

REAL ESTATE ORGANIZE CO. TO BUILD HOMES

Plan \$75,000 Corporation to Supply Demand For Houses in Steelton

Formation of a development company with a capital stock of probably \$75,000 is now being discussed by prominent Steelton businessmen and contractors to undertake the erection of new houses to fill an already existing demand in the borough.

Already the Municipal League has looked into the project and given it hearty endorsement. The principal movers behind the proposition are now feeling out prospective stock purchasers to discover upon just what magnitude the plan may be undertaken.

For several years past Steelton has faced the problem of obtaining more moderately priced homes and since conditions in the steel trade have shown such a marked improvement a real home famine has been brought about. Reliable real estate agents declare there is a desirable home in the borough for rent and that many employees of the steel works are forced to live elsewhere.

It is to overcome such a condition that the proposed company is being organized. The plan is to sell stock and tackle the problem on the cooperative basis. A number of desirable homes will be built upon a tract of ground now available for development. Just as soon as these are rented or sold the money thus obtained will be reinvested in additional homes. In this manner it is believed the borough may be developed and the stockholders of the proposed company may obtain a fair return for their money.

LEGISLATION CONFERENCE Realty brokers of the State will be called to Harrisburg within a few weeks, when it is expected brokers from every town in the commonwealth will be represented. Legislative matters to be submitted to the next General Assembly are to be considered. One of the principal topics for consideration will be legislation that will relieve real estate from the heavy burden it now bears.

GEORGE A. SHREINER SELLS SIX HOUSES ON HILL

Sales of six properties on Allison Hill by George A. Shreiner were among the transfers recorded in the city yesterday. These included dwellings in Forster street near Sixteenth to Anna C. Campbell, H. E. Gensler, J. R. Hoar and William E. Mackrock; others are in Briggs near Sixteenth to H. F. Hope and to George H. Hill. The consideration in each instance was \$1,000. Other transfers included:

Cordelia J. Moore to J. R. McDonald, 1223 1/2 Bailey street, \$1; A. W. Brown to D. P. Jerault, 1226 Christian street, \$1; G. C. Feaser to A. C. Mead, 580 Woodbine street, \$1; James McCormick trustees to Patrick Russ, Susquehanna township, \$1,500; Mary J. Fry to J. E. Killinger, Halifax township, \$2,200.

Social and Personal News of Towns Along West Shore

William Ennis, of New Cumberland has gone to Kennett Square, and Coatesville on a business trip. Miss Grace Dittlow and Edgar Shelley of New Cumberland, have returned from a visit at Shippensburg. J. H. Reed, of New Cumberland, was at Carlisle yesterday.

Mrs. Martin Crull and children, of Middletown, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Miller at New Market. Miss Grace E. and of York is visiting relatives at New Cumberland. Miss Edna Waugh of New Cumberland spent Saturday at Highspire.

Fireman's Skull Fractured in P. & R. Freight Wreck

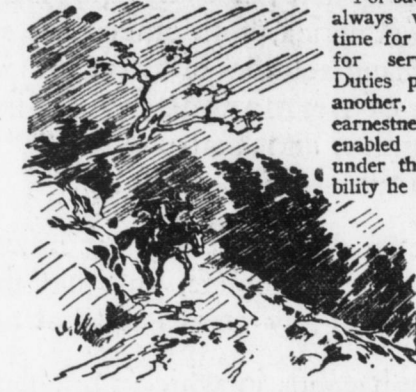
Tamaqua, Pa., Feb. 9.—In a collision of two Philadelphia and Reading freight trains north of this place today eight cars were wrecked. Traffic was blocked for a time. Frank Neff, a fireman, was killed. One of the trains jumped and sustained a fracture of the skull.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Shiremanstown, Pa., Feb. 9.—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Martin gave a birthday party at their home near White Hill in honor of their daughter, Miss Mabel Martin, on her fifteenth birthday. The young folks enjoyed various games and contests. Miss Martin was the recipient of many beautiful and useful gifts. Refreshments were served to Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Martin, Miss Esther Zerbe, Miss Mabel Martin, Miss Mary Deckman, Miss Eva Ward, Miss Dorothy Zerbe, Miss Sallie Elmaker, Miss Rachael Forney, Miss Edith Smith, Harry Elcheberger, Robert Lebo, Edmund Good and Clifford Beattie.

