

A WEEK'S NEWS CONDENSED.

Wednesday, March 11.

An American company purchased the Slangell copper fields in Norway. The consideration was \$1,000,000.

The findings of the court which acquitted Lieutenant Chester Wells of all responsibility for the loss of the naval tug Leyden have been approved by the navy department.

The 12th annual convention of the bituminous district No. 2, United Mine Workers of America, opened at Altoona, Pa., yesterday, with over 200 delegates present.

The annual convention of the Woodmen of the World for the district comprising Ohio, Pennsylvania, New York and New Jersey was held yesterday and today at Corry, Pa.

Thursday, March 12.

Cornell students who left Ithaca, N. Y., on account of the typhoid epidemic, are returning in large numbers.

Mrs. Mary Pollard Espy, aged 101 years, died at Harrisburg, Pa., yesterday. She was a native of Virginia.

After several conferences among high officials, Austria has decided not to participate in the St. Louis Exposition.

J. H. Brown, a private detective, was shot and killed near Wynne, Ark., yesterday by a negro he attempted to arrest.

The general committee of the G. A. R. has invited President Roosevelt to attend the annual convention in San Francisco next August.

Friday, March 13.

Professor Charles W. Shields, of the chair of harmony of science and revealed religion of Princeton University, has resigned.

Richard P. Stoll, one of the wealthiest whiskey manufacturers in the south, dropped dead at his home at Lexington, Ky., from apoplexy.

John D. Rockefeller will give Arcadia College, Halifax, N. S., one dollar for each dollar raised by the college up to \$100,000 before January 1, 1908.

Work was commenced yesterday near Shamokin, Pa., to sink a 1,000-foot shaft for the Reading Coal and Iron Company, which when completed will employ 500 men and boys.

Saturday, March 14.

The launching of the battleship Colorado building at Cramp's ship yards, Philadelphia, has been postponed until April 25.

William Connell, aged 10 years, of Wilmington, Del., accidentally shot and killed himself yesterday while playing with a loaded revolver.

Yesterday near Odenton, Md., Clarence Carrick went to the house of William Conway, called him to the door and shot him to death. The motive for the act is not known.

The Ocean Steamship company signed contracts yesterday with the Delaware River company, of Chester, Pa., for two 4000-ton steamships to cost \$1,000,000.

Sunday, March 15.

President Roosevelt nominated Ernest Lyon, of Baltimore, Md., to be consul at Monrovia, Liberia.

Italy has decided to officially participate in the St. Louis Exposition and will appropriate \$100,000 for the purpose.

Two men were killed and several injured in a freight wreck Saturday evening on the Chesapeake and Ohio railroad at Lynchburg, Va.

The box factory gut in the yard of Thomas B. Rice & Sons, at Philadelphia, were destroyed by an incendiary fire yesterday. Loss, \$75,000.

Nearly 2,000 men in 13 cities of Indiana were thrown out of work by the closing of factories of the American Window Glass Company.

Tuesday, March 17.

Secretary of War Root, who has been absent from Washington for over a week, resumed his duties yesterday.

Mayer Carter H. Harrison, of Chicago, was renominated for a fourth term by the Democratic city convention yesterday.

Governor Pennypacker, of Pennsylvania, yesterday appointed William E. Hays recorder of Pittsburg, vice J. O. Brown, deceased.

The safe in the postoffice at Lincoln, N. C., was blown open early yesterday morning by robbers, who secured \$700 in money and stamps.

L. B. Brewer, of Harrodsburg, Ky., took an overdose of morphine by mistake on a train near New York yesterday, and was removed to a hospital in a serious condition.

GENERAL MARKETS

Philadelphia, Pa., March 15.—Flour was steady; winter superfine, \$2.75; 24-lb. Pennsylvania roller, clear, \$3.10; city miller, extra, \$2.55; 24-lb. Rye flour was quiet, at \$3.15; 20-lb. per barrel. Wheat was firm; No. 2 Pennsylvania, red, new, 79¢; 24-lb. Corn was firm; No. 2 yellow, local, 49¢; oats were quiet; No. 2 white, clipped, 45¢; lower grades, 43¢. Hay was steady; No. 1 timothy, \$18 for large bales; beef was steady; beef hams, \$18; pork was firm; family, \$20.50; live poultry, 13¢ for hens, and 10¢ for old roosters. Dressed poultry, at 12¢ for choice fowls, and 10¢ for old roosters. Butter was steady; creamery, 25¢ per pound; Eggs were steady; New York and Pennsylvania, 18¢ per dozen; Potatoes steady; choice, 65¢; 28¢ per bushel.

