News Gathered from all Sections of the

Pressure, May 1.—A large section of the hillside below the Holy Ghost college,

Boyd's Hill, gave way Saturday night and grushed two houses like eggshells.

In one of them lived Solomon Kelly and his wife and four children. They had no chance to escape, and were burled by the falling walls. Seven-year-old Fannie was standing in front of the stove when the latter was overturned, and as the child was all over her. She slowly roasted to death within a few feet of her parents, who could hear her piteous cries for help, but their own helpless condition prevented them from

own helpless condition prevented them from doing anything.

When the girl's body was found in the debris half of her head was burned away.

The little blackened and mangled body presented a horrible appearance. A pecu-liar escape was that of the five-months-old baby, sleeping in its crib near the open door. The collapsed walls forced the cradit through the open doorway and beyond throwing the baby out on the ground, bu

.dr. Kelly and his wife were badly crushed and injured internally and may die. One of their two boys was also in jured so badly that he cannot recover. The other was taken out with but a fev

Norristown, May 8.—The coroner's jury investigating the circumstances surround investigating the circumstances surrounding the fatal accident to Farmer Tobias Swartley at Telford last Saturday, censure the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Company for not keeping a flagman posted at the crossing. Swartley whipped up his horse to drive over the track ahead of an approaching freight train, when his team was struck by the Buffalo express boundeast, and he was instantly killed.

PRILADELPHIA, May 1.—In accordance with the order issued by the Reading receivers to the mining superintendents of the Coal and Iron company, fifteen of the colleries were closed to-day for an indefinite period. A good deal of the coal has been sold below the circular prices, and to prevent still further reductions the re-ceivers have decided upon restricting the

POTTSVILLE, April 28.—A second shoe-manufacturing firm of Orwigsburg, this county, has failed, executions having been issued against Shoener & Co. for a sum ex-ceeding in the aggregate \$30,000. The closing of this industry throws out of em-ployment over 100 hands. Ex-State Sena-tor John T. Shoener was the head of the

VILLES-BARRE, April 29.—James Mc-Laughlin, a saloon keeper of Pittston, who killed James Gilmartin on the night of March 25 last, was placed on trial for mur-der Thursday morning. The case was given to the jury yesterday afternoon and it returned last night at 9 o'clock with a werdict finding him guilty of manslaughter.

WILLIAMSTOWN, May 1.—Through an amplosion in the mines here, Frank Rickert, a miner, was instantly killed. Two other employes were badly scalded and are in a critical condition. Coroner Hoy was notified and left for that place to hold an in quest on the body of Mr. Rickert.

WEST CHESTER, May 8.—The republican convention of Chester county was held yes

terday. The convention instructed its deleites to the state convention to vote for A. D. Harlan for state treasurer and allow its delegates to go uninstructed as regards the Supreme Judgeship.

Electric railway has passed into the pos-session of the Philadelphia syndicate, who recently obtained control of the horse car lines of this city. The East Reading is ten miles in length, extending to several su be-ban towns.

LANCASTER, May 2.-The union bricklayers and hod-carriers of this city struck yesterday because of a refusal to grant an increase. The former are getting \$3 per day but demand \$3.50 for nine hours, and the hod-carriers, who are getting \$2, wan

READING, May 3 .- Mrs. Theresa Hafer, who conducted a small shoe store at No. 143 North Tenth street, where she lived alone died under strange circumstances. The physicians who made an examination certified that her death resulted from no turnl causes

WEST CHESTER, May 3 .- The Pennsylvania and Delaware state line commission has finished his work after a drive over the entire line. It has formally declared the new dividing line set and unalterable, and the opposition to the change has been with

Beaver, May 3.—Senator Quay, when shown the story telegraphed from Washington that he would resign, said: "I will be on hand at the opening of the session to take the oath of office and serve out my arm, unless the very unexpected happens.

playing along the Lehigh river, found a newly born infant. They pulled it out of the water and hid it in a clump of bushes Later the police heard of their find, and are investigation. investigation is now being made.

LEBANON, May 2 .- John Cupler, a German, who for many years resided on North Ninth street, while walking in his yard fell over dead from the effects of either ar apoplectic stoke or heart failure. The de ceased came to this city in 1847.

Shamokin, May 2.—The Lancaster colliery, operated by Smith & Keiser, of this place, has been purchased by Detroit and Buffalo capitalists, who will enlarge the plant to twice its capacity, five hundred names going on the pay-roll.

