IGNORE THE REGICIDES

United States Government Will Follow the British Course.

COLONEL MISCHICH IS HONORED.

For the Present Minister Jackson Will Not Present flis Credentials to King Peter-France and Holland Will Also Await the New King's Action Toward the Assas-

Washington, D. C. (Special).-The United States government has adopted an attitude similar to that of England toward the new Servian dynasty. It will be in no haste to recognize a government treated by assassination in the absence of some exhibition of a disposition to punish the guiky. Therefore Mr. Jackson, who, besides being minister to Greece, is also United States minister to Servia, will not present his credentials to the government of King Peter at present.

In fact, these credentials have not been prepared. He had credentials to King Alexander which he had never presented. and he was actually on his way from Athens to Belgrade at the time of the assassination of the King to whom he was about to present his papers. It happens that the trade between the United States and Servia is trifling, and

the interests of the two countries touch at few points, so that there is really little embarrassment likely to follow the fail-

ure to establish diplomatic relations. Paris (By Cable).—Foreign Minister Deleasse's colleagues express the belief that he is likely to deprecate the Servian tragedies by an expression similar to those of Russia and Austria; but it is pointed out that King Peter took the vi-itative in the cases of Russia and Austria by telegraphing to the Czar and Emperor Francis Joseph, thus affording them the opportunity for Austrian responses, whereas the Servian King has not addresed the other powers, and, consequently, has not given them an oppor-

tunity to make rejoinders.

The opportunity, however, will come when the question of the recognition of King Peter arises. In the meanwhile the Trench Minister at Belgrade has been instructed to restrict his action to current routive affairs and to maintain a neutral attitude toward the new regime until the question of the King's recognition is formally decided. This will not come to the front until after King Peter's arrival in Belgrade, his formal assumption of power and his notice of that assumption to the foreign ministers.

The Hague (By Cable).—The Dutch representative at Belgrade has been instructed to assume the same attitude as Great Britain toward the provisional

YOUTH KILLS HIS SWEETHEART.

Elmer Heath Shoots Kitty Adkins at Salisbury, Md.

Salisbury, Md. (Special).-One of the most shocking tragedies in the his-tory of Salisbury occurred about 8 oclock p. m. in that section of the o'clock p. m., in that section of the ten by a leopard at the animal show at city known as Canton, just beyond the New York, Philadelphia and Norfolk Railroad Station.

Elmer Heath, a young man about 20 years of age, shot and instantly kill-ed his sweetheart. Miss Katie Adkins, and immediately turned the pistol upon himself and put three bullets into his

He dropped the smoking weapon and ran across the street for about 100 yards and fell upon his face. He was found within 15 minutes after the shooting of the young girl and was put in an am-bulance and carried to the jail. necessarily fatal.

Japan's Demand for Open Ports.

Yokohama (By Cable).—The Japanese minister at Peking filed a formal demand arrived at Santo Domingo. on the Chinese Foreign Office for the in a fire which destroyed the greater part of the village of Moenich-Kirichen, foreign trade. The Chinese officials replied that circumstances were not favprable to the opening of the cities mentioned. The American and British representatives are supporting Japan's demands. Minister Conger is also demanding the opening of Harbin, Man-

Man Falls Fifty Feet.

Omaha, Neb. (Special).-The jury in the case of Line Linnier, Company I, Twenty-fifth Infantry, charged with the murder of Sergeant Robert Yours, of the same company, has brought in a ver-dict of murder in the first degree, but eliminating the sentence of capital pun-ishment. The verdict, under United States laws, carries with it imprison-ment for life. The killing occurred at Fort Niobrara, Nebraska, April 17, 1903.

Strikers Must Work.

linton, Ind. (Special).—The 600 striking miners who stopped work in the Island Coal Company's mines last week have returned to work in compliance with the ultimatum of Presi-dent John Mitchell. It is understood that the miners were compelled to return to work or surrender their charters and suffer other workmen to take

Queen Draga's Sisters.

Belgrade (By Cable).-Queen Draga's sisters, who arrived at Vienna, traveled second class on the train to Vienna. They say they are ruvied. They were only given \$400 to defray the expense of journey, and they do not expect to receive anything more. Joseph and try to obtain justice,

Killed in Mine Disaster.

