soda works, Nashville, Tenn., were almost totally destroyed by fire. Fire in the paper mill of Manning & Paine, at Troy, N. Y., damaged the building

and machinery to the extent of \$100,000. The works of the Le Metzn Umbrella and Bicycle Handle Company, at West Brighton, S. I., burned. Loss, between \$50,000 and

John Barnett, one of the oldest freight conductors on the Belvidere division of the Pennsylvania Railroad, fell under a train at Stockton, N. J., and was killed.

Henry Windell, an eccentric money lender and furniture broker of San Francisco was thrown from his buggy and instantly killed. Windell lived all alone.

Articles of incorporation have been filed

with the Territorial Secretary of Arizona for the construction of a narrow-guage railway from Guthrie, on the Arizona and New Mexico Railway to Moreno, Ariz. A great deal of damage was caused at

Middletown, N. Y., by a cloudburst. The rain came down in torrents. Cellers were filled and sewers flooded beyond their capacity. The loss will be heavy.

John P. McDonald, an ex-Sheriff of Milwaukee county, and who at various times held responsible political positions in Milwaukee, was sentenced to six months at the county farm for vagrancy.

Simon Lowenthal, of Syracuse, N. Y., well known liquor agent, aged about 75, silent partner of Ulhman, Justein & Co., Cleveland, O., was struck and instantly killed by a New York Central fast freight at Oneida. A freight elevator in the Nelson Morris

packing house, in East St. Louis, dropped from the third story to the basement with four employes. Louis Been, William O'Brien and Patrick Gillam were picked up unconscious, the two former with broken legs. Mrs. Croker, of Cedar Junction, Kans., and her 9-year-old son, were killed by a

Santa Fe passenger train, near there. Reports of frost came from a few points in Southern Minnesota and North Dakota. Garden truck was killed or badly damaged, but none of the reports speak of very serious injury to corn, except one from South Minnesota, which represents the damage as being heavy to corn and late flax. Wheat is

Chaffected, being mostly harvested. In Philadelphia the National Association of German-American Journalists and Authors held their second and last session of the seventh biennial convention. These officers were elected: President, Dr. G. Keliner; vicepresident, Louis Holler; recording secretary; Paul Epple; financial secretary, E. W. Ditges, and treasurer, William Regenspurger.

Ten saloons in Kansas City, Kan., were raided by the police, and \$3,000 worth of liquor seized and poured into the gutters. Saloon furniture and fixtures filling 10 big drays were seized and carted to police headquarters, where they will be burned. Similar action will be taken against some 70 other saloons.

Anxiety as to the fate of the Yukon-River steamer P. B. Weare, said to be laden with gold, is set at rest by Traffic Manager Charles B. Hamilton, of the North American Transportation Company, stating that he had advices that the Weare was tied up near Circle City, repairing her boiler flues.

A Cleveland, Akron and Columbus engine. No. 27, attached to a south-bound freight on that road, exploded at Fredericks. burg, O., killing the engineer and fireman and hadly scalding H. E. Shank, the brake-

Mrs. Cora Mandenburgh Hoskins, aged 35 years, committed suicide at Schuylersville,

The steamer Portland arrived at Port Angeles with a number of miners from the upper Yukon districts. They state that 140 remarkably rich claims on Eldorado Creek are now producing. Many sailors have deserted vessels in Alaskan waters to go to the gold fields

There are seven thousand destitute people-striking miners and other families-in the vicinity of Nelsonville, O. The strike leaders have determined to start a campaign A Family of Seven Narrowly Escape among the miners on the Wheeling Division of the Baltimore and Ohio.

Delaware peach crop is shorter this year than for many years past.

During the Grand Army reunion at Buffalo the chair which President McKinley had occupied on the reviewing stand was stolen, but afterward recovered. The family of Charles Headley, near

Bridgeton, N. J., was poisoned from eating cabbage on which Paris Green had been placed while it was in the field.

