THE RAILROADS HALT ON IMPROVEMENTS Said To Be The Result of Adverse

Legislation.

LEGISLATION IN PENNSYLVANIA.

Pennsy to Stop Contemplated Im provements Estimated to Cost \$25,-00,000 - Work On the New York Terminals to Be Continued - The Two-cent Fare Bill.

Philadelphia, Pa. (Special). - In. view of the fact that the legislature of Pennsylvania is about to make it unlawful for a railroad to charge more than two cents per mile for passenger traffic in this state, and is also about to place a tax on anthracite and bituminous coal, the Pennsylvania Railroad, it is understood, is about to follow the example of other rallroads and order several improve ments now under way to be stopped The cost of these improvements and others in contemplation, which have been and are to be cancelled, approximate \$25,000,000. The work in New York is not likely to be halted.

In a statement just issued the Pennsylvania Railroad prepared the way for an announcement as to the holding up of improvements. This statement, which was issued on its face as a plan against the enactment of the two-cent per mile law, in dependiture which the Pennsylvania will have to make as the result of higher prices for material and the increase in wages of its employes.

It is well known that the railroad company has given up all hope of blocking the passage of the two-cent bill, which has been approved by the state House of Representatives, and is now up for its third and final reading before the State Senate. It is, therefore, not difficult to fathom the meaning of the statement.

In his annual report to the stock holders of the Pennsylvania Railroad pany about a week ago, President James McRea told of the problems before the company and suggested that it would be a "wise policy on the part of the company to reduce its capital expenditures to a minimum, avoid new undertakings and restrict its expenditures for the present to such work as was now under way and must be completed.'

ON VERGE OF UPRISING.

Seditionary Societies Are Fomenting A Revolt.

Washington (Special). - From Shanghal advices received at the State Department it appears that the ruling dynasty in China is seriously alarmed over the effect of the spread of famine through the country, and the opportunity it offers to seditionary societies to enlist converts to the cause directed against the govern-

The suffering of the people is used as capital, it is said, in that judicious assuaging of want places the persons given assistance under obligations to the societies. The government's inability to relieve suffering, it is said, has been magnified and the hardships people attributed to lack of sympathy by the government for the

The information received here indicates that a propaganda has been organized to further the circulation stories of the character outlined. and it is said that State Department officials fear that a spread of hysteria may engender a general uprising. If such should be the result there is danger that the government might

not be able to control the situation. American and other foreign interests then would be jeopardized. So among the peasants, great is the concern that diplomatic. The North German Lloyd and the to keep Washington panies have founded a new steamadvised in regard to the situation and every turn taken.

SANDERSON ACQUITTED.

A Parallel To The Thaw Case In Missouri.

Carthage, Mo. (Special) .- Arthur Sanderson was acquitted of the murder of Dr. Solomon D. Meredith in would cease at the earliest possible Carthage on January 5 last.

Mrs. Sanderson testified that Di Meredith, the family physician, had made love to her when she went office to consult him. detailed her experiences with the doctor to Sanderson, who immediately left the house and soon returned with Dr. Meredith. Before Mrs. Sanderson, the husband accused the physician of ruining his home and shot

In the arguments of coursel for the defense, a parallel with the Thaw case was drawn. Attorney Shannon said there was evidence of an exaggerated ego, in that the defendant thought himself "providentially called on to avenge the ravishment of his

Big Blaze At Pottsville.

Pottsville, Pa. (Special) .- Fire of ery of the Union Brewing Company and the tenement houses of Thomas tion of Northern Egypt. Wigmore, William Jones. George The British Premier announced Reese and W. K. Shissler, at Miners-ville, entailing a loss of \$100,000. project of tunneling the English The fire threatened to destroy the Channel. town and assistance was sent from The loss is partly covered by insurance.

Harrison Gets 20 Years.

Richmond, Va. (Special).-Joshua Harrison was, Thursday, at Elizabeta City, N. J., sentenced to twenty years' imprisonment for the kidnapping and murder of Kenneth Beasley, two years ago. A stay of execution was denied. The boy was a son of State Senator Beasley.

A bronze tablet commemorating the birth of Grover Cleveland was unveiled in the room in which he was born at Caldwell, N. J.

Born With 25 Digits.

