on the mend from their fall. Miss Rebecca Snyder is visiting among

Samuel Relaton was out to the election although his health is very poor.

friends in these parts this week.

The United Brethren protracted meeting will open Wednesday night a week. The farmers are slowly cribbing the cor

crop, which is the poorest in many years. John Bathgate is improving very slowly but is badly used up with four ribs broken. The vote polled in College township was light, there being only one hundred and

Peter Shultz put in his appearance, Tuesday, he having not missed many elections since he cast his first vote and he is now 85

Mrs. Rebecca Fogleman and children and Mrs. Harvey Shuey and children went to Filmore Monday to visit at the home of Mrs.

Clarence A. Houtz came up from Madison burg, Friday, and purchased two tracts of land and intends making sale of his farm stock and machinery in the near future and will then move up to these parts again.

The Hallow e'en was quite an affair in these parts. A few of the boys got hurt but, by the way the highways were obstructed it is a wonder that there were not more people hurt. It is a nuisance and should be gotten rid of.

On Saturday. Nov. 2nd, Aunt Rosie Williams, as she is called by everybody, celebrated her eighty-seventh birthday, and amid a copious downpour of rain, twentytwo of her friends wended their way to the home of her son-in-law, G. R. Roan, with baskets full of good things and when the noon hour came everyone did justice to the viands, after which they repaired to the parlor and sang many of the good old time hymns. Rev. C. W. Sweeny, a nephew of hers, from Everett, delivered a very touching address, followed by an earnest prayer, invoking the good blessing on the aged lady and all present. Thus the day was made bright, though it was dreary without, after which all bade Mrs. Rosanna Williams goodbye, wishing her many more happy birth-

Spring Mills.

C. P. Long shipped from this station with in the past three weeks 8,300 bushels of ap-

Miss Sue Wood, sister of J. W. Wood, of the Spring Mills hotel, is rapidly recovering from the serious mishap she met with several weeks ago by breaking her ankle. Miss

Wood is from Reading. Sunday last was a reminder that winter is not far off. Stormy and cold all day, high winds, a continuation of Saturday's blasts down the valley. No particular damage is general's estate. We have arrived at reported with the exception of a few fences that were somewhat scattered.

Last week Rebecca, daughter of John Myers, of Allison's plauing mill, a child of eight or nine years of age, while passing through a doorway, carrying a small crock, stumbled and fell, the crock cutting a severe gash in her chin. Dr. Braucht was obliged

Hallowe'en was celebrated here in about the usual ridiculous manner. Removing gates to out of the way places, piling lumber on porches, pulling down hitching posts and similar nonsense, of course done by half grown boys. The young girls amused themselves by throwing corn against windows, doors and on pedestrians.

On Thursday night last, at about one o'clock, an attempt was made to enter the residence of Miss Lizzie Stover, with the intent of robbery. She heard them trying the lower windows and doors, so she quietly arose and discharged a revolver out of the window at the robber, but unfortunately missed him, and he succeeded in making his escape in the darkness.

The western approach to the footway of graceful condition, ankle deep in mud. Do the supervisors intend leaving it in this scandalous condition? The bridge is now epen to travel, and the approach to the foot way on the west is simply a disgrace. Do the supervisors think that the people will submit quietly to this kind of folly.

A WEEK'S NEWS CONDENSED

Wednesday, October 30. Four Washington firemen were in jured in a collision between truck No. 2 of the District fire department and a south-bound 14th street car.

Walter Scott Hale, national mander-in-chief of the Spanish War Veterans, and his staff were received by President Roosevelt at the White

Because he failed to carry out ar errand of vengeance, Vito Greinaldi, a member of the Black Hand society, was stabbed to death by members of his own band on Knoll street, Brook-

lyn, N. Y. Thursday, October 31. The annual convention of the Pennsylvania Dairy Union will be held at

Wilkes-Barre, January 14 to 16. Mrs. Charles Nahlen, who had been despondent over her husband's death, 12 years ago was found dead in a gasfilled room at her home in Chicago.

In a collision near Elm Grove, W. Va., between a trolley car and a work ear, James Harris was killed and three others, all employes of the railway company, were injured.

A premature explosion of dynamite occurred at Venice, Pa., 16 miles from Pitsburg, on the Wabash railroad, where a cut is being made, and four men were killed, and two others seriously injured.

Friday, November 1. E. G. McNair, convicted of wife murjail at Houston, Tex.

to police reports, have been stolen and then to ascend purely to the F from the home of Paul Bayne, a New one octave above Patti's, and to the York banker.

