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War in the Philippines.

A town called Surigao in the Philippine Islands was captured last Monday by Ladrones. That is to say the natives of the Island of Mindanao made an attack on the American garrison of that town and after a spirited conflict conquered it. Happily there were no American soldiers killed for they are not called soldiers there anymore. In support of the fiction that the territory has been pacified and that civil government has been established the troops are called the Constabulary and the commanding officer is known as the Inspector. For that reason the news dispatches tell us simply that Constabulary Inspector CLARKE and several others were killed in the encounter.

In Ireland the English troops who collect exorbitant rents from the impoverished native tenantry at the point of the bayonet are called the Constabulary. The name has a sonorous sound and conveys the idea of peace and fraternity. Where there is war there is also military equipment and and with the approval of the Democratic caucus. In a pertinent speech in favor of his resolution Mr. Ikeler said : titles. The colonels and majors and captains suggest swords and bayonets and rapid firing guns in these days of progress ed upon as inaugurating a partisan move-ment. I may be criticised for attempting to make political capital out of the question now and development. But the Constabulary is composed of peace officials who have no make political capital out of the question now under consideration. While I would not presume to advise the majority party in this House, yet I sincerely believe that the adoption of this resolution will prove as advantageous to you as to us. Whatever differences may divide the great political parties on other matters, both the Republican and Democratic members of this House stand hound to the genue of a better thoughts other than those of pastoral and suburban life. One would hardly expect to find a constable with a musket. It would be an incongruous picture which presented such a spectacle.

In the Philippines, however, things are different. The Constabulary there wear uniforms and carry muskets just as soldiers here do and when the Constabulary Inspector in Surigao, Island of Mindanao, Philippine Islands is killed by the Ladrones there is a vacancy in the ranks of the subalterans of the American army. The confusion of sound in giving details of the event deceives the general public but there is no misunderstanding in the records of the War Department at Washington. There it is understood that the pretense that the Philippine Islands have been pacified is false and fraudulent, for the natives are still maintaining an armed resistance against our usurpation.

# Party's Promises Pigeonholed.

No Effort at Harrisburg to Redeem Quay's Cam paign Pledges. Fake Ballot Reform.

Frank Bell, the special correspondent of the Philadelphia North American, writes to his paper the following as to the prospects of reform legislation during the present

# Opening Day's Work of the Methodis

Profuse campaign assurances of considera-ion for the miners and other elements of Conference at Altoona. Large Attendance and Great Interest Manifester organized labor find no reflection in the attitude of this Legislature.

NOTHING FOR THE MINERS.

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ures get no further.

porate campaign contributors.

Reform.

HARRISBURG, March 23 .- The Demo

crats of the House of Representatives to-

night made their anticipated effort to rescue

their ballot reform bill from the fatal em-

braces of the committee on elections. They

succeeded only in forcing the Republican

majority to put itself on record against any

Mr. Ikeler, of Columbia, offered the

resolution. It was to the effect that the

committee be dischaged from further con-

sideration of the general election bill he

"In offering this resolution I may be look-

House stand bound to the cause of a better ballot.

QUAY WAS FOR IT 13 YEARS AGO.

West Chester, no less a man than Senator Quay himself announced the necessity of bal-lot reform and pledged his party to its sup-

As far back as 1890, on the public stage at

introduced a month ago, at the instance

place on it.

ballot reform.

The thirty-fifth annual session of the Three or four bills of interest to Central Pennsylvania conference of the Methodist church convened in Altoona anthracite miners have been permitted to go through the House with scarcely any Wednesday morning. When at 9 o'clock Bishop Cranstor called the conference to order in the Eighth avenue M. E. church, opposition, simply because the machine leaders have absolute confidence in the readiness of their Senate committee on more than two hundred members of that body were in their seats. mines and mining to see that such meas-

After devotional exercises, the roll of the conference was called by Rev. T. S. Wil-cox, D. D. The transfer of Rev. Josiah L. That committee has been named "the graveyard for labor legislation." It was Albritton, D. D., to this conference was elected with such care that not a single announced. Rev. T. S. Wilcox, D. D., was elected secretary of the conference and Senator from an anthracite county got a As a result, the House members are free named as his assistants A. L. Miller, J. F. Anderson, M. C. Piper and William Brill. Rev. John Horning was elected treas-urer and named as his assistants G. E. to "make good records" on all miners' bills without endangering in the slightest degree the interests of the machine's cor-King, F. W. Leidy, E. E. Harter, O. H. Albertson, F. C. Buyers, J. H. Price, H. K. Ash, A. S. Williams, M. N. Walker, J. C. Grimes and W. J. Shaffer. Goes Back on Their Promise of Ballot

Rev. R. J. Allen was elected statistical secretary and named as his assistants G. F. Quay's Promise Thrown to the Winds by His Legisla-Boggs, M. S. Derstine, W. L. Armstrong, ture. How the People Were Decieved is Shown By J. T. Bell, R. M. Snyder, J. E. Brenne the Actions of the Republican Members of the man, Herbert Hinkle.

