

TRIBUNE'S EDUCATIONAL CONTEST

The List of Leaders to Be Published Wednesday.

MAKE RETURNS TOMORROW

Those Who Enter Today Will Have an Opportunity to Be Included in the List When First Published.

Only two days remain before the list of leaders in the Tribune's Educational Contest will be published.

SPECIAL REWARDS.

- 1. Scholarship in Wyoming Seminary (4 years) including tuition and board \$1,000
2. Scholarship in Wyoming Seminary (2 years) including tuition and board 500
3. \$500 model for exhibition at Centennial Exposition, 1904
4. Case in piano exhibition at Scranton Conservatory of Music
5. Columbia Bicycle, Chalmers, 1900 model for exhibition at Centennial Exposition, 1904
6. Scholarship in Scranton Business College, shorthand course
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8. Solid Gold Watch, lady's or gentleman's for exhibition at Eugene Schimpff's, 317 Lackawanna avenue.
9. Tele-Photo Cycle Pool, 2000 ft. 405 (on exhibition at the Griffin Art company, 209 Wyoming avenue.
10. Lady's Solid Gold Watch, or Gentleman's Solid Silver Watch on exhibition at Eugene Schimpff's, 317 Lackawanna avenue.

up to 5 o'clock tomorrow afternoon so that their names will appear as far up the list as possible, and those who are contemplating entering have set time to have their names included in the list, which will appear August 1. It is important that a beginning should be made at once, before the friends of the prospective contestants have been approached by others and their subscriptions secured.

RULES OF THE CONTEST

The special rewards will be given to the persons securing the largest number of points. Points will be credited to contestants according to the following:
One Month's Subscription, .50
Three Months' Subscription, 1.50
Six Months' Subscription, 2.50
One Year's Subscription, 5.00
The contestant with the highest number of points will be given a choice from the list of special rewards; the contestant with the second highest number of points will be given a choice from the remaining rewards, and so on through the list.

FOREST CITY.

Forest City, July 29.—Arthur Stoddard, of Carbonate, and Clarence Stoddard, of Starbuck, visited their aunt, Mrs. Henry Weed, on Delaware street, last week.
The ladies working in the laundry of W. S. Hoskins last week were unpleasantly surprised by some double E shot whizzing about their ears through an open window. It was most fortunate that some one was not seriously injured. Mr. Hoskins has offered \$25 for information that will be sufficient grounds for arrest, and it is hoped that the guilty persons will be brought to justice, as it probably would put a stop to promiscuous shooting within the borough, which is a common occurrence.

JONAS LONG'S SOUS' Great Half Yearly Sale of Housefurnishings, Crockery and Glassware Begins on This Monday Morning in the Basement. Full Particulars in Newspapers of Monday Evening. Enough Said. We Know You'll Be Here Today.

CINCINNATI, THE QUEEN OF THE WEST OBSERVATIONS OF INTEREST IN OHIO METROPOLIS. Some of the Characteristics Noted by a Delegate to the International Baptist Young People's Convention Recently in Session in That City. Written for The Tribune.

bits of soft clay into a compact whole, then beating and kneading most vigorously "to get the air out," he explained. "Yes," said a well-known Scranton doctor thoughtfully, "it's the way the Lord has to mould us—we are no good until the wind is taken out of us." "The air, doctor?" I suggested feebly.

Other features. The Music Hall, where we repeated early Thursday morning, was like all Cincinnati's great buildings, massive, complex and artistic. It filled an entire block, and had no less than six handsome domes and entrances. The handsome room, containing the largest pipe-organ in the Western hemisphere, seats 6,000, and was taxed to its utmost daily.

IN CINCINNATI. On reaching Cincinnati, we find her to be, in spite of the dreary level round about her, a regal city sitting on a "seven hills," but on nearly seven times seven. Beautiful suburbs crown almost perpendicular hills all around the amphitheater that serves for the business portion of the city, from whose heat and smoke her wealthy citizens gleefully retreat at night to their homes on the heights.

It was our good fortune to obtain a boarding place on Mt. Adams, one of the highest declivities ascending and descending daily by a 900-foot inclined plane, giving in the process the sensation of going up in a balloon as you saw the houses dropping below, and your hair stood on end in the welcome breeze (of course not at all in fear).

