GEN. GUERRA REJECTS OFFER OF ARMISTICE

The Rebels Dynamite English Railroad Bridges.

CLOSING IN ON PINAR DEL RIO.

San Juan de Martinez in the Hands of the Insurgents-Liberal Leaders Decline to Consider Further Negotiations for Peace - Crisis Increasing.

NO PEACE FOR PALMA.

The government has declared for a 10-day armistle, but Pino Guerra, commander of the rebel forces, will not accept it.

The insurgents have dynamited two Western Railway bridges etween Pinar del Rio and Sar Luis, blocking the advance of the government troops.

Guerra is also reported to have taken San Juan de Mar-

Rapid-fire guns and troops have been hurried forward to protect workmen sent to restore

rail communication.

Liberal leaders decline to conalder further negotiations for

Managers of large foreign business interests in Havana ex-press the belief that the Palgovernment cannot subdue the rebels.

Government troops are desert-ing to the insurgents at Cienfue-

Fighting continues in Santa Clara Province, but the casual-

Havana (Special) -All peace overtures are blocked by the refusal of Pino Guerra, the insurgent leader in any arrangement for an armistice. Guerra's answer to the government's announcement of its readiness to grant a 10-day armistice is the blowing up of two bridges on the Western Railway, the cutting of railway communication beyond Pinar del Rio City and an attack on San Juan de

It is believed here that San Juan do Martinez is in the hands of the insurgents and that the garrison, consisting of 100 government re-cruits and a small force of mounted captured. Guerra is closing in upon ing at Bradley Beach.

insurrection are willing to agree to put her crew in prison. an armistice can have little effect, so long as Guerra is determined to Louisville, Ky

His force is reported by all those timore, of which was the head, who have visited him recently as ranging from 3,000 to 4,000 men, all trust company. of them well mounted and some of mand of Colonel Avaios, comprises about 1,000 men. It was reinforced Lieutenant Colonel Clews with men and three machine guns from Havana. Colonel Avalos' force, with the exception of small detachments left at San Juan de Martinez and San Luis, is at Pinar del Rio City, but is without means of transportation to go to the relief of San Juan de Martinez. Not more than

400 of them are mounted. General Menocal said that Guerra evidently had not been informed that the government had actually, although informally, granted an armistice, adding that a second committee blank to accept an armistice except on condition that the last presidential and congressional elections shall be annulled. That the government should consent to this is out of the question, and exery prospect points to the continuance of the war.

Cut Off Their Heads.

Columbus Grove, O., (Special) .-Mrs. Henry Knippen, wife of a farmer living near Cloverdale, Putnam decapitated her two chill dren—a boy, aged three, and a girl, aged one and a half years old. Mrs. Knippen then went to the home of a neighbor and told what she had She asked the neighbor to go and see the children. The boy's head was completely cut off. The girl's head was completely severed and was found near the body. A carving knife was used. The woman was discharged recently from the Toledo State Hospital for Insane.

Arms For Insurgents.

Havana (Special) .- It is reported that a fillbustering expedition form Liverpool adopted a resolution in New York recently landed on the layor of an eight-hour day coast of Havana Province, bringing 1,200 rifles and 200,000 cartridges, which were delivered to the insur A secret envoy from the Province of Santiago came to the ed to have occurred at the Island of city and reported that the war in the Hilo. eastern provinces is increasing. General Menocal is still hopeful.

Earthquake in The West.

Princeton, Ind., (Special) .- A distinct earth shock was felt at 10.33 o'clock A. M. Houses rocked and dishes rattled on shelves. The shock distance, but returned to Peterhof. Iasted for two or three seconds, and The British battleship Lord Nelwas felt in towns and cities within

Lesses Due To Theft.

New York .- Max Jacobs was arraigned in Police Court charged with receiving stolen goods. He was held in \$2,000 ball for further ex-Detectives who arraigned the man stated in court in con-nection with the case that the road Company at Desbrosses Street, North River, had been frequently robbed and that a prominent official told them the losses in the past fe months aggregated between \$10,000

Parboiled in Hot Water.

