# **COUNTY EXPENSES** LESS THAN \$60,000

The Commissioners' Annual Statement Shows Remarkable Economy.

### A CROOKED WRITER EXPOSED alter the records.

Messrs. Dunlap and Weaver are Faithful to the Pledges made--Another Lie Nailed--Attention Called to a Gross Misrepresentation

their Annual Statement for the "Receipts they were made target for a number of and Expenditures of Centre County for 1906." We venture the assertion that few people will be able to read over this mass of statistics and then arrive at an expenditure and the people will be able to read over this min the face with his first cutting his lip open. Before further trouble resulted others interfered and the Italians o'clock.

This man, who, at one time, counted the people will be able to read over this sulted others interfered and the Italians o'clock. intelligent conclusion-as to whether went to their home. The interference the county officials have faithfully dis- of the shopmen tended to enrage the organized, in millions, whose followers charged every trust. That will be no Italians and the trouble broke out anew fault of the statement, but simply that the average individual is not acquainted on his way to work in the Fourth street over death itself, in his last hour was at-

"Treasurer's Account" in which the TOTAL COUNTY ORDERS PAID IS \$131,095.75

in the last issue:

"The expenditures for the year of 1906 exceed those of the year 1905 by \$14.-718.25—the exact figures being: 1905, 117,387.54. while those for 1906 were \$131,095.79

"We call attention to this not to criticise or condemn the present board of commissioners, who very likely did the best they could—which is probably as well as anybody else could have done—but for the purpose of showing that the county cannot be run on wind, and that the charges of extravagance and even graft preferred against the old board were not justifiable then as they are not now substantiated, owing to the simple fact that the democrats

recall the condition of our county one year ago, when Miller and Bailey went out of control. The county was overwhich the former board could not pay ter court adjourned. because they had spent every dollar in sight and there were \$40,000 of outstand- hereinbefore referred to were as follows: the nature of a trust and not Dowie's can be proud of his record as a soldder sight and there were \$40,000 of outstanding notes given the banks of the town.

Frank Samuel and Miles M. Tomlison. own personal property, the proverbial and patriot. trading as Frank Samuel vs. Bellefonte stick struck the earth, and Dowie was above?

The present County Commissioners David Bailey, being an appeal. Contininformed the writer that on January 1st. | ued. 1907, when the last statement was made up, not an unpaid bill was on file in the office.

Look over the statement and you will find the following accounts or items that weeks. At the Spruce Creek hatchery

(Middle of 3rd column) Sheriff's account..... Green and Dillon reward..... Nelson Buchannon Bridge Co. Johnston Co., (printing)......
T. H. Harter, (printing)......
A. B. Kimport, Prothonotary..
Other miscellaneous unpaid

### bills aggregating about ... Total.....\$76,197.56

(The last four items are mixed in with other accounts in the statement but the bills and receipts are on file in the Commissioners' office.)

The above total shows that over \$76,-000 was paid during 1906, by the Democratic Board to meet the Debts of the were acquitted. former Republican Board.

is kept. At this rate the present debt will soon be wiped out.

That is something the taxpayers have a right to know, and upon which they should congratulate Messrs. Dunlap and Weaver for their efficient services.

If the crooked individual who wrote the above misleading article in last week's Gazette don't like these facts, we cannot WAS DESERTED AT HIS DEATH

### BRUTALLY ASSAULTED.

Friday about I o'clock, Elmer Kling, son of Joel Kling, of near Jacksonville, was brutally assaulted on the streets of Altoona by a number of Italians. The trouble which started the murderous cutting affray began as the Italians were Last week the County Commissioners on their way home to dinner shortly after 12 o'clock. As they were passing along Fourth street to the Weir building

with these accounts. For that reason we wish to call attention to a few items.

