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Jap's Capture Immense Store.

TOKIO, March 12-7 P. M.—Field Marshal Oyama, reporting today, says: "Prisoners, spoils and the enemy's estimated casualties against all our forces in the Shabke direction follow, but the prisoners, guns and spoils are increasing momentarily. The prisoners number over 40,000, including General Nachmoss. The killed and wounded are estimated at 90,000. The enemy's dead, left on the field number 26,500. The spoils include two flags, about sixty guns, 60,000 rifles, 150 ammunition wagons, 1,000 carts, 200,000 shells, 25,000 bushel of fodder, 45 miles of light railway outfit, 2,000 horses, 23 cart-loads of traps, 1,000 cart-loads of clothing and accoutrements, 1,000,000 rations of bread, 70,000 tons of fuel and 60,000 tons of hay, besides tools, tents, bullocks, telegraph wire and poles, timber, beds, stoves and numerous other property.

KUROKI'S LIST OF BOOTY.

It is estimated that the spoils which fell into our hands in the direction of Sinking (Yanden) since the occupation by us of Teinkhetchen on February 24 have been as follows: "Rifles, 2200; machine guns, 6; small ammunition, 320,000 rounds; shells, 11,500; entrenching tools, 6000; wire, 1200 bundles; materials for a light railway of 33 miles; wagons for the latter, 450; garments, 10 cart-loads; coal mining machinery for 8 pits; timber 4000 pieces.

Japanese Attack Repulsed.

Santoupi, March 16.—A sanguinary combat occurred on March 14 on the centre advanced line of the Russian army eight miles south of Tie Pass. The Russians repulsed the attack and even made a small advance through 1000 corpses of Japanese, and advancing a large force on the right flank, where General Mischenko, who has taken command of his detachment, although his wound has not yet healed, is holding the Japanese in check. The Russian troops have regained their normal spirits and fought cheerfully. It is rumored that Chinese killed 30 foreigners in Mukden after the Russian evacuation of that place, including, it is said, Correspondent Richard H. Little, of the Chicago Daily News. The fate of M. Nadeau, a French newspaper correspondent, who lived with Mr. Little, is unknown. A message was sent to Field Marshal Oyama today, asking for information as to the fate of the two correspondents. M. Nadeau is reported to have been captured by the Japanese.

ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

The Yeager Sling company moved, this week, from the old lock works building, to the Phoenix mill plant.

A BRAKMAN HERO.—J. Edward Springer, a passenger brakeman on the P. and E. railroad and who is well known in Bellefonte, is the hero of a thrilling experience. On Monday night the operator at Nesbit tower, six miles west of Williamsport, sent a message to the superintendent's office asking for assistance, as an insane man had taken possession of the tower and threatened the man's life. Buffalo Express was ordered to stop and rescue the operator. Conductor Hoffman and other members of the crew, after seeing how dangerous the man was, were afraid to tackle him. When Springer put in an appearance he volunteered to rescue the operator, which he did in a brave and fearless manner. Running up the steps he grabbed the mad man by the collar and pulled him out of the tower and on to the train. After cutting a piece of bell cord he bound the man hand and foot, and on the arrival of the train at Williamsport, he handed him over to the police, who landed him in jail.

ROBERT VALENTINE.—Once again the grim reaper has selected for his mark a man who for the best part of his life was identified with Bellefonte's industrial welfare, by reason of which he was perhaps as prominent a figure as any in Centre county, though personally not so well known outside of Bellefonte and surrounding community because of his modest, retiring nature; and the man is Robert Valentine, who died of heart disease, at 8 o'clock Wednesday morning, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Bond, in Baltimore, where he has lived the past several years. Mr. Valentine had not been in good health for a number of years but death when it did come, came more sudden than expected.

Deceased was born in Bellefonte 77 years ago. He was the son of Bond Valentine, one of the family of five brothers who came to Bellefonte from Chester county in 1815 and leased the furnace built by John Dunlop on the site of the present Nittany Iron company's plant. His father, however, tired of the iron manufacturing business and, while still retaining his financial interest in the Valentine Iron company, studied law and became quite a distinguished jurist.