Live Stock Markets.

East Buffalo, N. Y., March 16.—Cattle were slow; prime steers, \$3.15; 400 lbs. heifers, \$3.20; cows, \$2.75; 400 lbs. bulls, \$2.50; stock calves, \$2.75; 300 lbs. calves, \$3.00; pigs, \$1.50; sheep, \$1.75; mixed, \$1.50; Hogs were higher; heavy, \$5.50; mixed, \$5.00; light, \$4.50; Yorkers, \$2.75; 70 lbs. pigs, \$7.00; 100 lbs. sheep were strong; lambs were higher; top native lambs, \$7.75; 70 lbs. culls to good, \$5.50; 70 lbs. western lambs, \$7.50; 75 lbs. yearlings, \$6.75; ewes, \$5.25; top mixed sheep, \$5.50; 60 lbs. culls to good, \$3.50.

East Liberty, Pa., March 16.—Cattle were steady; choice, \$3.15; 400 lbs. prime, \$3.10; good, \$3.05; 400 lbs. Hogs were lower; prime heavy, \$7.85; medium, \$7.50; 70 lbs. heavy Yorkers, \$7.50; 70 lbs. light Yorkers, \$7.00; 75 lbs. pigs, \$7.00; 75 lbs. roughs, \$5.50; 70 lbs. sheep were higher; best wethers, \$6.25; culls and common, \$2.25; 400 lbs. choice lambs, \$7.50; 75 lbs. veal calves, \$7.50.

ELMER COLLINS ON TRIAL

Delaware Farmer, Charged With Wife Murder, Faces His Fate.

Georgetown, Del., March 17.—Elmer Collins, a young farmer of Bethel, was placed on trial here yesterday for the murder of his wife, Aida, last April. Chief Justice Lore and Associate Judges Grubb and Pennewell were on the bench. It was after 6 o'clock when the work of selecting a jury was completed. Just before adjournment Philip R. Layton, one of the jurors, remarked that if he should be compelled to sit for a longer time than two hours at any of the sessions he would be incapacitated. Counsel for the State and the defendant will select a substitute.

The panel of thirty jurors was exhausted and sixteen talesmen were selected from the spectators. When Chief Justice Lore instructed Sheriff Steele to call the names of the spectators there was a rush for the door, but two bailiffs prevented any person from leaving the room. Sixty-five talesmen were called and 34 were excused on the ground of conscientious scruples. Collins entered a plea of "Not guilty." On the morning of April 12 last Collins left his house accompanied by his two children to go to work in the field. His wife was to follow them later. After about two hours had elapsed and his wife had not joined him, Collins said, he returned to the house and Mrs. Collins was missing. After a search, he said, he found her body in the barn. Her throat had been cut. The police investigation resulted in the arrest of Collins.

PITTSBURG RECORDER DEAD

J. O. Brown Succumbs to Nervous Collapse, Superinduced by Politics.

Pittsburg, Pa., March 16.—Recorder J. O. Brown, of this city, who tendered his resignation to Governor Pennypacker on Friday last, died suddenly at his home here late yesterday afternoon. The immediate cause of Recorder Brown's death was nervous collapse, superinduced, it is believed, by the unusually perturbed condition of politics in the county.

Mr. Brown was always delicate physically and had to make frequent trips away from home for his health, but his death was entirely unexpected at this time. He served continuously as the head of the department of public safety from November, 1887, until August, 1901, when he was removed by Recorder A. M. Brown. In November, 1901, he was appointed recorder by Governor W. A. Stone to succeed A. M. Brown. His resignation was sent to Governor Pennypacker on last Friday, to take effect today. When the fact of his resignation was made known to his political followers the concern was great, and he was made the target of much reproach by those who counted much upon his holding of office until succeeded by the recorder, William B. Hays, on the first Monday in April.

Governor Pennypacker today appointed William B. Hays as recorder.

NEW JERSEY-DELAWARE DISPUTE

Special Commission to Negotiate on Boundry Between the States.

Trenton, N. J., March 17.—Governor Murphy sent to both houses of the legislature last night a special message conveying a report of the special commission appointed to confer with a similar commission from the state of Delaware to negotiate on the disputed boundry between the two states. The message states that the commission agreed upon the fisheries question, but left the question of boundry an open one.

