### SENOR SAGASTA IS EQUIVOCAT

SPAIN'S PREMIER DENIES NE-GOTIATING FOR PEACE.

Admits That Private Initiative Has Been Taken-Paris Asserts That the French Ambassador Was Authorized to Approach Washington. London Explains the Spanish Minister's Attitude.

Madrid, July 27 .- The Spanish government officials deny the report that they have been occupied with the question of peace between Spain and the United States, and Senor Sagasta, the premier, contradicts the statement that official peace negotiations are in progress. But the foreign office announces that negotiations, "due to private initiative," are proceeding.

The big rise in prices on the Bourse here today is regarded as denoting great confidence that peace between Spain and the United States will be

concluded immediately, Paris, July 27.- 1 he following official note was issued here today; "At the request of the Spanish government, the French umbassador at Washington has been authorized by the French government to present a note from the ing the number cabinet at Madrid to the president of other pursuits; the United States. It is in the name of Spain that M. Cambon, who is charge to the Counish interests in the

United States, made the communication House yesterday afternoon in the pres ence of Secretary Day."

The efficials of the government of Prance have notified all the French embassies of the fact that Spain ha made proposals, through M. Campot the French ambassador at Washing ton, for peace with the United States London, July 27.-The equivocal de-nials from Madrid recently, when inquiries were made on the subject of the reported peace negotiations, were

given out at the Spanish capital apparently prior to Spain's formal application at Washington for peace, Many similar communications intended for home consumption may be expected during the negotiations. But they are only intended to allay Castilian susceptibilities, and do not affect the real

The liveliest satisfaction is expressed in all quarters and in the newspapers throughout Europe at the fact that Spain has at last done the right thing for the first time during the war, and peace is regarded as being within measurable distance. It is taken for granted that the opening of the peace negotiations implies a cessation of hostilities, and it is believed here that the United States was at first unofficially approached and gave a general idea of the conditions she would insist on, before M. Cambon, the French ambassador at Washington, presented his note, and that the formal negotiations will consist chiefly of the formulation of terms already practically settled.

### CORBETT-M'COY FIGHT. Mayor Diehl States That He Is Against It.

Buffalo, N. Y., July 27.-Speaking of the proposed fight between Corbett

I have never objected to hoxing. because as a physician I think it a healthy sport. But when it comes to a bruta! prize fight why then I am against it. It will bring an undesirable element to this city and it will have a had effect morally. If any attempts should be made to hold a disgraceful prize fight within my jurisdiction I would certainly take steps to

# ROBBERY AT EXETER.

### Burglars Secure Booty at the Store of Jenkins & Co.

Wilkes-Barre, July 27 .- A daring robbery was committed at Exeter, a suburb of West Pittston, between 2 and 3 o'clock this morning. Jenkins & Co. conduct a large general store in the place. At the hour named five masked men entered the building through an upstairs window and made their way to a room occupied by two clerks. named Benjamin Jenkins and Sam Both clerks were asleep. Two of the burglars covered the sleepers with their revolvers while two others bound and gagged them. The five men then made their way to the office be-low, where they blew open the safe | flag was again raised and the Spanish cash, six gold and silver watches and upon. a lot of jewelry. They then fled. were on their way home from work



A man has to have pluck to make a success of any calling. A man must have the backbone to take knock-down blows and get up again and again and fight on. Pluck and stamina are largely a question of good health. It only takes one knock-down blow to finish a man with a headache. It only takes a small setback to disconcert a nervous and shaky man. A bilious, head-achy man goes into bankruptcy at the first emparrassment. A nervous man who does embarassment. A hervols man who does not sleep at night and gets up shaky in the morning gives up the battle of business at the first discouragement. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is the best of all health-makers and health-keepers. It makes pure, rich blood. It forces out all impurities and disease germs. It does not ake any difference what the disease may be called, so long as it has its inception is improper or insufficient nourishment—thi great medicine will cure it. It may be called dyspepsia, kidney disease, "liver complaint," skin or blood disease, or nervous prostration—all these have the same starting point. The "Golden Medical Discovery" reaches that point. It will cure these diseases absolutely. None of them can retain their held on the system when covery" reaches that point. It will cure these diseases absolutely. None of them can retain their hold on the system when the arteries are filled with rich, pure blood. "I am st years old," writes Mr. F. G. Bledsor, of Leesville, Henry Co., Mo. "For 25 years I suffered from torpid liver, constipation and indigestion which severely affected my nerves. Having to make my living by hard work, I would keep on until I would ask to give up. Sometimes my friends would pick me up and carry me to lock. What hitle sleep I could get was fortured with horrible dreams. I took six bottles of Drience's Golden Medical Discovery. It relieved the pain is my back and between my shoulders, braced up my nerves, and to-day I am a well mich."

