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SCRANTON, FEBRUARY 26, 1901.

The passage of the new federal court bill is a distinguished triumph for the nergy, patience and diplomacy of the present representative of this congrescional district. Substantially the same neasure had been before three prior ongresses under the auspices of three different representatives, and in each astance had failed. When Mr. Connell took hold of the project, there were many who predicted that he, also, would fail. Unsuccessful in his early efforts, he kept right on and the consequence of his persistence is that the neasure is now an accomplished fact. The victory gains magnitude from the circumstance that it was snatched at almost the last moment in a short session struggling with might and main to get through with imperative legislation. The exhaustive report given in last Friday's Tribune of the hearing before the Senate Judiciary committee made vlear the need of this measure as a public convenience to Pennsylvania litigants and likewise its economy. It will benefit more than the people comprehended within the new district courts, for it will free the western district courts of the mass of detail work which now retards the administration of justice in them. In the congratulations which are now pouring in upon Mr. Connell, the city of Scranton is entitled to share, for it will be the princibul home of the new court, and no doubt it will be fairly represented in

The Gas Question.

the composition of that court.

TITH THIS issue a completed citation is made of the prices charged in the various cities of the United States for illuminating gas, as compared with the prices charged by the Scranton Gas and Water company to its patrons in this city. The figures are from an official directory and the dates are the latest for which there is

It will be noticed that only in a very few instances is the rate less than that in force in Scranton. Those instances supplies, where the cost of producing gas is naturally at a minimum, yet even in those places, if candle power be taken into account, the Scranton number of heads required if the envoys rate is entitled to distinction as the lowest for service rendered in the claims. ountry. These facts may very properly be taken into account by councils in their consideration of the proposition to grant a competitive franchise to a new gas-producing company.

The principle of competition, while well established in public favor in many directions, is of questionable benefit in reference to public utilities unless it can be proved that the rates charged by the company enjoying a inenepoly of public privileges are excessive. Councils should not only consider the immediate question of price, but it should also take into account probabilities, if such exist, that a competitive franchise may eventually result in a war of prices culminating in the consolidation of the competing interests in a new monopoly powerful rates for all losses sustained during the struggle. Such a consummation would not benefit the public, but on the contrary would constitute an unnecessary burden.

If the tranchise of the new company an be safeguarded so as to avoid this result, the public will have no reason to object to its concession. But the general proposition must be clearly understood in this city that the public interest in such matters is the paramount interest, and that to it all other interests must be subordinated.

The fifty-sixth has demonstrated that congress can make a record with very little hurrah.

The Bluff That Won.

N VIEW of the fact that China has agreed with suddenness to the joint demands of the powers, after a course of procrastination which appeared to make early agreement improbable, it is proper to apportion the credit for bringing her to a realization of the necessities of the situation. Says the Pekin correspondent of the New York Sun:

"Full credit must be given to Field Marshal Count von Waldersee for bringing about the present promising condition of affairs. No matter how distasteful his methods have been to mailed fist policy, it is that policy that has sent the Chinese government to its knees and brought about compilance with the demands of the powers as presented through their ministers."

The method by which Count von Waldersee forced compliance was what in American parlance would be known as a "beautiful bluff." He threatened to lead an immense punitive expedition nto the interior of China, carrying death and destruction to millions of innocent people. To this threat the |zen that some provision short of crim-

United States, either not being in the count's confidence or not wishing to ndorse that high-handed method of dealing with an unfortunate people, vigorously dissented. In its success we share but we had no part in bringing it about. That credit, if credit it is, belongs wholly to Germany.

The orator whose remarks prompt friend of the working man or working woman.

With Regard to Cuba.

UCH confusion of thought and extravagance of language could be avoided in the public discussion of the so-called Cuban problem if heed were given to a few fundamental principles. The first in importance of these is the fact that the Island of Cuba comes under the protective influence of the Monroe doctrine and would so come if an American soldler had never aided in Cuba's deliverance from Spain. No form of independence could be accorded to a Cuban republic which would make it independent of that great fact. Situated where she guards the strategy essential to the protection of our eastern coast as well as of our gulf cities and the Nicaragua canal when built, Cuba is necessarily subordinate to American needs. In time of peace we might waive all claims. In time of war, there could be no standing on false ceremony.

