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CONDENSED NEWS.

Look out for fruit thieves.  
And this is September. Here, man,  
bring in more ice water.

Prof. and Mrs. Houser have taken  
rooms at the home of Mrs. H. J. Angle,  
Mill street.

Housewives are busy at their annual  
preserving.

Two hundred miles of wire is being  
strung through Schuylkill county by the  
new Schuylkill Telephone Company.

The various coal dealers in town are  
kept very busy at present filling orders  
for the winter's supply.

John Dier, one of Maudsley's popular  
citizens wears a broad smile. A  
bouncing baby boy arrived at his home  
Monday.

This has been a great summer for  
family reunions.

Landlord J. V. Gillaspay is making  
some extensive improvements to the  
front of his property. A depth of six  
feet has been cut from the parlor, afford-  
ing room for a large veranda. A plate  
glass front will also add to the appear-  
ance of the parlor.

The Ladies of the A. M. E. church  
will hold a festival at the church next  
Saturday evening. All are invited.

A colored man by the name of Jerry  
Sewall, of Nanticoke attempted to jump  
on a Sunbury division freight train at  
Nescopeck, Tuesday night, and was  
thrown under the wheels. He was so  
badly injured that he died a short time  
afterward.

At the opening of the Northampton  
County Court Monday, Judge Scott  
declared in favor of severe sentences for  
the suppression of crime.

Miss M. C. Madden will act as substi-  
tute teacher in the First Ward grammar  
school for a few days in Miss Sallie Mus-  
selman's place.

Jewelry Henry Rempel will open his  
new store in the Gross building, Mill  
street, on Oct. 1st.

J. L. Kline has opened a flour and  
feed store at No. 5 Mill street, in the  
Gillaspay building. Baled hay and  
straw on hand. All orders will be de-  
livered.

The selection of the official campaign  
tune has not been announced. "Blue  
and Gray" seems to be in the lead, with  
"I'd Leave My Happy Home," a close  
second.

The first fair of the Central Pennsylv-  
ania circuit will be held at Williams-  
port this week. Next week will come  
Highsville, then Lewisburg, the great  
Milton fair the first week in October and  
the Bloomsburg fair the week following.  
The organization of the Central Pennsylv-  
ania circuit last spring has made the  
five fairs in the district work in co-opera-  
tion, and its good benefits cannot be  
noticeable this fall.

The weather man seems to be trying  
to cheat the oyster out of part of his  
season.

The George Washington Kiesel home-  
stead, an old landmark along the Bloom-  
ing road in Mahoning Twp., will be offered  
at public sale on Friday afternoon, at  
2 o'clock.

The supper given by the ladies of the  
A. M. E. church last Friday evening was  
a great success.

Russell Howard, of Washington, D. C.  
arrived here a few days ago to  
visit relatives. He is one of the auditors  
in the War Department, and at one  
time he had charge of an Indian school  
at Fort Shaw, Montana. He will remain  
here for a few days with his aunt, Mrs.  
H. C. Wolfe.

The management of the Milton fair is  
making an extraordinary effort this year  
to make every department better than  
it ever was before. The fair proper-  
ly exhibits of stock, merchandise,  
machinery, farm and household prod-  
ucts, fancy work, etc., will be greater  
than at any previous exhibition.

The typhoid fever epidemic at Cata-  
wissa has almost died out. There is but  
one case remaining.

"Mother" Jones, who has been in the  
coal regions for some time addressing  
the miners, is about to organize the em-  
ployees of the several shirt factories in  
Hazleton. Whether her efforts will be  
successful or not remains to be seen.  
The girls are well satisfied with their  
work and wages and do not seem inclin-  
ed to join a labor organization and be  
obliged to pay monthly dues.

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DANVILLE, PA., THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 1900.

ESTABLISHED IN 1855.

DR. SWEISFORT'S  
OFFICE ROBBED.

Of A Quantity of Gold Last Week. Dental  
Thieves In This Section.

A daring robbery was committed on  
Mill street, this city, some time between  
4 p. m. Saturday, Sept. 1st, and 9 a. m.  
the following Tuesday, the facts con-  
cerning which were known only to the  
local police authorities and to Dr. Jona-  
than Sweisfort, the one to suffer the  
loss, until learned by an AMERICAN re-  
porter Tuesday evening.

