WHITE CAPS' OUTRAGES.

An Adventure in Ohio-A Warning Unheeded-The Outlaws Peppered with Small Bird Shot from Shot Guns.

CHICAGO, Dec. 2.-Mr. Eddison Vance, a well-known resident of Rutland, Vt., is visiting friends on Washington boulevard. For nearly three weeks prior to his Chicago visit he had been staying at the home of his uncle, Aaron Vance, who lives near Sardinia. Ohio, at present the scene of White Cap outrages. Mr. Vance says he had a thrilling experience with the ruffians and was handled roughly by them. The story, in his own words, is as follows:

"I arrived at Sardinia the night of November 9th. My uncle, whose farm is situated about three miles from the lown, met me at the depot with a horse and buggy. We statted for his home shortly after 9 o'clock. The route was lonesome. The greater part of the way lay through a valley, and the hills are heavily timbered. About a mile from town a man on horseback passed us. His head was enveloped with a white loth, and he was riding at a terrible pace. My uncle said: 'There goes one of those cursed White Caps; romebody will get whipped to-night.' Our conversation naturally continued on this subject. About half a mile further on, at the edge of a woods, is a drinking trough for horses. My uncle drew up to it, and got out to loosen the check from the horse's head. He had been telling me about the depredations of the band, and continued talking while the borses was drinking. He naturally talked in a loud tone, and in the stillness he could easily have been overheard by any one concealed within 20 yards. My uncle among other things, said 'I know two of them and have engaged spies to discover the rest. As soon as we can get evidence. enough, I will spend every dollar I possess, if necessary, to land the villains in the penitentiary.

"My uncle is a wealthy butcher and has the reputation of always going through with a thing when he has once started. We arrived at the farm house about 11 o'clock, and retired shortly after. I was tired and slept soundly. I arose early and came down stairs before my uncle and servants had got up. I opened the front door. Transfixed to the handle by a sharp pointed knife was a rough drawing of a human head, with the weapon stuck through the centre. In the left hand upper corner was a skull and crossbones and in the opposite corner the picture of a coffin. Below was an inscription which read: 'Aaron Vance, you'd better be careful as to what you says, and dose. This is a warning if you try to do us harm you will get the 'WHITE CAPS.' " worst of it.

"On the steps was a bundle of beech switches, and attached to the cord that As held them together was a tag, on which was written 'Weapons of Reform.'

"I awoke my uncle and showed the warning and the bundle of whips. His

vant, who loaded the guns, he had been able to fire so rapidly. Two days before I left my uncle got a letter which said

that the White Caps would have re venge if it took all winter. I tried to induce him to go away until the gang had been brought to justice, but the old man said he would fight the battle out from his own castle. When I was at my uncle's some neighbors were whipped, though innocent of any dis regard of public morals."

WOULD NOT STAND THE TEST.

A BESSEMER CAST STREL GUN BURSTS INTO PIECES WHILE BEING TESTED AT ANNAPOLIS.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Dec. 5 .- At the second test of the Bessemer cast-steel gun at the proving grounds, at the Naval Academy, this afternoon, the gun burst into pieces, breaking the heavy timbered platform it was on into a thousand fragments. The first charge and demand from the Haytien Governwas 36 pounds, the second 48-the regulation charge.

The gun, made of Bessemer cast steel by the Pittsburg Steel Casting Company, was 16 feet 1 inch in length, and weighed 10,000 pounds. It was shot a concave ball of 100 pounds. The Government lost in the destruction of of the officers who made the test, said the experiment proves that Bessemer cast steel will not do for great guns; it has not the elasticity nor the tensile strength. The gun exploded had a pressure of 14 1 10 tons to the square inch. It was shattered from the trunnions to the butt into over 20 pieces. From the trunnions to the muzzle it remained in one piece. The gun showed weakness in the breech, where it ought to have strength.

A DYING MAN'S CONFESSION.

