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POSTAGE STAMPS FOR EACH TOWN

It is claimed there are many advantages to be gained by this system

A form of postage stamps with the names of the cities for which the stamps are issued printed on the face of the stamp is proposed under the terms of the bids for a new issue for the next four years, opened in the purchasing agents' office of the Post-office department yesterday.

The bid for the new style is accepted, the Postoffice department will order special stamps for the twenty-six largest postoffices, including the abbreviations of the States in which they are. For the remaining postoffices of the three higher classes—in round numbers about 5,000 offices—ordinary postage stamps will be overprinted from electro-type plates across the face with the names of the postoffices and abbreviated State names.

The proposal to make this change in design of the stamps is the result of an investigation by Postmaster General Cortes, who decided that there were many advantages to be achieved by printing the names of the post offices on the stamps, and thus localizing them, the principal object for the purpose of identification. It is believed that the system of accounting in the stamp division can be greatly simplified by specially designating the stamps issued for the larger postoffices. In the supply division of the postoffice much difficulty is experienced under the present system.

Sad Accident at Bloomsburg

A shocking and sudden calamity occurred at East Bloomsburg Tuesday morning when J. Lloyd Dillon, the prominent Bloomsburg florist, was run over and killed by a coal car. The sad news reached Danville about noon and caused much sorrow among Mr. Dillon's many friends here.

At 9:45 o'clock Mr. Dillon and a number of his workmen were preparing to unload a car of coal for the green houses. The car stood on the Pennsylvania siding at the East Bloomsburg station and the men with bars were moving it to a more suitable location for unloading. Thinking the car was going too far, Mr. Dillon called "that's enough" and put his shoulder against the front end to try to stop the car. He was powerless, however, and his foot slipping on the rail, he fell across the track in front of the wheels. His feet protruded over the rail, and the car wheel passing over them, cut off the right foot at the ankle and the heel of the left foot was cut and severed. At the same time the low-hanging brake-beam under the car caught the man about the neck, and as the car moved ahead the unfortunate victim was crushed between the beam and the railroad ties.

He made no outcry, but when the men rushed to the spot, he was pinned so fast under the car and held so firmly by the brake-beam, that it was necessary to unscree this part from the rest of the car to release the body, and it was seventeen minutes before he was taken out, terribly injured.

He did not speak all that time, but once he motioned with his hand for the men to move the car, and when taken out he died in a few minutes. Dr. Arment responded immediately, but Mr. Dillon was dead when he arrived.

The occurrence is made all the more sad by the fact that Mrs. Dillon's father died on Monday at Philadelphia as the result of an accident a few days before, and Mrs. Dillon was preparing to go to Kingston to attend the funeral.

High Plan at Lebanon

Our townsman, W. T. Speiser, one of the leading marksmen of the State, further distinguished himself at the two days' shoot held at Lebanon on Friday, the 26th inst., under the auspices of the gun club of that city.

On the first day of the shoot the targets were the rocks; on the second day five birds.

It was during the live bird shoot that Mr. Speiser won the honors of the day and received as a prize a beautiful medal for a fob guard or chain. It is of gold, studded with diamonds, which half encircle a small figure in relief.

It was a free-for-all and to win the prize the contestant had to shoot the entire program, at 20 yards handicap. Mr. Speiser accomplished the remarkable feat of killing thirty-four birds out of thirty-seven.

In the live bird contest the first day Mr. Speiser won a hunting knife and a gun case.

Belated Thunder Storm.
A heavy thunder shower in all respects like the midsummer article visited this section on Saturday evening. It was probably the last of the season, but it was not deficient in any of its features on that account.

The weather conditions were threatening all day and the thunder shower was the culmination, which was followed with cooler and clearing weather. About half past four o'clock the western sky assumed a most threatening aspect and a short time after the storm broke loose. The wind blew with almost cyclonic fury, the rain poured for nearly half an hour, while the electrical effects were a feature.

CELEBRATED 100 BIRTHDAY

Centenarian Retains Her Faculties—Hearing Defective.