Early in life Robert Valentine became associated with the Valentine Iron company and for many years was its official head and principal owner, continuing as such until the financial crash of 1890 which swept away practically his entire fortune and compelled the closing down of the furnace and its eventually passing into other hands, thus ending in fact, if not in name, the history of the Valentine Iron company. During his prosperous career he built the large stone house on the corner of Curtin and Allegheny streets and there he lived with his family for many years.

In a business way Mr. Valentine was the personification of strict integrity and uprightness. Though somewhat brusque in demeanor he was easily approached in a business way and always willing to listen to a friend in need and always free-handed with his generosity. In fact, it was because he persisted in running the furnace at a loss just to give work to the men who had labored for him for years that he lost his fortune and died a poor man. As a man he was broadminded and logical; as a citizen, always progressive. Like his ancestors before him he was a consistent member of the society of Friends.

Mr. Valentine was twice married, his first wife being Miss Lydia Yarnell. They had no children. In 1861, his first wife having died some years previous, he was married for the second time to Miss Mary Natt, a daughter of Thomas J. and Anna Natt, and a sister of Miss Emily Natt, of this place. Two children were the result of this union, Emily and Julia, the latter married to Dr. Somerville J. Bond, of Baltimore, both of whom with their mother survive.

The remains will be brought to Bellefonte this morning and the funeral will take place this afternoon, interment to be made in the Friends' burying ground.

DEATH OF ELI F. TOWNSEND.—Eli F. Townsend, one of Phillipsburg's prominent citizens and a man well-known all over Centre county from having been a candidate on the Republican ticket for legislative honors a number of years ago, died at his home in that place last Thursday morning, after an illness of five weeks with pneumonia.

Deceased was born in Warren, Ohio, in 1859 and was thus 45 years old. His parents both died when he was young but being a lad of a studious nature and forceful character he successfully pushed his way through the common schools and in 1886 graduated with high honors from the Reedsburg college, in Clarion county. From there he went to Lewisburg, intending to study for the Baptist ministry but because of weak eyes was compelled to give up his ambition in that direction and consequently in the latter part of the same year went to Phillipsburg and took up the work of a mine foreman, in which capacity he labored until the spring of 1904 when, having successfully passed the examination for mine inspector he was given the appointment for the eleventh district, with headquarters at Scottdale, a position he filled until his death. In politics Mr. Townsend was an uncompromising Republican and was invariably a notable figure in the party's county conventions. In addition to having been a candidate for the legislature some years back he recently was elected and served three years as school director in Phillipsburg. He was a member of the Baptist church and for seventeen years belonged to the Masonic fraternity.

In 1888 he was married to Miss Sarah Gray, a daughter of the late W. Y. Gray, of Phillipsburg, who survives him with five children, namely: Liven, Warren, Harry, William and Robert. He also leaves a brother and sister residing in Michigan. The funeral was held on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, the services in the Lutheran church being in charge of Rev. C. D. Russell and Rev. G. D. Penneacker. Interment was made in the Phillipsburg cemetery.

HEVERLY.—John Heverly, a well-known citizen of Howard, died last Friday evening, of neuralgia of the heart, aged 52 years. Deceased was born in Howard township and lived in that neighborhood all his life, following the trade of a blacksmith. He was a member of the Disciple church and a man respected by all who knew him. He is survived by a wife and seven children. The funeral was held on Sunday afternoon.

—The six-months old child of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kerlin, of Centre Hall, died on Monday, and was buried Wednesday, Rev. J. M. Reaick officiating.

STEWART.—Samuel Calhoun Stewart died at his home at Birmingham, last Friday night, of infirmities incident to his more than 80 years of age. Deceased was a son of David and Sarah (Walker) Stewart and was born at Pennsylvania Furnace. He graduated from Jefferson college, of Canonsburg, in 1846, after which he went to St. Louis, Mo., where he engaged in and learned thoroughly the business of iron making with the firm of Lyon, Shorb & Co., returning to Colerain Forges in 1857, where he was successively manufacturer of blooms, superintendent of the works and a partner of the firm of Shorb, Stewart & Co. In 1864 he moved to Tyrone Forges, becoming superintendent of the Tyrone iron works and later a member of the firm of William M. Lyons & Co., until 1876, when the works became the property of the Tyrone Mining and Manufacturing company, Mr. Stewart being retained as general superintendent. Some years ago he with his family removed to Birmingham, and has since been living a retired life.

