SUNK BY GERMAN WARSHIP

Baitian Revolutionary Gunboat Crete-a-Pierrot Riddled.

CREW WAS ALLOWED TO LEAVE HER.

When Admiral Killick is Ordered to Surrender the Vessel the Crew Set Fire to It-The German then Fires into the Vessel Until it Sinks-Retaliation for the Holding Up of a German Steamer.

Cape Haitien (By Cable) .- The gunboat Crete-a-Pierrot, which was in the service of the Firminist revolutionary party has been sunk at the entrance of the harbor of Gonaives by the German gunboat Panther. The crew of the Cretea-Pierrot left her before she went down

from the German Government to capture
the Crete-a-Pierrot. She left promptly
for Gonaives, the seat of the Firminist
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United States Coreal Crete-a-Pierrot in the harbor of Gonaives. The Panther received instructions

The commander of the German gunboat informed Admiral Killick, on the Crete-a-Pierrot, that he must remove his crew and surrender his vessel in five runvtes. Admiral Killick asked that time be extended to 15 This request was granted on the condition that the arms and ammunition board the Crete-a-Pierrot should abandoned when her crew left her. The crew of the Crete-a-Pierrot left

that vessel amid great disorder. At the end of the 15 minutes the Panther sent small boat carrying an officer and 20 sailors who went to take possession of the Firminist vessel,

When these men had arrived at about When these men had arrived at about 50 yards from the Crete-a-Pierrot flames were seen to break out on board of her. She had been fired by her crew before it left her. The Panther then fired on the Crete-a-Pierrot until she sank. Thirty abots in all were fired.

There is much feeling here against the Firmmists and their cause is considered to be a barl one. Solders are leaving here to attack St. Marc. Port au

Monroe Doctrine Out of It.

destruction of the Crete-a-Pierrot will be made the subject of an official report to this Government by United States Minister Powell who is now at Port au Prince.

Pending the receipt of the report there is, in the opinion of the officials here, little likelihood of any action by the State Department. Indeed, judging from the character of the instructions trans-mitted through the Navy Department to Commander McCrea, of the Machins, there will be little disposition to question the justice of the treatment accord-ed Admiral Killick.

Commander McCrea was especially

instructed to prevent interference with commerce at Cape Haitien, and in the colliged to warn the rebel admiral that he must not search foreign shipping, else the Machias would use her force against The threat was effectual only long as the Machias remained in Haitier waters. As soon as she headed north-ward it seems Killick held up the Ger-man steamer Markomannia and seized her cargo of arms.

TEDDY'S GUN MAKES A SLIP. A Portion of a Charge Goes Through a Rail-

way Official's Coat.

Redfield, S. D. (Special).-The pleasure of the hunting party of the North- attaches to anyone. western Railway officials, of which Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., is a member, came near being marred by a serious accident. A gun in the hands of young Roosevelt was accidentally discharged and a portion of the charge pierced the clothing of A. C. Johnson, general traffic Prof. Semon 2 manager for Minnesota and the Dakotas, and tore away his cont on the left side. Fortunately, none of the shot penetrated the skin, and the affair did

not interrupt the hunting. Theodore was within 6 feet of Mr. Johnson when the accident occurred, and had the gun been turned half an inch to the left the charge must have proved fatal.

PIKE'S PEAK ENGINEER MISSING.

His Wife's Lonely Vigil in the Powerhouse on the Mountain.

Colorado Springs, Col. (Special) .-Supposedly crazed by his isolation from society, Charles Archer, an engineer of the cog road, in charge of the Pikes Peak powerhouse, at Half Way House. disappeared Tuesday afternoon, and no trace of him can be found.

At night his wife took his place and ran the powerhouse through the night. On Wednesday morning she made a thorough search of the territory between the Half-Way House and Manitou and discovered his initials, "C. A." carved on a tree, with an arrival ing up the mountain. Following the direction indicated by the arrow she found footprints which she believes were made by her husband.

The troops of Gen Alexis Nord, the Haytien war minister, were defeated by the revolutionists near Linbetiklimbe.

The Pope has confirmed the appoints the archive. carved on a tree, with an arrow point-

Clarksburg, W. Va. (Special) .- Two ment of Italian coalminers went into Shutte & Martin's store and threatened to blow up the store because they were refused the loan of the horse and delivery wagon. They had already placed two kegs of powder under the place, which they were compelled to bring out at the point of a gun. The Italians then escaped

Inoculation for Typhoid.

