# NORTHEASTERN PENNSYLVANIA

## SUSQUEHANNA COUNTY COURTS

### Cases Heard at Montrose This Week. The Valentine Affair.

Special to the Scranton Tribune.

Montrose, Aug. 17.—Court is still in session and the outlook is that the jurymen will not be discharged before tomorrow afternoon. At the completion of the jury cases the surety of the peace cases will be taken up and, as the list is a long one, it is expected that some of these cases will be left over to be heard by Judge Searle next week.

COMMONWEALTH CASES.

In the case of the commonwealth versus Thomas Patten and Arthur Patten, charged with assault and battery, in which Ira Tinklepaugh was the prosecutor, the jury returned a verdict of not guilty and placed the costs on the prosecutor.

The next case was one between the same parties, only in changed places, Tinklepaugh being made the defendant and Arthur Patten the prosecutor. The jury found Tinklepaugh guilty of assault and battery.

Commonwealth versus John Valentine, charged with felonious rape, Peter DeWitt, prosecutor. The defendant was alleged to have criminally assaulted a little 5-year-old daughter of the prosecutor. The evidence for the commonwealth was not at all convincing and it was flatly contradicted by several witnesses for the defense. The parties hail from Jackson and many representative citizens of that place testified as to the good character of the defendant. The case went to the jury yesterday and the jury promptly returned a verdict acquitting Valentine.

Commonwealth versus George Potter, charged with assault, with intent to ravish. Jury found defendant not guilty, but divided the costs equally between prosecutor and defendant.

BEFORE JUDGE DUNHAM.

The suit of A. J. Avery versus D. V. Gardner, a claim for wages, was a certified case tried before Judge Dunham, of the Wyoming-Sullivan district, yesterday. The plaintiff is a cigarmaker, now employed in Scranton, but formerly a workman in Gardner's cigar factory in this place. The jury went out last night and brought in a sealed verdict this morning finding for the plaintiff in the sum of $156.54.

Judge Dunham handed down two decisions as follows:

In the case of N. O. Major versus the First National bank of Susquehanna, motion for judgment for want of sufficient affidavit of defense. Rule discharged.

In case of Silas Hartley versus G. W. Weidman, rule on plaintiff to show cause why he should not pay costs. Rule made absolute and plaintiff is directed to pay costs in this case.

## MONTROSE.

Special to the Scranton Tribune.

Montrose, Aug. 17.—Ex-Sheriff Richard Foran, of Friendsville, is a visitor in town.

Mrs. Charles R. Fowler, daughter, Marion, and son, Henry, of New York, are visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. C. B. Watrous, on Maple street.

W. D. B. Ainey, esq., arrived in New York from Europe, and reached Montrose on Wednesday. Mr. Ainey will deliver an address to the old soldiers at their annual encampment, which takes place at Lanesboro next week.

Miss Susan Stedman, of Rochester, Minnesota, is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. D. H. Coon, in this place.

Arthur Smith, of Middletown, N. Y., is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Smith, in this place.

Hon. George A. Post, ex-congressman from this district, and now a prominent business man of New York, is stopping at the Tarbell house. Mr. Post is accompanied by his wife and son, George A. Post, jr., and they will spend several weeks in Montrose and other parts of the county.

Rev. Edwin G. Decker, of Arizona, will preach in the Presbyterian church on Sunday evening.

The new creamery is completed and was this week inspected and accepted by the building committee. It is an attractive looking building from the outside, while its interior shows it to be well arranged and thoroughly equipped with the best modern apparatus for the handling of milk and for the manufacture of butter and cheese. It is owned by the farmers themselves, and is under a go-ahead management, so its success is apparently assured.

"The Boatman's Daughter," a three-act drama, will be presented at Village hall, on Tuesday, September 4, by home talent, assisted by Mr. and Mrs. Harry F. Dixie, for the benefit of the Village hall building fund.

This has been a week of excitement for our colored brethren and sisters. Each evening a festival has been given at the Zion church, and yesterday the annual picnic of the colored people took place at Heart lake. There was no beer sold, but the succulent watermelon is said to have been lavishly indulged in.

The Ladies' Working guild of St. Paul's Episcopal church will hold a social at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Smith, on Maple street, on Wednesday evening, August 29.

Four prisoners were brought over from Susquehanna this week and lodged in Sheriff Maxey's stone house. They are all tramps. Two of them will await the action of the grand jury on the charge of assault with intent to kill, and discharging firearms at an officer; the other two will serve sixty days for vagrancy.

