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could drink 250 glasses of Bock beer in three days. He did, and he is dying as the result.

More than 300 acres of valuable timber were destroyed near Orangeville by a forest fire recently. Forest fires have caused damage in many other places in the State.

Many buildings at Washington park, a recreation spot near Ashland, were destroyed by fire that started in brush near the resort. The flames have been entirely extinguished.

burg civil engineer, at a recent meethotel, estimated the amount of graft collected in the "red-light" district of the Smoky City at \$1,000,000 a year.

Extraordinary preparations have been made at York for the celebration of the twenty-fifth jubilee of the Knights of St Paul, a Catholic society that boasts of being the strongest organization of that faith in that section of the State.

A merger of the electric companies in the two Stroudsburgs is expected in the near future. The Eastern Pennsylvania Power company, which recently bought out the Eastern Power company, is the new corporation that is behind the movement, which is expected to bring great things to that vicinity.

Joseph Howard, aged 55, maddened by drink, on Saturday evening shot and killed his wife at Latrobe, then ran upstairs and shot himself through the heart. The man is believed to have been deranged mentally through a re-total area covered being about 700 cent illness. He lost his job in a brewery on Saturday and quarreled with his wife, following up by murdering her. He is said to have been drinking heavily for a week.

the McKesport plants of the United States Steel corporation, including the National Tube company and the America Sheet and Steel works. For the first time in many years the plants classification and departure yards. were closed down, excepting in places pleased with the order.

plosion that wrecked the latter's \$1500 direction. things up. The Suter man crawled af- feet at its highest point, the "hump. with his clothes ablaze as the result solid as possible. explosion that followed but people in the auto went home in the composite yard. train after telling the obliging man | Trains will be brought into the re their opinion of him.

fought Indians and Mexicans in de- then be taken in tow by a yard engine o'clock last night at the parsonage of cently at Pittsburg of pneumonia. He pushed over the hump. Each car will Rev. A. J. Irey. by faith. Mr. McBride saw service in the incline from the hump will cause known and popular in this city and the Civil as well as in the Mexican it to run down grade. An operator in vicinity where they have a large circle first looking the matter up. It applies country in 1839.

The members of the international jury to meet in Pittsburg on April 7 to accept paintings and award honors for the fourteenth annual exhibition at Carnegie art gallery have been announced by John W. Beattie, director of fine arts. Carnegie institute. The

the Norristown court for the first time new yards. in many years recently when Amos Koffel, of Hatfield, the defendant in industrial plants are figuring on esta non-support case, said that he did ablishing at Sunbury when the remov not understand English. It did not all of the yards across the Susquehanna take long to find out that everybody is made. At the present time the railelse interested could understand Dutch road occupies a section that has grown so the trial proceeded in that language rapidly and the "shuffling" of cars The defendant was put under bond, across the city streets will lessen the which he was unable to furnish, so danger that now lurks in that vicinity noch der jail."

Because the girl he loved would not in 1907 totaled 2790. mrary him, Fred Ellman, aged 21, of Wilkes-Barre, committed suicide recently by taking carbolic acid. He had ject of his affections would not change | will restore its hour schedule between | famous. Each succeeding lecture seems her decision [not to marry him within Danville and Bloomsburg. The com- as great as the one preceding and Dr. two weeks he would do away with pany annuled several trips on January himself, and he did, just when the two weeks were up. Pinned over his again be resumed daily, and cars will The subject of tonight's lecture will heart was the picture of a good-looking girl bearing the name, "Mary Brown, South River street, Wilkes-Barre.

NEW YARDS WILL PUZZLER FOR BE IMMENSE

Leveling farms that for years have tion yards in the United States.

onverge, the old yard at that place being found inadequate for the increase of freight traffic. The shifting and classifying of cars at Sunbury have to be done on tracks which are crossed at grade by a number of im-Julian Kennedy, a well-known Pitts- portant streets, thus preventing the ing of citizens held in the Fort Pitt maximum movement at Sunbury has been as high as 4000 cars a day.

