DANVILLE, PA., THURSDAY. MAY 14, 1908

ESTABLISHED IN 1855

-----DR. IRVING H. JENNINGS,

A. M. to 12 M. 1 P. M. to 4 P. M.

104 Mill St... Danville, Pa.

C. SHULTZ, M.

425 MILL ST., DANVILLE, PA.

Diseases of the Stomach and Intestines a Specialty

ITEMS CONDENSED.

George Etchenberger, aged 9 years, county, somehow got under the roller and was crushed to death. ing the preceding trials. He is looking well and seemed in good spirits. and was crushed to death.

John Hoffer, of Bridgeport, Chester county, befriended a strange dog that came to his home until the dog sprang at a small child and lacerated its face badly. Then he killed the dog.

corn land, believing that it will produce better results than commercial fertilizers.

Canadohta chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, of Titusville, is making an effort to raise \$100,000 for "That undue excitement exists" the erection of a monument to comby Colonel Edwin Drake.

Norristown council has apportioned its new \$300,000 loan, sanctioned by the voters as follows: Street paving, \$109,000; sewers, \$50.000; electric plant, \$25,000; park, \$20,000; floating debt and interest, \$96,000. Work on street paving will be begun in a few

Nine hundred thousand wall-eved pike from the Erie hatchery have been placed into the Susquehanna river at Shamokin dam.

S. K. Minninger, of Earlville, Berks county, has a duck that laid twentynine eggs in March and the same number in April.

The Reading Coal and Iron company has disallowed the use of the lash the dent.

Whips, switches or clubs in driving that the county of Montour is a mules at the mines, and only ordinary driving the animals.

foot soon began to swell and he is now suffering intense pain from blood poisoning and his foot is terribly swollen.

Three weeks ago James Foley, of Allentown, while reaching back of a box for a lantern was slightly bitten on the hand by a rat. He paid no at-tention to the wound until it became very sore several days ago, and now he is seriously ill from blood poisoning.

Rev. C. E. Shaeffer, of Reading, has been elected general superintendent of home missions of the Reformed church to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Rev. T. M. Yandt.

Anthony Muscavage, of Luzerne, was on Saturday sent to jail for two days because he refused to send four sons to

The bride was attired in a dainty school. If he continues in his perversity he will be given a longer sent-

day when told of the bank examiner's olas avenue.

A detachment of the State constabulary was called to the poor house at Retreat, Luzerne county, on Saturday morning to overcome a powerful colbersburg, who had become very violwould interfere with him.

Eight hundred visitors from the Methodist Episcopal General conference at Baltimore spent several hours on the Gettysburg battle field on Saturday, viewing the central portion of

While Walter Honaskie, of Shamokin, aged 4 years, was returning home from the mountains on Saturday, with his hands full of freshly picked mountain flowers, intended for his mother, he was run down and his little body cut in twain by a Reading express have the gift to improve the view if

Truman First aged 2 years fell from a balcony on the third floor of his parents' home in Harrisburg on Saturday but fortunately his mother was on the ground below and hearing his scream looked up and caught him, saving him from injury.

Charles Horn, a 3-year-old son o Lincoln Horn, of Pottsville, was on Saturday attacked by a game rooster hedge should look.' and injured so badly that it is feared he will not recover.

APPLICATION FOR CHANGE OF VENUE

Peter Dietrich at a special session of court, held Saturday afternoon.

Court convened at 4 o'clock for the purpose of hearing the application, Hon. C. C. Evans, president judge and Associates Frank G. Blee and Hon. L. ing W. Welliver being on the bench. The 9th.

who was operating a land roller on from jail by Sheriff Williams and ashis father's farm near Bethel, Berks signed to a seat near where he sat dur-

Welsh, of counsel for defense, who explained that Hon. Grant Herring, who adly. Then he killed the dog.

and who will be associated with the five farmers of North Heidelberg defense at the coming trial, was uncounties telling of the advantages of school district's credit as interest made.