Alleged B velation of an Incendiary Fire, Which had Terrible Consequences,

KALAMAZOO, Mich., Dec. 6 .- Wilham Radiger, of this city, has just made public the sensational confession of a dying man, Heinrich Schance, a bridge builder, of Chicago, made to Radiger in that city last May. Schance's confession, in substance, is as follows:

"In 1844 my partner, Schultz, and myself robbed a barn in Colverte, Prussia, and to throw off suspicion we set fire to the barn. A strong wind was blowing, and soon, to our horror, 100 houses and stores were in flames. The village was burned to the ground. The suffering that night was horrible; many mothers and children perished in the flames. Large rewards were offered for the perpetrators of the deed, but we were never caught. people gathered at the fire, we stole away turough the woods.

immediately took a steamer for first words were, 'The devils must a braver criminal than I. He remained name. He was asked whether the law and is still living in Colverte, Prussia, would be touched at the coming ses-

THE HAYTIEN TROUBLE.

THE STEAMER HAYTIEN REPUBLIC ILLEGALLY SEIZED.

SECRETARY BAYARD SAYS AN AMER. ICAN MAN-OF-WAR WILL BE SENT TO PORT-AU-PRINCE TO DEMAND HER RELEASE.

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.-A letter from Secretary Bayard to the owners of the steamer Haytien Republic, which is held by the Haytiens as a prize, having been condemned for running the blockade, was made public to-day.

The Secretary declares the seizure illegal, and states that an American man-of-war will be sent to Port-au-Prince to demand the steamer's release. It is expected that within the next twenty-four hours the U.S. corvette Galena will sail from the Brooklyn Navy Yard under orders to proceed with all despatch to Port-au-Prince, Hayti, the seat of the revolution on the island, ment the release of the American

steamship. Secretary Bayard to-day wrote the agents of the ill-fated American steamship that "the validity of the seizure and of the subsequent proceedings of charged with 48 pounds of powder, and alleged condemnation of the Haytien Republic cannot be admitted,"

"I have so informed Mr. Preston, property about \$5000 by the burstin of the Haytien representative at this capithe gut. Ensign Robert Dashiell. one tal," writes Mr. Bayard, "who has been instructed by his Government to refer the case of the Haytien Republic to the Government of the United States."

Mr. Austin sald that the owners of the ship would leave everything to the Government now. "We shall bring suit against the Haytlen Government, under General Legitime," he added. "The passengers were ill-treated, one of the crew has died of yellow fever on board while at Port-au-Prince, and the lives of all the officers and crew have been endangeled."

Mr. Preston, the Haytien Minister, said: "I think it would be very improper for me to make public the official communications which I have with your government."

Consul General Bassett said he had no news to give, and declined to say anything at all about the Haytien Republic.

Admiral Gherardi said he was surprised at Secretary Bayard's decision. "If the Navy Department decides to send a ship to Hayti," he said, "there is the corvette Galena. She can be got in readiness at short notice and is an efficient little ship. Then there is the Yantic just out of the dry dock. She, too, will be ready for sea within a few days, and the Richmond may be cleared in a week

THE HIGH LICENSE ACT.

MR. BROOKS THINKS THAT ANY AT-TEMPTS TO AMEND IT WILL FAIL.

HARRISBURG, Pa., Dec. 5 .- Among the legislators at the Capitol to-day journed. America, came to Chicago, and have was Representative Brooks, author of been here ever since. My partner was the High License act, which bears his

NEWS OF THE WEEK. 50th CONGRESS.-Second Session. SENATE.

In the United States Senate on the 5th, Mr. Vest offered a resolution continuing the select committee on the meat product and transportation of the United States, with leave to sit during the session and the next recess. The resolution was referred. Mr. Hoar offered a resolution continuing the Select Committee on Relations with Canada, with power to sit during the rocess and report in December, 1889. The resolution was referred. A resolution offered by Mr. Plumb was adopted, instructing the Committee on Epidemic Diseases to inquire into the yellow fever in Florida and if legislation is necessary to prevent other introductions of the disease. The Tariff bill was taken up, and Mr. Harris of Tennessee, moved to lay the substitute (the Senate bill) on the table. The motion was rejected-yeas, 19; nays, 26. The Tariff bill was proceeded with, and the end of Schedule A reached. A motion to strike out all the sections relating to alcohol used in the arts and manufactures was lost-yeas, 17; nays, 24. After an executive session the Senate adjourned.

In the United States Senate on the 4th, bills were introduced and referred train. for the construction of two steel rams and two cruisers, to be armed with dynamite guns. Mr. Frye moved to proceed to the consideration of the Union Pacific Settlement bill. On motion of ML Allison the Tariff bill was taken up, but, the Democratic Senators not loing ready to offer proposed amendments to the first section, relating to tobacco, the bill was laid over and the Senate adjourned.

