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Y. M. C. A. CONVENTION.

The Annual District Convention of the Young Men's Christian Association convened in the Presbyterian church, Friday afternoon at three o'clock. The convention was opened by devotional exercises conducted by C. W. Harvey, of Bucknell University, atter which came the organization.

Prof. C. H. Albert was chosen chairman, and G. W. Alexander, of Bucknell University, secretary.

K. Aldinger read an interesting paper on "Bible study," after which the convention adjourned.

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At 5:30 the delegates were ban-At 5:30 the delegates were ban-queted in the church parlors by the Ladies Auxiliary, of town. At the conclusion of the banquet Rev. J. D. Smith delivered the address of welcome which was responded to by S. M. Bard, of Harrisburg, State Secretary.

The evening session was occupied by a praise service and an able address on "The Power of Consecrated Life," by Dr. Dayton Roberts of Williamsport.

The Sunday sessions were held in the Methodist church. The con-vention closed with the services in The rendition of sevthe evening. eral selections from the cantata "David the Shepherd Boy," under the direction of F. N. Turner, was an enjoyable part of the program.

Another such a "victory" as that claimed by the Republicans at the re-cent election would play havoc with the prospects of that party. In Pennsylvania the Democrats cut down the Republican plurality over one-half, gained seven congressmen, and elected 87 members to the legislature. Adding the states of New York, Massachusetts, New Jersey and Maryland, they gained twenty six seats in congress. In New York they cut a Republican plurality 268.000 down to 20,000; in New Jersey trom 87,000 to 5,000; in Massachusetts from 173,000 to 83,000. Minnesota elected Lind, Democrat, by 10,000 plurality, the second Democratic gov-ernor in that state in forty years. The Republican majority in congress is cut down to a dangerously narrow margin. Last, and not least, the Pennsylvania legislature will stand 155 to 99 against Quay.— Ex.

cleaning his gun on Thanksgiving day to take a hunt Bruce Ritchie, of Waller, accidently discharged the weapon, the contents taking effect in his left foot. He is about nineteen years of age, and for some time past has been working at Forks.

MARRIED.

REDDICK—LEVAN. — On Thanksgiving day, November 24, 1898, by Wm. B Snyder, J. P., at his office, Locust Twp., this county, Mr. Wm. J. Reddick, of Aristes, to Miss Harriet A. Levan, of Newlin, both of this

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Philo Reunion.

The Philo Reunion, held last Thursday evening, was a very pleasant affair. The meeting in the auditorium was opened by a well played selection by the Normal Orchestra. President Moore made a brief address of welcome, and introduced the entertainer Prof. Ford of Baltimore, who for nearly two hours kept the audience in good humor. At the close of the entertainment, all were invited to the gymnasium where an informal reception was held. The room was beautifully decorated and handsomely furnished for the occasion. It was alto-gether a very successful affair.

The returns of the soldier vote were received and counted at Wilkesbarre on Monday, says the Hazleton Standard. But the total soldiers' vote amounted to one, the single voter being George A. Knecht of the Third ward, Wilkesbarre, who was a member of the Fourth Regiment stationed at Allentown, ready to be mustered out at the time of election. Prothonotary Paul Dash stated that it will cost nearly \$100 to Luzerne county to count this single vote. The board of six-teen clerks were brought together for this work and each will receive \$5 a day. Then the expressage on on the books, etc., will foot up the

A pretty wedding took place in A pretty wedang took place in St. Matthews' Lutheran church last Wednesday afternoon, when A. R. Teitsworth and Miss Mazie Kunkle were made man and wife. The words which made the two young people partners for life were said by the pastor Rev. McLinn, in the presence of a large number of guests. A reception at the home of the bride's father on Fifth and Catharine streets followed the ceremony, after which the couple left on the D. L. & W. train for their new home at Bridgeport, Conn. The groom formerly resided in this town.

There seems to be an enormous de mand for buckwheat this season, and it was fortunate that the crop through-out this section was considerable above the average of former years. The price has steadily risen until it has reached 45 cents per bushel here, and will probably go to 50 cents within another week. Jasper Lewis, of this place, who is acting as purchasing agent for Mr. James Reichard of Bloomsburg, has shipped over 1800 bushels within the past twelve days, and has orders to continue purchasing all that can be procured in this section. -Benton Ar-

McOlure's Magazine for Deo,

Three rotable serials begin in the December number of McClure's Magazine. "Stalky," the first of Rudyard Kipling's series of stories of Eng.'ish school-boy life, is as hearty and wholesome a tale of school-boy ingenuity and wholesome a tale of school-boy ingenuity and adventure as one could wish to read, and, while complete in itself, leaves the appetite keen for more of the same sort. The first of Miss Tarbell's articles on the "Later Life of Lincoln," is an even more distinguished beginning than the first of Mr. Kipling's stories. Lincoln appears in the full sanity and tenderness of his superb character, in her account of his actions, utterances, and bearing during the perplexing period between his first election and his first inauguration as President. Finally, we have the first of a series of papers by Capitain Mahan on "The War on the Sea and Its Lessons"—a contribution to the literature of the recent war that, coming from a member of the Strategy Board and the highest authority on the science of naval warfare, cannot fail to be read with eagerness in all parts of the civilized world. This first paper is devoted especially to showing how a quite different strategy was required in a war undertaken primarily to relieve Cuba of Spanish misrule than would have been required had the war been one for the direct satisfaction of grievances of our own against Spain; and it takes up and considers, under this new aspect, each of the earlier movements of the war.