Mrs. J. Melvin Couch, while alone in her home at Macon, Ga., was brutally assaulted by an unknown man. In the struggle she bit a piece out of his face. A six-story factory building on Pearl

street, N. Y., occupied by a number of manufacturers, was gutted by fire. Aggregate The people of Suffolk, Va., are preparing

to oppose the settling of acolony of the Sanctification band in their neighborhood.

Rev. Daniel Kelly and Philip Foust, old men, were killed by a train striking their buggy near Carlisle, Pa. The Pennsylvania Democratic State Com-

mittee met at Reading, and by a vote of 53 to 26, passed a resolution declaring vacant the position of national committeeman from Pennsylvania, filled by William F. Harrity, and naming James M. Guffey, of Pittsburg, for the vacancy.

The Labor Congress, composed of delegates from all the labor organizations in the country, excepting the Locomotive Engineers. Firemen and Trainmen Brotherhoods. met at St. Louis to take steps to aid the striking miners. Mrs. Edith Sigler, of Kansas City, who

claims to be a descendent of Stephen Girard, announces that she is going to try to wreck Girard College, in Philadelphia, to get a share of the millions left by its founder. Louis Leutgert, the 12-year-old son of Adolph Leutgert, the Chicago sausage

maker, on trial for the alleged murder of his wife, gave testimony which may help his father. A severe burricane visited the Gulf of Cal-

ifornia. A town was swept away, three lives lost, and many vessels are missing.

FOUR MINERS DROWNED. Fate of a Party Which Started by Sail

Boat From Juneau. J. Peterson, an Alaska trader, who left Dawson City on July 22, with his partner, Bradbury Cole, has arrived at Victoria, British Columbia, on the steamer Islander, they having come out to the coast over the Lowelton trail. Peterson says that on the trip down the Islander picked up four men. They were clinging to a capsized sail boat, in which they and four other gold miners had left Juneau for Shaguay on August 1. On the morning of the 23d, at 4 a. m., the boat capsized, and James Armstrong, of Seattle; W. McDonald, of Nanalmo; Thomas Trevylan, of Nanlamo,

and Hugh McLaren, of Naniamo, were

KLONDIKE A LOTTERY.

Hundreds Have Not a Nugget to Show for Toil.

IDLE FOR THE SUMMER.

Output from Eldorado and Bonanza Creeks Has Been Famous and There Is Much More Gold in Sight-Placers Are Very Deceiving, Fortunes Having Been Found in a Waste of Mud and Moss.

A despatch from San Francisco, Cal., says:-The Bulletin has received a letter from Charles Haines, dated Dawson City, July 26. Mr. Haines is a well-known newspaper writer, and his letter is the first written by a trained newspaper man to come out

of the Klondike gold regions. He says: "The rich diggings have been comparatively idle during the summer, although the output from Eidorado and Bonanza creeks was famous, and there is plenty of gold in sight. There is every prospect of an immense output of gold from this district next spring. The total output this season is, as near as I can judge, about \$7,000,000, but very little ground has been worked, and the dumps will, like some of the tailings of old California placers, pan out thousands of dollars when worked with improved ma-

"The placers are the most puzzling and deceiving I have ever seen. Imagine a man working on good 'color' and finding the ground worth only a few dollars per day and then turning to a waste of mud and moss with no surface indications and unearthing a bonanza. That is the situation here and all over Alaska. The man who comes here to mine does so at the expense of health and happiness, and it is with him a question of making a fortune quickly or chances with death. About me are scores of men who can weigh their gold by the bucket full and who value their claims at millions.