London (By Cable). - Prof. E. A. Wright's investigation of typhoid inoculation, covering five years in South been formed to combat the American-Africa, India, Egypt and Great Britain, has resulted in the publication of voluminous statistics, which he says demonstrate both the preventative and curative results of inoculation. It has reduced the mortality fourfold. Professor Wright believes better results will be attained in the near future, owing to his experience in the standardization of vaccine.

Death of Dr. Virchow.

Berlin (By Cable) .- Prof. Rudoif Virchow, the famous scientist, died here at 2 p. m. The evening papers here print glowing culogies, classing him as the world's greatest medical and scientific reformer. They say that no other man had so deeply influenced modern medicine and that no other had such a world-wide reputation, and so many followers in all lands. His humanitarian activity in improving the Bersin hospitals and sanitary institutions is praised. The Liberal organs extol his political activity and unswerving Libers. Virchow, the famous scientist, died here

Domestic.

The body of a man supposed to be William Bartholin, murderer of his mother and Minnie Mitchell, his sweetheart, in Chicago, was found in a rice-field near Lowther, Ia. In the man's pocket was a letter confessing to the murder of two women in Chicago.

No attempt has yet been made to cause the arrest of the four railroad officials indicted by the Federal Grand Jury in Minneapolis for manipulation

of rates by means of rebates.

Bernard Oller, 17 years of age, who killed Bessie Adams in Huntingdon, Pa., while shooting at birds, was sentenced to pay \$100 fine and sent to the Charles R. Flint's steam yacht the

Arrow broke all records for steam craft on the one-knot course on the Hudson, covering a knot in 1 minute and 32 A special grand jury in Chicago re-

Chicago, says he is seriously a armed over the volcanic conditions in Martinspine and the islands near it. He fears a great tidal wave may complete the aw-ul destruction of life and property. Admiral Higginson's fleet of battle-

hips ran the forts defending Newport arbor and anchored off the torpedo station, thus practically ending the war maneuvers between the Army and the Navy. Miss Mary Bowly, daughter of the

late Franklin Gowly, of Windester, Va., was married at Shinnecock, L. L. to Rev. Montague E. Webb, in charge of missions in the Bahama Islands. Mrs. Annie B. Robin, aged 54 years, a member of a prominent family in a member of a prominent family in Pennsylvania, fell in front of a railroad

rain and was instantly killed at Wayne Junction, Germantown Van K. Uzzell, of Newport News, will

institute divorce proceedings against his wife, who eloped to Portsmouth with her husband's brother. The Bank of Sonora, 20 miles north of Monfordville, Ky., was broken into and robbed. The robbers got consid-

erable booty and escaped.

John C. Turner, Jr., of Howardsville,
Va., married Miss Ella H. Jones, who Washington, D. C. (Special).—The case of appendicitis.

Miss Ruby Morris, assistant chemist of the Pennsylvania Agricultural Ex-

perimental Station, died in San Francisco of typhoid fever.

The Whitneys, father and son, sailed from New York for England, where

they will shoot grouse on the moors of Yorkshire. Fisher Million, colored, was convict-ed of vagrancy in Shelbyville, Ky., and

ondemned to be sold into servitude for The court at Pittsfield, Mass., decided to postpone the cases of Motor-man Euclid Madden and Conductor James Kelly, the men who had charge of the car that struck President Roose-

velt's carriage. The cruiser Brooklyn, which struck

sentenced to two months in jail.

President Roosevelt and Secretary
Cortelyou have recovered from the ei-

ects of the accident, but still bear the Rear Admiral Coghlan made a report

on the injuries sustained by the cruiser Brooklyn in striking a rock during the maneuvers. He does not think blame

Foreign.

The French government has stopped payment of the salaries of 18 priests in Brittany who took part in the recent

Prof. Semon Newcomb, of the Johns ed

Serious anti-Servian riots which oc-urred at Brod. Slavonia, have been uppressed by a battalion of infantry. Philip James Balley, the author of Festus," died at Nortungham, Eng.

Many persons were injured in a tramcident in Glasgow. Trades Union Congress, in session in London, refused to adopt a resor-lution advocating female suffrage and

passed a resolution denouncing the South African war. The recent misfortune of the Czarina as caused the dispersal of members of the court and diplomatic society who had assembled for the prospective

christening. Lieutenant Colonel Saint Remy was sentenced by court-martial in France to one day's imprisonment for refusing to obey an order to close unauthor-

German diplomats regard the search the German steamer Markomannia the revolutionary gunboa: Crete-a-

Pierrot as an act of piracy.
Prof. Rudolph Virchow, the great German pathologist, sanitarian and re-former, died at his home, in Berlin, at

The Pope has confirmed the appointment of Bishop Farley to be archibishop of the Diocese of New York,
The Emperor and Empress of Ger-

nany left Posen on their return to

Baltimore & Ohio touched 117, its highest mark.
A new English tobacco syndicate has British trust.

