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EDMUND A. BIGLER.

Edmund A. Bigler, the Democratic candidate for State Treasurer, was born in Clearfield, in August, 1843. He is the son of Hon. William Bigler, Governor of the State from 1852 to 1856, and United States Senator from 1856 to 1861. Mr. Bigler has always been engaged in business pursuits and never held political office until appointed Collector of Twenty-third Internal Revenue District by President Cleveland, July 1st, 1885. He was removed by President Harrison on May 31st, 1889.

TRIBUTE OF RESPECT.

Memorial of the Henry George Club of Johnstown to John Coffin and Abram S. Eldridge.

"There are no dead. The boundless universe is life."

John Coffin and Abram Eldridge have gone from us, but somewhere, we hope, we feel, we trust, that part of them which knows and thinks, and feels and loves, has entered on the higher life.

We say good-bye and farewell. Their work here was not done. We cannot say that, but it was well done day by day as they lived. No more can be expected of any man, and no more can any do.

Had they remained on earth, what new truths might not their exploring minds have found; at least how well would they have helped to spread the knowledge of the truth already known.

Two strong, bright minds, their brains in perfect touch and hearts in sympathy. Coffin and Eldridge both lived outer, happier, more useful lives for having known each other, and in what we call death, they were parted but a little time.

One died contemplating the avalanche of the flood rushing toward him, knowing his dear ones were already swept away, and powerless in that moment of despair to make the leap which would have saved him. The other was not less a victim of the flood though passing away at home, with loving wife and tender friends around him, for how hard John Coffin worked to help the living is known of all. They went different ways, but they are gone.

The work they had started out to do, to which each had consecrated the best efforts of his life, we must now take up where they left off. We cannot do it as they would have done, but we can work to the same end; and some day, let us believe, the rising hope will be an actuality—the hope which is "the heart of all religions," our inspiration and our star. Good-bye, farewell.

A HOME ORGANIZATION.

The Union Benevolent Association of the Conemaugh Valley.

A number of citizens met at the Red Cross headquarters Monday afternoon to counsel together concerning the situation of affairs now existing in the Conemaugh Valley and resolved to form a Home Benevolent Association. Miss Clara Barton and Dr. Hubbel, of the Red Cross, and Secretary Kremer, of the State Commission were present.

Cyrus Elder, Esq., was chosen President, and L. D. Woodruff Secretary. Mr. Elder stated the object of the meeting, and, after an interchange of opinion, it was resolved to form a benevolent association. On motion of John Fulton, Esq., it was agreed to name it "The Union Benevolent Association of the Conemaugh Valley."

John Fulton, Esq., Dr. W. W. Walters, and Rev. Dr. R. A. Fink, were appointed a Committee on Constitution and By-Laws. L. D. Woodruff, Dr. C. Sheridan, and Geo. T. Swank, Esq., were appointed a Committee on Permanent Organization.

The Committees will meet to-day at 3 o'clock p. m., for consultation at Mr. Elder's office. The Association will meet at the Red Cross headquarters on Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Unusually Noisy.

Saturday night was an unusually noisy one in Cambria City. Andy Sharno, was arrested for being disorderly, and fined \$5 and costs. Alexander Swaski, exposed his person for which he was arrested by Culliton and special officer Stein. George Kruchenbohr and Samuel Bream were fined for indulging in the noisy act, and there are a large number in the lock-up awaiting a hearing. The new policeman Mr. Peter Culliton, is a hustler, and is becoming a terror to all evil doers. Long may his scepter guard the interests of that goodly town.

APPOINTMENTS

Of the Methodist Ministers—Where They Go for the coming Year—Few Changes in Prominent City Churches—Close of the Conference.

The last session of the Pittsburgh Conference, at the Emory M. E. Church, East End, was held Monday.

Rev. C. W. Smith presided, while Bishop Foss was closeted with the Presiding Elders preparing appointments.

The report of the Pittsburgh *Christian Advocate* was read, showing a decided increase financially. Total expenditures during the year, \$19,002.70; net gain, \$3,232.23; total assets, \$29,930.49; total liabilities, \$367.23; total subscription, 10,725.

A spirited discussion took place about the provision for education, in the Minutes, some members asserting that two columns ought to be provided instead of one. This was at last agreed to.