Resolutions welcoming EARL Crauston, D. D. L. L. D. as presiding Bishop and re-gretting the illness of Bishop Merrill, who had been assigned to preside over the conference, were present and a short letter from Bishop Merrill, voicing his disappointment at not being able to perform the duties when Bishop Cranston among other things were adopted said :

'I am here unexpectedly to do my best with you and for you. Whether this conference will be a religious one to you will depend upon how much religion you have brought up to it. Idle gossip is the bane of many a Methodist conference. Do not gossip about the appointments and so cause anxiety to your brethren and the charges. The appointments are not made by the newspapers or in the lobby but in the cabinet by the bishop. I belong to all of you. From 1.30 to 2.30 each day I Horticultural Department of California has shall be glad to see any minister or com-The cabinet will meet every afmittee. ternoon at 2.30 in the parlor of the

Last night's meeting has made one thing plain-the person who wants a seat at the evening sessions will have to get there on ime and the one who comes late will not be able to get in at all. One thing is certain there will never be more people in the Eighth avenue church than were there last evening. From wall to wall was one unbroken mass of humanity. Even the vestibules and the side class rooms from, which it was impossible to see the speakers, were packed.

newspapers have promised our people this much needed relief. Has it been the fault of secretary was instructed to convey to Revs. the minority that these pledges have not been E. M. Stevens, W. H. Stevens, B. P. King kept? In the session of 1901 I had the honor of and Owen Hicks the sympathy of the conference in their illness. The order of the day being called for the introducing a ballot bill, and I likewise had

the experience of seeing it go down to over-whelming defeat. But even that Legislature, onference proceeded to hold its memorial gone into history as the acme and climax of all things evil, had the saving grace to allow the Democratic ballot bills to be reported on the floor of the House. service.

But in this body we not only refuse to pass ballot reform; we even disdain to consider it. For three months we have been in session; our calendars are overflowing with bills; debates have been frequent and prolonged; but in all this time, out of all this multituthat place.

Rev. A. S. Baldwin, Rev. J. P. Benford and Rev. T. L. Tomkinson also made remarks on the life and work of Mr. More-

The Rev. J. Emory Weeks read the memoir of Rev. A. M. Barnitz. who had been for fifty-four years a minister of the

AFTERNOON. 2-Mutual Beneficial Association in the

2-Mutual Beneficial Association in the Social Hall, Anniversary Woman's Foreign Missionary Society, Mrs. B. C. Conner, pre-siding. Address, Rev. James M. Thoburn, D. D., Allegheny, Pa. EVENING

SUNDAY MORNING.

10:30-Preaching, Presiding Bishop.

3:30-Ordination service

7:30-Evangelistic service in charge of Rev. seph H. Smith, D. D.

8:30-Prayer service. -Conference session.

3:30-Pentecostal service.

TUESDAY MORNING. 8:30-Praver service. 9-Confe

South African Fruit Barred.

Horticulturists Discover That Luscious Peaches Etc., Are Affected by Deposits of the Dreaded Queensland Fly.

said to come from the great orchards of Cecil Rhodes, near Pretoria, peaches, plums, apricots, and nectarines, discovered that it is affected by the deposits of the Queensland fly, so common in been hurned and destroyed by official orders.

It is also ordered that all packages of fruit arriving from South Africa in the future be burned. This will probably place but two survive him. Dr. Edmund J., of a ban on all shipments to this country.

32 Barges of Coal Sunk.

As Many More Had Been Swept Away by Rising Water At Pittsburg.

PITTSBURG, March 24.-Sixty-four barges of coal belonging to Jones & Laughlins Steel Company were swept from their moorings above the Twenty-second street bridge to-day by the rising water, and thirty-two of their barges were sunk in Monongahela river. It is thought the blasting will have to be employed to clear the river bed.