A bill to carry into effect the recommendations of the commission was introduced into the house by Mr. Boyd. It provides for joint fisheries rights and a common jurisdiction on the part of both states over the Delaware river from shore to shore.

Vandalism at Princeton.

Princeton, N. J., March 16.—One of the big bronze lions which guard the entrance of historic Nassau Hall was so badly disfigured Saturday night by a crowd of young alumni and upper classmen that it cannot be satisfactorily repaired. The contingent of students and graduates gathered together on the steps at a late hour to sing their class songs and engage in a little celebration. During the jollification one of the big lions was beheaded and otherwise mutilated, the fragments being gathered up by the university proctor yesterday morning. The lions were presented to the university by the class of 1879, of which President Wilson is a member.

Despondent Actress a Suicide.

Washington, March 17.—May Escher, a variety actress, aged 22 years, committed suicide here last night by swallowing carbolic acid. She was despondent from sickness and lack of employment, and had said that her mother would not let her come home. A letter addressed to her mother, Mrs. A. M. Escher, 627 McKean street, Philadelphia, said in part: "I lay myself down to rest. I have lost the love of you and also of the man I love. I died with a broken heart."

Was Lincoln's Indian Commissioner.

Indianapolis, March 14.—Robert G. Hedrick, commissioner of Indian affairs under President Lincoln and brother-in-law of Caleb E. Smith, Lincoln's secretary of the interior, was buried here yesterday. He died in poverty. He was born in Baltimore in 1821.

Gift of Shamrocks For President.

Washington, March 16.—President Roosevelt received Saturday from John Redmond, Irish member of parliament of Dublin, a box of shamrocks. It has been Mr. Redmond's custom for many years to send shamrocks to the president on the approach of St. Patrick's Day.

Our Easter Millinery Opening will occur April 1, 2 and 3.

L. DUNKLEBERGER.

Snyder County Missionary Union

There will be held, a Missionary Convention, known as the Snyder County Missionary Union, in the Lutheran Church of Middleburg, Pa., beginning Friday afternoon, March 27th, at 3 o'clock and continuing till Sunday evening, March 29th.

The object of this gathering is to give definite information on the subject of Missions, as the question faces us to-day, and if possible to awaken a greater interest on the part of each home church in the extension of God's Kingdom on the earth.

REPRESENTATION. It is the earnest desire of the committee in charge that every congregation of Snyder County, of whatever name be represented by at least two delegates. These delegates may be chosen either from Missionary Society, the Young People's Society, the Sunday School, or the general congregation.

If you have failed to receive a formal invitation, kindly consider this as such and notify the Committee.

The public is welcomed to all sessions of the Convention.

THE SPEAKERS. Among the speakers secured for this gathering are Miss Jessie Brewer of India, Rev. Rhodes of Lewistown, Rev. I. H. Mehan of Lewisburg, Miss F. M. Schuyler of Philadelphia, Bishop Talbot, Rev. Gensler and Dr. Yutz of Selinsgrove, and the Mission Band of Susquehanna University.

All communications should be addressed to L. R. HAUS, Selinsgrove, Pa. Mission Band Susquehanna University.

L. Dunkleberger has returned home and is now showing one of the finest lines of Millinery goods ever brought to town.

ROOSEVELT'S ITINERARY

Arrangement For the President's Western Trip Concluded.

Washington, March 17.—President Roosevelt's itinerary on his Western trip, beginning April 1, has been arranged. The party will reach Bismarck, N. D., April 7. Then will follow a two weeks' stay in Yellowstone Park, leaving which the President will strike into Nebraska, reaching Grand Island on April 27. After brief stops at Hastings, Lincoln and Fremont, the train will proceed to Omaha. Several stops will be made in Iowa in Colonel Hepburn's district.

On April 30 the party will be in St. Louis, where the President will participate in the dedication of the exposition. On May 6 the President will be in California and will visit Red Lands, San Francisco, Los Angeles and the Yosemite, Del Monte, San Jose and San Francisco.

The presidential party will spend the 24th also at Seattle, and on the 25th will leave for a trip through Central and Eastern Washington, stopping at Walla Walla and Spokane, and possibly other points. He will return to Washington June 5.

GLENN TO BE TRIED AGAIN

West Virginia's Queer Character Must Stand Second Trial.

Washington, March 17.—The case of Ellis Glenn, the famous man-woman of West Virginia, received the attention of the Supreme Court of the United States yesterday, and as a result of the decision, handed down by Chief Justice Fuller, Ellis Glenn must stand trial for a second time on the charge of forgery.

