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WHY ALL TURN TO DANVILLE

Daily, on the arrival of nearly every train, may be seen, young persons with suit cases in hand, who have arrived to spend a vacation in Danville.

There are others, it is true, older in years, not natives, who attracted by the scenery, the famed sociability and the hospitality of our citizens, annually turn their footsteps this way at vacation time.

Speaking of scenery where is the locality in Pennsylvania where such a variety and beauty in landscape—such a combination of natural views may be found as in the North Branch valley?

The river here is unmatched in its beauty, whether tinted with the hues of the dawn or radiant with the reflected glow of the sunset sky—beautiful with its level shores that spread out in green fields where cattle are grazing and farm houses repose amid clusters of fruit-laden trees—beautiful also with its precipitous shores that rise nearly abrupt from the water, and sentinel-like, gaze down at their well defined shadows in the placid stream.

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Persons who turn this way to spend vacation, therefore, show a nice discernment, reflecting by their choice a love of the beautiful in nature and the appreciation of the society of true-hearted and unostentatious people.

TAKEN TO BLOOMSBURG

Daniel Gaumer, who attempted to end his life at a place he was stopping, on Hepburn street, Milton, about ten days ago and who was subsequently removed to the poor house, was yesterday taken to Bloomsburg by the authorities from that place.

Death of Mrs. Jones.

Mrs. Lizzie Jones died at the home of her son, Harry Jones, West Mahoning street, at 9:25 o'clock Sunday night.

The deceased was aged sixty-six years and is survived by three sons: Harry and Samuel Jones of this city and George Ellis of Pittston; also one daughter, Mrs. Ella Good of Rittersville.

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SHERIFF'S SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE

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

Thursday, July 29, 1909

at 10 o'clock A. M., the following described Real Estate: All that certain message or tenement and town lot of land situate in the First Ward of the Borough of Danville, County of Montour and State of Pennsylvania, bounded as follows:

TWO-STORY FRAME HOUSE

used for two dwellings and containing two store rooms on Mill Street and one shop in basement, together with several out buildings. Seized and taken into execution and to be sold as the property of Jacob H. Sperring, Joseph E. Sperring and Letitia Fiewing.

D. C. WILLIAMS, Sheriff. H. M. Hinchey, Attorney. Danville, Pa., Sheriff's Office, June 30, 1909.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD TO Atlantic City Cape May ANGELSEA WILDWOOD HOLLY BEACH OCEAN CITY SEA ISLE CITY AVALON NEW JERSEY THURSDAYS 1909 SUNDAYS August 5, 19 August 8, 22 TICKETS GOOD FOR TEN DAYS \$4.75 Round Trip \$4.50 Round Trip FROM SOUTH DANVILLE STOP-OVER ALLOWED AT PHILADELPHIA

VERSAILLES. AUTO IN SAHARA DESERT. The Old Royal Palace is Now an Art Gallery and Museum. Versailles is about twelve miles from Paris, but all the intervening country is built up, and it seems almost as if a distant part of the city.

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A Man Must Think. He must think his own thoughts. He must believe his own convictions, let them jostle whom they may. There are ideas which are in the air. They settle down upon us like smuts in a manufacturing town.

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PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD BULLETIN. FORTY PLAYGROUNDS BY THE SEA. This is seashore time. The dog days call to the worker in home, office, and mill and the answer brings up thoughts of the many resorts beside the sea where comfort, recreation, and pleasure alike await the coming of the holiday-maker.

STATE FORESTRY AT WILLIAMSPORT WATKIN'S GIANTS DEFEATED POP BROKEN OPEN

Williamsport is to have a State forest reserve directly at the southern door of the city. The negotiations between Hoover and Bartles on the one hand and the State forestry department on the other came to an end yesterday with the result that the Commonwealth has purchased the entire body of over 7,000 acres owned by these interests, conditioned upon finding the title free from flaws.

Seashore Trips. Have you seen the Pennsylvania Railroad Ticket Agent yet about your summer outing? He has the list of great seashore excursions for this season. Low rates and stop-over at Philadelphia.

Charter Application. NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR CHARTER. Notice is hereby given that application will be made by E. R. Spangler, M. I. Low, A. W. Dwy, C. 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 regulation of certain corporations."

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Bridge Letting. Plans and specifications are on file at the County Commissioners' office 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 received until 12 o'clock noon, Saturday, August 14th, 1909, the said bids to be opened at 1:30 P. M. A certified check must be deposited with the Commissioners' Clerk at or before 10 o'clock A. M., Saturday, August 14th by each bidder as follows: \$500.00 for large bridge and \$300.00 for each of the smaller bridges.

In a game that fairly sizzled with brilliant playing by both teams Danville Tuesday added another victory to their list, Pop Watkins' Brooklyn Giants furnishing the "also ran" side of the scoring sheet. Danville piled up ten runs in three of the innings and left it go at that. The Giants got three.

McCloud was in the box for Danville and played ten pins with the Giants. During the first five innings he smiled on but fifteen men, and a total of 92 faced him during the entire game. Only one had in him did he have, the eighth, when the visitors made three of their four hits and scored all their runs. "Honey" passed but one and struck out 2.