Detroit, Mich. (Special). - John Mielke, laborer at the plant of the Railway Steel Company, is dead after having been parboiled in a pit of hot water. Mielke's shoes had ome greasy from walking about the engine room, and as he was passing the pit, which received the boiling water from cylinders of the engine, he slipped and feil headiong into the scalding liquid. He was entirely immersed, being practically parbolled from head to foot and for five hours suffered most intense agony until death brought relief.

THE NEWS OF THE WEEK. MR. M'CABE OUSTED

On warrants charging embezzle ment and making false returns, sworn out by a depositor of the wrecked Real Estate Trust Company. Adolph Segal, promoter; William F. North, treasurer, and M. S. Colling wood, assistant treasurer of the wrecked institution, were arrested and arraigned before Magistrate Kochersperger at Central Police Court

They were released on bond. Former friends of Herman Oel-richs said after the funeral that his entire estate, amounting to more than \$2,000,000, would revert to his ar-old son Hermann, who would come into full possession of the pro-perty upon attaining his majority.

The value of Adolph Segal's bonds and stocks was shown in Philadelphia when "\$25,000 worth" of Pennsylvania Sugar Refining Company first mortgage 5 per cent. gold coupons, due in 1931, brought \$2,500 at auc-

Miss Anne Morgan, aged 37 years, died suddenly of heart trouble, the attack following a dream that a colred man entered her room.

The trial of Harry K. Thaw for the murder of Stanford White will not take place in New York until after the election. The striking street car men of San

Francisco have agreed to return to work upon the condition that differ ences be arbitrated. A junta is said to be collecting funds and supplies in New Orleans

for a revolution in the Central Amer-In the Irrigation Congress at Boise, Idaho, Senator Heyburn made an at-tack upon the President's forestry

policy. The court review has set October adopted, was mailed at least three 19 as the date of the hearing of the appeal of Rev. Dr. Crapsey, of Rotributed, and no objection or critichester, who was found guilty of

charges of heresy. Collins Humbert and Lenardo VIIareal were arrested in Tucson, Ariz., on the charge of attempting to organize a revolutionary movement against

Robert Cotton, colored, who last

rural guards, has been defeated or ark, N. J., was drowned while bath-

them well mounted and some of them well and others indifferently public printer. President Roosevelt armed. The government forces opposed to him, which is under com-In a letter to Charles A. Stillings, Board meet popular approval they will be made permanent.

Mrs. Anna Edelhartz was killed and Miss Anna Robinson seriously injured in a street car panic in Chicago, caused by a short circuit in the controller box.

After a two-hour search bloodounds found John Dowd, a boy who had wandered from his home. Sandersfield, New York, several days A statement of the Department of

the past fiscal year.

In a fire at Louisville, Ky., Henry Taylor was suffocated and three other persons overcome. The prop- Powers said he was quite satisfied erty loss is \$5,000.

woman heiress," is dying at her wished he had the other side when home, in McKeesport, Pa., of blood- he saw Miss Stockholm imprint sev-

Foreign.

Paul O. Stensland, president of the creeked Chlengo bank, who was arested in Tangier, will be returned to the United States without opposition from the Moroccan authorities King Hankon sent a congratula-tory message to Capt. Roland Amundwho discovered the Northwest

An official communication was pubished in St. Petersburg, which emnodles the whole government pro-

Dominican revolutionists are reernment forces near Monte Cristi. The Trades Union Congress in

favor of an eight-hour day. The trial of 200 Russian mutineers was begun behind closed doors in

Cronstadt. Two earthquake shocks are report-

Albert Tissandier, the famous French aeronaut, died in Paris. The Dowager Empress Marie of Russia, accompanied by Grand Duke iy. for Denmark. The Czar and the Czarina accompanied them for some for Denmark.

son, sister ship of the Agamemnon launched at Jarrow-on-Tyne.

Floods in the basin of the Ganges n India, have swept away whole vilages and caused enormous destruc

Efforts to pull the United States transport Sheridan off the coral reef off Oahu Island, Hawali, have been to an end when Clara Freeding abandoned, and the vessel will probwharves of the Pennsylvania Rail- ably be a total loss. All the passengers have been landed.