An Old Story of 50 Years Ago True and Full of Human Interest Everybody Should Read It

THE life story (here told only in brief form) of the Rev. Father John O'Brien, who came to Lowell, Mass., in 1848, to take charge of St. Patrick's Parish, is a record of loving self-sacrifice and service to humanity.



Father John Rode Over the Hills and Mountains of Virginia in All Kinds of Weather

For seven years Father John traversed the hills and mountains, through rain and shine, heat and cold, visiting the sick and afflicted, cheering and encouraging the unfortunate.

In 1848 Father John came to Lowell, Mass., to take up his labors in St. Patrick's Parish, which in those early days included many miles of the thinly settled territory round about. Under his direction and by his splendid energy, schools and a hospital were established. It was at his suggestion and through his energetic work that the rebuilding of St. Patrick's Church was begun and completed. As he had done in Virginia, so in the more rigorous New England climate, Father John exposed himself to all kinds of weather in his work for his people.

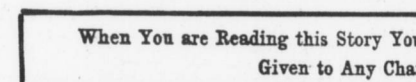
Soon after the dedication of St. Patrick's Church, in 1854, Father John's cares and burdens began to wear him down. His years of devotion to duty had left him weak and feeble. He was attacked with a serious cold, which developed into a stubborn cough and affliction of the lungs, which caused the greatest alarm for his health. Medical skill seemed unable to stay the disease for a time until his doctor gave him a prescription



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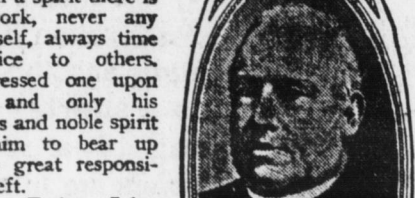
to relieve the cold and lung affliction and to build up and strengthen the body.

Father John sent the prescription to the old drug store of Carleton & Hovey, where it was compounded on June 9, 1855. He began taking the medicine and showed prompt improvement. The soothing, healing elements of which the medicine was composed gave



When You are Reading this Story You are Reading of Something that Actually Happened and Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars will be Given to Any Charitable Institution if it Can be Shown Otherwise than True in Every Detail.

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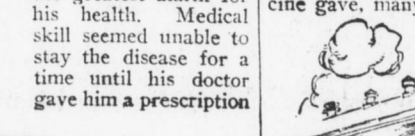
his old-time vigor, and his wonderful recovery was the one thing talked of, for he was loved and admired by all, regardless of race, creed or class. In the homes of his parishioners Father John's visits were again enjoyed, and there he would tell how he had been restored to health and strength, how the medicine he had taken had made him as strong and rugged as ever, had built up his entire system and given him new life and energy. When he visited the sick and ailing he recommended the medicine that had done him so much good.

The prescription was on file in Prescription Book IX., at the old drug store of Carleton & Hovey. Those whom the clergyman advised to take it always came to the drug store and asked for "Father John's" medicine, and so it was named by the people, and advertised, all with the approval of

Father John, because he knew of its power to do good from his own experience. He desired that all who were ailing might test its value. By this word-of-mouth recommendation starting more than fifty years ago, Father John's Medicine, as it soon came to be called, became a family remedy in countless homes. The old prescription book, its pages tattered and worn through years of usage, is still carefully preserved, and the page which shows the greatest wear is that upon which the original prescription was written more than fifty years ago.

