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FARM of 100 acres, 20 cows and tools if desired. Easy drive to Honesdale. Call at this office for information. 81

FARM of 182 acres for sale. Good house, a barn that will accommodate 40 cows, 5 horses and 100 tons of hay. Farm well watered. New chicken house with cement floors for 40 chickens. Large silo. No better farm in Wayne county. Situated one-half mile from village. Inquire at THE CRITZER OFFICE.

## LOCAL NEWS.

—Our contract with HUMAN LIFE COMPANY expires on March 15, 1909—consequently if you wish to avail yourself of the opportunity of getting this magazine free by subscribing for THE CITIZEN, do so quick.

—Another case of small-pox at Prompton, the victim being Mrs. VanDusen, a sister of Miss Ida Baker.

—The Waymart and Lakeville correspondence were left over, they coming too late for this issue.

—Another "Black Hand" letter has been received in town,—to whom and from whom will soon be known.

—Hon. Charles A. McCarty left town on Monday morning for Scranton, to argue a case before the Superior Court, now in session in that city.

—At the Lyric on Monday, Tuesday, Friday and Saturday afternoons and evenings of next week, a high class bill will be presented to the patrons of that popular playhouse, consisting of a series of new and up-to-date moving pictures, illustrated songs by Miss Florence Reiner, Mr. Henry Bobker refined character comedian, Misses Marion & Thompson female musicians and Refo Omar—the whirlwind dancer.

All of the above pictures and acts have been seen by the manager of the Lyric, and he is therefore placed in a position whereby he can guarantee the program to be one of merit and refinement.

Pictures will change daily and the low prices of 10 cents for the Balcony and 20 cents for the Main Floor will be maintained for all performances. The afternoon performance will start at 2.30 and in the evening a continuous performance will take place from 7.30 to 10.30.

—We have received a sample copy of the Seattle Sunday Times, published at Seattle, Washington, on Sunday, Feb. 14, 1909. It contained 188 pages and weighed about 5 pounds. It was the seventh anniversary number and also an exposition number, in which the beautiful buildings of the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition were pictured and described. The paper itself was a magnificent specimen of the printer's art, and its immensity was in keeping with the Western style of doing things on a big scale, as well as doing them thoroughly.

—The collections for foreign missions, in the Presbyterian church, February 14th, amounted to \$425. A few days ago the same congregation made up an assessment of \$167, due on last year's contribution, making a total of \$592.

—From "Afternoon Echoes" in last Friday's Scranton Truth:

Yesterday's Philadelphia Record contained the following pleasant notice of one of the best known men in Pennsylvania: "Homer Greene, of Honesdale, Wayne county's lawyer, poet and novelist, is a visitor in the city. Mr. Greene has immortalized some of the beauty spots of Wayne county in his readable literary productions. Literature, however, is the diversion of his leisure hours, as he devotes the most of his time to his law practice and the management of financial institutions in which he is interested." Readers of Mr. Greene's stories regret that the law and his business interests have been making such heavy demands upon his attention lately as to leave him but little time for authorship. Should leisure assert itself once more in his affairs no pen would be more welcome than his in the field of romance for which he is so generously endowed.

—Representative Leopold Fuertch introduced the following bills in the legislature on Wednesday:

One fixes the fees of constable for attendance on court and making returns thereto at \$2.50 per day instead of \$2.00 as at present. The bill also provides for a fifteen cent fee for serving notices of their election upon township and borough officers.

Mr. Fuertch also introduced a bill appropriating \$10,000 to the Wayne County hospital at Honesdale, and another making an appropriation of \$800 to the Samuel Meredith memorial association,

—The Rev. Edward R. Noble, of St. Stephen's church, Wilkes-Barre, will be the special Lenten preacher at Grace Episcopal church, on Friday evening, at 7.30.

—Christopher Bergman, clerk at O. M. Spettigue's hardware store, met with a painful accident on Wednesday. Mr. Bergman was whirling nails, when one entered his hand, cutting a deep gash.

—Rev. A. L. Whittaker will hold a special Lenten service in the White Mills Chapel, on Monday, March 1st, at 7 P. M.

