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At Philadelphia-Philadelphia, 11; Baltimore, 5. At New York—Washington, 4; New York, 2. At Pittsburg—Pittsburg. 5; Louisville, 1.

Eastern League, At Buffalo-Buffalo, 11; Toronto, 7. At

Syracuse—Rochester, 4; Syracuse, 3. At Springfield—Wilkesbarre,6; Springfield,0. At Providence-Scranton, 12; Providence, 4.

Pennsylvania State League. At Carbondale-Carbondale, 19; Allentown, 8. At Hazleton (13 innings)—Lancaster, 9; Hazleton, 8. At Pottsville—Pottsville, 16; Reading, 9.

Austria's Next Premier.

VIENNA, June 20.—Emperor Francis Joeph has sent an autograph letter to Prince Windisch Gratz, the retiring Austrian premier, warmly thanking him for his self sacrificing devotion to the country and its interests, and conferring upon him the Grand Cross of the Order of St. Stephen. He has also sent gracious letters and has conferred decorations upon the other retiring ministers. The emperor has requested the Marquis de Bacuquheim, minister of the interior in the late Austrian cabinet, to hold himself at the em-peror's service. This is supposed to indicate that he will be the next premier.

The Assassin's Bullet Proves Fatal, SCRANTON, Pa., June 20.—William Girb, who was shot here Tuesday night, died in the Lackawanna hospital yesterday. He told the police that the shooting occurred in an open field in the northern part of the city, and that after passing an unknown man and woman, who were sit-ting in the field, the man followed and shot him. The police doubt this story, and are working on the theory that Girb. who was a married man, was in the field with a woman, and that the shooting arose out of that fact.

Probably a Fatal Jamp.

CHATTANOOGA, June 20 .- A car on the Lookout Mountain Incline railway left the track while coming down the mountain about 200 feet from the Point hotel W. B. Mitchell, president of the Third National bank of this city, and M. M. Henderson were standing on the platform in the rear of the car, and they both jumped, receiving serious and probably fatal wounds. The engineer stopped the car with the automatic brakes, none of those on the inside being hurt.

Fugitive Bank Cashler Arrested. BALTIMORE, June 20.-W. J. Zirhut, cashier of the State bank of Milligan, Neb., was arrested here on a charge of forgery, embezzlement, obtaining money under false pretenses, and for violation of the Nebraska banking law. Zirhut has been living in Baltimore since January under the name of Frank Corning. He says tha he took \$3,000 from the bank, but that \$1,500 of the money belonged to himself

His wife is in Canton, O. He is held,

awaiting requisition papers.

No Chance for Filibusterers JACKSONVILLE, Fla., June 20.-Reports that came from Fernandiana yesterday that the revenue cutter Boutwell had run up the river, anchoring opposite the city and sent a searching party abourd all the vessels, among them three British steamships loading with phosphate, proves to be true, notwithstanding denials. The Routwell seems determined to prevent another fillbustering expedition from leaving Fernandina or the immediate vicinity.

The Case of Hugh F. Dempsey. HARRISBURG, June 20 .- The board of pardons heard arguments yesterday in a number of cases, but owing to the abence of Attorney General McCormick all action was postponed for the present. When the case of Hugh F Dempsey, the Pittsburg labor leader, was reached Lieu-tenant Governor Lyon announced that the board would soon agree upon a time to hear the application for elemency.

Arrested on a Murder Charge.

KUTZTOWN, Pa., June 20.-George Yeager, aged 31, was arrested last evening on suspicion of having committed the murder of Daniel W. Stitzel, who was mysteriously shot near here on Monday night. Yeager lived with the family of Theodore Schwanger, a farmer, near the home of Stitzel, and it is supposed that he was jealous because Mrs. Schwanger was more friendly to Stitzel than to himself.

Murderers Escape from Jall.

