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425 MILL ST., DANVILLE, PA. Diseases of the Stemach and Intestines a Specialty

ITEMS CONDENSED.

Middletown, Dauphin county, has landed a shoe factory. For this purpose the citizens subscribed over \$100,-

Reading is now endeavoring to form an association with 500 members, se object will be to promote the material interests of the city.

At Lancaster, John, the 5-year-old son of Daniel Eshbach, ticket agent for the Reading Railway company, was burned to death while playing

The mayor of Wilkes-Barre and thirty-two councilmen have entered maintaining a nuisance. The alleged nuisance consists in not keeping the streets of that city in repair.

After long litigation in the Schuylville. The receipts and expenditures filed with the register foot up over \$80,000, leaving but \$6,000 to distri-

Should the threatened war in the

railroad, on Saturday fell between the engine and tank of his train but es. of Montour castle. caped with slight injuries.

Among the largest features of new business announced in Pittsburg on Saturday, was a \$2,000,000 pipe line contract awarded to the T. A. Gillespie company, of that city, by the water commissioners and controller of Greater New York.

A trolley car loaded with passengers from a football game at Collegeville, Montgomery county, on Saturday afternoon jumped the track while crossing the bridge across Perkiomen creek, knocked out ten feet of the stone wall at the side and was only the creek by three telephone poles against which it ran.

A few days ago, a large unoccupied county, was totally destroyed by fire. Jacob Biddle, Jr., an incorrigible boy of the neighborhood was arrested on suspicion of having set it on fire and confessed that he dropped a match on some loose paper in the house just to

After Mrs. John Kohler, of Fleetthreatening to her that she fled from at which the question may be considthe house across a field where her hus- ered. band and his farm hands were work. The meeting will be held at the Billprison, on Saturday.

The Berks county almshouse has at

The park gardeners of Reading, under the supervision of Superintendent planting 30,000 tulip bulbs, in the park

est stump speaker in the State.

Henry Stanzhora aged 15 years, was instantly killed at Scranton on Saturday by Frank McMillan, a companion while the two were out hunting. Mc-

ance after the fata! shot was fired. Services in memory of Ira D. San- BURGLAR CONVICTED key, the noted singing evangelist, who was born and reared in New Castle, were held in the First Methodist Episcopal church in that city on Sunday, under the auspices of the Young Men's Christian association for which Mr. Sankey erected a home there eighteen

years ago at a cost of \$40,000. Albert Smith, of Pottsville, aged 6 were stitched together, but nausea followed and the stitches pulled out. The parts were again stitched but blood poisoning set in on Sunday, when the tongue was removed entirely. Should he recover he will be entirely speech-

FINE EXHIBITION

The drill corps of Theta Castle No. panied by the Citizen's band of that place, paid Danville a visit Saturday night and gave a fine exhibition of drilling on Mill street. Incidentally, the band discoursed some choice music Moyer, Russell, Deutsch, Marshall, which was much appreciated by the Angle, Cleaver and Connolley. big Saturday night crowd on the

the loca llodge of the K. G. E., on the evening of Saturday, October 17th. The Theta castle drill corps, accomunder Captain F. M. Herrington, to meet the visitors. As the later alighted from the car Moutour commandery separated right and left, presenting swords.

Headed by the band the Bloomsburg drill corps marched up Mill street renewing for five years. bail for court trial on the charge of Montour commandery falling in the rear. At the Montour house they coutermarched and paraded out as far as Peifer's hotel on North Mill street.

Countermarching at this point the has been so eaten up with expenses that now, when a settlement has been that now, when a settlement has been to the paving. The members of Montour commandery separated right and tour commandery separated right and kill county courts a valuable estate drill corps fell in the rear. At Mill members of Theta Castle gave an exhibition of drilling.

Balkans become a reality, seventy brown went through its difficult evolutions faultlessly. Meanwhile the band ton, will respond to their country's was discoursing favorite selections of ordered that the street commissioner

was treated to a luncheon in the rooms

LITTLE MONTOUR WAS SECOND

It is a matter for self congratulation that little Montour was the second of the counties of Pennsylania to file the election returns at the capitol. Juniata county enjoyed the distinction of being first. Hardly half the counties up to Saturday had filed returns. By that time, however, the compilation of well under way.

