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## ITEMS CONDENSED.

A richly garnished mind is stant treasure to its owner.

The neglect one receives from a friend may be apparent only.

It is a good thing to have had hon-

of ignorance.

The best help you can give a man is that which helps him to help himself. The assassin of feminine innecence deserves the worst of fates.

A loud voice is not necessarily a disagreeable one.

The child begins to learn as soon as

Very few of us are half as good as we would like to be.

It is the part of prudence to be pre pared for future reverses

There are more tragedies in this

world than most men suspect. A good home is a source of inspira-

tion and safety to the boy. Andrew Caufman, of Carlisle, aged

The prudent pedestrian will carefully pard against wet feet.

The man who has a comfortable house, a good furance and sufficient fuel may well be thankful.

A long and an honorable life is a boon to be coveted by all, especially an honorable one.

The attorney general of Texas is aftstate, having filed suits against 120 defendants, scattered all over the

of the city of Chicago.

Of recent years only six deaths occur to each one hundred amputations. This is owing to the improvements in

antisceptic surgery. The supreme court of Mississippi has just decided that the person who tells a neighbor to "go to -" is not

guilty of profanity. Too many dollars in a man's pocket have been known to crowd the sense

rom under his hat. The first snow of the season began

falling Saturday, August 31, at 12:30 p. m., on the top of Mount Washington, being the exact anniversary of the first snowfall of last year.

A worthy heritage from the past should increase one's sense of obliga-

The citizen who is pleasant and affable always makes the best candid-

Five of our presidents only were un-

American shoes are so popular in er class. erican made '

Sir Andrew Fraser, Governor of vice which is never forgotten is the Bengal, virtual ruler of 80,000,000 people, is the active President of the Cal-

Papers written with the ordinary years hence, say chemists.

The world's sheep-shearing record was done at Hawks Bay station, in

Ireland maintains nearly 400 eggdistributing stations for the purpose of bettering the poultry of the coun-

The Panama Canal Commission has decided to contract for the immediate employment of 3,000 Chinese laborers on the canal.

The largest wooded ship was probably built by Ptolemy Philopater. It was 420 feet long, 38 feet broad and 48 feet

A movement is in progress to erect a statue of Llewelyn, the great Welsh Prince, in Carnarvon, in the form of

The oldest royal house in Europe is that of Mecklenburg. It traces its descent from Genseric, who sacked Rome

Providence guards many a man from the result of his own folly.

There are generally two sides to every current question.

## DOGS TO BE

The buarantine of the dogs after

Mr. Everhart called attention to the matter. In his opinion, he said, sufficient time has elapsed since the out- trust. break of rabies and that all danger is now passed. Besides, nearly one-half In justice the other half of the dogs ought to be released. The members in ered that "the muzzles be removedwith the exception of those dogs which are known to have been bitten."

The following members were pres rable ancestors.

Superstition is the misfavored child

ent: Sweisfort, Pursel, Jacobs, Finingan, Everhart, Moyer, Dietz, Russell, Deutsch, Angle, Hughes, Schatz.

A communication was received from Borough Solicitor E. S. Gearhart Presbyterian church and others who so kindly left their business Saturday morning and rendered much needed assistance in court in the matter of vacating the old Petriken cemetery.

On motion of Mr. Hughes it was itol scandal and ordered that new overcoats be procured for the two police officers.

George D. Edmondson and Heister that the license for performances be reduced. The claim was made that are fourteen defendants. the present rate of five dollars per 42 years, died of heart failure Mon- night is too high and is out of all proday, caused by over exertion while portion to what is charged in other town of Columbia, a larger place than Danville, the license is only \$35 per

> On motion of Mr. Deutsch it was thirty-five dollars for the present season terminating June 1st.