Many Have Found No Gold. 'Four hundred valuable diggings are stretched along creeks, and every digging is a fabulous mine of gold, yet there are weary men who have gone and returned to Dawson after searching the great country hereabouts and never a nugget do they show for their toil and their long tramp over broken ground and into a country whose disadvantages are exceeded by no other place on earth. This Alaska northwest territory is an odd prize drawing proposition that I can liken to nothing that admits of a

better comparison than a lottery. "A aumber of spots are selected on the creeks and rivers, and for one year the miner labors. The year closes, the water runs, and the season's output barely pays expenses. Not two miles away from the unfortunate one works a man who has taken from an uninviting bit of earth a sack full of gold. The lucky one did not strike the pocket because of his ability as a miner; chance favored him and that was all. In short, the miner guesses at it and locates any and everywhere. In nineteen cases out of twenty he misses it, and has to wait another year for a now trial.

"Dawson is merely a collection of log

huts, saloons, and a mass of tents, about 600 in number. When the long nights come and the glass goes down to 65 degrees below zero, there will be intense suffering here, and I shudder to think of the results.

Immense Wealth in the Region.

"Ten thousand men may come here, but they will be lost in the vast country when they spread out to prospect. Not more than 500 of them will strike a mine. In years to come, when, at the sacrifice of human life and energy the treasures of this great land are located, the wealth of the north will be something beyond comprehension."

POISON IN THE CABBAGE.

Agonizing Death.

The family of Charles Headley, living in Stothein's Neck, near Bridgeton, N. J., was strangely poisoned. Headley, his wife and five children were affected, and for a time it looked as though all would die, despite the efforts of a physician. As it is, Mrs. Headley is still in a dangerous condition, and her recovery is very doubtful.

The members of the family were attacked soon after dinner, all similarly. They had violent pains, accompanied by excessive vomiting and retching. In agony, Headley managed to summon aid, and Dr. Hummel was called in. He administered to the sufferers, working for hours to save their lives. Their symptoms were those of mineral poisoning, and the physician treated them accordingly. The children rallied with great difficulty, and remained in a really dangerous condition for hours. Headley himself seemed to stand the poison better, probably cause of his more vigorous constitution,

but he, too, was in great danger for a time. Dr. Hummel made a careful investigation to discover the cause of the poisoning, after he had made the sufferers as comfortable as possible. He learned that the family had had ham and cabbage for dinner, and eaten very heartily of the dish. The ham was found to be all right, but when some of the remaining cabbage was closely examined. particles of paris green was found adhering to it. Then the secret was out. The deadly poison had been placed on the cabbage in the field for the purpose of killing the bugs which destroy the heads.

FATAL WORK OF KEROSENE.

Three Persons Burned to Death and Six

'Houses Destroyed. Marie, the fourteen-year-old daughter of Mrs Frances Valdez, of Port Tampa City, Fia., went to the kitchen to start a fire Sunday. She poured on kerosene and instantly there was a deafening explosion, followed by the girl's agonizing death cries as she ran through the room a biazing mass. Mrs. Valdez at once went to her daughter's assistance. While she was attempting to extinguish the flames her own clothes caught fire, and the two went screaming from the house. Both were burned to a crisp, especially about their faces. It was impossible to

recognize them. The house caught from the flames and was soon a mass of fire, and a small boy was burned in the house. His body is not yet recovered. The fire spread rapidly, and five houses, owned by the Plant Investment Company, were burned, there being no fire protection. The department from Port Tampa turned out, but could do no good,

there being no water on hand. Loss, about **\$2,000.** The Valdezes were Cubans employed in eigar factory, near where the fire occurred. The fire was witnessed by several thousand pleasure-seekers at Picule Island and the

PENNSYLVANIA ITEMS.

There were but four deaths in Mechanicsburg during the month of August.

While making up a charge of powder Jacob Jacobitan had his right arm blown off by the explosion at Lattimer.

Frank Flora and Angelo Christian were badly injured while withdrawing a charge of powder from a hole that missed fire at Ebervale.

Jacob Garner, a prominent farmer living east of Sharon, was attacked by a vicious bull in his barnyard and so badly gored be may not recover.

A trolley road is to be constructed from Shenandoah to Ringtown that will reduce the rail distance to Ringtown from thirty to four miles.

