RECEPTIONS, PARTIES, WEDDINGS, ANNIVERSARIES

YULETIDE PARTY FOR MISS GEORGIA SNYDER

Enjoyable Affair in Honor of Guest at Mountain Home Farm

LINGLESTOWN SOCIAL AFFAIRS

Edward Buck Entertains Friends at Five Hundred Party on Wednesday Evening

Linglestown, Pa., Jan. 2.—Church services will be held at Wenrich's Reformed Church and at the Church of God to-morrow morning and at the United Brethren Church a series of meetings will be held beginning to-morrow evening.—Miss Eva M. Daniels and John S. Buck, popular young people of town, were united in marriage at the parsonage of Washington Square Methodist Church, at Hagerstown, December 26. They will be at home to their many friends after January 9, in Jefferson street, Harrisburg.—Mrs. Myra Fuld, of Butte, Montana, and Miss Elizabeth Long, of Riverside, spent New Year's Day as the guests of Mrs. Annie Smith.—Miss Anna Pletz, of Middletown, is spending several days with Miss Sallie Zimmerman.—A Yuletide party was given in honor of Miss Georgia Snyder, of Bucknell University, at the mountain home farm of Mr. and Mrs. McClellan Hench on Saturday evening. Games and music were features of the evening's entertainment, after which dainty refreshments were served to the following: Misses Georgia Snyder, Catherine Koons, Annabel Lusk, Martha Graybill, Mary Hench, Elizabeth Graybill, Edna Hummer, Hulda Longenecker, Marion Smith, Verna Juillard and Sybil Hench; Messrs. Edward Buck, John Earley, Andrew Hetzel, Hiram Hummer, Robert Cook, Paul Faust, Roger Good, Sherman Kreiser, Frank Hoke, Henry Shadel, George Hench, John Look and Mr. and Mrs. Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. McClellan Hench.—Edward Buck entertained at "500" on Wednesday evening. Refreshments were served to Misses Mary Hoke, Cathryn Hoke, Marion Smith, Louisa Hoke, Hulda Longenecker, Messrs. Lester Johnson, Franklin Hoke, Robert Hoke and Edward Buck.—Miss Wilhelmina Ball, of Atlantic Highlands, is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Ball.—Dr. and Mrs. J. N. Baker, of Lykens, spent Christmas with the formers' mother, Mrs. Rebecca Baker.—John McIlhenny Smith, of Princeton University, is spending his vacation with his mother, Mrs. Annie Smith.—

NEW YEAR'S DAY DINNER

Millerstown, Pa., Jan. 2. — Miss Sarah Kipp and George E. Beaver, Jr., sleighed to Port Royal and Academia recently where they visited friends.—Mr. and Mrs. James Walker, of Altoona, spent the week-end with William Walker.—Miss Ella Tyson visited friends at Harrisburg several days.—Professor David Harmon, of Hazleton, and Dr. J. E. Everhart, of Pittsburgh, were entertained at the home of D. M. Rickabaugh Monday and Tuesday.—Misses Claire and Dorothy Brown and Elwood Brown, of Chambersburg, are visiting D. L. Farner.—Mrs. David Snyder, who spent Christmas with her son, W. S. Snyder, returned home on Monday.—The Rev. and Mrs. Rankin Caldwell, of Mercersburg, are visiting Mrs. Caldwell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Addison Ulsh.—Dr. Roscoe Hall, of Baltimore, who has been the guest of his mother, Mrs. J. C. Hall, has returned to his work at Phipps Institute.—Mrs. B. Rubin and Mrs. Sidney Rubin accompanied by Harry Rubin sailed from New York on Saturday for Bermuda where they will spend several days.—Messrs. Ross and Ray Dimm, of Newark, N. J., visited their father, Lewis Dimm, over Christmas.—Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Gates, of Tyrone, were the guests of Mrs. Gates' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Patton this week.—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Messersmith, of Harrisburg, spent Christmas day with T. P. Cathcart.—D. H. Lahr entertained at dinner New Year's day, Dr. E. E. Moore and family, of New Bloomfield; Charles Lahr and family, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Noll, of Newport and Banks Lahr, of Fox Chase.—Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Shover and son Donald spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. David Sternbaugh at Lemoyne.—Thomas Gardener, of Huntingdon, spent Saturday evening with his aunt, Miss Jane Sheaffer.—William Spangler is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Sallie Rowe, at Harrisburg.—Messrs. Calvin Dimm and James Kipp of Harrisburg, are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Kipp.—Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bollinger and daughter Helen, of Newton Hamilton, are visiting Misses Mazie and Anna Bollinger.