Raton, N. M. (Special) -Five men were killed by an explosion which wrecked Mine No. 2 of the Raton Coal and Coke Company, at Blossburg, N. M. The dead are Joe Ehesnic, Tony Nation, Jack Stolm, Tom Poiser and Alfonso Deme. Jack Bell, fire boss, was bady burned and Harry Mussell had several ribs broken. The explo-sion is believed to have been caused a windy shot. The mine was inspected less than two weeks ago,

Killed Brother-in-Law in Church.

Waterbury, Ct. (Special) .- Grass of a peculiar and sturdy growth has given the marker feature. Schwah's selling and such trouble to the trustees of the Bron- his o tanglement in United States Shipson Library, whose pet hobby is to make the grounds that surround the half- million dollar struccture an ideal beauty bears can, if their own statements were spot, that they contracted with a Winsted animal dealer for the services of a amail herd of Angora goats to keep the handsome and spacious lawn in trim. The goats are to be guarded while at work and kept under control by a wire fence.

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THE LATEST NEWS IN SHORT ORDER.

Domestic.

Judge Waddill, in the United States Court in Richmond, Va., decided that by applying for a receiver the Trigg Shipbuilding Company did not commit n act of bankruptcy.

James McKinney, the last of the outlaws who broke out of prison at Glas-gow, Mont., was shot to death by a farmer, in whose icchouse he had taken

Frank C. Jappe, eashier and book-keeper for the Frank Leslie Publish-ing Company in New York, was ar-rested, charged with robbing the company of about \$10,000.

George Bartuski, who claimed to be virtuoso, was arrested in Elizabeth, N. J., on the charge of being a

Vice President Loomis, of the Delaware and Lackawanna, declared there would be enough hard coal to supply of. all demands this year.

Lightning struck a but stored with 3000 pounds of dynamite year Seneca-ville, O. Six men were killed in the explosion and a score injured.

Maurice O'Hearn, a night watchman, was shot and killed by a suspicious-looking man whom he had challenged. The court in Pittsburg allowed Dr. W. C. Browning \$34.163.18 against the

The State Bank of Oakley, Kan., was obbed. The robbers got between \$4000 and \$4000. Otto Thornert, an electrical expert, was instantly killed by touching a live

wire while inspecting a switchboard of the Germantown Electric Light Company, Philadelphia. The one hundred and twenty-fifth an-

niversary of the evacuation of Valley Forge by the Continental Army was bserved by a patriotic celebration in Three Slav miners were fatally burn-

by a powder explosion in the home Nate Glazes, one of the victims, in the mining settlement of Twilight, Pa. The jury in the Jett-White case, in Jackson, Ky., reported to Judge Red-wine that it was impossible to agree

upon a verdiet and was discharged.

"Kentucky" Joe Miller, charged with numerous postoffice robberies, and a man known as "Leon," escaped from all of the charged with the control of the charged with numerous postoffice robberies. ail at Morristown, Tenn.

Hoffman Phillip, American vice and deputy consul general at Tangiers, Morocco, is in this country on a brief trip

The Brooklyn grand jury began an investigation of the sale of cash registers to the Postoffice Department,
George Durham and Fred Underwood were hanged in Clarksville, Ark,
for the murder of Sheriff John H.

William C. Van Benthuysen, of the editorial staff of the World, died at his home, in New York. The Carnegie Steel Company and the Amalgamated Association signed a

vage scale in Pittsburg.
William Harden, the espaped mur-lerer, was shot to death by a posse in the Bad Lands. Twenty-five Chinamen were caught

I creign.

The United States European Squadron arrived at Byborg, Island of Funen. Denmark, en route to Kiel. The itmeral of the colored boy who had been attached to one of the ships caused a remarkable demonstration.

Premier Zanardelli, of Italy, has been tooning. unable to construct an entirely new cabinet, as most of the leaders of the other parties voted against the government. King Christian has issued a decree declaring adherence of Denmark to the The doctors think Heath will live, as | Berne International Copyright Conventhe wounds, though serious, are not tion of 1886, to become operative July

Claims of Italian subjects have been presented to the Santo Domingo gov-ernment and an Italian warship has

Lower Austria. P. A. McHugh, the Irish M. P., was released from Sligo jail, having served the sentence imposed for contempt of

The wife of Samuel Jameson, American, became deranged in Paris and the husband committed suicide. According to reports in Paris, the the French government of the where-abouts of the Humbert family because his son was in love with Eve Humbert, daughter of Mme. Humbert, and refus-

ed to give the girl up.

