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Democratic State Ticket.

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Democratic County Ticket.

FOR CONGRESS, H. S. TAYLOR, of Centre County. FOR ASSEMBLY, JOHN NOLL, of Bellefonte. FOR JURY COMMISSIONER, ADAM HAZEL, of Spring Township.

ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

GRANGE ENCAMPMENT AND FAIR.—The granger's encampment at Grange park, Centre Hall, will be the attraction next week and that all WATCHMAN readers may know just what to expect we publish the program in full, as follows:

Saturday, September 15th.—Camp opens when all tents will be in readiness for those desiring to camp. In the evening there will be a grand festival by Progress grange.

Sunday, September 16th, 2:30 p. m.—Harvest Home services. The anniversary sermon will be preached by Rev. Geo. W. Mellay, of the M. E. church, Centre Hall.

Monday, September 17th.—Exhibition will open when exhibits will be received and put in place.

7:30 p. m.—Opening entertainment by Slater's comedians, to which everybody is invited.

Tuesday, September 18th.—The arrangement of exhibits will be continued. 2 p. m.—Opening exercises by the County grange.

7:30 p. m.—Entertainment in the auditorium by Slater's comedians.

Wednesday, September 19th, 9 a. m.—Grand parade by the Knights of the Golden Eagle. Followed by a meeting in the auditorium, when addresses will be delivered by prominent officials of the Order.

2 p. m.—Addresses by Hon. W. T. Creasy, Democratic candidate for Auditor General, and others. Hon. J. T. Allman, secretary of the State Grange; Hon. A. M. Cornell, lecturer of the State Grange, and Hon. R. S. Conklin, forestry commissioner.

7:30 p. m.—Entertainment by Slater's comedians.

Thursday, September 20th, 10 a. m.—Addresses by Hon. W. F. Hill, master of the State Grange; Hon. N. B. Critchfield, secretary of agriculture; Hon. A. L. Martin, deputy secretary of agriculture, and Dr. B. H. Warren, dairy and food commissioner.

1:30 p. m.—Addresses by Hon. Edwin S. Stuart, Republican candidate for Governor; Hon. Robert S. Murphy, Henry Honck, Robert K. Young and others. The chairman of the Republican county committee will have charge of the meeting.

7:30 p. m.—Grand entertainment by Slater's comedians.

Friday, September 21st.—Closing exercises. 2 p. m.—Auction of stock that may be offered for sale.

Exhibitors should be prompt and endeavor to get their exhibits in on Monday and Tuesday, but the entries will not be closed until Wednesday noon. All premiums will be paid on the day articles are offered for exhibition.

The Great Centre County Fair will be held one week later than usual this year, Oct. 9th, 10th, 11th and 12th. The change has been made so as not to conflict with the Milton fair and the result will be that there will be far more race horses and other attractions here than ever before.

After an illness that almost caused his transplanting in the large lot at the rear of his home on east High street L. H. Wiau is able to be out again. He is looking much the worse and has lost 25 lbs, though he expects to pick it all up again shortly.

Victor I. Walker, of Rebersburg, has gone to Miami, Florida, to superintend the erection of a large concrete bridge. He is a civil engineer and for two years past has been working for the New York Central railroad company.

The WATCHMAN is in receipt of an invitation to attend the dedicatory ceremonies of the new State Capitol at Harrisburg, on Thursday, October 4th.

Hon. Fred Kurtz, whose serious illness was mentioned last week, is very little improved, a severe case of bronchitis having developed.

Both a ferris wheel and a merry-go-round will be on the great Centre County Fair grounds during the fair next month

CORLIS ALLEN FAULKNER.—The grim reaper was much in evidence in Philipsburg last week, in one day, (Thursday), claiming as his victims two of the best known residents of that town, one of whom was Hon. Corlis Allen Faulkner, the next to the last associate judge elected in Centre county prior to its being made a separate judicial district by the Legislature of 1895, and the last to serve on the bench in that capacity, associate judge Benjamin Rich, who was elected in 1894, having died within a year thereafter. Mr. Faulkner had been seriously ill for a month or more with a complication of diseases which it was beyond the power of medical science to successfully combat.

Deceased was of New England stock, having been born in New Hampshire March 25th, 1840, thus being aged 66 years, 5 months and 12 days. His parents were W. A. and Clarissa Faulkner. They came to Centre county and located in Philipsburg in 1857 and it was there the subject of this sketch lived ever since. His schooling was received in the public schools of Erie, where his parents lived for ten years prior to coming to Centre county, and in the Girard Academy. He learned the carpenter trade under his father and followed it a number of years until he was successful enough to embark in the contracting business. He also was in the hotel business a number of years.

