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CONDENSED NEWS.

Welcome to the teachers

Buy your presents early. The market house question is causing a lot of real interest among the

Auything the president writes is always interesting reading.

Hunters can now lay away their guns for another year. Old 1906 is now on the last lap. The boy who fills his mind with the

thoughts of the great does a wise thing.

wrad with the most pleasurable an heeded. ticipations to a merry Christmas.

Daniel L. Smiech, of Windsorville, He committed the crime to obtain \$1,belonged to him.

advised the miners to avoid litigation, and of Judge Savidge, who severely condemned the multiplication of cases by justices, has had a good effect so that there are now fewer criminal cases before the Northumberland county court than has been the case for two decades.

Judge Saviage, of Sunbury, has decided that hereafter in Northumberland county the supreme court's ruling would be carried out, that when

of it just in time to find it ablaze. the long bridge a vast amount of dispaper money in such a damaged condition that it had to be sent to Washington for redemption.

As the result of a membership con-Philadelphia, Pittsburg, Scranton and in the election of John Tooey, chief Germantown, in the order named.

Astronomical winter does not begin Butil Dec 21st.

Henry S. Hartley, a grain broker whose home is in Kansas City, Mo., pleaded guilty in the United States district court there to receiving rebates from the St. Louis and San Francisco railway and was fined \$1,000.

While 1.500 Pittsburg school teachers were holding an institute, school convention, entered the lunchroom and ate up all the things prepared for the institute collation.

Benjamin Brotsman, John Opdyke and George Runyon dropped seven stories in an elevator in the Drake building, Easton, and were not seriously injur- Rupp. Friendship, 58; third assistant, ed. Haymond Rush, suspended at the Harry Long. Washington, 32; fourth top of the shaft, was rescued by Run- assistant, Thomas Grimes, Continenyon.

It is now announced that the legis lature of Texas will investigate the charges made against Senator Bailey by his political enemies. If the charges

the law. in Gettysburg on Friday night, aged 73 years.

A dispatch from Harrisburg says that Joseph W. Hunter, State commissioner of highways, means to make an effort to organize the supervisors of each county in the State, the purpose being to promote a more vital interest in

road building. A bold robbery was committed early Sunday morning, under the glare of an electric light, when the store of Morris Fox, in Norristown, was entered by burglars and robbed of cloth-

ing worth \$1,000. A dispatch from Scranton says that during the month of November twenty-eight fatal accidents occurred in and around the mines of the Lacka-

wanna and Wyoming field.

The present is the appropriate time

to buy Christmas presents. John McCauley, aged 16 years was accidentally shot and killed by his vounger brother at their home near Fryburg, Clarion county, on Monday. The boy discovered a squirrel in a tree near the house. John climbed the tree and as his brother was handing him a shot gun it was discharged.

At a hearing on Monday before Judge Holt, of Beaver, no defense was offer ed by the Pullman Car company in the case brought against it by the State pure food commission, charging the company with supplying its patrons with adulterated milk. A fine of \$75 and costs was imposed upon the corporation.

The busy season for the clerks is now

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BE POSTED?

It was explained that the delay in in- and Danville lodge, No. 754. stalling the boards was not due to any few days.

drive the bridge daily have had their cent bulbs. heads together and openly declare their intention of resisting the measure as uncalled for and unreasonable. One of these, a gentleman who is not al Danville and Bloomsburg car. likely to recede from a position of the kind when once assumed, on Saturday expressed himself in terms that could not be misanderstood. To begin with he ventured the prediction that the boards would never be installed. At Danville people can now look for- all events the warning would be un-

