

TWO CENTS.

SCRANTON, PA., WEDNESDAY MORNING, JUNE 7, 1899.

Pennsylvania Ra d company.

DEWEY SAILS FOR HOME.

Stop Singapore.

States cruiser Olympia, with Admiral

Dewey on board, left here at 4 o'clock

this afternoon. There was no demon-

It was blowing and raining hard at

Consul Wildman, with a few friends

of the admiral who went on board to

bid him farewell, remained on the

Olympia until the last minute. At 4

o'clock sharp the ensign was run up

the time of the warship's departure.

Hong Kong, June 6 .- The United

tions with the

dent, is

by the board.

up on her poop.

'Hail, Columbia."

the United States.

WIREBACK WILL HANG

Asks for Another Respite.

his counsel for a rehearing.

pliments were returned.

Powerful

TWO CENTS.

ON THE RUN

REBELS ESCAPE

THE COUNTY CONVENTIONS

Gatherings at Various Points About the State.

DELEGATES ARE SELECTED

Republicans in Most Instances Endorse the Administration and Public Services of the State Executive Officials-The Democrats Are Non-Committal on Subjects of General Interest.

Pittsburg, June 6 .- The Republican county conventions were held today without friction of any kind. There were practically no contests, and the following ticket was nominated: Judge, A. H. Collier; sheriff, William C. Me-Kinley; clerk of courts, George W. Miller; treasurer, Thomas G, McClure; comptroller, William E. Thompson; register, A. W. Edwards; recorder, G. M. Von Bonnhorst; commissioners, W. W. Murray and J. C. Mercer; director of poor, W. H. Guy. The delegates to the state convention stand seventeen Flinn and five Quay men. They are: First district, John R. Murphy and Richard M. Kopp; Second district, Robert McAfee and Joseph Mall; Third district, Charles Flinn and Arch Mackrel; Fourth district, Jacob Rinn; Fifth district, G. L. Magee, William Flinn, J. O. Brown, E. M. Bigelow, David Weaver, Thomas Fording and William Ruhlandt; Sixth district, John W. Crawford, of Ducquesne; John A. Bell, of Car-negle, and J. B. Hamilton, of Elizabeth; Seventh district, W. H. McCullough and Samuel Applegate; Eighth district, William Germast, of McKeesport; G. M. Grant, of Braddock, and Alexander McGuire, of Patton townshin. West Chester, June 6 .- The Republi-

can county convention met today and endorsed the administration of President McKinley and recommended his Montrose. re-election. The public services of Senators Quay and Penrose, Governor Stone, Congressman Butler and State Senator Suyder were commended. The gun was discharged and the contents convention was orderly. 1. Robert Comfort, Samuel Ivison, J. Hunter Wills and Paul Reeves, all Quay men. 45 years old. are chosen delegates to the state convention.

The following county ticket was

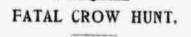
HENDERSON WILL ent record of the Tenth Pennsylvania regiment in the Philippines, and urge ation in the state convention use their utmost endeavors to secure the nomination of Hon. Alexander D. McConnell for justice of the Supreme court. Jefferson, Jackson and Bryan.

Franklin, Pa., June 6 .- The county onvention of the Democratic party, which took place today, was the largest and most enthusiastic meeting ever held by that party in Venango county, The following ticket was nominated: Treasurer, Emil Koos, of Oil City; county commissioner, J. W. Plimpton, of Oll City, and George Keyes, of Complanter township; prothenotary, George B. Lord, of Franklin; register and recorder, M. A. Myers, of Nickleville: auditors, James K. Elliott and Charles Martin, of Franklin. The principles of the Democratic party as laid down by Jefferson, Jackson and Bryan and set forth in the Chlcago platform were reaffirmed in the resolutions adopted. James S. Carmichel, Franklin, was re-elected county chairman. The following, delegates to the state convention, were chosen: George Maloney, William Hasson, Peter Wilbert, Charles G. Grimm and J. P. By-

Enthusiasm at Meadville.