PENNSYLVANIA GOOD ENOUGH

Montandon, Pa., Jan. 2. — Mr. and Mrs. John Sheets gave a dinner on Christmas to their children and grandchildren. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Whitmyer, Luther and Blanche Whitmyer, of Northumberland; Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Flood, of Riverside; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Furman, of Sunbury; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Sheets, and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sheets, of Montandon.—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fries and daughter Pearl spent Christmas Day at New Berlin with Miss Sue Frits.—Clifford Keyser, who left last Spring for St. Mary's, Idaho, where he had accepted a position with the railroad company, returned to this place on Friday with the report that Pennsylvania was good enough for him.—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Barr and Mr. and Mrs. Don Barr and daughter, Winifred, of Shamokin, ate their Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Robtrts.—Professor J. T. Parks, of Scranton, is spending the holidays with his parents.—Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Parks.—Mr. and Mrs. Bland Hoy, of East Orange, N. J., were Christmas visitors at the home of his mother, Mrs. Jennie Hoy.

CHURCH ON FIRE

Rife, Pa., Jan. 2.—Winter has set in in this section with a firm grip. On Sunday morning it was reported 3 degrees below zero.—The Rife Lutheran and Reformed Sunday school has elected these officers: Superintendents, Charles Lenker and Lester Novinger; treasurer, Elmer Bonawitz; librarians, Lizzie Lenker and Walter Novinger; secretaries, Guy Lenker and W. C. Paul; organists, Hattie Schreffler and Mary Paul.—Miss Grace Longabach, of Millersville, is spending the holiday vacation at home.—Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Forney are spending sometime at home prior to starting housekeeping at Eville.—Mr. and Mrs. Homer Shadel announce the birth of a daughter last Monday.—I. H. Schreffler, of Curtin, made some repairs at Keefer's schoolhouse Monday.—The Lutheran and Reformed Church was set on fire last week by an overheated stove, but little damage was done.

ELEVEN CHILDREN AT MOTHER'S FUNERAL

Services of Mrs. Elizabeth Daniel, of Philadelphia, Take Place at Berrysburg

BURGESS OF TOWN BURIED

Jacob Hartman Died in Harrisburg Hospital Several Days Ago

By Special Correspondence

Berrysburg, Pa., Jan. 2.—Jacob Hartman, who became ill while on his way to Harrisburg and died in the Harrisburg Hospital on Saturday, was buried on Thursday. Services were conducted by the Rev. Mr. Hurfett, assisted by the Rev. Mr. Derr. Mr. Hartman at the time of his death was chief burgess of Berrysburg. He is survived by his wife and six children.—Mrs. Elizabeth Snyder, of Harrisburg, is spending a week with her daughter, Mrs. M. S. Daniel.—Miss Lena Hartman, of Carlisle, is visiting her parents.—Mrs. Ralph Strawhecker and Earl Strawhecker, of Harrisburg, are in town.—Clair J. Daniel, of Philadelphia, spent several days at home.—Mrs. Harry Deibler, who has been in the Harrsiburg Hospital for a number of weeks, arrived in this place on Tuesday evening much improved.—Mrs. Charles Lebo and daughter Hannah and Mrs. Martin Weaver are spending a week with relatives at Philadelphia.—Miss Marl Snyder, of Womelsdorf, is in town.—Students of different schools who are home during their vacations are: Paul Lehman, of Ursinus College; Walter Henninger, Forest Keboch and Jonas Schreffler, of Albright, and Walter Deibler, of Lebanon Valley.—Mrs. Kate Keboch, Mrs. Oscar Hoover, Mrs. Clayton Deibler and Henry Daniel enjoyed a sleighride to Millersburg on Tuesday. On Wednesday Mr. Daniel, Mrs. Keboch and Misses Florence Hoover and Helen Daniel took a trip to Elizabethville in a sleigh.—Ceylon Bowman and Mrs. John Miller, of Harrisburg, are visitors at the home of William Bowman.—The body of Mrs. Elizabeth Daniels, 70 years old, of Philadelphia, was brought to the home of her son, M. S. Daniel, on Monday morning, and the funeral was held in the afternoon. Eleven of her twelve children attended the funeral, seven daughters and four sons. One son, residing in California, could not be here.—Francis and Jacob Straub, of Hershey, are spending the holidays with their father, Norman Straub.