Some fine specimens of wall-eyed pike are being caught in Jones lake this season. The latest were caught by R. M. Bostwick and Dr. W. W. Smith; the former's weighed four pounds and measured twenty-four inches in length, and the latter weighed three and three-fourth pounds and measured twenty-three and three-fourth inches.

George Mack, of the Independent Republican force, leaves tomorrow for Candor, N. Y., where he will visit his friend, George James Pumpelly.

The following are summering at "Rosemont," Mr. C. R. Sayre's popular resort: Miss S. Perine, Miss P. Perine, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Edgar, and the Misses Halsey, of New York; Mrs. Treadwell, of Salem, Mass.; Mrs. Leake and daughters and Miss Kershaw, of Germantown; Mrs. FitzGerald and daughter, Mrs. Herbert Stotesbury and Miss Hester, of Philadelphia; Mr. and Mrs. Shaw, of Brooklyn; Miss Kelly, of Pittsburg; Mr. B. S. Comstock and family, of South Orange, N. J.; Mr. and Mrs. Hollister, Mr. and Mrs. Watson, Mrs. Warner and sons, of Rochester.

## SUSQUEHANNA COUNTY.

Special to the Scranton Tribune.

Susquehanna, Aug. 17.—In Lestershire on Wednesday afternoon the Susquehanna team was defeated by the professional Lestershire team, 8 to 5. It was the hardest game the Lestershires had played this season.

The Erie shop employes will run their excursion to Elmira on Saturday, and the town will almost be depopulated.

The Susquehanna county Prohibition convention will be held at Uniondale on Wednesday, Sept. 5, when a "full" ticket will be put in the field.

The Griggs family reunion was held and largely attended in Riverside Park, Lanesboro, on Thursday.

Miss Sarah Anderson left for Washington, D. C., on Thursday to attend a business college.

The Lewis family reunion will be held at New Milford on Saturday, September 1.

The funeral of Miss Frances Sheldon, of Deposit, a well known music teacher, who had Susquehanna relatives, occurred on Wednesday.

The Benson family reunion will be held at the residence of H. M. Benson, in Jackson, on Thursday, Aug. 28.

Mr. Town, veterinary surgeon, of Montrose, on Thursday, vaccinated the herd belonging to Hugh Perry, of Thompson, for anthrax, with serum procured from the state authorities at Philadelphia. Mr. Perry has thus far lost five cattle.

The Bennett-Coon family reunion will be held in Carpenter Grove, Uniondale, Aug. 28.

Professor and Mrs. L. L. Twilley have returned home from their vacation, spent in Baltimore.

It has been decided to repair the old Transcript building, on Euclid avenue, for a fire house for the Keystone Hook and Ladder company, No. 1. The work will be paid for by the borough and by public subscription. The new chemical engine built in Baltimore will arrive as soon as the building is in readiness.

There is a good attendance at the Free Methodist camp meeting at Ararat Summit.

Invitations have been issued for the wedding of Miss Vera Edith Vail and Raymond Samuel Brush, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Boyder, in Oakland, on Wednesday evening, Sept. 12.

Mrs. Harriet Agnew, one of our oldest residents, died on Thursday morning at her home, Cross and Jackson streets, in her seventy-seventh year. The funeral will occur from the Baptist church on Saturday afternoon, Rev. B. H. Abott, of Carbondale (Episcopal), officiating. The remains will be interred in the Grand street cemetery.

Forest City will see the new play, "Uncle Tom's Cabin," for the first time on Tuesday evening next. It will be a red letter night in the calendar of the erratic mountain town.

The Ferris-Lee reunion will be held at the home of Albert Cottrell, on Wednesday, Sept. 5.

The Northeastern Pennsylvania Telephone company has its lines in operation between Susquehanna and Thompson, a distance of thirteen miles.

Engineer John Kosinsky caught in the river fifteen bass weighing twenty-eight pounds.

The United Sunday schools of Forest City will picnic in Riverside Park, Lanesboro, on Saturday.

A social hop was held in Hogan Opera house on Thursday evening. Doran's orchestra furnished music for the occasion.

Mrs. Mamie Cameron Ohle and daughter, of Baltimore, are visiting Susquehanna friends.

The Stone-Slocum family reunion will be held at the home of Emerson Slocum, in Thompson, Sept. 8.

Joseph Mulrooney, of Scranton, is the guest of his mother on Laurel street, this borough.