In the first column will be found the Institute of the flats in the building and started to the flats in the building and for him. Before he realized what was wrong one of the foreigners, who had evidently laid in wait to get revenge At first glance that indicates that ex- from the snowballers, attacked him and penses are higher than ever. This total stabbed him in the back. The others encouraged the Gazette to make the fol-lowing unfair and misleading comment the scene and went to his assistance. Both men were attacked by the Italians and stabbed, the former in the right breast and on the wrist and the latter right in the middle of the chest. Three men were being hard pressed when other shopmen arrived on the scene and went to their assistance and drove the foreigners away, they fleeing into the Weir building. Soon a half a hundred or more Americans arrived and were for raiding the place but were prevented from so doing by the arrival of Patrolman Stephens. He quieted the crowd and then turned his attention to

capturing the numerous Italians. Saturday morning three Italians.
Angelo Lobrado, Michael Sposito and
Alfonso Arneo, had a hearing before
Squire John Irwin, formerly of Belle
fonte, who bound them over for court,

Everybody who reads the papers will glad to know that he escaped death at the hands of brutal assassins.

# CONCLUSION OF COURT.

whelmned with debt. It was necessary Insurance Company of North America. to make loans of \$60,000 to meet the this action grows out of the policy of denouncing individuals right and left; February 28 and immediately became a existing liabilities—all of which the Ceninsurance taken upon the buildings and using methods of bulldozing and bringlaw. This is joyful news to Mr. Kitchen tre Democrat had previously predicted and for which it was called a "LIAR" over and over again by the individual over and over again by the individual over a gain by the individual over who runs the Gazette. The readers cer- tiff. The defendant company defended tainly have not forgotten these things. on the ground that the plaintiff was not mentality to believe in him the absolute and sole owner of the der to him absolute fealty. The taxpayer should not overlook the property as provided for in the policy fact that one year ago the present board of insurance. This was on trial from of County Commissioners inherited a Wednesday afternoon until Saturday. FLOOD OF UNPAID BILLS also, the plaintiff in the sum of \$2405.64, afwhen a verdict was rendered in favor of

Who will dare dispute one word of the Furnace Company, being an action on down and out. Continued.

Now we want the reader to go over young trout of the different hatcheries, and left. He went to Chicago, which this statement and see what the \$131,095 The trout in all the hatcheries was to be the scene of his greatest tribate on the subject. Every farm-this statement and see what the \$131,095 The trout in all the hatcheries was to be the scene of his greatest tribate on the subject. Every farm-this statement and see what the \$131,095 The trout in all the hatcheries was to be the scene of his greatest tribate or in Centre county is not only invited but urged to be present, the only specification of the powerful organization, later represent board is responsible for, and what amount are debts of the last Republican Board.

Sore throat It is common among lake trout at certain times, but it has attacked him with the nucleus of the following the young brook trout in the state that until the disruption occurred, inthe control of the powerful organization, later to the powerful organization to th hatcheries. At the Corry hatchery cluded men and women in almost every show that the person is enough interest-nearly 1,500,000 have died within two country under the sun. are due to the last Republican Board : nearly one-third of the entire stock is building, after the manner of the itiner-credentials, 2.500.00 that if the fish could be gotten into the streams at once the trouble would probably dissappear, and he has therefore given orders to the superintendents to ship them immediately to applicants.

Projects. Growing daily, his following soon became so large that he perfected an organization, began the publication of a daily paper, started a bank, and various other enterprises in line with his teaching.

A Good Investment.

If some our good citizens will build a dozen good houses with modern improvments, we feel sure every one of them various other enterprises in line with his teaching.

162.00 liamsport Friday morning. The case grew out of an assault on Harry Neugrew out of an assault on Harry Neu-schafer a non-union moulder; on the night of September 15th, Neuschafer lowers believed him. was badly used up and it was claimed that the assault on him had been committed by John O'Brian and Sidney McQuay formerly of Bellefonte members of the Moulders' union. The young men told such a straight story and it was so strongly corroborated that the defendants

# DOWIE THE PROPHET

Another Religious Fake who Duped Simple Minded People

The Remarkable Career of a Wonderful

Zion" and the man who, by the sheer force of his personality, converted a

the wealth of the vast institution he had in every part of the world numbered shortly before I o'clock.