The new yard, work on which was started last July, will probbaly be completed next December. At the present time between 2200 and 2500 men are the construction. It is necessary to remove 4,000,000 cubic yards of dirt. But little rock has been encountered. The construction work also involves 18,000 cubic yards of bridge and culvert masonry, the change in location of a public road, one and one-half miles long, the erection of a thirty-six-stall round house, power house, machine shop, transfer shed and some smaller buildings.

The yard, which will cost, when complete in the neighborhood of \$4,000,-000 will be three miles long and one half wide, changing a fertile and wooded district into one great level plain of steel rail and yard equipment. The yard is eighty and 100 tracks wide, of which it contains eighty miles, the

with a capacity of 1000 tons a day, a Sunday was appropriately spent in freight transfer shed 30 by 600 feet, capacity for 5500 cars and receiving,

The following points of superiority were they were making repairs or do- over all the other yards in the United ing work that was absolutely neces- States are noted. Arranging engines sary. Every Sunday will be kept here-without turning; freight classification after. The men declare themselves and advance yard, keeping the cars motion; An obliging resident of Suter almost whereby cars going in opposite direccaused Frank Estep, of McKeesport, to lose his life and precipitated an ex-

automobile. The machine broke down It said that the yard, when completand Estep crawled under it to fix ed next fall, will show a fill of forty ter him and was kind enough to light The object of this is to "shuffle" cars a match so that they could see. Estep and form solid trains for the same dewas dragged from beneath the auto stination or trains made up as near

There will be an eastern and western standers by put out the flames before the man was burned much. The mach-classification yard and an eastern and ine, however, was destroyed and the western departure yard in the one

ceiving yard at either end and the Alexander McBride, aged 91, who road engines cut loose. The train will fense of his country's flag, died reland a crew of cutters and riders and the First Baptist church by the pastor, State or country, not the town or city. was born in Ireland and was a Catholic be marked, and when it is cut loose aving come to this the yard tower, noticing the destination of the car from the mark, may, by pushing a button, turn the right Mrs. Nathan Krum, Cooper township. The law compels people to answer switch by means of pneumatic pres- The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. all the questions correctly, to the best

spring into a city. It is not known for a certainty whether the shops will be in their newly furnished home at No. Pennsylvania Dutch was used in moved from Sunbury to the site of the 615 East Front street.

the judge told the sheriff to "nem en for the pedestrian. The daily average for the movement of cars at Sunbury

Cars on Hour Sheedule

On Friday, April 1st the Columbia sister that if the young ob- Power, Light & Railways company 24th and on Friday these trips will Danville that time will never destroy. leave Danville for Bloomsburg every hour from 6 a. m. to 11 p. m.

Patriotism is an inner fire, not an

supplied produce to the cities, cutting cussing a very curious case that deaway huge hills and filling valleys, the Joseph Bouva, an Italian fish-dealer of Beaver Falls, made a wager that he Pennsylvania Railroad company is Deaver Falls, made a wager that he random the anternoon and evening of the country adjacent to ply one in which a fracture in a school term. The grammar school asked the post master to supply it with the little town of Northumberland in-to one of the largest and most com-ually attendant dislocation or other day, May 26th. plete and modern railroad classificative vidences that make the existence of a Action to the above effect was taken fracture plain.

traffic through Sunbury, where four employed in a lumber team on the divisions of the company's lines now Moser tract, Liberty township, this necessary to fix a date for commencecounty, was kicked by another horse. ment in order that the committee The animal at once developed a lame- might proceed to engage a speaker and ness, but beyond this did not show any perfect other arrangements. indications of serious injury. foot of the injured leg on the ground, stated. the next day he would walk on it.

was at the bottom of the trouble. The case was so remarkable, however, that the hope that the experts might prove

that during that long interval the dollars. horse had been walking on a broken horse was shot.

In discussing the matter Monday It will contain a yard house with Dr. Reed explained that such cases storage for 100 locomotives, storage room for 130 cabins, a coaling station are very rare, indeed. The bone, although fractured when the horse was connective tissue investing the bone, which at that part of the horse's leg quirements of the law. is very firm and strong.

HOME BURNED IN ANTHONY

The home of Harry Reynolds, a mile north of Exchange, in Anthony township, burned Monday afternoon, leaving Mr. Reynolds, his wife and a family of six children homeless.

