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It was a green Christmas.

The sick list continues to grow.

The world did not come to an end on Christmas, as was predicted.

BEAR well in mind, that the time is fast approaching when you must select men to fill your borough offices. Let them be men of brain and business principles, and all will go well with borough affairs.

CANADA, as well as this portion of Pennsylvania, had a green Christmas, the first in half a century. But the larger proportion of the northern United States had all the snow required to cover the earth and dissipate all fears in regard to the belief that a green Christmas makes a fat graveyard.

The New York Herald thinks it would be the part of wisdom in the Democrats next year to drop both Cleveland and Hill, and take a Western man. If Hill should be the nominee he would not be supported by the Cleveland men heartily, and if Cleveland is the nominee the Hill men would sulk in their tents and in either event it would be dangerous for the Democracy, so that a western man seems to be the only way out of the Democratic troubles. Who will he be?

It is surprising these days to see the number of people who go out of town to buy, and return laden with packages, so that they look like a veritable Santa Claus. They generally are the go-ahead (?) class. The kind who are always ready to improve (?) their town, and assist (?) in building it up. Why can't our people look clearly into this subject? We are sure they would be convinced that it is best to buy at home. We have known people to

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lose a half a day, pay car fare and then pay the home price for their goods when they bought out of town. And, why? All for vanity. That's all. So that they could say it came from Pottsville, Reading, Philadelphia or New York. Bah! Narrow-mindedness. Buy at home where you won't be stuck. Buy at home, where the money you spend will benefit you. Buy at home, we say. Buy at home.—The Call.

INGRATITUDE in children is becoming daily more apparent. Such was the case in the waywardness of Edwin M. Field, and the result is only too well known. Little are some children aware of the great debt they owe their parents. Nor of the labor, care, or sacrifices they have been compelled to shoulder in order to bring up their sons and daughters. How often, yes, far too often, do these children turn ingratitude and repay the "old man" and "old woman," as they are pleased to style them, with nothing but shame and sorrow, often causing them to die broken hearted. Boys and girls, treat the old folks kindly. Give them the cosiest seat by the hearth, and the first place at the table, and remember that however much you do, you cannot cancel the debt.

ONE can not always tell what is going to follow, by what has gone before, says the Philadelphia Bulletin. The year before the presidential election of 1888 the Democrats carried the state of New York by a majority of 17,000. The year before the presidential election of 1894 the head of the Republican state ticket carried the election by 18,000. The year before the presidential election of 1880 the contest on most of the state officers was so close that it required an official count to determine who had won. The Republican Lieutenant-Governor had a plurality of 250. The Republican Secretary of State had a plurality of 1,890. The Democratic candidate for Surveyor had a plurality of 12,000, and the Republican Attorney-General won by 4,000.

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BOROUGH ITEMS!

GLEANINGS BY THE LOCAL CORPS OF REPORTERS.

WHAT THE SCRIBES SEE AND HEAR

Rev. Powick Preached an Interesting and Appropriate Sermon on Christmas in the Methodist Church.

The sermons on Sunday in the Methodist Episcopal church were appropriate to the Christmas season. The account given of the wise men and the shepherds in Matt. 2:1-2 and Luke 2:8-14 furnished the theme of discourse. The story of the wise men or Magi, is an interesting instance of the knowledge of God which survived among the heathen. It is easily accounted for when we remember that for two thousand years the earth was of one family and tongue and upon their dispersion at Babel they bore with them the true knowledge of God which was the common possession of all. Balaam was a prophet of the true God though he lived in the far east from which the Magi came and he it was who uttered the prophecy: "I shall see Him but not now; I shall behold Him but not nigh; there shall come a Star out of Jacob and a scepter shall rise out of Israel." Daniel was a disciple of the master of the wise men of Babylon and doubtless he kept alive among them the expectation of the coming deliverer who had been foretold under the figure of the "Star" and by his prophecy gave a clue to the time of his appearance. Hence they were on the look out, and when the miraculous star appeared in the east they understood its meaning and followed its guidance. To the Jews the message was sent by angels. Doubtless because they were more familiar with angelic manifestations. And so God reveals himself to men and communicates with them according to their own capabilities of apprehending his revelation. In infinite condescension he suits himself to our capacities. Another lesson is, God is no respecter of persons though He is of character. In one case He selected the most influential and profoundly philosophical class, and in the other, humble shepherds to receive the first tidings of the new born King. God requires a receptive spirit, a love of the truth, meekness, docility in those he employs as his messengers. In the one case He found it in the professional religious teachers and sages, and in the other he did not. God has no need for human learning—nor ignorance, either. He has no respect for either wealth or poverty as such. The wise men worshipped Him—not her—and the shepherds proclaimed Him. Here we have side by side the contemplative and active elements of piety illustrated. They are equally useful. Another lesson is concerning the universality of the Gospel. The prophecy was fulfilled which said "the Gentiles shall come to thy light and kings to the brightness of thy rising." And the angelic visitants declared that the glad tidings of great joy should be to all people.

