

NORTHEASTERN PENNSYLVANIA

FIRE NEAR MONTROSE.

C. W. Hoyt's Barn Is Destroyed. Loss \$3,000.

Special to the Scranton Tribune. Montrose, Pa., March 13.—Fire started from some unknown cause tonight and destroyed the barn on the farm of C. W. Hoyt, situated about two miles from here.

A large amount of hay and grain was destroyed; loss estimated at \$3,000. The live stock was saved.

TUNKHANNOCK.

Special to the Scranton Tribune. Tunkhannock, March 13.—Today was appeal day at the commissioner's office for the townships of Forkton, Mehoopany, North Branch and Windham and the assessors of those townships were at the office to listen to all persons who felt themselves aggrieved by the assessment.

The Women's Relief corps of this place have arranged for an entertainment to be given at Platt's opera house on the 28th of this month, at which the attraction will be Miss Sadie Kaiser, of Wilkes-Barre. Miss Kaiser will be accompanied and assisted by Miss Parker, of Wyoming seminary, Clousonville, and Miss Abbridge, of Pittston, pianist. The entertainment is for the benefit of the corps and the money raised will ultimately go for the support of the old soldiers.

F. H. Weinsheimer and Dr. Tibbins, of Noxen, were over at Tunkhannock on Tuesday.

W. H. and Marshall Reynolds and Miss Alice Hatfield are home from Mansfield State Normal school for the spring vacation.

Perry S. Billings, of this place, suffered a stroke of paralysis on Sunday afternoon and is very ill.

Platt's opera house is undergoing extensive repairs. The local lodge of Knights of Pythias has made an arrangement with the owners of the building for a ten years' lease of the third story and the rooms are being fitted up for them. In order to make necessary to take part of what was the gallery in the hall and now the intention is to fix over the whole interior of the place and put in modern opera chairs. The repairs will be finished by the latter part of this month.

Rev. French of the First Baptist church is holding cottage prayer meetings at Jenkins' Hollow with good results twice a week.

Memorial services in honor of the late Mrs. Annie Wittmer will be held in Grand Army hall by the ladies of the Relief corps of this town.

A musical and literary entertainment is to be given in the Free Baptist church this evening by the combined talent of Thompson, which promises to be fine.

Rev. B. P. Larrabee, who was confined to his bed for a week, is able to sit up most of the time at this writing.

FACTORYVILLE.

Special to the Scranton Tribune. Factoryville, March 13.—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rice and daughter, of Peckville, spent Sunday here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Zwozick and son Harry entertained a number of their friends Monday evening by giving a phonograph concert, which was much appreciated by the guests.

Factoryville campment, No. 246, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, meet in regular session this evening and confer the third degree. They will also elect officers for the ensuing term.

Next Friday evening at 7:45 o'clock the ladies' prize speaking contest of Keystone academy will take place. It will be contested in by six young ladies of the academy.

Captain E. J. Rice post, No. 211, Grand Army of the Republic, will hold their regular session next Friday evening. All comrades are earnestly requested to be present.

Mrs. W. B. Edwards, of Elmhurst, is calling on friends in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. James B. Smith were over at Nichols on Monday, where they will make their future home. Mr. and Mrs. Capwell has accepted a position with his uncle, S. W. Capwell, at the Ontario and Western railroad station at Forest City.

Percy Taylor and John Reynolds are engaged in the ice business at Gouldsboro, Pa.

C. E. Wright, jr., has accepted a position in the bolt and nut works at Scranton.

HALLSTEAD.

Special to the Scranton Tribune. Hallstead, March 13.—Frank Jackson, who has recently been convalescing from typhoid fever, has been again taken sick with pneumonia.

Deputy Factory Inspector William W. English was in town Monday looking after the various industries here.

Warren P. Van Loan, of Yonkers, N. Y., was visiting his parents here, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Van Loan, Monday and Tuesday.

T. H. Hays was called to Scranton on a business tour Tuesday.

Miss Josie Millard and Miss Edith Krowbridge returned home on train No. 28 Monday night from Chicago.

THE MOTHER

with a nursing baby has two lives to support. Her flesh, strength and vitality are taxed to the utmost, and must be maintained or both will surely fail.

Scott's Emulsion will keep up the mother's strength and vitality. It also enriches the baby's nourishment, and supplies the elements necessary for proper growth and development of bones, teeth and tissue.

and all druggists. COTT & BOWNE, Chemists, New York.

A UNITED STATES MARSHAL

Thanks Peruna for His Rapid Recovery from Catarrh.



EX-UNITED STATES MARSHAL MATTHEWS, OF MISSISSIPPI.

Hon. S. Matthews, ex-United States Marshal of Mississippi, in a recent letter to the Peruna Medicine Company, of Columbus, Ohio, written from Hazelhurst, Miss., says: "I am happy to say that I am cured of catarrh and need no more attention from you. It is a great satisfaction that I am able to write you that Peruna has my case done all that you claim, and that I will need no more medicine."