—Charles H. Dorfinger has just returned from a trip to Cobolt, the great silver district of Canada. He states that it is a wonderful country, that it abounds in silver, and predicts a great future for it, as the amount of silver that is visible is of inestimable value.

—The seven weeks' gospel meetings at the Baptist church have given great encouragement to that society, and a goodly number have been added to the church. Services will be held this Friday evening, and baptism next Sunday evening.

—The newly organized Ladies' Musical Society will give its first concert in the Lyric Theatre, Easter week.

—C. L. Horton, who has charge of the Independent Telephone Co.'s interests in Honesdale and vicinity, has been promoted to a higher position with the same company, and will take up his new duties March 1st.

—In the March issue of the Base Ball Magazine, there is an article on "Base Ball as a Profession," by Christy Mathewson, and Matty is as good in the literary line as he is in the pitcher's box, and that's saying a whole lot.

—The usual Ash Wednesday meetings held in our churches, both day and evening, were well attended, and proved that our people are giving strict attention to the more serious things of life.

—T. Y. Boyd, of Boyd's Mills, has been appointed District Superintendent of the Consolidated Telephone Companies of Pennsylvania, with headquarters at Honesdale.

—The Choral Society held their weekly meeting at the Presbyterian Chapel, on Wednesday evening. The attendance was large, great interest was shown, and splendid results are anticipated from these drills.

—The following cases of scarlet fever have been reported to Health Officer Spencer: Henry Holla, of Texas No. 4, and Edward and Mamie Witt, of River street.

—Wm. B. Holmes led the Wednesday evening meeting at the Presbyterian Chapel, and gave not only an exposition of next Sunday's lesson, but some facts in relation to the workingmen's condition in Pittsburgh, especially in the iron mills, that need something more than Carnegie libraries to ameliorate it.

—Lenten services will be held in St. John's Lutheran church, in German, on Wednesdays, at 7:30 P. M., and in English Tuesdays, at 7:30 P. M. At the vesper, on Tuesday, the Pastor will catechise the confirmation class. Those wishing to be confirmed with the adult class are requested to especially attend the Tuesday services.

—Bishop David H. Moore, who is to preside over the coming session of Wyoming conference was missionary bishop of the Methodist Episcopal church in China during the Boxer troubles, and he witnessed the first naval engagement in the Russo-Japanese war. Bishop Moore began his work in Eastern Asia with the Boxer outbreak, and closed it among the exciting scenes of the war. He disembarked from the Russian transport Sungari one day, and the ship was destroyed the next. There was a great uncertainty as to his safety. He witnessed the great sea fight off Chemulpo with which the war began. Before returning to this country he was compelled to tell the story in five of the principal cities of Japan; here he has told it from Alaska to the gulf, and from ocean to ocean.

—Miss Lila A. Stewart who, several years ago directed a kermess in this place is now at San Francisco to direct a similar affair. From San Francisco she will go to Portland, Oregon, for a kermess in Easter week for the benefit of the Woman's Exchange and for the Open Air Sanitarium. Then Richmond, Va., will claim Miss Stewart later in the season for a benefit for the King's Daughters. The San Francisco Chronicle of Jan. 31st prints an interesting article concerning Miss Stewart's work, accompanied by an excellent photograph, which all of her friends who have seen it immediately recognize. Miss Stewart told the Chronicle something of her history as a director of kermesses, and many interesting facts are reproduced by that paper. She says she was led into the kermess business by an intense love for dancing, and further she continues: "The exhilaration of the work is delightful, and no matter how many times a dance is given, I am ready to go through it again. The boys and girls acquire the same sensation, and many of the dances are so rapid as to leave the dancer on ecstatic heights when finished."

—Oslek Tribe of Red Men observed Washington's birthday on Tuesday evening. A musical program was rendered by Edward Brown, Mrs. William Heft, Wm. Schloss, and Miss McCluster. The Kanes, of the Theatrum, gave a very clever musical sketch. Addresses were made by Hon. Wm. H. Dimmick and M. J. Hanlan, after which a banquet was served.

