

**Lemont.**

George Tate is slowly improving. Rev. J. R. Miller is circulating among friends in and around town this week.

The most of the wheat crop is on shock and some hauled in. The crop is fine.

Mrs. Alice Bloom and Mrs. Kate Ziegler spent Friday at the hospitable home of H. F. Houtz.

The raspberry crop is a failure but the blackberries and huckleberries promise to be plentiful.

The barley and oats is slowly ripening and it will be only a few days until they are ready to cut.

R. F. Evey, one of Watsonstown's bustling merchants, is circulating among the people of this community this week looking up some business interests.

There is quite a stir about the railroad that the P. R. R. Co., is talking of building between Lemont and Fairbrook passing through State College enroute.

**Back to Nature!**

From the New York Sun.

With interest and some surprise we learn from our herbivorous friend, the Vegetarian, that the Hon. Robert Marion La Follette of Washington, Wisconsin and Chautauque is a herbivore.

Can all that fire and smoke be fed with grass alone? Such an eager and contentious spirit should be nourished on curries and peppers and tabacosa and salamander spiced kidneys and things deviled devilishly. The call of Oyster Bay hunts mighty game, from grizzlies to Harrimans; lives, apparently, on red meat and plenty of it a born carnivore and an animalcule. But to think that carrots and spinach and radishes feed the Badger Roosevelt, Bob the Corporation Killer!

The Vegetarian looks forward to the happy day when "the use of flesh and fish products" will be "barred in the White House." Down with the Meat Trust! Down and out with the meat! We don't know what's to become of the butchers; but they will be no worse off than other millionaires, for Robert will certainly be Robert the Devil to predatory wealth.

The Vegetarian remarks that Mr. La Follette is "a man of the Roosevelt temper," who is "able to control himself" because his system of stoking is better and cooler.

If Mr. La Follette becomes the Republican candidate for president Mr. Fairbanks will be the inevitable candidate for vice president. Grass and Butter! Back to Nature!

**Letter to S. H. Williams, Bellefonte, Pa.**

Dear Sir: The Trustees of Fair Ground, Cobleskill, N. Y., were glad to pay 15 cents a gallon for the Devoe, and no wonder. Two other paint agents said it would take 150 gallons of their paint to cover the buildings.

Our agent put it at 125 or less. It took 115.

We saved them 35 gallons of paint and painting (worth \$4 to \$5 a gallon, as the painting costs two or three times as much as the paint), less 15 cents a gallon on 115 gallons. Say \$140.

That's how to count the cost of paint. The cost of putting it on is \$3 or \$4 a gallon. You see what that means. Go by Devoe. Yours truly, F. W. DEVOE & CO. New York.

**Williamsport Commercial College.**

If you are going to take book-keeping and shorthand, your success will depend a great deal upon the school you attend. The Williamsport Commercial College is the largest and the best known school in Central Pennsylvania. Students from thirteen different schools came to us to finish courses last year. Over two hundred calls were received last year for office help. Sixty-five writing lessons by mail, \$2.50. Catalogue and trial lessons free. Students enter at any time. Fall Term begins Sept. 3rd. Send us the names of the young people of your place and we will send you a pack of calling cards. Write F. F. HEALEY, Prop'r.

**Altoona Methodist Day.**

The final program for Methodist Day, Lakemont Park, Altoona, Thursday August 1, has three meetings: 10:30 a.m. and 7.45. The speakers are noted men, who are known far and near: Bishop Luther B. Wilson, D. D., LL. D., Rev. Homer Stuntz, D. D., of the Philippine Islands, and Rev. G. D. Downey, D. D., of Cincinnati, O. The chorus consists of fifty voices under Prof. T. D. Williams will be a great and exceptional feature.

Hot dinner, 35 cts., and supper, 25 cts., furnished by Eighth Ave. Church Refreshments by Lyswen Methodists Check room.

Trolley facilities ample; line of cars every seven minutes on each side of town. All local plans are big, thorough, and promising.

**Red Trimming On Her Dress Nearly Cost Her Life.**

Chester, Pa., July 22.—Mrs. James Moore, of North Providence, is in a serious condition as the result of being gored by an enraged bull, which would have killed her but for the timely appearance of her husband, who beat off the animal with a pitchfork.