Mr. Reynolds, who is a poor, but hard working and thrifty farmer, was away from home, employed on a farm some distance away. His wife and children were spending the day at the home of

About three o'clock smoke was seen scending from the Reynolds house. fight the flames the home was doomed. Nothing but a few chairs were saved.

Mr. Reynolds carried but little answer promptly. insurance.

WEDDED LAST NIGHT

Miss Mary E. Krum and William G. Reese were united in marriage at 8:30

of friends who wish them hannings The bride is the daughter of Mr. and ed States. Reese is superintendent of the Baptist

LARGE AUDIENCE

The Rev. Dr. Koehne was greeted by another large and interested audience at Mahoning Presbyterian church last night. The subject of his lecture 'Immortality.'

Like the lectures that preceded it, it was a marvel of oratory, a wonderful nessage that appealed to the heart and as was the subject the language employed was simple enough for a child to understand, although characterized with all the force of eloquence and conviction for which the speaker is School. Koehne is making an impression in be "Agnosticism."

been stronger if it had never begun.

COMMENCEMENT FRIDAY, MAY 27

Danville high school this year will be held on the afternoon and evening of

at a regular meeting of the school The completion of the yard will greatly facilitate the movement of to William Mauser of Lewisburg and tion of Borough Superintendant Dief-

On behalf of the grammar school horse was kicked on the left hind leg teachers the borough superintendent between the hock and the stifle joint. asked that the grammar schools of the counties was considered at that day it W. C. Johnsto At that spot there was a silght abras- borough this year be consolidated and enlargement of the present yard. The oon and no swelling, whatever. The permitted to hold commencement excase proved very stubborn, however, a ercises jointly in the high school audpeculiarity being that while on one itorium. On motion the request was day the horse would refuse to put the granted and the date fixed as above bined

Borough Superintendent Dieffen Dr. Reed inclined to the opinion bacher also recommended that the anemployed, showing the magnitude of that the bone was fractured, although nual musicale this year be held in each the absence of dislocation was hard of the wards instead of in the high to account for. He finally called in school auditorium as has been customconsultation with him Dr. Althouse, of ary in the past. The matter was duly Johnstown, an agent of the State Live discussed, after which it was ordered stock Sanitary board, who shared in that Mr. Dieffenbacher's recommendation be belief that a fracture of the bone tion be adopted.

Robert Nice and Raymond Pierce, committee from the senior class of the the usual procedure was not followed. high school, appeared before the board, The horse was permitted to live with asking that the class be permitted, as last year, to assume charge of comto be mistaken and that the leg would mencement, taking care of the proceeds, paying bills, etc. On motion The inevitable occurred, however; the request of the committee was just seven weeks after the horse was granted. The board according to cuskicked dislocation took place, showing tom donated the graduating class ten

On motion it was ordered that the leg. At this juncture, of course, the insurance on the school building of the first ward "be renewed in the same companies.

On motion it was ordered that the officers of the school board sign the applications of Misses Verna Reed and kicked, was held in position by the Laura Mann for permanent certificates, each having complied with all the re-

The following members of the board were present: Sechler, Orth, Swarts, Shultz, Pursel, Fischer, Gibson, Heiss, Cole, Sidler and Redding.

Two bills were approved for pay ment as follows:

George R. Sechler

American Book Co .

BE PREPARED TO ANSWER

will begin their work.
Of the thirty-two questions to be

person will be unprepared to answer off-hand. To the end, therefore, that the enumerator be not unnecessarily By the time people had arrived to delayed in his work all persons should be dispensed with. take advantage of the intervening period to familiarize themselves with

following:

sons enumerated? Place of birth of stay. person's father and mother? By the place of birth is meant the