heard groans from an upstairs win-dow. They notified the watchman, who ran upstairs and relieved the two police of the surrounding cities have been notified of the daring burglary. It is said the thieves took a train for Elmira, N. Y.

### SPAIN'S POVERTY.

Official Figures That Show Reasons

for Condition of the Country. Philadelphia, July 27 .- The Philadelthia commercial museums has compiled from the official figures of Spain a few deductions tending to show reasons for the deplorable condition of that country. The population of the country is estimated at 18,000,000, and half this number have no employment, According to the census 8,726,519 have declared to have no trade or profession, and of these 6,764,496 are women. The agricultural census is the argest, and is composed of 4,033,291 men, while \$28,531 women work in the fields. The total number of persons unable to read or write is estimated at 6,104,470, of which 3,417,855 are men. The schools of the country are attended by 1.728.instruction there are 39,582 teachers, 24,624 of which are men. Comparing the degree of illiteracy with the opportunities offered by such a large corps of instructors, the commercial mucshow a higher degree of education. The following table is also appended, show ing the number of persons engaged u

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| Number of public employes               | 90,0 |
| Number of pensioners                    |      |
| Physicans, male                         |      |
| Physicans, female                       |      |
| Writers                                 |      |
| Female writers                          |      |
| Actors and actresses                    | 8, 8 |
| Female servants                         | 119. |
| Male servants                           |      |
| Profesional begars, female              | 51.0 |
| Professional beggars, male              |      |
| Priests and monks, including the        |      |
| dignitaries                             | 43.3 |
| Nuns                                    | 28.1 |
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### RELIEF COMMISSION.

Executive Convention of Nationa Board Held at Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, July 27 -At a meeting of the executive convention of the Na tional Relief commission held here to day the treasurer reported a balance

of \$9.812.22 on hand Hon. Daniel H. Hastings, governo of Pennsylvania, and Mr. Alexande Van Rensselaer were elected member of the commission, and of the execu tive committee. A cable was received from Rabbi Erauskopf, Rev. Dr. Hen ry C. McCook and Colonel Charles H Gibson, who are the special commis sioners appointed by the national re lief commission, announcing their safe | West. Union ...... 33% 93% 93% arrival at Santiago, stating that they were well, busy relieving the sick and wounded, and requesting the commission to send at once certain supplies.

The commission decided to purchase at once of supplies to be sent to Fernandino, Camp Thomas, Camp Alger, Newport News and Key West. The commission appointed Hon William Potter, Louis C. Vanuxem, Alexander Van Rensselaer and Dr. G. G. Groff as a special commission to visit Porto Rico and arrange for the establishment of a supply depot there, and to inquire into the exact needs and conditions of the troops, and to relieve their necessities and look after the sick and wounded; Dr. Groff to remain with a special view to look after the and McCoy, Mayor Diehl said this condition and wants of the Pennsylvania state troops. These special comssioners will carry with them a large amount of supplies, consisting of medi-

> and wounded. The national relief commission has New York, stating that he was willing and prepared to donate to the commission for use in Cuba an ice plant, costing not more than \$10,000.

