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For the San Francisco Sufferers.

While every city and town in the United States are doing what they can for the relief of the unfortunate sufferers of the San Francisco catastrophe Bellefonte does not want to be behind and a fund has already been started for that purpose.

At the request of the secretary of the Pennsylvania branch of the Red Cross society the Centre County bank will receive all contributions of money made to it and forward the same. Now is the time to give whatever you feel you can, as it is now the sufferers of San Francisco need it. The contributions to date are as follows :

Centre County Banking Co	\$1
First National Bank	1
Coi. W. Fred Reynolds	
Bellefonte Trust Co	
Dr. Thomas R. Hayes	
Mrs. H. F. Kurtz.	
Charles R. Kurtz	
Mrs. N. J. Twitmire	
De E C Desmosth	
Dr. E. S. Dorworth	

Trying to Squeeze the Old War Horse.

The Republicans are playing the game of politics very stiff around here just now and unless something is done to smooth over the most recent trick that has been their convention meets on the Sth of May.

All of the trouble arose over the contest and Hon. PHIL WOMELSDORF are having honest and upright man. for the endorsement for the Senate. Mr. WOMELSDORF represented this county in intention of trying for the Senate. Mr. QUIGLEY was in the field early, also, and was at the Granger's picnic last fall he eral was held on Sunday afternoon. made known his desires to the "Boss." It is reported that at that time PENROSE told him that he ought not to hold the countychairmanship and run for the Senate too. but QUIGLEY was cute enough to see that having an organization of his own in the the Senatorial trick, and here is where he proved fatal in a few hours. has WOMELSDORF by the hip.

4:30 o'clock last Saturday morning, in the very room in which he was born seventyeight years ago, in the old Benner home on High street. For a number of years past he had been a sufferer with Bright's disease and had lived at Atlantic City in the hope that the salubrious climate there on Tuesday, April 17th. would be beneficial, but a couple months ago, realizing that he end was coming at a rapid pace, returned to Bellefonte and took up his residence with his sisters in order to

pass his last days amid the scenes of his childhood. Deceased was a son of J. Matlock Ben-

ner, one of the old-time families of the town. For many years during the latter

half of his life he conducted a pension agency in Bellefonte but when his bealth became impaired some fourteen years ago he went to Atlantic City and made his

home with his nephew, H. C. Baney. He is survived by three sisters, Mrs. Carskadden, Misses Sarah E. and Delinda H. The funeral was held at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon. Rev. Ambrose M. Schmidt officiated and interment was made in the Union cemetery.

BECHDEL .- William Bechdel died quite

suddenly at his home in Blanchard last Thursday night. All day Thursday he had been working around as usual and retired that night in apparent good health. Of late he had been troubled more or less with a bad cough and about 1 o'clock at night he was attacked with a coughing

spell and choked to death. Deceased was aged 69 years and had been a resident of Liberty township most all his life. For many years he was one of the resorted to by some of the leaders the fur most prosperous farmers of that locality Eagle mountain, near Port Matilda, and H. B. Hartman, Millheim, Tuesday of last will be flying, thick and fast, by the time but a few years ago he retired from the the Nittany mountain were ablaze last week, was that of their daughter, Miss Mafarm on account of advancing years and moved to Blanchard. He was a member that county chairman H. C. QUIGLEY of the Methodist church and an industrious,

He is survived by his wife and three children, namely : Charles, of Ouray, Col.; the last Legislature and early avowed his Edward, of Blanchard, and Miss Anna, at home. Two brothers also survive, John and David, on the old homestead farm beat the time United States Senator PENROSE tween Blanchard and Howard. The fun- which cost him only a quarter of a dollar.

