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SECOND WEEK OF MAY COURT

A Number of Important Cases Tried.

ANTES GETS A SALTY SENTENCE

He was sent to the Penitentiary For Five Years—Boyd Reed Gets Four Months in Jail and \$15.00 Fine.

Reported by S. D. Gettig, Esq.
Thursday the last case held was that of the Commonwealth vs. Burdine Butler. In this case the jury returned a verdict of guilty.

The counsel for defendant at once moved the Court for a new trial and the other indictments against the defendant were continued by consent, after which all jurors for the week were discharged.

J. C. Cochran vs. J. A. Hoy, appeal, continued.
Court convened on Friday morning, and after hearing motions and petitions proceeded to pass sentence on convicted prisoners.

In the case of Comm. vs. Charles N. Weir, who had waived the finding of the grand jury and plead guilty, sentence was deferred until the Court could ascertain something about the past record of the prisoner.

Boyd Reed, sentenced to pay a fine of \$15.00 costs of prosecution and four months in jail.

Bruse Yarnell sentenced to pay a fine of \$15.00 costs of prosecution and four months in jail.

A. B. Antes sentenced to pay a fine of \$1.00 costs of prosecution, and five years in the penitentiary.

Other cases were disposed of as follows:
B. P. Swartz, prosecutor John Fisher, charge adultery, continued.

Lee Derstine, prosecutrix Florence Smith, charge, betrayal, continued.

John Reed, prosecutrix Jeanette Hale, charge, betrayal, continued.

John Boyce, prosecutrix George Basalla, charge, assault and battery, etc., settled.

John E. Fisher, prosecutrix D. W. McCloskey, charge, adultery, continued.

Charles W. Boalick and Garfield Boalick, prosecutrix W. H. Cronover, charge assault and battery, continued.

Jerre Sowers, prosecutrix Fred Reese, charge, malicious mischief, continued.

Wilson Patton, prosecutrix Lizzie Shawver, charge, betrayal, continued.

Albert Kunes, prosecutrix O. J. Stover, charge, illegal sale of beer, continued, prosecutrix being in West Va.

Cleveland Weaver, prosecutrix Lucy J. Jordan, charge, continued.

William Wolf, prosecutrix W. W. Jamison, charge, larceny, continued, defendant being beyond the jurisdiction of the court.

Hersey Robb, prosecutrix Grace Slocum, charge, betrayal, continued.

George Estright, prosecutrix Grace Miller, charge, betrayal, continued.

John Daley, prosecutrix C. J. Harm, charge, larceny, continued.

James B. Grafmeyer, prosecutrix Lillian Grafmeyer, charge desertion, continued.

James J. McDonald, prosecutrix J. T. Beckwith, charge, vagrancy, in this case the Court some ago upon petition of the Sheriff appointed a commission in lunacy who found that the defendant was of sound mind, and had committed no crime, whereupon the defendant was discharged.

Walter Williamson, prosecutrix S. J. Lebo, charge, malicious mischief, nol. pros.

Bond O. Musser, prosecutrix Vergie M. Breon, charge betrayal, continued.

Albert Barger, prosecutrix N. R. Stiver, charge, assault and battery, continued.

Harry Beverline, prosecutrix Lula Thomas, charge adultery, continued.

Charles Yarnell, prosecutrix, Mabel Yarnell, charge, desertion, continued.

of the College Hardware Company, a co-partnership. Continued.

F. W. Crider, individually, and F. W. Crider, executor of P. B. Crider, deceased vs. J. Miles Green and Francis P. Green, executors of Joseph Green deceased, and J. Miles Green and Francis P. Green, heirs and legatees of Joseph Green, deceased, with notice to the Borough of Bellefonte, terre tenants and all other terre tenants, being an action brought to recover on a mortgage. Verdict in favor of the plaintiff for \$3853.65.

