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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 6, 1912.

THOUGHT FOR TO-DAY.

The blessed work of helping the world forward happily does not wait to be done by perfect men.—Eliot.

The fire ladders again had occasion to demonstrate their ability in fire fighting Sunday morning by confining the flames to the Erk building, despite the windy night and the cold weather that prevailed.

DELAWARE AND HUDSON CATECHISM.

What is Honesdale giving the Delaware and Hudson company. A great big share of its passenger and freight service.

That it does not pay and that it is receiving all the freight and passenger service that a branch road is entitled to.

Will the Honesdale people swallow that kind of a pink pill? No, because the sugar is worn off.

When did the Delaware and Hudson railroad run two freight trains a day in and out of Honesdale?

When the freight was considered much lighter than it is to-day. Will this company go back to its old schedule?

Not until another railroad entering Honesdale gets its former freight patrons.

Is there any danger of this? Oh, yes.

Is it true that extra crews and engines are required to handle the regular Honesdale freight trains?

It is. How can the Honesdale shippers restore this service? By co-operation and demanding their rights.

Are they assured of any assistance in the matter? Yes, the undivided efforts of the Business Men's Association, the Board of Trade and the editorial support of The Honesdale Citizen.

FOR BETTER FREIGHT SERVICE.

On Monday the Delaware and Hudson railroad company took its initiative towards better freight service for Honesdale and branch shippers. The morning train due here at 11:15 now reaches Honesdale nearly two hours earlier, and leaves here sooner in the afternoon, which is not exactly what the shippers desire.

The plan as suggested in The Citizen a few weeks ago can be worked out to good advantage and the service would be unequalled. In a nutshell it was as follows: Operate the Scranton freight to Honesdale instead of Carbondale; lay here a few hours and then return to Scranton via Carbondale. The Honesdale freight train, now being run (on almost any schedule) from Carbondale to Honesdale be transferred from that city to Honesdale and operate from this place, going to Scranton via Carbondale, returning to Honesdale the same evening.

THE PRESIDENTIAL SITUATION.

When ex-president Roosevelt announced his receptive candidacy for the presidential nomination last week, he became one of the two leading candidates whose names are to be presented to the Chicago convention next June. Others are not yet out of the race; La Follette, Hughes, and Cummins still have their adherents, and the present situation may be materially changed before the date of the convention.

PEOPLE'S FORUM. Asks For Inspector.

Mr. Editor: It seems as though the people of Honesdale pay enough water rent to enable the Water company to have someone to inspect the fire plugs all over the town once a week.

Says All Lights Were Not Out.

I would like to state in regard to the electric lights being all out ten years ago, during the flood, as mentioned in a recent issue of the Wayne Independent, that the electric lights were not all out.

G. E. HELSTEIN.

Letter to the Grangers.

Editor Citizen: Kindly give the following letter space in your paper:

March 18 has been designated as parcels post day, when the subordinate grangers of Wayne county will discuss that subject. The matter for and against doubling the rates on second-class mail matter and also against penny postage.

EDWARD E. KINSMAN, Secretary Pomona Grange.

A KICKER FOR OFFICE.

Mr. Editor: I am obliged to yield to the over-persuasion of my numerous, and otherwise friends, and allow them to elect me a member of the State Legislature. I realize the importance of this step and the responsibility that will rest upon me, and on no consideration will I accept another term.

A KICKER.

Roosevelt's Candidacy.

Roosevelt has become an arrant, even a dangerous demagogue. His speech at Columbus, made as a forerunner of his candidacy, was a vicious, high-handed attack on institutions and forms of government that have made this nation what it is today.

Homer Greene for Delegate.

Homer Greene, the well known Lawyer-Poet of Honesdale, and one of the men mentioned prominently for Congressman at large on the Republican ticket, has announced his candidacy for delegate to the Republican National convention.

Mr. Greene is undoubtedly one of the most popular men in the district and the announcement of his candidacy has met with popular approval. In his announcement he does not take a decided stand, asking the voters to trust to his judgment to do what is best for the party, and from the expressions heard they will be perfectly willing to accede to his wishes and allow him to go to the convention unhampered by any pledges that would handicap him in his efforts to what would tend the best for Republican success in the ensuing election.

Thomas B. Marshall Passes Away.

Thomas B. Marshall, who has been a resident of Wayne county practically all his life, died Saturday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. B. F. Blake, Bethany, of general debility, aged 77 years.

in Berlin township, being a tiller of the plow. He was married Ann Varcoe, daughter of the late John Varcoe, of Carbondale. She died 29 years ago. This was the first death in the family. Eight children blessed their parents. Three of them survive their aged father, namely: William H., of Indian Orchard; Augusta, wife of O. Wood, Robert B., and John F., all of Bethany; Clara A., wife of Charles O. Blake; Alice E., wife of B. F. Blake, and Grace, wife of Amos S. Ward, all of Bethany.

The deceased has been a cripple the greater part of his life owing to being accidentally shot by his cousin while pigeon hunting. The declining years of his life have been spent among his children. He was a kind father and affectionate husband and will be missed by a large number of friends.