# ADDITIONAL LOCALS

ADJOURNED LICENSE COURT .-- On Tuesday, Judge Love held special court to consider the license cases that were held over. Arguments and petitions for and against the granting of the licenses asked were presented, and, after considering the cases, on Wednesday morning, filed his decision, which is as follows :

GRANTED. John Mulfinger .... Pleasant Gap, Distiller.

SUDDEN DEATH OF EX-COUNTY COM-MISSIONER WOLF .- While sitting in his chair on Saturday evening last, apparently in the best of health and without a strug-

gle. Mr. John Wolf, one of the best known and most highly respected citizens of the county, passed away at his home in Rebersburg. Mr. Wolf had been in his ordinary health for some time, and the news of his sudden demise was a surprise and shock to the entire community. From the Millheim Journal we take the following facts rela-

tive to his birth and ancestry : "Mr. Wolf was born July 17th, 1830, on his farm, which then belonged to his fath-

er, Jacob Wolf, and at an earlier date, to his grandfather, Nicholas Gast, who was one of the first settlers in the valley. His grandfather, Paul Wolf, was also one of the early settlers, and owned, in his time, a neighboring farm of several hundred acres, being part of the Tobias Pickle tract, now known as the Centre Mills properties, including farm buildings and grist mill. Both the Wolfs and the Gasts were prominent citizens of Brush-valley in its early history; they were of that sturdy industrious and honest German element that exerted such a potent influence in building up our industries and shaping the destiny of our State. John Wolf, the subject of this brief notice, succeeded his father on the farm mentioned above, and devoted the greater part of his life to farming. In his younger days he taught school for a short time, and later in his life, in the fall of The trade in South African early fruit, 1881. he was elected, on the Democratic ticket, one of the county commissioners of

Centre Co. being re-elected in '84, for a second term. He often held offices in his township and filled positions of trust at various times, in the Lutheran church, of which he was a faithful and consistent Australia, and all receipts of the fruit have member until his death-the duties of which offices he always discharged with efficiency and fidelity. Of the family of nine children of which he was a member, Gettysburg, and Mrs. Sarah A. Zeigler, of Millheim. The courle had six children : Mrs. Clara J. Meyer, Mrs. Annie Zeigler, Mrs. Mary Frank, Mrs. Ida Harter, Mrs. Minnie Brungart, and William, all of whom are living except the last.

Mr. Wolf was a good citizen, a kind neighbor, and a consistent christian, and will be greatly missed in the neighborhood and in his church. He was a kind and affectionate husband and father, and will be deeply mourned by those who survive

Funeral services were held at the late residence of the deceased on Wednesday morning, conducted by Rev. Harman, Interment was made in the Union cemeterv. '

ISAAC J. BERG.-A conductor on the Tyrone and Lewisburg railroad, on returning to his home in Tyrone, and while eating supper about 7:30 o'clock on last Friday evening, complained of pains in his head and immediately dropped over dead. Mr. Berg was known to many of the read

# Hardenberg Withdraws.

Says He Will Try Again for State Treasurership in 1905.

HARRISBURG, March 24 .- Auditor General Hardenberg to-night announced his withdrawal as a caudidate for the Republican nomination for state treasurer. "No use butting one's head against a stone wall," he said. "The ticket is made up, and I will support it. But I will be a candidate two years from now." Senator Herbst, of Berks, to-day predict-

ed the nomination of State Senator Joel G. Hill, of Wayne, for state treasurer on the Democratic ticket. Senator Hill is a veteran of the civil war ; his father, who is 91 years of age, fought in the Mexican war, and his son was a soldier in the Spanish war.

It is reported that a bill will be introduced, probably to-morrow, to increase the salary of the state treasurer from \$5000 to \$10,000 a year. It is said that the passage of such a bill was one of the conditions which William L. Mathues, of Delaware, insisted on prior to permitting himself to be slated for the Republican nomination last Saturday in Senator Penrose's office in Philadelphia.

# VERE DOES POP GOME IN :

Anent Mr. Blumle's bill to pension mothers of rge families, in which the paternal side of the partnership is entirely ignored, Mr. "Ludwig aurbier, makes these pertinent comments in th hiladelphia Record.]

Was machen Sie, Herr Blumle ? Du bist ein bosest mann, Zu gather all dose prizes Und shower 'em upon Die mutters von die kinder, Ach Gott ! es ist ein sin, It ain't a fair division\_ For vere does pop gome in ?