Trenton (Special) .- A son with twelve toes and thirteen fingers has just been born to Mr. and Mrs. Leon A. Shockley, of this city. There are seven fingers on one hand and aix the other and six toes on each

Back From Panama. New Orleans, La. (Special)—A par-ty of congressmen who have been in-specting the Panama Canal arrived in the Mississippi River Sunday on the steamship Ellis from Colon.

THE NEWS OF THE WEEK

Ex-Judge Gary, of the United States Steel Corporation, said in New York that if managers of corpora-

tions were honest there would be no public hostility to them.

on the Atchison, Topeka and Santa

Fe Railroad was wrecked at Clare-

mont, Col., and 6 persons killed and

Count Constantine Podporski, a

ome, Alaska, Hines claiming the ount had robbed him of his wife.

eyivania Railroad near Pittsburg. Former United States Senator Bur

on has completed his six months entence in an Ohio jail.

Ten thousand dollars have been equeathed to Princeton to establish

vo scholarships. Miss Rose L. Fritz broke the type

riting record by writing 2,445 words

Nine girls were injured by a train

cutting a trolley car in two in De-troit, Mich.

the New England Coast during the

Yard caused a loss of \$175,000.

The gold-and-silver model of the early Philadelphia, Washington and Baltimore Raliroad locomotive Daniel

Webster, which disappeared mys-eriously, has been returned to the

office of President Tilton, of the

Stuyvesant Fish, in an address to be students of the Wharton School

of Finance of the University of Penn-sylvania, declared that President

Roosevelt was in no way responsible for the flurry in Wall Street.

fessor in Illinois educational institu-

tions, went to a poor-house after loosing \$12,000 in slot machines.

Burglars cut valuable pictures from the frames in the summer home of Henry Siegel, the New York mer-

The Erie Railroad has stopped con-

struction work owing to threats of hostile legislation.

Pians of the battleship Nebraska were stolen from a Pacific Coast ship-

Mrs. James Tolbert, wife of former

Mayor Tolbert, of Fairmont, Ga. was assaulted and her two-months

old child was murdered by a negro.
It was testified that a firm of con-

tractors made a profit of \$124,645

for woodwork in 14 rooms in the

Twelve hundred men employed by

the Republic Iron and Steel Com

pany, of Indiana, have struck for

more wages.

The Plant of the Augusta Chroni-

Foreign.

Unless the famine conditions in

work, there is grave danger of the

seditionary societies fomenting an

The assassination of Dr. Mauchami

lowed by a general attack upon Euro-peans, and the British consular agent

The Conservative cabinet of Rou-mania has resigned and a Liberal

ministry has been formed which may

ship line, to run between Fiume and

have captured Choluteca, Honduras and that President Bonilla has fled

The Earl of Selbourne, British High Commissioner of South Africa,

in a speech at the opening of the first parliament of the Transvaal colony.

the employment of Chine

The German gunboat Panther has

gone to Port au Prince, Hayti, to support the demands of the German

Minister in connection with the treat-

Hundreds of the Roumanian army

reserves before responding to the call to the colors took part in the riot-

It is proposed to insert a claus

in the new French income tax bill

imposing an additional one per cent tax upon bachelors and spinsters.

The British steamer Fernley has

Testimony has been given that the

een beached near Hakodate, Japan,

having sustained extensive damage from striking a floating mine.

Reactionary League in Russia hired

nen to murder Ivan Petrunkevitch,

The height of the Assuan Dam in

The Pope has consented to act as

godfather to the expected child of

A serious congestion of trans-At-

Tribesmen fighting with the troops

Excavations made at Metafontine

his soldiers to loot captured towns.

The French Chamber of Deputies

adopted a motion for the publication of the contents of the archives seized

Leroy Parke, an agent of the War Department, has been shipping ital-

ians and Spanjards to the Canal Zone at the rate of 596 a month.

Woman suffragists tried to enter

the House of Commons and the police were forced to charge the rioters. Fifty arrests were made.

at the papal nunciature in Paris.

of interesting Greek tombs

defeated by the Ben Ismala tribes

the Sultan of Morocco have been

under the leadership of the brig-

from the longshoremen'

the Nile is to be raised so as to as

sure the irrigation of another sec-

the Liberal leader

the Queen of Spain.

and Vallente.

ment of certain German subject.