Personal News Items From Nearby Towns in Central Pennsylvania

By Special Correspondence

Mifflintown. — Mr. Smith, of Sunbury, returned home Sunday after spending Christmas with Professor Edward Taylor and family. — Roy T. Kreider, of Northumberland, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James A. Kreider. — Mr. and Mrs. John Watts, of Belleville, spent Monday with the latter's sisters, Misses Louise Jackman and Mrs. B. F. Junkin.—Mrs. Austin Wagner, of Lewistown, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Knisley, at Mifflin.—Miss Mary Kulp returned to Harrisburg on Sunday after spending Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Kulp. — Robert Kulp and George Zeigler spent Christmas at Lewistown.—Edward Kirk, of Mifflin, is in Carlisle attending the funeral of his cousin, Kirk Bosler. — Edward Berry, of Chicago, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Berry at Mifflin. — Russell Shaver, of Washington, D. C., is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Sara Davis.—Dr. I. T. Andrews left on Christmas day for a visit with his son, Ross Andrews, in Beaver, Pa. — Charles Howe, of Washington, D. C., spent Christmas with his sister, Mrs. M. P. Crawford. — Mrs. Jennie Horning spent Christmas in Port Royal with her daughter, Mrs. Luther Bender. — Mrs. John Leonard returned Monday from a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Dunn, in Van Dyke.—William Neely, of Harrisburg, spent Monday with his sister, Mrs. D. L. Berry.—Miss Hazel Auker left Saturday for a week's visit with her aunt, Mrs. John Graybill, Jr., at Lancaster.—Misses Mary and Martha Coller, of Altoona, are visiting their aunt, Miss Alice Todd.—Mr. and Mrs. John Schlomer spent Christmas with his father at Newport.—Miss Margaret Marks and nephew, Edward Kirk, spent Christmas with William Marks and family, in Harrisburg.

Thompsontown. — Ernest Johnson, of Danville, is spending the holidays with his family here. — Mr. and Mrs. Walter Roland and two daughters, of Lewistown, are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Haines. — Misses Lenore and Catharine Knisely, of Mexico, are guests of Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Haines. — Misses Minnie and Ella Vines, of Williamsport, and Mrs. Victor Crosson, of Harrisburg, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Carvell. — Mr. and Mrs. Ross C. Davis and son, Lester, and Luke Davis, of Altoona, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Heeler. — Miss Verna Books, of Mexico, spent Christmas with Miss Anna Cameron. — Mrs. G. B. M. Arnold and sons, of Hyattsville, Md., are visiting her mother, Mrs. Mary Gross. — M. E. Heller spent Monday in Lewistown. — Miss Isabelle Allen, a student at Albright College, and Elmer Leyder, of Shippensburg Normal School, are spending their vacation at their homes here. — Miss Nettie Spicher left on Friday for Ridgely, Md., where she has accepted a position as assistant principal of the Ridgely schools. — Samuel Spicher has returned home from Philadelphia.

Wormleysburg. — Milton Mumma, of Buffalo, N. Y., spent Christmas with his brother, Howard Mumma. — Aaron and Harvey Bixler, sons of Mrs. Bixler, and brothers of Mrs. Robert Sadler, spent the Christmas holidays in town. Their home is in Ambridge, Pa., a few miles from Pittsburgh. — Calvin Erb entertained his father, from Mechanicsburg. — Mrs. Charles Baker and daughters, Ruth and Jennie, took dinner on Christmas day with Winton Baker. — Walter Geiger entertained his brother and little son from Paxtang at dinner on Christmas. — Mrs. Catherine Rapp had guests from Marysville. — Mrs. Eckert had a family gathering at her home on Christmas day. — Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Kendal, of Front Royal, Va., are spending some time with their sister, Mrs. Walter Corder. — Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Kister entertained Mr. and Mrs. John Steese, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Steese, of Washington, D. C., and Mr. and Mrs. William Rapp, of Washington Heights, at dinner on Sunday. — Mr. and Mrs. William Evens had as their guest Mrs. May Ogden, of York, Pa., over Sunday.