A preliminary injunction has been granted, restraining the School Board of Danville from making a proposed change in text books.

A horse driven by Superintendent L. C. Smith and President I. A. Stearns, of the Cross Creek Coal Company, took fright and ran away at Drifton. Both occupants were

slightly injured. Stephen Vogden, a Polander, of Thomaston, was badly beaten during a drunken row and was brought to the Pottsville Hospital, the entire left side of his skull being crushed

Roy Parks, aged 15 years, of Easton, was practicing with a number of other boys, composing one of Easton's amateur eleven when he got into a scrimmage and had his left shoulder blade broken.

Will Connor, of Pottsville, in attempting to jump an engine tender, fell upon the track. The wheels of the tank passed over his right leg above the ankle, crushing it so badly that amputation was necessary. He will die.

The Monument Committee of Lincoln Post, G. A. R., has awarded the contract for the soldiers' monument to be erected at Shamokin to the Carrick Bros.' Granite Company. The memorial will cost \$10,000. Alvin W. Dry, hotelkeeper at the tavern in the vilinge of Douglassville, died under

peculiar circumstances. He was in good

health and left the barroom to stop some noise in the sitting-room. Five minutes later he fell in the hallway dead. On his forehead is a contused wound as well as one on the back of his head. It was rumored that he had died from wounds sustained by being struck with a glass, and the doors and walls were spattered with blood. A post-mortem was held and the jury de-

cided that he died a natural death, brought

on by heart failure. The exciting man-hunt for Joe David, the outlaw, who has kept the staid old community of German Township at the boiling point for the last month by his bold crimes. concluded by the arrest of the fugitive. He was captured at the Oliver works by Sheriff Chalfant and a crowd of deputies, who ran

him down in a deserted building. While on his way home after midnight, John Erwin was set upon by three men and was brutally assaulted at Bethlehem. Besides being kicked and beaten he was stabbed in the neck and shoulders. He was finally rescued from their bands and after his wounds had been dressed, was removed to his home, where he now lies in a serious

condition.

A young man named Miller was arrested and committed on the charge of having done the stabbing. Erwin is a student at the University of Pennsylvania, and is home on his vacation, spending it with his parents in

max to a jollification given at his boarding house by John Moliski. The alleged murderer made good his escape. John Moliski keeps a boarding house for

foreigners at Seek, two miles from Tamaqua. Sunday he invited a crowd of friends around and soon liquor was freely flowing. By midnight the members of the party were pretty well soaked and it needed but a match Among the men were Mike Schospitel and John Moliski. The former made a remark which the latter resented as an insult. Words gave way to blows and Moliski had the best of it.

This enraged the other, who rushed out into the street. It is alleged that he returned shortly after and, catching Moliski unprepared, hurled the missile at the latter's head with all his strength. Moliski dropped to the floor like a log and in a moment was dead, almost before the half-intoxicated crowd realized what had happened.

James Kane, of Scrantan, aged 20 years. fell from a swing at Mayburg Park and was seriously and probably fatally injured. His face was badly cut and bruised and seems to

have been internally injured. An insane man, William Wildrick, who says he is a relative of the Gould family. tried to throw himself down the Meadow Brook shaft, Scranton. Later in the day he was detained by the Scranton police at the request of authorities in Monroe County.

TRAMPS STOP A WEDDING.

Drive Out the Guests, Eat the Wedding Supper and Steal the License.

Fifteen armed tramps surprised and cap ured the farmhouse of John P. Williams at lolgate, O. Miss Williams and Frank Colins were to have been married, The tramps drove the family and guests out, devoured the bridal supper and ransacked the house. All valuables were taken, even the coat of Mr. Williams that contained the marriage license. The wedding was postponed and the guests formed a posse for pursuit, No arrests .uve yet been made.

ALABAMA'S COTTON CROP SHORT. The Output Will Be About 30 Per Cent.

