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BILLS PASSED IN SENATE AND HOUSE

A Measure for the Better Protection of the President Is Enacted.

WAR REVENUE REPEAL BILL IS PASSED

It Is Approved After Only One Short Speech-Text of the Bill to Protect the President-The House Passes the River and Harbor Bill, Which Has Been Under Consideration. The Most Important Measures Approved by Congress During the Session.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press.

Washington, March 21.-Two important measures were passed by the senate today, the bill for the repeal of the war revenue taxes and that for the protection of the president of the United The revenue bill was passed without division and, after only one short speech, Mr. Tillman embraced the opportunity afforded by the consideration of the bill to protest against the repeal of the duty of ten cents a pound upon tea.

The bill for the protection of the president was under discussion during the greater part of the session. Mr. Patterson, of Colorado, made an extended speech in opposition to it, and Mr. Fairbanks supported it. All amendments to the measure were rejected and it was passed by a vote of 52 to 15 The bill provides that any person within the United States who shall willfully and maliciously kill the president or any officer on whom duties of president may devolve, or any sovereign of a foreign country, or shall at tempt to kill any of the persons named shall suffer death; that any person who shall aid, abet, advise or counsel the killing of any of the persons named, or shall conspire to accomplish their

death, shall be imprisoned not exceeding twenty years; that any person who shall threaten to kill or advise or counsel another to kill the president, or any official upon whom the duty of president may devolve, shall be imprisoned not exceeding ten years; that any peron who shall wilfully aid in the escape of any person guilty of any of the offenses mentioned shall be deemed an accomplice and shall be punished as a principal. The secretary of war is directed to detail from the regular army a guard of officers and men to protect the president, "without any unnecessary display," and the secretary is authorized to make regulations as to the

dress, arms and equipment of such guard. The house today passed the river and harbor bill, which has been under consideration throughout the week. Although several minor amendments were adopted, not a single dollar was added to the measure, and as passed, it carries exactly what it did when it came from the committee-\$60,688,267. Sulzer (New York) attempted to force a formal vote on the final passage of the bill, but only three members-Smith (Louisiana), Fitzgerald (New York) and Cochran (Missouri)-supported him.

REV. W. H. PEARCE

TRANSFERRED.

Will Soon Become Affiliated with the Philadelphia Conference.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press, Lancaster, Pa., March 21.-Conference met in executive session at 2.30 o'clock. with Bishop Cranston in the chair. The bishop announced that the Rev W. H. Pearce had been transferred from the Wyoming conference to the Philadelphia conference, the transfer to take effect when the appointments are

MARCONI SELECTING SITE. Wireless Station Either at Table

Head or Glace Bay. By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press, Halifax, Merch 21.—Marconi, who is at present at Sydney, Cape Breton, said today that he ex-pexts to have his wirefess telegraph station conpleted in June. Two buildings and four tower each 200 feet high, will be erected.

Mr. Shields, namager of the Dominion Coacompany, placed a special train at the disposa of the inventor when Marconi and his party let here to visit points on the coast and select a sit-The site will be either at Table Head or Glace

Marconi says Cape Breton and Cape Cod sta tions will be installed with slightly greater power than the one at Cornwall. The inventor will remain here until next week, when he v proceed to New York and thence to Cornwall,

FRANCE AT ST. LOUIS FAIR. Deputies' Committee Adopts Pro-

posed Credit of 60,000 Francs. Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Paris, March 21.-The budget committee of the chamber of dejuties foday adopted the pro-posed credit of 60,000 frames for Frame's par-

theipation in the St. Louis exposition. This sum will be applied solely to the fine art. and state manufactures exhibit.

A STEAMER OVERDUE.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. St. Johns, N. F., Marci, "1).—The incoming of Irving shipping brings no report of the Allan line 75. In the steamer, Huroman, Captain Brodie, from Glasgrow, February II, for St. Johns, and now about 123 to 87.

It is generally believed in marine circles that the Hurorian foundered with all hands, or that the sank as a result of colliding with the North
Atlantic. There is a bare possibility that she | Washington, March 21.—Sampel Compass, no Attantic. There is a bare possibility that any has been caught in the ice floes and that her crew has been rescued by some scaling steamer, as happened in the case of another atermship a few years ago. This, however, is thought to be the senate on the 17th instant by the committee on the judiciary.

TUNNEL HEARING.