### AMERICAN FLAG STOLEN. Midnight Jokers Create Excitement

at Hanover. Wilkes-Barre, July 27.-Some time during last night or early this morning the large American flag over the public school house in Hanover township was removed from the pole and a spanish flag, 8 feet long and 4 feet wide, substituted. When the residents of the township awoke this morning and saw the outrage that had been per petrated, their indignation knew no

A large crowd soon collected and four men, John Gumbert, John Gilroy, Walter Snyder and William Rinemeyer, climbed to the cupola and tore down with dynamite. They secured \$200 in flag was torn to pieces and trampled

# FATAL EXPLOSION.

# Four Men Killed at Pinole Powder

Mills. Pinole, Cal., July 27.-At 10.30 this morning an explosion took place in the nitro-glycerine house of the Hercules Powder company. No one was in the building at the time. Later a crew was sent to clear away the debris and extinguish the flames and at 4.15 a second terrific explosion took place kill-ing four men and fatally injuring The killed are: J. Palveraz, Herbert

Stratton, Patrick Murphy and John

# Scenic Line of the World.

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Notice.-A set of six beautiful albertype views of Rocky mountain scenery, on lix14 paper, suitable for framing, will be mailed upon receipt of fifty

inger, Prince Bismarck's physician, in answer to an inquiry as to the truth of the report that the prince is dying: "It is all nonsense. He sleeps well, and other-wise his condition is unchanged."

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Wall Street Review.

New York, July 27.—Nearly all the strength and activity in today's stock market were confined to the first hour. The market was apparently embarked on a sustained upward movement when Sugar began to pause after an advance of nearly 2 points which resulted in dislodging heavy covering orders. Very large blocks of the stock, many of them of 1,000 shares and upwards, were taken on the advance. But after touching 141 support seemed to be withdrawn and a steady stream was poured upon the mar-ket for the rest of the day. Several times the price steadled and railled slightly to make a renewed downward plunge, each successive decline dislogging heavy stop less orders. The price dropped over 4 points from the top and rallied only feebly at the close. The slump was accompanied by rumors of unloading for inside interests with a view to retirement. The demoralization in Sugar unsettled the whole list and put a stop to the upward movement for the rest of the day. The devine in the general market was desultory and was not accompanied by heavy offerings. Declines from the best reached a point or over in most prominent stocks and net osses in some cases are as much as a point. Total sales, 234,000 shures. Furnished by WILLIAM LINN ALLEN & CO., stock brokers, Mears building rooms 705-796. Open- High- Low- Clo

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| ì    | Am. Cot. On 21%  | 2354   | 24        | 44      |
| e:   | Am. Sug. Re'g Co13914<br>Atch To. S. Fe 13%                    | 141    | 13058     | 134     |
|      | Atch. To. S. Fe 13%  | 13%    | 133/2     | 2,65    |
| n    | A., T. & S. F., Pr 3514<br>Am. Tobacco Co122<br>Am. Spirits 12 | 35%    | 24"8      | 1149    |
|      | Am. Tobacco Co122  | 1221   | 120%      | 121     |
|      | Am. Spirits 12   | 1234   | 12        | 12      |
| 7    | Am. Spirits, Pr 35   | 2016   | 60        | 151     |
| 11   | Am. Spirits, Pr 35<br>Balt. & Ohio 14%<br>Brook. R. T 55%      | 14%    | 143%      | 241     |
| 7    | Brook. R. T 55%  | 5514   | 5814      | 1991    |
| 8    | Bay State Gas 37k  | 454    | 3374      | 41      |
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| 5    | N. J. Central 91   | 91%    | 50        | 90      |
| 17   | Chie. & G. W 15%   | 15%    | 15        | 15      |
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| 47   | Chic., R. I. & P 97%   |        | 105%      |         |
| 28   | Chic., St. P. M. & O. 81%                                      | 54%    | 83%       |         |
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|      | Gen. Electric 3016   | 2016   | 3914      |         |
|      | Louis, & Nash 544  | 7,436  | 53%       |         |
| ıı   | Lehigh Valley 20%  | 24.4   | 100/8     | -       |
|      | Manhattan Ele 1063   |        | 106%      | 106     |
|      | M. K. & Tex., Pr 354   |        | 35        | 35      |
| _    | Mo. Pacific 3519   | 267.0  | 5519      |         |
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|      | North, Pacific 3014  |        | 29%<br>71 |         |
| r    | Nor. Pacific, Pr 72  |        | 2514      |         |
|      | Pacific Mail 29%   | 300    | 2215      | 447     |
| 1.   | Phil. & Read 1814  | 7      | - 50      | 8       |
| 16   | Southern R. R 5%   |        |           |         |
| 1-   | Southern R. R., Pr., 215                                       | 81%    | 51%       |         |
| d    | Tenn., C. & Iron 25%   |        |           |         |
| 1-   | Texas & Pacific 12%  |        |           |         |
|      | Union Pac., 1st Pr ., 6174                                     |        | 61%       |         |
| ŧ,   | U. S. Rubber 317   | 1/3    | 51.9      |         |
| 5-   | U. S. Leather, Pr 675  |        | 06%       |         |
| -    | Wabash, Pr 1914  |        | 1914      | 19      |
| 0    | West, Union 93%  | 93%    | 927       | 13      |

