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## ITEMS CONDENSED.

bia, widow of the late Hugh M. North a distinguished member of the Lancaster bar, has donated \$15,000 to St. Paul's Episcopal church, Columbia, to liquidate a debt of that amount.

Ministers of New Castle are taking there. action jointly for the abolishment Sunday funerals, or at least limiting food commissioner, arrived in this city them to only such cases as seem absolutely necessary.

For shooting a rabbit near Emaus, Batzigals, a foreigner, was on Thursday fined a total of \$60.

in, of Summit Hill, for \$30,000.

Egar G. Rhoads, a rural free delivery mail carrier of Athol, Berks county, expects to deliver all his mail by automobile, giving the best rural mail

Owners of dogs in West Chester who refuse or neglect to pay the annual tax will be arrested and fined by the bur-

county, who is 93 years of age, is still hale and hearty and goes fox hunting and catches ground hogs with the vim of a man of less than half his age.

Mrs. Sarah Bowers, who died recenttions, but as the will was made only twenty-three days before her death the

William H. Grim, of Hamburg,

By the explosion of the boiler of a 300-barrel oil gusher near Butler on any of the infected cattle with a hope Saturday evening William Aggas was of curing them. The large force of fatally injured and Abner Hamilton men will devote themselves exclusiveseriously hurt. The well, spouting oil ly to enforcing the quarantine or, and gas, caught fire and hundreds of other words, to eradicating the disbarrels of oil were burned.

C. Y. Rhoads, of Amityville, Berks county, sold a stranger \$50 worth of chickens and he was tendered a check for \$100. Rhoads gave him the change and afterwards discovered that the check was worthless, but by telegraphing to the express company he recovered his chickens and is out only the \$50 change paid out.

The marriage last week of L. D. Kelly, of Harmonsburg, Crawford county, and Mrs. Mary Kierstead, is daughter, Mrs. S. V. Border, at Clear-the culmination of a love romance field. that had its beginning in Virginia about the close of the war, when Kelly was a member of a Pennsylvania regiment and Mrs. Kierstead a widow living in Virginia. Kelly is nearly 80 years of age and his bride a few years younger than he is.

The sexton of Temple Shomro Habrith, in Reading, discovered two men day, when he locked the doors and telephoned for the police. Then he Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Saul, of which the deceased was a prominwent inside and told the men that at Strawberry Ridge, door and escaped.

While a spirited horse belonging to Samuel T. Matthews, of Pottsville. was being driven along the main street on Saturday, the animal kicked | with her parents at Fisher's Ferry. the driver's legs. The sharp, ragged edges of the broken bones severed an for a visit with friends. artery and before the flow of blood

The largest concrete bridge in Berks county, has just been completed at Daubenville, across the Schuylkill river. It is 300 feet long and cost \$20,-

The progressive citizens of Schuylkill Haven, Schuylkill county, are working to scenre a New England in dustry that makes ball bearings and gives employment to 500 persons.

Three sewers in different parts of the rain and sleet which fell. street damage and loss because of flooded cellars and basements will be \$500,-

The Lehigh Valley Coal company has started the construction of an immense reservoir near its Blackwood colliery, Schuylkill county, so as to be prepared to meet future drouths. A tunnel, 1,000 feet long is being dug through the Sharp and Second mountains to reach the water of Black

assistant dairy and food commission-

the Sperring block, No. 235 Mill Sunday. Bell 'phones and all business relating to the outbreak will be transacted

Mr Schock, the assistant dairy and the first shot. Schock is a member of the State live Berks county, without license. Lion stock sanitary board. As such while here he will be the assistant and representative of State Veterinarian Leon The contract for the erection of the ard Pearson, who is in charge of the Panther Creek hospital at Tamaqua work here and to whom full power to has been awarded to J. Andrew Breslact has been delegated by the State act has been delegated by the State livestock sanitary board.

