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# PENNSYLVANIA **NEWS IN BRIEF**

# Interesting Items From All Sections of the State.

## CULLED FOR QUICK READING

News of All Kinds Gathered From Various Points Throughout the Keystone State.

The Spring City postoffice will be enlarged. Ohicken thieves have become

great pest at Summit Hill. Northampton county's military en-

rollment shows 23,699 men. Mauch Chunk-Hazleton's latest auto

'bus line has been abandoned as a failure.

Milk prices will be advanced from seven to eight cents a quart in Potts-

town. Williamsporters have raised nearly delphia, resigned. \$12,000 for relief of guardsmen's families.

H. D. Brubaker, of Reading, has been named state marshal of the Orioles.

Tramping upon a tack, nine-year-old Edna Beahm, Reading, is suffering with lockjaw.

Morrisville voters refused to sanction a \$27,000 bond issue to build a water filtration plant.

The Beaver Falls Standard Gauge Steel company has sold one-fourth of its stock for \$1,250,000.

Sunbury lodges have exempted soldiers from dues, and a new company of volunteers is forming.

The boosters for the fund of \$150,000 for the Reading fair grounds have now reached a total of \$147,000.

Run down by a trip of mine cars at Jefferson colliery, Gilberton, Michael Navada lost both legs.

The Butler Motorcycle club will organize and equip a machine gun battery for service in Mexico.

Dr. E. H. Dickenshied, surgeon ma jor of the Fourth Regiment, Allentown, has been relieved of duty.

Lewis Vernoskie, thirty years old. was killed in a mine at Mt. Carmel by a premature blast explosion.

Catasauqua barbers have formed a union and decided to raise the price of a haircut to twenty-five cents. Prospects for a large, but late, huckleberry crop in Carbon and adjoining counties are encouraging.

Thieves who broke into the Lackawanna freight house at Nazareth got between thirty-five and fifty cents.

A black hog, weighing 750 pounds, was received by Paul F. Krause, of Gilbertsville, from Thornton, Ind.

Reading's solicitor opines that the city cannot legally pay guardsmen's home salaries while they are at war. The United States Steel corporation

announced that it would pay all employes while in the federal army service.

Leonard Zematis, sixteen, was crushed to death under a mine locomotive at Cambridge colliery, while visiting the plant.

Mrs. Anna Tobias, aged 26, was found lying in bed with a gas jet turned on at Reading, but a pulmotor saved her life

Nicholas Minor, an oiler at the Honey Brook colliery, terribly mangled his right arm when caught on a circular saw

Albert Lippincott, a Lancaster lineman, fell from a pole twenty feet to the ground and has a fractured skull and broken arm.

An increase amounting to about twenty-five percent has been given employes of the New Century Knitting mills, Spring City.

C. Chalport, of Huntingdon, has been sworn in as state fire marshal, to fill the place of Joseph L. Baldwin, Phila-

Mine Inspector J. J. Stickley, of Lansford, whose office is located at Hazleton, has patented a device for dumping mine cars.

Ten thousand tons of iron ore passed through Lewistown on one train from the Great Lakes region to Steelton and Coatesville.

Sons of foreign-born citizens are responding nobly to the call for enlistment in the national guard throughout the anthracite coal fields.

The forty-eighth annual convention of the American Society of Engineers, with a thousand delegates present, was held at Pittsburgh.

Ralph Shires, employed on the Panama canal four years, is spending a vacation with his mother at Lansford. accompanied by a bride.

An oil well drilled by Findlay Gates on the Fisher farm, south of Oil City, is flowing at the rate of 500 barrels daily, worth \$2.60 a barrel. Miss Fannie Barber, daughter of

Judge Barber, Mauch Chunk, has started on her return to the Philippines where she is teaching school.

Easton society women are organiz- Barnum & Bailey ing to furnish hand-knit woolen socks and cholera bands to the members of Company L, Fourth Regiment.

