

LOCAL TIME TABLES.	
PENN. A. R. R.	
EAST.	WEST.
7.11 A. M.	9.00 A. M.
10.17 "	12.10 P. M.
3.21 P. M.	4.31 "
5.50 "	7.51 "
SUNDAYS.	
10.17 A. M.	4.31 P. M.
D. L. & W. R. R.	
EAST.	WEST.
7.07 A. M.	9.15 A. M.
10.19 "	12.44 P. M.
3.21 P. M.	4.33 "
5.43 "	7.10 "
SUNDAYS.	
7.07 A. M.	12.44 P. M.
5.43 P. M.	9.10 "
PHILA. & READING R. R.	
NORTH.	SOUTH.
7.53 A. M.	11.25 A. M.
3.55 P. M.	6.39 P. M.
BLOOM STREET.	
7.55 A. M.	11.21 A. M.
3.58 P. M.	6.33 P. M.

MAKES PLEA FOR RIVER FISH

HARRISBURG, March 20.—Fish Commissioner Meshan very strongly objects to the damming of the Susquehanna river at McCall's Ferry, where a great power plant is being installed. It is rumored that a gigantic lawsuit will be the outcome of this obstruction to the stream. Attorney General Carson is already engaged in looking up authorities on the matter. In his forthcoming annual report Commissioner Meshan will say:

"If the dam at McCall's Ferry is constructed it would mean, if not the complete wiping out of the shad industry, its reduction to narrow limits, for the natural migration of the fish up the stream beyond McCall's Ferry would only be possible by means of fishways. It is a well known fact that of all the fishes the shad is the most timid and it hesitates about going through any kind of a fishway that has been designed. The more courageous, it is true, pass through, as has been evidenced by the fishway placed in Clark's Ferry dam by the State, but the number which go through in comparison to those which refuse is comparatively few.

"I feel the shad industry ought to be developed, not destroyed, or even interfered with, even for the purpose for which the McCall Power company proposes to build the dam. It is not merely a question of dollars and cents which has to be considered, but the right of the people to have within their reach a very valuable and important food commodity at little cost.

"It is not merely the shad industry that would be destroyed, but the eel industry also, and what is true of the eel and shad industry is also true of a number of other fishes, the herring for example, which ascends for some distance above McCall's Ferry under present conditions. In dollars and cents the total loss to the people along the Susquehanna river would be comparatively speaking in the neighborhood of half a million of dollars a year, but more important than the dollars and cents would be the loss of food."

THOMAS SANDERS HEARD FROM

Former Post Commander William M. Heddens has received a letter from Thomas Sanders, the oldest member of Goodrich Post No. 22, G. A. R., who at present is an inmate of the National Military Home at Montgomery county, Ohio.

Thomas Sanders, who is in his eighty seventh year, went to Dayton less than a year ago. He is pretty well pleased with the great military home, but has been sick nearly all the time since his arrival there. At the time of his writing he was confined in the hospital. He says he has written a number of letters east since being in the home, but Comrade Heddens was the only one who had sent a reply. He was delighted to hear from Danville.

There are provisions for about seven thousand soldiers at the home. About 4800, Mr. Sanders says, are in camp at the present time; about 1,400 are absent on furlough. There are 300 in the hospital and the deaths daily number 6 or 7.

Mr. Sanders is looking forward to a visit to his old home in May, but at present he is barely able to walk owing to swollen feet. He finds everything very pleasant and clean. The bedding, he says, is as white as snow. Even the floors, are so scrupulously clean that one could rub a white handkerchief over them without soiling it. The food, too, is all that could be desired.

Mr. Sanders says he has just received his "new clothes" and adds: "They fit like a button. I now look like an old soldier once more. It makes me feel proud—if I only felt well enough to enjoy them."

In conclusion he repeats the request that his friends in Danville write him oftener, and adds with a ring of pathos: "Don't forget that I may not be here long."

SEVERE ON QUACKS.

State Health Commissioner Samuel G. Dixon would make short work of the "quack" doctor, by having his state medical license revoked, the moment it was proved that the man was carrying on a business or acting in his professional capacity in such a manner as to bring disgrace upon the medical profession and harm to the victims of his charlatanism.

