

NEWS IN GENERAL.

The State Highway Commissioner has re-appointed Jos. W. Hunter, of Montgomery county as first deputy highway commissioner. Hunter was the commissioner under Governor Pennypacker.

The Supreme Court on Monday decided that West Virginia must pay \$4,125,000 as her share of debts owed by Virginia prior to separation from the mother state during the Civil war and that interest must be paid on the amount which is several times the original sum.

While confident that the foot and mouth disease which has been epidemic among the live stock of the country for the last six months virtually has been wiped out, Department of Agriculture officials declared recently that they would not relax their efforts to prevent a future recurrence of the scourge. Altogether more than 124,000 animals have been killed because of the epidemic at a cost of between five and six million dollars, the expense of which has been shared equally by the federal and state governments.

Thomas Bruce, a mineral and railroad expert of New York bankers and capitalists, has closed a deal for the purchase of railroad and coal mining properties in West Virginia valued at \$20,000,000. The sale involves the Marmet Coal Co., Lens Creek and the entire split coal basin of the state comprising 15 mines now in operation and 52 miles of railroad. The railroads included are the Kanawha and West Virginia, the Mill Creek R. R. and the the West Virginia and Southern.

The United States in its latest note to German made public Thursday formally asks the imperial government for assurances that measures hereafter will be adopted to safeguard "American lives in American ships" on the high seas. The alternative in case of refusal is not stated. It was this note to which Wm. J. Bryan refused to attach his signature, resigning instead his portfolio of secretary of State, thereby precipitating a dramatic crisis. Robert Lansing, secretary of state ad interim, signed the communication which went forth with the approval of President Wilson and his entire cabinet. Friendly terms characterize the document which renews representations made in the American note that reached Germany May 15 after the Lusitania was torpedoed, sinking with loss of more than 100 American lives. The German government it is declared "must have been misinformed" when it assumed that the Lusitania carried guns as official information is at hand to corroborate the original contention of the Washington government—that the Lusitania was an unarmed passenger ship which, since it did not resist capture could not be sunk without transferring passenger and crew to a place of safety.

SUCCESSFUL CONVENTION

The convention of the Somerset closed at Windber, Friday. It was the most successful which has ever been held and the local committees were warmly congratulated on their work of preparation.

Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: President, H. B. Speicher, Garrett; vice president, B. W. Lambing, Somerset; second vice president, W. B. Putman, Somerset; secretary, the Rev. Iran S. Monn, Elklick; treasurer, L. L. Mountain, Confluence; superintendent of departments—elementary, Mrs. C. I. Shaffer, Ralphon; home, A. J. Sembower, Rockwood; teacher training, V. D. Nangle, Hooversville; O. A. B. C., S. Mrs. Azubah Jones, Holsopple; rural schools, W. B. Putman, Somerset; secondary division, L. L. Mountain, Confluence; delegate to state convention at Erie in October, B. W. Lambing, Somerset.

Miss Daisy Shaffer of Scalp Level, a missionary, addressed a meeting in the U. B. church this morning, while District Attorney Virgil R. Saylor spoke in the U. E. church. There were over 400 delegates present.

BROTHERSVALLEY.

Mrs. Jacob Yutz, who had been in a Cumberland hospital for a week has returned home after a second operation at the same place.

On the evening of June 6th. Miss Mary F. Ringler, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Ringler and Horner F., son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Vought, of Garrett, were married at Berlin by Rev. H. H. Wiant. Elder J. J. Shaffer of the Church of the Brethren and Miss Elizabeth Reiman, daughter of Mrs. Samuel both of Brothersvalley township, were united in marriage on Monday evening at the Capitol building at Harrisburg by Rev. C. B. Smith, of Morrell, Kansas. The bride is a sister of Elder Shaffer's first wife.

J. A. Thomas of Confluence who carried the mails there for many years between the B. & O. depot and the post office has been transferred to Somerset where he is now employed as night watchman.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

LATELY ISSUED.

S. E. Comerer and Sadie M. McCabe, both of Windber. Horner F. Vought and Mary F. Ringler, both of Meyersdale. Grant P. Hay Jefferson and Mary A. Barclay, of Milford.

Jos. H. Sheriff and Ruth Allgood, of Windber. Oran Berkley and Martha Steinkirchner, of Acosta.

James Bent and Caroline F. McDowell, Johnstown. Dennis F. Schrock, of Waterloo Cora Etta Peck, of Elk Lick.

I. D. Yoder and Effie Yoder Norfolk, Va. John E. Critchfield, Jenner and Marion V. Geary, Lincoln.

Richard M. McLain and Ethel Morrison, Ohio Pyle. Harry M. Bowman and Nelle M. Zufall, Somerset Borough.

Roy E. Miller and Edna Mae Kinzey, the former of Reitz; the latter of Shada. Wm. P. Speicher and Mae Peck of Somerset Twp.

Jno. R. Barley and Myrtle Emerick of Confluence and Williams, respectively. John Black and Flora Luth of Senor.

Jacob J. Rush and Jennie Harshman of Ursina. Earl L. Meyers, Hooversville and Rose Ella Blank, Wellersburg.

Ralph R. Berkey and Ella Pearl Lehman, Paint township. Jacob C. Snyder and Minnie Halpton, Addison.

Donald Grant Fullman, Pittsburg Emily Ogle Kantner, Somerset. Chas. Tipton and Lizzie Kennel of Fair Hope.

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THEY SAILED WITH CARGO OF DYNAMITE.
The Lyric Glee Club has had scores of odd experiences incident to travel. They have been snow bound many times, once for thirty hours. Flood-bound several times. Within the present year they were floodbound for several days near the Mexican border in Texas. They were fogbound in New York harbor for half a day. Going to Panama it was unusually rough for four days. Most of the passengers and part of the crew were seasick. Mr. Hendry said, "It was not until we were entering Colon harbor and the sailors uncovered the hatches, we learned that a large portion of the ship's cargo was dynamite used for blasting. Had we known when the ship was plunging in the rough sea, that we were riding over many tons of dynamite, I guess we would have probably died of heart failure."

Chas. H. Reid, basso of the Lyrics, is a checker player of national reputation. When the Lyrics were in Boston, Mr. Reid played a draw game with Alfred Jordan, champion of the world. Mr. Reid frequently gives checker exhibitions and plays several games at the same time. He likes Chautauqua work because the quartet gets into the towns early and the checker fans of the towns usually arrange a game to follow the afternoon program.

The Lyric Glee Club will appear in Meyersdale on the afternoon and night of the fifth day.

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J. M. Lint, of Keystone street, South Side, has growing on his place an apple tree which grew from a seedling. Last fall it produced a fair yield for a young tree and the superiority of the fruit led Mr. Lint about a month ago to send one of the last year's apples to a nursery for expert advice concerning the merit of the variety. The reply was that the apple possessed many good qualities and that they wanted another specimen for the state pomologist but that is not possible until next autumn. It is most unusual to obtain a fruit producing tree from a seedling.

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Harvey Knopsnyder, a farmer who resides near Markleton in Black township is having sale and will move to near Spokane, Washington, where his brother has a farm. Another brother, George, has bought full interest in the Black township farm about to be vacated.