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THREE CENTS.

HIGH TREASON IS THE LATEST CHARGE MADE,

Sensational Climax in the Prosecution of the Homestead Leaders.

THE SUPREME COURT NOW TAKES ACTION.

Chief Justice Paxson Issues Warrants for All Members of the Advisory Board.

FIRST CASE OF THE KIND IN THE STATE'S HISTORY.

Information Made by Detective Beltzhoever Under the Direction of the Carnegie Attorneys. -

Five of the Committee Are Now in Jail -They Were Picked Up in Homestead Last Night-The Movement an Entire Surprise to the Strikers-They Became Indignant and the Prisoners Were Brought to Pittsburg for Fear an Attempt Would Be Made to Rescue Them-Treasurer Gaches Arrested in Pittsburg-He Had a Big Roll of Money in His Pocket-Burgess Mc-Luckie in Youngstown, but Says He Is Coming Back.

The Carnegie Iron and Steel Company played its highest trump card yesterday. The whole Homestead Advisory Committee is to be arrested for treason against the State of Pennsylvania. Last night Thomas J. Crawford, George Rylands, John Dierken, William H. Bayard, T. W. Brown and W. H. Gaches were picked up in Homestead. As Hugh O'Donnell, Jack Clifford and Isaa Critchlow are now in jail awaiting trial for murder, there remains but 24 of the Advisory Committee to be arrested.

County Detective Beltzhoover, at the request of the Carnegie Company, made the information before Chief Justice Paxson at the Monougahela House. On the oath of the detective the Judge issued a personal warrant to any constable or the Sheriff for

bills and offered to leave it as a forfeit if they would let him off. Warden McAleese called one of the deputies, and after search-ing Gaobes, taking charge of the money he had, assigned him to a cell. Beltzhoover, county detective, who, upon oath administered according to law, de-poseth and says that heretofore, to-wit, on or before the first day of July, A. D. 1993, the defendants above July, A. D. 1893, the defendants above named, being inhabitants and resi-dents of the Commonwealth of Pennsyl-vants and under the protection of the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and owing allegiance and fidelity to the said Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, not weighing the duty of their said allegiance, but wickedly devising and intending the peace and tranquility of the said Common-wealth to distarb and stir, move and indise Insurrection, Rebeilion and War

Insurrection, Rebellion and War

wealth of Pennsylvania, and then and there with force and arms did falsely and traitor-

ously and in a hostile and warlike manner ar-ray and dispose themselves against the said Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and did

ordain, prepare and levy war against the said Commonwealth of l'ennsylvania to the

end that its Constitution, laws and authority

were defied, resisted and subverted by the

said defendants and their armed allies con-trary to the daty of allegiance and fidelity

of the said defendants. All of which this deponent states upon

information received and believed by him

and he therefore prays that a warrant may issue and the aforesaid defendants may be arrested and held to answer this charge of

treason against the Common wealth of Penn-sylvania and further deponent saith not.

Judge Paxson's Warrant.

Justice Paxson issued the following war-

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA, | 88. COUNTY OF ALLEGUENY. (88. The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to the High Sheriff of Allegheny county afore-

said, or any constable. We command you that you take David H.

we command you that you take David H. Shannon, John McLuckie, David Lynch, Thomas J. Crawford, Hugh O'Donneil, Harry Bayne, Eimer E. Ball, Isaac Byers, Henry Bayard, T. W. Brown, George Cham-penor, Isaac Critchlow, Miller Colgan, John Coyle, Jack Clifford, Dennis M. Cush, Will-iam McCanardy Michael Commings William

iam McConegly, Michael Cumminge, William Combs, John Dierken, Patrick Fagan, W. H. Gaches, Mathew Harris, Beid Kennedy, John

Willier, O. S. Searight, John Murray, M. H. Thompson, Martin Murray, Hugh Ross, William T. Roberts, George Rylands and George W. Sarver and bring them forthwith

rant:

On hearing the above information Chief

TWO STRIKERS ARRESTED.

