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SITUATION IN

POINT LOST BY MR. WUAY

Supreme Court Denies Application for Writ of Certiorari.

PETITIONERS PAY COSTS

Opinion Handed Down But Was Not Read from the Bench-Judge Sterrett Merely Announced the Dismissal of the Rules-Court Believes That a Fair Trial Can Be Had in Philadelphia-Text of the Opinion.

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from

Philadelphia, Jan. 10,-The suprem ourt today dismissed the petition of the defendants in the Quay conspiracy case, and the case will now go back to the court of quarter sessions for trial in the regular course of procedure.

The petition had been filed on be half of United States Senator Quay, his son, Richard R. Quay, and former State Treasurer Benjamin J. Haywood, and asked for a writ of certiorari to remove the case to the high tribunal on the ground that the political prejudices would prevent them from getting a fair trial in the county court, Chief Justice Sterret handed down the opinion as soon as the court convened. He merely announced that the rule was discharged and the petition dismissed at the cost of the petitioners, The chief justice filed an opinion, concurred in by the entire court, but this was placed on record without a public reading.

Briefly stated, the court declares itself satisfied that the petitioners can and will have a fair and impartial trial. in this county.

The announcement of the decision created a profound sensation in politicut circles and there is much speculacal circles and there is much specula-tion as to its effect on the selection of a United States senator, for which the state legislature will begin balloting next Tuesday. Senator Quay left town for Washington this afternoon without having expressed an opinion concernng the case. He did say, however, hat he would be in Harrisburg tomor-tow night. The legislature will recon-tene on Thursday. District Attorney Rothermel said ing the case. He did say, however, that he would be in Harrisburg tomorrow night. The legislature will reconvene on Thursday.

as Bever, is not this case, as was in Commonwealth vs. Green, 185 sylvania, 646, 'an essential prereto the granting of any such quisite special writ of certiorari is a meri-torious and well grounded petition for a haleas corpus. If that is wanting, the certiorari should be refused and

We are clearly of the opinion that we have no authority whatever in this proceeding to review the action of the court below on the demurrers and motion to quash, and we therefore express no opinion in relation thereto. "The only other contention of the The only other contention of the petitioners that requires notice is that they cannot have a fair and impartial trial in the court of quarter sessions of the peace of Philadelphia county, where said indictments are still pending on issues of fact raised by their pleas of 'not guilty.' "We cannot assent to this proposi-

tion. On the contrary, we are satis-, fied that the petitioners can and will have a fair and impartial trial in that court before a competent and unpreju-diced judge and a fair and impartial y. If we thought otherwise, we uld not hesitate a moment to send the indictments to another jurisdiction for trial. The learned judges who by virtue of their commissions as judges on all the charges named in the indictof the four separate common pleas courts in this county are judges of the courts of Oyer and Terminer and quarter sessions of the peace, etc., are welve in product of the peace and the second welve in number and sit in said courts in pursuance of previous assignment under the constitutional provisions, by

which, for example, a judge of com-mon pleas No. 1 and a judge of com-mon pleas No. 4 (without designating either of them by name) will be as-signed to hold the criminal courts during the next March sessions, and a judge of common pleas No. 2 and a judge of common pleas No. 3 whi be assigned to hold said courts during next April sessions, and so on throughout the year.

"The ludges of the respective courts om which these assignments are made arrange among themselves as to which of them will go into the criminal court, and in case of sickness or necessary absence one of the other judges of the court of common pleas

two are subjects of complaint in these petitions for the rule. One of these

petitions for the rule. One of these resigned his commission, and that severed his connection with common pleas No. 3, and all the other courts before his commission, it is difficult to say what, if any, effect it may have in preventing or even tending to prevent the petitioners from having a fair, impar-tial trial before either of the other

granting the defendants a change of venue, the Supreme court has said that in its opinion, the defendants can se-cure a fair trial in the courts of Philadelphia county. Senator Quay and his friends did not think that they could