Meadville, Fa., June 6 .- The Demoratic county convention today was largely attended and very enthusiastic from beginning to end. The following nominations were made: Sheriff, G. W. Beese, Titusville: county treasurer, John K. Marshall, West Fallowfield; county commissioners, M. M. Beatty, West Mead; William Johnson, Fairfield, District attorney, Thomas J, Prather, Mendville, County auditors, David McNutt, Pine township; Burton Wickoff, Richmond. The following were elected delegates to the state convention:

Hon. J. H. Humes, Hon. E. W. Mc-Arthur, Hon. A. Gaston, E. P. Brown, Meadville; Hon. H. M. Cutshall, Randolph; L. F. McLaughlin, Springbore; John Sherred, Cambridge Springs.



William Robbins, of Montrose, Is Killed by the Accidental Discharge of a Gun.

Special to the Scranton Tribune.

45 years old.

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of the women will dle.

Montrose, Pa., June 6 .- A fatal accident this morning caused the death of William Robbins, a farmer, living near Williams pond, three miles east of

He went to shoot crows, and, in passing through a fence, his

ATTEMPTS AT MURDER.

BE THE SPEAKER TO RECEIVE THE SUPPORT OF NEW YORK DELEGATION.

Congressman Sherman Withdraws from the Race, After Receiving a Complimentary Vote - Ray and Wadsworth Bolt Sherman-Sherman's Telegram to His Former Rival. stration. The weather was wretched.

New York, June 6 .- At a caucus of the Republican members of the New York delegation in congress today James S. Sherman, of Utica, withdrew from the contest after receiving a complimentary vote, and later, on the instruction of the delegation he sent a telegram to Congressman Henderson notifying him that he was the unanimous choice of the New York delegation for speaker of the next house. The delegation, which has heretofore favored Mr. Sherman, met at noon in

Parlor dr. of the Fifth Avenue hotel. There were present Chairman of the

Republican Committee Odell and Conssmen Ray, Alexander, Ketcham, Littauer, Tompkins, Sherman, Wadsworth, Emerson, Stewart and Hooker. The absentees were Congressmen Payne, who is on his way to Alaska: O'Grady, who is in Europe; Cochrane Chickering, Griscoll and Goelet. At the opening of the meeting it was

moved that the delegation support Mr. Sherman and there was trouble at once Congressmen Ray and Wadsworth jumped to their feet and objected. The sentiment of the country and of the state, they said, was for Mr. Hender-

son. Congressman Littauer insisted on having the motion put and Messra, Ray and Wadsworth left the meeting. On coming out of the room Mr. Ray made public a letter from Congressman Payne, in which he declared his preference for Mr. Henderson and intimated that others of the absent members

feel the same way. Mr. Sherman said prior to the meeting that he would abide by the decision of the caucus, and after the withdrawal of Congressman Littauer It looked as if other members would have to retire to prevent a split. An agreement was reached promptly, however,

through the action of Mr. Sherman, who realizing that he could not have the united support of the delegation. cast his vote and transferred his fol-lowing to Mr. Henderson. Immediatey after the meeting he telegraphed the successful candidate extending the unanimous support of the delegation.

THE PRESIDENT'S SYMPATHY. Expressed in a Telegram to Miss

Anne Thomson. Philadelphia, June 6 .- The sudden

Supreme court having refused to issue death last night of Frank Thomson, a mandamus to compel the lower court ent of the Pennsylvania railroad o appoint such a commission, the ad at his country home, "Corkershill," in Merion, a suburb of this city, caused profound regret and surprise in railroad and financial circles and among fused. the many friends of the late head of the Pennsylvania system. Telegrams of condolence have been pouring in all day from all sections of the country from men prominent in every walk of life. Among those who telegraphed were President McKinley and members of his cabinet, the heads of all of the railroads of the country, presidents of went to the cell. Wireback said: insurance and financial institutions, and personal friends of Mr. Thomson and his family. The president's mes-

bagement of the **GENERAL GOMEZ'S** THE NEWS THIS MORNING Charles E. Pug., second vice presalso mentioned, as well as FAREWELL ADDRESS Third Vice President S. M. Provost, The latter name is mentioned the most PARTING WORDS OF ADVICE frequently, and in case of Captain Green declining the honor, it is be-TO CUBANS AND THE ARMY. lieved by some that he would be chosen The Old Warrior Returning to San Domingo-His Advice to the Peo-Admiral Leaves Hong Kong-First ple for Whom He Fought and

Sacrificed Thirty Years of His Life-Says the Army Should Have Been Disbanded Instantly After the Spanish Evacuation.

follows:

Havana, June 6 .- General Maximo Gomez, the former commander-in-chief of the Cuban army, issued his farewell manifesto today. In substance it is as

The commission I have been intrusted to the peak and a large admiral's flag with is nearly concluded. I have at tempted to find a solution of guestion was holsted at the main. The Olympia moved off with a marine guard drawn concerning the army, which I command-ed during the bloodlest war known in America. I am now leaving, regretfully, to attend to necessary private business. A parting word to the people for whom I have sacrificed thirty years of my iffe While passing the British cruiser the band of the Olympia played the British national anthem and gave a bugle salute. There was no and to my friends the army just dis-banded, which actions should have been taken instantly after the removal of the bloody weight of Spain's merciless firing. The Powerful replied with a similar salute, and her band played As the Olympia passed the Italian admiral's ship the Olympia's band

We armed ourselves, but now we longer want soldiers, but new for the maintenance of peace and order, which are the basis of Cuba's future welfare, played the Italian national anthem and gave an admiral's salute, which com-It is necessary to understand that the nation, in this epoch most difficult and Then the Olympia's band played 'Auld Lang Syne," and the band of unequalled in history, should avail itzelf of the opportunity to show it possesses virtues, and in spite of the views caused the Powerful played "Home, Sweet Home," Admiral Dewey is apparently anxious to avoid all demonstrations. by colonial government and the harsh ices of warlike life. We wanted and we depended on for-Washington, June 6 .- Admiral Dewey's flagship Olympia sailed today from

eign intervention to terminate the war. That intervention occurred at the most terrible moment of our contest and re-Hong Kong for Singapore en route to suited in Spain's defeat. But none of us thought that extraordinary event would be followed by a military occu-pation of the country by our allies, who treat us as a people incapable of acting for ourselves and who have reduced us to dusting and the submission and the All Applications for a Rehearing to obedience, to submission and to a tutelage imposed by force of circum-stances. That cannot be our ultimate Have Been Refused-The Prisoner

fate after years of struggle, and we should aid by every pacific method in Harrisburg, June 6,-The board of pardons today disposed of the last chance for the life of Ralph W. Wirefinishing the work of organizing, which the Americans accepted in the protocol, and which is as disagreeable for them back, of Lancaster, who will be hanged as for ourselves. That aid will prove useless without concord among all the hunders. Therefore it is necessary to forget the past disagreements, to com-pletely unite all elements and to organ-ize a political party, which is needed in any country. tomorrow for the murder of David B. Landis, by refusing the application of At the May meeting of the board application was made for a rehearing on any country the application for a commutation of

According to Merit. sentence to life imprisonment, which was refused at the April term. This It is always said that countries have impossibility for the two individuals was held under advisement to allow e government which they merit, and ounsel to make application to the Lan-Cuba will have that which her heroism entitles hereto. Today she can only have one party in Cuba, with one object, that of obtaining the aspiration of years. We caster court for the appointment of a commission of lunacy to inquire into Wireback's mental condition. This havmust devote ourselves to pacific labors, gain the respect of the world and show, ing been refused by the court, and the though our war was honorable, our name must be more so. We must make use-less by our behavior the presence of a

INSURGENTS Weather Indications Today: THUNDER STORMS. General-Americans After the Fleeing Filipino Rebels, Farewell Address of General Gomez. New York for Congressmen Hender-non for Speaker. The Morong Peninsula in County Conventions Throughout the Possession of Ameri-Base Ball Games of a Day. Financial and Commercial, Local-Attorney Burns Says Vaughan Bill Applies to Present Election Contest. State Encampment of the Grand Army Editorial. MANY News and Comment. Local - Bricklayers Will Join the Strikers Today. Philadelphia's Water Supply. Local--West Scranton and Suburban.

Tribune.

News Round About Scranton. Local-Common Pleas Court.

TALK OF THE FIGHT. Chief of Police Devery Will See That It Is Not an Old Time Slugging

Match-The Boxers at Work.

New York, June 6 .- Bob Fitzsimmons was compelled to let up a little in his training work today owing to the extreme heat. He, however, fought nine hard and fast rounds with Dan Hickey, Jack Everhardt and "Yank" Kenny, Fitz appeared to be on edge. When he turned in for a shower bath and a rub down "Bob" showed no signs of fatigue while the other three pugilists were winded considerably. Fitz is now about the middleweight limit and chuck full of confidence in his ability to win from Jeffries, who will have an advantage in weight of nearly fifty pounds when they meet next Friday night at Coney Island.