COLUMBIA, May 2.—A robber entered the house of Jefferson Gilbert, on Cherry street, but was frightened away by Mrs. Gilbert before he secured anything. At-tempt was also made to break into the shoe shop of John B. Resh.

CHESTER, May 1 .- Bessie Grace, a 3-yearold child, had her arm cut off and a leg injured by a shifter on the Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore railroad two years ago. Saturday arbitrators awarded her \$1,000 damages.

READING, May 2.—The Rainbow Fire Company, fully equipped, accompanied by several citizens, has left on a ten days' trip. They go by way of Philadelphia, Washington and Atlanta, as far as Nev Orleans.

PHILADELPHIA, May 3 .- Fourteen-yeareld Ralph Wengenberg, of this city, fell in front of a train on the Reading railroad, near Sweet Briar, and was decapitated by the engine. The headless body was taker

LANCASTER, May 2 .- Clayton F. Myers, one of Lancaster's best known citizens, died at the house of Mrs. Sarah Vandersaal, 138 North Prince street, where he had comed for many years.

WILKES-BARRE, May 2.—Two Italians stabbed and dangerously wounded James Smith during a quarrel over cards at Mud-town. They were committed to jail.

SUNDURY, May 3.—Twenty-one carpen-ters have been suspended from work in the shops of the Philadelphia and Eric railroad

Condensed Accounts of all the Important Happenings Canada's grain crop will be above the

average. Boston will have \$1 gas beginning next

Halifax, N. S., chose Michael E. Keefe Baltimore's elevated railroad is about

completed. Drought will cut Kansas' wheat crop down one-half. Baseball is attracting good crowds in the

cuth this year. roston lasters will demand a nine-hour day after October 1.

A crusade has been started in Reading igainst railroad thieves.

The Cordage trust will increase the pre-ferred stock by \$2,500,000. The Novelty works, at Weatherly, have been closed by the sheriff.

Bay City, Mich., has launched the gest steamer affoat on the lakes.

Principal Assessor Wheeler, of Lowell Mass., proposes to assess bicycles. Execution has been issued on a judgment note by Justice Goodwin against Samuel Marks, of Philadelphia, for \$12,000.

The Ohio republican state convention will meet at Columbus June 7 and 8.

A contract has been awarded for a new \$43 000 school building in Pottsville.

Falling forty feet from a coal breaker, at Wilkesbarre, J. J. Brown was killed. The wages of minors in the Schuylkill region have been reduced one per cent.

Diphtheria has closed the schools in the Heckschersville Valley, above Minersville. A baby's cries aroused Gustave Reiff's Camily in New York and saved their lives. Four-year-old John Underwood, of West Pittston, fell into a cistern and was drown-

Rev. Sam Small retracts scandalous re marks concerning young women of Griffin,

Coal companies in Tennessee's Jellico district have combined with \$250,000 capi-

The Unitarian conference of the Middle States and Canada met in Washington,

Studying flying machines, Benjamin F. Goodell, of Fort Wayne, Ind., has gone

The weeding-out process at Sing Sing continues, six underkeepers having been removed.

Lancaster colliery, at Shamokin, has been purchased by Detroit and Buffalo

The Produce Exchange at New York will put timothy and clover seed in the list and sall options

New York's war of waiters is still on, and the guests are now the waiters for weir meals. Lieutenant Governor Sheehan, of New York, has been seriously ill, and is now

oorvalescent. The dead body of Thomas Ryan, of Trenton, N. J., was found in bed in a Bal-

timore boarding house. In Green county the "Jobes" republicans and the "regulars" each threaten to nomi-nate a candidate for judge.

The little daughter of Joachim Schultz, near White Haven, was burned to death while kindling brush piles.

George Jeremiah, of Columbus, O., has patented an electrical execution chair that will give a painless death.

Professor Thomas Hancher is most gen erally spoken of as the coming principal of the Kutztown normal school.

Several persons were injured by the col-lapse of the floor of the Clark Avenue Bap-tist church, of Cleveland, Ohio. It is probable that the trial of Lizzie Borden for the murder of her parents will

begin in June at Fall River, Mass. The duchess of Veragua has been made an honorary member of the National Mary Washington Memorial association.

At the state pharmaceutical examination in Harrisburg 300 young men and one girl applied for druggists' certificates.

