Danville, Pa., Mar. 18, 1909.

## APRIL 2 SET FOR ARBOR DAY

HARRISBURG, March 17. Governor Squart this morning issued the following Arbor day proclama-

"The annual observance of Arbor day has fostered public sentiment in favor of the preservation of the forests, their protection from fire and other enemies, and their intelligent use for commercial, industrial and other pur- ply to all alike. A rule may hold good poses. It has emphasized in the public mind the value of trees-for shade for How, then, should we discriminate fruit, for timber, for holding the soil homes and schoolhouses.

'The custom of observing Arbor habits of life accordingly. day, which is now almost universal
throughout the civilized world, should alike is to cultivate a contented mind.

throughout the Commonwealth.

its climatic conditions.'

Did the Best He Could

presentation speech. "Miss Higham," he said, "unfortuately it is my-er-fortunate lot to upon this occasion—which is highly appreciated, I assure you, and by none more so than myself, for the reason that—in short, as I may say, it falls to my lot to convey, so to speak, the assure to give real zest to life. If the dotter in the constant struggle we must, which is sure to give real zest to life. If the address of Mrs. J. L. Fotter, missionary in Persia, was an interest ing feature of the afternoon. She gave an extended description of the topography of Persia, dwelling upon the raphy of Persia, dwelling upon the spoke at length on the developments in this connection, together with the best wishes, if I may so express my-self, of those who have clubbed togeth-er—who have associated themselves magks, Miss Higham, it is my-my pleasant surprise to hand you this gold watch and chain. I-I thank you."-Chicago Tribune.

One of the first instances on record of a body returned by a Swiss glacier is that of the Hamel accident, which took place in 1820. Several guides were swept down by an avalanche and hurled into a crevasse. Hamel prophesied that the glacier would yield them up again in the course of a thousand years, but Dr. Forbes believed that the end of the glacier would be reached by the bodies in forty years. This statement was considered bold, but Its accuracy was borne out by the event. In forty years the flow of ice brought the bodies to light.

was intact. His name and regiment seldom are two lives just the same.

They require different treatment. It is should be read clearly on his handkercould be read clearly on his handkerchlef, and his gold pencil case opened and shut as easily as when he last therefore, everyone's duty to keep

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A Reasonable Excuse. "breakfast is half an hour late

"Sure an' Oi overshlep' mesilf," said

"That is no excuse," said the mis-

tress. "I gave you an alarm clock only yesterday."

"Of know that, mim."
"Did you wind it up?"

"And didn't it go off?" "Sure an' it did that. It made a tar-

"Then why didn't you get un?" "Sure, mim," responded Bridget tear-ully, "it was that t'ing that's made fully, "it was that t'ing that's made all the throuble. Oi niver shlep' a

wink all night waitin' for it to go an' whin it did Oi was that toired couldn't move."—Harper's Weekly.

Quite Clean.

Manager—You say this is a play of
the slums. Is it a clean play? Author
—It couldn't be cleaner. The hero is
a white wings and the herolne is a
twasherwoman.—Baltimore American.

Full of Mystery. Doctor—And what did you eat for inner? Patient—I can't tell you. Doctor-You can't tell me? Patient-No. I ordered chicken croquettes and mine

The only thing that beats paying Achts is not making them.—Holmes.

"One girl whom I knew," he said, "actually died for love of me. I was her last thought."

"That depends. Does he want to build up his back muscles or his wind?"—Kansas City Independent.

"One girl whom I knew," he said, "actually died for love of me. I was her last thought."

They eyed him malevolently.

"I should think," remarked one of them. "that you might be anybody's last thought!"—New York Times.

# PROBLEM OF LIFE

(By Julius Heim, of Danville.) for existence, not only for all human kind but for all animals as well as plant life. For instance, plant a tree in good soil and it will flourish and survive to a good old age. A child is born to healthy parents and while helpless is well taken care of. That child will grow to be a healthy man or woman When thrown upon its own resources it becomes necessary to rely on its own ability in leading a useful,

There have been written innumerable books giving rules and regulations as how to live, but we must not forget that the same rules will not apfor one but would not do for another.