Shortly before last of o'clock a party of wanted as fast as applications are defense at the coming trial, was uncounties telling of the advantages of school district's credit as interest made. township, Berks county, have burned able to be present Saturday by reason Danville as a convention city and re-5,500 bushels of lime to fertilize their of the fact that court was in session at Sunbury and an important case with which he is connected was on trial there.

The petition for a change of venue lows

throughout the county against the pememorate the discovery of petroleum titioner; that there exists in said county so great a prejudice against him that he can not obtain a fair trial; that there is a combination Evans, against him instigated by influential Mellin. persons by reason of which he cannot obtain a fair trial.

"That owing to the three preceding trials of the defendant so much publicity has been given the case by publication of parts of the evidence and the opinions of the court and the supreme court that a prejudice deep-seated has been engendered in the minds of so many of the citizens of the county available for jury service that it will be impossible to select a jury that will be able to render a verdict uninfluenced by the prejudice and feeling existing against the de-

small county and that the number of humane methods are to be adopted in jurors available for service in the whole county does not exceed 2,500; Frank Wagner, an 8-year-old son of that on the three trials heretofore held Dr. Levi F. Wagner, of Reading, step- at least 650 jurors have been summonped on a tack several days ago while ed, many of whom listened to the walking in his stocking feet. The boy's evidence and trial and have talked about it and have discussed the same with their neighbors."

The court granted a rule to show cause why a change of venue should not be ordered. The rule will be argued on May 18th at 10 o'clock. The testimony will be heard orally.

AN EARLY MORN-ING WEDDING

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at seven o'clock Tuesday morning at St. Hubert's church when Miss Clara Hofer became the bride of Augustus Braudt. The ceremony was per-

white Persian lawn gown and carri-Daniel Kohimeyer, aged 70 years, president of the Clintonville, Venango county, bank, which failed the county bank was best man. Following the caremony ed a shower bouquet of roses. Miss county, bank, which failed two weeks a wedding breakfast was served at the ago, died of a broken heart on Satur. newly furinshed home, No. 121 Nich-

Mr. and Mrs. Brandt left yesterday afternoon for a several days' stay at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Eisworth, in Williamsport, after which City and New York before returning

DO NOT TRIM

TREES TOO MUCH

Referring to trimming trees and fixing up about a home the Franklin Evening News gives this advice: "In 'fixing up' around a place, there is a tendency to trim the trees and most people, once started at it, butcher the helpless things and spoil the natural beauty they possess. There is a harmony of ordinary growth of form which the trees produce and few men they do more than cut away the dead limbs and the sprouts which do not belong to the system of branches. Evergreens especially, with low branches and thick leaves, need to be left, for the most part, alone. There are many estates which have been so thorough ly 'trimmed' that the last remnant of naturalness is gone. Stand back and let nature work. She will show you how a tree should grow and how a

While Susan Wallace, aged 28 years, Norristown will give wooden blocks on Osage avenue, Philadelphia, was a trial as a form of permanent pavpreparing a meal on Sunday, some lard
ing. This biggest borough in the State dripped into the fire, starting a big

method of planting corn by hand is
pretty generally abandoned. At the
and relatives from this city present. will then have tried everything but blaze, which set fire to her clothing and she was horribly burned.

WILL ATTEND AS A DEPARTMENT

of venue in the case of Commonwealth companies of the Danville fire depart- the baccalaureate sermon to the senior lowing the numerous applications

Already circular letters have been questing that delegates be instructed to vote for Danville in 1909.

Ar. Fischer reported that he had

appointed Saturday evening as fol-

MUSIO: -A. C. Roat, Edward Gibson, John Tooey and John G. Waite. TRANSPORTATION :- Harry Trum. bower, David Evans, Alfred Mellin, Theodore Baker and William Shultz. PUBLICITY:—John G. Waite, David

Evans, Theodore Baker and Alfred The meeting adjourned to meet at the call of Chief William Shultz to hear the reports of the committees.

DEATH OF MRS.

ANNA E. THOMPSON

Mrs. Anna E. Thompson departed this life at her home, Bloom street, at 6 a. m., Monday afterathree weeks' illness. She was a woman beloved and held in the very highest esteem throughout the community. Her death is regarded as a great loss.