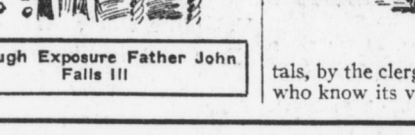
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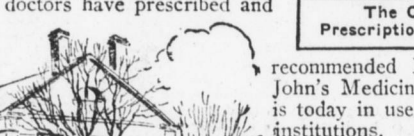
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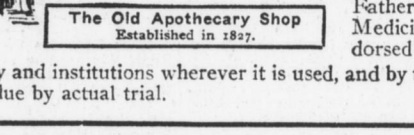
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Rev. Nathan W. Matthews, First Primitive Methodist Church, Lowell, Mass.; Rev. H. C. Linnon, Sacred Heart Parish, Lowell, Mass.; Rev. J. F. Hickey, Beachmont, Mass.; Rev. John Ernest Parker, New Bedford, Mass.; Rev. Joseph Pontur, Lafarguette, N. Y., and many others.

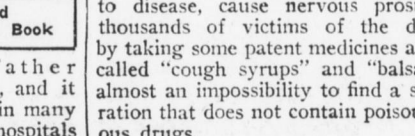
Father John's Medicine is in use and prescribed at many Hospitals, Homes and Charitable Institutions. Among the many we have permission to refer to a few are given below: St. Peter's Orphanage, Lowell, Mass.; Asylum of St. Vincent de Paul, 215 West 30th St., New York; Sisters of St. Mary, Farnham, N. Y.; Notre Dame de Lourdes Hospital, Manchester, N. H.; The Ursuline Sisters, Ursuline Convent, Waterbury, Me.; Sisters of Mercy, St. Joseph's Hospital, New Bedford, Mass.; St. Philip's Home for Industrious Boys, New York; Children's Home, Lowell, Mass.; St. Patrick's Orphanage, Manchester, N. H., and many others.

These endorsements have been given voluntarily and are used with the full knowledge and consent of the authors. We have many others, the names of which we shall be pleased to furnish upon application. Nothing can be added to these strong endorsements—praise given because of their knowledge and faith in its merit, and an earnest desire to have others benefit by its wonderful power.

You have read of its history and fifty years of success, during which time it has proved a great blessing to mankind. Permit us now to tell you of its value. It is an old-fashioned family remedy—not a patent medicine, but the prescription of the learned doctor who was consulted when the case of the late Rev. Father O'Brien did not yield to the customary treatment. It is free from alcohol, opium, morphine, cocaine, or poisonous drugs in any form which are found in many of the patent medicines; it contains no alcohol or other stimulants. It is a Food Medicine, pure and wholesome. It is invaluable as a tonic and body builder and restores weak and run-down systems to health and strength. It nourishes the system and makes flesh.

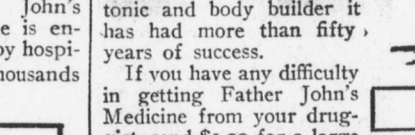
Right here we want to warn you against the danger in taking patent medicines which rely wholly on stimulating or nerve-deadening drugs for their effect. They weaken the system and leave you exposed to disease, cause nervous prostration and a craving for drugs; thousands of victims of the drug habit had the desire created by taking some patent medicines and many so-called "cough syrups" and "balsams." It is almost an impossibility to find a single preparation that does not contain poisonous drugs.

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Father John's Medicine is used and Endorsed by Thousands of Mothers

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A Busy Man Is Producer of "Birth of a Nation"



The official biographer of David W. Griffith, the great motion picture producer, asked for some data and got the answer that "He was born in Kentucky, that he grew up in a house like most boys; started out after his school and college days to find his place in the world, and that since he went into the business of producing pictures he has lived most of the time under his hat." Strangely reticent about his personal affairs, the creator of "The Birth of a Nation" (when you know him) has one of the most interesting personalities in the world. Few men owe more to their parents than the famous director does to Brigadier General Jacob W. Griffith and Mrs. Mary Perkins Griffith. The father held distinguished command in the Southern army. He died when D. W. Griffith was but a lad, nevertheless the sixth sense of military strategy that the boy inherited and the vivid depiction of Civil War campaigns that General Griffith used to tell have remained ever with the son. Mrs. Griffith—the mother—was David's best friend. She gave him a good education, schooled him in the old-fashioned chivalry of Kentucky, and watched his welfare and progress with a whole hearted love and devotion. Mrs. Griffith lived long enough to see her son achieve fame. He wanted to be an actor or a dramatist, he did not quite know