E. E. Kling came down Fourth street of his power, claimed to have mastery ens of thousands, and who, in the zenith

REFUSED TO HAVE A DOCTOR.

the belief in his divine mission. An hour before his death it was suggested by one of his followers, whose faith failed him when put to the crucial test, that a physician be called. The white-haired leading the first of the control of the crucial test, that a physician be called. The white-haired leading the first of the control of the crucial test, that a physician be called. The white-haired leading the first of the control of the crucial test, that a physician be called. The white-haired leading the first of the control of the crucial test, that a physician be called. The white-haired leading the first of the control of the crucial test, that a physician be called. The white-haired leading the first of the control of the crucial test, that a physician be called. The white-haired leading the first of the control of the crucial test, that a physician be called. The white-haired leading the first of the control of the crucial test, that a physician be called. The white-haired leading the first of the control of the crucial test, that a physician be called. The white-haired leading the first of the control of the crucial test, that a physician be called. The white-haired leading the first of the control of the crucial test, that a physician be called the crucial test, the crucial test of the crucial test of the crucial test of the crucial test of the

ful unto death; deserted and scorned by his wife and family; by the gullible thousands who had formerly kneit in Mrs. Della M. Brungard and with some fourteen thousand dollars more money to run the county in 1905.

We wish to call attention to the above to set the public aright, also that the tax payers may know how their money was spent.

Industry to the housand dollars and the property seriously but not fatally. He is about 47 years of age and has a family. He left Centre county about 20 years ago, and has been making his home in Altoona ever since.

He is well and favorably known through Nittany Valley, and his friends will be forgiven.

Housands who had formerly knelt in adoration before him; repudiated by the residents of Zion City, which unquestionably owed its being and progress to his adoration before him; repudiated by the residents of Zion City, which unquestionably owed its being and progress to his adoration before him; repudiated by the residents of Zion City, which unquestionably owed its being and progress to his adoration before him; repudiated by the residents of Zion City, which unquestionably owed its being and progress to his about 47 years of age and has a family. He left Centre county about 20 years ago, and has been making his home in Altoona ever since.

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FROM TASMANIAN PRISON.

Nineteen years ago he arrived in California, coming from Tasmania, where he Trout Die From Sore Throat.

In his report. Fish Commissioner Meehan announced trouble among the voung trout of the different hatcheries.

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Fearing no one, fighting all who op-Two Bellefonte Boys Acquitted.

John O'Brian charged with assault and battery and with intent to kill, was placed on trial in Judge Hart's court at Wilstrength of his dominant personality, it is a Arraying himself in robes of gaudy hue, plied.

But he apparently could not stand site ideal. prosperity. Glutted with wealth and power, with the blind obedience and al-

From then until his death he was a soured, disgruntled, vindictive man, hat-PASSES AWAY ing with all his power those whom he formerly ruled over with a rod of iron; more powerful than any autocrat of the Russians, in that, he compelled blind unquestioning obedience; savagely denouncing those who had put a stop to his personal ventures, and refusing to be reconciled to any of those who formerly, in the language of Deacon Granger, one

the) faithful, recognized him as "A messenger of the covenant; the prophet foretold by Moses, Elijah the Restorer, to whom all family ties and Man--Won Fame and Fortune, Then obligations, and all relations to human Man--Won Fame and Fortune, Then
Lost all--Prophet Shorn of his Power--Story of Zion City.

Governments shall be held subordinate."
Judge V. V. Barnes, one of the few elders of the Church who remained faithful to Dowie, conducted the ser-vices and delivered the funeral sermon John Alexander Dowie, "prophet." divices and delivered the funeral sermon.

During Tuesday and Wednesday the body lay in state in the reception hall of Shiloh house, the Dowie resi-

The burial took place at Lake Mound cemetery, at Zion City, beside the grave of his daughter, who died several years ago of burns caused from the explosion of an alcohol lamp.

No memorial services were held at the temple, the only reference to his death being a tribute paid Dowie by one of the deacons at the early morning church service. The regular order of services was observed.

### WEDDINGS.

ANDREWS-TURNER.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. James P. Dowie died as he had lived, firm in Turner, near Julian, was the scene of a

In the case of Mollie Miller vs. the elect should dwell together under him; ing the house of representatives and senusurance Company of North America. Christian Catholic church and that the Uriah Kitchen \$30 per month, after passelect should dwell together under him; ing the house of representatives and senusurance Company of North America. rtainly merits this consideration ecognition of his heroic services in him, the most remarkable thing about two great wars. Mr. Kitchen was born the man was that he really persuaded thousands of persons of supposed sound mentality to believe in him and to renadvanced age and lives a mile from Beech Creek in Beech Creek township. His was a career to be compared only He is one of the best and most highly re-July 29, 1906, Judge Landis, in the United States District Court, in Chicago, rendered a decision by which Dowie was shorn of his wealth and the money in-

