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### ADDITIONAL LOCAL NEWS.

SEIBERT.-Mrs. Ann Elizabeth Seibert, widow of the late Jacob Seibert, died at terial burg, at 3.10 o'clock Tuesday morning. She had been in poor health for some some serve at the results at the runeral which was held on Tuesday afternoon, burial being made in the Boalsburg at the runeral which was held on Tuesday afternoon, burial being made in the Boalsburg convictions, yet uniformly courteous and kind in maintaining them. His piety was genuine and influential over his whole weeks as the result of a general breakdown.

She was a daughter of John and Ann Reese and was born in Bellefonte on De-communions, and twice Brother Adair Danville hospital on Wednesday after-cember 9th, 1836, making her age 76 assisted me, once in Mercersburg and noon. He was about fifty-three years of years, 3 months and 16 days. She was once in the Cove. His texts were such married to Mr. Seibert in September, last, and they made their home in Bellethe Gospel—the righteousness of Christ, the good hope through ago when he was taken to Danville on but surviving the deceased are the following children: Mrs. Nancy Kerstetter, of Philipsburg; Mrs. Carrie Kirk, of Hobart, Ind.; James D. Seibert, of Bellefonte; Harry, of Barnesboro; Mrs. J. Newlin, Alfred and Frank, of Philips-

Mrs. Seibert was a member of the United Brethren church all her life. She was a woman of more than ordinary talent, had a fondness for good literature and had a strong christian character. Funeral services were held at her late made in the Union cemetery.

ALEXANDER.-Miss Emily Alexander died at the home of her niece, Mrs. Sara R. Bushman, at Centre Hall, on Friday, March 21st.

She was a daughter of Francis and Letbirth. In looking back over her past life days.

Schuyler, officiating.

the result.

Irwin Holly. Deceased also leaves one burying ground. brother, Frank E. Irwin, of Chicago, and one sister, Mrs. John C. Hoffer, of Philipsburg. The remains were taken to the Hoffer home in Philipsburg on Friday made in the Philipsburg cemetery.

on Saturday morning, of heart failure, John S. Furst & Sons. He is survived by morning. his wife and two children; also two brothers. The funeral was held on Monday morning, burial being made at Cedar Springs.

HUBER.-Mrs. Margaret Huber, a sister of Mrs. Thomas Hamilton died at the Hamilton home on Allegheny street on Tuesday evening, of a general breakdown in health, aged about sixty years. Her maiden name was Margaret McMickin, and she was born and raised in Williamsport. Her father at one time was sheriff of Lycoming county and her husband was a prominent druggist in Williamsport. She was a member of the Catholic church and a devoted christian woman. The remains were taken to Williamsport yesterday for burial.

yesterday morning.

the United Presbyterian congregation at

and clerk of the Presbytery. then till now I have cherished him as a friend. In later years, we have not often

"In that Presbytery of "magnificent distances," as we used to say, we nearly always had some brother to assist at as led him to consider the very heart of fonte until 1887 when they moved to Christ. He took delight in the commun-Philipsburg. Mr. Seibert died in 1892, ion themes. He was a profitable preacher-a good exegete, with a well-digested plan of treatment and with a warmth of emotion in practically applying the Bible message. The people, an intelligent, godly people, delighted to hear him. It was a spiritual feast he brought to a flock with spiritual appetite to appreciate it. Stonevalley, and saw him with his own brought to Bellefonte for burial. family and his own flock, which he served for thirty years. He was a rare pastor. His ministry seemed to me all of a piece, characterized by sincere devotion

to Christ and to souls of men. The last year of Rev. Adair's life was one of almost constant suffering from home on Wednesday evening by Rev. W. cancer on the face. Without a murmur H. Spangler and yesterday the remains and with unwavering faith in Christ he were brought to Bellefonte and taken to bore it all. His last days were spent at the home of her son James, on Pine the home of a friend in Indiana, Pa., street, where funeral services will be where he had the best of attention. He held at ten o'clock this morning by Rev. is survived by his wife, who prior to her C. W. Winey, after which burial will be marriage was Miss Sue T. Campbell, of this county, and two sons, Prof. J. C. Adair, of Nampa, Idaho, and Rev. W. C. Adair, of Bristol, Colorado.