secure a fair trial in this jurisdiction, because of the unfriendly attitude of certain newspapers of this city, which for reasons of their own, have been antagonistic to Senator Quay for many years. The adverse public sentiment aroused through the instrumentality of the anti-Quay newspapers must neces

sarily influence the minds of the jurors who will be called on to pass on his case. Let me emphasize the fact that the Supreme court has decided nothing on the merits of the case. The ques tion of the guilt or innocence of the defendants has not been in any way passed upon by the court, or in the opinion which remands the case for trial to the courts below. The chief justice, who handed down the opinion, has stated that, in his judgment, the signation.

defendants will receive a fair trial in the courts of Philadelphia county, and this is the only point decided in their opinion. The cases will now be tried in the usual way in the courts of quarments, and I believe this is the opin-ion of every lawyer who has studied the case or heard the argument, irre-spective of his political affiliations.

NO EFFECT AT HARRISBURG. "The case will not have any effect on the senatorial situation at Harrisburg. The friends of Senator Quay will stand by him as heretofore, and those who want to be against him will take this

as an excuse. The proposition that a candidate for public office must retire from the contest because his unserupulous and desperate enemies, having ex-hausted all other methods, and having failed to defeat him in open political battle, may then, through the connivance of a disappointed district attor-ney, institute criminal proceedings, not

for the purpose of upholding the dignity of the law, but with the express intention of encompassing his defeat, is too preposterous to think about. These methods can never succeed in from which the assignments are made from which the assignments are made for that session may take the place of the sick or absent judge, etc. Under this arrangement the judges who held the criminal courts in November last will probably not be required to sit therein for several months thereafter. TWELVE JUDGES. "Of the twelve judges whom thus in "Of the twelve judges whom thus in

will be triumphantly vindicated." Senator Durham, of this city, was asked what effect the decision of the supreme court would have upon the friends of Senator Quay at Harrisburg, to which he replied: "None at all. The friends of Senator Quay will remain

his friends and his enemies will assume the same attitude they now have. It any difference, these proceedings will make the friends of Senator Quay more earnest in his advocacy than hereto-

fore. Senator Chisholm, of Huntington county was in the city today and

and will abide the decision of the cau-

cus and support Senator Quay, I do

NO CABINET CRISIS. SENATOR MASON Premier Sagasta Has an Audience with the Queen.

Madrid, Jan. 10 .-- The premier, Senot Sagasta, had an nour's audience with the queen regent today and afterwards announced that there was no cabinet crisis, that he would submit to a vot

of confidence and that he believed the present ministry would present itself to parliament. Senor Sagaeta's statement has

caused much excitment in political circles, where it had been believed that a cabinet crisis was inevitable. It is not yet clear whether the crisis is merely deferred until after the next cabinet meeting or whether Senor Sagasta has succeeded in inducing certain colleagues to reconsider their re

Several dissident Conservatives, in-cluding the Duke of Tetuan, minister of foreign affairs in the Canovas cabinet, and Tomas Castellanos, former minister of the colonies, have appar-ently decided to join Senor Sagasta. Other members of the party have attached themselves to Senor Silvela, so that the dissident Conservative party, as an organization, may be considered dissolved

SHARKEY KNOCKS **KID M'COY OUT**

The Combat Witnessed by Nearly 8,000 Spectators --- Strength Triumphs Over Science.

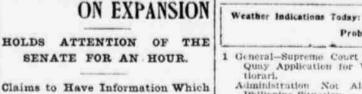
New York, Jan. 10 .- Tom Sharkey, he American sailor, stands tonight the only heavyweight possibility for cham-pionship honors and the title now held y Bob Fitzsimn

He whipped Kid McCoy good and hard in the tenth round of what was o have been a 20-round battle and by doing so the Irish American pugilist forged his way so positively and undeniably to the front rank that Fitzslammons must now consider the sailor pugilist's claim without delay.