> from the governorship of the Czar's woman he took as a wife in Hurley, palace is believed to be due to the S. D., over 26 years ago. The marriage will take place in a few days, one of the terrorists' marked men. Dernburg, the new director of the

Jerman Colonial Office, is described

as being more American than German in his financial methods. The murderess of the Russian ger eral, Min, has been identified as the daughter of a noncommissioned offi

cer in the army. The new law providing for a week ly day of rest in France went into effect, but the stores and cafes in Paris were open Sunday, as usual.

The Hamburg-American Steamship Company announced a plan to issue \$5,000,000 new capital, making a total of \$30,000.000.

The Policy Holders Unanimous In Retiring the Bishop.

ADDRESS SENT HIM IN TIME.

His Protest, the Internationals Declare, Shows Lack of Sympathy With the Movement and Amounts to Surrender of Membership-Warns Policy

New York, (Special) .- The Interational policy holders' committee, at meeting at the Waldorf-Astoria ousted Bishop Charles C. McCabe, o the Methodiat Episcopal Church from membership on the committee This was the committe's answer : the bishop's letter, made public Mutual Life Insurance Company, as serting that he had not authoried the ae of his name in a committee ad dress, and urging that the internaional organization indorse the administration ticket of the two mutual ompanies.

Eighteen of twenty-two members t the committee were present at the ship. ceting, and the vote to dispense with the bishop's services was unanimous. Bishop McCabe's attitude, the committee held, was so completeout of sympathy with the announed purpose of the organization that it amounted in effect to a surrender of his membership. The bishop was not present at the meteing.

The resolutions adopted stated that copies of the proposed address were furnished to Hishop McCabe before the meeting at which the address, as tributed, and no objection or criti-cism was made by him as to the form of the address for four weeks after its distribution, nor until the letter of August 27.

The chairman is authorized to prepare an answer to the bishop's let-

The international committee at the Robert Cotton, colored, who last meeting also selected the men whom can murdered his wife, literally cut- it will present on the policy holders' ting her body into pieces, was executed in Vinita, I. T. He confessed.
Robbers bound and gagged Cashier P. W. Vananeher and leisurely looted the State Bank of Ranier, Ore.
Miss Frances Wadsworth, of New-Miss Frances W

they must be filed in Albany.

A Mexican gunboat seized the A subject discussed was the action of the Mutual Life Insurance Consumers of the Surgerion are willing to agree to the surgerior and the surge Rev. Dr. Francis R. Beattie died in Gray, Gen. Benjamin F. Tracy, Col. Alfred M. Shook, and Harlow N. long as Guerra is determined to prosecute the war, and there is slight doubt in any quarter that Guerra and solicitor of the Real Estate Trust ternational policy holders' committee, as trustees, against their wishes. The company of Bal- following resolution was passed:

Resolved. That the placing of the names of the four members of this committee on the administration ticket of the Mutual Life Insurance Company, without the consent and against the protest of those whose names were thus used, tends to deceive the policy holders who are called upon to vote, and deserves the reprobation of fair-minded men.

KISSES WERE HIS FEE.

Client Was Pretty Woman, And Lawyer Was Satisfied.

Catskill, N. Y., (Special).-Kisses as legal tender for a lawyer's fee, where the client is young and pretty and the barrister unmarried, have Commerce says that cotton was king, been pronounced a success. Win-according to the export record of ning a case for a pretty Swedish girl, injured. A. T. Powers, a young lawyer, was tice, adding that a second committee had been sent to him. The fact is, however, that Guerra refuses pointtwo officers family recorded.

A. T. Powers, a young lawyer, was smothered with kisses by his fair client when the jury brought in a two officers, fatally wounded an-other and shot three more.

Miss Stockholm, the interesting client, said she had no money, but to accept the payment tendered. Mrs. Jane Austin, "the washer- Counsel for the Plaintiff said he wished he had the other side when eral resounding smacks on Power'

Iowa's Big Corn Crop.

Des Moines, Iowa, (Special). owa's corn crop this year will total the stupenduous yield of 381,000,000 in Elizabeth, N. J. Mrs. Van Hart busheis. This is the startling estibushels. This is the startling esti-mate made by George A. Wells, secof the Iowa Grain Dealers' association, in his final estimate of that his figures are conservative and the chances are good for a yield of over 400,000,000 bushels. His official estimate is an increase of 36, bushels over last year's This will be a yield of 38.5 ushels per acre.