In the United States Senate, on the 6th, a communication was presented from the Secretary of State, with a certified dopy of the final ascertainment of Presidential Electors in Kan-The presiding officer said that 888. similar certificates from the States of Maryland, North Carolina and Georgia had also been transmitted by the Secretary of State, and desired to know whether they should be entered on the journal or placed in the archives. After some debate a provision of the law of February, 1887, was read, requiring the Secretary of State to transmit copies of such correspondence to both Houses of Congress. The papers referred to the Comwere mittee of Privileges and Elections. The Tarif bill was considered. No amendment, beyond two changes of phraseology, was made to Schedule B, covering earthenware and glass. Schedule C, relating to metals, being taken up Mr. Plumb, of Kansas, offered anamedment reducing the rate on beams girders and joists from 11-10 to 8-10 cents per pound, and Mr. Harris moved to make the rate 6-10. Without action on the amendments the bill was laid side. Mr. Butler introduced a constituional amendment enlarging the Presidental term to six years. Ad-

HOUSE.

In the Louse on the 4th, leave was granted de Committee on Appropriaduring the see Mr. ns to "Well," said Dingley, if Maine, during the closing days of the last session, succeeded in having mide the special order for the 4th a bill or the erection of a monument to General Henry Knoz, at Thomasten, Maine, and subsequently Mr. Kilgere, of Texas, entered a motion to peonsider the vote by which the specia order was made. Mr. Dingley on the 4th called up this motion and move to lay it on the table. After much debte, the opponents of the bill fillbustering against it, Mr. Dingley yielded & Mr. Mansur to offer an amendment locating the monument in Washington. The previous question was then ordered on the bill and amendment, but filibustering was resumed until, at 5 o'clock, the House adjourned In the louse a number of bills and resolution were introduced under the call of sates. Among them were bills by Mr. Oates, of Alabama, to regulate inmigration; Mr. Vandevere, of California, to divide that State into two State, and by Mr. Stewart, of Georgia, & establish a graduated income tax br the payment of pensions. Mr. Springer asked unanimous consent for the immediate consideration of a resolution making the bill for the admission of Dakota, Montana, Washington and Jew Mexico a special order until dispased of Mr. Grosvenor, of Ohio, objected. The Senate bill for the adjustmen) of the accounts of Government workmen under the Eight Hour law was discussed. Mr. Springer asked utanimous consent for the adoption of presolution making the Senate bill for he admission of South Dakota a special order from to-day until disposed of, leave being granted far the efferingof the House "Omnibus" bill as a subtitute. Mr. Payson objected, and called up the Des Molnes River land Titles bill, which was passed. Adjourned. In the House on the 7th, the Speaker announed the resignation of Perry Belmon as Congressman from the First listrict of New York. The order br the consideration of the Direct Tax bill was modified so as to the recent fire. They were among the make iche special order for yesterday, Tuesday and Wednesday, and it was taken ut and considered in Committee of the thole. The District of Colnmbia Appopriation bill was reported and

-On the morning of the 3d, two freight trains collided on the Lehigh and Susquehanna Division of the Cenral Railroad of New Jersey, on the Wilkesbarre Mountain, eight miles south of Wilkesbarre, Penna. Both

trains were wrecked. Jacob Volgart and William Ehler, firemen, were killed. Engineers Pierce and Howarth were injured, the former fatally. Brakesmen Hulsizer, Rabe, Neeman and Robinson were severely injured. The tracks were blocked for eleven hours. Engineer Pierce failed to stop for orders at Solomon Gap. A coal train ran into an engine, which was taking water at a tank at Merrit. engineer, and Brakeman Allen were killed. The coal train got beyond coutrol while descending a steep grade. A despatch from Providence, Rhode Island, says that on the morning of the 2d, Thomas Burk, signal light tender of the Old Colony Railroad, while traveling on a railroad velocipede, was struck and killed by a locomotive. Two hours later, at Mount Hope Station, Michael Nolan, a track patrolman, while on a velocipede, was run down and killed by a construction