Dr. Dixon brought out this point very forcibly Monday night, in opening the discussion at the College of Physicians, following a paper on "Quackery: What are we going to do about it?" read by Clampe S. Andrews, Esq., of New York, before the Medical Jurisprudence Society of Philadelphia.

"If a lawyer in this State" said Health Commissioner Dixon, "trifled with the affairs of his client, or carried on the moneymaking operations like some of the so-called physicians who are openly trifling with the lives of their patients by a knavish practice of medicine, they would be at once denounced by practicing law. Yet the present laws of this State permit the medical quack to go on acting as a legally-physician, practicing under the official license that bears the seal of this great Commonwealth. He may have been convicted of mal-practice, yet go about flaunting a State license.

"It is time," continued Health Commissioner Dixon, "that we band together and prepare a bill to be presented to the next legislature empowering the State medical examining board to revoke medical licenses when it is proven that they have fallen into the hands of charlatans and quacks."

NEW SILK MILL AT BERWICK.

In addition to the present silk mill of F. Q. Hartman, at Berwick, another mill, probably in West Berwick, will be in all probability erected by Mr. Hartman in the near future.

Mr. Hartman has been considering the purchase of a plot of ground in West Berwick for that purpose and has already looked over the land that would make a satisfactory site for his mill. Should the plant be erected in West Berwick it will be with a view of considering the help question, thus giving him one plant in each of that town and making it more convenient for the employees.

Should the new plant, which is being given the greatest consideration be built, it will require a building about 53 x 200 feet, one or two stories and would be used as a floss, fringe and machine twist mill, giving employment to about 130 hands, the present mill employing about the same number of hands. A number of other improvements have recently been made to the mill now in operation at Berwick.

THIS IS YOUR CHANCE.

Special Classes in Stenography and Typewriting will be conducted during the Spring Term (which will open March 26th) in the Commercial Department of the State Normal School, at Bloomsburg, Pa. Teachers whose schools do not close in time for them to begin on the 26th, may enter later.

J. P. WELSH, Principal.

Want Brick Paving.

Burgess Krietzler, of Milton, is opposed to the further macadamizing of the streets of that town, and declares strongly for the substitution of asphalt or vitrified brick for paving purposes. Macadam at an original cost of \$2 a square yard, he says, is expensive to keep in repair, while asphalt or brick, costing \$1.75 a square yard, has wearing qualities of from twenty-five to forty years.

ACCEPTED POSITION.

Jeremiah Fisher has accepted a position as billing clerk in the office of the Danville Stove and Manufacturing Company. As operator and clerk Mr. Fisher was in the employ of the P. & R. railway company for about a dozen years. He is capable and trustworthy and will no doubt give good satisfaction in his new position.

OLD SOLDIERS STILL ACTIVE

The season of the year is now approaching when the veterans of the G. A. R. begin to bestow some thought on Memorial day, which is only a couple of months distant. In conversation with some members of Goodrich Post yesterday it was learned that Memorial day here this year will be celebrated with the usual march to the cemetery and with all the features that have assisted to make the occasion so impressive in the past.

This is quite gratifying in view of the fact that in some other places, notably in a city like Williamsport, the G. A. R. camp this year will hold its last parade. Everywhere the rank of the defenders of the Union are thinning out and those who survive begin to feel the burden of advancing years. As a body they hardly feel equal to the task of marching to the cemetery in military style much longer. Arrangements therefore are being made to observe Memorial day this year all the more elaborately to mark the passing of the time-honored parade of the civil war veterans to the graves of their departed comrades.

The members of Goodrich Post yesterday stated that not only would the veterans of the civil war in Danville march to the cemetery in true military style this year, but they would continue to do so for years to come. Sixteen old soldiers died in Danville during the past year, of this number twelve being members of Goodrich Post. The post has still a hundred members. A large proportion of these are still relatively young and are still able to do some pretty active hustling while engaged in their daily pursuits.

