Danville, Pa., July 22,1909.

TO OPEN CHANNEL

During evenings for many years past it has been customary for a num-ber of friendly spirits to drop in at the water works for a chat with the employes and with each other. Among the habitues of the place are some very original thinkers. All sorts of subjects are discussed, from river navigation to the inventing of perpetnal motion. Although seldom heard of beyond the little circle many of the ideas advanced are of real value.

Just now the men are busy devising means whereby the coal diggers, idle because of the low water, might be kept at work.

It occurred to somebody that an artificial channel might be opened where the water is shallow, which would enable the coal dredges, along with other craft, to ply backwards and forwards between Danville and seemed all the more practicable as the shallow water or the obstructed channel extends a comparatively short distance, in the vicinity of the riffles.

Those familiar with the spot demon strated how easily a channel could be opened, if all those interested would unite in the effort. Several rocks which now are obstacles in the way of the boats could be rolled aside; at other places a channel could be openother places a diameter of the deby scooping up or shoveling the gravel aside by hand, either of which would be feasible owing to the low stage of the river.
Once over the riffles there would be

clear sailing. The coal dredges could resume their work of digging coal and fishermen in their boats could pass backwards and forwards to and from the deep water where bass and salmon

The idea has been suggested to one or more owners of coal diggers who, it is said, admit the practicability of plan but up to the present have future Napoleons. not taken the initiative in any move to carry out the idea.

GALVESTON

FLOODED

HOUSTON, Texas, July 21. Meager reports from Galveston to-day indicate a serious flood following a gale blowing nearly fifty miles an hour off the gulf and carrying water over the sea wall. The barometer is stringent appears to answer. low and is steadily falling. Telegraph and telephone wires have been so disturbed by the wind which has been blowing for several hours that complete reports have been unobtainable. How much damage has been done is

land were swept out today by the water and wind. A wall of water like a

struck the city and that the big jettle and sea wall were wrecked by its force, allowing the sea to sweep in on The city is isolated and it is feared is in terrible danger.

Gave a Picnic.

Pauline Waite, Alice, Anna and Mary to the point .- Era. Fry, Elsie and Grace Bloch, Lucy Detwiler, Ethel and Mabel Fonst.

SHERIFF'S SALE Grimsby-So you want and daughter, sir! What are ples? Are you temporated OF VALUABLE

REAL ESTATE

By virtue of a certain writ of Fieri Facias issued out of the Court of Com-mou Pleas of Montour County and to me directed, I will expose to public sale at the Court House in Dauville, Montour County, State of Pennsylvania, on

Thursday, July 29, 1909

Thursday, July 29, 1909 at 10 o'clock A. M., the following described Real Estate:
All that certain messuage or tenament and town lot of land situate in the First Ward of the Borough of Danville, County of Montour and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, viz: On the West side of Mill Street immediately South of and adjoining the Pennsylvania Canal, bounded on the East by Mill Street forty: two feet; on the West by an alley about sixty-five feet; on the South by lot formerly of Adam Gerringer, later of Oliver Drumheller, about one hundred and ninety feet; and on the North by the Pennsylvania Canal about one hundred and seventy feet.

enty feet.
On which is erected a large

TWO-STORY FRAME HOUSE used for two towellings and containing two store rooms on Mill Street and one shop in basement, together with usual out buildings.

Seized and taken into execution and

Selfell that take property of Jacob H. Sperring, Joseph E. Sperring and Letitla Fiewig.

D. C. WILLIAMS, Sheriff.

H. M. Hinckley, Att'y.
Danville, Pa.,
Sheriff's Office, June 30, 1909.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD

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THURSDAYS 1909 SUNDAYS July 25, August 8, 22

TICKETS GOOD FOR TEN DAYS

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STOP-OVER ALLOWED AT PHILADELPHIA

For full information concerning leaving time of trains, consult small hand bills or nearest Ticket Agent J. R. WOOD, GEO. W. BOYD

General Passenger Agent. Passenger Traffic Manager.

CADETS NEEDED.