The number derives a Christmas quality from its frontispiece, "Shepherds Abiding in the Field," painted at Bethlehem, especially for the magazine, by C. K. Linson; and from two excellent Christmas stories. George B. Waldron gives a fairly thrilling exposition, in statements and tables, of the growth of the Anglo-Saxon in rule and territory in the last twe hundred years. Cleveland Moffat tells some good stories of hunting big game on elephants, and Ray Stannard Baker gives a thrilling chapter from the records of the Government Sec McOlure's Magazine for Dec.

HOOD'S PILLS cure Liver IIIs, Billousness, Indigestion, Headache. Easy to take, easy to operate. 25c. WHAT SHALL WE DO.

A serious and dangerous disease prevails in this country, dangerous because so deceptive. It comes on so slowly yet surely that it is often firmly seated before we are aware of it.

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odor.
If allowed to advance, this reaches the Second stage, or Bladder trouble, with heavy pain in the abdomen low down between the navel and the water passage. increasing desire to urinate, with scalding sensation in passing, small quantities being passed with difficulty, sometimes, necessary to draw it with instruments. If uric acid or gravel has formed, it will prove dangerous if ne-

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Wilbur Faust has learned a lesson he will probably not forget very soon. Saturday he unhitched the horse from the delivery wagon in front of Geo. B. Jacobs' confectionery store, and grabing a handful of hay from a wagon that stood near, held it out in a tantalizing manner in front of the horse and walked into the store The annimal, anxious to get a bite of the whist of dried grass, followed him through the narrow door. But right here the joke ended. The horse became frightened, and jumping about on the tables and show cases, broke them in pieces. The beast was finally caught and led out of the building but until it had pushed one of the plate glass panels of the door out. It was an expensive experiment, and we venture the assertion, that it will be some time before Wilbur coaxes another horse in the store.

The Bloomsburg Land Improve-ment Company stockholders held their annual meeting on Monday and re-elected all the old officers and di re-elected all the old officers and directors. They are as follows: President, B. F. Sharpless; Secretary, N. U. Funk; Treasurer, C. H. Campbell. The directors are J. L. Dillon, A. G. Briggs, J. L. Moyer, O. W. Cherrington, Dr. H. W. McReynolds, B. F. Sharpless, and N. U. Funk.

The foot ball game on Thanksgiving between Wyoming Seminary and Nor-mal did not take place, owing to the snow which covered the ground and made play almost impossible.

AMATEURES AT REPAIRING CLOCKS. A Man's Experience With an Eight-day

"Watch repairers have a horror of touching a clock that has been tinker-ed by amateurs," explained a watch repairer to a Star reporter, "and they would rather get out of such a job if they can do so, for the loss of one of the smallest parts means considerable work to reproduce it, and much more work than the general customer expects or wants to pay for. They try to get rid of such a job when they can, for in nine cases out of ten the result is not entirely satisfactory. People who have a good clock, unless they know something about the way clocks are made and how they should be taken apart, will do the wise thing to let it alone when it gets out of order. Experimenting with it often means the ruin of the clock. It is absolutely dangerous to try to unwind a main spring as men have discovered for them-selves, unless the proper tools are handy. Now a clock repairer has a contrivance known as a spring controller, which grasps the spring and holds it while being taken out or being put into the clock, so that there is no danger. The spring for an eightness danger. ing put into the clock, so that there is no danger. The spring for an eight-day clock is often two yards long, and when suddenly let free it flies out with nearly the force of a charge of shot from a gun. Some time ago an officer of the signal corps thought he would tinker his clock. He did tinker it, and in taking out the main spring it got away from him. In its flight it took off a \$5 lamp from a parlor table and crashed in the glass of a \$20 mantel mirror, besides doing other damage. The \$4 clock cost him in damage exactly \$25 besides cutting his hand exactly \$25 besides cutting his hand seriously."—Washington Star.