John Lyle vs. D. F. Houser, being an action brought by the plaintiff against the defendant on an alleged violation of a contract for paper-wood. The plaintiff alleging that he had bought some timber from the defendant, which the defendant denied, and when the plaintiff sent his men to cut they were stopped by the defendant. Verdict in favor of the plaintiff for \$1.

A. A. Grove vs. R. B. Taylor, and R. B. Taylor vs. Patrick Ward, being two cases. Continued.

W. W. Feidt vs. Overseers of the Poor of Boggs township, Centre county, Settled.

P. T. McClintic and Helen I. McClintic vs. W. I. Harter, administrator of etc. of Fannie Nestlerode, late of Liberty township, deceased.

This case is from Liberty township and grows out of a contract for maintenance of the decedent for sometime. Verdict on Wednesday morning in favor of the plaintiff for \$1064.00.

D. Leitch vs. S. D. Leitch, administrator of and etc. of Sarah E. Leitch deceased. Verdict in favor of the plaintiff for \$312.70.

Thomas Poorman, Jennie Grover and Arthur Grover her husband, Margaret Lucas and Samuel Lucas vs. Harry Kessling, Wm. Kessling and Albert Kessling, being an action in trespass. Continued.

E. Hugg vs. Mrs. Nancy Scheckler, being an action in ejectment. Continued.

Penn Chemical Company, a corporation, vs. Henry Kline, Fred Reese, Mary C. Ammerman and Nancy J. Ammerman, being an action in trespass. About a month or so ago, the pleadings in this case were amended, and the first two named defendants stricken from the record and the case to continue against the last two named defendants. Cause continued on Wednesday morning at the costs of the defendant.

All jurors discharged and court adjourned for the week.

A Magnificent Success.
Friday evening the entertainment in Garman's opera house for the benefit of the hospital ambulance proved a magnificent success. From the time the curtain was drawn until the last act the audience was kept in good humor. The excellent music was furnished by Christy Smith's orchestra, and the program opened with the Twentieth Century Minstrels of State College. This was far superior to most of the traveling minstrel companies, as the jokes were fresh and spicy and struck the humorous chord of all present. The musical melodrama by H. P. Armstrong and W. H. Foster. The little comic sketch, "Locked Out," by Mrs. Cameron Burnside, George R. Meek and Hard P. Harris; Lewis Daggert, the black faced comedian; Mr. Mead, the physical tourist, and the latest novelty dance by W. H. Foster, were all of a high order, filled full of laughable situations. About \$400 were the receipts of the evening.

On last Sunday evening after Rev. John Hewitt, of the Episcopal church, had preached the baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class of the Bellefonte high school, a collection was taken up for the same purpose, amounting to over \$14. Mrs. John Lane and Mrs. Cameron Burnside, who labored so hard and faithfully for this object, have sufficient money to buy the ambulance which is said to be erected by L. C. Ballock, of Milesburg.

Some people entertain a wrong idea of how this ambulance will be used. They think that conveyance can be ordered out free of charge. This is not the intention, because it would place an extra expense upon the hospital which it cannot afford to bear. Every time the ambulance is ordered out it must be paid for by the persons using it, just the same as if they would hire a conveyance from the livery. The only advantage will be that the ambulance will have some conveniences over the ordinary wagon.

Boyles to Fight Sentences.
At the special request of James H. Boyle, and his wife Helen Boyle, recently convicted at Mercer, Pa., for the abduction of Willie Whittle, of Sharon, Pa., Attorney John Marron, prominent in local legal circles, went to the Western penitentiary Friday afternoon for the purpose of having a consultation. This is said to be the first step in the attempt to have a revision of the sentences imposed upon Boyle and his wife. Boyle is serving a life sentence and the woman twenty-five years. On Saturday Attorney Marron filed papers in the case which may be the begging of a long fight.