St. Louis & San Francisco Railroad has declared its regular quarterly dividend of 1 per cent.

American Snuff Company declares a quarterly dividend of 1 1-2 per cent on its preferred stock.

The consensus of opinion among th best judges of the situation in the West is that very little actual Eastern money

ent 2 per cent. to 3 per cent. is con-fidently expected. away. Mr. buil's horns.

SUMMARY OF THE LATEST NEWS. THE PRESIDENT'S TOUR

Mr. Roosevelt a Little Disfigured as Result of Pittsfield Accident.

BRIEF STOP IN WASHINGTON.

Personnel of the President's Party Was the Same as That of His New England Trip-No Extended Stops Were Made Other Than Those Announced in Itinerary-Wheeling, W. Va.; Chattanoga and Knoxville, Tenn.

Washington, D. C. (Special),-Smilingly bowing in acknowledgment of the enthusiastic and prolonged cheering of an assemblage that crowded the Baltimore and Ohio railroad station here, President Roosevelt began his Southern

The President was in the city I hour and 20 minutes after his arrival from Oyster Bay. He came over the Pennsylvania railroad at 6.12 p. m. on a special train of two cars, made up at Philadelphia during a brief stop there. Secretary of the Interior Hitchcock, Chief Wilkie, of the Secret Service, and a



PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT

number of other officials and White House attaches met him at the station Mr. Roosevelt appeared a little dis-figured as a result of the Pittsfield ac-cident, but apparently had receovered

Through a cordon of police the President was escorted to carriages in waiting and was quickly driven to the Bal-timore and Ohio station Secretary Hitchcock, Commander Cowles, the President's brother-in-law, and Secre-Correlyou rode in the carriage

A special Baltimore and Ohio train of seven handsomely equipped coaches was in readiness, and the President en-tered his car, lifting his hat in response the greeting from the crowd. The train was two minutes late when

t pulled out 7.32 o'clock. It was in harge of Pullman Conductor W. M. Johnson, who has been assigned to the President's specials for a long time past. The personnel of the President's party was the same as that of his New Eng-land trip, except for the addition of S. land trip, except for the addition of S. H. Hege, general agent of the Balti-more and Ohio Railroad, and Col. L. Brown, general agent of the South-

The cruiser Brooklyn, which struck a rock in Buzzards Bay, was able to leave that vicinity under her own steam. Montauk, L. I., was attacked by the Navy and marines were landed.

Lieut, John W. Starke, of the Virginia militia, was found guilty of conduct unbecoming an officer and a gentleman, dishonorably discharged and sentenced to two months in jail. of the President was to attend the convention at Chattanooga of the Brother-hood of Locomotive Firemen, in whose work he has always shown a deep inter-

The Pittsfield Accident.

Pittsfield, Mass (Special).-President

Hopkins University, received the doc-tor's degree from Christiania Univerground and cut and bruised about the Secretary to the President, was severely bruised. Winthrop Murray Crane, Gov-ernor of Massachusetts, and George P. Lawrence, Representative in Congress from the First Massachusetts district, escaped with only a few bruises. were in the carriage with Mr.

Under the sunniest of September skies the distinguished party was driving through the Berkshire hills in a landau drawn by four white horses, the reins handled by Pratt, the President and his companions going from Dalton to Lenox. The carriage was stendy Lenox. The carriage was struck equarely just behind the box on which Pratt and Craig were sitting. The ve-hicle was hurled 40 feet across the road. public

VOW TO REMAIN SINGLE.

Bachelors and Old Maids Coterie is Establish ed in Williamsburg.

Williamsburg, N. Y. (Special).-With olemn vows not to fall in love with each other and rigid by-laws forbidding the weating of jewelry, frills and furbelows, and waxed mustaches, the Bachelors and Old Maids' Coterie has established itself in Williamsburg.

Ten young men and ten young women living there have taken the vow to re-main single all their lives. The mem-hers betray their lack of faith in the binding force of this vow by turning the fines into a fund which will be the only The Soufriere volcano, on the Island of St. Vincent, is also active again. The German steamer Castillia, just arrived at Jamaica, reports encountering a fall of volcanic dust 800 miles at sea.