Hosiery manufacturers up the Schuylkill valley are handicapped by inability to obtain certain grades of needles, especially for topping. For injuries received when a Nor-

ristown trolley car struck her carriage Rachel Brown claims \$10,000 of the Reading Transit company.

Vanderveer Lodge of Odd Fellows, of Easten, will exempt a half dozen national guard members from dues while on the Mexican border.

St. Michael's Greek church, Shenandoah, for ten years, has been notified of his promotion to the rectorship of

St. Vadimir Greek church, Scranton. Hazleton grocers held their outing at Mainville, and after a chicken and Show on Earth. This great cirwaffle supper went to Berwick and Bloomsburg, where they visited the grocers' associations of those towns. Honeysuckle mountain laurel and rhodedendron have transformed the Pittsburgh on July 17-18 mountains and valleys in the vicinity of Mauch Chunk, Nesquehoning and Glen Onoko into one vast flower gar- announce an all new novelty cir-

den. Mrs. H. W. Detwiler, of Moyer, near Connellsville, was almost completely scalped when her hair was blown into an electric washer. She stopped the machine by tearing out an electric socket.

Because they object to shooting unlicensed dogs in compliance with new dog law, William Barnhill and John Heslop, two Bristol constables, have geous display more than 1,350 resigned. It is said other resignations will follow.

ing council for the payment by the city of the salaries of Charles G. Miller, captain of Company I, N. G. P., and George F. Shade, a member of the same company, while they are away the various actions of the pagserving their country.

A swarm of bees took possession of eant. a tree in the yard of Mrs. Carrie Zimmerman in Connellsville. They reremained suspended in a mass, defying all efforts to hive them for several hours, when they took flight again, go-

ing northward across the city. Eight persons were injured, five seriously, when two automobiles crashed on a road and overturned near Monessen. Mrs. J. Berger, of Mount Vernon, Ohio, and her six-year-old son, Clell Layton, of Webster, and Mrs. Mary F. Brown, of Arnold, were taken to hospitals.

Several thousand Lutherans visited Topton Lutheran Orphans' home to witness the dedication of the Holton memorial-a building for orphan children under three years of age-erected and equipped in memory of the late George E. Holton, of Catasauqua, by his daughter, Mrs. Jessica Holton, and her children.

Positively Exhibit in This Vicinity.

At last the welcome news has will have an opportunity to visit and 41 elephants.

the Barnum and Baily Greatest cus will be within easy traveling distance when it exhibits in

This year Barnum and Baily

cus, composed of more foreign | permanently in the U.S.? acts than ever before. An important feature is the new, Orienal spectacular pageant, Persia, or the Pageants of The Thousand and One Nights." In this gor-

persons participate. The Oriental Resolutions were adopted by Read- music incidental to the production is rendered by 350 musicians,

and 3,500 costumes are worn in

The circus program will be one of unusual novelty and variety. More than 480 arenic artists will appear in the various acrobatic, aerial and riding numbers and an army of fifty of the funniest clowns on earth will keep the audience convulsed with laughter. Among the new acts to be offered for the first time this season are four great troupes of Chinese artists, presenting a complete Chinese circus, replete with thrilling aerial and acrobatic feats. The famous Hanneford family, champion diana, Pa.

riders of Europe, are another new importation, as is also Sig-Circus Is Coming nor Bagonghi, Italy's famous dwarf equestrian. More than 20 trained animal acts will be in-Greatest Show on Earth Will cluded in the program, headed by Pallenberg's two marvelous troupes of trained bears.

The Barnum and Bailey Circus is larger this season than ever before and requires 89 cars to transport it. It carries 1,400 Very Rev. Leo Lewecki, rector of been announced that the young- persons, 785 horses and a greatly sters and others of this vicinity enlarged menagerie of 108 cages

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- lows of the United States?
- R. No.

D. Who makes the ordinances for the City ?

- R. The board of Aldermen.
- D. Do you intend to remain

R. Yes.

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