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Visiting cards and Wedding invitations at the COLUMBIAN office.

Internal revenue receipts for December showed \$2,045,462 increase over the same month of 1909.

The Catawissa News Item celebrated the sixth anniversary of the flood of 1904 last week by publishing some pictures of Catawissa in the ice.

A national testimonial for Commander Robert E. Peary and a purse of \$10,000 for the explorer is planned for the evening of Feb. 8 at the Metropolitan Opera House New York. Governor Hughes will preside.

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is the old reliable cough remedy. Found in every drug store and in practically every home. For sale by all druggists, 25c., 50c. and \$1.00 bottles. 1-20-4t.

For snaring a rabbit in the mountains of McIntyre township, Lycoming county, Ira Hamilton paid \$98.25, made up of a \$50 fine and costs. At this rate a rabbit skin coat would make a seal skin sacque look like a linen duster.

The will of D. Ogden Mills, of New York, disposes of his estate, estimated at nearly \$100,000,000, by division equally between his son and daughter, Ogden Mills and Mrs. Whitelaw Reid, wife of the American ambassador at the court of St. James.

If You Are A Trifle Sensitive

About the size of your shoes it's some satisfaction to know that many people can wear shoes a size smaller by shaking Allen's Foot-Ease into them. Just the thing for Patent Leather Shoes, and for breaking in New Shoes. Sold Everywhere, 25c. 1-20-4t.

Judge Lynch, of Wilkes-Barre, has given orders that the flag must fly from the new Court House pole in fair weather. A new flag has just been purchased and will be flung to the breeze when the sun shines.

An Allentown man had a dream early Saturday morning in which he saw a friend, who was a descendant of John Alden, sail away in the "Mayflower" for an unknown sea. A few hours later he was informed that the friend had died. This is somewhat of a modern version of the Elijah legend.

Don't Get All Run Down.

Weak and miserable. If you have kidney or bladder trouble, headache, pains in the back, and feel tired all over and want a pleasant herb cure, try Mother Gray's AUSTRALIAN-LEAF. As a regulator it has no equal. All Druggists, 50c. Ask today. Sample FREE. Address, The Mother Gray Co., LeRoy, N. Y. 1-20-4t.

The Delaware, Lackawanna & Western Railroad Company will issue Clerical Half-Fare Orders to fully ordained Ministers of the Gospel, Sisters of Charity, Deaconess, or Commissioned Officers of the Salvation Army or Volunteers of America for the year of 1910. It is the request of the "Lackawanna" that all who are entitled to these annuals to make applications to nearest ticket agents at once. The new order will not apply to Missionaries, Mormon Elders, Officers of the King's Daughters and Sons, Theological students (even if licensed to preach) Evangelists, Officers of various Church Concerns, and Societies, Professors in Theological Seminaries or Church Schools, Secretaries of the Young Men's or Women's Christian Associations and Women's Christian Temperance Union.

DON'T COUGH, BUT LIVE LONG.

If every cough were cured before it got a strong hold, human life would be lengthened by many years. If every coughing sufferer knew that Kemp's Balsam would stop the cough in a few minutes, he would be glad to escape the serious consequences. If any medicine will cure a cough, Kemp's Balsam will do it. At druggists' and dealers', 25c.

After Controversy.

Editor J. I. Steel, publisher of The Shamokin Daily Herald, is an aspirant for the Controversy of Northumberland county if the office is authorized, the appointment paying \$2,500 per annum. The lucky applicant will have two years to serve before he must try for the position from an elective standpoint. He will be allowed one clerk.

Farmers Can Save Quail.

State game officials say farmers and sportsmen can do a great deal toward conserving the supply of quail for next year's hunting if they will take steps to find and feed the birds.

It is pointed out that there is such deep snow that little birds cannot find food, and in order to preserve them there are State regulations for trapping. Quail are reported as dying in many counties because of the severe winter.

Carried "Old Abe" in War.

