# STRIKING MINERS CERTAIN TO RETURN

CONSTRUCTION COMPANY

Will Go Back in Force Monday. Pennsylvania Company's Men Hear Proposal

#### ONLY FEW WILL HOLD OUT

Special Dispatch to Evening Public Ledger Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Sept. 18.—The the Pennsylvania Coal Co. may be set-tled today. Captain W. A. May, presi-dent of the company, has agreed to al-low Judge William Tracy, chief of the state bureau of mediation and arbitration, to make an investigation of graft charges, and promises to discharge of-fenders whether they be foremen or

The new award signed by the miners gives the company the right to make in-dividual contracts, but frowns on the abuses. Captain W. A. May lives up to the letter of the award while he allows contract mining to exist and he goes a step farther than at any time previously when he agrees to have charges of graft

The miners will meet this afternoon to take a vote on Captain May's prop-

The other mines of the district are certain to resume operation on Monday. The miners are much encouraged by Secretary Wilson's reply to the scale committee and have hopes of seeing the wage negotiations reopened in the near

Pottsville, Pa., Sept. 15. — Miners who voted last night on the question of returning to work Monday were divided on the subject, radicals favoring a confinuance of the vacation strike, but it s expected most of the collieries in the schuylkill region will resume operations Monday morning.

Eastern Pennsylvania Raliway which carries hundreds of miners to their work daily in normal times, wa completely tied up today by a strike of motormen and conductors, who object to "one-man cars." It is said if the men do not return to work by Monday, strike-breakers from Brooklyn will be put on the road. The action of the company in suspending 400 men not af-fected by the strike caused consterna-tion, leading to the belief the company contemplates a long strike.

Hazleton, Pa., Sept. 18.—Full recoal region is expected on Monday, as a result of the telegram received from Secretary of Labor Wilson by the pol-ley committee of United Mine Workers promising to consider the claims of the miners if they returned to work.

Chairman Thomas Kennedy, of the policy committee, announced that the committee would immediately proceed to prepare its case to be placed before labor department so soon as th wage negotiations are resumed.

ticipate any difficulty in getting the men back to work next week providing there was no discrimination against the "vacationists" by the operators.

Montgomery, Sept. 18.—Appointment of a state commission with absolute power to control and regulate the coal industry of Alabama is rec-Kilby's committee, which has been investigating the strike of union miners in the Alabama bituminous fields. The report, which was made public today, holds operators and union leaders equally responsible for present familitions in the mining districts of

## MRS. PINCHOT TO SPEAK

Senate, is to take the stump for Sena-tor Harding. She will leave here the latter part of next week for Marion to confer with the Republican nominee. Mrs. Pinchot is one of seventy women sho will take the stump for the Re-

Publican ticket, according to announcement by the Republican women's committee of Pennsylvania, 506 South

Bread street.

Next Thursday Mrs. Pinchot will address a meeting of Republican women at Clearfield. Pa. The following asy will visit Ohio. Later she will visit states which are considered "doubtful" for the Republican cause.

Women speakers make a better appeal to their sex than the men do, and this is the reason, as many women speakers as possible should take the stump. Mrs. E. E. Melick told a group of women at 506 South Broad street last night. Mrs. Melick, originated the Speakers' Bureau for Women.

J. F. Auer, director of the Philadelphia division of the National Harding and Coolidge Traveling Men's League, through Mrs. Barelay II. Warburion, chairman, bas extended an invitation to the members of the Republican workers' the members of the Republican workers committee of Pennsylvania to accom-lany the "Pilgrims' Special" to Mar-

ion next Friday.

Reservations for members of the women's Republican committee have been made at the request of Mrs. Warton for the luncheon to be given at Believue-Stratford, Monday, at

Want Freight Rate Adjusted The Belber Trunk and Bag Ce., of alladelphia, today filed with the Inter-Panageiphia, today filed with the Incer-state Commerce Commission a com-plaint against the West Jersey and Seashore Railroad asking a readjust-ing of freight rate regulations to the tompany's plant at Woodbury, N. J.

# MAY GO TO FARMS

Mrs. Martin Has Plan for City Care of Victims of Infantile Paralysis

#### PRAISES CONDITIONS THERE

A project to care for crippled chilren at the city farms is being fostered Mrs. J. Willis Martin and the Emergency Aid.

There are still 400 children, victims of the epidemic of infantile paralysis which scourged the city several years ago, who require expert treatment. A score of these children can no longer get proper treatment in their homes, be-

cause of their poverty.