Members of the United States International Exchange Commission state that they have secured from the British government all the support they expected for the project of giving oility to the monetary systems of the silver-using countries.
The bodies of Hans Pagel and Her-

mina Scheler, his sweetheart, who had been missing from Strassburg, were found in an abyss near Bregenz. The man had shot the girl, thrown her body wer a precipice, and then killed him-

The President of France has signed the pardon of Gabrielle Bompard, woman who, with the aid of a confederate, murdered a process server in 1899 and was sentenced to 20 years penal servitude.

Lord Grey, director of the British South Africa, regretted Booker Washington's declination of the invitation to isit South Africa and suggest a plan or bettering the conditions of the peo-

Japan has made demand upon China for the opening of Mukden and Tai Tung Chou to foreign trade. The Unitseek an audience of Emperior Francis ed States and Great Britain support Japan's demands.

Financial.

The Pennsylvania has applied to list \$70,000,000 new stock on the New York

exchange. The United States Treasurer's surplus Unless the Treasury can pay out some money on Panama Canal purchases Secretary Shaw will have to evolve some plan for getting this surplus money out of the Treasury He may again go into the market and purchase Government

Prime reports present crop conditions wer the West as unfavorable. Weakness in United States Steel was building were direct causes for the de-

It does seem odd that the Wall Street at much lower prices their actual con-

GRIEVANCES OPERATORS

Coal Companies Complain to Conciliation Board.

CHARGES AND COUNTER CHARGES.

Surprise for the Miners in Charges to Be Made by the Companies-Petty Strikes, Interference With Nonunion Men and Staying Away from Work Unexpectedly Some of the Accusations.

Wilkes-Barre, Pa. (Special).-When the conciliation board meets in this city this week the operators will have grievances to be adjusted, as well as the miners, and this will be a surprise to many of the latter, who believed that the

The operators will take exception to the many petty strikes, which are the cause of much inconvenience and annoyance; also that the nonunion men are being interfered with, and that the coal output is lessened by the practice of employes remaining at home on certain days without permission.

The miners will offset this with the charge of discrimination; that some of the men active in the strike have not been given work since; that the award of the commission has been violated by a change in the condition of mining at many places, which does not permit the miners to make as much now as before the strike, and that the operators have broken all custom in the Schuylkill region by having the mor work an hour onger on Saturday.

Among other important questions which the miners want settled will be the reduction of yardage, check weighmen, hours of labor for drivers and company

LIGHTNING EXPLODES DYNAMITE.

Six Men Were Blown to Pieces and a Score or More Injured.

Cambridge, O. (Special).-Lightning struck a hut stored with 3000 pounds of dynamite at the new mines now being opened, near Senecaville, 12 miles from here, during a storm, killing six at present private secretary to Gov men and injuring a score of others, be- ernor Hunt, of Porto Ricco sides ruining the mine shaft and breaking nearly all the windows in Senecaville, a mining town of 300 people, half a mile from the mine. The men killed and injured were carpenters and others employed in opening the mines and building the shafting. When the storm came up the men took refuge in John Saltzgaber's barn, some distance from the mine. Suddenly a blinding flash and in an instant the barn was demolished and the men scattered over a radius of 100 feet. More than a score of men were bleeding from injuries sustained from heavy rocks torn from the earth and from the timbers from the blacksmith shop.

To Train After-dinner Speakers.

Madison, Wis. (Special) .-- At the dinner of the alumni of the University of Wisconsin it was proposed to estab- a bounty on sugar exports. lish at the University a department for the cultivation of humor, such as afterdinner speaking, story-telling and car-tooning. D. W. Smith, of Milwaukee, asserted that polished after-dinner speakers and story-tellers were more successful in life than men with de-The matter will be submitted to the fac-

Big Prices for Fancy Hogs.

Peru, Ind. (Special).-Record prices were paid at the Poland China swine sale at Macy, Ind. The aggregate sales Ten persons were burned to death of the two days were more than \$60,000 for the of head that were offered. The highest price paid for one hog was for "Ideal Sunrise," which approximated \$17,957. A half interest in Majestic Perfection was sold for \$4400 to Wilkinson Brothers of Cynthiana.

Many Hurt in Factory Crash. New York (Special).-There were many miraculous escapes in the collapse Spanish advocate, Cotarello, informed of an old-fashioned six-story building at 49 Bowery. Although there were 32 people employed on the floor that gave way first, only one person, a wo-man, was killed. Her body was taken of the ruins shortly before 2 o'clock. Nine persons were more or though they chiefly suffered from shock.

Great Gold Reef Found.

