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Entered at the Post Office, Bloomsburg, Pa., as second class matter, March 1, 1888.

Clark & Son have in their lower show window a line of hat ornaments at greatly reduced prices. They are closing them out.

C. W. Derr was re-elected County Superintendent of Montour county on Tuesday, and his salary was increased to \$1500.

Dr. G. Stanley Hall, president of Clark University at Worcester, Mass., has been secured as the orator for commencement day at the Normal.

A lunch supper will be given in the First M. E. church dining hall on Friday evening from 5 to 10 o'clock. Tickets 15 cents; ice cream and cake extra.

June 30th has been fixed by Governor Stuart as the date for the execution of Stanley Marcavitch, now in the Northumberland county jail under conviction for murder in the first degree.

Rev. Dr. Morgan Dix, rector of Trinity church, New York, died last Thursday, aged 81 years. He had been rector since 1862. He was a son of Gen. John A. Dix.

The Milton delegation of Elks will go to the State Convention at Scranton on May 13th, in automobiles. About ninety members will attend, going in twenty autos owned by Milton Elks. They will start in the morning, and will probably pass through Bloomsburg.

For headache Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills.

KILLED IN THE MINES.

Father Serving as a Juror at Court.

William Flanagan, of Centralia, who was serving here as a juror at court, on Tuesday received word that his son, James Flanagan, aged 19 years, was instantly killed at the Centralia colliery, of the Lehigh Valley Coal Company. He was employed as a loader, and in passing between two cars was caught by the bumpers at the waist, and the life crushed out of him.

The father was at once excused, and was driven home in a livery rig. The young man was highly esteemed by all who knew him.

ABOUT NEWSPAPERS.

A western editor says: "There are three things which no man can do to the satisfaction of other men—make love, poke the fire and run a paper. No matter if a man has no more sense than an oyster and does not know how many toes he has, he always knows how to run the paper better than the editor. And, what is more, he tells it all in the street car. But, despite all this valuable advice that is wasted, the editors still go on making blunders and money. The old fashioned editor who had to be all things to all men is passing away. The time has come when a man who runs a paper is his own master."

Body Identified.

The body of a man which was found last Sunday at Kipp's Run, in the river, has been identified as that of Abram Jones, of Plymouth, who disappeared on March 15th, leaving a note for his wife saying she would never see him again. He was supposed to be temporarily insane. The body was taken to Plymouth by relatives.

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DEEDS RECORDED.

The following deeds have recently been entered of record by Recorder of Deeds Frank W. Miller:

William W. Smith and wife, Etta M. Phillips for 97 acres of land in Benton township.

William S. Johnson and wife, to Mary Jane Faust for a lot of ground corner of Market and Twelfth streets in the Borough of Berwick.

Mary M. McManemon, Jr., to Margaret Burke for the surface right to a lot of ground in Borough of Centralia.

William Ivey and Mary Ann Ivey, to Samuel R. VanHorn for 7 acres and 119 perches of land in Hemlock township.

William W. Turnbach to Mary H. Dendler for a lot of ground on the westerly side of Pine street in the Borough of Berwick.

Jane Rantz to Lawson Fritz for 5 acres of land in Benton township.

W. Frank Hughes and wife to Emma Coughlin for a lot of ground in the Borough of West Berwick.

Milton H. Croop and wife to Walter A. Hughes for a lot of ground in the Borough of West Berwick.

Clarence E. Drum and wife to Henry L. Vanderslice for 124 acres and 113 square perches of land situate in Centre township.

Daniel Fisher to William H. Fisher for 126 acres of land in Mann township.

James Price et al. to Elizabeth Vaughn for a lot of ground in Germantown, Conyngham township.

Charles Werkheiser and wife to H. L. Thomas for 73 acres and 95 perches of land situate in Hemlock township.

Womanly Wisdom.

A stitch today may save a rip tomorrow.

Let somebody else light the kitchen fire with kerosene.

Woman, if you have a good husband, make the most of him; you may never have another as good as John.

Keep your cats so well fed in bird-nesting time that they will be too lazy to go after the young birds. Cats are among the worst enemies of birds.

Broiled calf's liver is excellent. Have it cut in rather thick slices, pour boiling water over them, wipe dry, dip in melted butter, dredge with flour and broil over a clear fire until just cooked through.

A happy man or woman is a better thing to find than a five-pound note. He or she is a radiating focus of good will; and his or her entrance into a room is as though another candle had been lighted.

Let your boy go hunting, but arm him with microscope, opera glasses and camera, rather than sling shot, rifle or cruel traps. From the use of the first weapons, he will learn lessons of patience, industry and beauty. With the latter he will receive an education that will make him hard and unfeeling, if not actually cruel.

