### **COURT HOUSE OHIPS**

### Deeds Entered for Record

A. H. Bowersox and wife to Chas F. Felker, lot No. 11, in John Hassinger's addition, Beavertown, for \$65.00.

S. Luther Yoder to Emma Bilger and William Seebold, guardian of Ellis David Breon, Tract No. 1, containing 125 acres and Tract No. 2, containing 150 acres, for one dollar and other consideration.

C. C. and Mary Hummel to Mrs. Jane Hartley, lot No. 82 in Centreville, for \$140.

Amon Kuhus and wife to Daniel Kuhns, 9 acres and 10 perches in Centre twp. for \$200.

Emiline A. and John W. Krouse to Mollie E. Boyer, 52 acres in Centre twp., for \$450.

Mollie E. and F. J. Boyer to Ada Sanders, same as above, for \$500.

Alvilda Romig, Phares Romig and Ellen Brechtbill to A. M. Smith, 44 acres and 108 perches in man. Spring twp., for \$450.

Jonathan Newman and wife to Thomas A. Watts, lot in Shamokin Treverton. Dam, containing 60491 square feet for \$1000.

### Letters Granted.

Letters of administration in the estate of Tobias Reamer, late of Chapman township, were granted March 22, 1900 to Augustus H. Stroub and Levi Reamer.

### Wills Probated.

Geo. C. Moyer, late of Washington G. S. Gelnett to see his wife. township, was probated Monday of this week. Calvin F. Moyer, James guests of Amos Knouse of Knousetown P. Moyer and Wm. Moyer are named as executors. The widow and children are the heirs. Marriage Licenses.

(P. E. Bingaman, Pennscreek, Hattie E. Moyer, Middleswarth. H. A. Wagner, Mt. Pleasant M.,

Sallie E. Markel, Reuben W. Aucker, Verdilla,

Maben D. Wise, Port Treyerton.

### Elizabeth Roush Dead.

fiddlecreek Township last Thurslay morning at 6 o'clock after a very hort illness of dropsy of the heart,

iged 63 years, 2 months, 17 days. Mrs. Roush was first married to William Bolig, who died some week. thirty years ago, and was married to George Roush 25 years ago. She do not want family quarrels or neigh-bor's differences. What we want is had by her first marriage two chil- NEWS.

## DUNDORE.

Our public sales are a success. Mark the perfect man and let the ov run.

Ed. Wolf and the "Post" are good instructors.

The first impressions of life are the last to fade from memory.

Our supervisor, J. U. Wise, is im-proving our public roads. J. B. Stauffer is selling shoats at 5c

per lb. live weight. Our weather prophet says there is more snow on the way.

Sadie Rambo, who was doing needle

work at Sunbury, has returned. Dr Krebs had the misfortune of having been kicked by his driving horse.

Our bachelor "Justice of the Peace" says he is looking for a bright future.

Geo, Wentzel, one of our successful farmers, is selling considerable live

Seven months of school and a good teacher this winter has much improved the little brownics of this town.

Why does our merchant, N. T. Dundore, pay 14e for eggs, 20e for butter and sell cloverseed at \$4.50 and spring rye at 75c?

The Penna. Canal Co. has quite a number of men at work. Boating will be good. So says J. W. Neitz, the fore-

Rev. Basom occupied Rev. Billhardt's pulpit Sunday evening in the Olive United Evangelical church at Port

Sadie C. Eyer and her best friend of Selinsgrove surprised her aunt, Mrs. Dundore, by cracking shellbarks, the the other evening.

ALINE.

Miss Alvada Gelnett is employed at Louis Arnold's. F. S. Stroup's sale at Strouptown]was

well attended. Amos Knouse is wearing a smile be

The last will and testament of cause it's a baby boy. Francis Swineford was the guest of

Christ Knouse and wife were the

Sunday last. The spelling bee at Pleasant View school house last Thursday evening was well attended.

Communion services were well at-tended last Sunday. Fifty partook of the Lord's supper.

