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FOR SALE—A heating stove, in good condition, suitable for office or house. Inquire of Mrs. H. Wilson, 307 Fifteenth street. 821f.

LOCAL MENTION.

We are sending out bills to our subscribers. Do not look upon them as duns. They are to remind you just how you stand on our books; if we are wrong, kindly let us know. If correct, we will thank you for a remittance as soon as convenient to you.

Election will be held on Tuesday, February 15th.

Primaries will be held Saturday evening, January 22, in most of the boroughs and townships.

Col. Wesley Andrews, Republican State Chairman, is seriously ill at Washington with bronchial pneumonia.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Baptist church will serve a Boston Tea on Tuesday, Jan. 25th, in the Chapel. First table at 5:30. Price of supper, 25 cents. The patronage of the public is solicited.

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—Rev. A. L. Whittaker will hold services in White Mills on Sunday at 3 p. m.

—The Amity Club entertained a number of friends at a progressive picnic and dance at their club rooms last evening.

—On Tuesday evening a sleighing party, composed of members of the German Lutheran church, attended a church supper of the Hawley Lutheran church.

—The Damascus Baptist church will give a chicken pie supper at the home of H. M. Page Tuesday night, Jan. 15. Welcome to all.

—The following advertised letters remain at the Honesdale postoffice: Mr. Oscar Frisch, Miss Rhoda McBride, and Master Neil Quigley.

—About thirty young people attended a party given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Carrol, on Terrace street, on Wednesday evening. Refreshments were served, and altogether a very enjoyable evening was spent by all present.

—On Wednesday afternoon Chas. Markle was chosen to represent the Honesdale High school in the Carbondale-Dunmore-Honesdale Literary Contest to deliver the declamation at Honesdale on Feb. 4th. Ray Dibble is to be the alternate.

—On Wednesday evening the last performance of the trained tiger took place at the Lyric Theatre. This attraction, which is one of the best of its kind, has drawn crowded houses during its entire engagement and Manager Dietrich is to be congratulated upon securing such a high class act. The tiger is certainly a beautiful animal.

—For the third time the House of Representatives passed a bill on Tuesday giving separate statehood to the territories of New Mexico and Arizona. The vote was taken amid applause. The absence of opposition to the measure was the most striking feature of the debate. The bill provides the limitations that are to prevail in the power of the states to legislate, restricting the sale of liquor among the Indians and providing methods for state organization.

—The Philathen society of the Baptist church were entertained by Misses Liddia Gregory and Georgeana Martin at the home of Dr. and Mrs. H. B. Searles, on Court street, Tuesday evening, January 18. Those present were: Mrs. D. B. Mantle, Mrs. William Clark, Mrs. Walter Kimble, Clara Dills, Blanche Secor, Bertha Pflume, Mabel Wannacott, Lillian Gregory, Lila Ridd, Nella Kimble, Nellie Cook and Lila Ridd. Refreshments were served at a reasonable hour, and all enjoyed a very pleasant evening. The next meeting of the society will be held February 1st at the home of Mrs. Walter Kimble, 1218 Dyberry Place. Don't forget your thimbles, girls.

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Miss Mary Higgins, teacher at the Bunnetsown school house, while entering the house of Mr. Mitchell, of the above place, Tuesday afternoon, was severely bitten by Mr. Mitchell's dog. Miss Higgins was taken to her home in Honesdale where she required medical attention and resumed her duties on Wednesday morning.

WAYNE COUNTY COURT NOTES

The case of Com. vs. Leona Lord, assault and battery, S. E. Lord, prosecutor, was taken up on Wednesday morning. S. E. Lord was the first witness called and testified that on Nov. 5th last while returning to his home in Equinunk he found that Mrs. Lord had dug a ditch to lay sewer pipes on his land, the length of the same intruding 2 1/2 feet upon Mr. Lord's property. Mrs. Lord was then sitting upon one of the pipes and prosecutor threw stones and broke two of the pipes. Mrs. Lord then went to her home and got two dipper of hot water and threw upon the person of S. E. Lord, afterward throwing a stone at him and hitting him in the eye, badly injuring it and impairing the sight of it for some time.

Mr. Lord's son William, was the next witness and said he was at the barn, about 100 feet away, and saw the trouble; he then started for the scene and corroborated his father's testimony.

