## INDER FLAGS OF TRUCK

Visit of Filipino Officers to General Otis Returned.

CESSATION OF HOSTILITIES

ked For by General Luna, But Otta Demands an Unconditional Surrender-Capture of Calumpit, the Fillpinos' Second Capital.

Manila, May 2.—General MacArthur as sent officers to General Antonia una, the Filipino commander, under flag of truce, carrying money and rovisions for American prisoners in is hands, and asking an exchange of risoners and the names of such as may have.

It is reported that the insurgents ave two officers and 16 others, and it is supposed that among these are Lieutenant J. C. Gillmore and men of he crew of the United States gunoat Yorktown, who fell into the hands of the Filipinos last month, when the sunboat visited Baler, on the east

ast of Luzon. Major Bell, with a squad of scouts, has captured the town of Macabebe, bout four miles southwest of Calumit, the people ringing bells and thout-

ng "vivas." The American army is now employng Macabebees instead of Chinamen, and they are delighted to get 50 cents day, declaring their loyalty to the mericans.

Major General Lawton is advancing. le has organized a band of 40 scouts go ahead of his column. The band, which is under W. M. Young, an old ndian fighter, who killed five Filipinos last week, includes Diamond, Harrington, Somerfield and Murphy, of the Second Oregon regiment.

Yesterday, the suniversary of the hattle of Manila bay, was observed y the United States fleet, the usual irills being omitted. Admiral Dewey had many visitors and the American and British merchantmen dressed ship. Calumpit, the second Filipino capi-

al, was captured last Wednesday, and the flower of Aguinaldo's army was practically annihilated. In the assault on the city eight Americans were killed, but the rebel loss was terrific. General MacArthur had 6,0:0 troops engaged.

The march on Calumpit began last Tuesday, when MacArthur's brigade fought its way to the trenches before



GENERAL LUNA.

Calumpit. In the fighting six Americans were killed and 28 wounded. Com- company and the Frisco railway, repany K, of the Twentieth Kansas, per- straining them from bringing in negro formed a most brilliant achievement in miners to take the places of the strikcharging a quarter of a mile over an ers. The court held that the peace open field in the face of a deadly fire of the state was paramount to the welfrom the Filipino trenches, to protect fare of the property of the mine ownthe armored train from the rebels' fire. ers. The coal companies can now pro The rebels were driven out and fled to ceed under the injunction issued from the jungle. The rebels had cut the the federal court covering the mines main supports of the bridge across the at Coal Hill, Denning and Jenny Lind Bagbag river, hoping to wreck the and fill up the camps with negro mintrain, but the bridge fell of its own

weight before our troops reached it. Colonel Frederick Funston, of the Kansas regiment, swam across the river with bullets spattering all about him, accompanied only by a volunteer private. Holding his revolver aloft in one hand, and carrying a rope in his teeth, he made the work of pulling over the poontoons loaded with troops easy accomplishment. Colonel Funston said afterward: "It was not much to do. We knew they could not shoot straight, and that our boys would attend to them while we were crossing."

Then General Hale's men began to ford the river, the general himself wading up to his neck in getting across. Then the capture of the trenches on the other side of the river was easy, and our troops quickly took possession of the town, which was in flames. The Filipinos left 70 dead in the trenches.

McArthur's troops added to their daily victories on Thursday last by capturing Apalit, together with 20 risoners. Only one American was

killed and nine wounded. Two Filipino officers, Colonel Manuel Arzueleses and Lieutenant Jose Bernal, came in under a flag of truce last Friday, saying that they were the representatives of General Luna, who had been requested by Aguinaldo to request a cessation of hostilities until the Filipino congress could be summoned. publican members of congress from General Otis told them he would not Illinois met in caucus here yesterday recognize the congress. The Filipinos returned to their lines on Saturday, bearing General Otis' terms for cessation of hostilities-unconditional surrender.