-Theodore E. Hazlehurst, Past Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery Knights Templar of the State of New York, and a prominent resi- Patrick's saloon. Andrew Borranorski, cent of Troy, shot and kuled himself on the 4th. The doctors are of the opinion that death resulted from accidental shooting. The business, do-mestic and social relations of Mr. Hazlehurst were of the most pleasant description, and no motive for suicide can be imagined. In the converting department of the Bessemer Steel Works, in Pittsburg, on the evening of the 4th, a large ladle filled with molten steel was accidentally overturned, the contents splashing over five employes. Henry Schweltzer died in a short time, and Albert Stokes and Michael Hurley are fatally burned. The other two, though badly burned, will recover. As an express train on the New York Central Railroad passed through Herkimer, New York, on the morning of the 4th, two girls were discovered on the track in great danger. Flagman Wolver rushed to their rescue and succeeded in saving them, but was killed himself.

-Nineteen cities of Massachusetts. including the newly created cities of ing assets nearly \$50,000, has been ar-Quincy and Woburn, held their municipal elections on the 4th. In Brockton, qy the Citizens' Bauk of Reading. He Gloucester, Waltham and Taunton the present Mayors were re-elected without opposition. Only four of the 32 Councilmen in Gloucester are Democratic, and the city, which voted for license a year ago, now gives 166 majority against license. In Taunton the Citizen's candidates for Aldermen and Councilmen were successful and license was carried by 343 majority. In Lawrence, usually Democratic, dissensions among the Democrats caused the Republican candidate for Mayor to be Twelve hundred and eightycan. two majority was given license, though it was defeated last year. Fitchburg elected the license ticket for Mayor and Aldermen by 244 plurality. Fall River elected a Republican Mayor by 372 plurality, and gave 1743 majority for license. The Republicans have three cil and gave 936 majority against li-Mayor and "non-partisian city government," and defeated license by majority of 1195. Haverhill elected the Citizens' candidate for Mayor and 841 majority for license, gave which it rejected last year. North ampton, Holyoke and Waltham went for Democracy and license; Woburn for Republicanism and license, and New Bedford for Fusion and license. Chelsea went Republican by 712 majority for Mayor and against license by a majority of 1494. Springfield went Republican on Mayor and Councilmen. and gave 1192 majority for license. The Republicans in New Haven, Connecticut, on the 4th elected their candidate for Mayor for the first time in eight years. They also elected the Town Agent, Sheriff and a majority of the Aldermen and Council. The Democrats elect d the City Treasurer and City Clerk. The result is due to factional dissensions among the Democrats. sey. Two Italian laborers were struck | away with coal. by a train near Rye, New York, on the 4th, and killed. Near Lexington, Georgia, on the 3d, a colored woman locked her three children in the house and went visiting. When she returned, after nightfall, the house had been burned, and the children had in it. Harry Hussey perished and J. Holman were fatally and John Packham severely injured on the 4th, by the fall of the southern wall of the McClary Company's building in London, Ontario, left standing after

pillar of coal. But few men were at work at the time. Philip Stevens and William Either were found dead in the mine on the 5th, and the following were mojured: Moses Jenkins, Henry Reiner, Charles Hafflo, Charles Rodey and James Smith. The company's loss is very heavy. While workmen were digging a cellar, in Newark, New Jersey, on the 5th, the earth caved in, killing Philip Liberati, Joseph Litoro and George Schwartz. A freight and passenger train on the Sharon branch of the Lake Shore Road collided near Youngstown, Ohio, on the morning of the 5 h. Conductor James Kennedy ton, Ontario, on the 3d,. Michael and Patrick Riley, brakeman, were fatally injured, Albert Lindsay, an engineer, and Brakeman Williams, engineer, was badia burt Lindsay, an was killed and James McCoy, fireman, cover.

mine forcing its way through a large

-The agent of the Sewell estate in Chicago says he has received advices that Tascott, the alleged murderer of millionaire Snell, has been arrested. He is awaiting a photograph for identification. Mrs. Henrietta L. Snell, widow of the murdered man, on the evening of the 5th, announced that she will pay \$50,000 for the capture of Tascott. This reward is offered on the same terms as the last reward of \$20,-(00, and will hold good for four months. Patrick Dermody shot and mortally wounded his brother, John, in New York, on the afternoon of the 5th. The shooting took place in who on the 25th ult.; killed Bernard Cassidy at a wedding feast, was arrested on the evening of the 4th, and lodged in the jaii at Bellefonte, i a., on the morning or the 5tb.

