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REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

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FOR AUDITOR GENERAL.
Hon. W. P. Snyder of Chester.

FOR SUPERIOR COURT JUDGES,
Hon. Thomas A. Morrison of McKean.
Hon. J. J. Henderson of Crawford.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY TICKET

FOR SHERIFF.
George R. Sechler.

FOR REGISTER and RECORDER.

FOR JURY COMMISSIONER.
Curtis Cook.

ROOSEVELT PLEASED

President Delighted With Reports From Chairman Penrose.

PENNSYLVANIA WILL BE TRUE

He is Told That the Keystone State Will Roll Up a Big Majority Next Month For Republicanism and Prosperity.

[Special Correspondence.]

Philadelphia, Oct. 13. — President Roosevelt's interest in the election in Pennsylvania next month was significantly manifested in a talk with Senator Penrose, who was among the visitors at the White House last week.

The president made no secret of his feeling of gratitude toward the Republicans of the Keystone state for the conspicuous part taken by their delegates to the last Republican national convention in bringing about his nomination for the vice presidency, despite the opposition of Senator Hanna and others, who were at that time very potential in the councils of the Republican national committee.

Since the responsibilities of the presidency have devolved upon Roosevelt there are no two men to whose judgment and advice on public affairs he gives greater consideration than Senators Quay and Penrose.

CHAT WITH THE PRESIDENT.

Senator Penrose's visit to Washington last week was not in relation to politics, but to close up several matters before the departments. His call on the president was merely a social visit, but the political situation was incidentally discussed. The president was keenly interested in the reports given him by Senator Penrose regarding the outlook for a large Republican majority in Pennsylvania on November 3 next. Senator Penrose informed him that throughout the state the young Republicans have taken hold of campaign work as they have never done before, and this condition is generally attributed to the belief that the larger the Republican vote in Pennsylvania this year the greater emphasis will be given to the fact that Pennsylvania is a Roosevelt state, and proposes to lead the Roosevelt column in the coming national campaign.

The action of the last two Republican state conventions in declaring for the nomination of Roosevelt for president and the adoption of resolutions expressing the same sentiment by the Pennsylvania State League of Clubs have all been most pleasing to the president, and when he learned from Senator Penrose the determination of the party workers to roll up an immense Republican majority next month, with a view to affecting public sentiment throughout the country, he was more than delighted.

PITTSBURG FOR CONVENTION.

Senator Penrose, as chairman of the Republican state committee, has decided to heartily co-operate with the leaders of the movement to have the next national Republican convention held in Pittsburg. He thinks every Pennsylvanian should exert himself to help along this agitation.

"It would be particularly fitting," said Chairman Penrose, "that, with Roosevelt as the candidate and a continuance of the protective tariff the main issue in the coming campaign, that the candidate should be named and the platform formulated in Pittsburg, the birthplace of the Republican party and the centre of industrial prosperity of the nation. There could be no more appropriate meeting place than Pittsburg for the national convention next year when we will celebrate the 50th anniversary of the organization of the Republican party.

"With the delegates coming from all parts of the country, what an object lesson in the cause of protection would be presented in Pittsburg and the valleys of the Allegheny and the Monongahela?

"In no section of the country can there be given a better exemplification of the desirability of a continuance of the policy of a protective tariff than in Pittsburg and vicinity. The smoke and the flames from the blasts and the coke ovens of Pennsylvania should be enough to convince the most radical of the so-called tariff revisionists of the middle west that there must be no tinkering with the tariff to disturb business conditions and deprive American labor of employment, just at the time when prosperity abounds in all industrial enterprises.

"While, of course, we think there may be objections from western states to Pennsylvania again getting the national convention, after Philadelphia had it last time, we feel that we can present the best argument for their taking our choice for the convention city."

Breadcrumbs For Breakfast.

Stale breadcrumbs, made palatable in the following way, were at first suggested by physicians for dyspeptics and those who wished to gain flesh rapidly, but so delicious a breakfast dish were they found, and so cheap, that they have taken a firm hold: Slices of good, sweet stale bread are toasted brown in the oven and then ground or pounded into crumbs to be eaten with milk. They may be hot or cold when served. Children grow fond of bread prepared in this way, and it gives them a good, satisfying supper, with no chance of bad dreams to follow in its wake. One never tires of bread, you know.