Bei Wurtemburger standards Villeicht it's alles recht, But heir im Pennsylvanien Das ganzen ding ist schlect. Die vaters earn der money. Und jezt die mutters win, Und so bin Ich sehr zoering-For vere does pop gome in ?

Six sohns-ein golden adler-Fuer neun ein doppel prize. Die seventh sohn gets college, Und learns a pack uff lies. Ein fuenfsig thaler medal Die fifteenth kinder win, Und gives it all zu mutter-For vere does pop gome in ?

Here-mensch von Pennsylvanien ! Antwortele mein schrei! Es aind't no zeit for foolings, But nun zu thun or die. Dose Harrisburglar lawyers Hat besser nun begin Zu make a few amendments-For vere does pop gome in !

Who buys der babies rattles ? Who buys die knaben clothes Wer kaufst der brodt und schenken? Does mutter I suppose? Ya. Sie kann dust der fluster, Or sew und snesslich grin. But Ich wunchst nicht zwolf kinder-For vere does pop gome in?

Howard.

James Hogan left on Tuesday for Em-

John Thompson, of Snow Shoe, is visiting elatives here.

Rev. I. N. Bair departed on Wednesday for Millheim, his new appointment.

port. From that time to this, Republican platform, Republican leaders and Republican Upon motion of Dr. W. W. Evans the

The memoir of Rev. I. N. Morehead wa read by Rev. J. L. Leilich, D. D., superintendent of the Utah mission. It will be remembered that last August Rev. I. N. Morehead was transferred from Grace church, Williamsport, Pa., to the First Methodist Episcopal church of Salt Lake City, and died six weeks after reaching

dinous business. I have yet to hear one sin-gle sentence uttered in behalf of the cause that lies at the foundation of all government and patriotism—an honest ballot and a fair

7:45-Anniversary Missionary Society, Rev. H. C. Pardoe, D. D., presiding. Ad-dress, Rev. J. Wesley Hill, Ph. D. Address, Rev. Stephen O. Benton, D. D. 9-Conference love feast, in charge of Rev. D. S. Monroe, D. D.

AFTERNOON. 2-Sunday school.

EVENING.

MONDAY MORNING

AFTERNOON.

2-Anniversary Bible Society, Rev. J. W. Rue, D. D., presiding. Address, Rev. James Morrow, D. D.

EVENING.

7:45-Anniversary Preacher' Aid Society and Annuity Fund, M. L. Ganoe, D. D., pre-siding, Address, Rev. B. B. Hamlin, D. D. Address, Hon. Alex. E. Patton, Curwens-ville, Pa,

his organization to the accomplishment of that reform in the present Legislative committee in due form and at the proper

### NOTHING OF REFORM IN IT.

approved by Senator Quay. Except for a purely mechanical reduction in the size of the ballot, however, there is not even a pretense of "reform" about this not even a pretense of "reform" about this measure. It merely substitutes a party "square" for a party "circle," making no measure. It merely substitutes a party "square" for a party "circle," making no correction of the present discrimination against the independent voter in the mark-ing of his ticket. Let there be no pretense, let us here and now, squarely meet this single question : Shall there be any consideration of Ballot Reform by this Legislature ? The answer to this question rests with your

timations that it may come out this week "for appearances' sake," hut even if it were to be adopted it would in no way fulfill the "ballot reform" campaign pledges on the strength of which, in part, the Quay organization was enabled to elect the present Governor.

#### REGISTRATION BILL SLEEPS.

Pensonal registration is faring no better, The bill of Representative Hutt, of Philadelphia, introduced many weeks ago, still reposes in the House committee, with no indication of ever seeing the light. It is designed to carry into effect the recently adopted constitutional amendment permitting personal registration in cities, but it has been given as little encouragement as though the Republican organization were not under pledge to enact some such law.

As for Senatorial and Representive ap-portionment, the plain command of the Constitution, the party promises and the recommendations of Governor Pennypacker in his inaugural address have been ignored utterly.

### SMOTHERED IN COMMITTEE.

No one has attempted even to draft a bill to reapportion the Senatorial districts of the State, and the single Representative apportionment bill introduced by Mr. Mc-Whinney, of Allegheny, early in the ses-sion, has not been acted on by the House committee.