Burial of Faithful Craig

Chicago (Special) .- Funeral services for William Craig, the Secret Service tured the government fleet in the Bay man, who was killed while accompanying President Roosevelt on his tour of the New England States, were held here in the chapel of Roviston Brothers' undertaking rooms. The services, which were conducted by the Rev, William W. Wilson, of St. Mark's Episcopal Church, were simple. Mrs. Craig was so over-The Boston & Philadelphia Steam-ship Company has declared a quarterly dividend of \$1,50 a share.

were simple. Mrs. Craig was so over-come by grief that she was unable to attend the funeral. President Roosevelt ordered a large floral design.

Gored to Death By a Bull.

Harrisburg, Pa. (Special).-Samuel Harrisburg, Pa. (Special).—Samuel
Huff, aged 65 years, for many years prothonotary of York county, was gored to
death by a vicious bull at his farm, near
New Cumberland. Mr. Huff had gone
to a field to drive the animal to another
pasture. The bull became stubborn, and
when Mr. Huff used a club the animal
showed fight, forcing the farmer to a
lence. A farm hand, noticing the battle
from another field, hastened to Mr.
Huff's assistance, but he was dead before
the larm hand could drive the animal
away. Mr. Huff was horribly cut by the
bull's horns.

NATIONAL CAPITAL AFFAIRS.

As to Shipment of Game.

The United States Department of Agriculture has issued a circular defining the laws regarding the shipment of game. The following notes are taken from it:

Robins, swallows, cedar birds, mead-ow-larks, flickers, night hawks, or buil-bats, and a few other insectivorous species, as well as such birds as longspurs, snow buntings and shore larks, which are useful in destroying seeds of weeds, are occasionally killed as game. They are, however, generally protected, and under no circumstances should they be sent to market or shipped out of the State.

ped out of the State. Statutes even more stringent than those protecting game birds have re-cently been enacted by many States for the preservation of birds which are not included in the game list. Under these statutes birds which are in demand for millinery purposes are protected throughout the year, and sale and pos-session, as well as killing, are prohib-

It should be remembered that the principal centers for millinery supplies are nearly all located in States which have such laws, and the purchase of native song-birds, as well as of herous, pelicans, gulls, ternes or sea swallows, grebes, or other plume birds, should be

The shipment of these birds or any part of their plurage is prohibited by the provisions of the Federal law. Os-trich feathers are not subject to these restrictions, and their use should be encouraged.

Number of Banks Increasing.

A statement prepared by the comptroller of the currency shows that from March 14, 1900, to August 31, 1902, 1141 national banks, with aggregate capital stock of \$65.534,500, were organized. Of that number 140 associations, with aggregate capital of \$10,585,000, were conversions of state banks; 351, with aggregate capital of \$20,335,000, reorganizations of state and private and 644, with aggregate capital of \$34,-614.500, primary organizations. The number of active banks has increased from 3617 on March 14, 1900, to 4616 on August 31, 1902; authorized capital stock from \$616,308,095 to \$707,774,696; bonds on deposit as security for cir-sulation from \$244,611,570 to \$322,941,-680, and bond secured circulation from \$216,374,795 to \$319,407,386. Circulation secured by deposits of lawful money on account of insolvent and liquidating associations and by those reducing their outstanding issues has increased from \$38,027,035 to \$41,875,105. During August 42 national banks were organized, with an aggregate capital stock of \$1,430,000.

Oil Fuel on Steamers.

the installation and efficiency of the oil- sources." fuel system as fitted to the Oceanic Steamship Company's steamer Mari-posa, has been received at the Navy Department. The report gives posi-tive information in regard to the evaporative efficiency of the boilers and set-ting ont some facts relative to the use of oil as fuel, which have been earnestly sought from the Navy Department by steamship men and oil producers, as well as technical papers. Some of these facts follow: acts follow:

The Mariposa's gross displacement is 3,160 tons and her average horse-power, with oil, about 2,481, giving her a daily average of 354 knots and a mean speed of 13,58 with 278 barrels of oil per day.

nation's chief.

David J. Pratt, driver of the carriage containing the President, which was smashed by the car, was severely injured.

The President was thrown to the ground and cut and bruised about the face and body. George B. Cortelyou, Secretary to the President, was severely in New York to the acceptance of the containing the president of the department, has directed and acting head of the department, has directed and acting for the department, has directed and secretary safe to acceptant of God, and that it was beyond to the United Hungarian Societies of New York by Gen. Joseph Zseni.

There was some opposition aroused in New York to the acceptance of the outlaws.

flag. General Zseni and the others who came with him are members of the anti-government party of Hungary. No international question is involved, but Mr. Adee is merely seeking the facts at request of the New Yorker who wrote to the State Department.