TO VOTE NEW BALLOT

Republicans Will Put a Cross In Square Opposite Party Name.

NEW GROUPING OF CANDIDATES

The Names of the Parties are Printed On the Extreme Left of the Ballot, and There is a Square After Each Party's Name.

[Special Correspondence.]

Harrisburg, Oct. 13.—One of the important duties of the members of the Republican county committees throughout the state between now and election day will be to instruct the voters regarding the changes that have been made in the form of the official ballot and the method of marking the ballot so as to cast a vote for the full Republican ticket.

Under the provisions of the law as passed at the last session of the legislature the ballot will be smaller than heretofore. The party columns have been abolished, and the names of the candidates will be grouped under the titles of the different offices for which they are running. The name of his party, however, will be printed after the name of each candidate.

In lieu of the party column and the party circle at the head of each column, there shall be printed on the extreme left of each ballot the names of the several parties, and after the name of each party there shall be printed a square of sufficient size to permit of the convenient insertion of a cross mark, like this:

REPUBLICAN	X
DEMOCRATIC	
PROHIBITION	

PUT CROSS MARK IN SQUARE.

This cross mark is to serve the same purpose as did the cross mark used for the old ballot.

When this cross mark is placed in the square after the name of any party, in this group of parties on the left of the ballot, it signifies the intention of the voter to vote for all the candidates nominated by that party.

Every mark within such square shall be equivalent to a mark against every name designated by that political appellation or party name, including candidates nominated by more than one party or group of citizens.

At the head of each ticket shall be printed the following instructions:

"To vote a straight party ticket mark a cross (X) in the square opposite the name of the party of your choice in the first column.

"A cross mark in the square opposite the name of any candidate indicates a vote for that candidate."

INSTRUCTIONS AS TO COUNTING.

A book of instructions has been issued by the Republican state committee, and Secretary Andrews expects that before the end of this week he will have copies of the same in the hands of all the county committeemen. In this book, which also contains other valuable data regarding the new law, the following instructions are given to election officers regarding the method of counting the ballots:

The effect of a cross mark (X) in the square opposite the name of the party of his choice, in the straight party column on the left of the ballot, shall be equivalent to a vote for every candidate of the party so marked.

The placing of a cross mark (X) in the square at the right of the name of each candidate indicates a vote for each candidate so marked.

A cross mark (X) in the square opposite the name of the party in the straight party column on the left of the ballot, votes a straight ticket, and is equivalent to a vote for every candidate of the party so marked, and the marking of one or more names in the group of candidates of another party, is the marking of more names than the voter is entitled to vote for, and is a marking of the ballot otherwise than is directed by the act, and the ballot must not be counted for such office, but must be counted for all other offices, for which the name of the candidates have been properly marked.

For example—A voter places a cross mark opposite the name "REPUBLICAN" in the column on the left of the ballot—this mark would indicate that he had voted for every candidate of that party. If the voter, after having so marked his ballot, should place a cross mark in the square to the right of the name of a candidate of the Democratic party, his vote would not be counted for either or any of the candidates for that office, because the voter would by doing so vote for more candidates for that office than he is entitled to vote for, his vote, however, should be counted for all the other candidates of the Republican party.

The placing of a cross mark in the square opposite the name of the party in the straight party column

Thousands Have Kidney Trouble and Don't Know it.

How To Find Out.

Fill a bottle or common glass with your water and let it stand twenty-four hours; a sediment or settling indicates an unhealthy condition of the kidneys; if it stains your linen it is evidence of kidney trouble; too frequent desire to pass it or pain in the back is also convincing proof that the kidneys and bladder are out of order.

What to Do.

There is comfort in the knowledge so often expressed, that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy fulfills every wish in curing rheumatism, pain in the back, kidneys, liver, bladder and every part of the urinary passage. It corrects inability to hold water and scalding pain in passing it, or bad effects following use of liquor, wine or beer, and overcomes that unpleasant necessity of being compelled to go often during the day, and to get up many times during the night. The mild and the extraordinary effect of **Swamp-Root** is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases. If you need a medicine you should have the best. Sold by druggists in 50c. and $1. sizes.

You may have a sample bottle of this wonderful discovery and a book that tells more about it, both sent absolutely free by mail. Address Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. When writing mention reading this generous offer in this paper.

Home of Swamp-Root.