Fearing no molestation, Dr. Sweisfort  
never took the trouble to lock the outer  
door of his dental parlors, which are  
located on the second floor of the Vin-  
cent building, corner of Mill and Mahon-  
ing streets, but always took the pre-  
caution to lock the door to the inner  
office or operating room.

On his return to the office on Tuesday,  
not having opened up on Monday, Labor  
Day, he was surprised to find that the  
inner door had been unlocked and was  
more so when, on investigating, he learned  
that he had been robbed of three  
bottles of gold, the value of which was  
over \$10.

A number of valuable instruments and  
expensive dental material was close at  
hand and as these were left untouched  
Dr. Sweisfort is of the opinion that the  
burglar or burglars were scared off be-  
fore completing their work. They left  
no clue by which to trace them.

Several evenings previous to this rob-  
bery the dental parlors of Dr. J. R.  
Cressinger in Sunbury were entered and  
relieved of valuable material.

STRIKE ORDERED  
IN COAL REGIONS.

Shamokin, Sept. 12.—Great excite-  
ment was caused in this city tonight by  
a telegram which was received by Geo.  
W. Hartline, secretary of the United  
Board of Mine Workers of this district,  
announcing that a strike had been order-  
ed.

The telegram to Mr. Hartline was as  
follows:

Idianapolis, Ind., Sept. 12, 1900.  
George W. Hartline, Secretary  
United Mine Workers,  
Central Penna. District.  
All efforts to effect a peaceful settle-  
ment have failed. Strike-order issued to  
night to take effect Monday.

JOHN MITCHELL, President,  
United Mine Workers Association.  
W. B. WILSON, Secretary.

Another Sad Accident.  
Following close upon the report of the  
terrible death of Martin L. Fisher in this  
city yesterday, came the startling an-  
nouncement that Clifton Fisher, the 12-  
year-old son of Dr. and Mrs. George W.  
Fisher, of Baltimore, Md., and the  
nephew of the late M. L. Fisher, had ac-  
cidentally shot himself in the abdomen,  
while playing with a flobert rifle and was  
not expected to live.

The accident occurred in Baltimore  
some time on Tuesday. A. M. Peters,  
an uncle of the youth, was notified of  
the occurrence by a letter which reached  
this city on the 10-17 mail Wednesday  
morning. Mr. Peters was making prepa-  
rations to leave for Baltimore when he  
received a telegram announcing that a  
successful operation had been performed  
on the unfortunate boy and that he  
was thought to be out of danger. Later  
reports are expected today.

CORONER'S JURY FIND  
WINTERSTEEN GUILTY

After reviewing the evidence in the  
Fisher murder case yesterday, the Jury  
arrived at the following verdict:

MONTOUR COUNTY, S. S.  
We, the jurors, having been sworn  
by Justice J. P. Bare, acting Coroner, to  
inquire into the manner and causes re-  
sulting in the death of Martin L. Fisher,  
do say upon our oath and affirmation  
from the evidence before us, that M. L.  
Fisher came to his death from a pistol  
wound inflicted by one, Boyd Winter-  
steen, about 10:30 a. m. on Wednesday,  
Sept. 12th, on the Bennett farm in Ma-  
honing township.

An Autumn Wedding.  
Invitations have been issued for the  
marriage of Miss Winifred Mayze New-  
baker, daughter of Dr. P. C. Newbaker,  
West Mahoning street, to J. Malcolm  
Laurie, of Bellefonte, for Wednesday,  
September 19th, at high noon, at Saint  
Paul's Methodist Episcopal church. The  
Rev. William Laurie, D. D. L. D., of  
Bellefonte, an uncle of the groom, will  
perform the ceremony.

Have Made The Returns.  
Clerk J. C. Peifer of the County Com-  
missioners' office has been very busy  
for several days past receiving the books  
of the assessors who make the registra-  
tion returns. It is not likely that the  
registration will show much of an in-  
crease.

Kindergarten School.  
The kindergarten school which Miss  
Cora Kase will teach this winter, was  
opened on Monday morning in the old  
Groove office building, East Mahoning  
street. The school room has been well  
furnished and a most successful term is  
anticipated.