The following Susquehanna and vicinity party will leave on Saturday to occup the Reed cottage, at Heart lake, for ten days: Mrs. James Skinner, Miss Louise Curtis, Miss Eva Whitney, Miss Grace Burrhus, Miss Lela Outwater, Susquehanna; Miss Harriet Parks, Lestershire; Mrs. Wall, Walton, N. Y.; Messrs. W. A. Skinner, Charles Curtis, jr., Harry Burrhus, Susquehanna; Harry Mumford, Honesdale.

The Whitney family reunion will be held at the home of J. S. Whitney, in Lenox, Aug. 29.

The Harding family reunion will be held in Robinson's grove, Lenoxville, Aug. 21.

The Perry family reunion will be held at the home of William H. Larrabee, in Susquehanna, Aug. 30.

The Wheaton family gathering will be held at Roberts' Hill, in Jackson, Aug. 25.

The Tallman-Dix family gathering will be held in Jackson, Aug. 22.

## UNIONDALE.

Special to the Scranton Tribune.

Uniondale, Aug. 17.—The union picnic held by the Sunday schools of the Methodist and Presbyterian churches at Crystal Lake last Wednesday was a very enjoyable affair. The local band was present and gave us plenty of good music, both on land and water. The brief service in the pavilion was an innovation and met with the approval of all present.

There has been but one scene in the drama of "Dad Baker," that of pitching the tent and taking it up.

After camping for several weeks at Lewis Lake Mr. Swingle has returned home to Peckville.

Several of our people have left to attend the camp meeting in session at Ararat.

Ada, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Dimmick, is quite indisposed.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Bass recently spent several days with their daughter, Mrs. Douglas Coleman, of Carbondale.

Prof. J. Hughes has broken up camp life on Lewis Lake and returned to his home, Washburn street, Scranton.

Mr. and Mrs. Tennant, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Sherwood and families and Miss Lottie Eastman report good times on the shores of Ryder's Pond.

Prof. Thorpe and George Maxey made a brief business call in town lately.

Miss Janet Tinker is entertaining friends from out of town.

William Burdick did not go West as he had intended. He returned home after a brief absence.

William E. Jones, one of the most respected citizens of Herrick township, died Wednesday of cholera morbus after a few days' illness.

Bessie Coleman is visiting friends at Winwood.

Mrs. Crawford Gardener's condition is somewhat improved.

S. S. Coleman is working in Carbondale at present.

The farmers have been pleased with the late copious showers.

## FOREST CITY.

Special to the Scranton Tribune.

Forest City, Aug. 17.—Z. H. Dunn, of Morris, N. J., visited his brother, Robert H. Dunn, the first of the week.

Mr. E. A. Bloxham and family are visiting friends at Ararat Summit.

F. M. Gardner has returned from Montrose, where he has been attending court.

Professor and Mrs. E. R. Goodrich are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Dunn, on Dundaff street.

The annual Free Methodist camp meeting at Ararat opened Wednesday, Aug. 15. A large number from Forest City expect to be in attendance during the session. The Erie will sell round trip tickets from Forest City to Ararat, Aug. 16 to 29 inclusive, at the rate of 60 cents.

The Northeastern Pennsylvania Telephone company now has its lines in operation from Thompson to Susquehanna, a distance of sixteen miles. This week it will commence to build the line to Pleasant Mount and Niagara, and it is expected that lines will be strung to Uniondale within three weeks. The work will be begun between that point and Forest City. A branch line is nearly completed to Sherman that will connect with the line to Deposit.

Tuesday evening Misses Kate and Joe Scully gave a flashlight party at their home on Dundaff street. The following young people were present: Misses Minnie and Stella Stephens, Ethel Dolph, Sadie Hullah, Mame Cawley, Mrs. E. L. Janswick, of New Haven, Conn.; Messrs. Daniel Allen, Cecil Manzer, Arthur Reese, Sidney Lott, Will McLaughlin, A. F. Lowne and William Butts.

F. J. Osgood, of the Northeastern Pennsylvania Telephone company, is suffering from injuries received two weeks ago by a fall from a pole.

## NICHOLSON.

Special to the Scranton Tribune.

Nicholson, Aug. 17.—Miss Ruth Johnson gave a lawn party at her pleasant home, on State street, Tuesday evening, in honor of her friend, Miss Charlotte M. Wells, of Middletown, N. Y. The evening was delightfully spent in playing croquet and crokinole on the lawn, which was illuminated for the occasion by numerous torches and Japanese lanterns. The musical programme consisted of vocal solos by Miss Wilkins, violin selections by Miss Wells, while Miss Johnson and Miss Mack presided at the piano. At midnight dainty refreshments were served, after which dancing was enjoyed on the spacious porch until an early hour Wednesday morning.