On motion of Mr. Moyer it was ordered that Mrs. Herrington be notified to fill up the well at her property on er the alleged bread trust of that Iron street or to cover the same with

On motion of Mr. Jacobs it was ordered that Mrs. Patterson Johnson be A pest of snails has been the means notified to remove the pump at her of stopping many of the water mains property on East Market street and to fill up the well or cover it with flag-

> The borough solicitor submitted an opinion on the controversy in the Goodwill fire company as to whether or not a non-resident member is legally eligible for the office of chief engineer. He disposed of the matter by explaining that the question is one which the Goodwill fire company should be left to decide for itself.

## THE UNION

The Union Thanksgiving service M. E. church. The sermon will be preached by the Rev. Joseph E. Guy, pastor of Shiloh Reformed church.

have not yet been perfected. When a

The full arrangements for the serv China. They are able to carry two days before Dr. Foster has the proment. It will be her province to thor-

abide in the heart on Thanksgiving.

The offering this year will be donated to the Woman's Berevolent society, is 2,394 animals in nine hours. This which, with few exceptions, has received the money for a number of years past.

#### **DEPOSIT REQUIRED ON ENVELOPES**

A section of a late ruling of the post master general G. V. L. Meyer, which is given below, will be of interest to purchasers of return request stamped envelopes in wholesale lots.

The order reads: "Postmasters shall require the purchaser to deposit with his order the difference between the schedule and postage value of the envelopes, (for example, \$1.24 per thousand on No. 5, first quality, the size most used) the postage value to be collected when the envelopes are de-livered to the purchaser. The post master will give a receipt for the ad-

Yet the year will give us more than one shining hour before the ringing Preston and Boyd Thomas and Benof the Christmas bells.

Our townsman, James Scarlet, chief counsel for the Commonwealth of has filed exceptions to the opinion months was ordered raised by action Pennslvania in the capitol graft cases, has been retained by the United States 9th inst., dissolving the preliminary government as special counsel to assist injunction and giving the Danville in the prosecution of the powder

Upon reaching his office in this city Saturday Mr Scarlet was surprised to of the dogs are running unmuzzled. find upon his desk an appointment as special assistant to Attorney General Bonaparte, he being employed as specigeneral concurred with Mr. Everhart. | al counsel of the department of justice inter-state commerce and anti-trust

> We understand that Mr. Scarlet was called to Washington last week in consultation on the Powder trust cases and has been assigned to take immediate charge of these suits.

Mr. Scarlet is to be congratulated on formally extending thanks to the chief the above appointment, as it takes him burgess, the president, members of up a step higher and is indeed a splentown council, trustees of the Grove did recognition of his skill and learning as a lawyer, his untiring industry and incorruptible character-distinguishing traits, which have shone such a strong light during the time he has been engaged in probing the capinstituting suits against the alleged looters.

Under Mr. Scarlet the State has brought thirty-two prosecutions, on which indictments have been found. house appeared before council asking Mr. Scarlet says these cases will all go on trial January 27th. There

As special assistant to Attorney General Bonaparte Mr. Scarlet's sphere will be greatly enlarged. His peculiar towns of the size of Danville. In the ability will be employed in breaking up gigantic and well fortified com-binations that have long defied the law. That he shall give a good account of himself in this enlarged field ordered that the license be fixed at no one who knows the man will for a moment doubt.

It is pretty certain that in the performance of his duties henceforth Mr. Scarlet will be called to many distant points and that his reputation, which dy extends beyond his own State, will in a short time become national.

## **TUBERCULOSIS**

## DISPENSARY

A tuberculosis dispensary has been established in Danville with Dr. E. A. Curry in charge.

As explained in a previous article dispensaries are being established in every county of the State by Commissioner of Health Dr. Samuel G. Dixon, who is waging a comprehensive and aggressive campaign against the 'white plague' as tuberculosis has come to be known.

The dispensary will be located in THANKSGIVING Dr. Curry's office on West Mahoning street. On the outside an artistically lettered sign furnished by the State is this year will be held in St. Paul's displayed, calling attention to the office as a tuberculosis dispensary. The board announces that the dispensary will be open Tuesdays and Thursdays, All the arrangements for the service from 2 to 4 p. m.