By a court of appeals decision, leaf to-bacco importers will recover nearly \$2,000,-000 in duties from the government. The Florida legislature is struggling with the valued insurance scheme, and all

companies threaten to leave the state. The baseball team at Chicago university has three Hurman, two Yale and one Princeton graduates among its players.

The awarding of the contract to build a school house in Pottsville not to the lowest

bidder. C. H. Lnelly, has aroused strife. Dean Lawrence, of Cambridge, Mass., has been nominated for the late Bishop Brooks' place by the board of churchmen.

Ex-Governor Merriam, of Minnesota, has been sued for \$50,000 by Thomas O'Con-nor, a life convict, for false imprisonment.

The Presbyterian parsonage, occupied by Rev. Paul Houghtaling, and all contents, was burned at Riverton, N. J. Loss. \$5,000.

A pair of kid button shoes made in Lynn, Mass., in fifteen minutes and fortyfive seconds will be exhibited at the World's

Owen Carlin, who was for twenty years prominent in democratic politics in the Tenth ward, of Newark, N. J., died there

of dropsy. An effort is being made to raise the gunboat Scrapis, sunk in the war of 1812 at Upper Marlboro, Md., for exhibition at the World's Fair.

Blaming himself for the fire that de-troyed Cornelius Vanderbilt's Newport ouse, Micheal Helsin, a head servant, shot himself in New York.

All the iron ore mines near Ashland, Wis., except the Aurora, have shut down on account of the scheme to bring Besse mer ore to \$3.50 per ton.

Frank E. Houghton's livery stable, with thirty-head of horses and sixty carriages, was burned at Natick, Mass. Loss, \$20 000; partially insured.

The fastest bay pacer is Mascot, 2:04; the fastest chestnut is Gold Leaf, 2:11-8-4; the fastest black pacer is Direct, 2:05-1-2; the fastest gray pacer is Guy, 2:06-3-4; the fastest brown pacer is Roy Wilkes, 2:07-3-4.

The bulletin of the New York State Board of Health for March shows there were 12,000 deaths reported during the month. The daily average was 387, which is 50 more than in February and 30 more than the daily average for March, 1892. Of the 12,000 deaths 6,756 occurred in New

Deputy sheriffs searched the house on funied Murphy, two miles west of Wrent-ham, Mass., as a result of rumors that arose from the disappearance of his brother Dennis. In one of the rooms were found the carcusses of three horses, cut up and in bring. Economic forms with the carcusses of the control of the carcusses of the carcus with the carcus w brine. Bones from which meat had been sliced were lying on the floor.

How Mountains Get Their Names.

Mountains and mountain ranges in the United States, and, indeed, the world over, have usually been named not by the mountaineers themselves, but by the dwellers in the plains, who saw the mountains as a more or less distant prospect. It sometimes happens that a mountain range bears two names because of different aspects present to dwellers on each side. The several Blue and Blue Ridge Moun tains were named manifestly by those to whom the ranges presented themselves against a more or less distant by dwellers in the Adirondack region about Paul Smith's, a name justified that part of the wilderness. Our own Adirondack Sugar Loaf could never have been named by a dweller upon its own top. The Orange Mountains took their name, however, not from their sunset aspect as seen from the lowlands, but are only another evidence of the affection with which Dutchmen cling to the name orange, an affection which has led them to fix that name on the map in whatever part of the world they may have tarried .- New York Sun.

Nothing does the work so well — Mr. P. Byrd of New Grand Chain, Ills., writes: "Being exposed to all sorts of weather I am more or less liable to have pains of some kind. have tried a number of different socalled remedies, but nothing does the work so well as Salvation Oil. It is the best liniment I have ever used."

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The Colonel's Escutcheon.

From Harper's Bazar. She—"I love to hear Colonel Blowhard talk of his war experiences. By the way, which side was he on?" He-"The other side."

She-"The other side."

He-"No; the other side of the At-

I have been a great sufferer from dry catarrh for many years and I tried many remedies, but none did me so much benefit as Elv's Cream Balm. It completely cured me. M. J. Lally, 39 Woodward Ave., Boston Highlands,

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Game at the Dinner.

From Texas Siftings. Mrs. Murray Hill-"Did you have

my game at the dinner?" Mrs. McHarlem-"Well, I heard somebody say something about chicken croquet, but I was not asked to participate."

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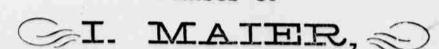
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