West Point Wants More Young Men

For Officers of the Army.
West Point is short of cadets. The superintendent of the famous military and forwards between Danville and school figures that the yearly quota is the deeper water down stream. This fore each three years instead of every four



INFANTRY DRILL AT WEST POINT.

years, thus increasing the quota by about 100. Now that the government has Constitution island, just across the river from West Point, and will place thereon a military preparators school the entrance door will be opened still wider. This should be good news for the young men who expect to become

Reckless Automobilists.

Reckless Automobilists.
The automobiles still go on their glad way, running over the population. The latest New York victims are a lawyer and a street sweeper. We might dispense with the lawyers, as the country has too many already, but good street sweepers are a luxury. It would seem that we should erect a jail especially for "joy riders," a large jail that should be always packed to the doors. That might help some, though nothing less might help some, though nothing less

Calling Names.
The late Peleg W. Chandler, who was hard of hearing, was one of the most effective of war time speakers, Every occasion illustrated his elo-quence and demonstrated the quick-Two spans of the railroad bridge connecting Galveston with the mainland were swept out today by the water and wind. A wall of water like a yourself?" For a time Mr. Chandler's er and wind. A wail of water like a tidal wave struck the town. The water in the streets is seven feet deep. It is feared that there has been loss of life. All telegraph and telehpone wires are out.

It is reported that a cyclone first the head of the the head of the words of the disturber. Then, in the mildest accents, which emphasized the force of the words, he said. "Young man if my action of the disturber."

Evolution of the Modern Play.

With the decay of dialogue in importance less attention has been paid Gave a Picnic.

A picnic was given at Roaring Creek
Tuesday by Mrs. John G. Waite in
honor of Miss Marion Waite and Miss
Madeline Wilhelm, of Milton. Those
present ware: Misses Leah, Alice and
Pauline Waite, Alice, Anna and Mary
to the noith—era.

daughter, sir! What are your principles? Are you temperate? Fledgely—Temperate! Why, I am so strict that it gives me pain even to find my boots to like Yu. Yu. tight .- London Pick-Me-Up.

KIND OF FLIRTING MEANT.

Professor Palmer of Harvard Revises

His Suggestion to Students.

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Professor George H. Palmer of Harvard university says, according to a Boston dispatch, that the wrong impression has been given by reports of his address in which he recently said litting sometimes was a good thing.

ins address in which he recently said flirting sometimes was a good thing.
"I am afraid I have been misunder-stood," he said. "All I was trying to say was this: Make your pleasure a good background to hard study, and if you get any pleasure out of innocent flirting there can be no reasonable ob-lection to it.

"I believe we should get as much happiness out of life as possible, and I merely am urging what I believe is the innocent side of the subject. All might not be able to use it in the sense

New Use For Old Bachelors. The "man chaperon" is a novelty i London, and he promises to become London, and he promises to become permanent. Taking out a girl relative or child of an invalid friend is one of the hardest duties of the married woman. It was a happy thought to turn the dull bachelors, long past their youth, to some use. The men, too, have been flattered by this easy responsibility, and they take honest delight in engling the young misses. light in guiding the young misses through the London drawing rooms, theaters and all the rest. The plan might be tried in the United States if the comfort loving old bachelors could be tempted long enough from their

To Protect Telephone Users A new sanitary appliance for the mouthpiece of telephones has been patented in England. It is a disk filled with an antiseptic liquid, which impregnates the interior of the mouthpiece and kills all germs.

The wild dogs in Africa are more feared by the natives than any other beasts, for, while they are not to be dignified by the term of game, they run in packs and seem to know that the native is afraid of them. Native burden bearers will often take their chances in passing around a buffalo herd and will hardly notice a lion, but when they hear the howl of the wild dogs they drop whatever they may be balancing on their heads and take to the trees. There they are frequently held captive until their cries summon assistance. Crossing the trail of leave assistance. Crossing the trail of large game, these dogs often interfere with the pursuit. At a distance the hunter is likely to mistake them for leopards or some of the smaller game. Intense disgust follows the wounding of a wild dog, for then, according to the ethics of the chase, the true sportsman must pursue and kill the beast. These dogs are not degenerates, but are natural mongrels. They have low bodies covered with hair of coach dog growth, bushy tails and powerful paws.—Mc-Clure's Magazine.

But He Did.