## LAKE WINOLA.

Special to the Scranton Tribune.

Lake Winola, Aug. 17.—The patronage of the new Hotel Clifton has far excelled the expectations of the owner. From the present outlook the house will be taxed to its fullest capacity during the remainder of the season. Proprietor J. W. Moore is making every possible effort to see that the guests are properly taken care of while at his place. The following have registered during the past week: J. A. Mears and family, Jonn R. Edwards, Miss Edwards, Edward C. Deans, Miss Mabel Deans, J. Robert Simpson, J. A. Mears, George H. Winans, William R. Allen, W. L. Schlager and wife, T. Cromwell and wife, G. E. Haldeman, Andrew Weir, Robert B. Sykes, James Gray, James Mills, Hugh Serfass, W. E. Powell, Joseph Frey and wife, Miss Dubach, G. R. Kruger, W. W. Berry, C. Leon Griffin, Mac Nair Phillips, Raymond Sanderson, Farnham Mears, Arch Deans, Mr. and Mrs. Megargel, Charles E. Horn, William A. Hutton, Eli Harris, Mame Gibbons, of Scranton; F. H. Jermyn, of Waverly; Dr. D. F. Smith, of Plymouth; Christopher Wren, of Plymouth; George S. Peck, Willis C. King, of Peckville, and many others from different localities.

One of the largest balls of the season will be given on Saturday evening, August 18. Special music from Bauer, who will be in attendance.

On Thursday, Dr. Smith, of Plymouth, and Sydney Rosenbluth, of Wilkes-Barre, made a fishing trip up through the country. They spent most of their time at the ponds. They report the fishing to be very good, and claim that carp are plentiful.

At a shooting contest at Lake Winola, held on Friday, the best three of those competing for the prize were Mr. Corey Smith, Mr. Sydney Rosenbluth and Mr. Megargel. The rifle contest was won by Mr. Smith. Rosenbluth won in the revolver contest, and afterwards gave an exhibition. He made six out of seven.

## FACTORYVILLE.

Special to the Scranton Tribune.

Factoryville, Aug. 17.—The Rev. G. B. Smith, who will preach next Sabbath morning at the Methodist church, is from Kutztown, instead of Kingston, as erroneously stated this morning. Mrs. Smith was Miss Mame Reynolds, of this place, and they are visiting relatives here, and will remain until after the Reynolds reunion, which occurs on the 25th.

Mrs. C. Mathewson had the misfortune to fall last Thursday and sprain her wrist quite badly.

Mr. James Pike and family, of Washinton, D. C., are spending some time with Mr. Pike's parents, on Main street.

Miss Blanche Stark left this morning to visit a friend at Poyntelle.

Mr. Rienzi Chase moved his family to Waverly today, where they will reside during Mr. Chase's Western trip.

## MOSCOW.

The marriage of Miss Helen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Byron Dingee, of this place, to Mr. Clarence Launson, of Bangor, Pa., took place at the home of the bride's parents, Wednesday evening. The ceremony was performed by Rev. G. H. Prentice. The bride was becomingly attired in a dress of pale green silk, with white satin and lace trimmings, and carried a bouquet of yellow roses. They were unattended. After the ceremony the wedding supper was served. Among the guests present were Mr. and Mrs. Launson, parents of the groom; Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Launson and daughter, Florence, of Bangor; Mr. and Mrs. Ferris and daughters, Jessie and Martha, of Maplewood; Mr. and Mrs. Grim and daughter, Jessie, and sons, Floyd and Frank, of Dunmore; Mr. and Mrs. Hoar and children, Mr. and Mrs. Hamlin, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. DePew, Mrs. Fannie Brown, Mrs. Chubb and daughter Florence, Mrs. Charles Edwards and two children, Misses Ina and Mary DePew and Willard DePew. Mr. and Mrs. Launson left the next morning for a trip to Washington, D. C., after which they will reside at Bangor.

Master Edward Reinard, of Catawissa, is spending his vacation with his grandmother, Mrs. Margaret Wardell.

Mrs. Wilbur, of Conklin, N. Y., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Isaac Biesecker.

Miss May Hornbaker is spending a week with Scranton friends.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. LaTouche and children, of Instanter, Pa., who have been spending some time with the former's sister, Mrs. Lyman, have gone to Green Ridge, where they will permanently reside.

Miss Mabel DeWitt left Saturday for Nichols, N. Y., where she will be the guest of Rev. S. G. Snowden and mother, after which she will go to Newark, N. J., to make her future home.

