Danville, Pa., June 2, 1910.

## FIGURES SHOW THRIFT INCREASE

HARRISBURG, Pa., June 1. Figures quoted by State Commissioner of Banking William H. Smith in his annual report, which was sent to Governor Edwin S. Stuart a few days ago, show that last year institutions doing a general banking business under the supervision of the State De partment of Banking held 1,669,379 deposit accounts.

These figures, taken with data pre viously published showing the mense resources of Pennsylvania's financial institutions, in addition to national banks, are indicative of the thrift of the Pennsylvanian, be he cap-

italist, salaried man or wage earner.

An encouraging feature of the fig ares referring to the number of individual deposits is that almost one third are in savings institutions, such deposits usually being made by men and women who can lay by only small amounts at one time, and who never accumulate a very large deposit.

Commissioner Smith's figures show

that trust companies on November 6 1909, just three weeks before the end of the fiscal year covered by the report, had 785,368 deposit accounts; savings institutions had 456,540, and banks had 427,471.

Some attention in the report is devoted to the reviewing of conditions generally, and especially to pointing out the forward strides which have been made by trust companies since the creation of the State Department of Banking in 1892.

#### TOWN WITHOUT A PAPER

How many country newspapers daily or weekly, are there that could live six months if they had to depend upon the income derived from subscriptions? Very few of them could make expenses. They must depend upon their advertising and job work. Yet some people are unreasonable enough to complain that there are too many advertisements in the paper, and others care so little for the welfare of the local papers as to send their job printing out of town. What is a local newspaper? It is a board of trade, a trumpet of the town's advantages, a history. It is a policeman, a chaperon, a defender of your rights and a board of health. It is an honest advisor, if in the hands of an honest man. It warns you against frauds. It rejoice with you when you are glad and mourns with you when you need a comforter. It is the guardian angel of your moral, intellectual and physical health. It sticketh closer than a broth-

Do you help to support your home newspaper?

#### Printers' Marks.

The interrogation mark or "point" (?) was originally a "q" and an "o," the latter placed under the former. the latter placed under the former. They were simply the first and last letters of the Latin word "questio." So, too, with the sign of exclamation or interjection (). In its original purity it was a combination of "l" and "o," the latter underneath, as in the question mark. The two stood for "lo," the Latin exclamation of joy. The paragraph mark is a Greek "lo." The paragraph mark is a Greek "p," the initial of the word paragraph. The early printers employed a dagger to show that a word or sentence was ob jectionable and should be cut out.

A Silent Man.
Jorkins—There's Perkins—you know
Perkins—entered into an agreement with his wife soon after their marriage, twenty years ago, that when ever either lost temper or stormed the other was to keep silence. Bob-And the scheme worked? Jorkins-Admirably. Perkins has kept silence for twenty years.

Take Your Choice.

ennobling thought: "You may see in a shallow pool either the mud lying at the bottom or the image of the blue sky above."

A Powerful Weapon.

They were examining an old fash-ioned shotgun of murderous build. It looked as if it would be an effective weapon against anything short of an elephant, and its owner was boasting with that scorn of fact which is allowed the successful hunter of its power.
"Doesn't it kick like anything?" ask-

ed one.

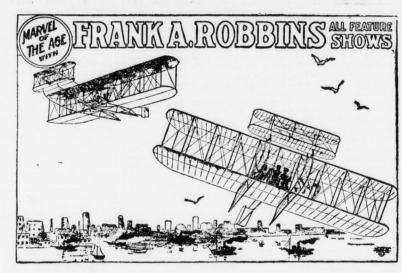
"Oh, yes, it kicks some," said the proprietor, "but that's the beauty of it. Why, once I shot at a grizzly that was charging me. I missed him, and on he came. If it had not been that the gun kicked me so far back that I had time to reload I shouldn't have been here to tell the story."—Youth's Companion. to tell the story."-Youth's Companion.



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The Grandest and Largest Circus ever seen here. New Acts, New Faces, New Names, New Apparatus, New Feats.

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SWENTEK BUILDING,

DANVILLE, PA.

## **YOUR MONEY IN BANK**

Draws small interest compared with the rate you'll make by investing in these bargains Friday and Saturday.

#### FOR TOMORROW & SATURDAY. FOR TOMORROW & SATURDAY. FOR TOMORROW & SATURDAY. MEN'S UNDERWEAR

50 cent Balbriggan Shirts, French Neck, Drawers to match, with

## MEN'S HOSE.

heel and toe at 7 cents.