Attorneys for the Pennsylvania Explain the Scheme.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press New York, March 21.-There was a public hearing before the Mayor today on the bill to permit the building of a tunnel by the Pennsylvania Railroad company under the North river. It was held in pursuance of the state law. which provides that public hearings must be held on all measures passed by the legislature affecting cities of

the first class. John G. Johnson, counsel for the Pennsylvania railroad and its controlled line, the Long Island railroad, and said that the only practicable way for connecting the Long Island and the Pennsylvania railroad was by tunnel, and that the tunnel plan could not be entered upon unless the franchises were

granted permanently. "For the construction of this tunnel," he said, "a necessary requirement is a large expenditure of money. The Pennsylvania company has already acquired real estate to the value of more than \$6,000,000 and for the completion of the improvements the expense will be close to or beyond \$40,000,000."

John R. Dos Passos, counsel for the New York and New Jersey Railroad company; Jefferson M. Levy and others spoke in favor of the proposition, saying the tunnel was a necessity for the city of New York.

COURT MARTIAL OF MARINE OFFICERS

General Chaffee Decides That He Has Jurisdiction to Try the Accused Officers.

Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Manila, March 21.-The court martial try Major Littleton, W. T. Waller and Lieutenant John H. A. Day, of the marine corps, on the charge of executing natives of the island of Samar without trial, after receiving a communication from General Chaffee, to day decided that it had jurisdiction in the case and proceeded to try the ac-

cused officers. Major Waller pleaded "not guilty" to thecharge of murder, but admitted that eleven men had been killed.

Captain Robert H. Dunlap, of the marine corps testified that he received nformation from Lieutenant Gridley and Sergeant Quick regarding the arrival at Cargadares of prisoners who, while on the march across the island. ate roots and parts of plants and refused to assist the marines by giving them similar food. He reported the facts to Major Waller, who was lying in a cot and who ordered Lieutenant Day to take the prisoners and have them shot.

The witness said Major Waller was not excited and had personally expressed that the men should be shot. Captain Arthur T. Marix, marin corps, repesenting Major Waller, objected to the testimony of Dr. Love regarding the sanity of Major Waller, a

the time, claiming that his fitness for duty was a matter for the defense alone. He conceded that Major Waller gave the orders while in his right senses.

IMMIGRANTS KIDNAPPED. Seized by Hotel Runners and Sent

to North Carolina. By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press.

New York, March 21 .- Deputy Commissioner mmigration McSweeney went a complaint folice Commissioner Partridge today to the eff hat a number of Italian immigrants had been kid supped upon landing at South Ferry, from Elli dand, and shipped to North Catolina under the retext of obtaining employment on an imag nary railroad at \$2 a day. Mr. McSweeney de manded an increase in the number of police of-ficers stationed at the Ellis Island ferry landing. The victims were Calabrese immigrants. They cell into the clutches of several of the hote hustled on board a train bound for North Care lina. One of the men returned to thus city last Thursday and told McSweeney what had hapened

TUG LOST HER TOW.

Feared That Barge Hamilton, with Five Men Aboard, Foundered.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Boston, March 21 .- The tug Edward Lukenbach, Capt. Keane, has arrived from Newport News, reporting the loss of the barge Hamilton, which she had in tow off Highland Light on Wednesday. It is feared that the barge foundered and that Capt. John A Schoemaker and his crew of four men were drowned,

Prince Henry Grateful.

By Exclusive Wire from the Associated Press. Berlin, March 21.-Admiral Prince Henry of B. Jackson, as charge d'affaires here in the ab-sence of Andrew D. White, the American am-bassador, in which the prince says: "I pray you accept for yourself and the members of I American embassy my best thanks for the we come on my return from the United States. shall never forget the cordial and splendid by pitality I met with in your country or ness shown me by the American people.

Keogh Defeats Eby

By Exclusive Wive from the Associated Press. New York, March 21 .- In the first game of the processional continuous championship pool tour nament at the Montaul Academy in Brooklyn toright, William Wenrick, of New York, defeat ed Irving Long, of Nashville, Tenn., by 125 to 75. In the second game Jerome B. Keogh, o Buffalo, defeated Grant Eby, of Springfield, O.

Protest from Gompers.

CAMBRIDGE CREW FAVORED.