"What do you mean by kissing my daughter, sir?"
"I'm sorry, but I couldn't help my-

"Couldn't help yourself! That's just what you did do!"

Heard In the Barber Shop.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD

BULLETIN.

THE SUMMER VACATIONISTS' PARADISE.

The New Jersey seacoast from Atlantic City to Cape May is ideal in its summer attractiveness. Every amusement, recreation and sport which the seashore can offer is there in its most alluring form

For bathing the broad, sandy and safe beaches at Atlantic City, Ocean City, Sea Isle City, Stone Harbor, Anglesea, Wildwood, and Cape May are without superiors on the Atlan-

For sailing on the open ocean or boating on the more protected waters of Great Egg Harbor Bay, Absecon Bay, Lakes Bay, Ludlam Bay, Great Sound, Grassy Sound, Cape May Harbor and Sound and the many other inland waters, unrivaled facilities are available.

For fishing and crabbing there is no section of the coast that begins to compare with that of southern New Jersey. where the deep sea angler or the thoroughfare fisherman may indulge in his favorite sport till his heart is content.

If you love the salt sea air and the water sports which the seashore provides, spend your vacation at one of the resorts of southern New Jersey where accommodations can be had to fit the purse of the capitalist or clerk.

The train service of the Pennsylvania Railroad is comprehensive and convenient.

Excursion tickets, with varying limits, are on sale at all Pennsylvania Railroad ticket offices.

FISH WARDEN VISITS THIS CITY

WASHINGTON, July 21.

The recent business depression had a of laborers, according to C. L. Green, inspector in charge of the New

known devic to live without employment," the inspector declares, referring to a type of the erstwhile workingman. "Finding it possible to exist, idleness seems to have become a habit and now that the parks are pleasant and the fields hot they prefer to enjoy the former, living as best they

The report states that, as compared with previous periods, the demand for farm laborers has been abnormal, as has also the demand for common labconsiderable improvement during the

Lucky.

Little Walter was whispering into the ear of his dog. "What are you saying to Rover, dear?" asked his mother.

dear?" asked his mother.
"Oh, I was just telling him how luck; he was," replied Walter, "'cause he didn't have to have his neck washed he didn't have to have to school." and his hair combed or go to school."-Chicago News.

An Infliction.

seen a painfully amateur entertainment, "I thought they were until 1

What Do They Cure?

The above question is often asked con-erning Dr. Pierce's two leading medi-ines, "Golden Medical Discovery" and

owerful yet gently acting invigorat-nule and nervine. For weak worn-ver-worked women—no matter what aussed the break-down, "Favorite ription "will be found most effective ilding up the strength, regulating romanly functions, subduing pain oringing about a healthy, vigorous ion of the whole system.

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their medical brethren and know whereof they speak.

Both medicines are non-alcoholic, non-secret, and contain no harmful habit-forming drugs, being composed of glyceric extracts of the roots of native, American medicinal forest plants. They are both sold by dealers in medicine. You can't afford to accept as a substitute for one of these medicines of known composition, any secret nostrum.

Dr. Pierce's Pellets, small, sugar-coated, easy to take as candy, regulate and in-vigorate stomach, liver and bowels.

Bridge Letting.

Plans and specifications are on file week at the County Commissioners' office day. in Danville, Pa., for three (3) Steel Bridges with concrete floor: one 54 feet long by 14 feet wide; one 26 feet long by 14 feet wide and one 24 feet long by 14 feet wide. Bids will be long by 14 feet wide. Bids will be ship man who turned up at Blooms-received until 12 o'clock noon, Saturburg after an absence of twenty years 120, 26, A2. day, August 14th, 1909, the said bids and found his wife the mother of two to be opened at 1:30 P. M. A certified children by a second marriage, and sheek must be deposited with the who then declared that he was unable

the right to reject any or all bids
By order of the County Commission-

Attest :- Horace C. Blue, Clerk.

SOUTH SIDE HAS 35 STUDENTS

that the canal here is full of fish and that the canal here is full of fish and that many of them are dying. The fish warden is obliged to investigate all reports of stream pollution and the came to Danville to see what could be came to Danville to see what could be done to preserve the fish.