Eighteen Injured.

Peru, Ind., (Special),-A Fort Vayne and Wabash Valley traction car opped on a steep hill south of this city to repair a broken trolley and another car, coming down the grade at a high speed, crashed into the standing car. Eighteen persons were injured, three of them serious-

Bartlett For Seventh Term. Macon, Ga., (Special) .- The Demo

ratic convention of the Sixth Congressional district met in this city 50 miles of Princeton. The shock and second in size and armament to and re-nominated Charles L. Bartlett was preceded by a loud rumbling the Dreadnought, was successfully for Congress, this being his seventh term.

Will Remarry First Wife.

Chicago, (Special) .- The remarkble case of Bigamist Charles H Trye, who disappeared for 31 and lived as Charles H. Goddard to an end, when Clara Emelia Pryc his first wife obtained a divorce from the quondam educator and lawyer The decree opens the way for Frys The retirement of General Trepoff to remarry Mrs. Clara Goddard, probably in South Dakota

Adulteration of Seed.

Washington (Special) .- In accordance with an act of Congress, the Agriculture Department has obtained and tested seed of alfalfa from various dealers throughout the country and published a list of those firms and published a list of those firms whose produce was found to be adulterated. In all 352 samples of aifaifa seed were examined. Of these 160, or nearly one-half, were found to contain seed of the destructive parasitic plant dodder, nine samples adulterated with seed of yellow trefoil and nine samples adultered with bur

AT THE NATION'S CAPITAL

BY THE COMMITTEE Some Interesting Happenings Briefly

The Navy Department has received a dispatch from Commander Coff-man, of the cruiser Boston, which is now in Bellingham Harbor, Wash. after having been injured by ground-ing on Peabody Rock that the water n the vessel's hold is under control.

Brigadier General W. S. McCoskey imanding the southwestern divis on, says in his annual report that long marches by Infantry are unnec essacy hardships and will have disasrous effects upon enlistments. The director of the mint opened

bids for silver, all of which were declined on account of the price being too high. The lowest offer made was 67% cents per fine ounce. A booklet was issued by the Public Printer giving a list of words which are to be spelled according to the new

Restoration of the canteen is ecommended by Brigadler General William S. McCaskey, commanding the Southwestern Division of the Army.

Captain Smith, of the revenue cutter Dallas, was instructed to make a report of the desertions from his The Navy Department is estab-lishing wireless telegraph stations on

the Pacific Coast. Lieutenant Colonel Edward Comegys, U. S. A., retired, died at Los Angeles, Cal.

States Infantry, died of Bright's dis-Secretary Bonaparte, of the Navy Department, made public the opinion of the court of inquiry which investigated the collision between the battleships Illinois and Alabama at the entrance to Newport harbor on July

court recommends that Lieut, Alfred W. Pressey, officer of the deck on the Alabama at the time of the accident, and Capt. Samuel P. Comly, in command of the Alabama, be tried by court-martial for neglect in suffering their vessel to be exposed to injury.

The United States Fish Commis sioner says the shad industry is in grave peril because of the lack of supply of spawn.

Official denial is made of the existence of anti-American feeling in

NEW BUILDING COLLAPSES. Supports Were Removed Too Soon

Several Killed And Injured. Elyria, O., (Special).-Two men were killed and a dozen fatally injured and many others hurt by the falling of the second floor of the new factory building of the Farford Company, under construction here. The accident happened while 27 en were at work removing the false structure used to hold the concrete pillars of the new building in place. The false work, it is said, was re-moved too soon, the concrete not yet having hardened sufficiently to sus-tain the weight of the structure.

Sixteen workmen on the first floor of the building were caught be-neath the fall of heavy tile, brick and steel beams of the wrecked floor. The dead and injured, so far as is known, are Hungarians, who were doing the heavy work about the construction of the building. The injured were removed to a hospital as fast as taken from the ruins. the ambulances and doctors in the city were called to the relief of the

Dynamite And Powder.