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| W. & L. E., Pr .   | 11%      | 13    | 1114 | 111  |
| Met. Traction Co.  |          |       |      | 152  |
| Ches. & Ohio       |          |       |      | 127  |
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| September          | 100      | 6554  | 641  | 641  |
| CORN.              | 6518     | 60%   | 61%  | 643  |
| September          | 20%      | 3414  | 33%  | 341  |
| December           | B4%      | 34%   | 314  | 34   |
| September          | $20\%_2$ | 20%   | 20%  | 201  |
| September          | 9.60     | 9.72  | 9.40 | 9.5  |
| LARD.<br>September | 5.52     | 5.07  | 5.35 | 5.3  |
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| 1 | Scranton & Pitteton Trac. Co.  | ***  | 2/   |
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| 1 | First National Bank            | 800  | **   |
|   | Elmhurst Boulevard             | ***  | 10   |
|   | Scranton Savings Bank          |      |      |
|   | Scranton Packing Co            | ***  | 9    |
|   | Laca, Iron & Steel Co          | 30   |      |
|   | Third National Bank            |      |      |
|   | Throop Novelty Mfg Co          |      | 8    |
|   | Scranton Trac. Co              | 18   |      |
|   | Scranton Axie Works            | 40   | **   |
|   | Dime Dep. & Dis. Bank          | 165  |      |
|   | Economy Light, Heat & Pow-     |      | ***  |
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|   | & Power Company                |      | 17.7 |
|   | Scranton Forging Co            |      | 10   |
|   | Traders' National Bank         |      |      |
|   | Lacka. Lumber Co               | 1.88 | 15   |
|   | Lack, Trust & Safe Dep. Co     |      | 17   |
|   | Moosic Mountain Coal Co        | 2.44 | 11   |
|   | BONDS.                         |      |      |
|   | Scranton Pass. Railway, first  |      |      |
|   | mortgage, due 1920             |      |      |
|   | People's Street Railway, first | **** |      |
|   | mortgage, due 1918             |      |      |
|   |                                |      |      |

### People's Street Railway, General mortgage, due 1921 ..... 115 Dickson Manufacturing Co ... ... Lacka. Township School 5%.. ... City of Scranton St. Imp. 6%.. ... Mt. Vernon Coal Co Scranton Axle Works

