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Decendants of the Heroes of 1776 Attended Church.

SOME HISTORIC RELICS EXHIBITED

Old St. Peter's Church of Philadelphia Elaborately Decorated With "Rattlesnake" and "Pine Tree" the Winter of '77 at Valley Forge.

Philadelphia, Dec. 19.-The Pennsylvania Society of Sons of the Revolution held its ninth annual church service today in old St. Peter's church, to commemorate the one hundred and twentieth anniversary of the going into win-ter quarters of the American army at

The church was elaborately decorated with banting and flags. The most conspicuous colors being the continental "buff and blue." the official colors of the society.

Other Cags included the New England "pine tree," the "southern rattlesnake," the first national flag, the French bourbon, the "moultrie," the Pulaski banner made to the order of General Pulaski by the Moravian sisters at Bethlehem, Pa., and the Westmoreland county flag, which bears on the right upper corner the cross of St. George: in centre a rattlesonke coifed with head creet in attitude of striking. underneath on a seroll the words "don't tread on me' above, the letters "J. P." over those of 'L. E. W. C. P." These stand for John Proctor, first battellon. Westmoreland county provincials.

The members of the society assembled as the Penu clun and marched in a body to the church, marshaled by J. Campbell Lancaster, the officers and board of managers leading, preceded by the color guard of the society under e-manual of Captain Russell, carrying and escorting the three large banners

or the society. Invitations were sent to the officers of the following patriotic societies: The Society of Cincinnati, the Military Order of the Loyal Legion, Pennsylvania commandery, Daughters of the American Revolution, Naval Order, Colonial Dames, Daughters of the Revolution, Society of Colonial Wars, Society of the War of 1812, and Governor Elisha Dyer, ex-Clovernor C. W. Lippitt, S. W. E. Allen, Colonel E. J. Spedley and Chas. P. Bennett, members of the Ehode cland commission on monuments at

WASHINGTON'S PEW.

Pew No. 4), in which General and Larly Washington sat when attending divine services, was specially decorated for the seating of officers and board of mangers of the society. They are: President, William Wayne; vice presidem, Richard McCall Cadwalader; second vice president, Dr. William Henry Egle; pecretary, Ethan Allen Weaver; treasurer, Charles Henry Jones; registrar, Major Richard Strader Collum, U S. M. C.; historian, Josiah Granville Leach; chaplain, George Woolsey Fiedges; mangers, James Edward Carpenter, chairman; Judge Samuel Whitaker Pennypacker, Rev. Horace Edwin Hayden, William MacPherson Mornor, Dr. Thomas Hewson Bradford, Isaac Craig, John Wolf Jordan, Francis Von Albad - Cabeen, Captain Henry Hobart Hellas, U. S. A.

The service was in charge of the chaplain of the Pennsylvama society, Key, George Woolsey Hodge. The following clergymen were also present: Rev. Richard Henry Nelson, rector of the church and member of the Pennsylvania society: Rev. Cyrus Townsend Brady, archdeneon of Pennsylvania and member of the Pennsylvania society; Rev. Arnold H. Hord, Rev. Walter Jordan, Rev. Francis Macr'etrick, of the Pennsylvania society; Rev. I., M. Robinson and Rev. S. E. Snively. The sermon was from the text Deuteronomy, 1:28-29, and was delivered by Rev. Dr. William Wallace Silvester. rector of the George W. South Memorial church of the Advocate, and a mem-

#### PITTSBURG ENCAMPMENT.

ber of the Pennsylvania society,

#### Initial Step Toward Scenring the G. A. R. in 1900.

Pit'sburg, Dec. 19.—The initial step toward securing the Grand Army of the Republic encampment for Pittsburg in 1906 was taken last night by the Allegheny county Grand Army of the Republic association, and the plan will agitated at the coming Cincinnati gathering.

In connection with the encampment if it should be held here, it is proposed to unveil a Grand Army soldiers' mona nent to cost in the neighborhood of \$500,000. The Pennsylvania legislature of 1895 passed an act of empowering each county to erect a suitable soldiers' monument at the expense of the citizens, the necessary amount to be raised by taxation. It is believed by the veterans hereabouts that 1900 will be the last year for encampments. It is their ambition therefore to have the organization wind up its career in this in the dedication of the proposed grand memorial to the nation's dead,

#### PARDEE HALL BURNED AGAIN,

### A Loss of \$100,000 to Lafayette Col-

tege -- Herbarium Destroyed. Easton, Pa., Dec. 19.-Fire partly do stroyed Pardee hall at Lafayette college yesterday morning. It was a stubborn blaze to fight. The firemen were called out last night to extinguish fresh flames. The building was five stories high in the center and four stories on the connecting wings. It cost originally \$280,000 and was burned in 1879, when the insurance of \$120,000 about paid for rebuilding it on the original lines. Considerable furniture and ap-

paratus was added. The loss by the fire will not exceed \$100,000, it is thought. The insurance is \$100,000 on the building, \$30,000 on furniture and apparatus, \$9,000 on the Ward scientific library, \$10,000 on books, \$6,000 on the Washington Literary society library and furniture, which was completely wired out, and \$1,000 on Franklin society library. which was slightly damaged. Professor J. M. Porter lost \$15,000 on engineering apparatus and machinery of

his own. This was uninsured. Dr. Porfer is overcome by the al-most complete destruction of his herbarium, which was said to be the fin est in the United States, and which he had made his life work. The students carried out a great deal of furniture and apparatus, and by their work rier who, it is thought either commit-saved at least \$10,000 worth of prop- ted suicide or was murder d and erty. Some of them had narrow escapes from injury. President Warfield night. They found nothing whatever said tonight that the trustees would owing to the murky condition of the he called in special session at an early high water. The pelice are still hunt day, and that the rebuilding of the ing for clues to establish the man's damaged part of the building would fate, but have met with no success.

begin at the earliest possible moment, He thought the insurance was ample

The tire started from a germ incubator in the biological laboratory. The college term will close on Wednesday next. Examinations are now in progress, and were held this morning despite the fire.