Mrs. Moore was walking across the barn yard and thoughtlessly wore clothing with red trimmings. As soon as he espied the woman the bull made a dash for her. Catching her clothing by its horns the animal tossed her into the air. Mrs. Moore fell to the ground violently and was rendered into a semi-conscious condition.

The bull was about to make another dash for the helpless woman when her husband arrived on the scene. Seizing a pitchfork he rushed toward the raging animal, holding it at bay until his wife got safely out of the yard.

**Woman Died of Fright.**

Bethel, Me., July 22.—Fright, following the partial collapse of a circus tent here during a severe electrical and wind storm, is ascribed as the cause of the death of Mrs. Fannie Mercier. During the hurried exit of the people from the circus grounds in the rain and darkness, an elephant pushed the automobile in which Mrs. Mercier was sitting so as to turn it completely around. When a flash of lightning revealed the huge head of the animal directly above her, Mrs. Mercier collapsed from fright and her death resulted.

**SOME OF THE PRIZES AWARDED**

Philadelphia, July 19.—The parade of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks here was marked during its progress by the prostration from heat of an army of persons estimated by the police and hospital authorities at 2500. Never has there been such a wholesale prostrating of people in the city. For six hours the police, ambulance surgeons and the Red Cross nurses were kept on the run looking after persons who collapsed under the scorching rays of the sun, and largely because of their excellence, so far as can be learned, but three cases resulted fatally.

Every attention was given to the spectators to see that they were protected, but it required four hours for the marchers to pass a given point, and the eager people stood in the hot sun for two hours or more before the parade started. The total number in the line of march is conservatively estimated at 20,000 men, with about 125 floats.

About 100 lodges from cities and towns from the Atlantic to the Pacific participated in the parade. There were 10 divisions, and were under command of Chief Marshal John P. Sullivan, of New Orleans, grand esquire of the Elks. The Philadelphia lodge, the host of the occasion, had the right of line, with 1800 men. The New York lodge followed.

Baltimore lodge, No. 7, had 300 men in the parade. They were attired in neat white naval uniforms and were accompanied by the Fifth Regiment band, of Maryland.

Boston lodge, No. 10, received a big ovation all along the line. The 80 men were attired as staid Puritans and each one carried a pot of beans.

Pittsburg lodge, No. 14, had 90 men in the procession. They wore full dress suits, with cape coats. The capes were thrown back, revealing the purple silk lining. The Pittsburgers were accompanying.

Harrisburg lodge, No. 12, had 160 men in line, wearing blue serge suits and straw hats with purple and white bands. White and purple handkerchiefs just peeped from their upper left-hand coat pockets. Each man carried a cane with a pennant bearing the number of the lodge.

The first division was brought to a glittering close by the combined lodges of Denver and Ouray. There were 100 of the Colorado Elks in line, dressed as cowboys. From leather straps to red shirts, and from cartridge belts to murderous looking 44s, they looked the wild and woolly west. They made a great hit, as did the big sight seeing automobile of Colorado girls that brought up the rear.

The committee on contests and awards announced the following prize awards:

Lodges making the best appearance in line—First prize, \$300, Toledo; second prize, \$150, Detroit; third prize, \$100, El Paso.

Lodges appearing in unique uniforms—First prize, \$500, El Paso; second prize, \$150, Scranton; third prize, \$100, Boston.

Lodges displaying the most attractive floats—First prize, \$300, Cincinnati; second prize, \$200, Asbury Park; third prize, \$100, Orange, N. J.

Special prize of \$25 to the fattest Elk—George C. Mountcastle, Richmond, Va.

Leanest Elk, \$25—J. Ed. Neis, Pasadena, Cal.

Tallest Elk, \$25—Carl M. Koening, Sacramento, Cal.

Smallest Elk, \$25—Jerry D. Sullivan, Rosebury, Ore.

Special prize of \$500 for the largest band in line—Guadalajara Military band, of Mexico, which accompanied El Paso lodge; second special prize of \$150, Ringgold band, of Reading.

