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WEDNESDAY, JUNE 7, 1911.

The man who is never fired never knows the joy of being hired.

Some men are measured by the Bertillon system and others become Senators.

Count that day lost whose setting sun finds no new Lorimer trial begun.

Some one says that some people are so lazy that instead of putting out the light they shut their eyes.

Vice President Sherman's experience yesterday proves that punctures like Death, are no respecters of persons.

Why is it that the kids who have just attained their majority always yell the loudest in "Auld Lang Syne"?

A negro must feel badly enough when lynched by a mob of white men, but imagine the feelings of the Mississippi negro who was lynched the other day by a mob of his own color.

There are lots of people who resemble horses—not because they have good horse sense but because they interfere.

"Different preachers have different ideas of hell. Ours is to be broke 10,000 miles from home. What's yours?"—Toledo Blade. To be broke right here at home, What's yours?—Philadelphia Inquirer. To be broke.

It now develops that most of those beautiful speeches in the Congressional Record which are punctuated most liberally with "great applause," "laughter and applause," etc., were never delivered at all.

The "close harmony" which as usual exists in the Democratic party is a second cousin to that exuded by a bunch of organ grinders singing the "Barber Shop Chord" on a rainy night.

We would hate to play poker with the man who, an investigating committee has discovered, is drawing four separate salaries from Uncle Sam's pocketbook. He'd probably draw a Royal Flush to a pair of trays.

Think of it! Twelve investigations of public departments are now being conducted by Congressional and Senatorial committees and four more will be started this week. No wonder President Taft called that extra session.

The new President of the Missouri Pacific Railroad says that it will be the policy of the road to please the people. And just then the alarm clock went off and he woke up to the real reason why railroads are in the business.

Senator La Follette of Wisconsin sure can use some language. He started off this beautiful month of June by calling Senator Heyburn of Idaho a "bombastic fallacy" and believe us, that's something too awful to call anyone, even if you are left out of the old man's will.

The failure out in Kansas City of the shoeshining parlor which put out a sign, "Pretty girls will shine your shoes here," is a very good indication that we have much better uses for pretty girls here in America than polishing number nines;—or else the girls were homely.

Strike one!—The Initiative!  
Strike Two!—The Referendum!  
Strike Three!—The Recall!  
Batter Out!!!

"Bob" Collier, the genial proprietor of Collier's Weekly, says he is greatly pleased at the \$500,000 libel suit brought by "Bill" Hearst, ditto of the New York Evening Journal. Bob says that a thousand dollars to spare will buy indirectly an editorial by "Art" Brisbane. "Bill" says it can't. And there you are.

Kansas has issued a call for 18,000 harvest hands. Think of it! Over twice the population of Honesdale and Texas township combined. And yet they talk of the "poor" farmer. Why, say, honestly, we'd rather own a farm than have a first mortgage on Clark's Fifth Avenue mansion.

We admire the unusual modesty with which a publishing house advertises a certain book as "perhaps the most interesting book of the year." Why the "perhaps?" Why not advertise it as "the most interesting book of the year," and let it go at that? We do not understand how this one word slipped in. Unless, perhaps,—pshaw, there, we've gone and used it too—they have a vague suspicion that it isn't, but want to give it the benefit of the doubt.

### MR. BRYAN, GOOD NIGHT.

At last, the Democratic party, long the political plaything of William Jennings Bryan, has kicked over the traces. The Democrats in the House of Representatives have turned down the Peerless Loser's demand for free raw wool and accepted the bill prepared by the Ways and Means Committee under the direction of the Hon. Oscar W. Underwood of Birmingham, Alabama, which fixes a duty of 20 per cent. on raw wool, as compared with the 44.31 per cent. imposed under the Payne-Adrich tariff law.

By a unanimous vote they have shown the Man Who Never Wins that he cannot dictate the Democratic policy in regard to the revision of the wool schedule.

Of course, the vote on the wool question, though important, is, nevertheless of minor consideration in comparison with the effect which this unanimous repudiation of Mr. Bryan will have on the Democrats throughout the country. Probably it is only the beginning of a serious break in the party and that the fight which will now ensue between the Democratic leaders of the House and the proprietor of the Commoner will be carried even into the Democratic National convention.

Probably it will also result in a split between Champ Clark and W. J. These things remain to be seen.

In the meanwhile let us rejoice that Mr. Bryan has been shown to a seat away back in the hall and, politely but firmly told to "sit down!"

### PERSONAL MENTION

Miss Marion Charlesworth left Wednesday on a visit to relatives in Green Ridge.

Mrs. George P. Rosa is visiting her sisters, Mesdames W. M. Norton and E. W. Lillie, Clinton.

Mr. and Mrs. Asa Kreitner, Emporium, are guests of Contractor and Mrs. Fred W. Kreitner.