Less Than in 1896. Reports have been received at the office of Commissioner of Agriculture Culver from 54 of the 66 in the State as to the condition of cotton. The output for the State will not exceed 70 per cent. of last year's crop. There have been heavy losses during the last two

weeks on account of rust. The Railroad Commissioners, who have been over every railroad in the State recently estimated the crop even lower than the above. These are facts as to the cotton crop of Alabama,

Sexton Murdered in His Church. In the vestibule of Holy Trinity Church, Montrose and Graham avenues, in the Williamsburg district of Brooklyn, the dead body of George Stulz, the assistant sexton of the church, was found lying in a pool of blood at 1 o'clock a. m. The man's head had been battered in by a blunt weapon. Robbery is supposed to have been the mo-

Gen. Nelson A. Miles, of the United States urmy, witnessed a parade of the Berlin garison and was presented to Emperor Wil-

BUTCHERED BY PIRATES

A British Ship Attacked and Looted by Achenese.

CAPTAIN CUT TO PIECES.

Forced His Way to the Deck, Where He Was Overcome and Disembowled by His Navage Assailants-Passengers Were Killed or Sought to Escape by Jumping Overboard-Pirates Rob a Millionaire.

A daring piracy is reported off the coast of Achentskachen, China. The British steamer Hegu was attacked by six armed Achenese, Captain Ross managed to force his way through the pirates and reach the deck. hotly pursued by his savage assailants, one of whom had meanwhile laid hold of the

carving knife from the table. As the skipper, badly wounded, struggled to get to the bridge, he was stabbed in the adbomen. The remainder of the piratical gang surrounded the prostrate man, and hacked him savagely, actually disemboweling him and leaving him a mangled corpse on deck. The mate and steersman were the next to be attacked. Both were on the bridge and, in spite of the resistance they offered, were soon cut down. The boatswain, however, climbed up the funnel stairs and thus escaped the onslaught of the pirates.

Returning to the deck two more of the crew and four Chinese passengers were killed. Thirty or forty more passengers, according to accounts, have been killed, or met their death by jumping overboar1. The vessel was then looted. One of the Achenese was placed at the wheel to steer the ship nearer land. Others plundered the captain's cabin, taking a repeating rifle and a revolver. The safe was opened, \$15,000 was taken, two boats lowered from the ship, and the pirates made off in the direction of Simpang Olim.

The vessel was a frightful one, the deck being splattered with blood and the entrails of the victims. Advices from Tapeh, North Formosa, state that the rebels have been particularly active, but no serious fighting

nas taken place. Hongkong, China.-Matt Salet, a notorlous brigand, with 200 followers, raided the government station at Polop, Gaiya, captured Mr. Newbronner, the officer in charge, killed a Corporal and then sacked the treasury of \$20,000. The town, which consisted entirely of wooden and kajang houses, was

then fired and every building destroyed. Galya is the export and import centre of a considerable district and the population was largely Chinese. Salet, at last accounts, was fortified at Inaman, and it is feared will attack Sanda-Kan and massacre the Europeans after looting the town.

LATE INVENTIONS.

Medicine which tastes bad can be easily taken by means of a newly devised glass, which has a partition in the centre to separate the medicine from a liquid to wash,it down, the partition preventing the two from mixing and allowing the wash to flow out by tipping the glass higher up.

Fires can be easily kindled by means of a West Bethlehem. No cause is given for the | hollow bricks, which can be attached to each other after being filled with asbestos, A brutal murder was the unlooked-for cli- when they are placed in a pail containing oil to absorb a sufficient quantity to ignite the fire when a match is applied to the

A new portable sawing machine for felling trees and cutting them up into wood has a folding frame with a large balance wheel, geared to a crank shaft with the saw blade attached to the end of the crank to slide through grooves in the frame, the saw being to ignite the flame. This was soon struck. run by a crank on the other end of the

Electricity for medicinal purposes can be easily generated by a new instrument, shaped like a watch and nearly the same size, containing a magnet and two coils of wire attached to a spindle, near the ends of the magnet, the spindle being revolved by means of a coiled spring, which is wound by the stem of the watch.