Nothing could be more absurd and unjust as this gentleman viewed it. York county, went to York on Thurs- In the first place, he said, the State day and confessed to an alderman that built the two counties a ponderous he had kindled the fire which destroy- iron bridge that would carry a freight ed the cigar factory of Samuel Spren- train. A trolley company has been kle, at Red Lion, December 25, 1893. granted permission to use the bridge and it runs its cars at high speed. 050 insurance on the contents, which Automobiles may run at the rate of ten miles an hour, but the man with Oh, hear our prayers for the honored The influence of John Mitchell, who a light vehicle is obliged to walk his horse. Few horses trot across the bridge at a rate of speed as great as

ten miles per hour. These persons who take exception to the new rules agree that the speeding of horses and the fast running of auomobiles on the bridge should be prohibited, but they strenuously object to rules so sweeping as those which Quartet. have been adopted by the county commissioners. The river bridge is a No 436. bleaky place in winter, exposed to winds of frigid temperature that sweep | termezzo, "Trinity," (b), Sacred Inbeer was purchased by the barrel and with fearful velocity up the river, and termezzo, "Cupidietta," Tobani. hottled two licenses would be neces- to be obliged to walk a horse in crossing, to say nothing of the unwarrant-A McKeesport man who hung his ed loss of time, would be to entail upvest too close to the furnace thought on those who daily or frequently drive Stamping out the fire he saved \$349 in comfort. if not positive suffering, which might easily result in illness.

Election in Fire Department. The annual election of the Danville test the Allentown Young Men's fire department for chief and four as-Christian association has taken fifth sistants took place Saturday evening place among the associations of this between the hours of 6 and 8 at the State. It is outranked in number by Continental hose house, and resulted

> There was no contest for the office of chief. The office is given to each company in turn, and this year the selection was made from the Continental. There were 167 votes cast for

Mr. Tooey. The contest in Saturday night's election was for the positions of first, second and third assistants. Each company made one nomination and the precedence of the nominees was children, who had come to sing at the determined by the number of votes received, the nominee from the Third ward, however, taking fourth place.

> elected as follows: First assistant, William Shultz, Good Will, 74; second assistant, Harry T.

The assistants were voted for and

Appointed Pump Erector.

John C. Heddens, son of our towns man, William M. Heddens, has just are true he will be defeated. If they received an appointment in the deare not his foes should be punished by partment of public works in Philadelphia. He entered the competitive ex-Mrs. Edward McPherson, widow of amination for the position of pump Edward McPherson, who was clerk of erector and won the highest averagethe national house of representatives 91 per cent-in a class of eighty-five. and for several years editor of the Only eight applicants passed the ex-Philadelphia Press, died at her home amination. Mr. Heddens won out by one per cent., the next man having 9) per cent.

Mr. Heddens has already been formally appointed and next week will report to Cassius E. Gillette, Esq., chief thony Golembinski, W. T. Huntzinger, of the bureau of filtration for instructions and assignment of duty.

Mr. Heddens learned the trade of machinst in the machine shop connected with the big mill in this city was always studiously inclined and as hotel Trainor. is shown by his successful examina- The occasion, which was consum-

Repairs on Church Resumed.

berry Ridge Reformed church, which Mrs. Augustus Bachinger, Mr. and elector of West Hemlock township, to view yesterday. The documents are were discontinued on account of the Grant Aten, Messrs. Simon K. Hofflack of help, have again been taken man, Thomas G. Vincent, Horace C. up and will be pushed to completion Blue, W. Kase West, Samuel Johnston, ly removed to New York City. as rapidly as possible.

novate the building. Among other im. R. N. Lyon, William O'Blosser, provements that will be made will be Thomson Jenkins, Isaac Sweitzer and were sent to the Lackawanna county the 'Go Ahead', to the Allegheny lows: the installation of a new bell, repaint. John Jenkins. ing and repapering the interior, rearranging the seats, the erection of a new vestibule and the placing of a new

this week and as the church on next ceived cold comfort when they appeal-Sunday will not be in condition for ed to the company to pay their fines, stitute yesterday was Judge Maynard Baldy, Sr., a piano to O. B. Ballord occupation, service will be held in the according to a dispatch from Wilkes- J. Phillips, of Muncy Valley, known and a chair to Chalfant & Hughes. Strawberry Ridge grange hall at 10 Barre. The officials told them they prominently as one of the school book- A feature of the documents that Styer's 6% miles N. E. from Danville. o'clock by the pastor, Rev. W. J. Kohler.

congress promises to do things.

