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SAND CRUSHED OUT LAD'S LIFE

Buried beneath an avalanche of fully ten tons of sand for more than fifteen minutes, Albert Buckler, of Bloomsburg, a lad nine years of age met death in a horrible form, while playing with his elder brother and a number of companions in the old sand hole on West Fourth street, Tuesday evening.

It was about half-past six o'clock and not yet dark when the accident occurred. A number of children had been playing for some time about the sand hole and had in their play dug a small cave at the base of the wall of sand, which rose vertically for almost twenty feet.

This small cavern which was just about large enough at the opening to admit a man's body extended back into the wall not more than three feet.

None of the children had ventured to enter the opening but finally little Albert Buckler attempted to crawl into it. His older brother, James Buckler, aged eleven years, endeavored to persuade him not to enter the cave but the younger brother never realizing his great peril entered the cavern feet first and lay there on his back, only his head and shoulder protruding from the opening.

Fearing that the heavy wall of sand would fall, James, on the outside, kept hold of one of his brother's hands.

"Let go, it's nice in here," and Albert tried to free his hand from his brother's grasp.

"Come out right away, the sand might fall," James said as he attempted to pull the boy out of the hole when suddenly the lad in the cave kicked up against the roof and without warning, an enormous mass of sand broke loose from above and rushing down completely engulfed the one boy in the cave and covered James' extended arm to the shoulder.

When the sand broke loose Albert realizing for the first his jeopardous position called to his brother to pull him out, struggled to get free of the falling sand and fighting it with his arms turned over upon his stomach.

After being almost covered by the sand James was compelled to relinquish his hold upon his brother's hand in order to save himself and as soon as the sand ceased falling he began to vainly dig with his hands to free his brother. The other children being frightened, ran away, excepting Luther Shoemaker, who spread the alarm.

Within a few minutes a number of men, procuring shovels, came and began working frenzily to uncover the imprisoned boy. But almost as fast as they shovelled away the sand, more fell and the boy could not be found.

Finally after great labor he was uncovered. Lying on his face with the sand tightly packed about his body it was thought that he was still living but when he was drawn from the mass it was found that he was dead.

The body was carried into the home of Mrs. Robert Unson where an examination was made by Dr. H. Bierman, who had been summoned shortly after the accident occurred. Death was due to suffocation.

The Buckler family resided in Danville on East Market street about two years removing from this place to Philadelphia.

There is more Catarrh in this section of th country than all other diseases put together and until the last few years was supposed to be ncurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed ocal remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. The offer of one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address,
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Farmer's Bad Fall.

T. M. Wintersteen, tax receiver of West Hemlock township, met with a bad fall in this city on Saturday forenoon. Carrying a couple of large vessels he was crossing Mill street from Foster Bros. to D. R. Eckman's and was in the act of stepping up onto the pavement when his foot caught upon the curb and he fell violently upon the hard flagstones.

He was stunned by the fall and unable to rise. Officer Voris who was near ran to his assistance and soon had him upon his feet. In a short time he seemed to recover, escaping broken bones. He sustained a couple of bad bruises, however, and may feel the effects of the jar for some time.

A Class of Twenty Confirmed.

Palm Sunday services were held at St. Peter's Lutheran Church, Grovania, at 10:30 o'clock Sunday morning.

Communion was administered and a class of twenty was confirmed. In this number were eight adults received by confession of faith, five of whom received adult baptism. There were also five infant baptisms.

An appropriate sermon was preached by the pastor, Rev. W. E. Wenner, who took as his text Revelations 2-11: "Be Thou Faithful Unto Death and I will Give You a Crown of Life." A large congregation was present.

Snow Sheds.

The railroads passing through mountainous regions where deep snow falls in the winter are building powerful snow sheds that will stand the heaviest storms. The locomotives are having deflectors attached to their smoke stacks which will throw the sparks to the sides instead of straight up against the roofs of these deflectors which are so hung that they can be thrown to one side of the stacks when the engines are not in the sheds. These sheds will also guard against the frequent avalanches containing rocks and trees, against which the snow plow is useless.