A CTIVE SOLICITORS WANTED EVERY—
A WHERE, for "The Story of the Philippines" by Murat Haistead, commissioned by the Gevernment as Official Historien to the War Department. The book was written in army camps at san Francisco, on the Pacific with General Merritt, in the hospital at Honoiluui, Hong Kong, in the American trenches at Manila, in the insurgent camps with Aguinaldo, on the deek of the the Lail of Manile woy, and the roar of Dattle to the fall of Manile woy, and the roar of Dattle to the fall of Manile woy, and the roar of Dattle to the fall of Manile woy, and the roar of Dattle to the fall of Manile woy, and the roar of Dattle to the fall of Manile woy, and the roar of Dattle to The Campbergon of the Story of the Commission of the Campbergon of the Story of the Campbergon of the Story of the Campbergon of the Story of the Campbergon of t

W. C. T. U. NOTES.

White-ribboners will please remember that Mrs. Anna M. Hammer will explain Scientific Temperance Instruction in regard to the effects of alcohol and narcotics upon the human system. Our State law, as penalty, etc. This law was passed through the instrumentality of the Woman's Christian Temperance

There are only three states with-out this law. We ought fully to understand the law and do all we can to encourage its enforcement. Mrs. Hammer speaks Thursday morning and afternoon, also Friday

morning and afternoon, also Friday moning. The program for Mr. J. C. Hall's meetings as follows:

Dec. 5th,Signs of Promise.

'ofth,Finished Products.

''7th,Tariff on Boys.

'8th,The Reason Why.

'gth,How to Measure a Man.

'Ioth,Who takes the consequences?

quences? Sabbath, p. m. 11th, A man with a

strong backbone.
Sabbath evening 11th, Home sweet
Home.
Meetings will be held in the vari-

ous churches, notices later in the We trust the Christian people of

Bloomsburg will pray God's bless-ing upon these efforts, that some wanderers may be reclaimed and saved and the Temperance senti-ment greatly strengthened. Regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. at 2:30 instead of 3 o'clock next Tuesday at the room. Y. W. C. T. Tuesday at the U. meets every Monday evening.
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The Loyal Temperance Legion every Saturday at 3 o'clock. Gos-pel Temperance Meeting every Sab-

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bath at 3 o'clock.

David Liwellyn vs. C. W. Kline.
Susan Cooper vs. Margaret Averal et al.
Lloyd P. Fox vs George Fox, Exr., et al.
Susan Cooper vs. Daniel Miller.
Martha A. Case vs. D. L. & W. R. R. Co.
Wm. Case vs. D. L. & W. R. R. Co.
Wm. Hoffman, Admr., use, vs. Wm.
Hopper and Mary Hopper.
Howard R. Snyder vs. James Magee, 2d.
Dennison Brink vs. the Twp. of Hemlock.
The Farmers' Mutual Insurance Co., ot
Middle Pa., now to use of Harry S. Knight,
Receiver, vs. Bartold Kierhoff.
Locust Mountain Coal & Iron Co. vs.
George Wyatt.
Rouert S. Howell vs. Daniel Snyder and
wife.

wife.

Charles C, Evans, executor of John Hunt, leceased, vs. D. Z. Remaley.

Mary Lesher, widow of Matthias Lesher, vs. Lehigh Valley Coal Co.

John Rovats vs. Lehigh Valley Coal Co, Uriah Brooke vs. Christian Small, Jr.

Wm. C. Sponsler vs. Wm. Walp et al.

Rebecca J, Martin vs. Boyd R, Yetter.

J, B. Robison vs. Benj. H. Karns et al.

W. J. Mohr vs. Joe C. Eves et al.

Simon Abelis' use vs. B, J. Doyle et al.

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John O'Conner vs. Mid Valley Coal Co.

H. E. Elston vs. Wilson U, Jury.

W. M. Weaver vs. Henry Deighmiller and Hiram Sterling.

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Beneville Rhoads vs. G. W. Billig and W. M. Lemon.
Theodore Yeager vs. W. H. Stebbins.
Theodore Doster et al. vs. Elizabeth Johnson et al.
Commonwealth vs. Hiram Albertson.
Mary C. Kline vs. Rebecca J. Adams.
C. D. Hamlin vs. N. E. Hamlin.
David Naus vs. William Roady.
Simon Abelis' use vs. B. J. Doyle.
In re annexation of territory to Boro of Berwick.

In re anneanced serwick.

In re road in Catawissa and Main Twps, rom river bridge to Mainville.

Madison Township Poor Dist, vs. Bloom Poor Dist,
Road in Greenwood Twp, near Heacock's

R. R. Station.

Road in Catawissa Twp., near Daniel Morris' barn.

In re division of Briarcreek Twp. into two

Twps. Francis Evans, trustee, vs. Henry M.

Francis Evans, trustee, vs. Henry M. Martz.
Metropolitan Collecting Co. and Danville Stove Mig. Co.vs. Anna M. Berninger et al. Jeremiah Snyder vs. Christian Adams.
Road in Franklin Twp., near Francis Ely's. Quaker City Watch Co. vs. H. R. Irvin, Deft., and Scott E. Fenstemacher, garnishee. Estate of John Michael, deceased:
The Leader Co., Ltd., vs. Thos. Gorrey.
C. C. Peacock's use vs. M. A. Albertson.
J. E. Wilson vs. M. A. Albertson.
Estate of Boyd A. Kile, deceased.

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