—"Meadow Brook Farm" which is W. F. Mann's new offering, is a play peculiarly and provincially of a new England type, and is bound to outlive many more pretentious dramas. It portrays truly the characters of the Yankee and it pictures scenes of culminating interest in a New England settlement, but this is merely a narrow view of the play, as it is one that contains intense interest which appears straight to the heart of a constituency than perhaps never saw New England. At the Lyric on the afternoon and evening of Friday, Feb. 26.

—Marriage licenses have been granted to James H. Gregory, of Beach Lake, and Kate E. Spry, of Dyberry; George E. Schardt and Mary E. Vogler, of Hawley; Luke M. Kelly, of Port Jarvis, and Mary Cain, of Hawley.

—John Moylan, who carried the mail from Fermoy to Waymart, for about ten years, but lately took up railroading, was seriously injured in Carbondale. He was trying to open an ash pan, when the wrench broke, throwing him off the engine. He laid between the tracks for about three hours, and when found he was in an unconscious condition.

—Company E will leave on the 4:30 P. M., D. & H. train on Monday, March 1st, for Washington. The local company has a very high rating in the regiment, and was one of the two companies selected from this part of the State to attend the inauguration.

—Rev. A. L. Whittaker, rector of Grace Church, will hold services in the Presbyterian church, Waymart, on Sunday next, at 3 P. M.

—The proceeds of the recent supper conducted by the members of St. John's Catholic congregation, amounted to \$217.

## PERSONAL.

—Miss Bessie Lawyer left for Scranton this morning, to be operated upon in Dr. Burns' hospital, for lameness.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Evans, of West street, spent Sunday with friends in Wilkes-Barre.

—Harold Romelmeier, of Carbondale, spent Monday with friends in town.

—Miss Mabel G. Secor spent Saturday and Sunday in Carbondale, and attended the card party at the Rectory, given by Mrs. W. C. Shaw and Mrs. Frank Orchard, on Saturday afternoon.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lent were visitors in Scranton, Saturday and Sunday.

—Joseph Rickert, of Brooklyn, N. Y., attended the funeral of his cousin, Robert Rickert, on Thursday.

—Miss Helen Swanson, the popular young pianist employed at the Family Theatre, was called to Philadelphia, on Monday morning, by the illness of her step-father.

—Charles Hambury, of Roxbury, N. Y., an officer of the Order of the Golden Seal, was in town recently, visiting the local lodge.

—Mrs. Coe Durland made a trip to Hawley, Thursday, to visit her children and grandchild, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Suydam and son.

—Hon. F. D. Councilman, proprietor of the famous Sizerly Magnetic Springs, was in town on Thursday.

—Miss Lillian C. Heydt, of Graham's Court, New York city, is the guest of Mrs. A. T. Searle, of North Main street.

—George Reichenbacher and family have moved into their recently purchased home on Irving Cliff Heights.

—Frank Schuerholz is confined to his home on Court street, by illness. Thomas Charlesworth has charge of Mr. Schuerholz's store during his absence.

—Miss Mary Ward has returned home from Wilkes-Barre, where she spent a few days with relatives.

—Edward Early, of Port Jarvis, was a business caller in town, on Thursday.

—Edward Kelly and daughter, Miss Eva, attended the funeral of a relative, in Pittston, on Thursday.

—Miss Daphne Williams has returned home, after a few days' visit in Carbondale.

—Winton Kreitner is spending a few days in Scranton.

—Samuel L. Gleason, of New York city, recently spent several days in town.

—Mrs. A. J. Rehbein left on Thursday for a visit with relatives in Philadelphia.

—Miss Anna West, of Scranton, attended the funeral of Robert Rickert, on Thursday.

—Mrs. Munson McDermott, of Scranton, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Berry, of River street.

## A New Departure at the Lyric.

Starting March 1st, the Lyric Theatre will be devoted to high-class moving pictures (to be known as the Lyric Animated Pictures) and vaudeville entertainments on afternoons and evenings (providing there are no legitimate bookings) on three or four days of each week. All pictures and acts must pass the inspection of the management of the theatre before they are permitted to appear before the public. This will be a positive guarantee against anything questionable taking place in this comfortable, popular playhouse. Performances during the first week, will take place on Monday, Tuesday, Friday and Saturday, March 1st, 2d, 5th and 6th.