Lemoyne. — Paul E. Keen, student at Princeton Seminary, spent the holidays with his parents, the Rev. and Mrs. E. D. Keen. — J. Earl Steinhauer, a student of Lebanon Valley College, spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Steinhauer.—Howard Hastings visited relatives at Huntsdale, Sunday. — David Drawbaugh, of Chambersburg, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Bricker, on Sunday. — Carl Meredith, of Shippensburg Normal School, spent several days as the guest of Paul D. Fettrow. — Annie and Oliver Baker, of York, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Baker.—Robert Monath, of Chambersburg, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Monath. — Miss Norton, preceptress of Shippensburg Normal School, visited friends in Lemoyne, on Tuesday.—Miss Margaret Bricker and Paul D. Fettrow, students at Shippensburg Normal School, spent the holidays at their homes here. — Miss Stella E. Bentz is ill at her home from an attack of appendicitis. — Mr. and Mrs. Wesley McIntyre, of Green Lock, N. J., spent the week-end at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Reeser.—William Koker, of Danville, is spending some time at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Lettie Slothhower.—Harry Slothower and Alfred Ensminger, students of Albright College, spent their vacations here. — Mrs. L. S. Beam is confined to her home by an attack of pneumonia. — Ralph Sotzing spent Sunday with his parents at Myerstown.

New Cumberland. — Holy communion will be observed in Trinity United Brethren Church to-morrow morning and evening. — Charles Heffelfinger, of Hampton, Va., and Miss Julia Heffelfinger, of Mechanicsburg, visited friends here on Monday. — Professor and Mrs. E. G. Rose have returned from a visit to relatives in Sunbury. — Mrs. McCausland and Miss Ennis, of Philadelphia, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ennis. — Mr. and Mrs. Frank Knaub and son were guests of J. Kerns' family. — E. M. Helm, who has been taking medical treatment in Buffalo the past three weeks, has returned home.—Dr. and Mrs. R. R. Reiff were at Wellsville the past week. — Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Lefever have returned from a visit to their sons, Harry and Merl, at Philadelphia. — John Byers, of Chicago, is the guest of his mother, Mrs. Pearl Hoover. — G. B. Kerr, of Emidi, Oklahoma, geenral salesman for the Mitchel Wagon Company, of Oklahoma, was the guest of his sister, Mrs. Wesley Nelson, at Hillside, whom he has not seen for twenty-three years. — Jacob Nauss, of Greenville, Ohio, is visiting relatives here.

Dauphin. — Mr. and Mrs. Milan Kishpaugh and Miss Grace Kishpaugh, of York, Pa., spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Ege.—Mr. and Mrs. Harvey C. Forney, who opened their house for the holidays, have returned to Harrisburg. — Miss Goldie Dougless and Miss Carrie Hocman, of Middletown, are guests of Miss Mary Greenawalt. — Mrs. Frank Malhorn and son are visiting at Williamsport. — Mr. and Mrs. Albert Koons and daughter, of Altoona, are spending the holidays with Mrs. Koons' parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Garman. — Mrs. Robert F. Sterling returned from Baltimore, Wednesday. — Miss Marian Minsker is home from West Chester Nomal School for the holidays. — Mrs. Theodore Lammert, of Williamsport, is visiting her father, Jacob Conrad. — Miss Bertha L. Gayman is home from Patton, Pa. — Dr. A. T. Poffenberger, of Sunbury, was here this week. — Miss Elizabeth Crouse, teacher at Lebanon, and Miss Nora Crouse, of the Steelton schools, are home for the holiday vacation. — George Dennison, Jr., and Chambes Dennison are home from West Chester Normal School. — Misses Marian and Charlotte Smith, who have been spending some time with their aunt, Mrs. William Bell Gross, left Thursday for their home, at Alexandria, Va. — Mrs. Winsor has returned to Washington, D. C. — Freeman C. Gerberich, who has been quite ill at his home, is able to sit up. — Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bender and daughter, Elsie, of Norristown, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Bender. — Charles Powley, of West Virginia, is visiting his sister, Mrs. L. H. Maus. — Charles Irvin and Thomas Feaser were home from Johnstown. — Mr. and Mrs. James Speace, of White Hall, were guests of Mrs. D. F. Seiler. — Mrs. William Williams spent Christmas at Herndon. — Mr. and Mrs. Charles McNeely, of Marysville, were guests of their son, C. S. McNeely. — Clinton Bickel, of Philadelphia, spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Marian Bickel.