New York, May 2.—President Mc-Kinley spent a quiet evening at the Manhattan hotel and left this city at 10 o'clock last night for a special train in Jersey City, which left for Wash-ington at midnight. The president retired as soon as he got aboard the special train. The party as it left for Washington consisted of the president and Mrs. McKinley, Assistant Secretary Cortelyou, Dr. Rixey, Stenographer Forster and several servants. Mr. and Mrs. Abner McKinley accompanied the party to the train, which reached Washington this morning.

lixty-two Miners Drowned. St. Petersburg, May 2.—A gold mine at Kahnar, in the government of Orenburg, was flooded by a sudden inrush of water and 63 miners were drowned.

#### IDANO'S MURDEROUS STRIKERS.

No Attempt to Resume Work Pending the Arrival of Troops.

Wardner, Idaho, May 2.—There was no disturbance in the mining district. yesterday. Eleven men were seen from Wardner going over the moun-tains, each with a rifle on his shoulder, but their identity or destination was net known. A considerable num-

ber of non-union men left on the train yesterday and also a few strikers. Citizens are in dread of further outrages from now until the arrival of troops. State Auditor Barlett Sin-clair is here searching for evidence against dynamiters, but cannot make much headway before the arrival of troops. James Cheyne, wounded by dynamiters on Saturday, is not expected to live.

Pending the arrival of the troops the town is in a state of suspense. What heightens the anxiety is the general doubt as to when the troops will arrive. In the absence of troops it would be folly to attempt the resumption of work at the Bunker Hill with non-unionists.

Yesterday the body of Jack Smith, who was killed by his fellow rioters, was brought down from the miners' union hall at Burke, and is at Wallace in charge of an undertaker. The remains will be brought here in time

for the inquest Saturday noon.

Excavations of the ruins of the mill disclosed the fact that the vault and safe had been successfully blown oven by the rioters before the building itself was destroyed. Only a few smouldering ashes were found within the safe. The loss to the company from the destruction of hundreds of valuable documents will be immense.

#### PAYING OFF THE SPANIARDS.

Conqueror Pays the Representative of

the Conquered \$20,000,000. Washington, May 2.- The last move in the negotiations terminating the war with Spain occurred yesterday. when Secretary Hay paid to the French ambassador, M. Cambon, the \$20,000, 000 provided by the treaty of peace for the cession of the Philippines. The payment was made in four treasury warrants of \$5,000,000 each, and was receipted for by M. Cambon, as com-pletely liquidating the obligation of bribe through an intimate friend, Richthe United States in this connection. and J. Lennon, but failing in securing The ambassador deposited the \$20,- an intermediary to reach Lennon, he The ambassador deposited the \$20,-000,000 in the Riggs National bank of this city, and the cashing of the warrants is expected to be made later through the City National bank or New York. The Spanish government was notified by cable of the payment, but nothing will be done as to forwarding the funds to Europe until Spain directs the exact course to be pursued.

An Oculist's Terrible Mistake. Montreal, April 29.—Seven years ago Thomas Stewart, then 10 years old, lost the sight of one eye, the blade of a penknife having been accidentally run into it. Dr. Alexander Proudfoot at-tended him. Recently Dr. Proudfoot advised the removal of the eye as the only means of preserving the other intact. This was agreed to, and the delicate task was entrusted to Dr. Proudfoot, who is assistant occulist and aurist to the General hospital. The operation took place at the family residence, and at its conclusion it was found that a terrible mistake had been made—the healthy eye had been removed. On recovery from the effects of the anaesthetic the patient found himself blind.

Refused to Dissolve Injunction. Fort Smith, Ark., May 2.-Judge Rowe, of the state court, yesterday refused to dissolve the injunction against the Kansas and Texas Coal ers, and the opinion is widespread that there will be serious trouble when they do so.

Finance Conferees Ready to Report. Atlantic City, May 2,-The national house of representatives Republican caucus committee closed its sessions yesterday. To a press reporter the chairman of the committee, Mr. Henderson of Iowa, said: "The committee reached unanimous agreement, and is ready to meet the Republican members of the finance committee of the senate to submit their views to the onsideration of the joint conference. Until such meeting the work of the house committee will be withheld from

A Nation's Gratitude to Dewey. New York, May 2.-While at the navy yard yesterday President Mc-Kinley sent the following cablegram to Admiral Dewey: "On this anniversary of your great victory the people of the United States unite in an expression of affection and gratitude to yourself and the brave officers and men of your fleet, whose brilliant achievements marked an epoch in history which will live in the annals of the world's heroic deeds."