Sharkey tonight was a revelation to hose who saw him a couple of years ago. His ring work and generalship are so vastly superior to his exhibitions when he first came to the emit as a fighter that the improvement is almost

incredible Great bunches of muscle, with unlimited confidence and a cool head are the qualifications which have enabled Sharkey to fight his way to the front rank of heavyweight pugilists and no one, not even McCoy, who suffered defeat at his hands tonight, denies the full measure of praise that is due to the Irishmar.

McCoy's marvelous foot work and that long left jab with which he has expressed himself more strongly in fa- put so many of his opponents to sleep vor of Senator Quay than at any time are two factors in his make-up that District Attorney Rothermel said that the trial will go in the regular course of business, but he was unpre-pared to cay when it will be heard. He added that he would do that, which, after a careful examination of the whole situation, he thinks for the best interest of the commonwealth. district attorney's office. These objec-interest of the commonwealth.since these proceedings were instituted. must always appeal to lovers of the



Cannot Be Communicated to the Senate-Andrew Carnegie an Interested Spectator-His Opinion Con-Budget.

cerning Colonel Bryan.

Washington, Jan. 10 .- Senator Ma on, of Illinois, occupied the attention of the senate for nearly an hour and half today with a speech in support of his resolutions, declaring that the United States will never attempt to govern the people of any other nation without their consent. In many respects the speech was one of the most notable utterances in the senate thus far this season. Rugged in language, pointed and effective in illustration, Mr. Mason commanded the attention of the senate and of the galleries from the first sentence of his speech to the apostrophe to liberty which formed his eroration. Several times spontaneous applause swept over the galleries, but under the stringent rules of the senate it quelled quickly. It was several

minutes after the conclusion of the speech before the senate could proed with its business, on account o the confusion incident to the congrat

ulations which many of Mr. Mason's olleagues hastened to extend to him. The Nicaragua canal bill was discussed by Mr. Turley (Tenn.), who opposed the pending measure. An agreement was reached to consider the bill on Tuesday, with fifteen minutes to disuss each amendment.

While Mr. Mason was discussing the statement of the possible bombardment of Hollo, which he said is curently reported is in contemplation, Mr. Gallinger (N. H.) interrupted, saying that as Mr. Mason's statement was very serious he would like to know upon what information it was based. "I have some information," replied

the Illinois senator, "which I cannot here and now communicate to the senate. What I have said, however, is reported, and has been day after day, the dispatches of the Associated Press. I may say that I base my statement upon the reports of the Assolated Press. Those reports are that ve have threatened to bombard Hollo with its women and children where ur flag has never been raised."

Mr. Gallinger expressed regret that Mr. Mason could not give the source his most important information, but that of a press association.

CONVINCING STATEMENT.

White (Cai.), "has been published use of my name as a candidate for sion, however, is felt as to the result

Probably Snow. 1 General-Supreme Court Decides the Quay Application for Writ of Cerdiministration Not Alarmed Over News Received at Wash-Philippine Situation, Expansion the Theme in Congress, McCoy-Sharkey Fight. 2 General - Whitney's Weekly News Financial and Commercial. 3 Local-Proceedings in the Various Courts

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GUFFEY FAVORS GEORGE A. JENKS

Has Withdrawn His Name as a Candidate for United States Senate.

Philadelphia, Jan. 10 .- National Demcratic Committeeman J. N. Guffey tonight withdrew his name as a candi-George A. Jenks, the recent Democrat-Mr. Guffey said: "Many of my friends have urged me to be a candidate and assured me of the nomination, but my desire is to unite the party and 1 think the best way to do so is to selft George A. Jenks and stick to him. He is a safe, clean Democrat, and the vigorous campaign made by him for the gover-

norship made it possible to elect 87 Democratic members of the legislature. He is the logical candidate and should be, I think will be, nominated practically without opposition." Mr. Guffey stated that in his opinion Mr. Jenks was the choice of Democrats

generally and he would favor his nomination. During the day Mr. Guffey held informal conferences with a number of men prominent in the party and his announcement of Mr. Jenks as a far as he was concerned he could not candidate followed. The latter, who

ccept his unsupported statement or was in this city today on legal business, consented to the use of his name. He said: "I really have no desire for the honor but in response to the urg-

Among those who called on Mr. Guf-for ware avelowere Rebert D Date

ington Is Not Very Alarming.