Captain Victor Wolf, who carried the famous eagle "Old Abe" throughout the civil war as the mascot of the Wisconsin Eagle Company, died at Eau Claire Wis., last Saturday, at the age of 86 years. Captain Wolf purchased the eagle that was later made famous, named it "Old Abe," in honor of President Lincoln, and cared for it during the strenuous days from 1861 to 1865. The eagle, stuffed, is now in the National Museum at Washington.

The Father of Him.

Census-Taker—"Give the ages of your five children."

Father—"All right. Mary will be thirteen in September—thirteen, yes, that must be right; and John is—John—ahem—he's going on eleven, I guess; then Helen—wait a minute, I never could remember how old she is—but Fred is—Fred is—let me see—and Archie—heavens man, my wife will be back at half-past five—can't you come again then?—W. N. Morse in Woman's Home Companion for February.

High Shoes.

American shoe manufacturers are making extraordinary shipments on orders from their German agents placed in anticipation of the enforcement of Germany's general tariff against American importations on and after February 7. A representative of one of the larger companies selling American shoes says that the tariff increase will average 50 cents on every pair.

The German newspapers generally deplore the possibility of a tariff war with the United States, and even some of those journals which heretofore have been the severest critics of the American tariff are now expressing the hope that a compromise will be reached.

List of Dead in the Capitol Scandal.

John H. Sanderson, contractor for furnishings.

William L. Mathnes, ex-State Treasurer, indicted with Sanderson and others in the first case.

George F. Payne, contractor for the capitol.

James Jeffers, warrant clerk in Auditor General's office.

Frank Irvine, auditor in Auditor General's office.

John E. Stott, former secretary of the Board of Public Grounds and Buildings.

Mat Friday, clerk in the Auditor General's office during capitol building.

Benjamin Thompson, watchman in the Treasury, who admitted Mathnes to the office at midnight to inspect books.

J. Herbert Stevenson, suicide, who was to have testified in the Huston trial.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

HOUSE PASSED WHITE SLAVE BILL.

Representative John G. McHenry Sends Us a Telegram Announcing the Successful Passage.

Through the thoughtfulness of Hon. John G. McHenry, we were informed last evening, by telegraph that the bill relating to the infamous "White Slavery" had been passed by the House of Representatives yesterday.

Mr. McHenry's message reads as follows: "Washington, D. C. Jan. 26, '10 THE COLUMBIAN.

Bloomsburg, Pa.

White Slave Bill, introduced by Mann, of Illinois, passed the House this afternoon.

J. G. McHENRY."

This is the first step in the campaign of the Federal Government against the traffic which has been investigated by a special commission. It is the opening gun of a war of extermination of the scoundrels who import and deal in alien women.

A BUCKNELL STUNT.

The authorities of Bucknell University are making a rigid investigation of an early morning episode, which, conceived by some of the students in a spirit of overflowing hilarity, has aroused the colored population of Lewisburg and has placed those involved in an unpleasant predicament if detected.

The prank consisted in the removal from the dissecting room of the body of a negro, upon whose remains the busy knives of the "medical" had left a definite impression, and the suspension of the same, with a rope about its neck, from the fourth floor of West College, Bucknell's most pretentious dormitory. A rumor that one of the janitors had committed suicide gained circulation down town, and was only suppressed when the body was cut down and taken back to the laboratory. Entrance to the laboratory had been gained through one of the second story windows.

BARTON JOHN PROMOTED.

E. Barton John, son of Mrs. M. A. John, of Normal Hill, has been promoted to the position of superintendent of the Delaware division of the Pennsylvania Railroad.

Mr. John, who is well known in Bloomsburg, is a graduate of the Normal School, and of Lehigh University. He has been employed by the Pennsylvania Railroad for several years, and this recent promotion is the company's reward for faithful and efficient service.

REPUBLICAN CAUCUS.