After eating a hearty dinner this evening Bob took his usual run of 12 miles and as soon as he had another rub down retired.

Chief of Police Devery tonight gave out a statement relative to the action he will take, in case the Fitzsimmons-Jeffries fight, next Friday, resolves itself into a "brutal slugging match." He said:

"From various sources it would appear that the pugilists intend to have under the guise of a Horton law sparring contest, a genuine, old time slugging match or prize fight. "Considering the parties to the con-

test, and other attending circumstances and conditions, it is almost a physical

referred to to carry on a lawful contest for two points on the coming occasion. The very nature of things tends to an out and out prize fight. "I shall be present at the contest,

and, as chief of police, I will personally see to it that the letter and spirit of such ontests are obeyed, and that there will be no slugapparently those of soldiers who had ging or heavy hitting; nothing but a escaped by changing their costumes clean cut, lawful sparring exhibition "insurrecto" to "amigo," and from walking boldly past the army, which for points. It will be well for the publie to understand that the first heavy had expected to corral them. Few were blow struck will mark the end of the found about Morong. One member of the Washington regicontest." ment was killed and two were wounded The remaining days which Jim Jeffries will have before going to New in the encounter with the outposts. General Lawton, on board a gunboat York for the fight of Friday night, will be given up to very light work. searching the coast for Major Truman, Ho has gotten himself into fine form, and stopped at Binangonan, opposite Morong. The natives immediately ran up he will do but little road work, and a flag of truce, but a delegation in that of a very light nature. Jeffries seems to have himself well in hand and canoes put off and greeted the Ameri-

The Difficulties of the Campaign Overcome-Few Prisoners Taken. Ruses of Natives to Pass Themselves Off as Friendlies-Prostretions from the Heat Among Our Troops-Harassed Nightly at San Fernando. Manila, June 6.-8.30 a. m.-The American forces have occupied the minsula of Morong, projecting into Laguna de Bay, and General Hall's

can Troops.

olumn is encamped at Morong. Major Truman, marching across from Binangonan, found it impracticable to form a cordon; and the insurgents, with the exception of a hundred or / wo, escaped through the mountains after General Pia del Pilar, dragging their battery by buffaloes, at night. A few, however, may be trapped. The Washington troops have returned to Pasig, but the programme of the other troops is unertain. The present expedition shows the difficulty which is encountered by an army which must depend upon wagon trains in catching barefooted andits in their own mountains, and also gives proof that the rebels do not

intend to fight battles. General Hall left Santa Teresa yesterday morning and marched twelve miles to Morong, up and down rocky hills and through woods and swamps. Scores of his men fell out owing to the extreme heat, and were left to follow as best they could. The bead of the army arrived at Morong at noon, having exchanged only a few shots with insurgent skirmishers on the way. Groups of stragglers followed all day, but the force was 200 smaller than when it started. The men were almost hirty-six hours without rations, and it was considerable of an achievement for them to cover the ground they did.

Methods of Escape. En route to Morong the Americans met flocks of Filipinos, under flags of truce, many of them young men with the bearing of soldiers. Many discardwere found in the house

1.19 p. m .- The rebels on Saturday

OTIS' CASUALTY REPORT.

Washington, June 6 .- The war de-

artment has received the following

idditional casualty list from General

Killed-Twelfth infantry, June 2, G.

Becond

Private David Goldschmidt; Fourth.

Private Converse P. Warner; Second Oregon, H. Private William McElwain;

Ourth cavalry, C. Sergeant Soth Lovell; Sergeant Benjamin Cruhz, Wounded-Scend Oregon, April 25, Ma-or Surgeon M. H. Eliks, leg, slight; Jung B. Privates Henry M. Wagner, Iliag editor Surgeon B. Association (Science) (Scie

region, severe; H. Austin J. Salisbury, exhlary region, severe; Fourth, C. Pri-vates Elmer L. Doolittle, arm; moderate;

William E. Smith, arm, severe; Fourth

cavalry, 5d. G. Private Earl B. Miles, head, severe; ith. C. Privates Patrick diranigan, flex, severe; G. Nelson E.