HANDSOME CLOCK FOR SCHOOL TEACHER

Perry County Pupils Celebrated Christmas Anniversary in Joyful Manner

OLD-TIME COUNTRY DANCE

Friends of Dolbys Helped to Eat a Twenty-two-Pound Turkey

By Special Correspondence

New Germantown, Pa., Jan. 2. — Toboyne township supervisors fixed a three and one-half mill rate for the coming year, the same as last year.—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dolby, of Blain, spent Sunday evening with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sheaffer. Her sister, Florence, returned home with them and spent Wednesday at Harrisburg. — James O'Donel, Jr., and William Collins have returned home from Iowa, where they had been employed on farms. — The teachers of Toboyne township treated their pupils to fine oranges and candy on Thursday. At the Fairview school, taught by Floyd Morrow, Arthur Morrow acted as Santa Claus and Orland Trostle, as Santa's wife. The teacher was presented with a handsome clock by the school. — Miss Jessie Mumper visited friends at Harrisburg on Thursday. Mrs. Florence Weaver visited at the same place and at Van Dyke. — Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gutshall and three children, of Jackson township, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Tressler, on Sunday. — James Hockenberry bought a new sleigh from W. H. Sheaffer and a set of harness from S. L. Rickard.—Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Sheaffer and son, Abraham, spent Thursday afternoon and Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dolby, of Blain, and helped to eat a twenty-two pound turkey. — W. A. Noel, of Buffalo, N. Y., is spending the holidays with his parents, Postmaster and Mrs. James A. Noel. — Professor Wilmot J. Adams, principal of the Delta high school, is spending the holidays with his mother, Mrs. R. C. Adams. — An old-fashioned country dance was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John E. O'Dell on Saturday night.—Conductor Walter E. Morrison, of New Bloomfield, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson W. Morrison, and T. A. Morrow. — Miss Margaret J. Johnson is quite ill.

MARYSVILLE MEN ON JURY

By Special Correspondence

Marysville, Pa., Jan. 2.—On his way from his home in Tiffin, Ohio, where he spent the holidays, Professor Chas. Dryfuse, of Philadelphia, spent Saturday with his cousin, the Rev. S. L. Flickinger.—Therman Silks, of Detroit, Mich., spent a few days with his sister, Mrs. C. M. Snyder.—Mrs. Joseph Brownhill, of Pittsburgh, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Ray V. Smith.—W. J. Hornberger spent Monday at Philadelphia where she visited her daughter, a trained nurse at the Germantown hospital.—Mrs. Charles R. Miller is spending a few days with her relatives in South Bethlehem.—Miss Edna Bellman has returned to her home in West Milton after spending a week with Miss Romaine Clendenin.—Mrs. Tillie King, of Philadelphia, is visiting her two sisters, Mrs. J. W. Beers and Mrs. Margaret Meyers.—Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Heishley are the guests of W. A. Houdeshell at Baltimore.—Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Eppley and daughter Sara is spending several days at Philadelphia.—V. T. Dissinger has returned home after spending a month with his brother, W. D. Dissinger, in Philadelphia.—Miss Elizabeth Sadler is home after spending a few days with H. N. Nace and family of Baltimore.—Miss Helen Gnau of York, is visiting her cousin, Miss Mary Boyer.—Miss Laura Givens of Philadelphia, is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. L. R. Donovan.—The jurors picked from this place to serve during the January term of Perry county, are: Traverse jury, W. H. Dick; grand jury, Ross Albright, Alfred Flickinger and Frank Leonard.

Charles William Knipe, Talented Columbia Musician

CHARLES WILLIAM KNIPE

By Special Correspondence

Columbia, Pa., Jan. 2.—Charles William Knipe, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry J. Knipe, has created a stir here in musical circles by his baritone solos, having on a number of occasions won merited applause from audiences. Mr. Knipe is soloist in the choir of the Presbyterian Church and his talent as a baritone soloist has made him a popular favorite. He is well known in musical circles outside of Columbia, where his appearance in public is always welcomed.

TAFT GIVES VIEWS ON FILIPINO FREEDOM

Former President Tells Senate Committee Self Government Cannot Be Given

By Associated Press

Washington, D. C., Jan. 2.—Ex-President Taft gave his views to-day on the administration bill for ultimate independence of the Philippines to the Senate committee working on the measure.

He gave the committee a detailed statement of his conception of the duty of the United States toward the Philippines and of his work as governor-general of the islands and later as Secretary of War and President.

"When President McKinley sent me to the Philippines," said Mr. Taft, "I told him that I thought we ought not to be in the islands. He said to me that we had the bear by the tail and that we had to stay. But the idea then was that we would get out just as soon as we could. Our first purpose in being in there is to get out.

"This discussion," said the former President, "must depend a good deal on what you mean by self-government. I can do no better than quote from the President of the United States."

Here Mr. Taft read from one of President Wilson's books a lengthy definition of self-government. It set forth that self-government was "not a mere form of institution, but a form of character, a growing of a people to political maturity."