THERE WILL BE PLENTY OF TROUT

The trout season in this state will open on Friday, April 15, and continue until July 31. Already many followers of Izaak Walton are getting their rods, reels, etc., in condition for a good season of angling. The style of rod, as well as the season of bait, must be taken into consideration. A fisherman in conversation with a reporter said:

"The report that there would be a scarcity of trout in the various streams owing to the cold weather, is all nonsense. When severe cold weather sets in trout hunt the mouth of the stream or the springs where they spawn, especially about the beginning of January. So far as I know very few trout are killed by the ice, because they get out of harm's way. I believe there will be plenty of brook trout this year.

"Fish that almost surely go into retirement during winter are the little fish of the brooks of the chub genus, which in late May or June are the familiar bane of the fisher when he whips the trout streams. These common inhabitants of the brooks more closely studied reveal to the angler interesting habits. Most abundant in August, they begin to disappear with the first frosts of September. October shows a few thin schools, which in November pass from sight. If in winter we go to one of the larger pools of the brook, clear away the ice, and industriously prod under rocks or in the muddy sand, we shall dislodge a few sluggish chubs, evidently hibernating.

"One by one they begin to appear in mid-April, multiplying as the water warms. In summer, unlike the trout and suckers, which seek the spring-like holes, we shall find the chub in the still shallows, where they can bask in the sun—a habit curiously at variance with their quick death when the sun warms the water in the bait pail.

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No Extra Pay for Vets.

The Spanish War veterans in town will not profit by the bill passed by Congress, giving two months extra pay to all the soldiers whose term expire in the Phillipines. The bill applies only to the future.

The Spanish War veterans throughout the state had asked for the two months' extra pay given those whose terms expired in the Phillipines, but it was refused them on the ground that they had practically been given that much, having been out of active service that long before their terms expired, during which time they drew their regular pay.

Repairing the Damage.

Ever since the recent flood the telegraphic force of the D. L. & W. railroad company have been busily engaged getting the lines back into their normal condition. As the efficient and prompt service depended upon a speedy completion of the work a large number of men have been employed upon it, and have finished only the lines between Bloomsburg and Danville while the work at the upper end, in the vicinity of Nanticoke remains to be done. Between Catawissa and Danville about a mile of poles and wires were carried away and at Nanticoke it will require a mile of wire and poles to repair the damage.

Rudy--Hendrickson.

Miss Stella Hendrickson and Edward Rudy were united in the holy bonds of wedlock last night. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. George E. Limbert, at the home of the bride's father, James S. Hendrickson, Bloom street.

The wedding was a very quiet affair only a few relatives being present. The newly wedded couple will reside on Bloom road where the groom owns a home.

At Mars Hill Last Sunday.

The steamer Grosser Kurfurst bearing the delegates from this country to the World's Sunday School Convention at Jerusalem has been reported in the shipping news as arriving safely at Maderia and Gibraltar. The delegates spent last Sunday at Mars Hill near Athens. Mr. Laumaster has not yet been heard from personally but letters from him are expected to arrive at almost any time.

Must Be Carried on Passenger Trains.

The storekeepers of the Reading railway have been supplied with a new compound known as a cooling compound which must in the future be carried on all passenger trains. It is used for the purpose of cooling off rapidly and more effectively journals when they become overheated.

I. X. Grier President.

I. X. Grier, Esq., has been elected President of the First National Bank of Danville to fill the vacancy caused by the death of B. R. Gearhart.

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A proprietary medicine that is not without honor in the city where it is made must be a good thing. No chance for deception there, where everybody knows all about the men who make it. In Rondout, City of Kingston, N. Y., where Dr. David Kennedy lived and practiced for so many years, his *new* medicine is highly regarded and many wonderful cures have been wrought by it. There is Mr. Christopher Larsen, the leading painter and decorator of that city, who says:

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ELABORATE EASTER MUSIC

The services at Christ Episcopal church for Easter will be of great interest, the music especially being very fine. The choir has shown a marked improvement recently under the able direction of Organist William J. Williams. The program has been arranged as follows:

HOLY COMMUNION (CHORAL)
6 A. M.