A second principle is that the guar dian has the right to define the status and order the government of the child. The United States is Cuba's guardian, so announced to the world in the overly-sentimental Teller resolution, and so understood by all nations. There will be no independence for Cuba, no recognition of a new sovereignty on that isle, until Uncle Sam says so and sets the example of diplomatic recognition. The whole responsibility s in America's hands and it must be wielded not only to suit the momentary temper of the Cuben people but also to safeguard their own and our own tuture. No state can be independent At Head of the in the full sense of the word until experience has taught her neighbor states that she is to be trusted to exercize the full measure of independence. In this case, Cuba cannot be independent in fact until she has established that her independence is not a menace to the interests next of kin. that is to say, the paramount interests of the American deliverer and guardian. Documents may say what they please: but the facts which we either statutory or constitutional law. They are the truths that will control. A third principle is that gratitude becomes the recipient of marked favors, while its absence is a sign that something is radically wrong. What the United States has done for Cuba is not paralleled for magnanimity in the history of mankind. If the Cubans, in their baste to set up housekeeping for themselves, are so ungrateful as to forget or ignore it, the fact casts additional doubt upon their

Cuba shall be made the subject of de- France from \$747,489,000 to \$787,000,000, or 5 liberative study by the congress of the per cent. American people; and if this requires ere in cities close to oil or soft coal an extra session, let there be one, and let no congressman complain. China seems disposed to chop off any

ability for self-government and consti-

tutes an added reason why the terms

upon which independence is allowed

Libel Reform.

will only let up on the cash indemnity

N WEDNESDAY morning the Cooper and McClain libel bills will come up in the House of Representatives, at Harrisburg, on a special order. It is understood that a compromise between these two bills has been effected which will result in the enactment of the McClain bill modified so as to provide in criminal prosecutions that there shall be no conviction if the subject matter of the publication relates to candidates for public offices, public officers, or the official condition of public affairs, and if found to the satisfaction of the court to be proper for public information or investigation and not to have been made maliciously. In all such cases nough to recomp itself by increased the truth may be given in evidence to the jury.

In the McClain bill, as originally introduced, the subject matter of publication was limited to public officers acting in their official capacity. The amendment insisted upon by Representative Cooper widens the scope of privilege to include all candidates for public office, and also the official contition of public affairs. As thus solders, and (derisively during the Civil war)

Soilers, and (derisively during the Civil war) amended, the bill thoroughly safeguards every legitimate interest of the press, while drawing a rein upon the malicious digging up of long-forgotten episodes in the private careers gotten episodes in the private careers Massachusetts, Bay Staters and Blue Stockings of men subsequently invested with Michigan, Wolverines. official position. While a man is a candidate for public office his record as a citizen is legitimate for public scrutiny and investigation, but when by the votes of his fellow-citizens he is honored with a commission to a public office, it is proper that comment upon him should be restricted to such of his actions as relate to the discharge of his public duties. The mere fact that he holds an office does not warrant malicious attack in matters entirely private in their nature, nor does it justify the continuous reiteration or libel in matters upon which the people

have already passed judgment. With regard to actions for civil damages in libel, the McClain bill, as amended, will repeal that part of the people who do not approve of the act of 1897 now in force, which requires restitution only for injuries actually sustained and proved. This repealer will enable the jury in its discretion to impose upon the negligent publisher not only such damages as may be proved, but also such additional damages by way of exemplary punishment as may be deemed a just penalty for carelessness without malice. Many publishers, we know, object to this feature of the bill, but a little reflection will convince the thoughtful citi-

inal procedure is necessary for the cureer of any officer in the United States army preservation of the private individual against injury due to carelessness on the part of the newspapers. For example, a publication may be made without any motive of malice but carelessly, so as to bring anguish and annoyance upon a man or woman in no sense before the public for criticism or review. Under the present law that hoodlums to deeds of violence is no citizen, before entitled to any recovery in the courts, would have to establish actual damage, not presumptively, but constructively. A negligent publication which should cause a run on a bank, or the loss of business by a merchant could be made the basis of action for restitution, because the damage here sustained could be proved conclusively before a jury, but a careless publication reflecting upon the morals of an individual citizen, but not specifically charging a distinct crime, could escape under the present law from any legal punishment because of the impossibility of establishing by affirma tive testimony that pecuniary damage