LUKENS .- Jesse W. Lukens, ex-burgess and one of the best known residents of Philipsburg, died early last Friday morning after an illness of three weeks with pneumonia. He was thought to be well on county would help very much in turning the way to recovery but a sudden relapse

Deceased was forty-six years of age and Mr. WOMELSDORF was in town on Monwas born in Philipsburg, where he lived all day and was not slow in accusing QUIG- his life. He is survived by his wife and LEY's friends of getting Capt. C. T. FRYone daughter, Miss Ruth; also his mother, BERGER, of Philipsburg, to announce for one brother and three sisters. At the time the Legislature, hoping thereby to divide of his death Mr. Lukens was the senior the Republicans on the two men from the member of the planing mill firm of Lukens same place. To retaliate, Mr. WOMELS- & Beck. He was a staunch Democrat and DORF persuaded Col. JOHN A. DALEY, of a leading party worker all his life. The Curtin township, to become a candidate for funeral was held, at 2:30 o'clock Sunday the Legislature to draw off some of QUIG- afternoon. STRAYER .- Robert, the three year old a year ago. son of Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Strayer, of Bellwood died at the home of his grandparents. personally, and when WOMELSDORF offer- Mr. and Mrs. Miles Harpster, at Tadpole, ed to do it for him chairman-candidate early Wednesday morning, of pneumonia, superinduced by an attack of measles. The Stravers came from B-llwood several weeks with hay on his horos and Monday night ago to a tend the funeral of William Heberand Tuesday morning there were doings ling, who was killed at Scotia, and while that nearly resulted in wiping Mr. QUIG- at the Harpster home the hoy took the LEY out as a further factor in any political measles and was never able to be taken home. Rev. Bergstresser will officiate at W. Gephart, took a run to Lock Haven in

---Doll's new soda fonntain has been BENNER .- Harvey H. Benner died at put into commission.

> --- Lincoln E. Swartz has been appointed postmaster at Hublersburg.

-Mr. and Mrs. J. Newlin Hall, of

---- No more we hear of the Bellefonte gun club which started out last fall with such great purposes in contemplation.

-William T. Royer has returned from his trip to Belington, W. Va., and has deeided to remain in Bellefonte for the present.

-A Woodward angler one day recently caught forty trout in Penn's creek not one of which was less than ten inches in length.

----The Nittany Inn, State College's new hotel, has been completed and was opened for business last week under the management of W. H. Housell.

---- The Thespians will go to Johnstown tomorrow and in the evening give an entertainment in the Flood city for the benefit of the San Francisco sufferers.

-J. H. Sands has so far recovered from his recent spell of sickness as to be out and around again, a fact for which his many friends feel duly thankful.

---Miss Gertrude Robb, formerly of Nittany, this county, was married last be at home to their friends after May 12th week to T. Warren Martz, of Berwick, a in Warriorsmark, where Dr. York has esclerk with the Berwick Store company.

---- Centre county has already had a taste of forest fires this year as the Bald week.

-Mrs. Thomas R. Hayes entertained last evening.

is now the possessor of a nice fresh cow The animal was chanced off and he was

the holder of the lucky ticket.

street,' was taken to the Bellefonte hospital, on Tuesday, suffering with congestion of the brain. At 5 o'clock last evening it was reported she was dying.

-John Thompson, who had his left near Pittsburg last winter that it had to be to Bellefonte on Tuesday morning.

---Wednesday evening three civil en-HOUSEMAN-LUCAS.-Grant Houseman, gineers arrived in Coburn, rented the Co- of Altoona, and Miss Ella Lucas, of Centre burn band rooms for one month and en- county, were married at the parsonage of gaged accommodations for a gang of a doz- the Fourth Lutheran church, in Altoona, en or so men who arrived yesterday. They at 5 o'clock Monday evening, by Rev. D. been visiting Centre county friends the past are believed to be the same gang who P. Drawbaugh. The bridegroom is em-

BURNS--TAYLOR .-- A pretty but un-A RUNAWAY .- Tom Beaver's big bay pretentious wedding was that celebrated at team of horses ran away last Friday morn-11 o'clock Wednesday morning, at the ing upsetting and badly damaging one of home of Mrs. Annie Taylor, on east How- the Cold Spring milk wagons. The team ard street, when her daughter, Miss Eliza- was being used to haul some stone into beth Taylor, was united in marriage to town from the vicinity of the Nittany fur-Howard, celebrated their golden wedding Robert C. Burns, late of the State College nace. One large stone had been loaded on Times force. The officiating minister was the wagon and the driver was on his way