township, died at his home in Penn town- afternoon. tie Alexander, and was born east of the ship, Clearfield county, on Wednesday of Old Fort on February 2nd, 1835. Her en- last week after a brief illness with pneutire life was spent near the place of her monia, aged 86 years, 10 months and 28 and Mrs. Irvin G. Speer, of St. Louis, Mo.

and loving service, her one desire to do Hannah Moore Way and was born in meningitis, after a brief illness. He was good to all about her. She was a faith- Halfmoon township. His parents were aged fourteen years and was a bright and ful member of the Presbyterian church among the pioneer settlers of that valley interesting boy. Burial was made in St. and by her pure, consistent life of service and naturally farmers. When he grew to Louis on Saturday. leaves an example one might well seek to manhood Mr. Way also engaged in farming and for seventy years was one of the Mrs. M. A. Ross, of Centre Hall, and Mrs. an honest, upright citizen in every way. boys at Roopsburg. Abner Murray, of Boalsburg. Interment In 1839 he was united in marriage to was made in the Centre Hall cemetery. Miss Margaret Wilson who died in 1889. Wants Western Penitentiary Investigated Monday morning, her pastor, Dr. W. H' By this marriage he had two sons, both of whom survive, namely: T. Wilson Way, of West Chester, and R. Orlanda HOLLY.-Mrs. Dorothy Holly, wife of Way, of Halfmoon township. About Clarence B. Holly, of Metcalf, Mass, died seventeen years ago he was married to in a hospital at Milford, that State, on Annie E. Underwood and shortly there-Thursday of last week. She was taken after they located in Clearfield county. sick with appendicitis on Tuesday and His second wife also survives as well as the same day underwent an operation. an adopted daughter, Sarah Bloom, and Peritonitis developed and her death was one brother, Robert A. Way, now in the Bellefonte hospital.

Deceased was a daughter of the late
Mr. and Mrs. William E. Irwin, and was
born in Philipsburg about forty years
two o'clock last Friday afternoon and on
Pittsburgh bankers and former counborn in Philipsburg about forty years two o'clock last Friday afternoon and on ago. She was married to Mr. Holly in Saturday the remains were taken to Half-1892, and he survives with one son, Harold moon valley for burial in the Friends

Ross.-Mrs. Eliza J. Ross, widow of the late George W. Ross, died at her home in Tyrone on Friday evening, as a result of one political party, to investigate the evening and the funeral held at 2.30 of a general breaking down of the syso'clock Saturday afternoon, burial being tem. She was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Work, and was born at Moore's Mills, Huntingdon county, in Centre county buildings are being start FURST.—Albert S. Furst died at his come at Cedar Springs, Clinton county, large was in her eighty-seventh year. When twenty years of age she was in her eighty-seventh year. When twenty years of age she was united in marriage to George W. The Baldwin resolution recites that home at Cedar Springs, Clinton county, year. When twenty years of age she was united in marriage to George W. following a brief illness with bronchitis.

He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. John S.

Was united in marriage to George W.

Ross, of Ferguson township, and for a number of years they were residents of Pittsburgh, and the expenditure of the Furst and was born at Cedar Springs on Centre county, finally locating on what is money for the new institution. November 14th, 1841. His father was a now the well known Ross farm near Tybrother of the late Judge A. O. Furst, of rone. After Mr. Ross' death Mrs. Ross Bellefonte. When a young man the deceased studied law and was admitted to spent the remainder of her life. She was the Clinton county bar in 1867. In 1872 the mother of ten children, six of whom he moved to Cedar Springs, and succeed- survive. Burial was made in the Granded his father in charge of the business of view cemetery, Tyrone, on Tuesday role system is unjustly admini