Processional—"Come ye Faithful" ..... Fuller
Anthem—"Christ our Passover" ..... Gomer Thomas
Communion Office in E ..... Eyre.
Kyrie Eleison
Gloria Tibi
Laus Christi
Credo
Offertory—"Christ the Lord" ..... Mozar
Presentation of Alms ..... Whitney
Sursum Corda ..... Eyre
Sanctus
Benedictus, Qui Venit
Agnus Dei
Gloria in Excelsis
Nunc Dimittis ..... Stainer
Recessional—"Selection from Lyra ..... Davidica"
Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m.
Matins at 10 a. m.

HOLY COMMUNION (CHORAL)
10:30 A. M.

Processional—"At the Lamb's High Feast" ..... Salesburg.
Communion Office in F ..... Stainer
Kyrie Eleison
Gloria Tibi
Laus Christi
Credo
Offertory—"Christ our Passover" ..... Thomas
Presentation of Alms ..... Whitney
Sursum Corda ..... Stainer
Sanctus
Benedictus, Qui Venit
Agnus Dei
Gloria in Excelsis
Nunc Dimittis ..... Stainer
Recessional—"Jesus Lives" ..... Gauntlet

CHORAL EVENSONG
7:30 P. M.

Processional—"Selection from Lyra ..... Davidica"
Confession ..... Stainer
Absolution ..... Stainer
Sentences ..... Stainer
Psalter
Magnificat in E flat ..... Harrison
Nunc Dimittis ..... Harrison
Creed and Versicles ..... Stainer
Hymn—"Christ the Lord" ..... Mozart
Prayers in G
Hymn—"Hail Gladsome Morn" ..... Roper
Offertory — "Alleluia Sing to Jesus" ..... Calkin
Presentation of Alms ..... Bellemy
Recessional—"Come ye Faithful" ..... Fuller

The Minstrels.

Minstrelsy that is new, minstrelsy that is bright, minstrelsy that is up-to-date, will soon be seen at the opera house. Culhane, Chace & Weston's Big City Minstrels is one of the oldest and best known organizations. The handsomest scenic and most elaborate costumed first part ever seen in this city. Thirty-five artists the pick of the minstrel profession. Eight big novel and European and American novelty acts in one challenge olio. Eight funny end men. Ten dancers, a big double quartette. All laugh. All new. Every face, every feature new.

Visiting His Home.

William D. Steinbach, Private Secretary to Congressman C. H. Dickerman, came up from Washington last week and is spending a few days at his home in Liberty township. Mr. Steinbach is looking exceedingly well. He says he finds life at the national capital full of interest.

Chas. Grant, of Northumberland has leased from the Northumberland Bridge Co. the privelege of running a flat from Northumberland side to Packers' Island. Passengers will be carried and transferred to the street cars at the Island. Teams will also be carried. A wire rope ferry will be constructed in a few days.

Every effort to locate Horatio Merkel, who disappeared from Shamokin, has failed. He was traced to Jersey Shore, and there all track of him has disappeared. His family fear suicide. Merkel was a salesman for a Shamokin liquor house. His accounts are straight.

The Shamokin health board states that the smallpox situation was much improved. The addition to the hospital has been completed and not a single patient remains in the town. No new cases have been reported since yesterday. Just thirty two persons are under treatment at the hospital. No figures are obtainable from the township.

For failing to comply with the compulsory education law and send their children to the public schools, Oliver Carvell and Henry Hoey of Sunbury were sentenced to pay a fine of two dollars each and costs of prosecution, by Justice Carpenter, Tuesday evening. Carvell and Hoey refused to pay the fine and are now serving two days in the Northumberland county prison.