Rev. W. M. Rearick, pastor of the Luth- to town when he noticed the stone was eran church. There were no attendants slipping off. He stopped the team and and only the immediate members of the with a crow-bar was endeavoring to pry the bride's family were present to witness the stone back in position when the horses eviceremony. The bride looked quite pretty dently took fright at something, gave a in an all-white gown. jump which threw both stone and driver

Following the ceremony a delicious wedoff the wagon then started in the pike at ding breakfast was served and at 1 o'clock break-neok speed. In the vicinity of the Mr. and Mrs. Burns departed for a brief big spring on Water street the team collided honeymoon trip to New York and other with the Cold Spring milk wagon, upsetcities in the east. On their return they ting it and badly damaging the same as will take up their residence in Johnstown well as spilling all the milk. Right behind where the bridegroom has accepted a posi- the Cold Spring wagon was Shivery's dairy tion on one of the newspapers. wagon but the driver bad presence of mind

enough to enable him to pull to one side of YORK-HUTCHINSON.-Dr. Harry J. the street then spring out and catch the York, of Warriorsmark, and Miss Frances Hutchinson, formerly of Warriorsmark but

now of Washington, D. C., were married in the Epiphany Episcopal church in Washington, at 6.30 o'clock. Tuesday evening of last week. Mr. and Mrs. Channey F. York and Frank K. Mattern, of Warriorsmark, were present at the ceremony. The bridegroom is a graduate of State College

The grain fields never looked more promand is well known by many Centre countians. The young couple are now away on a Mrs. D. H. Weaver, who has been ill for honeymoon trip through the south but will several days is on the mend. Mrs. Higgins, of Pittsburg, has been visiting friends here. tablished quite a successful practice. Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Hess were Bellefonte

visitors on Sunday. SWARM-HARTMAN .- A quiet wedding solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Not one big fish story in town. at death's door for several days. ry E. Hartman, who was married to Wil-

James Everhart, who has been housed up liam L. Swarm, of Wyoming. The ceresome weeks, is able to be out again. mony was performed by Rev. B. R. M. Jos. H. Heberling has been confined to his bed the past week with a severe attack of rheumatism.

Mrs. Samuel Wilson has been ill with train for a brief wedding trip after which heart trouble, causing her friends and family they will take up their residence in Wymuch alarm. oming, where the bridegroom is a lieuten-

at the well known Strouse home at Pine SNYDER-HEBERLING.-Monday of last Hall on Saturday.

week David Snyder and Miss Edna Heber-William Reed, of Bellefonte, is handshaking with friends of long ago in and out of town this week.

harness were a complete wreck.

Pine Grove Mention

Fishermen are plenty but fish are scarce.

Mrs. Marian, wife of Ed Williams, has been

D. Keller Mothersbaugh and family came up from Williamsport for a weeks stay with relatives about Boalsburg. John Durner and Harry Barnes, of Boals burg, were royally entertained at Harry Shugert's home on Sunday. J. H. and E. C. Ross, of Lemont, coal and

grain merchants, were circulating among the farmers here on Tuesday. Mr. Samuel Ewing, one of Stone valley's

representative men and successful farmers. was in town in the early part of the week. Mrs. Ed. Burchfield, Mrs. B. E. Stamm and Mrs. Newt Miller, all of Altoona, have

Lemont

John Mitchel and wife Sundayed at the county seat.

Sunday was the first beautiful Sunday for many weeks.

Grace Stutter is spending a couple weeks at the home of James Osman

The farmers are hard at work getting the oil ready to received the oats.

Dr. F. K. White fished these streams Tuesday and caught a few speckled beauties.