The Bloomsburg opera house Sun-

Danville lodge, No. 754 with about gnests went to Bloomsburg on a speci

The program was as follows:

ORDER OF SERVICE. Processional, "War March of the Priests," Mendelssohn, LaTourrette's Orchestra.

'Bohemian Girl, ' Balfe. Overture, Orchestra. Opening Ceremony, Bloomsburg Lodge, No. 436, assisted by Crusade Commandery Quartet, R. F. Colley, E. H. Ent, A. N. Yost, O. H. Yetter.

OPENING ODE. Great Ruler of the Universe, All-seeing and benign,

Look down upon and bless our work, And be all glory thine.

dead. While bearing in our minds The memories graven on each heart

Prayer, Rev. J. W. Diggles, St Paul's Episcopal Church. Solo, "Tantum Ergo," Millard, Mrs. Cora Post Keatley, Shickshinny. Selection, Crusade Commandery

For "Auld Lang Syne."

Eulogy, Hon. John G. McHenry, Orchestra Selection, (a), Sacred In-

Solo, "O, Divine Redeemer," Gounod, Miss Rosa E. Vollrath, Bloomsburg S. N S.

Memorial Address, Hon. John H. Bigelow, Hazleton No. 200. Solo, "One Sweetly Solemn Thought,"

Zabriskie. Mrs. Cora Post Keatley. Solo, Selected, Walter Russell, of Danville.

Orchestra Selection, Andante from Surprise Symphony," Haydn Closing Ceremony, Danville Lodge,

Audience join in singing, "Nearer My God to Thee.' Benediction, Rev. J. W. Diggle

Recessional, "March Pontificale, Gounod. The officers of Danville lodge, No

754, are as follows: Exalted Ruler, W. W. Gulick; Esteemed Leading Knight, Paul L. Andrews; Esteemed Loyal Knight, Simon Ellenbogen; Esteemed Lecturing Knight, Scott Eves: Secretary, Ed. ward Purpur; Treasurer, Ralph Kisner; Tiler, J. Beaver Gearhart; Esquire, Arthur Amesbury; Inner Guard, William Ellenbogen; Chaplain, Thomas Vincent; Trustees, Charles Snyder, J.

W. Robison, John F. Tooley.

The officers of Bloomsburg, No. 436, are as follows: William Chrisman; Esteemed Lecturing Knight, Gerald Gross; Secretary, Charles B. Ent: Treasurer, F. D. Dentler: Tiler, W. Clark Sloan; Esquire, Anthony Menzbach; Inner Guard, Andrew Evans; Chaplain, L. H. Tooley; Trustees John G. Harman, J. H. Coleman, John Gross

COMMITTEE ON MEMORIAL SER-VICE. Christian A. Small, J. Gere Jayne, Charles E Randall, W. Clark Sloan, ors.

H. J. Achenbach, Charles M. Evans. The members of the lodges who passed away during the last year were: Danville, N. S. Harris, John L. Evans: Bloomsburg, Clemuel Beishline, An-

Dr. W. H. Purman, Stewart A. Ash.

Entertained at Supper.

Landlord William Spade entertained a number of his friends at a hausen under Peter J. Adams and others. He peffer banquet on Tuesday evening at

tion very proficient as a machinist. He mated in Mr. Spade's usual elaborate went to Philadelphia about sever years and hospitable manner, was most enjoyable. The banquet room was elaborately decorated for the affair with

red, white and blue bunting and flags. Mr. Spade's guests were: Mr. and were begun in the summer and which Mrs. George Bachinger, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Haupt, Theodore Hoffman, It is the intention to thoroughly re. Jr., Walter O. Greene, J. C. Peifer,

A POINTER.