Danville is fortunate in having a camp of Sons of Veterans, one of the objects of which is to perpetuate the observance of memorial day, taking up the work of decorating the graves and looking after all the other details as fast as advancing years disqualify the surviving veterans for the performance of that tender duty. Colonel Eckman Camp No. 23, Sons of Veterans is very enthusiastic as to its duty in this line and already last year rendered the veterans much assistance.

The local camp of Sons of Veterans has now been fully equipped with guns and this year they will step in to perform the duty of firing squad at the cemetery, a part of the program which heretofore was always performed by the National guardsmen.

CURE YOUR KIDNEYS.

Do not Endanger Life When a Danville Citizen Shows You the Cure.

Why will people continue to suffer the agonies of kidney complaint, backache, urinary disorders, lameness, headache, etc., when they allow themselves to become chronic invalids, when a certain cure is offered them?

Doan's Kidney Pills is the remedy to use, because it gives to the kidneys the help they need to perform their work.

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D. F. Dieffenbacher, owner of Hotel St. Charles, Williamsport, Pa., who lives at 916 East Market Street, Danville, Pa., says: "During the year 1901, while living in Niagara Falls, N. Y., I caught a heavy cold which settled in my kidneys and back. I suffered from excruciating pains across my joints and an indescribable weakness through my back. I was unable to stoop to pick up a small package without experiencing pain across my joints. I lay around for a whole week unable to get any relief, although I used several remedies. A friend of mine who had used Doan's Kidney Pills recommended them to me and I obtained a box and used them. From that time to this I have had no return of the backache. I can now recommend Doan's Kidney Pills very highly."

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ROOSEVELT WILL ATTEND.

President Roosevelt will personally participate in the dedication of the new Pennsylvania State Capitol, at Harrisburg, Thursday, October 4th.

The President himself selected the date, the courtesy of so doing having been left to him by the dedication commission in order that nothing should stand in the way of his coming.

Although the dedication commission has not been formally notified, an Associated Press dispatch from Washington tells of the official announcement there of the President's acceptance of the invitation to come to Harrisburg, and that October 4 has been named as the day.

The formal invitation to President Roosevelt was extended several weeks ago.

The members of the dedication committee are Governor Pennypacker, Senator William C. Sprull, of Chester; Senator John E. Fox, of Harrisburg; and Speaker Henry F. Walton, of Philadelphia.

Details of the dedication are not arranged. The Legislature has appropriated \$50,000 to defray expenses. This insures an elaborate ceremony. One of the features will be a big parade of the National Guard of Pennsylvania, reviewed by the President and Governor Pennypacker. There will probably also be a public reception to the President.

BUILDING BOATS IN DANVILLE.

County Commissioner George R. Sechler has come to the front with some interesting information relating to the old boat yards of Danville, a full recollection of which lingers in the minds of only a few persons.

P. G. Baylor of South Danville, also recalls the boat yard on East Market street, Daniel Lynn, one of the proprietors being his uncle. Mr. Sechler says that Daniel Lynn was in partnership with Henry Ammerman and that their boat yard along about 1847 was situated along the canal at the rear of Esterbrook's store. Our county commissioner says as a boy of ten years he used to sit and watch the workmen as they drew the boats out of the canal by the clumsy methods then in vogue.

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INDUSTRIAL PEACE.

While the outlook at this moment is ominous of serious trouble between the miners and their employers in both the bituminous and the anthracite regions, there is still hope for a peaceful settlement. John Mitchell, the leader of the miners, understands the grave consequences of a strike and is doing all he can to promote peaceful counsels. He is not ready to surrender entirely to the operators, but he is willing to meet them at least half way in any effort to arrange the matters still in controversy.

Francis L. Robbins, who is the spokesman for the bituminous operators, is also disposed toward an agreement. There is reason to believe that if the matter were left to the unbiased judgment of Mr. Robbins and Mr. Mitchell there would be a speedy end to the uncertainty existing and the clouds now hanging about the industrial horizon would quickly disappear and popular confidence would be restored. It is too much to hope that the sound business sense of these two gentlemen will be permitted to dominate the assembled joint conference?