St. Louis, June 20 .- Ten prisoners, four of them murderers, tunnelled their way out of the county jail at Poplar Bluffs, during the night, and all but one are still at large. A posse is scouring the surrounding country for the missing men, who are supposed to have hidden in the swamps. One of the murderers was

Tied to a Telegraph Pole and Shot. ABBEYVILLE, Miss., June 20.-Will Chandler, a negro, who said he was from Alabama, was yesterday taken from jall here by a mob, tied to a telegraph pole and shot to death. Chandler was accused of robbing and attempting to assault Miss Johns, of this place, and was identified by

Black Flags Threaten the British. LONDON, June 20.—A dispatch from Hong Kong says that the Black Flag general has demanded the withdrawal of the 200 British marines landed at Anping. in the Island of Formosa. The British officer commanding the marines has re-fused to withdraw, and is preparing to

Another Yen Per Cent. Increase. LEBANON, Pa., June 20.—The Pennsylvania Bolt and Nut works yesterday notified their employes in the puddling and rolling mills of an increase of 10 per cent. in their wages, to go into effect July 1.

The con.pany employs about 1,000 men. Ex-Congressman Bland III.

DENVER, June 20. — Ex-Congressman Richard Bland, of Missouri, has returned to the city from his lecturing tour through the state, and is ill at the Brown Palace hotel. His weakened condition is the result of an attack of grip.

Italians and Brazilians in a Fight. BUENOS AYRES, June 20.-Conflicts have occurred between Italians and Brazilians at Petropolis, a town twenty-five miles north of Rio Janeiro. The Italians tore the Brazilian flag. Many were wounded in the affray.

Jim Nuti Gets Fifteen Years. ATCHISON, Kan., June 30 .- James Nutt was yesterday sentenced to the peniten-tiary for fifteen years for shooting Mrs. Jesse Payton and Leonard Colman is this county on Feb. 4.

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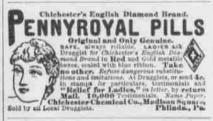
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A FREE FIGHT IN THE CHAMBERS.

Socialists Precipitate a Hand to Hand Conflict and Compel the Adjournment of the Chamber in Disorder-A Duct Being Arranged Between Deputies.

ROME, June 20.—The Italian deputies had an excited debate yesterday over a Socialist motion to extend general amnesty to those persons condemned by court martials. Premier Crispi, amid interruptions, said that the right of pardon was a royal perrogative, and the chamber could not grant amnesty. An uproar followed when turning to the Socialists he said: "When the time comes to recommend

prisoners to the king's elemency the gov-ernment will think not only of the leaders, in whom alone you are interested, but will think of all those who really suffer."

A quarrel then broke out in the chamber, which Socialists finally led in a fisticuff and a general tumult, amid which the sitting was suspended. When it was resumed the president ordered an inquiry into the incident, with a view to inflicting punishment. A duel is being arranged between Deputies Deandries and Casale.

At a meeting of the majority in the

chamber last night, 236 deputies present, Premier Crispl declared that the incident proved the necessity of new regulations for the chamber. A resolution was adopted that Deputy Cibrario should present a motion to the chamber that this was the sense of the majority, and should demand that it be voted upon forthwith. The Rome correspondent of the London

Times telegraphs that paper as follows "Today's scene in the chamber was dis graceful. An actual combat, in which the entire extreme left and most of the adjoining section of the chamber soon participated, occurred and the staircase lead ing to the upper benches was soon densely packed with a fighting crowd. There seems a consensus of opinion that the president of the chamber is incompetent to direct its proceedings."

France and Venezuela.

CARACAS, Venezuela, June 20. - The government has given out that there is every prospect of an early settlement of the difficulties pending between this country and France, while like letters received from Paris, and from reliable sources, assert just the contrary, and intimate that if England and France do not make common cause against this country it is more than likely that France will belp England claims, and recognize them as just. A semi-official telegram received last evening from Washington announced that the secretary of state would follow up the policy of the late Secretary Gresham will finish a new interpretation of the Monroe doctrine which the late secretary had in study.

Inspector McLaughlin's Sentence

NEW YORK, June 20.-Judge Barrett, in the court of over and terminer, sentenced Police Inspector William W. McLaugh-lin, convicted of extortion, to two years and six months in state's prison. On hearing the sentence McLaughlin turned deathly pale. A week's stay was granted to allow the condemned man to arrange his affairs before leaving for prison. Subsequently an order to show cause why a stay should not be granted pending an appeal was made by Justice Gaynor in this city. The order was made returnable on Saturday in Brooklyn.

Hayward Gets a Stay.

