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COMMUNICATIONS. All communications sent to the AMERICAN for publication must be signed by the writer, and communications not so signed will be rejected.

Announcement.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for County Commissioner subject to the rules of the Republican party. Your support is earnestly solicited.

We are authorized to announce the name of Charles W. Cook of Valley township, as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Republican party.

THE FOUNTAIN IS FLOWING

Superintendent of the Water Works F. J. Reeder began work on the repairs at the public fountain yesterday morning. He found the task a much lighter one than anticipated and before 2 o'clock in the afternoon he had the water flowing.

Upon close examination it was found that by abandoning the use of the ice attachment repairs could be made that would put the fountain in working order with little expenditure of either time or money.

The abandonment of the ice will not prove much of a deprivation, as it is one feature of the fountain that will never much of a success. Aside from the cost which makes it impracticable to keep the fountain supplied, the receptacle for the ice, it is claimed, is too far away, so that the water becomes warm in the pipe and by the time it is drawn for drinking is found to be but little improved.

DEAFNESS CANNOT BE CURED

By local applications, as they cannot reach diseased portions of the ear, there is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional means. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian tube.

Anniversary of Mahoning Council.

Friday night Mahoning Council, No. 132, Degree of Pochontas, celebrated its first anniversary at its cosy council room, in the K. G. E. hall.

Wont Follow Advice After Paying For it.

In a recent article a prominent physician says, "It is next to impossible for the physician to get his patients to carry out any prescribed course of hygiene or diet to the smallest extent, he has but one resort left, namely, the drug treatment."

Marriage Licenses Granted.

Prothonotary Vincent yesterday granted a marriage license to Frank J. Weniger and Miss Josephine Lebeck, both of Danville.

Death of Samuel Reeder.

Samuel Reeder, a highly esteemed and well known resident of South Danville, passed away at 6:30 o'clock Sunday morning, after a long struggle of suffering. The funeral will be held on Wednesday next at 2 p. m., Rev. H. C. Hartsman and Rev. R. J. Allen conducting the services.

The deceased was 78 years of age. He was a native of Rush township. He followed farming in that township up to 26 years ago when he removed to South Danville where he has since lived retired. He was a man of strong personality, kind and obliging in his disposition and progressive in his views.

The funeral of Samuel Reeder, which took place yesterday afternoon from his late home, on Sanbury street, South Danville, was largely attended by relatives and friends from all over Northumberland county.

The funeral was attended by Mrs. George W. Bartholomew, of Amherst; Mr. and Mrs. Pierce Cressy, W. C. Johnston, Charles Woodruff, of Bloomsburg; Mr. and Mrs. Marr Reeder, Mr. and Mrs. Miner Munson, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Reeder and son, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Reeder, Dr. L. B. Kline, F. P. Cressy, J. W. Reeder, of Catawissa; Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Woodruff, Joseph Woodruff, Miss Sarah Woodruff, of Union Corner; Mr. and Mrs. Simon Vought, of Elysburg; J. Simpson Kline, Esq., of Sanbury; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bird, Preston Vought and sister, of Mt. Carmel.

Whoooping Cough. A woman who has had experience with this disease is how to prevent any dangerous consequences from it. She says: Our three children took whooping cough last summer, our only child being only three months old, and owing to our giving them Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, they lost none of their plumpness and came out much better than the other children whose parents did not use this remedy.

On Thursday night the stable of Owens, the Mill street grocer, was broken into and a piece of the canvas top on the delivery wagon was torn out. The stable is owned by William H. Mangor and is at the rear of his residence, No. 11 West Mahoning street.

When the stable was opened Friday morning it was found that a strip had been torn from the canvas top, a foot in width and the full length of the wagon. Part of the lettering and number of the store was on the portion ripped out. There were no other signs about the stable that would indicate an attempt to rob and it looks very much like a clear case of malicious mischief.

Sciatic Rheumatism Cured After Fourteen Years of Suffering. "I have been afflicted with sciatic rheumatism for fourteen years," says Josh Edgar, of Germantown, Cal. "I was unable to be around but constantly suffered. I tried everything I could hear of and at last was told to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm, which I did and was immediately relieved and in a short time cured, and I am happy to say it has not since returned."

Pleasing Entertainment. The Alonzo Hatch Electro-Photo Musical Company, which appeared at Hogan opera house last evening under the auspices of Christ church, delighted a large audience.

Noteworthy features of the entertainment were instrumental selections by Mr. Farley, harpist, and Howard T. Collins, the accomplished pianist, of this place, who is filling an engagement with the company—Susquehanna, Pa., Evening Transcript.