Cora Bathgate went to Philadelphia Monday where she will stay part of the summer. Mrs. George Glenn and son and Mrs. Krebs spent Thursday of last week in Belle-

Chas. G. Getz went to Wilksbarre last week where he has a position with a telephone company as inspector of lines.

Monday brought us rain then snow while Tuesday morning the ground was frozen and in places exposed to the cold wind ice was formed

Lemont Young American band serenaded runaway horses. He succeeded in stopping the town last Thursday evening and had a them but in doing so both animals were large crowd out to listen to their fine selecthrown down and when finally extricated tions of music.

from the wagon and harness both borses Schreck Bros., have put out about a car were more or less cut and bruised while the load of buggies and carriages up to this time, for this spring, which shows well for them and the work they do.

> Rev. Sechrist, of the United Evangelical church, preached the anniversary sermon for Lemont lodge, No. 717, last Sunday, and everyone present was well pleased and much benefitted by the services.

A WEEK'S NEWS CONDENSED

Wednesday, April 18.

William Friel, of Brooklyn, was asphyxiated by gas in a cottage at Atlantic City.

Edmund J. James, president of the appointment of delegate to the Pan-American Conference.

The 38th annual meeting of the Congregational Association of New Jersey was held in Washington, D. C.

Charles W. Morgan, of Baltimore shot his wife and then killed himself. Mrs. Morgan was ont fatally injured.

Captain W. A. Powell, aged 81 years, Mr. and Mrs. John Strouse were visitors treasurer of the Home Mission Board of the Southern Presbyterian General Assembly, died at Atlanta, Ga., after a short illness.

Thursday, April 19.

William Schenk and James Farrell. of Newark, N. J., were killed at Norwalk, Conn., while stealing a ride on a freight train.

Charles P. Donnelly, of Philadelphia, was elected chairman of the Pennsylvania Democratic state committee to succeed J. K. P. Hall.

In a collision between a freight train and an express on the Pennsylvania railroad near New Florence, Pa., nine passengers were injured.

Secretary Taft notified the senate committee on inter-oceanic canals that the type of canal to be built on the Isthmus of Panama must be determined at once or work must be suspended.

a party of twenty or more ladies at the Sheeder, pastor of the Lutheran church, in supper given by the Ladies Aid society of the presence of only a few invited guests. the Methodist church, in the lecture room, Mr. and Mrs. Swarm left on the morning ant in the state constabulary.

-Miss May McMullen, of Thomas ling, of Tyrone, went to Corning, N. Y., where they were quietly married, returning on Tuesday as far as Beech Creek where they visited friends the balance of the week, waiting the usual parental forgive-

ness summons. The bridegroom is a young man in the employ of the Pennsylvania leg so badly crushed in a railroad accident railroad company while the bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. amputated, has fully recovered and came Heberling, formerly of Ferguson township, this county.

LEY's strength, but the Colonel, it appears, didn't conform to the new rules governing the Republican party. He failed to register with the county chairman QUIGLEY declined to accept it as regular. Hearing this Col. DALEY came to town equation.

GER.

Date Fixed for Dedication of New State Capitol.

Harrisburg, Pa., April 24.-The capitol the date for the dedication of the new State capitol. President Roosevelt and probably Mrs. Roosevelt and the members of the President's cabinet and their wives. will attend the exercises. A large grand stand will be erected at the entrance to the capitol for the dedicatory exercises.

In the evening it is probable a hanquet will be served to which the President and other dignitaries will be invited. The commission consists of Governor Pennypacker, Speaker Walton, Senator Fox, of Dauphin; Senator Sproul, of Delaware, and members of the board of public grounds and buildings. The Governor will communicate with President Roosevelt regarding any suggestions he desires to make relative to the dedication.

New Pension Law.

The age limit pension bill passed by both houses of Congress has become a law. Under its provisions when a soldier of the Civil war arrives at the age of 60 years he is allowed \$6 per month without examina-tion as to disability. At 61 he gets \$8; at 70 years he is allowed \$12. The measure does away with any question as to disabilsince that time.

ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

-John Moyer, aged 78 years, 4 months and 1 day, died recently at his home on the Burnside farm, from a general breaking down.

Mis. L. E. Jones, of this place, who was taken to the Williamsport hospital last week suffering with appendicitis, was operated upon yesterday.

----- The store property of the late J. P. sale last Thursday to D. J. Neiman. The children, five brothers and two -isters. price paid was \$4,750.

-The three-months old child of John essays on Revolutionary subjects, held at morning.

and DALEY against QUIGLEY and FRYBER- ing, interment to be made at Gatesburg.

cemetery.

WEAVER .- Harry Weaver, son of Thomway from his home to Wynburne, last Fri- bly the record time between the two towns.

day evening, was struck by a runaway dedication commission, at a meeting here team and injured so hadly that he died today, officially fixed October 4th next as shortly afterwards. He was a member of shortly afterwards He was a member of the Presbyterian church, a Mason and a Red Man. In addition to his father he is survived by one sister, Mrs. Harry Forcey. and three brothers, Charles, James and Clarence. The funeral was held on Sunday, interment being made in the Askey

> WEAVER .- Mrs. Caroline Weaver, widow of the late Theophilus Weaver, died at filled. her home in Harrisburg, last Saturday morning, after an illness of nine weeks with cirrhosis of the liver. Deceased was 71 years of age and was a native of Harrisburg. Her husband, who was the eldest son of the well known Weaver family of

Ferguson township, died about twelve years ago. She is survived by one son, Victor M. Weaver, of Chicago. The funeral was held on Mouday afternoon.

1 SMITH.-Henry S. Smith died recently ity, and gives every soldier a pension re-gardless of disease contracted in the war or of seventy years. He was a native of at his home in Rochester, Ind., at the age Laurelton, Union county, hut was well known throughout the eastern part of Centre from having traveled that section for years with a thresher and clover huller. He was a brother of Samuel Smith, who

died some years ago on the cld Srump farm east of Centre Hall.

McMANAWAY.-Robert C. McManaway,

a native of Gravsville, died at his home at Greenwood Furnace, on Saturday night, of cancer of the stomach. He was aged forty- Hattie P. Griffith, of Axe Mann. Gephart, in Millheim, was sold at public eight years and is survived by his wife, six

---- In the D. A. R. contest for the best

and Rose Garlick, Austrians, was found the Stone school house, last Friday afterdead on Thursday of last week. It was noon, Miss Mary Showers and Raymond buried in the Catholic cemetery Saturday Jenkins were the lucky winners of the five dollar gold prizes.

made a survey through Pennsvalley about

-The Ladies Circle of the Lutheran church at State College will hold a fair and festival in the vacant room in the Nitnished home. tany Inn building tomorrow afternoon and evening, for the benefit of the new Lutheran church fund. There will be lots of ding occurred at the Baptist parsonage,

eat. All are invited.

-Hugh Crider, accompanied by W. From this on it will be WOMELSDORF the funeral which will be held this morn- his Cadilac runabout, Sunday afternoon, and claims to have made the remarkable time of going down in one hour and thirty minutes and coming back in an hour and as D. Weaver, of Meshannon, while on his twenty minutes, which, if correct is proba-

> -Dr. M. J. Locke went to Philadelphia on Wednesday to see Dr. Carl S. Vischer, who is critically ill with cancer. In his frequent trips to this place Dr. Vischer became infatuated with Bellefonte and often expressed the wish that he might spend his last days here. As his condition now is regarded beyond all medical aid it is the intention of Dr. Locke, if

it is at all possible to move him, to bring Julian, came to Bellefonte Wednesday Dr. Vischer to Bellefonte either tomorrow or Monday that his wishes may be ful-

-Rev. George Israel Browne, of Harrisburg, will come to Bellefonte next Wed-BROWN-OSHALE .- Daniel S. Brown, of nesday for the purpose of officiating at two weddings. The first will be that of John Laucaster, came to Bellefonte Wednesday Hinman Gibson, of Philadelphia, and Miss of last week and that evening were married Blauche Cook, which will take place at the at the parsonage of the United Brethren home of the bride-elect's parents, Mr. and church by the pastor, Rev. Davidson.