The Republican caucus was held in the Town Hall Tuesday evening when the following nominations were made:

For President of Council, Joseph L. Townsend; for Members, C. W. Runyon, Thos. Gunther and C. A. Pursel; for School Directors, E. F. Carpenter and H. S. Barton; for Registry Assessor, W. Clark Sloan. Guy Jacoby, the Democratic nominee for Justice of the Peace, was endorsed by the Republicans.

MORE KIRBY STORES IN THIS SECTION.

Reports are in circulation that F. M. Kirby & company, the 5 & 10 cent store promoters who recently purchased the Danville store from the Emerick syndicate, are looking for sites in Bloomsburg and Berwick with the idea of locating branch stores in these towns.

Cash for Roads.

Congressman Garner, of Schuylkill, has introduced a bill appropriating \$10,000,000 annually in favor of the agricultural districts to assist them in building the good roads. This amount is to be divided among the States and Territories according to the miles of traveled public highways.

Fruit growers of Lycoming county are predicting that the heavy coating of ice on the trees, due to the recent sleet storm, insures a heavy crop of fruit next summer. They base the prediction on the theory that the sleet aids in clearing the trees of pests. The San Jose scale was given a hard rap last summer by the dry weather, and it is hoped that this coating of ice has now brought its ravages to an end.

Envelopes.

75,000 Envelopes carried in stock at the COLUMBIAN Office. The line includes drug envelopes, pay, coin, baronial, commercial sizes, number 6, 6 1/2, 6 3/4, 9, 10 and 11, catalog, &c. Prices range from \$1.50 per 1000 printed, up to \$5.00. Largest stock in the county to select from.

DEEDS RECORDED.

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

W. E. Shelhamer and wife to John Shelhamer for a property in Center township.

F. M. and Ladora Fritz to Wm. Allabach for property in Orangeville.

John Coury and wife to Ida Porter Boyer for property in Centralia.

Agnes Poloniksi to Stany Malowski for a tract of land in Roaring Creek township.

Berwick Land Improvement Co to Arthur T. Lowry for a property in West Berwick.

Annie Young to Thomas Edwards for a property situate in Light Street.

Edward W. Greenley to William H. Greenley for a tract of land in Pine township.

William H. Eyer and wife to Ella Harding for a property in Briar Creek township.

David H. Case estate to Agnes Polonski for a tract of land in Roaring Creek township.

James Bennett and others to W. W. Bennett for a tract of land in Pine township.

R. R. Ikeler and wife to Harry L. Yost for a property in Town of Bloomsburg.

Emma A. Gorry to John J. Gorry for a property in Town of Bloomsburg.

Aid to Food-Boycotters.

By engaging a corps of experts in household economics and the preparation of food products to devise substitutes for any article of food which may be boycotted because of high prices, the Anti-food Trust League took its first step in aiding the meat boycott. While the organization disclaims any relation, more than a sympathetic one, to the movement to abstain from meat its experts will soon be sending broadcast through the districts where the meat strike is on, recipes and formulas for foods said to be capable of offering as much nutrition as beef.

The same plan will be applied to the league's campaign against any article of food which may be decided to be too high priced. The corps of experts were engaged because of the new condition which the beef boycott suddenly presented.

Hundreds of letters from those who have joined the abstinence movement in various cities are pouring into the league's headquarters, asking for substitutes. The present plan of the league is to take up various foods and ask its members to abstain from their use for a given length of time. While this abstinence is on the expertly-prepared substitutes will be recommended.

Al. H. Wilson in "Metz in Ireland."

Al. H. Wilson, the singing Ambassador of German dialect, under the management of Sidney R. Ellis, will bring his musical drama, "Metz in Ireland," to this city on Thursday Eve., Jan. 27. The play is unlike anything Wilson has ever appeared in and it is said to be much better. It overflows with pathos, has a pleasant vein of comedy and delightful music. The songs are woven into the play and are not added to gain additional effect.

The story tells of the adventures and love of a German rover in the land of the Shamrock where he becomes a firm believer in the good little fairies made famous in Irish song and story.