No loss of Time. I have sold Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy for years, and would rather be without coffee and sugar than it. I sold five bottles of it yesterday to threshers that could go no further and they are at work again this morning. H. R. PHELPS, Salesman, Oklahoma. As will be seen by the above the thrasher who could not keep on with the work with out losing a single day's time. You should keep a bottle of this Remedy in your home. For sale by Pauls & Co. 342 Mill street.

COLLEGE OF MUSIC. The summer term of this well known school of music will begin July 21, six weeks instruction and board for \$33. As all schools have vacation at this time, it gives an opportunity to school children and teachers to attend. Parents desiring a home-like school for their children should send for catalogue to HENRY B. MOYER, FREDBURG, PA.

RESULTS FROM BUYING AT OUR STORE. You get the most up-to-date goods. You get quality—our first consideration. You get the best goods at the lowest prices. You run no risk whatever in buying here for everything we sell we guarantee. Our strong points are Practical Knowledge of quality and buying at lowest cash prices. HENRY REMPE, Jeweler and Silversmith.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Miss Florence Jenkins of Watsonstown, is the guest of Miss Evelyn Cline, Front Street.

Paul Swentek returned yesterday morning from a several days visit with friends in Elmira.

Mrs. Eli Hoover of South Danville, spent yesterday afternoon with friends at Reedy's Station.

Brady Lyons of Bloomsburg, was a visitor in this city yesterday.

David Cramer of Watsonstown, returned home yesterday, after a visit with Prof. E. G. Cline, Front Street.

Mrs. William Fahringer was in Selinsgrove yesterday.

Mrs. M. L. Douglas attended the conference of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the M. E. Church of Central Pennsylvania, held in Sanbury yesterday.

Miss Oliver Hoover and son Charles, South Danville, were Sanbury visitors yesterday.

Miss Jessie Long of Northumberland, returned home yesterday, after a visit with Mrs. Jesse Ammerman, Mill Street.

Miss Alice Robinson of Turbotville, returned home yesterday, after a visit at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. William Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jacobs, Sr., returned last evening from a week's visit in Philadelphia.

Charles P. Hancock was a Sanbury visitor yesterday.

Miss Gertrude Meyers attended the Hall-Rabb wedding in Bloomsburg yesterday.

Arthur Heddens was a Berwick visitor yesterday.

Rev. Dr. Shindel left yesterday morning for Berwick to attend the thirty-fifth annual convention of the Susquehanna Synod of the Lutheran church.

Miss Martha Dombrosky of Elmira, returned home yesterday, after a several days visit with Mrs. Leo Metzger, West Mahoning street.

Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Munson of Catawissa, were visitors in this city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Reeder and son of Catawissa, were in this city yesterday.

Mrs. William Fox of South Danville, attended the funeral of a relative in Selinsgrove yesterday.

D. L. Smith arrived in this city last evening from Harrisburg, to spend several days with his wife at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Trumbower, East Market street.

George Rainier of Harrisburg, arrived in this city last evening for a visit with his mother at Center street.

Mrs. A. W. Kennedy of Boyd's Station, spent yesterday afternoon with friends in this city.

William DeLong of Washingtonville was in this city yesterday.

Mrs. James Rinker of Catawissa, was the guest yesterday of Mrs. Edward Wertman.

Mrs. Lina Border of Reading, arrived in this city yesterday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. William Hovies, North Mill street.

Miss Jessie Clark of Bloomsburg, spent several hours in this city yesterday.

Mrs. Arthur Woolley returned yesterday from Elysburg, N. Y.

DANVILLE IS A GOOD CIRCUS TOWN

The Old Show Man gave a few observations to a reporter of The News that will be interesting to the many readers of the popular paper. A circus is always an object of much attraction for young and old. From the time the great aggregation arrives until the grandly painted cars are pulled out of town there is not a minute that the show people are without an audience.

The Old Show Man has been with the Wallace circus for the past three years and was previously with Walter L. Main. He has traveled all over the United States, knows a good town when he sees it, and says that Danville is away up in the No. 1 class.

"You have a pretty city here and one that is full of business. I show people always consider Danville a good town and we have never been disappointed. This visit has been especially gratifying. The attendance at the afternoon performance was more than anticipated. That in the evening might have been larger, but the turn out was very good."

The reporter asked The Old Show Man a few questions as to the expenses and receipts of a circus and his queries brought forth this information. "The expenses of the Wallace show are carefully estimated at \$1800 per day throughout the entire season. Of course exceptional circumstances may swell this sum, but it never gets below it. As nearly as I can tell the total receipts in this city reached \$3,000."