The determination of the Democrats to make formal demand next week that something be done with their ballot bills is, of thing be done with their ties of shaping up course, merely with a view of shaping up their own record, and not with any idea their own record, and not with any idea that they can force the Republican majority into fulfilling its promises as to election laws or reapportionment.

session of the Legislature, and the efforts that are being made to carry out the prom-ises made the people last fall. HARRISBURG, March 21.—If the man-agers of the Republican organization in agers of the Republican organization in Pennsylvania are making the slighters in the subject of reedbirds, and we debated long Pennsylvania are making the slightest effort to see that the more important pledges of the last State campaign shall be slept the sleep of death in the pigeonholes of

KEPT A GOVERNOR BUSY.

Since the organization of this House we

election.

fulfilled by the present Legislature, such effort is not in evidence. Only twenty actual working days of the session remain; yet no move has been made toward the enactment of laws for ballot re-

form, personal registration or Legislative apportionment. At the opening of the campaign for Judge Pennypacker for Governor, last fall, Sen-ator Quay personally and through the Re-publican State committee, of which he is vania, then in some balmy corner of the Florida peninsula, a voice nighty enough to cal changes in the election laws of the State and pledged the best efforts of himself and big organization of its merits. I may be told that this resolution is unnecessary; that this bill will be considered by the

Mr. Speaker, there comes a time when

Senator Quay's committee failed to pro-lido not believe that the bill will ever be con-Senator Quay's committee initient to pio-duce its promised ballot bill. Senator Focht, of Union, who was not a member of that committee, has introduced the only general election measure emanating from a Republican source. It is said to have been

# DEMANDS IMMEDIATE REPLY.

What is more to the point, the Focht Il remains in committee. There are in-What is more to the point, the route our bill. We have made our night and our bill remains in committee. There are in-hands are clean. You can and will do as you please. But let me say this, in all sincerity and without bitterness, if you continue to ig-nore this question of Ballot Reform, if you persist in making pledges only to violate them, if you remain wilfully deaf to the call

of the people, even you will sooner or later awake to the discovery that there yet re-mains in Pennsylvania a power that is high-er than political "orders," that is stronger than any band of political leaders, and before which your much boasted organization will disappear like a tissue of cobwebs in the path of a mighty tempest."

Mr. Mayne, Democrat, of Lehigh, declared there was abundant proof of the assertion that anything Senator Quay wants, in the heavens above or the earth beneath, or the waters under the earth, he can have in Pennsylvania. Therefore, the responsibility for the defeat of ballot reform would rest on Quay.

"TOO BUSY," PLUMMER'S EXCUSE. Mr. Plummer, of Blair, chairman of the lections committee, replied to the remarks of "the new Democratic leader and his

satellite." as he termed them. Mr. Plummer said that the elections committee had been unable to give the bill

in question any attention, because it had been busy "investigating Democratic frauds in the counties of Cameron and Luzerne,' where there are contests for seats in the House He admitted that the majority party had

promised the people ballot reform, and said that a bill embodying the views of the majority on that subject (the Focht bill) was already under way in the Senate and would likely reach the House some time this week'

The resolution was defeated, by a strict party vote of 113 to 37.

Methodist church. The story of his dying hour, as told by his pastor, Dr. M. L. Ganoe, brought tears to the eyes of all who heard it read.

The memoir of Rev. J. A. DeMoyer, written by Dr. W. M. Frysinger, was read by Rev. A. S. Bowman. Rev. DeMoyer had been an active itinerant minister for over half a century and had served many charges all over this conference territory. The audience stood and sang, "Servant of God well done. Thy glorious warfare's past."

Rev. S. B. Evans read the memoir of Mrs. Margaret A. Porter. Rev. A. S. Bowman announced the death of Sarah Elizabeth Frysinger, wife of Dr. W. M. Frysinger, and it was stated that she desired that no memoir of her should be read or published. The memoirs of Mrs. Mary E. Gearhart prepared by Rev. W. M. Frysinger, of Mrs. Samantha B. Larned, prepared by Rev. J. Emory Weeks, and of Mrs. Emma Andoyar, prepared by Rev. M. J. Runyan, were ordered to be printed in the minutes. A note was also made of the fact that Rev. Job Truax an ordained local preacher had also passed away. Rev. Joseph H. Smith, who is to have

were in charge of the Masons. charge of the pentecostal services, Rev. Josiah L. Albritton and Rev. Mr. Shannon of West Virginia, were introduced to the conference.

#### AFTERNOON SESSION.

The afternoon session was largely at tended. The church was full by 2 o'clock. when A. L. Miller, of Catawissa, rose to preach the annual missionary sermon before the conference.