MUST PAY FOR PAUPERS.

The grand jury of Blair county has made a departure by recommending that the county commissioners compel the Pennsylvania Railroad company to pay the county at least \$1.50 a day for each person maintained at the almshouse who is taken there after having met with an accident along the railroad. The bill met with general favor and approval. This entire expense has heretofore been borne by the county.

Don't frown—look pleasant. If you are suffering from indigestion or sour stomach, take Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. Hon. J. L. Moore, of Atlanta, Ga., says: "I suffered more than 20 years with indigestion. A friend recommended Kodol. It relieved me in one day and I now enjoy better health than for many years. Kodol digests what you eat, relieves constipation, soothes the stomach, belching, etc. Sold by Paulus & Co."

WEATHER ON ST. PATRICK'S DAY

St. Patrick's day, Saturday, which according to tradition should have been accompanied with stormy weather, brought us clear skies and sunshine although the snow was nearly a foot deep and mercury was down below freezing. During the night it became very nearly as cold as at any time during the winter, the thermometer registering 4 degrees above zero. This is a little remarkable in view of the fact that the advent of spring is only two days distant and that on St. Patrick's day a year ago mercury stood at 40 degrees during the afternoon, the weather being so warm as to make the shady side of the streets desirable, especially to those who were heavy overcoats.

While in the cities and in the larger towns the memory of St. Patrick was honored with song and toast and addresses from men in all walks of life, in Danville the day was observed only in the very quietest manner. Every loyal Celt in honor of the patron Saint of Erin wore upon his person emerald green, either a buttonhole or a bow of green ribbon on the lapel, of his coat. The very best of order prevailed on the day and in the evening reigned upon the streets.

For several years past St. Patrick's day has been observed in Danville in the same quiet unostentatious manner that marked the observance Saturday. There has been an absence of elaborate functions, of addresses and the like, but the bit of emerald green was always in evidence, wherever there were true Irishmen indicating that deep in the heart was a patriotic feeling, a fond memory of the Emerald Isle, which during all the years of their sojourn here was still fervent and undimmed.

WHO CAN RECALL THE BOAT YARD?

How many of our citizens can remember when there was a boat yard in Danville? A group of citizens, none of whom were much over sixty years, Saturday evening, was discussing the matter. Only one was able to recall the boat yard and to describe it minutely. All of the others, although lifelong residents of Danville seemed to have forgotten that such a concern as a boat yard ever existed in Danville.

Charles Mottern, an old-time boatman, recalled the boatyard, which he said, was situated along the canal in the vicinity of Jacob Dietz's property, East Market street. Here the boats, which needed overhauling, by means of long skills and an ingenious system of trucks and tackle were drawn up out of the canal. It was a busy spot, as boats were constantly being repaired here, even if some were not wholly built.

The canal went out of commission some five years ago. We still have the old boatman with us and the conversation Saturday night revealed how fondly they dwell in memory on the boating days and how much interest they take in everything that pertains to the old ditch.

The well-known boatmen of Danville who still survive are the six Mottern brothers—Charles, Peter, Joseph, Samuel, Daniel and Jeremiah, the latter residing at Watsontown. As a successful and experienced boatman no one on the whole canal system was known better than our county commissioner, George R. Sechler. Two other well-known boatmen of Danville were Ellis Rank and William Miller. There are a number of others here who followed the canal as rowmen and drivers, but the above is thought to comprise nearly all those living in our town who rose to the rank of captain.

These men probably with few exceptions spent the greater part of their lives on the canal beginning when boys as drivers. They became accustomed to the business but acquired little experience that would help them along in any other pursuit. When the canal was abandoned, therefore, it was a hard blow to these men, the most of whom had passed the meridian of life and it is doubtful whether they have quite succeeded in adjusting themselves to altered conditions. One of these ex-boatmen was asked whether he did not miss the canal very much when it was abandoned. "Yes, we missed it," he and added significantly, "we still miss it." The most of the old boatmen have gone into hauling, as about the only thing that remained for them. They probably find enough to do, but the employment bears no comparison to the independent, the free and easy life on the canal which they followed for so many years and came to love with all their hearts.