Nicaragua reports that its forces

New York.

Baid

was forced to fire upon the mob.

Morocco City, Morocco, was fol

Pennsylvania State Capitol.

cle was destroyed by fire.

and other foreign interests.

Albert C. Williams, formerly a pro-

Fire in the Pensacola (Fla.) Navy

17 injured.

n 30 minutes.

winter

chant.

A special train filled with students

Mrs. Frankie Taylor, who claimed to be promoting a big mining deal in West Virginia, was arrested in New York on the charge of beating the Hotel Lincoln out of a board bill. After waiting at the church door in Nyack, N. Y., for the bride-elect, Otto Froelich, the expectant bride-groups received a measure that the Roumanian Troops Shoot the Riotous

100,000 JEWS ARE NOW HOMELESS. groom, received a message that the

TOWNS BURNED

Terrible Uprising of Peasants in Moldavia Against the Farmer's Trust-Because Some of the Landlords Are Jews the Mobs Attack All of That Faith-Troops Charge the Mobs. Vienna (By Cable) .- The serious-

Peasants.

ness of the situation in Northern Moldavia growing out of the agrasian disorders has not, according to the latest telegraphic reports reaching Pole of royal birth, was shot and here from Czernewitz, on the border, killed by J. C. Hines, a miner from been exaggerated. From the estimates of the damages

made it appears that 400 farms in Train wreckers ditched the Chicago and New York Limited on the Penn-Moldavia have been devastated, 8,000 fugitives have fled over the Roumanian frontier into Austria, and a total of 10,000 Jews are homeless. The number of dead and wounded

cannot be given accurately, but the latest reports give a total of about 85 men killed and in the neighborhood of 150 wounded. The outbreak seems to have been partially suppressed in the district of

Botosahni, but the latest reports are that the movement is spreading southward into Wallachia and even into the Austrian crown land of Bo-Fifty-four vessels went down off kowing.

The Roumanian government is still sending troops into the afflicted dis-trict. Practically the entire provtrict. ince of Moldavia has been involved. Against Farming Trust.

The movement is really more agraian than antisemitic. The peasants re in revoit against the great farming trust, which has leased half the cultivatable land in Moldavia. The absentee landlords who control the trust happen to be Jews, and this fact brings the ire of the peasants own upon any and all Jews that they meet, and to this antipathy is added strong racial feeling arising

rom other causes. On Thursday 500 peasants tried invade Michaileni. In spite of the fact that there was a sufficient number of Roumanian troops in this town to stop the rioters, the peasants at first got the upper hand because e soldiers, acting upon the orders the prefect of the town, were not permitted by their officers to open In the face of the menaces of the furious peasants, however, some of the soldiers did fire, against orders. This volley killed 15 of the rioters and wounded 45, whereupon the peasants withdrew.

The Town Plundered.

A more successful attack was made at Vaslui, to the south of Jassy. Here a body of 2,000 peasants forced their way into the town. The prefect of Vaslui did not have sufficient troops at his command to stop the onward march of the infurlated countrymen. He stood a helpless witness while the rioters, in an incredibly short space of time, plundered practically all the buildings on the three principal streets of Vuslui and then set them on fire. The peasants had looted freely and the fire completed the work of destruction

China are promptly relieved and the Chinese government sided in its work of destruction, The prefect sent in a hurried appeal for reinforcements, and the peasants, in ignorance of this step, remained in the town until the soluprising that will imperil American diers arrived. There then ensued a serious fight up and down the burned streets. The soldiers came out vic-torious, but 20 rioters were killed and many were wounded. The com-mander of the troops, Major Calori, sustained serious injuries.

Heaps of Ruins.

The entire Roman district was up be able to deal with the troubles in arms. Here the authorities were powerless, and the peasants pillaged, burned and devastated everywhere. and consular officials in China have Hamburg-American Steamship Com- All the buildings in the villages of Halancesti, Herlesti, Holcisteni and Ninelusen were demolished, and the villages are now nothing more than heaps of ruins.

It is estimated that not less than 8,900 fugitives have crossed the frontier into the Austrian Province of Bukowina, where they are being cared for as well as possible.

Locomotive Explodes.