HIS TITLES WERE "JUMPED"

Washington, Nov. 2.-A bill will be introduced soon after congress meets next December to reimburse the heirsat-law of General George Washington for the loss of several tracts of land located in Hamilton and Clermont counties. O., which were owned by General Washington. The estimated value of the land is \$305,100. The tracts comprise 3051 acres bordering on the Miami and the Little Miami rivers. Of this acreage 129 acres are located in Hamilton county, outside of Cincinnati, and the remainder is situated in the adjoining county.

On Tuesday at Fairfax Court House, Va., Colonel Robert E. Lee was appointed administrator for the undistributed assets of the estate. Captain Nelson W. Evans, of Portsmouth, O., who is one of the attorneys for Colonel Lee, is in Washington, and in

discussing the case he said: "In 1785 General Washington owned two warrants for land in the vicinity referred to. One he had purchased from John Rootes, a veteran of the French and Indian War, and the other from Thomas Cope. The Virginia legislature converted them into what was called Continental warrants, and General Washington engaged Major John O. Bannon to locate them in 1787.

The surveys were sent to Richmond, where the governor issued patents to the general. In 1806, seven years after Washington's death, the surveys were virtually "jumped." General John Nevell received warrants for 1905 acres for his services in the Revolutionary War, and Henry Massie, the founder of the city of Portsmouth, bought the warrants for the balance. General Nevell had his land patented by the federal government on April 20. 1807, and Massie procured patents

for his in January, 1808. "But it happened that on March 3. 1807, prior to the issue of those patents, congress passed an act giving Washington's executors three years to perfect the title to the lands, and it was while they were thus engaged that Nevell and Massie got the patents. Subsequently John Kerr, a senator from Ohio, purchased the land and afterward sold it at a good profit.

"The executors of the general's will were Justice Bushrod, of Washington, his nephew, and Lawrence Lewis, a son of Bettie Lawis, Washington's sister, who married Nellie Custis, and it was upon their petition that congress passed the law in question. But, as I said, the law was of no avail, because the patents were obtained soon after-

ward by the others. "Since then-that is, for about 100 years-nothing has been done by the Washington heirs to be reimbursed the value of the land through estimates made by various experts, and necessary, that the timber on it was worth what congress will be asked to appropriate.

"The living heirs number more than a score, and reside in this city, Lexington. Va.: Jefferson county, W. Va., and other places. Colonel Lee, the administrator, is the great-great-greatgrandson of Martha Washington and the great-grandson of George Washington Parke Custis, who once owned Arlington, just outside of Washington."

PICKANINNY TURNING WHITE

Nurse Thinks It's the Scrubbing She's

Given the Colored Child. York, Pa., Nov. 4.-Local physicians are interested in the strange case of a 5-year-old negro child at the Christian home in this city, who is apparently becoming white. There is not a trace of any disease to which the remarkable condition can be attributed.

The child was from negro parents, the iron bridge over Penns creek is in a dis and when brought to the home a

month ago was quite black. The first intimation of its change in color came to the matron through a nurse girl, who laughingly said she thought her scrubbing of the child was removing the dusky shade from

Murder at a Christening. Greenburg, Pa., Nov. 4.-A christen ing and a wedding, attended by over 100 Hungarians in the mining town of Marguerite, near here, resulted in a riot lasting six hours, which finally culminated in the murder of John Lah, a miner. Coroner Charles A. Wynn, without holding an inquest, issued warrants for 16 of the guests, and a detail of Troop A, State Constabulary, made the arrests.

Offer Cotton As Security. Barnesville, Ga., Nov. 5.—President R. F. Duckworth, of the Georgia Farmers' Union, addressed a letter to the secretary of the treasury asking for authority to issue certificates to the amount of \$100,000,000 to be guaranteed by \$200,000,000 worth of cotton, to aid the southern farmers in carry. ing out their holdings movement.

John Mitchell Improving. La Salle, Ill., Nov. 5.-John Mitchell, president of the United Mine Workers of America, who has undergone several surgical operations, was reported to be gradually improving. Hospital physicians said that unless unexpected complications arise the patient is out of danger.

Think Girl Second Pattl. Milwaukee, Nov. 2.-With a voice of five full octaves, Vilma Schaefer, 19 improvements as vigorously as has years old, daughter of a Wisconsin saloonkeeper, is creating a sensation. She is said to be able to sustain with der, committed suicide by hanging in ease the high F, which Adalina Patti merely touched for a second after Jewels valued at \$8000, according reaching it by a succession of trills, G above it.