## THE BANQUET.

### A Most Enjoyable Reunion of Wayne County People in New York.

The third annual banquet of the Wayne County Pennsylvania Society of New York city, given at the Hotel Manhattan on Tuesday evening, Feb. 23d, was attended by 73 members and guests, including Hon. J. C. Brdaall, Mayor-elect John Kubbach, B. F. Haines, Daniel C. Osborn, A. J. Rehbein, Henry Z. Russell, Harold Rowland, Gustave Smith, DuBois Weston and Thomas J. Ham, of Honesdale and Seelyville. Notwithstanding the very unfavorable condition of the weather, nearly everyone whose name appeared on the official list of members and guests were present, and at the reception in the spacious parlors of the hotel, the faces of 80 many former residents of Honesdale and vicinity gave the gathering a thoroughly homelike appearance, and one might easily have imagined himself at some public function in the Court House or The Lyric, rather than at a palatial hotel in the metropolis.

After an hour spent in hand-shakings, introductions and reminiscent talk, an excellent orchestra furnishing appropriate music the while, the banquet was announced, and proceeding to the main dining room the party were ushered to the nine tables arranged for their accommodation, all of which were profusely decorated with cutflowers, palms, and other potted plants. At the head were seated the toastmaster, Charles W. Hand, and the speakers, those listed being Rev. J. R. Atkinson, D. D., of Elizabeth, N. J., John W. Armour, Allen Hazen and Hon. J. B. Dimmick. The last named, however, found his duties as mayor of Scranton, during the final days of his administration, so pressing as to oblige him to send a letter of regret that he could not be present; which with other letters and telegrams of similar import were read by the chairman directly after grace had been said by Dr. Atkinson.

Following is the menu, to which it is needless to say ample justice was done:

—MENU—  
Oyster Cocktails  
Cream of Asparagus  
Celery Nuts Olives  
Planked Shad, Manhattan  
Cucumbers  
Filet Mignon Mescalini  
Kirsch Punch  
Roast Mallard Duck  
Hominy Jelly  
Chicory Salad  
Plombiere Gaienne  
Assorted Cakes  
Cheese Coffee  
Fruit

At the conclusion of the feast a flash light picture was taken of the participants, after which in a few well-chosen and happily expressed remarks, toastmaster C. W. Hand, president of the Association introduced Rev. Mr. Atkinson as the first speaker, his topic being "Let Us Fly." Upon this text the Rev. Dr. in most felicitous language, presented an argument in favor of an optimistic and enjoyable conception of life, and a cheerful acceptance of vicissitudes even including what are so generally regarded as its more somber shades. Incidentally he amusingly referred to his first visit to Honesdale, and in a glowing tribute to the attractive features of the place spoke of its charming women, including the one whom it was his good fortune to induce to share life with him.

He was followed by Allen Hazen, of New York city, one of the skilled engineers who accompanied President-elect Taft to the Canal Zone, for an inspection of the great public work now in progress there. Mr. Hazen told in plain, understandable language the story of the immense canal project, and gave the reasons for the conclusion reached by the expert committee that the lock system is not only superior to the sea level plan, but practically imperative, if the great ship waterway is ever to reach completion.

A sleight-of-hand diversion introduced at the close of Mr. Hazen's address, by A. J. Rehbein, proved to be very enjoyable, and fully justified his reputation as a mystifying prestidigitateur.

John W. Armour, a professional entertainer, followed with a pot-pourri of poetical recitations and anecdotes, which kept his audience in roars of laughter.

The concluding feature of the occasion was the introduction of a series of resolutions prepared by Messrs. Dr. R. H. Gibbons, Charles Schuller and George D. Prentiss, eulogistic of the late Dr. D. B. St. John Roosa, with expressions of sympathy for and condolence with his widow, which were unanimously adopted by a rising vote. Dr. Gibbons preceded the reading of the resolutions with a most entertaining account of his early struggles in his profession, paying incidental tributes to the Drs. Reed, Strong, Duinberre and others in Honesdale, Pittston and Scranton, leading up to his later association, professional and personal with Dr. Roosa.