Miss Helen Taft Will Unveil Monument
Miss Helen Taft, daughter of the President, has accepted an invitation to unveil the monument erected at Gettysburg in memory of the soldiers of the regular Union Army who participated in the Gettysburg campaign. The ceremony will take place May 31, and 2,000 regular troops will attend.

The principal address will be made by Secretary Dickinson in case his health will permit.

Avenger Bill Acquitted.
William Jones, known as "Avenger Bill" Jones, because of his attempt to shoot Guitman, the assassin of President Garfield, while the former was being removed from the court house to the jail at Washington, D. C., was declared not guilty by a jury there Friday of the murder of John O. McPherson, who was killed by Jones in October last. Self defense was the plea of the defense.

THE HIGH SCHOOL COMMENCEMENT

The Affair Proves a Magnificent Success.

DOCTOR EDWIN EARLE SPARKS

He will Make the Commencement Address This Evening in Petrikin Hall—The Prizes will be Awarded.

This week has been taken up mostly by the exercises connected with the Bellefonte High School Commencement. It was ushered in last Sunday evening when the friends of public education packed the St. John's Episcopal church to hear the baccalaureate sermon by the rector, Rev. John Hewitt, who has made it a study as to how to preach successfully to the young people. His sermon was thus filled with stalwart thoughts, calculated to make the best of citizens of the young people whom he addressed.

He closed his sermon by taking beautiful flowers and presenting them to the members of the class at the same time wishing that their lives would be as clean and as perfect as the sweet scented flowers. The special music was appropriate and appreciated by the large congregation.

The next event was the Junior contest for the Reynolds gold prize. The stage was handsomely decorated with the class colors, white and orange. In fact they were the prettiest decoration that has been seen there for years, during commencement. The exercises were in charge of Prof. Jonas Wagner, principal of the schools. The contestants were Violet Barnhart, Helen Eberhart, Helen Hartranft, Raymond Jenkins, Mary Hicklen, Mildred Kirk, Crilly V. Robb, J. Harrison Olewine, Helen F. Smith and A. Lucille Wetzel. The judges were Prof. John H. Frizzell, of State College; E. S. Ling, superintendent of schools in Lock Haven; and Miss Hill, of the Bellefonte Academy. It was a knotty question they had to solve because of the most excellent production rendered by all the contestants. It was indeed a difficult task to pick out the winners, but the judges finally settled on Miss Helen F. Smith as entitled to first prize and Miss Mary Hicklen the second. They voiced the sentiment of the majority of those present.

Owing to the coming out of the Centre Democrat before the commencement exercises, unable to get all the prizes, but the following are some of them: Miss Yerna B. Stevenson, daughter of Harry Stevenson, took first honors in the class of 1909 and Miss Marjorie McGinley, daughter of Linn McGinley, took second honors. The latter also took the Meyer biographical essay prize. Miss Dorothy Jenkins took the spelling prize. Miss Sarah Shuey and Miss Ruth Kline also took a spelling prize.

The social affair of the week took place on Tuesday evening in the armory under the auspices of the alumni association which, of course, is growing larger each year. The large building was tastefully decorated and the music by Christy Smith's orchestra was superb. After the reception to the graduating class the beautiful maidens with their gentlemen companions danced the light fantastic toe. During the evening refreshments were served, after which the dance was kept up until a late hour.

This afternoon at 2 o'clock, the regular commencement will take place in the Petrikin Hall. In the evening at the same place, Dr. Edwin Earle Sparks, president of State College, will deliver the Commencement address. Dr. Sparks is a pleasing and eloquent speaker, and he ought to be greeted by a large audience. This will be followed by the presenting of diplomas and awarding prizes.

Wants Square Deal.
Charges that the Central Railroad of New Jersey and other carriers from Pennsylvania bituminous coal fields to New York harbor and other tidewater points were parties to an agreement to discriminate against small operators have just been filed with the Interstate Commerce Commission in Washington.