Miss Grace Bourn, of Scranton, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Horace Jones.

A large number of people from here attended the Independent Order of Odd Fellows' reunion at Lake Ariel, Friday.

## WAVERLY.

Rev. Mr. Godshall is in Northfield, Mass., where he expects to remain for two weeks.

E. S. Calkin, who lost a horse last Saturday night, has had the misfortune to lose the other one also, which adds truth to the old saying that misfortune never comes single.

The friends of Harry Miller enjoyed a barn dance at his home last Wednesday evening.

It is rumored that the hotel here is about to change hands.

The Farmers' Alliance held a picnic at Lily Lake last Friday, August 17. An address was delivered by W. K. Salisbury, of Lawsville, Pa. The Baptist Sunday school also held a picnic at the same place on the same day.

A number of our people intend to join the excursion to Mountain Park next Saturday of the temperance people. Mr. Wooley, their candidate for president, will be there.

Dr. N. C. Mackey has been confined to the house for the past few days with an attack of grippe.

Miss Ruth Perry had the misfortune to lose a valuable coat last Wednesday evening while on her way to John Miller's. The finder will be rewarded by leaving it at the postoffice.

### Marvin Family Reunion.

The Marvin family reunion was again held in joyous conclave at the Peckville grove, where a very pleasant time was had. There were "jokes and toasts" galore and the refreshments were served in an "extra fine" style. After the opening prayer by John L. Worth, the business meeting was called to order by the vice president, Mrs. F. D. Brundage, and resulted in the election of E. I. Bonham, of Dorranceton, for president and the re-election of all the other officers.

Remarks toward the welfare of the reunion were tendered by Guy L. Bonham, of Philadelphia; John L. Worth, of Amasa, and Elmer Roberts, of Peckville. The features of the reunion were the piano and violin solo by Mrs. Elmer Roberts and Mr. Will Marvin.

Although the gathering was not as large as had been anticipated, we hope that every one will present themselves next year for some particular reason, which will be stated later on. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. William Marvin, Finley, O.; Mr. and Mrs. George Gritman, Scott, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. John L. Worth, Amasa; Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Brundage and son, George, Marsh Brook; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. George Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. William McKelvy and three children, Mr. Harry Roberts, Miss Laura Roberts, all of Peckville; Mrs. Silas Roberts, Muhlenburg; Mr. Robert Arnold, Miss Eva Bonham, Mr. D. H. Adair, Misses Nora and Flora Fink, Dorrancetown; Mrs. J. J. Fink, Edwardsville; Mrs. Frank Clark and daughter, Georgiana, Scranton; Guy L. Bonham, of Philadelphia.

The meeting adjourned to meet again next year at the same place. Date will be announced later.


## The White Man's Burden

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# TRIBUNE'S EDUCATIONAL CONTEST

## A Number of Changes in the Standing Today.

## HOW THE LEADERS STAND

Charles Rodriguez, 428 Webster avenue.

Oliver Callahan, 415 Vine street.

David V. Birtley, 103 West Market street.

Eugene Boland, 235 Walnut street.

David C. Spencer, Bloomsburg.

Arthur Kemmerer, Factoryville.

Harry Reese, 331 Evans court.

Miss Grace Simrell, Carbondale.

Sidney W. Hayes, 922 Olive street.

Miss Fannie E. Williams, Peckville.

Edward Murray, 516 Hamm court.

John P. Smith, 2532 Boulevard avenue.

Richard Roberts, 1303 Hampton street.

There were a goodly number of points scored in The Tribune's Educational Contest yesterday. Miss Fannie E. Williams, of Peckville, made her debut in the list of leaders, but instead of lingering at the bottom of the list, as most new competitors have done, she at once advanced to tenth place, being tied with Edward Murray, who also fortunately increased his standing, going beyond John P. Smith. Miss Grace Simrell, of Carbondale, is another young lady who advanced, going from tenth to eighth place, displacing both Sidney W. Hayes and John P. Smith. The first seven contestants remain unchanged, though there will probably be a shake-up in a few days, as some of the leaders are working harder than others and the results will show soon.

Although the contest is quite well advanced now, there is still an excellent opportunity for new competitors, and the results shown by those who have entered recently prove substantially that there is room for many more and work for all who care to advance their own interests.

## BRAVERY OF THE AMERICANS RECOGNIZED

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congratulate Lieutenant Colonel Coolidge and the officers and men under his command.

I have the honor to be, sir, your obedient servant. (Signed) A. R. F. Dorward, Brigadier General.