The woman for years masqueraded as a man under the name of Ellis Glenn. She was tried for forgery in Wood county, W. Va., at the May term of court, 1901, and the jury disagreed. She claimed at that time that she was the sister of "Ellis Glenn." At the fall term of court, when she came up for re-trial, she claimed that she twice was being placed in jeopardy for the same offense, and sued out a writ of habeas corpus before Judge Jackson. The writ was granted, whereupon Hunter H. Moss, Jr., prosecuting attorney, appealed from Judge Jackson's decision, and the court today sustained the appeal.

Talked Himself Out of a Job.

Washington, March 14.—United States Consul John L. Bittinger, at Montreal, has been invited to resign. He will be succeeded by Major A. W. Edwards, a North Dakota newspaper man. Consul Bittinger while on leave of absence at his home in St. Louis talked very freely of the relations between the United States and Canada. This was ill received in Canada and has led to the present action.

Tragedy Averted.

"Just in the nick of time our little boy was saved" writes Mrs. Watkins of Pleasant City, Ohio. "Pneumonia had played sad havoc with him and a terrible cough set in besides. Doctors treated him, but he grew worse every day. At length we tried Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, and our darling was saved. He's now sound, and well." Everybody ought to know, it's the only cure for Coughs, Colds and all Lung diseases. Guaranteed by Middleburg Drug Co., Graybill & Garman, Richfield, Pa., Dr. J. W. Sumpell Pennscreek, Pa. Price 50c. and \$1.00. Trial bottles free.

WEST BEAVER.

The late primary election passed off quietly here and every person had to be satisfied with the result.

Wm. Roush, landlord at McClure, sold his hotel property last week to Wm. Wray of Dormantown, Millin County. The latter will take charge April 1st.

Mason Knepp made a business trip to Paxtonville and also attended H. Shambach's sale last week.

Henry Peter's daughter, Mrs. Baker, of Dormantown Millin Co. spent a few days with her parents at Bannerville.

David Goss of Burnham came home Saturday to vote. He expects to move from here about the 26th to the former place.

Howard Treaster made a trip to Yeagertown last week with a load of apples and reports the roads to be in a bad condition. Some places he said he could see nothing of his horse but the ears.

Sow cabbage seed on St. P trick's in the morning for Irish cabbage to make sau-kraut.

Ira Peter and James Goss of Crossgrove was in Beaver Springs Saturday to consult with Dr. A. M. Smith for a United States regular soldier.

Mrs. Steely and Mrs. W. Y. McLaughlin spent Sunday with Chas. Maurer and family in Spring Township.

A few of our schools are making preparations for holding exhibitions on the evening of the last day of their term.

Calvin Ullsh and wife of McClure spent part of Sunday on this side of the creek visiting friends.

John H. Romig and family, Frank Baker and family spent Sunday with some of their Lowell friends.

PAXTONVILLE.

W. F. Howell, who is employed as type writer for the P. R. R. Co. at Lewistown spent a few days with his grandmother Howell and his many friends.

Reuben Weirich, Thomas Rathfon and wives attended the funeral of James Swineford at Centreville Tuesday of last week.

Miss Decker and grand daughter are spending some time with their many friends.

Lester E. Derr made a trip to Beaver Springs and vicinity Saturday.

Once more the Death Angel has entered our community and taken the infant child of H. B. Ernest and wife. We sympathize with the parents in this severe bereavement.

The New Pastor assigned to the Middleburg circuit will preach his first sermon here next Sunday evening. Every one is cordially invited.

Miss Dessie Knepp spent some time at Howard Schambach's Sunday.

Reuben and Wm. Wagner and families were here attending the sales of Howard Schambach and Isaiah Bidwersox.

Miss Sallie Moyer of Swineford spent Thursday at John Reigle's.

Sanford Schambach of Lewistown spent Wednesday with his parents.

J. W. Nerhood and Ed. Mitchell of Burnham spent Sunday at home with his parents and relatives.

The Strenuous Life.

Every day the system needs a certain quantity of nutritious matter to supply the deficiencies of the day before. The building up process must begin at the breakfast table. "It" the new cereal, tastes good and furnishes that material. A breakfast of "It" fits the entire body for the strenuous trials of the day. "It" is made of best selected wheat. "It" has a taste to it. One dish makes you want another. You can eat "It" at any meal. At grocers everywhere.

Ira C. Swartz, Thursday ordered and paid for the Post to be sent to his new home at Staunton, Staunton County Neb.

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