Daily, chest, sovere: I. Maurice Coffield, chest, moderate: First Colorado, 3d, A. Private Charles Hickman, foot, moder-

ite; First Montana, C. Private Theodore Schuelte, back, slight; Fourth Infantry,

tth, Private James McCarthy, thigh,

Miners' Strike.

DuBois, Pa., June 6 .- The miners' strike

dituation assumed a serious aspect today

when General Manager Robinson posted

his answer to the demand made by the men for a 5-cent raise. The answer of

would not under any circumstances pay more than the rates already posted. The

miners are feeling very sore and tha strike will doubtless be general in the

Manager Robinson that the company

Otis:

slight.

morning.

trict attorney, Jos. H. Baldwin; sheriff, Wm. H. Towner; prothonotary, C. F. Groff; clerk of court, George 1, North; register of wills, Granville Prizer; treasurer, H. Smith Worth; coroner R. E. Trautman; commissioners, David F. Chambers, J. Elwood Quay; directo, of the poor, J. Preston Thomas: auiltors, Thos. Alexander, Harvey W. Krauser.

Refuse to Endorse Quay.

Chambersburg, June 6 .- The Franklin county Republican convention today declined to accept the proposition of some of the delegates to endorse the course of Senator Quay,Governor Stone and Representatives Briton and Kreps. Brief resolutions were adopted reaffirming allegiance to the Republican party and pledging support to the county ticket. The delegates chosen to the state convention are: Dr. R. W. Ramsey, Joseph P. Rahauser and Chas. H. Euhrman. The former two are close friends of County Chairman Stewart, the anti-machine leader in Franklin county.

This ticket was nominated: County treasurer, T. S. Nevin: prothonotary, Milton K. Burgner: register and recorder, A. D. Sarger: clerk of the courts, W. L. Minick; county commis- in the cheek, Mrs. Ruhi is not expected sloners, T. C. Sarger, Geo. L. Grave; to survive. county auditors, A. F. McCullough and F. Haulman; director of poor, G. F. Summers

Indiana, June 6.- The Indiana county Democratic convention met here today and nominated the following county ticket: For sheriff, M. V. Patterson, of Saltsburg; for treasurer, J. M. Harvey, of Blairsville; for prothonotary, James Tinkcom, of Armagh: for county commissioner, Peter French, North Mahoning; for auditor, Harry W. Fee, of Indiana. John H. Hill, esq., was re-elected county chairman and J Wood Clark, C. F. Murray and M. E. Brown were elected delegates to the state convention. Resolutions were Schuylkill county authorities claimed adopted reaffirming the Altoona platform; applauding the course of J. M. Guffey, and congratulating the Democratic members of the legislature on their stand against the election of M. S. Quay.

York Nominations.

York, Pa., June 6 .- The Democrats of York county today in convention nominated a county ticket for the fall elec-These nominations were made: Charles M. Motter, of Jefferson, cierk to the commissioners; John Miller, of Spring Garden, and Frieser Altand, of Paradise, county commissioners: William H. Small, of York, and Daniel Nye, of Manchester township, auditors; James Anderson, of East Hopewell, poor director; William O. Thompson of York, treasurer; Harry F. Bowman, of Hanover, recorder; Allon M. Seitz, of Glen Rock, prothonotary; George F. Saubel, of Codours, clerk of the courts, and Dr. E. W. Brickley, of York, coro-

The Antis in Control.

ner.

Greensburg, Pa., June 6 .- For the first time in the history of the Quay and anti-Quay fight the antis had complete control of the Republican county convention here today. By agreement with Senator Brown, Charles E. Whittie, an insurgent, was made county chairman and not a Quay man ap peared on the platform. After the adoption of the resolutions the counting of the vote was begun and it is likely to extend far into the night. The resolutions adopted heartily endorse President Mokinley's administration

Two Men Shoot Four Women and Then Try to Kill Themselves.

Philadelphia, June 6 .- Two attempts at murder occurred here today in which two men shot four women and then atempted to take their own lives. Out of the six persons only one, a woman, is likely to die. At Olney, a suburb, William Keaton attempted to kill his wife, Ida, and her sister, Annie Shellenberger. Keaton and his wife had quarreled and she left him and went to her father's home. He called at his father-in-law's house and shot the two women. Mrs. Gilles, a seventy-yearold neighbor, who came to the door of

Washington, her home to see what the noise was Miss Anne Thomson, care E. T. Posthlheabout, was accidentally shot in the waite: Keaton escaped, but several hours later was arrested. In the mean-

your dear devoted fother. We share in your sorrow. William McKinley. time he had shot at himself twice, but the bullets did not take effect. None The second tragedy was the result of a lover's quarrel. Frank Wilmer, aged 21 years, asked Mrs. Mary Ruhl, aged 28, whom he was courting, to marry him, but she refused. Wilmer then shot her in the forehead and himself ing.