Mrs. A. J. Cook, on west Linn street, at GERTS-LINGLE. - Herman Geits, of 11 o'clock in the morning. Only a few friends have been invited to attend the Johnsonburg, and Miss Nellie Lingle, ceremony. The second wedding will be granddaughter of Capt. G. W. Lingle, of this place when interested in the Spring that of John Armstrong and Miss Mary Blanchard, were married, last week, at Mills planing mill, was here for a day or Reedy, which will take place in the Epis- Olean, N. Y. copal church at 7 o'clock.

the great need of our century.

MARRIAGE LICENSES .- The following marriage licenses were issued the past week by Register Earle C. Tuten.

Dennis Callan, of Altoona, and Elizabet h Brown, of Bellefonte.

Exruest Moore, of Julian, and Blauche Nearboof, of Port Matilda. Harry K Stine, of Wilmerding, and Minnie McClure, of Philipsburg. Harrison L. Smith, of Beaver Falls, and Charles M. Confer and Elsie Strunk, both

of Howard. Gustavis T. Rumberger and Lelah A. Grove, both of Philipsburg.

Robert C. Burns, of Johnstown, and Elizabeth Taylor, of Bellefoute.

son, both of Julian.

ployed in the plumbing department of the Pennsylvania railroad shops, while the bride is a most estimable young lady. Mr.

street. and Mrs. Houseman will go to housekeeping at once in their own newly fur-

SHECKLER-WALLACE .-- A pretty wedthings on sale and plenty of good things to Milesburg, on Wednesday evening, at 8 o'clock, when pastor A. C. Lathrop spoke the words which joined in the bonds of holy matrimony Charles Sheckler and

Nellie B. Wallace. Both are well known and highly esteemed young people of Milesburg, and have many friends who will rejoice with them in this happy event. We join with others in congratulations.

GRAHAM-SHANK. - Charles Grabam, eighteen years of age, and Miss Mabel Shank, fifteen years old, both of Blanchard, went to Elmira, N. Y., last Wednesday, were married there and returned home Thursday evening. The bride just two weeks ago graduated from the Liberty township High school.

DILLEN-CAMPBELL.-Frank W. Dillen and Miss Nannie M. Campbell, both of morning and going to the United Brethren parsonage were married by the pastor, Rev. A. Davidson, returning home in the after-

W. H. Brown, of Boalsburg; Mrs. J. C. Decker, of Altoona, and Mrs. Ross Grove, of Benore, are at the Brown home on Main

There will be a meeting of Capt. J. O. Campbell Post, 272, G. A. R., in their hall, Saturday the 28th, at 2 p. m., a full turnout being requested.

F. W. Thomas, right bower to J. D. Nearhood on the steam saw mill, moved to Baileyville last week so as to be more con venient to his job.

Mr. E. B. Yeakley is a very industrious fellow since the shut down at Scotia. He has been busy as a nailer assisting G. W. Potter on the farm.

Rev. D. Y. Brouse, of Port Royal, was greeting old friends here in the early part of last week. He was hastily called home on account of his father's illness.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Murtoff enjoyed a drive through the valley to visit relatives at Birmingham in the early part of the week, as sprightly as a bride and groom.

W. Cal Meyers, a well known stock raiser on the Branch, the other day was attacked by a short horn bull, and had a nearby neighbor not come to his rescue the under-taker would have had a job.

Spring Mills.

Housecleaning is now in blast, and so is whitewashing.

Since G. C. King has started his saw mill a short distance above the R. R. station, it makes things quite lively in that neighborhood.