-The Attorney General of the United States, in an opinion submitted on the 5th, holds that the Secretary of the Interior has no authority of law to permit the Washington and Idaho Railroad Company to construct, under the Act of May 18, 1888, a railroad through the Cour d'Alene Indian reservation, in Idaho Territory, in advance of the ascertainments, fixing the actual payment of the compensation provided for in the act. The railroad company had asked permission to begin operations, pending action by the Interlor Department, fixing the amount to be paid upon their furnishing satisfactory security

-J. A. Buch, a member of the firm of Buch Bros., of Litiz, Pa., which recently failed, with liab lities exceedrested on the charge of fraud, alleged gave bail for trial.

--- A telegram from San Francisco says the stage from Mendocino to Ingram was stopped by a robber on the evening of the 4th. The driver was compelled to throw off the express box and two small sacks, which the highwayman secured and then allowed the stage to proceed.

-Dr. Charles Goodspeed, a young physician in North Abington, Massachusetts, was found dead in his office elected by 1260 plurality. All the on the morning of the 5th. Upon a Aldermen and Councilmen are Republi- table was found an empty hypodermic syringe and on the floor an empty bottle, labelled "morphine." Miss Anna M. Moore, aged 18 years, committed suicide in Antwerp, New York, on Tuesday night, by shooting herself in the head. -Three men named Fourina, father, son and nephew, left Gaspe, Quebec, majority in the Board of Aldermen on the 6th, in a small boat, for their and three in Common Council. Quincy home along the Darimouth river. On elected a Republican Mayor and Coun- the 7th, their dead bodies were found in the boat, which was full of water. cense. Malden elected a Democratic Death resulted from exhaustion and exposure. -The flues in the boiler of H. S. Sanders's refinery, in Pattersonville, Louisiana, collapsed on the evening of the 6th, killing Terrence Major, Jr., white, and Edmund Walker, colored, and scalding two others. Chas. Matthews, aged 65 years, of Wilkesbarre. Penna.. was struck by a train and killed on the 7th, while walking on the track of the Lehigh Valley Baliroad. The Diehl malt house, in Buffalo, New York, collapsed on the afternoon of the 7th. It was one of the largest in the city, and was being enlarged. The cause was an upper floor giving way. Two heavy tanks fell through and burst cut the front walls. Frederick Meyer was killed and Anthony Anse injured. -An engine on the Toledo, Columbus and Southern Railroad drew a passenger train from Toledo to Findlay, Ohio, on the 7th, on fuel furnished by -Seymour Gardner, fireman on the crude petroleum. The trial was such New York, Ontario and Western Rail- a success that President Brown anroad, was struck by a train and killed nounces that he will have all his enon the 4th, at Spring Tank, New Jer- gines arranged for the use of cil and do -Up to the 7th, 100 out of 325 certificates of election of members of the Fifty-first Congress had been received by the Clerk of the House of Representatives. No certificates have been received from West Virginia, Clerk Clark says it will take an official count of certificates to determine the political complexion of the next House. -William Bagley, a peddler, entered the house of James Campbell, in Milesburg, Pa, on the evening of the 7th, and made himself very offensive to one of his daughters. Policeman Butler was called, when Bagley shot him, the ball striking Butler on a rib and glancing off. Bagley was finally landed in jail.

have been in the woods last night when we watered the horse.'

"After breakfast he announced his intention of going into town and purchasing firearms. He returned in the afternoon with two shotguns, three revolvers and a quantity of ammunition. Then he posted a notice on the fence. facing the road to the effect that he did not fear all the White Caps in Christendom, and would never rest until he had hung a few of them. I tried to dissuade him from putting up the notice, but the old man was obdurate. The next morning another notice was stuck on the front door, which read: We will call on you within ten days.' "My uncle engaged the services of a

man named Harwick to watch the is on foot to organize a federation of premises. On the fourth night he all railroad employes in the United called us and said the White Caps were States, excepting conductors, and a surrounding the house. We arose and dressed hurriedly. Arming ourselves, we went to the front window. I should judge there were 30 masked men in the

"Who are you, and what do you want?' asked my uncle.

"The foremost horseman replied: We want you, and we are going to have you.

"'All right,' replied the old man; 'come on.