New Heating Apparatus.  
A new steam heating apparatus, cost-  
ing \$1000, will be placed in Christ (Me-  
morial) church this fall.

DANVILLE MAY HAVE  
A NIGHT SCHOOL.

The Matter Brought Before School Board  
Monday Night.

The School Board met in regular ses-  
sion Monday night with the following  
members present: Orth, Green, Lunger,  
Keefe, Berger, Black, Fenstermacher,  
Curry, Harpel and President Fischer in  
the chair.

On motion, all coupons of bonds that  
have been paid, were ordered destroyed.  
On motion the finance committee was  
instructed to make a final settlement  
with the tax collector for 1898 taxes.

John Weaver, who resides outside of  
the Borough limits, appeared before the  
Board, asking for a rebate of \$3.00 on the  
tuition which he paid last year for his  
son's attendance at school. Mr. Weav-  
er claimed that inasmuch as his son was  
ill and could not attend school for sixty  
eight days, the Board should allow the  
rebate. The Board decided not to re-  
fund the money.

The question of opening a night school  
for those who are unable to attend the  
regular day sessions was brought to the  
Board's attention by Dr. Harpel. The  
matter was referred to the committee on  
Teachers and Certificates.

It was suggested that the Secretary of  
the Board of Health notify all physi-  
cians to report contagious diseases to  
Superintendent Houser, who in turn  
should notify the teachers that all pupils  
residing in infected houses should be  
kept out of school until given a clean  
bill of health by their attending physi-  
cian. This idea seemed to meet with the  
approval of the Board and it was carried.  
As an extra precaution against infection  
the supply committee was ordered to  
purchase agate ware for use in the school  
rooms.

On motion it was decided that all  
non-resident pupils be excluded from the  
Grammar and Senior Secondary  
schools in the First ward and the Senior  
Secondary grade in the Third ward, as  
these schools have more than the usual  
allotment of pupils. They will be given  
a choice of the Second or Fourth ward  
schools. The Superintendent and the  
Transfer Committee were given power to  
make the necessary changes and  
transfers in over-crowded schools.

The following bills were ordered paid:

Casper Deisroad	\$29.97
Joseph Lechner	20.95
Emerson Adams	250.00
John P. Lester	10.85
Franklin Detweiler	.75
Tax Collectors Commission	173.57
Read Iron Co.	.75
Standard Gas Co.	.90
Emory Schultz	2.05
Adams Express Co.	.85
Robert Miller	7.75
C. H. Schmitt	50.75
J. G. Murray	2.00
John Albeck	11.75
The Gem	6.00
Curry & Vannan	2.00
I. Gross	8.00
Mrs. Daniel Kashner	1.25
John Bruder	2.40
Seidel & Bausch	9.69
J. R. Cole	12.47
D. C. Williams	4.50
George Hendricks	4.50
John Edwards	7.00
H. Ropp	5.00
A. H. Groner	181.11
Reberts & Meck	165.26
J. L. Hammit Co.	56.89
H. R. Moore	31.34
Will G. Brown	9.45

THE LATE  
MARTIN L. FISHER.

The late Martin L. Fisher, the report  
of whose untimely death sent a shiver  
of horror combined with a thrill of pity  
through the breast of every citizen in  
this city yesterday when the details of  
it became fully known, was born in Cata-  
wissa in 1851. When but a young man  
Mr. Fisher came to this city. He learned  
the harness making trade in the shop  
of George Bassett after which he em-  
barked in business for himself, running  
it successfully until about two years  
ago when he accepted the superintend-  
ency of the J. R. Bennett farms. Mr.  
Fisher was the eldest son of Mr. and  
Mrs. Hamilton Fisher, of Catawissa,  
and a brother of Dr. George W. Fisher  
of Baltimore, Md. He was an active  
member of St. Paul's M. E. Church and  
an almost invaluable help to that con-  
gregation. On several occasions he served  
as an officer of the Epworth League.  
At the time of his death he was a mem-  
ber of the Board of Stewards and was  
secretary of the Missionary Board and  
was also an usher in the church.

