

LOCAL TIME TABLES.

Table with columns for EAST, WEST, PENN. R. R., SUNDAYS, D. L. & W. R. R., PHILA. & READING R. R., BLOOM STREET, DANVILLE AND BLOOMSBURG STREET RAILWAY CO.

ALL KINDS OF PRIZES FOR CORN

The Pennsylvania corn show, to be held in Harrisburg on January 22-25, will attract there a number of corn growers who will compete for the prizes offered by the Pennsylvania live stock breeders. The exhibition will be held in the big room formerly occupied by the auditor general's department, and competition is open to any resident of Pennsylvania.

The following prizes will be offered for the best exhibits: Yellow Dent—For the best exhibit of Yellow Dent corn, consisting of ten ears: first prize, \$10; second prize, \$7.50; third prize, \$5; fourth prize, \$2.50; fifth, sixth, seventh, eighth and ninth prizes, \$2 each; tenth, eleventh and twelfth prizes, \$1.50 each.

White Dent—For the best exhibit of White Dent corn, consisting of ten ears: first prize, \$10; second prize, \$7.50; third prize, \$5; fourth prize, \$2.50; fifth, sixth, seventh, eighth and ninth prizes, \$2 each; tenth, eleventh and twelfth prizes, \$1.50 each.

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Sweepstakes Prizes—For the best ten ears of corn in the show, any class or variety, \$10. The following are the rules governing the competition: Each exhibit shall consist of ten ears of corn. Competition is limited to corn growers of Pennsylvania. No seedman or employe of a seedman shall be allowed to compete.

All exhibits shall become the property of the Pennsylvania Live Stock Breeders' Association. (Probably to be used in experiments later.) The corn shall be judged by a recognized expert, and there shall be no appeal from his decisions. He will also lecture on the exhibits and on corn production.

Five Race Track at Sunbury. Contractor John L. Miller, of Sunbury, has commenced an extensive work for Jas. C. Packer, Esq., in putting down a one mile race course, 60 feet in width, on Packer's island. It will be constructed in the most improved style of that kind of work and will be up to date in every particular.

Funeral of John Ploch. The funeral of John Ploch, the 13-year-old son of Frederick Ploch, whose death occurred Saturday morning, was consigned to the grave in Old Fellows' cemetery, Tuesday afternoon, the funeral taking place at the parental home, Railroad street, at 2 o'clock. There was a large attendance. The services were conducted by Rev. George W. Fritsch, pastor of St. John's Lutheran church. The flowers were very numerous and beautiful. The funeral proceeded to the cemetery by trolley.

Bad Hunting Accident. The worst hunting accident of the year in this vicinity occurred on Monday afternoon. Roy Mitchell, of Milton, aged 21 years, was going with a companion, John Lovett, through the wood near Mountaund Lovett was in the rear and through some accident his gun was discharged. The full charge of shot went through Mitchell's arm. The muscles were severed, although the bone was unbroken.

Surprise Party. Mrs. Charles Clark gave a surprise party Tuesday evening at her home, East Market street, in honor of her sister, Miss Rose Payne, of Catawissa. Those present were: Misses Julia McDermott, Mary McKenna, Mary Henkle, Barbara Haubert, Jennie Hickey, Jennie Reaser, Anna English, Catharine Woods, Agnes Woods, Florence Lewis; Messrs. Thomas Dailey, Charles Mullen, Edward McVey, Thomas Allen, Bert Crawford, Frank McCaffrey, Charles McDermott, Albert Gill, Hugh McCaffrey, Frank Grimes. Refreshments were served.

Old Homestead Sold. The old Vanostred homestead in Riverside was sold yesterday to Oliver Hoover, of South Danville, who will remodel and improve the property. The sale was made through Charles Geisbart, Esq.

BOY CHARGED WITH ARSON & LARCENY

Charged with the high crimes of arson, breaking and entering, also larceny, John Yarrish, a sixteen-year-old Polish boy, is now locked up in the Northumberland county jail awaiting a hearing.

Special Officer A. J. Brittain made the arrest and preferred the charges for the Pennsylvania Railroad company. Young Yarrish was in Sunbury Monday and started for home on a freight train sometime during the forepart of the night. About two o'clock yesterday morning he broke into the pump station and warehouse of the railroad company at the Weigh Scales, stole several razors and other articles belonging to L. C. Moore, the man in charge during the day.