Cannot Give Character

"We cannot," said Mr. Taft, "give the Philippines self-government, because it cannot be given. We cannot present the Filipino people with a character. It must be acquired. One way to acquire it is through hard knocks, as the Anglo-Saxon race acquired it. When we went to the Philippines we tried to give it to them by maintaining a constitutional form of government as an object lesson and by educating the people in the language of free institutions. We tried to have the government participated in but not controlled by the natives. You cannot make over a people in one generation. Particularly you cannot when that is a generation of adults and a vast majority of that generation is woefully ignorant. It cannot be done.

"Gentlemen, I'm at last in a position where I can say just what I think. You have called me here, I did not ask to come, and I'm going to tell you just what I know about things.

Need Two Generations

"Now," he continued, "what time do I think will be necessary to train the Philippines for self-government? The time that shall give to those people an opportunity to learn English so that they shall be an English-speaking people. That will take more than one generation, and probably more than two, if you count thirty years as a generation. You can't educate all of the people—you haven't got the money.

"Democratic promises of Philippine independence," said Mr. Taft, "have been the great obstacle in our own work over there. Even now it is causing trouble. This man Ricarte, who is charged with fomenting the present disturbance, is a professional revolutionist come down from my time in the islands. He lives in Hongkong on funds he collects for revolutionist purposes in the islands. This present outbreak is the result, undoubtedly, of his agitation in trying to justify his collections. He probably argued that Democrats in the United States promised independence at a fixed time, that the time has now been postponed and that the promise has been broken."

The former President related many incidents of his life in the Philippines and his associations with the people. Many of them, dealing with the characteristics of the Filipinos, rocked the committee and the spectators who crowded the room with laughter.

OLD CAT CATCHING RATS

Lewistown, Pa., Jan. 2.—Earl Childs, in the United States service as midshipman, at Annapolis, Md., has been calling on friends here.—Milton Lauver has a duck that follows him about like a dog.—Robert Bearley has a cat 22 years old, that is still catching rats and mice.—The poultry show by the Mifflin County Poultry Association, held here this week, was a great success.—Miss Dora Wilcox, music teacher in the public schools spent the holidays at her home at Wellsboro.—William Fowler has returned home from a trip to North Dakota.—Mrs. Guy Ingram, of Westmoreland county, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Arnold.—Mr. and Mrs. Leeds Clarkson, of Philadelphia, have been visiting the former's parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. A. C. Clarkson.

AUTOS AND WAGONS CROSS RIVER ON ICE

Vehicles Can Now Pass Over Susquehanna in Neighborhood of Millersburg

PIONEER CLUB'S SLEIGHRIDE

S. B. High Celebrates Eighty-third Birthday and Gets Card Shower

By Special Correspondence

Millersburg, Pa., Jan. 2.—Automobiles and other vehicles have been crossing the Susquehanna river on the ice at this point since Monday.—Jere Kahler, residing east of Millersburg, discovered a nest containing a mother rabbit with four young ones frozen to death.—The Pioneer Club enjoyed a sleigh ride to New Bloomfield where they had dinner and returned via Clark's Ferry bridge. Those in the party were: Allen Gilbert, Russell Novinger, Lambert Franke, Alfred Hoffman, Herbert Miller, Roswell Day and George Buffington.—S. B. High celebrated his 83d birthday anniversary on Tuesday. A card shower was given in honor of the event. Mr. High is one of Millersburg's best preserved citizens.—Mrs. Arlene Haggerty, of Westershire, N. Y., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. B. Nimmons.—Mrs. Louis Wagner, of Newport, is the guest of his mother, Mrs. William Kahler, this week.—Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lambert, of Carlisle, were the guests of their daughter, Mrs. C. E. Franke, over the holidays.

BRINDILLA AGAIN DETAINED BY ALLIES

American Tank Steamer Stopped For Second Time; Early Release Promised

By Associated Press

Halifax, N. S., Jan. 2.—Word was received here to-day that the American tank steamer Brindilla, whose arrest by a British cruiser and detention at Halifax last October was the cause of diplomatic correspondence between the United States and Great Britain, resulting in the steamer's release, again has been intercepted off the cost of Scotland and taken to Brest, France, by a French warship.

The Brindilla's first seizure off New York last October resulted in a vigorous protest by her owners to the State Department of the United States government. At that time the Brindilla had aboard a cargo of oil and was bound ostensibly for Alexandria, Egypt. A British cruiser convoyed her to this port.

Acting upon the Standard Oil Company's protest, the State Department at Washington made representations to the British government which resulted in the Brindilla's release after she had been detained at Halifax for about a week. The vessel left Halifax for Alexandria, Egypt, on October 31 last, and made the voyage without further incident. She had not been in home waters since.

The reason given for the Brindilla's seizure last October was that it was suspected that she had aboard a cargo of contraband destined for Germany.

