS.

It was here that Mr. Allen interposed an objection to immediate action. When his request for two weeks' delay was met with refusal he took the floor and proceeded to give his reasons for the request...

He called attention to the importance of the office to which Mr. McKenna had been named, saying it was a place which he would occupy probably during the remainder of his life...

Mr. Allen disclaimed any intention to father any of the charges made, but asserted that his sole purpose was to secure time for their proper investigation.

deportatory to Mr. McKenna's character as a jurist were without foundation. It was 4.30 in the afternoon before an agreement was reached...

HOUSE PROCEEDINGS.

It was the intention of the house managers to proceed with the diplomatic and consular appropriation bill today, but owing to the excitement over the Hawaiian treaty...

When the house adjourned last night the amendments to the agricultural appropriation bill, providing for the publication of another edition of the "Horse Book"...

ITALIAN MONARCHY AND THE POPE

Rome Correspondent Believes That Both Cannot Exist; That One or the Other Must Go.

London, Jan. 14.--The Rome correspondent of the Daily Chronicle in a startling statement this morning quotes largely from an article in Civiltà Cattolica...

ABUSE OF PENSION FUNDS.

Retired Chicago Policemen Drawing Cash from the City.

Chicago, Jan. 14.--Gross abuse of the pension funds of the Chicago police department were disclosed at a meeting of the senate committee...

STOLEN CHECKS FLOATED.

Business of Alteration Work to a Large Extent in Many Cities.

New York, Jan. 14.--The banks of this city were notified today that a large number of checks had been stolen from letter boxes in Detroit, Buffalo, Minneapolis, St. Paul, Toledo, Cleveland, Kansas City and Milwaukee...

Over the Bridge to Death.

New York, Jan. 14.--An unknown man threw himself accidentally from the parapet on the Washington bridge over the Harlem river...

Irving-Barrimore Engagement.

London, Jan. 14.--The Daily Mail this morning contains the formal announcement that Mr. Laurence Irving, son of Sir Henry Irving...

Relief for Cubans.

Washington, Jan. 14.--The secretary of state has been notified by Mayor Warwick of Philadelphia...

RAID ON THE BUCKET SHOPS

Four Establishments Closed--Seventeen Prisoners Taken.

CAPTAIN M'CLOSKEY MAKES A HAUL

The Visit of the Police Causes the Wildest Excitement on Wall Street.

New York, Jan. 14.--Captain McCloskey and a squad of detectives today raided four alleged bucket shops in the Wall street section and arrested seventeen prisoners...

SATISFACTORY PROSPECT

No Wild Excitement in the Speculative Markets--Stocks Advance a Little and Grain Yields.

New York, Jan. 14.--R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade will say in its issue of tomorrow: "The year has opened with a very satisfactory prospect..."

THE HOBARTS' ENTERTAIN.

They Give a Dinner to President and Mrs. McKinley.

Washington, Jan. 14.--Vice-President and Mrs. Hobart entertained the president and Mrs. McKinley at a beautifully appointed dinner of twenty courses in the vice-president's mansion...

THE ANTI-SCALPING BILL.

Two Important Amendments Are Adopted.

Washington, Jan. 14.--The house committee on interstate and foreign commerce had the anti-scalping bill under discussion today...

MISTAKE IN THE LIGHTS.

The Sloop Far Niente Goes Ashore at Little Egg Harbor.

Atlantic City, N. J., Jan. 14.--The sloop Far Niente, bound from New York to Philadelphia in ballast...

SHERIFF MARTIN'S TRIAL.

Seventy-five Witnesses Will Be Subpoenaed on the Case.

Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Jan. 14.--The trial of Sheriff James Martin and his eighty deputies charged with the murder of a felonious wounding of strikers at Latimer has been set down for Tuesday...

Odd Fellows' Hall Dedicated.

Gettysburg, Jan. 14.--This afternoon the third floor of the Bushman building was dedicated to the use of Gettysburg lodge, No. 124, Independent Order of Odd Fellows...

Shot His Sweetheart.

Cincinnati, O., Jan. 14.--Louis Alfred, a compositor at the Enquirer office, today shot his sweetheart, Minnie Packner, at her home on Bremen street...

PHILADELPHIA POLITICS.

A Change Has Come Over the Situation in the Quaker City.

Philadelphia, Jan. 14.--A change came over the aspect of the local political situation tonight when Magistrate Anthony, Democratic nominee for reelection...

JONES WILL CALL A SILVER CONFERENCE

Result of Negotiations Between White Metal Leaders.

Washington, Jan. 14.--As a result of conferences held within the last few days between the silver leaders of various parties...

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THE NEWS THIS MORNING.

- Weather indications today: Rain; South to southeasterly winds. 1. General--All Quiet at Havana. 2. State--Kaiser Insurance Suits Discontinued. 3. Local--Annual Reports of Officers of the League for the Friendless. 4. Editorial--Topics of the Day in Dialogue. 5. Local--Social and Personal. 6. Local--Democrats Have a Lively Night. 7. Local--Father Driven Insane by a Daughter's Conduct. 8. Local--West Side and Suburban. 9. Lackawanna County News. 10. Cost of Living in Munich. 11. Sunday School Lesson for Tomorrow. 12. Neighboring County Happenings. The Markets.

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According to De Lome's Dispatches Everything Is Quiet and Serene. TWO BATTLESHIPS SAIL They Are on a Cruise of Evolution. At Washington the Cuban Scare Has Subsided--Absence of Apprehension by the Authorities Also Reported--No Casualties of Consequence--No Signs of Anxiety in Administration Circles.

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Shot by a Negro.

Pittsburg, Jan. 14.--Rogerio Louso, a Cuban at Little Egg Harbor, was fatally shot this morning by an unknown negro because he refused to give him food or money. The negro escaped.

The Herald's Weather Forecast.

New York, Jan. 15.--In the middle states and New England, today, cloudy weather, nearly stationary temperature and fresh northerly to easterly winds will prevail with rain in the southern and central districts and snow in the northern, the winds becoming high on the coast.