In politics he was a staunch Democrat and filled a number of borough offices. He was elected associate judge of Centre county in 1892 and served until the end of his term in 1897. He was a member of Centre Council Royal Arcanum and of the Philipsburg lodge of Odd Fellows. He was a man of rather unassuming disposition but one with rare genial qualities, who made many friends and held them to the end.

He was married in 1887 to Miss Florence Shoop, of Philipsburg, who died some years ago. They had eight children, seven of whom survive, as follows: Corlis A., Mrs. Joseph Barnes, Irvin, Pierce, Mary, Florence and Pauline. He also leaves one sister, Mrs. B. F. Morgan, of Philipsburg.

The funeral was held at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon, Rev. S. D. Wilson officiating at the services. Interment was made in the Philipsburg cemetery.

FASIG.—George Fasig, an old Bellefonter, died at the Williamsport hospital, at three o'clock Wednesday morning, of concussion of the brain. Tuesday afternoon he was riding on a street car when his hat blew off. He started to get off the car and the conductor called to him not to make the attempt that he would stop the car but Mr. Fasig jumped. He was thrown violently to the ground his head striking the hard pavement. He was taken to the hospital where it was found that the accident had produced concussion of the brain and he died without regaining consciousness.

Deceased was a son of Jerry and Catharine Fasig and was born in this place August 24th, 1857, thus making his age forty-nine years and nineteen days. By occupation he was a painter, like his father before him. He was a member of the Logan fire company and his last visit to Bellefonte was during the recent firemen's convention.

He was united in marriage to Miss Margaret Wolf who survives him with the following children: Jerry, Joseph, Catharine and James. He also leaves the following brothers and sisters: Mrs. George Garman and Mrs. David McNeal, of Tyrone, and Henry, of Bellefonte. The remains will be brought to Bellefonte this morning over the Central railroad of Pennsylvania and taken to the United Brethren church where the funeral services will be held, after which interment will be made in the Union cemetery.

HAWORTH.—Following very close on the death of Judge Faulkner, of Philipsburg, came the announcement of the death of John Haworth, another very prominent citizen, who died at 11 o'clock Thursday night of kidney trouble, after several years illness.

Deceased was a native of England, having been born in Lancashire, October 18th, 1829. He came to this country in August, 1862, his wife and family following in November. They first located in Powellton but soon after moved to Philipsburg where for many years he was one of the successful merchants of the town. For forty years he was a faithful member of the Baptist church. He was also a member of the local lodge of Knights of Pythias.

Surviving him are his wife and the following children: Mrs. T. J. Ebook, Geo., James, Mary, Laura and Anna, of Philipsburg; and Mrs. Charles Sweeney, of Portageville, N. Y. The funeral was held at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon, Rev. J. H. Higby officiating at the services.

STONERODE.—John M. Stonerode, of Birmingham, father of the late Curtin P. Stonerode, of Milesburg, died at the home of his son, in Pittsburg, Wednesday of last week, at the advanced age of eighty-four years. He was a native of Lewistown. He went to work for the Pennsylvania railroad company when only eighteen years of age as a section foreman and soon arose to foreman of the bridge building division and it was under his supervision that the thirteen wooden bridges between Tyrone and Spruce Creek were built. He also built the Birmingham seminary.

HALE.—Henry Hale, an old time resident and well known citizen of Julian, died on Monday of a complication of diseases. He was aged sixty-one years and is survived by his wife, one son and two daughters. The funeral was held on Wednesday afternoon.

HASSELL.—Wednesday evening Mrs. C. F. Montgomery received the sad news of the death of her father, Mr. William H. Hassell, at his home in Philadelphia. He had been in his usual health, in fact a letter received by Mrs. Montgomery that morning stated that the family were all in excellent health. From the meagre intelligence received it would appear that Mr. Hassell's death was the result of heat prostration Wednesday afternoon. He was aged eighty-four years. Mr. and Mrs. Montgomery went to Lock Haven in John Porter Lyon's car where they took the Pennsylvania flyer for Philadelphia. At this writing no arrangements for the funeral have been made.