READING MEN UNDER BAIL. They Will Be Tried on Charge of

Train Wrecking. Pottsville, June 6 .- Oliver Ohl, Willis Seigerwalt and Wm. H. Heninger were brought here today from the Moyamen-

sing prison, Philadelphia, and entered of bail in \$7,000 each before Judge Marr for their appearance at Court on June 9, to answer the charges of involuntary unslaughter and train wrecking. Coroner Dugan, of Philadelphia, had

committed them to Moyamensing. The them because the alleged crimes were committed in this county. Ohl is the lad who placed a steel spike on a rail on the Little Schuylkil branch of the Philadelphia and Reading railroad at Long Acres, in the presence of others. about two weeks ago, and wrecked an express, causing the death of Engine Driver Grier, of New Berry, and Fireman J. H. Short, of Richmond, Phila-

SPATZ IGNORED.

delphia.

The Berks Democrats Fail to Ap-

prove of His Course. Reading, Pa., June 6 .- Berks' Demoratic county convention met here tolay. Resolutions adopted endorse Bryan for president and the course of Congressman Ermentrout, Senator Miller and all of the county's representatives in the legislature save Charles B. Spatz, who is under indictment for bribery at Harrisburg, and whose name is not mentioned at all. President Judge Ermentrout is endorsed for Supreme court nomination.

-----Sports Are Disappointed.

New Castle, Pa., June 6 .- The boxing were to have been held here tonight and Thursday night are off. Sheriff Matthews this evening notified the management that if there was a boxing contest tenight he would have end men present to arrest the principals, as-sistants, managers and everyone in the house. The sports to the number of one with highest pride the magnifi- hundred were here from Youngstown.

sage reads as follows: Executive Mansion,

You have the heartfelt sympathy of Mrs. McKinley and myzelf in the loss of

It is the wish of the children of Mr Chomson that the funeral of their father shall be private and without display. This afternoon, after they had consulted with A. J. Cassatt and E. T. Posthlewalte, the announcement was made that the services will be held at the house at 11 o'clock Thursday morn-Rev. Dr. S. D. MacConnell, of Brooklyn, a close friend of Mr. Thom-

on, has been asked to conduct the funeral services. A special train will save New York at 8.15 a. m. Thursday to bring to the funeral the railroad and financial associates of Mr Thomson and his personal friends livng in that locality. The honorary pall-

bearers will be the directors of the Pennsylvania Railroad company. The directors of the company will meet tomorrow and take action on Mr.

Thomson's death. At the same tim his successor will probably be temporarily chosen. There has naturally been much discussion regarding the succes sor of Mr. Thomson and those in the best position to know agree that the responsibility will fall to either James McCrea, first vice-president, of the lines west of Pittshurg, or S. M. Provost, at present third vice-president of the company. In the natural line of succession John P. Green, first vicepresident of the Pennsvivania system. would be promoted to the presidency, but it is understood that gentleman does not desire the position. The same may be said of A. J. Cassatt, who has

also been strongly mentioned. Mr. Green will perform the duties of president until a temporary choice is made The board of directors of the company, at the special meeting tomorrow, will adopt resolutions on the death of President Thomson. It is quite likely that at the same time some informal agreement will be made regarding the

date of a future meeting at which Mr. Thomson's successor will be chosen. This, it is reported, will be done within the next few days, but as yet there is nothing to indicate who will assume the place. .48ny men are spoken of, but the set policy of the company to promote its officials is so well

established that any one outside being called in is looked on as extremely doubtful. The logical order of succession would give the office to First Vice President John Green. It is not known whether Captain Green would accept, as it was stated he was not anxious to assume the responsibilities of the position. Another name prominently mentioned i

that of Vice President James McCrea, of the Peansylvania company. Mr. Mc Crea for years has been in close rela-

journed meeting of the pardon board was held this afternoon, at which the application for a rehearing was re-Lancaster, June 6.-Ralph W. Wire-

back, who is to be hanged tomorrow for the murder of D. B. Landis, and whose defense was insanity, was engaged in conversation with his spiritual advisers today when he heard that District Attorney Brown was in the jail. He asked to talk to Brown who