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Mrs. Scott-Siddons. The appearance of Mrs. Scott-Siddons at Ferguson's theatre on New Year's evening, should call out our theatre goers in force and especially the better class of them. The play to be presented is an adaptation from the French by Harry St. Maur, and is said to be full of powerful situations. It contains a good part for Mrs. Siddons, and also a good character-part which Mr. St. Maur will play himself. Mrs. Siddons' desire to return to the stage, which she used to adorn it, after a natural one. Much curiosity is evinced to see her in comedy-drama, as her efforts heretofore have been strictly in legitimate roles. The supporting company is said to be of the highest order, and the Australian papers speak of their efforts with warm approval.

Have used Dr. Bull's Congru Syrup and pronounce it the best medicine in use. A case of consumption he was cured by its use. We recommend it.
 Jeffrey, Roberts & Co., South Boston, Va.

The Phoenix Fair. All parties holding books for the Phoenix Fire Company's fair are requested to make their returns on the same to the fair committee not later than Tuesday, Dec. 29, 1891. All articles remaining in the hands of the committee will be disposed of to-night and Monday and Tuesday evenings. Get there early for the bargains. 12-20-91

Hurrah for the Holidays! Right now we are ready for business with an immense assortment of Christmas gifts in watches, jewelry, silverware, music books, gold and silver-headed cases umbrellas, etc., etc.
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PERSONAL.

"Sam" Cannon is seriously ill. B. J. Yost visited Lakeside to-day. M. J. Lawlor is on the convalescent list. Harry Bryant returned to Steelton to-day.

Henry Shuman, of Yatesville, has the grip. J. J. Dougherty spent to-day at Shamokin.

Mat Wheelihan has returned from California. Morris Steedle is suffering from an attack of grip. James Heaton and wife, of No. 4, have the grip.

Major J. P. Finney went to Shamokin this morning. Mrs. H. E. Bowman spent to-day in Mahanoy City.

W. W. Lewis, of Mahanoy City, was in town yesterday. George W. Hask and wife spent Christmas at Tremont.

John Pratt, of Philadelphia, is visiting relatives in town. Mrs. Barch, wife of Letter Carrier Barch, is seriously ill.

Arthur Gay, of Pottsville, spent Saturday and Sunday in town. Borough Auditor, Frank Rees, and one of his children are down with the grip.

Ed. McGinnis, driver of the local United States Express, is laid up with the grip. Art. Hollister came up from Philadelphia to spend the holidays with his parents, Solomon Stauffer, who resides at corner of Oak and Gilbert streets, is seriously ill.

Mr. Eberle, of the Electric Railway, spent Christmas and Sunday in Philadelphia. Frank Charles, of East Coal street, who was convalescing from the grip, has had a relapse.

Mr. and Mrs. Powles, of Orange, N. J., are visiting at Mrs. Powles' mother, Mrs. J. Grant.

Mrs. George W. Keiter, of Bloomsburg, is the guest of Mrs. John R. Jones, of North Garden street.

Chas. H. Rockwell, representing Mrs. Scott-Siddons, paid our sanctum a pleasant visit on Saturday.

N. W. Major, city editor of the Reading Times, has accepted a position on the Pottsville Miner's Journal.

R. A. Davenport is convalescing from a severe attack of the grip. His wife is very ill, having pneumonia.

George Wythes, well-known here and formerly a resident of Mahanoy City, died at Minersville last week.

The children of J. H. Roxby, of West Coal street, presented him with a life size crayon of himself on Christmas.