# Special Grange Meeting.

Washington Grange, in College township, of which Prof. H. E. Van Norman, of the Pennsylvania State College, is master, will hold a special meeting on iscussion on the subject. Every farmer in Centre county is not only invited cation being that they bring with them side that would personally benefit one ear of corn, which must be present. "Harter." In this deal, however, a cog First he preached in a one-story frame tend and bring with him the proper

# A Good Investment.

# Encampment at Tipton.

Ten years after arriving at Chicago commander of the Second Brigade, Nahe purchased 6000 acres of land near tional Guard, has selected Tipton, 10 Waukegan, Ill., and there, upon a sup-posedly arid waste, he laid the founda-line of the Pennsylvania Railroad, as a tion and built Zion City, which in its time was one of the most successful enterprises in the country.

site for the summer encampment of his brigade. There is an abundance of good terprises in the country.

# HEARING SATURDAY

The Elder From Growing Restless the acre. while in Jail.

# THE LATEST POSTOFFICE NEWS

Harter Becomes Postmaster on Wednesday--An attempt to fire Wm. Cham-ducted by foul means. bers Failed--Accused of Bad Faith--Violated Pledges.

Much interest is still centered around the arrest of Jacob From, of Centre Hall, who is now back of the bars charged with the murder of Josiah Dale, Everybody anxious to have the cowardly slayers of Mr. Dale brought to justice, and as siderable anxiety on this, the culmina- of sin. tion of his work. The habeas corpus hearing will take place in the court house Saturday morning at 10 o'clock, before Judge Orvis. District Attorney W. G. Runkle will be assisted by John G. Love and the defendant will be represented by J. C. Meyer and John Keich-line. The latter two gentlemen have been very busy this week in hunting up evidence that will give them a better opportunity to know where they are at when the hearing takes place. It is sician be called. The white-haired leader half rose on his couch, and, gazing fixedly at the little group of tearful watchers, said:

"I need no physician. God is all in all."

From a cell in a Tasmanian jail to the leadership of thousands of persons; the personal charge of millions of dollars; almost unlimited power over an army of evangelists who preached him and his doctrines over all the earth to a deathbed, deserted by all but two or three still faithful friends, was the fate of John Alexander Dowie, one of the most spectacular characters that ever appeared upon the mortal horizon.

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Unwept, unhonored and unsung, save by four of his followers who were faithful unto death; deserted and scorned by his wife and family her the along and happy life. by telephonic conversation. Every his foom in Fark hotel, whilmsport, anight, just before crawling into the bunks, James calls over to his father and tells him not to forget to pray for 'Mom."

The strain of being away from his wife, who has been quite ill, but who is much limpthoughtlessly blown out the gas better the strain of the str Veteran Gets Special Pension.

Declaring himself to be Elijah, the Restorer, possessing the ability to cure all manner of disease; that he was divinely inspired; that he was the leader of the last introduced by hon. Elias Deemer that the special pension.

Veteran Gets Special Pension.

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Joseph Shoop, was arrested Wednessian that there were not the captain of the still maintains that he can prove his innocense of the crime, and that next Saturday he will surely be given his treedom. During the past few days he has been ill, due no doubt to anxiety and worry.

# POSTOFFICE NEWS.

Tuesday T. H. Harter received his commission as postmaster of Bellefonte. fonte Harter has been trying to carry 'two waters on one shoulder," or he has been on the fence ready to drop on the slipped and he was made show his hand. Before the appointment was made Mr. Harter assured the friends of assistant William Chambers that if he was given the postoffice no changes would be made affecting Chambers. On the other hand, he deliberately attempted to appoint Ambrose Sloteman to Mr. Chambers' place.
Love and Harter put their heads togeth-If some our good citizens will build a dozen good houses with modern improvements, we feel sure every one of them could be rented for a good sum of money. There are eight different families who want houses with modern improvements and who would be willing to pay a decent rent. New families are moving in into the town who want houses and it is a shame that they cannot be supplied.