To assist beginners in learning to ride a wheel a steel yoke is clamped on to the frame of the wheel back of the saddle with the ends of the yoke extending down nearly to the ground and carrying a pair of wheels which revolve whenever the rider loses his balance and falls to one side.

Ventilating fans for use on sewing machines have a light frame, to be clamped onto the arm of the machine to support a fan, which is revolved by a small fraction wheel, pressing against the balance wheel, with the fan shaft geared to it at right angles to fan a person sitting at the machine.

Penny-in-the-slot machines are now being made to inflate bleycle tires, an air tank being fitted with flexible rubber tubes to be attached to the valve in the tire, after which the money is placed in the slot, and the air flows into the tire, the act of unscrewing the tube from the valve closing the machine agaia.

Blind hinges are being made with a semicircular cog on the part which is attached to the blind, with a rod which ends in a gear wheel at one end to mesh in the cog on the blind, the other end projecting through the wall into the room inside and ending in a knob or lever by which to turn the blind from the inside.

Smokers will be pleased with a little device which is intended for use in lighting a pipe or cigar when the wind blows, a semicircular shield being fitted with a hollow handle, which is corrugated inside to ignite a match as it is pushed into the handle from the opposite end, the head of the match resting in the center of the shield to light the cigar.

Cyclers will appreciate a new pump, which consists of a long cylinder with a piston at each end, connected to a central shaft, which is revolved by a crank instead of sliding the tube back and forth, the new pump weighing but little more than the old one and filling a tire in less than half the time with little exertion.

B. C. Bundy, the colored appointee from Cincinnati, has arrived at the United States Naval Academy, at Annapolis, Md. R. F. Smith, colored, from Chicago, is expected soon, and another colored youth has been appointed from North Carolina, making three in all. This seems to indicate settled

plans to get one or more colored youths

Three Colored Naval Cadets.

Dead Official's Accounts Short.

into the school.

The expert accountant employed to investigate the books of ex-County Treasurer John A. Doran, deceased, of Wichita, Kan., during his two terms of office, made a report, showing a shortage of \$32,178.09. The strange feature of the case is that no shortage during Daran's term was sus-

CABLE SPARKS.

Colonel Pando, with 600 Bolivians, has invaded Peru.

President Errazuriz, of Chili, has announced a new cabinet.

Mr. Ogden Goelet, of New York, died or his yacht at Cowes, Isie of Wight.

The Princess of Wales is taking the water cure made famous by Father Knelpp. The East Indian government has decided

to send an expedition in large force against the Airidla. The French cabinet has decided that there is no ground at present for modifying the

duty on cereals. Count Mutsu, formerly minister of foreign affairs of Japan and Japanese minister at Washington, is dead.

The Congress of the Republic of Salvador has decided to change the currency of that country to a gold basis. Fort Ali-Musjid, in the Khyber Pass of

India, was abandoned to the Afridia after eleven of the garrison had deserted. The members of the Jackson-Harmsworth arctic expedition, who have spent three winters near Cape Fiora, have returned to Eng-

President Kruger, in a speech to the Volksraud at Pretoria, declared that the South African Republic cannot recognize the suzerainty of Great Britain.

Dr. William Osier, of the Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore, is to contribute a paper on medicine at the meeting of the British Medical Association in Montreal this week, The Marquis Conyngham, who sat in the British House of Lords as Baron Minister, is dead. He was born in 1857. His eldest son, the Earl of Mount Charles, succeeds to the title.