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Stroudsburg, Pa., Dec. 19.-In the

jectment case tried before Judge Al-

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Coss of planning to murder him. The

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WANT ADV.

President Warfield, of Lafeyette colege, has issued a call for a meeting of the local members of the board of rustees to be held at noon tomorrow. when arrangements are to be made for continuing the different courses study disturbed by the burning of Pardee hall yesterday. President Hallen-bach, of the board, has instructed Dr. Flags -- Service Commemorating Warfield to make all necessary arrangements for temporary relief and to call a meeting of the trustees to arrange for rebuilding the structure without unnecessary delay. Among the property saved by the students have been found Dr. T. C. Porter's Pennsylvania flora and the new instruments lately added to the department of geology.

## AND GOES ABROAD.

Strange Disappearance of a Mining Contractor After Mortgaging His Home .- Young woman Also Leaves.

Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Dec. 19.-John Pugh, a prominent mining contractor, Kingston, disappeared from his W home on Wednesday. Friday night Mrr. Pugh received a letter from New York city signed by her husband, in which he stated that he expected to se far on the ocean before she reelved the letter, on his way to Aus-

He stated that he has mortgaged his coperty for \$8,000, and said that he had secured about \$2,000 from other sources, and had over \$10,000 in each

During the past summer Mr. Pugh went to Wales, and when he returned there came with him a Susic Herbert. who claimed distant relationship, She lived with the Pugh family until four weeks ago, when Mrs. Pugh Insisted that she leave because it would be better for the general peace of the family. She has since lived at the house of John Edwards, on South Meade street, this city.

Last Tuesday evening John Pughe is 127 fellerson avenue. Mende street, this city,

said to have called at Mr. Edwards' and had a private interview with Miss Herbert. On Wednesday morning Miss Herbert left the city, saying she was going to Montgomery county, Ia. She, however, purchased a ticket for Scranton, stating that she would there receive further instructions as to her

Yesterday morning Mrs. Pugh received a letter from Miss Herbert, bearing the Philadelphia postmark, It vas directed to "Her Dear Uncle and Aunt, Mr and Mrs. John Pugh," and stated that she met on the way a dear old friend who insisted that she should one and stay with blos and she never expected to visit Wilkes-Barre again.

#### KILLED HER MOTHER.

Mrs. Flora Yeager Shoots Her Moth-

er, Mrs. Sweet, at Susquehanna. Susquehauna, Pa., Dec. 19.—Mrs. Flora Yenger, aged 40, shot and killed ner mother, Mrs. E. O. Sweet, aged 60, last night at their home in this place. They have lived alone, and for over a year have refused admittance to all visitors East night they had a quarrel and the daughter went to her room, got a revolver, and then shot her mother. The daughter immediately ran to neighbors, telling what she had done.

Mrs. Sweet lived about an hour. She said it was one of Flora's "capers. The daughter had an examination this morning and was committed to the fail quehenna county. Twenty years ago Mrs. Yeager was married to William Yeager. They lived in Chicago for a time and then she got a givorce. Af-terward Yeager remarried. It is probable that Mrs. Yeager will be confined in some asylum.

### WORK FOR 10,000 MEN.

Settlement of Window Glass Workers Jage Scale Has Good Eff et. Pittsburg, Dec. 19.-After many hitches the complete wage scale of the window glass workers has been settled and the factories will resume operations three weeks from next Menday The cutters and flatteners today

per cent respectively over last year's The blowers and gatherers reached their settlement early this month and have been waiting for the oth t branches to settle the scale. The starting of the window-glass factories in January will give work to 10,000 men scattered over Eastern and Central

were granted advances of 15 and 13

#### SUICIDE OF THOMAS HANTON.

A Resident of Lancaster Swallows Oprum and Turns on the Gas.

Lancaster, Pa., Dec. 19.—Thomas Hanton, 68 years old, died this evening at the county hespital as the resuit of swallowing a number of opium pills last night which he followed up by turning on the gas in the room of the hotel at which he was stopping and closing all the means of ventilation. Hanton came here about a week age and registered at the Hoffman house as from Washington, D. C.

He represented himself as a pension r, engaged a week's board at the hotel, paying in advance, and snent money liberally until he went broke yesterday.

#### BEATEN BY BURGLARS.

Brave Young Man's Attack on Rob-

bers Ends Seriously. Sharon, Dec. 19.—Harry Jones, a clerk in the drug store of J. P. Hynd, of Stoneboro, discovered burglars at work on a rafe in the store last night. He secured his revolver and entered the store, but one of the men on guard struck him several times over the head, rendering him unconscious.

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