The pentecostal service at 2:30 was in charge of Rev. Joseph H. Smith.

### THE EVENING MEETING.

The evening session was devoted to a young persons' rally with the Rev. J. R. Dunkerly presiding. Among the speakers were the Rev. Geo. E. Reed, of Dickinson College; the Rev. E. H. Gilbertson, and the Rev. A. Bash.

day. The following is the program for the remaining days of the session. "Song service" to constitute the opening of each ession.

THURSDAY MORNING

8:30—Prayer service in charge of Rev. Joseph H. Smith, D. D. 9—Conference session.

## 10--Corporate session AFTERNOON.

2-Anniversary Sunday School Union and Tract Society, Rev. Isaac Heekman, presid-ing. Address Rev. Thomas B. Neely, D. D. 3:30-Pentecostal service.

# EVENING.

7:45—Anniversary Board of Church Ex-tension and Freedmen's Aid and Southern Education Society, Rev. G. W. Stevens, pre-siding. Address, Rev. C. C. Albertson, D. D. Germantown, Pa. Address, Rev. M. C. B. Mason, D. D.

FRIDAY MORNING. 8:30-Prayer service. 9-Conference sess

AFTERNOON.

2-Anniversary Woman's Home Mission-ary Society, Mrs. George Edward Reed, pre-siding. "A Voice from the Pacific Coast," Mrs, T. L. Tomkinson. Address Rev. Luth-er B. Wilson, D. D., Washington, D. C. EVENING.

7:45-Lecture, "Ghosts, Goblins, Witches." y Rev. E. L. Eaton, D. D., Allegheny, Pa. SATURDAY MORNING.

-Prayer service.

Geo. L. Doll. Bellefonte, Hotel. REFUSED. J. W. Coder Liberty Twp., Hotel.

Chas. J. Kennedy .. Rush Twp., Hotel. Jas. T. Chambers... Bellefonte, Wholesale Bee Andw. Summerville Rush Twp., Wholesale Beer Jno. McCartney ..... Rush Twp., Wholesale Beer Rush Twp., Wholesale Beer Eisenhoover Jones.

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in York county, in 1844, and moved to Tyrone in 1871. In 1875, he became pas-REV. LINGENFELTER. - Rev. William senger brakeman on the Tyrone division Howe Lingenfelter, a local preacher of the and January 1st, 1880, was promoted to their parents. Methodist Episcopal church, died at his conductor, in which position he continued home in Philipsburg on Sunday morning, until death. Deceased is survived by his at 2 o'clock, after an illness of three weeks wife and two sons, Leroy Berg, of Wilkesof heart and liver trouble. He was a native barre, and Randall, at home. of Blair county, and was aged 69 years, 8 months and 11 days. He was a much re-DEATH OF A YOUNG WOMAN. -- Miss spected citizen of the town in which he had Mary Bickford, second daughter of Mr. for many years made his home. Surviving

and Mrs. Frank E. Bickford, of Lock Havhim are his wife, one daughter and two sons. Funeral services were held in the Methodist church at Philipsburg on Tues-McGinley, of this place, died in the hospital at Scranton on Tuesday morning after day afternoon and the services at the grave a long illness. In December she was taken to Scranton and there it was found that she was suffering from a pelvic abscess. A VICTIM OF SCARLET FEVER .- Wil-For several months her condition has been liam Fred Green, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. most precarious and her relatives here were B. Green formerly of this place, but now of not surprised to hear of her death. She Altoona, died at the home of his parents at was a young woman of splendid attributes midnight on last Thursday, after a short and had many acquaintances here. Surillness of scarlet fever. He had visited at viving her are her parents, three sisters, friends at Howard. the home of his grandfathers, F. Peebles Blanche, Bernice and Helen and two broth-Green, of Water street, and James O'Bryan. ers Edward and Claude. Her body was of Logan street, many times and was much brought home on Tuesday evening and of a favorite with his teachers and school interment will be made this, Friday, aftermates. He was sixteen years and four noon in Lock Haven.