had been wrought. This is the weak part of the present ibel law. Publishers desiring to be absolutely fair with the public will not shject to taking their chances before a jury on a publication where malice is absent, and where only carelessness is alleged. No honest jury will be unfair with an honest publisher. Publishers who are not honest need not receive and do not deserve the solicitude of those who are.

News from the headquarters of the United Mine Workers indicate that none save the publishers of yellow newspapers are anxious that there should be another coal strike.

It is now definitely settled that Lord Kitchener's troops are in pursuit of General De Wet and not fleeing from

Cuba's greatest menace at present seems to arise from an over-production

THE UNITED STATES now stands at the head of the world's exporting nations. conplete figures for the calendar year 1000, when compared with those of other nations, show that our exports of domestic products are greater than those of any other country. The otal exports of domestic merchandise from the note are truths grounded deeper than \$1,453,013,650, those from the United Kingdom, which has heretofore led in the race for this listinction, were \$1,418,348,000, and those from fermany, \$1,050,611,600.

Additional interest is given to the first rank thich the United States now holds as an exporting nation by the fact that a quarter of a 1875 the domestic exports of the United States were \$407,263,757; these of Germany, \$607,096,000; those of France, \$747,489,000, and those of the United Kingdom, \$1.087,497,000. Today the United States stands at the head of the list, the United Kingdom second, Germany third and France fourth, with the figures as follows: United States, \$1,433,013,630; United Kingdom, \$1,418,318,000; Germany, \$1,050,611,000; France, \$787,000,000. All of these figures, it should be remembered, relate to the exports of domestic products. Thus in the quarter-century, the United States has increased her exports from should be judiciously safeguarded. \$497,263,737 to \$1,453,013,659, or 192 President McKinley is eternally right Germany, from \$607,096,000 to \$1,050,611,000, or in demanding that the permanent rela-tions between the United States and 407,000 to \$1,418,348,000, or 34 per cent., and

> The following table, compiled from official operts, shows the exports of domestic merchanise from the United States, the United Kingdon and Germany, in each calendar year from 1873

to 1900	1		
Year.	United States.	United Kingde	m: Germany.
1875	8 407,260,707	\$1,087,497.000	\$ 607,096,000
1876	575,785,801	976,410,000	619,919,900
3877	607,000,495	967,913,000	673,151,090
1878	723,289,821	238,500,000	702,518,000
1870	751,656,755	1622,000,000	675,397,000
1580	873,564,073	1,085,521,000	741,202,000
1581	814,162,951	1.138,873,000	724,379,000
1582	749,911,809	1,175,099,000	776,225,000
1883	777,528,718	1,164,982,000	798,208,900
1881	733,768,764	1,134,015,000	779,832,000
1885	673,599,506	1,037,124,000	695,892,000
1886		1,035,226,000	720,471,000
1887	703,819,692	1,079,914,000	762,897,000
1885		1.141,365,000	780,076,000
1889 .	814,154,864	1,211,442,000	770,587,000
INDEED	845,999,000	1,282,474,000	509,810,000
1891		1,203,169,000	772,679,000
1802	023,237,315	1,105,747,000	718,805,000
1803		1,002,162,000	753,361,000
1804		1,051,196,000	720,607,000
1895		1,100,452,000	807,325,000
1890	. 986,830,080	1,108,671,000	257,745,900
1807	1,079,834,296	1,139,882,000	884,489,000
1000		1.185,642,000	894,068,000
1890		1,287,971,009	1,001,278,000
1900	1.453,013,659	1.418,348,000	1,050,611,000

NICKNAMES OF THE INHABI-TANTS OF VARIOUS STATES

Alabama, Yellowhammera. Arkansus, Toothpicks. alifornia, Gold Hunters onnecticut, Nutmegs Delaware, Muskrate. Georgia, Crackers; also, Buzzarda Illinois, Suckers. Indiana, Hoosiers, same as state

Redlegs; also, Grasshoppers and Sundowers. Kentucky, same as state, Bluegrass; sometimes

Louislans, Creoles. Maine, Foxes. Maryland, Craw-thumpers. Minnesota, Gophera fississippi. Tadpoles.