Mrs. Thompson was the widow of Dr S Y. Thompson, who departed this life two years ago last fall. She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Cameron Shultz and Miss Olive Thompson of this city. She was born at Hampstead, Carroll county, Md., the daughter of the Rev. Oliver Ege and Mrs. Susanna Thompson Ege. Two brothers, the Rev. Thompson P. Ege of Oaks and Professor A. H. Ege of Mechanicsburg, survive, along with one sister, Mrs. J. Edgar Zug of Bowie, Md.

Mrs. Thompson was a zealous and devoted member of St. Paul's M. E. the community for the general uplift of the masses.

She was a woman of culture and re-She was a woman of culture and re-finement. She was a true philanthro-list and was a true philanthropist and was always seeking some practical way to aid the deserving poor. For very many years she was the president of the Woman's Benevolent society of Danville, an organization which under her guiding hand accomplished an infinite amount of good, relieving actual want and bringing back to disconsolate hearts hope and sun-

DEATH OF MRS.

AMELIA McCLOUGHAN

Mrs. Amelia McCloughan, widow of they will spent a week in Altantic John McCloughan, departed this life at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Salter, at Rushtown, at 3 o'clock vesterday morning. She was taken ill on Saturday.

The deceased was 66 years of age. She is survived by a son and a daugh. ter, also by two brothers, Peter J. Keefer of this city and Jacob Keefer who occupies the homestead in Rush township. A sister of the deceased, Mrs. Stroh, of Sunbury, died about two months ago. Peter J. and Jacob ily of eight, three brothers dying during the last six years.

residence at 10 o'clock Friday morning. Interment will be made at Rush Presbyterian cemetery.

FARMERS ARE PLANTING CORN

The farmers have now entered upon the work of corn planting. At most places the sowing of cats is complet-

At the farm connected with the hos pital for the insane they are planting corn this week. Planting this crop proves a very big job at the hospital farm. This year there are sixty acres of corn ground to be planted. The old house. There was quite a large attendhospital farm patent corn planters are The services were conducted by Rev. used exclusively.

SPEAKERS HAVE ACCEPTED

which is an unprecedented state of af-

Three important committees were waited upon the management of the deposited in the numerous eddies found entered our town. The three Danville ing could be had for commencement exercises at forty dollars. After consulting with others of the committee, and disposed of in the same manner. Housel, J. T. Church, W. L. Wainhe said, he closed with the manage- The fish fry as a rule were very small. ment of the opera house and comthat building this year.

paration, which pleased the board very the stream at Danville. much. Later in the evening the matter was referred to the supply committee for investigation.

lows: Pursel, Orth, Barber, Swarts, Burns, Redding, Fish, Fischer, Sechler, Foulke, Heiss, and Cole.

for payment: Standard Gas Co. Botanical Supplies..... S. J. Welliver & Sons Adams Ex. Co..... E. C. Shultz ...

DIEFFENBACHER

An adjourned session of the trienchurch. She was a central figure and activities, all the church's varied activities, while beyond the church her initiative purpose of electing a borough superintendent, was held Monday night, continued account of the continued of the church in the church intendent, was held Monday night, continued of the church in the church in the church in the church in the church is a contract of the church in the church is a contract of the church in the church is a church in the church is a church in the church in the church's varied activities, and the church's varied activities, but the church is a church in the church in t among the forces brought to play in vening at nine o'clock immediately the community for the general uplift after the adjournment of the regular meeting. There was only one candid-

In the interval several applications read by the secretary. Among the applicants were Charles E. Hower, of Mahanoy City; H. H. Weber, of Jersey Shore; Ira T. Shipman, of Sunbury C. C. Oberdorf, of Mt. Carmel; William S Robinson, of Taylor.

Jacob Fischer nominated D. N. Dieffenbacher. W. A. Sechler nominated Charles E. Hower. On motion the nominations were closed.

following result:

Dieffenbacher-Orth, Barber, Swarts, Redding, Fish, Fischer, Foulke, Heiss

Hower-Pursel, Sechler and Burns. Mr. Dieffenbacher receiving nine votes as against Mr. Hower's three he was declared elected as borough superintendent for the next three years.