# Philadelphia Provision Market.

Philadelphia. July 25.-Wheat-Ially ower; contract grade, July, 715a72c.; August, 71a7114c.; September, 694a76c. Corn -14c. lower; No. 2 mixed, July, 38a3814c.; August 384a384c. Oats-Firm; No. 2 white clipped, 33a334c.; No. 3 white, 32a 524c.; No. 2 mixed, 30a304c. Flour-Dull and loc. per barrel lower; winter super, new, \$2,55a2.65; Pennsylvania roller, new, \$1,46a2.65; do. do. straight, new, \$3,75a2.95; do. western, winter clear, new, \$2,45a2.65; do. vestern winter clear, new, \$3.40a3.85; do do. straight, new, \$3.75a3.90; do. do. pat-ent new, \$4a4.55; spring clear, \$3.60a3.80; do, straight, \$4.30a4.50; do, patent, \$4.50a 4.75; do, favorite brands, higher; city mills, extra, new, \$2.35a2.60; do, clear, new, \$3.50a3.75; do, straight, new, \$3.75a4; patent, new and old, \$4.15a5. good demand; fancy western creamery, 19c.; fancy prints, 21c. Eggs-Dull and easier; fresh nearby, 13c.; fresh western, 13c.; fresh southern, 19c. Cheese-Firm Refined Sugars-Quiet but steady ton - Unchanged. Tallow - Quiet but steady; city, in hogsheads, 5%c.; country prime, in barrels, 3%c.; dark, do, 3c.; cakes, 3%c.; grease, 2%c. Live Poultry— Quiet but steady; fowis, 10a10½c.; old costers. 7c.: spring chickens, 10a13c.; spring ducks, 8a9c. Dressed Poultry-Firm; fowls, choice, 10½a11c.; do. fair to good, 5½a10c.; old rometers, &c.; spring chickens, nearby, 16a15c.; western, do. large, 14u15c.; small and scalded, do., 11a 13c. Receipts—Flour, 2,000 barrels and 4,-000 sacks; wheat, 4,000 bushels; corn, 33,-000 bushels; oats. 35,000 bushels. Ship-ments-Wheat, 3,000 bushels; corr., 145,000 bushels; oats, 6,600 bushels.

# New York Produce Market.

New York, July 27.-Flour-Again of-fered at lower prices. Wheat-Spot weak; No. 2 red, 73c., f. o. b. afloat export grade to arrive; options were dull and generally will be mailed upon receipt of fifty cents (money order), sent to S. K. Hooper, G. P. and T. A., Denver, Colo.

Bismarck Sleeps Well.

Berlin, July 27.—The Taegliche Rudschau, a well informed Conservative newspaper of this city, publishes the following telegram from Dr. Schweninger, Prince Bismarck's physician, in anclosing '4c. net lower; September closed 554c. Butter-Firm: western creamery. Halsc.; do factory. Halster. Eighn, 18c.; imitation creamery, 12a15c.; state dairy. 124a164c.; do creamery, 14a154c. Cheese-Steady. Eggs.-Steady; state and Pennsylvania 14a15c. western fresh. 14c.

# sylvania, Halac.; western fresh, Mc.

Chicago Produce Market. Chicago, July 27 .- A break at Liverpool

# THE MARKETS. THE TRIBUNE'S OPPORTUNITY BUREAU

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ic. and lard and ribs 15c. each. Cash quotations were as follows: Flour-Un-changed; No. 2 yellow, Mta34-ac.; No. 3 spring wheat, 68a75c.; No. 2 red, 70c.; No. 2 corn, 34\(\a234\)\c.; No. 2 cats, 25\(\a234\)\c.; No. 2 white, 2\(\a224\)\c.; No. 3 white, 2\(\a224\)\c.; No. 2 rye, 43\(\a224\)\c.; No. 2 barley, 3\(\a235\)\c.; No. 1 flax seed, 93a93%c.; prime timothy seed \$2.55; mess perk, per barrel, \$9.55a9.0 lard, per 100 pounds, \$5.35a5.45; short ribs, sides, \$5.25a5.85; dry salted hsoulders. 44a 5c.; short clear sides, \$5.75a5.90; sugars,

# Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, July 27 .- Cattle-Good sale for he choicer lots, but the general run lower and prices declined 10c.; choice teers, \$5.25a5.75; medium, \$4.80a4.85; teers, \$5.25a5.75; medium. tockers and feeders, \$3.50a4.75; cows and neifers, \$3a4; calves, \$3.50aa7; western steers, \$4,3005.30. Trade in hogs was weak on an over supply; sales showed a reduc-tion of fully 10c.; fair to choice, \$5,96a1.05; packers, \$3,76a3.75; butchers, \$3,75a4; mixed, \$3.70a3.95; lights, \$3.65a3.97%; pigs, \$2.90a3.80. There was a beter demand for sheep at beter prices; choice spring lambs were about 10c higher; good to prime lambs, \$5.60a6.25; comemn to good sheep. \$3a4.50; natives, \$4.60a5; rams, \$2a3, Texas sheep, \$3.75a4.40; westerns, \$4a4.40. Re-celpts-Cattle, 15.000 head; rogs, 32,000 read; sheep, 15,000 head.