Mrs. Silas McMullen is home from a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Dennis, Carbonate.

Rev. and Mrs. A. C. Oliver and niece, Mrs. Jessie Oliver Searles will leave the first of next week on a visit to relatives in Canada.

### THE GRADUATION CLASS.

The members of the Honesdale High school 1911 graduating class are:

Marie E. Bracey, Merton A. Canfield, Agnes R. Carr, Helen M. Caulfield, Dolla M. Cody, Dorothy R. Dein, Raymond E. Dibble, Anna I. Doherty, Leon C. Hagaman, Joseph Jacobs, Anna J. Kilroe, Bessie W. Kimble, Gertrude P. Krantz, Roy W. Leinbach, Charles L. Markie, Sarah W. Menner, Margaret E. Rickard, Henry A. Sanders, Ethel Amanda Schlessler, Wilhelmina E. Schoell, Florence M. Sluman, Mary J. Storms.

The class night is Thursday evening in the auditorium of the school. The play is entitled "Graduation Day at Wood Hill Academy."

The class dance will be held in the Lyric hall Friday evening.

The commencement exercises of the class of 1911 will be held in the High school auditorium, June 13, at 8:15 p. m. The program is as follows:

Music, Lyric orchestra; invocation, Rev. Will H. Hiller; music, orchestra; presentation of medals by representative of Wayne County Pennsylvania Society of New York City; music, "Bridal Chorus," High school chorus; salutatory, "American Heroes of Invention," Merton Canfield; essay, "Wayne's First County Seat," Dolla Cody; essay, "Heroines of American History," Anna Doherty; music, "Love's Old Sweet Song," High school chorus; essay, "Horace Greeley as a Lecturer," Florence Sluman; declamation, "Death of Robespierre," Joseph Jacobs; essay, "Pennsylvania in Education," Marie Bracey; music, "The Carnival," High school chorus; recitation, "Diary of a Mouse," Dorothy Dein; recitation, "How Girls Study," Minnie Schoell; oration, "Conservation of Our Forests," Ray Dibble; music, "Praise Ye the Father," High school chorus; essay, "A Trip to Maine," Julia Storms; essay, "The American School Girl," Ethel Schlessler; valedictory, "Origin of Commencement," Sarah Menner; presentation of diplomas, Prof. H. A. Oday; benediction.

\*Excused to take part in class night play.

### Rev. Miller Will Attend Synod.

The Rev. C. C. Miller leaves Sunday morning at the close of the chief service for Lancaster, where he will attend the 164th annual convention of the Evangelical Lutheran Ministerium of Pennsylvania and adjacent states. Mrs. Miller and son Franklin will accompany him as far as Allentown, where they will be the guests of her parents.

After the close of the synodical sessions, Rev. and Mrs. Miller and son will spend a week at Atlantic City, N. J., and a week in the Blue Mountains, beyond Pottsville. They will return to Honesdale about July 1. Services will be resumed in St. John's church, commencing July 2, at 10:30 a. m. and at 6 p. m., when a special service in honor of the anniversary of the Y. P. S. will be held.

Rev. Miller, who is Sunday school statistician for the Synod, will make the following report: Allentown Conference, 115 schools, 1687 officers and teachers, 13,525 scholars, 8,783 average attendance; Danville Conference, 46 schools, 652 officers and teachers, 4,572 scholars, 3,506 average attendance, 4,699 Cradle Roll, 2,731 home department; Lancaster Conference, 58 schools, 669 officers and teachers, 5,769 scholars, 3,498 average attendance; Norristown conference: 56 schools, 1,139 officers and teachers, 10,683 scholars, 4,973 average attendance; Philadelphia, English, 43 schools, 1,015 officers and teachers, 9,572 scholars, 6,209 average attendance. Philadelphia, German, 37 schools, 959 officers and teachers, 9,583 scholars, 5,971 average attendance; Pottsville Conference, 40 schools, 771 officers and teachers, 7,833 scholars, 5,157 average attendance; Reading conference, 87 schools, 932 officers and teachers, 12,813 scholars, 8,660 average attendance; Wilkes-Barre conference, 65 schools, 739 officers and teachers, 9,560 scholars, 4,637 average attendance.

Totals for nine conference: 547 schools, 8563 officers and teachers, 83,701 scholars, 61,309 average attendance, 4,167 scholars were confirmed during the year.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, SS:

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. L. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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### Death Of John Ort.

John Ort, the well-known Church street shoemaker, died at his home Monday afternoon at half-past three o'clock from the effects of a stroke of apoplexy, in the 64th year of his age. He was stricken Wednesday morning, and since then had been confined to his bed.

He was born October 27, 1847, in Hesse-Darmstadt, Germany, his parents being John and Elizabeth (Amshelm) Ort. At an early age he learned the trade of shoemaker, which he followed ever since. He served with distinction in the Franco-Prussian War of 1870-1871.