Turkey Makes More Promises.

United States Minister John G. A. Leishman, at Constantinople, reports that he has reached a satisfactory un-derstanding with the Sultan concerning the claims of certain Americans, the detailed character of which is not made

Preparing for Winter Maneuvers.

The battleship Illinois, the cruiser Chicago and the gunboats Albany and Nashville, comprising the European Squadron, are proceeding to Gibraltar preparatory to sailing to take part in preparatory to sailing to take part in county from one end to the other is the naval maneuvers in West Indian the result of this. waters next winter.

Newsy Items of Interest. Mr. Leishman, the United States minister at Constantinople, has concluded a satisfactory understanding with the Sultan as to the complicated questions between the United States and Turkey. Brigadier General William H. Forwood, surgeon general of the Army, closed his active military career, to be succeeded by Brigadier General Rob-

United States Minister Bowen ported that there was a battle just be-hind the legation in Caracas, Venezuela, which the revolutionsists were routed

A translation was received of the report of General Santos, commanding the rebel gunboat Padilla, which cap-Panama.

pert, reported that oil was successfully used as fuel on the Oceanic Steamship Company's steamer Mariposa from San A publication issued by the Census Bureau shows that the average of the white people of the United States has

Lient. Ward Winchell, the naval ex-

been increasing by one year with each decade since 1840. The President accepted the resigna-tion of First Liedtenant Grant T. Trent, of the Eighth Infantry, to per-mit that officer to accept an important

in an engagement at Vicars, Island of Mindanao,

BEATH ROLL OF MT. PELEE. United States Consul Estimates the Victims

at 1,500. Washington, D. C., (Special).—The State Department has received the following cablegram from United States Consul Jewell, at Fort de France, relative to the latest cruptions of Mont

Two violent eruptions of Mont Pelee August 30th destroyed villages of Morne Rouge and Ajoupa Bouillon, devastating area including Parnassee, Mourne Capote, Mornebali and Bourdon Estimated 1,500 killed, many

Over a Million in Peril.

Chicago, (Special) .- "I am seriously alarmed at the news of the renewed ac-tivity of the Martinique and St. Vin-cent volcanoes," said Louis H. Ayme, United States Consul at Guadeloupe,

who is in Chicago on sick leave.
"Should Mont Pelee blow its head off," he continued, "the loss of life consequent upon the production of a great tidal wave would be appalling. With idal wave would be appalling. Martinique as a center a chain of slands extends northwestward embracpopulation of 750,000 persons. Almost without exception the cities and villages are along the coasts, and but slightly elevated above the sea. A tidal wave 40 feet high would probably de stroy half a million lives before it

stroy half a million lives before it dashed against the shores of Porto Rico with its million inhabitants.

"There is also apparently grave danger that other long-extinct volcanors may break out. The great Soufriere of Guadeloupe has been active for centuries, discharging a vast column of sulphur-charged steam from the old summit crater. This may have acted as a sort of safety valve, but if, as reports seem to indicate, the seismic forces are seem to indicate, the seismic forces are increasing in intensity, this volcane and others along the line of weakness marked by the island chain may soon be rivaling Pelec.

The people of these islands are in a hard hard situation, Their communication with the outer world depends chiefly on a single line of steamers, which call intervals of from 10 days to three weeks at some of the islands when freight offers. The whole fleet of this ine, to which the ill-fated Roraima be-"While the great bulk of the island's population is made up of blacks and mulattoes, there are many thousands whites living there, chiefly Creoles. Not a few Americans are established in or visiting the islands on business,

"Martinioue seems to be doomed. It will not be possible to persuade its people to reman there if they can get away. Guadeloupe, where my consulate is situated, is in an even worse predicament. It is staggering under a tre-mendous debt which it cannot pay; its cane plantations are being abandoned and its business men are retiring. Guad-The report of Lieut. Ward Winchell, United States Navy, an expert detailed by the Navy Department to observe thrown upon its already inadequate re-

MURDERED BY RIOS BAND. Two Women and a Girl Killed in Luzon-At-

tack a Town. Manila (By Cable) .- Rios, a fanatical leader of the irreconcilable natives of the Province of Tayabas, Luzon, attacked the town of Laguimanoc at the head of 30 riflemen and 150 men armed with bolos. The band wantonly killed two women and one girl and wounded several other persons, A detachment of the native constabulary arrived unex-pectedly at Laguimanoc while Rios'

en were still there. They attacked and routed the ban-Pittsfield, Mass (Special).—President Roosevelt was the central figure in a trolley car accident here, in which William Craig. a Secret Service detective. Upon receipt of a letter from a New York man, whose name is not made public, Mr. Alvey A. Adee, Second Assistant Secretary of State and acting Craig.

outlaws.