DROWNED IN THE WEST.—Mrs. William Dunlap, of Freeport, Ill., with Miss Nettie Murphy, were drowned in the Apple river on Sunday, September 2nd. The two women were members of a driving party enjoying a day's outing. A storm came up which amounted to a cloudburst and in attempting to cross the Apple river the horses were swept from their feet, the vehicle overturned and the occupants thrown into the stream. Six of the party escaped. Mrs. Dunlap was a sister-in-law of county commissioner John L. Dunlap, of this place. Her maiden name was Osborn, and she was a native of Centre county.

John Shipley, son of Alex Shipley and a grandson of J. H. Shipley, of Unionville, died in a Philadelphia hospital in the fore part of the week from an overdose of morphia, self-administered. He is survived by his father, who lives in Philipsburg, his step-mother and one sister, Ruth.

BARNES.—Miss Esther Barnes, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Barnes, of Barnesboro, died Wednesday of last week, at her home, of typhoid fever. Miss Barnes was only twenty-two years of age.

TIME FOR HOLDING COURT CHANGED.—Several terms ago a committee of the Centre county bar was appointed to revise the rules governing the time for the holding of the various terms of court, which submitted its report at the August sessions two weeks ago. Judge Orvis last week handed down a decree in which the committee's report was affirmed and, after the first of January, 1907, Centre county courts will not be held on the fourth Monday of January, April, August and November, as they have been for the past three-quarters of a century but will be held in February, May, September and December. Just the reasons for making the change have not been fully given but one is to avoid the hot summer months, August, and another was to change the November term to December so as to avoid the necessity of adjourning for Thanksgiving day. The change from the old to the new system is being commented on both favorably and unfavorably by members of the bar and, whether it will be an improvement or not, there is likely to be considerable complication among litigants and in the drawing and issuance of court papers before the attorneys become thoroughly familiarized with the new order of things. In full the court's decree is as follows:

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, } County of Centre, } ss: And now, September 1st, 1906, in compliance and in obedience to the command contained in the 10th section of the Act of Assembly, approved August 7th, 1893, entitled "An Act to designate the several judicial districts of the Commonwealth as required by the Constitution," it is hereby ordered and decreed that the time for holding of the regular terms of the court of the county of Centre comprising the 4th judicial district of Pennsylvania, shall be as follows:

On and after the first day of January, 1907, a regular term of the court of common pleas, of oyer and terminer and general jail delivery, a court of quarter sessions, and an orphan's court, shall be begun and held at the court house, in the borough of Bellefonte, on the 4th Monday of February, the 3rd Monday of May, the 4th Monday of September and the 1st Monday of December of each year, at 10 o'clock a. m., each of said terms to continue for a period of two weeks. Regular argument courts shall be held as follows:

Beginning on the first Tuesday of January, the 2nd Tuesday of April, the 3rd Tuesday of June, the 3rd Tuesday of November of each year, each argument court to continue as long as business may require. By the Court, ELLIS L. ORVIS, P. J. Attest: A. B. KIMBROT, Prothonotary.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.—The following marriage licenses were issued the past week by Register Earle C. Tuten. John Curtin and Jane Watson Farst, both of Bellefonte. George Styers and Annie E. Garbrick, both of Bellefonte. John E. Osman and Margaret M. Albert, both of State College. Scott W. Wood and Margaret Eliza Sencer, both of Philipsburg. Harry Cowher and Verna Laird, both of Port Matilda. Robert S. Woomer and Iva E. Flegal, both of Philipsburg. Harry W. Lewis and Martha A. Morrison, both of Philipsburg. Albert Smith, of Bellefonte, and Jessie Pearl Green, of Milesburg. Charles R. Sherman, Pittsburg, and Agabel Batgatche, of South Philipsburg.

Lemont. Mrs. Lavina Houser is not improving. Prof. R. U. Wasson opened his school at Aaronsburg on Monday.

George R. Roan, who had the misfortune to step on a spike, is improving slowly. Farmers are busy sowing wheat and cutting corn, the latter becoming very ripe. Prof. George Bible, of Philadelphia, visited with his mother the latter part of last week. Misses Sara and Rose Smith, of Tyrone, are spending a few days with F. A. Holderman's.

Rev. A. S. Wolfe preached his farewell sermon to the Houserville congregation on Sunday evening.

David O. Eters, county superintendent, has started on his rounds of inspecting the schools of the county.

Mrs. John Shuey, of Shiloh, has been very ill since last week but is now getting along as well as can be expected.

G. W. Ralston shipped his household goods and went to Dewart, on Tuesday; Lemont has lost one of its most industrious young men and the school board will suffer a loss, for he has been secretary of that body for three or four years.