"I have a very short time in which to prepare for my execution and would like to obtain a short reprieve." Mr. Brown replied: "It is impossi-

ble. Do not be deluded into thinking that it would be stayed." "It is not impossible if they wanted

to do it," said Wireback. "The time has gone by and there is

nothing for you to do except to put your trust in the Lord," answered Mr. family. "Your spiritual advisers are Brown, land. here and if you have anything to say that you have not already said you can

tell them with perfect confidence." have a friend. The condemned man said that he thanked God that they had not made him out insane, and in reply to a ques-

tion of Mr. Brown whether he felt perfectly same now, Wireback said: "I do. There was a time when I did not think that I was in my right mind."

"When was that?" was asked, to which Wireback replied: "It was about two weeks before this

thing occurred and perhaps there were times later when I did not feel right in my mind." Mr. Brown-"You feel that you are

perfectly same now and have been for some time past?" Wireback-"I do, I will go to the scaffold like a man with abiding faith

in the Lord Jesus Christ." Mr. Brown then told Wireback that he would have to go but he was very glad to have had this talk with him. He would bid him good bye.

Wireback held Mr. Brown's hand mite a long time and again expressed hope that a reprieve would be grantd him as he had a great deal to explain and a very short time to explain

it in, but that if it was impossible to get a reprieve he would make his state. ment on the gallows if he was permit-He was assured this privilege ted. would be granted him.

Governor's Appointments.

Harrisburg, June 6 .- These appoint ments were announced today by Gover-nor Stone: Henry B. Dechert, of Philaelnhia; J. B. Kremer, Carlisle, and Sav-Bradley, of Philadelphia, trustees of Wernersville state insane hospital. Samuel H. Miller, of Mercer, Thomas I Sampson, of Oil City, and Samuel 1 Jackson, of Apollo, trustees of ti Polk institution for the feeble minded. 111

Reading Railroad Directors.

Philadelphia, June 6 .- The annual meet

of the stockholders of the Reading Railway company was held today and the following directors were clocted: Jo-seph S. Harris, A. J. Antelo, Charles H. Coster, George F. Baer, John Lowher Welsh, George C. Thomas, Henry A. Supont, Henry P. McKean and Samuel Dickson.

Second Wage Advance. Lancaster, June 6.-The Jansen Iron ompany of Columbia, has posted a no-ice of an advance in wages, this being the second increase this year.

Pennsylvania Pensions.

Washington, June &-Pension certifi-cattes: Original widows-Susan Correl, Fayetteville, #8.

trange power in the island, and must ssist the Americans to complete the onorable mission they have been compelled to assume by force of circum-This work was not sought those rich northern owners of a continent. I think doubts and suspicions are enjust. We must form immediately a committee or club to be nucleus of a avernment. That will serve Cuban in

erests purely and act as an aid to the inventors. I, as one of the first Cubans, although one of our last old soldiers and not far from the grave, without passions or ambitions, call on you with the sincerity a father and urge a cessation of the of 84. perfluous discussions and the creation f parties of all kinds, which disturb ne country and tend to cause anarchy.

In this country there should not be one man whom we consider a stranger. Today we no longer have autonomists or servatives but only Cubans.

My mission having ended, I will abtent myself temporarily, to embrace my but I will return shortly to Cuba which I love as much as I love my own My last words for my soldiers are that,

as always where my tent is the Cubans

WALCOTT DEFEATS HINES. Other Bouts Before the Patrons of

the Lenox.

New York, June 6 .- At the Lenox Athletic club tonight the principal bout was between two negro glants, "Bob" Armstrong, of Chicago, and "Ed." Martin, of Denver. Martin had decidedly the better of the early part of the first round, as he landed left and right swings, but Armstrong came fast in C. Henderson, who created a sensation the latter part of the round and with at the previous sitting of the commita hard left on the wind and right cross to the jaw, practically took all the fight out of Martin. The end came in the

second round, as Armstrong beat his man all over the ring, and finally knocked him out with a right on the wind. Martin sprawled all along one side of the ring, while the referee counted him out. Time of round, two minutes.