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FAREWELL SURPRISE PARTY.

A genuine surprise party was tendered Mrs. John Poeth, Friday night, when a host of neighbors and friends invaded the pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. Poeth, on Cooper street and took possession almost before the hostess realized what was transpiring. Mr. and Mrs. Poeth who have resided in this city for seven years, will take up their residence in Lewisburg about April first, and their many friends and neighbors in Danville regret very much their departure.

The evening was spent in a social way, and one very enjoyable feature was the sumptuous spread prepared by the ladies, which was enjoyed by everybody present. The success of the affair was due to the efforts of Mrs. John Hartzel who arranged every detail without the least suspicion on the part of the hostess, and a perfect surprise was the result. Tokens of remembrance were presented to Mrs. Poeth by the guests.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. John A. Hartzel, Mr. and Mrs. Edwar Albeck, Mr. and Mrs. John M. Gibbons, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Ashton, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. McCoy, Mrs. Lewis Wray, Mrs. William D. Laumaster, Mrs. James Wertman, Mrs. George Blue, Mrs. John G. Waite, Mrs. William Quinn, Mrs. John Reese, Mrs. Charles Hauser, Mrs. Seth Frazier, Mrs. A. LaRue, Mrs. John Straub, Mrs. Charles Fisher, Miss Edith Reese, Jennie Waite, Doris Sandel, Mary Krum, Minnie Girton, Annie Geringer, Mildred Albeck, Eva Ashton, Anna Lyon and Elmer Poeth.

LINKER—AMMERMAN.

Harry R. Linker and Miss Margaret Ammerman were united in the holy bonds of matrimony on Saturday evening. The ceremony was performed at 8 o'clock by Rev. Dr. M. L. Shindel, at the residence of the latter, Lower Mulberry street. After the knot was tied the newly wedded couple proceeded to their own newly furnished home in the Lyon block, Ferry street, where they at once entered upon the experience of housekeeping.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Ammerman of Guilch's Addition and is well-known and esteemed. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Linker, West Mahoning street. He is a stoveware manufacturer employed at the plant of the Danville Stove and Manufacturing company. He is a skilled workman and an industrious and popular young man.

The best way to rid the system of a cold is to evacuate the bowels with Kodol's Laxative Honey and Tar acts as a pleasant, yet effectual cathartic on the bowels. It clears the head, cures the phlegm out of the throat, strengthens the bronchial tubes, relieves coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough, etc. Sold by Paulus & Co.

AN IMPORTANT OPINION.

"An opinion relating to constables' fees, which affects nearly every county in the State, has just been handed down in the superior court. It is that of Constable John Newton vs. the county of Luzerne. Newton, when refused payment by the controller, sued the county for a bid for subpoenaing witnesses. He charged \$1 for serving the subpoena, and 50 cents a mile for each additional one, and 10 cents a mile for mileage. The constable's bill was based upon the sheriff's fee bill of 1861. The county cut down the bill to 30 cents for serving the two subpoenas and 6 cents a mile for mileage. In a case stated Newton then appealed to the superior court and has been worsted.

Coal strike possibilities keep the gossamers busy.

SERUM KILLS DIPHTHERIA

Dr. Samuel G. Dixon, health commissioner, makes the marvelous announcement from records compiled in his office, that during the four months of November and December, 1905, and January and February 1906, there has not been a single death from diphtheria where the free antitoxin provided by the State has been used within 24 hours after the onset of the disease and in doses recommended in the circular sent out by the commissioner.

Gratifying results had been previously reported, but nothing then indicated the possible eradication of the death rate in a disease so long and so uniformly considered deadly. The previous report, after the most limited test of the free antitoxin among patients considered too poor to pay for the serum, showed a decrease of nearly 90 per cent. in the death rate. Even this was a splendid result and showed the great benefits of the State paying for antitoxin for those who might otherwise die. But the report for the latest four months is indeed wonderful—an achievement, scarcely dreamed of by the most advanced and optimistic scientist a short time ago.