HOTEL LICENSE

TRANSFERRED

Associate Judges F. G. Blee and Keefer are the only survivors of a fam- sion of court yesterday morning. A The funeral will be held from the eph Siegfried of Hughesville, a hotel the transfer find it mutually to their man of experience, who recently purchased the place.

The hotel in question is an old and popular stand known as the Park holine of Washingtonville. Mr. Moser, who has been in charge of the hotel active pursuits, taking up his residence er anything would be done on the new at Washingtonville. The new landlord park until August, at least. He felt moved into the place yesterday and today will open up for business

Funeral at Alms House.

The funeral of Mrs. Katie Helen Shutt was held Tuesday afternoon from the Dauville and Mahoning alms

FISH FRY BY THE THOUSANDS

At the union meeting of the four companies of the Danville fire department, held Saturday evening at the Friendship engine house, it was decided to attend the annual convention of the Danville fire department, held Saturday evening at the presbyterian church on Sunday evening at the companies of the Danville fire department, held Saturday evening at the presbyterian church on Sunday evening at the companies of the Danville fire department, held Saturday evening at the presbyterian church on Sunday evening at the companies of the Danville fire department of fish formulations in the baccalaureate sermon to the senior lowing the numerous applications made for wall-eyed pike, pickerel, yellow perch, bass and sunfish, by a dozen of our local Waltons last fall reached streets. The sight was a unique one, like history of the local authors at Eric losed last evening. Thirty seven constitution is to be held at DeWitt's park on Saturday, May 23rd, by the Danville streets. The sight was a unique one, losed last evening. The entry list for the big near distance of automobiles, a round dozen in number, which is to be held at DeWitt's park of our local Waltons last fall reached streets. The sight was a unique one, losed last evening. The entry list for the big near distance of automobiles, a round dozen in number, which is to be held at DeWitt's park of automobiles, a round dozen in number, which is to be held at DeWitt's park of automobiles, a round dozen in number. of the Six-County Firemen's association at Hazleton in one big body, leaving Danville on Tuesday evening, June

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local department is going after the thanks was extended to Treasurer M. erman to restock the waters of the proposition in a manner calculated to H. Schram for his wise foresight in north branch and it is pretty evident lodge learned that the Milton contin-H. Schram for his wise foresight in borth orange and it is piecely depositing the school funds in such a that the State intends to lend its full gent left that place about half past ten. co-operation by supplying all the fish Shortly before 11 o'clock a party of

> week comprised fourteen cans, four of which were taken up the stream and Elks. About 11 o'clock the procession opera house and learned that the build- at the mouth of small creeks that flow cars were in the lead followed by nine scarcely an eighth of an inch in length. mencement, therefore, will be held in It is estimated that the shipment con- and Bertram Galbraith. that building this year.
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> On motion of Mr. Burns it was ordered that the high school committee ered that the high school committee were triangled being the street between the Elks' building and the Montour house, while the party many of them indeed being and the Montour house, while the party tained many thousands. The yellow rent planos for grammar school commany of them indeed, being scarcely retired into the Elks' social rooms and wisible to the eye. It would be very difficult to estimate the number. The ville brethfen, who proved themselves E. Hale, a representative of shipment comprised sixteen cans, each most excellent hosts. The visitors ex-C. E. Hale, a representative of "Fyricide," a new fire extinguisher, appeared before the school board Monday night. Before the session he gave a demonstration of the dry chemical pre-