Medical treatment will be given free church is selected for the Thanksgiv- and where necessary milk and eggs ing service it is customary to select a will also be furnished. In addition minister to preach the sermon from the opposite side of town. The choice will be sent here to make a home inwill be sent here to make a home in-Pierce, Grant, Garfield, Cleveland and this year fell on Mr. Guy, who is an able and devout minister of the youngal feature of the campaign of education that is being inaugurated. A fearhart states, that he tendered his nurse specially instructed and trained in the hygiene of tuberculosis will be again stood fifth in the State.

Gearhart states, that he tendered his relation to neighboring towns. The larger maps that are generally referred to are of but small value, as Dan-the first cry of "fire" flew to the hose GLEANED FR that country sell their goods as "Am. is in the hands of the Rev. Dr. Fost in the hygiene of tuberculosis will be er, pastor of St. Paul's, where the ser- sent to visit the home of every patient Men serve the purpose of wagons in vices are to be held. It will be some applying to the dispensary for treatheavy loads hung on the end of poles.

A feature of the Thanksgiving serimportant points as the amount of fresh air needed, the most desirable offering. Indeed, it is only by the of- foods, when and how they should be fering, with the spirit of self-sacrifice taken. She will teach the patients and implied, that we may measure the true the other members of the household depth of thanks and gratitude that how to conduct themselves so as to avoid the infection of these not already suffering from tuberculosis.

The fact is at all times to be borne in mind that the dispensary is only for the poor-those who are unable to pay for medicine, milk and eggs. order that there may be no imposition those applying at the dispensary will be obliged to sign a paper certifying to the fact that they are too poor to pay a physician and to purchase medicine, milk and eggs.

An oyster supper was held at the nome of Mr. and Mrs. John S. Krum, East Danville, on Saturday evening Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Baylor, Mr. Aaron C. Mauser. Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Krum, Mr and Mrs. Charles Krum, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Leighow, Mr. and Mrs. George Thomas, and Mrs. Sarah Mauser, of Grovania; Sarah Krum, Martha Baylor, Effie Leighow, Thornton and George Krum, David and Harry Thomas, Norman Krum, Elmer Baylor, William and Benjamin Krum, Masters jamin Leighow.

# SABBATH SCHOOL

The D. L. & W. Railroad company, handed down by Judge Evans on the and Bloomsburg Street Railway company the right to cross the roadway and track of the D. L. & W. Railroad company at grade.

There seems to be some misconception of the mode of legal procedure in such cases on the part of the public. Persons feeling a keen interest in the to conduct suits in all the courts of the United States arising under the relative to the D. L. & W. crossing, in outcome of the prolonged litigation the ten days elapsing since the opinion was handed down have been lookplaintiff railroad company, which in a vague way they regarded as "an appeal." The ten-day period having expired, Tuesday there was great curiosity to know what action had been taken by the plaintiff railroad company-whether the trolley company would now be at liberty to cross the D. L. & W. track at grade or whether the hold-up would be renewed by virtue of an appeal to the supreme court. When the handing down of the opinion by Judge Evans was noted in these columns it was explained that exceptions were "noted by the court on application and the bill sealed." Pursuant to this the plaintiff has filed exceptions in due and legal form.

The exceptions can not be argued until the next regular argument court, which will be held on January 11th Argument may even be delayed beyond that point. The turn that proceedings may take after argument depends. Should the court dismiss the exceptions it is altogether likely that

the case will be appealed.

The Danville & Bloomsburg Street Railway company, it is understood, will make no attempt to cross L. & W. at grade pending the final adjudication of the matter by the All of which means allowing for delays incident to appeal, that there is not the least probability that the Danville and Bloomsburg cars will run up Mill street for months to come

#### THE RESULT OF CAMP INSPECTION

The result of the inspection at camp at Mt. Gretna, last July, has been made public. The local company ranks third in the regiment with an average of 98.50. Companies A, of Lewisburg and E, of Sunbury, are tied for first place with an average of 99.25 each.