"With that he raised his shotgun and fired into the middle of the group. There was a yell and a man fell from his horse, They picked him up, and all turned and galloped away. In about two hours we heard them returning. We were ready for them. We had loaded the guns with small bird shot and, as they dashed into the yard, we did not heatate to fire at them. The volley seemed to rattle them. Again they went away. We heard nothing for three days I sup-We posed they had gotten enough and would let us alone. The third night about ten o'clock we heard a noise in the barn, and Hardwick and I went to see what was the matter. I never thought of white caps.

"We left my uncle with an old woman servant alone in the house. We had hardly left the house before I was struck down, and three men, their faces covered with masks were on top of me. At my side, Harwick was sufbound us with cords and half carried and led us to the barn. One of them said to us: 'We mean you no harm if tied.

"Then all but one went away. The

"In a short time we heard a report insilade. and 1 remember of wondering how my uncle managed to load and fire so leaving school. A summary shows that rapidly. opened the barn door and beckoned to from the several schools, as follows: our guard. He immediately left us. Chester Springs, 44, Hartford, 25; Inand we did not see him again. It was dustrial, 2; Mansfield, 27; McAilisterthe barn door and cut the ropes that bound us. He explained that he did White Hall, 30; St. Paul's Home, 8; not dare to come out of the house before. 4 was so stiff that it was some time before I could use my hands. My how,

where he is a wealthy merchant, "

he should forward the confession to tempts to amend it, but they will not the German authorities, and to-day the succeed. In one feature both Philadellatter made a sworn statement of the phia and Allegheny are particularly defacts, which he forwarded to the Ger- sirous of amending the bill, and that is man Consul at Cincinnati, Mr. Volike. | in taking the power of granting licenses

A PROPOSED UNION.

GANIZATION ALL THE RAILROAD EMPLOYES IN THE UNITED STATES, EXCEPT CONDUC-TORS.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 6.-A movement meeting looking to that end will be held in this city early in January. The union will embrace the Brotherhoods of Locomotive Engineers, Firemen, Brakemen, Switchmen and Yardmen, and it is claimed will have a membership of 100,000. Secret meetings have already been held at Columbus and Chicago, and the plan of federation is now in the organizations enumerated.

In speaking of the proposed organizasaid last night:

surance and strike fund, and one of went successively to see what was the imperative rules of the Federation wrong, and each in turn was seized will be that no organization will be and bound like Cole man. allowed to quit work without gaining and victory to the men.

ically unite the 100,000 railroaders into the thieves have been connected with every separate brotherhood is to be information upon which to carefully preserved with their local arrests. officers and governing rules."

IN SOLDIERS' ORPHANS' SCHOOLS!

HARRISBURG, Pa., Dec. 6 .- There fering from the same violence. They ment of Soldiers' Orphans' Schools a vention said: pamphiet, containing a complete list of numerous soldiers and citizens The

and employment for the orphans upon A few minutes later a man a total of 366 will be discharged in 1889 broad day light when my uncle opened | ville, 27; Mercer, 41; Mount Joy, 30; S. O. Institute, 42; Uniontown, 43; Tressler Home, 17.

uncle told the story of the assault and addressed by Justin Martyr to the Em- several of whom are not expected to by the aid of the old ser- | peror Autonius Plus, about A. D. 104 | recover

Schance enjoined upon Radiger that Mr. Brooks, "there may be some atfrom the hands of the Judges; they either want that or they want the power of discretion taken from the A MOVEMENT TO UNITE IN ONE OR- Judges; that is, every man shall be granted a license who asks for one, provided he pays for it. It will not work, however, as this is not a special act, and special features cannot be introduced as amendments,"

sion of the Legislature.

"Will an attempt be made to reduce the fees?" "On the contrary, if anything, the

fees will be made higher."

A BOLD ROBBERY.