The Emergency Aid, which was entrusted with the care of the infantile paralysis victims by Doctor Krusen, then director of health, at the time of the epidemic, and has continued its charge with unflagging zeal since then, is anxious to get these helpless little sufferers to the country under conditions where they can have expert treat-

Mrs. Martin, who is pushing the project, is hopeful that a way may be found in which the Department of Public Welfare, under Director Tustin, may be able to take the children to the city farms, where, under expert medi-cal supervision, many of them would perhaps recover the use of their

Mrs. Martin visited the city farms yesterday, accompanied by Dr. Blair Spencer, who is physician-in-chief of the Department of Welfare. Today she spoke in terms of highest

praise of the treatment given the mates who are now at the farms. There are 1400 very old and very poor men and women, who used to be at Blockley and then at the old exposition buildings, who are now being cared for in the country under ideal conditions, and country under ideal conditions, and Mrs. Martin found, with every sur-

Mrs. Martin found, with every surrounding of decency and comfort.

"I saw these old people by accident," said Mrs. Martin today. 'I had gone out to the city farms with Doctor Spencer primarily in the interest of the crippled children. I was asked if I would like to see the old people, and I very gladly accepted the invitation.

"I merely am giving praise where it."

The boys are the sons of Harry Lom-"I merely am giving praise where it is richly due when I tell of the fine things I saw there. I was surprised and extremely pleased. I think the greatest credit should go to the Department of Welfare and every one connected with the farms for the splendid treatment given these poor people who

treatment given these poor people who are dependent on the city's bounty.
"We arrived there unexpectedly and at supper time. I saw the old people at table, and I saw the food that was set before them. It was of the best quality, though simple, and exceeding'y well prepared. It was as good food as could be got anywhere. The whole

place was scrupulously clean.
"What impressed me most of all was the evident contentment and happiness poor people there.

Marti said that if the Department of Public Welfare took over the care of the crippled childen the Emer-gency Aid would continue to do its share, aiding in any way that Director Tustin might suggest.

### LONE SCOUTS RALLY

Members Have Annual Outing at

Belmont Glen in Park More than 200 members of the Lone vicinity are participating in the fourth Philadelphia Lone Scout rally The rally is being held at Beltoday. mont Glen in Fairmount Park, and combines the features of a picnic, a

hike and a field day.

The events commenced early today with an intertribe baseball game, and will continue until 7 p. m. The con-test events, for which prizes will be awarded, began at 2 o'clock, and in-cluded the usual variety of races, as well as wrestling contests, a potato hunt, "horse and rider fights," and a "kelly drill." H. Barden Alison, of the University of Pennsylvania is the

director of activities. During the lunch hour there were short talks by several members of the Philadelphia Tepee of the Lone Scouts, under whose auspices the rally is being

#### POLES AND SOVIETS MEET Delegates Will Set Date for Conference on Peace

Rigs, Sept. 18.—(By A. P.)— M. Dombski, head of the Polish peace mission, and Adolph Joffe, chief of the Russian - Soviet delegation, will meet today to fix a date for the beginning of the conference at which an armistice and treaty of peace between Poland and the Russian Soviet Government will be negatiated. M. La. Government will be negotiated. M. La-dos, secretary of the Polish mission, said today the Soviet representatives insisted that the meeting in this city should be considered a continuance of the unsuccessful conference held at Minsk

during August.

Pictures of the old Russian czars have been removed from the hall where the peace conference is to be held, this bing done at the request of the Sovet date to Stump for Harding.

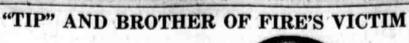
Mrs. Gifford Pinchot, wife of the former candidate for the United States Scante, is to take the stump for Senate.

Four wills were probated today as follows: Rudolph H. Wood, 6345 Sherwood avenue, Overbrook, \$120,000; Fannie Freschie, 3861 North Eighteenth street, \$13,000; Patrick Keenan, south-west corner Tenth and Poplar streets, \$5,000; Lizzie Nash, \$6,000. Inventories were filed in the personal estates of Benjamin S. Levy, \$112,209.65, and Katharine C. Williamson, \$11,673.42.

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This pet dog, through mistaken loyalty, probably caused the death of his playmate today. Two brothers were playing with a bonfire when the clothes of one became ignited. The animal attacked Charles Lombard, whose picture is shown, and prevented him from successfully extinguish-

### LOYALTY OF DOG PROVES FATAL TO BOY PLAYMATE

Animal Bites Brother When He Attempts to Aid Lad Whose Clothing Is Afire-Victim Dies in Hospital. Pet Is Disconsolate

died at 10:25 o'clock last night in the Mary J. Drexel Home of burns received

The boys are the sons of Harry Lom-bard, a city fireman. They were play-ing with a fire in the home of their yard yesterday when the clothes of the younger boy became ignited.