MINNEAPOLIS, June 20,-The Hayward ase was presented to the judges yesterday in Chambers, and a stay of thirty days was gratted upon condition that the case be argued this term, which ends July Hayward was to have been executed tomorrow. The probability is that a new trial will be refused, and the condemned during the month of July. He has already expressed himself as being opposed to any unnecessary delay if he is to

Tried to Murderer His Wife. WILKESDARRE, Pa. June 20.-In a fit of lealousy Samuel Leahman fatally wounded his wife yesterday afternoon by shooting her in the left breast. The wouldbe murderer tried to escape, but was arrested and placed in jail.

STOCK AND PRODUCE MARKETS. Closing Quotations of the New York and Philadelphia Exchanges.

Philadelphia Exchanges.

New York, June 19.—Share speculation on the Stock Exchange opened moderately active and generally lower, and in the first fifteen minutes a decline of biglist per cent. had been recorded. During the afternoon some few shares depreciated slightly, but the market in the main was in good tone. Closing bids:

Del. & Hudson. 1895; N. Y. Central. 1623;

D. L. & W. 1624; N. Y. & N. E. 45

Erie. 10 Pennsylvania 535;

General Markets.

General Markets.

Philadelphia, June 19.—Flour weak; winter agerine, \$2.85@3.05; winter extras, \$8.10@3.35; No. 2 winter family, \$3.40@3.55; Pennsylvania roller, clear, \$3.00@3.75; Pennsylvania roller, etraight, \$3.85@4; western winter, clear, \$3.00@3.75; western winter, straight, \$3.85@4; western winter, straight, \$3.85@4.19. Wheat weak, lower, with 50%c, bid and 30c. asked for June. Based for June. Corn quiet, firmer, with \$40%c, bid and 85%c, asked for June. Hay steady; choice timothy, \$18@18.30. Heef steady; best hams, \$19@19.50. Pork dull, Lard dull; western steam, \$8.79. Butter dull, ensy; western dairy, \$2.14w.; do, creamery, 12.81%c, clo. creamery, 12.81%c, Eligins, 18c.; imitation creamery, 13.81%c, Eligins, 18c.; imitation creamery, 18c.; Pennsylvania creamery prints, fancy, 19c.; do fair to choice, 15@18c.; prints jobbing at \$2.60. Cheese firm; New York large, 55.67%c, do, small, 59.43%c, c) part skims, 20.4c.; full skims, 12.14c.; Eggs heavy; New York and Pennsylvania, 15@14c.; western fresh, 12.81%.

Live Stock Markets.

New York, June 19.—Reeves closed at Mon-day's prices for good and a shade lower for common and medium: oxen, bulls and cows steady; instive steers, poor to prime, \$4,356 5,95; stags and oxen, \$2,7525; bulls, \$7,295 5,95; dry cows, \$255.00. Calves lower on vasles steady on buttermilk calves; poor to prime veals, \$4,502,6.50; buttermilk calves, \$4,37520

veals, \$4.500,6.50; buttermilk calves, \$5.37; an 4.25. Sheep and lambs steady; poor to good sheep, \$25.4; common to choice lambs, \$4.500, 6.75. Hogs higher at \$5.10; a.35.

EAST LIBERTY, Pa., June 19.—Cattle dull, unchanged; prime, \$5.500,5.50; good butchers, \$4.103,1.30; buils, cows and stags, \$22,5.25. Hogs active and steady; medium Philadelphins, \$4.856,4.90; fair to best Yorkers, \$4.000, 4.85; rough, \$3.95.50. Sheep and lambs slow; axtra, \$3.1059,5.5; fair to good, \$252,80; best lambs, \$3.60,3.50; apring lambs, \$3.05, Veal calves, \$5.50,3.50; apring lambs, \$3.05, Veal calves, \$5.50,3.50;

LAWMAKING IN ITALY. THREW AWAY THE BELT

Street Explains How and Why He Did It.

(From the Elmira Gazette.)

Old age has many infirmities, none of which are more prevalent than kidney dis-orders. Have you ever noticed how the people complain of backache. back, and general listlessness? And there are many other symptoms of which they do not speak, such as bloating of the limbs, painful and infrequent urination or excessiveness of urinary discharge.