Some facts relative to the growth and development of fish were learned above mentioned the following from Tuesday, which indicate that we will Milton were in the party : G. Dal Fox, The full board was present as fol- not have to wait very long before the Edward Colvin, Harvey L. Lindner, movement to restock the river will John DeHaas, Elwood Frymire, Wolf Dear fruit. In the first place, the fish fry deposited in the river frequent the E. Hopkins, Walter A. Godcharles, The following bills were approved same eddy in which they are placed for an indefinite time, so that a perner, John H. Barr, Al. Cooner, Harry \$ 7.12 son interested in nature study may Lindner, E. E. Ritter, Charles A. 19:00 watch the growth and movements of Jenkins, W. H. Kahler, Oliver Wagner, 5.00 the fish during a whole season. Last William Hartz, Ned Church, Pearl 4.00 spring a can of fish fry that were as Nogle, John M. Trego, George W. 2.80 small as any described in Tuesday's Klinger, William Dieffenderfer, Harry 1.45 shipment was placed in the river near E. Davis, Walter Frick., Feter Gin 1.50 the hospital grounds. These fish were closely observed during the summer. Hugh M. Marsh, Joseph Johnson, Top-They frequented the same spot in BOROUGH SUP'T creased in size at a regular rate. Small as they were when placed in the river in the spring by autumn they had attained a size of 312 to 4 inches in length.

THE STATUS OF

It would seem pretty plain by this time that the new park as an attrac-tion in Danville this summer is a were received by the board which were of May has arrived and the plot lies dream not to be realized. The middle precisely as abandoned last fall. Rank grass and weeds are growing up where sod should be cultivated; the walks lie unfinished. An unsightly deposit of ashes to be used in grading has been dumped east of the center and alto-gether the spot is only a trifle more dumped east of the center and altogether the spot is only a trifle more presentable than a year ago when the neglected graves made the spot forbid.

Atthis juncture one of the cats of the farm brought into the world a nestful of healthy kittens. Although so frequently baffled in her purpose Bub's, John M. Arndt, Carl Rippel, neglected graves made the spot forbid-

Nobody seems to know how much work will be done on the park this summer nor when operations may begin. Just at present, it is explained. the deed is being executed and delivered transferring the tract from the trutsees of the Mahoning Presbyterian congregation north to the borough of Danville. The conveyance of the tract is not a purely perfunctory matter but involves a great deal of negotiation and scrutiny. The church trustees desire to secure for the grounds proper care and to make it impossible that they should ever be put to any Hon. L. W. Welliver held a short ses- other use than that of a public park. On the other hand the borough is carehotel license in Derry township was ful not to accept any terms that may transferred from R. B. Moser, to Jos- prove burdensome and the parties to interest to "go slow". It is thought that some action relative to work on the park may be taken at next meet of council, Friday night, tel situated just south of the borough will all depend upon whether or not

One of the borough officials Tuessure that this would be the case unless additional money could be raised last evening. by popular subscription. If the borough would have to finish the tract, he said, the work would have to be postponed until the taxes come in, which would not be until late in the summer.

Fifty-four hens belonging to Owen Henry, of Pennsburg, Montgomery county, laid 304 eggs in one week.

MILTON ELKS

The party of automobilists, number. plete in the games. Associates Frank G. Blee and Hon. L.

W. Welliver being on the bench. The
session was a very brief one lasting
only about fifteen minutes.

At the ringing of the court house
bell Peter Dietrich was brought down
from jail by Sheriff Williams and assigned to a seat near where he satd during the preceding trials. He is looking
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Dietrich's application for a change

Ing Danville on Tuesday evening, state

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honor. I virtainous were extended to
follow and may arrive at any day will
be made up of bass and sunfish. Never
before was there such a concerted
movement set on foot among the fishcity. There they were warmly welcome bell Peter Dietrich was brought down
for this city in 1909. The fire fighters
of Danville realize that they have a
difficult task before them when they
en route to Scranton to attend the
third annual State convention of pike; the second, which arrived Tuesboard for the mark of confidence and
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well ing some forty-five, were members of in the surrounding towns speaks well

owned by T. J. Price, W. G. Pursel The shipment of wall-eyed pike last and W. W. Welliver, left the lodge room for Mausdale to meet the Milton wright, E. L. Lindner, Fred A. Godcharles, Edgar Summers, Ira N. Higbee

proceeded on their way.

In addition to the owners of the cars ter, James M. Fox, Harry E. Keller, py Fosnot, Budd Harris.

GOOD STORY FROM GROVANIA

The following odd story from Grov-THE NEW PARK ture faker" but is vouched for as true by persons on the spot.