The charges were made by Pease, Peacock & Kier, Incorporated. They say they are engaged in mining and shipping bituminous coal from Central Pennsylvania, principally from Clearfield, Centre, Cambria, Indiana and Jefferson counties, to New York and other tidewater points.

The complaint charges the Central of New Jersey imposed certain demurrage charges, at the tidewater points, which are illegal, unjust and unreasonable. The complaint says that the demurrage charges are especially discriminating against the small shippers on coal destined for New England points.

Grand Lodge.
The Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows which met last week in Harrisburg selected Williamsport for the next place of the meeting, the Lumber City being very strongly favored for the 1910 session. It was determined to re-district the state for the four homes, five counties being taken from the Sunbury district and added to the Meadville district. The Philadelphia and Pittsburg districts were not changed to there. The grand lodge also determined to pay the expenses of its entertainers. There will be a comfortable balance in the treasury at the end of the ensuing year. The estimated revenues will be \$59,893.43, while the expenditures will be \$53,125.25, a balance of \$6,768.18.

Contract Awarded.
E. E. Uish, of Lewistown, has been awarded the contract to replace the tents, cottages, etc., recently destroyed by fire on the Newton Hamilton Camp ground. Work will be commenced at once, and finished by the opening of camp, which begins August 12.

INSPECTING SITES.

On Wednesday the committee appointed by the Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania to look up a site for the proposed Masonic home arrived in Bellefonte on the morning train. It was composed of the following gentlemen from different parts of the State: George B. Orlandy, James W. Brown, Edgar Tennis, David A. Sawdew, Wm. L. Gorgas, Henry Williams, Spencer Gilbert, James Krause, Hon. Louis Watres and John D. Croft. They were met at the train by a local committee from Lodge No. 268, of which Col. J. L. Spangler is chairman.

A number of automobiles were in waiting for the distinguished gentlemen when they were conveyed to State College. After partaking of dinner at the Nittany Inn the committee was escorted through the main buildings of the College, thus giving them an insight as to the great and valuable work the institution was doing, and what advantages the new home would have if located within the shadow of it.

During the afternoon they were taken to the Moses Thompson homestead, at Centre Furnace, and shown this as a site for the home and orchards which will cost in the neighborhood of \$3,000,000. The committee was shown that they could secure five hundred acres of the best and most productive land in Pennsylvania. On the site there is a large spring of never failing water and this combined with many other natural conveniences would make it an ideal spot or location of an institution of that kind. Its close proximity to the College would certainly permit the children of the orphanage to get a College education at a very small expense which, after all, should be the aim and object of an institution which has the destiny of children at heart. Then, too, Centre county is centrally located, geographically, and is surrounded by charming environments such as fertile acreage, copious streams and mineral wealth of inestimable value. After investigating the Thompson site the committee was returned to State College where a battalion drill took place under an officer of the United States Army.

From there they were brought back to Bellefonte, reaching here in time to take supper at the Bush House. They left on the night train for Williamsport where on Thursday they went over the Harrisburg; Saturday, Lancaster, Conowingo, Elizabethtown and Mt. Joy. Some of the committee were very favorably impressed with the site offered them by the lodge of Bellefonte, and there is hardly any doubt but it will be among those which will receive consideration.

Deserted By Wife.
About ten days ago Dr. A. M. Fisher, formerly of Lebanon, but more recently of McAllisterville, Pa., came to spend a few days with his uncle, Dr. P. S. Fisher of Zion. While in this vicinity he came to Parrish's drug store. While here he made a few remarks that led his uncle and others to think that brooding over family troubles had unbalanced his mind. From here he went over to the Seven Mountains where he remained a short time at the home of Pat Gerrity. His next whereabouts was at Lebanon where an awful tragedy took place on Saturday night in which he took his life by swallowing prussic acid. Since separating from her husband two years ago Mrs. Fisher and their son have been living with her father, John A. Fox, a lumber merchant of Lebanon.