Cincinnati, Ohio (Special) .- With the roar of a thousand thunders, the boiler in an engine in the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton yards, at Eighth Street, near Burns, exploded, proably fatally injuring George Mor-Walter Griffiths, fireman, and Frank Burton, switchman. The cause is said to have been a broken valve. The injured men all ing and plundering in Moldavian

Admiral Tilley Dead.

miral Benjamin F. Tilley, commandand at League Island Navy Yard, died after a brief illness of double pneu-monia. Admiral Tilley was made commandant at the navy yard on February 23, having been assigned to succeed Admiral Craig, who was retired.

Leopold Was Stricken.

Brussels (By Cable), - Notwithstanding the official decision, property that ing but a great hole in linguistes confirm the report that ing but a great hole in King Leopoid, who is visiting the feet deep.

Not a scrap of the building nor a local clothing or particle of the standing the official denials, private unconscious for some time. It is now announced that he will come home much earlier than expected.

Twenty Years For Kidnapping.

Elizabeth City, N. C. (Special) .-Joshua Harrison, who was convicted Southern Italy, disclosed a number The Nicaraguan minister denies which to bring the case before the that President Zelaya has authorized Supreme Court, Harrison being admitted to bail in \$3,000.

Jackson, Miss. (Special) .- Judg Niles, of the federal court, issued a temporary injunction, on petition the Louisville and Nashville Railroad. restraining the Mississippi Railroad Commission from enforcing the or-der establishing a two-cent passenger rate on the interchangeable mileage pasis, according to a recent act of

Emmanuel Arene, a Corsican sena-tor, and Adolph Brissor, a Paris journalist, were both wounded in a sword duel.

An attempt was made to hold up the employes of the national bank of Johannesburg, but was folled by the employes.

AT THE NATION'S CAPITAL

PEOPLE KILLED Some Interesting Happenings Briefly

President Roosevelt has signed orders for sweeping changes in the government of the Canal Zone, which will become effective April 15, and are expected to effect an annual saving to the United States of about \$100,000.

President Roosevelt announced his disapproval of the findings of acquit-tal in the case of Capt. L. M. Koel-ler, Fourth Cavalry, U. S. A., who was charged with using disrespectful language toward General Wood L. C. Cummings, of Boston, had conference with Secretary Straus, of

the Department of Commerce and Labor, in the interest of movement for government inspection of crews of licensed steamers Monograph issued by the Bureau of Statistics of the Department of Commerce and Labor shows that the

United States now ranks third among the world's exporters of manufactures. The Francis Scott Key Memorial Association has been chartered to purchase and preserve the house in Washington where the author of the

national anthem lived. Brigadier General Arthur Murray chief of Artillery, has been detailed on the joint board appointed in 1903 to consider matters relating to coast defenses.

The Postoffice Department issued an order debarring H. H. Harsha and the Harsha Co-operative Advertising Company from the use of the mails.

The Chinese boycott has been effectively suppressed, according mail advices received from the American consul general at Canton, China.

The War Department announced sentences of dismissal from the Army by court-martial on Lieut. Morris C. Foote and Lieut. E. B. Crowne. Mr. Luiz Arenas De Lima has been

appointed first secretary to the Portuguese Legation. Mr. Isaac Sellgman, after an interview with the President, said that the latter did not see how he could act

to relieve the railroad situation, par-ticularly as there appeared to be no unanimity in the suggestions made to him by railroad presidents. S. A. D. Puter as a witness for the government in the Hermann case gave the full details of the difficulties

which attended his efforts to obtain patents to 12 homesteads in Oregon, Twenty-nine new cases are filed against various railroads, charging violation of law which requires that live stock shall not be left on cars without food for longer than 28

Steps are now under way in the General Land Office to cancel the proofs by which Governor Crawford, South Dakota obtained possession of certain public lands.
The President has received tele-

grams from a number of organizations in the West congratulating him upon the appointment of an inland waterways commission.