A dispatch from Madrid says the Spanish government will immediately construct one arge fronciad and six cruisers of from 6,000 7,000 tons, to form the nucleus of three

The North German Gazette announces hat Dr. von Holleben, Prussian minister at Stuttgart, Wurtemburg, has been selected for the post of German ambassador to the United States

Official dispatches from India announce that the rebellious Afridis have captured and burned Fort Mande, in the Khyber Pass. The news is regarded in London as being of the gravest character.

WORK AND WORKERS.

Indiana taxes stored ice. Japan has an income tax. London has 1,000 firemen. Prussia has a marine school. London has 14,000 policemen. Wyoming has one woolen mill. New Jersey has 50,000 unionists. Norway is to have a world's fair. Paris waiters want tips abolished. Japan buys American locomotives. Los Angeles brickmakers organized. Chicago painters want 35 cents an hour. Southern cotton mills have 90,000 hands. A Japanese match mill has 13,000 em-

The United States has 365,900 coal miners. A New York carpenters' union has over

The Green Glass Blowers' Union has \$25,-000 in its treasury. Chicago union steam fitters will be paid \$3,75 a day after January 1.

In Germany the law permits fakirs to work but twelve hours a day. Glass-blowing machines are being introduced in America and England.

The Brotherhood of Tailors in New York

and Brooklyn has 16,000 members. Dundee (Scotland) bakers demand an 8hour day and municipal bakeries. National convention of the Bartenders' League will be held at Detroit on Septem-

It is affirmed by men in the building trades that the Italians make splendid union

Toledo's Street Railway Union expelled a member for undue indulgence in the inebri-In Oakland and Alameda, Cala., there is a

tax which practically prohibits the intrusion of outside firms. The San Francisco typesetting machine scale is: For day work, \$4 for seven and one-half hours; for night work, \$4.50 for same number of hours; all overtime to be charged for at the rate of one and one-half hours for each hour worked; plates, page matrices, or "swapping" matter not allow-

ed; acceptance of a bonus also prohibited. All trades unions, which come in for their scoring at the time of every strike, are in one way the most powerful aids to piece known. Since the organization of labor unions there have been fewer labor agitations than in the whose previous history of the country. The trades unions prevent a thousand strikes where they ferment one,

REAR TRUCK PLEW OUT.

Peculiar Accident to a New York Express Train at Blodgett's Mills.

A despatch from Cortland, N. Y., says: Train No. 4, the southbound vestibule on the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad, was wrecked at Blodgett's mills at 10.15 e'clock in the morning. The train consisted of an express car, a combination baggage and smoking car, a day coach and a Pullman parior car. The train, which does not stop at Blodgett's Mills, was passing at the rate of 45 miles an hour on a straight track. When about 500 feet north of the station the rear truck on the day coach, in some unexplained manner, became detached and left the rail. This truck knocked all of the trucks from under the parlor car, which, after being dragged a few rods, was turned on its side in a four-foot ditch.

The rest of the train was dragged 450 feet further and thrown against the ice house of the milk station, after which it struck the passenger station, knocking it from its foundation. When the engineer finally succeed ed in stopping the train it was found that Mrs. J. H. McQuillan, of Overbrook, Pa., a suburb of Philadelphia, bad been killed and a number of others injured. Messengers were sent to Cortland for physicians, who went to the scene of the wreck by special

None of those injured will die. The body of Mrs. McGillan was brought to Cortland temporarily, as were some of the injured. Others of the injured who were able, proceeded on their journey on later trains. It is stated also that several of the injured were taken to Syracuse.

Fast Freight Runs.

The B. & O. S. W. has been making records on quick dispatch within the past week or two. Two trains, one weighing 732 and the other 734 tons, ran from Cincinnati to Parkersburg, 200 miles, in 8 hours and 3 minutes and 8 hours and 4 minutes respectively. The run from St. Louis to Cincinnati, 240 miles, was made in 16 hours. Considering that some of the grades exceeded one per cent, the performance ranks with the best on record and demonstrates that the track and motive power of the B. & O. S. W. must be in good condition.