The central character in "Metz in Ireland" is Metz Klonikilty, portrayed by Mr. Wilson, the son of an Irish Earl whose first wife was German, and who always insisted on living in her own country where Metz was raised and educated. Metz is heir to a large estate in Ireland, and for the purpose of establishing his claim to the property he journeys to Ireland. According to a provision of the will, if Metz does not claim the property by the time he is twenty-one years of age it reverts to a niece of the Earl's second wife, who is the occupant of Klonikilty Castle, which is part of the estate.

Metz arrives at Klonikilty Castle unknown, driving a jaunting car to which is hitched a native donkey, and is mistaken for a German wanderer, in which guise he concludes to appear until he has had the opportunity to familiarize himself with local conditions. He becomes acquainted with the steward of the castle, one McCune, who is under the impression that the German heir is dead, and who has entered into a conspiracy with Lord Somerset, nephew of the late Earl, to loot the estate. Before Metz makes known his identity he becomes a great friend to the Irish tenants of the estate, for whom he is ever ready to sing their native songs and the songs of his Fatherland.

KIDNEY TROUBLE

Suffered Ten Years—Relieved in Three Months Thanks to P-E-R-U-N-A.



C. B. FIZER, Mt. Sterling, Ky., says: "I have suffered with kidney and bladder trouble for ten years past. Last March I commenced using Peruna and continued for three months. I have not used it since, nor have I felt a pain."

The Coming Campaign.

The coming campaign in this State will be the most important of any in recent years. There will be a Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary of Internal Affairs and probably a State Treasurer to elect, this depending upon the construction of the present law by the courts. The number of delegates in the Democratic State convention this year will be 298, as against 375 last year, the decrease being attributable to the lethargy of Democrats during the last campaign. Pending that contest we stated that a poll of ninety per cent. of the Bryan vote of the year before would give the Democratic ticket a majority. The result proved the accuracy of this estimate. Fidelity to duty would have given the party control of the most important boards in the state administration.

Since the election of last year the trend of public opinion has been increasingly in the direction of Democracy and public incidents have uniformly accelerated the motion. The country has come to realize the fraud perpetrated upon the people in the enactment of a tariff law which has increased the cost of living immensely without adding to the wages of labor in the least. The irrepressible conflict between the factions of the Republican party in Congress and the scandals exposed by Forester Pinchot in relation to the spoliation of the public domain have added vastly to the already overwhelming disgust of the public with the party in power. All these facts will give strength to the Democrats in the coming campaign if they are wise in selecting candidates and vigilant in supporting them.

But Republican blunders and Democratic wisdom will be equally futile of proper results if the Democratic voters are as indifferent in the future as they have been in the recent past. Our ticket last year was an ideal one and the Republican candidates represented the precise antithesis in every respect. The vast decrease in the Republican vote shows that in so far as the body of that party was concerned a Democratic victory would have been welcomed. But Democratic voters in nearly equal ratio neglected their civic duty to vote and the consequence was Republican victory. It was a triumph by default and we hope such a thing will not occur again. To avert it, however, Democrats ought to get busy now. Secure the best possible candidates and support them faithfully.—Bellfonte Watchman.

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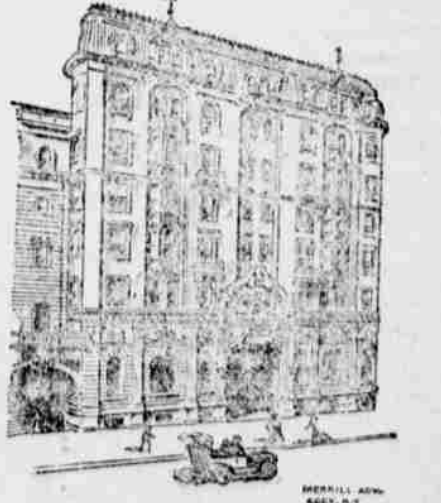
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