Odds 3 to 1 Against Oxford in Tomorrow's Race-Training Ended.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Frem. London, March 21 .- Although the beting on the annual Oxford-Cambridge boat race, which takes place tomorrow, is 3 to 1 in favor of the Cambridge crew, the Oxford oarsmen latterly have improved enough to promise a better struggle than the prophets anticipated. Both crews finished their heavy work this morning and went to the Queen's club this afternoon to witness the an nual field sports between the two unfversities.

only chance is to press Cambridge for the first couple of miles, in which case the Light Blues (Cambridge) may possibly weaken and prove unable to make another spurt. There are two Americans-D. Milburn and J. G. Milburn, brothers-in the Oxford boat. They have shown good form throughout their

BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT

Labor Controversies are Less Threatening-Many Settlements Have Been Affected.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. New York, March 21.-R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade tomorrow

will say

Evidences of further improvement are numer ous. Labor controversies are less threatening, many settlements having been effected, while others are momentarily anticipated; wages have been advanced, not only through strikes, but in some cases voluntarily; traffic congestion has subsided until it is possible to deliver goods ac-cording to specifications; the leading lines of nanufacture are very fully engaged while jobbing

trade is of exceptional magnitude, Pressure for iron and steel has not diminished perceptibly, yet the impression is growing that after July 1st the situation will become approxmately normal and it will be possible to secur deliveries with some degree of promptness. This is the more probable as there has been a further stiffening of quotations and additional importaions which would have been much larger bu or the advance in foreign markets. For some time to come it is probable that foreign com-merce exhibits as to this industry will be less satisfactory, but it is worthy of note that imports are mainly of pig iron, billets and sheets while the exports of many lines of expensive machinery and other finished products are fully sustained. Large contracts are constantly under consideration for structural material on domes tic account, including railway bridges, viaducts car shops and office buildings. In this respec the domestic consumption this year will far sunrpass all records. Open weather has brought out a heavy tonnage of merchant pipe, Failures for the week numbered 200 in the United States against 221 last year, and 31 in Canada against 33 last year.

FRANCE-RUSSIA DECLARATION. Believed in St. Petersburg It Will Have Reassuring Effect.

usive. Wire from The Associated P St. Petersburg, March 21 .- The Russian press agrees that the Franco-Russian declaration on the subject of the Anglo-Japanese agreement will dispose of misunderstandings and have a reassuring effect the work over. The Novoye Vremya says:

"The Franco-Russian alliance was compelled to restore the balance of power in the Pacific, which was disturbed by the Anglo-Japanese agreement. The policy of a free hand expressed in the declaration, is in acordance with Russia's interests."

In connection with the eastward novement of Russian troops, it is anounced that the first section of the Cossacks is already in the Far East, and that the second section has been mobilized.

MISSIONARIES SAFE IN CHINA. American Board Gets Reassuring Letters-Part of Indemnity Paid.

By Exclutive Wire from The Associated Press. Boston, March 21.-Among the letters and reports from North China recently received by the American board is one from Dr. Peck of Poa Ting Fu, in which it is said that one payment on the indemnity for the native christians which according to the original agreement was not due until next summer has been paid.

Mr. Wilder, one of the board's missionaries in Pekin, reports the country as safer than ever before, or at least safer than at any time during three or four years.

Mr. Galt, another missionary, after a tour in the country districts, writes; Everything seems to be remarkably quiet in the field where Dr. Ament took the first steps in reconstructing the work just a year ago. In no place could we discover any but the friendliest feelings toward him. Especially did the officials speak well of him."

AMONG THE BOXERS.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press, Philadelphia, March 21.—Gus Rahim and Peter Maher met at the Industrial Athletic club tonight for a six-round go, and in the latter part of the second round Maher went down and out on a hard left on the jaw. Ruhlin had the better of the go as far as it went, repeatedly rushing Maher to the ropes.

Chicago, March 21 .- Erne was awarded the desion over Gardner at the end of the sixth round. Gardner was clearly outclassed. Philadelphia, March 21.—Engene Spencer, of California, and "Scaldy Bill" Quinn, of Will-iansport, appeared before the Central Athletic club tonight for a six-cound bout, but in the

third round the Californian was so badly used was put on against Quinn in place of Ed Denfass, who declined to fight, claiming to be

Firebug at the Astor House. By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press.

