#### THE STATE BOARD OF HEALTH.

The Members Inspect the Work and Order a Cessation on Sept. 30th-This Action In-Ausneed by Positive Instructions From Governor Beaver That the Work Must

The members of the State Board of Health made a tour of inspection of the town Saturday, and afterwards met at their headquarters to take action on certain matters. Doctor W. E. Matthews Chief Inspector of the work and Dr. Wagoner presented reports covering all the work done by the Board since the flood. Dr. Edwards took the report with him and will publish it in a medical jour-nal which he is editing. They found the work progressing very satisfactory, about one thousand men being employed. Upon

a statement by telegraph from Governor Beaver, however, stating that the money for this purpose was totally exhausted, a resolution was passed directing that the work should cease on the 30th inst. The members of the Board ere influenced in this action very much by the Governor's message, and afterwards several of them talked of another meeting to reconsider this action. After considerable parley, however, Doctors Edwards and Dudley of Philadelphia, concluded to go home and left on the 10:30 train last night. Consequently their action taken during the day will stand and the work will cease. The cessation of the work is not because the Board of Health thinks it is the proper thing to do, but because Gov-ernor Beaver has imperatively said there is no more money for the pur-pose. At eleven o'clock last night Captain Hamilton said that he had not received orders to quit work, but they will likely be received to day. Captain Hamilton feels very sorry that this move has been taken as he had his force in excelient condition to do good work, and in a few weeks a great deal would have been accomplished. Everybody is sorry that the work could not have been continued a little longer, and Governor Beaver is severely censured for his action. The finding of three bodies in one day is very good evidence from a Christian standpoint why the work should continue. IS "HIS PROTECTION?

Fire Engines Totally Cold and the Firemen

Probably Asleep. . A statement in Saturday evening's Tribune, saying " that the firemen were promptly at the scene of the fire with an engine, and had steam up," but that the owner of the building did not want the water turned on is in seeming reply to the criticisms in the DEMOCRAT on the management of the Fire Department. Of course there was an engine on the ground as one is stationed on the corner, less than a hundred feet away. It is a matter of fact, however, that it was fully twenty minutes after the fire began before the steam gauge registered forty pounds and then the water was turned on.

In verifications of our strictures it is here stated that notwithstanding the warning of Thursday night the engine at corner of Main and Franklin streets, hich is supposed to be kept as a protection to the Park business buildings, had no steam in at all last night As the town clock struck 12, a representative of this paper examined this engine and found it totally cold, and thrusting his hand in the fire-box discovered that the fire was out, there not be ing the least bit of warmth to be dis-No firemen were to be seen anywhere although they were likely asleep in their shanty. Is this the protection the people are paying for?

MORE BODIES.

Two Victims of the Flood Found Yesterday -One the Mother of Ex-Sheriff John Ryan, the Other Mis. Ed. Swineford, a Passenger on the Lost Day Express.

A body was found Friday in the niddle of the Stonycreck, lodged against a stump, opposite Napoleon street. The morgue description is as follows : Female, quite aged, hight five feet, gray hair, no teeth, black cloth cap lired with red and black ribbon, bow on top, white handkerchief around neck, black cashmere dress, woolen underskirt, brown striped wool shawl, lace shoe (small foot), two purses containing about \$19, one \$2 bill, rest in silver, all halves and quarters, except two dollars and four nickels. This body has been identified as that of the

### OUR YOUNG FOLKS.

BOW ROB SAVED "SHACK."

KNOW you will take good care of 'Shack,' Rob." 'I will, mother. "And don't drop him into the elstern." "No, father," replied curiy-headed Rob, with

"No father," replied sur it, sheaded Rob, with a laugh. "We will be back before dark, dark the search of the site of the search of the sear

The ground. Patient Rob built it up again, and to keep "Shack" occupied, put a pile of sand into his lap, into which he thrust his grimy hands and occasionally tasted of it, and made queer faces, at which Rob laughed merrily. But when the palace was almost done, and Rob was putting the last touch to the last tower, it began to grow dark verv fast. Rob jumped up and looked ato.ind. There was a big black cloud coming up in the southwest, and Rob's heart beat fast as he thought of ey-clones. He had heard his father and mother talk about them, and they said it was best to go down cellar when they came. But there was no cellar dug yet under the new nouse, which looked like a smail mouthful for a big cyclone. The cloud was coming up very fast.