In the seventh Danville took five tallies, again battering around. Doolley singled to left; Mackert got first while the Giants played for Doolley at second; McCloud drove one between short and third; Hess drove one over the right field fence, scoring Mackert; Umlauf drove out his second two bagger into left scoring McCloud and Thomas' two bagger scored Hess; Metzler was hit by a pitched ball and he and Thomas accomplished a double steal; Thomas tried to make home on Livergood's grounder to second but was caught at the plate on a close decision. Livergood also scored before Coveleskie fled out to Borden.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Morgan and son Stephen and William, of Philadelphia, are visiting at the home of Mrs. Morgan's mother, Mr. Stephen Johnson, Church street.

That our American people abound in medicinal virtues is abundantly attested by scores of the most eminent medical writers and teachers. Even the untutored Indians had discovered the usefulness of many native plants before the advent of the white race. This information, imparted freely to the whites, led the latter to continue investigations until today we have a rich assortment of most valuable American medicinal roots.

Not less marvelous in the unparalleled cure it is constantly making of woman's many peculiar affections, weaknesses and disturbing derangements is Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, as is amply attested by thousands of grateful testimonials cured by this medicinal preparation. It is a most efficient stomach tonic, liver purifier, heart tonic and regulator, and blood cleanser, and is especially adapted to the treatment of all the various ailments of women, such as irregular menstruation, and even valvular and other affections of the heart yield to its curative action.

Hon. R. S. Ammerman on entering his office Tuesday morning discovered that thieves had been on the premises during his absence and had broken open his safe. Fortunately they had not secured any booty of importance.

There are some reasons for believing that the thief or thieves were frightened away, as among the contents of the safe was an iron box carefully locked, which should have suggested that it contained valuables. Why the robbers, who had broken open several drawers that were securely locked, should have balked at the box is hard to explain unless they fancied they heard some one approaching.

Trout Season About Closed. The trout fishing season is almost at an end, there being just one more week of it, and on the whole it could not be considered a very successful one for the fishermen in this locality.

Blind Light Globes to Commit Robbery. With the employment of the large number of foreigners in the work of building the big railroad yards at Northumberland, a large number of professional traps and crooks are attracted to that place, working all kinds of schemes to rob the foreigners upon their arrival before they are put to work.

Governor Stuart issued respite in the cases of three murders whose case came before the board of pardons in its June meeting. Two are from Luzerne county and are Thomas Willis and Stanley Nazario, whose execution has been postponed from August 10 to September 28. The other is from York county, and is August Snyder, whose death day was changed from August 3 to September 21.

Notice. Notice is hereby given that an election will be held by the Stockholders of the Pequot Silk Mills Inc., at their offices in the borough of Danville, Penn., on Saturday, July 31st between the hours of two and three P. M. for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors for the ensuing year, and for the purpose of transacting any other business as may come before them.

Looking five years of the century mark William H. Moser, of Pine Summit, a veteran of two wars, and once publicly praised as a hero by an army general, walked six miles to Millville Monday morning, where he took the stage to Bloomsburg. There he spent the day, looking up old friends, and taking life easy, says the Bloomsburg Daily Sentinel.

Moser when yet a young man, enlisted in Co. G, of the Columbia Guards, at Danville. He served with distinction under General Scott in the Mexican war from 1846 to 1848 and was in every engagement from Vera Cruz to the fall of Mexico. At Chapultepec, two volunteers were asked from each company of the command to go to what was thought to be certain death. Two hundred and fifty men were chosen, and Moser was one of them. Eighteen escaped alive. For this display of heroism he was publicly complimented by General Scott, and voted a pension by congress afterwards.

Returning after this war he went to boating on the old Pennsylvania Canal Co's canal, and it was in 1861 that he again got the fever, and enlisted on April 1st in the 8th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, known as the Wilkes-Barre Guards. He served with distinction during the four years of the war, having been in every battle of importance, in which the command, of which he was a member, participated. During the whole service of both wars he never received a wound of any kind.

A Salty Sentence. John Smith, one of the desperados, who shot up the hotel at Durry's Run, Clinton county, several months ago, was sentenced by Judge Hall to twenty-seven years in the penitentiary. Jack Anthony, another of the gang who escaped from the jail, and who was subsequently arrested and sent up ten years for burglary in Seneykill county, would doubtless have been given a like sentence if he had not already been sent up.

A Reliable CATARRH Remedy Ely's Cream Balm. It is quickly absorbed. Gives relief at once. It cleanses, soothes, heals and protects the diseased membrane resulting from Catarrh and drives away a Cold in the Head quickly. Restores the Senses of Taste and Smell. Put in 50 cts. and Drugists or by mail. In liquid form, 75 cents. Ely Brothers, 50 Warren Street, New York.

WINDSOR HOTEL W. T. BRUBAKER, Manager. Midway between Broad St. Station and Reading Terminal on Filbert St. European, \$1.00 per day and up. American, \$2.50 per day and up. The only moderate priced hotel of reputation and convenience in PHILADELPHIA.