> Lucas.—Mrs. William Lucas died at tion says that a department of accounts maintained was lately hastily disconting her home at Moshannon on Wednesday morning after a prolonged illness with | ued and the records destroye diabetes and other complications. She was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Isenberg and was born at Barre, Hunting- PRISON INSPECTORS WELCOME INVESTIGAdon county, on February 22nd, 1845. In 1887 she was married to Mr. Lucas and for several years the family resided at Coleville, later moving to Moshannon. In addition to her husband, she is survived by one sister, Mrs. J. F. Lucas, of Moshannon. The funeral will take place this (Friday) afternoon, burial to be made in the Askey cemetery.

STAMM.-Mrs. Mary Stamm, widow of the late Charles Stamm, died yesterday morning at her home on the Emanuel KNARR.—Franklin Knarr, an old-time Musser farm in Ferguson township, after and any of his subor resident of Millheim, died on Sunday an illness of some months with tubercu- the cor evening of heart failure, aged 81 years, 8 losis. She was born near Centre Hall and months and 13 days. His wife died about was in her sixty-sixth year. Surviving fifteen months ago, but surviving him is her are two sons, Claire and Clyde, both one son, C. E. Knarr, of Millheim. Bur- at home. The funeral will be held toial was made in the Millheim cemetery morrow morning, burial to be made in the Zion cemetery near Tusseyville.

THE REV. JOHN M. ADAIR. -Born Sep- COBLE. -Mrs. Catharine Coble, wife of With the Churches of the alarge party in honor of Mrs. Etters' birthday. tember 10th, 1831; died February 19th, John Coble, died last Saturday evening 1913, both at Indiana, Pa. Of Mr. Adair at the home of her son Calvin, at Oak Rev. Dr. K. G. Ferguson, former presi- Hall, of general debility, being in her Notes of Interest to Church People of dent of Westminister College, writes: eightieth year. She was born and spent "When I went as a young man to Big her entire life within sight of where she Spring Presbytery, one of its leading died. She was a good, kind woman and spirits was Rev. John M. Adair, pastor of had many friends. In addition to her McAlevy's Fort, Huntingdon county, Pa., husband she is survived by the following children: Sarah, of Linden Hall; Cal-"He gave me cordial welcome, and from vin, of Oak Hall; William, of Lock Haven; Thomas, of Los Angeles, Cal.; Mrs. met, yet as often as our paths crossed, it Percival Rudy, State College; Mrs. Cheswas a benediction to receive his cheery ter Miller and Mrs. Stambaugh, of Brookville. She also leaves thirty-five grand-"He was a man of active disposition, taking always his full share in Presbyterial labors. He was methodical and dren. Rev. S. C. Stover had charge of

SMITH.—Philip M. Smith, a former well known resident of Bellefonte, died at the cordially invited. age, a laborer by occupation and spent account of failing health. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Mary Smith, but no mother, Mrs. William Smith, of Bush's Addition, one brother and two sisters namely: George and Mrs. Harriet Miller, of this place, and Mrs. Isaac Shuey, "I was more than once in his home in of Patton township. The remains were

> Musser.-John B. Musser, a well known resident of Wolf's Store, died on Tuesday of last week of pneumonia, aged eighty years. He is survived by one son, William, of Gregg township, and three daughters: Mrs. Jeremiah Gramley, of Gregg township; Mrs. Emory Kulp, of Renovo, and Mrs. Edward Wert, of Sugar valley. Burial was made at Rebersbnrg on Sunday.

