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### TOOK HIS OWN LIFE

Isalah Hess, Melancholy, Seeks Bourne in a Forbidden Manner

#### Was an Orphan in Life

In a spirit of melancholia caused probably by the fact that he was parentless and alone, his father and mother being dead, Isalah Hess of Stillwater, put an end to his career Saturday evening, by sending a thirty-eight calibre bullet crashing through his brain.

He made no complaint of feeling unwell but his manner and general deportment for several days indicated a depression of spirits. So apparent was his dejection that inquiry to ascertain the cause of it was made several times, but in each instance he answered that he was all right.

The young man was twenty-one years old, having arrived at that age a few weeks ago. He previously made his home with his sister, Mrs. William Whitenight of Raven Creek. For a month or more he had been working for Bruce Dresher on the farm near Stillwater and it was there that the rash act was committed. Mr. and Mrs. Dresher were doing some work in the garden when they were startled by the report of a revolver. They hurried to the house and found the young man lying on the floor with a gaping wound in his head from which the blood was oozing. Dr. Wagner was sent for. He made an examination, and said death had been instantaneous.

A jury was empanelled consisting of O. D. Hagenbuch, Wm. J. Smith, O. S. McHenry, C. A. Conner, E. W. Baker and A. J. McHenry. The testimony of Mr. and Mrs. Dresher and Dr. Wagner was heard after which a verdict of suicide was rendered.

Beside the sister referred to the deceased is survived by two brothers, Joseph, of Raven Creek and Pierce of Stillwater. His parents have been dead for some time.

### EVES-EVANS WEDDING

Solemnized at Bride's Home on Thursday

There was a happy and beautiful union of two hearts at the residence of Mrs. Sarah E. Evans, on West Third street Thursday morning last, when her youngest daughter, Miss Bess, was united in marriage to Arthur Eves, of Millville. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. E. Byers, pastor of St. Matthew's Lutheran church. Only the immediate families of the bride and groom were present. The parlor where the vows were exchanged, was elaborately decorated as was also the dining room where the wedding dinner was served.

The bride wore a beautiful blue silk traveling suit, and was unattended. The bride is a graduate of the Normal School in the class of 1902, since which time she has been teaching school.

Both are popular and a host of friends will extend best wishes for a happy wedded life.

They departed on the D. L. & W. train for a wedding tour, and upon their return they will take up their residence at Millville.

#### Bought Low Farm.

Albertus Welliver of Ridgeway, Pa., brother of Dr. Geo. H. Welliver, of town has bought the Dr. E. W. M. Low farm beyond Iron Dale.

### DEATH SUMMONS CAME UNAWARES

Stricken With Heart Disease, Chas. W. Trump Dropped Dead on Monday.

#### HE HAD NOT COMPLAINED.

The call to the other world came, to Charles W. Trump of Espy with a suddenness that was shocking Monday morning. He arrived in town on the seven o'clock motor car, and had gone to the residence of A. Z. Schoch on Market street, where he had been engaged by Messrs Yost & Heering, contractors, to do some carpenter work. The delivery of the material had for some reason or other been delayed and Mr. Schoch decided to put the job off until it came.

Herring was agreeable to the postponement, and asked Trump how it would suit him. He replied that it would not inconvenience him in the least as he had some repair work at home that he would attend to.

These were the last words he ever uttered. He had barely finished speaking when he was stricken with heart disease and without uttering a word or making any outward sign of distress fell to the ground.

Mr. Schoch quickly picked him up, but the fluttering spark had fled. Dr. J. C. Rutter was summoned, but he could only confirm what the first glance had told them.

The deceased is survived by his mother who is 83 years of age; his wife and five children; Frank, an operator on the main line of the Lackawanna, at New York; Arlington, who resides at home; Mrs. C. R. Miller of Plymouth; Mrs. H. B. Sharpless of Bloomsburg and Mrs. Clinton Toole of Muncy. James Trump of Orangeville is a brother of the deceased.

The deceased was a well known resident of Espy, and has a host of friends who were greatly grieved to learn of his sudden death.

The remains were removed to the family home in Espy by undertaker Angle, from which place the funeral occurred yesterday.

### ETERNAL VISITATION.

Monday evening a delegation from Mountain Castle No. 186, Knights of the Golden Eagle of Danville, accompanied by a band paid a fraternal visit to Theta Castle 273, of town. The visiting Knights, about sixty strong, arrived on the Danville & Bloomsburg trolley car, at seven o'clock. They were met at Market Square by upwards of one hundred and fifty members of the local castle, and a parade was formed. The visiting band and delegation led the procession, and the Bloomsburg band marched ahead of the members of Theta Castle. Main, East, Fifth and Market streets were traversed, after which a pleasant social time was had and refreshments, in the meeting room on the third floor of the Townsend building.

It was expected that a delegation and the band from Catawissa would be here, but the rain prevented them from coming.

#### Called to Shamokin.

Rev. William H. Butts, pastor of All Saints' church, Williamsport, and the assistant secretary of the Harrisburg Diocese, has been extended a call to the Shamokin Episcopal church, occasioned by the resignation of the Rev. Freeman Daughters.

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### EVERY STUDENT PASSED EXAMS.

Announcement by the State Board Causes Much Rejoicing.