Mr. Fisher was prominent in lodge  
circles, being a member of Danville  
Lodge No. 224 F. and A. M. for the past  
25 years and of Lotus Conclave, No. 127  
Improved Order of Heptasophs. A wife  
and one son, Curry, aged 19, survive  
him. The funeral will be held from his  
late residence 114 West Mahoning street  
Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Inter-  
ment in the Odd Fellows' cemetery.

Another Boat Ride.  
The Salvation Army boat ride to  
Chulasky Saturday evening next prom-  
ises to be well attended. Special music  
will be provided and Prof. Reese will  
preside at the organ. Refreshments will  
be served on the boat. Tickets 10 cents.

Evening Services at the Chapel.  
Regular Sunday evening services will  
hereafter be held at Grace Episcopal  
Chapel, Riverside. A lay-reader will  
have charge of the services.

A COLD BLOODED MURDER

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Martin L. Fisher Meets Death at the Hands  
of Boyd Wintersteen.

About 10 a. m. yesterday the business center of  
this city was startled with the word that Martin L. Fisher  
had been shot and killed while going his rounds of the Ben-  
nett farms by an employee who had been lately discharged.  
As Mr. Fisher had been seen on Mill street but a short time  
previously, the report could hardly be believed but on ar-  
riving on the scene a MORNING NEWS man found it to be cor-  
rect in every terrible detail.

The murdered man, covered with blood and already  
cold in death, lay on the farm house porch with the start-  
led farm hands who had tenderly carried him there, stand-  
ing over the body with an expectant and undecided expres-  
sion, covering their countenances. After a time they be-  
came communicative and gave the story of the deed as far  
as they were acquainted with it. On last Saturday morn-  
ing Wintersteen had words with George B. Strouse, the  
boss farmer, over a team he was to drive and when he was  
not permitted to have his own way he left his work and im-  
parted his grievances to Superintendent Fisher. Not gain-  
ing satisfaction in that quarter he became violent—so much  
so—that Mr. Fisher discharged him and paid him off.

At that time Wintersteen made dire threats of  
vengeance, as he did that night to some of the farm  
hands, but as he made no attempt to carry any of them out  
the importance of the occurrence was dimmed for the time  
being.

Wintersteen was not to be foiled in revenge, however,  
and about 10 o'clock yesterday morning he appeared at the  
Strouse farm and inquired for Mr. Strouse. He was told  
that Strouse was not there whereupon he left and started  
down the P. & R. railroad track which runs through the  
farm about 300 feet from the wagon road. In a few mo-  
ments afterwards the farm hands, who were about 150 yards  
distant, were startled by the sound of a shot and upon look-  
ing in the direction from whence it came they saw a horse  
and buggy coming up the road and a man fleeing across  
the fields in the direction of the Asylum.

Though not positive, but suspecting that something out  
of the ordinary had happened, Ivison Confer and Harry  
Brown ran toward the road and stopped the horse just as it  
was about to break into a run. Supt. Fisher sat nearly up-  
right in the buggy and still held the lines and the men were  
not aware of the horrible discovery they had made until  
Fisher uttered a moan when they noticed, by the blood  
which began to issue from his mouth, that he had been  
shot and was about to expire.

Although almost paralyzed with horror, they lifted the  
body out and carried it to the Strouse farm house. From  
here the authorities were notified by telephone. After a  
time Squire Bare appeared and taking charge of the body  
impaneled the following jury: Charles E. Voris, W.  
E. Young, Thomas Vincent, F. P. Johnson, John L. Evans  
and R. B. Diehl. After examining those of the farm hands  
who were on the grounds at the time, the inquest was ad-  
journed until 2 p. m. yesterday when an autopsy was  
made by Drs. Newbaker and Shultz in the Undertaking  
rooms of Henrie Bros., where the body had been taken by  
the relatives after being released by the Coroner. The au-  
topsy revealed the fact that death was caused by a bullet  
which entered the body two inches below the left arm pit  
fractured a rib, passed through the left lung, and lodged  
in the spinal column.

During all this time nothing had been learned concern-  
ing the whereabouts of Wintersteen but about noon Sheriff  
Maier was surprised by a man, accompanied by "Reilly"  
Watts, who appeared at the jail and asked to be taken in-  
saying that he "had just killed a man."