His wife was Miss Margaret Sample, of Lancaster county, by whom he had seven children, all of whom are living. One brother and three sisters of Mr. Stewart survive. The funeral was held Saturday afternoon.

TATE.—Mrs. Elizabeth Tate, wife of John T. Tate, died Saturday morning at her home near Nittany furnace, after a prolonged illness with gangrene and diabetes. Deceased was a daughter of Edward and Margaret Isenberg and was born at Barre, Huntingdon county, fifty-seven years ago. When eighteen years of age she was married to John Tate, of this place. She was a member of the Methodist church, a good christian woman and highly esteemed and admired by all who knew her. Surviving her are her husband and the following children: Alfred, of Pottsville; R. G., of Big Run, Jefferson county, and Edward, Walter and Anna at home. Also one sister, Mrs. Katharine Thomas, of Tyrone. The funeral was held on Monday afternoon. The services at the house were conducted by Rev. Mumman, of the Free Methodist church, assisted by Rev. W. B. Cox. Interment was made in the Sunnyside cemetery.

BARR.—Wm. Barr, of Sandy Ridge, died quite suddenly last Saturday morning of heart failure. He was employed at the fire brick works and Saturday morning was at work as usual up until 9 o'clock, when he fell to the ground and was dead before his fellow-workmen could reach his side.

Deceased was born at McAlevy's Fort and was 52 years of age. He had lived at Sandy Ridge the past seven years. Surviving him are his wife and seven children, as follows: Mrs. Alma Smith, of Sandy Ridge; Walter, Carl, Clyde, Meade, Maud and Frank, all at home.

Funeral services were held at his late residence on Monday afternoon and were conducted by the Rev. M. Williams, pastor of the M. E. church. Interment was made at McAlevy's Fort.

SHOOK.—James Milford Shook died at his home on south Allegheny street, early Sunday morning. Though he had been an invalid for several years his death was due to an attack of pneumonia, after an illness of only four days.

Deceased was born at Lamar, Clinton county, and was 53 years of age. He was a member of the Free Methodist church and a devout christian man. Surviving him are his wife and nine children, as follows: Mrs. Harry Rhodes, Mrs. D. V. Steele, Mrs. L. R. Poorman, James Ambrose, Luella, Harry Elmer, Floyd M., Grace E. and Leonard M. The funeral was held on Tuesday, services by Rev. Mumman of the Free Methodist church, interment being made in the Union cemetery.

WEBER.—Mrs. Anna Weber, widow of the late Balser Weber, one of the most prominent citizens of Howard, died at her home in that place, last Thursday morning, of infirmities incident to old age, she being 77 years old. Deceased was born in Howard township and was the daughter of Henry and Magdalena Pletcher. She was a member of the Mennonite church and a worthy christian lady. Surviving her are five children, Abram, William, John, Clara and Mary, of Howard. The funeral was held Saturday afternoon at two o'clock, interment being made in Schoeck's cemetery.

SHAW.—R. Newton Shaw, well-known throughout this section as an owner of fast horses, and who some years ago conducted the Continental hotel in Phillipsburg, died at his home in Clearfield, Sunday morning, of pleuro-pneumonia, aged 63 years. He is survived by his father, one sister and a brother, all of Clearfield. He was a member of the Masonic fraternity and also the Elks and these organizations had charge of the funeral, which was held Wednesday afternoon.

—John Neville, whose home was at Snow Shoe, but who worked as a brakeman on the Cresson Clearfield division of the Pennsylvania railroad, while stepping from one car to another at Barnesboro on Saturday, tripped and fell to the rails, receiving such injuries that death was almost instantaneous. He was aged 24 years, and is survived by two sisters and two brothers, residing at Snow Shoe, where the remains were sent for burial.