It is news to most people here to learn that there is any considerable number of fish in the canal. Last year a good many catifish were found in the old ditch above Beaver street. It would be difficult, however, to prove that many of these survive. Large numbers, it is known, died in the polluted and stagnant water.

Seen on the local diamond this year. Score, 3 to 0.

The coal region boys put up a good, strong game, but Danville was a little bit better, nipping their running getter, ni

teen students, five juniors, eight sophomores and five freshmen. Remaining fielder's choice.

Hess scored on Coveleksie's August 7th and the final one will be played on Labor day at Potteville. mores and five freshmen. Remaining fielder's choice.

from Riverside were eleven students, two juniors, six sophomores, and three freshmen. All of these were given promotion cards and would presunably have returned to the Danville will be compared to the Danville and processing the school had not a high sch City branch of the Department of Commation of the Department of Commerce and Labor, who today submitted his report for the six months ending Jane 30 last to T. V. Powderly, chief are eligible for the high school. In all probability the number of non-resident number of number of non-resident number of number of number numb high school—had not a high school passed ball, been established on the south side—along with half a dozen or so of othhigh school the next term would have been as great as last term.

Borough Superintendent Dieffenbacher states that the number of pro motion cards relating to the high school given out last year was 182 and that this is the number of pupils, minus the twenty-nine from the south side that were given promotion cards, which can be relied upon to attend the coming term. The number that remains is 183-sufficient to give the five teachers employed an average of thirty, which is generally conceded to be a school of about the right size. Blooms that this is the number; of pupils, orers, and the wages received showed which is generally conceded to be a school of about the right size. Bloomsburg, with a high school of approxim ately the same size as ours, employs seven teachers. Milton has six teachers in its high school. In both Bloomsburg and Milton the average number of pupils under each teacher in the high school is about thirty.

devolving on the high school teachers will be hardly perceptibly diminished as the students in question were dis-tributed among all the classes which "Your tickets were complimentary, were they not?"

"Well," replied the man who had twenty-nine daily. The difference, he student to a class.

About the only ones who will lose doing very well and high the establishment of the high is confidently expected. school on south side are those there whose children have begun a course in the Danville high school, especially if they are juniors or have taken up the commercial course and desire to graduate. Such citizens under the new order will have to withdraw their children or pay for their tuition in Dan-ville ont of their pockets.

Picniced at Rolling Green. The following party from Rushtown, picniced at Rolling Green park, below Sunbury yesterday: Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Gheen, Mr. and Mrs. Will-iam Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. John Eckand Mrs. Addison Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Pierce Reabuck, Mr. and Mrs. William Gulick, Mrs. Earnest Gademan, and Samuel Eckman; Misses Reta Eckman, Ethel Johnson, Carrie Eckert, Sarah Reabuck, Ruth Gheen: Messrs. Paul Eckert, Charles Wertz, Charles Gulick, Earnest Reabuck, Generic Mrs. Solicitors. and Mrs. Addison Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Pierce Reabuck, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fisher, Arlington Fisher, Lee | J20, 26, A2, Gademan and Carl Gheen.

Centralia to Have a Bank.

ville about eight years ago.

John Taggart, the Hemlock township man who turned up at Blooms.

A. W. DUY,
W. H. SPONSLER, Commissioners' Clerk at or before 10 o'clock A. M., Saturday, August 14th by each bidder as follows: \$500.00 for large bridge and \$200.00 for each of the smaller bridges.

The County Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bins. By order of the County Commissioners and states that sine bear of the police at Bloomsburg and states that sine bear of the purpose of electing a Royal of Discounty Commissioners. with the tidy sum of \$500 and a quan-Aug. 5. tity of jewelry.

DANVILLE WON IN PRETTY GAME

that many of these survive. Large numbers, it is known, died in the polluted and stagnant water.

The fish warden Tuesday called on a number of our local fishermen and assured them that if at any time they desired to seine the polluted canal and remove the fish to the river they would not work any detriment to that fall parmission to do so: also the high school as organized.