Frank McGowan, of Wilkes-Barre, who spent Christmas in town with his parents, left for the former place yesterday.

Rev. Wm. Povick was confined to the house with a severe cold but was able to conduct his usual services yesterday.

John Linton, proprietor of the shoe store on West Centre street, this borough, died at his residence in Mahanoy City last week.

W. Klyns Herbert, M. B., of Hazleton, was among the musical men who spent Christmas in town and went home Saturday.

Clifton Robbins and James O'Hara, students at one of the Philadelphia Medical colleges, are spending their holiday vacation in town.

Miss Ellen Heaton, of No. 4, Ellice O'Hara and Gertie Hess, and John Kern and Bert Hooks, of town, came home from Bloomsburg Normal school to spend the holidays.

D. O. Thomas and wife, of Pittston, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. Thomas' mother. To-day he left for Perth Amboy, N. J., where he will be located hereafter.

Strength and Health. If you are not feeling strong and healthy, try Electric Bitters. If "La Grippe" has left you weak and weary, use Electric Bitters. This remedy acts directly on Liver, Stomach and Kidneys, gently aiding those organs to perform their functions. If you are afflicted with Sick Headache, you will find speedy and permanent relief by taking Electric Bitters. One trial will convince you that this is the remedy you need. Large bottles only 50c. at C. H. Hagenbuch's Drug Store.

Installation of Officers. General Order No. 16 assigns the following comrades of the Grand Army of the Republic, of this department, to install the officers elect for 1892: Clay Egan, of No. 47, to install No. 17; S. A. Leach, 39, to install 24; L. R. Keefer, 29, to install 20; P. D. Helms, 25, to install 29; R. K. Loran, 17, to install 47; George F. Abbott, 14, to install 146. The installation of officers will take place the first meeting night of January. The Department Commander recommends public installations wherever practical, as they have always proved beneficial.

Dolls! Dolls! Dolls! Largest and best assortment in town. Kid body and dressed dolls 25 cents. Toys of all descriptions. All the latest games, puzzles, picture and story books. Bisque figures, chinaware, etc. Handsome plush presents for Christmas. At Mellet's, 22 East Centre street.
 Van Houten's Cocoa—"Best and goes farthest." 12-28-1w.

STILL IN DOUBT!

RESULT OF THE CHRISTMAS STABBING YET UNCERTAIN.

NO BAIL CAN BE ACCEPTED.

What at First Appeared to be an Ordinary Street Brawl, May be a Murder—Five Arrests. In Jail.

Shortly after midnight on Christmas a crowd of Hungarians became involved in a heated discussion in one of the Hungarian saloons of town. Blows were struck and the crowd dispersed. Some time after, at Charles Valanus, who had been in the crowd, was on his way home down West Lloyd street, he was attacked by five Hungarians with names that would absorb all the letters in a well-filled case. The attack was a fierce and bloody one. Valanus was punched, kicked, beaten with a pick handle and cut with knives about the head and shoulders. His assailants made their escape, but were soon gathered in by Policemen Davis and Connors, Acting-Chief Hopkins and special Alex. Valanus presented a sorry spectacle and was sent to his home for medical treatment. His injuries were pronounced serious and his assailants were committed to the lockup without bail. Saturday afternoon the attending physician said the victim was in a critical condition and "Squire Williams thought it would be unwise to accept bail. On this decision the five prisoners were taken to the Pottsville jail. This morning Valanus was still in a very bad condition and the accused men are still in jail.

A BIG WRECK

On the Lehigh Valley Railroad at Centralia.

At about 12 o'clock last night a freight train on the Lehigh Valley Railroad was wrecked at Centralia. The train was east-bound and consisted of thirty-one loaded cars, with an engine in front and one behind. When near Centralia a coupling chain of one of the rear cars broke. The rear engineer stopped, while the other pulled up the grade to the water tank. While there another coupling chain broke and a string of cars dashed down the grade from the forward engine into the rear section of the train. Some cars were totally wrecked and their contents heaped on and along side of the tracks, while other cars were thrown end upwards and on top of each other. The railroad officials are reticent and say they can give no idea of the loss by reason of the accident, but it is said to be the worst mishap that has ever occurred to a Lehigh freight train. No one was injured.

The High Constable Dead.