Mr. Schock as assistant dairy and food commissioner will give especial attention to the quarantine as it relates to the food supply. Every effort will be made to prevent products, especially milk, butter and meat, from finding their way into market from

The work will be systematized and Under the system of surveillance it will be next to impossiblefor any infected product to find its way on the market. Mr. Schock realizes the magnitude of the task and he remarked Monday that he expects to remain with us for several months.

ly in Reading, bequeathed \$5,000 to working under Dr. Pearson, who has appointed the federal inspectors agents of the State livestock sanitary board. The skilled veterinarians-some twen ty in number-are all busy every day.

Not only are the infected farms be-Berks county, who has raised four ing closely watched, but as far as pos-crops of alfalfa the past season, has sible the general condition of other placed thirty-two steers in his barn herds concerning which there has been which he expects to fatten with this no report will be investigated in ordcrop -- a new experiment for that sec- er to determine that nothing is con-

No time will be spent in treating How long a time this may cupy is altogether problematical. be here for months to come

## .....PERSONALS.....

yesterday from a visit with their

Dr. Archie McBride left yesterday for Lehigh county, where he was sent by the government in connection with the outbreak of foot and mouth disease few days.

Harry Swank left last evening for a trip to Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. William Beaver and daughter Edna, of Turbotville, spent

F. Pursel Angle, of Jersey Shore, saized him, took his keys, unlocked a spent yesterday with his parents, Mr et street

Mrs. Howard Woodruff returned to Boyd's station yesterday after a visit

Mrs. J. E. Whipple, of Williamsport, arrived in this city last evening

Mrs. H. B. Meredith and guest, Miss could be stopped the man bled to Charlotte Stevens, of Towarda, spent

## TRIPLETS AT

## MINERSVILLE

POTTSVILLE, Pa., Nov. 18. Mrs. John Sein, of Minersville, wife of a well-known miner yesterday presented her husband with triplets, all of They are lusty little fel-Pittsburg broke on Sunday because of lows and the curiosity of the entire

> The husband, an ardent Republican was so overjoyed when the news was broken to him that he named then 'Roosevelt, Taft and Sherman.

## Sailed For England.

Miss Minnie Cannard left yesterday for New York City, where she will embark on the steamship Oceanic for England. Miss Cannard will spend several months with her parents in southern England.

William Hendricks of Riverside. very busy in this vicinity just now who accompanied William Speiser Delaware, Lackawanna and Western owing to the outbreak of foot and to Forest hill, Union county, on a railroad at Northumberland, was run mouth disease, has decided to open an deer hunting excursion, had the rare over and killed by the morning passoffice in Danville, to be in charge of good luck to bring down a fine buck euger train as it backed into the ing of the Friendship Fire company Mr. Oliver, D. Schock of Harrisburg, on the first hunting day of the season. Mr. Hendricks, accompanied by Wil-

liam Speiser, Fred Moll and John The office to be opened will be in Hendricks left Danville about noon Some alterations were made tion safely and established themselves in the room Monday, after which the at the Forest hill hotel. They started The office out in quest of game early Monday

During the afternoon the party saw,

## BOYS SKATING

ON THE RIVER

The fall of snow was followed with a pronounced drop of mercury Monday morning, quite in keeping with the strong touch of winter commented on in another column.

At 5 a. m. the thermometer registerthe season. The pavements were very slippery. Drift ice, formed on the river during Sunday night, passed down stream in small quantities Monday. At the silk mill where the water is dammed up and consequently there is no current ice formed on the river DANVILLE MAN along shore. It was of sufficient thick ness to bear the weight of a man and during the noon hour Monday a score or so of boys employed at the silk mill enjoyed themselves skating.

It would probably be difficult to recall a season when the river afforded skating on the 16th of November.