The peculiar incident took place on the farm of Alonzo Mauser. Mr. Mauser's chickens was an old hen in which the maternal instinct was strongly developed. The hen was determined to hatch out a brood of chickens and Mr. Mauser was just as determined that she should not and every time she sought the nest he thre, her off and removed the eggs.

At this juncture one of the cats of so frequently baffled in her purpose the hen had by no means abandoned the hope of being able to rear a fam. ily and as the sequel shows she was ers, Mark Hess, J. Fleckenstine, Harry not at all particular whether her chi. N. Daggett,

dren were cats or chickens. Accordingly at the first opportunity when the mother cat was absent the old hen usurped the nest and in a motherly way spread out her wings tenderly covering the whole family of kittens. When the cat returned it took her some time to realize what had occurred. When she approached the nest the old hen with feathers bristling flew at the cat and then for a few minutes the strangest of all battles was fought Due to mediation the contest went on record as a drawn battle. The cat was given her kittens while the zealous old hen was restrained from further interference.

TOOK DINNER AT HEDDENS HOUSE

A party of ladies of Shamokin were driven over to this city yesterday in a four-in-hand hack belonging to Wardin Danville about 10 o'clock in the

In the party were the following: pastor of St. Peter's M. E. chruch. Mesdames Francis Haile, Thomas Brennan, James Culbertson, Wesley ed into Media, Delaware county, on Higgins, John Gibbons, John Gilger, Sunday night in an intoxicated c Nicholas McDarz, Jacob Omlor, John Williams, Henry Carey and J. R. Mc-Laughlin.

Many a man who gets off the right road never meant to do so.

45 ATHLETES WILL COMPETE

young men from out of town will com-

for the popularity of the scheme Twenty two of the athletes who entered are from Sunbury and represent the Sunbury high schools and the Sunbury Y. M. C. A. Berwick will send five men, who are entered in nearly all the events. Milton will also send a very strong aggregation.

Eight young men from this city, whose names and entries are given below will compete with the visitors, striving to carry off at least a fair share of the honors.

Below is given the official list of en-

SUNBURY HIGH SCHOOL-Raymond Stroh, Harry Smith, George Rhodes, R. F. Caldwell, Harrison B. Shipe, Roy E. Stahl, Woods M. Nicely, John C. Morgan, Frank R. Bru-gard, Edward Withington, Herbert Bier, Clarence Deppen, Ray Harrison,



A likeness of the medals that will be offered in gold, silver and bronze as first, second and third prizes in the different events.

SUNBURY Y. M. C. A.—Robert Schulenberd, Edgar Beers, William A. Long, Lloyd Maihl, George G. Snyder, Roy B. Shipe, Harry Brumbaugh,

William L. Raup, Jr., William Frick, BERWICK HIGH SCHOOL-David

Dickson, Murray Brown, Robert Eshel-man, Geo. E. Follmer, Casper Frantz. DANVILLE ENTRIES.

The Danville relay team will be made up of Edward Hurley, Edward Price, Lundy Russell and James Kase. Other entries from this city are: A D. Reifsnyger entered for 100 yard dash, 120 yard hurdle and running 100 yard dash, 220 yard dash, half mile run, 120 yard burdle; James Kase entered for all events; Lundy Russell entered for all events except 12 pound shot put : Harold McClure entered for all events except 12 pound shot put Thomas G. Ryan entered for 12 pound shot put; Harry Dailey, entered fo 100 yard dash, 120 yard hurdle and running high jump.

Johnson-Belford

Miss Florence Irene Belford of the South side and Henry C. Johnson of for a good many years, will retire from day stated that it was doubtful wheth active pursuits, taking up his residence er anything would be done on the new at the Heddens House. They arrived on Tuesday evening. The nuptial knot was tied at 8 o'clock at the home of forenoon and started for home at 5:30 the bride No. 417 Avenue F, Riverside, by the Rev. John Conley Grimes,

> tion, owes his life to Miss Lillian Blizzard, a pretty young trained nurse, who drew him from the tracks of a trolley road just as a car was bearing upon his prostrate form.