15 cent Hose in gray, blue, Ma. Black and Tan Cotton Socks full tailor made seams, 50c., quality roon and tan; full Seamless double seamless double sole, high spliced heels at 4 cents.

#### MEN'S TROUSERS \$3 Boys' Suits made with Knick- \$3 fine Worsted and Cassimer erbocker Pants or straight at Trousers, the latest Patterns, all sizes \$1.67.

#### FOR TOMORROW & SATURDAY. FOR TOMORROW & SATURDAY. FOR TOMORROW & SATURDAY. 10c. CANVAS GLOVES.

Gloves full size for tomorrow and Saturday 5 cents.

Tomorrow and Saturday, Boys' Knee Pants. 25 cent Knee Pants, Styles from 4 to 15 years made of quality Goods At 17 Cents.

#### FOR TOMORROW & SATURDAY, FOR TOMORROW & SATURDAY. FOR TOMORROW & SATURDAY. MEN'S TROUSERS.

\$1.50 Khaki Trousers well made 89 cents.

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# MEN'S SHIRTS.

A very pleasant surprise party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. neat patterns, good cheviots and coat style. All new patterns at well tailored at 98 cents. 79 cents.

## A GREAT SALE OF CLOTHING

For Tomorrow and Saturday.

\$5.48 for Men's and Young Men's \$10.00 fine Worsted Suit in Plain Black and Fancy.

\$7.98 for \$15.00 Swiss Proof Blue Serge and Fancy Worsted Suits

\$9.89 for Men's and Young Men's \$16.50 and \$18.00 all-wool Suits in all the new effects.

\$11.98 for Men's and Young Men's \$20.00 and \$22.50 Fine Blue Serge, Black and fancy Worsted

## Hats for Tomorrow and Saturday.

Men's and Young Men's Hats. Money Saved on every Hat you Purchase.

Men's and Young Men's \$1.00 and \$1.25 Hats er, on sale tomorrow and Saturday for 48c.

Men's and Young Men's \$2.00 Hat for tomor row and Saturday for 89c.

Men's and Young Men's \$2.50 Hats for tomor- Olive Golder, Edna Springer, Florence row and Saturday \$1.48.

Men's and Young Men's \$3.00 Hats tomorrow and Saturday \$1.98

Why pay such extravagant prices for your merchandise when you can buy better merchandise from us for less money. A trial visit to our store will convince you the truth of this advertisement.

# Manufacturer's Outlet Clothing Co.

299 MILL ST.,

SWENTEK BUILDING,

DANVILLE, PA.

The new hall built by Valley grang at Fenstermacher's coiner was dedic-

berland, held a meeting in the new afraid to go back to Shamokin. hall. During the session reports were were encouraging, showing an in- he said that he had laughed at him. crease in both interest and member-

under the two high officials yesterday found on his person.

conditions that would prevail in every him. farming community if the grange idea were carried out and there were perfect co-operation along all lines.

State Grange Master William T. Creasy spoke at length, dwelling mainly on "Legislation," explaining what ber session. laws are necessary to prevent monopolists from getting hold of the farms and to conserve the interests of the common people generally.

State Lecturer Dorsett delivered a very entertaining address, dwelling principally upon the growth of the grange in Pennsylvania.

The new hall is a most complete building, 24x40 feet and two stories high. It is a frame structure with metal roof and siding. It is very nicely finished on the inside, being plastered and artistically painted. The floor is carpeted, which adds much to the coziness of the hall.

The officers of Valley grange are as follows: Master, J. A. Merrill; secretary, Mrs. Augusta Merrill; treasurer, E. E. Renn; chaplain, Frank Fenster-macher; overseer, Enoch Williams; steward, Richard Rogers. Mrs. Rich-ard Rogers is Ceres; Mrs. Enoch Williams, Pomona, and Mrs. Frank Fen-

### **CHICHESTER SPILLS**



SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS TIME EVERYWHERE WORTH

### SCAFFOLDING CITY HALL

Price & McCloskey yesterday began the work of scaffolding City hall preparatory to repairing and painting the brickwork. At a meeting of council tonight the bids invited for the painting of the building will be opened and in all probability the contract for the work will be awarded.