The prevailing opinion seems to be that milder weather will follow. Some persons are still expecting Indian Sum-

It would be regarded as very unfortunate if winter should set in with birthday. weather, it is hoped, will bring rain, which, with the melting snow, would have the effect of causing quite a

### SUDDEN DEATH AT SCHUYLER

Mrs. Katherine Levina Yerg, wife of Martin Yerg, died very suddenly at her home at Schuyler, six miles from Washingtonville, on Monday night at The deceased was 60 years of age, and up to within a few hours be-

Mrs. Yerg was a widely known and highly esteemed woman, and resided Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Rogers returned all her life in the vicinity in which she died. Beside her husband she is survived by six sons and four daughters as follows: Harry, of Lexington, Nebraska: T. B. Yerg, of Washing-tonville; William, of Turbotville, George, at home; Adam and Martin, of Milton; Mrs. George W. Cromis, of Washingtonville: Mrs. Calvin Fisher elaborate goings-on were in his honor. and Miss Maud, of Williamsport, and Miss Emma, at home.

> James' Lutheran church, Turbotville, ent member. Rev. Manifold will conduct the services. Interment will be made in the Turbotville cemetery

### **COAL TAX FIGHT** IN NORTHUMBERLAND

A bitter fight is on between anthracite coal companies in Northumberland county and the county commisioners regarding figures covering coal land assessments.

hast evening with friends in Catawissa.

Catawissa.

The companies cannes countries all the good things set before him, including that famous Pennsylvania chell's successor and put Mr. Murphy allege \$500 per acre is none too high, Dutch dish—sourcrout, which revived on the superior bench in Judge Orige a bright, intelligent lad. inasmuch as some of the coal land is worth much more than that figure. Judge Savidge will likely give an

opinion on the arguments some time who took part in the evening

## Hancock Sells Hotel.

county commissioner-elect, has sold a short address of a pleasing nature. the good will and fixtures of the Van Kirk house in Northumberland to a good story teller, had been invited tive of one of our oldest and most re-andrew Lantz and John Stauffer, who and responded in a happy frame of spected families. He has many relawill take possession at once.

## Thanksgiving Eve Dance.

Invitations have been issued to a dance to be given in the armory Thanksgiving eve. The committee is composed of Misses Lorene Phill Kathryn Kemmer and Mae Dreifuss.

Our best laid plans are sometimes disarranged in the twinkling of an

Northumberland station morning between 9 and 10 o'clock, preparatory to starting on the northbound trip. He was in charge of a They reached their destina- gang of men who were unloading a pile of tries from a car at the station.

The train had entered the station and had been turned, preparatory to will contain both the United and the morning. They hunted with indiffer- starting back. The baggage car was eut success during the forenoon, but on the rear end, as it has been the early in the afternoon Mr. Hendricks custom of the road to run its trains in sighted a fine buck, which he killed at this manner since it was found that pany, who during the past year has the first shot.

the new station at Scranton was too discharged the duties of chief in a short to accommodate a train of full very able and impartial manner, at least, half a dozen deer, but none length. As the cars swong around the charge. By virtue of his position Mr. of the hunters succeeded in getting a curve into the station Miller, who did not see them approaching and who was unmindful of the imminent peril, was struck by the baggage car and thrown beneath the wheels. Before the train could be brought to a stop, he had been practically ground to pieces and died shortly afterwards.

The deceased was aged 63 years and was a well known resident of North-umberland, his home being on Hanover street. His wife died about a year ago. He is survived by one son, H. L. Milled 12 degrees above zero, the lowest of er. He is also survived by four daugh ters, four brothers and two sisters.

The deceased was a resident of Northumberland all his life and employed by the railroad company for 40

## GETS A MEDAL

A great many people will remember John L. Williams, the brother of Sheriff D. C. Williams, who as a former Danville man was widely known in this vicinity, and who at present is residing at Butler, Morris county, New Jersey. Several days ago the brother firemen of Mr. Williams at Butler presented him with a gold badge in honor of the completion of his forty-fourth The occasion is pleasingly the river as low as at present. Milder described in the columns of the Butler