Colonels

Missouri, Pukes (strictly, Pikes) Montana, Bonanzas. (Not general). Nebraska, Bug-eaters (from the invasion of New Hampshive, Granite Boys.

cw Jersey, Jersey Blues, Spaniards, Crows Clam-catchers. vada, Sago Hens. New York, Knickerbocken-North Carolina, Tar-heels, Tar-boilers. Buffaloes,

North Dakota, Sioux bio, Buckeyes. consylvania, Pennamites: Leather-heads

ode Island, Gunflints (old).

outh Carolina, Weasels,

ennessee, once called Whelps, now heard. The Indian name of the state is Curved Spoots. Texas, Beefheads. tali, once Brighamites and Mormons. Neither

applies now, and the inhabitants have no nicknames. firginia, Beadles. (Why?) ermont, Green Mountain Boys Veat Virginia, Panhandlers

Wyoming, nor any for their inhabitants. At the time of their admission to statchood in 1800, both were called Centennial States. But that was because of the date of admission

UP FROM THE RANKS

rom the Chicago Record.

that company. In February, 1865, he was pro-moted to first lieutenant; in October, 1867, to captain, and in July, 1888, he was transferred as a major to the Ninth cavalry. In 1807 he be-came lieutenant colonel of the Third, and in May, 1809, colonel of the Eighth cavalry, from which he jumped to the rank of major general.

NONE BETTER.

From the Free Press. It is not the fault of Tom J. Dufty, of Th full, a varied, an interesting and an accurate record of the proceedings at Harrisburg, Mr. Duffy's dispatches to The Tribune are as luminous as they are uniquely impartial. After a careful investigation of the correspondence in the Philadelphia papers—who imagine that they are the whole push in this way-we can un-hesitatingly say that Mr. Duffy's letters in literary perspicacity and journalistic insight excel

NUBS OF KNOWLEDGE.

There used to be a saying in Europe that the four living evangelists of new Italy were the four Giuseppes (Josephs)—one at the head of the people, Giuseppe Mazzini; one at the head of the fighters, Giuseppe Sazzini; one at the done lead-ing the philosophical ideal in parliament, Giu-seppe Ferrari, and the fourth at the head of Italian art, Giuseppe Verdi.

It is estimated that there are about 4,000,000

Angora goats in the United States, and that ou production of mohair is about 1,000,000 Although very little has been said or written about Angora goats during the last fort years, they have been extensively bred in the western states and territories, especially i Texas, New Mexico, Nevada, Florida, Californi and Oregon.

There are few people who have not been o casionally puzzled to write "ei" or "ie" in the words that so represent the sound of the long A very simple rule, however, removes all div culty. If the diphthong immediately follows the letter c it is always "ei," as in ceiling, conceive etc.; but when it follows any other letter it always "te," as in grief, niece, friend, etc

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SITUATION WANTED-BY YOUNG GIRL, AS nurse girl, or to do light housework; city references. 414 New street.

WANTED-SITUATION AS A FIRST OR SEC ond hand in bakery; first or second on bread, cakes, pies or pretzels. R. D. man, 507 N. Eighth street, Lebanon, Pa. SITUATION WANTED-TO GO OUT BY THE day at washing or any kind of day work Mrs. Russell, 21st Cedar avenue.

SITUATION WANTED-BY A STRONG, ACTIVE young man, as shipping clerk, or to do an other kind of honest work. Has had one year experience in shipping. References furnished Address H. D., care of Tribune office.