St. Petersburg (By Cable) .- It is an nounced from Tomsk, West Siberia, that a gold reef seven feet wide has been discovered in the forests bordering the Barikule. The trial workings yielded 6 to 14 pounds of pure gold for every 400 poods (14,428 pounds) of material extracted.

Ten Killed in Passenger Wreck

Waterloo, Ia. (Special).-An Illinois Central passenger train, which left Omaha at 7.50 P. M., collided head on with a freight train just west of Raymond, Ia., at 2.40 A. M. Ten were killed, among them both enginees and firemen and a mail clerk. It took four hours to clear the track of the wreckage. The The passenger trains met at a curve. train, which had the right of way, was going at the rate of 50 miles an hour. The freight crew is said to have mis-

A Soldier Convicted of Murder.

understood their orders.

Trenton, N. J. (Special) .- John Carcel is the hero of East Trenton, and is hoarse telling of a unique experience he livery Service of the Postoffice Depart for the first half of June was \$7,000,000. had in falling from the Lincoln avenue. The total surplus for the year ending with this month will be about \$53,000,000. leaving over the railing to attract the attention of a man or the railroad track emy.

Major General Frank Wheaton, releaning over the railing to attract the beneath when he lost his balance. He went down 50 feet and landed in a bunch. To prove that he was not injured he danced a jig for the bystanders and then walked home unassisted.

Child Ate Twelve Sankes.

Logansport, Ind. (Special).-Alice Fairchild, 12 years old, tried to eat a dozen live snakes, in emulation of a circus attraction, and is in a precarious condition as a result of numerous bites inflicted by the snakes, which objected to being eaten alive. Last week Alice was taken by her parents to see a stake-eater, who appeared in Logansport at a carnival. Thursday Alice's further advices from Minister Conger processing to the transfer from the consent of the snakes before consenting to the transfer from the consent of the snakes. was taken by her parents to see a stake-eater, who appeared in Logansport at a carnival. Thursday Alice's brother caught a dozen small snakes and at night the girl tried to eat them. She was found in convulsions, with the snakes wriggling about her body.

NATIONAL CAPITAL AFFAIRS.

Extra Session Program. As the President is preparing to leave Washington at the end of the week he is notifying the members of Congress

who call upon him now that he expects to spend the next two months, if not more, at his summer home, Oyster Bay. He has given notice that he wants good rest, as he expects to return to Washington early in the fall, so to be ready for the extra session Congress which he has determined to call on November 9. It has been known for some time that the President has settled upon November 9 as the date for calling Congress in extra session, and during his Western trip he confirmed this belief by semiofficially announcing the fact. The President, therefore, expects to be back in ington sometime before this date, so

to get everything in readiness for

the assembling of Congress, Representative Cannon, of Illinois, who is to be the next Speaker of the House, has been in Washington for the last week and has had frequent con-sultations with the President on the assembling of Congress one month be-fore the date fixed by law. Mr. Canwho is assured of election as Speaker, favors the early calling of Congress, and having been acquainted with the President's desires as to what the extra session should do, he will be ready to announce enough committees of the House to enable that body transact business. Mr. Cannon does not intend to announce all of his committees until the regular session is called in December, but as the extra session will be called chiefly to consider legislation necessary to make operative the Cuban Reciprocity Treaty he will be ready to announce the Ways Means Committee, as well Rules, Mileage and Accounts, and perhaps one or two others that may be necessary.

Consular Appointments.

Announcement was made at the State Department of these consular

appointments: John G. Foster, Vermont, Charles E. Turner, Consul-General at Ottawa: Robert Woods Bliss, vice Carl Hurst, Consul at Vienna; James erner Long, Pennsylvania, vice Frank V. Jackson, Consul at Patras, Greece; Edward Higgins, Massachusetts, vice A. L. Frankenthal, Consul at Berne,

Mr. Bliss is from New York and is assassins. Foster, appointed Consul-General at Ottawa, is promoted from Halitax, where he has been Consul-General for six years.

Sugar Countervailing Duty.

In answer to an inquiry received through the Secretary of State, the Treasury Department stated that a countervailing duty will be collected after September 1 next, as heretofore on all sugar imported into the United day, and the results were notably satis-States from countries which pay an factory. export bounty on the same.

Last year a conference was held in Prussels of practically all of the sugar-producing countries of Europe, at which it was agreed that all export and she had been able to walk around bounties on sugar should be discontinued after September 1, 1903. Russia did not participate in this conference, asserting that it did not give

New Philippine Coins.