After committing the larceny, it is alleged, he set fire to the building and then fled. Shortly after a Sunbury crowd passed and discovered the fire, extinguished it in time to prevent any serious damage. The red tongues of destruction, however, had licked their way to within several feet of 18 gallons of gasoline in air tight barrels.

Later another crew hearing of the affair recalled having seen a suspicious character in a box car which stood on a siding down the tracks. The inmate of the box car was Yarrish, and he was later taken into custody by Officer Brittain. When arrested the boy had the stolen razors on his person and carried a loaded revolver. When taken before Justice Carpenter, Yarrish made no denial of charging the building but contended he did so for the sole purpose of getting warm.

He also pleaded not guilty to the charge of explaining the origin of the fire by saying that a lantern which he lighted had exploded. Prison records show that Yarrish has already served thirty days in jail for the theft of a bicycle. The evidence is so strong against him on three charges that he has little chance of escaping conviction and his punishment, it is predicted, will be as severe as his crimes merit.

Advances Wages. The Reading Iron company yesterday morning made an announcement that will fill the hearts of all iron workers with joy. The announcement, which simultaneously with this article appears in the Reading and probably a few other newspapers, state that the wage schedules now in force in the Reading Iron company are being revised and a general advance will shortly be made in all its departments.

Recently, the announcement continues, the prices of some of the products of the Reading Iron company have advanced, and wages will be equalized and adjusted to conform to the improved market conditions. The tube works, blast furnaces, rolling mills, foundries and machine shops will all be included in the advance.

The exact date of the advance and what per cent. will be granted is not stated in the announcement. How it will affect puddling—whether it will meet the specific demands made by the puddlers, pending fuller and more definite information, is a matter for conjecture. It is stated, however, that the advance will be general, affecting all departments. The advance is in line with the policy of the Reading people and follows an advance of ten per cent. recently granted to all the employes of the Reading railway company.

It is scarcely to be doubted that the advance announced will bring the labor difficulties existing at the big mill in this city to an end. All of which constitutes the very best of news not only for the iron workers of our town, but also for our business men and citizens in general. The big mill has been closed since June. Up to the present the outlook has been dark and unpromising and no one would have remained idle all winter. The brighter prospects coming now as they do on the eve of winter will be hailed with all the greater joy.

Family Reunion. A happy family reunion was held Sunday at the home of David Foust, Limestone township. The fine weather and the cheerful occasion combined to make the affair most enjoyable. At noon fourteen big rabbits formed the principal feature of an elaborate dinner. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. David Foust, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Deane, and children Ralph and Allan, Mr. and Mrs. George Lunger, and children, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Kelly and children, Helen and Holloway, Mrs. Sarah Cromley, Misses Ada Foust, Margaret Diel, Grace Diel, Doris Mourer, Messrs. Alvin Mourer, A. Lambert Foust, and William Foust. During the afternoon singing and social conversation served to while the time away.

Reading Increases Wages. The Philadelphia and Reading Railway company announced Saturday from its Philadelphia offices an increase of 10 per cent. in wages to all employes whose salaries are less than \$300 per month. The increase is effective from November 1st.

The increase will affect about 25,000 men. The entire Philadelphia and Reading system is included in the increase. The system extends from Philadelphia to Williamsport on the north; Bound Brook, N. J., on the east; Shippen Brook, on the west; and Wilmington, Del., on the south.

17th Wedding Anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. George Reed celebrated their 17th wedding anniversary at their home on Grand street, Tuesday evening. The guests at the occasion were Mrs. Swartz, of Milton; James Faugh, George Reed, Howard Frazier, Frank Faugh, Heber Wanzel, Charles Keat, Mr. and Mrs. Paugh, Misses Jennie Reed, Agnes Harley, Lizzie Jones, and Blanche Reed.

In Sunbury Hospital. John Spotts, of Danville, was admitted to the surgical ward of the Mary St. Patrick hospital Tuesday.—Sunbury Daily.

HEALTH DEPT LABORATORY OPEN

In a letter addressed to over ten thousand physicians in Pennsylvania, State Health Commissioner Samuel G. Dixon has announced the opening of the laboratories of the department of health, located at the University of Pennsylvania.

The announcement will be received with great satisfaction not only by the physicians but also by the people of the State, especially in the rural districts, because of the opportunity afforded doctors to accurately diagnose conditions by the most improved scientific laboratory methods.

The opening of the department of health laboratories ranks in importance with the establishment by Health Commissioner Dixon nearly a year ago of five hundred stations for the free distribution of diphtheria antitoxin among the poor throughout the State.