Lehigh Valley trainmen who had sentence was imposed. been arrested and fined in Wilkes-Work on the impovements was begun Barre for obstructing the crossings re would have to pay their own fines, as men of this section, who is apt to turn strikes a humorous chord is the clause, they were supposed to arrange their up about institute time. Judge Phil- inserted in both that the parties agree Johnson's 21/2 miles E. from Mausdale. work so that the trains will not block lips is a jolly companionable fellow to deliver the goods entrusted to their Mr. Stephens is also trying to ar-The last session of the fifty-ninth the crossings and interfere with the and has a multitude of friends among care on the canal, "the dangers of the range a demonstration nearer Danville,

HABEAS CORPUS

county commissioners Saturday that day afternoon was packed to the doors interest took place before court Mon. Jersey, and Mrs. Lewis Lee, sons Rob- proach to the river bridge on the South feature at institute Tuesday mornthe large boards setting forth the new with some 800 people on the occasion day the relator being William E. ert and William, of Philadelphia, have side seems to have borne some fruit; ing. Miss Finnigan rendered a piano rules relating to speed on the river of the Elks' memorial service, con- Pensyl, who is confined in jail charg- returned home after a visit at the at least, a remedy is being applied, solo with very pleasing effect, after bridge will be posted early this week. ducted by Bloomsburg lodge, No. 436 ed with being implicated in the athems of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Snyder, which while not bringing about the which J. J. Newman rendered a vocal piano duet was also rendered by Miss tempt made about a month ago to de- Spring street. To the solemnity and impressive- fraud J. M. Vought, of Mayberry Mrs. Charles Jones and son Lawdesire to recede from the position tak- ness of the event was added the at- township, out of a horse. Pensyl con- rence are visiting friends in Philadelen, but was caused by some alteration tractive beauty of a finely arranged tended that Justice of the Peace J. W. necessary in the lettering and the and well rendered program. The Gearhart, of Mayberry township, unhigh wind prevailing during the last stage of the Bloomsburg opera house der the testimony was not justified in was profusely decorated for the occas- holding him for court. The habeas Meanwhile not a few of those who ion with palms and colored incandes- corpus proceeding, however, brought out evidence of a very positive nature

> doilars bail he was remanded to jail. His Honor Judge Evans and associ. pany. was opposed by William Kase West Philadelphia and Allentown. and Charles V. Amerman as attorneys for the relator.

The first witness called was J. Madison Vought, of whom the horse was fraudulently obtatined. He said Pensyl brought Tate, alais Ethworth, and Dunmover to Vought's farm, representing them as friends of his and as Miss Sue Ellis, of Ottawa, is visitbusiness men of Soubury, explaining ing at the home of her aunt, Mrs. that he frequently transacted business James S. Ellis, at Exchange. with them. On the strength of this representation by Pensyl Mr. Vought turned to Lewisburg yesterday after a sold them one of his best horses for visit with Miss Goldie Mockenheim, Mill street. \$170 and in payment took Ethworth's check, which was later found to be

being sworn, corroborated his father's testimony.

implicated in the affair, was a wit- terday work on the third one begun. ness. He told the story of the horse's Dunmover were accused of being horse thieves, the constable said, they lost borhood. They fied so precipitately that they left the horse standing in

that the two men never were in busi- plant is much impaired. ness in Sunbury, as represented by

ing that he was altogether an innocent to the process of cleaning. held firmly to his testimony.

they would require the defendant to to the fine mechanism of the tub. enter into bail in one thousand dol-

Would Have Good Results.

State Highway Commissioner Huntas school directors are now organized there is little doubt that the result of ated and washed. Exalted Ruler, Charles M. Evans; rectors find it profitable to hold meet the last obstacle in the way of absortended a demonstration in this coun-which naturally abides in the child. Esteemed Leading Knight, Christian ings at least once a year at which the lutely pure water. All of which shows ty, 25 being present. A Small; Esteemed Loyal Knight, interests of the schools are discussed. the improvement would depend upon water. the character of the men who should be chosen for supervisors, but with an organization such as that which is board would be weeded out and only those who are active and energetic relics. would be asked to serve as supervis-

several townships could get together ization of this character in this coun- wore when she was married. ty would aid very materially in adseveral townships.

Appointed Supervisor.

On the petition of W. Boyd Moore ley, resigned. Mr. Crossley has recent- entered Danville.