The church re-opening was interest-ing. The collection amounted to about \$300.00 to pay an old debt on the church. April 1st Rev. Troutman will preach at the St. John's church. He will also organize a Sunday school at that place. The Shetterly boys sold a tract of timber land to H. A. Ebright instead of their land as appeared in last week's

paper. Henry Boyer of Aline had bad luck Communicated. Elizabeth Roush, third wite of George Roush, died at her home in Juniata and Snyder counties.

### Rules for Oorrespondents,

1. Write only on one side of the paper. 2. Mail your news so as to reach us no later than Tuesday morning of each

3. Send us all legitimate news. We

dren, a son, Charles, who resides in Middlecreek township, and Jane in-persons. Their baptismal names is what the readers of the Part want what the readers of the Post want. 5. Do not make allusion to events and things that you cannot or do not 6. Do not say John Jones FROM Lew-7. In the case of deaths, get the date Write up a of birth, death and age. nice sketch giving parentage and ancestry as far back as possible. Name brothers, sisters, children, both living and dead. Give facts and name the good deeds of the dead rather to waste pect. The best memorial that you can write is an interesting sketch relating form of obituary notices in the Post

THE WAR IN AFRICA.

British Column to Drive Boers Out of Griquatown.

THE SMALL FORCES OF BOERS.

It Is Said They Could Not Put More Than Thirty Thousand Men on the Firing Line-President Stevn Fled Against His Own Judgment.

London, March 27 .- Military observers here, and even those in close affiliation with the war office, are considerably confused as to what is being done for the succor of Mafeking. Some 5,000 or 6,000 men are engaged with Lord Methuen at Warrenton and Fourteen Streams, and now another column is about to leave Kimberley, if it has not already started, for Griquatown, 18 miles westward. Its ostensible purpose is to drive out the Boers. The force is described as "a strong one," and the expedition as "likely to attract much attention."

General French is reported from Bloemfontein Sunday as returning from Thaba Nchu, without apparently having headed off Commandant Olivier, with his 15 guns and miles of baggage.

The Times prints a statement from Cape Town to the effect that the Boers, after deducting heavy losses, are probably unable now to put more than 30,-

000 men on the firing line. Boer horsemen are in contact with the British outposts from Biggarsberg to Warrenton.

General Buller's patrols had a sharp skirmish Sunday at Waschbanh. Lord Roberts' infantry have now

been quiet for 14 days, and news of an lotine. advance is hourly expected at the war The Bloemfontein correspondent of The Morning Post, telegraphing Sat-urday, says: "I learn that Mr. Steyn fled against his own judgment, and on

the persuasion of Mr. Fischer that duty to his country required that he should remain uncaptured as long as resistance was possible." A Pretoria dispatch says: General

Joubert has returned from Kroonstad. He is full of hope, and may return to Natal shortly. Messrs. Wolmarans, Fischer and

Wessels, the peace envoys from the federal forces, are due at Naples in a few days. After visiting two or three European capitals they will go to New York by way of Antwerp. It is un-derstood at The Hague that they are invested with large powers, and are prepared to agree to anything looking to intervention.

Last Friday Lieutenant Lygon was killed and Lieutenant Colonel Crabbe, Lieutenant Colonel Codrington and Captain Trotter were wounded by members of the Johannesburg mounted police. The Britons had ridden eight or nine miles beyond their camp on the Modder river without escort except one trooper. They met a party of five Boers, whom they tried to capture. The Boers took refuge on a kopje, where three of their comrades were hidden, and within five minutes every member of the British party was hit. After dressing the wounded the Boers sent them to the British camp in an ambulance.

# CASHIER LOOTED THE BANK.

Charles W. Mussey a Self Confessed Defaulter For \$145,000.

**A WEEK'S NEWS CONDENSED** Wednesday, March 21. A decision of the United States su-

preme court sustains the anti-trust law of Texas.

Nearly 5,000 people are being employed on public works in India's famine stricken districts.

George Finch, a Chicago laborer was shot dead by his 16-year-old wife while assaulting the boy's mother. The British government has notified

the Boers that compensation will be demanded for wanton destruction of British property. Maggie Riley, aged 12, died in a

Philadelphia hospital from burns received by the explosion of coal oil which she used in kindling the fire. Twenty-four peasants were drowned yesterday by the capsizing of a boat in

which they were crossing the Danube river from Kaloosa to Pays, Hungary, during a gale. Thursday, March 22.