SLAYS HIS AGED WIFE.

Rev. Maurice Wilson, of Huntington, W. Va., Commits an Awful Crime.

Huntington, W. Va. (Special).—
"Without the shedding of bond there can be no remission of sins." Thus spoke Rev. Maurice Wilson, a Baptist minister, whose head the snows of 80 winters had whitened, as he drew a razor across the throat of his aged wife and she fell lifeless at his feet.

The tragedy is supposed to be the outcome of family differences or of religious fanaticism on the part of the aged man. For many weeks he has been an intent student of the ficial law of the Bible, and it is thought by many that his mind was warped his close application and that the terri-ble tragedy that has aroused Wayn

Tumbles Down Embankment

folk and Western Passenger train No. 3, southbound, from Hagerstown, Md., and due to arrive at Roanoke at 4.15 p. m. over the Shenandoah Division was wrecked at 3 o'clock near Classics. wrecked at 3 o'clock near Glasgow, Va., 50 miles north of Roanoke, The engine, mail car, express car and two mail car, express car and two coaches left the track while going fast and tumbled down a slight embankment. The Pullman car did not leave the track, En-gineer C. M. Swaine and Fireman M. A. Anderson, both of Reanoke were fatally hurt, but beyond a severe shaking up none of the other members of the

crew nor passengers were injured War Game all Over.

Newport, R. I. (Special).—The war game between the army and navy is now ended, and the umpires will be left to ended, and the umpires will be left to figure out who won. The navy's attack on Newport marked the climax. The ships of the North Atlantic Squadron have separated.

Robbery of a Postoffice. Tazewell, Tenn. (Special).—The safe in the Tazewell postoffice was blown open and \$400 worth of stamp# taken. About \$100 in money was also stolen.

British Treaty with China. Shanghai (By Cable).-Sir James L Mackay, the British tariff commissioner, and the Chinese commissioners signed the commercial treaty between China and Great Britain, a new edict having been issued specifically allocating the surtax funds to provincial governors.

Successful Bank Robbery

Munfordville, Ky. (Special).—The Bank of Sonora, twenty miles north of here, was broken into and robbed. The robbers got considerable booty and escaped. They were followed by a posse of citizens.

who shot at birds, was convicted of involuntary manslaughter.

Fred Marriott was shot at his home, in San Francisco, by Thomas H. Williams, Jr., and former Minister to Percitizens.

A COAL MINE CAVES IN

Over Twenty Acres of Land Sink Near Wilkesbarre.

MUCH VALUABLE PROPERTY RUINED.

Timbers Rotted in the Mine from Lack of Care and Accumulation of Water Through Disuse Caused by Strike-A Further Cavela is Expected and Men Have Been Placed on Guard.

Wilkesbarre, Pa. (Special) .- A big cavein of the earth's surface over the Payne mine, at Dorrancetown, took place, causing considerable excitement in the neighborhood. The cavein covers an area of nearly 21 acres and af-iects some valuable property on Wyom-ing street. The found, ions of some of

ing street. The found, fons of some of the mansions on this thoroughfare are badly cracked. Large issures are also to be seen in the roadway.

A further cavein is expected, and a number of men have been placed on guard to give the alarm should the earth sink still further.

The cavein is due to the fact, so it is said, that the mine has not been in op-eration since the strike, and the water has accumulated in the workings in large quantities.

W. Va. (Special).-The Charleston, W. Va. (Special).-The oal miners' strike in the Kanawha and coal miners' strike in the Kanawha and New River fields, involving 15,000 min-ers, which has been in existence since June 7, is practically at an end. Each local union is instructed to go back to work on the best terms possible, without regard to the action of any other

Several of the largest operators in the New River field have made terms with their men and resumed. No concessions have been granted, and from the miners' standpoint the strike is granted failure, the men returning to work at the same rate as before the strike.

Soft Cont Strike is Off. Bramwell, W. Va. (Special).-All from the coal mine property. Hun-dreds of miners' families are moving back from the little tents on the mountain tops back into the company houses in the narrow valleys from which they were evicted since the strike began.

Both Sides Satisfied.