The funeral was held from the home of his daughter, Mrs. C. O. Blake, Bethany, 10:30 Tuesday morning, Rev. W. H. Hillier officiating. Interment at Pine Hill cemetery.

Miss Florence Parish Dead.

Miss Florence Parish, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry S. Parish, who reside on River street, died on Saturday morning, at King's County Hospital at Brooklyn, N. Y., where she had been confined. Death was the result of blood poisoning caused from an operation for appendicitis. Deceased had been making her home with her sister in Brooklyn before her illness.

Death of Emil Persbacher.

Emil Persbacher, Erie track foreman at Stockport Station for the past thirty-two years, passed away Sunday afternoon, Feb. 25. He suffered a paralytic stroke February 16.

Mr. Persbacher was born at Shohola, Pa., 60 years ago. He had many relatives and is survived by his widow at Stockport, and four sons, viz: Walter of Dixon, Pa.; William of Port Jervis, N. Y.; Edward of Starlight, Pa.; Lewis of Buffalo, N. Y. Besides these he leaves his aged mother and two daughters, Jacob and Victor, all of Callicoon, and two sisters, Mrs. Isaac Sergeant of Eldred, Sullivan county, N. Y., and Mrs. Carrie Moore of Binghamton, N. Y.

The funeral was held at his late home at Stockport Tuesday evening, Feb. 27, the Rev. Tolley, of Equinunk, officiating. Interment was made in the family plot at Shohola. Mr. Persbacher was a substantial man in his community, and was well known along the Delaware division of the Erie, where he had served so faithfully for so many years.—Hancock Herald.

Mrs. Peter Collum Dead.

The death of Mrs. Peter Collum occurred at her home on Sixteenth street on Saturday morning at about 9:15 o'clock, at the age of 76 years and 8 months. Deceased had been a sufferer for about two years. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Collins and was born at Bald Mount, Pa., on July 9, 1836. On July 13, 1854, she was united in marriage to Stephen Ayres and two children were born to them, Mrs. Elmer Beardslee, of Hawley, and William Ayres, of Newton, Pa. Mr. Ayres died on July 30, 1863. She was married a second time on Feb. 23, 1867, to Peter Collum and to this union three children were born, Horace J., of Los Angeles, Cal.; Mrs. U. G. Ridgeway, and Martha M., of Honesdale. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. W. H. Swift, pastor of the Presbyterian church, of Honesdale, at the home on Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Interment was made in Glen Dyberry cemetery and was private. Mrs. Collum had been a member of the Honesdale Presbyterian church for sixty years, and she leaves a host of friends who will mourn the loss of a kind neighbor. She is survived by her husband and the five children named above.

Mrs. McDermott Dies at Kingston.

Mrs. H. C. McDermott, wife of former pastor of the Honesdale M. E. church, died at her home in Kingston early Monday morning. Mrs. McDermott had been ill for some time and her death was expected at any time. Rev. H. C. McDermott was pastor of the M. E. church here for five years, between

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1888 and 1891, and both Mr. and Mrs. McDermott were well loved by their congregation. Rev. McDermott is now superintendent of the Wilkes-Barre division of the Wyoming conference.

"Alma, Where Do You Live?"

Such productions as "Alma, Where Do You Live," which is to be seen at the Lyric Monday, March 11, bids fair to mark a new era in real musical comedy. Alma may be described as neither opera nor farce nor yet musical comedy, but a combination of all three of them, the effect apparently being to make the music subservient to the play; this being a direct contradiction of usual form of procedure. Alma when in its original form was a French contribution by Paul Herve, with musical number by Jean Briquet, received its first presentation in this country in the German Theatre in New York where it had an extended run in the face of adverse criticism on account of its salaciousness, threats having been even heard that it was to be suppressed by the authorities. It was during this run that a performance was witnessed by Joseph M. Weber who saw great possibilities for it in English, and he immediately secured the rights and had it Americanized by George V. Hobart who eliminated all of the suggestiveness and yet performed his work so cleverly that when it was presented at the Lyric Theatre it ran for an entire season to large and delighted audiences. Remember the date, Monday, March 11.

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Mrs. Eva Toms Dead.

Mrs. Eva Toms died at her residence at 715 Church street on Saturday morning at about three o'clock, at the age of 40 years. Death was the result of pneumonia after an illness of about three weeks. Deceased was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Henshaw of Cherry Ridge, and was born there on November 12, 1872. She lived in that vicinity nearly all her life until about three years ago when she moved to Honesdale. Her husband preceded her in death 11 years ago. She was a devout member of the M. E. church and was loved by all who knew her. She survived by two children, one daughter, Edna and one son, Leon, of the place, and two brothers, Erwin, of Lafayette College, Easton, Pa., an Oakley, of Berlin township. The funeral services were held at the home on Monday, Rev. W. H. Hillier officiating. Interment was made in Indian Orchard cemetery.

WORDS FOR THE SPELLING CONTEST OF THE Wayne County School.

LESSON XVII.

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Croup Ends Life

Many Children Die of Croup Every Year Before a Doctor Can be Summoned.

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Keep in the house a remedy that will give instant relief and keep the child from choking until the arrival of the physician.

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