A freight elevator in Chicago fell

three stories, seriously injuring 30 printers. The Democrats of Alaska have call-

ed a convention for May 25 to name delegates to the national convention. A locomotive jumped the track at Altoona, Pa., killing Engineer Kauff-

man and seriously injuring Fireman Shuman. The house committee on foreign affairs will investigate ex-Consul Ma-

crum's charges that the British censor at Durban opened his official mail. J. E. Allen, a Chicagoan, has purchased 1,000,000 admission tickets to the Paris exposition, paying half the regular price. He expects to clear

\$100,000. Friday, March 23.

A bill in the French chamber will

abolish public executions by the guil-On Wooster's plantation, Houston county, Tex., four children of John Borden were burned to death in their

home. The Listowel, Ont., gas works were wrecked by an explosion which occurred at midnight. The night watchman was killed.

The rebellion which recently broke out in the province of Entre Rios, Argentina, has collapsed and the rebels have surrendred their arms

Crown Princess Stephanie of Austria and Count Lonyai were married in Vienna yesterday. By marrying a Hungarian nobleman the princess renounces her rights as an archduchess.

Saturday, March 24. The New Jersey legislature adjourn-

ed sine die shortly after midnight. not deviate much from that of the cor-Exploding boller in a sawmill near responding quarter of the previous year. In the first mentioned period 1. Muncie, Ind., killed three men and wounded four others, one fatally.

male arrivals numbered 45,843, or 61. Incendiarism continues in Barbaper cent, while in the same three dos. There were nine plantation fires months of 1898, 29,045, or 56 per cent, during the week ended March 17. came. There were 29,049 females, or Near Media, Kan., Frank Garmont, a 38.4 per cent, reported for the three months ended on Dec. 31, 1899, and

wealthy farmer, killed his wife with a neck yoke because she refused to live with him.

Reuben Griggs (colored), 16 years old, hanged at Cumberland, Va., for as-saulting a 7-year-old girl, had to be carried to the scaffold. Exploding collodium in a photo-

per cent of them being males and 27.3 graphic supply house in Philadelphia per cent females. The Hebrew race vrecked the building, killed Herman showed the smallest proportionate dis-Wise and Charles Warren and injured similarity-56 per cent males and 44 four others.

Ex-Alderman William Lyman, of Scandinavian immigration the females continue to predominate, the propor-tions being: Irish females, 62.8 per Chicago, was shot last night during a political quarrel by ex-State Senator John F. O'Malley, who was arrested. Lyman is said to be seriously wounded. cent; Scandinavian females, 55.6 per cent.

number of immigrants arriv at the New York port during the quarter was 74,892. Of this number fourfifths were destined to the states conposing the North Atlantic division, of which group the state of New York received the largest number. Of the total number of arrivals 32,049 declared their intention to locate in New York state, 14,356 in Pennsylvania, 4,596 in New Jersey, 4,479 in Massrchusetts and 2,361 in Connecticut. Of those favoring the north central division for their destination 4,008 went to Illinois, 2,355 to Ohio and 1,869 to Michigan. To the South Atlantic division only 1,003 were bound, while the number destined to the south central division was but 629, and 2,386 went to the western division.

# MMIGRATION INCREASE, KEYSTONE HAPPENINGS.

Parts of the State.

Trolley Car Wreek Near Bradford

**Results** in One Death and Injuries

to Eight Others-Highest Wages in

Bradford, Pa., March 27 .- One of the

large passenger cars of the Olean, Rock City and Bradford Electric rail-

way ran away down the mountain side

beyond Red Rock, about six miles east

of this place, and the derailment and

wreck of the car that followed resulted

in the loss of one life and the injury

of eight others. The dead man is J

C. Marsh, of Bradford, an oil well

worker, aged 23 years, and leaves a

wife and child. Seriously injured: W.