Fast Liberty, Pa., July 27 .- Cattleentiv: extra. \$6r6.10; prime, \$4.90a5; common. \$3.80a4. Hogs-Lower; prime me-diums and bast Yorkers, \$4a4.79; common to fair, \$in4.10; heavy, \$4.05a4.10; pigs, \$4.30 a4.15; roughs, \$2.7a3.75. Sheep-Cho'ce, Figur - Unchanged. Butter - Firm and \$4.35a1.40; common, \$3.25a3.72; veat calves,

> East Buffalo, N. Y., July 27,-Cattle Steady. Hogs-Receipts light, stronger Yorkers, good to choice 4.15a1.20; roughs mmon to good, \$3.50a4.70; pigs, good to choice, \$4.65a4.10. Sheep and Lambs-Re-ceipts, light; steady; lambs, choice to extra. \$5.75a6.25; culls, fair to good, \$4a5; sheep, choice to selected wethers, \$4.70a 4.85; culls and common. \$2.35a3.75.

Oil City, Pa., July 27.—Credit balances, 96c.; certificates, first bid, 94c. for cash; highest, 954c.; closed 954c. bid; sales, 11. 000 cash at 95c.; 7.000 cash at 944c.; 1.000 cash at 951 c.; total sales, 19,000 barrels; shipments, 118.557 barrels; runs, 37,418 bar.

Altoona, Pa., July 27 .- At the coa miners' convention held here recently, it was announced that a demand for an increase of wages would be made on operators on July 20, and that a strike would be immediately inaugurated at every mine from which favorable answer had not been received by July 28.

### WANTED.

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Office of the Colliery Engineer Co.,
Scranton, Pa., July 13, 1898.
SPECIAL NOTICE TO THE STOCK-HOLDERS.
The Board of Trustees of this company has called a special meeting of the stock-holders to be held at the office of the company at Scranton. Lackawamna county, Pennsylvania, on Friday, the 18th day of September, A. D. 1898, at 2 o clock p. m., for the purpose of voting for or against an increase of the capital stock of said company.

STANLEY P. ALLEN, Secretary.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR BUILDING
five stone arch bridges will be received at the commissioners' office until
noon Saturday, July 30, 1888. The bridges
are located as follows: One in Greenfield township; one in Dalton borough;
one in South Abington; one in West
Abington township, and one in Newton
township. Plans and specifications may
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Contrary to expectation, no formal demand was made upon the operators in this district at the time mentioned, and consequently the operators made public declaration on the subject, although it was known all were determined to refuse an increase. The threatened strike tomorrow is not likely to go into effect, as nothing has lately been heard about it.

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2.25, 3.20, 7.10 p. m. Sundaya, 9.90 a. m.
1.00, 2.15, 7.10 p. m.
For Mountain Park 8.30 a. m., 5.20 p. m.
Sundays 9.00 a. m., 1.00, 2.15 p. m.
For Lakewood and Atlantic City, 8.30 a. m. For New York, Newark and Elizabeth, 5.30 (express) a. m. 1.20 (express), 1.20 (express) p. m. Sunday, 2.15 p. m. Train leaving 1.29 p. m., arrives at Philadelphia, Reading Terminal, 7.03 p. m. and New Reading Terminal, 7.03 p. m. and New York 7.05 p. m. For Mauch Chunk. Allentown. Bethle-hem. Easton and Philadelphia, 8.30 a. m. 1.29, 2.29 p. m. Sundays, 2.15 p. m. For Baltimers and Washington and points South and West via Bethlehom, 8.30 a. m., 1.20 p. m. Sundays, 2.15 p. m. For Long Branch, Ocean Grove, etc., at 8.30 (through car) s. m. and 1.20 p. m. For Reading, Lebanon and Harrisburg, via Allentown, 8.30 a. m., 1.20 p. m. Sun-day, 2.15 p. m.

