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LOCAL NEWS

Snow Shoe and Vicinity.

Chambers and Uzzeil have torn down the old store room, near the meat market lastly occupied by Kelly & Company, and contemplate erecting a two-story brick building on the site. Another sure sign of spring is Frank Shope with a bundle of wall paper under his arms and a pair of white pants on.

We already hear the sound of the hammer and saw and hope there will be a great din of this kind all summer.

R. E. Kech our efficient architect, has recently engaged in the furniture business. He has succeeded in making several fine mission chairs which he will put on display, in the near future. Any person wishing to view the display, are invited to call at his shop on the third floor, as he is yet unable to remove them owing to the fact that after they were built, he found them much too large to be taken out either the door or windows. We suggest that he put a new roof on the house and then he may be able to remove them.

A BOY WANTED.

Wanted—a boy that is manly,
A boy that is kind and polite,
A boy you can always depend on
To do what he knows to be right.

A boy that is truthful and honest,
And faithful and willing to work,
But we have not a place that we care
to disgrace,
With a boy that is ready to shirk.

Wanted—a boy you can tie to,
A boy that is trusty and true,
A boy that is good to old people,
And kind to the little ones, too.

A boy that is nice to the home folks,
And pleasant to sister and brother,
A boy who will try when things go
awry
To be helpful to father and mother.

There are the boys who are wanted
In the workshop, the home, and the
store;
The world needs such boys in busi-
ness,
For them there are places galore.

These are the boys we depend on—
Our hope for the future, and then,
Grave problems of state and the
world's work await
Such boys when they grow to be
men.
—Lizzie Clark Hardy, in Presbyterian.

Memorial Windows at Eagleville.

Eagleville, Pa.—There has been placed in the Lower Providence Presbyterian church here three memorial windows. One, depicting "Faith," is in memory of Elder William McHarg; another, Christ Blessing the Children, is the gift of John C. Morgan on behalf of his daughter, Delia, who was a teacher in the Sunday school, and the third to commemorate the faithful service of Mrs. C. R. Broadhead, wife of a former pastor. Nearly five hundred voluntary contributions were made for this window, which depicts "Charity."

PENSION GOVERNOR'S WIDOW

Minnesotans Raise Fund to Invest for Mrs. John A. Johnson.

St. Paul—As a result of the affection won in the hearts of Minnesotans by the late Gov. John A. Johnson, a fund of \$22,000 has been raised to provide a permanent income for his widow, the remainder of her life.

The committee, which has received subscriptions, will invest the money in such manner that it will bring the widow at least \$10 a month.

The financial statement of the Panhandle road for February and for the bi-monthly period ended February 28, shows increases in operating income of \$116,368 and \$119,644, respectively.

THE DYING MOTHR.

It was evening, ere the sun was set
Or the moon had appeared in yonder sky,
Her spirit left this house of clay,
And soar'd away to yon world on high.

The weak, unsteady, fluttering pulse,
The slow labored stertorous breath,
The cold perspiration on the brow
Foretold the approach of death.

Hush, hush, what is that sound I hear?
Is it angry Jordan's roll?
Is it the sound of angel's wings
That bears away her soul?

Her pain-racked body's now at rest,
Her soul from sorrow free,
And in the realms of the blest
She calmly waits for me.

Sister, she was your earthly joy,
The darling of your heart,
I can see the expression on your face,
As the tears unbidden start.

When last you kissed her faded cheek
You thought, why could she not remain,
But God had marked her for his own,
And called her home again.

With her cold lifeless hand in yours,
You did your silent vigil keep,
And with a smile upon her face
Our darling mother fell asleep.

Asleep in Jesus blessed sleep:
Sister, to us the consolation's given,
That when she fell asleep on earth
Her spirit did awake in heaven.

—Medicus.

The people of Avis, formerly Oak Grove, are greatly pleased and excited over the fact that the New York Central is to double up the railroad shops at that place. Avis is destined yet to be the Altoona of the New York Central Lines and this coming boom will give it a big boost toward making it a big town, if not a city.—Public Spirit.