The first rule to be observed should and conserving the streams. It has be moderation in everything, in eatmade the rising generation familiar ing, drinking, working, resting. A ing, drinking, working, resting. A with the best methods of planting healthy body can do a certain amount trees, and for promoting their growth. of work; but if the strength be over-It has led to the beautifying of the taxed it will work injury to the syspublic parks and the grounds about tem. It is, therefore, one's duty to study the system in order to regulate David Brown of Williamsport. Both

be encouraged and perpetuated. Wise When we begin life it is certain that legislative enactment has made it the there will be dark as well as bright duty of the chief executive to name days ahead of us. Realizing this we one or more days as Arbor days for the should not feel discouraged when trou-'Therefore, in furtherance of this enjoy to the full extent all the bright landable custom, and by authority of laws. If there were no clouds to dark-law, I, Edwin S. Stuart, Governor of en the sunshine at times one would had. Shitch Referred church: Miss and there among the followers of the world shifted Referred church: Miss and there among the followers of the the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, not enjoy sunshine, so in the life of Hiatt and Mrs. Klinger, Trinity Methodo hereby issue this my proclamation, every individual if there were no dark dist church; Miss Voris and Miss er there is not in religion something designation Friday, April 2, and Fridays we would not enjoy the bright Simington, Mahoning Presbyterian better than they have known. Now is day, April 23, 1909, as Arbor days ones. Happy the man or woman who realizes this fact.

find a day for tree planting suited to can be cultivated if we consider that all the worrying will not mend matters. On the contrary, to worry over an unpleasant thing only makes it ap-In the absence of the regularly appointed spokesman, Mr. Makinbrakes had reluctantly consented to make a philosophically as they come the betphilosophically as they come the better for our peace of mind. I don't mean to say to let well enough alone. When things go wrong set to work to rectify fulfill the embarrassing—the pleasant guty of—of inflicting a few remarks upon this occasion—which is highly apend. This may not be done without a

Look back into the history of the kind, of course, but as a token of—as as we do today. The life of every in-a token of—of—with which few redividual today is much more pleasant much more enjoyable is life today than 500 years ago every reader of history knows.

curred to our forefathers. Take for in- sources of the land.

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with the quality of the sunshine.

The late Rev. John Skinner, author of "Annals of Scottish Episcopacy," was first appointed to a charge in Mon-trose, whence he was removed to Banff, and ultimately to Forfar. Aft-er he had left Mayters. er he had left Montrose it reached his ears that an ill natured insinuation was circulating there that he had been induced to leave this town by the temptation of a better income and of fat pork, which, it would appear, was plentiful in the locality of his new incumbency. Indignant at such an as persion, he wrote a letter, directed to maligners, vindicating himself sharply from it, which he showed to his grandfather. John Skinner of Langside, for his approval. The old gentleman objected to it as too lengthy and proposed the following pithy sub stitute

Had Skinner been of carnal mind,
As strangely ye suppose,
Or had he even been fond of swine
He'd ne'er have left Montrose. -"Reminiscences of Dean Ramsay."

Unappreciated.
The lady killer was boasting of his rowess.
"One girl whom I knew," he said,

## WOMANS' MISSIONARY SOCIETY--MANY DELEGATES IN ATTENDANCE Mary L. Lowe, Mrs. J. Frank Rilgus. From Berwick, Mrs. Fred W. Bush, Mrs. Stephen Pohe. Miss Petry, Mrs.

filled afternoon and evening.

these columns on Tuesday morning, in ed upon by innumerable black-eyed lock Haven, Mrs. J. D. Reardon, Mrs. the main was carried out as printed. constituted a kind and ready recepcome and at home.

surer's report was read by Mrs. Henry ness in Persia.

sionary work. The prayer was impres- for their religion.

wald, Shiloh Reformed church; Miss and there among the followers of the

God."

Ulrich for the Trinity Lutheran Persia need them more church; Miss Hiatt for the Trinity Methodist church; Miss Voris for the Mahoning Presbyterian church.