D. Harris, Bradford, head crushed, legs

broken, injured internally, will prob-

ably die; Edward Norton, Sterling

Run, Pa., left leg broken and general

contusions. Six others were severely

At the point where the accident oc-

curred the road winds around a steep

hillside, where the grade is very meep.

It is said that the electrical appointus

had been partially disabled through

having been burned out. On coming

down the hill the car could not be

controlled and ran away with first in-

creasing momentum. After a half nille

had been passed the car jumped the

track and was sent crashing into the

dltch with a force that sent it 160 feet.

The car was jammed against a stump and smashed. Marsh was instantly

killed by a large wooden sliver, which

Highest Wages in Thirty Years.

Philadelphia, March 26.-In accord-

ance with their notice posted shortly

the Berwind-White Mining company

general advance of 20 per cent. The

miners are now placed upon a basis of

60 cents per gross ton, and all day labor

increased accordingly. This advance

will make the wages paid the highest

paid during the past 30 years and in

some instances the highest that have

ever existed by nearly 7 per cent. The

Berwind-White company have made

their advances voluntarily. The com-

Swindler Chose Women Victims.

Lancaster, Pa., March 24.-A swin-

He represented that he was canvassing

for the Ladies' Home Journal and

winte' to get a certain number of

subscribers. He said that the list had

run down in this city, and the pub-

lishers were anxious to build it up.

In order to do this they had made a

very liberal offer, which was a set of dishes containing 112 pieces to every

one who would pay \$1 in advance and

become a subscriber. The dishes failed

to arrive and the canvasser has dis-

appeared. The publishers offer a re-

An Advantageous Wage Settlement.

Pittsburg, March 24.-The detailed

wage scale for the coal miners of the

Pittsburg district was finally agreed to

and signed yesterday, to become ef-

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yesterday notified all its miners of

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Thirty Years.

injured.

Interesting Statistics From New News Items of Interest From All York's Labor Bureau.

RAN AWAY DOWN THE MOUNTAIN THE SOUTHERN ITALIANS LEAD

In the Number of Arrivals, Followed by Hebrews, Slovaks and Poles. Small Percentage of Irish Immigrants-Demand For House Servants

Albany, March 26 .- The annual report of John McMackin, state superintendent of labor statistics, says:

"The building outlook in New York city is very good, plans having been filed last December for 2,038 buildings, to cost \$28,753,000. Immigration returns for the guarter ended Dec. 31. 1899, show an increase of 17,914 arrivals at New York over the preceding quarter, and 23,012 more than in the last three months of 1898. In the latter quarter the arrivals numbered 51,-380; in the same three months of 1899, 74,892, and for the quarter ended September, 1899, 56,978.

Comparing the returns for the clos ing quarter of 1899 with those of the corresponding period of 1898 it is seen that the largest proportional gain of those races recording at least 2,000 arrivals, was made by the Slovaks, the increase being 3,418, or 121.7 per cent. The Polish race was second, with an increase of 94.2 per cent, or 3,105 in number; the Croatians and Slavonians show a gain of 1,845, or 35.4 per cent The increases among other races were Hebrew, 3,303, or 63.2 per cent; Scan-dinavian, 1,236, or 40.8 per cent Northern Italian, 1,046, or 33.6 pe cent; Southern Italian, 3,038, or 20.1 per cent; Magyar, 2,017, or 20.1 pc cent; German, 558, or 10 per cent; Irish, 60, or 1.6 per cent.

In point of numbers the Southern Italians still retain the lead in immigration, the arrivals of that race be ing nearly one-fourth of the total. after Jan. 1, promising an advance to their employes to take effect April, 1, There were 15,149, or 24.2 per cent, of that class who landed during the quarter which ended last December. Next in the numerical order come the Hebrews with 10,076, or 13.5 per cent; then follow the Poles with 6,401, or 8.3 per cent; Slovaks, 6,226, or 8,3 per cent; Germans, 6,118, or 8.2 per cent; Scandinavians, 4,436, or 5.3; Northern Italians, 4,140, or 5.5 per cent Irish, 3,745, or 5 per cent.