So far no scattering votes have been checked from falling forty feet into found, but trouble is anticipated in some counties, especially in Montgomery, where a man wrote in a whole new ticket under the name of People's frame mansion on the farm of Richard Fusion, inserting names of people for Meredith, in West Whiteland, Chester every office, although they were not

THE COOPERATIVE CREAMERY QUESTION

ing sentiment among the farmers in for paym the northern end of the county in favwood, Berks county, had kindly given or of a co-operative creamery. It has three strangers a meal, they became so been decided to hold a public meeting

ing. They hastened to the house and meyer house, Strawberry Ridge, Fricaptured the trio, who were sent to day afternoon, November 13th, at 2 o'clock. The farmers of Derry and adjoining townships and others interest ed are urged to attend

WAS INSTALLED

Rev. W. K. Preston was installed as pastor of the Elysburg and Rush Presof Reading, who delivered a Taft byterian churches on Tuesday. The service at Elysburg was held at 10:30 campaign, is claimed to be the young- a. m. and in the Rush church at 3:30 The sermons were preached by Two heavy freight trains collided Rev. W. C. McCormack, of this city. at Erie early Sunday morning, causing the death of Robert Burke a fire.

Rev. James Wollaston Kirk, of Danville, delivered the charge to the pastman, and the serious injury of J. M. Wolfe, an engineer and William Dun. Bloomsburg, delivered the charge to the people.

The new paster of the Elysburg and Rush churches was until recently the minister at the Linden Presbyterian church. He is an able preacher and his pastorate has opened most auspic

ON ELEVEN CHARGES

PITTSBURG, Nov. 11. Convicted on eleven charges of burglary. John Loar, alleged leader of a band of negro highwaymen, has been way department, at a joint meeting held today, they adopted resolutions show a loss of \$120,000,000 in net earnband of negro highwaymen, has been sentenced to serve thirty-six years in

the Western penitentiary. years, fell down stairs several days ago and bit off his tongue. The parts livan, found guilty of four charges of burglary, has asked that sentence be withheld until late today, when he promises to give information regard-ing the whereabouts of \$10,000 worth of silverware and jewelry stolen by the gang from wealthy families of Pittsburg and vicinity.

The borough council, which failed business was disposed of, the follow-Pursel, Finnigan, Jones, Everhart,

A communication was received from Burgess Rogers explaining that a prop-The visit was made in return for osition had been made by Peter G. one paid to Bloomsburg by Montour Baylor looking to a leasing of the riv below the stone wall at the lower side percent of attendance, 95. of the water works to be used as a landing place for the coal digger and panied by the band, arrived on the S flats belonging to Mr. Baylor. The o'clock car. Montour commandery latter agrees to keep up the road with under Captain F. M. Herrington, no expense to the borough and to pay attended 75 per cent. of the time be-marched down to the trolley terminus \$25 a year rent with the privilege of longed as required by the rules is renewing for five years.

ordered that Mr. Baylor be granted a lease of the river front as asked for, one year, at \$25, with the privilege of

On motion of Mr. Finnigan it was ordered that the interest on the Josiah Wolf bequest amounting to \$72 be paid to the Woman's Benevolent society.

On motion of Mr. Pursel it was ordered that \$160.19 in the borough treasury due the Fireman's Relief association be paid over to Sam A. McCoy, treasurer of the above association.

Borough Electrician Newton Smith presented his report for the month of October. Eighty tons of coal at a cost It was a most beautiful spectacle of \$220 were used at the light plant. witnessed by several hundred persons. The plant was in operation 350 hours The drill corps neatly uniformed in The total cost of operating was \$442.

music for the entertainment of the be instructed to make repairs on Mah-George Drummond, of Chester, a crowds further up the street. oring street. Both East and West freight conductor on the Pennsylvania Before returning home the drill corps Mahoning streets contain a number of holes, which, it was ordered, should have be filled up with crushed limestone, scho the repairs to extend from Ferry street date westward to the suspension bridge over Mahoning creek opposite the Reading Iron works.

commissioner be instructed to remove flagstones standing in the gutter in front of the Gaskins property, which have the effect of damming up the water and causing an overflow

On motion of Mr. Pursel it was ordered that a flagstone pavement with a four inch curb be laid by the borough alongside the S. R. Kreeger property on West Mahoning street.