months of age and his parents have the sympathy of many friends here in their MRS. JOHN D. STEWART-Mrs. Margaret bereavment. Interment was made on Fri- Stewart, widow of the late John D. Stewart, died at the family home in Tyrone on Tuesday morning after an illness of four RELEASED AT LAST-On the 5th, inst., weeks with stomach trouble. She was at the Warren insane asylum, Miss Sarah seventy-five years of age and was a native Beck, formerly of Howard, passed quietly of Martinsburg, Blair county. On Sepaway. She was aged about seventy-five tember 3rd, 1848, she was married to John years, thirty-eight of which had been pass-D. Stewart, by the Rev. Samuel Linn, of this place, and for the past fifty-three years improving under the efficient care of Dr. ed as an inmate of that institution. Relative to her life the following facts are furhas made her home in Tyrone. Her hus- Fisher. band diedlast June but she is survived by nished by a correspondent at Howard : "The deceased with a sister and three two daughters and four sons. Funeral brothers were born in Ireland. Their fathservices will be held this afternoon at the er dying, the mother with her five children Stewart home by her pastor, Rev. J. A. sailed for America, landing in Philadel-Wood, and interment will be made in the phia they took passage on a canal boat Tyrone Cemetery. owned and captained by the late George

1 Sand mes sulf Re. -----Willis Swanzey, a former citizen of

Peck. In due time they landed in Howard where the widow had one or two broththis county, and who will be remembered ers living at that time, by the name of by the older people of Nittany valley as a Riddle. Mrs. Harvey McClure, and Mrs. boy about Jacksonville, died at his home Thomas Moore, were sisters of the widow in Le Mar Jowa, on the 19th inst. Mr. Swanzey left this county in 1852, settling Beck. The boys and girls were bright, brainy people. Ill health partially under- first in Illinois and afterwards locating mined Miss Sarah's reason and she was permanently in Iowa. He served as a sent to the asylum thirty-eight years ago. soldier during the civil war, and was a So far as we know the brothers living are, highly respected citizen of the community William P., in Lock Haven ; Matthew R., in which he lived. His wife, who was a somewhere in Penna. and James R., in Miss Reed of Clintondale, and four chil-Dubuque, Iowa. dren survive bim.

Hensyl Heverly, who is employed at Johners of the WATCHMAN not only in the sonburg, arrived home on Saturday.

upper end of the county, but along the Clair Tipton returned home on Saturday. entire Bald Eagle valley. For many years He was attending school at Williamsport. he was conductor on the valley trains, and George Moore, of Renova, visited on Satur-

was afterwards transferred to the Scotia day at the home of Grant Swyers. end of the Lewisburg road. He was born Rev. G. L. Boggs departed on Tuesday for

Altoona, where he will attend conference.

Sherman Holter and Eugene Pletcher arrived home Friday to spend a week with

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Reilly, of Lock H aven, were the guests of Mrs. A. J. Weber a few days last week.

Balser Weber, who is attending school at Mercersburg, arrived home on Saturday to pay his parents a short visit.

The remains of Mr. Charles Smith, who died at Danville, arrived here last Friday on en, and a grand-daughter of the late Daniel the 4:14 train and was taken to Jacksonville, his former home, for burial.

> Misses Maud and Ethel Sechrist, after spending a few days with their sister, Mrs. Geo. Williams, returned to their home at Lock Haven on Tuesday.

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Miss Lulu Johnson is visiting friends in Bellefonte.

Miss Sophia Rockey spent Saturday with

Edward and Jacob Ritzman, of Salona, were callers in town Sunday.

L. H. McAulay returned home Thursday, having spent several days in Williamsport. Mr. and Mrs. Wm Bell, of Bellefonte, spent Sunday at the home of their son-in-law T. L. Kessinger.

Marie Holmes and Mrs. Kate Allison, of Nittany, were pleasant visitors at the High school, Friday.

On account of the inclement weather the social was not a great success. Proceeds amounted to \$8.50 for the benefit of the church.

Harry and John Clevenstine, who are con-

A crowd of our jolly boys were invited to the home of Frank Carner, Friday last, to attend a wood chopping. Dinner and supper were furnished and a good time reported.

The appraisement of the personal property of Mrs. Julia Brown, lately deceased, was held last Thursday. The appraisers were lawyer Woodring, Mr. John McAulay and Wm Decker

James Love, of Wilkinsburg, and James McCormick, of Allegheny, were called home on account of the serious illness of Mrs. Mc-Cormick, sister of the former and wife of the latter. At this writing her condition is critical.

Beginning Monday evening, March 30th, and continuing every evening but Saturday, of the week, services will be held in the Reformed church by Rev. Crow. Preparatory services Saturday evening and communion Sunday, April 5th. Igura and deared elected star