For largest number of women accompanying lodges from further than 75 miles—First prize, \$250, Cincinnati; second, \$150, Brooklyn; third, \$100, Easton.

The convention next year will be held at Dallas, Tex.

**EMPEROR ABDICATES**

Ruler of Korea Forced to Step Down By Japanese. Seoul, Korea, July 20.—The emperor has abdicated in favor of the crown prince. The emperor convened the elder statesmen at 1 o'clock this (Friday) morning. The cabinet ministers waited in an adjoining room while the emperor conferred with the elder statesmen. After a two-hour conference his majesty finally yielded and made up his mind to abdicate.

Since the refusal of The Hague conference to admit the Korean delegation because of Japan's objection, the feeling against Japan in Korea has steadily grown stronger.

The abdication of the emperor is apparently the beginning of the end of this ancient empire and the inauguration of a closer control by Japan than that she has exercised since the treaty of Portsmouth recognized her predominant influence in the Hermit Kingdom as one of the fruits of her victory over Russia. For a long period Korea was under the suzerainty of China, but in 1894-1895 Japan drove China out of the peninsula and Korea enjoyed a brief period of independence.

**RAILROAD MEN DISCHARGED**

Penalty Clause of Rate Law Declared Unconstitutional. Asheville, N. C., July 23.—The penalty clause of the new rate bill was declared unconstitutional and void by United States Judge Pritchard. James H. Wood, district passenger agent of the Southern, and C. Wilson, the ticket agent of the same road, who were recently sentenced to 30 days on the chain gang for violation of the law, were discharged on habeas corpus proceedings.

In his decision Judge Pritchard said that the penalties inflicted by the statute would close the doors to a judicial hearing and would amount to two and a half million dollars a day if the penalty was enforced on the sale of each ticket, which is eight times more than the amount involved in the original suit. Also that it could do violence to the comity which exists between state and federal courts. While not imputing any improper motives to officials or state courts, Judge Pritchard remarked that if such a course of conduct was permitted to be pursued it would have the effect of defeating the jurisdiction of the United States courts.

**THIRTY KILLED IN WRECK**

103 Others Injured in Crash Between Excursion Train and Freight. Salem, Mich., July 22.—Thirty people are dead, and more than 103 injured, many of them seriously, as the result of a head-end collision between an excursion train from Ionia to Detroit and a freight, in a cut located at a sharp curve of the Pere Marquette railroad, about a mile east of Salem.

The passenger train of 11 cars, carrying the Pere Marquette shop employees of Ionia and their families to the Michigan metropolis for their annual excursion, was running at high speed, probably 50 miles an hour, down a steep grade. It struck the lighter locomotive of the freight train with such terrific force as to turn the freight engine completely around.

**Sight of Dead Man Cures Live One.**

Omaha, Neb., July 22.—Sick almost unto death, Daniel Mclwlyn awoke in an Omaha hospital, to find that the occupant of the other bed in his ward had died during the night. The sight of the corpse proved a more effective remedy than any the physicians had found, for Mclwlyn immediately forgot his own ailment, called for the clothes he had not used for a month, hurriedly dressed and left the place, a walking certificate of health.

**470 Miners Killed.**

Tokio, July 23.—There was a fatal explosion last Saturday in a colliery at Toyooka, in Bungo province. It is reported that nearly all of the 470 miners in the pit at the time were killed.

**A WFER'S NEWS CONDENSED**

Wednesday, July 17. The governor of Wisconsin signed the two-cent railroad fare bill.

The Alabama legislature elected John H. Bankhead to the United States senate to succeed the late Senator Morgan.

Mrs. Elizabeth E. Brown, of Bradford, Pa., was elected past supreme commander of the Ladies of Maccabees of the World.

While walking along the railroad tracks at Lexington, Ky., G. L. Earle and Ada Schroeder were struck by a train and killed.

Isaac George, colored, 66 years old, was sent to prison for 15 years for an attempted assault on an 11-year-old white girl in Philadelphia.

Thursday, July 18. The Federation of Catholic Societies will hold their next convention in Boston.

Governor Stuart has fixed September 5 as the day for the execution of Saverio Lurcio at Scranton, Pa.

