

## Third Dynamite Outrage at Homer City

### WAS WORK OF ENEMIES.

For the third time within one year Homer City has been visited by a dynamite outrage, and as usual the officers have, thus far, been unable to discover who the perpetrators of the outrage were, although all the efforts of the officials, as well as those of the coal company are being expended to bring the dynamiters to justice.

The outrage last noted occurred Thursday morning just at midnight, when the store room and dwelling of Marino Pace was dynamited and the damage is estimated at over \$500. The family of Mr. Pace occupies the second floor of the store building and besides being badly shocked and stunned by the explosion and slightly cut by the flying glass, no one was injured. The windows in the store of Abe Hallow, directly opposite the Pace store, were all broken, as were also the win-

dows in the home and office of Joe Mazza nearby.

The interior of the Pace store presented a horrible sight Thursday morning. The glass of the windows mingled with the queensware and crockery ware, covered the entire floor of the store room. All kinds of furniture were reduced to kindling wood and several holes were torn in the floor. The entire front of the store which was erected at a cost of \$150, was so badly damaged that it will have to be rebuilt entirely. The time of explosion was further evidenced by the fact that the clock stopped at exactly 12 o'clock. The clock was wound before the Paces retired, and it is presumed that the concussion of the exploding dynamite stopped the works.

Mr. Pace is at a loss to explain the happening, as he says he has no enemies and that all the customers of his store appeared to be the best of friends.

### Druggist Killed in Auto Accident

Dr. Clarence E. Shaffer, a prominent druggist of Windber, and president of the Windber Fire Company, was instantly killed and five other persons were painfully injured, though not seriously when a touring car toppled over an embankment on the Bald Eagle valley road, near Tyrone, on Sunday. Richard Hill, of Windber, one of the injured, suffered from abrasions and sprains, was a former resident here.

### Indiana's Police Opened War On Dogs

Burgess Shaffer, of Indiana, has issued orders that all stray dogs must be killed. Canines have been doing much damage to gardens this spring and there are many complaints coming into the office of the burgess every day. There are said to be a great number of dogs running at large in town.

### Indiana Man Ends

#### Life With Bullet

J. W. Eicher, fifty years old, ended his life by shooting himself through the head at his home on Sunday morning. No one but Eicher and his little daughter were in the house. Eicher told the child to go upstairs. The next minute he shot himself.

### HONOR PUPILS OF

#### INDIANA HIGH SCHOOL

Miss Bertha McHenry has been named valedictorian and Robert Carson will be salutatorian for the commencement exercises of the Indiana high school to be held on Thursday night, May 27. The orations will be delivered by Miss Florence Simpson and Thomas Daugherty. The others of the class will be assigned parts later.

### Three Families Have

#### Anniversary Same Day.

Three families living in one tenement house here celebrated wedding anniversaries. Mr. and Mrs. Merle White, Mr. and Mrs. Wad Harris and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Cost were the couples whose anniversaries fell on the same day. The husbands and wives held a little social time together.

### General Manager Visits Indiana

S. C. Long of Philadelphia, general manager of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, visited Indiana in his special train Tuesday night. There has been a persistent rumor that important improvements are to be made in the Indiana branch, but it was said that Mr. Long's visit at this time has no significance, so far as local developments are concerned. The three mile spur up Yellow creek from Homer City was completed recently and was taken over by the railroad company, and it is believed that Mr. Long's chief errand on the Indiana branch was to inspect the new spur branch was to inspect the new spur. This spur is a portion of the line which will eventually reach a direct shipping route from the northeastern section of the county.

### NEW COAL FIELD IN INDIANA COUNTY

Additional prosperity for Indiana county, which will directly benefit Indiana town, is evidenced in the confirmed rumor that the New York Central railroad, through local representatives, has optioned a tract of coal land, something near a thousand acres in White township, northeast of this place. It is understood that the option, which is for the coal only, was secured at the handsome figure of \$90 per acre. The tract adjoins that of the Shumaker tract of about the same acreage and which is understood to be owned by the New York Central interests. Development of this field and the way the company would remove the coal from the district is awaited with interest by the residents of Indiana.