Later he emigrated to America, settling in Hawley. For more than a quarter of a century he resided in Honesdale, universally respected and beloved by all who knew him.

On June 2, 1883, he was married at Hawley to Miss Lizkie Meyer, who with four daughters and one son, viz: Mrs. Lawrence Barzog, Honesdale, Misses Lizkie, Annie, Susie, at home, and George, Honesdale, survive to mourn his death.

Funeral services will be held at St. Mary Magdalene's R. C. church, Thursday morning at 10 o'clock. Burial will be made in the German Catholic cemetery.

### THE WEATHER.

Total rainfall for the month measured on seven days, with traces eight other days is 3.10 inches, which is 1.05 inch less than May average of 3.15 inches for 42 years; from one-fifth inch in 1900 to 6.25 inches in 1894.

May Temperature—Highest each day was registered from 46 degrees on the third, to 93 degrees on the 22d; average 76.7 degrees; last year fifty degrees eleventh, to 83 degrees on the 24th; average 65.5 degrees. Highest in May for 45 years is from 76 degrees in 1882 and 1890; to 94 degrees on the 29, 1874. Lowest temperature ranged from 21 degrees fourth to 59 degrees first (four days 58); average 45.8 degrees. Last year 25 degrees sixth, to 61 degrees 25th; average 42.2 degrees. Lowest record in May is twenty degrees third, 1882; fourth, 1891, and 12, 1907. Daily range 14 degrees on the 17, to 48 degrees on the 5th; average 30.5 degrees—last year seven degrees on the 22d, to 41 degrees on the 16; average 25 degrees.

Coldest day third, mean 36 degrees, and warmest day 22d, mean 75.5 degrees. Daily mean for the month 61.3 degrees, is 8.2 degrees higher than last year, and 6.1 degrees above May average of 55.2 degrees for 45 years; from 47.5 degrees in 1907, to 64.1 degrees in 1880.

Fields and forests were green the eleventh, when first apple flowers began to open, two weeks later than last year; a few trees in full bloom on the 15, bright and beautiful only to 18th, and next day most of apple flowers were yellow and blasted. Forests were in full leaf on the 23, and 27 many spotted yellow apple leaves were falling.

### THEODORE DAY.

Dyberry, Pa., June 1, 1911.

### \$1,000,000 REFUND.

(Continued from Page One.)  
office, thus making available for use by the Department several millions of dollars that under the old order of things would be tied up in postoffices.

Under the former system it required a surplus of \$10,000,000 to finance the postal service. Under present conditions Mr. Hitchcock, it is said, returns the \$3,000,000 with the feeling that the postal revenues will be more than sufficient to defray the expenses of the postal service in the present year.

The Postmaster General is hopeful that if the surplus continues to grow in the next year it will be possible seriously to consider the proposition to establish 1 cent letter postage rates.

In the two years that the Post-office Department has wiped out a \$17,500,000 deficit 3,089 new postoffices have been established, delivery by letter carrier has been provided in 142 additional cities, 2,124 new rural routes have been authorized, aggregating 51,230 miles in length, and the force of postal employees has been increased by 8,274 men. In addition the salaries of the employees in the two years have been increased \$11,708,071.

The following came through the mail at night, probably because it was ashamed of itself. Anyway we print it hoping that it may keep some poor devil from occupying a prominent place on the "rubbish pile of Fate," the same being no nice place to be, although exempt from taxes.

### MUSINGS OF A WHISKY BOTTLE.

[More Truth Than Poetry.]  
Condemned am I by layman and priest,  
Beloved am I by drunkard, at least;  
My victim to a suicide's grave I lure—  
Death dwelleth in me quick and sure.

I cheer the tired and soothe the weary,  
Benumb the sot and make him dreary;  
Make the wise like stupid fools,  
And give them to the Devil for his tools.

I've riches for those who gave me birth,  
And poverty for those who consume my mirth.  
From dram to bottle and bottle to jug—  
Rum's embrace to all is a death hug.

They who kiss my lips, in rapture cry:  
"You're the Elixir of Life,"  
"I'll drink till I die."  
—The Knaves!  
My spirits I freely give alike  
To the friend and slave,  
And each on the rubbish pile of Fate  
Finds a desolate grave. —I. R. H.  
Harrisburg, Pa., June 2, 1911.

### HAWLEY.

[Special to The Citizen.]  
HAWLEY, Pa., June 6.—John O'Connor, Goshon, N. Y., is visiting his father at the Eddy.

Mrs. James J. Flynn departed this life on Sunday, May 28, 1911, at her home on Wangum avenue. The cause of her death was tuberculosis. Deceased was aged 43 years and was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Walsh who formerly lived at Hawley. Besides her husband she is survived by four children all at home. The funeral services were held at St. Philomena's church on Wednesday morning conducted by Rev. Father Walsh, assisted by Fathers Golden and Hanley.