Birmingham, Ala. (Special) - Four cases of dynamite and 225 pounds of black powder exploded as a result of a fire in a miner's house at Republic, Ala. The Dead-J. R. Bell a miner; Mrs. Bell. Injured—Edward Bell; W. S. Botpomiee, miner; Moses Botpomiee, a miner; Maud Bell, Lilly Bell. Several neighbors, whose names have not been learned, were also injured.

Paralytic Killed By Rats.

New York (Special) .- Mrs. Ettzabeth Van Hart, a paralytic, 60 years old, was killed by rats in her home ed early and found her dead. Ratz had attacked the helpless old woman as she sat in a chair, possibly season's crops. Wells insists asleep, and severed an artery in one of her feet that causer her to bleed with a satisfactory September to death. The flesh of both feet was much torn by the rodents.

Can't Keep President Still.

Washington, (Special). - Mr. E. Garet, of this city, is making strong efforts to obtain a plaster cast of President Roosevelt's face. gestion was first made to Mrs. Roose-veit, who asked: "How long would it take to make the cast?" "About twenty minutes," replied the friend.
"Then that settles it," returned Mrs. Roosevelt; "no human power could induce my husband to remain still wenty minutes."

Both Fendists Killed.

Tampa, Fla., (Special) .- A venietta transported from Italy to Tampa resulted in the instant death of Salvatore Cosnola and an unknown Italian recently arrived. The men met on a prominent corner and immediately began firing. Both fell dead within five feet of each other.

ODDS AND ENDS.

Canada's bank deposits have more han doubled in the last seven years. Calais, France, spends \$6,000,000 of laces to the United States every The London Express asks the ques

tion apropos of earthquakes, etc. "Is the earth becoming unsafe?" Aluminum paper, which is prac-tically a new article of production, is said to preserve the sweetness of butter that is wrapped in it for a very long time

Hungry vultures have attacked men and women in the Valley of Couchs, canton of Valais; a buil was so seriously injured in a fight with them that it had to be killed. According to United States Geolo

gleal Survey reports, the Forty-mile basin proper comprises more than square miles, an area double that of the State of Rhode Island. Iceland and the Farce Islands will be connected by cable with Great Britain early in September. Iceland is also constructing a system of land telegraph lines, to be completed by

THE BOMBS BO-

Revolutionaries' Reply To New Russian Policy.

ARE NOT AFRAID OF EXECUTIONS.

Declare the Government Can Kill Individuals, but It Cannot Kill Ideas - Premier Stolypin's Latest Progam Is Considered Only Another Half-way Measure.

St. Petersburg (By Cable) .-- "We are not afraid of executions with 24 hours, as bombs act within 24 seconds. The government can kill individuals, but it cannot kill ideas." This is the gist of the reply made by revolutionaries to the program of

governmental reforms announced by the premier. Only surcastle comments are heard upon the new policy, which provides for military court-martials for political crimes, increased penalties for evolutionary propaganda, semstovi

and greater provincial autonomy for Poland and the Baitic provinces, the establishment of an income tax, re-form of the civil police and the removal of useless restrictions upon

Opinion generally regards the government's program as a weak and halfway measure, which will not do the slightest good. The people ask how the Czar hopes to stop agitation Col. James Pettit, Eighth United for reformation of the central gov-tates Infantry, died of Bright's distonomy which cannot be enforced, as, owing to strikes, a state of extraor dinary defense has been proclaimed in nearly every province. Nor will the government be able to collect an income tax when it has been unable to collect the more simple direct the advisability of having Stensland

taxes. No reason can be seen, either, for the reform of the civil police when prisoners can be tried at court-martials by the military police and con-demned without witnesses being heard in their behalf, as the new rogram provides.

The establishment of extraordiary military courts to try political pris-oners is regarded as ending the wav-ering reign of justice in the empire. Three columns were devoted by the Official Messenger to printing a

list of political crimes committed since the first of the year. The evident purpose is to impress upon the the horror of such deeds The Premier's note checked tem-

orarily the steady decline in govern-

stock market soon subsided.

