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Thursday, March 15, 1900.

The edition of the Topeka Capital which the Rev. Mr. Sheldon is to get out this week is to have a sort of rival in the Atchison Company, which during the same time "will be conducted as the devil would run it." This ought to be easy, especially if the editor is to be the printer's devil.

Up along the Juniata River, says the Harrisburg "Telegraph," mud turtles are caught and sold for \$2 a dozen. In Philadelphia the "red legs" are advertised as "Juniata terrapin at 75 cents each." This recalls a banquet of some years ago given by a Philadelphia newspaper man, when the Juniata "snappers" were dished up under the name of Maryland terrapin at \$80 a dozen. The guests did not know the difference.

More recent returns from the scenes of the Indian troubles are to the effect that the Indians are only too glad to keep the peace. It is a singular fact that with no American army in the country at all the red men plod peacefully along in their own walks, paying no attention whatever to the whites. The fields still yield them maize, the forests mead the streams all the fish they require. May it not be—the question is asked in all seriousness—that General Sheridan erred when he declared that the only good Indian was a dead Indian? Remembering Penn and the peaceful relations of the settlers of this colony the theory becomes decidedly plausible.

From Philadelphia Inquirer.

It begins to look as if the Honorable Thaddeus M. Mahon would have easy sailing in the 18th district this year. The 18th district, as every student of contemporary politics knows, is composed of several counties, Union, Snyder, Mifflin, Juniata, Huntingdon, Fulton and Franklin. Of these seven Union and Snyder have already declared at the primaries that they are for Mahon, and they made the vote unanimous on the Congressional issue. Franklin will be for him, of course, so that he will not be compelled to work any harder than the law prescribes in order to win. Of Huntingdon we do not yet care to say much. The insurgent barrel has already been opened there.

Judge Umbel, of the Fayette County court, is new to a jurist's responsibilities and powers, as he was only elected to the bench last fall. Yet it can scarcely be gainsaid, by the better thinking public of the State, that his instructions to the grand jury to bring about an enforcement of the law against profanity on the streets was a judicious intervention. In recognition of the young jurist's remarks in open court, the burghers of Uniontown at once directed his police to arrest all offenders in this respect without distinction.

No one will question that if the proper authorities throughout Pennsylvania were to emulate the example set in Fayette that there would be a far healthier moral sentiment accomplished. Aside from the Christian view of profane utterances, the habit savors of the coarse and vulgar, and the expressions grate harshly upon the ears of a large majority of people. The law provides means of protection against such intrusions, but like many other statutes there are no authorities required to enforce the mandates. Policemen feel that they are expected to preserve the peace, and the serenity is so rarely disturbed that patrolmen have time to spare for meditation.

Therefore, if the mayors of the State's towns would instruct these officers (like in Uniontown) to arrest all who publicly indulge in profanity, many citizens would value policemen's service the more and the local exchequers would be materially increased from fines imposed.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for testimonials. Address,
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Evangelical Appointments.

The Williamsport conference of the United Evangelical church announces the appointments of pastors in Centre District as follows:
 Centre District—S. P. Remer, P. E.; Altoona—J. A. Hollenbach; Bellwood—F. Garrett; Milesburg—P. A. Smith; Bellefonte—J. Womelort; Howard—N. Blair; Nittany—M. T. Fearle; Sugar Valley—L. Dice; Robersburg—N. J. Dubs; Centre Hall—W. W. Rhoads; Spring Mills—W. H. Brown; Millheim—H. W. Buck; Millmont—J. M. Price; Buffalo—A. S. Baumgardner; New Berlin—J. F. Schultz; Centreville—S. Aurand; Middleburgh—Joshua Shambach; McClure—A. D. Gramley; Port Trevorton—W. E. Brillhardt; Lewistown—C. H. Goodling; Patterson—S. E. Koontz.

United Evangelical Quarterly Conference.

The first quarterly conference of Middleburgh charge will meet in the U. Ev. church of Kratzerville Saturday, March 17th, at 2 P. M. It is hoped that all members of said body will be present to arrange matters for the year.
 The presiding elder, S. P. Remer of Lewisburg, will preach at Kratzerville Saturday at 7 P. M. and Sunday at 10 A. M. Communion services will follow the morning sermon.
 On Sunday at 7 P. M. communion services will be held at the Shreiner church, also conducted by the P. E. J. SHAMBACH, Pastor.

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Do not think for a single moment that consumption will ever strike you a sudden blow. It does not come that way. It creeps its way along.
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FIVE ARE GONE.

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Second marriage.
 13. Harriet, now Mrs. Philip Amig, resides in Swinford, this county.
 14. Aaron, who died at the age of 37 years.

15. Sevilla, now Mrs. Derr of Northumberland county, Pa.
 16. Sarah, who died in childhood.

June 4, 1896, the Post published a sketch of the Shambach family and the first eleven children then aggregated the ages of 781 years or an average of 71 years each. The list as given above will make an average age of the first eleven, of 75 years each.