—The six-months old child of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kerlin, of Centre Hall, died on Monday, and was buried Wednesday, Rev. J. M. Reaick officiating.

KELLER.—Philip Scott Keller, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Henry Keller, died at his home in Kansas City, on the 21st ult., from injuries received while making repairs in the fire box of an engine on the Rock Island and Pacific railroad, by which company he was employed as a boiler-maker. Deceased was born in Boalsburg, this county, and is survived by his wife, parents, three brothers and five sisters, one of the latter living at Pennsylvania Furnace.

WILSON.—Ruth, the five-year-old daughter of John H. Wilson, manager for the Western Union Telegraph company in this place, died Saturday evening at 10 o'clock of membranous croup, after an illness of only two days. Owing to the contagious nature of the disease the funeral was held on Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock, interment being made in the Catholic cemetery.

BEEZER.—Joseph Beezer, one of the oldest residents up along Spring creek, died at his home near Roopsburg, at 8 o'clock Tuesday evening, of infirmities of old age. Deceased was a native of Germany, having been born in Stranburg, on the Rhine, October 15th, 1842. He came to this country in 1865, locating in Centre county, where he lived ever since with the exception of two years spent in Altoona. He was a good citizen and a faithful member of the Catholic church.

In 1867 he was married to Miss Katharine Kohler, by whom he had three children, namely, Louis and Michael J., of Pittsburg, and Mrs. Thomas Bertram, of Altoona, all of whom with their mother survive. He also leaves a brother and sister in Germany. The funeral will take place this morning at 10 o'clock.

"Quincy Adams Sawyer," the rural drama that comes to Garman's next Wednesday night has the WATCHMAN'S endorsement. Those who go will find it a beautiful play, well presented by a strong company. See that they have a good house, because they will deserve it.

—The Rebersburg singing class will give a grand concert, Saturday evening, March 25th, under the direction of the teacher, Mr. George E. Wise.

Spring Mills.

Garden making and fence building will soon be the order of the day.

Ellis Shaffer, Democratic candidate for the nomination of sheriff, was here during the week. Mr. Shaffer is very popular in this neighborhood.

Prof. Hosterman will begin his session of High school for advanced scholars on April 10th. The class promises to be a large one. The regular winter session of school will close on the 4th of April.

Moving time is rapidly approaching. Quite a number of changes and removals will take place in the village on April first. Dwellings are unusually scarce and some families will be forced to move in with others—not always very pleasant.

Miss Houtz, recently appointed assistant postmistress by postmaster Krape, is quite an accomplished young lady, discharges the duties of the office very pleasantly, and has "won golden opinions from all sorts of people" by her obliging and agreeable manners. Mr. Krape has made no mistake in this appointment.

We had quite a fierce egg war here for a short time. The "hen fruit" commanded 32c per dozen at all the stores, while the city quotations were only 26 and 28 cents, and as the poet says "what fools we mortals be." When sense returned and peace was declared, they immediately tumbled down to the present price of 20 cents.

D. H. Schlegel has been absent all week engaged in paper hanging. Plastering, his regular business will commence as soon as the weather permits. Mr. Schlegel remarked that he had now on file orders for paper hanging and plastering to keep him busy all summer. Being an expert in both, and owing to his well known rapidity and fine workmanship, his services are not only demanded in this neighborhood, but for a dozen miles around.

Hulersburg.

Mr. John Gentzel is suffering from an attack of pleurisy.

Miss Talitha Hoy was shopping in Bellefonte on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Deitrich were in Bellefonte on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Hoy, of Walker, were in town on Friday.

Dr. S. S. McCormick and wife were in Bellefonte on Saturday.

Pine Grove Mention.

Mrs. G. W. Homan and daughter were shopping in town on Tuesday.

Mrs. G. W. McWilliams has been ill the past week but is better now.

Mrs. John G. Hess has been quite sick with bronchial trouble the past week.

Luther Sunday and family visited Mrs. Sunday's home, at Ross church, on Saturday.