New York, March 21.-Edward Earley, cas an elevator attenuant at the Astor House as arrested today charged with causing the two lay night. He made a statement to the polic y night. He make a statement and that he did ing that he started the fires and that he did those why he had done it. He was under he influence of liquor at the time, he said.

Shoots His Daughter-in-Law.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. New York, March 21 .- Joseph Liebenguth, years old, shot and dangerously wounded his daughter-in-law, Anna Lichenguth roday, and then shot and instantly killed himself. He complained recently that the young woman had taken his son's love from him.

MILES MAY **BE RETIRED**

President Roosevelt, It Is Alleged Is Tired of Constant Frigtion in the Armu.

In the opinion of the experts Oxford's BUT LITTLE DOUBT AT WASHINGTON

Thursday's Incident Only One of Many of the Annoying Class. President Will Read the Testimony Before Announcing What He Proposes to Do-A Significant Confer-

By Exclusive Wire from the Associated Press. Washington, March 21 .- At the cab inct meeting today the publications relating to the statements made by General Miles before the senate committee yesterday were brought up, bu consideration of them was postponed until all the facts in the matter became known. Whatever intentions the president had with respect to the treatment to be accorded General Miles, his future action will be somewhat influenced by the fact that General Miles' statement before the senate committee has been represented to him as being privileged. The president proposes to read the testimony given at the hearing and to consult with different members of the committee on military affairs before finally announcing what he proposes to de. It is significant that long after the cabinet meeting adjourn- to the church and a man of standing ed Secretary Root and the attorney general were closeted with the presi-

The president is known to have stated that he was tired of the friction in the army and whether it is decided that General Miles' statement was a privileged one or not he will at no distant day take action looking to his retirement.

Secretary Root was in consultation for some time with President Roosevelt at the white house tonight regarding the statement of General Miles before the military affairs committee of the senate. Senator Spooner also was postoffice robbery present. Secretary Root declined to talk for publication concerning the matter, saying that he had not read the testimony given by General Miles. It is understood that General Miles has been furnished the stenographic report of his testimony for revision.

The printed testimony of General Miles has not yet been made public and it is understood that it will be submitted to him for approval. It is well understood that a great deal of what the general said will not appear in the record. Members of the committee say the report published vesterday afternoon was correct in substance in every particular. At the same time these senators do not agree that General Miles can be punished for his utterances before the committee, whether they appear in the record or not. Of course the committee could take no action to prevent the retirement of General Miles. That, under the law is purely an executive act and needs no confirmation or approval of the senate

STATE LEAGUE MEETING.

Sessions at Hazleton Come to an Abrupt Close.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Hazleton, March 21 .- The meeting of he State League of base ball managers, who were in session here during the night, came to an abrupt close this morning.

A. L. Lawson and James McCabe, of Scranton and Wilkes-Barre, respectively, returned to their homes, and President Witman, representing Reading, and the other delegates from Hazleton, Lancaster and Lebanon, went to Reading, where the meeting was continued this afternoon.

Reading, March 21 .- President Wm. Abbott Witman, of the State Base Ball League, this afternoon made the following announcement.

"The representatives to the meeting of the State League at Hazleton, de cided to open with but six club's. Manager Miller, of the Hazleton club, will transfer his team to Williamsport. He received a splendid offer from that place. Williamsport is twice Hazleton's size and a first-class ball town. The league decided to go into class C instead of class D, National agreement. The league is a full-fledged member of the National association.

No Faith in Fitz.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Oskland, Cal., March 21.-William Delaney, nanager for James J. Jeffries, said today: "From the action taken by the board of supervisors in San Francisco yeaterday, awarding the April permit to Yesemite Clab, I judge that the Prisco people have given up all hope of getting the light. Fitz-immons is simply looking for an adwitisement. He is up to sumo dodge to keep hi New York when we not the first hitch. Mark my words, he will butter with this thing 4nd or with it as long as the press will stand for and and in the cut there will be no fight.

Author of "Ben Bolt" Ill.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Newark, N. J., March 21.—Dr. Thomas Duim English, author of "flen Bolt," who is ill at his home here, was reported to be alignity bei-ter today.

NEGROES FAVOR DANISH SALE.