The imperial decree authorizing empire is regarded with disquietude in most circles. It is practically the same measure that the Fernanda Archive and the cabled to deliver Stensland into custody of Olson and Keely." same measure that the Emperor re-jected during Count Witte's administration after the approval of the sent to Tangier, and then the start cured, and while it is realized that once." it is a justifiable and, indeed, a nectinies, armed uprisings and condimilous officials are likely to abuse and anxious to return to Chicago at he powers conferred upon them. It once, is pointed out that the ukase excludes the services of the ordinary judicial officers of the army and navy, and that It covers political

crimes of any nature. The issuance of the Premier's man- ton: festo on the eve of the council at government of the empire is a sig-

ficant feature. RAIDED SLAVE DEALERS.

Revenge Of Filipinos Whose Rela-

tives Had Been Kidnapped. o-called Christian Filipinos who have reached a compromise on the vere dealing in Mandaya slaves in question of labeling meat products, Davao District, Mindanao, Philip-pine Islands, have been slain by food law enacted at the last session hildren stolen. Details of the tragdy have been received here. Eight landayas entered the barrio of Abijud, killing the slave traffickers in the isolated building they occupied. The house and its contents were then

estroyed by fire. Slave baiting is carried on by the lipinos along the eastern coast of required. Minandao, and until the practice hall have ben broken up by the authorities it is expected that reprisals of the character described will con-

Cuban Trade Growing.

Washington, (Special) .- The Deartment of Commerce and Labor anounces that the commerce of the nited States with Cuoa in the fiscal year just ended was greater than in any earlier year of the trade relations between the United States and that island. This is particularly true of exports. The imports from the island fell slightly below those of 1905, due to the fall in the price of 1905, due to the fall in the price of A director of the Republic Iron & sugar, but the exports to the Islands Steel Co. says the net earnings of the were 25 per cent, greater than in 1905, 75 per cent, greater than in 1904 and about 120 per cent. greatthan in 1963. The exports for the fiscal year 1966 amounted to \$47,-763,688. The imports were \$84,979,-

Accident In An Auto Race.

St. Louis, Mo., (Special) .- Victor Thomas, one of the competitors in he five-mile automobile race at the Old Fair Grounds, was badly hurt when he lost centrel of his 40-horse power machine in rounding a curve it 50 miles an hour on a wet track and plunged through the outer fence Albert Rynton, the mechanic in the car, was also injured, his face being bruised, his chest torn and his clothiis body.

Three Ships For President. Washington (Special) .- A fleet of

bree warships will take President toosevelt on his trip to Panama in November. The announcement was made by Secretary of the Navy Bon-aparte. "We have plenty of war-ships, but only one President," said Secretary Bonaparte, jocularly. Three ships will be selected, so that in the event of mishap to one the President may be transferred to another. Two of the ships will be battleships; the third a warship of smaller design. The vessels will be selected some time in October.

ASK SULTAN FOR STENSLAND

OUICKER WORK Authorities Planning To Get the Fugitive To Chicago.

Springfield, Ill. (Special) .- Gover nor Deneen Tuesday issued a request to President Roosevelt that the United States government make a request upon the government of Morocco as a matter of grace for the extradition of Paul O. Stensland, the president of the Milwankee Avenue Bank of Chicago, and that he be delivered to Police Inspector George M. Shippy and Harry Olsen, of Chicago, assistant state's attorney of Cook County,

or either of them. Armed with this document and the copies of original requests upon the government of Illinois. Assistant State's Attorney Barnett, who proured the request for the extradition left for Chicago, and will proceed from there to Washington. Governor Deneen will ask State's Attorney Healy to send Mr. Barnett to Wash ington with Surgeant Shippy, on count of Barnett's familiarity with

Chicago, Ill. (Special),-Assistant State's Attorney Barbour made a demand on the United States government for a warship in which to bring Paul O. Stensland, the fugitive banker, now under arrest in Tangler, back to this country.