Dr. Fisher went to Lebanon Friday morning and by appointment met his wife at the home of her brother, Luther Fox, in the evening, when he sought to have her return to him. She refused to do so, and then he made an unsuccessful attempt at suicide in her presence, a vial of prussic acid being struck from his hand as he was about to swallow the deadly dose. Saturday night Dr. Fisher went to the Fox mansion, and seating himself in one of the chairs on the front porch, drained the contents of a second vial of prussic acid. He died almost immediately. Dr. Fisher was 40 years old, and his marriage to Miss Fox occurred at Lebanon about ten years ago. Following his marriage he went to Altoona. Soon after her return home Mrs. Fisher began proceedings for divorce, alleging cruel and barbarous treatment, but the suit was not pressed. The funeral took place Tuesday, which was attended by Dr. P. S. Fisher and wife of Zion.

Eagles at Pottsville.
The Grand Castle, of the Knights of the Golden Eagle held its annual meeting at Pottsville, as did also the Grand Temple of Ladies of the Golden Eagle. Both orders will hold their meetings next year at Gettysburg.

It was decided that there will be levied a per capita tax of 20 cents, 16 for the Grand Castle and 4 for the committee on the new K. G. E. hall. The former rate was 25 cents, 5 of which went to the Hall Committee. The castle adopted a resolution that all laws of subordinate not in accordance with the constitution should be declared null and void after January 1, 1909.

The officers elected are: Grand chief, Charles Denby, Philadelphia; grand vice chief, Wm. Y. Irwin, Chester; grand high priest, Milton P. Schantz, Allentown; grand master of records, Lewis L. Gallagher, Chester; grand keeper of exchequer, John B. Pearce, Philadelphia; grand scribe, Horace W. Schantz, Allentown; grand first guardsman, Frank J. Burkhardt, South Bethlehem; grand second guardsman, Ewald Windsor, Perkasie; grand trustee, Chas. A. Shunkwiller, Reedville; representative to supreme castle, Harvey J. Lutz, Philadelphia.

Marriage Licenses.
Edward Spring - Lock Haven.
Mary Baughman - Hubersburg.
Christy Packer - Howard.
Elsie Walker - Orvis.
Harry Weaver - Bellefonte.
Minnie Estright - Milesburg.

No woman thinks much of a husband who isn't occasionally jealous of her.

REFORMED CLASSIS MEET IN BELLEFONTE

A Net Gain of Several Hundred in Membership.

THE REPORTS ENCOURAGING

After October Bellefonte Will Be a Separate Charge—New Congregation to be Organized at State College.

The West Susquehanna classis of the Reformed church of the United States opened in St. John's Reformed church, Bellefonte, Wednesday of last week with a large attendance of ministers and laymen. At the opening session in the evening Rev. Samuel H. Stein, the retiring president, preached the sermon. Devotional services were conducted by the Rev. Daniel Gress, and Rev. W. D. Donat. Rev. Daniel Gress, of Centre Hall, was elected president for the ensuing year. At the business session Rev. W. C. Rittenhouse, pastor of St. John's Reformed church, Williamsport, was elected corresponding secretary. Rev. W. F. Curtis, president of Allentown college for women, gave an encouraging report of the condition of the school since he entered upon his work there. Rev. W. C. Rittenhouse, of Williamsport, made an address Thursday night on "Deaconess Work in the Reformed church," and Rev. Frank Wetzel, of Rebersburg, discussed "Ministerial Relief." Friday evening a men's meeting was held at which Wm. H. Keller, Esq., of Lancaster, discussed "The Laymen's Missionary Movement." He is a brother of Harry Keller, Esq., of Bellefonte, and a very fluent speaker, well versed upon the topics he so well handled.

Saturday was a busy day, many reports of standing special committees were made. These reports covered the mission interests, Beneficiary Education state of religion, apportionments and statistics. A net gain of several hundred was noted in the membership.