John saw the boy's peril and attacked the flames, throwing James to the hospital until he was taken home.

#### YOUTH KILLED BY SHOT Edward Wostenholme Succumbs to

Wound in Temple Edward Wolstenholme, fifteen year-old son of Frederick Wolstenholme, wealthy yarn manufacturer, was killed when an army revolver he was handling

xloded yesterday.
Thomas Wolstenholme, a brother. said Edward fell from a horse last February and since that time had been subject to weak spells. He believes the boy was stricken with one of these spells while examining the revolver. The accident occurred on the sec-ond floor of the Wolstenholme home, at 7100 Wissahickon avenue. Despite

heroic efforts of physicians to save him, the boy died three hours after he was According to Manayunk police, who investigated the shooting, Edward was alone in a room when members of the nousehold heard a sudden report. Mrs. Wolstenholme, the boy's mother; Ida Bennett, a maid, and Sydney F. Chandley, a tutor, ran to the boy's room.

They found him lying unconscious with a bullet wound in his right temposed by the administration forces.

ORMAN QUITS CITY JOB William Orman, a clerk in the omce of the city solicitor, resigned today. rie had been connected with the office for six years. He will become an investi-gator. When Orman quit today he was

high-class music until closing.

### TO NAME COUNCIL NOMINEE

heard the boys scream.

Vare Leaders Will Announce Their

dog, and when he saw his little com-

returned until the fire was extinguished.

Tip, downcast and apparently realiz-ing the enormity of his mistake, fol-

Choice on Tuesday Vare leaders announced finally today that a candidate for the Republican nomination for councilman representing the First district, to succeed the ing the First district, to succeed the late Councilman Finley, will be named bicken avenue, fought a duel with shotnext Tuesday.

Indications were that either Charles Pommer, a court officer, or Harry C. Davis, former assistant director of public safety, both of the First ward and both allies of the Vares, would be named. Public opinion is inclined toward Davis. Senator Vare declared today, however, that so far as he knew no final decision had been reached by the ward committeement of the district of the control of t

The found him lying unconscious with a bullet wound in his right temple. Near him lay a heavy army pistol.
According to Dr. M. J. Karples, 146 West Chelten avenue, the family physician, Edward was enthusiastic about hunting, and the pistol which caused his death was one of several firearms in which he took great pride.
The boy formerly attended the Penn Charter School and had been active in athletics, particularly football. It had been planned to have young Wolstenholme make a trip up the St. Lawrence river this fall is company with his brother.
Frederick Wolstenholme, father of the dead boy, is a member of the Manufacturers' Club and the Union League, and president of the firm of Thomas Wolstenholme Sons & Co., yarn manufacturers, at Frankford avenue and Westmoreland street.

In addition by the committees who headed by Joseph C. Trainer, administration leader of the Twenty-sixth ward. Mr. Trainer said today that the nomination should be made by the people directly.

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Bishop Preaches Tomorrow Bishop Rhinelander will preach to gator. When Orman quit today he was presented with a bouquet by attaches of the office. His home is at 510 Lombard street.

# CONFERENCE HELD

Director Caven and Aides Talk Over Plans for Municipality to Supplant Contractors

BIDS BEING TABULATED

Director Caven, of the Department of Public Works, valled a conference in his office tollay at which it is belean its own streets were discussed. At the conference were Director Caven, Fred C. Dunlop, chief of the Bureau of Highways and acting chief of the Bureau of Street Cleaning; John H. Neeson, engineer for the Bureau of Street Cleaning. Before the conference Mr. Dunlop denied that it was called for the purpose of discussing the street cleaning project. He said that any news concerning municipal street clean-ing would have to come from Mayor Moore, who is away over the week-end. Director Caven sent out word that he yould not see inferviewers today. Employes of the Bureau of Stree

Cleaning still are busy listing the bids of contractors and their offers of equip-ments. It was noted that no offers were made of horse teams, which are most easily disposed of for other pur-