Colonel Meade gives a list of the casualties, and details the circumstances of the death of Colonel Liscum and Captain Davis. He also states that the allies are about to choose a president for the government of Tien-Tsin. He was informed, he says, by General Dorward that he expected to move on Pekin in about a fortnight.

### Proclamation at Tien-Tsin.

The proclamation to the inhabitants of Tien-Tsin, telling them that the bombardment was only in reply to the attacks by rebels, also is included in the report.

The proclamation mentioned by Colonel Meade is as follows:

To the Inhabitants of the City of Tien Tsin:

In bombarding the city of Tien Tsin, the allied forces only replied to the attack made by the rebels on the foreign settlements. At present as your authorities forgetting their duties, have deserted their posts, the allied forces consider it their duty to establish in the city temporary administration, which you all have to obey. The administration will protect every one wishing to deal in a friendly manner with foreigners but will punish without mercy every one who causes trouble.

Let the bad people tremble; but the good people should feel reassured and quietly return to their houses and begin their usual work. Thus peace will be restored. Respect this.

Tien Tsin, the 16th July, 1900.

(Approved by) Allemange: Don Usedcma, captaine de navire. Aitriche Hougrie: J. Tudrak, lieutenant de vaisseau. Etats Unis D'Amerique: Colonel Meade, American marines. France: De Palacel, colonel. Grande Bretagne: Le General Dorward, Captain Bayly. Italie: G. Siranni, lieutenant de Vaisseau. Japon: Le General Fukushima. Russie: Vice Admiral E. Alexeiff, General Major Stessel.

Major Waller enclosed a number of reports from his company commanders, giving in detail the work done by their organizations. These reports all speak highly of the conduct of officers and men. Captain Fuller, who commanded company F, commends the conduct of a company of English blue jackets under command of a lieutenant from the Orlando, who rendered invaluable assistance in carrying the Ninth's wounded to the rear on the retreat and in forming the rear guard.

## GRAND CIRCUIT RACES.

Glens Falls, N. Y., Aug. 17.—The last day of the grand circuit meet here was characterized by perfect racing weather. Nell Gwynne who had two heats to her credit, from yesterday in the postponed trot, captured the first heat today handily winning the race. Nigger Jack was second. Time, 2.14½, 2.14¼, 2.14½, 2.12¾.

Annie Thornton won the 2.19 pace in three out of four heats, Tom Calhoun second. Time, 2.13¼, 2.10¾, 2.13¼, 2.14¼.

The 2.28 trot was won by Joe Watts, three out of four heats. Mr. Middlemay second. Time, 2.14½, 2.14½, 2.14¼, 2.17.

Ie required five heats to decide the 2.14 pace, the first two heats going to Winola, Oscar L. capturing the next three and the race. Time, 2.10¼, 2.09¾, 2.08¼, 2.10, 2.09¾.

The 2.10 pace was won by Harry O in three out of five heats. Island Wilkes, jr., second. Time, 2.07¼, 2.09¾, 2.08¼, 2.13¾, 2.08¾.

## Pennsylvania Pensions.

Washington, Aug. 17.—Pensions: Mary E. Davies, Scranton, $8.


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# THE MARKETS.

## Wall Street Review.

New York, Aug. 17.—If any expectation had been entertained that the rescue of the foreign minister in China would arouse speculative enthusiasm Wall street reception of the news was disappointing. In fact the speculation was more sluggish than at any time this week and the tendency until the last hour reactionary. This proved that the event had been fully discounted. There was a conflict at the opening to determine the market's tendency in which the bears soon obtained the upper hand. In consequence there was a general sagging of prices, but no case did the fall reach a point in the railroad list. The most effective selling was in the steel stocks, the groups being affected by reports of trade conflicts and expected cuts in products. The important movements of the day centered in Brooklyn Rapid Transit and Consolidated Gas. Both stocks after momentary weakness started upwards and ended with good gains. An official announcement that the much heralded Brooklyn Rapid Transit annual report would be given out late today attached interest to the movement in the stock. No definite news accounted for the weakness in the railroad list but the opinion prevailed that profit taking was primarily responsible. London's purchases of St. Paul failed to sustain the stock despite an increase in the earnings for the second week of August of $203[illegible]. Foreign purchases were about 12,000 shares in all, the inquiry from London being stimulated by further declines in money and discount rates. In the late dealings an evening up of contracts was active in wiping out much of the day's losses. Total sales, 147,000 shares. The bond market showed a reactionary tendency today which is most pronounced in issues known as semi-speculative. Total sales, par value, $670,000. United States 3s declined ½ and old 4s ¼ per cent. in the bid price.