Extraordinary expenses to the United States up to date caused by the sending of an army of pacifica-tion to Cuba aggregate about \$2,500,-

The census report on cotton for the year 1906 shows that 13,290,677 bales have been ginned, an increase of 2,565,075 over the previous year.
All letter carriers of the rural delivery service having routes 24 or more miles are to have pay increased

President Roosevelt in person emphatically denied that the recent visit of Governor Deneen, of Illinois, was made or the purpose of launching Secretary Taft's presidential

It is predicted that the agitators and vicious element will control the elections in Cuba and lead ultimately to an American protectorate. President Mellen, of the New York, ew Haven and Hartford had an interview with the President on the railroad situation.

The United Sates army transport Buford will take a load of provisions at once to China for the relief of famine sufferers.

KILLED BY EXPLOSION. Occurs In The Mixing House Of Powder Mill.

Dubois, Pa. (Special) .- An explosion occurred in the Emporium Powder Mill, located two miles west of Emporium, Pa., which caused the death of six men—three Americans Charles Eckles, James Thomas and William Moran, all of Emporlum, and three unknown Italian laborers The cause of the explosion has not been ascertained.

The explosion occurred in the mixing-house. There were 1,000 pounds of dynamite in the building, and the Philadelphia (Special).—Rear Ad- six men who lost their lives were tral Benjamin F. Tilley, command- engaged in making dynamite by mixing nitroglycerine and wood pulp. The town of Emporium was shaken until windows fell in, and the jar was, felt as far as St. Mary's and

Driftwood, 20 miles distant. When the men employed about other parts of the plant had recovered from the shock they were unable the six men who were at work there or any of their implements.

thread of clothing or particle of the bodies of the men has been found. loss to property was about

Mrs. Sage Gives \$150,000.

New York (Special) .-- Announce ment of a gift of \$150,000 by Mrs. of the kidnapping and murder of Ken- Russell Sage to aid in the erection of Mary Jane Mullins, 69 years old, un- heavy liquidation of that stock neth Beasley, a son of State Senator the new sallors' home and institute earthed a pot containing \$6900 in Beasley, two years ago, was sen- was made at a luncheon given by the gold and silver coin, in an abandontenced to 20 years' imprisonment af- trustees of the American Seamen's ter motion in arrest of judgment had Friend Society. The building will be been denied. Notice of appeal was given and 60 days were allowed in which to bring the case before the 275,000 to the Syrian Protestant Col-\$75,000 to the Syrian Protestant College, of Beirut, Syria.

Big.-Gen. T. J. Wint Dead. Philadelphia (Special)-Brig.-Gen.

Theodore J. Wint, United States Army, commanding the Department of Missouri, with headquarters at Omaha, died suddenly at a hotel here He was 62 years of age. General Wint's death was due to heart disease. He came to this city and entered the Presbyterian Hospital for treatment, but later engaged apartments at a hotel, where he was attended by a heart specialist.

UNITED STATES

Our Marines Are Guarding Honduran

Ports. MANY KILLED AND WOUNDED.

As Tender of Good Offices Has Not Been Heeded by Belligerents, It Has Been Suggested to U. S. Government That Commissioners Investigate and Order Cessation of Hostilities.

LATEST DEVELOPMENTS.

United States marines landed at three Honduran ports to protect American Interests. Both the Atlantic and Pacific coasts of warring Central American states now covered by United

States gunboats. precaution will prevent international complications growing out of the United States policy not to permit European dem-onstrations in those waters.

Joint intervention by Mexico and the United States now regarded by diplomats as probable. Nicaraguans claim to have defeated the combined forces of Honduras and Salvador in battle lasting three days and two nights. Nicaraguan advices say dreds of dead and wounded Hon-durans and Salvadoreans were left on the fields and may be

taken prisoners. few Nicaraguans were killed and many wounded.

Washington (Special) .- Bluelackprobably at Puerto, Cortez, Honduras, to protect American interests in those ports. Advices to this effect were received at the Navy Department from Commander Fullam, of the Marietta, and they were at once transmitted to the State Department. As yet no word has been received as to whether forces have been landed at Central American ports on the Pacific Coast side, but undoubtedly this step will be taken if American interests are considered in canger.

The Navy Department feels that the action taken by Commander Fullam brings the situation completely in hand, so far as the safeguarding trade interests is concerned. addition to the protection given to Americans it is felt that the action of this government will relieve foreign government of the necessity of taking any step toward making a naval demonstration.