Dr. Dixon attaches great importance to this, and hopes that the same results will be secured in a far larger number of cases by physicians through out the State using free antitoxin more promptly. This prompt use of antitoxin has been urged by health commissioner Dixon from the start of the free distribution. He has urged it in his correspondence with fellow-medical men and the local boards of health throughout the State, and especially in the circular which is contained in every package of the State's free antitoxin.

"The early use of antitoxin is essential," says Health Commissioner Dixon in his circular, and he endeavors to impress it upon the people by heavily underscoring the words of advice.

In this circular also Dr. Dixon has given general directions for the administration of antitoxin in both curative and immunizing doses that have been found exceedingly helpful to physicians in Pennsylvania. Never less than 3000 units, says Dr. Dixon, should be used for a curative dose; in advanced cases he says to increase the initial curative dose from 3000 to 6000 units.

If improvement is not manifested within six hours following the initial dose give 6000 units, and if no benefit is to be observed within the following eight to twelve hours, repeat the same until a change for the better can be noticed.

All cases showing croupy symptoms should receive large and often-repeated doses.

DOCTORS ARE PUZZLED.

The remarkable recovery of Kenneth McEiver, of Vanceboro, Me., is the subject of much interest to the medical fraternity and a wide circle of friends. He says of his case: "Owing to severe inflammation of the Throat and congestion of the Lungs, three doctors gave me up to die, when, as a last resort, I was induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery and I am happy to say, it saved my life." Cures the worst Coughs and Colds, Bronchitis, Tonsillitis, Weak Lungs, Hoarseness and La-Grippe. Guaranteed at Paulus & Co's drug store. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

LINCOLN LITERARY SOCIETY.

The Lincoln Literary Society of the high school held a meeting Friday afternoon at which time the following program was rendered:

Piano Solo—"Lutzel's Overture." Miss Mae Dreifuss and Miss Foster.

Oration—"Appeal for a Soldiers' Monument in Danville, Mr. Spaldie.

Recitation—"Sixteen," Miss Shepperson.

Debate—"Question: Resolved, That Mines or Federal ownership of coal mines is desirable." The affirmative was upheld by Mr. Still and Mrs. Edward Gearhart. The negative was upheld by Mr. Cromwell and Miss Sidell. The judges, Miss Magill, Mr. Metherell and Mr. Kosterbauer decided in favor of the affirmative.

Piano Duets—"Ben Hur Chariot Race," Miss Clayton and Miss Ethel Shannon.

Reading—"Somebody's Mother," Mr. Jenkins.

A SCIENTIFIC WONDER.

The cures that stand to its credit make Bucklen's Acrea Salve a scientific wonder. It cured E. R. Mulford, lecturer for the Patrons of Husbandry, Waynesboro, Pa., of a distressing case of Piles. It heals the worst Burns, Sores, Boils, Ulcers, Cuts, Wounds, Chilblains and Salt Rheum. Only 25c at Paulus & Co's drug store.

TORURED BY SAVAGES.

Speaking of the torture to which some of the savage tribes in the Philippines subject their captives, reminds me of the intense suffering I endured for three months from inflammation of the Kidneys," says W. M. Sherman, of Cushing, Me. "Nothing helped me until I tried Electric Bitters, three bottles of which completely cured me." Cures Liver Complaint, Dyspepsia, Blood disorders and Malaria; and restores the weak and nervous to robust health. Guaranteed by Paulus & Co., druggists. Price 65c.

GIBSON PICTURE FAD SEIZES COLLECTORS.

The Gibson picture habit has been effectually fastened on a big proportion of the reading population of this section by the publication by the Sunday North American of one of the latest of this great American artist's pictures as an appendix. It has started the Gibson collection fad, and this promises to last until the last of the pictures are out.

There was a time when the Gibson girl was the idol of the young woman. Now the Gibson art supplement gives everybody an opportunity to collect the artist's work, and there will be few homes that will not have a good representation within the next few weeks.

For the time being the collection of Gibson drawings has taken the place of the collection of post cards in Philadelphia, and the fad is certain to spread to all of the towns where the pictures are made so easily obtainable.