Hon. J. F. Crooker, of Buffalo, N. Y., who was for years superintendent of Schools at Buffalo, in a letter dated October 16th, writes: "I have been a sufferer from catarrh six or seven years, and after trying many remedies, was induced by a friend to take Peruna. The results have been highly satisfactory. I take pleasure in recommending Peruna to any one suffering with catarrh, as my cure is complete."

Hon. B. B. Doherty, Congressman from West Virginia, in a letter from Washington, D. C., to the Peruna Medicine Co., says the following of their catarrh remedy, Peruna: "The remedy that will cure catarrh in one situation will cure it in all situations."

Address The Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, O., for free book.

chase and fit up Canavan's Island and glen, a picturesque spot in the western suburbs of Susquehanna, for excursion purposes. It is a prettier spot than Shohola Glen.

Robins were seen in Great Bend on Monday.

George Ryman and family, of Broad street, are preparing to remove to Cleveland, Ohio.

The Montross Telegraph and Telephone company will apply to Governor Stone for a re-charter of incorporation.

Congressman C. Fred Wright, of Susquehanna, will succeed himself. It is well!

Miss Emma Hall, of Grand street, will leave tomorrow to visit relatives in Mansfield, Ohio, and Chicago.

Alleged new maple sugar is being sneaked into town.

"FORTUNE FAVORS THE BRAVE." It is also favorable to those who purify their blood in the spring by taking America's Greatest Spring Medicine, Hood's Sarsaparilla. A clear head and a healthy body are given by its use.

Constipation is cured by Hood's Pills, 25c.

Special to the Scranton Tribune. Harford, March 13.—Mrs. Maynard, Mrs. Whitman and Mrs. Grant visited Scranton last week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Osborn spent Sunday with Mr. Osborn's brother, Fred.

The Christian Endeavor will hold a social at W. B. Hammonds on March 16th.

The Reading Room association will hold a business meeting March 14.

Mrs. Osterhout is better at this writing.

They are getting 14,000 pounds of milk at the creamery every other day, but after March 15 they will take the milk every day.

The house and barn belonging to Williston Watson was destroyed by fire Sunday night and the occupants barely escaped. Mr. Morgan, while trying to save a child was burned so badly that they had to call a physician. No insurance.

HONEDALE. Special to the Scranton Tribune. Honedale, March 13.—Mr. W. H. Malley, of Scranton, is a Honedale visitor today.

Mr. H. C. Hand is expected to return from New York, where he has been under treatment for eye trouble, the last of this or the first of next week.

There were five suits on the Wayne county calendar last week brought by J. S. Ames against different parties for trespassing on forbidden fishing grounds. Only two the cases were brought to trial. The first, Ames vs. E. Vandervoort, verdict for plaintiff, judgment \$10. The second case, Ames vs. D. Spangenberg, was also in favor of the plaintiff; judgment \$15.00.

Mr. Harry Rockwell, formerly with the National Elevator works, has opened a bicycle and light machinery repair shop on Front street, near the uptown bridge. The attraction at the opera house Friday evening, March 16, will be Broadway's "What Happened to

Jones," presented by a first class company. The New York Sun says the audience began to laugh as soon as the curtain rose and did not stop until it fell on the grand finale.

The Wayne County Independent has received a simple type-setting machine for use in their printing office.

Yesterday was license court. License was granted to forty-five hotels, twenty-five eating houses, six bottlers, three wholesale houses and one brewery in the county. A remonstrance is being heard today against a hotel at Laurel Lake.

Honedale experienced a water famine yesterday. When people arose in the morning they found the supply completely cut off. All the factories were obliged to suspend work and the washer-women were angry. A fire engine was brought into service, pumping water from the river, and by noon a meagre supply was furnished. The distributing reservoir was empty, caused by some defect in the feeder which had been neglected.

FOREST CITY.

Special to the Scranton Tribune. Forest City, March 14.—A correspondent of the Forest City News writes as follows: "To the Editor of News: I am not usually to be found in the ranks of the 'kickers,' but it seems to me that it is high time the citizens of Forest City demanded that the board of health of the body which is supposed to guard the physical welfare of our people, become something more than a farce. If a complaint is made to the officers of the board of health they shirk the responsibility for inaction by saying that their hands are tied; they have no money from the council to carry on the work. The councilmen will, if approached on the subject, find some excuse for their share in the business and throw the blame on the board of health or some of its members or agents. Meanwhile the doctors fail to report cases of contagious diseases, or, at all events, no action can be seen in regard to them. Infected houses are not placarded and the children in families afflicted with disease mingle freely with playmates from other homes. Within a month I have had a child from a house in which there was a patient suffering with a contagious disease come home with my children. There is, it seems to me, criminal negligence somewhere and the citizens should rise up in protest. The personal interests or feelings of public officials should not be allowed to stand in the way of the public good."