Don't make no mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N.Y., on every bottles.

umn on the left of the ballot, and at the same time placing a cross mark in the square to the right of the individual name of any or all of the candidates of that party, will not affect the validity of the ballot. It will simply be surplusage, and a vote must be counted for each candidate of that party.

When a candidate has died or withdrawn, and a substituted nomination is made after the ballots are printed, there shall be prepared and distributed with the ballots suitable slips of paper bearing the substituted name, together with the title of the office and having adhesive paste upon the reverse side, which shall be offered to each voter with the regular ballot, and may be affixed thereto. Under no other circumstances can a "sticker" be used.

A voter must not cross out any name on the ballot, nor cover a name with a sticker or paster, except in the case referred to herein.

Ballots with the name of a candidate erased by a voter must be counted, for the name so erased, if a cross mark has been placed in the square opposite to the name of his party.

All votes should be counted, except where the voter marks more names for any office than he is entitled to vote for, or for any reason it is impossible to determine the voter's choice for any office, to be filled. The ballot should be self-explanatory.

$100REWARD, $100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surface of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing the work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list o Testimonials.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

An Equinotcial Storm.

"Is this the equinoctial storm?" was the question asked by many Danville people on Saturday. What is called the "line storm" has no particular date. The biggest storm of the Fall season, which follows up the Atlantic, coming before, about or after the equinox—September 22—is designated the "equinoctial storm." Scientists tell us that the equinoctial storm is a myth, that there is no more reason why a storm should be caused by the sun crossing the equator than by the solar crossing of any other geographical line. Yet the storm annually comes "about this time," and the popular intelligence will always believe that its appearance is a regular event according to natural laws.

What is called meteorology is a termed science, but our weather service is little better than guess work most of the time, and not as good guess work as that of the farmer who is weatherwise, or the old sailor who can forecast as far as the government observer, or farther. The Washington forecaster promised us fair and cold weather for Friday and Friday night. He told us of the coming of a Red River Valley disturbance, followed by a cool wave. We got the storm, which followed the lakes and dipped down farther south than was expected, and struck an "unexpected" storm from the Atlantic, which has put the lake storm to shame as a little sprinkle.

The weather man couldn't get in communication with Old Neptune, and therefore not aware that a terrific storm was brewing and lashing in fury somewhere north of the West Indies or east of the Bermudas and destined to reach our coast and give the North Atlantic states the greatest wind and rain storm of years.

It is the coast storms which do the most damage to our big Eastern cities, and our shipping. A couple of months ago the weather bereau gave warnings of a terrible hurricane on its way from the Gulf up the coast, and shipping waited a couple of days, and cities in dread, but the storm did not come. About three weeks ago a big storm came from the Atlantic unannounced by the weather bureau, and scores of fishing smacks, and vessels were wrecked and great damage was done along the coast from Cape May to Cape Cod. This was called the "equinoctial storm" by people, who insist on such a storm being caused by Sol crossing the imaginary line, then came other storms called equinoctial, but the tempest of last week was the king of them all.

Fair Trains.

In order to accommodate the large number of people who will attend the great fair at Bloomsburg the D. L. & W. Railroad Company will issue tickets at reduced rates and also run special trains. The rate of fare will be the one fare for the round trip except that the rate from Danville will be only 29 cents. The sale of tickets will commence October 13th and will be good to return on Oct. 17th. Half rate excursion tickets will be sold for children 5 years old and under 12 years old. Special train will be run October 15th and 16th from Danville to Bloomsburg ahead of No. 704, about 10 a. m.

Rode on Top of Car.

George Reynolds, who claims no place as home but who spends his time roving around the country, has a method of obtaining rides all his own. He arrived in Lock Haven on the Buffalo flyer, riding in state on top of one of the passenger coaches. His presence was detected as the train left Renovo and word was sent to the upper Philadelphia and Erie stations to dislodge him. As the train stops at Lock Haven only to let off passengers it was flagged and sure enough there was Reynolds lying flat on top of one of the coaches beating his way through. He was turned over to Officer Brendel.

One objection to the line to Sunbury has developed. An old mossback farmer said he was unalterably opposed to the new rapid trolley line. He said it would bring many people to his farm to steal his fruit and vegetables, and that he would not be able to get any sleep during the night through sitting on his fence with a shot gun. They must be in sore need of a rural police down his way.