The picture which The North American put in issue next Sunday is "A Castle in the Air." It is one of the most forceful of Gibson's works, and teaches a broad moral lesson to young people of all ages.

WIKES—KASNER.

Miss Margaret Kasner on Saturday became the bride of Harry S. Wike of Danville. The ceremony was performed at 9 a. m. at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Mary A. Kasner, Ridgeville, by Rev. C. D. Leber. Both young people are popular and well known.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE TABLETS. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25 cents.

Less Money for Judge Each Day.

The job of President Judge for this judicial district for the remaining months of this year becomes less and less lucrative as the days pass. The position, day in and day out, is worth about \$18.70 a day, the salary for the year being \$5,000. Should the appointment be made today the salary would be about \$88 less than if the appointment had been made on the second of the month when runners were first first that the appointment was likely to be made at any time.

PLANS TO BE MUCH MODIFIED

The trustees held a regular meeting at the Hospital for the Insane Thursday, the following being present: W. L. Gonger, H. M. Schoel, of Danville; Dr. B. H. Dettler, of Williamsport; Howard Lyon, of Hughesville; W. F. Slay, of Watsontown and Dr. Shoemaker, of Wilkes-Barre. The plans and specifications of the heat, light and power plant were approved; bids will be invited immediately and prospects are that before the close of next month work on the plant will be well under way.

Philip H. Johnson, of Philadelphia, the architect, was present at the meeting. He submitted two sets of plans and specifications for the heat, light and power plant—one on the site first selected at the coal dump just west of the hospital buildings and the other at the present steam power plant where the air compressor maintained in connection with the filter system is installed. The two sets of plans and specifications were gotten up at the request of the board of trustees, who late have found some objection to the site at the coal dump at the terminus of the switch, which was the site originally considered in connection with the heat, light and power plant.

The principal circumstance which weighed in favor of the site at the coal dump was that coal could be unloaded from the cars at the door and that the hauling now necessary could be obviated. Later, however, the trustees began to take other things into consideration and arrived at conclusions, which make it more than probable that the plans conceived of a year ago as to heat, light and power may be much modified.

As things stand at present the trustees are much in favor of enlarging or practically rebuilding the present "boiler house" and installing the heat, light and power plant. In the first place they declare that they dislike to depart from the original plan or arrangement of the hospital buildings, which for all the years of their history have stood as a model and after which a large number of other institutions are patterned. They see a large number of advantages in the present location of the boiler house—enough to more than counterbalance what would be gained by eliminating the hauling.

In the first place by remodeling the present boiler house into the heat, light and power plant, connection can be made with the system of buildings by means of the present lines of pipe, whereas if the site at the coal dump be selected an underground conduit of brick at least seven feet deep will have to be constructed for a distance of one thousand feet to carry the steam pipe and the electric current. The construction of this conduit will be a big item in itself, to which must be added the fact that in covering this long distance there will be a considerable loss of power both in steam and electricity which will go on as long as the institution stands.

It was the intention at first to displace steam in the laundry as a motive power and in its place to install an electric motor. Should there be a change in site the fine collar engine will be retained in the laundry and steam continued in use. The present pumping station, with its separate boiler and engine will also be retained.

The plans and specifications for the heat, light and power plant at each of the two sites were approved. Advertising for bids on both plans will begin today. The bids will be opened at a regular meeting of the trustees at the Hospital for the Insane on April 10. The contract will be awarded immediately afterward. The amount of the appropriation for the heat, light and power plant is \$91,000.

WILL START A STOCK FARM

The Maus farm, one of the oldest and best known estates in Montour county, owned by Mrs. Kate Jones, according to present plans this spring will enter upon a new epoch as a stock farm. Horatio P. Jones, son of Mrs. Jones, the owner, purchased the fine lot of Chester White hogs at William Vestime's sale Wednesday and these yesterday were taken to the Maus farm. Other blooded stock will be added in a short time, as it is Mr. Jones' intention to devote himself to the raising and improvement of farm animals.