Mrs. Rodney Pittston, was visiting friends at Lakeville last week and attended memorial services at Hawley on Tuesday.

Miss Carrie Eckbeck is spending several weeks visiting in New York city and Philadelphia.

William Rouse, who is running the bar part of Cottage Hotel, is visiting his parents, who live in Philadelphia. Frank Reiley has charge of the bar during his absence.

Roy White, Gravity, is employed by Murray & Strong at carpenter work on the Tether building.

The contest between the Avoca base ball team and the local team did not come off on Saturday. Owing to the rain they were notified by our manager not to come.

Samuel Miller, a student at the Baltimore Medical college, is home for the summer vacation.

Helen Cornell, Port Jervis, is visiting at the home of James Mallan for a week.

A terrible wreck occurred on the Erie road near Kimbles on Wednesday night when a loaded coal train crashed into a light train coming west. It appears that the west-bound train which was in charge of conductor Gallagher of Port Jervis, had orders to switch at that place to let the loaded train pass. The orders were received and complied with all right but in some way Engineer Alonzo Damon misjudged the length of the switch and ran his train out on the main line a considerable distance. Just then the east-bound train came dashing down the line at the rate of twelve miles an hour crashing into the other train without warning. Alonzo Damon, who lived at Port Jervis, was killed; engineer Hines of the eastbound engine badly scalded and Frank Miller, fireman, cut on the head. Both engines were nearly demolished and several cars derailed and a number wrecked. Michael Hines formerly lived at Hawley, and Frank Miller's parents live at Blooming Grove, Pike county.

Something new and unique that undoubtedly will prove very convenient is the delivery motor truck purchased by F. L. Tuttle which is being used for the purpose of delivering goods from his store.

In the way of improvements we notice a good deal is being done at Hawley. Harry J. Atkinson has had trimmed up a large tract of wood lot on this side of the Paris pack. He has it well fenced and well posted with no trespassing. This ground which lays along the turnpike between Hawley and Wilsonville, formerly laid to the Commons as waste land but now one

## GIFTS FOR GRADUATES

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## At LEINE'S

The Rexall Drug Store, Both Phones, Honesdale, Pa.

WAYNE COMMON PLEAS: TRIAL LIST, JUNE 19, 1911.

Smith vs. Brown.  
Tellep vs. Chaplak.  
Klausner vs. De Breun.  
Town vs. Cortright.  
Heurich vs. Sanders.  
Stuck vs. Bigart.  
M. J. HANLAN, Prot'y.  
Honesdale, Pa., May 29, 1911. 43c03

sees in the inclosure fat cattle grazing on luxuriant grass which proves that Harry can make two blades of grass grow where none grew before. He is also having built an addition to his fine residence on Atkinson street. Henry Eck has a cellar dug and foundation complete for a house on Bellemonte Hill, also T. F. Wall is building another tenement house on Spring street and Postmaster Colgate expects to move into the new postoffice building by July 1.

Homer G. Ames went to Scranton Saturday. He will bring home his automobile that was sent there for repairs.

A native of Sunny Italy is canvassing the town for the purpose of raising money to build a church somewhere in that far away country.

Robert Plinkey, Dunmore, has moved in the Woodward house on 11th street.

Daniel Cavanaugh is entertaining Mr. and Mrs. John Feeney and Miss Mary Feeney, Scranton.

D. J. Branning is building a cottage on his lot at Big Pond.

Mrs. Joseph S. Pennell is spending several days with friends and relatives at Uswick and Lakeville.

Children's Day exercises will be held at the M. E. church next Sunday morning, June 11. Instead of the usual program consisting of recitations, etc., several song choruses will be given by the Sunday school children.

Several of the leading members of the Dexter, Lambert & Co. silk manufacturers came from Paterson, N. J., on Saturday to look after the business done in that line at Hawley. On Sunday they all took a sail up the Paupack where they spent a pleasant day.

Miss Carrie Simons united with the M. E. church on Sunday by letter from her former pastor.

## Quickly Cures Coughs, Colds and Catarrh

If you, dear reader, could spend an hour looking over a few of the thousands of testimonials that we have on file, you would not go on suffering from catarrh, that disgusting disease that will surely sap your vitality and weaken your entire system if allowed to continue. You would have just as much faith in HYOMEI as we have, and we have so much confidence in its wonderful curative virtue that it is sold the country over under a positive guarantee to cure catarrh, croup, sore throat, coughs and colds or money back.

No stomach dosing when you breathe HYOMEI. Just pour a few drops of the liquid into the inhaler, and breathe it in. It is mighty pleasant to use; it opens up those stuffed-up nostrils in two minutes, and makes your head feel as clear as a bell in a short time.

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