The Warrants Were Sworn Out by Secretary Lovejoy-Four Companies of the Sixteenth Regiment Leave Homestead-Chairman Frick Again Visits the Works. Detective Mills to-day arrested and took to Pittsburg G. L. and H. Layman, who are charged by Becretary Lovejoy with aggra-vated riot. It is understood that about 30 against the said Commonwealth of Pennsyl-vania, did at the borough of Homestead and in the township of Mifflin, both within the county of Allegheny and State of Pennsylvania, and elsewhere within the other persons are to be arrested for com plicity in the riot when they can be found. Four companies of the Sixteenth Regiment Four companies of the Sixteenth Regiment were removed from Homestead yesterday. There was very little show or demonstra-tion and no hostilities. A man named Saenger, who was refused admission to the mill in the morning through being drunk, caused a little disturbance at Mun-hall station by shoating at the scabs. But for the interference of a couple of Deputy Sherifts the fellow would have fared badly. Chairman H. C. Frick visited the works vestarday and spent a good deal of time ex-State of Pennsylvania and beyond the bor-ders of said State, unlawfully, falsely maliciously and traitorously compass, im-agine and intend to raise and levy war, insurrection and rebellion against the Com-monwealth of Pennsylvania; and in order to fulfill and bring into effect the said com-passings, imaginations and intentions of them, the said defendants alterward, to-wit,

he Pittsburg

them, the said defendants alterward, to wit, on the first day of July, A. D. 1895, and at divers other times, at the borough of Home-stead and in the township of Mifflin, both within the county of Allegheny and State of Pennaylvania, with a great multi-tude of persons numbering hundreds armed Chairmau H. C. Frick visited the works yesterday and spent a good deal of time ex-amining the plant. A number of men were discharged and an equal number were em-ployed. All the undesirable men in the mill are being weeded out by Man-ager Potter, who is filling their places with competent workers who are applying for jobs daily. So far 700 have been dis-obarged altorether and even 500 hired and arrayed in a warlike manner, that is to say with guns, revolvers, cannon, swords, knives, clubs and other warlike weapons, as well offensive as defensive, being then and charged altogether and over 500 hired. That the non-union workmen are not en-tirely without fear yet of the strikers was there unlawfully, maliciously and traitor-ously assembled and gathered together, did falsely and traitorously join and assemble themselves together against the Common-

illustrated by a story from a coal and iron police. One of the mill workers who had gone to Pittsburg came back on had gone to Pittsburg came back on the midnight train half intoxicated. He made his way to the bunkhouse where he and 30 others slept. On entering where he and 30 others slept. On entering he yelled: "The strikers are climbing over the fence to attack you." Instantly there was a wild scramble to get out; some jumped out of windows and others rushed half dressed through the door, all panic stricken. There are a large number of colored families living in Shanty Hill row, and when they saw the militla go they were much slarmed. were much alarmed.

M'LUCKIE GOES AWAY.

He and His Family Quietly Go Out of Town in the Night,

A dispatch from Youngstown, O., las flight said: The Pittsburg papers to-day bring the report that Burgess McLuckie contemplates leaving Homestead and lo cating at Youngstown. He was seen in this city and asked his intentions in the matter. He was emphatic in the statement

that he had no intention of going away from Homestead, adding that he intends to return home Saturday or Sunday. return home Saturday or Sunday. Despite this story, one of the prosecution in the Homesfend cases last night said: "McLuckie last Wednesday night removed hus household effects from Homestead, and he and his whole family left town. They told conflicting stories about their future home. One member of the family said it would be in Phitadelphia, while McLuckie said they would reside in Ohio. Nevertheless we know where to lay our hands on the Burgess when we want him."

THE JUDGE WOULDN'T TALK.

before the subscriber, Edward M. Paxson, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Penn-sylvania, and ex-officio a Justice of the Court of Over and Terminer, of Allegheny county, and a Justice of the Peace in and for the County of Allegheny to answer fustice Paxson Said He Never Express Opinions About a Case Off the Bench. for the County of Allegheny to answer a Chief Justice Parson, who issued the war rants for the Homesteaders, when seen at the Monongahela House last night, declined to discuss the subject in any phase. The distinguished gentleman was in a pleasant mood, but when questioned on that point.

A PINKERTON MEASURE.

Congressman Gillespie Has a Bill to Regu

Like That at Homestead.

late the Appointment of Deputy Sheriff

-He Thinks It Would Prevent Trouble

Congressman E. P. Gillespie, of the Bea-



Determined Men Dig Away in the Norrie Mine Hoping to Save

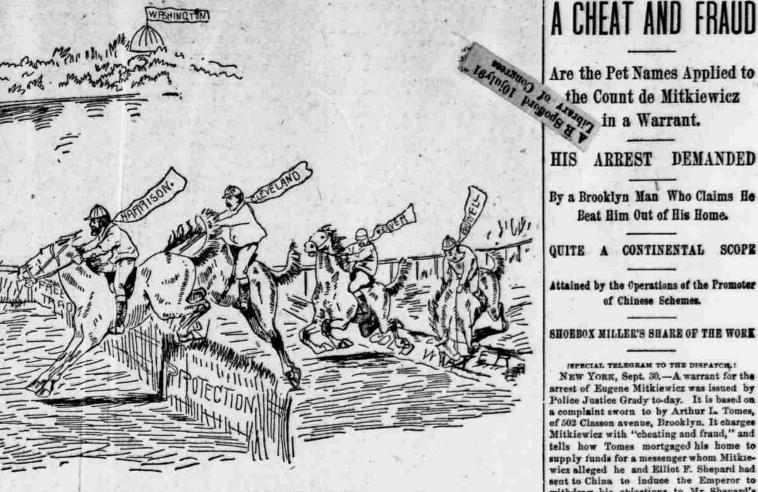
THEIR IMPRISONED BRETHREN.