Pine Grove Mention. John Reynolds is making improvements to his home.

E. S. Tresler transacted business in Altoona on Monday.

The Reformed church at Pine Hall is undergoing repairs.

H. E. Goss and wife attended the Snyder county centennial last week.

Prof. Thomas Houtz, of Selinsgrove, was in town greeting friends of long ago.

Miss Loza McMahon has gone to New York State to become a nurse in a home for the aged.

Almost any evening Frank Smith can be seen on the driveway, spending his Maude S. for the fair.

With a full outfit for a first class huckster Ray Hoover made his first venture to the Mountain city Monday.

Mrs. J. G. Hess with her daughter, Mrs. Viola Smith, of Medina, Ohio, were State College visitors Tuesday.

George O'Brian and wife have been spending their honeymoon at the well known O'Brian home, on Church street.

Joe. B. Goss, who holds a good position with the Carnegie Steel company at Bradford, is home for a ten days' outing.

Hon. J. Will Kepler is in Tonawanda this week looking after some coal and timber interests there and in Jefferson county.

N. T. Krebs and Prof. M. E. Heberling spent last week fishing for bass in the West Branch. Not a fish story will they spin.

Mrs. Gertrude Cunningham, of Pittsburg, and her cousin, Miss Bertha Musser, of Freeport, Ill., are visiting relatives in Centre county.

The venerable J. C. Bike has been visiting Pennsylvania friends of long ago and spent Sunday with his cousin, Mrs. Sallie Portney, on Main street.

Last Saturday the Brown scrubs, at Penna Furnace, went to the Huntingdon Furnace picnic and did up the Tyrone athletic hall team to the score of 8 to 0.

Mrs. Sadie Lemon, of Morgantown, W. Va., is visiting her parental home in the Glades. She brought little Bernard to attend school at Gatesburg this term.

Rev. C. T. Aiker, president of the Susquehanna University, was here the early part of the week, looking after some business matters that needed his attention.

Mr. John Peters, of Missouri, is making his annual visit among his many Pennsylvania friends. As he is a noted nirod he will likely stay for the hunting season.

Last week Emanuel C. Fye was taken to Philadelphia, where he had an operation performed for a tumorous growth on his eye. At last reports he was doing nicely.

Robert Reitz made his regular weekly visit near town and failed to catch the early train, but the walking was not all taken to Alto, where he is George B. Thompson's right hand man.

Col. J. R. Lemon is spending a few days at his Gatesburg home. For several years the Colonel has had a big hand deal up his sleeve, being manager for Chess Bros. He now has a deal on the sale of some twelve thousand acres of coal and timber lands to J. K. P. Hall, of Ridgway; Karl Bros., of St. Marys, and Col. J. L. Spangler. Should the deal go through, as it likely will, the Colonel will likely take stock in the Wabash.

Home-made crosses fit like home-made clothes.

TWO DROWNED WHILE ROWING. Couple From Woodbury, N. J., Lose Lives in River at Allentown, Pa.

Allentown, Pa., Sept. 10.—Charles Hughes and Mrs. Joseph Green, both of Woodbury, N. J., were drowned while rowing on the Lehigh river. Hughes came here three weeks ago as foreman of a pile driving gang employed by the Lehigh Valley Transit company in the construction of a coal wharf. Saturday Mrs. Green arrived here, and the two registered at a local hotel as Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hughes. In the evening they went rowing, and two hours later their boat was found floating, bottom up. Their bodies were recovered.

THINK EMPLOYEES DISHONEST. Wilmington Street Car Company Has Five of Its Conductors Arrested.

Wilmington, Del., Sept. 11.—The People's Railway company has caused the arrest of five of its employees in its endeavors to stamp out dishonesty among its conductors. The five arrested were Richard Megginson, Albert Dekyne, Wilmer C. Nolan, Alvin Morris, William Rhein, of Philadelphia, and Arthur Mellin. The men were taken before Magistrate Hollis and held under \$200 bail for a hearing Friday morning. The men arrested are all well connected in Delaware.

Colored Miscreant Feared Lynching. Norfolk, Va., Sept. 11.—Fearing that he would be lynched, John Smith, colored, was brought to Norfolk by the sheriff of Princess Anne county for safekeeping in the local jail. Smith, who was out on bail, following a hung jury, in which he was charged with assault on the wife of Henry Owens, colored, is now charged with having attempted an assault on a Mrs. Leggett, near Nimmos, in Princess Anne county, on Saturday night.