The Maus farm was originally purchased of the Penns by Mrs. Jones' grandfather, Lewis Maus, in 1769. The farm descended to David D. Maus, who died in 1898, when it passed into the hands of his daughter, Mrs. Jones, present owner. The farm, which lies near town and possesses an abundance of water and broad fertile fields is favorably situated for stock raising. Mr. Jones in addition to being a live stock fancier is a gentleman of education and there is no reason why his new venture with the stock farm should not meet with abundant success.

DOCTORS ARE PUZZLED.

The remarkable recovery of Kenneth McEiver, of Vanceboro, Me., is the subject of much interest to the medical fraternity and a wide circle of friends. He says of his case: "Owing to severe inflammation of the Throat and congestion of the Lungs, three doctors gave me up to die, when, as a last resort, I was induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery and I am happy to say, it saved my life." Cures the worst Coughs and Colds, Bronchitis, Tonsillitis, Weak Lungs, Hoarseness and La-Grippe. Guaranteed at Paulus & Co's drug store. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

LINCOLN LITERARY SOCIETY.

The Lincoln Literary Society of the high school held a meeting Friday afternoon at which time the following program was rendered:

Piano Solo—"Lutzel's Overture." Miss Mae Dreifuss and Miss Foster.

Oration—"Appeal for a Soldiers' Monument in Danville, Mr. Spaldie.

Recitation—"Sixteen," Miss Shepperson.

Debate—"Question: Resolved, That Mines or Federal ownership of coal mines is desirable." The affirmative was upheld by Mr. Still and Mrs. Edward Gearhart. The negative was upheld by Mr. Cromwell and Miss Sidell. The judges, Miss Magill, Mr. Metherell and Mr. Kosterbauer decided in favor of the affirmative.

Piano Duets—"Ben Hur Chariot Race," Miss Clayton and Miss Ethel Shannon.

Reading—"Somebody's Mother," Mr. Jenkins.

A SCIENTIFIC WONDER.

The cures that stand to its credit make Bucklen's Acrea Salve a scientific wonder. It cured E. R. Mulford, lecturer for the Patrons of Husbandry, Waynesboro, Pa., of a distressing case of Piles. It heals the worst Burns, Sores, Boils, Ulcers, Cuts, Wounds, Chilblains and Salt Rheum. Only 25c at Paulus & Co's drug store.

TORURED BY SAVAGES.

Speaking of the torture to which some of the savage tribes in the Philippines subject their captives, reminds me of the intense suffering I endured for three months from inflammation of the Kidneys," says W. M. Sherman, of Cushing, Me. "Nothing helped me until I tried Electric Bitters, three bottles of which completely cured me." Cures Liver Complaint, Dyspepsia, Blood disorders and Malaria; and restores the weak and nervous to robust health. Guaranteed by Paulus & Co., druggists. Price 65c.

GIBSON PICTURE FAD SEIZES COLLECTORS.

The Gibson picture habit has been effectually fastened on a big proportion of the reading population of this section by the publication by the Sunday North American of one of the latest of this great American artist's pictures as an appendix. It has started the Gibson collection fad, and this promises to last until the last of the pictures are out.

There was a time when the Gibson girl was the idol of the young woman. Now the Gibson art supplement gives everybody an opportunity to collect the artist's work, and there will be few homes that will not have a good representation within the next few weeks.

For the time being the collection of Gibson drawings has taken the place of the collection of post cards in Philadelphia, and the fad is certain to spread to all of the towns where the pictures are made so easily obtainable.

The picture which The North American put in issue next Sunday is "A Castle in the Air." It is one of the most forceful of Gibson's works, and teaches a broad moral lesson to young people of all ages.

WIKES—KASNER.

Miss Margaret Kasner on Saturday became the bride of Harry S. Wike of Danville. The ceremony was performed at 9 a. m. at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Mary A. Kasner, Ridgeville, by Rev. C. D. Leber. Both young people are popular and well known.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE TABLETS. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25 cents.

Less Money for Judge Each Day.

The job of President Judge for this judicial district for the remaining months of this year becomes less and less lucrative as the days pass. The position, day in and day out, is worth about \$18.70 a day, the salary for the year being \$5,