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EVENING HERALD
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 1896.

ANOTHER JAPANESE HORROR.
A Great Earthquake Results in the Total
Destruction of a Town.

YOKOHAMA, Sept. 3.—Much alarm is felt here over a manager report of a great earthquake which occurred in the north-east province of the main island of Japan on Monday evening. The town of Rokugo has been entirely destroyed and several other towns severely damaged. Many persons are reported to have been killed by the earthquake and a still larger number injured, while a multitude have suffered severe losses by damage to property.

The provinces visited by the earthquake are the same as those devastated by the terrible earthquake and tidal wave of June 15 last, when a large number of towns were wiped out and the estimated loss of life was 30,000. The provinces of Kikuzen and Rikuchu, along the coast from the island of Kinkasan northward, were the principal sufferers then. The recollection of the havoc to human life wrought by that convulsion causes grave anxiety as to what further reports may show of the results of Monday's earthquake.

On the same day a typhoon caused extensive damage in southern Japan.

Cuban Insurgents Destroy a Town.
HAVANA, Sept. 3.—A dispatch received here from Matanzas says that the town of Bolondron, in that province, was attacked at night by insurgents under Dominguez, Inglesio, Dantin and Valdes. The enemy destroyed the place almost completely, plundering and burning the stores, thirty-two houses and nineteen huts and killing two ladies and a Chinaman. After occupying Bolondron for four hours the insurgents retreated, leaving two men killed behind them. Three of the garrison were wounded in defending the town.

The Laurada Runs Aground.
KINGSTON, Jamaica, Sept. 3.—The steamship Laurada, which has figured in several Cuban filibustering expeditions, is aground at Port Antonio. She was going into Port Antonio to land, and met an outgoing steamer in the narrow channel. The Laurada's steering gear was defective, and in an effort to avoid a collision she went aground. The grounding was purely the result of an accident, and the extent of the damage has not been ascertained.

Starting in Ontonagon.
CALUMET, Mich., Sept. 3.—So distressing became the condition of the fire snuff-works in Ontonagon that they have nearly attained a condition of barbarism. The mines contributed is away below the defunct, and the strong and able bodied vote for the weak and take the state for removal of themselves, leaving the weaker Schuykill and Governor Rich will send troops to feed.

British Battleship.
NEW YORK, Sept. 3.—The new armored battleship of the British navy was successfully launched yesterday at Portsmouth. She is named the *Formidable* and is the largest vessel ever built in the world. Her displacement is 14,000 tons. Her main armament consists of ten 12-inch guns, and she will carry sixteen guns of various types and calibres.

Russian Fleet for Turkey.
ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 3.—The turret battleships Navarin and Imperator Alexander II, the torpedo cruiser Peadnix and two torpedo boat destroyers, all belonging to the Russian Cronstadt squadron, are on their way to the Mediterranean.

Colliery Notes.
The Shenandoah City washery was compelled to shut down this afternoon by a break in the machinery.
The Plank Ridge washery was idle yesterday due to the shaker breaking.

They Elect Officers.
The Lithuanian, Polish and Slavonian Club met last evening and selected the following as First, Second and Third Presidents: Joseph A. Anderson, Anthony Wlosky and Joseph Yodisky. The next meeting will be held on Monday evening.

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FIFTY POINTS.

Happenings Throughout the Region Chronicled for Hasty Perusal.
Yesterday was the last day for registration. There are 2,995 children attending school at Pottsville this year—a gain of about 200.
The Union Coal Company at Mt. Carmel is working full time.
An old-fashioned camp fire will be held at Shepton on the 18th inst.
L. J. Wilkinson has had laid a new stone pavement in front of his large dry goods emporium.
The bore hole at the Ashland reservoir is in 893 feet, and there is no increase in the small flow of water.
Prothonotary Deegan has paid his assessment to the county chairman—the first of the candidates to "whack up."
M. A. Koller, of town, has sold his creamery and will remove to Reading where he will engage in the coal business.
John Bush, of Mahanoy City, rode his bicycle from Harrison, New Jersey, to his home, a distance of 212 miles, in 28 hours actual riding.
The Hazleton Sentinel is advocating the erection of a crematory for incinerating garbage. The cost of construction is estimated at from \$5,000 to \$7,000.
Invitations have been sent out announcing the marriage of Mr. Edward Pugh and Miss Clara Kinable, which will take place at the home of the brides' parents at Lakeside, on September 16.