George Shambach, the deceased descends from such hardy and respected stock, an extended line of long livers and passes to the great beyond commanding the respect of the entire community and enjoying the reward of a faithful christian life. He suffered much here on earth and he is entitled to a rich legacy of peace and happiness beyond.

HON. GEO. C. MOYER.

Hon. Geo. C. Moyer, an ex-associate Judge of Snyder County, was born April 7, 1816 and died at Freeburg, Tuesday, March 6, 1900, aged 83 years, 10 months and 29 days. The Judge had been a sufferer from a dropsical affection for three months. Mr. Moyer had been one of the directors of the First National Bank at Selingsgrove from the time the bank was organized to the time of his death and the directors and other officers of the bank attended the funeral in a body. He was married to Eliza Fisher, the widow who now survives him. They have had a large family of children but there are now about 5 surviving:

1. Calvin F. formerly editor of the Freeburg Courier.
 2. James P., married to a Miss Maurer, resides in Freeburg.
 3. Emile, married to Wm. Mertz of Northumberland.
 4. Katie, married to Henry Phillips of Aaronsburg, Centre County.
 5. Dilla, married to Geo. M. Wimer, a merchant and Justice of the Peace of Salem.
- The funeral was held Saturday and was largely attended. Revs. Haas and Druckenmiller officiated.

ALLEN M. BROWN.

Allen M., son of Hon. Henry and Lydia Brown, died from pneumonia on Sunday, March 4 at 12:30 o'clock after an illness of two weeks, aged 17 years, 3 months and 27 days.

The deceased was a young man of excellent character, giving promise of a useful manhood. He was a dutiful son, a kind and friendly youth who challenged the respect of all who knew him. Was a diligent worker in all things he undertook; was an active member of the Reformed Christian Endeavor Society of Freeburg; a regular attendant of the Sunday School, and at the time of his death a member of the catechetical class at present under the instruction of Rev. W. A. Haas of the Reformed church. The funeral took place on Tuesday afternoon and was largely attended. The services were conducted by Rev. W. A. Haas, and his discourse was based on Genesis 45:28—"Israel said, It is enough; Joseph my son is yet alive; I will go and see him before I die."—Courier.

ISAAC B. ROMIG.

Isaac B. Romig, one of the progressive merchants of Kantz, this county, died Sunday afternoon at his home in Penn township, aged about 46 years. He is the son of John Romig, who served as County Commissioner two terms from 1876 to 1882 and died Nov. 10, 1895. The deceased married Lydia Hughes, daughter of the late Wm. Hughes. He had been sick with consumption for about three months and finally succumbed Sunday. Two brothers, Henry and John survive him. A sister married to Thomas Kantz, died, a number of years ago. The funeral took place Wednesday morning at Salem. The Romig family is an old one in this county and the deceased was a business man of promise cut down in the prime of life. The Post extends its sympathy to the mourning friends.

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Orders for "Daily Capital."

The Rev. Mr. Sheldon's Newspaper Likely to be a Great Success.

Topeka, Kan., March 12.—Postmaster Guthrie has appealed to the Department at Washington to allow him an additional force to handle the Sheldon edition of "The Daily Capital," which is to be edited during the week of March 13 by the Rev. C. M. Sheldon, author of "In His Steps."

Hundreds of orders for the newspaper continue to be received. Every state and territory in the Union is represented on the mailing list. Many single orders call for thousands of copies. One of the leading daily newspapers of London has sent a cable message asking for permission to republish the edition day by day in England.

Reception at Northumberland.

The societies, members and friends of St. John's Lutheran church surprised their former pastor and his wife, Rev. and Mrs. A. N. Warner, at their home Monday evening. It was an expression of regret at the coming departure of the family to their future home at Selingsgrove. About 100 guests came, loaded with baskets and boxes, and an abundance of good cheer. As tokens of appreciation for their work in and for the church, Mr. and Mrs. Warner were presented with a mantel clock and ring. Rev. Botsford, the present pastor, made the presentation speech, which was responded to by the recipients.

The entire community feels that their residence of twelve years has been of benefit to the town.

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Liberal Rewards for the Exercise of a Little Mental Ingenuity.

Anna Catherine Green is one of the most famous of American writers. It would seem, therefore, the announcement of "The Philadelphia Sunday Press" that it proposes to give free in illustrated book form, beginning with next Sunday's "Press" (Philadelphia, March 18) her greatest novel, would create a sufficient furor. It is the rule of "The Philadelphia Press," however, not to do things by halves; consequently, in addition to giving free this great novel, announcement is made that \$500 in cash prizes will be distributed among readers on a very simple plan. There will be one prize of \$100, five of \$20 each, ten of \$10 each, twenty of \$5 each and one hundred of \$1 each, so that no person need be entirely disappointed. Read Anna Catherine Green's story in the illustrated booklet which will be given free with next Sunday's "Press," and you will learn how to secure one of the cash prizes. The demand is certain to be great; therefore, you had better order next Sunday's "Press" in advance.