The special report of the maneuvers of the Third brigade at Mt. gives Company F mention as follows: 'Company, F. Captain Gearhart, engaged a detachment of the 4th and 8th regiments of the enemy on their left flank, capturing two companies and with the aid of one company from the second support, coming in on the rear of battery, and capturing the battery there located."

the good of the town in view. He has a portion of the works where the roof is low.

In the report received last Septem ber of the result of the spring inspection, held last March, the United States its relation to other towns within a bells were rung. Fire plugs have been army officer severely criticized Capradius of 140 miles. tain Gearhart for the condition of the company. At that inspection Company manufacturers and their representatis well equipped with hose. F stood seventh in the regiment with tives has discovered that comparativean average of 93.30. It was shortly at- ly few of them have a correct idea of

#### BASKET BALL TEAM IS ORGANIZED

The basket ball loving people of Danville, who form no small proportion of the population, are to have a fine team during the coming season. Patrick McCaffrey has accepted the

The schedule for the coming winter is being arranged and the first game has already been secured with Pitts ton for Thanksgiving afternoon an evening. The Pittston team is well known in Danville and is probably the most popular basket 'ball aggrega tion that comes to this city.

The line up of the Danville team will include such well known and popular players as Newbaker and Sechler, forwards: Price, center: Gil-

## Visited Danville.

Judge William Krickbaum, of Blooms burg, and Constable Condon Langdon. of Centralia, circulated in Danville yesterday afternoon. Both are well known here, Judge Krickbaum through his successful electioneering campaigns and Constable Langdon by reason of his reputation as a bold and efficient officer, who succeeds in keeping things quiet and orderly in the turbulent regions on "the other side of the mountain."

There are over seventy miles of tunnels cut in the solid rock of Gibraltar.

The seventeenth annual convention of the Sabbath school association, held in Shiloh Reformed church yesterday, was one of the best attended and altogether the most successful that ever took place in Montour county. Of the thirty-eight Sabbath schools of the county twenty-eight were represented.

Besides the delegates a large number of townspeople were present at the Pastors of the various churches of the county were present as follows: Rev. M. K. Foster, D. D., Rev. John Sherman, Rev. W. J. Kohler, Rev. A. B. Still, Rev. J. E. Guy, Rev. W. C. McCormack, D. D., Rev. G. W. Fritsch, Rev. L. W. Walter and

Evangelist W. D. Laumaster. The following Sunday schools were represented, each having two delegates: Shiloh Reformed church, St. Paul's M. E. church. Grove Presbyterian church, Mahoning Presbyterian church, Pine Street Lutheran church, St. John's Lutheran church, United Evangelical church, Union church, of McKee's Heights. Strawberry Ridge Reformed church, Washingtonville Presbyterian church, Ridgeville Union church, Mausdale Reformed church, Mooresburg Presbyterian church and Mooresburg Methodist church.

Devotional service was conducted by Rev. John Sherman, pastor of First Baptist church. The delegates were welcomed by Rev. Joseph E. Guy, pastor of Shiloh Reformed church. Mrs. Joseph Divel rendered a vocal

The Rev. W. J. Kohler, pastor of the Strawberry Ridge Reformed the Strawberry church, opened a discussion on "To What Purposes Should Sunday school Offerings be Devoted."

'The Supreme Hour'' was the subject taken up by Miss Martha E. Robinson, principal field worker of Colum-

bia county. The principal feature of the after noon was the address by W. G. Landes, general secretary of the State Association, entitled, "Montour County and the Front Line Position." The address was most practical in its nature and full of good suggestions for carrying on the work. sion closed with prayer and benediction by Rev. Dr. M. K. Foster, pastor of St. Paul's M. E. church.