TO AVOID A COLLISION

Officers Are Cautioned to Grant the Filipinos Any Reasonable Request in Order to Avoid an Open Rupture. General Otis Advised to Co-Operate with Admiral Dewey - American Gunboats Will Prevent Landing of More Arms and Ammunition.

Washington, Jan. 10 .- It can be stated on authority that such news as has been received today from General Otis is rather reassuring than otherwise as to the situation in the Philippines and that he made no allusion to a hostile collision. He has been instructed to use gentleness in dealing with the insurgents and to advise and co-operate with Admiral Dewey. There is some reason to believe that the present situdate for the caucus nomination for ation may be protracted longer than United States senator in favor of would be naturally expected and that there will be no open hostilities immecandidate for governor. In doing so diately if at all. The question has arisen as to the exact purpose to be served now in attempting to seize Hoilo. Originally it was intended to release the Spanish force besteged, but by their evacuation of that place they have removed that incentive and were it not for the false encouragement it would give the insurgents there is little doubt that the United States troops would not be moved against Iloilo. Meanwhile the navy is expected to draw a cordon around the island of Panny, and also Luzon should it be deemed necessary to do so, to prevent the further supply of arms and munitions of war to the insurgents. Probably the gunboats now there or en route will be reinforced by the Machias and the Annapolis and Vicksburg.

SITUATION SERIOUS.

Although nothing of an alarming nature has been received from Hoilo, there is no doubt that members of the administration view the situation as somewhat serious, and are anxiously island and the natives, but

the president is very anxious to avoid

to understand that this government

comes to them in a most friendly and

tions to General Miller that the utmost

patience must be exercised and every

reasonable request granted in order to

avoid an open rupture. Members of

ST. PAUL ARRIVES.

The Steamer Had a Stormy Passage

Across the Atlantic.

New York, Jan. 10 .- The belated

American line steamer St. Paul, Cap-

pipe and it was decided to reduce the

pressure of steam on both engines to

100 pounds, just one half the engine's

capacity when running at full speed.

During the following days the St. Paul

AN ELOPING COUPLE.

Valley Wreck.

Shamokin, Pa., Jan. 10 .- Word was

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interest of the commonwealth.

CHARGE AGAINST DEFENDANTS. It is now well known that the he clearly and fearlessly stated his harge against the defendants is con-reasons for so doing, and we see no charge against the defendants is conspiracy with John S. Hopkins, cashier of the People's bank, who committed suicide whon the bank failed has suicide when the bank failed last March, to misuse state funds on de-posit there. They were arrested last "When the 12th of December was October and after a preliminary hear-ing entered bail for trial. The date fixed for trial has been several times postponed. Senator Quay and his copostponed. Senator Quay and his co-defendants have persistently alleged that the prosecution is actuated by po-that the prosecution is actuated by po-

Although former District Attorney Graham, who instituted the proceedings while in office, was engaged by his | was granted on December 9, 1898, successor, Mr. Rothermel, as special attorney to conduct the case before the

OPINION OF THE COURT.

The opinion of the court says in substance:

"Our jurisdiction to grant the relief prayed for by the petitioners is challenged by one of the reasons assigned the district attorney in support of his motion to quash the petition and all proceedings thereunder. That question has been so often considered and decided adversely to the common-wealth's contention that it is unnecessary to consume time in its discussion. We have repeatedly held that when a proper case for the exercise of the supervisory power invoked by these petitioners is presented it is still our duty to grant relief by sending the record to the proper court of another county for trial or detailing one of our justices to preside at the trial, as the circumstances of each meritorious case to may require.