#### Commencement Next Week.

The State Board of examiners completed the examinations at the Normal School on Thursday and the announcement that all the students had successfully passed was the occasion for a great manifestation of joy. Following is the list of the graduates:

Bertha Allen, Loyalville; Edna L. Arnold, Peckville; Midge H. Bennett, Lenoxville; Clara Bergstresser, Mt. Carmel; J. Glen Blaisdell, Susquehanna; Agnes Bradigan Shenandoah; Lulu C. Brady, Elysburg; W. Earle Brown, Bloomsburg; Lee W. Burgess, Forkston; Carrie Clark, Boyds Mills; Mary E. Colvin, Clark Summit; Fannie B. Comstock, Bloomsburg; Jos. L. Conarton, Carbondale; Anna Conlan, Wilkesbarre; Nellie Conway, Shenandoah; Emma Cortright, Wilkesbarre; Anna E. R. Coughlin, Scranton; Bessie Coughlin, Luzerne; Edna Crouse, Orangeville; Mary B. Dailey, Plymouth; Luzetta J. Davis, Bloomsburg; Anna A. Ditzler, Hanover; Warren N. Drum, Bloomsburg; Anna M. Fagan, Harwood, Minn.; Helen Fahl, Camden, N. J.; Marguerite Eshleman, Bloomsburg; W. J. Farnsworth, Pine Summit; Nellie C. Fish, Lynn; Elizabeth B. Fox, Shenandoah; Martha Francis, Taylor; Bessie K. Grimes, Catawissa; Ezra Gruver, Mainville; Edna Harman, Hazleton; Sarah J. Harris, Wilkesbarre; Blanche L. Hartman, Bloomsburg; Gertrude Hartman, Rohrsburg; Frances L. Heacock, Bloomsburg; Vera Hemmingsway, Bloomsburg; Gregory Higgins, Carbondale; Julia M. Higgins, Shenandoah; Lulu C. Horn Hellerstown; Mae B. House, Bloomsburg; Margaret A. Howell, Light Street; Raymond G. Jolly, Orangeville; Hazel Huber, Mt. Carmel; Wm. G. Jenkins, Edwardsville; Mary E. Kerrigan, Shenandoah; Wm. Kinner, Lemon; Mary E. Kirkendall, Berwick; Kathryn, Krum, Turbotville; Beatrice Larrabee, Bloomsburg; Sarah Laubach, Fairmount Springs; Martha S. Lawrence, Sunbury; Helen Leibensperger, Allentown; Dora Leidy, Orangeville; Ethel Macapline, Northumberland; Agnes Marsden, Mt. Carmel; Lorenze G. Maurer, Wapwallopen; Adelia A. Mertz, Northumberland; Elizabeth M. Mertz, Northumberland; Blanche F. Miller, Muncy Valley; Mary A. Mitchell, Shenandoah; Olive Morgan, Beaumont; Charles L. Mower, Strawberry Ridge; Irma G. Myers, Wilkesbarre; Kate D. Olmstead, Taylor; Mary Ormsby, Shenandoah; Lillian Peiffer, Wintersville; Anna Phillips, Taylor; Caroline Phillips, Scranton; Paul Pooley, Bloomsburg; Belle I. Ransom, Dorancton; Florence Redeker, Bloomsburg; Inez Robbins, Millville; Myrtle M. Robbins, Benton; Dora M. Roberts, Wilkesbarre; Grace Roberts, Espy; Gertrude Rowe, Wilkesbarre; Claire E. Scholvin, Northumberland; Jesse Y. Shambach, Bloomsburg; Thos. F. Shambach, Bloomsburg; W. Wayne Shirk, Mohrs Store; Stella Shook, Stull; Kathryn Shippeel, Freeland; Ida Sittler, Mauch Chunk; Anna E. Smith, Summit Hill; Emma Smith, West Hazleton; Alice Smull, Danville; Ethel Swank, Catawissa; Anna Thomas, Larksville; Susan Thomas, Luzerne; Lee J. Tiffany, Tingley; Wm. E. Trexler, Rohrsburg; Edna L. Wal-

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Tuesday afternoon, Jas. H. Dennis, head of the College preparatory Department of the school announced the following graduates in that department: Joseph Armstrong, Walter Brooke, G. Edward Elwell, Claude Fisher, Sara Milleisen, Clarissa Peacock, of Bloomsburg; Raymond G. Jolly, of Orangeville; Walter U. Kaji, of Tokyo, Japan; A. E. Keiber, of Drums; Florence E. Kitchen, of Bloomsburg R. F. D.; Howard R. Rarrig, Catawissa R. F. D.; Emily Robinson, of Espy Wm. E. Traxler, Rohrsburg.

The above list does not represent the number of students who will enter college from the Normal next year. Many, a number probably equal to the above list, will go to college who have not completed the course. This is explained by the fact that some of the colleges do not require that students in order to be admitted, shall have taken the advanced work as is required by Normal to complete the college preparatory course.

### DIVISION OF THE DIOCESE. Harrisburg Convention Postpones Action. Rose of Lancaster on Seal.

The convention of the diocese of Harrisburg, of the Protestant Episcopal church, at Harrisburg, last week, postponed action on division of the diocese into four archdeaconries until the second annual convention in Williamsport next June. There are now two archdeaconries, Harrisburg and Williamsport, and it was proposed to create two more.

A diocesan seal was adopted by combining the armorial designs of William Penn and John Harris, the founder of Harrisburg—a Celtic cross and the roses of York and Lancaster. Bishop Darlington's seal will be similar, enhanced by his pastoral staff and other insignia of his office.

The following standing committee was elected: Clerical; The Revs. Leroy F. Baker, Walter R. Breed, Geo. I. Brown, William F. Shero and Alexander McMillan. Lay: Ivanhoe S. Huber, Dr. H. B. Meredith, B. F. Meyers, H. M. North and C. La Rue Munson.

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