The year of immigration to the The contracting parties are both well United States is a question that many

sure and send the car to the train William Reese, Front street, and has of their knowledge, whether applying where it is desired. The system is the for a number of years been employed to themsevles, the families to which most modern known and will include as clerk at Roger's shoe store. Both they belong and the farm or farms to new wrinkles in the classification of are prominent in church circles. Mr. which they or their families are the they belong and the farm or farms to occupants. Any person over twenty of fine arts, Carnegue institute. The jury comprises a number of leading American artists. Three medals and Ple are of opinion that the town will be awaided by these ple are of opinion that the town will be awaided by these ple are of opinion that the town will be awaided couple will reside ple are of opinion that the town will be awaided couple will reside ple are of opinion that the town will be awaided couple will reside ple are of opinion that the town will be awaided couple will reside please of the please of That the new yard will be a boon to Sunday school and Mrs. Reese primary one years who shall refuse or wilfully ers that are false shall be guilty of a The newly wedded couple will reside misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be fined not exceeding one hundred dollars.

> All information given to the enumerators must be kept secret by them.
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> The penalty for violating this rule is cident. a fine of \$1000 or imprisonment for

CENTRAL EXAMINATIONS

County Superintendent C. W. Derr announces that the central examina tions for eighth grade pupils will be intellect of every thinking man. Deep held at the following points throughout the county on Saturday, April 2nd : Anthony township - Cross Roads

West Hemlock township - Styer's

Derry township—Strawberry Ridge Limestone township—California. Liberty township-Oak Grove. Valley township—Kaseville. Mahoning township-East Danville.

Landsford has a cure for tramps. It will arrest every hobo that appears on The sympathetic strike would have the scene and put him to work on the intervals and by reason of said lunacy

WILL READJUST RURAL ROUTES

The post office department has de cided to readjuts the rural free delivery routes of Montour County. To en-The grammar school asked the post master to supply it with a map of Montour county.

In an endeavor to comply the post master has discovered that there is no such a thing as a map of Montour County-at least, modern and in convenient form-extant. The best that could be obtained is a map of Columbia and Montour Counties combined published by Cummings, in 1860. The map-borrowed from W. E. Kase-is a most interesting relic.

counties was considered at that day it might be stated that among the pictorial features of the map Danville is given more prominence than all the other towns of the two counties com-

Fifty years ago the Danville hotelkept by John Deen, Jr.—seemed to have the call and it is the most conspicuous feature. The Mahoning Presbyterian and St. Paul's Methodist Episcopal churches were pointed to with pride and they appear on the old man substantially as they strike the eye today or did until within a few years past. D. C. Hartman was a factor in those days and his planing mill as well as his residence appear among the illustrations. The Rail road house kept by P. A. Foust is also shown. The old court house at Danville along with the court house at Bloomsburg, both simple and primitive structures, appear at the top of the map.

Whether the old map as it shows Montour county will be of any service to the post office department admits of some doubt. Many changes have oc curred during fifty years. Farms have been divided and sub-divided; old roads have been vacated and new ones laid ont. But little more than the ancient landmarks remain.

A map of Montour county thorough ly up to date is very much in demand. One almost constantly hears inquiry for one. If some enterprising person were to bring out such a map there is no doubt but that he would reap a good pecuniary reward.

SEVENTY-EIGHT DEGREES

The phenomenal weather conditions 1.68 prevailing will be remembered chiefly ecause of the discomfort they inflict. As March draws to a close it seems that each succeeding day brings more unseasonable weather. During yesterday afternoon mercury rose to 78 degrees in the shade. A dead calm prea neighbor, within sight of their own home.

The thirty-two questions to be asked there are some that the average person will be unprepared to answer a positive burden. Houses warmed son has not yet arrived when fires may

Worst of all, however, was the dust, which lay thick on the streets of town The fire started, it is thought, in a facts so that they may be prepared to as well as the country highways. From the dust, unless it rains, there seems Among the questions will be the to be no relief, as following custom the street sprinkler will not be placed How long have you been married to into commission until the date arrives the present wife. Place of birth of per- when spring is regarded as here to

To add to the oppressive conditions yesterday the atmosphere was filled with a dense smoke, due no doubt to away were rendered almost invisible. Last night there were indications of showers. Almost any change would be Market street, returned yesterday aft-

A HORRIBLE DEATH

John G. Yocum, a well-known resilent of White Deer township, Union county, residing near New Columbia, met with a horrible death Wednesday norning at his saw and stave mill.