Love and Harter put their heads together to get rid of Chambers, and give the plum to Sloteman. They came to the conclusion that Harter had the appointing power so they went to Sloteman and informed him things were allright. According to reports, Sloteman left a good position and hunted up his bondsmen and had the paper signed. Everything was now in excellent shape to betray the burning oil thrown over the bed and it is a shame that they cannot be supplied. graphed to the department that he was ready to appoint a new assistant post-master, but you can imagine his surprise and disappointment when he received word that he had no jurisdiction in making any appointments, as everybody in the office was under the Civil Service.

Harter was tripped up and in this is received that in the Casner's loss will exceed \$1,000 while that of Himes will reach Harter was tripped up and in this \$1,500. his character is again revealed in its true light.

# Harry Hull's Misfortune.

### FACT, FUN AND FANCY.

Bright, Sparkling Paragraphs--Selected and Original.

A dentist charges by the tooth not by

It's only the mud we throw that soils

Many a man has more friends than are

good for him. Many an innocent picture has been

framed in guilt.

A bit of practice in the hand is worth two theories in the bush.

The black sheep of a family is seldom in mourning for his sins.

Our grandfathers used to wear night-caps, but we take them internally.

The charity which begins at home is apt to be out when poor relations call. If you would cause a woman's heart to

Detective Millard has run out several ache aim at the object of her affections. other clues and found nothing substan-The only kind of wages that a man tial, the public is now looking with con- doesn't have to work for are the wages

> Occasionally a man's beastly temper is due to the fact that he has a wife and several children who refuse to sup-

### ADJOINING COUNTIES.

W. S. Weyman, master of carpenters of the P. R. R. Co., and a very prominent citizen of Tyrone, dropped dead on Monday evening the 11th. The

Italian who was convicted last week of murder in the second degree for shoot-ing his American wife, Annie Briney, in Altoona, on the night of January 9, was sentenced to pay \$100 fine and costs, and to undergo separate and solitary imprisonment in the western penitenti-

ary for the term of twelve years. The "Millionaire's Club" in Altoona was put on the "blink" last Friday by the Anti-saloon league. The handsome bar and the expensive fittings were

of the county bastile. The son occupies a cell at the extreme eastern end. They frequently carry on a conversation as a gear, was found unconscious in bed in conversation. Every his room in Park hotel, Williamsport,

was the Sabbath when the religious peo-ple came to the jail. He stated that he was going to ask them to pray for them day the motion for a new trial was granand his mother. Sunday afternoon the ted and this being done the court accept-Salvation Army held a meeting in the corridor of the prison, and during its progress Mr. From wept like a child and sentenced to twenty years in the west-

> day afternoon at his home near Cat-fish, after boasting that there were not enough constables in the county to place him under arrest. Notwithstanding that his boasts were of such large proportions, he was, with little difficulty, taken into custody by Constables John Roe and John Shuff. George H. Weaver, of Catfish, had preferred the charges of cruelty to his 1-year-old child against Shoop. He had been roaming through the woods near his home, making the control of the ing his boasts when the officers placed him under arrest.—Tyrone Herald

The Tioga County Bar Association has adopted a petition to the Legislature asking the repeal of the Sheriff's fee bill of 1901 on the ground that the fees provided therein are unreasonable, exorbitant and disproportionate to the fees re-ceived by other officials for similar service, the effect of which is to extort unreasonable sums from unfortunate defendants, and to deter honest plaintiffs from prosecuting proper ciaims, as well as to bring more or less suspicion and reproach upon all concerned in the collection of debts by execution. This is a proper move, without doubt, but why not include the fees of the Tioga Bar

# A Legal Opinion.

For sometime past a question of law has been facing the Commissioners of Teaching Morals in School.

Lesson in Subtraction.

Here is a little problem any school boy can figure out:

In 1906, county orderspaid. \$ 131.095
Take debts of former board. \$70.197
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and you have the expenses of the county turing the year 1906, in round figures, at the care of the teacher continually, but the best efforts at home as well as in the school are necessary for beneficial results. He urged the co-operation of taken the best efforts at home as well as in the best efforts at home as well as in the school are necessary for beneficial results. He urged the co-operation of taken the bases of the county that the moral standard the current expendigment of the control of the commissioners of the charges substantially proved, with attempting to divert the wealth of the charges substantially proved, with attempting to divert the wealth of the charges substantially proved, with attempting to divert the wealth of the charges as yard foreman at the 'Adrian form Commissioners of the cases of the county as yard foreman at the 'Adrian form Commissioners of the cases of the county as yard f