A vote of appreciation was passed in reference to the departure of Rev. A. H. Miller, who has been transferred to the St. Louis Conference.

Rev. J. T. Riley made an additional report from the Board of Stewards of \$120 that was received by the members of the board since the committee's last report, made at the opening of Conference. It was decided that the money be distributed to the supernumerary ministers.

James H. Null, McKeesport district; Neville E. Kable, Washington district; W. H. Rodenbaugh, Allegheny district, and Jas. A. Younkins, Blairsville district, were elected traveling deacons.

It was moved and seconded that Dr. W. W. Roup be continued on the supernumerary list. Mr. Roup then arose and moved that his relations be changed to effective, but the motion was lost. Then on his motion he was changed from the supernumerary to the supernumerated list. Presiding Elder Johnson moved that the relations of A. L. Kendall and C. W. Miller be changed from effective to supernumerary on account of old age and ill health, which motion carried. Dr. Joseph Horner was elected Treasurer of the Conference for the ensuing year by a unanimous vote.

Bishop Foss then took his position on the Minutes of Monday morning's session, and, after a brief speech to the Conference, made the following appointments, which extend for three years:

Allegheny District.
Rev. T. N. Eaton, Presiding Elder, Beaver, Pa.
Arch Street, W. H. Connor.
Buena Vista, W. H. Miller.
North Avenue, T. J. Leak.
North End and Evangelic, T. W. Johnson.

Riverside, W. J. Mead.
Simpson and Hoboken, supplied.
Union Church, A. P. Leonard.
Beaver, A. L. Petty.
Beaver Falls, M. J. Sleppy.
Bellevue, J. B. Risk.
Bridgewater, Wm. Cox.
Brownsdale, supplied.
Butler, S. H. Nesbit.
Craigsburg, R. J. McKee.
Emory, R. S. Ross.
Emsworth, S. G. Holmes.
Freedom, supplied.
Glenfield, D. M. Hollister.
Harmony, Frank Prosser.
Homewood, Wm. Medley.
Jones, J. E. Kidney.
Natrana, Wm. Johnston.
Neville Island, J. W. Kessler.
New Brighton, W. B. Watkins.
Oakland, W. W. Hall.
Prospect, R. L. Hekman.
Rochester, W. B. Slease.
Salem and Franklin, J. J. Davis.
Sewickley, J. S. Bracken.
Springdale, Robert Hamilton.
Tarentum, J. B. Mitchell.
Tarentum Circuit, M. S. Kendig.
Union Centenary, L. R. Beacom.
Unionville, G. A. Sheets.
R. T. Taylor, President of Beaver College, member of Beaver Quarterly Conference.

A. L. Long, Professor in Robert College, Constantinople.
J. H. Miller, Professor in Allegheny College, member of Bellevue Quarterly Conference.
Mindo G. Vulcheff, Missionary to Bulgaria.

Blairsville District.
A. C. Johnston, Presiding Elder.
Apollo, D. J. Davis.
Armagh, A. S. Hunter.
Blairsville, T. H. Woodring.
Bolivar, J. J. Hays.
Cokeville, A. E. Hustid.
Conemaugh, supplied.
Coopersdale, C. L. E. Cartwright.
Dayton, N. J. Arnor.
Derry Station, W. A. Stewart.
Elderton, J. A. Youngkins.
Gallitzin, A. J. Cook.
Greensburg, S. M. Bell.
Homer, J. J. Pershing.
Indiana, to be supplied.
Irwin, J. T. Murray.
Johnstown, First Church, H. L. Chapman.

Kittanning, H. H. Pershing.
Latrobe, M. M. Sweeney.
Lechburg, E. G. Loughry.
Ligonier, S. P. Wolfe.
Livernore, supplied.
Mahoning, supplied.
Manor, B. T. Thomas.
Marion William H. Camp.
McMasters, W. C. Lynch.
Mechanicsburg, C. C. Emmerson.
Morrellville, S. Kobler.
New Florence, S. B. Lavery.
Newburg, W. P. Berlin.
Pittsburgh, J. L. Stiffy.
Rural Village, Charles McCausland.
Saltsburg, G. H. Huffman.
Sardis, M. B. Pugh.
Verona, J. V. Huber.
Albert Freeman, Principal Coopersdale Academy, member Coopersdale

Quarterly Conference.