SIOUX CITY, lowa, Dec. 3 .- A bold attempt was made early Sunday morning to rob the safe in the office of the Booge Packing House. About 2 o'clock four masked men rushed upon Thomas Coleman, the watchman, and overthe hands of the Grand Chiefs of all powered him. A gunny sack was tied over his head and his hands and legs were secured and he was laid down in tion, a Fort Wayne Railroad engineer a corner of the office. As the watchman did not report the engineer, the "Among the features will be an in- assistant engineer and the tank men

The burgiars worked hard to open consent of the General Board of the the safe, but, at 4 o'clock, they broke Federation. This will result in fewer a drill, and gave up the job atter going strikes, but whenever they do occur through the pockets of the captured they will be of tremendous power, as men securing \$65. Had the burglars the railroads of the entire country can succeeded in opening the safe they be tied up if necessary to secure justice would have received nothing of consequence beyond some papers, which While the Federation will theoret- are not negotiable. The police believe

one organization, yet the autonomy of the establishment, but have no positive make

POWDERLY INTERVIEWED.

CIIICAGO, Dec. 6.- A despatch from Columbus, Ohio, says: General Master Workman Powderly, speaking last has just been issued from the Depart- evening of the recent Indianapolis Con-

"We are weeding out the troubleall the soldiers' orphans now in the some elements. For some time there schools under the care of the State who has been an Anarchistic element in the the House adjourned. you keep stifl. We are going to teach will become sixteen and be discharged Order. These fellows, who are at war Aaron a lesson to keep his tongue during the coming year. The list is ar- with all of our institutions, feel perranged in schools, and there has been fectly happy when they get into the added the date at which each child will Order and succeed in stirring up man left with us took a seat about 10 be discharged. Copies of this list will be | quarrels. We have no room for any kind feet away and never took his eyes from sent to each post of the Grand Army of Anarchists in the pountry. They of the Republic in the State, and to have opposed me, and it has simply been a question whether they should of a gun and then followed a perfect object had in view is to interest as go for 1. So far I have come out Shot after shot was fired, many as possible in obtaining homes ahead. The Kn ghts of Labor, it is true, have declined in membership, Such organizations have their ebb and flow. But now we are prosperous, and the membership is growing.

"We are not opposed to strikes, but believe in reason before strikes, not strikes and reason afterwards,"

-An explosion occurred in the Midlaud Mine, at New Castle, Colorado, on the afternoon of the 31. One man -Apologies for Christianity were was killed and eight were injured.

THE GRIND MARSHALSHIP OF THE AUGURATION PARADE.

HARRSBURG, Pa., Nov. 29 .- The Inauguration Committee at Washington to-day tendered Governor Beaver the hone of being Grand Marshal of the parale which will constitute a prominen feature of the imposing ceremony incident to the inducoffice of President elect tion inte Harrison. He has not yet signiintention of accepting his fied or declining the honor, but, as Penn-sylvania vill send an immeuse delegaion to Washington on the 4th of March, it is hoped he will decide to act. Adjutant General Hastings returned to-day fron the National Capitol, where he has been endeavoying to secure quarters for the National Guard. He will

go back mat week to complete arrangements.

men engaged in removing the debris. -The dead body of an unknown man, who is believed to have been stealing a ride, was found on the 30th ult., under a load of lumber on the Pennsylvania Railroad at Frankford. Michael McManes, of Trenton, was struck and killed on the morning of the 30th ult., on the Pennsylvania Railroad, at North Penn Junction. August Linke and John Albin were crushed to death in Albin's coal mine, at Olney, Illinois, on the 29th ult., by a cave-in. Two trains collided on the Chicago and Atlantic Railroad, at Crown Point, Indiana, on the 30th ult., causing a loss of about \$30,000, The train hands escaped injury by jumping

tions of Chinese highbladers in the conceal the crime, Michael Dwyer's streets of Portland, Oregon, on the 2d. About 20 Chinamen, all armed with pistols, participated. One was killed and three probably fatally isbed in the flames. Mr. Dwyer and wounded.

-The mines at Nesqueboning, Pa. burned. The fire star became flooded on the evening of the 41 by water from the Hacksthorne bouse was built of logs

-R. R. Hawes, the father of May Hawes, whose dead body was found in East Lake, near Birmingham, Alabama, on the 5th, has been arrested charged with her murder. He married a young girl in Columbus, Mississippi, on the 6th, and was arrested upon his arrival in Birmingham with his bride. He denies all knowledge of the crime,

-Two houses were burned in Dayton, Tennessee, on the 7th, and in the ruins of one was found the body of Mrs. Thomas Gann. Her husband was arrested, charged with murdering -A fight occurred between two fac- her, and setting fire to the house to

> one child escaped, but were badly burned. The fire started from an ash barrel at the side of the house. The