Only One of the Entombed Miners Rescued After Hours of Work.

THE FATE OF TEN MEN YET UNDECIDED

SPECIAL TELEGRAN TO THE DISPATCH.1 IRONWOOD, MICH., Sept. 30.-All through the long hours of last night the work of the rescuers of the entombed men at the Norrie mine progressed, the men being spurred on to greater efforts by the dis tant soundings which came from the cavedin rooms in which the 11 unfortunate men were imprisoned. At 5 o'clock this morning a faint voice was heard from the dark recesses of the further of the first rooms and he efforts of the diggers were bent in the direction from which the sound seemed to

At 8:30, nearly four hours after the man' voice was first heard, he was rescued by his fellow workers, carried to the shaft and taken to the surface in the ore bucket from a depth of 400 feet. Abraham Thompson, a Nonwegned ciner, was the man, and he was taken to the hospital. 'He is greatly ex-hausted, bug passed through his 30 hours' imprisonment without injury. He says he has not heard of any of the other ten men.



Dispatch.

MRS. MARSH IS COMING.

Her Husband Engages Counsel to Defend Her-She Claims to Be Anxious to Return to Pittsburg and Have a Speedy Trial.

NEW YORK, Sept. 30.-[Special.]-Sheriff Muller, of Staten Island, to-day received a telegram from the Chief of Police of Pittsburg stating that Detectives Coul-son and Robinson, of that city, would leave at once for New York with requisition papers for Mrs. Jennie Marsh and James H. McIntosh, who were arrested at Stapleton Monday as fugitives from justice. Sheriff Muller thought the prisoners would not be taken to court before Monday. Later in the day a telegram was received at the jail in Richmond for Mrs. Marsh. The Sheriff opened it and it read:

Pirrssung, Sept. 30. Wire me when you leave. Have engaged ounsel. HARRY.

It was shown to Mrs. Marsh, but she said she would not answer it until she started for Pittsburg. There has been no change in the demeanor of either of the prisoners. Both assert their innocence of the prisoners, brought against them, and seem to be anx-ious to go to Pittsburg and have a speedy trial.

trial. Among other things secured by the offi-cers who searched the effects of Mrs. Marsh and McIntosh. was a letter, found in the Tottenville house, from McIntosh to Mrs. Marsh, in which McIntosh said they should feel thankful for their success in getting out of the Weir scrape. It is also said that a peculiar scarfpin was found which was recognized by Mr. Fehl as having belonged to Gamble Weir. McIntosh was questioned about this, but stoutly denied that either he or Mrs. Marsh ever postessed a pin. By permission of the Sheriff, Beatrice, the 14-year-old daughter of Mrs. Marsh, has

Pennsylvania, who was once chairman of the Republican National Committee, to recover \$90,000, the amount of five notes which were given as collateral on a contract for the purchase of certain mining

The contract was executed by the de-fendants, with Colonel W. W. Dudley, General M. S. Littlefield and Carroll L. Hobart. Mr. Cessna claims that Cook and Gray have no defense, and have been fight-ing for delay.

THE GAS TRUST ATTACKED.

A Shareholder in the Philadelphia Company Sues for a Receivership.

CHICAGO, Sept. 30 .- A demand has inally been made for the appointment of a receiver for the Chicago Gas Trust. In the Circuit Court to-day Thomas H. Martin filed a long bill against the Chicago Gaslight and Heating Company, the People's Gaslight and Coke Company, the Consumers' Gas Company, the Equitable Gaslight and Fuel Company, the Hyde Park Gas Company, the Lake Gas Company, the Chicago Gas Company and the Fidelity In-surance Trust and Safe Deposit Company of Philadelphia.