The apportionment amounted to over \$6000. Several charges were divided. Among them the Bellefonte and the Nittany Valley charge, Zion and Hubersburg after October 1st, will constitute a new charge. Two new congregations will be organized during the year, one of them will be at State College. A petition asking for such an organization at that place, was signed by 30 persons. When classis adjourned it did so to meet in regular annual session in the Reformed church at Middleburg, Snyder Co., the last of Wednesday in July 1909.

The Sunday services were largely attended and reached their climax in the Missionary services Sunday evening when the Rev. Jairus P. Moore, D. D. of Tokyo, Japan, delivered an inspiring address.

The report of Rev. A. A. Black, of Boalsburg, the treasurer of the Classis, showed receipts for the year as follows: Home Missions, \$2184; Foreign Mission \$2361; Contingent Fund, \$345; Beneficiary Education, \$578; Church Building Fund, \$1553; Ministerial Relief, \$100; Sunday School Board, \$130; Orphans Homes, \$371; Seminary Ad., \$331; Sustentation, \$297, total \$2977.

Almost a Fatal Accident.
A fatal accident was narrowly averted Sunday afternoon when a two-seated carriage owned by Mrs. John Knights and drawn by a team of spirited horses was overturned and the occupants, the Rev. G. Stanley West, pastor of the Church of Christ, his wife and Mrs. Edward Cobick and Mrs. Priscilla Stout were thrown over a steep embankment on the Quineshaque road. The accident occurred near the Stewart farm in Woodward township, Lycoming county. A bolt in the singletree gave way, allowing it to fall upon the heels of the horses. The thoroughly frightened team started on a mad gallop down the road dumping the cargo of human freight over the bank bordering the road side.

Mrs. Cobick was rendered unconscious by the force of her fall, while the rest of the party sustained serious contusions. Rev. Stanley West is known in Bellefonte and particularly so at Blanchard and in Liberty township where he once resided.

Back From Cuba.
Ex-Senator S. R. Peale, of Lock Haven, who is well known in Bellefonte, has returned from a four months' sojourn in Cuba where he has large business interests. The senator is looking well and says the reports of another intervention of the United States is all nonsense. The island is prosperous and the city of Havana is in better condition than ever before. It is true, he says, that almost every other person wants an office under the present regime but that state of affairs does not exist alone in Cuba as sections of our own country are similarly affected.

A Glorious Time.
All indications point to a glorious time on Saturday in Lock Haven. From far and near every day brings news of organizations and individuals determined to be present and participate in the parade and witness the ceremonies.

Hon. Thomas J. Stewart, Adjutant General of Pennsylvania, will be present and deliver the main address. A large number of old soldiers from Bellefonte will attend. As this is the great event of the year it will eclipse any previous celebrations in the history of Clinton county.

Orphans' Home Dedication.
W. H. Kiess, colonel of the Fourth regiment, Patriarchs Militant, I. O. O. F., has issued an order to all cantons located in territory comprising the orphans' home district of Sunbury to turn out on dedication day, June 17, participate in the ceremonies of dedication at the home and for a field day display.

FACT, FUN AND FANCY

Bright, Sparkling Paragraphs—Selected and Original.

PUZZLES.
Oh, the chemists have perplexed us
Till we find we cannot state
Where the vials that have vexed us
Really originate.
When an unfamiliar savor
Marks the fruits that used to suit,
Is it a benzoic flavor
Or a failure of the fruit?

If you have to read the label
On each bottle that is sold,
Before you are truly able
To decide what it may hold.
When with citizens too frisky
The police are playing tag,
How shall they distinguish whisky
From an imitation jag?

Sillicus—"They say he isn't as attentive to her as he used to be. Did they quarrel?"
Cynicus—"No; they married."

When a fellow finds that he can no longer afford to take a girl to theatres and out to supper afterward he marries her.