'John L. Williams, steward for the Kinney Hose Co., No. 1, is feeling quite chesty since last Thursday evening, but not without just cause, for if there is a man on Kinney's membership roll who takes pride in keeping the polished work on the hose cart shinin' until one can see to part his hair by a glance into the brass mountthat man is John L. Williams

'Thursday night was regular drill night, and after going through various evolutions the members of the company were invited to march in a body to C. B. L. hall, where a great surprise was in store for our friend, John L. Williams. His glance around the room took note of everything-a well-laden table, prepared for a stag party, pretty decorations in profusion; but it was not until his eye became focused on a large banner bearing the following inscription, "1864-John L. Williams-1908." that he tumbled to the fact that Thursday was

"It devolved upon Hugh McMenam to take the starch out of our friend, The funeral will take place Friday until he closely resembled a wilted afternoon, meeting at the home at 1 collar on a very hot day in August. a beautiful gold badge, inscribed as made vacant by the expiration of the stitution and asking that a search be employed in extending the narrow follows: "Presented to John L. Wil-term of Chief Justice Mitchell at the instituted for him in this locality. gauge track across Railroad street liams by Kinney Hose Co. Butler Vol. close of the year 1909. unteer Fire Department, Nov. 5,1908.

The companies claim \$200 an acre is all the good things set before him, in- of the superior court for Justice Mit- o'clock P. & R. train. many pleasant memories of happy lady's place. days spent in the Keystone State.

'Among the invited guests present ceedings, was Mayor Paul Witteck. The mayor was right at home among the "boys" who protect our property George Hancock, Northumberland from devastation by fire, and he made

"Fred Holden, of Middletown, N. Y mind, and kept the crowd in a state of hilariousness until it dipsersed, making all feel the better for having been present on the memorable accasion of Mr. Williams' birthday anniv-

When Mr. Williams lived in Danthe Washington Hose company, of this of manhood. city. His old company here has ex-tended an invitation to be their guest during firemen's week next June, which has been accepted.

# HARRY RUPP

Harry Rupp, member of the Friendwithout any opposition.

tion, as no nominations are made for disease. chief by the other companies. Last year the Goodwill hose company was department and it chose William Sbultz, an old member of that com-

sure to be elected. The number of fected the three above named herds. votes received, however, will determine whether he is to be first, second or third assistant. Following custom the assistant in the Friendship company will rank fourth because that company has the naming of the chief.

Following are the assistants as nominated by the different fire companies: Friendship, John L. Jones; Washington, Seth Lormor; Continental, Edward Graham: Goodwill, Wil-

## HOME TALENT

### **ENTERTAINMENT**

in the opera house, on Saturday night. November 28th, under the auspices of the Danville fire department, the proceeds of the entertainment to be applied to defraying the expenses of the Six-County Firemen's Convention, receive appointments from Dr. Pear which will take place in this city next June. The "Winners of the Blue" is strict-

musical comedy with its catchy upto-date airs will give the young people participating an excellent opportunity to display whatever talent they of Montour and Northumberland coun-

An essential feature of the enter-tainment will be the "dog show," in E. Bogart, David Fisher, Norman which appear a number of thorough-bred dogs from the Deer Park kennels in Philadelphia, owned by G. H. Hirsch of Baltimore.

Miss Clade McClary of Pittsburg, gress. who will drill the amateurs for the performance arrived in this city Tuesday and is registered at the City hotel. Miss McClary is very successful as an instructor and at the excellent entertainment given at Lewisburg on Monday night a large measure of the success achieved was attributed to her

The performers who will participate in the entertainment given here next week are rehearsing daily and already have got a fair idea of their parts.

## MURPHY FOR

## SUPREME COURT

HARRISBURG, Nov. 18.