"Aunt Peggy" Seidler Monday celebrated her one-hundredth birthday. Seated in her comfortable old-fashioned rocking chair in the cozy home of S. B. Koehler, Bloom road, where she has had her home for many years past the aged woman graciously and untrillingly acknowledged the kind congratulations of group after group of friends and relatives that during the day came and went. Not only did "Aunt Peggy" receive all day yesterday, but even on Sunday she was the mark of much honor and she was surrounded with many reminders that at last her tottering footsteps had brought her to the one hundredth mile stone of life's journey. It was happily arranged to observe the Sabbath immediately preceding her one-hundredth birthday in a way that would give appropriate expression to the gratitude for long life and the blessing of health which dwelt not only in the heart of the beloved and aged woman but also in the hearts of those around her, who love her and care for her. Accordingly Sunday afternoon the Keystone Male Quartette of this city repaired to the home of Mr. Koehler and there rendered a number of their best selections, not forgetting two that are "Aunt Peggy's" favorites: "Jesus, Lover of my Soul" and "Nearer, My God, to Thee." She understood the singing; was able to follow nearly all of her two favorite hymns and dwelt most heartily on the emotions that the singing aroused within her.

"Aunt Peggy" was in the very best of spirits and not within many years was her mind any clearer than yesterday. Her memory, it is true, reveals in the events of the long, long past, but while in pleasant conversation yesterday she proved to her friends that she was by no means oblivious of passing events and recalled the incidents of last week and last year with astonishing accuracy.

It was, however, of the long past that those assembled Monday desired most to hear and fortunately "Aunt Peggy" was in a reminiscent mood. Nearly all her stories related to her grandchild, nearly or quite ninety years ago. She has a keen sense of humor and laughed heartily as she related many an amusing anecdote, in which the actors were the sons of William Montgomery and others whose names are familiar but whom people of the present generation have never seen.

At the same time "Aunt Peggy" thoroughly appreciated the solemnity of the event; for while the attainment of a hundred years of life is the cause for rejoicing, yet it is the extreme limit that carries the man or woman who survives into the very shadow of death and eternity. Years ago "Aunt Peggy" realized that she had lived the allotted years of life and Monday she repeated the same beautiful sentiment that was recorded of her on her last birthday that her work on earth is done and that she is now only waiting for the summons; that when it shall please God in his wisdom to call her home she is ready.

There is no telling how many years yet remain for the aged woman. She is only slightly more feeble than on her last birthday. Her hearing, it is true, is defective but her eyesight and her general health is good. Retaining as she does all her mental faculties and surrounded as she is by kind and loving friends she still finds much enjoyment in every day life.

Probably about a hundred people called to visit "Aunt Peggy" Monday. Not a few came from a considerable distance while still others from Philadelphia, Reading, and Altoona sent letters and telegrams conveying congratulations. She received a large number of presents. A most beautiful wreath came from the ladies' aid society of Shiloh Reformed church, in the form of one hundred roses, one for each year of her life, which were conveyed to "Aunt Peggy" by the Rev. Joseph E. Guy and his wife.

Among those who assembled to do the aged woman honor was Mrs. Fetter, of Philadelphia, and Mrs. W. P. Roberts, of Sunbury, nieces; Thomas Sanders, of this city, a nephew; Mrs. A. J. Thrash and Miss Lizzie Cunius, of Hazleton, grand nieces; John Cunius, of Drumm, and Mrs. Peter Rishel, of White Hall, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Keefe, of Berwick, were also present.

Cows Got Drunk

After partaking of a quantity of pomace, the residue of cider, which had been carelessly dumped in a pasture, a herd of cows belonging to Mrs. Lavina Schaeck, of Williams' Corner, Montgomery county, became gloriously drunk and did considerable damage. They broke down fences and did other injury, and several of them became so sick getting on their "dug" that a veterinary surgeon was sent for. Two of the herd died from the effects of the spree.

A skeleton found near Weatherly is believed to be that of a woman who several years ago escaped from the Luzerne county admsnhouse and was not found.

W. H. TRUESDALE HEARD FROM

Discountenances Omission of Danville on Railroad Map.

The omission of Danville on the D. L. & W's railroad map dwelt upon in these columns on Saturday has been discountenanced in unqualified terms by the president, W. H. Truesdale, J. H. Goesser, president of the local board of trade, on Monday addressed Mr. Truesdale a letter enclosing the clipping from the Morning News, the communication received in reply explains itself and shows that the writer takes much the same view of the omission as the News article. Mr. Truesdale's letter follows:

October 30th, 1906.
Mr. John H. Goesser,
President, Board of Trade,
Danville, Pa.

Dear Sir:—I beg to acknowledge receipt of yours of the 29th, with enclosed newspaper clipping, calling my attention to the fact that on the map of the D. L. & W. Railroad published in the Commercial and Financial Chronicle the name of Danville is not shown.