BAIR.-Editor W. T. Bair, of the Philipsburg Journal, is mourning the death of his mother, Mrs. Catharine Elizabeth Bair, of Germany Valley, Huntingdon county, which occurred on Friday of last week. WAY .- Thomas M. Way, for many She was 80 years, 3 months and 17 days years a well known resident of Halfmoon old. The funeral was held on Monday

SPEER-Irvin G. Speer, Jr., son of Mr. and grandson of the late William Speer, her many friends recall only kind acts Deceased was a son of Robert and died on Thursday of last week of spinal

----Ambrose Pearce, colored, is now in She is survived by one brother and two well known residents of that locality. He the Centre county jail for trial on the sisters, namely: James Alexander and was a member of the Friends church and charge of pointing a gun at a party of

Sweeping investigation of the financial affairs of the Western Penitentiary proposed at a session of the Legislature Monday night by a resolution of Repre-sentative Baldwin, of Beaver, it is declared, will involve high State officials. The sponsor of the resolution says that an inquiry will show that relatives of State of-ficials are carried on the pay roll who are not performing the duties for which they draw salaries. John Francies, the waren, is a political power, who has friend-y relations with many State officials. He

cilmen, who have recently been liberated will go to Harrisburg to testify and a scandal of great proportions, it is declar-ed, will be exposed. John Marron, coun-sel for the grafting councilmen, of Pitts-burgh, is said to be behind the investiga-

Representative Baldwin wants a con conduct and expenditures of the presen Western Penitentiary at Pittsburgh, and the erection of the new buildings for the same institution in Centre county. The

# CONDUCT OF PRISONERS.

It says that prisoners guilty of un-natural crimes and infected with incurable disease are allowed to associate with young first offenders, both at meals and in the prison routine. Brutal and inhu-mane punishment is inflicted, and the paboth of these wrongs resulting in disaf fection and frequent quarrels among the prisoners, the resolution recites.

The report is to be made not later than April 14, this year.

A meeting of the board of prison in-spectors of the Western penitentiary was held on Tuesday, at which warden John Francies was present, and they pas resolution welcoming the complete vestigation possible of the affairs and condition of that institution. Warden Francies stated that he would immediately have his secretary get together for a thorough and minute inspection by any commission that may be appointed all books, contracts—old and new—receipts checks, etc., pertaining to the maintenance of the old penitentiary and in con nection with the starting of the new in stitution of Centre county; and that he ssion any and all the inform tion desired

The Legislature, however, on Wednesday voted down the resolution for an investigation and there the matter will end

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the WATCHMAN Office.

# County.

all Denominations in all Parts of the County.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY. Service Sunday 10:45 a. m. Wednesday 8 p. m., 9½ E. High street.

Dean Arthur Holmes, of State College, will occupy the pulpit of the Presbyterian church at both services Sunday. Dean Holmes preached for this congregation one day last summer. Also his work at the teachers' institute has given him a wide circle of admirers. No doubt he will be greeted by large audiences. Dr. Hawes is away for ten days assisting in

their quarterly meeting in the Forge church, at Bellefonte, April 4-6. All are Rev. J. J. Zahniser, D. E.

### Farm Butter Makers.

Pennsylvania is the leading farm butter-making State. More than fifteen millions of dollars worth of butter is made annually on our farms. For the purpose of improving the quality of much children. Other survivors are his aged of this butter the Dairy Husbandry De partment of The Pennsylvania State College will have a butter scoring contest. It is the purpose of this contest to stimulate interest in good butter by friendly rivalry. It is also known that the defects of much of the butter at the present time could be prevented. A contest will help to learn just what the defects are and in a large measure how they are caused and prevented.

The plan is to have four contests dur ing the year; on April 22, June 24, Aug ust 20 and October 22. Each contestant should send one pound of butter by parcel post or express to the Dairy Hus ry Department, State College, Pa., to reach State College not later than the dates given above. The butter should be carefully wrapped with considerable paper. The expense for postage will be no greater unless two pounds is reached. Upon arrival the butter will be put in cold storage and held until properly chilled when it will be scored by a competent judge. The sample will also be tested for moisture. This information together Bair, and widow of the late David H. with comments on the butter and suggestions for improvement will be sent to each contestant. The butter, after being judged and samples taken for analysis will be sold to help pay the expense of conducting the contest

The following score card will be used PERFECT SCORE.

AWARDS—A silver cup appropriately engraved will be sent to the contestant who has the highest average for the four contests. All who take part in the four contests and have an average score of 90 or more will be awarded a certificate properly engraved and with a table showing the scores in the various contests.