Hoffman Phillip, American Vice-Consul-General at Tangiers, Morocco, called at the State Department and made an informal report on the situ-ation at his post. The conflict between the Sultan of Morocco and the pretender, he reported, is increasing in bitterness. The pretender's popularity has increased greatly during the last few onths, and the Sultan is believed to be losing ground with his subjects.

Pretender Gaining in Morocco. Secretary Root, at the last Cabinet meeting, presented each of his fellow-Cabinet members, as well as the President, with a set of new coins struck off by this country for the Phil-

In the Departments.

An investigation is mow to be made Dead Letter Office of the Postoffice Dr. C. L. Bennett, United States

ommercial agent at Aguas Calientas, Mexico, died there from cerebral hem- ence. orrhage. The postoffice investigation has re-sulted in some changes in the organ-

ization of the rural free delivery ser-Secretary Root issued an order as

signing Major General S. B. M. Young as chief of staff, with Major General Henry C. Corbin and Brigadier General William H. Carter as the other general staff officers. Brigadier General ker H. Bliss is to become president of the War College. Attorney General Knox submitted an

opinion affirming the right of the government to disregard the injunction issued by the Virginia judge, which for bade the resumption of work on the Galveston. William H. McLanahan, a bookbin-

der in the Government Printing Office, dropped dead from heart disease. The Treasury Department's statistics show that the commerce of the year will exceed \$2,000,000,000.

The Postmaster General has designated E. F. Kimball, chief clerk in the money order division, to succeed Jas ". Metcalf at the head of the bureau The appointment is temporary. A number of consular appointments

was announced at the State Depart Charges are made that Charle Hedges, superintendent of the City De-

upon certain claims.

The President has appointed several cadets to West Point Military Acadtired, is dead, aged 70 years.
Advices to the State Department indi-

ment, urged Congress to act favorably

cate that opposition to the Panama Canal Treaty is increasing in Colombia. The President and Secretary Hay have decided that no more hearings will be given Jewish bodies on the status of Jews in Russia, as the subject, they say, has been fully covered in previous hearings.

before consenting to the transfer from Shanghai to Peking of the negotiations for the commercial treaty between the United States and China.

CZAR'S LIFE IN DANGER

Would.Be Assassin Stopped at Door to Monarch's Apartment.

HAD PASSED THE QUTER GUARDS.

He Wore an Army Officer's Uniform-May Have Been Sympathizer With Kishenel Victims-All London Startled By the Report of the Atlempt on the Russian Ruler's Life.

Moscow (By Cable).-An attempt has been made to assassinate the Czar. It was frustrated at only the last moment.

The attempt was made at Tsarscoesel on the eye of the court's departure for the imperial villa, the new Petershof. The would-be assassin was cleverly gotten up for his desperate deed, for he wore the uniform of an officer of the first class in the Russian Army. He had passed the outer circle of guards, and was about to gain access to the Czar's apartments, when the trick was detected by his lack of knowledge

of a secret*countersign.
The Belgrade assassinations threw the Czar into a terrible state of nervous prostration and extraordinary, secret precautions were taken, one set of the large number of guards placed on duty checking off the other. If it had not checking off the other. If it had not been for these extra guards the assassin would have been successful, for he possessed all the countersigns necesary to reach the very door of the Czar's apartment, but here the new secret password tripped him.

He is believed to have been an ardent sympathizer of those who were mur-dered by the Russians at Kisheneff. The Czar was not informed of the at-

tempt on his life.
The news from Moscow of the attempt on the Czar's life gave London a

It is well known here how the Czar lives in constant dread of the assassins who encircle him, and one dispatch re-ceived the day after the Belgrade horfor related that the Czar was come with nervousness that he retired to his private apartments and remain ed there for twelve hours, canceling number of important engagements state. From English official sources a list of no less than twenty attempts, or threats, on the life of the Czar since 1895 have been compiled. They nearly every line employed by Russian

LORENZ PATIENTS PROGRESSING. Removal of Casts Disclose that Crippled

Limbs Are Becoming Normal. New York (Special).-Two of the first children operated on by Dr. Lorenz in this city last winter have had the casts removed at the Hospital for the Ruptured and Crippled, in this city, One of the removals was effected Fri-

The case was that of Madeline Devereaux, seven years old. Dr. Lorenz had soon afterward. She was notified a few days ago to appear at the hospital, and she did so. The doctors found that the bone was in place and the leg was low-ered without difficulty. A new cast was put in place, and in a few months it will be removed and the leg lowered still

Another removal was that of Charles Solt, five and a half years old, whom Dr. Lorenz operated of the Vanderbilt clinic. He, too, had suffered from congenital hip disease, and Dr. Lorenz laced the bone in its socket. The has been comfortable ever since. I children are still at the hospital, but were reported to be doing splendidly.