The plant of the Memphis, Tenn., Cotton Seed Oil company was destroyed by fire, entailing a loss of \$120,000.

Frederick C. Gore, chief clerk of the railway postal service at Harrisburg, Pa., fell dead at his desk of heart disease.

Professor Angelo Hellprin, the famous scientist and explorer, died suddenly at his sister's home in New York.

Friday, July 19. John Kelderhouse, aged 107 years, died at Schenectady, N. Y.

An express package containing \$10,000 has been lost at Florence, S. C. The People's National bank, of Galatin, Tenn., has been closed, pending an investigation of its condition.

Mrs. D. W. Boger, of Nashville, Tenn., was found dead in bed at a hotel near the Jamestown Exposition by her 18-year-old son.

John W. H. Geiger, formerly cashier of the Canton National bank, Baltimore, who was found guilty of misusing the funds of the bank, was sentenced to five years in jail.

Saturday, July 20. J. L. Davis and Miss Docia Vebryke were drowned at Lima O., by the capsizing of their boat on a lake.

Herman Brunidine, a New York author, was struck by an automobile at Monticello, N. Y., and fatally injured.

A cloudburst at Canfield, near Zanesville, O., washed away two houses and inundated the town, but no lives were lost.

John McNulty, a track walker on the Pennsylvania railroad, was struck by a train at Philadelphia and instantly killed.

The death at sea of W. H. R. Schaefer, of Newark, N. J., on the steamer Deutschland, was reported on the arrival of the steamer at New York.

Monday, July 22. Falling from a cherry tree at Millroy, Pa., Jesse Mills, 14 years old, sustained a fractured skull.

A Lake Shore passenger train at

—Jiggers—Well, how do you like living in a flat?  
—Jiggers—Great! Splendid!  
—Jiggers—But you haven't as much room as you had in your house.  
—Jiggers—That's just it—no room for my wife's relatives.

**Davis' Paint.**

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Life Assurance Company, with an unparalleled record for sixty years, wants you. Our agents earn thousands, it all depends on the man. There is a bright future for you in this Company. We will help you. Apply at once,

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**RECEIVER'S NOTICE**—Notice to creditors and debtors in the estate of R. M. Henderson, insolvent.

The undersigned, having been duly appointed by the Court of Common Pleas of Centre county, Receiver, in the estate of R. M. Henderson, an insolvent, notice is hereby given to all creditors to make proof of their claims as provided by Act of Assembly of 1901, P. L. 498, and to present same to the undersigned within six months from the date hereof; and all debtors are hereby required to make payment to the Receiver forthwith.

**J. KENNEDY JOHNSTON, Receiver.**  
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July 18, 1907.

**CLAIM OF \$123.46 FOR SALE!**

DO YOU WANT IT?

This office offers to the highest bidder an unpaid balance against the estate of the late Governor D. H. EASTMAN, amounting to

**ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SIX DOLLARS and thirty-three cents, less \$12.87, for which judgment has been obtained.** The claim is an honest and undisputed account for advertising, job work and subscription to this paper. There are no allegations that any of the items are overcharged, nor is there any plea that the work was not ordered done, or not done. So that every charge in the entire account will be guaranteed correct.

It is due, however, to those who may be inclined to become bidders, that they should know that while the justice and correctness of this claim is admitted and the estate alleged to be worth any amount from a quarter to a half-million of dollars; yet the administrators—who are also its heirs and beneficiaries,—have refused payment, simply because they could plead the limitation and thus avoid the payment of an honest debt.

The above amount may not be worth much as a cash asset. It may be of some value, perchance as a reminder that there are others than the ordinary "dead beat" and "debt jumpers," who seek the technicalities of the law to save the payment of just obligations.

No bond will be asked from bidders. Any "odd thing" will be considered good when compared with a wealthy estate that won't pay a just debt.

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**HIS GREATEST HIT.**

The Batter Was Home All Right, but the Run Didn't Count.

"Talking of home plates, that reminds me," began Brick Morse, "of the greatest hit I ever made. It was back at the recreation grounds in San Francisco, final game of the series with Stanford, score 3 to 2 against us. "Remember the way that angle of the fence came in at center field? There was one of those wooden drafts used to smooth off the infield. It had been left tilted up against that corner of the fence, supposedly out of the way.