### List of Letters

Remaining uncalled for in the Indiana office April 17, 1915:  
Saul Bibro, Joe C. Buchanan, Miss Jennie Fairbanks, Miss Thelma Fraley, Paul E. Gray, Clark Henry, Rev. Thomas Hughes, A. McGuinnis, Mrs. M. J. Madigan, M. J. Madigan, Mrs. Harry D. Palmer, Nola Rifsard, Samie Risinger, Miss Mary Shields, John Soller, Mrs. C. Sollerger, Geo. Steiner, Mrs. Harry Stewart, Miss Ida Del Torchio, Miss Minnie Wallace, Mrs. B. F. Wolford, Perduk Marinak.  
When inquiring for letters in the list please state they were advertised, giving date.  
HARRY W. FEE, P. M.

## PICTURESQUE GRECIAN SOLDIERS.



Photos by American Press Association.  
Greek fighters in national costume and their king, Constantine.

## WAR ULTIMATUM REPORTED HANDED AUSTRIA BY ROME

Rome, April 22—A report reached Rome today that Italy had sent a note to Austria which virtually amounted to an ultimatum. The note is said to embody the minimum terms upon which Italy will consent to conclude an agreement with Austria. It is impossible to confirm this report here.

General opinion in Rome is that an agreement may still be reached. Nevertheless military preparations are being continued with the greatest energy along the frontier, where Austria is concentrating troops.

Word has been received from Ancona that an Austrian aeroplane was seen last night, scouting on the Italian coast, along the Adriatic sea. The aeroplane was equipped with strong searchlights. The authorities are attempting to identify the aeroplane.

### Italy Stops Sea Traffic

#### With America, Report Says

Geneva, April 22—News reached Lugano this morning that the Italian government had stopped the trans-Atlantic service with the United States. Passengers who had purchased tickets have had their money returned to them. The Italian government, the report says, requires all the steamships.

### Novelist Crawford's

#### Son Reported Killed.

London, April 22—It is unofficially reported that Lieutenant Harold Marion Crawford, of the Irish Guards was accidentally killed by a bomb explosion at Givenchy on April 16. He was the oldest son of the famous American novelist, Marion Crawford, and was 27 years old.

Lieutenant Crawford was born at Sorrento, Italy, and was educated at Harvard. He joined the Irish Guards reserve at the outbreak of war.

### Tacoma Feels Earth

#### Shock Twelve Miles

Tacoma, Wash., April 22—A distinct earth shock was felt in Tacoma at 10:37 this forenoon from the smelter near Point Defiance to the southern limits of the city, 12 miles, and extending to South Tacoma. No damage was reported.

### SAYS ENGLISH SHIP

#### FLEW AMERICAN FLAG.

Newport News, Va., April 22—Thomas Hume, of the crew of the British steamer Dunedin, which

arrived here today from for horse clared the ship had raised the American flag and steered a zig-zag course to escape a German submarine, while the British liner Falaba was sinking, after having been torpedoed. Captain Case refused to confirm or deny Hume's story.

Hume said Captain Case was obliged to leave the inking Falaba behind, but sent a wireless saying, "God save your souls; I cannot help you."

### BRITAIN WILL NOT ENFORCE PROHIBITION

London, April 22—That the British government does not intend to have recourse to prohibition in dealing with the drink question was inferred from Premier Asquith's statement in the House of Commons this evening, when he said that on Wednesday or Thursday next, the chancellor of the exchequer David Lloyd George, dealing with the limiting of facilities for drinking.

The prime minister's remark was generally interpreted as meaning that the hours during which drink would be obtainable in the public houses would be considerably curtailed throughout the country and not merely in the areas where munitions of war are manufactured.

### BIG RUSSIAN ORDER COMES TO PITTSBURG

It was announced yesterday that the Russian government had placed an order for 17,500 airbrakes, valued at about \$1,000,000 with the Westinghouse Airbrake Company of Wilmerding. The order is to be filled immediately and the Wilmerding plant, which is on a three-day schedule at present, will run full time.

Though a branch of the Westinghouse Airbrake Company was established in Russia 15 years ago because the Russian government, which owns the railroads, will not permit importations, men in these shops are now employed making war equipment. Consequently the representative of the Westinghouse company in Petrograd obtained a special permit from the government to buy in America.

Justice of the peace W. M. Mahan, of this place has been called to New York City on important business.