On motion it was ordered that the street commissioner be instructed to clean out the gutter in the aliey at the rear of the Grove Presbyterian church in order that the water accumulating there may be carried off without doing harm.

On motion of Mr. Angle it was ordered that the Friendship, Washington and Goodwill engine houses be painted, the work to be done by the day and the borough to furnish the paint. The following bills were approved

BOROUGH DEPARTMENT

Merritt & Company \$24	1.0
Trumbower & Werkheiser 9	8.4
	0.50
	1.6
James Gibson 1	9.5
	4. 3
	4.0
	1.4
Regular employes	7.5
Labor on Streets	8.8
	2.7
D. L. & W. R. R. Co 4	4.1
	4.0
G. F. Reifsnyder 4	9.6
WATER DEPARTMENT.	
P. H. Foust \$11	1.7
	18. 2
Rensselaer Mfg. Co 9	4.8
	6 2
Atlantic Refining Co	5.2
Adams Express Co	.8
Washington Fire Co	5.1
Joseph Lechner	7.9
Friendship Fire Co 3	4.1
	4.4
Standard Gas Co	1.8
	9.3
Benton B. Brown 1	3.7
WANT TO DRODE	

WANT TO PROBE HIGHWAY DEPT.

WEST CHESTER, Nov. 11. Because the Chester County Road Supervisors' association and the Patthe best advantage by the State highurging the Chester county members of the State legislature to use their efforts to have a committee appointed to investigate the methods of the high way department. The supervisors and grangers believe that the money should be paid direct to the township, in the same manner as the school appropriations are now paid to the districts; they also are of the opinion that the highway department should be re-organized.

SUPERINTENDENT PRESENTS REPORT

to have a quorum on Friday held a ent Dieffenbacher for the second month meeting Monday night. A good deal of of school ending on October 26 preent Dieffenbacher for the second month sented at the regular meeting of the ing members being present: Schatz, board Monday was of more than usual interest, especially in its relation to the pedagogical or normal class organized this term for the purpose of qualifying graduates of the high school for the position of teachers.

The report showed that the total attendance of pupils during the month Commandery No. 17, connected with er front for 250 feet beginning 50 feet was 1172; the average attendance, 1090

Of the entire number enrolled 530 were not absent during the two months; 971 were not tardy.

The number of pupils who have not It is this class that keeps On motion of Mr. Russell it was the truant officer busy, it being the latter's duty to investigate each case when it is reported to him in order to learn what cause detains the pupil to the end that intelligent action may be taken in the premises.

Superincendent Dieffenbacher last night arranged his report so as to bring the per cent. of attendance of each ward and the different grades in comparison with each other. Optside of the high school the per cent. of attendance in the first and second wards were the highest—96. The per cent. of attendance in the third ward was 92 in the fourth ward, 93; Welsh hill, 90.

Taking in the whole borough the percent, of the different grades are as follows : First grade, 92; second grade, 93: third grade 93: fourth grade, 96: senior secondary grade, 96; grammar On motion of Mr. Russell it was grade, 99; high school, 98.8.

In all eighteen cases of scarlet fever have been reported to the borough superintendent since the beginning of the school term; of diphtheria 2 cases been reported Twenty-two school rooms have been fumigated to

Nine students are enrolled in the pedagogical class, which recites every two weeks before the borough super-It was also ordered that the street intendent. Of the members enrolled only three are "cadets," the other six being regular teachers, who have taken the course to improve themselves. The class is pursuing a course in Page's Theory and Practice of Teach-

COMPUTING THE CONGRESSIONAL VOTE

Horace C. Blue of Montour county, Col. Jacob H. Maize. of Columbia

county, Alphonsus Walsh, of Sullivan county, and W. K. Armstrong, of Northumberland county, duly appointed as congressional return judges, met at Sunbury Tuesday for the purpose of computing the general election held November 3rd for the several congressional candidates in the sixteenth congressional district.