James Stanton, the High Constable of the borough, died yesterday morning, in his 48th year. He had suffered for years from miners' asthma and about a week ago became a victim of the grip. He left a wife and eight children, the oldest child being 52 and the youngest 5. The funeral will take place at 9 a. m. on Wednesday. The deceased was a member of the Amunelation T. A. B. Society and the Phoenix Fire Company.

A Little Girl's Experience in a Lighthouse.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Treseott are keepers of the Gov. Lighthouse at Sand Beach, Mich., and are blessed with a daughter, four years old. Last April she was taken down with measles, followed with a dread ailment and turning into a Fever. Doctors at home and at Detroit treated her, but in vain, she grew worse rapidly, until she was a mere "handful of bones."—Then she tried Dr. King's New Discovery and after the use of two and a half bottles, was completely cured. They say Dr. King's New Discovery is worth its weight in gold, yet you may get a trial bottle free at C. H. Hagenbuch's drug store.

A Success.

The entertainment given in Ferguson's theatre on Saturday night, for the benefit of Adam Mori, was a grand success. The only complaint was that "the show was not long enough." Maddon and Lowery made a great hit with their specialties and all others who took part in the entertainment were quite successful. They were P. J. O'Neil, Edward Tobin, P. J. Gallagher, Welsh & Mulligan and H. C. Waters. Thomas Brennan and Wm. Gibson gave a lively boxing exhibition. A nice sum was netted for the beneficiary.

The Old Man Talks Again.

EDWIN HERRARD.—At the end of the present year is near at hand I have concluded to review the condition of matters in general. My spirits are depressed by the thought that I have labored in the mines for half a century for naught. The mandate of Christianity is "the laborer is worthy of his hire." The fulfillment of it is displayed in a larger and brighter civilization. "Labor well paid," says "Vindicator" in his treatise on labor, "is the corner-stone upon which stands the temple of progress." I feel that one part of the mandate has been sadly neglected, especially that part that applies to "hire." I have toiled early and late from childhood and the pittance I have received in return for my labor reminds me forcibly of the trade dollar—a big promise with a taint in God for the balance. The fulfillment of the mandate, I am inclined to believe, is like the millennium—a long way off. During the last two years skilled labor has suffered a terrible set-back. There was a period when the laborer was the pride and boast of the nation. Comparatively speaking, he must now take a seat in the baggage car, his opponent—cheap labor—has put a sprag in the wheels of the palace car of American industries. The greed of unprincipled parties to accumulate in a few years colossal fortunes has been a curse to the hardy sons of toil. Ignorance and cheap labor are the greatest obstacles to success. The great statesman, Clay, once said: "The manufacturers of this country need protective tariff." I am of the opinion that the labor of every American should be protected by honest legislation, but alas! the mode of doing of late years has not come up to expectation. Many years ago "Vindicator" was of the opinion that "the gates of immigration should be shut flat." I agree with this great advocate of American labor to some extent, but I would not go quite so far. I do not think it would be advisable to exclude from our shores any honest laboring man who believes in performing an honest day's work for honest pay, for those who make common cause with us are of us, and are entitled to the same privileges, on the condition that having immigrated to America they shall become American in all senses of the term. Let him worship his God according to the dictates of his conscience but, by all means, be an American. He may labor for whom he pleases, but let him be an American. Let him reside in any state of the Union, but let him act as an American resident. But, on the other hand, he who comes to our shores and seeks to enforce upon us the customs and usages of other lands does not, by any means, endeavor to elevate himself to the high standard of an American citizen. I wish all my fellow workmen and the HERALD a MERRY Christmas and a prosperous and happy New Year.

OLD MINER.
 Shenandoah, Pa., Dec. 24, 1891.

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"The Latest Fad."

"The Latest Fad" is the name of the latest farce comedy which will appear in Ferguson's theatre to-morrow evening. According to the press it has won favor wherever the company appeared to far. The company is a strong one, each member being a star.

Watch Meeting. A watch meeting will be held at the Methodist Episcopal church on Thursday night, commencing at ten o'clock. This will take the place of the usual prayer meeting.

A Grand Ball. The Rescue Hook and Ladder Company will hold a grand ball on December 31st, 1891, in Robbins' opera house. Wait for it. 11-30-1aw

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