### Held for Court.

W. A. Kunkle and Fred Sherer, two Ernest officials, who were arrested recently on information of an Ernest foreigner, who alleged that they had shot his dog, which wore a license tag and was tied seahearing before Squire Crossman purely in a yard, were given a of Indiana, Thursday morning. After hearing the evidence the justice held them for the June term of court under \$300 bail.

### LOCAL MAN IN

#### MINSTREL SHOW

Harry B. Marshall returned on Wednesday from a week's stay in Vandergrift, where he was rehearsing the Eagles' Club for a minstrel show. The show was presented last Friday and Saturday to capacity audiences and universally commented on as the best amateur show ever seen in the steel town. The usual amateur air was absent and it looked much like our own Lyric Minstrels.

The principals were all local men, among them William J. White, the interlocutor, and well known choir singer; Roy Shirley, a Punxy boy, now located in Vandergrift, another choir singer who made a distinct hit as an end man and did a wonderful Italian impersonation; Jack Armstrong, a real Scotchman in the Harry Lander songs, and Glissando, a professional musical artist, who is billed as the "Music Master" and lived up to the title, in his skillful playing of many instruments.

### Marriage Licenses.

- Frank McConnell ..Burrell twp.
- Margaret J. Jones ..Burrell twp.
- John C. Wagner ..Marion Center
- Margaret E. Clowes Marion Center
- Dalvin J. Edmiston ..Indiana
- Anna M. Walker ..Indiana
- Orr A. Lyons ..Blacklick
- Wilda J. Howard ..Blacklick
- Ira B. O'Neil ..White twp
- Mabel C. McCullough ..Lovejoy
- Wm. H. Gemmill ..Young twp
- Rose I. Myers ..Washington twp
- Wm. E. Lear ..Blairsville
- Edna M. Groft ..Blairsville
- Edna M. Groft ..Blairsville
- W. Homer Robertson ..Homer City
- Bernyce Blyth ..Homer City
- Joseph Smith ..Josephine
- Mary Orban ..Blacklick
- Ray F. Fletcher ..Blairsville
- Hilda M. Kyle ..Cokeville
- J. Purl Benett ..Indiana
- Martha B. Williams ..Indiana

Salesman: Reliable salesman for Household Specialty. Write F. A. Knouff, sales manager, 1209, 10 Keenan Bldg., Pittsburg, Pa.

## LOSE LOCAL OPTION BY 128 TO 78

Harrisburg, April 22—After four hours' debate the roll was called on the local option bill this afternoon in the House and defeated by a vote of 128 to 78!

Notwithstanding the fact that a resolution had been introduced limiting the debate to two hours and one-half, it was prolonged for nearly twice that length of time and a vote was not reached until 3:15, with the result above given.

### Patriot Sends Aid to Red Cross in Rome

We have sent today through the foreign exchange of the Farmers Bank of this city, \$160.75 to the President of the Italian Red Cross in Rome.

This sum has been collected through public subscription, for the benefit of the earthquake sufferers.

### Elder Smith Smallpox Victim; Church Closed

Blairsville, April 20—As the result of the illness of Capt. Woodward Smith, who is suffering from smallpox, and the illness of his two sons with chickenpox, the Presbyterian church at this place was not opened Sunday morning.

Captain Woodward is an elder of the church and had attended the mid-week services. The church was closed as precautionary measure.

Recently Captain Woodward's herd of Jersey cows and other animals were killed on account of the hoof and mouth disease.

### Fierce Fire Rages at Waynesburg, Pa

Waynesburg, Pa., April 23—Fire which started in a blacksmith shop here shortly before last midnight destroyed the entire business block fronting on Franklin and Washington streets, entailing a loss of \$112,000.

Three persons were slightly injured. The fire, it is believed, was under control at 1:30 o'clock this morning.

### Public Notice

I hereby give notice to the public in general, that beginning with this date, I am not responsible for any business transacted by Joe Niggi, of Homer City, Pa.

A. CESARIO,  
Punxsutawney, Pa.

### Marion Center's New Postmaster.

J. C. McCormick has received notice from Washington of his appointment as postmaster at Marion Center. This closes a bitter contest that has been on for the last ten months. Mr. McCormick, who has been a Democrat all his life, expects to assume his duties on May 1.

### WHAT IS GOING ON THIS EVENING.

- Strand.
- After the Storm.
- Colonial.
- Perils of the Wild.
- Won With Dynamite.
- Lyric Hall.
- Rolls Skating at 7:30

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