New Way to Take One's Life.

New York (Special).-Saying she wanted to die a happy death, and believing that ice cream in large quantities would produce the desired result, Miss Amelia Sternberg, of Morristown, was ippine Islands. There are eight pieces in each set, running up to the peso. The fiscal agents of the Philippine Government in New York are selling already devoured more than a gallon Government in New York are selling. freezer. At the police station it was discovered that she was a patient at the State Hospital at Morris Plains and had escaped early in the evening. the Money Order Bureau and the She said that she ran away for the ead Letter Office of the Postoffice purpose of dying and would have hung herself had she not thought that a few quarts of ice cream would freeze her to death and put a happy end to her exist-

John Mitchell in Ill Health.

Indianapolis (Special).-On account of illhealth, brought on by his recent duties in the East, President John Mitchell, of the United Mineworkers, was unable to attend "Mitchell Day" celebration held by the miners at Win-slow. Pike county, Ind. The address of day was made by Secretary William B. Wilson.

Landslide in North Carolina.

Asheville, N. C. (Special.-Another landslide has occurred on Saluda Mountain, in the cut on the Southern Railway that was filled by the slide of last week, and railroad authorities say that i will be at least a month before the track can be cleared for through traffic.

6,000 Reported Lost. Madrid (By Cable).-According to a

ispatch received here from Tangier. El Menebhi, the Moorish war minister, has lost 6000 men in a battle fought with the rebels at Amniedinna SPARKS FROM THE WIRES. At Richmond, Va., Judge Grinnan, of

ander construction in the Trigg ship-yards. The Navy Department is not disposed to stand for the interference. There was a small attendance of mill en at a meeting in Charlotte, N. C., effect a merger of mills. Such a step

the Richmond Chancery Court, granted

an injunction restraining Lieutenants Theiss and Grosdeck, United States

vavy, from proceeding further towards

launching of the cruiser Galveston.

and Grosdeck,

not believed to be practical. The sunt of \$3,000,000 will be spent on the buildings and grounds of the sec-endary schools of the University of

The Train Dispatchers' Association, in session at Nashville, Tenn., elected

TRAGEDY IN ASHE COUNTY, N. C. Aged Father Badly Wounded and Wife

Terribly Cut. Charlotte, N. C. (Special).-A report reached here from Hemlock, Ashe county, N. C., that at midnight Chrisopher Davis, who lives near that place, crose from his bed, and taking his ax, crept to the bedside of his guests, Levi Barker and his father, Alfred Barker, from Virginia, and with two well-aimed blows at the head of Levi Barker, one in front of the right ear and the

other just behind the ear, killed him. Davis, then, it is stated, turned on the father with the ax and nearly severed his left arm just below the shoulder. Mr. Barker jumped from the bed and attempted to save himself by running from the house. He was wounded 11

Davis' wife, aroused from slumber by the noise, rushed after the struggling men into the yard. Her husband is said to have struck her with the ax. nearly severing one breast, a second wound being just below the most exposing it to view. Davis then carried his wife to bed, and washed and dressed her wounds. He took Lev-Barker's knife from the latter's is stated, and placed it in Mr. Bar-er's hand and closed the fingers of the lying man. Then he roused one of his little girls and dressing the baby, sent her to his father's. Mr. Alfred Barker also made his way to old Mr. Davis' ouse, and is now lying probably at point of death at that place.

Davis is supposed to be insane. He said to have had an attack of insanity about eight months ago, but was sup posed to be better. Last week he be gan to show signs of mental derange-ment. Thursday he killed the family cat, apparently without any provoca-tion. The same day he made some threats of cutting his own throat with a razor. Friday evening his old-time riends and acquaintances, the Barkers from Virginia, arrived at his house and

ere urged to stay all night. The dead man, Mr. Levi Barker, eaves a widow and five children. to years ago Davis had a fight with an associate over a game of cards, in which it is said be inflicted an almost fatal cut in the body of James Branch.
Mr. Davis' father was wounded at the battle of Gettysburg, having lost limb in that terrible conflict.

Mr. Alfred Barker's family, his friends say, seems to be doomed to bad luck. He had five sons. Ore was killed some years ago jumping from moving train; another met his deat near this place from a tree which rolled down the hill, crushing him. This tragedy robs Mr. Barker of another son

and may cost him his own life.