While operating a machine a board eaught him in such a manner as to throw him against the raidly revolving circular saw. It caught him just below the breast and almost cut him

Notwithstanding this horrible in-

years of age and was a most prominent and influential citizen in his locality and was prosperous in business. He is survived by his widow and two sons.

ADJUDGED INSANE

An inquisition was held at the court Farley, John Hixson, John Mitchell, panelled from among the jurors attending court this month.

The jury found that the said Agnes Lynn was at the time of taking the inquisition a lunatic without lucid is incapable of managing her estate.

EDWARD EARNEST CAUSE OF COURT

Edward Earnest, a well known halfburg Tuesday. The matter at issue West Hemlock, which was allowed by lies will change residences today 'Squire Clem R. Weiss, after Earnest had been committed, June 15, 1909, and brought to the hospital for the inspiring. The following changes have sane here, where he is now incarcerat- been noted: After the hearing the court took

Hemlock poor district.

township testified that Edward was es from Bloom street.
born in West Hemlock township, and V. V. Haidacker, who occupied the lived there more or less all his life, where he was employed as a farm has moved into the residence of Char-

On the other hand it was shown that in 1896-97 and 1898, and at various times since that he has been employed to his own dwelling vacated by Mr. in Madison township. It was the evident attempt of West Hemlock to prove that Edward had gained a residence in Madison, and vice versa. The witnesses called were: Peter S. Brugler, Mrs. Alice Wilson, Mrs. Elijah Crom-ley, D. A. Shultz, T. J. Betz, Arthur street. William Turner, West Mahonnumber of others.

From a legal standpoint the case was hard fought and there were a number pied by Lewis Gernet, who moves of tilts between cousnel about the admission of evidence.

Messrs. Lew McCarty and Luther Young, of Catawissa, circulated among street to Ferry street; Harry Heffer, friends in Danville yesterday.

M. Yountz, of Buffalo Valley, is spending a few days with his niece, Mrs. Mary Yordy, of this city. Mrs. Martha Campbell, of Rush-

town, was a Danville visitor yester-Miss Mary Monohan has returned to her home in this city after a visit

with relatives in Sunbury. Mrs. Mary Shipe, of Sunbury, is vis-

iting friends in Danville. Mrs. Ella Kirk Lawrence, of Erie, arrived last evening for a visit with her brother, Rev. J. Wollaston Kirk, at the Presbyterian parsonage, East Mahoning street.

Mrs. Walter Savidge, of Riverside, returned last evening after a visit with friends in Sunbury.

Rev. J. M. Francis, of Sunbury, pent vesterday with Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Musselman, Pine street. Mrs. J. M. Lyons, of Sunbury, and

sister, Mrs. Maria Brennan, of Philadelphia, visited friends in this city yesterday.

a few days' sojourn at Atlantic City. He was accompanied by his brother, distant forest fires. Objects half a mile Eleaser who will spend several days in

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Owen, East

A Popular Church.

At the annual congregational meeting of the Zion Lutheran church at Sunbury on Wednesady evening, Rev. J. M. Francis, the pastor, reported that he had received into church membership during the past year 256 persons, baptised 82 children, conducted 43 funerals and married just 50 couples -a pretty good record for one year. The Zion Lutheran has one of the largest Sunday schools in the State with an enrollment of 1193, which does miller, A. H. Grone and B. W. Musselnot include the home department of the cradle roll. There is an average attendance every Sunday of between eight and nine hundred. The contributions to the church from all sources during the year amounted to a trifle over \$11,000.

G. Adams, the proprietor of the genouse yesterday morning at 10 o'clock eral store at Bear Gap, was the victim Horning. before Hon. L. W. Welliver, one of of a painful accident at the home of the judges of the court of common her grandfather, Obadiah Yocum, near pleas, in pursuance of an order of Elysburg, early Monday morning. court to inquire concerning the lunacy Owing to diphtheria in the Adams of Agnes Lynn upon the oath and family, the child has been visiting her affirmations of John Mong, Robert grandparents for several weeks. She was seated on a wagon that morning D. C. Jones and D. C. Williams, im- when she lost her balance and fell to the ground, sustaining a compound fracture of the right arm and serious internal injuries. Dr. Allison, of Elys-

> Many a "good fellow" is a deadly enemy to himself.