McKeesport District.
N. S. Miller, Presiding Elder.
Addison, W. L. Brown.
Bellevue, R. Cartwright.
Berlin, J. B. Mill.
Blackburn, J. S. Wakefield.
Braddock, T. N. Boyle.
Brownsdale, First Church, J. W. Wright.
Brownsdale, Second Church, O. H. P. Graham.
Circleville, W. C. Weaver.
Coke Mission, J. C. High.
Confluence, Albert Maxwell.
Connellsville, J. W. Baker.
Dawson, David Flanagan.
Dayton, to be supplied.
Elizabeth, J. J. Hub.
Elrod, P. M. Harmon.
Payette City, S. W. McCurdy.
McKeesport, First Church, R. B. Mansell.
McKeesport, Second Church, S. W. Davis.
McKeesport, Third Church, J. F. Smith.
Meyerdale, George Orbin.
Mount Lebanon and Jacob's Creek, L. R. Jones.
Mt. Pleasant, L. E. Pershing.
Pleasant Unity, J. Mansell.
Port Perry, R. L. Miller.
Ridstone, W. F. Hunter.
Reynoldson, W. H. McBride.
Rostover, Rufus Hefel.
Scottdale, John Connor.
Smithfield, J. E. Inskip.
Somerset, A. B. Basin.
Springfield, supplied.
Stahlsburg, G. D. Christman.
Stahlsburg, supplied.
Tarentum, W. P. Turner.
Westley Chapel, supplied.
West Newton, W. P. Ashe.

Pittsburgh District.
J. W. Miles, Presiding Elder.
Amos, J. A. Valentine.
Bingham street, R. T. Miller.
Brown Chapel, D. H. Wilkinson.
Butler street, W. H. Pierce.
Carson street, N. D. Lichter.
Centenary, A. O. Emerson.
Christ Church, C. E. Felton.
Craffon, W. B. Robinson.
Denny, J. E. Williams.
Emory, C. V. Wilson.
Fifth avenue, L. McQuire.
Haven Church, W. H. Rodenbaugh.
Homewood avenue, H. H. Pershing.
Hudson, to be supplied.
Liberty Street, M. B. Lichter.
Main Street, supplied.
McAndless Street, supplied.
Mt. Washington, J. J. Montgomery.
Oakland, B. F. Beazell.
St. Paul, J. G. Gogley.
Smithfield Street, C. E. Locke.
South Street, J. W. McIntyre.
Smeaton, supplied.
Trinity, C. M. Miller.
West End, J. J. Smith.
Westley Chapel, supplied.

Washington District.
J. F. Jones, Presiding Elder.
Banksville, J. B. Gray.
Beallsville, H. C. Hickman.
Bentleyville, A. Mitch.
Californis, J. B. Taylor.
Cannonsburg, R. C. Wolf.
Carmichael, M. S. Sillsbaugh.
Claysville, M. M. Hilderbrand.
Duquesne and Ashley, F. B. Tannehill.
Fairall, J. C. McMinn.
Fawcett and Bridgeville, D. H. McKee.
Florence, J. W. Marland.
Franklin, B. F. Edgill.
Georgetown and Smith's Ferry, J. H. Childs.

Greensburg, Wm. H. Kirtland.
Green Valley, J. S. Hunt.
Homestead, J. J. McIllyar.
Hookstown, A. H. Davis.
Independence, G. B. Hudson.
Mansfield, S. T. Reynolds.
Millsboro, H. J. Altman.
Monongahela Circuit—J. T. Stiffy.
Monongahela City, J. T. Riley.
Mount Morris, J. W. Cairy.
Mount Zion, G. Kable.
New Cumberland, H. T. Wordman.
Nineveh, N. P. Kerr.
Noblestown, C. C. Hatfield.
Peter's Creek, M. G. Twotter.
Phillipsburg, D. L. Dempsey.
Shonestown, E. Williams.
Venetia, W. S. Cummings.
Washington, J. Meacham.
Waynesburg, Thomas Patterson.
Wellsburg, J. E. Wright.
West Elizabeth, Nelson David.

The following Committees were nominated by the Committee and will be balloted for at the Conference next year: Conference Board of Church Extension, R. T. Miller, President; J. F. Cooper, Secretary; W. F. Connor, Vice President; J. Horner, Treasurer.