The homicide occurred on the night of June 13. Davis was confined in the Jefferson jail the next night.

CASSATT AND GOULD WAR OVER. Gould Broker Says Conflicting Interests Have Come to Agreement.

New York (Special).-For the first time in weeks Pennsylvania stock moved up aggressively, and in a degree commensurate to the movement in the gen-

eral list, advancing about two points. Washington Connor, the broker, who is surposed to be familiar with the general plans of the Gould interests, commeeting on this, says there is now absolutely no friction between the Pennsylvania and Gould companies. "Any trouble that has existed has absolutely disappeared," said Mr. Connor. "There have been no differences for weeks, and the stories still out are purely the work of operators." The last question in dis--the height of a bridge-was settled before President Ramsey, of the Wa-

sh, went to Europe. "It may seem odd that stories of a tremendous fight were without basis, but it is a fact. Kuhn, Loeb & Co., who underwritten the new Pennsylvania stock, are financing the Missouri Pacific construction bends," Mr. Schiff, of Kuhn, Loeb & Co., said

did not care to comment upon Mr Connor's interview. The Wabash demonstration was said to have been more by brokers said to be the junior Standard aiding for crowd. In cornection with the activity in these issues the report was circulated that the Gould-Rockefeller interests had acquired control of Erie in the interest of the Wabash system, and that the documents combining the two roads were all drawn up, and only needed the sig-natures of the contracting parties.

To March on Mad Mullab.

Aden, Arabia (By Cable).-The Braish lines of communication between Berbera and Bohotle, Somaliland, East Africa, are threatened by the forces of the Mad Mullah. Three companies of the Hampshire Regiment and 300 native troops have been ordered to proceed to Somaliland June 20. Further confirma-tion has been received of the reports that three British officers are prisoners in the camp of the Mullah. About 14,000 Abyssinians are now co-operating with the British against the Mullah's forces.

Ban of Croatia Insuited.

Agram, Croatia (By Cable.)-The Diet held its first meeting here since the outbreak of the recent disorders in Croatia. When the Ban of Croatia entered the chamber he was received with insults by the opposition and shouts of "Criminal! May you be hanged!" He remained quiet, though pale, for some time, but as the uproar continued he lef the chamber. Later he returned and hi reappearance caused a reviewal of the Finally the sitting had to be abandoned.

A Tramp in Her Bed.

Winsted, Ct. (Special).-Returning ome at dusk, Miss Nettie Granger heard loud snoring in her bedroom She found a tramp in her bed, his clothes hung on a chair. She hastened out of the house to Edward Yale's Tavern. "There's a man in my house," she said as she opened the tavern door, "and he's in my bed, too." Yale went and sat on the tramp while she got the constable. The tramp, who described himself as George Springer, of Torrington, was remanded for trial.

Novel Marriage Lottery. Derby, Ct. (Special),-A marriage

The Train Dispatchers' Association, in session at Nashville, Tenn., elected officers.

The National Children's Home Sorciety, in session at Pittsburg, elected officers.

Former Mayor McKenna, of Pittsburg, is dead.

Former Premier Ivantchoff and two other former ministers of Bulgaria, were sentenced to eight months' imprisonment at hard labor for malfeasance in office.

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Short Order. Esther, the 1-year-old daughter of Henry Petsch, of Reading, had a thrill-ing experience in which she narrowly scaped death. With her father vas riding in a carriage drawn by spirited mustang. When they reached home the father alighted and as he turned to lift the child out the animal took fright and started off on a run. Mr. Petsch was caught between the wheels and dragged for half a mile pefore he was thrown against a horse continued its mad brough East Reading, demolishing the carriage before he was caught more than two miles from home. The child was found clinging to the seat and es-

as Joung aped unburt, aped unburt, Recently Captain John L. Huff, of Recently Captain John L. Huff, of Lompany H, Thirteenth Regiment, Company H, Thirteenth Regiment, to Berwick to left Scranton and went to Berwick to work, which is outside the territory covered by the regiment. He did this, is alleged, without permission and his commission was revoked. The company was assembled to elect his successor. Captain Huff is very popular with the members of his command and they proceeded to re-elect him Another commission may not be is

The differences existing between the Webster Coal & Coke Company and its miners have been settled and the men will return to work at once. grievances were disposed of by Jas. Kerr, for the company, and National Secretary William B. Wilson, for the miners, at their meeting at Cresson. The basis of settlement was \$3 for the machine cutters at the Ben's Creek operation instead of \$2.68 and a relative rate for scrapers.