Here and There.

jail for three months on Monday. They Valley R. R. company. Scranton stores. They wept when of A. G. Cattell & Co., of Philadel- tonville. Attending Institute.

teachers and school directors.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

A habeas corpus proceeding of much Mrs. Walter Cook, of Camden, New

phia and New Jersey. Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Heddens and son, of Washingtonville, were visitors

in this city vesterday. and Pennsyl was held to answer for day for Berwick, where he has acceptthe mill of the U. S. Lumber com-

ates Blee and Wagner were on the Mrs George D. Edmondson left yes- osition. As a matter of fact it has al- ercises. bench. District Attorney Gearhart terday for a visit with friends in ready taken hold of the work.

> Mrs. John Weigold, First street, is visiting friends in Milton. Mrs. Jasper Perry left yesterday for

a visit with friends in Milton. Mrs. Jacob Fisher and daughter Miss Clara spent yesterday with friends in

Harry Renner and George Wolf re

Sterilizing Filter Tubs.

The filter tubs at the water works C. H. Vought, son of the prosecutor, are this week undergoing sterilization, an exceedingly interesting process, to which they are subjected at William Taby, the constable who least once a year. Two tubs were comeffected the arrest of the three men pleted by Tuesday evening and yes-

It may not be generally known that recovery and subsequently of the ar- in the bottom of each of the immense rest. When Ethworth (or Tate) and tubs lies a layer of crushed quartz or saud four and a half feet thick. Naturally in the process of many months no time in getting out of the neigh- this material becomes impure, very rusty in color and not above suspicion of harboring bacteria, while owing to its condition alum will not properly Each of the witnesses felt convinced adhere to it and the efficacy of the

quite expensive, otherwise when it be. street railway, which now at some tion in Clark's university, Worcester, searching cross examination by Pen-thrown out and new material substit- be raised to conform with the im- years has pursued investigations on syl's attorneys with the hope of show- uted. It is much cheaper to subject it provement.

party, who had been hired by Tate and One tub is taken at a time. Seventy-Dunmoyer to drive them over to Mr. five pounds of caustic soda are placed thick will be applied, which will make Vought's. Each witness, however, on the filter bed, then steam under 80 the surface smooth and will add to the the insane asylums of Massachusetts. pounds pressure is turned on. The condurability of the road. The screenings The second period of the forenoon It seemed to take the court only a tents of the tub is boiled from 24 to 30 to be used were brought to South Dau- was occupied by Dr. D. J. Waller, minute to decide after the testimony hours. It is then permitted to cool ville a year or more ago to be used in president of the Bloomsburg State closed, Judge Evans announcing that gradually so that no injury may result repairing roads about the station

Next comes the process of washing lars for his appearance at next term of the filter bed to remove the soda, the lain on a large pile below the station institute. His most pleasant recolleccourt to answer for conspiracy. In de- dirt and other particles dislodged by where they were unloaded from the tions of institute work, he said, are fault of bail he was remanded to jail. the boiling. A heavy stream of water cars. under a 100-pound pressure is turned on the bed washing it for 34 of an hour. This leaves the sand clean and er advises road supervisors to organize pure as when new. The revolving rakes do not reach within a foot of in the several counties in the State. If the bottom of the filter bed, but the ing in this county, has nearly complete the school room an agency to bring the supervisors in each county were to sand is carefully shoveled around, so ed his demonstrations, and by next about the fullest mental and moral deorganize and hold frequent meetings that every particle is thoroughly agit. Thursday will have finished his sched-velopment of the pupil. These elem-

their consultations and conferences About two months ago the reservoir would be beneficial to the public road was thoroughly cleaned so that the Mowrer, at Strawberry Ridge, before is a power that should enable a teachimprovement movement. School di- sterilization of the filter tubs removes the largest number that has as yet at- er to maintain in the pupil that faith that great care is taken of the filter That better roads would result from plant and that those who have charge the organization of road supervisors of the water works are determined to three of the demonstrations, which there is not the least doubt. Of course see to it that the borough has pure were held in the western part of the may come as a rude shock to break

Some Very Old Relics. suggested the useless members of the lock township, has in her possession many fruit trees as in the section in the child. One of these is personal some very old and interesting family