Joe Warfield, who was digging the ditch on Mrs. Lord's premises, testified to the same upon entering the witness stand.

Mrs. Lord was the first witness to take the stand for the defense, and said that she was in her house and heard the smashing of pipes when she at once went out to defend her property and was struck and injured in several places by stones thrown by S. E. Lord. She said that the ditch did not extend more than one foot on S. E. Lord's property. After being hit by stones Mrs. Lord picked up a stone and hit Mr. Lord in the eye. She also testified that she threw two dipper's full of warm water at the prosecutor.

Millard Lord, a son of Mrs. Lord, a school teacher, living near Equinunk, testified that the distance from the place of trouble to S. E. Lord's barn was 263 feet and that Mr. Lord's son could not see nor hear any of the conversation between the prosecutor and defendant. The jury brought in a verdict in the afternoon of not guilty and each pay one-half the costs.

The verdict of the jury in the case of Com. vs. Frank Watterson, attempted rape and assault and battery, was not guilty of rape but guilty of assault and battery; defendant to pay the costs.

Mattie Cummings plead guilty to attempted rape on the person of Emma Williams. The case of Com. vs. E. C. Boss, embezzlement. Case came to an end by settlement on Tuesday afternoon. Upon motion of Attorney Simons not pros. was entered and the county to pay the costs.

Judge Little, of Montrose, is presiding in the courts the latter part of this week.

Leopard's Victim Dies.

New York, Jan. 17.—Pauline Russell, who a week ago was attacked and badly torn by one of a pair of leopards she was training at a city museum, died to-day.

THE PRESIDENT'S LAST MESSAGE BOILED DOWN.

The leasing for terms of sixty years of public land power sites, at reasonable rent and with equitable provision for renewal, to prevent the absorption of these lands by a power monopoly.

A \$30,000,000 bond issue to complete the reclamation projects now under construction in the west.

Validation of withdrawals made by secretary of the interior under "supervisory power."

The removal of timber from forest lands, not in the national forests, and the disposition of these lands as agricultural or mineral tracts.

A moderate appropriation for experimental reforestation at the hands of certain navigable streams.

An appropriation in the rivers and harbors bill for the improvement of the upper Mississippi, the Missouri and the Ohio rivers.

These recommendations are incorporated in bills the secretary of the interior has prepared, and these are at the disposition of Congress.

CORN, DAIRY, APPLE AND LIVE STOCK SHOW.

At the College of Veterinary Medicine, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, on February 2, 3 and 4, the joint meetings of the Pennsylvania Live Stock Breeders' Association, and the Pennsylvania Dairy Union will be held. Sixty-two cash prizes are offered for corn. The apple exhibit of the Pennsylvania Horticultural Association has been secured. The Pennsylvania Agricultural College will make a display and demonstration. There will be a big butter, cheese and milk show. A notable show of horses, both stallions and geldings, will be held. McLaughlin Bros., Columbus, Ohio, will furnish a select lot of Percheron and French Coach stallions, and Belgians. Clydesdales, Shires, Suffolks, Arabians, and Morgans will be shown. Cattle of leading beef and dairy breeds will be on hand. Everything is free to the public. For corn entry blanks apply to E. S. Bayard, Secretary, 203 Shady Avenue, E. E., Pittsburg, Pa.

GASOLINE CAR EXPERIMENTS. Erie Thinks New Service Will be Successful. The February number of the Erie's Employees' Monthly Magazine says: The experiments with gasoline motor cars which the Erie railroad has been conducting for more than two years bid fair to be successful. The management realized some time ago the need of a frequent and economical passenger service on branch lines where the traffic was not large enough to justify ordinary steam trains, though in volume it required a service of less expensive character and entered upon a research which took both time and money, and has in a measure solved the problem. Tests were made with cars driven by steam, electric and gasoline engine, but so far the gasoline car has shown that the best results in economy of operation and durability. Although the question must still be regarded as somewhat in the experimental stage, the experience thus far gained indicates that the gasoline motor will be the propelling power for districts where a frequent rather than a heavy service is necessary. The Erie has several branch lines and divisions where even ordinary passenger trains are unprofitable, but with a motor, efficient service can be given, making the necessary daily trips, thereby giving the public opportunities for journeys and at a lessened loss to the railroad. Gasoline motors are in use on the Bradford division between Salamanca, N. Y., and Bradford, Pa., and between Attica and Avon, N. Y., on the Rochester division. On the Bradford division the motor car is a handsome vehicle with baggage and smoking rooms besides a compartment for ladies. It is equipped with six-cylinder gasoline engine and is making punctual trips. Another on the Attica and Avon route is smaller, having no baggage compartment.