Unless John Hudock, president of the Oncida Local of the Mine Workers, is able to give a satisfactory ex-planation he will be forever barred from the organization. He has incurred the wrath of the members because he officiated as groomsman at the wedding of Julius Thomas, a non-unionist The matter has been laid before the district board. State factory inspectors have dis-

covered hundreds of boys under the legal age at work at coal breakers in violation of the child labor law and arrests may follow Nanticoke has adopted a currew law and every child under 16 must be home by 9 o'clock at night unless accompanied by parents or guardian,

The graduating exercises of State College were held in the auditorium a hat place. The speakers were E. H. Beckert, Pitt burg; A. R. Dennington Deckard; J. H. Snyder, Broughton D. B. Tubolski, Erie; E. H. Taylor, South A. B. B. Tubolski, Erie; E. H. Taylor, South A. B. South A. B south Auburn. Hampton L. Carson Attorney General of Pennsylvania, de livered the commencement address. The degree of master of science was conferred on R. B. Mattern and W. H. Rebhun. The degree of electrical engineer was given to H. P. Wood and that of mining engineer to W. C. B. Alexander. The J. W. White fellowship was awarded to A. R. Denuington, '03, to be used' for one year of advanced study. To W. H. Dean, '06 of Williamsburg, was given the McAllister prize for the best entrance. lister prize for the best entrance ex-

John G. Taylor, of West Chester, who has already spent a fortune it building monuments in Lafayette Cemstery, on the Brandywine battlefield, about to creet another memorial, which is to commemorate Lazarus, mentioned in the Bible. Mr. Taylor has given his order to a firm in Italy for a marble figure. Mr. Taylor has erect. d several monuments to members his family, one to Christ, one to the Virgin Mary, one to General Lafay and one to General Pulaski, the whole representing an outlay of many

housands of dollars. Colonel C. W. Dunifer, editor and roprietor of the Penbrook Times, fied in Chapman, Snyder county, aged

Mrs. Elias Dundore was saved from her burning home at Avon. The ex-itement su erinduced heart trouble and her death is feared. C. Becht, of Muncy, has resigned as superintendent of public schools of Lycoming county, and has accepted the

professorship of psychology and peda-gogy in the State Normal School, at West Chester. John Reager, of Lewistown, is the owner of a coat and vest purchased by him in Germany over fifty years ago which he still wears occasionally. He also has an overcoat which he has wor

A suspender button saved the life of Simon J. Woelfly, of Jonestown, who was struck in the side by a rifle ball fired at a bird by a boy. Only a flesh wound was inflicted, as the ball was flattened against the button. Thirty-three families who resided in

nouses owned by the Harbison-Walket

Refractories Company at Parrandsville

for forty-five years.

and Monument have been ordered to vacate the premises, the employees of the company being on a strike. Select Councilman James D. Miller, of Erie, was aroused by hearing a door pened and shut. Making his way he rear stairs he secured a butcher into the dining room, where he con-fronted a burglar. The latter had col-ected a quantity of silverware. On the appearance of Mr. Miller the robber umped through a window and escaped Montgomery County Commissioners have decided to build only stone bridge

The Immigration Relief Society, of cranton, has made arrangements bring between 50 and 100 Jewish families to that city from Kishenev.
Rev. E. E. Manley, for five years pastor of the Church of Christ at Altoona

preached his farewell sermon, he hav-ing accepted a call to the Rowan Ave-nue Church, Pittsburg.

Dilwyn Jones, aged 16 years, leit his home at Shenandoah three weeks ago to visit his uncle, at Atlantic City, his his parents were informed that the boy never arrived there. They fear he ale with an accident or was kidnapped. Captain Elmer K. Rupp, formerly adjutant of the Fifth Regiment, has been commissioned by Colonel Rulus C. Elder to organize a military company in Altoona, to take the place of one of the old companies of the Fifth, which

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James I nompson, living near Kenneti Square, was enticed to Georgetown, a suburb of West Chester, and robbed at the point of a revolver by two men. They secured \$16. Walter Herrod, who was released from the Eastern Penitentiary one month ago, was arrested, charged with being one of the men.

At the June term of Civil Court, which just closed at Norristown, verificts amounting to \$12,000 were awarded against the county as damages for the opening of two highways. Of this amount Thomas Michelson was awarded \$7500 for the opening of a road in prefer to obviate a grade crossing at lenkintown station.