The contract for the scaffolding was awarded to Price & McCloskey at the last meeting of council for one hundred and forty dollars. The contract ors will retain ownership of the mat erial and when the repairing and painting of the building is completed they will take down the scaffolding and use the timber for other purposes.

To scaffold a building like City hall so as to make it safe and convenient for workmen is no easy task. Before it is accepted by council the scaffold will be inspected by the committee on

#### A Birthday Party.

F. Ware on R. F. D. No. 1 on Monday evening in honor of Mr. Ware's birthday. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs

Robert Cornelison, Mr. and Mrs. Geo Moser, Mr. and Mrs. Will Cornelison, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Heim, Mr. and Mrs. Will Moser, Mr. and Mrs. Will Patter-Mr. and Mrs. Frank Terry, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Vognetz, Mr. and Mrs. George Wallize, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rake, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Springer, Mr. and Mrs. Will Steinman, Mesdames Frances Sheatler, Dave Cooper and Kate Moser, Misses Wilda Pannebaker, Rosa Hartman, Lizzie and Mary Robbins, Matrona Sheatler, Laura Rake, Myrtle Cornelison, Stella and Minnie Ware, Winnie Cornelison, and Minnie Tanner, Mary Moser, Eloise Patterson, Irene Vognetz, and Mary Mainzer, Miss Cooper, Messrs. Chris Springer, John Fruit, Warren Fenstermacher, Percy Hartman, Sydney Bogart, Homer Sheatler, Martin Robbins, Ralph and Lloyd Cooper, Sidney and Russell Moser, Harvey and Herman Bogart, Leo Melaney, Nelson Cornelison, Alvin Moser, John Tan-ner, Conrad Springer, Oliver P. Rake. A very pleasant evening was spent by all present with music, singing and

Born, a Son
A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. William Price, Green street, yesterday

morning.

card playing. Refreshments were serv-

# STABBING ENDS

Charles Lichtenleitner, nephew of the deceased, and August Bombazine, Mr. Robbins has been in the circus ship.

The dedicatory exercises were held the two men who were with him at the two men who were with him at business for 39 consecutive years, and business for 39 consecutive years, and the two men who were with him at business for 39 consecutive years, and the dedicatory exercises were held the two men who were with him at business for 39 consecutive years, and the deceased in the circus states of the deceased in the circus states are the deceased in the deceased in the circus states are the deceased in the deceased i in the afternoon and were in charge the time he was stabbed, testified that has around him a well trained corps of State Grange Master William T. they were talking to him when Rizzi of experts in caring for every detail. Or State Grange Master william 1. they were taking to find which taking to find which taking to respect to experts in earing for every detail.

Creasy, who was assisted by State suddenly came from behind a tree, The big tents are erected and taken Grange Lecturer E. B. Dorsett, of slashed him across the abdomen and down with great speed, and system is Mansfield, Tioga county. The dedicat- ran. When captured, the bloody knife, evident throughout the manipulation ory ceremony is very interesting and six inches long and very rusty was of everything connected with the

shows. There are no disorderly charmaken to the hospital said that he had
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the deceased with Mr. Robbins'
enterprise.

The following are among the principal features on the program: The
Holmes family of wire walkers, in-

Rizzi was taken back to jail at Sunbury yesterday afternoon, being held tionist and slack wire artist; Miss without bail. Counsel will likely be Hocum, principal bareback riding act; appointed for him by the court and he will be tried formurder at the Septem-Gregory family of acrobats; Harry

#### An African Cannibat Race.

One of the queer customs of the Baamba race in Africa is cannibalism of a particularly loathsome form, according to a writer in the Geographical Journal. Families exchange their young children, who are then eaten. He continues that the Baamba in many cases file their teeth, but this practice is not quite general. They are jovial despite these singular characteristics. The Bunyoros, another tribe, have an unpleasant custom of extracting the four lower incisors, which causes the upper teeth to grow forward, imparting to their mouths a most unbecoming rabbit-like appearance. The Bahima, he says again, believe vaguely in an all powerful diety, who is associated mainly with rain, thunder and other weather phenome-na. They endeavor to propitiate various devils, most of whom are connected with the prevalent diseases, by erecting joss houses in which food and beer are placed. They invariably cary round the neck wooden charms or small goats' horns which have been invested with magical power by the medicine men and usually wear wire bracelets and anklets.