PERSONAL.
Rev. W. J. Morrison, of New York, is the guest of his parents on East Centre Street.
Mrs. W. L. Smith and daughter, Margaret, of Philadelphia, who were the guests of Mrs. Tompsett, returned to their home this morning.
Harry Mayberry returned to town last evening from Clinton, Mass., where he attended the funeral of his sister.
Miss Annie Lawson was the guest of Miss Annie Hopkins, of St. Clair, yesterday.
Mrs. Anthony Schmiecker spent today at the county seat with friends.
John E. Doyle, of Forrestville, Cass township, was a visitor to town today.
Tenny Glover, of South Jardin street, left this morning on a vacation trip to Buffalo and Niagara Falls.
J. T. Lawson spent the day in Mahanoy City.
Mr. O'Connor, of New York, is the guest of town acquaintances.
M. F. Conry, Esq., was transacting business in Scranton today.
Miss Ida Graeber, left for Shamokin today to visit relatives.
Mrs. Kolbach, of Shamokin, is visiting the family of Jacob Noll, on North Main street.
Mrs. R. C. Smith and Mrs. L. Parker are spending the day at Pottsville.
Christ. Foltz, the barber, has returned from a trip to Bluefield, West Virginia.
Fresh Pies and Cream Puffs daily at Scheider's Vienna bakery, 29 E. Centre street.

MAHANOY CITY MELANGE.
MAHANOY CITY, Sept. 3.—The first brick of the Main street paving was laid today by James McGinty, the hotelkeeper, without formal ceremony.
The coroner's jury decided that Anthony Karaitis, who was killed at the Mahanoy City colliery on Tuesday night, met an accidental death.
The remains of Hugh Toland were brought here from Morea this morning for interment.
The Park Place explosion inquest was postponed until this evening, on account of the inability of Mine Inspector Stein to attend.
Peter Fresco was arrested at Pottsville yesterday and brought here on a charge of failing to support his wife and children. He completed a term on a similar charge last May. Fresco says he can't get work.

The Davis Funeral.
The funeral of John G. Davis took place this morning from the family residence, on South West street, and was attended by a large number of relatives and friends and members of Shenandoah Lodge No. 511, F. & A. M., and Shenandoah Lodge No. 501, I. O. O. F., both of which the deceased was a member. Rev. Alfred Hechner, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church, officiated at the service. The cortege proceeded via the 11:45 a. m. Pennsylvania railroad train to Minersville, where interment was made. Among the relatives in attendance were Eben Davis, of Pittsburg, and Mrs. Main-waring, of Pittston, brother and sister of the deceased; Arthur Jones and mother, of Freeland; Mr. and Mrs. William Trozies, of Frackville; Mrs. George Wadlinger, of Pottsville; Mr. and Mrs. John Davis, of Girardville; The pall bearers were Messrs. R. W. Stout, William Krick, E. A. Glover, Wolf Levine, F. J. Fortz and Frederick Reese.

A Big Breaker.
A short time ago the HERALD noted the report that a mammoth breaker would soon be built near Mt. Carmel. It is now an assured fact that H. J. Brennan, of Carbon-dale, and M. W. O'Boyle and J. H. Foy, of Pittston, will form a company for the purpose of erecting an immense breaker near Green Ridge, with a capacity of six hundred tons. Five hundred men will be employed. It is expected that work on the new breaker will begin within ten days.

Married at Hazleton.
Yesterday Rev. C. A. Spalding, at Hazleton, united in marriage Miss Maud Fay, of that city, and T. R. Bescherman, who conducts a laundry at Shamokin. The couple will reside in the latter town. The bride is well known here, and is a sister of C. L. Fay, who formerly conducted a steam laundry in Shenandoah.

A Competent Caterer.
Joseph Smith, of the Kendrick House cafe, was the caterer at the Mullaney-Czyzewski wedding yesterday, and those present speak in high terms of his ability in that direction. Joe has been the recipient of many compliments.