The fact that this is the case was a surprise to me, as I am sure it is to the other officials of our company. I can only assure you, furthermore, that it is not intentional and that we will at once arrange to have our map as published in the above named publication corrected and the name of Danville placed thereon so that it will appear in the next issue of the Chronicle in which this map is printed.

I sincerely hope that neither you yourself nor any other citizen of Danville really believes for a moment that the policy of the management of this Company is so narrow and shortsighted as to have attempted to injure you or your town and its business interests by deliberately and wilfully omitting the name of so important a business and shipping point as Danville from the map just because we happen to have differed from the views of your people on other matters. If there is any such impression abroad among your people I shall esteem it a favor if you will do what you can to correct it. I am sure, furthermore, in the interests of fair play you will be very glad to do this for us.

Thanking you for calling the matter to my attention, I beg to remain,
Yours very truly,
W. H. TRUESDALE, President.

Sentenced to County Jail

Edward Davis of this city was sentenced to the county jail Friday afternoon for a period of ten days by Justice of the Peace Dalton. Davis was taken into custody by Chief of Police Mincemeyer and was arraigned before Justice Dalton charged with disorderly conduct.

He was prosecuted under the act of June 25, 1895, which for disorderly conduct imposes along with costs of prosecution a fine not exceeding ten dollars. In default of fine and costs imprisonment not exceeding 30 days is provided.

Davis was unable to liquidate the amount and was sentenced to do time, Justice Dalton was merciful and fixed the term of imprisonment at ten days, which will enable Davis to get out in time to vote.

Government by Wireless

For three weeks, beginning on November 8th, while President Roosevelt is on his trip to Panama, the government of the United States will be run by wireless telegraphy, with the executive offices on board the battleship Louisiana, all the way from Chesapeake bay to Panama, and from Panama to Porto Rico and back to Chesapeake bay. The Louisiana is being fitted up with the most efficient wireless system.

The president does not propose to be out of touch with the United States at any time, no matter in what foreign waters he may be. A few days ago the wireless station at Pensacola, Fla., kept in communication with the steamship all the way from New York to Honduras and received and sent to it many messages.

LEST WE FORGET

In the midst of the political furor the DuBois Courier stops long enough to remind hunters and other visitors to the woods that they should not forget that the law passed by the legislature in 1905 prohibits any person going upon the land of another for any purpose whatever, without the consent of the owner of the land, provided the said owner has posted proper caution notices in conspicuous places on his property.

Selected for the Glee Club

C. Raymond Herrington, senior at the University of Pennsylvania, son of our townsman Frank Herrington, has been selected as a member of the Glee club at Pennsylvania. The glee club at Pennsylvania is a particularly difficult organization to enter on account of the large number of applicants.

A Pittsburg policeman was fined \$10 for striking his headless chin and grinning at a superior officer who had a beautiful Vandike beard.

FOURTEEN YEARS IN PENITENTIARY

Motion for New Trial Denied and Peter Dietrich Sentenced--Prisoner Revealed No Weakness and Took Sentence Philosophically.

Judge C. C. Evans yesterday handed down an opinion denying a motion for a new trial in the case of Commonwealth vs. Peter Dietrich, which was argued in court here last week. On the same occasion Peter Dietrich was sentenced to undergo imprisonment at separate and solitary confinement at hard labor in the Eastern penitentiary for a period of fourteen years.

Court convened at 10 o'clock with his Honor Judge Evans and associates Blew and Wagner on the bench.

The court at once proceeded to dispose of the reasons assigned for a new trial, which were briefly as follows:

1. That the court erred in charging the burden to show that he was so deeply intoxicated with liquor as to be incapable of forming in his mind a design deliberately and premeditated to fire the fatal shot. If you should reach the conclusion from all the evidence that he was not so intoxicated, then his intoxication should go for naught.

2. The court erred in impressing upon the jury that the defendant had set up the defense of intoxication as a defense and that the burden was upon him to show it and so misled the jury from the true ground of defense.

3. The court erred in emphasizing the commonwealth's case and minimizing the defense.

4. The court erred in not calling attention to the weight of the testimony showing that the killing was accidental and the weakness and unreliability of the testimony of Dr. Paulus going to show that the killing was intentional and premeditated.

5. The court erred in charging that the burden is upon the defendant to prove beyond a reasonable doubt that the killing of Jones was purely accidental.

