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HELLWOOD COMPANY GIVES 600 EMPLOYEES A BONUS

The Penn-Mary Coal Company, a subsidiary of the Bethlehem Steel Co., has posted notices announcing a ten per cent bonus for their employees on their wages, effective January 1st, 1917. Practically all employees of the company numbering about 600, will benefit. In April, 1916, this company granted its men an increase of five per cent.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Governor of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania on the 5th day of February, 1917, by John E. Zimmermann, Charles Day and Robert C. Shields, under the Act of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled "An Act to provide for the Incorporation and Regulation of certain Corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called Bradley Mine Coal Company, the character and object of which is mining and selling coal, and for these purposes to have and possess and enjoy the rights, benefits and privileges of the said Act of Assembly and its supplements.

JAMES COLLINS JONES,
Solicitor.

IN THE ORPHANS' COURT OF CAMBRIA COUNTY, PENNA.

In the matter of the Partition proceedings in the Estate of L. B. Cassidy, deceased, late of Cambria Township.

Having been appointed Auditor by the Court to ascertain if there are any liens, and to report a distribution of the fund secured by said recognizance, to and among the parties entitled thereto, notice is hereby given that I will set for the purpose of discharging the duties of said appointment at my office in the James Building, Ebensburg, Pa., on Wednesday Jan. 24th, at ten o'clock A. M., at which time and place all persons interested are requested to appear and present their claims, or be forever debarred from coming in for a share of said fund.

H. A. Englehart, Jr.,
Auditor.
Dec. 29-31.

1917'S DINNER.

How to Prepare it Just Like a Real Chef.

Chestnut Stuffing—Shell and blanch one cupful of Spanish chestnuts. Throw them into boiling hot water and boil them tender. Drain and chop fine. Add two chopped truffles, a teaspoonful of melted butter, a teaspoonful of salt and a dash of pepper. Fill this into the turkey and roast in a quick oven, at first moderate, for three hours, basting every ten minutes.

The menu should begin with consommé à la Royale. Make after this recipe: Take the meat from one ship of beef and one knuckle of veal. Crack the bones. Put into the bottom of a soup kettle a teaspoonful of sugar; let it brown and add one onion sliced. Stir until that is brown. Take from the fire, put in the bones, then the meat. Cover the whole with five quarts of cold water and simmer gently for four hours. At the end of that time put in one carrot (sliced), one large onion.

with four cloves, two bay leaves, a teaspoonful of celery seed, two cloves of garlic. Simmer one hour longer. Strain and stand aside to cool. When cold remove the fat and sediment. Beat the white of two eggs, add them to the consommé, add the juice of half a lemon, bring the mixture to boiling point and strain carefully through a flannel bag or two thicknesses of cheese cloth, and it is ready to use. Season, of course, with salt and pepper.

Next comes lobster timbale. This is how it is made: Chop sufficient cold boiled lobster to make half a pint, pound it in a mortar. Add a teaspoonful of salt, a dash of white pepper and two unboiled eggs; stir in two tablespoonfuls of cream and then the well beaten whites of three eggs. Fill this mixture into small molds, either garnished with truffles or lobster shells. Cook the molds in a pan of boiling water for ten to fifteen minutes. Serve with melted cream sauce or with oyster sauce.

STREAM CONTROL NOT A NEW IDEA

Ohio Recognizes Value of Conserving Its Water Supply

GERMANS FURNISH EXAMPLE

Teutonic Government Appreciates Importance of Not Permitting Excess Waters to Cause Waste and Destruction in Floods.

River regulation, while a comparatively new subject to the people of Pennsylvania, is by no means a novelty to other sections of this country and to Europe. To regulate a river is to get from it the latest possible use and this has been demonstrated as feasible and practicable in many places. At the next session of the legislature of Pennsylvania a plan is to be presented for the purpose of having the state take up this important question. In the meanwhile a review of similar activities elsewhere is interesting.

In Germany the law authorizes the formation of Genossenschafts (companies or societies) by voluntary associations of all kinds of water users and of municipalities, factories, power companies, subsidiary associations and organizations interested in river improvement. Provision is made for empowering Genossenschafts for certain purposes to compel membership of benefited parties without voluntary agreement. Governmental supervision of organization, plans, financing, construction, and operation of these Genossenschafts is provided. Annual payments are collected from subsidiary associations and organizations and from cities, persons and corporations benefited and financial contributions are made in many cases by larger governmental units.

Ohio Takes Action.
The Conservancy Act of Ohio, adopted early in 1914, provides for the organization of conservancy districts, including persons, corporations and municipalities, for the purpose of preventing floods, regulating stream channels, reclaiming overflowed land, providing for irrigation, and regulating the flow of streams. Under this act districts are to be organized and plans approved by the Courts of Common Pleas and all other questions regarding the organization, plans and operation of such districts are under the jurisdiction of the courts. No provision is made for securing harmony and uniformity between the official plans of the different districts excepting the opportunity for objectors to appear before the courts in hearings on plans.

Provisions for financing conservancy districts are interesting. It is provided that expended prior to organization shall be paid by the county or counties in which the district is located to be repaid by the district after organization or by its promoters if it is not organized. After organization the district is authorized to assess a tax not exceeding three-tenths of a mill on all property within the district, for expenses of planning and construction prior to levying of assessment. When this tax is levied the district may issue warrants or borrow money, securing same on the tax. After benefits are assessed, as provided in the law, if assessments are not paid in full the district is authorized to issue bonds for the remaining preliminary expenses and construction up to 60 per cent of the total assessments. If bonds are issued, assessments may be collected in such installments as the district may determine to pay the interest and principal on the bonds and additional assessments for maintenance may be levied.