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THE MARKETS. Wall Street Review. New York, July 29.—There was almost nothing in the day's work market to interest anyone outside of the small circle of professional operators in stocks who conducted all the business. Prices advanced in the first hour and declined after the appearance of an unexpectedly strong bank statement. Small lot buyers are the rule as a consequence. The market was a peculiar drop of 2 points in Sugar, after an opening advance of 1/2 cent. A rumor was spread of a strike in one of the company's refineries. The rumor was denied with out materially strengthening the stock. Selling orders to stop losses on the long side were not covered at the decline and the fall on the stock was done by the market. The bears were content to take their profits and the stock quieted down. Brooklyn Transit was bid up on continued rumors of a good annual report and Burlington was bought on the same news. The market would show net earnings that would compare favorably with those of other roads. The selling after the bank statement was for a real thing and was based on the supposition that about a month later the country would be in a panic. But these did not seem any shorts and the market sagged off to the low point of the morning. The closing was a total sales of \$3,000,000. The dullness of the bond market is an evidence of the present caution of capital. The usual reinvestment of July dividends and interest, although the largest amount was disbursed this year, is being held back, and has been entirely lacking in the bond market. London and Berlin are reported having sales of high grade American railroad bonds. But such transactions have been recorded in the Stock Exchange. United States refunding 2s, when issued, old 2s and 3s advanced 1/2 in the last price.

THE WAR IN CHINA. Its Influence on the Tea Market. Great Scarcity More Than Probable. Prices Rapidly Advancing—Will China Lose Her Tea Trade? There has recently been a marked increase in the value of tea, some grades having advanced 25 per cent. within three weeks. Various causes have been assigned for the higher prices, one being that a combination had been formed by the large importers to take advantage of the war in China as an excuse to force prices up. This is a reason for the advance market may be discerned in a very few words. At this time of the year importers have little or none of last season's tea on hand, and as an advance on this market is immediately offset by a corresponding advance in the world, the price is checked to it and not gain by a premature rise in value here. After they have bought their stocks, however, high markets are to the advantage of the importer, and the present rise is probably but the precursor of a much greater one.

RAISING THE WRECKED ENGINE. Tomorrow May See It Again on the Tracks. The work of raising the locomotive, No. 828, from the bog into which it pitched in the Cresco wreck, has so far progressed that it is expected it will be gotten back on the track tomorrow.

NATIONAL LEAGUE. Saturday's Games. At Boston..... R. H. E. Pittsburgh..... 11 0 2 0 0 1-0 13 2 Boston..... 11 0 0 0 0 0-0 8 3 Batteries—Leever and Schriver; Nichols and Sullivan.

EASTERN LEAGUE. Sunday Games. Montreal, 10; Hartford, 6; Rochester, 10; Syracuse, 7; Springfield, 10; Providence, 7.

AMERICAN LEAGUE. Sunday Games. Kansas City, 5; Detroit, 6; Buffalo, 6; Chicago, 6; Milwaukee, 4; Cleveland, 6; Indianapolis, 9; Minneapolis, 8.

THE MARKETS. (Continued) American Sugar..... 10 1/2 10 1/2 10 1/2 10 1/2 American Tobacco..... 10 1/2 10 1/2 10 1/2 10 1/2 United States Steel..... 10 1/2 10 1/2 10 1/2 10 1/2

CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE. WHEAT. Open..... 75 75 75 75 High..... 75 75 75 75 Low..... 75 75 75 75 Close..... 75 75 75 75

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PRODUCE. Chicago, July 28.—Disappointing cables and large receipts were mainly responsible for a decline in the market. Corn closed 1/2 cent lower, and oats 1/4 cent lower.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET. Chicago, July 28.—Cattle—Receipts, 100; mostly steady; natives, good to prime steers, \$12.00; bulls, \$12.00; mixed steers, \$12.00; mixed cows, \$12.00; calves, \$12.00.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET. (Continued) Hogs—Receipts, 100; mostly steady; natives, good to prime, \$12.00; mixed, \$12.00; pigs, \$12.00.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET. (Continued) Sheep—Receipts, 100; mostly steady; natives, good to prime, \$12.00; mixed, \$12.00; lambs, \$12.00.

THE MARKETS. (Continued) Philadelphia Grain and Produce. Philadelphia, July 29.—Wheat—1/2 cent lower; corn—1/2 cent lower; oats—1/2 cent lower.

THE MARKETS. (Continued) Buffalo Grain and Produce. Buffalo, July 29.—Wheat—1/2 cent lower; corn—1/2 cent lower; oats—1/2 cent lower.

THE MARKETS. (Continued) New York Grain and Produce. New York, July 29.—Wheat—1/2 cent lower; corn—1/2 cent lower; oats—1/2 cent lower.

THE MARKETS. (Continued) East Liberty Cattle Market. East Liberty, July 28.—Cattle—Receipts, 100; mostly steady; natives, good to prime, \$12.00; mixed, \$12.00; calves, \$12.00.

THE MARKETS. (Continued) New York Live Stock Market. New York, July 29.—Cattle—Receipts, 100; mostly steady; natives, good to prime, \$12.00; mixed, \$12.00; calves, \$12.00.

THE MARKETS. (Continued) How's This? We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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Buffalo Live Stock Market. Buffalo, July 28.—Cattle—Receipts, 4 cars; mostly steady; natives, good to prime steers, \$12.00; bulls, \$12.00; mixed steers, \$12.00; mixed cows, \$12.00; calves, \$12.00.

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