John Wolfe and wife, of State College, visited friends in Stone Valley over Sunday.

Public sales are numerous and are well attended. Stock of all kinds is selling at good prices.

Wm. Harpster and James Keller, of Charter Oak, transacted business in town on Tuesday.

N. G. Gates transacted business in Tyrone, Saturday, getting ready for his big sale on the 17th.

W. S. Gearhard will open a summer High school in the old Pine Grove Academy, April 10th.

Mrs. J. B. Rockey has been nursing an attack of grip the last week and is quite prostrated.

W. Harris Bloom, who was at death's door last week, is better and on a fair way to recovery.

Miss Myrtle Harper is suffering with an attack of that painful disease, inflammatory rheumatism.

Samuel Hazel, the wool man of Houseville, is on his usual route again, paying top prices for wool.

Mrs. Emanuel Peters with her son Arthur, were visitors at the home of James Peters, in the Glades.

Mrs. W. C. Patterson's legion of friends will be glad to learn of her recovery from an attack of pneumonia.

D. C. Keller and Henry Swank, of Centre Hall, were here the beginning of the week in quest of fresh cows.

Dr. Kaupt, John Jacobs and William Bumgardner, of Boalsburg, were here on business on Tuesday and Wednesday.

Harry Koch, of Fairbrook, was in town Tuesday in the interest of his stock business, in which he is quite successful.

Messrs. Hertzler, Mentz and Torrance, of State College, were callers at the Everts and Capt. Kepler homes, on Sunday.

J. Cal Bailey, of State College, with his interesting little family Sunday at the Bailey home just west of town.

Mrs. Mary Jane Stewart, of Altoona, is visiting the home of her childhood, a guest at G. W. McWilliams', of Fairbrook.

Wm. Bumgardner, of Boalsburg, interviewed our merchants on Tuesday in the interest of the United States Packing company.

George Bell, of Spruce Creek, drove down here Sunday to see his mother who has been quite ill with heart trouble at the home of her brother, W. H. Goss.

Mr. Harold Herman, a former Centre county lad now of Tonesta, with his friend Mr. Hazel, was here on Monday introducing a new gas jet light.

Samuel Harpster, one of Gatesburg's straight-laced Democrats, with his niece Lizzie Harshberger, took dinner at the St. Elmo on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. George McWilliams, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Frank, of Penna Furnace, took advantage of J. B. Heberling's away down prices in the furniture line, on Tuesday.

Mrs. John O. Stover, who took her baby to an eye specialist for an operation on its eyes, has returned home as the specialist refused to perform the operation now.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Goss with their little family, who have been visiting friends here the past month, returned to their home in Tyrone on Monday.

Benner Walker, of Pine Glenn, was a visitor in Pennsvalley last week. While here he rented the Vanvalzak, farm west of Centre Hall, and expects to move there on the 21st.

George Everts, of Altoona, who twenty-five years ago handled the hammer and tongs in the old R. P. Craig shop, now the butcher shop, is spending this week among his friends here and over about Massesburg, the home of his youth.

Claire Boob, who has been a very sick boy at the home of his grandmother, is now convalescing.

Squire J. H. Miller contemplates building a new house at his home in the Glades, next summer.

Mrs. Annie Miller, who has been confined to her bed with pulmonary trouble, is slowly but surely recovering.

Miss Lida Miller came down from Tyrone last week to spend a few days at her parental home just west of town. She returned on Tuesday.

Howard Zeigler and Wm. Walkey, of Centre Hall; and Benjamin Walker, of Yarnell, with his friend Mr. Eckley were here on Wednesday and purchased four horses for lumbering purposes.

Mr. Wilson Henry, one of Spruce Creek's push-ahead farmers, had the misfortune to split his right foot with an axe while chopping wood in the woods, last Saturday. It was with great difficulty that he got within shouting distance of his home owing to the loss of blood which very much weakened him. Dr. Houser stitched it up and he is getting along nicely now.