Hopkins' Boom For Speaker. Chicago, May 2.-Ten of the 14 Republican members of congress from and unanimously decided to support Congressman Albert J. Hopkins, of Aurora, for speaker of the national house of representatives. Some time next week the Republican congressmen will meet again to lay plans for the The President Returns to Washington furtherance of Mr. Hopkins' candi-

Molineux Remains in Prison.

New York, May 2.-Justice Bookstaver, in the supreme court, yesterday, dismissed the writ of habeas corpus in the case of Roland B. Molineux, cused of the murder of Mrs. Adams, and ordered that the prisoner remain in the tombs. The grand jury will now decide upon the issuance of another in

A Big Load of Immigrants. Halifax, N. S., May 2.—The Hamburg-American liner Brazilia, which left Hamburg Thursday evening and is due here on Saturday, brings the big-gest load of immigrants since the coming of the Dourkhorbers, the num-ber being 1,398 all told.

# ANOTHER SENSATION

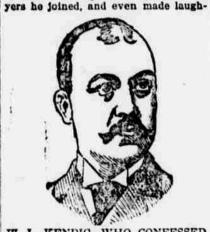
In the Famous Philadelphia-Lancaster Counterfeiting Case.

#### CENDIG MAKES A CONFESSION.

Declares That Ex-District Attorney Incham Was to Receive \$3,000 a Month For "Protection"-Ingham and Newitt's Ball Increased.

Philadelphia, April 28.-A most sensational revelation of the details of the alleged conspiracy to bribe United States secret service operatives in con-nection with the great counterfelting plot was made yesterday at the hearing of Ellery P. Ingham, former Uni-States district attorney, and Harvey K. Newitt, former assistant dis-trict attorney, by William L. Kendig, one of the principals in the plot, who made a long confession in which he

implicated Mr. Ingham. The witness was marvelously self possessed, and never was rattled for a moment. In repartee with the law-



W. L. KENDIG, WHO CONFESSED. ing replies to Mr. Shields, who is at-Mr. Ingham had proposed reaching Secret Service Agent McManus with a declared, so the witness said, that he could get at McManus through a high official, intimating that he meant District Attorney Beck.

It was eventually agreed, according to the testimony, that the counterfeiters should pay Mr. Ingham \$3,000 a month for protection, which, it was said, the conspirators wanted only for 18 months or two years, at the end of which the principals hoped to leave the country.

So far into details did the evidence go as to show an alleged plan of Mr. Ingham, in the event of his death, to continue the arrangement for payment of money to the parties to be bribed, through the agency of his wife, who was to entertain the idea that the money was to be used in speculation. These parties were known by numbers. "1, 2 and 3." Agent McManus was "No. 1," Agent Burns "No. 2" and the person who paid them the money "No. 3." "No. 3" was unknown to Kendig. Money was alleged to have been paid twice to the secret service men through the agency of "No. 3."
"It reads like Gaboriau," was the

comment of the attorney for the de-At one period the witness said that

Mr. Ingham's first report of alleged bribery was "My God, I've done it." he could identify a \$100 note owed he had paid to Ingham by a rusty nail mark on the vignette. This note was produced and identified by the witness. It was stated that the note was one of the first \$500 paid to William J. Mc-Manus, secret service agent, as a bribe.

Ingham and Newitt Must Stand Trial Philadelphia, April 29.—The hearing of former United States District Attorney Ellery P. Ingham and ex-Assistant District Attorney Harvey K. Newitt, who are charged with attempting to bribe Secret Service Agent William J. McManus, in connection with the great counterfeiting conspiracy which was unearthed in this city last week, was concluded yesterday, and United States Commissioner Edmunds increased the ball of each defendant from \$10,000 to \$20,000, which they furnished. Their trial will take place at the May term of court.