TO SUBSCRIBE OVER \$3,000,000

Philadelphia, Sept. 10.—All of the directors of the Real Estate Trust company, which was wrecked by its suicide president, Frank K. Hipple, principally through heavy loans made to Adolph Segal, a promoter, on flimsy collateral, have agreed to Receiver Earle's plan for reorganizing the company. Mr. Earle received a telegram from Dr. S. Weir Mitchell, the only member of the board of directors who is away from the city, agreeing to the proposition that the directors contribute the amount deemed necessary by the receiver. Dr. Mitchell expresses his willingness to bear his portion of the burden. The other directors had previously assented to the plan.

Receiver Earle spent Sunday at his home in Bryn Mawr working on the details of his proposition, which he hopes to be able to present to the directors very soon. He also expects to call a general meeting of stockholders and depositors in order to thoroughly acquaint them with his purpose.

"It is slow work," he said. "I am not in a position at present to say anything more definite than has already been published concerning my proposition, but I wish it understood that the directors in signing the agreement have pledged themselves to raise the amount which I consider necessary. This money is given absolutely, without promise of return or security. They are putting up the money from their own pockets so as to 'make up' the losses which have been sustained through the bad Segal loans."

The loans made to Segal by President Hipple aggregate more than \$5,000,000 and his securities are believed to be worth about \$2,000,000. Consequently the directors will subscribe something more than \$3,000,000. It was stated that some of the Segal securities, which are considered of little value, would be given the directors for the money advanced by them. Receiver Earle denied this.

A statement issued by Rev. Dr. Roberts, stated clerk of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian church, announces that in addition to the \$300,000 of the trust funds of the trustees of the church which were lost in the collapse, deposits amounting to about \$130,000 are also involved. These deposits were the current funds of the board of ministerial relief, the trustees of the board of publication and Sabbath-school work, the trustees of the general assembly, the stated clerk of the general assembly and the Women's Foreign Missionary Society.

It developed that the last state examination of the trust company was made by Banking Commissioner Reeder in 1902. Robert McAfee, who was state banking commissioner from April, 1903, to July, 1905, made no examination, and Commissioner Berkeley, who succeeded McAfee, also failed to examine the institution. The two expert accountants appointed by Commissioner Berkeley to investigate the condition of the concern, at the end of their first day's work announced that they found the trust estates, of which the Real Estate Trust company acted as trustee to be intact.

The preliminary hearing of Adolph Segal, the promoter; William F. North, treasurer, and Marshall S. Collingwood, assistant treasurer of the Real Estate Trust company, took place, and the three were held in heavy bail for trial.

Many depositors who placed money in the bank on Monday and Tuesday after the directors knew that it was insolvent were allowed to withdraw their deposits Thursday. There were 414 deposits, and of this number 138 were returned.

That there will be no prosecutions against the directors of the trust company was the authoritative statement which emanated from District Attorney Bell's office. The announcement was made after Special Bank Examiners Vollum and Goldsmith, who were appointed by State Banking Commissioner Berkeley to investigate the trust company's affairs, had made a partial report. Although the examiners are not through with their work, enough has been learned to relieve the directors of criminal responsibility for the collapse of the institution.

An investigation of the contents of the strong box of the Detre estate, for which President Hipple was trustee, developed the fact that mortgage papers representing \$25,000 were missing. An effort to trace them will be made.

WHOLESALE ARRESTS FOLLOW

Havana, Sept. 11.—President Palma issued a decree suspending all constitutional guarantees, with special reference to articles 15, 16, 17, 19, 22, 23, 24 and 27, in the provinces of Pinar del Rio, Havana and Santa Clara. The law enforcing public order, which is equivalent to martial law, also is put in immediate effect in the three provinces named. A supplemental decree has been issued suspending the decree of August 28, pardoning repentant rebels, and ordering that all rebels be arrested and jailed.

Co-incident with the issuance of the decrees, which followed the decision not to yield to the peace demands, the government ordered the arrest of practically every prominent Liberal. Alfredo Zayas, president of the Liberal party, and several others have disappeared. When the news of the issuance of these decrees reached the veterans' peace committee, which was in session at the home of General Menocal, there was immediate and almost unanimous denunciation of President Palma and

other members of the government. Senator Sanguilly, independent, who was present, and who usually is moderate in his utterances, made an impassioned speech, in which he declared that there remained for Cubans but two roads to travel, one of honor and the other of disgrace. The government, he said, had refused offers of endeavors to settle the difficulty peacefully, and so nothing was left but to side with its opponents.