MOVING TIME

Probably about the usual number witted character, was the cause of a of our townspeople are changing reshalf day's session of court at Bloomsidences this spring. Moving vans, heavily loaded with furniture, began was whether Edward should be fed, clothed and housed by West Hemlock streets Tuesday. Still a larger numburship, Columbia county. It was a day. It will not be until tomorrow hearing on an appeal from an order of removal of Earnest from Madison to swing, although a great many fami-

It is impossible to give a full list

W Fred Jacobs moves from the Jac-As revealing how important this end f the big domain comprising the two future decision. the matter under advisement for a done of his late parents, West Mar-W. C. Johnston and Fred Ikeler, of ket street; John Jacobs moves from Bloomsburg, represented Madison the "upper store," Mill street, to the township, and W. Kase West, of this place, was the attorney for the West The residence vacated by John Jacobs will be occupied by Walter Bow-The witnesses brought by Madison en, an employe of the firm, who mov-

Mauger dwelling, East Front les Jameson, West Mahoning street. W. H. Mauger will move from the Kase residence, West Market street, Haidacker. Harry Deaner will occupy the rooms in the Kase residence.

William Linker, the well-known shipper at the Stove works moves into one of the new houses built by Reichart, Mrs. Margaret Betz and a ing street, will occupy the residence vacated by Mr. Linker, The residence vacated by Mr. Turner will be occufrom East Mahoning street.
Peter Dietrich will occupy his resi-

dence on Upper Mulberry street adjoining Memorial Park, where he expects to install a merry-go-round and sell soft drinks. Jacob Gass, who occupies the property, expects to move into a dwelling on Upper Mulberry

John Rounsley moves from Bloom from Ash street to the Amesbury property at the foot of Pine street. B. H. Potter, Western Union Telegraph operator, has moved from Pine Sstret to a dwelling owned by Lewis Byerly on Walnut street.

Mrs. John Hartline will remove to Kingston. Her dwelling on Cherry street will be occupied by Calvin Eggert, who moves from Ash street. Fred Smith moves from Lower Mulberry street to Charles Ware's dwelling on Pine street. Michael McHale, Centre street, removes to St. Joseph's Front street, in the future will reside in Sunbury where Jesse is employed. C. C. Moyer, will move from Penn street to Pine street. David Henry, insurance agent, will take up his residence on Cherry street, April 1st. Mrs. Elizabeth Herr will move from Cherry street to Mowrey street.

Policeman John Grier Voris, recently of Ferry street, has moved into his own residence on Church street. William Fausnaught has moved from the S. R. Kreegar building, corner of Mill and West Mahoning streets, to Elias Maier returned yesterday after | Church street. Jonas Sassaman has removed from the Bennett farm to the Marks dwelling, East Front street, vacated by Joseph Preston

FUNERAL YESTERDAY

Thomas Houry Ponnotts mb occurred at Auburn, N. Y., Sunday, was consigned to the grave in Odd Fellows' cemetery yesterday afternoon. The funeral took place from the residence of John Bennetts, brother of the deceased, Bloom street, at 2 o'clock and proceeded to the cemetery by trol-

The services were conducted by the Rev. Joseph E. Guy, pastor of Shiloh Reformed church. were: D. N. Dieffenbacher, Alfred Fry, D. R. Williams, William Stein-

High School Pupils Wed.

Miss Jennie Eddy, aged sixteen years, and Howard Hobbs, aged 18 class at the Nescopeck High School and well known young people of that Injured at Elysburg.
Sara, the six-year-old daughter of N.

place were quietly wedded Saturday night at eight o'clock at the Methodist Episcopal parsonage by Rev. John

Funeral This Afternoon

The funeral of Mrs. Robert Paugh, whose death occurred Tuesday, will be held at 2 o'clock this afternoon from the residence of Robert Paugh, son of the deceased, No. 213 Railroad street. Interment will be made in Odd Fel-

Baldy Smith, who is convalescent after an attack of pneumonia, was able to appear on the street for the