HOUSED UP FOR SEVERAL DAYS

Rev. N. E. Cleaver of this city, Rev. J. W. Rue and son and Trainmaster David Attick of Sunbury, and Rev. T. L. Wilcox of Williamsport who have returned home from a two weeks' fishing trip off the coast of Virginia, were the victims of the recent storm that swept the Atlantic coast leaving untold destruction in its wake. The gentlemen fortunately did not endure any great hardships but their experiences are worthy of mention.

The party were quartered on Hog Island off the coast of Virginia, about 235 miles south of Baltimore. Thursday, the day the storm began, the party were out on the broad water in a frail 16-foot cratt, piloted by a negro inhabitant of the island, who earns a livelihood in this manner. The fish were not biting and along about 2 o'clock in the afternoon when they were about five miles from shore, the dark heavy clouds began to gather and the sea got so choppy that the water beat against the boat like a battering ram. The pilot who had seen such things before suddenly told them to pull in their lines as there was a "north easter" coming and that it looked as if there was going to be trouble. The return to shore was made with post haste but not any too soon, for while the pilot was seeing to the boat the storm broke forth in all its fury. The rain fell in torrents and the wind blew eighty miles an hour.

After much difficulty the men managed to reach their quarters where they were housed up until Sunday, as the storm continued that length of time and the island was almost completely covered with water all the time with the exception of the going out of the tide. The destruction on the island and along the coast, they say, was inestimable.

A big schooner driven out of its way to New York landed at the island with the crew tied to the masts and the captain to the wheel. The party caught lots of fish, they say, and they are to be shipped home by freight.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

Take Laxative Bromo Quin Tabinelets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25.

Captain Hobson.

Captain Richmond Pearson Hobson surprised the nearly 6,000 people who heard him yesterday. The impression obtained that he was appearing before Chautauquas because his daring feat in Santiago harbor made him a drawing card.

He was known to be the bravest of the brave, but it was not known or even suspected that he is a man of such high order of ability.

He had hardly spoken five minutes, however, before it became apparent that he is not only an orator and thinker, but that he is a mature student of international affairs. Well educated to begin with, this sea rover has been an observer and has picked up facts at every port and moulded them into great lessons.—Rockford (Ill.) Daily Star.

Captain Hobson will deliver his stirring lecture entitled "America's Mighty Mission in the World" at the Opera House on Wednesday evening, October 28th.

Must Scratch Three Sides.

In reference to an order issued to cigar dealers October 1, in which they were told that to fully comply with the internal revenue laws they must either break up empty cigar boxes or wash off the revenue stamps, a ruling from United States Internal Revenue Commissioner Yerks, has been received in which he says that to cancel the stamp on emptied cigar boxes the stamp must be scratched on three sides. Heretofore it has been the custom when a box was emptied of the cigars to simply scratch the stamp across the top of the box.

Catarrh and Hay Fever.

Liquid Cream Balm is becoming quite as popular as many localties as Ely's Cream Balm solid. It is prepared for use in atomizers, and is highly prized by those who have been accustomed to call upon physicians for such a treatment. Many physicians are using and prescribing it. All the medical properties of the celebrated Cream Balm are contained in the Liquid form, which is 75 cts. including a spraying tube. All druggists, or by mail. Ely Brothers, 56 Warren St., New York.

Cooper's flouring mill at Washingtonville was sold at public sale yesterday. It was knocked down to Martin Kelly for $5,000.50.

STORY OF CAL-CURA.

Discovered by Dr. David Kennedy—Only Kidney Remedy Sold Under Guarantee.

Dr. David Kennedy was born in New York City, but at an early age his family moved to Roxbury, N.Y. He was graduated in 1860 from the New York College of Physicians and Surgeons. He at once volunteered as a surgeon and was assigned to the United States Army General Hospital in West Philadelphia, and soon became President of the Examining Board and Consulting Surgeon. After the war, Dr. Kennedy settled in Rondout, City of Kingston, N. Y., where for a number of years he enjoyed a large practice as an operative surgeon. He was one of the Presidential Electors of New York State, Mayor of Kingston for four years, and held many other professional, business and political offices.

The latest achievement of his life was the discovery of Cal-cura Solvent, a positive cure for all diseases of the kidneys and bladder. In speaking of this remarkable remedy, he said: "Cal-cura Solvent is the crowning achievement of my life. It will not disappoint."