Dr. Dixon's letter to the physicians is as follows: "Recognizing the great benefits which must accrue to the individual practitioner of medicine and his patients as well as to the public health through the operation of a fully equipped laboratory, the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania offers gratuitously to the physicians of the State, the facilities of such an institution. The accomplishment of this subject has been one of the chief aims of the department ever since its creation and the consummation at this time is due in a great measure to the spirit of generosity displayed by the University of Pennsylvania in placing at our immediate disposal, rooms well adapted to the needs of the laboratory. The scope of the work embraced in this division of the department is set forth briefly in the accompanying pamphlet. If you desire to avail yourself in any way of the use of the laboratory, kindly indicate upon the enclosed postal the number of outfits desired for the collection of specimens and the same will be provided, together with the blank request cards, addressed envelopes and return wrappers for the packages.

"The outfit will be for your practice outside of municipalities having laboratories for the same purpose. "Requests should be sent in promptly so that the department may have some estimate of how many outfits will be needed and thereby avoid any unnecessary delay and the purchasing of an over-supply.

Accompanying the letter is a small booklet outlining the character of the work it is proposed to do in the laboratories. The laboratory facilities offered are for work only in connection with physicians' practice outside of municipalities having laboratories for the same purpose, as Philadelphia, Pittsburg, and several of the other larger cities.

Health Commissioner Dixon will be assisted in carrying on the work of the laboratories by Dr. Allen J. Smith, one of the leading physicians in this country, who has been appointed director of pathology, and Dr. Herbert Fox, chief of the laboratories.

Children Commit Daring Robbery. Three little girls not one of whom was over ten years of age committed a very daring and clever robbery in Shamokin on Saturday night.

While Mr. Deibler, the proprietor of a grocery store, and his clerks were busy in the rear of his store three small girls entered and approaching the proprietor asked him for wrapping paper with which to wrap several blankets which they were carrying. Mr. Deibler acquiesced and furnished the paper.

The three children went to the front of the store and beside the counter in which was the money drawer. Seemingly to be busily engaged in wrapping their bundles no attention was paid to them. A few minutes after their departure Mr. Deibler had occasion to go to the money drawer and then discovered that he had been robbed to the extent of almost \$50, in two twenty dollar bills and small change. The children had cleverly performed the robbery and departed. The police are now after them.

Improving Bloom Street. The Danville and Bloomsburg street railway company is placing a course of crushed limestone on Bloom street between the P. & R. crossing and A street, where the trolley track was recently removed. A top course of fine material will next be applied, which will fix this section of Bloom street up in fine shape.

The upper section of Bloom street that was reconstructed with cinder has been much improved through the painstaking efforts of the street commission. All the chunks of cinder have been removed, so that the street as a general thing each side of the track is tolerably smooth and affords fairly good driving.

One of the chief difficulties with Bloom street at that point lies in the fact that the space on each side of the trolley track is too narrow, while the deep ditches add to the danger and inconvenience of driving. No matter how much labor and expense is put on the roadway the street so long as these conditions exist will always be open to objection. Sooner or later some thing will have to be done and council might well take up the matter at once and see what remedy can be applied.

Democrats Gain 24 in Congress. WASHINGTON, Nov. 7. President Roosevelt's appeal for a Republican congress was not in vain. With the count still going on, the 214 Republican congressmen, 157 Democrats, with twenty districts to be heard from. There are 386 seats to be filled in the house, and should the Democrats get the remaining fifteen they would still not have the control.

The most sanguine prediction put out by Chairman Sherman previous to the election was that the Republicans would retain control of the house by fifty.

As the returns stand now the Democrats have gained twenty-four districts in the present congress by Republican losses as follows: Illinois, 2; Indiana, 1; Iowa, 1; Missouri, 4; Nebraska, 1; New Jersey, 3; New York, 1; North Carolina, 1; Ohio, 4; Pennsylvania, 5; and Wisconsin, 1.

Speaker Cannon received his usual first round majority and comes back to congress for the seventeenth time. The fight against Representative Dalzell, of Pittsburg, was futile, as Mr. Dalzell is re-elected with a reduced majority. Mr. Wadsworth, who is chairman of the house committee on agriculture, was defeated by Peter A. Porter, who announced himself as an Independent Republican.

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PENNSYLVANIA'S FIRST CORN SHOW

The Pennsylvania Live Stock Breeders' association announces that one of the features of its annual meeting at Harrisburg, January 22-25, 1907, is a corn show, open to all corn growers of the State, whether they are members of the association or not.