They Hope for Better Conditions Under Uncle Sam. ly Exclusive Wire from the Amortated Press

Copenhagen, March 21 .- The fate of he Danish West Indian treaty, accordng to the statement made by a prominent member of the landsthing, the upper house, in an Interview today, now depends upon the attitude of the premier and minister of foreign affairs. Dr. Deuntzer, who, if firmly opposed to a plebiscite of the islands being taken, can force its ratification in the landsthing by a small majority. The opponents of the treaty are working industriously to secure its rejection. A secret caucus of the opposition members today resulted in their calling for all the correspondence rethe Easter recess.

A blue book, which is in course of preparation, contains the latest reports | ingrate and political nonentity." from the islands. All the negroes favor their sale. They hope this will result in their being granted the elective franchise and that higher wages will

JEKYL AND HYDE BURGLAR. Shot in Chicago-May Be \$76,000

Postoffice Robber. By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Chicago, March 21,-As a result of a shooting affray yesterday, the police are bending their energies to connect Joseph Hopkins, the injured man, with the \$76,000 postoffice robbery last sum-

Hopkins was shot by "Dan" Kipley, nephew of former Chief of Police Kipley, and himself a former detective, in a flat occupied by Lillie Arlington. Kipley says he shot in self-defense. At Luke's hospital today, Hopkins' condition was said to be critical. Following the shooting, it developed that Hopkins had been leading a Jekyll-Hyde existence. He was identified, according to the police, as a bank burglar of national notoriety, but in Palos Park, where he lived, he had a reputa tion as a dispenser of charities, a giver in society. His wife's standing was also of the best, but when she taken to the police station, policemen say they recognized her as a woman known as "Blonde Marie."

Kipley, while in his cell, told a friend that Hopkins was a man for whom the police had been searching in connection with the postoffice robbery. What the connection is it has not been made plain, but it is pointed out that Hopkins is an electrician and that the holes drilled in the bottom of the safes in the postoffice were by tools receiving power from some electrical device. search of the Hopkins brought to light several burglars' tools,

SAY HE SMUGGLED CHINESE. Captain of Dutch Steamship Wilhel-

but nothing was found showing that

Hopkins had anything to do with the

mina Accused by Sailors. By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Wilmington, March 21.-Information has reached the department of justice to the effect that several members of the crew of the Dutch steamship Wilhelmina, arriving at Port Townsend from Manila by way of Hong Kong and the big ship brought over three China- D. Foss; Rev. Dr. John F. Goucher, men, whom he concealed beneath the engine room during the inspection at Chicago; Rev. R. J. Cook, Chattanooga, Port Townsend by customs and quar- Tenn.; Judge Thomas H. Murray, antine officials. In the night he is said to have assisted the mto escape in O.; T. B. Sweet, Topeka, Kan.

a launch. Instructions have been forwarded by Assistant Secretary Taylor of the treasury department to the collector at Port Townsend to confer with the United States attorney and take immediate steps to seize the ship for violation of the exclusion act.

TROOPS JOIN CHINESE REBELS. Reported Desertion of 20,000 of Marshal Su's Soldiers.

By Exclusive Wire from the Associated Press. Hong Kong, March 21.-Advices from Canton say it is credibly reported there that the viceroy has received telegrams from Lung-Chan, on the Annam border, saying that the whole of Marshal Su's troops have deserted and joined the rebels. If that be true, says the 20,000 foreign armed and drilled troops, capable of defeating any force the im-

perialists can raise The telegrams further say the country is undoubtedly ripe for rebellion. Robberies are of frequent occurrence. The long-continued drought prevents the planting of spring rice, and this has led the farm laborers to become robbers. Well-informed persons consider a rebellion similar to that of the Taiping probable.

Another Park Avenue Accident.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. New York, March 21 .- Park avenue, this city lay was again the scene of an accident, which, while it entailed no loss of life, caused a prop erty less of considerable proportions. The brown tone fronts of several four-story private houses on the east side of the avenue sank because of the undermining of the foundations by excavations for the rapid transit tunnel.

Steamship Arrivals. By Exclusive Wire from the Associated Press.

New York, March 21.-Arrived: Campania, Liverpool and Queenstown. Cleared: Massia Rotterdam via Boulogne; Honenzollern, Genorand Naples. Havre-Arrived: L'Aquitaine, New Boulogue-Salled; Rotterdam (from Rott), New York, Brow Head-Passed; Cevic New York for Liverpool. Queenstown-Arrived: Eucania (New York for Liverpool) and proceeded

DEATHS OF A DAY. By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press.