day, 2.15 p. m.
For Pottsville, 5.50 a. m., 1.20 p. m.
Returning, leave New York foot of Lib-erry street, North River, at 4.00, 9.10 (ex-press) a. m., 1.20 (express) p. m. Sunday, press) a. m., 1.30 (express) p. m. Sunday, 1.30 a. m.
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10.15 a. m., week days, for Hagleton, Pottsville, Reading, Norristown, and Philadelphia; and for Sunbury, Harrisburg, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington and Pittsburg and the West.
3.12 p. m., daily, for Sunbury, Harrisburg, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington, and Pittsburg and the West.

the West.

5.00 p. m., week days, for Hazleton and Pottsville. J. R. WOOD, Gen'l Pass Agent. J. B. HUTCHINSON, General Manager.

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Effect Monday, June 20, 1898. Trains leave Scranton as follows: Express for New York and all points East, 1.40, 3.00, 5.10, 8.00 and 10.05 a. m.; 12.55 and 2.33 p. m.

Express for Easton, Trenton, Philadelphia and the South, 5.10, 8.00 and 10.05 a. m., 12.55 and 3.33 p. m.

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Toby hanna accommodation, 6.10 p. m.
Express for Binghamton, Oswego, Elmira, Corning, Bath, Dansville, Mount
Morris and Buffalo, 12.10, 2.55, 2.00 a. m.
1.55 and 5.50 p. m., making close connections at Buffalo to all points in the West,
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Nicholson accommodation 6.00 p. m.
Express for Utica and Ricafield Springs,
2.35 a. m., and 1.55 p. m.
Ithaca, 2.25, 9.00 a. m., and 1.55 p. m.
For Northumberland, Pittston, WilkesBarre, Plymouth, Bloomsburg and Danville, making close connections at Northumberland for Williamsport, Harrisburg,
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On Sunday, July 3rd, trains will leave Scranton as follows: For Carbondale—6.20, 7.53, 8.53, 10.12 a, m.: 12 noon: 1.23, 2.20, 3.52, 5.25, 6.25, 7.57, 9.15, 11.00 p. m.; 1.16 a m For A'bany, Saratega, Montreal, Bos-ton, New England Points, etc.—6.20 a. m., 2.20 p. m. For Honesdale—6.20, 8.53, 10.13 a. m.; 11 noon: 2.20, 5.25 p. m. For Honesdale—6.20, 8.53, 10.13 a. m.; 12 noon; 2.20, 5.25 p. m.

For Wilkes-Barre 6.45, 7.18, 8.43, 9.38, 10.43 a. m.; 12.03, 1.23, 2.18, 3.33, 4.27, 6.10, 7.48, 10.41, 11.30 p. m.

For New York, Philadelphia, etc., via Lehigh Valley Railread—6.45 a. m., 12.05, 1.28, 4.27 p. m.; with Black Diamond Express, 11.30 p. m.

For Pennsylvania Railread Points—6.45, 9.38 a. m.; 2.18, 4.27 p. m.

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Trains will airlive in Scranton as follows: lows:
From Carbondale and the North—6.40,
7.45, 8.38, 8.24, 19.38, 11.58 a. m. 1.23, 2.15, 3.25,
4.23, 5.43, 7.43, 19.28, 11.27 p. m.
From Wilkes-Barre and the South—6.15,
7.48, 8.48, 19.08, 11.85 a. m.; 1.18, 2.14, 3.48,
5.29, 6.21, 7.53, 5.05, 10.05 p. m.; 1.13 a. m.
SUNDAY TRAINS.
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3.52, 3.53, 3.33 p. m.
For Wilkes-Barre—9.38, 11.43 a. m.; 1.58, S.52, 5.53, 5.33 p. m.
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