Liberal prizes will constitute an exhibit, and these prizes are in cash. The National Stockman and Farmer of Pittsburg has contributed \$100 in cash to encourage this exhibit, and to this the association and the department of agriculture will add enough to make the prizes worth competing for. There will be forty-five cash prizes, besides specials. The winners will first get a big lot of fine grain, some of which may later be used in exhibits at Jamestown or other exhibitions.

Every corn grower who can find ten ears of choice corn when he goes to husk it has a chance at the money. He should write at once to E. S. Bayard, secretary, 208 Shady avenue, East End, Pittsburg, for particulars and circular cash to encourage this exhibit, and to this the association and the department of agriculture will add enough to make the prizes worth competing for.

Death of Well Known Lady. Mrs. Eliza Butler, widow of the late Thomas Butler, of Washingtonville, died Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of her sister and brother, Sallie and William Johnson, on the Johnson farm in Madison township, Columbia county.

Mrs. Butler was on a visit to the home of her brother and sister about a week ago when she was taken ill, and for several days before death came she was in a critical condition. The deceased was a life long resident of the locality in which she died. She was a most kind hearted and generous lady and was generally beloved by all who knew her. Her husband, the late Thomas Butler, who preceded her to the grave ten years ago, was at one time associate judge in Montour county.

Mrs. Butler was a member of the Washingtonville M. E. church. Beside William and Sallie Johnson, who reside on the Johnson homestead farm, Mrs. Butler is survived by two brothers, Frank and Amos, who live in Anthony township. Four children survive Mrs. Butler, Hattie Cole, of Wilkes-Barre; Misses Margaret and Katie and Mr. Kent Butler, of New York City.

Chicken Steps Are Removed. James V. Gillaspay has completed the brick pavement in front of his hotel property, Mill and Front streets. The "chicken steps" leading from the pavement at the Heddens house, which have been an eye sore and a great inconvenience to pedestrians, are being removed. The new sidewalk is on the same grade with the Heddens house pavement. The western side walk, which previously was avoided because of the chicken steps will hereafter be as much frequented as any.

Mr. Gillaspay, along with other improvements, is having the new stone wall along the base of his hotel covered with a coat of cement. Jere Knorr, who lately completed the brick pavement in front of Foust Bros., brewery, is doing the work and is making a very good job of it.

Buzzards' Banquet. At a meeting of the Buzzards, held Saturday evening in K. G. E. hall it was decided to hold a chicken and waffle supper for the members in the Trinity M. E. church on Saturday evening, November 17th.

Castoria. For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Palisades Formation. Allied in Time and Type to Mount Holyoke and Cape Blomidon. The complete height of the cliff was much higher, originally, for the glacier which originated in the north of this latitude eroded hills of tons which went to the upbuilding of Long Island, trap bowlders being common in the soil of Brooklyn, and I have found on the top of the Palisades opposite Spuyten Duyvil glacial groovings and boulders which have survived the presumptive 15,000 years since the glacier melted. The outpour of this mass from a volcano whose crater we cannot so much as guess in this day was tremendous, and it cut the Hudson and Hackensack valleys and pushed the harbor several miles to the southward, while related activities thrust above the surface, either as downpours or uppours, the thousand miles of basaltic hills that chain the Carolinas to the Bay of Fundy, so that our Palisades are allied in form and time to Mount Holyoke and Cape Blomidon.

To the mineralogist our Palisades do not yield as much of interest as we find in the rotting trap of Paterson, a town which has survived the greatest taken the largest prehnites in the world, sea green and wonderful; royal amethysts, balls of silky pectolite and quartz pseudomorphs that copy them; but we find in these cliffs occasional duplicates of the columns that make the Giant's causeway and Fingert's cave—geometric shapes of three, four, five, six and more sides, not a result of crystallization, as was once imagined, for trap is a rock, not a mineral, but of lateral shrinking when it has cooled.—Charles M. Skinner in Century.

There are men whose pride is in the stolid endurance of acute discomfort. They insist upon doing unpleasant things in order to convince themselves that they can do them. At Oxford several years ago there was an eminent Rugby football player whose passion was to discover the most uncomfortable things and then to do them. One evening a humorist suggested that as it was January it would be rather beastly to sit in a coat all night long. The footballer at once offered to wager that he could sit till morning chilled time in his cold tub. And he did it.—London Chronicle.