Marriage Licenses.
J. L. Keefer and Rosa Swender, both of New Ringgold.
Thos. Veskiński and Ursula Kiszcina, both of Shenandoah.
When you want good roofing, plumbing gas fitting, or general tinkering done call on E. F. Gallagher 15 West Centre street Dealer in stoves 1-1f

Died at the Almshouse.
Mary Patras, a Lithuanian, of town, aged 25 years and unmarried, died at the Schuykill Haven almshouse yesterday. The remains were brought to town today and interred in the Lithuanian cemetery.

Extending Sewerage.
The properties on South Plum alley, between Centre and Oak streets, are being connected with one of the Centre street sewerage systems.

Broke Her Arm.
Mrs. Catherine Fahy, of East Centre street, while descending a step to purchase some truck from a farmer, fell and fractured her arm above the wrist. The fracture was reduced by Dr. G. M. Hamilton.

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EARL LI IN BROOKLYN.

The Eminent Chinaman Formerly Received at the Navy Yard.
New York, Sept. 3.—Li Hung Chang submitted himself to interviewers yesterday. He expressed delight with the United States, but declared the Chinese exclusion act to be most unfair. After the interview Li Hung Chang and suite went over the big bridge this morning, and the reception by the authorities was cordial and marked by the customary honors. The distinguished statesman was shown through the Brooklyn buildings, and then exhibitions were given of the operations of the police and fire departments. Li Hung Chang took lively interest in almost everything, and asked many questions. He also occasionally instituted comparisons with what he had seen in Europe, and his deductions were generally apt, although some of them were manifestly wrong.

When the viceroys reached the Brooklyn end of the bridge fully 10,000 persons were there to welcome him. Mayor Warster was introduced by General Ruger, and he entered the viceroys' carriage.
The party proceeded to the navy yard, where a salute of nineteen guns was given. The government works there were examined and the party drove through the city to Prospect Park. After a delightful ride through it the Union League club house was visited. Governor Morton and others were there to welcome him, and a brief reception, with short speeches by the mayor and the viceroys, was held. A luncheon followed, after which the viceroys and party took carriages and returned to the Waldorf. Large crowds lined the streets of Brooklyn through which the trip lay, and they cheered the viceroys heartily.

Speaking of the Chinese exclusion act, the Viceroy condemned the act in strong terms. He said:
"You are a most inventive people, and have in use more inventions than any other nation. Your people follow manufacturing, agriculture and commerce, and in that you have the advantage of England, for she is wholly dependent upon her manufacturing industries."
"You make machinery better than any of the other nations, but unfortunately, it is dearer. Why? Because you exclude cheap labor. Our Chinese laborers could live more frugally than the Irish. The Irish dislike the Chinamen because the Chinamen have higher qualities than the Irish."
This afternoon Earl Li left for Philadelphia.

Runaway.
While the driver of John Robbins' delivery team was transacting business in the freight office at the Pennsylvania station this morning, the horses suddenly became frightened and ran away. When the runaway team reached the corner of Main and Centre streets, Constable Bolin jumped on the back of the wagon, seized the reins and brought them to a standstill at Lloyd street. No damage was done to the team.

Orange Blossoms.
Miss Mary B. Johnson and Nelson D. Davis, of town, were married yesterday at Gilberton by Rev. Zweig, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church of that place.
It is announced that Martin Cassidy and Miss Amy Smith, of town, were united in marriage last February.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25 cents.

Deeds Recorded.
Treasurer to County Commissioners, lot in Palo Alto, sold as property of Peter Gillespie, and from County Commissioners to Catharine Lyons, same lot.
Citizens' B. & L. Association to Daniel Shepp, lot in Tamagus.
Daniel Shepp to Edward Sweeney, two lots in Tamagus.
Timothy O'Mahoney to Columbia Brewing Company, lot in Shenandoah.
Thos. J. Davis et ux, to Stephen Popovich, part of lot in St. Clair.