Most people think they are too old to
find relief and cure, but this is not
so. No better evidence than the followfind so. No better evidence than the following, which comes from an Elmira citizen, who has been cured of a very severe case at 77 years of age. Mr. Wm. Thornton of 127 West Market Street, speaks of his case in this way: "I am 77 years old. I have been afflicted with that dreaded complaint (kidney disease) for over ten years, making my old age a burden. I was so bad as to be forced to carry a belt at all times, and, when my suffering became beyond endurance, I would put on the belt drawing it tightly around me and buckle it thus bringing an extreme pressure over the kidneys; this, undoubtedly, forced the urine out, a function which the kidneys themselves had become too diseased to per-form. My condition I put down to a strain I received. I began taking Doan's Kidney Pills. After two or three days I noticed their effect. I was much surprised, as the allment was so severe and so long standing, while I had tried many remedles without any relief whatever. The pain I have experienced at times from straining in my efforts to discharge the urine was simply awful. I have done away with the use of my leather belt, and the pain has all gone, and I recommend Doan's Kidney Pills to all afficted with kidney

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And she is here to stay
She doesn't eare how much they fuss,
'or she knows she's all right.
And, even as they gramble they
Must own she's out of sight.

So here's to the sweet erele girl,
In bloomers or in skirts;
She's worth a dozen of the girl
That lounges round and filris;
And here's a wish for Bishop Coze,
Aralling on the fence;
That he may I ve and grow in grace,
And some day have more sense.
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Corner-Stone Laying.

The members and triends of Grace United Evangelical congregation, of Schuylaill Haven, expect a great day on Sunday, June 23. The corner-stone of the Sunday, June 23. The corner-stone of the new church will be laid with appropriate ceremonies. Rev. C. S. Haman, presiding elder, will have charge, assisted by the pastor, Rev. A. H. Snyder, Revs. H. Behney, of Porsville, and J. Stenner, Cressons, are expected to be present.

If it required an annual outlay of \$100, 000 to insure a family against any serious quences from an attack of bowel complaint during the year there are many who would feel it their duty to pay it; that they could not afford to risk their lives, and bose of their family for such an amount, Any one can get this insurance for 25 cents, that being the price of a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. In almost every neighborhood some one has died from an attack of bowel complaint before medicine could be procured or a physician summoned. One or two doses of this remedy will cure an ordinary case. It never falls, Can you afford to take the risk for so small an amount? For sale by Gruhler Bros., Drug-

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Let us hope that the college graduates will live up to the baccalaureate sermons.

—Boston Herald.

Two Lives Saved.

Two Lives Saved,
Mrs. Phoebe Thomas, of Junction City, Ill., was told by her doctors she had consumption, and that there was no hope for her, but two bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery completely cured her and she says it saved her life. Mr. Thos. Eggers, 139 Florida St., San Francisco, suffered from a dreadful cold, approaching consumption, tried without result everything else, then bought one bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery and in two weeks was cured. He is naturally thankful. It is such results, of which these are samples, that prove the wonderful efficacy of this medicine in coughs and colds. Free trial bottles at A. Wasley's drug store.

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THE KIEL CELEBRATION

The Town Crowded with Visitors from All Parts of Germany.

EMPEROR WILLIAM FOR PEACE

The German Ruler's Significant Utterance at a Banquet in Hamburg-Description of the Great Canal Which Cost the German Government \$38,500,000.

K(EL, June 20.-All day long yesterday there was a censeless incoming of trains hither on the railroads, each one filled to the last inch of available space with eager humanity. Visitors have fleeked in thou-sands in the streets of the town and in the harbor, and every place is overflowing with people. The main streets are almost impassable with the streams of men,

women and children.

The crews of the American, French,
Austrian, Roumanian and Spanish warships were allowed shore leave. The Austrians, as the representatives of one of the powers in the triple alliance, were the chief objects of interest to the spectators.

Pleasure steamers, loaded to their unmost capacity with crowds of sightseers, made numberless trips all day in the harbor, each one going the rounds of all the warships, which are the central feature in the great spectacle. Each pleasure steamer as they came abreast a man-ofwar exchanged cheers with the jolly tars on board, and none of them ever seemed to grow weary.