Your druggist will return your money if Cal-cura fails to cure, and The Cal-cura Company, of Rondout, N. Y., will pay the druggist. Cal-cura Solvent cures 98% of all cases of Kidney, Bladder and Liver disorders. $1.00 a bottle. Only one size.

R-I-P-A-N-S Tabules

Doctors find
A good prescription
For mankind

The 5-cent packet is enough for usual occasions. The family bottle (60 cents) contains a supply for a year. All druggists sell them.

OF INTEREST TO FARMERS

The Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., has issued a number of very valuable Farmers' Bulletins. These Bulletins have been carefully prepared by the most practical men of the country and should be in the hands of every progressive farmer.

Hon. C. H. Dickerman, Milton, Pa., has received a liberal consignment of these Bulletins, and any one desiring a copy of any of these given below, will receive it free by calling at Mr. Dickerman's office or by sending his name and address. All requests for these publications will receive prompt attention.

Below is given a partial list of the bulletins.

"Potato Diseases and Treatment;" "Poultry Raising on the Farm Animals;" "Thirty Poisonous Plants;" "Standard Varieties of Poultry;" "The Peach Twig-borer;" "Care of milk on the Farm;" "Weeds and how to Kill them;" "Sorghum as a Forage crop."

Indigestion Causes Catarrh of the Stomach.

For many years it has been supposed that Catarrh of the Stomach caused indigestion and dyspepsia, but the truth is exactly the opposite. Indigestion causes catarrh. Repeated attacks of indigestion inflames the mucous membranes lining the stomach and exposes the nerves of the stomach, thus causing the glands to secrete mucin instead of the juices of natural digestion. This is called Catarrh of the Stomach.

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure

relieves all inflammation of the mucous membranes lining the stomach, protects the nerves, and cures bad breath, sour risings, a sense of fullness after eating, indigestion, dyspepsia and all stomach troubles.

Kodol Digests What You Eat

Make the Stomach Sweet.

Bottles only. Regular size, $1.00, holding 2½ times the trial size, which sells for 50 cents.

Prepared by E. O. DeWITT & CO., Chicago, Ill.

Sold by Gosh & Co. Paules & Co.

NIAGARA FALLS EXCURSION.

Last Low-Rate Vacation Trip, via Pennsylvania Railroad, for the Season.

On October 16 the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will run the last popular ten-day excursion to Niagara Falls from Washington and Baltimore for the present season. On this date the special train will leave Washington at 8:00 A. M., Sunbury 12:58 p. m., Williamsport 2:30 P. M., arriving at Niagara Falls at 9:45 p. m.

Excursion tickets, good for return passage on any regular train, exclusive of limited express trains, within ten days, will be sold at $6.90 from Sunbury and Wilkesbarre; $5.5 from Williamsport; and at proportionanate rates from principal points. A stop over will be allowed at Buffalo within limt of ticket returning.

A special train of Pullman parlor cars and day coaches will be run through to Niagara Falls. An extra charge will be made for parlor-car seats.

An experienced torist agent and chaperon will accompany the party.

For descriptive pamphlet, time of connecting trains, and frther information apply to nearest ticket agent, or address Geo. W. Boyd, General Passenger Agent, Broad Street Station, Philadelphia.

TOUR TO THE PACIFIC COAST.

Via Pennsylvania Railroad, Account Meet-National Bankers' Association.

On account of the meeting of the National Bankres' Association, to be held at San Francisco, Cal., October 20 to 23, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company offers a personally-conducted tour to the Pacific Coast at remarkably low rates.

This tour will leave New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington, and other points on the Pennsylvania Railroad east of Pittsburg, Wednesday, October 14, by special train of the higest grade Pullman equipment. A quick run westward to San Francisco will be made, via Chicago, Omaha, Cheyenne, and Ogden.

Five days will be devoted to San Francisco. Returning, the special train will run to Los Aongees, where two days will be spent among the resorts of Southern Cailfornia. Santa Barbara, Del Monte, Salt Lake City, Colorado Springs, Denver, and St. Louis will be visited on the journey eastward. The party will reach New York on the evening of November 4.

Round-trip rate, covering all expenses for eighteen days, except five days spent in San Francisco, $190.

Rates from Pittsburg will be $5 less.

For full information apply to Ticket Agents, or Geo. W. Boyd, General Passenger Agent, Broad Street Station, Philadelphia, Pa.

The Great Bloomsburg Fair.