#### MRS. POTTER'S ADDRESS.

speaker was stationed as a missionary. ligion, which can not be concealed. beholds a few scattered villages and The speaker said that among

If the education of the Persian is atheism. not directed by and founded on the fear of the living God it will not avail The following delegates were presmuch. The Persian must be delivered ent by last evening: From Williamsfrom his superstition and sensualism. port, Miss Cora Ayers, Mrs. James

J. R. WOOD, enger Traffic Manager.

SEE

The annual session of the Woman's | than the beasts of the field. Woman is Foreign Missionary society of the an inferior being, who due to her E. From Milton, Mrs. H. J. Heinen, Northumberland Presbytery convened shame and degracation is not permitt-Northumberland Presbytery convened in the Grove Presbyterian church yesterday afternoon. Mrs. J. D. Reardon of Lock Haven presided.

sname and degracation is not permitted by the convenience of the conve The large district embraced by the spirit—a loving father—a God of holipresbytery was well represented at the ness. The heaven they look forward to liam Forster, Mrs. W. E. Thomas, Mrs. meeting In addition there was a good attendance of town people, so that the Christian. To the natives heaven is a Staughton, Miss Grace Gundy. From auditorium of the church was well place where sensual indulgences may Mifflinburg, Miss Eleanor Chambers, be gratified eternally-where the riv- Miss Janette Reed, Miss Sarah F. The program, which appeared in ers run wine and the faithful are wait- Steans, Mrs. James E. Cardwell. From

The address of welcome was delivered by Mrs. W. C. McCormack, wife of his faithfulness. Under no considera. M. Berger. From Manny, Mrs. Elizthe pastor of the Grove church. It tion would be neglect a single rule re- abeth Moody, Mrs. A. N. Stevenson. lating to prayer, fasting, pilgrimages, From Allenwood, Lois K. Gemmill, tion, expressing sentiments that could &c. But he has no idea of the sin of Miss Olive Oakes, Miss Olive Jamison, not but make the delegates feel wel-the heart. His religion teaches him From Jersey Shore, Mrs. H. C. Crane, ome and at home.

that it is not wrong to lie to an unThe response by Mrs. Herbert Ure believer or to deal dishonestly with town, Mrs. William M. Moore, Mrs. of Williamsport was equally felicitous. him. Owing to this habit of lying and C. J. Keim. Mrs. L. P. Sterner, of The unapproved minutes were read of practicing dishonesty it is almost Bloomsburg; Mrs. W. H. Calboun, of by Miss Lowrie, after which the trea- impossible for a foreigner to do busi- Northumberland; Miss Gertrude Cupp,

Mrs. E. S. Gearhart offered the con- The upper classes are aristocratic and bury. secration prayer. The supplication and respectable. Many are of high birth the thanksgiving were most touching. and are people that one might be ly interwoven with the idea of mis- proud to associate with, if it were not

The idea of a king has become Fraternal delegates were received as popular and the people are struggling church; Mrs. L. D. Ulrich and Mrs. the time for earnest missionary effort Chas Ruckle, Trinity Lutheran church. in Persia. The natives are capable of "Two days have been designated so that every section of the State may the fraction of the fraction of the State may the fraction of the fraction of the State may the fr gregation joined in singing: "Like a in Christ and they have nothing.

Mighty Army Moves the Church of What a blessing the religion of Jesus Christ would be. Concluding, the speak-Following this Mrs. Orth responded er added feelingly: "The missionaries for the Shiloh Reformed church: Mrs. need your prayers, but the people of

### EVENING SESSION.

A popular meeting was held last evening, Rev. W. C. McCormack, pastor of Grove church, presiding. The

much of the surface, the limited re- among the nations of China, Japan, world, and we don't have to go back very far. Note the struggles and privadescribed the wearisome journey over tions of our forefathers. Everything in nature seemed to combine to make it was nonyoidable before one could overthrow of governments is a disly was unavoidable before one could overthrow of governments is a disnot that you need anything of the life hard for them, but they struggled, reach Teheran, the city in which the satisfaction in the old systems of re-

dividual today is much more pleasant than were the lives of our fathers of dusty roads. At long intervals a little only one hundred years ago, and how water may be seen; here grow a few ern countries to be taken into account, trees and a little grass. The traveler but also the quality of those converts. here and there between a solitary hab- ond and third generations of Christ-We today enjoy pleasant things, con- itation, all reflecting in the poverty lans in China are characters that for veniences and comforts that never oc- of their appearance the flimited re- devotion and pure godliness would out to shame many a professing Christian play the harmonium?" stance, travel, improvements in our houses, reading, music, all of which are within the limit of the people and contribute to make life worth living.