The Wallace show is remarkably well organized and those who witnessed the loading of the train marveled at the celerity and quietness with which the big task was done. There was no hoarse shouting and a total absence of profanity. From start to finish the loading was accomplished without a single hitch.

Memorial Day Orator.

Rev. W. R. Whitney, a Methodist minister from Bloomsburg, has been selected by Goodrich Post, No. 23, G. A. R., to deliver the Memorial Day oration in this city.

The Memorial Day committee of the Post extends to all the ministers a cordial invitation to participate in the exercises of the day.

Monarchs Won at Bloom.

The Danville Monarchs went to Bloomsburg Saturday and defeated the carpet mill nine by a score of 17 to 14. The following was the Monarch team: P. Robinson, catcher; M. Burke, pitcher; S. Jones, first base; S. Kelley, second base; J. Morgan, third base; R. Evans, short stop; A. Hite, left field; W. Dentinger, center field; C. Woolridge, right field.

Masquerade Surprise Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lyons, Railroad street on Saturday evening were surprised by a number of their friends who appeared at their home in masquerade attire. About fifty were in the group and spent the evening very pleasantly. Mr. and Mrs. Lyons were presented with a handsome Morris chair. During the evening supper was served.

Ten Months for Stealing Packing.

Henry Williams of Pottsville was found guilty of removing packing from P. & R. car boxes. He was fined \$25 and costs and sentenced to 10 months imprisonment.

The United Telephone and Telegraph Company have completed their line to Philadelphia via Pottsville and now have connection with Lebanon and Lancaster counties, and with West Chester, Chester, Conshohocken and Norristown.

Already the consumer is feeling the effect of the coal strike in the increasing cost per ton. No great labor disturbance affects only the region immediately concerned. Its ramifications extend to all parts of the country and frequently to the uttermost parts of the earth.

The wedding of Miss Freda Rabb, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. I. L. Rabb of Bloomsburg and Walter T. Hall, Jr., son of Capt. and Mrs. W. T. Hall, took place at the home of the bride's parents yesterday afternoon. The bride is well known in this city.

Surveyors will go to Gettysburg next week to prepare a map for the division encampment of the National Guard. It is understood that the map will be printed for distribution among National Guard officers.

TIMBER FOR SALE. The mount on a tract of land known as "Mount Nelo," containing 1629 acres, belonging to the estate of David M. Parine, deceased, is offered for sale. The tract is situated two miles north of Oakland, in Garrett county, Maryland, and two miles north of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, and is covered principally with White Oak timber, and some Rock Oak and Chestnut. All small timber under eight inches in diameter reserved. For further information, apply to E. G. PERINE, 18 E. Lexington St., Baltimore, Md. or to JOHN T. MITCHELL, Agent, Oakland, Garrett County, Maryland.

Mrs. Daniel Brooks, Sider Hill, returned last evening from a visit with relatives in Philadelphia.

GOOD ROADS BY RAIL

TRAINLOAD OF EXPERTS ON EDUCATIONAL TOUR. Third Train That Has Been Sent Out by the National Association—South to Be Taught to Build Highways Scientifically.

A train of twelve cars, known as the "Good Roads Special," left Washington on the lines of the Southern Railway early in November to stop at ten or twelve of the chief cities reached by the system and aid in organizing good roads associations and the same time give a practical illustration of modern roadmaking. The tour will end Jan. 1.

The train carried a full equipment of roadmaking machinery and a party of eighteen persons, all skilled in the manufacture of good dirt and macadam roads. It is the third such train to be organized through the efforts of the National Good Roads Association, having been sent along the route of the Illinois Central from April 10 to July and a second having traversed the district between Chicago and Buffalo along the Great West and Buffalo routes and the New York Central. Everywhere the roadmakers have been well attended and have produced permanent organizations determined to better the county roads of the section concerned.

Mr. Martin Dodge, director of the office of public road inquiries in the agricultural department, and M. O. Edridge, his assistant, with Mr. W. H. Moore, president of the National Good Roads Association, are in charge of the "Good Roads Special." Under their direction the roadmakers are to visit the cities visited a permanent good roads association. To this end they will be accompanied by the mayor and council of each city and the officers of its commercial organizations, arrange to visit the cities.

April 26—First and Final account of Naomi V. Hartman, Administrator of the estate of Wellington Hartman, late of Cooper Township, Montour County and State of Pennsylvania, deceased.