The Court is asked to appoint a receive for these companies, also to enjoin the Fi-delity Insurance Trust and Sate Deposit Company from acting as trustee under con-tracts acceuted May 15, 1887, and March 22, 1890, under which the companies were consolidated. Meanwhile an injunction is sought to restrain any disposition of the

supply funds for a messenger whom Mitkie-wicz alleged he and Elliot F. Shepard had sent to China to induce the Emperor to withdraw his objections to Mr. Shepard's candidate for the Ministership to China, Henry W. Blair. Mitkiewicz yesterday told a DISPATCH reporter that he should not attempt to avoid arrest, but would, if asked, come to New York and deliver himself up. Lawyer Thompson, who is acting for Mr. Tomes in the criminal proceedings, said yesterday that he thought it quite likely that the "Count" would not attempt to escape, as he knew he had been carefully watched by officers for a week.

The operations of Mitkiewicz appear to have taken a continental scope. A DIS-PATCH reporter to-day learned that H. V. Bemis, proprietor of the Hotel Richelieu, Chicago, is a victim of the Chinese concession scheme, and was worked heartily by Mitkiewicz.

Operations of the Count in Chicago.

In the summer of 1891 the "Count" and the ex-convict "Shoebox" Miller, of Pittsburg, were in Chicago, on some business connected with the sending of Millard Jones to China. It was pretended there was a reason why Jones should be concealed in Chicago, but whether he was or was not hidden, "Shoebox" Miller and the "Count" failed to hide their lights. They beamed upon Host Bemis, of the Richelieu, and were soon on such friendly terms with him that they offered to let him into their great Chinese concession scheme.

Mr. Bemis appeared glad to get in, to the extent of a note for \$5,000, which he gave them, "not for use, but for accommodation." They brought the note to New York and offered it to R. J. Horner. He knew Bemis to be a wealthy man, and after taking the precaution to wire Bemis, asking if he had given the note and if it was all right, and receiving a satisfactory reply Horner dis-

the arrest of the Homestead Board.

"This will be the first case of treason even tried in the State of Pennsylvania," said P. C. Knox last night. "In fact, there was never anything exactly similar. The only case coming near it was the proceedings growing out of the French Commune.

As Interesting as Burr's Trial.

"This case will attract as much, if not more interest, than did the famous trial of Aaron Burr. We are bringing these proceedings to see whether the laws of Pennsylvania or the edicts of the Homestead Advisory Committee are to rule this Commonwealth. The committee took the law in their own hands, ignoring the Government of the State. We think this constitutes treason. The charge is a grave one, and comes before a full bench of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania. To show its gravity, Judge Paxson only arrived in Pittsburg Thursday, and to-night he issued the warrants for the arrest of these men. The maximum "sentence a man can receive for treason is 12 years in the penitentiary. The cases may come up im mediately, or it may be some time before they are heard. If the prisoners demand a hearing they will get it at once. The crime is bailable, the amount of the bond being fixed by " Chief Justice Paxson. It is hard say what the bail will be, but in all probability it will be very heavy, owing to the seriousness of the charge. Several days ago a Philadelphia Judge handed down a decision against a number of strikers. They had been interfering with other workmen, and the Judge ninted that it was treason.

Chairman Frick at First Objected Since away back in August this treason charge has been pending. When the Homesteaders were arrested for conspiracy, the attorneys wanted to follow it with a charge of treason. To this Chairman Frick objected, and the idea was dropped for swhile. About a month ago it was decided to proceed with the treason charge, and have it ready to spring as a grand finale. Every movement of the company and its attorneys in this matter has been of the most secret nature. The bill was printed at the Franklin printing office in the dead of night, and everything to keep it from the public ear was done. Until Judge Paxson issued his warrants yesterday afternoon, but few had heard of it. It is safe to say that this move was not even thought of by the Homestead strikers.

work.

WILLIAM GACHES ARRESTED.

Caught by the Officers,

tives were instructed to go after Gaches,

and were walking down Diamond street to

take the steps to the Fourth avenue station. When they arrived in front of the school-

house they overtook Gaches, who was hur-rying in the same direction.

The Text of the Information

The information made yesterday by County Detective Beltzheover against the Advisory Committee follows:

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania vs. David H. Shannon, John McLuckie, David Lynch, Thomes J. Crawford, Hugh O'Donnell, Harry Bayne, Eimer E. Ball, Isaac Byers, Henry Bayard, T. W. Brown, George Champenor Isaac Critchlow, Miller Colgan, John Coyle Jack Clifford, Dennis M. Cush, William Mc Conegly, Michael Cummings, William Combs. John Dierken, Patrick Fagan, W. H. Gaches, Mathew Harris, Reid Kennedy, John Miller, O. 5. Searight, John Murray, M. H. Thomp-son, Martin Murray, Hugh Ross, William T