James J. Cunningham, who some time since left here to locate in Newport News, Virginia, has gone into the wood and coal business with H. D. Spear, with good prospects of success.

The poor board of Forest City has engaged Sandy Kennedy as steward of the poor farm for the ensuing year.

A fire broke out in the lumber yard, on Railroad street, yesterday about noon, but was extinguished before much damage was done.

A young child of John Middleton who has been very ill with scarlet fever, is very much better.

Chronic Diarrhoea Cured. My mother suffered with chronic diarrhoea for several months. She was attended by two physicians who at last pronounced her case hopeless. She procured one 25-cent bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, and five doses gave her permanent relief. The remedy was recommended to her as the best on the market.—Mrs. F. E. Watson, Alken, Ala. Sold by all druggists. Matthews Bros., wholesale and retail agents.

AVOCA.

On Saturday evening the employees of the silk mill met in Herbert's hall and appointed a committee of citizens to visit the Saugouit mill and ascertain the scale of wages paid there. They were courteously received by the officials and in answer to their inquiries it was learned that for winding they receive 50 cents more per week than at the Avoca mill, 25 cents a day extra for Tusnah, 50 cents a week extra for Canton. The Saugouit mill does not pay anything for the first two weeks after which it pays \$2 per week with an advance of 25 cents per month until the regular prices are reached. The doublers average 75 cents more, twistlers, 75 cents, reelaers, 75 cents, and bobbin carriers, 75 cents more than at the Avoca mill.

Mrs. G. M. Snyder, of North Main street, is critically ill of pneumonia. Her condition last evening was of such a character that her friends entertained little hopes of her recovery. Her daughter, Mrs. Snyder, is also suffering from the disease.

The two children of Mr. and Mrs. King, of Moonis, respectively 3 years and 1 month, died since Sunday morning. The funeral will take place this afternoon. Interment will be in Mantrose, where the family formerly resided. Mr. King is also very ill.

Mrs. Decker, of Vine street, was seized with a paralytic stroke yesterday and her condition last evening was quite critical. She was apparently of a strong constitution and seemed to be afflicted with any malady until yesterday, when she was stricken while performing her household duties.

The will of the late Neil Mullarkey was probated last week. He leaves the property on Lambert street in equal shares to his two sons, Owen and Edward. His daughter, Mrs. Ellen O'Rourke will receive \$5.

At a meeting of the silk mill employees on Saturday evening a committee was named to visit the silk mills in Scranton and learn the scale of wages paid there. Mr. Ashley is expected in town today and it is said that a committee of citizens will meet him and endeavor to make a settlement.

Miss Rachel Dennis, of Mill street, is suffering from a severe attack of bronchitis.

Mrs. E. S. Torr and two children returned yesterday after a two weeks' visit with friends in Brooklyn.

Thomas Davis, son of David Davis of York street, left on Monday evening for a medical operation for appendicitis at Dr. Thompson's private hospital. Dr. R. H. Gibbons will be the attending physician.

To make the school boy's lunch complete, With something cheap—yet good to eat, A pleasant change from bread and meat,

There is a new significance in the lunch-room when the foundation is laid with Uneseda Biscuits.

Uneseda Biscuits. NATIONAL BISCUIT COMPANY.

THE MARKETS.

Wall Street Review. New York, March 13.—The stock market today showed very plainly the effects of the reaction on the British market which accompanied yesterday's sharp advance in prices.

Philadelphia Grain and Produce. Philadelphia, March 13.—Wheat—Firm and steady. Contract grade, March, 72c; No. 2, 71c; No. 3, 70c.

New York Grain and Produce. New York, March 13.—Wheat—Firm and steady. Contract grade, March, 72c; No. 2, 71c; No. 3, 70c.

Chicago Grain Market. Chicago, March 13.—May corn declined a shade over a cent to 45c, under yesterday's closing steady. 45c; under yesterday's closing steady. 45c; under yesterday's closing steady.

Chicago Live Stock Market. Chicago, March 13.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,200; generally about steady; natives, poor to prime steady, 4.50; 4.50; 4.50; 4.50.

Buffalo Live Stock Market. Buffalo, March 13.—Cattle—Steady for good heavy grades but feeling weak for others, especially plain medium steers; veals, 3.50; 3.50; 3.50; 3.50.

New York Live Stock Market. New York, March 13.—Beef—No trade in live cattle; veiling steady; calves steady; exports, \$5.00; calves, dull and steady; light calves, \$5.00; calves, steady to a shade higher; \$2.00; calves, \$2.50; \$2.50; \$2.50.

Oil City Market. Oil City, March 13.—Credit balances, \$1.50; certificates, no bids or offers; shingles, 16.00; barrels, average, \$5.00; barrels, runs, 15.00; barrels, average, \$1.50; barrels, runs, 15.00.