When making lye from hard-wood ashes, use a barrel having holes bored in the bottom. Have it raised in a slanting position on four bricks resting on a wide board, with a channel cut in the board for the lye to run off into a kettle. Soak the ashes first by pouring on a little water at a time, and then a gallon every hour or so until the strength is extracted.

The farmer's wife has been given a good deal of advice as to how she may make pin-money, but she wants more than pins. She would like a few ribbons and a spring bonnet, to say nothing of gloves and shoes and a few yards of edging and filmy lace. How would it do for the husband to cut off his tobacco expenditures, and help out the good woman in her struggle for pin-money?

—May Farm Journal.

Townsend's show windows, always up-to-date, are now filled with all sorts of seasonable things for men's wear, in the latest styles. The windows, however, are only a hint of the immense stock inside.

Sons of Veterans Encampment.

The 28th Annual Encampment of the Pennsylvania Division of the Sons of Veterans, U. S. A., will be held at Williamsport during the week, beginning June 7th, 1908. It will be an affair of far more than ordinary import, since preparations are being made to have this the largest and most imposing encampment ever held by this meritorious organization.

The camp will open on Sunday, June 7th at 2:00 p. m., with religious services.

Tuesday afternoon the sham battle takes place, in which several thousand of the Reserves will participate, as well as the four companies of N. G. P., located at Williamsport. Twenty thousand rounds of shells will be fired off in this battle.

Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock, the muster parade will start and the route covers all the principal streets of the city. Five hundred tents will be pitched on the camp grounds for the use of the Sons of Veterans. Besides the numerous bands there will be at least 3,000 men and 150 horses in the line of parade, which will make it a spectacle worth seeing, equal to the sham battle on Tuesday afternoon.

CIVIC BRANCH CONVENTION.
The Civic branch of the organization will be in session all day Wednesday, Thursday forenoon, as well as part of Friday. The various local committees are highly enthusiastic in their efforts to make this the grandest affair ever seen in Williamsport.

PLENTY OF PLEASURE.
Automobile rides over the Grampan Hills and along the level expanse for miles in and about the city; grand military balls; steam boat rides on the beautiful Susquehanna between Williamsport and Sylvan Dell Park, five miles east of Williamsport, as well as between the city and Nippono Park, twelve miles west of Williamsport, and many other amusements are on the week's program.

Lumbermen Track a Bear.

The Danville *Morning News* of May 2nd says: "R. N. Lyons, Elmer Lyons and Charles Keefer, lumbermen in the employ of the Catawissa Paper Mill company, are firmly convinced that the ridge between Dutch and Frosty valleys, only a few miles from Danville, is the habitat of a bear, one of the biggest of its kind.

Bruin was tracked in the soft ground yesterday forenoon and he was only a short distance ahead of the men. Each of the party is a woodsman of life-long experience and it is safe to affirm that he knows bear's tracks when he sees them.

The three men were walking down an old road used for hauling lumber on the north side of the ridge on the Dewald tract, when they encountered the bear's tracks. The latter seemed to come down from the bushes and followed the old road for some distance.

The bear at one place walked through a mud puddle leaving in the soft ground his well-defined footprints. He was a monster, if his tracks be any criterion. Bruin had stepped out of the mud and water on to a big stone, which was still wet where the bear's foot had left its imprint, showing that the animal had passed that way less than five minutes before the men came.

The lumbermen state that there is a large tract of woodland in that locality, which together with the old ore mines, affords an excellent home for bears."

Remove the Loose Stone.

The country roads could be greatly improved if the supervisors would carry out the plain provisions of the Act of the Pennsylvania Legislature approved July 2nd, 1901. The first section of the Act reads as follows:

Section 1. From and after the passage of this act, the township supervisors and road commissioners of the several townships within this commonwealth, shall by contract or otherwise, remove and take away the loose stones from the traveled roads or highways in said township, at least once each month, during the months of May, June, August and October in each year.

The penalty is a fine of \$10 for each offense. Postmasters are charged with seeing that this and all other good road laws are enforced on rural delivery routes in their charge.

Prof. B. F. Kelly, who finished his term of nine months imprisonment in the county jail on conviction of corrupt solicitation in connection with Conyngham school matters, was discharged from custody on Monday morning under the insolvent laws.

COURT PROCEEDINGS.

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children presented a petition setting out that the administrator had been from home and hence knew nothing about the proceedings. Court allowed him to file his answer nunc pro tunc.

J. O. Frey, who had been elected constable of Beaver township at the February election, sent a notice declining the office. No appointment was made as no one seemed to want the position.

