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An electric sign has been placed in front of the barber shop of Reilly and Son on Centre Street.

Prof. J. H. Dennis, major of the Patriarchs Militant in this district, attended the installation of the Danville Encampment Tuesday evening.

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The famous Park Hotel, at Williamsport, is to be renovated, refurbished and given a complete up-to-date equipment at an outlay approaching \$100,000, says *The Williamsport Sun*.

Playing chess by wireless is the latest innovation introduced into intercollegiate sports. University of Pennsylvania and Princeton are to have such a competition on Saturday, March fifth.

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Judge Savidge dismissed a jury at Sunbury the other day because a member said he would hold out for a big verdict for Maria Snyder against lower Augusta township, alleging that a defective water course flooded her farm land.

To Mothers in This Town.

Children who are delicate, feverish and cross will get immediate relief from Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children. They cleanse the stomach, act on the liver, making a sickly child strong and healthy. A certain cure for worms. Sold by all druggists, 25c. Sample Free. Address, Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

The snow in Susquehanna county is still deep enough to stall railway trains. Between Montrose and Springville, on the Lehigh branch, the snow in some places reaches up to the windows of the coaches, and in other places the fences are entirely covered.

WHAT A WOMAN WILL NOT DO.

There is nothing a woman would not do to regain her lost beauty. She ought to be fully as anxious in preserving her good looks. The new drink called Lane's Family Medicine or Lane's Tea is the most efficient aid in preserving a beautiful skin, and will do more than anything else to restore the roses to faded cheeks. At all druggists and dealers, 25c.

The following letters are held at the Bloomsburg, Pa., post office: G. G. Brown, Mr. Fred L. Frick, L. Ham, J. S. Hartman, Mr. Joe Keim, Miss Marie Long, Mrs. Anna Masker, Mr. M. L. Perrin, Miss Elizabeth Stevens, Cards, Miss Bessie Butler, Miss Amanda Haupt, Mrs. James Hynes, Mrs. Ella Lingenfelter, Miss Helen McCracken, Mr. Clinton Snyder, Mr. Burton Shuman.

Money for Postmen.

The House Committee on Claims on Monday made a favorable report on the bill recently passed by the Senate, providing for the payment of the claims of several thousand letter carriers throughout the country for overtime services rendered since the passage of the eight-hour law and previous to the time when, by the increase of the carrier force, the Post Office Department was able to make the eight-hour law effective. The postmen will receive \$282,943.88. The bill is practically sure of passage within the next fortnight.

SPEND EASTER AT ATLANTIC CITY.

Easter Sunday is the great day at Atlantic City. Round trip tickets via "The Reading" sold on Saturday March 26, good for 15 days at \$5.05. Stop over allowed at Philadelphia. 3-3-10-17-24.

SHAD WILL BE PLENTY. That is What Somebody Sees in Present Indications.

According to present indications shad will be plentiful when the regular season arrives this spring. Already large catches are reported along the coast of the Carolinas, while Charleston shad, secured in rivers of partly fresh water, are announced to arrive shortly. Shad now coming from southern points are of exceedingly fine flavor, the meat is solid and prices are not excessive. As the storms of the winter decrease in severity shad gradually find their way to cold, fresh northern waters, in which they thrive wonderfully. Within six weeks, with favorable weather, these favorite fish will be more plentiful in the wholesale markets at much lower prices and an increased demand.

George Whary.

George Whary of Roaring Creek, formerly of Bloomsburg, and a brother of L. E. Whary, of Bloomsburg, died last Thursday night at ten o'clock, following a lengthy illness with a complication of diseases. He was aged seventy-four years, 4 months and 20 days.

Surviving him are his widow and the following brother and two sisters: L. E. Whary, of Bloomsburg, Mrs. Scott, of Jamison City, and Mrs. Owens, of Shamokin. Funeral services were held at the Centre church of Slabtown, the Rev. Mr. Logan officiating. Interment was made in Trinity cemetery.

Mr. Searlet Defends Troopers.

Announcement was made at the Capitol recently that James Searlet, of Danville, chief attorney for the Capitol probers and counsel of the Government in the Powder Trust investigation, had been engaged to defend Captain Robinson and any members of the State Police arrested on charges growing out of the killing of people in Bethlehem in the recent riots.

Mr. Searlet will represent the State at the inquest, and will take part in any subsequent proceedings. Mr. Searlet was assigned to this duty by Governor Stuart.

Minister Changed His Faith.