"We cannot assent to the petitioner's construction that it is our duty in this case to review the action of the court below in overruling the demurrers to four of the indictments and refusing to quash the others. We cannot do so without deliberately usurping jurisdiction which we do not possess, and which In case of the right of anneal here-after exists, is expressly and exclusively vested in the Superior court. By the seventh section of the Superior court seventh section of the Superior court By the seventh section of the Superior court act of June 24, 1895, P. L., 215, which declares: The said court shall have no original jurisdiction, except that it may issue writs of habeas corpus, bu It shall have exclusive and final juris-diction of all appeals which are now allowed to the Supreme court in the following cases: "(a) All proceedings of any kind in

the court of quarter sessions of the peace, or before any judge thereof, except cases involving the right to a pub-

THE RIGHT OF AFPEAL.

"The orders overraing the denur-rers and refusing to quash are merely interlocutory, and no right of appeal therefrom, to any court, lies until after conviction and sentence. In case of sequital there will be no necessity for an appeal.

ommonwealth vs. Ketner, 92, Peansylvania 372, and kindred cases relied on by the petitioners have no applito be the petitioners have no appli-cation to this case. That was a habeas corrus granted on the petitioner's aver-ment that he was illegally restrained of his liberty by illegal imprisonment, and the certiorari was merely ancillary to the habeas corpus to bring up the commitment or cause of detention so that the court hearing the habeas cor-pus could determine whether he wer-legally deprived of his "

no comment further than to say that in the opinion overruling the demur-rers and denying the motion to quash

not know of a single Quay man who has faltered or weakened in his support of the senior senator; I am conreason whatever to question his integfident of his re-election. The situation improved, so far as Senator Quay's

OPINION OF MR. PENROSE.

were instituetd, I stated to the public that they were the result of a political

conspiracy, and were intended for the purpose of injuring Senator Quny's chances for re-election. All the de-

velopments of the cases from that time to the present have confirmed my

cases in court:

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are more earnest and aggressive and more confident of victory than at any other time since the fight began." WANAMAKER'S COMMENTS

John Wanamaker said: "I have no comment to make because

litical enmitties, the aim of which is to defeat his re-election to the United States senate. International defeat his re-election to the United No. 3 to serve in said courts. When the petition was presented and rule to show cause with stay of proceedings "the avocut

The executive committee of the Philspeedy trial was in prospect on the following Monday, before one of the learned judges then holding the crimi-learned judges then holding the crimiadelphia branch of the Business Men's supreme court, it is not known wheth- nal court, against neither of whom was ing on the campaign for the election er Mr. Graham will handle the case there then or since a breath of com-when it is resumed in the quarter sesthat fair and impartial juries could then and can now be empanelled for the trial of the several indictments. members of the legislature who absented themselves from the caucus nominating Senator Quay, and offer a re-Without further reference to other fea-tures of the case our conclusion is that ward of \$10,000 for the detection and there appears to be no sufficient reason punishment of any bribery by promise to justify the issuance of a certiorari, The rule to show cause is, therefore, eration. A committee of the league discharged and the petition is dis-missed at the costs of the petitioners." announced that it would leave for Har-

riaburg tomorrow. Secretary of the Commonwealth Martin and E. A. Van Valkenburg, the United States Senator Penrose today expressed himself as follows on the leader of the anti-Quay Republicans, left for the state capitol this afternoon senatorial situation as well as the Quay will be followed in the morning by and "In October last, soon after the suite

Mr. Wanamaker and other oponents of Senator Quay. Senator Penrose, State Senator Durham and other Quay lieutenants will also leave for Harrisburg in the morning. Ex-Governor Pattison and possibly William F. Harrity will be among the early departures to work in the interest of Mr. Jenks for the Democratic caucus nomination.

original opinion in this matter. The suits would never have been instituted had it not been that the enemies of CONFERENCE AT MANILA. Senator Quay, realizing the hopeless-ness of all other methods of attack, re-

American and Filipino Commissions sorted to the desperate expedient of criminal prosecution. Meet and Talk of the Situation.