EABINET ACTED ADVERSELY

Washington, Nov. 5.-Regret, indignation and exasperation are variously expressed in responsible quarters in the treasury department and elsewhere that the requests that have been made to the president to call an extra session of congress to remedy existing financial disturbances should have been given such wide, and apparently inspired, publicity. Inquiry in half a dozen trustworthy sources brought to light the following facts in regard to the publication, and apparently established the central and salient point of inquiry that the publication did not emanate from the White House

It is the strongly held assumption here that the publication of these facts was due to the persons or interests who have been urging the president to call an extra session. Mr. Loeb said that he had been careful not to say one word about the financial situation, and he knew that the president had not authorized any statement directly or indirectly. In responsible treasury offices, particularly, the strongest regret is expressed that publicity should have been given at this time to the requests that have been made for an

extra session. It was learned that these requests have been made: that they were considered at last Friday's cabinet meeting, and that, without much discussion, as a cabinet officer said, the request "was settled adversely emphatieally." It is felt here at the treasury department that too much importance has been attached to the publicity given the requests and that the general effect has been harmful.

There is no present thought of an extra session, and there will be none, in the minds of the president and the advisors whose words he is heeding, at this juncture, unless there is an absolute reversal of their present attitude and state of mind.

Neither will the president make any statement, if his present mood holds, intended to reassure public sentiment. It is strongly felt here that public confidence will be less affected by no statement at all than by even the most reassuring words that could come from any administration source.

"Conditions are wholly different from what they were in 1893," said a treasury official. "Then we could put our finger on the difficulty. Everybody said if congress will meet and repeal the Sherman purchasing act the trouble will stop and we will be all right. They had something definite to point their finger at as the cause of the then existing trouble. Today this is not true. Nobody can point out any federal law and say: 'This is the cause for what surely was once part of the of the trouble. Repeal this law and we will be all right.' The president cannot call congress in extra session to reneal the Sherman anti-trust law there are 50 men who will testify, if or to remedy in a day or week any evils of our existing finance laws. Even the best financiers differ as to the defects in our currency system and the best way to remedy them."

TENNESSEE COAL & IRON

Steel Corporation Secures Control of Big Concern.

New York, Nov. 5. - The United States Steel Corporation has secured a controlling interest in the Tennessee Coal, Iron & Railroad company. The deal is traceable to the conference held at the home of J. Pierpont Morgan Saturday and Sunday. It is understood that the price paid is a little above \$85 a share. The holdings of a pool controlling some 70 per cent. of the stock of the Tennessee Coal & Iron company were transferred in the

This sale cannot fail to co much to relieve the present financial stringency, as large amounts of the stock of the Tennessee Coal & Iron company are now held as collateral for loans by the local banks. The taking up of these loans by the new owners of the stock will add materially to the cash resources of the financial institutions.

PENNSY WILL CUT EXPENSES

To Make Only Necessary Expendi-

tures in 1908. Philadelphia, Nov. 2.—The directors of the Pennsylvania Railroad company declared the regular semi-annual dividend of 31/2 per cent. on the stock, payable on November 30 to stockholders of record on November 4.

Report of the earnings of the lines east of Pittsburg and Erie for September show a gross increase of over \$1. 000,000, but a net decrease of \$467,000. The lines west of Pittsburg and Erie for September show both gross and net increases

The following official statement was

given out at the company's offices: "In answer to an inquiry about the capital requirements of the Pennsylvania Railroad company for 1908, President McCrea said that in view of the unsatisfactory outlook for raising new capital in 1908, it was, in his judgment, necessary and prudent for the Pennsylvania Railroad company to continue its policy of not beginning any new work or committing the company to any capital requirements except those absolutely necessary to economically handle its traffic. With that end in view, the Pennsylvania railroad would undoubtedly restrict its needs to a minimum and would not push the work on the New York tunnel extension, or other uncom been done in the past. This will somewhat delay the completion of the New York tunnel work as a whole, but progress on the East river tunnels, the erection of steel for the new terminal building, and work affecting the city's streets and avenues will not be materially retarded by the slower ex-

St. Paul Discharges 1000 Men.

Milwaukee, Wis., Nov. 2.-Roswell P. Miller, chairman of the board of directors of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul road, issued an order discharging 1000 employes of the locomotive and car building departments in the shops here.