Douglass Hotel Opened.

F. S. Davis, who has been running an excellent boarding house at Hyde City for several years, has moved into the Douglass Hotel, on Daisy street, and will henceforth conduct it as a boarding house. This hotel has undergone repairs throughout and has been brightened up inside by paint and soap and is in the best of condition. Mr. and Mrs. Davis have had large experience in keeping boarding houses and they will please those who give them their patronage, sure.—Public Spirit.

NEW COMMITTEE ON RULES

Six Regular Republicans and Five Democrats Chosen.

Washington—The Republican caucus selected the six members of the rules committee appointed to the Republican majority of the house. The following, all members of the regular wing of the party, were chosen:

Walter I. Smith, Iowa, 168 votes; John Dalzell, Pennsylvania, 116 votes; George P. Lawrence, Massachusetts, 126 votes; J. Sloat Fasset, New York, 113 votes; Sylvester C. Smith, California, 136 votes; Henry S. Boutell, Illinois, 108 votes.

The Democratic members of the house elected the four minority members of the enlarged rules committee, as follows: Champ Clark of Missouri, 125 votes; Oscar Underwood of Alabama, 102 votes; Loncoln Dixon of Indiana, 99 votes; John J. Fitzgerald of New York, 98 votes.

PLOWS WITH DYNAMITE

South Carolina Farmer Breaks up Acre of Land With Explosive.

Spartanburg, S. C.—Henry Caldwell, a farmer, near here, broke up an acre of land with 800 charges of dynamite, the explosive being used instead of the plow.

Mr. Caldwell asserts that blasting land with dynamite is the best method for sub-soiling, and that it can be done more cheaply than by manual labor. Many persons from the city and the county were present to witness the experiment.

METHODIST APPOINTMENTS.

For the Altoona District as Announced by Conference on Tuesday.

Just prior to adjournment of the annual Methodist Conference, in session the past week at York, Pa., the following appointments were read for the Altoona district, which includes this section of the state. They are as follows:

District Superintendent, Benjamin C. Conner, Altoona.

Allegheny—David J. Fram.

Altoona, East—Otho C. Miller.

Chestnut Avenue—William R. Picken.

Eighth Avenue—Simpson B. Evans.

Epworth and Llyswen—Robert B. Foster.

Fairview—Harry J. Schuchart.

Fifth Avenue—Alexander Lamberston.

First Church—Horace L. Jacobs.

Italian Mission—Joseph Paciarelli.

Juniata—Charles T. Dunning.

Simpson—Henry A. Straub.

Walnut Avenue—Joseph K. Knisely.

Bakerton—Hugh Strain.

Barnesboro—George L. Comp.

Bellefonte—Thomas S. Wilcox.

Bellwood—Edwin H. Witman.

Blandburg—(To be supplied.)

Burnside and Glen Campbell—(To be supplied.)

Centre and Sandy Ridge—William F. Gilbert.

Clearfield—Trinity, Morris T. Swartz.

Eleventh Street—John T. Bell.

West Side—Bert A. Salter.

Circuit—William B. Cook, Jr., (supplied.)

Coalport and Irvona—William L. Armstrong.

Curwensville—Joseph H. Price.

Flemington—E. Elmer McKelvey.

Glen Hope—Elmer F. Ilgenfritz.

Half Moon—Abraham L. Frank.

Hastings—William C. Wallace.

Houtzdale—Andrew P. Wharton.

Howard—Rollin S. Taylor.

Karthus—Daniel E. Ertel. (Supplied.)

Lumber City—James E. Dunning.

Mahaffey—Franklin E. Hartman.

Milesburg and Unionville—Richard S. Oyster.

Mill Hall—Joseph E. Brenneman.

Morrisdale—William A. Carver.

Munson—Charles H. Campbell.

