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HONESDALE, WAYNE CO., PA., FRIDAY, MAY 17, 1912.

PRICE 5 CENTS

55 CONGRESSMEN INSPECT THE PORT OF PHILADELPHIA

Representatives of 27 States Spend Day on Delaware—Larger Appropriations than Promised Result.

Philadelphia, May 15.—Basing their observations upon first hand knowledge gained in a 10-hour inspection trip Saturday over the Delaware River, the Philadelphia Navy Yard and the Port of Philadelphia, fifty-five congressmen, including the entire membership of two of the most powerful committees in Congress...

STATE AID FOR THE PAVING OF MAIN STREET.

Encouraging Letter Received from State Highway Commissioner Bigelow, Who Will Hold Conference With Committee Next Tuesday in Harrisburg—Appropriation Will Tend to Make Taxes Less.

As stated in our last issue of The Citizen, Borough Solicitor C. A. McCarty got in communication with the State Highway Department at Harrisburg and received the following letter in reply: State Highway Department, Harrisburg, Pa. May 14, 1912.

FAIRVIEW LAKE, THE BEAUTIFUL

Local Parties Interested in Association That Promises to Make This Resort Popular.

Fairview Lake, better known as Big Pond, Pike county, will be more attractive than ever during the coming season. Several new cottages are in course of construction and several improvements are being made to others.

NO HOPE FOR BISHIE

Seranton Youth Who Murdered Express Messenger Must Pay Penalty—Up to Governor.

Seranton, May 16.—There is no hope for William Peter Bishie, of this city, who murdered Irving G. Berger, a Delaware, Lackawanna and Western messenger last fall. The Board of Pardons has refused to have anything to do with the matter and it is now in the Governor's power to set the date of execution.

5,000 PEOPLE IN DANGER

Levee of Mississippi Gave Way—Six Drowned—Government Revenue Cutters Assisting in Rescue.

New Orleans, May 16.—Desperate efforts are being made to rescue 5,000 people who are in the path of a great rush of water that is pouring in on the town of Hymela. Every available motor boat and two Government revenue cutters have been secured and are endeavoring to save those in danger.

EPISCOPAL S. S. INSTITUTE

Friday Evening, May 17, Saturday Morning and Afternoon, May 18, Are the Dates—Three Notable Speakers Will be Present.

A Sunday school institute will be held at the Grace Episcopal church, under the auspices of the Sunday School Commission of the Diocese of Bethlehem, on Friday evening, May 17, Saturday morning and afternoon, May 18, on Friday evening the program is as follows:

Town Council Busy

The members of the borough council are at present active on committee work. The whole council serves as a committee on the post-office question. It now seems a certainty that the city hall will be converted into quarters for the government.

LATE KING FREDERICK.

Denmark's Ruler, Who Died Suddenly Alone on Hamburg Street.

King Frederick VIII, of Denmark, died alone, unrecognized and unattended on the streets of Hamburg, early on Wednesday morning. The king was traveling incognito and arrived in Hamburg on Monday on his return from a long trip to the south.

DAMASCUS.

Mothers' Day was observed at the M. E. church Sunday morning with a very appropriate program, consisting of songs and recitations.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

The following real estate transfers have been recorded in the Recorder's office since last Thursday: Joseph E. Cross, Sterling, to Mary N. Cross, Sterling, lands in Sterling; consideration \$1.

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Inspection Trip on Delaware.

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