Portsmouth, Va., Bank Quits. Portsmouth, Va., Nov. 2.-The Pe ples' bank, the smallest bank here, did not open its doors. The directors have issued a statement saying that the step was taken because of inability to realize cash upon securities held by the bank. An attempt is being made to get help so that the bank may re open. The capital stock is only \$50,000.

FLYER WRECKED

Jersey Central Express Ran Into Mine

Cave-In Near Pittston, Pa. Scranton, Pa., Nov. 4 .- One man was killed and two others were seriously injured by the wrecking of the Quaker City flyer on the Jersey Central railroad about half a mile north of Pittston. The train was passing the Butler colliery, when it ran into a mine cavein, which occurred just as the train was passing.

Henry Carey, the engineer, of Scran-

ton. was killed. The injured: Thomas Cannon, of Ashley, baggage master, leg crushed and thought to be injured internally, and Charles Fine, of Scranton, fireman, badly scalded and in state hospital in this city.

There were about 20 people on the train, none of the passengers, how ever, being injured.

The train had just passed through Pittston and was speeding along by the Butler colliery, when the engine suddenly plunged into a big hole, practically disappearing from sight. The baggage car crashed in after it, and the smoker, which was the next car on the train, half overturned.

The accident happened without a minute's warning. Indeed, it is claimed that the cave-in occurred just as the train hove in sight, and neither the engineer, fireman nor any of the passengers had time to jump.

ROBBED EXPRESS COMPANY

Six Men Charged With Stealing Pack-

ages Worth Over \$30,000. New York, Nov. 5 .- Six men were arraigned in police court, charged with robberies from the Adams Express company, which, it is alleged, will aggregate between \$30,000 and \$60,000. The prisoners are Charles McCarthy and Max Pope, employes of the company, and Jacob Levy, Wolf Levy, James Zuckerman and Henry Moskowitz. It is charged that when Mc-Carthy or Pope came into possession in the course of their duties of packages addressed to persons outside of New York city they pasted another address over the one on the package, sending the package to one of the other four. It is said that parcels worth \$6000 addressed to the four were found at the main depot of the express company.

WILL RESUME WORK

Dam at McCall's Ferry to Be Complet-

ed After Financial Flurry. New York, Nov. 5.-Work on the mammoth dam at McCall's Ferry, on the Susquehanna river, near York, Pa., which was suspended Saturday, throwing nearly 2000 men out of work, will be resumed when the financial situation permits the company to negotiate further loans, according to H. F. Dimock, president of the McCall's Ferry Power company, who denied the report that the company had been forced to suspend construction because its funds had been tied up in the Knickerbocker Trust company. Mr. Dimock said that he believed that the company would be able to furnish some power in Baltimore this coming year.

WIII Build War Airship. St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 5.-J. C. Mars, of the American Airship & Balloon company, of New York, arrived in St. Louis from Washington to select a site for the aerodrome the company will use for the construction of air craft, and in which the first war airship ever built for the United States government will be erected. The contract for the airship was closed in Washington, General Allen, of the war department, acting for the government. The airship will cost the government \$10,000, and will be modelled after the Beachey, shown here in the

recent aeronautic contest. By the premature explosion of a heavy charge of dynamite in a stone quarry at Butler, Pa., 11 men were severely injured, one probably fatally. Hugh B. Ely, superintendent of the insurance department of the Pennsyl vania Railroad company for the last 25 years, died at his home in Beverly,

Saturday, November 2. The Isthmian canal commission has awarded to the Marion Steam Shove company, of Marion, O., the contract for supplying 12 steam shovels at \$13, 180 each, a total of \$158,160.

Ernest W. Angell, of Ithaca, Mich. s under arrest at Detroit, charged with having embezzled over \$9000 from the Ann Arbor railway while acting as the road's agent at Manis

Paul Morton, formerly a member o President Roosevelt's cabinet and now president of the Equitable Life Assurance Association of New York, called at the White House and remained with the president for more than an hour.

Monday, November 4. Tallapoesa county, Ala., has voted out liquor by an overwhelming ma-

jority. Richard Moyer, of Fogelsville, Lehigh county, Pa., has raised potatoes which measure 10 inches in length.

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HUGH S. TAYLOR,

LEGAL NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that the following account will be presented to the Court for confirmation on Wed-nesday, December, 4th, 1907, and unless excep-tions be filed thereto on or before the second day of the Term the same will be confirmed. The third and partial account of the Commonwe alth Trust ecmpany, of Harrisburg, Pa., trustee of James A. Beaver, for the benefit of the creditors. A. B. KIMPORT Prothonotary.
October 20th, 1907.
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orrect.

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