New Millport—Charles A. Biddle.

Osceola Mills—Edward E. A. Deaver.

Patton—John H. Mortimer.

Penn's Valley—J. Max Lantz.

Phillipsburg—Samuel D. Wilson.

Pleasant Gap—David A. Sower, Jr.

Port Matilda—Merrill H. Ake.

Ramey—Jacob H. Diebel.

Salona and Lamar—Michael B. Bubb.

Shawville—Omer B. Poulson.

Snow Shoe—R. Frank Ruch.

State College—James McK. Reiley.

Wallaceton—George M. Frownfalter.

Woodland and Bradford—Nathan B. Smith.

Samuel Blair, Superintendent of the New Mexico English Mission, Albuquerque, New Mexico.

Superannuated—Elbert V. Brown.

Superannuates—George B. Ague, David F. Kapp, William A. Stephens, Lewis A. Rudisill.

Street Car Held Up.

The fourth street car robbery in the Pittsburg district in a few months took place early in the morning, when the crew of a Lincoln avenue car was attacked by two men and the conductor was robbed of about \$20, all the money he had.

The bill terminating the present lease of the fur seal killing on the Pribylof Islands, in the Pacific, and authorizing the Secretary of Commerce and Labor to declare a closed season on the islands, was passed by the Senate.

Labor Federation Gains.

Washington—The annual report of Secretary Morrison of the American Federation of Labor, for the five months ending March 1 indicates an increase of 6,000 in membership over the same period last year. This fact was shown by the per capita tax for the five months which amounted to \$41,280, an increase of \$1,463 as compared with the corresponding period last year.

Recent Deaths

On Sunday morning, March 20 1910, Mrs. Isabella Young died from mitral regurgitation, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Frederick Wilson, in Punxsutawney. On Monday evening the body was brought to the home of her son, Dr. R. J. Young, in Snow Shoe. Funeral services were held on Tuesday afternoon, conducted by Rev. E. A. Meredith. Her body was laid to rest in the Askey cemetery. Forty years ago Mrs. Young joined the Methodist church, and when able she was always found in her pew. She lived a sincere Christian life and had the respect of all who knew her. Mrs. Young was born on May 24, 1833, making her age at death 76 years 9 months and 23 days. She is survived by the following children: Dr. R. J. Young of Snow Shoe, Thomas Young and Mrs. Frederick Wilson of Punxsutawney, and William Young of Iselin. Her brothers and sisters all reside in England.

Mrs. Jennie M. Rich.

Mrs. Jennie M. Rich, widow of the late John Rich, died on Sunday morning, last, at her home at Woolrich. Deceased was well known in this community. She is survived by one son, John Woods Rich, of Williamsport, and the following sisters: Josephine Shaw, Jersey Shore; Emma Quiggle, Pine; Rachael Furgeson, Woolrich; Cora Furgeson, Stella Miller and Lizzie Furgeson of Avis, and three brothers: John Furgeson, of Jersey Shore, and Grant and Woods Furgeson, of Avis. Funeral services were held yesterday, interment being made at Woolrich.—The Republican.

HEAT STARTS ANGLERS.

Sportsmen of Altoona Unable to Withstand Call of the Brook.

Altoona, Pa.—The warm weather, the mercury reaching 80 in the shade, and the holiday combined, proved too much for the fishermen of Altoona today, and unable to wait for the trout season to open, every man who owned a rod and could spare the time, struck for the rivers to get his hand in by angling for suckers and carp. More than 250 fishermen left on morning trains, and most of them returned tonight with good strings, the water being just right for the sport.

A very quiet wedding was solemnized last Monday evening, at the home of Rev. Meredith, when J. Claude Irwin of this place and Miss Stella Weaver of Milesburg, were joined in the holy bonds of wedlock. After a wedding tour of the Eastern cities, they will reside at 402 Olive street. Many friends extend congratulations for a long and happy wedded life.

Park Calderwood.