A Greenwood farmer who found getting help very difficult has made the following rules: Wages will be $6 a day. Breakfast will be served in bed. Working hours will be from 10 a. m. to 2 p. m. All heavy work done by the boss. Cigars are furnished free. Any hand working the entire season can have the farm and the hired girl.

Ball Easter Monday.

A ball will be given at the Armory, Monday evening, April 4. Music by Metherill's orchestra. Admission, Gentlemen 50 cents. Ladies 25 cents. Dancing from 8:30 p. m. until 2 a. m.

MARVELS OF MEMORY.

Feats of Famous Men That Seem Almost Beyond Belief.

Some examples of the marvels of memory would seem entirely incredible had they not been given to us upon the highest authority. Cyrus knew the name of each soldier in his army. It is also related of Themistocles that he could tell by name every citizen of Athens, although the number amounted to 20,000. Mithridates, king of Pontus, knew all his 80,000 soldiers by their right names.

Scipio knew all the inhabitants of Rome. Seneca complained of old age because he could not, as formerly, repeat 2,000 names in the order in which they were read to him, and he stated that on one occasion, when at his studies, 200 unconnected verses having been recited by the different pupils of his preceptor, he repeated them in a reverse order, proceeding from the last to the first.

Thomas Cranmer committed to memory in three months an entire translation of the Bible. Euler, the mathematician, could repeat the "Æneid," and Leibnitz, when an old man, could recite the whole of Virgil, word for word. It is said that Bossuet could repeat not only the whole Bible, but all of Homer, Virgil and Horace, besides many other works.

THE SCIENCE OF A LIGHT.

Cheap Acetylene Gas Was Discovered by an Accident.

Cheap commercial acetylene gas was discovered by accident. Willson, a scientific experimenter, believed that nearly all metallic oxides could be reduced to a metallic state by heating them to an extremely high temperature by the voltaic arc in the presence of free carbon. Aluminium had been successfully reduced in this way. Mr. Willson wished to obtain metallic calcium. He therefore mixed a quantity of quicklime with pulverized coke and brought the mixture to a high temperature by the action of the voltaic arc. He expected to obtain a white metal, but instead he appeared to produce nothing but slag. This was thrown into the yard, and one day at noon while the boys were having their luncheon they picked up these bits of slag and threw them at each other. One piece fell into a pail of water and produced a bubbling effect and a strong odor. This attracted Mr. Willson's attention, and upon investigation he found that the strong smelling gas was extremely inflammable. Further investigation revealed that it was pure acetylene gas.—Sir Hiram Maxim in Harper's Weekly.

THE GYPSIES.

Their Tribes Existed In Europe From Immemorial Times.

Gypsies were found in England about 1514, according to "A Dyalogue of Sir Thomas More" (1529), but the exact year of their arrival is unknown. They were present in Scotland in 1505, and possibly they were the "Saracens" whose depredations in that country prior to 1460 are on record.

Batalllard and other authors believe that gypsies existed in Europe from immemorial times, for they find no account of their crossing the Bosporus, and no record is known to exist of their passage to England or Scotland.

They were better received in these countries than in any other, but so early as 1531 an act was passed requiring the Egyptians to quit the realm under pain of death, a similar edict being issued in Scotland in 1541 and at varying periods in most of the European states.

Transportation across the seas was among the milder means adopted and probably was the cause of much further dispersion of the tribes. Under Henry VIII. gypsies were shipped from England to Norway or France, and from France, so recently as 1802, they were deported to Africa.

The Hero.

He was a thoughtful citizen and kindly withal.

The building upon which his eyes were fastened was in flames.

From a third story window protruded a head.

It was a disheveled head bearing a child's golden curls.

At home a little golden haired girl was awaiting him.

What if that were his own?

The impulse to tear his coat from his manly form and rush up the ladder to seize the child and bear her to safety was strong upon him.

How strong nobody but himself knew.

For another feeling had come over him.