With an organization of this kind in hundred years old. It is cut in the crease. In the northern end of the Montour county the supervisors in the quaint style of those olden times. The county, among the hills, there are more material is black satin, with a straight fruit trees and the farmers are naturand discuss questions relating to the front and stand up collar. Mrs. Hen- ally more interested in any measures public roads, exchange views as to the dershot also has her grandmother's that will save their trees from the debest methods of improving the high- wedding shawl, a quaint white silk struction that the spread of the Sam ways and plan for work which would crape, hand embroidered affair. It was Jose scale threatens. in a few years bring about a decided the style in those days for a bride to and much needed change in the man- wear a white cap, and Mrs. Henderner of repairing the roads. An organ-shot has the cap that her grandmother are being given by Mr. Stephens are

Among other possessions that Mrs. her famliy for over a hundred years.

Old Bills of Lading.

the above township, vice A. D. Cross- the principal common carrier that had methods.

One of the bills is dated July 19th, 1855, and contains a memorandum of the Montour Iron company, of this Two well-dressed women of Pittston city, which was shipping 154 rails on ens has still to conduct are as fol- to the teacher's full success is knowl- plementary reading the pupil becomes

seas only excepted.

The agitation relating to the ap-

very much stone needed to construct a fine maca- companied by Miss May Books, one of to practically the full complement of dam roadway the entire distance from Danville's most accomplished pianists, teachers, being a large number of our Charles N. Hendershot left Satur- the river bridge to the freight house whose exquisite playing itself was a townspeople, who are not identified below the station, provided Gearhart feature. In the absence of Rev. John with the schools. The proceedings yes-50 members accompanied by some 50 conspiracy. In default of one thousand ed a position as night watchman at township will do the hauling. It is Sherman, who was down on the prohardly necessary to add that the town gram for chapel, Borough Superintend- ing with an address from the teachers' ship has decided to accept the prop- ent Gordy conducted devotional ex- old favorite, Deputy State Superin-

> used by the company for ballasting its general health. Georgetown, where the railroad com- "How do you carry yourself?" The

the stone it uses for ballast. Gearhart township had two teams hauling yesterday and more will prob. while the little Japanese propounds old-fashioned, characteristic effort, serably be employed today. By last even- the odd inquiry: "How do you breathe ious and mirth producing by turns, ing a fair beginning was made at the this morning?" work on the approach to the bridge. The course of crushed stone here as far as the roadway is finished is two showed that it is a matter of vital confeet thick, which raises the approach cern as to whether a person is correct nearly to a level with the trolley in his habits of walking-whether he much to the pleasure of the institute. track. Practically the same thickness will be applied from the bridge to Haz- whether he "stands" correctly; wheth- solo. A vocal solo entitled, "Thora" leton Avenue, as the street is known er he "eats" properly or "breathes" that leads from Peter Berger's corner | rightly. down to the station.

The entire width of the last named street will be covered with a course of voice on the health of the latter, as limestone eighteen inches thick from well as its influence on the discipline the institute Will T. Suter accompanithe corner down to the freight house. of the school. Before the stone can be applied the The material used in the tubs is track of the Danville and Sunbury department of philosophy and educaomes impaired by use it could be places is nearly concealed will have to Mass., Professor Lowden for three

limestone screenings three inches subject of insanity and has examined Road improvement, however, was dress with some kind remarks relating never taken up and the screenings have to Danville and the Montour county

State Demonstrator at Work. A. W. Stephens, the State San Jose the elements of power, which should scale inspector, who is at present workule. Yesterday afternoon he gave a demonstration at the farm of J. F.