A servant not distinguished for his intelligence went to the postoffice and was given a letter for his mistress. On arriving at the door he saw that he had lost it, so ran back and explained what had happened. "I might look the clerk," "But what can I do?" said the clerk. "Why," said the servant, "you have so many there you might give me another."—Motto per Rildere.

AGITATION BRINGS GOOD RESULTS

The recent article in this paper relative to the omission of Danville from the map of the D. L. & W. printed in the "Commercial and Financial Chronicle" seems to have borne good fruit in more respects than one. Not only does the D. L. & W. railroad company make haste to assure the borough that Danville will be replaced on the map in the next issue of the "Commercial and Financial Chronicle," but the William B. Dana company, publishers of that periodical, have addressed a letter to Burgess Rogers for certain data relating to Danville. The letter, which follows, explains itself:

To the Chief Burgess, Danville, Montour County, Pa. Dear Sir:—For our State and City Section, about to go to press, will you kindly favor us with the data asked for below relative to the finances of your municipality?

What is the bonded debt of the borough at present? What was the assessed valuation for 1905? What was the total tax rate per \$1000 for 1905? Thanking you in advance for the courtesy of an early reply, we remain, Very respectfully, William B. Dana Company.

From the above it would seem that Danville's omission on the map led to the town's exclusion from the pages of the publication, where valuable information is printed relating to the towns shown on the map. Verily, a little healthy agitation is sometimes a good thing.

Champion Potato Raiser. They have a farmer out in Westmoreland county who seems to be pretty nearly the state's champion potato raiser. He planted seven acres of ground with potatoes and awaited results. They were beyond his most sanguine expectations for he raised 1,500 bushels, selling them at a price which brought him in \$140 an acre.

Forty Years of Service. Jonathan Rose Dimm, D. D., L. L. D., ex-president of Susquehanna university and now professor of political economy and international law at that institution has just closed 40 years of service at teaching, and will be retiring upon an annuity of \$750 provided by the Carnegie fund for aged professors.

Successful Operation. Miss Anna Shultz, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. C. Shultz, of this city, underwent an operation at the Gynecian hospital in Philadelphia on Tuesday. The operation was performed by Dr. Baldy. Yesterday word was received in Danville that the operation had been a complete success.

Return Banquet Cards. All members who received an invitation to the Y. M. C. A. membership banquet on November 22nd., who desire to attend are requested to fill out the card and return it to the general secretary not later than Thursday. Places will be reserved only for those who return their cards.

TYROLESE CUSTOMS. Peculiar Manner in Which Proposals of Marriage Are Made. There is an old custom prevailing among the Tyrolese regarding proposals of marriage. The first time a young man pays a visit as a suitor he brings with him a bottle of wine, of which he pours out a glass and presents it to the object of his desires. If she accepts it the whole affair is settled. Very often the girl has not yet made up her mind, and then she will take refuge in excuses so as not to drink the wine and yet not refuse it point blank, for that is considered a gross insult, proving that she has been merely trifling with the affections of her lover.

Fell From Bridge and Drowned. The first fatal accident that has happened during the building of the new bridge across the Susquehanna at Sunbury occurred Friday evening when Donetta Falanta, an Italian, aged 21 years, fell into the river and was drowned.

He was on a flat pushing a heavy piece of timber along with a pole when he slipped and fell into the water. Several men heard the splash and before they could reach the spot the body had disappeared. A search was at once made for the body of the man, but it was not until Saturday morning at 7:30 o'clock that the remains were recovered.

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Suspicious. "Mother," says the doubting wife, "I do not believe Henry is all that he should be." "What is wrong with him now, Agnes? A short time ago you were complaining that he stayed out too late of nights. Is he staying out later than ever?" "No. He spends every evening at home now, and really that looks to me as though he had something on his conscience."—Life.

A My Poke. Nell—When I met Mr. Today I had my new gown on. Of course I expected her to say something about it, but she pretended not to have seen it. Belle—Yes, she's an awfully consistent and tender hearted girl.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Incredulous, but Cheerful. Father (at head of stairs)—Ethel, what time is it? Ethel (in drawing room)—It's a quarter past 10, Father.—All right. Don't forget to start the clock again after the young man goes out to get his breakfast.—Stratford Stories.

BEAUTIFUL CHRYSANTHEMUMS AT HARRISBURG

This is the height of the chrysanthemum season and the spacious greenhouses at Castle Grove are abloom with these exquisite and highly cultivated flowers. The roses in all their varieties, also, are now in the height of their season and the greenhouses daily are the mecca of scores of flower lovers, who never tire of wandering through the seemingly endless maze of buildings.