The response was a very, very mild, ember election next year, and friends not until yesterday that he was able of work and no material has been of the lieutenant governor are consid- to apprehend him. Learning that the hauled for several days past. 'Usually very voluble in speech, the ering the advisability of urging his runaway boy was at the farm of John wind in John L's sails suddenly col- name on the Republican convention P. Weaver, last evening the officers ow. 'will prove well adapted to fill. lapsed and he was like a racing yacht in May. It is intimated that some of becalmed at sea-stationary. But his the Republican leaders, who have been He was placed in the county prison machine will no doubt work to a betinvoluntary action was simply one of consulted take very kindly to the idea, for safe keeping. Chief-of-police Minjoy, too full for utterance, don't you though others have suggested that it comover will take him to Williams- progress. w, especially after he'd partaken of might be better to take Judge Orlady, port this morning, leaving on the 8

## JACOB S. COXEV VISITS DANVILLE

Our former townsman, Jacob S. Coxey, of Mt. Vernon, Ohio, is spending a couple of days in Danville looking up old acquaintances. Mr. Coxey, who was born in Danville, is a representaspected families. He has many relatives in this section as well as a large circle of old-time friends all of whom appreciate the pleasure of taking him by the hand after his long absence. Although the fleeting years have left

their mark upon Mr. Coxey, yet time on the whole has dealt kindly with ville he was a prominent member of him. He is still in the prime and vigor

The advertisements of energetic business people are specially interesting just now

# OUTBREAK OF APHTHOUS FEVER IN LEHIGH AND SNYDER COUNTIES

Aphthous fever or foot and mouth ship Fire company, will be the next chief of the Danville Fire department. He was nominated at a regular meet-last been no new outbreaks in this victor of the State, although there has been no new outbreaks in this victor of the State, although there has been no new outbreaks in this victor of the State, although there has been no new outbreaks in this victor of the State, although there has been no new outbreaks in this victor of the State, although there has been no new outbreaks in this victor of the State, although there has been no new outbreaks in this victor of the State, although there has been no new outbreaks in this victor of the State, although there has been no new outbreaks. Danville, feeted Tuesday, a hand pump being centrally located in a territory in employed. The steam pump, a mech-Each one of the four fire companies which a dozen or more farms are in- anism weighing nearly a ton, was of the borqugh in turn is permitted to feeted, continues to be the headquart- drawn from South Danville up the name a chief of the department and ers for the army of trained experts, Shultz farm by the team belonging to his nomination is equivalent to electric who are making warfare against the the Washington hose company. George

proven to be serious. Herds at three and carbolic acid used in the process entitled to name the chief of the fire different points—Center Valley, New department and it chose William Tripoli and Vera Cruz—are infected. Pearson by the barrel. The disease was carried to that counpany, who during the past year has discharged the duties of chief in a very able and impartial manner.

Each of the fire companies has made round infected. All the cattle that had by order of the State livestock sanitary board can not reimburse the owners for the very able and impartial manner.

Each of the fire companies has made found infected. All the cattle that had developed the disease when the livestock sanitary board can not reimburse the owners for the very sense of burying cattle when killed by order of the State; nor for any loss that may be sustained in disinfecting manner. Each of the fire companies has made nominations for assistant chief of the developed the disease in Lehigh counterpartment, who along with the chief ty were appraised, killed and buried the premiser.

In dealing with the outbreak here, will be voted for at the election to be with as little loss of time as possible. as explained by Dr. Bennett last evenheld at the Continental hose house on The agents of the State livestock sanit-Before the first Saturday night of December. ary board are busy looking up other As is the case in the office for chief cattle that were brought into the couneach of the candidates for assistant is ty with the same shipment that in-

occurred near Middleburg, where six cows were killed and buried yesterday. In addition, seven other herds are under suspicion. Five agents of the State livestock sanitary board are employed in Snyder county.