New, York, March 21.—William Henry Prost who has been draw artic editor on the New York Tribune for thirteen years, died today at his home in this city. He was 39 years of age and was graduated from Brown university. Chicago, March 21.—Edward A. Wakefield, real estate agent of all lines of the Pennsylvania system west of Pittsburg, died today at the Grand

MINE WORKERS DO NOT AGREE

MR. CLEVELAND IS

NOT WORRIED. He Expresses No Opinion Upon Mr.

Bryan's Editorial Comment. By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Princeton, N. J., March 21.-Ex-President Grover Cleveland was today shows a dispatch from Lincoln, Neb., which lating to the negotiations. This delays said that W. J. Bryan, commenting settlement of the question till after editorially in The Commoner upon Mr Cleveland's recent letter to a Mississ ippi editor, denounces him as "a traitor

> "I am not at all troubled about it was the only comment Mr. Cleveland would make. The ex-president was asked what he

> thought of the prospects of pulling together the Democratic party for the next presidential campaign, and re

"I don't know much about it, but there seems to be some efforts in that direction. I would not care to express any further opinion on it at present.

MEETING OF METHODISTS

Joint Commission in Session at Baltimore-Items That Will Be Considered.

ly Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press.

Baltimore, Md., March 21.-The first ession of a joint commission representing the Methodist Episcopal church and the Methodist Episcopal church, South, began this afternoon at the Women's college, in this city. The conference is private.

A member of the commission of the Northern branch of the church said today that the result of the conference will undoubtedly be far-reaching, and that it will be impossible to predict the

cope of the general result Following are some of the items that vill be brought up for consideration; Unification of mission work in all forign fields; strengtheneing the various osts of the two churches by thorough organization and equipment; the esablishment of a more economic basis of operations; the establishment of a joint female seminary in the foreign deld; a proposition to establish a joint book concern and publishing house in china; the establishment of secular and religious papers in the foreign fields. A large number of other im- grievances. portant questions will be discussed at mg of the co

The joint commission is composed as ollows: Methodist Episcopal church, South Bishops John C. Granberry, W. W. Duncan and R. K. Hargroves: Rev. E. E. Hoss, Nashville, Tenn.; Rev. G. G. McDowell, Judge Walter Clark, Raleigh, N. C.; Prof. R. W. Jones, ford, Miss., and Colonel Asa Holt,

iome field.

Abilene, Texas. Methodist Episcopal church-Bishops Amoy, make oath that the captain of S. M. Merrill, J. H. Walden and Cyrus Baltimore; Rev. Dr. H. G. Jackson, Clearfield, Pa.; R. T. Miller, Cincinnati,

SALESMAN ARRESTED FOR EMBEZZLEMENT. Charles E. Herrick, of Stanhope,

Special to the Scranton Tribune. Stroudsburg, Pa., March 21.-Charles E. Herrick, of Stanhope, N. J., the salesman, employed by the Stroudsburg Brewing company for Warren county, was arrested at his house by Constable Teeter, of Belvidere, charged with embezzling some of the company's money. He was taken to Belvidere,

where he gave \$200 ball and was re

leased. Recently his accounts were dis-

Under Bail-His Defense.

covered to be between six and seven hundred dollars short. Herrick says the company owes him salary and commissions, which more advices, it adds to the revolutionists than counterbalance the amount which they claim he has embezzled, and proposes to fight the case to the end.

THREE MONTHS IN WATER.

Body of a Five Year Old Boy Floats One Hundred and Fifty Miles. By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press,

Lancaster, Pa., March 3L.-Last evening O. Brass, of Valleyport, Lycoming county, lett Bainbridge, this county, with the remains of to five-year-old son. The boy fell into the Suspechanna at Valley port, in December, when I river was flooded. During the recent flood the river the body was washed ashore at Saginaw York county, about 150 miles from the plan where the accident occurred. The remains were identified by the descriptions posted along the river and the father notified.

Patrick Presecution Closed. By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press

New York, March 21,-- The prosecution in the rial of Albert T. Patrick, accused of the murde f William N. Rice, closed its presentation of achartal evidence today and court was adjourned until Monday when the addresses of the defend given to the prosecution and Recorder Golf wil am up on Wednesday.

Sharkey Asked to Be Substituted.