Write today to the Dairy Husbandry
Department, State College, Pa., for entry blank, stating your name and address

# PINE GROVE MENTION.

J. H. Williams lost a good cow on Monday. Miss Ada Smith, of Tyrone, is visiting friends

Miss Luella Ross is visiting friends in Clearfield

Mrs. Emanuel Musser is visiting her daughte Mrs. Ross spent Easter with her daughter

Jacob Zong is suffering with an attack of bloo A nice little girl came to the E. W. Hess home

George Tate, of Braddock, is visiting his man Centre county friends E. K. Smith, of Wisconsin, has been visiting

old chums in Center county. George Carper is home from Clarion county for brief stay with his parents Henry Meyers is having his home

James Poorman has the job. S. E. Goss, of Reading, has b friends here the past few days.

Mrs. Margaret Vangerter, of Toronto, Canada is visiting Centre county friends. Mrs. Sadie Shaffer, of Bellefonte, week with friends on the Branch.

After a months visit here Miss Edith Spar went to her home in Williams Mrs. Ada Campbell spent Saturday at Stat College shopping and sizing up the Easter hats. After a pleasant visit Miss Grace Musser left

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller spent Easter Sun-Dr. John Robinson, of Scranton, was here last week looking after some business at State Col-

After a months visit with Centre county friends W. E. Stover returned to his work at Pitcairn

Bessie and Margaret Bloom came over from State College and visited their mother over the Harry Harro is moving to Clarion, Pa., Chas.

Segner and Cal Coxey will succeed him in the tin Miss Lena Burwell is aiding her brother Allen, at Tyrone, pack his personal effects for a visi

with relatives in Wisconsin. Last Saturday evening Prof. Gardner gave a most interesting lecture on corn growing before Washington Grange, at Pine Hall.

Mrs. Emma Hess, of Bellefonte, was here Tuesday to see that Newton got properly located in his new home on west College avenue, State Col-

The Mothersbaugh sale at Boalsburg on Wed nesday amounted to \$1,000. Cows sold as high as \$75, yearling calves \$54, and sucking pigs \$14 per pair

-Walter Rutherford, who was recently dis-charged from the Johnstown hospital after a siege of pneumonia, is recuperating his health mong friends in this section. Mrs. Oscar Rishel gave a nice evening party to

a bunch of Oak Hall youngsters Monday evening. Refreshments were served and a royal good time was enjoyed by all who had the good fortune to

On Tuesday of last week a large number of friends gathered at the David Baney home as a farewell party previous to their flitting to War riorsmark, and on Wednesday evening the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Etters was besieged by

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Florey, of Tusseyville, are mourning the death of their ten months old baby, who died on Wednesday of pneumonia. Buria will be made in the Zion cemetery. near Tusseyville, today.

Last Friday Perry Hilliard moved to the Bell home at Rock Springs; Tuesday Frank Keller flit-ted to one of the State farms; Thursday James eese moved to his big plantation down Bald Eagle, known as the Crider farm.

After an absence of many years Robert Barr, of Colorado, is visiting his brother David in this place. Naturally he notes many changes hereabouts, especially old friends who have passed away. He was accompanied by his niece, Mrs. fallen. The Bulgarian war office gave Anna Pifer, of Alexandria.

The Lutz sale Saturday was a hummer. Bidding was brisk, a team of bav horses being knocked down at the \$600 mark. The sale amounted to \$4,690. The C. W. Weaver sale the day previous summed up to the \$4,000 notch and the Kidder and Raymond sale \$4,260.

A most disastrous storm of wind and hail passed over this section last Friday, uprooting trees. scattering fences and unroofing the barns of J. C. Corl, at White Hall; Dr. Houser, back of Meek's church; Milo Campbell, of Fairbrook. Dent Peterson's barn roof was carried a quarter of a mile away and many small buildings cap-

The many friends of H. M. Snyder showered him with post cards last Saturday in remembrance of his eighty-third birthday anniversary. On Wednesday of last week Mrs. Curtin H. Meyers gave her husband a surprise party when a large number of his friends were bidden to his home to assist in the celebration. The affair proved a most delightful one.