Last Friday evening was a gala time at the home of John B. Rockey, where a social was given in honor of his son Frank and his bride, who came down from Altoona for a nice time and they got it. They were greeted with a house full of old and new friends who were served with choice refreshments, and everybody was merry. Mr. and Mrs. Rockey make everyone feel at ease in their cosy home on the banks of Buffalo run.

Lemont.

John H. Schreck is able to be out again.

John H. Shuey lost a valuable cow this week.

C. D. Houtz and wife have been housed up this week, with the grip.

R. F. Evey and wife drove to Bellefonte, Tuesday, to attend to some shopping.

The horses along the Branch are at present passing through an epidemic of pink-eye.

Andrew O'Neil, of Tyrone, is at present circulating among his many friends in these parts.

Mrs. Jesse Klinger and Mrs. H. N. Kerns spent Thursday at the home of Mrs. George Williams.

Tuesday morning reminded all that spring is fast approaching as the robins and other birds were singing and making merry.

Dr. Mary Shaffer and son are paying her parents a visit and grandson Thompson enjoys entertaining and teasing his little grandson.

Rev. J. R. Sechrist, the United Evangelical minister, will preach his first sermon in the Lemont church Sunday, March 26th, and all are cordially invited to attend.

The Ladies Missionary society of the United Evangelical church will hold a special service in the Lemont church, Sunday evening, and would be pleased to have everyone attend.

Tuesday started the fitting wheel a rolling for D. F. Smith moved from his home to the Foster farm, where he will manage a dairy. Jonas Rice moved from the Jacob Shuey property to the D. F. Smith homestead. Wednesday Daniel Weaver moved from the Cornelius Dale house to the Jacob Shuey property at Centre Furnace.

Marietta Holley, better known as "Samantha," or "Josiah Allen's Wife," is writing regularly for The Pittsburg Sunday Dispatch. "Rival Suitors" is the subject for her article next Sunday.

After 34 Years.

The wise buyer is "posted" in what he buys and where to buy. 34 years of unquestioned ascendancy. 34 years of steady improvement in quality and workmanship. 34 years of constant increase in sales and still growing. This is the record of Schofield's harness factory. (Are there any who will deny the above?) Three first class workmen kept busy all winter, making heavy and light harness. Our stock is complete in farm, tug, buggy, spring wagon and light double driving harness. Our chain harness this year are cheaper and better than ever. We have a large assortment of fine bug bridges, made in different styles. We invite you to call and examine our goods and get prices. Don't pay the price for old harness when you can buy new for the same money. Don't ask us to compete with inferior made goods, as we use only the best material and employ first-class workmen.

We have over six hundred dollars worth of collars, ranging in price from two to four dollars. Don't fail to see these goods before buying. Yours truly, for your trade.

JAMES SCHOFIELD.

A Card.

To the Public: The partnership heretofore existing between Fortney & Walker in the practice of the law, has been dissolved.

All books, papers, suits, judgments of records, as well as Orphan's court matters remain in the hands of D. F. Fortney for settlement, trial, etc. Parties desiring information concerning any thing formerly in the hands of the firm, will call on the undersigned, who retains the old office and will always be ready, in the future, as he has been in the past, to attend faithfully to any business entrusted to his care.

Respectfully,
D. F. FORTNEY.

Announcements.

The following are the prices charged for announcements in this paper: Sheriff, \$3.00; Treasurer, \$3.00; Legislators, \$3.00; Register, \$3.00; Recorder, \$3.00; Commissioners, \$3.00. All candidates are required to pledge themselves to abide the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

FOR RECORDER.
We are authorized to announce JOHN C. ROWE as a candidate for the office of Recorder of Centre county; subject to the decision of the Democratic county convention.

FOR TREASURER.
We are authorized to announce J. D. MILLER, Esq., of Walker township, as a candidate for County Treasurer; subject to the decision of the Democratic county convention.

FOR SHERIFF.
We are authorized to announce FRANK K. WHITE, of Phillipsburg, as a candidate for County Sheriff; subject to the decision of the Democratic county convention.

FOR COMMISSIONER.
We are authorized to announce W. H. FAY, of Pine Grove Mills, as a candidate for the nomination for county Commissioner; subject to the decision of the Democratic county convention.