The following quotations are furnished The Tribune by M. S. Jordan & Co., rooms 705-706 Mears building, Scranton, Pa. Telephone 5603:

| | Opening. | High-est. | Low-est. | Closing. |
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| American Sugar | 124¼ | 124¾ | 123½ | 124¾ |
| American Tobacco | 94 | 94¼ | 93⅞ | 94¼ |
| Am. S. & W. | 34⅝ | 34⅞ | 34 | 34⅞ |
| Atch., To. & S. Fe | 28⅛ | 28⅛ | 27⅞ | 28 |
| A., T. & S. F., Pr | 71 | 71 | 70½ | 70⅞ |
| Brooklyn Traction | 58 | 58¼ | 57⅞ | 58⅛ |
| Balt. & Ohio | 71⅝ | 72 | 71⅛ | 71⅞ |
| Cont. Tobacco | 26 | 26 | 25½ | 26 |
| Ches. & Ohio | 27½ | 27½ | 27¼ | 27½ |
| Chic. & G. W | 10⅞ | 10⅞ | 10⅞ | 10⅞ |
| Chic., B. & Q | 127 | 127⅛ | 126⅝ | 127⅛ |
| St. Paul | 114½ | 114½ | 113¾ | 114¼ |
| Rock Island | 107 | 107¼ | 106⅝ | 107¼ |
| Delaware & Hudson | 113¾ | 113¾ | 113⅛ | 113¾ |
| Federal Steel | 34¼ | 34⅝ | 33⅞ | 34⅞ |
| Federal Steel, Pr | 66¾ | 66¾ | 66¾ | 66¾ |
| Ran. & Tex., Pr | 31 | 31 | 31 | 31 |
| Louis. & Nash | 72 | 72¼ | 71¾ | 72⅛ |
| Manhattan Ele | 91½ | 92 | 90⅞ | 91⅞ |
| Met. Traction Co | 155 | 155⅝ | 155 | 155⅝ |
| Mo. Pacific | 51⅛ | 51⅛ | 50¾ | 51⅛ |
| People's Gas | 98⅛ | 98⅛ | 98⅛ | 98⅛ |
| N. J. Central | 135½ | 135 | 133½ | 135 |
| Southern Pacific | 33⅛ | 33¼ | 32⅞ | 33⅛ |
| Norfolk & Western | 34⅝ | 34⅝ | 34 | 34 |
| North. Pacific | 51¾ | 51⅞ | 51¼ | 51⅞ |
| North. Pacific, Pr | 71½ | 71½ | 71 | 71 |
| N. Y. Central | 130½ | 130½ | 130 | 130 |
| Ont. & West | 21¼ | 21¼ | 21¼ | 21¼ |
| Penna. R. R | 129½ | 129½ | 129 | 129⅝ |
| Reading | 17 | 17 | 16⅞ | 16⅞ |
| Reading, Pr | 59¾ | 59¾ | 59½ | 59¾ |
| Southern R. R | 11¼ | 11¼ | 11¼ | 11¼ |
| Southern R. R., Pr | 52 | 52⅝ | 52⅝ | 52⅝ |
| Tenn., C. & Iron | 70⅝ | 71 | 69½ | 71 |
| U. S. Leather | 10⅞ | 11 | 10⅝ | 11 |
| Rubber | 31 | 31 | 30½ | 30¾ |
| Union Pacific | 50⅝ | 50⅝ | 50¼ | 50⅝ |
| Union Pacific, Pr | 76⅝ | 76⅝ | 76 | 76¼ |
| Wabash, Pr | 18⅛ | 18¼ | 18⅛ | 18¼ |

NEW YORK PRODUCE EXCHANGE PRICES.

| | Opening. | High-est. | Low-est. | Closing. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| WHEAT. | | | | |
| September | 78¾ | 78¾ | 78⅛ | 78¼ |
| December | 80¾ | 80⅞ | 80¼ | 80¼ |
| CORN. | | | | |
| September | 41 | 41⅛ | 41 | 41 |
| December | 40 | 40 | 40 | 40 |