'At that time the machinery of th criminal courts was entirely in the hands of the political enemies of Sena-London, Jan. 11 .- The Manila corresondent of the Morning Post says; "There was an important conference tor Quay. He did not wish to be tried by his enemies, and by the advice of last evening between duly authorized counsel instituted proceedings in American and Filipino commissions, at the higher courts, for the purpose of the instance of Aguinaldo. The latter obtaining a change of venue, so that appointed General Flores, Colonel he might have his cases heard before Aquilles and Senor Torres. Aquilles and Senor Torres.

an impartial tribunal. Two justices of the Supreme court, upon hearing the petition, granted a rule to show cause "Major General Otis appointed General Hughes, Colonel Smith, of the California regiment, and Judge Advocate y the prayer of the petitioners uid not be granted. The rule was General Otis said the pur-Crowder. made returnable on the seventh day of January, and was argued in full at that time. Two questions were raised in the argument before the Supreme court; one, as to the sufficiency of the indictionants, and the sufficiency of the indictionants, and the sufficiency of the states and of the Philippines. There was a frank discussion." indictments, and the other as to the change of venue. The case was argued was a frank discussion."

Sage Judgment Reversed.

with great ability, and it was the con census of opinion of all those who heard the argument and those who Albany, N. Y., Jan. 10 .- The court of appeals today reversed the judgment of \$13,000 secured by William R. Laidiaw. afterwards read it in the newspapers, that the presentation of the law by Messes, Watson, Shapley and Shields ... against Russell Sage and ordered now trial. Laidlaw was in Sage's office a the time of Norcross' attempt on Mr was of such a convincing character as Sage's life and he secured the judgment o carry with it the weight of convicon the ground that Sage used him as a

tonight that he ought to have gone up met with a silence that is alike omin- liam F. Harrity, ex-Congressman Wil- any encounter whatever. He feels cerequinst smaller game than Sharkey. oue and convincing."

When McCoy sent Sharkey twice to Mr. Gallinger-"Convincing to the resentative Dixon, of Elk; Representathe floor in the third round tonight, no senator from California, but not to me doubted the Kid's ability to hit me."

hard and many thought he had Shar- Mr. Andrew Carnegic was an interduring the past two days has steadily key at his mercy. This idea was soon ested listener to Senator Mason's local Democrats. dispelled when the Irishman began to speech. He expressed the opinion that interests are concerned. His friends get to his man. the ratification of the peace treaty When the doors of the Lenox Ath. might be defeated and said that it cerletic club were thrown open tonight tainly could be if Mr. Bryan would the entrances were well guarded by come out in opposition to it. "If he colleemen. From here the streets in will only advise his followers to fight the immediate neighborhood of the club, in the pass and not in the open," were patrolled by a force of blue said. "the treaty is certain of defeat, coats and people who booked their All that I hear indicates the increase seats in advance had no difficulty in of the opposition ranks and I am quite raining admittance to the club house encouraged to believe the ratification of

the treaty can be defeated. According and building. By 7.30 o'clock there were 5,000 peo- to my opinion this is the opportune ple in the house and turnstiles were time for those who oppose expansion clicking merrily, so that at 8 o'clock to do their work. Only a one-third the attendance was nearly as many vote is required to defeat the treaty, thousands at the hour indicated. whereas with the treaty ratified we will

ring. Sharkey and McCoy entered the

was almost white.