A very pretty wedding took place in Altoona on Wednesday when Miss Blanche Calderwood of Tyrone, became the wife of Thomas Park, of Tyrone. The ceremony was performed by Rev. H. E. Schugart, a former pastor of the groom's. The newly wedded couple came to Snow Shoe on Wednesday evening, to the home of R. M. Park, the groom's father, where a wedding supper awaited them.

MORE WAR ON HAT PINS

Lynn, Mass., Councilman Would Regulate Length.

Lynn, Mass.—Following the crusade against long hatpins in Chicago, a movement has been started in this city to make it a misdemeanor for any woman to wear a hatpin which protruded from her hat one inch.

Councilman Edward J. Moran, Jr. will introduce an order in the council providing a \$10 fine for such an offense.

New York theater managers estimate that the nightly attendance at the city's places of amusement is 2,600 more than it was one year ago.

LOCAL NEWS

Moshannon and Vicinity.

The Junior league held a short Easter service on Sunday afternoon, consisting of songs, recitations and exercises. The children all rendered their parts very well, considering that they practiced their parts only a few times. A fine display of Easter lilies added much to the occasion.

The forest fires, in this locality, are raging to quite an extent and there are some fears that much damage will be done and even the town threatened with destruction, if they are not checked soon.

Mr. Raymond B. Viehdorfer a former resident of Moshannon, but now of Girard, O., was married on Wednesday, March 23, 1910, to Miss Bella Sayre, of Angerona, W. Va., at the home of the bride. They will reside in Girard, O.

THREE MEN KILLED IN BATTLE ON B. & O. TRAIN

Drink-Crazed Passenger Shoots Trainmen and Takes Refuge in a Stateroom.

DRIVEN OUT BY FIRE-HOSE

In Final Duel on Wilmington Platform, Desperado Is Killed by Police Two Others Wounded.

Wilmington, Del.—An exciting battle in which three men were killed, occurred on the Royal Blue Limited on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad. The fight began at Newark, Delaware, and ended in this city. Several persons were wounded in the deadly fray which occurred at the Delaware avenue station here following the arrival of the train at 5:17 o'clock.

The Dead.

O. E. Wellman, 40 years old, of Philadelphia, conductor of the train. Samuel Williams, 50 years old, negro Pullman porter, whose home is said to have been in Jersey City. J. H. Bethea, 40 years old, of Dillon, S. C.

The Injured.

John O. Wiley of Wilmington, Del., shot in the hand and leg. Matthew Haley of Wilmington, shot in the leg. Others were grazed by flying bullets.

The triple tragedy was the result of an altercation between Bethea, who was a passenger, and Williams, the porter in the Pullman passenger car Mercury.

The car was bound from Washington to Jersey City.

Bethea, who had been drinking heavily, shot the porter through the heart, killing him instantly. When Conductor Wellman saw the porter fall and ran to the scene to report with the passenger, who still held the smoking revolver in his hand, Bethea fired a second shot into the negro's body. Then, without a word, Bethea shot Wellman through the heart. The conductor fell dead in his tracks.

Before the passengers could interfere the double murderer barricaded himself in the toilet room of the Pullman car and threatened to kill the first person who approached. Meanwhile the train reached Wilmington.

When it came into the station a hurry call was sent to the police station. A squad of patrolmen, headed by Police Captains Kane and Evans and reinforced by park guards and a posse of citizens and trainmen, ran to the scene.

The police called upon Bethea to surrender. As an answer he opened the door of the toilet room a short distance and opened fire at the police and the crowd from an automatic revolver.

The desperado held the police at bay until they were compelled to call upon the firemen. After using a hose for a while Bethea staggered out and attempted to fire when he was shot and killed.

Father John Unfrocked.

Moscow—The two priests, Father John and Father Demetrius, were unfrocked and anathematized by a decree of the holy synod, the decree being read in all the churches. Father John was the most popular preacher and temperance advocate among the masses in Russia.