General Callazo and other prominent veterans made similar speeches, and General Menocal co-incident with the views of the other speakers. It appears probable that most of the members of the veterans' peace committee will join the insurgents.

The government does not intend that membership in congress shall shield anybody from arrest. Senator Morua Delgado was one of the first arrested, and several representatives were quickly added to the list of prisoners. Former representatives in congress and veterans are being searched by the police. Senor Zayas and most of the other leading Liberals in this city have mysteriously disappeared.

A WEEK'S NEWS CONDENSED

Wednesday, September 5. Lawson Addison, colored, murdered two negro women at Lowryville, S. C., and escaped.

The monthly statement of the national debt shows that on September 1 it amounted to \$970,368,383.

Estel N. Kirk, a Pennsylvania railroad car inspector, was crushed to death between cars at Camden, N. J.

A man supposed to be W. J. Jones, of Richmond, Va., committed suicide by shooting in a hotel at Halifax, N. S.

Robert Cotton, colored, who murdered his wife by literally cutting her body into pieces, was hanged at Vinita, I. T.

Thursday, September 6. The fourth annual convention of the American Institute of Bank Clerks was held at Atlantic City, N. J.

Judge David Torrance, chief justice of the Connecticut supreme court, died at Derby from heart trouble.

United States Senator P. C. Knox, of Pennsylvania, arrived in New York from Europe on the steamer Oceanic.

While gunning for red birds, John J. Steyer, of Philadelphia, dropped dead from heart disease near Chester, Pa.

The director of the mint rejected all bids for silver because they were too high, the lowest being 67 1/2 cents an ounce.

Friday, September 7. Mrs. Eliza F. Wheeler, mother of Professor A. W. Wheeler, of Yale, died at Easton, Conn., aged 101 years.

George K. Johnson has been elected president of the Penn Mutual Life Insurance company, of Philadelphia.

The convention of the Chapter General of America, Knights of St. John and Malta, will be held at Philadelphia next year.

Paul Pietjan, a machinist, and Louis Zoebel, his helper, fell five stories in an elevator shaft in a building in New York and were instantly killed.

The comptroller of the currency has issued a call for a statement of the condition of national banks at the close of business Tuesday, September 4.

Saturday, September 8. Iowa's corn crop is estimated at 281,000,000 bushels.

President Roosevelt has reappointed Brigadier General R. M. O'Reilly surgeon general of the army.

The National Association of Spanish-American War Nurses will hold their next convention at Norfolk, Va.

While fighting a fire in a grocery store at St. Louis, 11 firemen were seriously injured by the explosion of gasoline.

Blamed by a coroner's jury for a fatal accident, John O. Backus, superintendent of an Illinois traction company, committed suicide by shooting at Mattoon, Ill.

Monday, September 10. An explosion at the Dupont powder works at Nimours, Va., killed one man and fatally injured four.

The Master Steam Boiler Makers' Association has elected J. H. Smythe, of Paterson, N. J., as president.

Cutting his throat with a knife because he was tired of continued illness, William Booth, of Shamokin, Pa., soldier of the Civil War, will likely die.

Rolling a hoop over the Reading railway at Shamokin, Pa., John Bickert, a boy, was run down by a train, his legs were crushed and he may die.

William Schuler, a former engineer at the Lancaster county (Pa.) almshouse, was caught robbing the storehouse of potatoes and accused of many previous robberies.

Tuesday, September 11. William J. Bryan has accepted an invitation to visit Jackson, Miss., on September 22.

Miss Rose Porter, widely known as an author, died at her home in New Haven, Conn., aged 66 years.

The Catholic church at Parkersburg, near Coatesville, Pa., was destroyed by fire, entailing a loss of \$30,000.

Twelve persons were injured, one fatally, in a collision between trolley cars at the New York end of the Brooklyn bridge.

While engaged in a friendly boxing bout with a companion at Little Rock, Ark., Carney Griffith became ill and died of over-exertion.

PRODUCE QUOTATIONS

The Latest Closing Prices in the Principal Markets. PHILADELPHIA — FLOUR quiet; winter extras, \$3.00; Pennsylvania roller, clear, \$3.25 @ 3.40; city mills, fancy, \$4.50 @ 4.60. RYE FLOUR firm; No. 2 Pennsylvania red, 72 @ 72 1/2 c. CORN steady; No. 2 yellow, local, 58c.