He thought: "Suppose I should rush up to that window and save that child. The papers would be full of it. I should become a hero. Some fireman would thus be cheated out of his just meed of praise. Whatever I am I am not selfish and greedy. Let the other man have the glory. I shall sacrifice my personal interests and remain a humble citizen."

Saying which wise and courageous things within himself, he stood without moving a muscle while a large and brawny fireman carried the little girl down a ladder and placed her in the arms of her frantic mother.

Moral.—True heroism often exists in men who are too modest to let the public even suspect it.—Baltimore American.

Took Him For a Gentleman.

A bookseller in New York city tells a story which admirably illustrates the tact and humor of Bernard Quaritch, the London dealer in books and manuscripts. The New York man visited Quaritch's shop for the purpose of obtaining a number of valuable scientific works. After making his selection he stepped up to Mr. Quaritch and asked the price. As Mr. Quaritch began to quote the figures the American interrupted him, saying: "But I am a dealer myself. What are the trade prices?" "Oh," replied the famous bookman, "I thought you were a gentleman." The American was taken aback for a moment, but only for a moment, for Mr. Quaritch held out his hand and said smilingly: "But I am delighted to find that you are not only a gentleman, but a dealer as well. The trade discount is one-third off."

The Boston Maid.

Mary—I think I be like the boss' coat; I'm made to order. Mistress—Well, Mary, you certainly are not a ready maid article.—Boston Transcript.

They All Do.

Mother—Dickie, what do you want for a birthday present? Dickie—I want to be my own boss.—Indianapolis Journal.

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A CONVERTED ANARCHIST

[Original.]

The man who told me this story is dead or I could not tell it without almost surely occasioning his death:

"I was a poor man, though I belonged to a good family and had been well educated. At college I imbibed revolutionary, not to say communistic, doctrines which influenced me, but not seriously, until on coming out of the university I lost my father and the assistance he had given me; then, facing the world with no means, I was drawn to embrace anarchism. There was no excuse for me. I was young, and the world was before me. I was one of the impractical, theorizing kind who prefer trying to revolutionize natural laws rather than work. Added to this, I had the faculty of inspiring others. I joined a band of anarchists and became a leader among them.

"My mother had a brother of whom I had never heard. He was considered the black sheep of the family and was never spoken of to me, the only child of his only sister. He had run away as a boy and had broken his mother's heart by never writing a line. Up to the time I became an anarchist he had never been heard from. Judge of my surprise one day to learn through solicitors that this uncle had died in South America and left a fortune of $850,000 to me.

"How quickly my theories of the world's wrongs vanished! I did not dare to break my connection with anarchists, but gradually ceased to attend meetings. One day I was horrified at receiving an order to assassinate one of the crowned heads of Europe. I knew well that should I refuse I would be myself assassinated. One advantage I would have in disobeying the order—I was rich and could isolate myself from any one who might attempt to kill me. I turned my fortune into gold and disappeared. A few weeks later I turned up in one of the southern states. My hair, which had been a light brown, was black. My beard, which had been but a few tufts, was now luxuriant. My name was changed. Indeed, as little of my old self remained as I could help. I bought a small plantation and pretended to raise cotton. In its center was my house, and no one could reach me without passing a number of my employees, whose duty it was to keep off an enemy.

"I lived for several years without hearing from my old associates, but this only assured me that at the outset I had eluded them. I knew that I had been condemned and some one had been appointed to kill me. The only question was, Would my executioner tire of the work or be withdrawn for lack of funds or other causes?

"One day I noticed that a new candy store had been opened in the village. I went inside and looked over the stock. It was very meager, and I bought nothing. A young woman who stood behind the counter looked disappointed and asked me to give an order for anything I liked and she would execute it. I am fond of chocolate and told her to make me some chocolate creams. She promised to have them ready the next day and send them to me. Instead of sending she brought them. When she was announced I told my guards to admit her. She was a very attractive looking person, and I did not desire to keep her away. She asked me to try her chocolates and tell her wherein they did not please me. I ate a few of them and pronounced them excellent. That seemed to satisfy her, and she left at once, though I would have been glad to have her remain longer.