The long and wearisome journey ovince of the Hindoo mother throwing her aspect of the land formerly had the loved child into the sacred river to aperfect of keeping strangers out of the pease the wrath of the heathen god In the foreoging I have stated three country. But Persia is no longer the and endeavored to show what that de

In 1866 Henry Arkwright was lost order to sustain life we must have his brother received a telegram from the mayor of Chamouni that the body was found. Every article of clothing was not been unustated which was not been unustated by the case a few years ago when people prayed and the prayer is being answ-

A few years ago the missionaries in of the old institutions. Educated nathat which is bad and assimilate that visiting the natives were obliged to lives in China bear witness to the fact which is good, according to the ob- conform with custom and sit on the that the new system of learning has servation of the individual himself. floor. All this is changed. There are grown from the seed sown by the mis-

"Yis, mim," returned Bridget meek- to the pleasures we enjoy. I maintain Not only in this but in other ways swer to prayer, are beginning to totter. "What excuse have you to offer? Now know I told you that Mr. Sub-bubs must eatch that early train, and punctuality at breakfast is absolutely accessary," said the lady.

There is a great desire for education. This desire for enlightenment, Mrs. Deter declared, open sthe way for great results in missionary work.

The government of the pleasures will far ontweigh the sorrows. There will be in everyone's life more sunshine than clouds, providing we don't find fault results in missionary work.

DELEGATES PRESENT

Under Mohammedism the natives Thomas, Mrs. J. C. Sturdivant, Alice are degraded and are not much better O. Gibson, Miss Stadden, Miss C. E.

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Dreyer, Miss Anna C. Luppen, Mrs. J. G. Henderson, Mrs. J. Melick, Edwin Gearhart, Arthur Maffett, Mrs. O. E. Snyder, Mrs. Herbert Ure, Miss T H Doan, Mrs. Frank M. Shipe, Sr. C. E., MISS Florence M. Taylor, Jr C.

Hershey. From Watsonsurer's report was read by Mrs. Henry
David Brown of Williamsport. Both
the minutes and treasurer's report were
approved.

Mrs. F. Corphant of Screen the copy.

The pure electron of the speaker explained, the Persians are not barbarians; they are not an inferior race.

The pure electron of the copy.

A man of method who attended to everything on schedule time, whether was work or recreation, had the fortune to fall in love when he had passed the age of forty. The mistress of his heart put up with his oddities. He had regular nights for calling upon etc. In fact, she looked upon his regu-

Things had been going on in this way for two years, and finally the great crisis came. They were to be married. The day was fixed, the wedding clothes were made, the guests invited, and the minister was engaged.

At the appropriate time they were all At the appointed time they were all assembled. The bride was dressed, the wedding presents were displayed, but the bridegroom came not. The bride went and fainted, but it did no good Finally some friends of the delinquent groom hurried away to see if he could be found. He could. He was at home in his room, reading as unconcernedly as if he had never contemplated getting married.

"What is the matter? Why don't e to your wedding?" shouted The man of regular habits laid down

"I am very sorry," he said, "but this is my regular day for staying at home and reading. I forgot it when I made the engagement. The wedding with have to be postponed."—London Tit

His Best.
The late Sir John Stainer, one of England's most celebrated musicians and composers, was once staying in : small Swiss village, and the Engli clergyman was on the outlook for musician to assist at the service. berger, No. 924 Third street, Harris-Stainer was in the office of the hotel burg; the Rev. John Conley Grimes at when the clergyman found him and started the conversation with "Do you "A little," was the reply of the for-

mer organist of St. Paul's cathedral.
"Will you, then, be good enough to
help us out of our difficulty on Sunday." We will read the Psalms, and the hymns shall be the simplest I can se-" added the delighted parso "I will do my best," said Stainer,

The service proceeded satisfactorily, but the congregation at the close listened to a brilliant recital. When the tened to a brilliant recital. When the parson heard the name of his assistant he asked him to dinner. "Do you smoke?" he asked at the close.
"I will do my best," responded Stainer, and the ensuing laughter was the

prologue of an entertaining exchange of Oxford reminiscences.