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LEGAL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN APPLI cation will be made to the Court of Quarter Sessions of Lackawanna county for a hotel li-cense for Michael Finnerty, at No. 1664 Keywer avenue, in the Third word of the City of Seran-ton, Pennsylvania, on Monday, March 11th, 1961, THOS. P. DANIELS, Clerk, Q. S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT APPLICA-tion will be made to the Court of Quarter Sassions of Lackawanna county, for restaurant license for James J. Lavin, at Vandling, on the Main road, on Monday, March 4, 1901. THOS. P. DANIELS, Clerk, Q. S.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE - ESTATE OF George L. Preston, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration upon the estate of George L. Preston, late of the city of Seranton, county of Lackawann, deceased, have been granted to the understened.

algred.

All persons having claims or judgments against the estate of said deceased are requested to make known same to me without delay. And all per-sons indebted thereto are required to make im-mediate payment to.

ediate payment to.
SAMUEL H. STEVENS, Administrator,
Conneil Building.
WELLES & TORREY, Attorneys for Estate. ESTATE OF MARGARET S. KENNEDY, LATE of the city of Scratton, county of Lacka-wanna, and state of Pennsylvania, deceased. Letters of administration having been granted to the undersigned, all persons having cluims or demands against the said estate will present them for payment, and all persons indebte-thereto are requested to make immediate pay

JOHN T. KENNEDY, Administrator, 34 South Washington, Ave., Scranton, Pa. CHARLES L. HAWLEY, Attorney for Estate, NOTICE-SEALED PROPOSALS FOR THE CONstruction of the superstructure of a principle at Archibald, in accordance with m plans and specifications, on file at the office of George E. Stevenson, county surveyor, at the court house, will be received by the commission-ers of Lackawanna county at their office until 11 o'clock u. m., March 6, 1601. It o'clock u. m., March 6, 1001.

Sealed preposals for the construction of the maseing for the abutment for a steel bridge at Archbald, in accordance with maps, plans and specifications, on file at the office of George E. Stevenson, county surveyor, will be received by the commissioners of Lackawanna county, at their office will II o'clock a. m., March 19, 1301.

Sealed proposals for the construction of a stone arch bridge over Keyser creek in Taylor borough, in accordance with maps, plans and specifications.

in accordance with maps, plans and specifications, on file at the office of George E. Stevenson, county surveyor, will be received by the commissioners of Lackawama county, at their office until 11 o'clock, March 19, 1001.

JOHN PENMAN, J. COURIER MORI JOHN J. DURKIN, Attest: W. G. Daniels, Clerk, MORRIS

Attest: W. G. Daniels, Clerk.

TO THE HOLDERS OF BONDS NUMBERS soven (?), eight (8), forty-one (41) and forty-six (40) of the Colliery Engineer Company, being the bonds bearing date October 1st, 1265, and secured by trust mortgage of that date. Please Take Notice that in pursuance of the provisions of the said bonds and the trust mortgage given to accure the same, the bonds as numbered above have been drawn by let for payment on the first day of April, 1901, and year are hereby notified that the same will be paid on the first day of April, 1901, at the Lackawanna Trust and Safe Deposit Company. Trustee named in the trust mortgage above referred to, together with interest coupons attached thereto and remaining unpaid, and that interest will cease after the said date.

THE COLLIERY ENGINEER COMPANY.
Scranton, Pa., February 25th, 1901.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLD THE ANNI'AL MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLD-ers of the Lackawanna Iron and Steel Com-pany, for the election of directors and transac-tion of such other business as may properly some before the meeting, will be hold at the offine of the Company in the City of Stranton, Pennsylvania, on Wednesday, March 6th, 1901, at 2 o'clock p. m. The polls will remain open for one hour. The Transfer Books will be closed on February 24th, 1901, and re-opened on March 7th, 1901.

J. P. HIGGINSON, Secretars.

Scranton, Pa., February 22, 1901.

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Pottsville, Reading, Norristown, and Philadelphia; and for Sunbury, Harrisburg, Philadelphia, B. ltimore, Washington and Pittsburg and the West. S p. m., week days (Sundays, 1.58 p. m.) for Sunbury, Harris-burg, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington and Pittsburg and the West. For Hazleton, Pottsville, Reading, &c., week days. 4.27 p. m., week days, for Sunbury, Hazleton, Pottsville, Harrisburg,

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