That Dr. Pearson and those who stand nearest to him here are not at all reassured by these widely scattered outbreaks is quite manifest. Dr. Pear-A musical comedy known as the ty-five federal men, taking in the whole country, as far west as the Missouri all the cattle infected have been killriver, the most expert veterinarians to be found, who assisted in eradicating the foot and mouth disease in New England. These men will arrive here son under the State livestock sanitary board. Thus commissioned under directions they will go into any county of the premises. ly a home talent performance. The the State, wherever the foot and mouth

> ties, which includes those owned by sary alarm allayed. Reed and Clarence Campbell. The addressed a letter to the different work of killing and burying cattle dairymen of Danville requesting them was completed last evening. Disin-fection of the premises is still in pro-from which their milk supply is ob-

Heimbach has been employed to take The outbreak in Lehigh county has charge of the pump. Formaldehyde

The State livestock sanitary board

the State livestock sanitary board in such a way as to cover the entire loss sustained by the owner of cattle con-demned and killed. This provides not Dr. Pearson left yesterday morning for Snyder county, where it was reported the disease had appeared. It but also pays for the burying of the but also pays for the burying of the was learned here during the day that the rumor was correct. The outbreak and the damage done to barns, by tearing out stalls, floors, &c.

Oliver D. Schock, assistant dairy and food commissioner, yesterday spoke very reassuringly concerning the purity of the food supply in the present emergency. There would really seem to be little danger of infection from that source. All the infected farms are under rigid quarantine. There is small likelihood of the disease breaking out on any other farms in this vicinity, as ed and those which were exposed have

The animals that are slaughtered for beef are inspected before they are killleast suspicion that cattle might be infected they make a personal visit to

The State livestock sanitary board has been asked to inspect all the dairy The cattle have all been killed and herds that produce milk sold in Danburied on the several infected farms ville in order that the health of the cows may be certified to and unneces-

> In order that this request might be complied with Dr. Pearson yesterday

# RUNAWAY BOY

John D. Mowery, an inmate of the Boy's Industrial School at Williamsport, who ran away from that institu- hospital ground, having pretty well tion on October 26, 1908, was captured exhausted the deposit of ashes on the at the home of John P. Weaver, Toby tip east of Railroad street, is preparrun hollow, last evening. He will be ing to haul material from the "mead-

Lieutenant Governor Robert S. munication from T. P. S. Wilson, sup- years past. behalf of Kinney Hose Company, Mr. der consideration for the place on the School, explaining that the boy, John been removed to the new location and McMenamy presented to Mr. Williams supreme court bench which will be D. Mowery, had deserted from the in- just now the force of workmen are

This place is to be filled at the Nov- of the lad a week or so ago, but it was The change has involved a good deal

# S. S. CONVENTION

GETTYSBURG, Pa., Nov. 18 The sixth annual convention of the tion opened in Christ Lutheran church yesterday morning with many of the counties in the State represented. The sessions are presided over by Rev. Dr. J. P. Sharp, of Philadelphia, field sec retary of the association.

Yesterday was devoted to a discussion of the financial work of the organization. Encouraging reports of the progress of the work were received from many counties. Last evening a mass meeting was held. It was addressed by Rev. Dr. Edwin Heyl Delk of Philadelphia, whose subject was "The Sabbath and the Laborer." R. William Bream, of Gettysburg, presi-

George W. Rockwell, who has the contract for filling[up the canal on the taken to Williamsport this morning. ow' opposite the Structural Tubing Some two or three weeks ago Chief- works, which has been used as a dumpof-police Mincemoyer received a com- ing ground for that plant for many

Chief Mincemoyer got onto the trail from the old location to the new.

The deposit of ashes in the "mead ter advantage, admitting of more rapid

Mr. Rockwell states that it will require four days additional to com-plete the work of filling up the canal above the culvert at the entrance to

the hospital grounds. sufficient to complete the filling up be-AT GETTYSBURG tween the culvert and the western boundary of the hospital ground.

## TAFT WILL PAY CUBA A VISIT

WASHINGTON, Nov. 18.

President-elect Taft will be the first 'choice of the people," as far as is known, to leave the country between the date of his election and his in-United States if he carries out his innext to attend the inauguration of General Gomez as President of Cuba. The first intimation received here that Mr. Taft was contemplating a trip to Cuba came in Associated Press dispatches from Cincinnati and Havana.