In an interview at the jail Wintersteen said he had kill-  
ed Fisher after a conversation with him, and that he had  
intended killing himself but that his nerve had failed.

FARMERS ASSOCIA-  
TION ORGANIZING.

In Montour County. A Meeting Held Last  
Saturday.

Mr. J. K. Murray issued a call several  
weeks ago to the farmers of Montour  
county to meet at California Grange Hall  
on Saturday, Sept. 8, at 2 p. m. for the  
purpose of forming an agricultural and  
horticultural society to advance the in-  
terests of the farmers of this county.  
The matter was doubtless not well un-  
derstood as but few attended. The  
meeting was called to order and on mo-  
tion, Mr. Murray was elected president  
and W. D. Steinbach, secretary. After  
some discussion it was thought best to  
let the organization remain temporary  
until the first Monday in December when  
another meeting will be called at the  
same place, when it is hoped that the  
subject will be better understood and a better  
attendance realized. Organizations similar  
to this have been formed in several  
counties in this State and are doing  
much good. Meetings are held at dif-  
ferent times during the year and leading  
topics along agricultural lines are ably  
discussed by practical men. These  
societies aid the manager of the farmers  
institute which is held in every county  
in Pennsylvania and which is doing a  
good work for the farmers of the old  
"Keystone State."

Mr. Murray is deserving of strong sup-  
port in this effort for he has labored  
hard to raise the Farmers Institute to its  
present high standing in this county.  
There seems to be no better way of ed-  
ucating the farmer than by holding  
farmer's meetings where farmer's ques-  
tions can be discussed by practical men.  
Let there be a grand rally of the farm-  
ers and let as many as can attend the  
December meeting.

Mr. H. C. Taylor, of Audenried, is  
visiting her sister, Mrs. P. C. Newbaker,  
West Mahoning street.

Mrs. Harry Fry called on Bloomsburg  
friends yesterday.

J. E. Moore made a business trip to  
Scranton yesterday.

John Spotts, Jr., of Riverside, made a  
business trip to Bloomsburg yesterday.

Mrs. Peter Winters is visiting friends  
in Sunbury.

John Frysinger, of near Catawissa,  
transacted business in this city yester-  
day.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. McClure left yester-  
day for a trip to Philadelphia.

Miss Kate Mellon returned to Phila-  
delphia yesterday after a visit with re-  
latives in this city.

The Rev. Ezra Yoernm and Rev. Dr.  
S. C. Swallow, of Harrisburg, Presiding  
Elder W. W. Evans and the Rev. Leila  
of Lewisburg, attended the funeral of  
Mrs. G. H. Day in Riverside yesterday.

Arthur Sloop left last evening for  
Carlisle to attend Dickinson College. He  
will enter the Junior class.

Frank Sharpless and Willard Vastine,  
of Catawissa, were in this city yester-  
day.

Frank McClellan, of Bloomsburg, was  
in this city yesterday.

Mrs. G. H. Mullen returned to Phila-  
delphia yesterday after a visit with Mrs.  
James Scarlet, Mill street.

Howard Clark, of South Danville, left  
yesterday for State College.

James Scarlet, Esq., is transacting  
business in Philadelphia.

H. B. Neff, of Sunbury, was a visitor  
to this city yesterday.

Luther Linker returned to Williams-  
port yesterday after a visit with his  
father, John Linker, West Mahoning  
street.

Mrs. Julia Hagenbach returned to  
West Milton yesterday after a visit at  
the home of Christian Laubach, Mill  
street.

Mrs. Mary Kline and Mrs. Hannah  
Shultz left yesterday for a trip to Atlan-  
tic City.

George B. Markle, of Hazleton, was a  
business visitor in this city yesterday.

William Kase West, Esq., made a pro-  
fessional trip to Sunbury yesterday.

The Rev. James Huber returned from  
a trip to Lancaster yesterday.

Mrs. George Ricketts returned last  
evening from a trip to Chicago and the  
West.

Miss Rosa Koch, has returned from  
an extended visit in Philadelphia and  
will reopen her dressmaking establish-  
ment on Cross St.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Cottell, of Wood-  
bury, N. J., are visiting Mrs. Cottell's  
sister, Mrs. G. S. Hunt, West Mahon-  
ing street.