RELEASE IS PROMISED

By Associated Press

Washington, D. C., Jan. 2. — The State Department learned to-day that the steamship Brindilla after her seizure off the coast of Scotland was taken to Brest and made representations to the British government that the ship had acquired her American registry before the outbreak of hostilities. Unofficial assurances have been received that the vessel will be promptly released.

WILLIAM H. MILLER

William H. Miller, aged 64, of Fort Hunter, died this morning at his home. Funeral services will be held Tuesday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, the Rev. Amos S. Stamets, pastor of the Augsburg Lutheran Church, this city, officiating. Burial will be made in the Heckton Cemetery. Mr. Miller is survived by his wife and the following children: Herbert G., of San Francisco; Allen F., of Pittsburgh; Helen D. and William J., both at home, and Mrs. Sarah C. Moran, of Atlantic City.

ELECTRIC LIGHTS FOR TOWN

Union Deposit Will Establish System in Streets Next Spring

By Special Correspondence

Union Deposit, Pa., Jan. 2. — Mr. and Mrs. Edward Stover, of Stoverdale, spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Landis.—H. P. Peiffer and Henry Carmany spent Monday at Harrisburg.—Mr. and Mrs. John Alleman and children, of Palmyra, spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Sarah Alleman.—Mrs. Elias Kaufman, who spent some time at Royalton with her son, Harvey Kaufman, has returned home.—Miss Violet Yingst, a trained nurse at the Reading hospital, spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Yingst.—Mr. and Mrs. Edward Spangler and Mr. Spangler's mother, spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Henry Miller.—Union Deposit is promised electric lights by Spring, which will be a great improvement.—A. M. Kuhns was at Harrisburg on Wednesday.—M. Bennett and son having the contract for the State road are now receiving their horses, wagons and all other supplies for the road. — Daniel Schaffner and family, of Hanoverdale, spent Sunday with Harvey Boase.—Miss Ruth Peiffer was at Harrisburg on Tuesday.—Mr. and Mrs. Neal Miller are spending a few days at Elizabethtown with the latter's sister, Mrs. Emma Hershey.—Miss Edith Shellenhammer, of Stoverdale, is spending the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Shellenhammer.

PRESENT FOR PASTOR

The Rev. G. H. Eveler of Dillsburg Lutheran Church Given Purse

By Special Correspondence

Dillsburg, Pa., Jan. 2. — A men's Bible class will be organized in the Sunday school of St. Paul's Lutheran Church on Sunday.—Following the Christmas exercises on Christmas night in the Lutheran Church the Rev. G. H. Eveler, the pastor, was presented with thirty-four dollars as a gift from his congregation.—The Rev. and Mrs. C. B. Segelkin, of Steelton, have been spending some time at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Britcher.-

PLANS FOR ADDITION TO MT. JOY SCHOOL

Philadelphia Architect Employed to Prepare For Work on Building

ANNIVERSARIES CELEBRATED

Two Mount Joy Couples Have Been Married More Than Half Century

By Special Correspondence

Mount Joy, Pa., Jan. 2.—Earl Johnston, of Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, and Vernon Johnston, of Dickinson College, Carlisle, spent their Christmas vacation with their father, the Rev. C. B. Johnston.—The Mount Joy borough school board engaged Hower L. Mowery, of Philadelphia, as architect to work out plans and specifications for an addition to the school building.—The Boy Scouts presented a $2½ gold piece as a Christmas present, to their Scoutmaster, Captain Harry I. Williams.—Howard Boyd, of Baltimore, has been the guest of his mother, Mrs. Mary Boyd.—Mrs. Charles Brubaker left on Tuesday for Jersey City where she will spend several months with her daughter, Mrs. John Everts.—Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Koch celebrated the fifty-fourth anniversary of their wedding, by giving a turkey dinner to their grandchildren and great-grandchildren.—Harry Koch, of Philadelphia, son of Lewis Koch, of this place, fell on the icy pavement and broke a leg, three ribs and fractured his arm. He is in the Catholic hospital.—Mrs. J. R. Missemer is confined to bed on account of a fall on the ice, by which a ligament of her left foot was torn. Dr. Winfield Throne is attending her.—Miss Gertrude Greenawalt who teaches school at South Fork, Cambria county, spent the holidays with the family of Harry E. Greenawalt.—Mrs. J. H. McNicholl, of Merchantville, N. J., is in town with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Stoll.—Dr. and Mrs. C. G. Rohrer, of New York City, are visitors in the family of William Bigler Detwiler.—Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Myers, of Philadelphia, are visiting the family of Reuben J. Myers.—Miss Emma Brown spent Sunday with her brother in Philadelphia.—Mr. and Mrs. Paul Brubaker, of Warren, spent a few days with Mrs. Clara Brubaker.—Mr. and Mrs. Levi S. Rhoads last Sunday celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary. A very enjoyable day was spent and a reception and dinner was tendered them.