By Exclusive Wire from the Associated Press. Los Angeles, Cal., March 21.—The Centu Athletic club, today wired Tom Sharkey, t pogilist, asking tabler what terms he take Fitzshumous' place and fight Jeffries city during the first week in May. The couduring the first week in May. The clu fuse to accede to his demands for a larger pura and percentage than they originally offered.

Wilcox on Trial.

By Exclusive Wire from the Associated Press. Clienheth City, N. C., March 21.—The case of James Wilcox, on trial for the nurder of Nell Cropsey, went to the jury at 4.30 o'clock this afternoon. A verdict is not expected tonight,

Theu Fail to Reach a Determination Concerning the Griev-

ances of the Miners.

SCALE COMMITTEE REPORT PROTRACTED

President Mitchell Announced That a Part of the Report Had Been Adopted, but Failed to State the Nature of the Clauses Accepted. Not Certain That the Report Will Be Made Public Today-Messrs. Shea and Edwards of the Street Railway Union Appeal to Miners to Support the Strike at Scranton.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Shamokin, Pa., March 21.-Contrary to expectations, the convention of Districts Nos. 1, 7 and 9, United Mine Workers of America, failed to reach a determination today concerning the grievances of the anthracite coal miners. Many of the delegates had expected an adjournment and definite action not later than today, but the discussion of the scale committee report vas more protracted than was anticipated and its adoption, entire, had not been accomplished at the hour of adjournment this afternoon

The committee presented its report to the convention at the afternoon session. President Mitchell announced that a part of the report had been adopted, but failed to state the nature of the clauses accepted. Mr. Mitchell tonight said he was unable to make a statement concerning the progress of the convention with the scale, owing to the fact that there was much of the report still to be considered. President Mitchell was not certain that the report would be made public in its entirety tomorrow. There is much uncertainty here tonight concerning the situation, and opinion to about equally divided as to whether the convention will declare in favor of drastic measures to secure an adjustment of their

No business of importance was trausacted at the morning session. of which will refer to the work of the Shea and T. J. Edwards, president and vice president, respectively, of Division 168, Amalgamated Association of Street Railway Employes, appeared before the convention and appealed for the mine workers' support in the Scranton street railway strike. On motion, the locals of the miners' union were instructed to aid the strucers financially,

and the moral support of the organization was accorded. The only remaining business for the onsideration of the convention is the report of the scale committee.

MYSTERIOUS BURGLAR SHOT.

Carried an International Correspondence Schools Pin. By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. New York, March 21.-A burgher was shot at the residence of Jeremiah Vanderbeck, in Jersey City, late last night,

while trying to escape from the house.

The wounded man was taken to a hos-

pital, where he said he was James Wil-

son, that he was 29 years old, and that he had no home or occupation. He died this afternoon. In a pocket of his clothing was found an emerald pin, which bore the words, 'International Correspondence School,' Scranton, Pa." It was attached to a piece of paper on which was the name

and address of George S. Beall & Co., Columbus, Ohio. REVOLUTION IN ALBANIA.

The Governor's Palace at Yanina Has Been Attacked. By Exclusive Wire from the Associated Press.

Lendon, March 22.—According to the Rome correspondent of the Daily Mail, the Italian consul at Vanina, Southern Albania, has sent in news of a serious revolution in Albania. The governor's palace uz Yanina has been attacked and everal gendarmes were killed. The recolutionisms

ire masters of the town. The consul says more serious outbreaks have occurred at Bernt, Paramythia and Aviona, in European Turkey, and that the revolution is spreading throughout Albania.

Present to Haverford College. By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press.

Philadelphia, March 21,-At a meeting of the world of managers of Haverford college, today, monneement was made that the widow of the iate Charles Roberts, of this city, will present the college with a new greenbly hall, in memory of her husband, who died last January. The building is to cost \$50,000.

Cecil Rhodes Sinking.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Cape Town, March 21 .- Cecil Rhodes was tonight breathing better and took nourishment but his heart was weaker. At midnight the patient was restless and decidedly weaker.

YESTERDAY'S WEATHER. Local data for March 21, 1902;

Relative lumidity:

8 a, m 74 per cent, Precipitation, 24 hours ended 8 p. m., none.

WEATHER FORECAST.

Washington, March 21.-Porecast for Saturday and Sunday: Eastern Pennsylvania, increasing cloudiness Saturday rain by afternoon or night and probab en Sanday; light to northeast winds