James Mallen returned from Philadel-  
phia last evening.

Charles Parsel is visiting friends in  
Buckhorn.

DEATH OF MRS. G. H. DAY.

In the death of Sarah N., wife of the  
Rev. G. H. Day, which occurred Mon-  
day morning at 9 o'clock, after an ill-  
ness of seven months, this community  
loses a most charitable and lovable wo-  
man.

Patient and kindly with all, she made  
many friends in Riverside and Danville.  
During her life she was identified with  
church work, not only at Saint Peter's  
church in South Danville, where she so  
often worshipped, but at many towns in  
Central Pennsylvania in which her hus-  
band had so well labored for the Master  
for more than fifty years.

Mrs. Day was 76 years of age. Most  
of her relatives live in Pike county. She  
was the granddaughter of Judge Broad-  
head and her uncle was Ex. U. S. Sen-  
ator Richard Broadhead, of Pike county.  
Other relatives are some of the most pro-  
minent families of that section of the  
State. In the fall of 1893 Mr. and Mrs.  
Day celebrated their golden wedding.

Deceased is survived by her husband,  
the Rev. G. H. Day, and a grand-  
son, Robert Day, of Sunbury. The  
funeral occurred Wednesday afternoon at  
2:30 o'clock. Services were conducted  
at the family residence by Presiding  
Elder, the Rev. Dr. Evans. Interment  
in Mt. Vernon cemetery.

Charged With Murderous Assault.  
Charged with committing a murder-  
ous assault on the person of George W.  
Owens, Stanley M. Sheffer was arrested  
in this city last evening and placed in  
the county jail, awaiting the arrival of  
the Williamsport Chief-of-Police in  
which city, it is claimed, the assault oc-  
curred.

Both men are residents of Williams-  
port. Last week, during an altercation  
between them, Sheffer assaulted Owens  
by striking him on the head with a  
hammer. Sheffer disappeared immedi-  
ately afterwards and was last sight of by  
the Police until last night when the  
local authorities located him in this  
city where he has been a visitor for a  
short time.

When his identity was discovered a  
warrant was secured from Williamsport  
and was served about 8 o'clock last  
night by Constable Young and Police-  
man Voris.

Bedeas-Hulsizer Nuptials.  
Mr. George Bedea and Miss Clara Huls-  
izer were the contracting parties in a  
quiet little wedding ceremony which  
was performed by the Rev. A. B. Bower  
in the parlor of the parsonage of the  
First Baptist church at 9 o'clock Tuesday  
evening.

Miss Lizzie Lovett attended the bride  
and Mr. Hayes Bedea, brother of the  
groom, acted in the capacity of best man.  
After the ceremony a reception was held  
at the Bedea home, East Front street,  
which was attended by the families of  
the young couple and a number of  
friends.

The bride is a charming young lady  
and the groom has a host of friends in  
this city and is one of our thriving busi-  
ness men. Mr. and Mrs. Bedea will re-  
side at 702 Front street for a time pre-  
vious to starting to housekeeping.

Another Rich Discovery.  
The recent discovery of silver ore on  
the farm of Simon Shires in Cleveland  
township, Columbia county, which an  
analysis showed to be worth \$14.43 per  
ton, has been eclipsed by a more im-  
portant discovery. An assay of ore tak-  
en from the same ledge, it is said, shows  
62.45 ounces of silver to the ton, mak-  
ing the ore worth \$32.47 per ton.

Nearing Completion.  
The fine new dwellings, on Church  
street, belonging to George Edmondson,  
are nearing completion.

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The office of the AMERICAN being  
furnished with a large assortment  
of job letter and fancy type and job  
material generally, the Publisher  
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ALL PAVEMENTS  
TO BE REPAIRED.

By Danville Property Holders. So Decided  
By Council Monday Night.

A meeting of Council was held Monday  
evening with the following members  
present: President Kemmer, Messrs.  
Vastine, Fetterman, Goldsmith, Jones,  
Amesbury and Brandt.  
A communication was read from the  
Board of Health relative to the present  
condition of the alley leading West of  
Mill street, between the Swentek prop-  
erties; also the unhealthy condition of  
Mahoning creek between the dam and  
the works of the Reading Iron Com-  
pany.

A committee of citizens