The result of the count is as fol-

Northumberland county-Samuels, 8575; McHenry, 9616; J. E. Wolf, 505. Montour county—Samuels, 944; Mc-Henry, 1547: Wolf, 66

Columbia county-Samuels, 2550; McHenry, 5976; Wolf, 283. Sullivan county-Samuels, 797; Mc-

Henry, 1273; Wolf, 116. Samuel's total is 12,866; McHenry's feeted cows. In man the symptoms as total, 18,412; which gives McHenry a plurality of 5546, Wolf having receiving.

MILLIONS LOST

CHICAGO, Nov. 11. Gross earnings of the railroads of the United States decreased by the tics, whose report was issued yester- dealer.

The figures are compiled from the the outbreak of the disease here was monthly reports of the railroads to the as unexpected as a bolt of lightning Interstate Commerce Commission.

The figures show the gross earnings 000,000 with a mileage of 230,000 or ed it might be stated that the State Live Stock Sanitary board is reprefiscal year the gross earnings were \$2, 589,105,578 with a mileage of 227,45 or \$11,383 a mile.

'As the operating expenses for 1908, of 1907," the report says, 'the official ings from operation as compared with

More Oleo Cases.

Agents of the State Dairy and Food Division have rounded up a number of additional sellers of oleo who have failed to comply with State law re quirements. They are mostly in the western part of the State and will be held for trial.

CATTLE PLAGUE IN MONTOUR COUNTY

Leonard Pearson, of Harrisburg, along with others connected with the State Live Stock Sanitary board, arrived in Danville to spend several days in this by a local veterinarian, who had dissymptoms of a strange disease, which dreaded foot and mouth disease, a might keep more closely in touch. malady, which, although common enough in Europe is rare in this country. Dr. Pearson is an acknowledged authority and it was known that in a couple of days he would be able to decide whether the disease is the great European cattle plague or not.

Unfortunately, the worst has proven found to exist in its worst form on at least two well-known farms of this county, as well as on two farms near Milton . All these places, along with a cattle pen in Danville, are under quarantine. Yesterday an official warning was posted at each place forbidding people to enter the quarantined premises, or to come in contact with the diseased or exposed animals or with any object or thing that may have been contaminated by or from such animals.

An interview was had with State spoke freely on the nature of the disease and the extent to which it pre-vails in Montour and Northumberland counties.

The present so far as known is the first time that the foot and mouth disease has existed in Pennsylvania. Only the extra work entailed will take once before did it prevail in North was confined to New England. Thousands of cattle were lost.

is owned by Jacob Shultz, Cooper township, whose magnificent herd of about forty head will be a total loss. The disease causes an eruption of blisters in the mouth, upon the teats of cows, and between the claws. It is accompanied in its early stages by high fever, great depression, loss of appetite, lameness and loss of milk

Mr. Shultz's fine herd was first affeeted a week or so ago. The cows lost flesh rapidly and at present are little more than skin and bone. The dairy's yield of milk at once fell off, dropping from sixty gallons to six gal-

The other herd infected belongs to Edward Shultz, who lives above Boyd's station on the south side of the river. The disease is excessively contagious and may be conveyed by any objects that have been in contact with the diseased animals, such as fodder, straw, stable utensils, or on the hands, boots clothing of persons, who have handled diseased cattle. Along with both farms where the disease exists the cattle pen at the D. L. & W. railroad, is under quarantine as the latter place was used to restrain the animal that inoculated Mr. Shultz's herd when along with others it was shipped from Buffalo.