The boxes and seats in the vicinity have to secure a majority to make our of the ring were allel up by 8 o'clock views effective. Hence I say that this and to look at the gathering of sports is the time for Mr. Bryan and other one would think that all who are in- anti-expansionists to make their fight terested in the winter racing in New Hereafter we will not enjoy the ad-Orleans had by some magical force vantage over our opponents that we been shipped suddenly to Gotham. now do, having then to meet them in After the preliminary bouts had been the open field."

decided the betting was 100 to 90 in The house devoted its undivided at favor of McCoy. A few minutes later tention again today to the bill for the the betting changed to even money. codification of the criminal laws of It was decided that Tim Hurst should Alaska and when adjournment was

lecide, as the official referee, what con- had, all but ten pages of the bill had stituted a clinch, and thus obviate any been disposed of. difficulty after the men entered the

FITZSIMMONS TALKS.

ring simultaneously at 10.25 o'clock. Both wore nath robes. Sharkey's was He Says That Sharkey Is a Fakir, of a dark brown color and McCoy's Cleveland, O., Jan. 10 .-- Robert Fitzslumons in an interview here today, In the tenth round Sharkey went for said: the upper works with McCoy sprinting

"If McCoy wins the fight tonight I to the right, Sharkey having a decided will take him on any time. My money advantage. The sailor let fly both left is already posted. I will fight him for and right, landing on the body and either the middleweight or heavyforcing McCoy to the east of the ring, weight championship. I will scale close to the center upright. McCoy down to 158 pounds to accommodate faltered and Tom caught him with a him if he wants to fight in the middleeft swing on the neck. McCoy fell to weight class.

the floor of the ring, with his head "Sharkey is a fakir. If he wins I hanging over the lowest of the three may tell him to go and fight Maher. opes, looking imploringly around. The "Yes, I'll fight Corbett again," said Kid lay there helplessly while the ref-Fitzsimmons in reply to a question, "provided he whips Maher." cree counted ten seconds, after which

he struggled to his feet and Sharkey, not knowing that the limit had expired, rushed at him once more, this Sale of a Railroad.

time swinging right on the neck just Washington, Jan, 10, - No material below the jaw, McCoy falling again, mage has been reported in the condition Then McCoy seemed to be in a help-less condition, but the referee, Tim Representative Dingley today. en a triffe more comfortable and there ins been a very slight abatement of the acryousness which was so severe yester-Hurst, did not trouble himself in counting seconds, but waved his right hand day. About the best that can be said to Sharkey to retire to his corner, saythat he is not appreciably worse. At 19 o'clock tonight one of his sons made ing at the same time: "I counted Mc-Coy out on the other fall. You've won." McCoy struggled to his feet and the following statement: "Mr. Dingley is holding his own and resting quietly.

staggered to his corner, where his sec-Pulse good. Doctors expressed them selves more hopeful." onds were already awaiting him, and they placed him on the stool while

Sharkey's adherents almost smothered him with embraces and congratulations.

Steamship Arrivals.

New York, Jan. 10.-Arrived: St. Paul, Southampton, Cleared: Noordland, Antwerp; Majestic, Liverpol; New York, Southampton; Nomadic, Liverpool, Bre-mer Haven-Arrived; Kaiser Wilhelm

sae, New York. der Gr

Pennsylvania Pensions.

Washington, Jan. 10.-This Pennsylva nit penson has been issued: Increase-

liam H. Snowden, of Allentown; Rep- | tain that if the natives can be made tives Creasy and Chrisman, of Colum-County Chairman Moyer, of helpful spirit, there will be no further bia: Schuylkill, and a number of prominent trouble, and so he has given instruc-

EASTERN LEAGUE.

the administration express the opinion Twice Adjourned Annual Meeting Resumed at Fifth Avenue Hotel. that the delay in the ratification of the

treaty of peace has contributed not a New York, Jan. 10 .- The twice adlittle to the belligerent spirit shown by he ourned annual meeting of the East- the natives, and as soon as that has ern base ball league was resumed at been disposed of it is believed that the the Fifth Avenue hotel today with recalcitrant element will accept it as President P. T. Powers in the chair, a notice that the sovereignty of the A number of disputes will be acted Islands has passed in fact to the United upon during the session and a com-States and that no opposition to its mittee consisting of Messra Powers, taking formal possession will be toler-Shear, Kuntzsch and O'Neill will reated. At the cabinet meeting today port on the financial standing of the the situation in the Philippines was clubs which have applied for memgone over and some time was given to bership, and also recommend a circuit questions of administration in Cuba, for the coming season. This commit-

which was apopinted on December 15, met at Albany last week and prepared the reports which will be subnitted.