BOMB FOR FAURE.

Exploded After He Passed the Madeline.

POLICE MAKE ARRESTS.

No One Hurt, but the Explosion Caused Excitement Among the Throngs of Peo. ple Gathered to Greet the President-The Fragments of the Bomb Resemble Those Found in Paris Last June.

A cable despatch from Paris, France, says:-President Faure arrived at the Northern Railroad Station from Dunkirk at 6 o'clock Tuesday evening. He was received there by the president of the Chamber of Deputies, M. Brisson; the president of the Senate, M. Loubet; the general in command of the Paris garrison and his staff, and municipal councilors.

After listening to short speeches of welcome, the President entered a landau and proceeded to the Elysee Palace, by way of the Bue Lafayette, the Opera, the Madeline, and the Place de la Concorde.

Enormous crowds of people lined the route, and the President was warmly acclaimed. All the balconies were filled with spectators, and the waving of handkerchiefs and flags was to be seen on all sides. The Explosion.

Ten minutes after the President had passed the Madeline, a bomb was exploded inside the railings around that church. Two arrests followed immediately, and the railed enclosure was closed by the police, who begun an active investigation into the outrage. Nobody was injured by the explosion, but

of a similar nature, caused the greatest ex-All the persons inside the railings of the Madeline were minutely examined by the

the affair, following so closely upon others

police before they were allowed to leave. The fragments of the bomb found by the police resembled those found in the Bois de-Boulogne on June 13th last, and on the Place de la Concorde on June 16th last. It. consisted of an iron tube, filled with an explosive and loaded with nails.

The Former Explosion.

When President Faure left Paris for Dunkirk on his way to Russia on August 18th, a scene of great excitement followed 10 minutes after his departure, and, while the crowd was returning along the route followed by the President, a bomb was exploded atthe Boulevard Magenta and the Rue Lafayette, in front of the Restaurant Duval.

Scraps of paper were found about the seene of this explosion inscribed "Vive la Libertel" and "Vive is Pologne!" seemingly pointing to the fact that the author of the explosion on August 18th was the same unknown individual who caused the recent exolosion in the Bois de Boulogne and on the Place de la Concorde.

M. Girard, the director of the municipal laboratory, who examined the remains of the bomb, said he regarded it as a serious attempt on the part of a militant Anarchist. The bomb was properly constructed and would have caused great damage but that the tube was cracked.

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PEAS-Standards. 125 CORN-Dry Pack Moist..... BIDES. CITY STEERS..... \$ 9½ @ 10 7¾ 8½

City Cows..... POTATOES AND VEGETABLES. POTATOES-Burbanks. \$ 150 @ 1 50 PROVISIONS.

HOGS PRODUCTS-shis. 3 Clear ribsides..... Hams. Mess Pork, per bar.... 101/2 LARD-Crude..... Best refined..... BUTTER BUTTER-Fine Crmy \$

CHEESE. CHEESE-N. Y. Fancy ... \$ @ Skim Cheese..... EGGS.

EGGS-State GGS—State......*
North Carolina..... 14% @ 15 LIVE POULTRE CHICKENS-Hens.....\$ Ducks, per lb..... TOBACCO.

TOBACCO-Md. Infer's .. \$ 150 Sound common...... Middling..... Fancy..... 1003 LIVE STOCK. BEEF-Best Beeves..... \$ 4 20

SHEEP..... Hogs..... 3 50 FURS AND SKINA MUSKRAT..... \$ 10 Raccoon...... Skunk Black.....

Otter.... FLOUR-Southern..... \$ 860 WHEAT-No. 2 Red..... 1 02% RYE-Western..... CORN-No. 2..... OATS-No. 3.....

EGGS—State...... PHILADELPHIA.

FLOUR-Southern \$
WHEAT-No. 2 Red..... CORN-No. 8...... OATS-No. 2..... OATS—No. 2..... BUTTER—State..... EGGS-Penna ft