"In a week I went by the candy shop, stopped and gave her an order for some more chocolates. She told me that she knew of a new kind that she was sure I had never eaten. I gave her an order for some of them, telling her that I would not put her to the trouble of sending them, but would call for them. I did so, but they were not ready. I called again, but still they had not been made. The woman told me that certain ingredients were required, for which she had been obliged to send to the city. She would bring them when they were ready.

"Meanwhile I never relaxed my vigilance in keeping any suspicious person from my house, and both there and when I went out I was secretly armed 'to the teeth.'

"One day the candy woman was announced, and I ordered her to be admitted. She handed me the box of chocolates, and while I tried them she amused herself with an Italian greyhound I had always with me. The dog was lying on a rug at the other end of the room, and she went over to him and patted him. On opening the box I found the chocolates in layers of four large, flat squares. I ate two and found them delicious. The third I threw to the dog, who caught it in his teeth and swallowed it. I noticed that the woman turned pale. I was about to eat the fourth when I saw the dog looking at it longingly. I tossed it to him. As I did so the woman gave a shriek. The dog caught it, as before. There was an explosion, and his head was spattered over the room.

"The secret was out. The woman had been commissioned to murder me! She was knocked senseless by the explosion. I was unhurt."

An arrangement was made between the ex-anarchist and the woman. She wrote that she had killed her man. A coffin full of stones was buried, and the man was never again seen on his plantation. Then a notice was published of the woman's death—caused by wounds—which she managed to have reach an anarchist circle. The two lived together as man and wife till the husband's death a few years ago.

ALVA GOODSELL.

Breton Children.

The Breton children are pious, superstitious, stolid, strong, patient and very thorough. The girls are intelligent and interesting. They are the mainstays of the family. A child of ten undertakes to superintend both household work and the farm. The boys are more or less stupid, handsome, bronze faced country urchins. Bee culture seems to be the favorite occupation of the Breton boy. The insects will come at his bidding and will even cover him from head to foot without stinging.

Turning Away Wrath.

"I don't believe you love me any more," pouted she.

"I couldn't," replied he.

After thinking it over she smiled and told him she could make the same old dress do another season.—Houston Post.

His Thrifty Way.

Muchmoney—Do you usually order your dinner by the card?

Nocash—No; by the price.—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

Learning without thought is labor lost. Thought without learning is perilous.—Confucius.

TOUR TO PACIFIC COAST AND GRAND CANYON—RATE $105.

On account of the General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, to be held at Los Angeles, Cal., beginning May 3, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will run a personally conducted tour to Los Angeles, visiting the Grand Canyon of Arizona en route, at unusually low rates. A special train of the highest grade Pullman equipment will leave New York, Philadelphia, and Pittsburg on Wednesday, April 27, running via Chicago and the Santa Fe Route to the Grand Canyon. Sunday will be spent at this wonderful place, and Los Angeles will be reached on the evening of May 2. Round trip tickets, including transportation, one double berth, and meals on special train going; and transportation only returning on regular trains via direct routes or via San Francisco, will be sold at rate of $106 from New York, $105 from Philadelphia, Baltimore, and Washington, and $100 from Pittsburg. Tickets will be good to return at any time before June 30. Tourists returning via St. Louis may stop off for ten days to visit the World's Fair, by depositing ticket and paying $1.00 fee. A descriptive itinerary will be sent on application to Geo. W. Boyd, General Passenger Agent, Broad Street Station, Philadelphia, Pa.

Good Advice.