The proportion of male and femal-

immigrants who arrived at New York

in the last three months of 1899 did

during the like period of 1898 22,835, or 44 per cent. Of the principal races

noted in the arrivals during the clos-ing three months of 1899 the greatest

disparity in the proportion of sexes

was among the Northern Italians, 72.2

per cent females. In the Irish and

termarried with a Mr. Sweigart. By the second marriage she had two sons, Howard who resides near care to explain. No one cares to read Strode's Mills, Mifflin Co., and anything they cannot understand. Philip, who resided with his family istown, but say John Jones of Lewisin the same house with her. She town. There are a great many corresleaves to survive her, her husband, pondents who violate this rule. Do not George Roush, and all the children day." Omit the word "on," it is useabove named and ten grandchildren, also one sister, Mrs. Good. She became a member of the Evangelical Lutheran church under the catechetical instructions of Rev. G. C. Erlenmyer. Her maiden name was Dean. Sunday a very large con- time and space with resolutions of rescourse of people followed her remains to their last resting place, the the good deeds. The family can usualcemetery at Meiser where interment was had. The church was packed and a great many people could not gain admittance. Rev. Schnable

preached the funeral sermon, and J. Howard Arbogast conducted the tents of the "M" box. burial. It was remarked by many actual duties, but is quick in acting as an usher in the church and other-

wise assisting the people. A FRIEND.

### MARRIED.

Mar. 22, by Geo. M. Shindel, HOMINY . . . lerk O. C., Palmer E. Bingaman Pennscreek to Hattie E. Moyer of Middleswarth.

Feb. 25, by G. A. Botdort, J. P., Wm. E. Martin and Maud E. Hendricks, both of Washington twp. Mar. 22.at Christ Reformed Paronage, Altoona, Pa., Rev. J. F. Moyer united in marriage Joseph E. FISH Fisher of Shamokin, Pa., and Miss Priscilla Bickel of McKees 1 Falls, a. After the ceremony the young couple went on a wedding trip to ints in Western Penna.

Mar. 11, by J. J. Steely, J. P. m. H. Pheasant and Maggie E. eininger, both of McClure.

To Cure Ladirippe in Two Days Lazarive Baono Quinine Takiers. Rise reund the money if it fails to Gaova's signature on every box. So, 1

and follow that as nearly as possible. 8. Do not use "Mr" or "Mr. and Mrs." Say "John Jones and wife." The use of "Mr" and of "Mr. and Mrs." is not

9. Observe the changes that are people that Howard was the most made in your correspondence when it obliging conductor they had ever seen. He not only attends to his constant reference. Editor Post.



If you want a good delicious dish for breakfast, dinner or supper you cannot find anything better than hominy. We have some of the finest on the market. 3c. a lb.; four lbs. for 10 cents.

. . . .

A fine brand of selected Family White Fish. You want something of a change for breakfast and you will find this a desirable change. 6c. per lb. or 55c. for a tenpound pail. The pail itself is worth almost half what we ask for the fish.

A. H. MOYER. Doodletown, Pa.

Rutland, Vt., March 27.-With its doors closed fast and its cashier. Charles W. Mussey, in jail, a defaulter for \$145,000, the Merchants' National bank, of this city, formerly one of the strongest institutions in the state stands on the verge of ruin unless its stockholders come to its assistance and help the remaining assets to pay off the \$351,000 due its depositors. Mussey confessed his guilt to the entire board of directors. It is under stood that the United States circuit court has placed his bail at \$100,000 Coincident with Mussey's confersion came the closing of the musical store of N. N. McClure, Jr., the business of which, according to the confession. has been supported wholly or in part by the funds of the bank. Mussey' peculations began six years ago, and were so well covered up that the national bank examiner was deceived by the cashier only a few months ago.

Incendiary Filipino Drama Stopped Manila, March 27 .- During the production of an incendiary play entitled "For Love of Country," presented in the Tagalo language at the Tagalo theater, the natives, under the influence of repeated references to independence, became disorderly. Finally, quite carried away by the sight of the rebel flag on the stage, they cried "Vive Filipinos" and "Vive Aguinaldo." The police restored order and arrested the manager of the theater and the author of the play. The latter is the pro-prietor of a Tagalo newspaper, which was recently warned to moderate its radical utterances. The American authorities had forbidden the production of the play.