One Thousand Dollars Offered.
Thompson's Diphtheria Cure Co., offers \$1,000 for use of the Williamsport, Pa., hospital for first case of diphtheria which its medicine does not cure. Conditions are that patient must be alive, and not on the verge of death by the use of anti-toxine or some other so-called remedy; the company must be notified when its medicine is begun to be used so that a representative can be present and see that the instructions are strictly carried out. Any registered physician is invited to apply the medicine according to directions and see for himself. Sold at Kirkin's drug store at 50 cents a bottle.

At Maysville.
A trolley party of young ladies left town this morning to spend the day at Maysville park. Among those in the party were: Misses Lottie and Katie Burkhardt, Miriam and Daisy Hess, Maude Kline, Annie Claran, Hattie Jones, Jennie Beddall, Marie Reed, Miss McDowell, of Philadelphia, and G. H. Goodman. They were joined by another party at Ashland.

Manager McClure's Guests.
An invitation has been extended to the members of the Mahanoy Valley Press Club, by Manager F. A. McClure, to become the latter's guests at that popular resort, Lakeside Park, at any time that will suit the convenience of the pencil pushers. The same invitation is extended to the Schuykill Pen and Pencil Club. The date selected will probably be the latter part of this month.

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Commitments.

Squire Phillips, of Frackville, committed Edward Copeland, charged with incontinuity, on oath of Charles Copeland.
Joe Ulrich was committed by Squire Johnson, of Girardville, charged with vagrancy and making threats to burn buildings, on oath of Fred Drumm.

The Herks County Fair.
Herks county has always been noted for its large and highly successful agricultural exhibitions. The 41st annual exhibition, to be held in the city of Reading, on the 15th, 16th, 17th and 18th of September, judging by the preparations in progress, will equal all previous efforts in that direction. Many special attractions have been provided.



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NATURALIZATION.
In addition to the days fixed by the rule of court, relating to naturalization papers, Monday, September 23, at 2 a. m., is now hereby specially designated for hearing naturalization applications.
By the court, J. R. DEEGAN, Prothonotary.

MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR SALE.—The best milk route in town, with or without the creamery, including engine, boiler, separator, churn, ice cream machine, refrigerator, horse, wagon and harness. Must be sold at once. Good reasons for selling. Apply at 331 West Centre street.

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FOR SALE.—A second-hand square piano. Apply at Williams & Son, Furniture and music store.

IMPORTANT NOTICE.—The fences, ditches, pavilion and stands at Columbia Park are open only to such advertisers who pay for space and all others will be considered trespassers, whether the signs be painted, or nailed, or hung upon the fence. Map of the park can be seen at the Columbia Horse house. Terms for space may be secured from
ALFRED EVANS,
THOMAS J. WILLIAMS,
THOMAS BELLIS,
Committee.

\$25 REWARD.—A reward of \$25 will be paid to the person giving information that will lead to the arrest and conviction of the thief who stole a black mare and buggy from the undersigned at Currenttown, near Mt. Carmel, on Saturday evening, August 29, 1896, between the hours of 10 and 11 o'clock. The mare weighs about 1,100 pounds and her foretop is clipped short; a square box buggy and new harness. AMOS BROWN, Natalie, Northumberland county, Pa.

ESTATE OF LUDWIG ZIMMERMAN, DECEASED.—Letters testamentary on the estate of Ludwig Zimmerman, late of Union township, Schuylkill county, Pennsylvania, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands, will make known the same without delay.
LUCIAN W. KREBS, Executor.

PROPOSALS.—Sealed proposals will be received by the undersigned committee for the erection of a three-story brick building, on North White street, Shenandoah, Pa. Plans and specifications can be seen at No. 4 South Jardin street, Shenandoah, Pa. All bids must be in the hands of the chairman of the undersigned committee, by 12 o'clock, noon, on Monday, September 7th, 1896. The committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids.
T. T. WILLIAMS, Chairman.

PROPOSALS.—Sealed proposals will be received by the undersigned secretary of committee, up to Monday, September 7th, 1896, at 6:00 o'clock p. m., for the erection of a church building, at the northwest corner of Oak and West streets, Shenandoah, Pa. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of Dr. C. M. Bordner, 34 East Oak street. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.
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