The landing of the bluejackets and marine and the policing of both shores of the Central American re-publics with United States gunboats before trading vessels had been molested in any manner or foreign interests leopordized is regarded here of the commercial and trading inter-as a diplomatic move that will pre-ests. American citizens have in-United States not to permit European demonstrations in Central Patrolling The Coast.

From the meager dispatches reeived it appears that Commander eived it appears that Commander periled by the access to power of those agitators and radical leaders Honduran coast from east to west. Who rely upon the It is understood that he landed a elect them to office. force of about 20 marines from the ets at Ceiba, and then continued his course to Puerto Cortez. It is said the dispatch to the Navy Department the dispatch to the Navy Department was sent by Commander Fullam beling that the toreign government hamed, in behalf of their citizens will appeal to the United States to prevent the threatened calamity, accompanying that appeal with the suggestion fore his departure from Ceiba, and that, as the responsibility will that it indicated an intention on the part of the Commander to land a United States to recoup them for force of 15 or 20 men at Puerto such losses as they may have sus-Cortez upon his arrival there.

mander in tained. Honduran port, Trujillo, gave Commander Fullam his promise that American interests and all foreign interests there would be protected. and that trading vessels would be permitted to enter and leave the port without molestation, the same as before the capture of the port by

the Nicaraguan Navy.

The collier Nero has been left at Trujillo by Commander Fullam that it may serve as a base for the small landing parties. The commander expressed the view, it is said, that no more vessels would be needed in the Caribbean than are there now.

Both Coasts Covered. Both coasts of the warring Cenral American republics are completecovered by American gunboats. addition to the Marietta on the Honduras Caribbean coast, which is point regarded most in danger, the Paducah is further south on the Nicaraguan coast. On the Pacific Coast side are the Princeton, which patrolling the Nicaraguan coast, and the Chicago, which is patrolling the situation. the Salvadorean and Honduran coasts.

Joint intervention by Mexico and the United States in the war which threatens to involve all Central America is now regarded as probable Tenders of good by diplomatists. offices on the part of the two great governments have not been heeded Nicaragua, Honduras and Salva- bear panic within ten days. dor, and it has been suggested to the Edward B. Smith & Company hav State Department that Mexico and paid for Philadelphia & Erie \$65 the United States should send pienishare. It may be that this firm potentiaries to the warring counties to investigate the causes of the prescessation of hostilities.

Unearths Pot of Gold.

Sergeant, Ky. (Special) .- After a earch extending over twenty years, the ed lot on the farm of her father, the shares for delivery, not deliver-Bing Oaborn, near here. Her father died twenty years ago leaving \$10.-000 buried upon the farm. She will continue the search for the remaining raffy in prices just before the pasic and valuable coins.

Preacher Joins Union

New York (Special) .- The Rev. William Carter, pastor of the Madison Avenue Dutch Reformed Church, at Fifty-seventh Street and Madison Avenue, was admitted as a delegate to the Central Federation Union. Mr. Carter said he represented a union of over 100 clergymen, who desired to aid organized labor,

It is intimated that Secretary Cor-telyou will refuse to accept railroad bonds as security for government de-

MAY END IN PROTECTORATE

FORCES ARE LANDED Dark Picture of the Condition in

Washington (Special) .- That the egime of the United States in Cuba will continue for many months:

That at the municipal elections, to be held probably in June, the propertyholders will refuse to vote: That the low and vicious elements

of the population will thus secure the offices: That diplomatic representations will then be made to the United State by England, France, Germany and Spain; that they will look to this country for damages in case of destruction of their property in the bland.

bland That the situation will compel the United States to announce a protec-torate over Cuba.

Such is the tenor of private adof the Antilles; and it can be stated that they are largely corroborated by information from official sources now in possession of the Washington ad-

ministration.
It is pointed out that in Cuba the conservative propertyholding class is in a helpless minority. Fully 90 per cent. of the vote population own little more than the clothes they walk -perhaps a machete, less freq They are the ly a horse or a mule. They are the kind that for \$3 to \$5 are ready to take to the woods and start a "revo-

This is the element which will win when the elections are held, and it is said to be quite possible that a negro may be elected mayor of Havanna