There is a Class of People

Who are injured by the use of coffee. Recently there has been placed in the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O, made of pure grains that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over one-fourth as much. Children may drink it with great benefit. 1c. and 2c. per package. Try it. Ask for GRAIN-O.

HUMMEL'S WHARF.

Jacob Hendricks and wife of near Northumberland visited Peter Bailey's on Friday..... Harvey Moyer is the proud father of a little girl..... Charles Sussaman and Misses Minnie and Katie Trutt spent Sunday with friends at Pawling Station..... Mrs. Seesholtz spent a few days with her son, Wm., in Sunbury..... Brian Teats and parents attended the funeral of Allen Brown, at Freeburg last Thursday..... The school in this place was closed on Friday owing to the teacher, Mr. Jarrett, attending the funeral of his grandmother, Mrs. Harry Jarrett..... A party of young folks from Northumberland passed through this place on Wednesday evening. They spent an enjoyable evening at Samuel Trutt's.

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 Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

SHAMOKIN DAM.

Sherman Bordner, who had been working at Philadelphia, was called home Friday on account of the illness of his mother..... A. W. Brown made a business trip to Danville on Wednesday..... Martin Slear and John V. Leshar attended the horse sale at Freeburg Friday..... Prof. Costly made the first trip down the river with a raft this spring, but owing to Prof's running he only went as a hand..... Mrs. H. H. Hafley, daughter May and son Adam were visitors at Conrad Dutry's over Sunday..... Geo. Leffler and wife were in Selingsgrove on business Friday..... D. H. Gaugler intends to farm for R. C. Fiss this summer.

WASHINGTON.

Four-day Personally-Conducted Tour via Pennsylvania Railroad.

The almost unparalleled success of the tour last year has induced the Pennsylvania Railroad Company to offer the residents of Williamsport, Wikebarre, Sunbury, Harrisburg, and neighboring cities in central Pennsylvania another offer to avail themselves of the advantages of a personally-conducted tour to Washington, and has therefore arranged for a four-day to the National Capital on Monday, April 2.

Train will leave Renovo at 8:40 A. M., Williamsport 9:30 A. M., Scranton 7:48 A. M., Wilkesbarre 6:45 A. M., Sunbury 10:50 A. M., Mt. Carmel 7:40 A. M., Altoona 7:15 A. M., Lancaster 11:48 A. M., Harrisburg 12:35 P. M., stopping at the principal intermediate stations and at York. Returning special train will leave Washington at 3:30 P. M., Thursday, April 5. Passengers from points west of Williamsport, and from Dewitt, Selingsgrove, Lykens, Dillsburg, Lebanon, Lancaster, Columbia, Wrightsville, and points on the Shamokin Division will use regular trains from Washington returning. All tickets will be good to return also on regular trains until Saturday, April 7, inclusive.

Round-trip rate, covering transportation, hotel accommodation, from supper on date of tour until after luncheon, April 5, \$12.00 from Williamsport, \$12.50 from Wilkesbarre, \$11.75 from Sunbury, \$4.00 from Altoona, \$4.00 from Lancaster, \$3.00 from Harrisburg, and proportionate rates from other stations, including stations on the Cumberland Valley Railroad north of Chambersburg. Guides to Washington will be distributed free on the train.

For itineraries, rates, tickets, and full information apply to ticket agents E. S. Harz, Division Ticket Agent, Williamsport, Pa.; Tourist Agent, Wilkesbarre, Pa.; or address Geo. W. Boyd, Assistant General Passenger Agent, Broad Street Station, Philadelphia. 2-15-01.

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Eggs.....	14	Rye.....	50
Onions.....	—	Corn.....	35
Lard.....	6	Oats (old)....	00
Tallow.....	4	Oats (new)....	25
Chickens.....	6	Potatoes.....	35
Turkeys.....	—	Bran per 100.	80
Shoulder.....	—	Middlings #1	90
Ham.....	—	Chop.....	90

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary upon the estate of Valentine Walter late of Centre township, Snyder County, Penna., deceased, have been issued in due form of law to the undersigned, to whom all indebted to said estate should make immediate payment and those having claims against it should present them duly authenticated for settlement.
C. M. SHOWERS, Executor.
 Centreville, Pa.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary upon the estate of E. C. Williams, late of Chapman Township, Snyder County, Penna., deceased, have been issued in due form of law to the undersigned, to whom all indebted to said estate should make immediate payment and those having claims against it should present them duly authenticated for settlement.
SAMUEL SILGER, Executor.
 Jacob Gilbert, Atty.
 Globe Mills, Pa.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary upon the estate of Sarah Martin, late of Franklin township, Snyder County, Pa., deceased, have been issued in due form of law to the undersigned, to whom all indebted to said estate should make immediate payment and those having claims against it should present them duly authenticated for settlement.
SAMUEL SILGER, Executor.
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