#### POWDER EXPLOSION KILLS SIX. Government Inspector Was Loading the burned to death.

Shell by a New Method. Pennsgrove, N. J., May 1.-William Prussel, of this place, who was terribly injured in the explosion at the Dupont powder works, at Carney Point, N. J., on Saturday, died in the Delaware hospital yesterday. This makes the sixth death as a result of the explosion. The full list of dead is as follows: Captain Stuart, 45 years old, government powder inspector; George Yeager, 22 years; Amos Morris, 17 years; William Freint, 28 years;

When Francis G. Dupont, a member of the firm, was asked yesterday what he thought the cause of the explosion

Harry Smith, 52 years; William Prus-

was, he said: 'At the time of the explosion Captain Stewart was loading a shell by a new and original method of his own." Mr. Dupont would not say what this method was.

Decided Against General Miles. Washington, May 1.—The Wade court of inquiry, in its report now in the hands of President McKinley, finds the charges of "embalming" the fresh beef to have been unsubstantiated by the to have been unsubstantiated by the chaese steady; large, 5½c; small do., 9c testimony, and says no chemicals were Eggs barely steady; New York and Pennused to preserve it. It also finds that it sylvania, 134c.; western, 12%6134c.; would have been impracticable to se-

### A WEEK'S NEWS CONDENSED.

There is talk of sending colored troops to fight the Filipinos.

Governor Tunnell, of Delaware, will not appoint a United States senator to succeed Gray.

Russian intrigue in Corea bids fair to make that country practically a Russian province.

Arrangements are being perfected for a transatlantic cable connecting New York and Ems, Germany. An explosion of benzol at Fleer's

chewing gum factory, Philadelphia, killed two men and destroyed over \$100,000 in property. In Camden, N. J., Edward Cswald

killed his wife Mary and 6-year-old daughter Gussie, then cut his own threat, but will recover. Another child. 9-year-old Edna, was saved by a neigh-

Thursday, April 27. Count Hohenwart Gerlachstein, expremise of Austria, died in Vienna, aged 75.

A man named Herrman, on trial at Breslau, Germany, is charged with 20

Our soldiers and sailors in the south generally took part in the observance

of Confederate memorial day.

Joseph Smalley and Daniel Lane.

was a confirmed drunkard for months before his death. Mark L. Davis, member of Dela-

ware's legislature, was indicted chargd with trying to purchase a vote for Addicks for senator.

The widow of President U. S. Grant, his son, General Fred Grant, and his grandchildren took part in Philadeltorney for Ingham. He avowed that phia's unveiling of an equestrian statue of the soldier-statesman.

# Friday, April 28.

ratifying the extradition treaty with Mexico.

Twenty-five customs inspectors have been suspended at New York for accepting "tips.

Robert Goelet, the New York milat Naples.

In the international Sunday school convention at Atlanta (Ga.) separate sections are provided for whites and blacks.

The bill to probibit acceptance of passes by public officials and political convention delegates passed the Wisconsin legislature.

Ernest B. McNair, treasurer of the Wilmington (Del.) Savings Fund society, confesses to embezzling \$10,000. He made the loss good.

Dead holdiers brought from Cuba must all be interred in Arlington cemetery to prevent exposure of the bodies and danger of infection.

Saturday, April 29. The Phoenix Bridge company, of Phoenixville, Pa., has contracted to build 12/steel bridges for use in Rus-

sia. Cyclone which swept Kirksville, Mo., destroyed many houses, and made 200 homeless. Thirty-three dead bodies re-

Mrs. Anna E. George, charged with The climax came when Kendig killing George E. Saxton, Mrs. Mc-

> acquitted. Mrs. Adams witnessed the hanging of Tom Robinson (colored) at Hillsboro, Tex., for assaulting Mrs. Adams'

> daughter Mary. Henry T. Sloane, the wealthy New York society man, was granted an absolute divorce yesterday. Last night Mrs. Sloane was married to Hon.