The Rev. W. C. Charlton, of the Methodist Episcopal Church of Benton, has given up his charge there, and is preparing to enter the Episcopal ministry. Mr. Charlton is the third Methodist minister in this vicinity who has changed his faith recently. His predecessor at Benton, the Rev. W. H. Benford, is now assistant rector of the Episcopal Church at Cumberland, Maryland, and the Rev. J. C. Grimes, formerly of Riverside, is also a clergyman of that denomination.

Trespass Notices.

Card signs "No Trespassing" for sale at this office. They are printed in accordance with the late act of 1903. Price 5 cents each. 11

Rights on the Road.

It has been very properly decided in court that a party driving on the road, whose interference prevents another party passing him from behind, is liable for any resulting injury. The man behind, if he wants to drive faster, has a right to pass, but it often happens that the one ahead, either from ill nature, or mischievous foolery, maneuvers his vehicle so as to prevent the other from having his right of the road. It is proper that a court should decide that a public road is not intended for the performance of such pranks and that the hog or fool who indulges in them is liable for any injury that may result.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S GASTORIA

Hope to Cure Cancer.

Scientists Find Disease and Trout Area Coincide.

A strong hope of curing cancer, or at least greatly ameliorating the condition of cancer patients by means of inoculation, is held out in the report of Harvey R. Gaylord, director of the Cancer Laboratory of the State Department of Health at Buffalo, N. Y. This hope is based on extended experimentation during the past year in the inoculation or vaccination of various animals, mainly rats, with the cancer virus.

In a considerable proportion of cases immunity was raised to a point which cured in the proportion of 25 to 40 in rats. It might well be applied to those cases of late cancer in human beings, in which surgery has nothing to offer and the outlook is hopeless, the report declares, adding:

"The time has come when we should begin experimentation with human beings."

Other investigations of importance conducted by the laboratory have had to do with the prevalence of many forms of cancer in fish and the possibility of infection by human beings. It has been found that cancer of the thyroid, in particular, is of frequent occurrence in fish of the trout family.

"It is a very remarkable coincidence," says the report, "that the area of the United States which includes the greatest concentration of human cancer cases is almost identical with the area through which the various members of the trout family are distributed."

Statistics are given to show that cancer continues to increase. The report says that in the United States it has increased from 9 per 100,000 population in 1850 to 43 in 1900, an average of about 65 in 1901, and an average of more than 70 in 1906.

How Tuberculosis Spreads.

Just for instance: A young man who had been clerking for years in the basement of a large department-store developed a cough! And he was tired, so tired that his sister suggested that he take a vacation in mid winter. She was a dressmaker, making good money, and she thought he needed a little rest.

So he got leave of absence and changed from the unventilated basement of the store to the overheated and equally unventilated flat. To be sure, he took an occasional walk, but most of the time he sat in the back parlor reading, and when this occupation palled, he went into the work-room and chatted with the women sewing on pretty frocks for a score of customers. And wherever he went, he expectorated.

There was a spittoon, a dry spittoon, in every room!

But he got no better, the cough-syrups did not cure and finally he went to see a doctor. The doctor sent a sample of this young man's sputum to the laboratory conducted by the board of health and had it examined. When the young man called again, he was told that he had consumption. The board of health was notified of the fact by the physician in charge of the case. The young man was sent to a sanatorium for incipient cases, the house was fumigated and the dressmaker—mainstay of the family though she was—heard some plain truths about shipping out frocks from this germ-laden home and employing a dozen workers in one room, without proper ventilation. That one case of tuberculosis could infect the families of the dozen sewers and the two dozen customers. It could spread out its death-dealing tentacles and touch at least one hundred and fifty unsuspecting persons.—From *Woman's Home Companion* for March.

Pink Hens Lay Rainbow Eggs.

How to change the color of a pure white hen to pink and how pink, red or other colored eggs may be produced was one of the demonstrations successfully carried out at the State College of Agriculture at Ithica, N. Y.

Experiments of feeding hens with rhodamide dye proved successful. One fine-looking hen was fed with this dye, during the molting season, and her feathers gradually changed from white to delicate pink. The same coloring was marked in the albumen of her eggs.

By the use of another dye concentric rings of red appeared in the yolk of the eggs, which also were made entirely red, and the demonstrators said that it would be possible to produce other colors.

The authorities of the college are considering turning out eggs with the yolk red and the albumen white, the colors of Cornell University, and using them to advertise the State College of Agriculture.

Woman's Home Companion for March.

At the very moment when every woman in the country is thinking of "spring clothes" the *Woman's Home Companion* appears as a big fashion number and contains a remarkable lot of information as to what will be worn, and why. Every important item connected with the latest thing in dress is treated in a careful and instructive manner. Articles on French hats and French novelties are only a small part of the general scheme.