The forty-ninth annual exhibition of the Columbia County Agricultural Society will be held October 13 to 16, 1903. The management has spared nothing to make this the best of all fairs in this section of the state. The Cycle Whirling Bretons are booked as one of the attractions. A special prize is offered for a double team match race as one of the attractive features. Other attractions are being booked. A new poultry house has been built this year with a capacity for 1000 birds. The entries are expected to exceed 6000 in the various classes. $3,500 is offered in purses for the following classes, viz: 2:2, 2:21, 2:18, 2:15 pacing classes; 2:27, 2:22 and 2:17 trotting; free for all trot or pace, Farmer's County race, mixed, 3:00; and a Gentlemen's Road Race for county horses. A great annual gathering where you will meet old friends and make acquaintance of new ones.

Committed to Jail.

Frank Hart and J. W. Day were arrested by P. & R. police yesterday for illegal car riding. They were given a hearing before Justice of the Peace Barc. Hart said his home is in Pittsburg while Day claimed to be a southerner. They had no money to pay fine and costs and were committed to jail.

FISH NETS SEIZED IN SUSQUEHANNA

The Department of Fisheries discovered an interesting fact in the seizure of some nets last week. Warden Malloy was sent to investigate some violations of the law on the Susquehanna river, near Nescopeck and Berwick. He found a number of wing walls all in more or less working condition, but only one basket, as the others were worked with set nets, devices that are entirely prohibited by law. He seized thirteen nets with meshes so small that nothing larger than a diminutive minnow could get through. He had been warned that it was dangerous to tackle the fishing apparatus up there, as the fishermen are a lawless set, and so when he seized a boat that had evidently been used to fish on one of the dams he was not astonished when he heard unearthly yells from the shore commanding him to bring the boat back. The command was further enforced by a double barrel shot-gun in the hands of the owner of the voice, who also had a vest full of loaded shells. The warden rowed to the shore, when the man said that he owned the boat, but had nothing to do with the fish traps. That heretofore deputy sheriffs had raided the dams, but as the eel taking season was just before election the deputies only kicked out a few stones that were easily replaced, and never disturbed the nets. The warden, however, retained the nets and sent them down to the department at Harrisburg.

On examination at the department, it was found that the nets were made to catch anything that swims, and in some of them were found dead young shad, about four inches long. This was an exceedingly interesting fact in several ways. First, it showed that it was possible, owing to the exceptionally high water last spring, for shad to ascend the North Branch of the Susquehanna, getting over the dams at Clark's Ferry and Sunbury. There is at present a large number of petitions coming to the department asking for the construction of fishways over the dams mentioned that the shad may have free access to the upper waters of the river, and there is no doubt that they are very desirable.

But the second thing shown by the shad in the nets is that the contention of the old Fish Commission for several years that eel baskets and nets are destructive to food fish is sustained fully. If the nets on the upper Susquehanna river, where there could only possibly be very few shad, have been killing the little food fish, how much more destructive must the baskets and other devices be in the lower river, where the fish are getting more abundant through the stocking of the stream. This matter is one for the people who wish to get the shad up the river to consider. The shad is one of the most delicate of fishes. If only one scale is knocked off a little shad it will cause its death. In the river where those nets were seized the wing walls are so close together that they about cover the whole stream and nothing can get down. That only two licenses have been taken out for legal fish baskets in Luzerne county and none in Columbia county shows the lawless character of the fishermen up there, and the poor chance the shad will have, if they are to have fishways, unless the people who want shad build up a sentiment in favor of enforcing the laws for the protection of the fish.

The Borough of Ashland has several lawsuits for heavy damage pending, all on account of the smallpox epidemic Mrs. Burmeisler has sued the borough for $25,000 damages for the death of her husband in the pest hospital and Mrs. Thomas Clark, who was a patient in the same hospital has also brought suit for a like amount because she lost her eyesight from improper care and treatment by the physician and nurses in charge.

As a reminder to parents and guardians it cannot be too often repeated that the school law requires the regular attendance of all children between the age of 8 and 16 years unless excused on account of sickness; provided, however, that children between the ages of 13 and 16 years may be excused from attendance if regularly employed at useful labor and able to read and write English intelligently,

There is still considerable heat in old Sol's rays.

A GOOD THING GIVE IT A PUSH.

LIVONA CAMP, PA, APRIL 21, 1902.
MOYER BROS.