Perry Belmont. Monday, May 1.

President Kruger says the gold output of the Transvaal in 1898 was £16,-240.630.

Captain Gregg, killed at Manila, were landed at San Francisco. Our exports of manufactured goods for March aggregated \$36,025,733, a 25

per cent increase over any previous

The bodies of Colonel Egbert and

Prairie fire, swept by a cyclone, burned a strip of 25 miles, a mile wide, in Nebraska. Two persons and many cat-

An excursion train jumped the track while speeding around a curve near Rochester, N. Y. Two men were killed

and 50 persons injured. Hon. Lewis Baker, ex-minister to Nicaragua, Costa Rica and Salvador, and a noted Democratic journalist, died in Washington, aged 67.

## THE PRODUCE MARKETS

As Reflected by Dealings in Philadelphia and Baltimore. Philadelphia, May 1.-Flour weak; win-

ter superfine, \$2.15@2.40; Pennsylvania roller, clear, \$3@3.25; city mills, extra, \$2.50@2.75. Rye flour quiet and steady at \$3.20 per barrel for choice Pennsylvania. Wheat strong; No. 2 red, spot, in eleva-tor, 761/6764c. Corn firm; No. 2 mixed, spot, in elevator, 396394c.; No. 2 yellow, for local trade, 426424c. Oats quiet and steady; No. 2 white, 346341/c.; No. 2 white. clipped, 341/4735c. Hay receipts small; choice timothy, \$12.50 for large baies. Beef choice timothy, \$12.59 for large bales. Beef steady; beef hams, \$19@19.59. Pork easy; family, \$11.75@12.25. Lard weak; western steamed, \$5.42½@5.45. Butter steady; New York dairy, 13½@16c.; do. creamery, 14½@17c.; factory, 12½@17c.; western do., 14½@17c.; factory, 12½@13½c. Cheese dull; large, white and colored, 12c.; small do., 12½@12½c.; new

would have been impracticable to secure beef on the hoof for the Cuban campaign. The finding is likewise in opposition to the assertion on the part of General Miles that the use of the beef was an experiment.

Battle With Indians,

Cornwall, Ont., May 2.—The St. Regis Indian reservation, on the south side of the St. Lawrence, about six miles east of here, was the scene of a fatal affray yesterday between a detachment of Dominion police and the Indians. Jake Ice was instantly killed and two other Indians were wounded.

# RAIDED BY BANDITS.

Senator Frye of Maine, says he will Cubans Loot Villages in Puerto vote to seat M. S. Quay in the senate. Principe Province.

CONSPIRACY TO SAVE ESTERHAZY

Patr Du Clam Declares Himself "the Most Disciplined Soldier on Earth," and Declares He Acted Solely on Orders of His Superior Officers.

Paris, May 2 .- The Figaro, continuing its publications of the testimony before the court of cassation in the Dreyfus revision inquiry, prints today the deposition of Lieutenant Colonel Paty du Clam, who on April 19 deposed that, on being invited to reply frankly to statements of Captain Cuignet, he had obeyed as a soluier, without asking written orders from his superior, contenting himself with oral

Referring to his silence in the face of accusations, and to his being placed on the retired list, the witness asserted that he was "the most disciplined of soldiers," and had not merited the fate meted out to him. He demanded to be confronted with Captain Cuignet

and his other accusers. In replying to numerous questions United States Judge Kohlsatt, at the said that when General Le Mouton de Boisdeffre, chief of the French general staff in 1894, wanted him to act eral staff in 1894, wanted him to act as a police officer in the Dreyfus afwell shooters, were blown to fragments fair he asked to be excused and recby an exploding torpedo near Bradford, ommended Lieutenant Colonel Picquart for the task. General de Bois-At Philadelphia Dr. Bernardy testi- defire refused to accept this suggestion fied that the late William M. Fingerly Throughout the inquiry, the witness affirmed, he had only acted on the ad vice . I the experts in handwriting, M.V. Bertillion and Cochefort, M. Bertil-lion advised him to dicrete lines to Dreyfus, and M. Cochefortaccompanied