Now is one season of the year when the clippers may often be used on the horse with the utmost benefit to the animal and its owner. Perhaps there is no other season at which they may be resorted to with such great benefit. The horse which has had to live in a cold stable all winter has of necessity grown for protection a long rough coat of hair. The longer and rougher the coat, and the less the care that has been bestowed on it in the way of grooming, the harder it will be for the animal to shed it and the greater will be the consequent drain on his system during that necessary process. Let, however, the sharp clippers be brought to his aid and the situation is changed as if by magic, provided that the owner or caretaker has sense enough to see to it that the animal is not exposed to conditions which will cause him to take cold or contract some more serious disease. Horses that are very rough in coat and many that are not particularly hirsute should be clipped in the spring. Usually the weather grows warmer at a somewhat rapid rate and more especially is this trae after a frigid winter such as we have gone through since November 1, or thereby. Even if the temperature is not actually high for the time of year, indeed if it is only normal, it is relatively very warm, and the poor horse forced to work in his rough winter coat suffers much in consequence.

Divorce Granted in Two Cases.

A session of argument court was held Saturday forenoon with R. R. Little, President, and Frank G. Blee, Associate Judge, on the bench. The session was given over principally to a consideration of cases where the marital yoke had become irksome and a severance was prayed for.

There were three such cases before court. A divorce was granted in the case of Anna L. Confer vs. Jacob W. Confer. Marriage was also dissolved in the case of Harriet A. Delsite vs William H. Delsite. In the case of Eugene O'Hara vs. Mary O'Hara, after an argument the court took the papers.

Dr. A. K. Aldinger, of the Bloomsburg State Normal School has been elected captain and manager of the Atlantic City base ball team for the coming season. As an excellent trainer of raw material, Dr. Aldinger is known throughout the athletic world, and will no doubt make his team give a good account of it elf.

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Easy to take and easy to act is that famous little pill DeWitt's Little Early Risers. This is due to the fact that they tonic the liver instead of purging it. They never gripe nor sicken, not even the most delicate lady, and yet they are so certain in results that no one who uses them is disappointed. They cure torpid liver, constipation, biliousness, jaundice, headache, malaria and ward off pneumonia and fevers.

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Notice is hereby given that letters Testamentary upon the estate of said B. R. Gearhart have been granted to the undersigned. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay to

MARY LOUISA GEARHART,
Executrix, Danville Pa.
or to Robert Y. Gearhart at First National Bank, Danville, Pa.

ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE.

ESTATE OF JAMES L BEACH LATE OF MOORESBURG, MONTOUR COUNTY, PA.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the above estate have been granted to the undersigned. All persons indebted to the said estate are required to make payment, and those having claims or demands against the said estate will make known the same without delay to

MARGARET J. BEACH,
Administratrix, Mooresburg, Pa.

Another Honor for Dr. Priestly.

There are many claims set forth regarding the invention of soda water, but a discussion in England has brought out the fact that Dr. Priestly, who later came to Northumberland, had the idea and very probably deserves credit for the discovery.

It is a matter of history that in 1772 Dr. Priestly invented the method of impregnating water with "fixed air," that is, with carbonic acid produced from whiting or chalk by the action of sulphuric acid under either atmospheric or increased pressure.

Dr. Priestly, the celebrated theologian, scientist and chemist, is regarded as the teal father of both the mineral and aerated water industries.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS.

Reduced Rates to Washington via Pennsylvania Railroad.

For the benefit of those desiring to attend the meeting of the Knights of Columbus, to be held at Washington, D. C., April 13, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell round-trip tickets to Washington from all stations on its lines at reduced rates. These tickets will be sold April 11, 12, and 13, and will be good for return passage until April 18, inclusive.

Orphan's Court Sale
—OF—
Valuable Real Estate!

ESTATE OF CATHERINE KRATZ LATE OF THE BOROUGH OF DANVILLE, MONTOUR COUNTY, PA., DECEASED.

IN PARTITION.