Why is it that you don't write any more articles on "Advice to Mothers?"
asked the editor of the woman's page.
"I really haven't the time any more," replied the female contributor. "You see, I'm married now."

Mr. Brown a Prisoner.
Rev. George I. Brown, formerly pastor of the St. John's Episcopal church, of Bellefonte, but now rector of the Protestant Episcopal church, of Lancaster, had a singular experience, the other day which has resulted in the removal of George Brown, the sexton of the church; some time ago Brown adopted a belligerent attitude toward the vestry and more particularly against the rector Rev. George Israel Brown.

The climax came recently when Sexton Brown took occasion to lock Rector Brown in the rector's study in the church building, adjoining the sanctuary of the church. The sexton's special animus in this instance is not clear, but after locking the rector in the room he poured out a string of abuse through the two inches of solid oak which formed a barrier between them.

The Rev. Mr. Brown is of athletic build, even more so than the sexton, who is so weakling. It is entirely probable that the rector, had he so desired, could have battered down the door and by the use of further force stopped the far from sacred language which was being used in the consecrated building.

Fearing that the sexton might not be entirely responsible for his words and actions, however, the rector contented himself with writing down each new epithet as it came to his ears. When sexton Brown had exhausted his resolute stock of Americanized Billingsgate he suddenly stopped. Then the key was turned in the lock and the sexton flung open the door and the Rector walked out.

Saw's Way out of Jail.
During the absence of Sheriff Klepper, who left Sunday night with a patient for the Warren Asylum, Jack Anthony, charged with being one of the robbers and desperadoes who shot up the hotel at Drury Run, and who gave such a desperate battle to Chief Foley and Officer Kyler, of Renovo, when they were arrested, escaped from the Clinton county jail at Lock Haven at an early hour Sunday morning.

Anthony, who was confined in one of the steel cages, sawed off five bars, dug a hole through the 18-inch wall with a chisel and, squeezing through the small hole, gained the jail yard. He then sawed off the padlock on the heavy iron doors in the rear wall and gained his liberty.

Where he secured the tools is a mystery as no visitors were allowed to see him. The night watchman at the cell of Frank Latempa, convicted of murder in the first degree, heard no sounds whatever. Anthony's pal, John Smith, whose jaw was shattered in the battle with the police, occupies a steel cage on the second floor. They were to have been tried at the July term of Court.

Thrown From a Buggy.
Monday morning Register and Recorder W. A. Snyder's daughter, Miss Gretchen, of Salona, accompanied by her baby brother, William, Jr., drove out with horse and buggy to C. W. Taylor's farm, near Mackeyville, to get some garden plants. Their favorite dog went along and when they reached the farm it playfully gave chase to a flock of sheep that resisted the attack and all made a dash for the dog which hastily retreated to the vehicle of his mistress for protection but the sudden on-rush of the sheep frightened the horse and caused it to jump to one side sufficiently to tip the buggy and throw both the occupants to the ground, rendering Miss Gretchen unconscious for a short time and breaking the collar bone of each of them. They will eventually recover.

Fires His Cell to Get Warm.
Louis Correll, of West Hazleton, a temporary occupant in the borough lock-up at that place, came near cremating himself alive this morning in his cell.

He was locked up for drunkenness, and on arising was cold; so he took his pocket-knife and whittled a heap of shavings from his cot and set them on fire.

The blaze set fire to the floor of the cell and building, and but for the timely arrival of one of the borough police the entire structure would have been destroyed, and Correll would have perished. He was considerably scorched about the legs.

At Hecla Park.
The Hecla Park Athletic Association will hold a tournament and festival, at that place, on Saturday, June 12th, between 10 and 11 a. m. Among the features of the day will be a game of baseball between 5 and 7 p. m. Deitrich's orchestra, of Bellefonte, will be on hand to furnish music for dancing in the pavilion. There will be other sports and amusements during the day and evening. All kinds of choice refreshments will be served, and everybody is invited to be there and enjoy themselves.