The report was presented in October. 1894. It did not draw the inference of the guilt of Dreyfus, but merely stated centary ets. in December, 1894. Cohord Studberr sent him (Paty du Chara) a dousier of secret doc-The president issued a proclamation which was the result of his collaboration with Colenel Candherr, went to

General Mercler, then minister of war Coming down to the events of 1896, Colonel Paty du Clam said he was ignorant of the daines of the intel-Hgence bureau during this period, but lionaire, died on board of his yacht he indicated M. Deerion as being at the head of a veritable manufacture of forgeries for Lieutenant Colonel

Henry. Colonel Patr du Clam auld General Gense told him in 1897 that he had minutely investigated the affair and had proved Esterhazy's innocence of treason. Again in 1898 General Gonse told him it was imperative to save Esterhazy at any price, in order to prevent his committal of the ir reparable acts of suicide or flight, and also to avoid diplomatic difficulties, as war, owing to the lack of preparedness,

would then be disastrous.

It was decided, the witness continred, to save Esterhazy, and MM. Gribelin and Pauffin de Stmorel and the witness were entrusted with the task. Then, for the first time, the witness acted, he declared, with Esterhazy, whom he had only seen once in Algeria, 18 years previously. He accepted the responsibility for what he had done, but declared that he only acted on orders. He admitted giving Esterhazy a draft of the article signed "Dixi" and riso drafts of letters addressed to the president of the republic, the tending of which was authorized and covered by General de Boisdeffre after a conference with General Gonse.

The Pennut Trust Perfecting. New York, May 2 .- A consolidation of the peanut industry of the country under the control of a single company, with a capital of \$5,000,000, is about to be effected. The promoter of the consolidation several months ago secured options from many of the peanut growers. Some of the large ones declined to give options, but it is said that, now that the plan of consolidation is known, most of them are willing to sell and take stock in the new company. The value of the peanut crop of the United States annually is estimated at between \$6,000,000 and \$7,-000,000. It is raised almost entirely in Virginia, North Carolina and Tennes-

Another Prize Fighter Killed. Albany, May 2.—Frank Martin, bet-ter known as "Young James," and Frank McHenry, both of Albany, were to go ten rounds as a preliminary at the White Hall Athletic club, this city, last night. In the third round Martin received a terrible right over the heart. He dropped to his knees and was counted out. He never regained consciousness, and died before medical aid could be procured. The principals, all local men, were arrested.

Cuba's Strong Mana Physical Wreck. New York, May 2.-Major Gerardo Domenche, of the Cuban army, who was known in Cuba as the strongest man in the island, arrived here yesterday on the steamer Lauenburg, a physical wreck, paralyzed from the waist down. He was taken to Philadelphia today. There he will be treated, and his friends believe that he will recover the use of his limbs.

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ITEMS OF STATE NEWS.

Sharon, Pa., May 1.—Notices of an increase in wages of ten per cent, taking effect today, are posted at all the furnaces in Sharon and Sharpsville. Nearly 1,200 men will be benefited by the advance. This is the second voluntary advance at the furnaces within 30 days.

Chambersburg, Pa., May 2.-E. C. Delancey, a native of Perry county who was arrested at Mercersburg six weeks ago for making and passing counterfeit coin, was yesterday pen-tenced by Judge Stewart to an imprisonment of two years in the Eastern penitentiary. While in fail awaiting trial Delancey was caught making five cent pieces.

Clearfield, Pa., April 29.-The miners and operators were in conference all day yesterday without coming to and agreement. The Tyrone scale of 45cents for pick mining has been virtually agreed upon, but the rate for machine work has not been decided. the miners demanding 27 cents per ten and the operators refusing that price Another meeting is being held today. It is generally expected that a cour-promise rate of 25 cents for machine mining will be agreed upon.

Mauch Chunk, Pa., May 2 .- By a promature discharge of a cannon used in the celebration of Dewey day three persans were badly injured. They were: Jerry Conway, three fingers blown off; unknown boy, badly be not and cut; James McGee, arm tota : " MeGee displayed remarkable ner picked up his arm and carried it railroad hospital car. The cannon and heavily loaded with powder and af sant.