The bureau's experts have put valuations on all the property of the con-tractors, and these estimates will be compared with the bids made. It is believed that it will be necessary to buy further equipment if the city is to be cleaned properly, even if all the contractors' equipment is taken over. Another question discussed at the conference today was believed to have been the strike of Senator Vare's street cleaners. Senator Vare called on the

cleaners who want to work adequate James Lembard, 3061 Baltz street, lied at 10:25 o'clock last night in the dirt. James's screams aroused Tip, the full support in this matter," the senature dog, and when he saw his little comstrike is not a question of amount of work, of hours or wages. The men want the right to say where they shall

director today to talk the matter over

and it was arranged to give the street

rade apparently being mistreated he attacked the older boy and drove him away several times, but John always vork.
"For example if men are sent to Their father was one of the firemen who answered the alarm sounded by a neighbor who saw the flames and Thirteenth and South streets they will refuse to go and announce they want to

be sent to Broad street and Suyder ave-nue. That condition is intolerable in properly managed force.
"I have signed the union agreement but I never agreed to let the men say where they would work.' The scantor was asked his views on the \$1,000,000 loan item for the pur-

chase of street cleaning equipment.
"Not a word," he replied. MEN FIGHT SHOTGUN DUEL

Woman Held as Witness by Police After One Is Wounded James Weaver and Henry Lovelace

Pepper Pot Philadelphia

Style or Consomme

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Cutlet of Lobster Victoria

or Sirloin of Beef Poele

PENING

# IN CLEANING ITEM

Director of Research Bureau Says \$1,000,000 Fund in New Loan Is Good Omen

#### MAYOR ISSUES STATEMENT

Inclusion of the \$1,000,000 item for street cleaning purposes in the administration loan bill is regarded as "a hopeful sign" by Frederick P. Gruenberg, director of the Bureau of Municinal Research.

"I think this is a sign that the man-date of the charter will be carried out both in letter and spirit," Mr. Gruen-berg stated.
"As to the adequacy of the amount which has been asked for, that is a matter for administrative judgment. If

sufficient additional funds can be obtained from the general fund or from a councilmanic loan, well and good.
"It is, of course, to be regretted that eight or nine months have been allowed to pass without definite action until thing and the Mayor will find that he can have plenty of co-operation and support in the plan to clean the streets by municipal forces.

Whether the city is going to do all or only part of its street cleaning is the question ariteties eligible.

the question agitating citizens following Mayor Moore's request for the \$1,000,000 item.

The Mayor, in asking for the item, issued a statement yesterday stating "the money would be sufficient for immediate purposes." He indicated he would attempt to the sufficient for immediate purposes." attempt to obtain additional funds through a councilmanic loan. The money was asked for "the p chase and erection of plants and equipment for street cleaning, ash re-moval and garbage collection." The

moval and garpage item was approved.

The committee finished its work upon the loan bill, and items approved upon the loan bill, and items approved total \$30,600,000. The original measure. draft of the administration measure, presented by Councilman Burch, chairman of the finance committee, was for \$27,000,000, and that of Councilman Gaffney, Vare member and organization floor leader, \$30,000,000, Gaffney and Councilman McCoach de-

clared their opposition to many items in the bill and threatened to vote against it. Gaffney also asserted that if the administration members do not change their tactics the loan bill will

be defeated. Mayor Moore declared that the administration does not deem it wise to unfold any of its plans on street cleaning, except to comply with the law requiring advertisement for proposals, until the bids coming in from the various contractors are in hand and ous contractors are in hand and scheduled.

### PICNIC AT COBBS CREEK

Parkway Association Has Its An nual Outing Today

hicken avenue, fought a duel with shotguns in the street near their homes
shortly after midnight.

Weaver was struck in the left arm
and leg, and several shots entered his
back. Lovelace, apparently uninjured,
escaped. Weaver was taken to the
Samaritan Hospital.

The Cobbs Creek Parkway Association will hold a "community picnic"
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for its members this afternoon and evening at Cobbs Creek Park and Sixtyfirst street. The object is to promote
acquaintance among members. An ath-Iola Chappell, also colored, who lives near the scene of the shooting, was arrested by patrolmen of the Twenty-second street and Hunting Park avenue. The athletic program has been arranged.

The athletic program will include events for girls as well as boys, and will begin at 1:30 o'clock.

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WEEK'S DEATHS INCREASE | FRENCH ELECTION DATE S

National Assembly Will Name Pro Total of 395 Recorded, Against 359 ident on Thursday Paris, Sept. 18 .- (By A. P.) -The Deaths this week increased in number, as compared with the figures of national assembly which will elect last week and the week ending Septem- successor to President Deschanel, who resignation now is in the hands of Pro-This week's deaths totaled 395, while mier Millerand, will meet at 2 p. m., last week's numbered 359, and the total Thursday, September 23, it was an a year ago was 384.

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