Dr. Pearson stated that the disease is communicable to man and might result from using the milk from in-

The farms under quarantine in Northumberland county are those owned by Eli Yost and James Montgomery near McEwensville. Other BY RAILROADS cloven footed animals such as sheep, goats, swine may contract the foot and mouth disease and on Mr. Montgomery's farm there are infected pigs.

sum of \$139,000,000 during the fiscal troduced by cattle brought from Bufyear ended on June 30, 1908, according falo. Mr. Shultz feels quite confident to Slason Thompson, manager of the Bureau of Railway News and Statis-

from the clear sky. Showing how serious is the situation and with what for the last year to have been \$2,450, interest in the whole affair is regarded it might be stated that the State sented in Danville just now by Dr. Pearson, the State veterinarian, Dr. N. B. Critchfield, State secretary of rous of Husbandry believe that the State money is not being expended to approximately \$1,729,000,000, will not Dr. Muns, Dr. Cawley and Dr. Hick-Agriculture, Dr. Jobson, Dr. Turner, man, the five latter all being men permanently in the service of the board. Illustrating still further the importance of the outbreak the State Sanitary board is without precedent veterinarian and his staff today will in the premises. No provisions are be joined by United States officials.as made for reimbursing owners who lose follows. Dr. A. D. Melvin, chief of cattle by the foot and mouth disease. the bureau of animal industry; Dr. John R. Mohler, chief of Pathological division; Dr. Steddon, chief of the quarantine division of the United States department of agriculture.

fected herds exist and make a study of foot and mouth disease.

TELEPHONE WILL

In order to prevent a recurrence of vicinity. The nature of his business to the danger of contracting scarlet Dalton and while there were interwas not explained, although it was fever the school board on Monday viewed by a representative of this known that he had been called here night decided to install a telephone in paper. the directors' room of the first ward covered in a couple herds of cattle building in order that the borough tioned at Bloomsburg, whose duty it it was feared, might prove to be the as well as the physicians of town over a radius of some fifteen miles.

notices relating to outbreak of disease oughs when emergencies arise, yet the is regarded as too slow a method duties of the constabulary principally where attendance at school and consequently the health of pupils is es- inadequately officered under the presentially involved.

true. The foot and mouth disease is in the fourth ward that are so greatly in the field. deplored.

In installing the telephone in the W. S. Smeaton, E. D. Porterland G. first ward school building the aim of the board is not only to give the secretary of the board of health an op-portunity to communicate with the and obliging, nicely mounted on small case of scarlet fever or any other in- them fections disease is diagnosed.

school board makes of the physicians who happened to be in town when the of Danville, that, with the means sup-Veterinarian Pearson Tuesday. He plied, they keep the borough superintendent directly informed on all outbreaks of communicable disease as soon as they occur.

The pubilc will applaud the action welcome in West Hemlock township." of the school board and it is hoped kindly to the new system, as it seems America and that was in 1892, when it to offer an effective method of preventing the spread of disease.

MILK WAGON

A milk wagon belonging to Dairycaught in time to prevent a smashup,

IN A RUNAWAY

milk was spilled.

The horse escaped from the driver of speed down to Mill street, where ed toward the armory. As the horse many times. The manual accompany dashed down over the paving the milk cans dancing about in the wagon beat tions for over 500 experiments. a lively tattoo as an accompaniment of the clattering hoofs As the caus engine, which is about twelve inches jolted a considerable quantity of milk was released, which could be seen run-

ning out of the wagon. Near the D. L. & W. crossing on Mill street the horse was caught and held until the driver arrived.

RESURFACING

ABOUT COMPLETED

the repairs on the Mill street macadam wheels from the most primitive type are being made, yesterday stated that to the modern water motor is shown the work of resurfacing is nearly comin practical operation. pleted and that by Saturday at the latest the street will be thrown open wireless demonstrating apparatus, with

pleted quite as soon as was expected. tank and lenses complete; Moore's At-Nevertheless, Mr. Clay has made a wood's machine with pendulum and first class job of the resurfacing and electri-contact; also a large compound the public can afford to be indulgent. microscope. Two different coats of specially prepared material, shipped from Almedia, \$526.45. have been used in the work. That the proper pressure might be applied the ten-ton steam roller belonging to the State hospital for the insane was used construction of the road was furnish. will represent the United States as ed by the sprinkling cart of the Friendship Fire company.