In the suit of Musselman vs. The York Bridge Company, Fred T. Ikeler, Esq., asked for a rule to show cause why the service of the summons should not be set aside. It was granted returnable first Monday of June, 1908.

Upon petition presented by E. J. Flynn, Esq., O. B. Mellick was appointed guardian of Loretta and William Spring, minor children of John Spring, late of Centralia, deceased. Bond was filed and approved. Petition was also presented asking for the private sale of the real estate of the said decedent in Centralia.

Upon an affidavit by Dr. J. M. Gwinner, of Centralia, stating that it was impossible for him to attend court he was excused as a juror.

The report of the viewers against a public road in Franklin township, presented and confirmed.

In the estate of Geo. W. Supplee, deceased, H. Mont. Smith presented his report as auditor which was confirmed nisi.

B. B. Fraas was appointed tipstaff to wait upon the Grand Jury, and A. H. Baer, of Berwick, was appointed foreman of the Grand Jury.

In the case of the Com. vs. Roy Barnard, f. and b., on motion of the District Attorney a nolle prosequi was entered upon the payment of costs.

The returns of the constables were taken and the newly elected constables were sworn into office and their bonds approved. The returns of the constables were in the usual form. They reported no extraordinary violations of the law. A few of them reported that the index boards were down or in bad condition and that sections of roads needed repairs. These returns were handed over to the District Attorney who will inform the supervisors and unless repaired an indictment will be laid.

Constable A. B. Stephens inquired of the Court what rights constables had in the election houses on election days. The Court told him to read the Act of Assembly. That he would not undertake to inform him as to his rights and duties.

The calling of the list of Grand Jurors showed that with the exception of Alfred Zeigler, of Bloomsburg, all were in attendance.

The list of civil cases for trial were called. There were two civil cases on the list for trial this week. They were both continued. The trial list shows that there are 21 cases marked for trial next week.

The Register of Wills presented his accounts, which were confirmed nisi by the Court.

Widow's appraisements were presented and confirmed nisi.

At this time the Court declared that no tax collectors' bonds would be approved until the money due the county on back duplicates had been collected.

A petition was presented by W. C. Johnston, Esq., asking for the transfer of the hotel license of William Ney, of Beaver township, to J. H. Ertwine. Several witnesses were called and testified as to applicant's character and habits. The transfer was granted.

A surety of the peace case, with the Commonwealth against Clem Keller, was settled by an agreement between the parties.

In the case of the Commonwealth vs. William Green, a nolle prosequi was allowed upon the payment of the costs by the prosecutor.

In the case of the Commonwealth against Harry Mitchell, who was charged with cruelty to animals, the charge was withdrawn by the prosecutor upon the payment of the costs by the defendant.

The Grand Jury returned "not a true bill" in the case of the Commonwealth vs. Terry Welsh on a charge of assault and battery and ordered Patrick Wilson to pay the costs. The prosecutor, being unable to pay them, was allowed to go on his own recognizance, to pay the same within 20 days.

The case of the Commonwealth against George and Annie Houck on the charge of keeping a bawdy house in Catawissa, was called but the defendants not appearing, the recognizance on which Louis Rosenthal was surety, was forfeited.

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\$1.20 Black Taffeta Silk, yd wide . . . 95c	\$1.75 Herringbone Cravenette, Priestley's price . . . \$1.25
45c White French Lawn	15c Printed Voiles . . . 11c
Fine and Sheer . . . 20c	Yard Wide Hill Muslin . . . 10c
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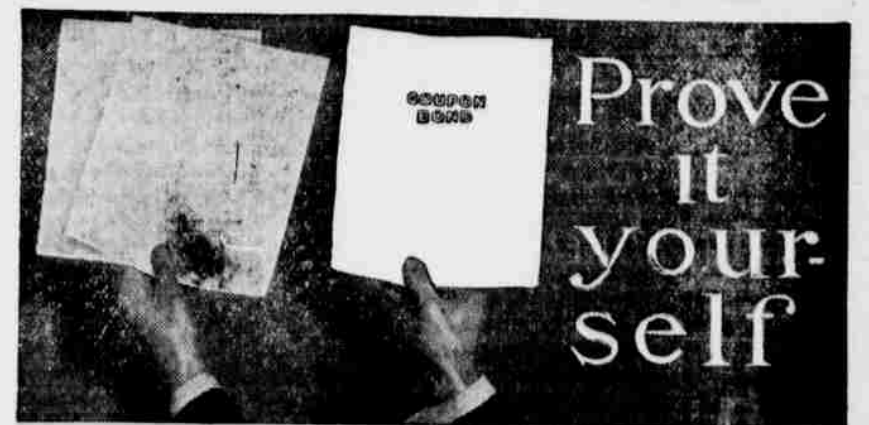
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