6. The court misled the jury in this that the defendant had assumed the burden of showing a defense grounded on intoxication and in not pointing out to the jury the difference in the defense of accidental killing.

Judge Evans reviewed in detail the entire charge, with which our readers are already familiar. He took it up point by point citing authorities to show that he clearly stated the law. He emphasized the fact that the defendant offered no evidence in the case. His counsel endeavored to show by cross examination of the Commonwealth's witnesses that the defendant was drunk, on the border of delirium tremens at the time of the shooting and that the shooting was the result of an accident.

The Commonwealth had offered evidence to show that the defendant had shot and killed Jones, the deceased.

The opinion of Judge Evans was that the court could not have been more specific or definite in explaining the nature and character of the defendant's defense to the jury.

Upon the question of accidental killing the court cited Wharton on Criminal Law to show that the burden of proof is upon the defendant.

In conclusion Judge Evans stated:

INSTALLING NEW LIGHTS

Arc Lights Displace Incandescent, Which Are to be Used in Suburbs.

Borough Electrician Smith is now busy installing the four new electric lights, which were authorized by council at its meeting on October 6th. An arc light has been placed at Ferry and Spruce streets and the incandescent doing service at that point up to the present has been removed to Etter's alley on West Mahoning street, where it fills a long felt want. An arc light also has been placed on Railroad street at the canal bridge and the incandescent light at that spot will be removed to P. J. Keefe's residence, Wall street. The wires are already stretched to that point, but the inclement weather yesterday made it necessary to suspend work, otherwise by last night the incandescent light would have been installed.

Prisoner is Insane

A commission in lunacy, which was appointed by Judge Savidge, on Monday has decided that Joseph Huzczak, a prisoner in the Northumberland county jail, is hopelessly insane. He is also almost stone blind. Huzczak was sentenced at the last term of the Northumberland county court to serve six months in prison.

Large Rubber Mat Procured

A large rubber mat has been procured and laid down in front of the switch board at the borough light plant in order to insure safety to the engineers and others who have occasion to manipulate the switch board. It is some eight feet by three and is nearly half an inch thick.

Besides protecting the employees everything possible is being done to insure safety to sight-seers, who drop in to the plant during evenings to inspect the high speed machinery.

A neat wooden guard has now been constructed by Electrician Smith, which encloses the rear of the switch board and the regulators, which occupy a position on the floor nearby. Previously while exposed a heedless and inexperienced person might have been tempted to place his hand on any of these harmless-looking parts and thereby receive a shock which in all probability would have caused death.

Half a Dozen Fathers of Monroe County

Half a dozen fathers of Monroe county broke up a Jesse James club formed by their boys just entering their teens. Their cure was the old fashioned whipping and it was effectual.

RAILROAD COMPANY REFUSED HEARING

Witnesses Were Examined and Justice Oglesby Gave Judgment.

Tuesday was the date set for the hearing before Justice of the Peace Oglesby in connection with the summons issued to the D. L. & W. Railroad company on Wednesday, the 24th inst., as the result of a violation of the borough ordinance by that company as it relates to speed of railway trains. The railroad company, however, failed to appear, although a hearing was held and judgment was rendered.

The time set for the hearing was between the hour of 10 and 10:30 a. m. As soon as it became evident that no one representing the railroad company would be on hand Justice Oglesby decided to go on with the hearing within the time limit. Chief of Police Mincemeyer and Officer John G. Voris, who timed the train and on whose testimony the summons was issued, were sworn and examined as witnesses.

The chief-of-police testified that on October 3 the 10:19 D. L. & W. train ran through the borough at the rate of 17 miles per hour, on October 4th, at the rate of 22 miles per hour; and on October 24th, at the rate of 27.5 miles per hour. Officer Voris was next sworn, and his testimony agreed precisely with that of the chief-of-police.

On the strength of the above testimony the justice gave judgment in sixty dollars embracing the three occasions on which the ordinance was violated.

About 11:15 o'clock P. R. Reese, Esq., of Scranton, and Hon. H. M. Hinckley, of this city, both attorneys for the D. L. & W. Railroad company appeared at Justice Oglesby's office. They merely requested of the justice that a copy of the ordinance as it relates to speed of railway trains be incorporated in the record. They gave no reason for their non-appearance at the hearing. Whether the company has found some flaw in the service or in some other way hopes to benefit itself by refusing to appear, of course, is unknown. If the case is pushed it is not improbable that the railroad company will make a test case of the matter, endeavoring to show that the borough ordinance is unreasonable and burdensome in its provisions relating to speed of railway trains.