Wm. Gramley has removed his hennery Lock Haven, and Miss Anna E. Oshale, of from the pike to back of his barn, a much better location. Mr. Gramly is largely engaged in raising choice poultry.

Professor Hosterman has a large school this term, over fifty pupils. There is no spring nor summer school for the little people and of course they are not very sorry. Harvey Confer, of Millheim, formerly of two last week visiting old friends. He has bosts of them here.

Well, we had the "ouion snow" on Mon-DR. ATHERTON HOME AGAIN-Dr. day last, now garden making will commence George W. Atherton returned to State Colin earnest. All day Monday and Tuesday lege on Tuesday afternoon after three was really winter like, an overcoat being months of rest and convalescence on the decidedly comfortable.

Pacific coast. It is gratifying to know that Miss Lizzie Stover returned from the city he comes back with renewed vigor, for as last week and had her grand opening of his acomen and twenty years of indefatig- millinery goods. Yesterday I stepped into able labor have built Pennsylvania State her roome to see what was new in that College into one of the best institutions of line and notwithstanding only part of the learning in the country, it is to be hoped goods were opened, I saw some of the latest novelties in summer head wear. The latest that he may be physically able to consumshapes in Milan straw and Italian braid are mate the ambitions plans he has had for strikingly handsome. In fact the summer her further growth and unification into a styles of all hats for ladies and Misses' are great university second to none, as is the quite oretty this season. Miss Stover is dogreat State that supports her. It is a great ing quite a large business. personality that possesses prescience and

the unselfishness to use it exclusively in -Not having been in the lime-light for the development of an institution that some time France is coming forth with an shall be for the benefit of all. Few men embryo revolution. We thought revolu-Gordon W. Ardell and Sue M. Hender- have had it, but like, Dr. Harper, they are tions obsolete except in Central American countries.

Friday, April 20.

Professor Curie, the discoverer of radium, was run over and killed by a wagon in Paris.

W. D. Zehnder, president of the Scranton (Pa.) Bolt and Nut company, died of pneumonia.

William H. Gardner, a showman and associate of the late James A. Bailey, died of pneumonia in New York.

The general officers of the National Guard of Pennsylvania decided to hold the division encampment at Gettysburg July 21-28.

The glass factory of the George Jonas company at Minotola, N. J., and several dwellings were destroyed by fire, entailing a loss of \$100,000.

Saturday, April 21.

William Beckers, a millionaire, of Milwaukee, Wis., committed suicide at Mobile, Ala.

The Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad was found guilty in Chicago of granting rebates and fined \$40,000.

The Reading Railway shops at Reading, Pa., will work 36 hours a week, owing to the anthracite shutdown.

John C. Lyme, a former poor director of Dauphin county, Pa., committed suicide by shooting at Harrisburg, owing to ill health.

Angered because she had repeatedly rejected his offers of marriage, Frederick Laing shot and killed his niece, Katie Gordon, a Hungarian girl, at New Brunswick, N. J.

Monday, April 23.

Andrew Carnegie has given Lehigh University \$100,000 for the erection of dormitories.

Russell Ricker was swept over the Lehigh dam at Easton, Pa., while fishing and was drowned.

Fred E. Platt, brother of United States Senator Thomas C. Platt, died at Oswego, N. Y., aged 87 years.

From drinking wood alcohol, three men working on Tidewater railroad construction near Radford, Va., are dead.

Catharine Hess was held up near her home in Lancaster, Pa., choked, carried two squares and robbed of her purse and a bank book.

Tuesday, April 24.

While temporarily insane, John Van Suan, vice president of the Dillingham Publishing company, of New York, shot and killed himself.

Major Harry C. Greenawalt, a clerk in the Pennsylvania state treasury at Harrisburg, died suddenly at his home at Fayetteville.

Fire destroyed a large barn at the Union stock yards at Indianapolis. Ind., burning to death 75 horses and 25 more were killed in a stampede.

The employes of the round house and machine shops of the Reading Railway Company at Shamokin, Pa., will work only two weeks a month.