under the new house, which looked like a s...all mouthful for a big cyclone. The cloud was comag up very fast. There was not a whisper of wind, but right overhead, the edge of the cloud shich now reached the zonith was cur-ing and wisting, strangely like the crea-tor a wave when it begins to break. The-colors in it fascinated Rob so that he almost forgot the danger, until one long. rattling crash of thunder rolled over the prairie, and the weeds on the edge of the breaking about the house began to swa-gently back and forth, as they felt th-inst breath of the coming storm. The cloud dipped lower and lower to the earth, and from its center, as if pushed down by a great hand above, a tuanel-shaped mass dropped to the giound, and suddenly all was dark as might except for the lightning, which was merged into one broad glare instead of coming in separate lightning, which was merged into one broad glare instead of the clistern, which might have been ten fivet deep, and then looked anxiously around for a piece of rope which his father had used in pulling up dirthe dax being the arms, and which was used the looked anxiously around for a piece of rope which his father had used in pulling up dirth day before, when one of the neighbors helped him. It was near by, and it bo the do in end of it carefully about "Shack," close under his arms. "Don't cry, Shack,' we'li have loss of

him. It was near by, and itob tied one end of it carefully about "Shack," elose under his arms. "Don't cry, "Shack, we'li have lots of fun," said Rob, a little tremulously. "Father told me not to drop you into the eistern, but I'm going to." Then the brave boy carefully lowered his precious load down the cistern. The walls sloped inward as they neared the bottom, and "Shack" rubbed against them; but he was not hurt, and reached the ground in safety. Rob threw himself flat on the ground just as the cloud burst in all its fury. It struck the frail shanty, and in two sec-onds not a board of it was left. Rob dug his ingers into the ground, and although terribly frightened by the roar, and the darkness and lighting, and once even lifted off the ground and rolled completely over, he felt if he could only hold out a little longer all would be safe He was fortunately sheltered a little by the mound of dir behind which he lay. The cloud passed as quickly as it came, and as the rain began to fall in a



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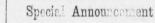


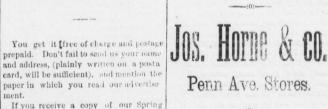


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mother of ex-Sheriff John Ryan, by rel-atives. Mrs. Ryan was perhaps the oldest woman in the city at the time of the flood.

The other body was found on Iron street. Millville, the feet were lying on the wall between Morgan Reese's McGough's cellars and the head and hody were hanging down in Reese's cellar. At the morgue it was identified as Mrs. Ed. Swineford, one of the passengers on the ill-fated Day Express that was engulfed at 'East Conemaugh. Mr. Harry Bischof, a brother of the lady, who has been here ever since the floor, making diligent search for her remains, easily recognized the features of his sister. He also iden tified her by two rings she had on, the in scription on the inside of one being "E. S. to A. W., 1888," and by her clothing and some gold braid on the front of her dress. The body will be taken to St. Louis for interment.

COMMITTED SUICIDE.

Young Story, of Altoona, Steps in Front of an Engine

William E. Story, of Altoona, and well known to many residents of our city, stepped in front of a moving train at Hollidaysburg Thursday morning about 5:30 o'clock, Joseph Story, father of young Story, accompanied by his son were visiting here about three weeks ago, and the many friends of the unfortunate man will be sorry to learn of the sad news.

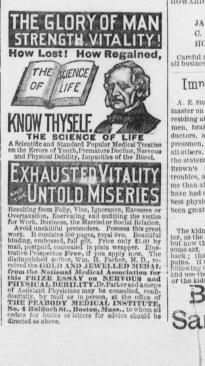
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He ran to the elstern. The rain was running into it in great streams, and "Shack," who was not proof against everything, was beginning to cry. A great fear came over Rob that "Shack" might drown. He tried to pull him up, but his strength was not equal to it. The sloping walls hindered him now as they had helped him before. "Oh, if ather and mother would only come !" sobbed Rob. And as if in an-swer to his wish, almost at that mo-ruent his father and mother did come and "Shack" was soon at the top, eud-died in his mother's arms. It would make too long a story to teli how Rob's father and mother came jus after the storm. But they had stopped at a neighbor's on the way home, and had been near enough to see the cylone carry the house away.

had been near enough to see the cylone earry the house away. You can imagine how proud they feli of their boy Rob. And as for "Shack," he is a stout, handsome baby yet, and I hope he will grow up to tell his children how Rob saved him from the cyclone. Don't yout -C. M. Sheldon, in Youth's Companion.

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