Helen Gould's Army Chaplains. Washington, March 27.-The Star says: A visitor at the White House. referring to the lack of chaplains with the volunteer regiments in the Philippines and elsewhere, says that Miss Helen Gould is maintaining nine or ten chaplains in the army at her own expense. These men are not officially recognized as chaplains, but as min-isters and Y. M. C. A. workers they voluntarily and unofficially do practically the same work. Miss Gould, it is stated, pays each of these men \$30 a month and their expenses. The latter amount to more than the salaries in the Philippines.

Harmony Committee Discharged. Washington, March 27 .- The Republican members of the senate spent two and a half hours in caucus yesterday in an effort to reach an agreement upon the Puerto Rican legislation now pend-ing in the senate. The caucus was apparently, however, without material result the only accomplishment being a decision to proceed with the general bill as it now stands, without separat-ing the tariff feature, and to discharge the harmony committee from further efforts.

Monday, March 26.

Amos Rusie has signed a contract to pitch for the New York baseball club this year.

Richard Croker, the Tammany leader, will return to New York from England early next month.

J. B. Schweitzer, a young artist at Reno, Nev., has fallen heir to \$500,000, left by an uncle in India.

Ill health caused Dr. William Yaudle, state quarantine officer, to blow out his brains at El Paso, Tex. Dr. William A. Bisnau, who went

with Miss Harriet A. Clogg, the alleged Baltimore swindler, to Europe, was discharged from custody at New York.

Cashier Frederick J. Filbert, of Patton's bank, Palatine, Ills., who was attacked with a hammer by Dr. W. L. Lewis, a morphine fiend on Sept. 20, is dead of his wounds.

#### Tuesday. March 27.

Brazil is making elaborate preparations to celebrate, on May 3 to 6, the discovery of Brazil in 1500.

Assaulted by unionists, Henry Hessel, a non-union Chicago bookbinder. shot John Jenson in the arm.

Great Britain will give 276 army commissions to the colonies and 50 to Lord Roberts for distribution to the forces in the field. Walter Deucher, secretary to

the Swiss legation in Washington, has been transferred to the post of secretary of the legation at Rome.

Three stone masons lost their lives while at work on the new jail in Straubing, Bavaria. Seventeen were severely injured.

Secretary Long has returned to Washington from Boston, where he delivered an address last week. Charles Scott, after furiously as

saulting his wife and her mother with a chisel at Owosso, Mich., shot himself dead. Mrs. Scott may die.

#### GENERAL MARKETS.

Philadelphia, March 26 .- Flour slow; winter superfine, \$2,35@2.50; Pennsylvania roller, clear, \$3,20@3.30; city mills, extra, \$2.5062.75. Rye flour steady and quiet at \$3.15623.40 per barrel. Wheat firm; No. 2 red, spot, in elevator, 724/@734c. Corn firm; No. 2 mixed, spot, in elevator, 414/@ Ches; No. 2 yellow, for local trade, 43%c. Oats quiet and steady; No. 2 white, clipped, 31%c.; lower grades, 28@30c. Hay quiet; choice timothy, \$16.50@17 for large bales. Beef steady; beef hams, \$21@21.50. Pork firmer; mess, \$12@12.50; family, \$14 @14.50. Lard firm; western steamed, \$6.55 @6.60. Butter steady; western creamery, 21@25c.; do. factory, 18@20c.; imitation creamery, 18%@224c.; New York dairy, 19

16c. for chickens and 12c. for ducks. Dressed poultry (fresh killed), choice western fowls, %/c.; old roosters, 76%c.; nearby chickens, 12614c.; nearby turkeys, fancy, 13c.; western turkeys, choice young beps, 12612/cc.; geese, 76%c.