April 27—First and Final account of Charles A. Wagner, Administrator of the estate of John Marshall, late of Limestone Township, Montour County and State of Pennsylvania, deceased.

April 28—First and Final account of Charles P. Gearhart, Guardian of the Estate of Richard Edwards, late of Montour County, deceased.

April 29—First and Final account of James O'Leary, Executor of the last Will and Testament of Sarah J. Johnson, late of the Borough of Danville, Montour County and State of Pennsylvania, deceased.

April 30—First and Final account of Wm. Kase West, Guardian of the Estate of Jerome D. Sattl, a minor child of James F. Sattl, of Derry Township, Montour County and State of Pennsylvania, deceased.

W. L. SIDLER, Register. Danville, Pa., April 26th, 1902.

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Administrators NOTICE. Estate of Hiram Blecher, late of the County of Danville in the County of Montour and State of Pennsylvania, deceased.

Administrators NOTICE. Estate of Jacob R. Stine, late of the Township of West Henlock, in the County of Montour and State of Pennsylvania, deceased.

Administrators NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that letters of Administration, d. n. e., upon the above estate are granted to the undersigned. All persons indebted to the said estate are required to make payment, and those claiming against the said estate will make known the same, without delay to the undersigned.

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Women as Well as Men Are Made Miserable by Kidney Trouble.

Kidney trouble preys upon the mind, discourages and lessens ambition, beauty, vigor and cheerfulness soon disappear when the kidneys are out of order or diseased.

Kidney trouble has become so prevalent that it is not uncommon for a child to be born afflicted with weak kidneys. If the child urinates too often, if the urine stinks the flesh or if when the child reaches an age when it should be able to control the passage, it is yet afflicted with bed-wetting, depend upon it, the cause of the difficulty is kidney trouble, and the first step should be towards the treatment of these important organs. This unpleasant trouble is due to a diseased condition of the kidneys and bladder and not to a habit as most people suppose.

Women as well as men are made miserable with kidney and bladder trouble, and both need the same great remedy. The mild and the immediate effect of Swamp-Kid is soon realized. It is sold by druggists, in fifty-cent and one-dollar sizes. You may have a simple bottle by mail free, also pamphlet telling how to get thousands of testimonial letters received from sufferers cured. In writing Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., be sure and mention this paper.

REGISTER'S NOTICES.

TO ALL CREDITORS, LEGATEES AND OTHER PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF THE DECEASED: That the following named persons did on the 15th day of April, 1902, file with the Register of the Probate of Wills and Grants of Letters of Administration, in and for the County of Montour, and that the same will be presented to the Orphans Court of said county, for the settlement of said accounts, on Monday, the 22nd day of May, A. D. 1902, at 10 o'clock, a. m., in Court in the afternoon.

March 20—First and Final account of Naomi V. Hartman, Administrator of the estate of Wellington Hartman, late of Cooper Township, Montour County and State of Pennsylvania, deceased.

April 4—Account of Charles A. Wagner, Administrator of the estate of John Marshall, late of Limestone Township, Montour County and State of Pennsylvania, deceased.

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The undersigned, appointed auditor by the orphans court, do hereby certify that the books in the hands of the said accountants to and among the parties found to be legally settled, and that they will attend to the duties of his said appointment at the Register and Receiver's Office in the Court House in the Borough of Danville, Pa., on Monday, June 2nd, 1902, at 10 o'clock, a. m., and where all persons having claims against the said estate are required to present them, and where the same or be debared from coming in upon the said day.

WILLIAM L. SIDLER, Auditor Danville, Pa.

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THE POWER OF THE IMAGINATION

(Original) My brother Tom was expected from the city, and I was sitting in the summer house waiting for him. A man approached whom I recognized as one of the attendants at the insane asylum a few miles away.

"Have you seen anything of a young man about here who doesn't belong to the place?" he asked. "No. What does he look like?" "Handsome; black hair and eyes with a glitter in them. He escaped last night."

"I haven't seen him, and I don't want to." "If he comes, will you please telephone me?" "No, I'll hide in the attic."

The keeper had scarcely gone when I saw a man in the distance coming up the road. Great heavens! Could it be the insane man? I stood my ground bravely to see if he answered the description till he came within a discerning distance. He was walking rapidly and carried a suit case. To my horror he walked straight to the gate and entered. I peered with all my strength of vision at his hair. It was black as night. I looked at his eyes. They, too, were black and scintillated like the pin wheels on the Fourth of July.