The propertyholders purpose take no part in the elections, for the purpose of affording the United Washington (Special).—Bluejack-ets and marines have been landed character of the men who will get from the United States gunboat the offices in case the program is fol-Marietta at Trujillo and Ceiba and lowed of giving the Cuban people another opportunity under present laws of establishing a Republican government of their own. reasonably safe in doing this, knowing that Governor Lagoon has the right and power to remove any muni-

ipal officer who misbehaves. But they expect the most effective result of the election of the low element of the island to the municipal offices will be the creation of uneasiness and alarm in the minds of foreigners who have large invest ments in the island as to what will be the result if the elections are continued and the Congress and presidecy should fall into the hands of the same class.
Citizens of Great Britain have, it

In is said, at least \$100,000,000 invest-to ed in Cuba. Of this about \$50,000. 000 is in the Cuban railways, \$30, 000,000 in sugar and \$20,000,000 in German citizens have about \$40.

000,000 invested in sugar and tobacco, and Frenchmen have about \$10,-000,000 in the same industries. Spain owns practically two-thirds of the landed interests of the island, more than half of the city of Havana and still retains the largest part

vent any international complications vestments of all kinds running up growing out of the policy of the to at least \$125,000,000. These figures are declared to be well within the mark, and it is American or South American waters. claimed that all of these investments. which are the backbone of Cuban trade and prosperity, will be im-

who rely upon the riff-raff class to It is regarded as certain, therefore, Marietta at Trujillo and 20 bluejack- that the foreign government named

Subtrensury Was Robbed. Chicago (Special). - The counting of the \$62,000,000 in the Chicago subtreasury, to determine whether the shortage of \$173,000 discovered on February 20, was due to a mis take in bookkeeping, was finished Monday without the discovery of anything to explain the shortage other than that the money probably was stolen. Capt. Porter, of the Secret Service, said that his detectives had learned nothing new about the disappearance of the money.

Terrorists Still Active.

Warsaw (By Cable) .- In spite of the apparent calm in this city there has been no decrease in terrorist activity During the past three days three stations on the Vistula Raliroad have been attacked and robbed and several policemen killed. Brigandage is on the increase, and it is unsafe to travel on the highways or to live in country houses, especially near the city. authorities seem unable to cope with

IN THE FINANCIAL WORLD.

American Locomotive declared its regular dividends in both classes of

stock. C. I. Hudson says the short inter est in the market amounts to 1,000, 000 shares and he predicts a great

Edward B. Smith & Company have It may be that this firm in acquiring as much of the untraded 2 per cent. of the stock as possible and order an immediate with a view of turning it over to the Pennsylvania.

Erie's inability to go ahead with needed improvements, for the very-simple reason that it cannot raise

& Wall Street rumor is that when H, C. Frick last year sold such a great block of Reading, he barrow ing his own in order not to let the brokers know from whom it was com-In the find are some rare was due to his covering of this heavy short contract.

Baltimore & Ohio's gross carnings n February increased \$136,785, but let profits decreased \$411,991. The advance in wages represented \$150,

If the Great Northern is prevented by law from selling \$60,000,000 of new stock, J. J. Hill will probably sell an equal amount of short term notes. As he would put out the stock at par, the money would cost the company 7 per cent., that being the dividend rate. The notes can be sold robably on a 6 per cent, basis so hat the Great Northern will save per cent. a year on its new me

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA

Latest News Gleaned From Various

Emma, the 3-year-old daughter of Benjamin Scheirer, of Allentown, was fatally injured in a fall from a window of the second story of her home. The little girl crept onto the window sill, lost her balance and

Icil.

John Dailey, of Walnutport, was struck and instantly killed by a fast freight train near his home.

Gharles F. Raap, who was chosen Chief Burgess of Orwigsburg at the last election, early tired of the office, submitting his resignation. Thomas J. Reed was named by the Court as his successor.

his successor.

The stocking of Schuylkill's depleted trout streams with fry has been started there having been placed at Indian Run, several miles west of Pottaville, 15,000 young trout from the Harrisburg fisheries.

A fund is being raised by the people of Williamsport with which to erect a memorial tablet in the city hall in honor of the late John P. Maloney, the natrolman who was

the patrolman murdered a week ago while attempting to arrest a notorious criminal.
Mr. and Mrs. Enos P. Findlay, of Quarryville, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary by holding a family reunion. Mr. Findlay is one

family reunion. Mr. Findlay is one of the oldest Odd Fellows in the State and he was presented with a beautiful badge of the order.