The request was sent by Mr. Bar bour to Governor Deneen, following series of communications between the Governor and Acting Secretary of State Adee, at Washington. Barbour urged the seeming peril of bringing Stensland across foreign countries, where the prisoner might suddenly balk at the prospect of returning to the United States. More-over, Mr. Barbour fears that Stensland may kill himself, and points out brought back to this country as a

federal prisoner on board a warship A telegram to Governor Dineer from the State Department at Wash ington stated that no "homing" war-ship will be due in the Mediterranean for 40 or 50 days. The message was forwarded to Assistant State's Attorney Barbour here. This complication, according to Mr. Barbour, will necessitate the sending of a man to Tangier from the state's attorney's

Will Get Stensland. Chicago, Ill., (Special) .- Assistant the following telegram from Charles Bluns, who is representing the ment securities, but a boom in the State's Attorney's office in the Stensland matter at Washington:

State's Attorney Barbour, "it will be

"Warrant being prepared for the

Mr. Barbour received a message tines, armed uprisings and condison at Tangler requesting that the tions of terrorism and anarchy, authorities at Washington permit such as prevail in Poland, the Baltic Stensland to return without waiting provinces and the Caucasus, it is for the arrival of legal documents. authorities at Washington permit laimed that arbitrary and unscru- The prisoner was said to be willing

> Receiver Fetzer, of the Milwaukee Avenue State Bank, which was wrecked by Stensland, receiving the following dispatch from Secretary of the Treasury Shaw in Washing-Assistant Secretary of State con-

Peterhof of prominent men of all factions in administration and court circles, called for Sunday, when it is expected a decision will be reached over the question whether or not the Premier shall have a free hand in the cording to the proceedure controlling judicial questions affecting French Bank at Tangler." the

capeling Of Meat Products. Washington, (Special). - Secretary of Agriculture James Wilson and the Washington (Special). - Sixteen representatives of the beef packers of Congress each food product must contain the name of percentage of the component parts of the product. The basis of the compromise reached is that the name of the constitu-ents of the meat food product will placed on the label of the can, but that the percentage will not be

FINANCIAL WORLD. One big trader sold 25,000 shares of Reading.

Reading bulls say it will cross Pennsylvania this week West Jersey & Seashore directors declared the regular semi-annual three per cent. dividend.

he Bank of Russin for \$300,000,000 Missouri Pacific's gross earnings in the fiscal year 1906 were \$44,-66,000, a gain of \$1,401,000, while net profits were \$14,284,000, an increase of \$1,249,000.

A foreign dispatch said that Ger-man capitalists had offered to buy

corporation for the current calendar year will be between \$4,000,000 and Atchison directors met, but took no action on the dividend, but it is predicted that the rate will be in-

reased next month. The illness of P. A. B. Widener aused a good deal of Philadelphia Rapid Transit selling. Mr. Widener is reputed to own more than a third of all the 600,000 shares of stock. The market value of 200,000 shares would be \$5,600,000.

In the year which ended April 30 the American Smelting & Refining Company carned net \$10,161,000, an increase of \$1,362,000. The amount available for the dividend on the \$50,000,000 of common stock ng almost completely stripped from \$5,274,000, or a little more than 0 % per cent.

It was reported that the his Rocks

It was reported that the hig Rocke-feiler bank had sold to the United States Treasury \$32,000,000 worth of Government bonds which will ma-ture next year. There are \$117,000,-000 of this class of bonds outstand-ing, and it has been supposed that the Government will pay off at least 375 000,000 of them and likely refund the balance. If a sale such as reported were to be made it would he a hig help to the money market. There was no confirmation, however, and the rumor was set down as a 'hnll" carnard.

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA

Latest News Gleaned From Various Parts.

A mile under ground at Shamokin, Simon Burcavage, an insane man, engaged in a fierce fight with a number of miners and fractured the skull of Richard Fetter, fire box. He will likely die. A crowd of min-ers rushed at the maniac, and after a desperate struggle tied him to a plank, and conveying him to the surface, turned him over to the po-

Because of the typhoid epidemic prevalent in Hamburg the opening of the public schools was postponed to September 10, as a precautionary measure against the spread of the disease by the public schools' pupils The authorities are now nearly posttive as to the cause or source of the disease, subsequent to the flood in the North Ward. In this ward 50 per cent, of the cases reported got their water at a certain well, which since has been found to be contaminuted.