In a conversation yesterday Mr. Stephens stated that the first two or guide and is willing to be guided. county, were poorly attended. This he attributes to the fact that in the part of the county where these first demon-Mrs. James Hendershot, West Hem- strations were given, there are not as where he is now working. He says that as soon as he began to hold de-Among them is her grand father's monstrations in the northern end of in a home of taste and refinement and wedding vest which is well over a the county the attendance began to in- will be sure to lower the teacher in

The inspection made recently, and now the series of demonstrations that the first real work that has been done by the State in Montour county, and vancing the good roads idea in the Hendershot prizes are a set of silver, it is not the intention to allow the tea spoons that have been in use in good work to stop there. Mr. Stephens use the vowels rightly and in a great states that if at each demonstration two farmers can be induced to spray their trees, he will feel satisfied with and L. C. Shultz, supervisors of West William Knapp, is the possessor of his work, for if but two persons will Hemlock township, Judge C. C. Evans two old bills of lading which he al. use the spray conscientiously they has appointed Paul Mausteller, an lowed an AMERICAN reporter to will be so pleased with the results that their recommendation will soon inserve on the board of supervisors of relics of the days when the canal was duce other farmers to use the same

> After Mr. Stephens finishes with his demonstrations he intends to spend some time in Mayberry township. The demonstrations that Mr. Steph

Friday, December 7, at Mrs. F. P. phia, and is dated Nov. 29th., 1854. and contains a number of separate shipments to Danville people, among

> Thursday, December 13, at John J. if a suitable place can be procured.

MUSIC AT

Music was an especially attractive construction of the retaining walls solo, "The Armorer's Song" from the Viola Rishel and Pearl Fenstermacher. will nevertheless improve conditions Opera of Robinhood. Mr. Newman is an accomplished vocalist and by his The Pennsylvania railroad company artistic performance yesterday he cap- stitute this year possess a general inhas come to the rescue. It has agreed tured the fancy of the teachers and he terest. The attendance is uniformly to furnish free of cost all the lime- was vociferously encored. He was ac- good, among those present, in addition

The two addresses Tuesday morn-The Pennsylvania railroad company ing were of especial interest. The first period of the afternoon. His visit to has fixed no limit to the quantity of period was occupied by Professor T. Dauville was the first in some ten crushed stone that it agrees to fur. S. Lowden, of Worcester, Mass., who years. The veteran instructor has aged nish. Already three car loads have ar- resumed his subject of "The Teach- considerably, but in spirit and manner rived at South Danville and there is ers' Health." The speaker took up he is as young as ever, his handshake more coming. The material consists of the idiomatic health greetings of the is just as magnetic and his laugh has limestone or something that closely leading nations of the world, applying the old-time merry ring. The welcome resembles it broken up into regulation each to show what habits in every day accorded him by the teachers, who fresize and is the same material that is life are injurious or beneficial to the quently came in contact with him in

track. It is shipped from the yards of The German greeting is: "How do at the same time heart-felt and sinthe Susquehauna Stone company at you find yourself?" The French ask: pany gets all or a large quantity of Italian health greeting is: "How do reintendent made no attempt to imyou stand?" The Chinese inquire: part instruction along any well defin-'How have you eaten your rice?",

In developing the notion of each of these health greetings the speaker affairs that relate to the school room.

dwelt on the influence of the teacher's As a member of the faculty in the

In conclusion Professor Lowden

the subject of health. For a longer Over the entire distance a course of period he has been interested in the into hundreds of judividual cases in

associated with Montour county, where he labored as institute instructor in the past.

The address dwelt principally on exist in the teacher in order to make ents are latent and not obvious; they are often complex in their nature. It The pupils to begin with believes the teacher, like its parents is able to There are many things, however, that

that faith. Dr Waller next enumerated the elements that go to preserve that faith in the teacher which naturally abides cleanliness, the absence of which will be a rude shock to a pupil brought up the esteem of the community. Just as essential is the habit of personal neatness, which is an evidence of good judgment and good taste and if absent will weaken the respect of the pupils. Voice, utterance and choice of expressions play an important part; a single mispronunciation will do wonders to weaken the confidence of the pupils in the teacher.

In this respect southerners and the people of the New England States are far in advance of us.

In this connection the speaker held

that the people of Pennsylvania do not

must daily reveal our faith.