0. S. Searight, John Murray, M. H. Thomp-son, Martin Murray, Hugh Ross, William T Roberts, George Rylands and George W. Sarver. COMNONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA, COUNTY OF ALLEGHENY. Before me the subscriber, Edward M. Paxson, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania and ez-officio a justice of the Court of Oyer and Terminor of Alle-gheny county, and a justice of the peace in and for the county of Allegheny in the State of Pennsylvania, personally came Harry

for the County of Allegneny to answer a charge of treason against the Counton-wealth of Pennsylvania, whereof informa-tion has been mude on oath before Edward M. Parson, Chilef Justice of the Supreme Court of the State of Pennsylvania, and ex-officio a Justice of the Court of Oyer and Termine of Alleshan county and Alustice ier of Allegheny county, and a Justice said: "I make it a practice never to talk about of the Peace in and for Allegheny, by Harry Beltzhoover, County Detective for the County of Allegheny, in the State of Pennany case which comes before me, or in which my duty calls me to take part, before sylvania. Hereof fail not. Witness the hand and seal of the said Edam ready to speak officially.' ward M. Paxson, Chief Justice of the Su-preme Court of Pennsylvania, and ex-officio

Justice of the Court of Over and Terminer of Allegheny county, and a Justice of the Peace in and for the County of Allegheny, at Pittsburg, in the said County, this 30th day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two. [Seal.] EDWARD M. PAXSON, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Penn

ver Valley district, has prepared a bill sylvania, and ex-officio a justice of the which is intended to cover the employment Court of Over and Terminer of Allegheny of Pinkertons and deputy sheriffs, with a county, and a justice of the peace in and view to preventing troubles similar to that for the county of Allegheny. at Homestead. He thinks that the measure might be modified somewhat by public dis

CREATED A SENSATION.

cussion, but presents the following as his view of wholesome legislation on the sub-The Arrests of the Men Put Homestead in an Uproar-The Prisoners Were Brought to Pittsburg for Fear They Would Be Rescued.

fect: An act to regulate the appintment and pre-scribe the qualifications of special deputy sheriffs, constables, marshals, policemen and other peace officers within this Com-monwealth, and for the punishment of any person who may exercise or attempt to ex-ercise the functions of any such officer without authority of isw. Section 1. Be it enacted, etc., that in all cases now provided by law for the appoint-ment of special deputy sheriffs, constables, marshals, policemen or other peace officers in this Commonweaith to preserve the peace, quell public disturbances or protect property, it shall be unlawful to appoint any person as such deputy sheriff, constable, marshal, policeman or other peace officer who is not a citizen of the United States, of lawful age, and of good moral character, and The arrests of the men created a great ensation in Homestead. They came like a thunderbolt to the strikers. They were so suddenly made and so unexpected. The prisoners were chatting at street corners when they were taken. The officers were Detectives Mills and Farrell and Deputies Young, Brady, Devlin, Kreps and Ward. It was late in the afternoon when the war-rants reached Homestead and were placed in the hands of the officers to serve. They started out at 9 o'clock and first caught who is not a citizen of the United States, of lawful age, ind of good moral character, and who shall not have been a resident of the county, or one of the counties, in which it is intended he shall perform the duties of such appointment for the period of two months immediately preceding the date of such ap-pointment, provided that this act shall not apply to the State militia nor abridge the right of any sheriff, constable, coroner or other legally constituted officer to command assistance in the execution of any warrants or other legal process or in making an ar-rest for any offense countited in his pres-ence. Crawford and Dierker, who were hurried to the provost guard tents. The others were caught in quick succession before the strik-ers had time to realize what was happening. As the prisoners were speeded to the prison tents, alarm was taken and many strikers hastened toward the guard, but were held back and denied all information. It was intended first to keep the prisoners all night and hunt for strikers, but through fear of an attempt of rescue they were brought to Pittsburg at 11 o'clock and landed in jail.

ence. Section 2. All appointments made in vio-lation of this act shall be without force and At the station a crowd of 150 angry if

lation of this act shall be without force and of noeffect. Section 2. Any person or persons who shall within this Commonwealth exercise or at-tempt to exercise the functions of a special deputy sheriff, constable, marshal, police-man or other peace offleer, or represent himself as such without due Authority of law, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upen conviction thereof shall be sontenced to imprisonment not exceeding six months and be fined in a sum not exceeding si,000, or either, at the discretion of the Court. Section 4. All laws or parts of laws incon-sistent herewith are hereby repealed. surprised men assembled with astonishing rapidity, and their determined looks caused apprehension. Two deputies tried to keep them back, but by the time the train ar-rived they had almost surrounded the group of prisoners and officers. When the train pulled out a sullen jeer of defiance went up, and Chairman Crawford said: "They can persecute us, but they can't make us go to work." apprehension. Two deputies tried to keep

It was believed in Homestead that the BOODLING CHARGES DENIED. object of the arrests is to get the leaders out of the way so that the others will go to

The Trial of Postmaster General Caron, of Quebec, Now Going On.