Ricardo Forte was hanged at West Chester for the murder of two small Italian children in Howellsville, eighteen months ago. There was nothing sensational in the execution. Dominick Di Lucca, father of the murdered children, witnessed the ex-

The Williamsport Board of Trade has just sent out an artistic booklet devoted to an exposition of the commercial advantages, the beauties and healthfulness of that city. It is a convincing piece of advertising and another evidence of the hustling propensities of the Board of Trade and the citizens in general.

Amicable suits against ex-Mayor Vance C. McCormick and Mayor Edward Segross will be filed this week with Prothonotary Royal by County Solicitor William H. Middleton in an attempt to get the Courts to turn over to the county treasurer nearly \$10,000 now in the hands of the Harrisburg treasurer. Is is claimed by the county commissioners that under the act of Assembly of 1889. Mayors, Aldermen, Justices of the Peace and any other magistrates are required to turn over all fines and forfeits collected from disorderly conduct cases to the city, but this act was amended in 1895 and made to read that all of these fines and forfeits collected by the Mayors, etc. should be turned over to the county.

Bernard Darrah, recently appointed steward of the Conyngham Poor District, must give up the position because he has not married. It is an unwritten rule that the steward of the district must be a married man so that his wife may act as matron of the institution, a position made necessary by the presence of a number of women inmates. When Darrah took the office it was with the expectation that he would soon be wedded, but the time in which he was expected to take a wife has now elapsed and he is to turn the

place over to a married man. Fearing that his illness was incurable, Morgan Ott, of Schoeners ville, committed suicide by almost severing his head with a razor. The act was committed in sight of his sister. Ott was thirty-three years

Chief of Police Gideon S. Lever has suggested a punishment for vagrants taken into custody in Abington township which, if approved by the commissioners, will be far more affective in ridding the town-ship of tramps than the present method of arresting them and sending them to jail for short terms, as is now being done. Chief Lever suggests that while such extensive road improvements are being conductd, to compel the vagrants to break stone on the roads for several days In lieu of sending them to jail for ten days. The suggestion is being warmly approved by residents of the township. In the last few weeks nearly a score of vagrants have been arrested and sent, to Norristown to serve ten day terms. By arresting the vagrants the authorities believe they can reduce petty thievery to

a minimum in this section. Roscoe V. Madden, a conductor, accused of having caused the death of an unknown man, by throwing him from his street car, was acquitted at Pittsburg of voluntary manslaughter. When the verdict was rendered Madden clapped his hands, wept and kiesed his counsel and parents, yelled the tipstaves, and Madden's father, who was seated behind the young man, rose and precipitately threw himself on his son, to stop the noise. "Arrest that man," said Judge Frazen, but no one stirred noise. Madden's father having by this time suppressed the excitement. It was several minutes before Madden could be quieted and removed from the

court room. Struck by a trolley car as he was engaged in a game of ball, John Schlechler, aged 9 years, of Allentown, was so badly injured that he died shortly after being taken to his home. He caught sight of his mother and called. "Don't cry, mamma, I'm not hurt much," and then Ispsed into unconsciousness, Miles Gray, the oldest Pennsylva-

nia Railroad employee at the weigh scales, Shamokin, had his feet caught in a rail frog and was unable to release himself to escape an ap-proaching train. To save himself from being cut in half be threw his body clear of the railroad. His feet were so badly crushed they will have to be amputated. Dr. C. C. Boyer scored athletics and high school societies in an address at the Reading teachers' justi-

tute on the ground that they rule the schools. "In America," he said. "individuality in children has become rebellion run riot. Obedience to authority is discarded by the girl and boy. In Europe obedience is more important than development of the individual. "In America the air is full of the spirit of independence; children determine their own destinies; schools must introduce fade and fancies of all sorts to induce scholars to remain a while longer. Closely following their acquisition of the P. M. & S. Electric Railway the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Com-

pany has purchased a portion of the Buttonwood Hotel property in Darby from Councilman Andrew J. Mc-Clure and it is understood will begin to demolish the building at once for a new building of their own.

Dr. Thomas F. Neil, of Philadelphia, has been appointed superintendent of the Blair County Hospital for the Insane. This hospital was erected by Blair County at an expense of \$250,000 and is now ready