Hellefield Walcott, brother of Joe Walcott, defeated Sam Hines in the second round of a bout ar135 pounds.

CARRIE JONES' CASE.

Governor of New Jersey Will Grant Extradition Warrant.

Trenton, N. J., June 6 .- Application was made to Governor Voorhees late this afternoon for a warrant allowing the extradition of Bella Anderson, alias Carrie Jones, the nurse girl connected with the kidnapping of Baby Clark.

The governor said that he would per mit the woman's counsel to examine the requisition papers issued by Governor Roosevelt and that if the papers were found to be in correct legal form the extradition warrant would be insued without any delay.

Rorke the Lowest Bidder.

Harrisburg, June 6 .- The board oublic buildings and grounds met today at the executive department and opened sixty-seven bids on contracts for the supplies for the commonwealth. The awards will be made within ten days Allen B. Rorke, of Philadelphia, quoted the lowest figures on nearly everything in the way of furniture and furnishings.

Gypsy Rigo Dead.

London, June 7.-The Vienna corre-spondent of the Daily Telegraph says that Rigo, the gypsy musician who eloped with Princess De Chimay, while eturning with the princess to Austridied at Alexandria.

is confident of success. He said today: cans with the usual protestations of "I will defeat Fitzsimmons Friday friendship. night and establish my claim to be the heavyweight championship. My night made an attack upon the friendly town of Macabebe and, after driving object will be to land Fitz at the first the inhabitants out, burned the town, opportunity whether it is the first blow in the first round or the last blow in the last round. I do not propose to tri-

The insurgents nightly annoy the troops at San Fernando, Several Amerfle with the chances and my first conleans have been slightly wounded recently. The enemy have several Krupp sideration is to win the fight at all guns, which they bring forward and hazards." use for firing large shells into the town. MAZET INVESTIGATION. then retreating with their guns. One

of the insurgent shells fell within No Witnesses to Be Represented by thirty yards of General MacArthur's headquarters Saturday evening. The Counsel Hereafter.

American troops do not reply to the New York, June 6 .- When the Maget nightly outbreaks. investigating committee resumed its

session today the first thing done was to declare that in the future none of the witnesses subpoenaed to appear be fore the committee should b repre sented by counsel. This was followed by the excluding from the court room of Police Captain Price's counsel, H. tee last week. He was given to un-

derstand that if he wished to attend the hearing it should be merely as a spectator. Later he was arrested.

The committee then, in an attempt to show corrupt practices by Police Captain Price in the Tenderloin district, brought out from John C. Ellis, former proprietor of a Sixth avenu resort, a story of "protection" that did not protect. His statement involved ex-Alderman A. B. Walte, Ellis said he gave Waite \$200 for police protection for the resort he was running in Sixth avenue. The payment, he said,

did not secure the "protection" promised, and the police harassed him as much as ever. A proposition made to him was to give up half the receipts

of the resort. The witness said he was forced out of business, Other testimony related to the payment of political assessments by candidates and to the sale of liquors on Sunday,

H. C. Henderson, Price's counsel, was arrested later on the charge of disorderly conduct. The charge was preerred by Counsel Clarke and Sergeantat-Arms Crawford, and was the result of the wrangle at the session last week. Mr. Henderson gave ball in \$300.

aranst, of New York, read a paper on "Law and Its Relation to Trade and Commerce." Routine business occupied

Lebanon, Mo., June 6 .- There was no

for Wednesday: For eastern Penn-sylvania, thunder storms in the af-ternoon of Wednesday and Thursday continued high temperature Wednesday; cooler at night; light south to southwest winds. *************

Association of Credit Men. Buffalo. June 6-The fourth annual con vention of the national association of credit men opened here today and will continue for three days. The question of etitioning congress to amend the bank-uptcy act will be the most important subject considered. William A. Pender-***************

the remainder of the day's session.

Richard P. Bland Ill.

WEATHER FORECAST. Washington, June 6 .- Forecast

material change in the condition of Rep-resentative Richard P. Bland today. He is still critically ill.

Three Men Smothered. Allentown, Pa., June 6 .- Three men in at E. D. Peters & Sons' slate quarry at Berlitzville. The dead are Robert Snyder leaves a widow and seven chil-dren; Jacob Shafer, widow and four chil-dren, and Ammon Beers, single.