Praise service last evening was con ducted by Rev. Lloyd W. Walter, past-or of Pine Street Lutheran church. 'Men and Women of Tomorrow'' was the subject ably and interestingly discussed by Miss Martha E. Robinson. General Secretary Landes closed with very inspiring address entitled, "A Glimpse beyond the Horizon.'

## A MAP FOR

W. G. Pursel of the Structural Tubing company, is to be credited with a

crowded off the map.

On Mr. Pursel's man Danville is the York to within a few miles of Pitts-

Within the circle all the smaller ville but the natural advantages of the place and facilities for shipping instantly strike the eye.

manufacturing concerns of Danville to adopt Mr. Pursel's method of ad- by a spark from the rolls.

of Strondsburg, were out hunting deer rated. Soon Wilson shot a deer, but a loud cry at a distance caused him to go and see what was wrong, when he found his father bleeding freely and quite helpless from a bullet wound in his leg above the knee, the son's bullet having passed through the deer and hit him.

# **ANTHRACITE**

The inspectors of the anthracite coal mines, representing nearly the entire trespass, have been instituted in the twenty districts, held a meeting at the Montour house, this city, yesterday. Two sessions, morning and afternoon, were held.

James E. Roderick, of Hazleton chief of the department of mines, was present and presided at the convention.

Creek Coal company and the Lehigh and Wilkes-Barre Coal company, re-Regular meetings are not held, but the inspectors assemble at the call of the chairman whenever an emergency in

pertaining to mining in general and the enforcement of the law relating to the employment of children in parti-So far as the inspectors can accomplish it no children below the legal age will be employed about the breakers or in the mines

The body of inspectors took dinner at the Montour house. After the final across a stream of water called Roarsession they spent some time in sight seeing about town.

The following inspectors were pres

Second district, L. M. Evans, Scran-

James Martin of Wilkes-Barre. Ninth district, David T. Davis, Wilkes-Barre Tenth district, J. J. Walsh, Wilkes-

Seventh district, G. H. Price and

Eleventh district, David J. Roderick,

Thirteenth district, A. B. Lamb, Shenandoah Fourteenth district. James A. O' Donnell, Wilkes-Barre.

Fifteenth district, B. L. Evans, Wilkes-Barre. Sixteenth district, M. M. Laughlin, Wilkes-Barre.

Seventeenth district, Isaac M. Davis Lansford. Eighteenth district, John Curran

Pottsville. Nineteenth district, M. J. Brennan, Carbondale.

## Twentieth district, C. J. Price, Ly

MILL EMPLOYES

About half past five o'clock Tuesday morning while those of our townspeople who could afford to indulge in creek farm. a late nap were still abed the alarm of fire rang through town, the first of the plaintiff's cwnership in the opthat had been heard for many months. The fire occurred at the Structural negligently put large quantities of Tubing works and was easily exting-**BUSINESS MEN** uished without the aid of the fire de-

partment. The employes were busy at work in the mill when the roof was discovered

venient form of a leaflet, which throws The cry of "fire" immediately went Danville into prominence and reveals abroad and an instant later the fire Mr. Pursel in his dealings with works, in addition to which the mill

The employes themselves, who in more than one emergency in the past ter the receipt of this report, Captain the exact location of Danville and its have proven themselves expert fire In each case damages in ten thousand ville, along with other towns of its and in an incredibly short period of rank, is imperfectly shown, if it is not time had a stream of water playing on the fire.

Quick action was necessary. The great fact, the name being printed in under side of the roof over the dry red ink. The town is located 140 miles bed, exposed to constant heat, has befrom New York City as a crow would come as dry and inflammable as tinfly and is the center of a circle, the der. A spark alone is needed to set it diameter of which extends from New off and once in a blaze the flames spread rapidly.

The mill men by assuming the role

towns, along with the larger places, fire while it was still in its incipiency are distinctly shown. Railroads are and before any damage of consequence also brought out prominently. The resulted. Had there been the least destranger at a glance not only learns lay or any failure to co-operate, howall about the exact location of Dan- ever, the result might have been vastly different.