William Cotter, who has succeeded his father, Lawrence Cotter, in charge of the greenhouses, has proven himself a worthy successor of that distinguished florist and the greenhouses at Castle Grove this year present the same plethoric and well kept appearance that made them famous in the past.

Several buildings are filled with chrysanthemums, every variety being represented and all of them beautiful. The flowers are of the largest size, seven to ten inches in diameter, all colors and shades of colors, being represented. Among the varieties are: Col Appleton, yellow; Mary Inglis, striped yellow; Mrs. Coombs, delicate pink; Ben Wells, cream; Chelton, pure yellow; William Duckham, pink.

Mr. Cotter makes a shipment daily, to both New York and Philadelphia markets. The flowers are cut twice daily and already a large space is cleared.

Next in interest to the chrysanthemums, which just now is queen among the flowers, are the roses. All the popular varieties are seen at Castle Grove and much more space is occupied by these than by chrysanthemums. Here is found combined the rare tints of color and the most delicious fragrance that the Creator has brought into existence to please the sense of man.

Among the varieties are: the Liberty rose, red; Bride's rose, white; Knives, pink; also the American beauty rose, which is so well known as to need no description. Of the latter variety there is a whole section of three hundred feet of greenhouses. The Kilnsey rose, dark pink in color, and the Wellesly, a light pink, are new roses lately put on the market. The roses, like the chrysanthemums, are cut twice daily, a shipment being made every day except Saturday. Sunday is one of the busiest days at the greenhouses, as it is probably on that day that the heaviest shipment is made.

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BIGGEST CROWD AT HARRISBURG

The biggest crowd of any of the excursion days journeyed to Harrisburg on Saturday to see the new capital.

The contingent from this division of the Pennsylvania filled 13 cars. 205 tickets were sold from South Danville, 65 at East Bloomsburg and 165 from Catawissa. From Sunbury down the excursionists filled 60 cars and were hauled over the Susquehanna division in four sections. The homeward bound special reached South Danville Saturday evening at 9:30.

The crowds went to Harrisburg from all sections of the State. From the north on Northern Central and P. and E. trains. From the south on Cumberland Valley and Northern Central and Reading trains. From the west on Pennsylvania trains, some from as far away as Pittsburg; and from the east on the Reading, Schuylkill and Susquehanna and Pennsylvania trains. There was as big a crowd in the new capitol Saturday as there was on dedication day.

The excursionists began to arrive about nine o'clock, and everybody at once headed for the capitol. The number of visitors was estimated at between 15 and 17 thousand.

They thronged the corridors until it was almost impossible to get through; it was a continuous stream of people, all on pleasure bent, all happy, and everybody in the best of humor. Old men and young men, venerable ladies and middle aged matrons and the prettiest Pennsylvania girls that ever happily family along, some of them wheeling baby coaches with the smallest member of the family taking an outing in the new capitol. Mischievous boys, who tampered with the water coolers and lifted the pencils of the ink wells, and used the pencil sharpeners to the annoyance of the good natured department employes, were very much in evidence.

All of the departments were directed to be kept open during the day and every clerk was on hand to show the visitor a good time, and explain and answer questions.

Among those from Danville and vicinity who went to Harrisburg on Saturday to see the new State Capitol were: Mrs. T. J. Price, Mrs. Evan Jones, Miss Sallie Musselman, Mrs. S. C. Books, Miss May Books, Miss Alice Guest, Mrs. J. J. Kline, Mr. and Mrs. Will G. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Stead, Curtis Lore, Edward Price, Edward Sam, McCoey Jacobs, W. Fred Jacobs, Theodore Doster, Miss Maggie Doster, W. R. Miller, Mrs. W. H. Doster, Harry Orth, Miss Bertha Kase, Mrs. W. G. Pursel and son, Mrs. T. G. Vincent, Mrs. A. H. Grono, Charles Voris, Benjamin Voris, Miss Sarah Wilson, Miss Sarah Pritchard, Mrs. William Laidacker, Mrs. Alex. Mann, Mrs. J. C. Mincey, Mrs. Webster Foust, Mrs. D. A. Montgomery, Miss Agnes Pursel, Hugh Pursel, Jr., Mrs. J. H. Cole, Miss Margaret Cole, Mrs. Willard Fetterman, George Sandel, Edward Maus, Mrs. Eugene Moyer, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Moyer.

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