Thursday, December 6, at Frank that the teacher is authority on what masterpieces. Only good classical lithad been arrested for shoplifting in The other document is from the firm Miller's, 2 miles S. W. from Washing- she attempts to teach; also a desire to evaluate is desirable for supplementary Appleman's, 4 miles N. from Danville. ers seem to think is best expressed by this purpose. The regular series of Tuesday, December 11, at Richard the practice of kissing all the pupils reading books will always have a Among the visitors at the county in- them being 12 sacks of salt to Peter E Rogers, 1/4 mile N. from Hendrick- at the close of school. That sentiment place in the course of study, as it is to Wednesday, December 12, at Cyrus is the kind that figures in love and must be graded up to. philanthropy and is not expressed by The speaker deplored that in so a hug and a kiss. It is the deep senti- many instances there is no supplement that induces men and women to mentary reading in the rural shcools sever ties with home and country and and ventured the opinion that in evto labor in uncivilized lands as mis- ery instance the rural school boards sionaries. An important latent power

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s "achievement," which will convince the pupils that when the teacher sets out to do a thing it is going to be accomplished. So long as the pupils trust the teacher they can be led any.

The first and the last period of the afternoon were occupied by Dr. Waller. Professor T. S. Lowden spoke on

"Effective and Ineffective Teaching." C. C. Ritter rendered a vocal solo with Miss Ida Sechler at the piano. A The proceedings of the teachers' in-

tendent Henry Houck.

Mr. Houck occupied the very last the past, was a demonstrative one, and

In his address the deputy State suped line. His talk, however, was an which revealed the man's sympathetic nature, and his varied experiences in

The special music yesterday, as on Tuesday was a feature that added 'carries' himself properly or not; Edward Shoevlin rendered a piano was rendered by George Eggert. Miss Mary Jenkins rendered a piano solo entitled, "Home Sweet Home," which pleased the teachers so much that she was encored. During the singing by

> ed the piano on the cornet. Professor T. S. Lowden occupied two periods with his spirited and characteristic talks. His theme in the forenoon was, "Teaching Children to Think." He took a most advanced ground, holding to views which clashed somewhat with prevailing ideas. His object was to show that the course of study in schools should be carefully graded to conform with the gradual

development of the child's mind. He deduced the principle that the child must have physical development, there can be any moral or mental development. This brain growth is not attained until about the age of twelve years. The employment of children in factories during this period of growth, the speaker held, is a crime against the child. It shuts the boy or girl off from the sunshine, the pure air, the freedom and play that belongs to that period of life and prevents brain growth, without which mental and

moral development is slow. Researches show that in England workmen increase in efficiency from the age of 18 to 31 years, from 31 to 40 years they seem to remain the same but after the latter age they decline very rapidly. It is shown that among the educated classes in the same country there is an increase in efficiency to the age of 58 and there is no per-

ceptible decrease until the age of 65.

The obvious conclusion is that un-

der the industrial conditions in England the children of the working classes are obliged to labor at an early age and thus their brain growth and physical development is retarded with ill effects that follow through life. The work of the school room should e suited to the age of the child. The child during the period of growth should be given memory gems, spelling and things purely mechanical.

Difficult problems, even those involv-

ing percentage and interest are out of

place during this period, although this

is one respect in which many of our Professor Lose, superintendent of the Williamsport schools, made his first appearance before the institute vesterday forenoon, his subject being, Modern Tendencies in the Teaching of Reading." Superintendent Lose has had twenty years' experience in supervising the work of teachers and ne brought to the institute some very

practical ideas.

During his talk he emphasized the "Conviction-firm faith" Dr. Wall- importance of supplemetary reading in er said, is among the latent powers schools. As at present arranged in that will enable the teacher to main- many districts from the first grade to tain a firm hold on the pupils. There the high school the child uses sixty are certain great things in which we different books. This gives the pupils must believe, such as God, truth, just- a good reading vocabulary-they learn ice, righteousness and in these we to pronounce a large number of words -many more than when confined to Among the other elements essential the regular series adoptded. In supedge, which will convince the pupils acquainted with the world's great benefit pupils and a desire of good to. reading. Nature books and books on ward them. This feeling some teach- geography should not be selected for which should exist in the school room | these that the supplementary reading