### SPRING MILLS.

House cleaning day is nearly here-Great

rushed the last works of the Turkish Emanuel and Michael Smith, of Potters Mills, defenders in the face of a terrific fire

were here for a few days last week. Wm. Houtz, of Lemont, made us a short visit of a day or two last week, a guest of H. I. Brian Bert Krape, of Bellefonte, was here for a few days last week, a guest of his brother-in-law, G. enter the city.

Benjaman Donachy, of Lewisburg, was here ver Sunday on a visit to his mother, Mrs. Maggie Donachy.

Merchant H. F. Rossman is fully three inches taller since he found himself grandpap. His son John, residing in Arkansas, notified him of that

Of course the little people had a good time on Easter, about every one had a chocolate egg, besides the usual dose of hard boiled hen eggs. It was said that some of our "delicate" folks ate as many as a dozen eggs for breakfast,-this seems

Moving has commenced here a trifle previous, Charles Breon shipped his household effects to Altoona on Saturday last; B. F. Ream moved on Friday to Boalsburg; K. Turner shipped his effects to Bellwood on Wednesday last; C. E. Zeigler shipped his goods to State College on last Monday, and during the week W. H. Meyer, will move into the dwelling just vacated by Charles

The special session of High school in our Academy building, commencing on the 7th prox., promises to be unusually large in attendance. This will make our town quite lively. The session is especially for those wishing to equip themproughly for teaching. The instruction will be under the immediate supervision of Prof. U. A. Moyer, a gentleman well and widely known as a brilliant scholar; very successful as a teacher, affable and pleasant, with a host of friends, ment should prove a complete success.

The K. G. E. had their annual banquet on Thursday evening of last week and it was largely ttended. The tables were beautifully set and lavishly furnished with dainties of a rare and choice character. After the banquet there was music followed by addresses. Windom Gramley, in his usual courtly manner as toast master, called upon Professor Moyer, who responded in an interesting address, being followed by several others. The ladies of the Temple were also called upon for any remarks they might be pleased to make. Miss Bessie Grove delivered quite a pleasing address, as did several other members The occasion was a most delightful one and it was a late hour when all retired to their respect ive homes, regretting that the banquet was at an

Situation In Entire Allegheny Valley

Pittsburgh, Pa., March 27.-Oil City and the entire Allegheny valley is Fulmeles. stricken with the most serious flood in the history of this section of the state.

Oil creek, which flows into the Allegheny river at Oil City, is rising at hour.

The river gauge at Oil City registered twenty feet, the highest ever known. Normally there is only a foot or two of water there, and for several months of the year the river bed is dry. Business at Oil City is at a standstill, as the entire business section is under water.

Considerable anxiety was experienced in Oli City over the large quantities of gasoline and oil which covered the surface of the creek and river. The oil was about 4000 barrels, washed away from the Carmania Refinery company's plant.

As the oil flowed down the surface of the waters it was feared that there would be a repetition of the disaster of June 5, 1892, when, during a similar flood, the entire surface of the river was ablaze with oil that had ignited. A large number of lives were lost at that time.

When the residents were notified of the escaping oil they rushed to the river banks. Then the local company of the National Guard was called out to drive them back, roping off the entire section lining the rivers. Newspapers and industrial plants at

Oil City are shut down by flooded power rooms. Fires are prohibited and railroad locomotives were ordered to extinguish their fires to avoid any danger of igniting the oil.

No lives have been reported lost in the vicinity of Oil City.

Eleven Drowned at Fremont, Onio. Sandusky, O., March 27.-Later reports increased the list of drowned at Fremont, O., to eleven. The water in exact number is unknown. the main street is fifteen feet doep. This city has sent the special train where flood conditions are bad.