Distilled Water

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Distilled water after having been exposed to the air is one of the most salubrious of drinks. Its daily use in measured quantities is helpful in sternir late
meekmeekto the pleasures we enjoy. I maintain that we are put into this world "to offer?"
Not only in this but in other ways per judgment the pleasures will far.

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servation of the individual himself.
floor All this is changed. There are grown from the seed sown by the missionary schools.

The old religions of the East, in answer to prayer, are beginning to totter.

It is now a time for renewed missionary effort in order to supply the people with a new system of religion and grown from the seed sown by the missionary schools.

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The government is considering a scheme for herding out 3,000 Angora goats on the bush covered foothills of California to eat away the bushy growth and thereby protect the for-ests. The goats will be properly spread out over an area and then properly guided so as to eat away lanes in the forests. These lanes, it is calculated, will be 300 yards wide and will serve to divide the forest into spread to the adjoining patches. The idea was made public by the bure of forestry in

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# THE CONFERENCE

The directory of the forty-first session of the Central Penusylvania conference, of the Methodist Episcopa church, which will meet at Harrisburg March 24th, containing full program and other information made its appearance in this city Tuesday. The ession of conference this year possesses especial interest to Danville, as in all probability at each of the local Methodist churches there will be a change of pastors.

Bishop John W. Hamilton will preide at the conference. Monday and Tuesday will be occupied by examina-

On Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock the holy communion will be administ ered, after which will follow the organization of the conference.

Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock th conference missionary sermon will be delivered by Rev. William Moses. The sermon will be followed at 3:30 by a social hour."

At 10 o'clock Thursday morning the corporate session will be held, Bishop Hamilton presiding. At 5 p. m. Thursday the annual banquet of the Dickinson College Alumni association will be held in the dining room of Grace church. Thursday evening at 7:45 o'clock the temperance anniversary will be held, the speaker being Joseph B. Hanley, ex-governor of Indiana.

will preside, the Bible society anniv-ersary will be held. Rev. W. I. Haven, girls." corresponding secretary, will be the speaker. At 3 o'clock the anniversary of the Woman's Foreign Missionary society will take place, the Rev. J. B. Stein presiding. Friday evening a lec ture will be delivered by Bishop J. W. Hamilton: subject, "Some People of Quality at Boston.

On Saturday the conference of the Layman's association will be held. On Sanday at 9 a. m., love feast, the Rev. W. A. Houck leader. At 10:30 a sermon will be preached by Bishop J. W. Hamilton. Sunday afternoon consecration and memorial service. Sunday evening will be held the auniversary of foreign missions, home miss.ons and church extension

On Monday evening will take place the anniversary of the conference preachers, aid society and conference claimants. The closing session will be neld on Tuesday morning, March 30th. Our local pastors have each been appointed on committees. The Rev. William Brill is one of the "Board of Examiners" and is on the "executive committee" the Rev. L Dow Ott is on the committee of "Bible Cause," and the Rev. John Conley Grimes on

The Circulation of Annual Minutes." During the session of conference the Rev. William Brill will be entertained at the home of Dr. J. W. Ellenthe residence of Samuel Hocker, No. 604 Dauphin street: the Rev. L. Dow Ott at the home of W. E. Lauver, No. 2230 Sixth street.

A Dear Dish.

"Learning by experience in New York is expensive business," said a out of town man. on cost me just \$8.50 and was ch at that. You see, I had a little dinne for a few friends in a private room a one of the best restaurants. Every thing was just right, and I was mighty well pleased. One thing was especially pretty, and that was the dish of spur sugar in which the fruit was served. It had all sorts of little flowers and bowknots sticking out from it, and every one of the crowd broke off a every one of the crowd broke off a piece to nibble on. When I went to pay the bill one item surprised me. Elight dollars and a half for a dish' was something I didn't understand. What's it for? I asked, pointing to this item. And it was then and there explained to me that a dish of spun sugar was just as much the property of the establishment as one of cut glass or silver, and any damages must be paid for. It was all right enoug but it was new to me."—New York Sun.