QUEBEC, Sept. 30. - The royal commission investigating the charges of corruption He Was Hurrying for the Train When against Sir A: P. Caron, Postmaster General, in connection with the subsidier William Gaches, Treasurer of the Homegranted to the Quebec and Lake St. John stead Relief Committee, was arrested last Railway, is in progress. H. J. Beemer, the contractor for the building of the road, was a night by Detectives O. F. Mills and Pat Farrell as he was on his way to take the witness. He denied ever saying to Sir A. P. Caron bummer train for Homestead. The detec-

if subsidies were granted the company it would make secure his election. He was entirely neutral on the political question, not being a British subject, and he left the men working under him to vote as they thought proper.

Detective Mills went up to him and said: "Hello, Gaches, you're just the man we're looking for." COST of living in England by Henry Tack-ley, whose series of articles on British wages has attracted such attention, in TO-MOR-ROW'S DISPATCH.

> No Bull Fighting at the World's Fair, CHICAGO, Sept. 30 .- President John G.

Shortall, of the Illinois Humane Society, announced to-day that there would be no amounced to day that there would be no bull-fighting here during the World's Fair, if he can help it. "We shall arrest every one connected with it, after the first per-formance, on the charge of erusity to animals."

Not a Wink of Warning.

He was standing alone when the crash came, and thinks most of the others were in the second room, which, he says, caved in first, and was followed almost immediately

by the ground falling in the room where he No words have been heard from the caved chambers since Thompson has been taken out, and it is greatly feared that the other ten are lost. The names of the trammers and timbermen cannot yet be learned. Be

side the four miners whose names were pub-lished yesterday, and the three timbermen and two trammers whose names are un-known, the list of victims includes Simon Vacklin, foreman of the timber crew, and Michael Downs, the skip tender. Only four men can work at one time in the narrow drafts. Their eight-pound ham-mers ply like the pistons of an engine upon

the steel drill. Other men shovel the ore as though it were cornneal. At the end of five minutes, their shirts dripping with perspiration, these men drop their tools, which are grassed before they touch the rocky floor of the narrow drift by other

men equally brave and strong. Steady Work of Determined Men.

So it has gone on since 6 A. M. yesterday, without loss of a second's time. Hammer-heads fall ceaselessly upon the drill, shovels and picks are plied as only they can be by men who know that upon their efforts may depend the life or death of fellow workmen. So incessant and so noble has been the work that what would have taken six days of rdinary work has been done since yesterday morning. The scenes about the mouth of No. 8 shaft

have been most harrowing. Wives, chiliren and friends of the entombed miners, waiting in heart-breaking suspense for news waiting in heart-breaking suspense for news of their loved ones, have moved strong men to tears by their supplications. In agony of spirit they watch. The deep suspense is sympathetic. When a man emerges from the fatal shaft he is surrounded by the half-demented wives and children, who implore him to tell them that the lost are found that they have been heard from through the

rocky walls of the mine. Such is the interest taken in the fate of these 12 men, unknown to most, that busi-ness has almost suspended to-day, and hundreds will not go to bed to-night unless the men are found.

TWO TERRIBLE TYPHOONS.

Hundreds of Lives Lost and Thousands of Buildings Destroyed in Japan.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 30.-The Pacific Mail Company's new steamship Peru arrived this evening, 22 days from Hong Kong via Yokohama. She brings Japanese news up to September 16. The gale which swept over Southern and Central Japan inflicted terrible damage. Four hundred persons were crushed to death. Many boats were blown out to sea, 23 houses completely overthrown, 1,500 barns and partly outhouses blown down and crops greatly jured. These figures do not include in jured. These figures do not include the devastation wrought in the smaller islands. The typhoon of September 4 also did much damage. At Homamatsu, the Court House, school, 62 dwellings and a brick railway shed were blown down, ten persons killed and many wounded. In Shizuoka prefecture 800 dwelling houses were blown form a partially destroyed in bidges

prefecture 800 dwelling houses were blown down or partially destroyed, six bridges washed away and four embankments broken, seven houses swept sway and 71 stores destroyed. In Aidy prefecture five people were killed and two wounded. The reclaimed lands were flooded, and 70 dwell-

ngs washed away.

Mrs. Harrison Gaining Strength.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 30 .- "Mrs. Harrison w ASHINGTON, Sept. 30. - "Mrs. Harrison passed the most comfortable day she has had for a number of weeks," said Dr. Gardner, to-night. "She is gaining strength slowly, and her appetite is improving."