Triers of Appeals, A. L. Petty, H. J. Chapman, Robert Hamilton, J. N. Baker, J. F. Murray, C. V. Wilson.
Committee on Examination, Admission on Trials, B. E. Edgill, J. E. Wright, E. J. Cook, W. P. Turner, B. H. Welburn.
First year, H. H. Pershing, S. T. Mitchell, T. Patterson, E. J. Loughrey, George Orbin.
Second year, R. C. Wolfe, T. H. Woodring, H. S. Holmes, W. H. McBride, E. S. White.
Third year, J. W. Hackett, J. T. Stiffy, D. J. Davis, S. W. Davis, E. S. Core.
Fourth year, T. F. Pershing, H. S. Hunter.

The Conference then adjourned with the benediction.
Sickness in Altoona.
Graphic News.

Never in the history of Altoona has there been so much typhoid and diphtheria. Especially is the latter prevalent and fatal and there must be some cause for this outgrowth which has been gradual extending over the past year. Diphtheria springs from foul surroundings and bad cellars, decaying vegetable and animal matter and poor ventilation. A house to house inspection is what Altoona needs and the *Graphic News* asks the Board of Health to make this endeavor to stamp out the terrible disease before it becomes necessary to close the public schools, a proceeding already hinted at and to be greatly deplored.

HOW THEIR WORK WAS DONE.

A Letter From Miss Clara Barton, President of the National Red Cross Association, to the People of Johnstown—The Familiar Red Cross Wagons Soon to be Taken Off Our Streets—Supplies to be Given to the Local Organization.

JOHNSTOWN, Oct. 16, 1889.

Referring to the article in the DEMOCRAT of Wednesday, it seems to me wise to continue the subject from a position different from that occupied by that writer. Not only is the work of the Relief Commission nearly ended, but the Red Cross, as well, must soon "fold its tents" and sever its connection with the scenes of the labors which have held us willing workers more than a third of a year in your midst, and with a brave and patient people who have grown dear and are never to be forgotten.

It was in the dark of a rainy morning, on the 5th of June, that our organization, with a force approaching half a hundred, came to live among and become your "neighbor" in the true signification of the term as defined by the Master.

One month was given to distribution from tents, at Poplar street bridge, aided by house to house inspection over the town, in order to reach those who either could not or would not be likely to come to us.

But the sympathetic bounties of the outside world overran our tent life, and in order to make ourselves ready for the more heavy distribution which the improvement of the streets and homes would make possible, in the first week of July the National organization withdrew from Poplar street and threw up its present warehouse on the generously-tendered grounds of your revered townsman, Judge Potts, on Walnut street, at the same time asking the formation of a committee of Johnstown ladies of every denomination, and who would best know the conditions, to whom the people might go and make known their wants, which later we would undertake to supply so far as in our power.

This committee, known as "The Red Cross Committee of Johnstown Ladies," or "Miss Title's Committee," women scarcely healed of their own bruises, sore-hearted, homeless, and bereft, came tearfully but bravely to our side, and performed a work of tender, discriminating justice and charity such as I believe ladies may ever have been called to do.

The written wants of over two thousand families, with name, address, number in family, ages, sex, and condition, were by this committee passed directly to us, and subsequently over a thousand more families have been added to the regular list of applications, thus making the number of persons upon application to be reached and served by us something over twenty thousand.

To you, whose eyes have become as familiar with the sight of our teams upon your streets and at your stations as with your crocers' or express wagons, we need not explain in what manner, nor with what material, this has been done. Such articles as were most needed as a nucleus for the furnishing of the little, bare, cheerless house to make it the beginning of a home, we have endeavored, with our half-dozen teams and half-hundred workmen and women, out doors and in, to place there.

Two other houses, 11x50 feet, have been built—one on Locust street, in charge of Mrs. Henry, and one at Kernville in charge of Mrs. Linton, both honored Johnstown ladies, and are in active operation for the accommodation of the people of the town, who have kindly dignified them by the name of "hotels." The entire proceeds of these houses, furnished and ready for occupancy, accrues to the ladies who conduct them—never one cent to us, and with the single stipulation that the rates shall not exceed twenty-five cents a meal for any Johnstown person.