The nominating committee of the Wayne County Pennsylvania Association was then announced, after which the president declared the annual meeting adjourned.

Not Dull and Broad.  
"It is hard to see the points of some of his jokes."  
"That is just because they are fine jokes."—Kansas City Times.

## The Cookbook.

Chickens with yellow skin and feet make the richest stews.  
When the icing of a cake is difficult to cut the knife should be dipped in hot water.

If five or six potatoes are added to the sponge the bread will keep moist much longer.

Eggs used for covering croquettes may be the whole eggs or the whites only, never yolks only.

In making a cake grease the tin with sweet lard rather than butter and sift a little dry flour over it.

Melted butter used for basting is used in proportion of one tablespoonful melted to one cupful of hot water. Always keep hot while using.

## Train and Track.

Railway fares in India are the lowest in the world.

The new Amur railway will involve the construction of a large viaduct 2,915 yards long over the river Amur. Southern Pacific surveyors are at work laying out lines for a seven mile tunnel through the crest of the Sierras to relieve the main overland line of the stiff grades.

When riding on a train count while holding your watch in your hand the clicks as the wheels pass from rail to rail. If you count 176 clicks per minute you are going sixty miles an hour, there being 176 rails to the mile.

## State Lines.

Idaho has more land open to settlement than any other state in the Union.

Illinois has projected a public highway to extend through the entire state, to be known as "Lincoln highway."

Louisiana's sulphur deposits have cut our importation 75 per cent in two years and built up a totally new export trade.

There was a decrease of 20,000 in the number of marriages in New York state during the past year under the new marriage license law.

## A. J. Coleman & Company

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Notes of the Geneva Railway Securities Company, due June 1st, 1910. These notes are a first lien on the property of the Geneva Water, Seneca Falls, and Cayuga Lake Traction Company, running from Geneva, N. Y. to Cayuga Lake, N. Y., and are secured by \$500,000 bonds and \$500,000 stock of that company.  
We are offering these notes subject to prior sale, at par and interest.

**5 Per Cent. 40 year First Mortgage Gold Bonds.**  
of the Sayre Electric Company, of Sayre, Pa., dated April 1st, 1907. The net earnings of this company for 1907 were over two and one-half times the interest on the present outstanding bonds and with the completion of improvements and extensions now under way it is conservatively estimated that after payment of interest on all outstanding bonds, there will be a surplus applicable to dividends, equal to about 20 per cent. on the preferred stock now outstanding.  
We offer these bonds, subject to prior sale at 94 and interest.

**6 Per Cent. Preferred Stock**  
of the Binghamton Light Heat & Power Co. of Binghamton, N. Y. The dividends called for on this stock have been paid regularly since its issue and a dividend of three per cent. is also being paid on the common stock of this company.  
The company's net earnings for 1907 were over 23 per cent. on the preferred stock.  
Price, subject to prior sale, 97 and accrued dividend.

We consider these the most attractive offerings within our knowledge on the market today, and we recommend them to you unreservedly.  
Send for descriptive circulars, maps etc. or upon request we will be glad to have our representative call upon you personally.  
Independent Phone, 191. Bell—27-D.

Lake Como.  
Feb. 22.—Charles Knapp returned from the west, Sunday with some horses. Mrs. F. M. Woodmansee was a business caller in Hancock, Monday.  
Mr. McGrath, of Duluth, Minn., is visiting relatives in town.  
Mrs. Charles Knapp was a caller in Hancock Monday.  
Miss Katharyn McGrath, of Walton, visited at her home, here, last week.

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TUESDAY	2nd	3:30
FRIDAY	5th	Evening 7:30 to 10:30
SATURDAY	6th	

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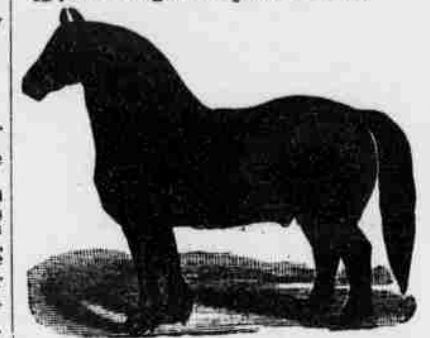
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