A COLUMBUS PAGE IN THE DISPATCH

the 14-year-old daughter of Mrs. Marsh, ha been living in the jail with her mother, but not under restraint.

IN FREE TRADE ENGLAND.

Spinners' Wages Beduced and a Strike Welcomed to Get Rid of Stocks.

LONDON, Sept. 30.-Seventy-seven per ent of the mast cotton spinners of England to-day decided to enforce a reduction of a per cent in wages. The men stubbornly refuse to accept the proposed reduction, and intend to strike.

It is generally admitted in Manchester that the stoppage of work will not be a bad thing for the trade, as it will enable the spinners to reduce their present heavy stocks

The decision to reduce wages affects 17,-000,000 spindles using American cotton.

PARENTS SIX TIMES BEREAVED.

An Incident Showing the Terrible Rayage of Diphtheria in Racine, Wis-

RACINE, WIS., Sept. 30 .- A pathetic incident to-day marked the progress of the severe epidemic of diphtheria which, during the last two weeks, has carried off many children and has caused the closing of several of the public schools. Two weeks ago the family of Peter Heldt consisted of father, mother and six children.

The oldest daughter contracted the dis-ease at a funeral. She died September 19. The remaining children, one by one, came down with the disease. Another died on the 23d, and still another on the 27th. This morning the three remaining children lay stretched out in the house awaiting burial having died last night. The mother is almost crazed with grief and is in a prearious condition.

BRAVE DR. STANHOPE.

The American Who Was Inoculated Agains Cholers Arrives in Berlin.

BERLIN, Sept. 30.-Dr. A. Stanhope, who was incoulated with cholera virus in Paris and who subsequently served as a nurse in one of the Hamburg cholera hospitals, arrived here to-day. He is well and hearty, and attributes his escape from cholera entirely to the inoculation he underwent against it.

He was refused admission at several of the hotels, as the proprietors were afraid there was danger from infection. Luckily, Stanhope had some American friends in the city, and when they learned of his annoy ing experience at the hotels, they hastened to offer him the use of their private apart-ments. Seven new cases of cholera and

Boy Instantly Killed and Three Mer

INDIANA, PA., Sept. 30. -[Special.]-The boiler of a steam thresher exploded here today, on the premises of County Commis-

Aaron, John and Frank Gromley, all prominent citizens, were probably fatally in-jured. Myer was so torn to pieces by the explosion that his arms cannot be found.

CESSNA'S 890.000 SUIT.

Trying to Bring Two New Yorkers to Time

NEW YORK, Sept. 30.-Justice Beach, the Supreme Court, has ordered Charles F. Cook and George J. Gray to serve in five days their answer in a suit brought against them by John Cessna, ex-Congressman of main longer on the committee.

stock. Allegations are made that the Chicago Gas Company did not intend to carry out the object of its incorporation, except to control other corporations in the same kind of business. Martin, in his bill, says he is a stockholder owning several shares of the Philodukhol Company of the action of the philodukhol Company. Philadelphia Company, each share of which represents one-two hundred and fifty thousandth part of an interest in all the companies composing the trust. No re-ceiver has yet been appointed.

THE NEW YORK BIPPER CAUGHT.

Paulsen's Murderer's Name Is Rohlek, and He Is a Regular Terror.

NEW YORK, Sept. 30.-The mystery surcounding the murder of Frank Paulsen, the reteran who was found dead in his room last evening, has been cleared up. The murderer is Frank W. Rohlek. He is a marble polisher. He has been fully identified as the man seen running from the scene of the crime and besides some jewelry belonging to Paulsen was found in his pos-

The az was brought into play by the murderer to prevent arrest, when he was found in an East Side saloon to-day, but he was overpowered and taken to the station house. He had no chance to actually use the wea oon on the officer, but the struggle was a desperate one, and the arrest was only flected with the assistance of other officers The prisoner is a German, about 35 years old, wearing a short, full beard. His hair is dark.

PROHIBITIONISTS PROTEST

Against Tax Receipts Being Purchased by Campaign Committee.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 30 .- James E. Clark and Daniel W. Seltzer, Prohibition candidates for the county offices of District Attorney and Clerk of Quarter Sessions. respectively, to-day, through their attorney, filed a bill of equity against Receiver of Taxes Taylor, restraining him from issuing tax receipts to the Republican City Committee for use in distributing among those

citizens who will not pay their poll tax.