WM. PENN WAY TO BE ON PIKE'S PEAK ROAD

[Continued From First Page.] The William Penn Highway representatives requested that the highway be made part of the Atlantic seaboard extension from Pittsburgh to the coast of the Pike's Peak ocean-to-ocean highway. Mr. Henderson said that the decision on this extension was in the hands of a committee including himself, C. F. Adams, G. W. Hughes and Charles E. McKean. The committee will meet in Indianapolis in a few days, but Mr. Henderson said that the William Penn Highway would be taken in as part of the eastern extension without a doubt.

BEGIN INQUIRY OF BRANDEIS' NOMINATION

[Continued From First Page.] Brandeis in his opening oral argument to the Interstate Commerce Commission conceded that the returns were inconsistent with prosperity of the railroads and the welfare of the public. "I was simply dumfounded," declared Thorne. At the beginning of the hearing the subcommittee voted down a proposal to have the full committee hear the case. That was regarded by some as a first victory for Mr. Brandeis on the ground that the subcommittee was favorable and the full committee hostile. The full committee, however, will act on the subcommittee's report and senators who are not on one side or the other professed to see no particular significance in the action. The witness took up Mr. Brandeis' statement during oral argument that Mr. Thorne's allowance for surplus to railroads was "rather negligently." Mr. Thorne said that one of the exhibits filed by the roads showed that for 1913 there had been a net return on all capital stock of 8.07 per cent. Mr. Thorne continued to say that the commission in 1910 had decided that a 7.5 per cent. return was adequate and told the committee that he had responded to Mr. Brandeis that his statement about "negligently allowance" was a criticism of the decision of the commission then. At the conclusion of the morning session the subcommittee decided to hold a session to-night, when Mr. Thorne will continue his statement.

School Directors to Meet at Williamstown Feb. 18

Plans for the midwinter session of the Dauphin County School Directors' Association in Williamstown are complete. The session will begin Friday evening, February 18, and will last throughout Saturday, February 19. The directors will meet in the Academy of Music. A feature of the opening program will be a half hour's demonstration of "first aid" work by the team of miners from the Williamstown collieries. At 8 o'clock the musical and literary numbers will begin. Thompson's orchestra, Miss Wise, Mrs. Rank, Mrs. Lester and Miss Haas, and a men's

Board of Property Hears Island and Land Claims

Attorney General Francis Shunk Brown was present at the hearings before Secretary of Internal Affairs Honk and the members of the Board of Property on the matter of the application of B. J. H. Douglass for title to an island in the Susquehanna river opposite Keller street, and on the case of John H. Hoerner versus Robert S. Conklin, Commissioner of Forestry, in the matter of the ownership of 400 acres of land in Franklin county. The City Planning Commission of Harrisburg opposed the granting of the title to Douglass on the ground that such would be greatly to the benefit of the public good. Governor Brumbaugh is in accord with the commission in believing that the State or city should control all property in the public streams. In the case of Hoerner versus Conklin, Senator Hoke, of Chambersburg, argued the case for the former while Deputy Attorney General Hardest argued the case for the Forestry Commission. The question at issue was as to whether a branch of the State government has a right to intervene as against Hoerner's claim. Decision in both cases was deferred.

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\$1,000 GET RAISE By Associated Press Cleveland, Ohio, Feb. 9.—More than a thousand employees of the Cleveland Worsted Mills Company, in this city, and in Philadelphia, Providence, Jamestown and Ravenna, will receive an increase in wages of fifteen per cent. It was announced here today. Employees will also be permitted to purchase stock at par on a profit-sharing plan.

Theda Bara, who has been called "the hand-maiden of Hades," has ever been known as the Vampire woman of the William Fox productions, and has appeared in play characters of the audience going to sleep in her chair. "The Devil's Daughter" is the vehicle for her acting in her appearance to-day at the Family Theater. (Other Amusements Page 4.)