Wilkesbarre, Pa. (Special) .- At the close of the seventeenth week of the miners' strike both sides to the contest say they are satisfied with the situ-ation. The operators state that the output of coal the past week was greater than any other week since the strike began, and next week it promises to be still greater. The strikers, on the other hand, claim, through their officers, that the efforts of the big companies to resume mining has been a signal failure, as they have been unable to get miners

to cut the coal.
At strike headquarters it is admitted that the washeries are turning out a certain amount of coal of poor quality, but it is claimed that the total output is only a drop in the bucket. President Mitchell says the miners are just as de-termined as ever, and that all talk of them going back to work was without

Two Men Hold Up Train

Nashville, Tenn (Special) - As through passenger train No. 2, northbound on the Louisville & Nashville Road, due here at 7.20 p. m., was pulling out of Franklin, Tenn., eighteen miles south of here, the express car was boarded by two masked men. With was boarded by two masked men. With a revolver at his head, Messenger Battle was forced to open the outside safe, which the robbers rifled. Keeping the messenger covered with their guns, the men rode with him into the South Nashville yards here, where the train slowed down and they disappeared.

Killed in Mimic War.

Fort Wright, N. Y. (Special) .-While the guns of the fort were firing The constabulary have also captured on the fleet, Edward Roy was instantly killed by the premature discharge of a 12-inch gun; Harry A. Davis died later at the hospital from injuries received, and a third man, Samuel Clevenger, was severely wounded. Several others suffered slight injuries. All the men were privates of the Second Company Coast Artillery of the regular

Trolley Line Across Cuba.

Cleveland, O. (Special).-The project to build an electric street railway in Havana and a trolley line across the sland of Cuba was assured at a meeting held in this city by capitalists chiefly interested in the enterprise. Denison, Prior & Co., of this city; W. H. Park, of Youngstown, and Geo. F. Penhale, of New York, are the projectors. The company is capitalized at \$1,000,000. The officers of the company have not

Hanged to Telephone Pole. Hempstead, Tex. (Special). - Jesse Walker colored, was taken from the county jail by a crowd of several hundred citizens and hanged to a telephone pole. The crime for which Walker was lynched

To Carry Water to School. Chicago (Special).—The Chicago pub-ic schools opened Tuesday with an aggregate enrollment of 275,000 The children will carry a supply The children will carry a supply of pure drinking water for their protection against typhoid fever. Plans will be adopted later by the Board of Education to either put in filters or to furnish caldrons for boiling the water.

ODDS AND ENDS OF THE LATEST NEWS.

The Eastman Kodak Company, of Rochester, N. Y., is reported to be making overtures to other large concerns, with a view to controlling the dry-plate industry.

Shortly after Howard Ferguson, of Lamberts Point, near Norfolk, Va., was married to Miss Goldic Virginia Det-

rick the groom's father forcibly carried A deal is reported to have been effected between the Maryland and the York Independent Telephone Companies.

Bailey Kerekas, a veterinary surgeon of Lowell. Mich., was arrested on the charge of sending poisoned headache powders to his enemies by mall. Giles W. Jackson, colored, has insti-tined proceedings in Montgomery, Ala., to test the constitutionality of the

state's new constitution. Bernard Glier, of Waynesboro, Pa., who shot and killed Bessie Adams while shooting at birds, was convicted of in-voluntary manslaughter.

News Happenings of Interest Gathered From All Sources.

Pensions granted.—John T. Kerr, Apollo, \$12; William S. Conner, New Brighton, \$6; Thomas A. E. Russell, Russell, \$8; Angust Fiedler, Sr., Pitt-burg, \$9; James L. Eccles, Connellsville, \$8; Aisry Mayeretta, Bristol, \$8; Hannah C. Dysert, Altoona, \$8; Maggie Pegg, Charlerol, \$8 Rebevea F. Brumbaugh, Altoona, \$8; Mary J. Hench, Elliottsburg, \$12; James A. Harris, McVeylown, \$14; Albert L. Hitchcock, Stevensville, \$14; Nelson P. O'Connor, Brookville, \$12; Susan Wilson, Washington, \$8; Elizabeth Winter, Braddock, \$8; Ann Brady, Allegheny, \$8; Sarah A. Clark, Chicora, \$8; minors of John P. Jennings, Garmans Mills, \$14; Charles Lebo, Muncy, \$8; Henry C. Dennis, Lamar, \$6; Jas. L. Reed, Clearfield, \$8; Freeman N. Wilcox, New Alhany, \$30; George W. App. Soldiera Home, Eric, \$8; Hiram Thornton, Elliott, \$8; Edwin Cranmer, Athens, \$17; Franklin Hoch, Anita, \$10; minor of John W. Reighard, Loganton, \$10; Rebecca, A. Murray, Kipple, \$8. Frank, Rittenbaugh, and Joseph.