#### Not Troubled.

Irate Tenant-I asked you when I rented this place if you had ever been troubled by chicken thieves, and you said no. Every one of my chickens was stolen last night, and I am told that the neighborhood has been infest ed with chicken thieves for years Suburban Agent—I never keep chick-

One makes one's own happiness pieces only by taking care of the happiness tle jar, of others. Saint-liferre,

# ROBBINS' CIRCUS

at Fenstermacher's corner was dedicated yesterday. The occasion was one that appealed to followers of agricultural pursuits and nearly the entire Ashland hospital.

Sergeant Weismund, of the Shamok-new and novel acts, and everything is kept moving with the utmost precision. countryside turned out. There were several hundred people in attendance the most of whom took dinner, which was served on the ground floor of the hall by the ladies of Valley grange.

Sergeant weismund, or the Snamok- new and nover acts, and everything is the constability, went to Sunbury yesterday morning and took the prioring representation. The climax of the program is the great bicycle act called "The Leap to back to Shamokin. The Italian suspection the Moon," in which Herr, the rider, the rider, and everything is not presented in the same and nover acts. Pomona grange, No. 31, comprising the counties of Montour and Northum when he saw the policeman. He was wheel and leaps thirty feet across an fraid to go back to Shamokin.

He was given a hearing before Justand the rider catching the hands of a presented by the various granges of the two counties, which on the whole the children with many new witty

shows. There are no disorderly char-

cluding May, four years of age. and Clara, aged seven; Roy Dee, contor-Koster, aerial performer; Gowest' performing ponies; Miss Howard and Miss Allen, trapeze artists; Miacco sisters, contortionists; Morley brothers, feats of balancing; Charles Gregory, barrel and table tossing; William Mars, premier clown, assisted by three others; Rose Edyth, premier toe dancer, and her troupe of ballet dancers concluding with the feature act, "The "Leap to the Moon," by "Dare-devil Herr."

#### GRIER MORGAN INJURED

Grier Morgan, an employe of the Danville Rolling mill, met with an accident yesterday, in which he was painfully injured

He was engaged in wheeling brick up a plank. When near the top he lost his balance and, along with the wheelbarrow, fell to the ground, a distance of some eight feet. The brick with which the barrow was loaded fell on top of him rendering him partly un conscious.

He was removed to his home on East Market street where he was attended by Drs. Stock and Paules. It was discovered that no bones were broken, al though he was painfully bruised and suffered from the effects of the shock.

#### Not an Earthquake.

Mrs. Houser (hearing tremendous noise in the kitchen)—Great goodness, Jane, what was that, an earthquake shock? Jane (calmly picking up the pieces of glass)-No, mum; only a litpieces of glass)-No, mum; only

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tions, consult Ticket Agents.

lesson that the truest heroes and heroines are those who do noble deeds in the secret corner of the home, where none can see or applaud.

it certainly hadn't struck one old farmer in this way before, and as soon as he got home he promptly told his

wife that the vicar had called her a 'Whatever does that mean?" asked

the good lady.
"Oh, it means a woman who stays in t' house instead of goin' art to show hersen," explained the farmer vaguely.

"Then I'm not a heroine, an' I'll thang t' vicar to mind what he's sayin'," snapped the wife. "I go to his church as much as t' other women do, an' he must be blind if he can't see me. Why, I'd five different colors in t' bonnet I wore last Sunday!"—London Spectator.

## Executrix' Notice.

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Estate of Wm A. Fry, late of the Township of Limestone, in the County of Montour and State of Pennsylvania, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the above estate have been granted to the undersigned. All persons indebted to said estate will make immediate payment and those having claims against the said estate will make known the same without delay to

delay to
LYDIA E. FRY, Ex'r.,
Strawberry Ridge, R. F. D. No. 1.

She Repudiated the Charge.
At the men's service in a Yorkshire parish the vicar tried to convey the parish the vicar tried to convey the ship tried tried to convey the ship tried tried to convey the ship tried tried

"Why not?"

"He used to live in a medical college, and the students taught him a whole lot of professional terms. I was "Few of you seem to think," he con- so mortified the other night. cluded, "that your wives staying at home uncomplainingly to mind the and somebody asked her to sing. children and prepare the meals are know what a voice she has! We have the control of the children and prepare the meals are heroines, and yet their touching devo-tion to duty proves them to be so." she sang a long French ballad for us, and the instant she faished the last

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