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SCRANTON, JULY 26, 1901.

Through the blunder of a greenhorn runner, a shell from the new Kearsarge was fired into Newport the other day and came near demolishing the city hall.

The Warring Generals.

AT THIS distance from the zone of tragedy which encircles the major general commanding the National Guard of Pennsylvania and the commanding officer of the Third brigade, it is impossible to decide with accuracy just what the origin of the trouble is.

Democratic National Chairman Jones is in favor of nominating an "obscure business man" for president in 1904.

The Harmless Insane.

IT WOULD seem that experience has been bitter enough and the dissemination of news plentiful enough to prevent such scenes as that in Leavenworth, Kansas, where an insane man shot four people and killed two of them.

An American King?

WE ARE accustomed to hear from Colonel Bryan and the pessimistic gentlemen comprising the Anti-imperialistic league the suggestion that if the American people don't watch out they will have a king to rule over them.

Professor Moore, chief of the weather bureau, makes a dignified and fitting reply to transparently malicious criticism when he says: "The words and acts of every public official are matters that should be discussed and criticized by the press."

There are people who labor under the hallucination that the Schley investigation will effectually settle all further arguments on the subject which has agitated the public for more than two years.

Free Trade with Porto Rico.

THE PRESIDENT'S proclamation terminating the temporary fractional tariff arrangement with Porto Rico is not only of far-reaching importance in the influence it is bound to exercise upon the destinies of the other islands of the West Indies, whose early annexation to the United States it makes as certain as anything in futurity can be.

England and the vast British empire.

It would be a pretty near approach to a universal Yankee nation, and with Germany in close alliance there would be a sure guarantee of peace for all time.

Day of Revels at the Pan-American

Special Correspondence of The Tribune. Buffalo, July 25.—At a joint meeting of the exposition officials and the Midway concessionaires, held July 20, it was arranged to hold a great carnival at the Pan-American on which unprecedented revels shall reign from morning until midnight.

Death of John Wagner.

Coxe Bros' General Superintendent a Victim of Apoplexy. By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Hazleton, Pa., July 25.—John Wagner, Sr., of Drifton, aged about 67 years, fell the last 20 years general superintendent for Cox, Byrnes & Co.

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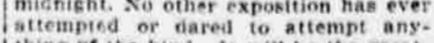
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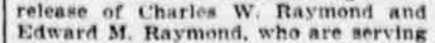
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ENTRIES CLOSE AUGUST 15.

After August 15 no more new contestants will be received in

The Tribune's EDUCATIONAL CONTEST

This action is taken for the purpose of protecting legitimate contestants and preventing the possibility of any speculator from entering the last day or two and purchasing a \$1,000 scholarship by presenting the names of his friends as new subscribers and paying for them himself.

The Special Rewards:

Table listing special rewards: Scholarship in Lafayette College (\$1,000), Scholarship in Swarthmore College (1,000), etc.

Each contestant failing to secure one of these special rewards will be given ten (10) per cent. of all the money he or she turns in.

There are six weeks yet of the contest and it is not too late for any energetic young man or woman to enter. Some of last year's winners were only in three or four weeks.

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