## Allies Take Adrianople.

#### The Allies Rushed the Last Works of Turks In Face of Terrific Fire. Flames Destroying City.

London, March 27 .- After two days' desperate fighting Tchatalia has fallen into the hands of the Bulgarians, according to a telegram received by the Bulgarian legation at London.

Sofia, March 27. - Adrianople has

out that information. The fall of the Turkish holy city, which probably will speedily end the long Balkan war, followed a general assault by the Bulgarians and Servians.

According to the report the Third Bulgarian division entered the city and took formal possession. Before they surrendered the Turks blew up several powder magazines and fired houses.

It was reported that Adrianople was in flames in a dozen places and that the inhabitants were fleeing in every direction There was danger that the city would be destroyed.

Accounts from the front said that

the Bulgarians bayonetted hundreds

of Turks, who were engaged in firing houses and blowing up powder magazines. The Bulgarians and Servians entered the city after hours of desperate fighting and a display of valor seldom equalled in modern warfare. They

and won their way into the city in hand to hand encounters. The Bulgarian Schipka regiment won the honor of being the first to

Shukri Pasha, the Turkish commander, it is reported, killed himself.

The entire garrison was captured. The fall of Adrianople is by far the most notable single event that has marked the war of the Balkan states against Turkey and may readily lend itself to the conclusion of peace along the lines marked out by the European

powers. The siege has been one of the most notable in modern warfare, taking rank after that of Port Arthur in the Russo-Japanese war. It has been in progress since the end of last October, a period of five months, which have been marked by an almost incessant bombardment from the heavy Bulgarian seige guns, many assaults and some sorties by the Turkish garrison.

# J. "HAM" LEWIS IS SENATOR

Deadlock Broken In Illinois and Demo-

crat is Sent to Congress. Springfield, Ill., March 27. - James Hamilton Lewis, Democrat, was elected United States senator for the long term when the deadlock was broken in the Illinois legislature.

A senator for the short term to succeed William Lorimer is still to be

elected. James Hamilton Lewis, usually known as "J. Ham.," is a picturesque figure in Democratic circles and is widely known for his "pink" whiskers. He is one of the best known lawyers in the country, and has been active in Democratic politics in Illinois and other states for many years. He was born in Danville, Va., in 1866.

Six-Cent Verdict For Woman. Wilmington, Del., March 27. - Six cents damages was awarded to Mrs. Annie Fulmele, who sued John Forrest to recover for loss of her husband, whose death she ascribed to the collapes of a doorstep of a house owned by Forrest and tenanted by the

# Neil Again Appointed.

Washington, March 27.-President Wilson announced the recess appointment of Charles P. Neill as commisthe alarming rate of three inches an sioner of labor statistics. Mr. Neill's appointment was sent to the senate at the recent special session, but no action was taken upon it.

#### Ohio House Votes That Sum For the Sufferers.

Columbus, Ohio, March 27. - The house, under a suspension of the rules, immediately passed a bill introduced by Mr. Lowry for the relief of the flood sufferers.

It carries \$250,000, and this entire sum is placed in the hands of the governor for distribution as he deems fit. The bill carries the emergency clause so it goes into effect immediately upon its passage.

Pennsylvania Gives \$50,000. Harrisburg, Pa., March 27. - The senate unanimously passed a resolution providing for the forwarding of \$50,000 to the flood sufferers of Ohio.

The vote by which the resolution passed the senate was reconsidered immediately after and the resolution was referred to the judiciary general committee. This was done because the resolution was not in proper form. A bill wil! be drafted to carry the appropriation.

Say 150 Dead at Delaware, O. Delaware, O., March 27. - Rescue work continued in the flooded district and the list of those believed dead

was changed from time to time. Several reported dead were found and others believed saved were reported dead. However, the list of dead probably will reach forty or fifty. Because of meager reports from the main business section of Delaware the

Those marooned on house roofs and in the tree tops are still alive, alwith lifeboats and crews to Tian, O., though many of them had no food for twenty-eight to thirty-five hours