FIRST VISIT IN 24 YEARS

Lute Owings Has Been Located in West For Long Time

By Special Correspondence

Blain, Pa., Jan. 2.—Mr. and Mrs. Lute Owings and little son, of Richmond, Ind., are guests of the former's father, William Owings. Mr. Owings has been in the West for twenty-eight years and has been back only once since, which was twenty-four years ago, to attend the funeral of his brother, the late Howard Owings.—The Lutheran congregation at St. Paul's Church, are offering their old church organ for sale at $10.—Dr. Charles M. Hench, of Waynesburg, Pa., veterinary surgeon, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Hench, last week. — Loy Woods, of Carlisle, visited his grandfather, W. W. Woods.—Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Lupfer, of Reading, Pa., are visiting Perry county friends. — Mr. and Mrs. Garth Snyder, of Shiloh, Ohio, are the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Trostle.—The Blain Dramatic Club is rehearsing a play to be given for the benefit of the band in the near future.—Dr. H. E. Stine, dentist, of Harrisburg, is spending the holidays here.—Mrs. Reuben Derr, of Lancaster county, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Ella Stokes. — The following guests were entertained at dinner on Monday at the home of Ralph B. Kell: Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Kell, H. B. Kell, C. J. Kell, Roy Johnson, of this place; E. M. Kell and son, Harper, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Miller and children, Miriam and Chlo, of Plainfield.—Mrs. W. H. Stine of Pittsburgh, is visiting her father, Postmaster D. P. Stokes.—Mrs. Sadie Kistler, of Harrisburg, is the guest of Jacob Snyder.

DUNCANNON'S ACCIDENT LIST

Duncannon, Pa., Jan. 2.—Dr. B. F. Beale was a busy man at his office in High street yesterday afternoon looking after patients from accidents as follows:

George F. Early, 13 years old, and Stanley Morrison, aged 9 years, were coasting when their sled struck a tree and threw them both off. Stanley received a gash on the cheek and after being fixed up was sent to his home. George received concussion of the brain and his right kneecap is knocked off and the flesh torn from his leg and he is hurt internally. He received surgical attention and was taken to the Harrisburg Hospital on the 5.30 p. m. train.

W. N. McMorris, of New Buffalo, was cutting ice when a piece struck him on the forehead, cutting a gash that required several stitches to close.

Harry Hammaker, 17 years old, of this place, was coasting on Duncannon Hill when he lost control of his sled and was thrown into a barbed wire fence, receiving a badly lacerated face.

Charles Britcher, of Penn township, was cutting wood when the ax glanced and struck him on the foot, cutting a gash two and a half inches long. Four stitches were necessary to close it.

BABY RESCUED FROM RIVER

Duncannon, Pa., Jan. 2.—Yesterday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. John Shryock took their two children, Helen, aged 3, and Loretta, aged 9 years, for a pleasant time on the ice on the Susquehanna river. Loretta and Josephine Miller, 9 years old, were pulling Baby Helen on a sled when a boy came along and slipped. In falling he knocked the sled with the baby on it into the strong current which flowed along the edge of the ice. William G. Hamilton, who was skating some distance away, saw the accident and hurried to the scene in time to jump into the water and grasp the baby just as it was going under the ice.

MANY YOUNG PEOPLE DANCE AT WAYNESBORO

Enjoyable Affair Given at Neidentohl's Academy With Prominent Patrons and Patronesses

300 GUESTS AT RECEPTION

Friends and Relatives Are Home to Spend Christmas Holidays in Pleasant Way

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Waynesboro, Pa., Dec. 2.—A pretty formal dance was given Tuesday evening by a number of Waynesboro young men at Neidentohl's Academy. The patrons and patronesses were: Mr. and Mrs. Mark Landis and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hoffman. Following are those who attended: Misses Aileen Grove, Lottie Summers, Carnelius Clayton, Lillian Middower, Gladys Eppley, Susan Phillips, Anna Shriver, Margaret Grove, Helen Lashley, Eva Nicodemus, LeRue Warehime, Madaline Warehime, Esther Bridenhall, Edith Kale, this city; Helen Winbert,