Maxim Kredich, a Russian, has been found guilty of murder in the second degree at Butler for beating his wife to death. He fractured her skull with a blow of his fist. Upper Dublin Township, Montgomery County, is \$109 ahead, which the

auditors cannot account for and neither can the treasurer Fort Washington is talking about applying for a borough charter.

His locomotive striking a loaded mine car at Hickory Swamp Colliery, near Shamokin, John Purcell, engineer, was thrown out of the locomo-tive and rolled over the edge of a high, steep culm bank and was badly injured.

The McTurk Coal Company, of Girardville, has let the contract for a monster breaker. The contract price is \$70,000 and the plant will have a capacity of 900 tons daily. Byron, the son of Rev. W. O. Feg-

ely, of Trappe, broke his leg by falling down stairs. The Collegeville Fire Company realized about, \$500 from a five nights' bazaar.

The York Y. M. C. A. male chorus will take a trip through Lancaster County, led by Secretary H. Bailey, of the association. The body of Thomas Peach, of Lincoln Street, Dickson City, who has been missing from home for the past

four weeks, was found lying half submerged in the Lackawanna River. How Peach came to his death will very likely never be known. There were no marks of violence on the body, which was in a fair state of preservation. As a result of complications arising out of the failure of the Farmers' and Drovers' National Bank, at Waynesburg. Elms Brothers, who conduct big machine shops at the Green Coun-

gating \$25,000 were entered in the courts at Waynesburg against J. L. Iams, former county recorder. They are all the outgrowth of the bank Prof. J. Irvine White, of Carlisle, formerly identified with school interests at Huntingdon, has been appointed treasurer to the Board of Trustees of Dickinson College, to succeed Fry-

ty capital, made an assignment for the benefit of creditors. Suits aggre-

Dickinson in that capacity for some The Board of Tax Revision and Appeals of Easton has in three days inased the asser ed valuation in the First and Second Wards nearly \$400,-000. Nearly all the increases have been made in business properties.

singer Evans, who has represented

The northbound Reading express train from Philadelphia, with passengers, narrowly collided with an outbuilding which had fallen from a terrace along the railroad near Shamokin and landed in the middle of the track. The engine tore the building in half and

kept on the rails along with the cars. Lawrence H. Rupp has been chosen as the orator for the annual Memorial day exercises to be held in Allentown

At a meeting of the Board of Di-rectors of the First National Bank plans for a new bank building were accepted. The building is to cost in the neighborhood of \$35,000 and will be the largest bank building in the town. It will contain in addition to the quarters occupied by the bank eleven offices, a large storeroom and two lodge rooms to be occupied by the Independent Order of Odd Fellows. The structure is to be of three stories, the first of granite and the

second and third of terra cotta. After frankly telling her husband that she loved another man, Mrs. Samuel Kellenberger, of Lancaster, is said to have eloped with Garfield Moore, who leaves behind him a wife and five children. Both parties are under 30 years of age. Mrs. Kellenberger is an unusually attractive au-burn-haired girl. Moore was a trolconductor and the affair is the result of a street car romance. couple became accquainted while Moore was on a suburban resort line which Mrs. Kellenberger frequented.

Charles De Huff, a Royersford elgar manufacturer, who has made experiments with the soil on various farms in that locality, has induced a number of farmers to form a company and engage in the raising of tobacco. The soil is said to be equal to Lancaster County and over fifty acres will be planted this year as an

Caught in some machinery at the Prizer-Painter Stove Works, Wilmot, Samuel Sheetz had his right arm so badly mangled that it had to be amputated above the elbow.

From drinking a quantity of lodine in mistake for medicine which was prescribed for her, Mrs. W. W. Young, of Pottsville, lies in a precarious condition. Antidotes, which were promptly administered, may save her life. The mistake occurred through taking the medicine is the

save her life. The mistake occurred through taking the medicine in the dark and setting the bottles mixed.

Emanuel Brosius, head draftsman for the Tamaqua Manufacturing Company, trustee for Harmony Louge, I. O. O. F., and a leading member of Bethany M. E. Church, is dead, aged 33 years. Death was caused by an operation for intestinal troubles.