Superintendent McMackin says that the past year has been the most successful year the free employment bu-reau in New York city has had since its establishment. The demand for girls as general houseworkers is far in excess of the supply

Bryan Will Not Leave Nebraska Lincoln, Neb., March 27 .- The pub lication of a report to the effect that William Jennings Bryan contemplates leaving Nebraska and taking up his residence in Texas has caused considerable comment here. Charles W Bryan, brother of the presidential candidate, denies the report. He said: 'It is true that my brother's children and his wife are now in Texas, but they will return to Nebraska the latter part of April. Mr. Bryan has no intention of leaving Nebraska."

Proposed College For Diplomats.

Washington, March 27.-Representative Aldrich, of Alabama, yesterday introduced a bill for the establishment of a "diplomatic, consular and civil service college of the United States," at or near Washington. The purpose of the college is to educate young men and women not over 21 years of age for the civil service and men not over 25 for the diplomatic and consular service. Appointments to the college are to be made like appointments to West Point and Annapolis.

Indictments in Scranton's Scandal. Scranton, Pa., March 27.-It was given out from the grand jury room yesterday that seven councilmen are to be indicted for corruptly soliciting bribes for their votes in the recent telephone fight. Six other indictments are to be returned against constables and aldermen for levying tribute on slot machines

#### A Lynching in Maryland.

Belair, Md., March 27.-Lewis Harris, colored, who was arrested here Sunday night for committing a felonious assault on Miss Anne McIlvaine, a recluse, was lynched last night. Sheriff Kinart and his deputy fought to protect their prisoner and fired into the nob, wounding two of them. They rere overpowered.

being a horizontal advance of 21.21 per cent over the present rates, with special concessions to the miners in reductions in the thick vein and machine differentials. The settlement affects, directly and indirectly, 20,000 men, and is the most advantageous settlement ever secured by the United Mine Workers in this district.

Democratic Bolt at Pittston.

Pittston, Pa., March 27 .- A faction of the Democratic party of the Fifth legislative district held a convetion heryesterday and nominated Hon. Michael J. Tigue for the legislature. Another faction will meet in convention next Saturday and nominate another candidate. The district is largely Demo-cratic. The faction opposed to Tigue say yesterday's convention was a rump affair. Tigue served on many important committees in the last legislature.

Pet Pug Killed the Baby.

York, Pa., March 26 .- The 3-yearold daughter of Emanuel Smeltzer, of Freysville, York county, died a victim of a dog's bite. The child was hitten a week ago in the cheek by a pet pug. Blood poisoning was the cause of her death.

PENNSYLVANIA NEWS BREVITIES.

The Bethlehem Steel company is enlarging its ordnance works.

Amos Elder, an oll well driller, shot and killed his wife at Oil City and made escape.

An attempt was made by an unknown party to burn the bridge over the Sus quehanna at Lock Haven.

In the Blair county court Attorney Willfam H. Cover, of Altoona, was acquitted of assaulting a school girl

A bill against Dr. Harriett P. Hooper, of Lebanon, who was charged with criminal practice, has been ignored by the grand jury.

The 5-weeks-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Deitzler, of Sweet Home, Lebanon ounty, was accidentally smothered under bed clothing.

Shamokin borough council, by a vote of 12 to 8, ratified its recent election of officers by secret ballot, the legality of which was disputed.

The employes of the Bellefonte Fur nace company have inaugurated a benefit fund system similar to that of the Penneylvania railroad men.

A collision of freight trains on the Baltimore and Ohio railroad at Lemont, Fay-ette county, killed Engineer J. M. Stillwagon and destroyed an engine and 12 cars.

The Lehigh Valley Coal company's Packer No. 2 colliery, near Shenandoah, resumed operations Monday after idleness of a month, caused by flooding of the mine.

The Republican members of Reading's new common council, who will be in a majority in that body, have slated Rufus W. Wolfskill for president and Lincoln S. Ramsey for clerk.

Owing to his appointment as one of the commissioners to the Paris exposition, W. Fred Reynolds, of Bellefonts, has re-signed his commission as adjutant of the Fifth Pennsylvania regiment.

624c.; do. creamery, 21625c.; fancy Penn-sylvania prints jobbing at 28531c.; do. wholesale, 27c. Live poultry quoted at 104611c. for choice western fowls, 146 16c. for chickens and 12c. for ducks.