Why the Earth Cannot Explode. The theory is frequently advanced that planets and even suns sometimes explode and that the earth may some explode and that the earth may some day blow up like a bombshell. No celestia! body the size of the earth could possibly explode. If the entire molten interior of our globe could be replaced with nitroglycerin and detonated the explosion would not lift the earth's crust. In other words, if we assume that the crust of the earth is from fifty to a hundred miles in thickness it would require something much ness it would require somethin more powerful than even nitroglyceri to burst the shell. It is necessary only to do a little figuring to see that the pressure of the earth's crust depth of from fifty to a hundred mile far exceeds the pressure exerted by the most powerful high explosive. the most power Hudson Maxim.

The United States submarine tenders fly a flag with a black fish on a white background surrounded by a red border.

To Whom It May Concern :-

Notice is hereby given that the Court of C. P. of Montour Co., on the 11th day of Jan., 1909, granted a rule should not enter a decree changing the name of Ralph Winter Diehl to Ralph Beaver Diehl.

Said rule returnable April 12, 1909, at 10 o'clock, A. M.

THOS. G. VINCENT, Proth Ralph Kiener, Att'y.

TAFT A MASON "AT SIGHT."

Rare Honor to Be Conferred on President Elect by Ohio Masons.

The grand master of Ohio Masons, S. Hoskinson, has tendered to William Howard Taft, the president elect, the rare honor of being made a Mason at sight. Mr. Taft has accepted and will return to Cincinnati on Feb. 18, when a distinguished com-pany of Masons will witness the ex-ercises.

This honor is so rarely conferred that there is but a single Instance of it on record in the hundred years of history of Masonry in Ohio, when in 1892 Asa A. Bushnell of Springfield was made a Mason at sight

Before his nomination Mr. Taft had expressed a desire to become a Ma-son, but his enforced absence from home prevented him from complying with the usual requirements for the initiation and advancement of candi-

dates.
Invitations to the ceremonies will be sent to the grand masters of all the other states in the Union.

### MODERN CRUSADE IN BOSTON.

"Nucleus of Church Universal" Found

ed by Woman and Church Built.

Boston has another new cult to add to her already long list. This time it is the "nucleus of the church univer-sal," founded by Mrs. A. G. Brown, a well known Everett (Mass.) woman, and under her guidance a church has been erected. Mrs. Brown's followers call themselves the Crusaders, and the foundation of their religion is implied in the words "what Jesus would

B. Hanley, ex-governor of Indiana.

At 10 o'clock Friday morning the second year class will be admitted with an address by the Bishop Friday afternoon following devotions, at which the Rev. L. D. Ott of this city the Bishop Friday annixtrial work for women and young

Little Lights For Motor Cars.

Alderman B. W. B. Brown of New York city recently introduced an ordi-nance forbidding operators of motor nance forbidding operators of more vehicles from using headlights of greater brilliancy than sixteen candlpower "so as not to blind or dazzle other users of the highways." The srdinance was referred to the committee on laws and legislation.

Living Lights of the Sea. One of the marine curiosities fished from the bottom of the Indian ocean by a dredging vessel chartered by the Calcutta Society of Natural History was a mammoth sea crab, which con-tinually emitted a bright white light, similar to that seen in the spasmodic flashes of phosphorescent luminosity kindled by the common fireflies. The oddity was captured in daytime and placed in a large tank, nothing pecul-iar except its immense size being no-ticeable in the broad glare of the tropical sun. At night, however, when all was in pitchy darkness, the crab surprised the naturalists by lighting up the tank so that all the other sea creatures, great and small, occupying the same tank could be plainly seen. When the luminous crustacean war prodded with a pole he emitted flashes of light, which enabled the experimenters to read small print, even though otherwise they were in total darkness.—London Chronicle.

Use For an Oil Fine.

A movement was recently started in the Texas legislature to use part of the Waters-Pierce Oil company's fine of \$1,600,000 to establish a great state park on the battlefield of San Jacinto chased a few days ago.

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