PREPARING TO END QUARANTINE

Dr. Jenkins Promises It Will Be Lifted Mon

day if No New Cases Are Received. QUARANTINE, S. I., Sept. 30.-Dr. Jenkins says that quarantine will be lifted at Camp Low Monday if no more passengers are sent there for detention before that time. Mrs. Donuz, the only remaining cholera patient, will be discharged then. The patients on Swinburne Island are doing well. To-day 200 of the Bohemia's steerage passengers were landed, and the rest will be

o-morrow. The steamer will then be disinfected and brought to Quarantine to unload. The police guard at Lower Quarantine was to-day withdrawn.

SEEKING BETTER ROADS. A Meeting in Their Interest to Be Held This

Month in Chicago. NEW YORK, Sept. 30. - A general call has been issued for a meeting to be held in Chicago from October 19 to 22 to take steps toward the formation of a National League

of Road Improvement. All local road societies, boards of trade, wheelmen's organizations and private indi-viduals interested in the subject are invited to take part.

WOMEN of Russia by Frank G. Carpenter n THE DISPATCH to-morrow.

Mike McDonald Not a Commit CHICAGO, Sept. 30 .- M. C. McDonald esigned his membership on the State Democratic Central Committee to-day. Me-Donald is under indictment for the alleged

counted the note. He applied \$1,500 of the mount to the credit of Mitkiewicz's account for furniture, and the "Count" and Miller took \$3,500 each Miller made a great fusa about having any part of the amount of the note applied to the payment of Mitkiewicz's debts. He seemed to think it a foolish waste of good money.

Shoehor Miller the Count's Partner.

Miller at that time was a co-worker of the "Count" in securing investors in the Chinese investment scheme. He, like the "Count," asserted positively that part of all the money secured was paid to the Chinese Minister. At one time he wired to Mr. Horner from Washington that \$5,000 had just been said to the Minister. Lawyer Burke avers that he has evidence that the Chinese Minister deposited \$5,000 in the Metropolitan Bank of Washington on the day Miller said that sum was paid, This line of investigation is anxiously watched by those who have given money to the "Count." They profess to believe that their investments can all be recovered from their investments can all be recovered from the Chinese Government, if a direct con-nection can be established between the "Count" and the Minister in this scheme. A man who has had experience in diplo-matic affairs said to-day: "There is no

Government on earth so punctilious about the conduct of its diplomatic representatives as China. Only their most officials are sent to diplomatic posts, and for that reason I believe that Mitkiewicz has misrepresented the Minister in this matter, as everybody else. However, if it is proved that the Chinese Minister to this country has taken money on the pretense that he could or would further the 'Count's' efforts to secure Chinese concessions, his Government will make full restitution of every cent involved. If that is the case, I pity the Minister. Cutting off the head of an unfaithful public official is not a political figure of speech in China.

Small Game Better Than None.

The "Count" was not above small game when big game was scarce. There is an English bookkeeper employed in Mr. Horner's store. He is a cautious man and observing. He frequently imparted to his employer his firm belief that the "Count" was a swindler and urged Mr. Horner not to trust him any further. Mitkiewicz one day called to see Mr. Horner. Mr. Horner was not in, the cautious bookkeeper said coldly. The "Count" put his arm affectionately over the distrustful bookkeeper's shoulder. In 20 minutes he walked out of the office with \$75 of the bookkeeper's

the office with \$75 of the bookkeeper's money in his waistcoat pocket. A DISFATCH reporter called on Mr. Shepard to-day to get his statement of his connection with Mitkiewicz. The Colonel declined to make any statement to his caller, but he made this statement in the Mail and Express this evening:

Mail and Express this evening: The particulars osing published in respect to certain Chinese negotiations are all fresh news to Colonel Shepard. He never before had any idea that he was represented to Messrs. Horner, Burr or others-if he was so represented—as having assumed any obliga-tion for the past, present or future in regard to any Chinese concessions. If those stories are correct it would seem that those gentle-men went into the Chinese business with their eyes open; were willing to and did ad-vance money to try to get concessions, and all without any connection or communita-ition, direct or indirect, with Colonel Shep-ard. They seem now to regres that they accepted hope as security for the advance-ment of money, and yet they ought not to be so very greatly surprised, if they repeat the experiences of mankind in finding hopes disappointed.

Lord Beresford Gets Six Years.

ROME, GA., Sept. 30.-Lord Walter S. Beresford, alias Sidney Lascelles, the noted English forger, was to-day sentenced to six years' hard labor in the penitentiary in this

CRANKS at political headquarters with caricatures by De Grim in THE DISPATCH

three deaths are reported in Brussels. FOUR LIVES SACRIFICED.

Fatally Injured by an Explosion.

ioner A. C. Rankin, Harry Myer, aged 14, was blown to pieces.

on a Mining Stock Deal.