The Friendship and Washington Fire companies responded to the alarm, but before either of them reached the The question arises whether it would not be a pretty good thing for other works the fire was extinguished. The fire is supposed to have been started

Henry Slonaker, the oldest citizen of Venango county, died on Saturday at his home in Cooperstown, after three days' illness from acute indigestion, aged 99 years and 4 months. Up to last Thursday he had never been ill and he never wore glasses nor carried a

There are about 600 dogs in Hazleton that are not wearing a collar with a tax receipt tag, and the police have regardless of their being pet, fighting purpose of considering some impertant

Three important suits, actions i court of common pleas, this county One of these is brought by Henry E Bohner against the Locust Mountain Water company and the other two by Sophia G. Eckman against the Cross spectively. In each case heavy dam-

ages are claimed. In the case of Henry E. Bonher vs. the Locust Mountain Water company meeting, with a free interchange of the plaintiff's statement sets forth as follows:

The meeting yesterday was called for the purpose of discussing matters from thence hitherto has been and still is possessed of a tract of land in Mayberry township, Montour county, containing 13 acres with improvements, consisting of a two-story frame dwelling house, barn, water power, flour and feed mill, together with a dam for the storage of water to drive said mill, which dam is erected in and ing creek flowing in and through said

> That the defendant wrongfully, injuriously and unlawfully located and erected water works consisting of dams, conduits, lines of pipes and pumping stations, for the purpose of supplying water to certain villages. boroughs and cities and to private and public corporations and thereby and by means thereof did stop, hinder and divert and turn away the waters of said creek and tributaries thereof so as to cause the same on some of said days and times in part and, at other of said days and times, wholly, to cease to flow in and through the said lands of the plaintiff, along their usual and natural courses; in consequence of which wrongful acts of the defendant the waters of said creek and tributaries sufficient for the supplying of said mill with water for the necessary working thereof and for other pur poses could not and did not run and flow to and through the said lands of the plaintiff and will not run and flow

for the purposes aforesaid. Wherefore the plaintiff brings suit and claims damages in the sum of

twenty-five thousand dollars. In the case of Sophia G. Eckman vs Cross Creek Coal company the plain-

tiff's statement sets forth as follows That since 1902, she has owned a AS FIRE FIGHTERS farm in Mayberry township, Montour county, consisting of 150 acres, lying on the south side of the Susquehanna river and known as the "Roaring

That the defendant during the time eration of its mines carelessly and coal dirt, rock, slate, culm and refuse matter in the Susquehanna river and its branches and that by the action of storms, streams and the elements they have been and are being carried down the said river and deposited opposite to, along and upon the lands of the plaintiff, filling up the natural bed of the river and its branches, damming and throwing the water out over and upon the land, thereby injuring and

damaging the same, ruining fences, buildings and destroying crops In the suit against the Lehigh and Wilkes-Barre Coal company a similar complaint is set forth by the plaintiff.

#### GLEANED FROM SPECIAL EDITION

On Monday the Berwick board of trade inaugurated a campaign for a greater Berwick by issuing, a twenty four page edition of the Evening Enterprise, devoted largely to setting forth the advantages and development of the town. From it we gleam the following facts about Berwick :

They claim to have a population of twenty thousand, and say when al the men who work there reside there the population will reachithirty thou sand. Over five thousand five hundred men are employed by the American wards of fourteen hundred by the oth er industrial establishments of the town, making a total of 7,000 men. The population is based on these figures. The town has twenty-three miles of streets. Berwick has 2,460 pupils in her public schools— fifty seven in number and within few years has expended eighty thou-sand dollars for public school buildings. The Enterprise attributes the town's magnificent growth and de velopment to the voting of a sixtythousand dollar loan a few years ago for municipal improvements. town began to develop from that time

## Special Meeting.

There will be a special meeting the borough council tonight for the matters relating to sewerage.