Delightful Affair in the Armory

The Knights of the Golden Eagle held an entertainment in the armory Saturday night for the members and their families, which proved a thoroughly delightful affair, enjoyed by a large number of people.

An entertaining program was rendered and during an intermission refreshments were served, the orchestra meanwhile discoursing choice music. The Sir Knights and their families returned to their homes about 10 o'clock well satisfied with the evening's entertainment.

Following is the program:
Opening Ode..... by the Castle.
Opening Prayer, Charles Wagner, H. P. Overture..... Orchestra.
15 Minute Address, Rev. L. Dow Ott, Selection..... Mandolin Club.
Recitation..... Miss Hodges.
Song..... F. M. Herrington.
Recitation..... W. J. Rogers.
Selection..... Mandolin Club.
Song..... Mrs. Harry Sober.
Recitation..... Orchestra.
Recitation..... Miss Kohl.
Song..... Wesley Hollibaugh.
Piano Solo..... Miss Richards.
Selection..... Mandolin Club.
Recitation..... Miss Kohl.
Closing Selection..... Orchestra.

Music was furnished by the Melvain orchestra. It was well rendered and highly appreciated. Every number on the program was applauded.

NEW RAILROAD GETS 2 MONSTER ENGINES

Pittsburg, Binghamton and Eastern Holding Them at Towanda.

TOWANDA, Oct. 31.

On the switch below Washington street, near the electric light plant, are two new six driver passenger engines, Nos. 21 and 22, consigned to the Pittsburg, Binghamton and Eastern railroad.

The engines are of the latest type of high-speed passenger engines and capable of doing heavy work. Both engines are of the same pattern and make having six five-foot drivers, a water tank holding 7,000 gallons, a single door fire box and weighing over 100 tons. They have a height of 14 feet 5 inches over all and a width of 9 feet 10 inches at height, and are fitted with the latest New York brake valve. On each of the tanks are the letters "P. B. & E." done in white.

ONE KILLED ANOTHER INJURED

Eye Knocked Out and Face Disfigured as Cousin is Killed.

Two cousins meeting with sad accidents at the same time, but about a mile apart, is the strange coincidence of Tuesday afternoon.

At just about the same hour, two o'clock, when Frank Miller, of Ponnerville, was crushed so badly that his death resulted a few hours later at the hospital, his cousin, Charles Miller, son of John Miller, who lives near Berwick, was struck in the face by the belt of a steam thrasher on his father's farm, and one eye knocked out and his face badly injured and disfigured. He was picked up unconscious, his face badly disfigured and one eye knocked completely from his head. He is aged 26 years.

FEAST OF ALL SAINTS TODAY

Holy Day Throughout the Catholic World.

Today is the feast of All Saints, a holy day throughout the Catholic world. The chief object of the day is to thank God for the favors bestowed upon the elect; the sanctification, glorification and salvation of immortal souls.

The church on this day calls to mind the beautiful virtues the saints put in to practice while living on earth, their great purity of heart, love for God and zeal for others' welfare.

Holy mass will be celebrated at 5:30 and 8 a. m. The services include the benediction of the holy sacrament.

The Massachusetts Press association wants passes for newspaper advertising and has protested against a ruling of the Interstate commerce commission prohibiting such barter.

MASQUERADERS DANCED AT ARMORY

Large and Delightful Affair to Celebrate Hallowe'en.

One of the largest and most delightful dances ever given in this city took place at the armory last evening when a number of the young people of Danville and their friends from nearby towns gave fitting celebration to Hallowe'en with a masquerade ball.

Beautiful and appropriate decorations had been arranged for the occasion, the members of the committee arranging the large quantities of corn husks and pumpkins and the bunting and flags to such admirable advantage that they succeeded in hiding from view nearly all of the numerous interior defects of the dilapidated old building. The deckings of the armory were far out done, however, by the adornments of the participants, the costumes lending not a little to the enjoyment of the occasion. Beauty, originality and variety marked the creations that now struck with awe and again convulsed with mirth. The burly policeman, the sedate nurse, the clown, the cow boy, the devout dominie, the graceful dancing girl, the Oriental maid, and all the rest forgot their troubles and gave themselves over to the full enjoyment of the evening. The unmasking occurred during the tenth dance, and many delightful surprises ensued when the identity of the masqueraders was discovered.