But the helpfulness of this magazine is not confined to the question of clothes. Itched metal work, a new fad; the making of bead bags; the building and furnishing of houses, and the many sciences that go to make up a well-ordered home are all considered in the usual excellent departments.

A feature of the March number is the double page devoted to photographs of popular actresses and opera singers who are model mothers. One of the largest pictures of Ethel Barrymore forms part of this collection. Hypnotism, always a fascinating subject, is ably handled by H. Addington Bruce, and Marion Harland tells the famous story of "The Ladies of Langollen."

The fiction attains a high standard. Myra Kelly contributes a vivid Settlement House story. Fannie Heaslip Lea, James Oppenheim and Mary Heaton Vorse each have an excellent tale to tell, and "The House of Healing," by Juliet Wilbor Tompkins, promises to prove one of the best serials of the year.

The humor and verse are quaint and charming, and the "Campaign of Hope" is still encouraging good work in stimulating vigilance against the spread of the White Plague.

The Zoological Press Bulletin.

Timely Topics of Plants and Pests Discussed Weekly, by H. A. Surface, State Zoologist.

LIME-SULPHUR WILL NOT IMPAIR IRON KETTLES.

In reply to a Perry County farmer, who wrote to Professor H. A. Surface, State Zoologist, Harrisburg, inquiring whether an iron kettle will be injured, if the lime-sulphur solution is boiled in it, Professor Surface sent the following answer:

"You can boil lime and sulphur in an iron kettle without damaging it for other purposes. Wash it with hot vinegar after you are through boiling, using a scrubbing brush, and then wash it with clear water and dry it. Before putting it away permanently, it would be well to apply a coat of oil or grease to prevent rusting."

"I am frequently asked if an ordinary iron kettle can be used for this purpose without injury to it, and take this occasion to say that the lime-sulphur wash will not seriously affect any metal excepting copper. Copper kettles should not be used, as the copper will be dissolved and the kettles ruined. Common iron kettles, such as are used in butchering, or even ordinary galvanized iron wash tubs can be used successfully in boiling lime-sulphur wash. It is not necessary to boil the entire barrel full of this mixture at one time. Eight or ten or more gallons of the material can be prepared in the concentrated form and then diluted to fifty gallons by adding water after boiling."

Mifflin County Dry.

The Mifflin Court on Monday refused all applicants for liquor licenses, though the liquor element proved, through the agent, of the Adams Express Company, that two hundred gallons per day was a fair average of the shipments into the town during the period of no-license, and another witness, testified that his experience showed about 50 per cent. of the regular shipments in the no-license period.

Following the regular argument the Court announced that Associate Judge Forest Swyers was in favor of granting all licenses.

At a meeting of the hotel men following the decision, they pledged themselves to close their hotels to the public, as under the present existing high prices of the necessities of life they say they cannot afford to keep open and give the public a fair return for their money without licenses.

Odd Fellows to Celebrate.

The ninety-first anniversary of the founding of Odd Fellowship in the United States will be celebrated at Mount Carmel on Tuesday, April 25th, next, and already the plans for what promises to be a big event are being laid. It is expected that the town over the mountains will do herself proud on this occasion.



Some Facts About Hypnotism.

"No competent exponent of hypnotism to-day believes that a person is inevitably obliged to execute all hypnotic commands given him," says H. Addington Bruce in the *Woman's Home Companion* for March. "And while some still cling to the idea that hypnotic crimes are possible, the consensus of scientific opinion is that no person who would not in his normal state perpetrate the crime suggested, would perpetrate it if hypnotized."

"It is equally certain, though, that under hypnotic influence people are liable to accuse the selves of crimes they have not committed. This is a real danger, which ought to be carefully guarded against in courts of justice."

"There is reason to believe that many 'police confessions' extorted from accused persons by the processes of the so-called 'third degree' and afterward found to be untrue are made in a hypnotic state. The persistent questioning of the prisoner by the police, their pitiless insistence that 'he is guilty and knows he is guilty,' may develop in him that peculiar hysterical condition in which, as has already been said, he may become spontaneously hypnotized by an unexpected noise or the sudden flashing of a light."

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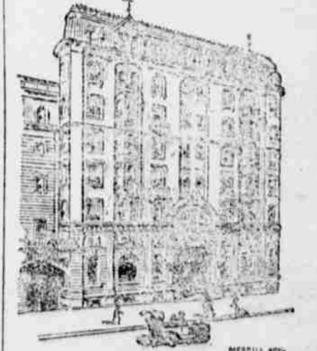
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