In the high school may but four singles and these were seattered. McCloud's best work was put forth in the first three innings when fine even game. The honors of the day be pulled the team out of several of the tightest kinds of holes. In the section of unings the cushions were loaded with but one man out and Mc. Carmel had to be satisfied with two punky in motivations. had to be satisfied with two punky in-

DANVILLE. R. H. O. A. E. Hess, 3b. Umlauf, ss. Thomas, 1b. Metzler, cf. Coveleksie, lf Mackert, 2b Ammerman, McCloud, p Johnson, rf

Mt. Carmel.

Doing Well.

J. H. Hushin of South Danville, who was operated on for appendicitis said, would average only about one at the Mary M. Packer hospital, Monday afternoon, at last accounts was doing very well and his full recovery

Charter Application.

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR CHARTER.

Notice is hereby given that application will be made by E. R. Sponsler, M. I. Low, A. W. Duy, O. M. Creveling and W. F. Lowry to the Governor of Pennsylvania on the 16th day of August, A. D., 1909, at 10 o'clock A. M., under the provisions of an Act of Assembly entitled "An Act to provide for the incorporation and reculation of certain corporations" approved the 29th day of April, A. D., 1874 and the supplements thereto, for a charter for an intended corporation to be called West Hemlock Electric Cumpany, the the obstacter and object of which is to supply light, heat and power, or any of them, by electricity to the Township of West Hemlock, County of Montey, State of Sections, 2007. ert, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Fisher. Mr. any of them, by electricity to the and Mrs. Wellington Campbell. Mr. Township of West Hemlock, Connty and Mrs. Addison Marrin. Mr. and of Montour, State of Pennsylvacia, and and Mrs. Addison Marrin. Mr. and of Montour, State of Pennsylvacia, and and Mrs. Addison Marrin.

Charter Application. NOTICE OF APPLICATON FOR CHARTER.

Centralia to Have a Bank.

Before many days pass by Centralia will be able to boast of having a bank. This will be the result of John W.
Fortner of that borough, who has worked zealously the past several months to bring this about. The citizens are much enthused over the prospects and assure the promoters of their loyal support. It is to be capitalized at \$50,000.

Death of firs. McBride.

Mrs. Bridget McBride, for many years a resident of this city, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Viola McKinney, Washintgon, D. C. jast week. The funeral took place on Friday.

The deceased removed from Dan.

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Notice. Bloomsburg and states that she be-Heres Taggert to be a man who married her sister and then disappeared the purpose of transacting such other business as may come before them.

T W. CUTLER, Secretary.

TENNIS PLAYERS AT SHAMOKIN

Charles Holland, the fish warden representing this section of the State was in Danville Tuesday in an official capacity.

Some one had informed Mr. Holland Some one had informed in fish and Some one had informed Mr. Holland Some one had informe

played on Labor day at Pottsville.

of people lined the courts during the tournament.

The silver cups which will be given to the three highest teams were on display at Lewis' book store and were viewed by the contestants for the first time. They are of the same pattern adopted by the Island, Heights Yacht club for its races this summer, being most beautiful and imposing.

The following scores were made in

Bloomsburg won from Girardville, Bloomsbarg won from Danville, 6-4

Bloomsburg won from Sunbury, 6-2,

Pottsville won' from Shenandoah

Bloomsburg won from Berwick, 6-2,

Girardville won from Shamokin

Poseytown, near West Brownsville has an epidemic of diphtheria and scarlet fever. Six children died with these dread diseases during the last

A Reliable Remedy CATARRH Ely's Cream Balm



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ontains a supply for a year. All drug 4@4@0@0@0@0@0@0@0@0



have full permission to do so; also that the fish warden would be on hand to render them all the assistance in his power.

FORMER WORKERS

the high school as organized.

In the senior class last year were four students from South Dauville and with the class. Remaining in the high school from South Dauville were eigh.

The tournaments have done much to field drives and a goose egg.

Dauville got her first tally in the fourth. Umland, first up, drove a with the class. Remaining in the high school from South Dauville were eighned.

Has soored on Coveleksia's August 7th and the final one will be

THE SCORES.

today's tournament:
Pottsville won from Sunbury, 6-2,

Pottsville won from Girardville

Danville wonffrom Shenandcab, 6-1. Danville won from Berwick, 6-1

Pottsville won from Shamokin, 6-1

Danville won from Sunbury, 6-1,

6-1, 2-6.