Frank Rittenbaugh and Joseph Stearn, road supervisors in East White land Township, were given a hearing before a West Chester magistrate on the charge of maintaining a nuisance of roadway that is impassable. Several witnesses testified to the truthfulness of the charge and the defendants were held to answer at the next term of court.

The will of Mrs. Catharine C. Evans. late of Lancaster, which was probated, Stoo is bequeathed to the Young Women's Christian Association, the new St. Paul's Reformed Courch, and ne Michael Schlatter Memorial Church building fund of the Reformed Church. The salary of Miss Margaret Best, a Presbyterian missionary to Korea, is also paid for a year.

Before the adjournment of the Allentown Teachers' Institute, a resolution was passed to ask the Legislature to make an annual appropriation to each school district for teachers who have been in continuous service in the public schools for twenty-five years or more Dr. William J. Wentz, aged 63, the

most prominent physician in southern Lancaster county, died at New Provi-dence. He was a frequent delegate to State and national medical conventions. Five milk dealers were arrested in Easton on complaint of Pure Food Agent Simmers, of Phoenixville, who charged them with placing preserva-tives in their milk and using fluid for coloring cream. The accused pleaded guilty and were found \$50 and costs, mounting to about \$100 in each case. After a chase of ten miles, Phares Evans, a farmer of Rawlinsville, cap-

tried one of three men whom he sus-pects of having looted his house of a of of market produce and his barn of a two-horse load of wheat and corn. In an address at Mahanoy City, Dr. C. Swallow, Prohibition candidate Governor, advocated a compulsory rebitration law as a remedy for strikes. Secretary G. W. Nicely, of the Young Men's Christian Association of Chester,

esigned his position. He will study or the ministry. Driven insane by the heat while vorking in his tobacco field. Samuel Weidler, a farmer of Rotsville, committed suicide by hanging himself.

Governor Stone appointed G. W. Klump, of Williamsport, and Charles B. Bratt, of Allegheny, members of the State Dental Examining Board. Deputy Factory Inspector E. R. Peninvestigating charges that there tave been many violations of the law n Easton in the matter of justices of he peace and aldermen issuing illegal terrificates in cases of children under

age who are employed in factories. The dead body of a man was found the sheds at the church a. Zionsville, in the pockets was found a carpenter's union book wid, the name of William Westall, No. 253 North Ninth street, Philadelphia. It is believed the man

died of apoplexy. Bugein Bickle, aged 17 years, em-ployed at Leithsvilles fell into a port-able saw mill and one leg was cut off and the other hurt. Although it was or a physician and then take the boy sixteen miles over rough roads to Eas-Several New York attorneys repre-

enting a number of manufacturers, arontrac; with a number of farmbands dig coal out of the Susquehanna river. Heretofore the farmhands make rom \$25 to \$30 a week, as the river liggers collect from four to five tons iaily. So many farmhands have lately been mining coal that farmers have not nough help to gather the crops.

At a meeting of the Lower Merion

Township Commissioners, it was de-cided to ask the township voters at the

November election for the privilege of borrowing \$350,000, of which \$300,000 shall be used for proposed sewer system, and the balance of \$50,000 for a municipal building and site.
William Boyer, a stableman, aged
14. of Reading, crawled into a wagon o sleep. He was dead when found, having been strangled by a monthful of sebacco which he was chewing when he

etired.

Because Thomas Canfield incurred to ill-will of the strikers at Coal Casle by working at the Anchor Washery of the Philadelphia & Reading Coal & fron Company an attempt was made to As a result of ptomaine poisoning from eating canned meats, a number of Washington society people who attended the picnic supper at the clubiouse of the Washington County Golf Club are seriously ill.

With coal at \$9 a ton, and not to be had at that figure, many of the School Boards through Berks county are mak-ng provision to heat the schools in thiir district with wood.

Burglars ransacked the residence of Elias Stoltzius, at Gordonville, but hey were compelled to abandon their slunder owing to the sereams of a child

whom they had awakened. A flag was flung to the breeze on the school ground at Yeadon. It was presented by Union Star Council, No. 204, O. U. A. W., of Fernwood.

The annual reunion of the Knights of the Golden Eagle of the Susque-hanna District was held at Williamsport. The feature of the event was a The eighteenth annual convention to the Woman's Christian Temperance Unions of Bucks county will be held in Bethel Evangelical Church, Perkasic, September 17.

Four robbers, one of them a negro, broke into the home of Henry Fishel, near New Alexandria. Samuel Fishel, a son, opened the door in response to a knock. He was knocked down and rendered unconscious.

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