Another block of nearly equal dimensions, for families desiring to live separately, has been erected at Woodvale and fearing that the winter might bring need for some general refuge for the sick, we have, with the advice and co-operation of your local physicians, and through the kindness of Secretary Kremer, utilized a half-dozen small sized "Oklahomas" for wards, erecting them on the same lot with our warehouse, together with a new wooden attachment at the rear, for kitchen, dining, sleeping, store, and linen rooms. These are to be amply furnished, warmed, lighted, and passed over to the hands of the local physicians of the town, for the use of its homeless sick who need shelter and care.

The application from the ladies' committee are nearly filled, only a few hundred families remaining unserved whose names have reached us through any legitimate channel.

These thousands of homes, either new or repaired, have received the first beginning of a household.

The State funds, so generously contributed, are being distributed throughout the town. Its large, unfeeling works of iron and steel are in active operation. Its schools are open, its churches are reviving, its places of business are active and prosperous. Its new buildings, if not luxurious, are at least livable, and far

more comfortable than those of the pioneers who have settled all our prairie States and Western borders, or than people generally erect to live in while endeavoring to make a living or amass a fortune in a new country. In view of all this, we feel, with the writer of Wednesday article, that under the unprecedented woe which blighted your homes and darkened your lives, it were well that strangers came in to do for your people what they had not the means nor the heart to do for themselves, and that up to the present time their aid and presence have been needed and well, but that possibly the time has now come when as dispensers of public charity they should withdraw, the people of Johnstown once more come to stand upon their own feet, and the "avenues of trade be fully opened."

But nothing is more true than the remark so wisely, thoughtfully, and tenderly made, that there will still be those who cannot do without help whom "ye have always with you," and whom we are commanded to remember.

In this we also join with the writer in the recommendation of a thorough and strong organization of your people as dispensers of your own charities, for which charge the action of the smaller committee which I have witnessed shows conclusively you have abundant and rich material.

And the Red Cross is happy in being able to go somewhat farther than the mere recommendation. We will do all in our power to aid in placing such an organization on a good working basis, and from our position we can provide it with what might otherwise prove a serious obstacle to overcome, viz., a place in which to store supplies and from which to distribute; and we shall gladly place in its hands all which may remain of our supplies after our list of applications is filled. Other supplies will come to you when once it is known that Johnstown is again on its feet and caring for its own.

Such an organization will be to us the knot that will serve to bind the loose threads of all the work which has been done here in the past months, and rob our parting of its sharpest sting.

CLARA BARTON.

THE MCKNIGHT CLAIM ARBITRATION.

Attorney-General Kirkpatrick and Witnesses Have Some Slight Differences.

The arbitrators in the claim of James McKnight against the State met in room 16 in the Pittsburgh Court House Tuesday morning.

The meeting was called for 10 o'clock, but it was 10:30 before State Attorney Kirkpatrick put in an appearance.

D. J. Lewis, a timekeeper for McKnight, was the first witness. He said he was present when the men were paid, and they were paid according to the time-books presented as evidence. On cross-examination by Mr. Kirkpatrick, the witness stated that the men he employed were working on the drift. Mr. Kirkpatrick wanted to know at what they were employed, and asked many questions about certain work that it was impossible for the witness to answer.

O. H. Houston was next called. He presented a number of time books which he said he kept. This ended the evidence of the timekeepers.

Philip Flinn was the next witness. He said he ordered the dynamite, coal and other materials by order of Col. Phillips in the name of McKnight.

J. E. McClelland, McKnight's bookkeeper was called to the stand. He presented a statement of the money paid out for labor and teams, which was a recapitulation of everything claimed.

Mr. Kirkpatrick asked a number of questions about how long it took him to make out the roll, who helped him and how much of it was in his handwriting.

The State Attorney seemed to find fault with the pay-roll, wanted the witness to give a summary of the different kinds of labor, but the witness said that he could not, as it was not on the pay-roll books. The only way he could tell was by rate per day paid them.

Mr. Kirkpatrick and the witness had quite a lively discussion while the evidence was being taken. The State Attorney General stated that the witness had given different testimony at a different hearing, which the witness denied, but as the stenographer had not his notes written up the matter could not be settled. There was a discussion as to the amount of money paid Harry P. Moore. The witness stated he paid him for sixteen days, while the attorney said that Moore only wanted three days' pay and the paymaster insisted on him taking five days' pay. This McClelland emphatically denied. On redirect examination McClelland stated that Moore came to him and said that Moore told the witness that Col. Hill said that he should be on the payroll and that the State would allow him fifteen hours.