"I missed the first ball up, let three bad ones pass, had a rotten high one called on me, and it looked all off for yours truly. The next one came easy. I just shut my eyes and swung with all my might. I felt my hands sting on the bat. I went to first! Second! Three thousand people were up yelling like maniacs. 'Oh, you Brick! Home run, home run!' I tagged third and went for the plate. 'Slide! You gotta slide!' sounded in a roar like an express train crossing a trestle. Something struck me a terrific smash on the left side of the head. 'Out!' yelled the umpire. 'Hit by his own batted ball!' My big hit has gone to the center fence, struck the seat on that smoother—seat was mounted on old spiral bed springs—and the ball had rebounded clear back to the plate!"

"How near were you to home, Clinton?" inquired a listener.

"Oh, I was home all right. When I came to my fingers were touching the corner of the"—

"Plate?"

"Nope. The bureau."—San Francisco Chronicle.

**SINKING FUNDS.**

They Originated In a Scheme Devised by Lord Stanhope.

The general public has no idea of the meaning of "sinking fund." The term had its origin in a scheme devised by Lord Stanhope in 1716 whereby, by certain taxes on the South Sea (Bubble) and general funds were made perpetual, and it was enacted that the surplus should be annually invested and applied to the discharge of the national debt. By means of it between the years 1716 and 1733 the sum of \$52,240,000 of the debt was actually discharged. So rich became the sinking fund that it excited the cupidty of parliament, and the grafters laid violent hands on it, diverting it to other purposes, so that in the succeeding twenty-five years only \$42,500,000 more had been paid off.

The fund got into a condition so wretched that it did little in time of peace and nothing in time of war to discharge the national debt. Dr. Price persuaded William Pitt to adopt his plan of investing \$5,000,000 every year at compound interest until with the accumulations the sum amounted to \$20,000,000, when it was to be invested at simple interest only, leaving the amount of interest annually redeemed at the disposal of parliament. Dr. Price said: "Let a state be supposed to run in debt \$10,000,000 a year, for which it pays interest at 4 per cent. In seventy years a debt of \$700,000,000 would be incurred. But an appropriation of \$2,000,000 a year employed as a sinking fund at compound interest would at the end of this time leave the nation beforehand \$30,000,000."—New York Press.

**The Dread of Death.**

Granted that it is the will of God that we shall remain on earth and live our appointed lives there, it is essential that mankind should feel the dread of death. Without that dread the world could hardly remain peopled. The dread of death is to the soul what the law of gravity is to the body. It anchors us to the earth. Without that dread to weigh us down and keep us to the globe half mankind would be driven by curiosity by the love of change, by the dread of ennui, by what Bacon calls "idleness and satiety," to push open the closed door and see what is beyond. Children and a few very happy and easily pleased people might perhaps say they would not explore farther and that they were perfectly content with things as they are.—St. James' Gazette.

**His Business.**

A passing stranger was attracted by frightful screams coming from a little house not far from the road. Hurriedly tying his horse, he ran to the house and found that a little boy had swallowed a quarter, and his mother, not knowing what to do, had become frantic. The stranger caught the little fellow by his heels and, holding him up, gave a few shakes, whereupon the quarter soon dropped to the floor.

"Well, mister," said the grateful mother, "you cert'nly knowed how to get it out. Air you a doctor?"

"No, madam," replied the stranger, "I'm a collector of internal revenue."—Philadelphia Ledger.

**How to Remember History.**

Teacher—With whom did Achilles fight at the battle of Troy?  
Pupil—Pluto.  
"Wrong. Try again."  
"Nero."  
"Nero? How do you?"  
"Then it must have been Hector. I knew it was one of our three dogs."—London Mail.

**The Ones That Sold.**

Father—Well, how does your husband succeed with his art? Does he sell any pictures?  
Daughter—I should think so! Why, there is not a single one left of those you gave us for a wedding present!—Flegende Blätter.

If you can't be careful of what you say, be careful to whom you say it.—Rolla New Era.

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