In Honor of Birthday.

Miss Mary Dillard entertained a few of her friends Tuesday evening at her home on Front street in honor of her 11th birthday. She was the recipient of a number of gifts. The evening ment of Agriculture at Washington. proved to be most enjoyable.

the disease. Today a special meet ing of the State Live Stock Sanitary board, with the above named United States officials probably in attendance. will be held at Harrisburg to take action on the outbreak of the European plague in this State. Unfortunately,

At the meeting today all matters pertaining to the disease and the outbreak here will be fully discussed. It will then be decided whether th State with the means on hand can do Yesterday the State and government officials visited farms where the in-

CONSTABULARY

Two members of the State constabu what happened in the fourth ward, lary stationed at Bloomsburg paid this Monday, when it was discovered that city a visit yesterday while making children from an infected household their usual patrol. They dropped in had exposed the pupils of four schools at the office of Justice of the Peace

A detachment of three men are stasuperintendent and the board of health is to patrol the surrounding country While always willing to co-operate Relying upon the mails to transmit with the officers of the various borsent system. Thieves who prey upon It was such unavoidable delay as the farmers will have less chance to this that brought about the conditions escape with the mounted constabulary

The three men at Bloomsburg are orough superintendent promptly and fleet-footed horses. They made a most directly but also to enable each doctor excellent impression on all in Danof town to call him up whenever a ville who had the pleasure of meeting

Mr. Lloyd Bomboy, a representative Indeed this is the request that the citizen of West Hemlock township, members of the constabulary were here, voiced the sentiment of the whole farming community when he rémarked that "the constabulary could rest assured that they would have a warm

NEW EQUIPMENT FOR LABORATORY

The school board has installed in the laboratory of the high school the 'Standard Crowell cabinet,' which is unquestionably the greatest [thing in the line of laboratorial equipment that was ever devised and will Ido a great deal to advance our schools by man Cornelison figured in a runaway affording the widest range of practical vesterday morning. The horse was up-to-date work conceivable, presentaffording the widest range of practical ing the subject in such a way as to although a considerable quantity of fascinate the pupil and facilitate the work of the teacher.

The equipment for the physical labon East Market street near Christ Ep-iscopal church and ran at a rapid rate oratory is in the form of a large, and handsome cabinet, in which there are 240 different kinds of pieces of apparhe safely turned the corner and head- atus, some of which may be duplicated ing the cabinet gives illustrated direc-

The equipment includes the Crowell long and contains a glass cylinder and glass covered steam chest, which renders every movement visible. It is not necessary to add that the student can learn more in an hour with this engine than he could gather in many days from books. The engine is operated with compressed air, which acts precisely as steam. Besides compressed air the cabinet has water-under pressure-electricity and gas as I motive W. B. Clay, under whose supervision ower. The whole system of water

The laboratory equipment contains : to the public.

A couple of unavoidable delays have batteries, a complete Marconi system: sending station, receiving station and

Master of Grange Hill Sails.

W. F. Hill, Master of the Pennsylvania State Grange sailed Monday The water needed in the from New York for Rome, "where he one of five delegates to the Interna-tional Institute of Agriculture. The other delegates sailing with Mr. Hill were William M. Stewart, of the Department of Commerce and Labor; Dr C. C. Clark, chief of the division of crop reporting, and George F. Holmes, Ambassador to Italy Lloyd C. Griscom, of Philadelphia, is chairman of the American delegation by virtue of

Smallpox at Cumberland Co.

HARRISBURG, Pa., Nov. 11.—Reports received at the State Department of Health yesterday show that there are now six houses under quarantine for smallpox in Middlesex [township, Cumberland county, two new cases being reported. The patients are Earl Bishop and Charles Powley, and it is stated that neither one has been vaccinated. One of the new patients is Artemia Lewis, an Indian girl, who had been a pupil at the Carlisle school.

About 300,000 barrels less beer was drunk in Pittsburg in the year ending with October than in the previous