When this report closed the counsel for each side were going over the pay roll. Throughout the morning Attorney General Kirkpatrick took up all sorts of technicalities and tried to corner witnesses on the least provocation. He would enquire about what work men were employed at, and what place, then would make remarks about loose book-keeping, which caused one of the witnesses to remark that if he (the attorney) had been present he probably would not have taken up so many technicalities.

A SOLDIER IN TEARS.

Colonel Danks Says a Methodist "Clique" Is Killing Him.

Pittsburgh Leader.
Rev. Colonel Danks says that the "clique" board that tried him last week was illegally constituted, and that he is being persecuted to death by his reverend brethren. He says the discipline of the church has been violated, and that he will lay the case open before the Bishop and his cabinet. He says his sentence is unauthorized and unwarranted according to the evidence produced. Colonel Danks was asked if he would leave the church in case his sentence was carried out.

"No, I love my church and will not leave it. My dear brethren," he continued, "have persecuted me until I am nearly dead. They have pursued me until death would be a release. There is a combination in the Pittsburgh Conference that is intent on crushing any man who doesn't dance when they whistle. I happen to be an independent creature. I won't dance for them, but I want to do right because it is right. Their persecution has nearly killed me and shattered my dear home. For twenty years I have been serving the church faithfully."

"I have received many letters of commendation and recommendation for my work, and now, in the last years of my life, I am assailed this way. It's enough to kill me. I am crushed. I am an old man, but I am a man of honor. I have served my God and my country as best I could in the past, and I am still determined to be true to God and purity in future. I have wronged no man, yet I am being killed for standing up for right, truth, justice, purity and for my God and my country."

Here Colonel Danks again gave way to his emotions and the tears rolled down his cheeks. Seeing that he was not much affected to talk further on the subject, the reporter arose and suggested gently to withdraw and leave the Colonel alone in his sorrow. As he was about to step out of the room, Mr. Danks caught his arm and in a whisper said: "I ought not to be killed in this way! I, who have faced death on twenty-five fields of battle for my country, and have served my God faithfully, I have no smoking but offend a clique that controls the Methodist Episcopal Conference of this district, and a clique that now seeks to crush me, to kill me. My God! this is hard to bear."

WORK FOR JOHNSTOWNERS.

Secretary Kremer Says the Work of the Strangers is Almost Finished—Supplies Still Ready to be Sent Here.

To the Citizens of Johnstown.

The work of the Flood Relief Commission in Johnstown is drawing to an end. The Commissary Departments, established first by the Relief Committees of Pittsburgh and other places, and continued by them; the depots for the distribution of clothing and household supplies, have all been closed, as it was best that with the distribution of goods and the opening of the stores of the people should accustom the people to their new conditions, and the avenues of trade should be fully opened. It was not felt that these depots should be closed because they had fully met the cause of their being—that there were no needy persons whose wants should be supplied. On the contrary, there are many, very many persons, who, either by reason of sickness, or even improvidence, will, notwithstanding the money assistance given them, be proper objects of an intelligent charity for some time to come.

To this time the work of caring for such persons has been largely in the hands of strangers. Under ordinary circumstances this might not have been best, but in this calamity, which left almost no household without cause for bitter grief, and when the time and thought of every one was given to their own necessities it seemed the only available plan. But the work of the strangers is almost finished and in a short time the care of the sick, the helpless, and the needy must fall upon you. It is well known that during these months help has been extended in many ways by you, but now you must assume the charge in its entirety. A strong local organization should be effected. If those organizations now in existence are on a sufficiently broad basis let them be consolidated and strengthened. In not, form a new body, with means of reaching to every part of this stricken valley, and of searching out and relieving the wants of those requiring help.

I offer this suggestion mainly for the reason that officially I know that supplies of stores, chiefly clothing, are now available in different parts of the country, and that other supplies will be available as soon as it becomes known that an approved committee, or association, of citizens of Johnstown, considers them necessary and will personally give their attention to the distribution.

J. B. KREMER.

Mr. James A. McMillen's eldest daughter has been seriously ill at the family's temporary abiding place, Conemaugh Lake, but is now rapidly recovering her health.