Pursuant to an order of Sale, the undersigned appointed by the Orphan's Court of said County, a Trustee for such purpose, will expose to public sale upon the premises situated in the Fourth Ward of the said Borough of Danville, Montour County, Penna., on

Saturday, April 30, '04

at two o'clock in the afternoon of the said day, the following described real estate of the said decedent, to wit:

All of that certain messuage, tenement and town-lot of land situate in the Fourth Ward of the Borough of Danville, in the County of Montour and State of Pennsylvania bounded, numbered and described as follows: Bounded and fronting eastwardly fifty feet on Vine street, on the south by an alley one hundred and twenty-four feet westwardly, on the west by an alley fifty feet northwardly, and northwardly by a lot Number one hundred and forty-eight, one hundred and twenty-four feet eastwardly to Vine Street, containing in width on Vine street fifty feet and in length one hundred and twenty-four feet, and numbered one hundred and fifty, as marked in the plan of York's addition to the said Borough of Danville, with the appurtenances, and whereupon are erected a

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and other usual out-buildings:

TERMS OF SALE:—Twenty-five per cent. of the purchase money shall be paid in cash at the striking down of the property, and the balance thereof shall be paid upon this confirmation absolute of such sale. Deed to be delivered to the purchaser or purchasers upon such confirmation absolute, and the costs of writing the same shall be paid by such purchaser or purchasers.

GEORGE MAIERS, Trustee.
Edward Sayre Gearhart, Counsel,
Danville, Pa., March 28th, 1904.

PROPOSALS.

COMMISSON FOR THE SELECTION OF A SITE AND THE ERECTION OF A STATE INSTITUTION FOR THE FEEBLE MINDED AND EPILEPTIC IN EASTERN PENNSYLVANIA.

The Commission for the selection of a site and the erection of a State Institution for the Treatment of the Feeble Minded and Epileptic will receive proposals for a site for said institution until noon, Friday, April 15, 1904. Said site, under act of Assembly approved May 15, 1903, must be located in Eastern Pennsylvania, and must meet all the requirements of said act. See pamphlet Laws, 1903; page 446.

Proposals should be accompanied by a general topographical and descriptive plan of the property; its size, railroad facilities, water supply, drainage and altitude.

The Commission reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals; also reserves the right to accept or reject any part or parts of any proposals.

Proposals should be addressed to the Secretary of the Commission, 625 Walnut street, Philadelphia, Pa., and marked "Proposals for a Site for a State Institution for the Care and Treatment of Epileptics and Feeble Minded Persons in Eastern Pennsylvania."

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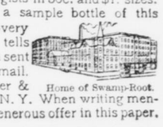

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Estate of William N. Simington, late of Liberty township, Montour county, Pa., deceased.

Notice is hereby given that letters of Administration on the above estate have been granted to the undersigned. All persons indebted to the said estate are required to make payment, and those having claims or demands against the said estate, will make known the same without delay, to

M. Simington, Admin.
of W. N. Simington deceased

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Jacob Reaser, late of the Township of Mahoning, in the County of Montour and State of Pennsylvania, deceased.

Notice is herbey given that letters testamentary on the above estate have been granted to the undersigned. All persons indebted to the said estate are required to make payment, and those having claims or demands against the said estate will make known the same without delay to

C. C. NEWBAKER,
Executor of Jacob Reaser, deceased.
P. O. Address Danville, Pa.

EXECUTRIX NOTICE.

Estate of Paul Dubin.

Notice is hereby given that letters Testamentary on the estate of Paul Dubin, late of the Borough of Danville, Montour county, State of Pennsylvania, deceased, have been granted to Jennie Walker, residing in said Borough of Danville, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay

JENNIE WALKER,
Executrix of the last will of Paul Dubin, deceased, 724 6 East Market street, Danville, Pa.

WM. J. BALDY, Atty.

EXECUTORS NOTICE.

Estate of M. D. L. Sechler, late of the Borough of Danville in the County of Montour and State of Pennsylvania, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the above estate have been granted to the undersigned. All persons indebted to the said estate are required to make payment, and those having claims or demands against the said estate will make known the same without delay to

ROSANAH SECHLER,
WM. SECHLER,
IDA M. SECHLER
Executors of M. D. L. Sechler, dec'd.
P. O. Address Danville, Pa.
EDWARD S. GEARHART, Counsel.

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