The Erie, having a year ago electrified its Rochester division between Mt. Morris and Rochester, has inaugurated the triple forces of steam, electricity and gasoline for motive power. Ladies' long winter coats at very low prices at Menner & Co.'s store.

IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE. A Cadonia Widow Captures a Giant by a Little Advertisement. A gentleman bachelor of Corning recently inserted an advertisement in the Elmira Telegram requesting all young widows who were in search for a congenial companion to write him. This advertisement took the eye of a certain young widow of our village and she wrote him. Well, by the way, letters flew thick and fast. Love messages were exchanged, which just made Uncle Sam hustle. The advertiser agreed to meet her at Hancock and came at the appointed time. He is six feet, three inches in his stocking feet, saw the widow, was well pleased, asked her to honor, love and obey him, and she said "yes," and now she has the promise of a future home in Corning, by just a little adv. in a newspaper. It pays to advertise.—Cadonia Cor. Roscoe-Rockland Review.

In Philadelphia. Hammerstein's new opera house is the civic pride. There are 181 doctors' signs in six blocks of Chestnut street. A row of black men washing a row of white marble doorsteps gives a fine effect in chiaroscuro.

There are not nearly so many skyscrapers as in Buffalo; except in a few buildings the elevators run only when you ring for them. The sidewalks are brick as New York's were a hundred years ago. There are still some open sewers in the middle of the streets. On wash-days they run full and visibly soapy. The Schuylkill water is always muddy. Part of the city now has a filtering system. The rest buys spring water.

There are almost no larger-beer saloons. There are no French and Italian restaurants. There are only a few hotels.

The many boat-houses in Fairmount Park along the Schuylkill are built solidly of stone.

Most of the dwellings are of red brick and nearly all small. Dr. Weir Mitchell in his new novel calls Philadelphia "The Red City."

A fair house in a fair quarter rents for \$25 a month.

Negro children attend all the public schools and the white people send theirs to private schools when they can raise the money.

A New Yorker can find more things different in Philadelphia than in Chicago or Denver.

The men average taller than in New York; there is less immigration of the small races.

Family and descent are taken seriously. Money will not buy social position—not at once.

LOCAL OPTION DEFEATED. Official Figures Show Defeat For the Drys in British Columbia.

Victoria, B. C., Jan. 20.—Official returns show that British Columbia refuses to accept the local option system of handling the liquor traffic.

The agreement was that in order to win local option must secure 50 per cent of the total poll for members of the legislature, which aggregated 47,972. The affirmative vote cast was 22,414.

MAKING DREAMS COME TRUE. One of the newest of railroad presidents is Joseph R. Parrott, chief executive of the Florida East Coast System. His election to this office marks the fulfillment of a cherished dream of his boyhood. It is a fascinating story, as told in the January Human Life, of typical American pluck and persistence in going after the thing we most desire—an Alger story from real life. The keenness and enterprise of the young man attracted the notice of Henry M. Flagler, and he was selected to carry out the far-reaching and ambitious plans of the great financier, who had noted his facility in making splendid dreams come true. The story of Aladdin is beaten to a frazzle by the work of Mr. Flagler and his tireless young lieutenant in transforming half a thousand miles of sandy waste in Florida into a garden of delight by the wonderful railway line that stretches boldly out into the islands of the sea, and by which, next February, it will be possible to go to Havana by rail. Closing out sale of Made-up Winter Goods at Menner & Co. during January to clean up before inventorying. 2e014

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF ERIE TRAINS. Trains leave at 8:25 a. m. and 2:48 p. m. Sundays at 2:48 p. m. Trains arrive at 1:40 and 8:08 p. m. Saturdays, arrives at 3:45 and leaves at 7:10. Sundays at 7:02 p. m. D. & H. CO. TIME TABLE---HONESDALE BRANCH

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