The Empress Augusta of Germany arrived here at 8 o'clock last evening, and was received at the station with great cer-emony and driven to the Schloss amid salvos of artillery and the cheering of the multitude which lined all the streets.

The great event at Hamburg yesterday was the arrival of Emperor William, who reached the city at 4:15, accompanied by a staff brilliant in uniforms. of the Hamburg regiment, with band and banner, rendered military honors at the station, where also the entire senate and burgomasters of the republic and Hanse City of Hamburg were in attendance. After the reception at the station the company was driven in open state carriages through the principal streets of Hamburg.

In the evening there was a banquet at the Rathaus, with the emperor as the principal figure. Burgomaster Lehman weltriotic address, and the emperor responded in a brief speech, in concluding which he

"We have cast a glance upon the eter-nal sea. Let us now direct our looks to the sea of the people's hearts. All nations uplift themselves to us here today with a questioning look. They need and desire peace. In peace alone can the world's commerce expand. In peace alone can it thrive, and peace we shall uphold."

At the banquet the number of guests at his majesty's table was sixty-four; the total number of guests, including the members of the diplomatic corps, who dined in a separate room, was 600. The varied uniforms of the guests, the contrasting colors, the profusion of military and other decorations, and the general aspect of stately magnificence and power presented a splendid spectacle.

The great canal which joins Baltic sea

to the German ocean was eight years in building, and cost \$38,500,000. It inter-sects the peninsula of Schleswig-Holstein from Brunsbuttel, near the mouth of the Elbe, to Holtenau, on the Keil bay and opposite that city, a distance of about fifty-nine miles. The entrances at both terminis have been provided with dock gates for the passage of vessels both entering or leaving the canal At the Kiel end the gates will be gen-

at the Kiel chu the gates will be generally open. At the Brunsbuttel end they will be opened in normal weather during flood tide for a period of three or four hours each day. Each of the gates is 27% yards wide, and the space inclosed by its walls is 164 yards in length. The lowest possible depth of water at Brunsbuttel end is almost five fathoms and at Holtenau a trifle more.

The whole canal is lighted by electricity, and the light furnished is powerful enough to enable navigators to plainly discern the route by night. At all those points where the canal runs through small lakes and ponds, of which quite a number lie along

the route, the buoys are lighted by gas.
Steam tugs are stationed at each main gate to the canal to assist the passage of vessels, and inside the gates are harbors for the accommodation of vessels which have to wait for passage. At the lowest possible water the canal has a depth of four and a half fathoms. The breadth at the bottom of the canal is twenty-four and one-tenth yards. At several points the canal is crossed by movable bridges, which, when opened, leave a free space of fifty-four and one-fourth yards. There are also a number of ferries.

The men of the German ironelads Heimdall and Hagen regaled the American and Danish sailors at the Waidweiz restaurant on Tuesday. Yesterday the crews of the German ironelads Sachsen and Wurtemburg desired to similarly compliment the crews of the French men-of-war Hoche and Dupuy Delomis, but the French admiral declined to allow the Frenchmen to go on shore, explaining that the French crews are not permitted to land during their presence in Kiel harbor.

Missouri's Coming Silver Convention.

LEBANON, Mo., June 20.—John W. Fer-ris chairman of the Laclede county Democratic committee announced that he has at last received favorable responses from more than a majority of the 114 Democratic county chairmen in regard to his circular asking them if they were in favor of calling a Democratic state convention for the discussion of the financial question. If State Chairman Maffitt refuses to do so, Chairman Ferris announces that he will issue the call, backed by a majority of the county chairmen.

To Assail Rosebery's Government,

LONDON, June 20.—The Standard this morning states that it hears that the Unioning season to the confidence in the government. The Times in an editorial suggests the same thing. and says that the government is almost certain to be defeated on a well chosen is-"If the Unionists neglect to grasp the opportunity presented to them," says The Times, "a heavy responsibility will rest upon both the leaders and followers."

The Weather.

For eastern Pennsylvania, increasing cloudiness and showers; cooler in the western portion; slightly shifting winds. For New Jersey, showers; easterly winds. For District of Columbia, Maryland and Dishayas increases. Delaware, increasing cloudiness and show ers; slightly cooler; southeasterly winds, becoming northerly.