The committee adjourned until 10 'clock tomorrow morning. Before the neeting closed an application was rereived by telegraph from Thomas I. tain Jamison, which sailed from South-Reilly, of the New Haven club. C. F. ampton on Jan. 1. arrived at quaranting Blumecke personally filed an applica- at 6.30 o'clock this evening, after an tion for the Newark club.

eventful and unusually stormy passage. Among the cities asking for repre-The St. Paul left Southampton on entation in the league are Worcester, Jan. 1, shortly after noon. On the Hartford, Utica and Albany, as well third day out Chief Engineer Hunter as Newark, while there is a desire apdiscovered a flaw or crack in the main parently in the league to get rid of the Canadian clubs, Montreal, Toronto and steam pipe, supplying the starboard engine. Captain Jamison was quickly Ottawa, the last named of which held notified of the condition of the steam the franchise of the Rochester club,

NATIONAL CEMETERY.

The steamer proceeded on her voyage, Will Receive Soldiers of the Was making from 12½ to 14 knots per hour as the state of the weather permitted, with Spain.

Harrisburg, Jan. 10 .- Governor Hastings has received an opinion from experienced most tempestuous weathen Judge Advocate General mener, of the

United States army, in which he de cides that soldiers of the war with Spain may be buried in the National Among the Victims of the Lehigh

cemetery at Gettysburg. The question was raised by W. Yates Selleck, of Philadelphia, and was referred to the governor, who in turn asked the war department for an opinion. Secretary Alger turned the matter over to the judge advocate general, who renderd a decision, a copy of which was received today by the executive from the war department. Several sol-

diers from southern and western states who died at Camp Meade last fall were buried in the Gettysburg cemetery,

HAWAIIAN BILL.

Perfect by the House Sub-Committee.

Washington, Jan. 10 .- The Hawailan bill was finally perfected today by the an agreement reached to favorably choice was made by acclamation. present it to the full committee tomor row, the expectation being that it will be reported to the house tomorrow or within a few days. As agreed on, the

bill preserves in all essential particulars the bill presented by the Huwalan

Abataly, N. C. Jan. R. File Court of appeals has denied a new trial to Mrs. Martha Place, of Brooklyn, who is un-der sentence of death for the murder of her stepdaughter, Ida Place. She will be , be first woman electrocuted in this state.

received here conight that George Josephs, aged 17 years, and May Schminkey, aged 18 years, were victims of yesterday's railroad wreck at West Dunellen, N. J., and had been identified by local relatives. Josephs died in a hospital at West Plainfield and the girl was killed outright. The young couple were eloping to New York to be married, their parents

having objected to the alliance, owing to the extreme youth of the couple Both were of respectable and prominent families.

Senator Lodge Re-Elected.

Boston, Jan. 10.-Hon, Henry Cabat adge was ananimously re-elected United bill was finally perfected today by the States senator by the Massachusetis leg-house sub-committee on territories and Islature in joint convention today. The

WEATHER FORECAST.

Washington, Dec. 10,-Porecast for Wednesdiy: For eastern Penns sylvania, increasing cloudiness, probably snuw Wednesday afternoon; fresh north to northwest winds

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established with a governor appointed

Representative Dingley's Condition. New York, Jan. 16.-The Mail and Ex-press says: James K. O. Snerwood, re-ceiver of the Philadelphia, Reading and New England railroad, said today, that

the property had been sold to the reor-ganization committee through Louis V.

to some other system.

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 10 .- The court of

A territorial form of government is

by the president, a delegate elected to

Bell, of this city. He said it was thought Mr. Bell intended to dispose of the road

Mrs. Place Will Be Electrocuted.