DEAR SIR:—

I think that every man that has a team of horses or any stock, ought to have a bottle of Moyer's White Liniment in the stable or his house. I had a horse that stepped in a hole with his front foot, coming down the mountain with a trail of props, and fell forward and strained his shoulder blade. That it swelled so fast that we could hardly get the collar off, and in two hours his neck was swollen to all the skin would hold. We used your White Liniment freely, and in a few days he was to work again, and does not show any signs of lameness. It worked like magic.

Respectfully Yours,
J. A. BARTHAST.

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WHOLESALE DRUGGISTS,
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For sale by all dealers.

Bloomsburg Fair Oct. 13th to 16th—Special Rates and Train Service.

For the Columbia County Fair held at Bloomsburg Oct. 13th to 16th, the Lackawanna Railroad will sell round trip tickets at low rate of 29 cents. Good going on date of sale and returning not later than Oct. 17th. On Oct. 15th and 16th, in addition to the regular trains, special train will leave Danville about 10:00 a. m. Returning last regular train will leave Bloomsburg at 8:17 p. m.

Bloomsburg Fair.

October 13th to 16th the Reading Railway will sell special excursion tickets to Bloomsburg Fair at the low rate of single fare for the round trip, good for return until Saturday, October 17th, and run trains direct to the Fair grounds. Special trains Thursday and Friday will leave Danville 9:20 a. m., and returning leave Bloomsburg 6:10 p. m. for Danville, Milton, Williamsport and intermediate stations. Excursion rate from Danville 29 cents.

Bridges Repaired.

The Borough yesterday completed the repairs on the canal bridges on Church and Mill streets. Some new timbers were inserted at each bridge, but nothing more was done than absolutely necessary to strengthen the structures for present use. It is not unlikely that both bridges will be removed yet the present fall.

New Veranda.

Former Councilman Joseph Jones is having a very stylish veranda erected in front of his residence, Lower Mulberry street. Trumbower and Werkheiser are doing the work.

Special trains to Bloomsburg Fair via Reading Railway October 15th and 16th will leave Danville 9:20 a. m. and returning leave Bloomsburg 6:10 p. m. for Danville, Milton and Williamsport, stopping at intermediate stations.

The Bloomsburg Elks will entertain a number of their friends tonight. Alexander's band will render a concert during the evening.

F. Q. Hartman in order to give his several hundred employes an opportunity to attend the fair at Bloomsburg yesterday decided to close down his silk mill for today. The regular pay day is not until Friday but the proprietor in order to furnish the boys and girls with spending money paid them their wages yesterday.

Giving Good Satisfaction.

"Just Before Dawn", which was presented by the Murray and Mackey company at the Opera House last night before a good sized audience, proved a thriller above the ordinary run of dramas, with a plot that was exciting enough to suit the most exacting demands.

The production permits of elaborate and realistic scenery and it was there with the good[illegible] e play is an interesting one and [illegible] hands of this capable company [illegible] much appreciated by the audience.

New specialites were aagin introduced. The illustrated songs by Roy Philips have been highly satisfactory. The pictures are steady and all the latest songs are rendered. Tonight "Dublin Bay" will be produced. At the Matinee Saturday afternoon "Mother and Son" will be the attraction.

Big Corn.

Milton Ammerman, who oversees his father's farm in Gearhart township, is a successful agriculturist if his achievement in raising big corn is any criterion. A stalk from the Ammerman farm on exhibition at the insurance office on Mill street, measures fourteen feet in height and contains two large and well developed ears.

Handsome Delivery Wagon.

An up-to-date delivery wagon belonging to the Heddens-Breitenbach Candy Company made its appearance on the street yesterday. The vehicle has yellow running gears and red body and is lettered in silver leaf to advertise the various kinds of candy carried. The vehicle was built in Hazleton but lettered by David Hunt of this city.

Y. M. C. A. Supper.

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. purpose holding one of their delightful suppers, on Thursday evening, Oct. 29th. The popular price of 25 cents will be charged.

A mechanical genius has invented a contribution box with a bell attachment for church purposes. When a penny is dropped in, it rings very feebly; a nickel makes it ring louder, and a dollar brings out the fire department in any town.

Chicken and Noodle Supper.

The Ladies' Aid Society of St. Peter's M. E. church, Riverside, will hold a chicken and noodle supper on Thursday evening, October 22, in the rooms over Clayton's store.

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