## Scranton Board of Trade Exchange Quotations—All Quotations Based on Par of 100.

| STOCKS. | Bid. | Asked. |
|---|---|---|
| First National Bank | 800 | ... |
| Scranton Savings Bank | 500 | ... |
| Scranton Packing Co. | ... | 95 |
| Third National Bank | 425 | ... |
| Dime Deposit and Discount Bank | 200 | ... |
| Economy Light, H. & P. Co | ... | 46 |
| Lacka. Trust & Safe Deposit Co. | 150 | ... |
| Scranton Paint Co. | ... | 80 |
| Clark & Snover Co., Pr. | 125 | ... |
| Scranton Iron Fence & Mfg. Co. | ... | 100 |
| Scranton Axle Works | ... | 95 |
| Lackawanna Dairy Co., Pr. | ... | 20 |
| County Savings Bank & Trust Co. | 300 | ... |
| First National Bank (Carbondale) | ... | 300 |
| Standard Drilling Co. | ... | 50 |
| New Mexico Ry. Coal Co., Pr. | 40 | ... |
| Traders' National Bank | 155 | ... |
| Scranton Lolt and Nut Co. | 110 | ... |
| BONDS. | | |
| Scranton Passenger Railway, first mortgage, due 1920 | 115 | ... |
| People's Street Railway, first mortgage, due 1918 | 115 | ... |
| People's Street Railway, General mortgage due 1921 | 115 | ... |
| Dickson Manufacturing Co. | ... | 100 |
| Lacka. Township School 5 per cent. | ... | 102 |
| City of Scranton St. Imp. 6 per cent. | ... | 102 |
| Scranton Traction 6 per cent. | 115 | ... |

## Scranton Wholesale Market.

(Corrected by H. G. Dale, 27 Lackawanna Ave.)

Butter—Creamery, 21c.; dairy tubs, 20c.
Eggs—Select western, 14c.; nearby state, 14½c.
Cheese—Full cream, new, 11½@12c.
Beans—Per bu., choice marrow, $2.45; medium, $2.30; pea, $2.30.
Potatoes—45c.
Bermuda Onions—$1.75.
Flour—Best patent, $4.25.

## Philadelphia Grain and Produce.

Philadelphia, Aug. 17.—Wheat—Weak and 1c. lower; contract grade, August, 71⅝@72c. Corn—Firm, ¼c. higher; No. 2 mixed August, 41¼@41½c. Oats—Quiet and easier; No. 2 white clipped, old, 30@30½c.; new No. 2 do. do., 28c. Butter—Quiet but steady; fancy western creamery, 21½c.; do. prints, 23c. Eggs—Firm; fresh, nearby, 15c.; do. western, 15c.; do. southwestern, 13c.; do. southern, 11c. Cheese—Firm. Refined Sugars—Unchanged. Cotton—¼c. lower; middling uplands, 10¼c. Tallow—Steady; city prime, in hogsheads, 4⅝c.; country do., barrels, 4½c.; dark, do., 4¼c.; cakes, 5c. Live Poultry—Firmer; fowl, 11c.; old roosters, 7@7½c.; spring chickens, 16@17c.; spring ducks, 10@10½c. Dressed Poultry—Unchanged; fowls, choice, 10½c.; do. fair to good, 9½@10c.; old roosters, 6½c.; nearby spring chickens, 19@11c.; western do., 9@12c. Receipts—Flour, 1,700 barrels and 2,000,000 pounds in sacks; wheat, 27,000 bushels; corn, 27,000 bushels; oats, 20,000 bushels. Shipments—Wheat—29,000 bushels; corn, none; oats, 44,000 bushels.

## New York Grain and Produce.

New York, Aug. 17.—Flour—Quiet and a shade lower on spring patents. Wheat—No. 2 red, 79¾c. f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 red, 77¼c. elevator; No. 1 northern Duluth, 82½c. f. o. b., afloat to arrive; options reflected continued heaviness of sentiment, with liquidation again a feature, inspired by more liberal country offerings of new wheat, very small clearances; closed weak at ⅛@⅝c. net decline; September closed 82⅛c.; December, 80⅛c. Corn—Spot steady; No. 2, 45⅝c. f. o. b. afloat and 44⅞c. elevator; option market had another fairly strong day, governed by light offerings, small receipts, bullishness at Chicago and scattered covering; closed steady and unchanged; May closed 46c.; September, 40c.; December, 40c. Oats—Spot steady; No. 2, 30c.; No. 3, 29½c.; No. 2 white, 28½c.; No. 3 white, 27½c.; track mixed, western, 28@27c.; track white, 28@33c.; options dull but steady. Butter—Firm; creamery, 17½@21c.; do. factory, current packed, 14@16c.; imitation creamery, 13@18c.; state dairy, 16@19c. Cheese—Irregular; large colored, 10⅝c.; small colored, 10