Excellent music was furnished by Comstock's orchestra of Sunbury. During intermission refreshments were served in the armory. The committee which arranged the affair was composed of Robert M. Jacobs, Charles A. Hartt and Thomas A. Foltz.

Those from a distance who attended the dance were:
Miss Jean Andros, Miss Claire Gross, Miss Gertrude Gross, Miss May Gross, Gerald Gross, Joseph Armstrong, Louis Moyer, Albert Sallida, Herbert Henrie, and Jay Grimes, of Bloomsburg; W. H. Wertz, of Lewistown; Miss Sara Fasold, Irvin Fasold and Hugh Bennett, of Sunbury; Bud Schuman, Ralph Russell, of Northumberland; Charles Hawnick and Charles Evans, of Berwick; Robert Bibby, of Milton; George Maiors, Jr., and John Danner, of Shamokin; Bally Smith, of Williamsport.

STILL SEEING THOSE BEARS

Bruin Again Sighted at Mainville by Penny Operator.

They are still seeing them! The Mainville bear again, this time it is Edward Breisch, night operator at the Pennsylvania station at Mainville who runs across Bruin. Breisch says that Tuesday night about 11 o'clock he went out of the station to bring some packs in off the platform and only a short distance away he saw a large singly animal approaching along the road which crosses the bridge near the station, and Breisch went far enough to make sure it was a bear. He had no gun and could not leave the station, but saw the bear cut across Boyd Yetter's farm and disappear in the darkness. This is the same spot on which bear tracks were found recently.

King Bridge Company Goes Up

The King Bridge company, of Cleveland, Ohio, which had been awarded the contract for the Millville bridge has gone into the hands of a receiver. In this failure Columbia county, is just at present vitally interested, for the bridge company now has at its plant part of the structural work of the Millville bridge.

The Columbia county commissioners have had their solicitor write the receiver of the company that under no circumstances is he to dispose of the structural work of the Millville bridge which is now in the hands of the company.

There is a big possibility that the failure of the bridge company may jeopardize the chances of Columbia county in securing an early construction of the Millville bridge which was looked for in view of the fact that the only impediment in the way of its construction by the State—the payment by the Pennsylvania railroad of \$15,000 towards the cost of the bridge—has been cleared away. It is possible, though, that the work may be carried on by the receiver of the King Bridge company.

The same company was also the contractor for the Danville and East Bloomsburg bridges.

Tests by the Curious

Sunbury has recently installed an expensive fire alarm system. To send in an alarm it is necessary to break a small piece of glass in the front of the alarm box. Now the police of that town are having their hands full of trouble with curious people who are breaking many of the glass fronts in the boxes to see how the machines work.

Revival services have just been concluded at the Salem Baptist church at Jenkintown, York county. It is a colored congregation and during the revival forty-one negroes presented themselves before the pastor for baptism.

LOVE FOR BEAUTY CAUSED MURDER

Mike Zubh Attended Hallowe'en Celebration at Mt. Carmel.

A deliberate murder was committed in Mt. Carmel Tuesday evening and the murderer is now held without bail in the Northumberland county prison. It is a tale of devoted love and passionate revenge. The actors in the tragedy are Slavs, miners in the coal districts about Mt. Carmel.

Adam Barder, who resides on West Second street, Mt. Carmel, decided to hold a celebration in honor of the advent of Hallowe'en, and to the jovial feast he invited several of his friends. Among those present was Mike Zubh from Mid Valley, near Centralia, who journeyed from afar both to partake of Adam's hospitality and to judge for himself of the beauty of Adam's daughter, famous throughout the Slavish settlement for perfection in form and features. Mike partook of Adam's beer and in a moment of confidence disclosed his love for Adam's daughter. It was love at first sight and Mike asked her hand in marriage. Adam replied that he could have her if she would have him. Mike announced his intention of wooing the fair Slavish maiden and left for home.

The impertinence of Zubh dawned upon Barder and the rest of the crowd almost before the young man had left the house. With one accord they rushed to the door and hurled large sized rocks with hoots of derision at the retreating figure. Zubh turned and drawing his revolver, fired at the crowd, the first and only shot penetrating Barder's heart.

The noise of the affray quickly spread and an officer soon appeared, taking Zubh in custody. The murderer was taken before Justice Reed and was committed to the Northumberland prison without bail.

He was taken to Sunbury on the 5:30 train yesterday morning and now lies in jail. A speedy trial will be given him.

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