"I beg pardon," he said, raising his hat. "Is this Old Oaks?" "No," I gasped. I lied. I would have lied to an angel from heaven. "Singlar," he said, looking about him. "I surely can't have mistaken the place. I followed the main road—the only road in fact—and the gateway is of stone, a round ball on each column."

"You will find Old Oaks a mile down the road," he said. He looked about him, every moment more bewildered. "Are there two such gateways?" he asked presently. "No, a dozen."

My brain was beating wildly. My strained imagination showed me only a madman who would murder me if I did not succeed in turning him away. "These are the asylum grounds," I cried. "Go away at once! They are looking for you." He looked at his watch. He had been gone only an hour. He told me if you came to telephone him, but I won't. I hope you will get away."

By this time I had become hysterical and began to laugh and cry by turns. The young man looked as badly frightened as I. He cast a quick glance about him, as if for some one to take me in charge. His action reassured me. Had I made a mistake? I looked again at his hair. This time through eyes untried, it was auburn. I remarked his eyes. They were blue and, instead of scintillating, were very mild. Meanwhile the man was studying me. Gradually he came to look upon me as sane, after all for I did not seem to be sane.

"I am Arthur Andrews, I was Sunday with my friend Tom Winslow. I have evidently got into the wrong place." "Oh, my stars, I have mistaken Tom's friend for a lunatic! I would rather suffer any torture than confess my error. I must get rid of him before he discovers who I am."

"Old Oaks is the next place to ours," I said. "Oh, unless you will easily find it if you lay your eye on down the road." "The gateway?" "Just like ours—a ball on each post." "Are the columns brownstone or granite? Yours, I see, are granite." "They're granite too."

"To this I made no reply. Somehow I didn't like his tone. Besides, there was no necessity in being so minute. "Thanks," he said. "I will doubtless find the place. I am sorry to have disturbed you." He departed. I arose, went to the house and shut myself up in my room. In the afternoon I heard Tom talking with some one on the piazza. I looked through the blinds and saw the—the lunatic!

I rang for the maid and when she came told her to tell my brother that I had one of my sick headaches and would not be well till Monday—after the train had gone. "Tom came to me and found me with a wet cloth on my brow. "Awful sorry, Lucy; have brought Arthur Andrews up purposely to meet you."

"Oh, go away, Tom! You don't know how I suffer from my headache." The next Saturday Tom brought "the lunatic" for a lunatic! I would rather suffer any torture than confess my error. I must get rid of him before he discovers who I am."

"Think I have had the pleasure of meeting you before," said the guest, smiling. "When?" I asked, with well feigned wonder. "A week ago today."

"You must be mistaken. Last Saturday was confined to my room with a sick headache." Arthur Andrews made frequent visits to Old Oaks, and we took many a stroll through the grounds. I always dreaded to pass the gateway, for Arthur would invariably ask me about that counterpane which stood at the entrance of that other Old Oaks a short distance below. I met these sallies with a dignified silence, hoping that in time he would become tired of them. When he chose the shadow of this gateway as a place to propose marriage, I rejected him. He afterward selected another spot, and I accepted him.

Old Age Insurance. In Germany all workmen, servants, and clerks above sixteen and getting less than \$500 a year are obliged by law to insure against old age.

NEW-YORK TRIBUNE FARMER.

For sale by the publisher, THE NEW-YORK TRIBUNE FARMER, 110 N. 3rd St., New York City. Price, 10 cents per copy. Sent by mail for 10 cents per copy. The New-York Tribune Farmer is published weekly, except on Sundays and public holidays. It is the only paper of its kind in the United States. It is published by the Tribune Company, 110 N. 3rd St., New York City.

Moyer Bros. WHOLESALE DRUGGISTS.

Bloomsburg - Pa. For sale by all dealers.

FACTS IN FEW LINES

Southern California has 2,500 acres in leets. The first electric street railway in Greece has just been completed at Patras.

The college and town of Oberlin, O., are raising \$25,000 to modernize their country. The highest receipts ever taken in for the use of the Star canal in one year were \$16,461,890.

The farm products of the United States this year are worth about \$400,000,000 more than last year's output. Russian engineers are experimenting with an military kite which, it is hoped, will prove useful for reconnoitering purposes.

The percentage of water is 80 in plums and grapes, 82 in apples, 84 in pears, 86 in oranges, 50 in lemons and 45 in watermelons. More than forty guides have been licensed by the Swiss Alpine club at an annual cost of over 12,000 francs.

A process has just been patented for making artificial woods out of pulp so as to imitate such costly kinds as mahogany and rosewood. Dallas, Tex., manufactures more harnesses and saddles than any other city in America and perhaps more than any other place in the world.

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