Philadelphia, April 29.-The Phoenix Bridge company, whose works are li-cated at Phoenixville, Pa., and the executive offices in Philadelphia, has received a contract to build 12 accorbridges for the Russian government. and work will be commenced on the structural material in a few days, has designs and plans having already been received. The bridges are for the Eastern Chinese railroad, the southeastern extension of the Trans-I'll allow railroad.

Greensburg, Pa., May 2.-The annual orest fire scare has invaded the inhabited districts of Laurel Hill mountains. Fierce fires are raging on the west side of the range, and the indications are that the damage will be far greater than the destructive fires of last spring, when several handred acres of the most valuable timber in the region was destroyed. The fire started a few days ago, and the course of the firmes indicates dieaster to a number of buildings. Residents of the inge are making a vigorous battle profest the flames.

Is rrichard, May 2.- The police are culfgring what appears to be an mited murder by Italian Mafla in 'e- an last night. Antonia and Frank Den w. 'talians, residing in Harriser found lying in front of the residence of Mr. Marsico, in Steelton. severely , bled. Owing to the loss of blotd in were too weak to rise. The men could not be induced to give full particulars concerning the affair. The men were refused admission into the Italian homes in the vicinity and were taken to the Harrisburg hospital.

Dubeis, Pa., May 1.-A woman named Habiland, housekee, e. for Frederick Walker, of Roc. wayville, Jef-ferson county, vas about and killed at Brockport early yes erday morning and Walker was found near the dead woman suffering from the effects of laudanum. It is believed Walker shot the woman and then attempted suicide by swellowing the laudanum. The physicians say he will recover. Walker te 64 years of ago and has been a neare able and respected resident of Brockwayville for 30 years. Mrs. Habiland was 39 years of age, had been married twice and had two children.

Pittsburg, May 1.-Evidences of good times in and around Pittsburg are shown by the following notices of wage increases: The Consolidated Traction company of this city yesterday posted notices granting their more than 1,000 employes an advance in wages of 11 per cent. This advance will give the conductors and motormen 20 cents an hour, which is said to be the highest wages paid by any traction company in the country. The company's men who are employed in the power houses, where the work is hard and exhausting, will be granted a reduction of hours without any decrease of pay.

Lansdale, Pa., April 29.-Herman Kohler, aged 22 years, and his sister Mollie, aged 7, were instantly killed last evening by being run over by an express train on the North Pennsylvania branch of the Philadelphia and Reading railroad at this place, and their brother Robert, aged 5, was fatally injured. They are children of F. W. Kohler, a well-to-do baker of this place. Herman was driving a wagon, from which he had been delivering bread, the two younger children having accompanied him to enjoy the ride. Herman was married only a few weeks ago. The stricken parents and young wife are almost crazed with grief.

Connelsville, Pa., May 1.-The H. C. Frick Coke company surprised and delighted its twelve thousand employes by posting notices yesterday at all its plants in the Connellsville coke region, announcing a general advance in wages, to take effect today. Every one of the employes of the Frick and McClure plants, also conrolled by the Frick company, will receive an advance ranging from 6 to 1214 per cent. The maximum rate of increase will be paid to the employes receiving the lowest wages and the minimum increase will be paid to the employes receiving the highest wages. The new scale will be the highest ever paid in the Connellsville region.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., May 1.-When the fast freight from Jersey City arrived at the Coxton yards of the Lehigh Valey railroad Saturday a trainhand found the body of a dead man in a box car, and by his side another man, who was alive, but in an unconscious condition. A doctor was summoned and the man revived. He said his name was John Hannan, of Wee-hawken, N. J., and the name of his companion was George Gassoway, a waiter of New York city. They got on the train at Jersey City and were p.m. Quarter 17 p.m. on the train at Jersey City and were going to steal a ride to Buffalo. They had with them two quarts of whisky going to steal a ride to Buffalo. They and some wood alcohol. They drank it all and then became unconscious.