Organize River Districts.
The Jones water storage bill presented to the New York legislature during the early part of 1914 provided for the organization of river districts and the planning and construction of works under the supervision of the State Conservation Commission. Similar provision for state supervision was made in the Wisconsin Water Power Act of 1913 (which was declared unconstitutional because of defects in construction), and it is believed legislation of this character is much preferable to that of the type of the Ohio Conservancy Act. No such legislation, no matter how desirable, can be enacted in Pennsylvania unless the constitution is amended. At the present time the constitution limits the creation of taxation districts to the extent that river regulation districts are not possible.

In Pennsylvania the constitution provides for the creation of various taxation districts but owing to the fact that in 1874 when this constitution was adopted the formation of river regulation taxation districts was unknown no provision for their creation was included. It is generally believed that the day is not far distant when the constitution of Pennsylvania will be amended so as to provide for the creation of metropolitan districts which will dispose of the river regulation problem as well as sewage, transportation and other important subjects, but at the present time no such course is open for the solution of the pressing question of getting the fullest use from our

Wing Shots

"Human Hearts," an Idyl of the Agassiz Hills at the Grand Tuesday January 16th.

Jules Falk, the violinist at the Grand, Thursday evening plays a violin which is valued at \$40,000.

"Human Hearts," a splendid play with a record of several successful years will be seen at the Grand Theatre Tuesday, January 16th. Prices 25, 50 and 75 cents. Tickets on sale at Toner's Jewelry Store.

FOR SALE—Good seven roomed house, all modern conveniences, easy terms. Beech avenue. Inquire at this office.

Read in the other column of A. C. Rothermel, Print of Keystone State Normal School and of the Pennsylvania State Normal School, who will be read at the Grand Theatre next week.

FOR SALE—Two beds, dining table and chairs, and a washstand.

Mrs. R. C. Yergler, Palmer Avenue.

Although "Human Hearts" has its tears and heart aches interest, the comedy in it is bright, and runs through the entire piece, keeping its audience in continual merry mood.

A young man may be slow before marriage, but in tying the knot he is made fast.

The management of the Grand is offering this week to musical patrons one of the most wonderful violinists on the stage—Jules Falk.

How immensely we might enjoy life if it were not for the good times we're having.

Chief-of-Police Gill purchased this week a handsome new Victoria from the Toner Jewelry Company.

There are a number of subscribers of the Courier who owe this paper for several years. Unless these patrons pay what they owe us we will be forced to take their names from our lists and their accounts will be placed in the hands of collectors.

Metro—Mme. Petrova will feature in the new picture "Playing With Fire" at the Majestic Theatre, Friday evening.

From the Popular Novel—Satan Sanderson, the Metro Services offers Orrin Johnson Saturday night at the Grand Theatre. Prices 5 and 10 cents.

FOR SALE—Double heating stove and Motor Washer or will exchange Motor Washer for another Washer. Call on Jos. A. Gaetner, Patton, Pa.

Remember the man who advertises. He has something to advertise.

"The White Sister" at the Majestic Wednesday night, featuring Viola Allen and Richard Travers in a 4 reel Keansy.

If our paper is meeting with your approval as a newspaper tell your neighbor who is not receiving it. If it is not meeting your approval, tell us.

NOTICE—Anyone found furnishing Isaac Titawell or wife with intoxicating liquor will be dealt with according to law.
Oliver Senior, adv.

SHIRT FIRM PROSPERS
Lincoln S. Bell, manager of the local branch of the United Delta Shirt Shop, Inc., in the commerce building, has returned from the firm's quarterly business meeting, held at their executive offices, 207 Fifth avenue, Pittsburgh. Mr. Bell is one of five men who own and operate a chain of stores under the above firm name. All the partners were present at the meeting and all reported the firm enjoying a very prosperous year in each of the cities where they are located.

ALTOONA TRIBUNE

Mr. Bell is a former Patton merchant and has resided in Patton for the past twenty years until several months ago when he located in Altoona. While in town last week Mr. Bell speaks of things as very prosperous in his new business place.

YOUR LAST CHANCE

Recently we published in these columns an offer of The Youth's Companion and McCall's Magazine for a full year, for only \$2.10, including a McCall Dress Pattern. The high price of paper and ink has obliged McCall's Magazine to raise their subscription price February 1 to 10 cents a copy and 75 cents a year—so that the offer at the above price must be withdrawn. Until March 31 our readers have the privilege of ordering both publications for a full year, including the choice of any 15-cent McCall Dress Pattern, for only \$2.10.

The amount of reading, information and entertainment contained in the fifty two issues of The Youth's Companion and the value of twelve monthly fashion numbers of McCall's at \$2.10 offer a real bargain to every reader of this paper.

This two-at-one-price offer includes:
1. The Youth's Companion—52 issues.
2. The Companion's Home Calendar for 1917.
3. McCall's Magazine—12 fashion numbers.
4. One 15-cent McCall Dress Pattern.
5. Choice of any 15-cent McCall Dress Pattern.
6. Choice of any 15-cent McCall Dress Pattern.

THE YOUTH'S COMPANION, St. Paul St., Boston, Mass.

FOR THE HOLIDAYS.

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Silvery combinations still crowd to the front, and so this dance frock is fashioned of white satin, combined



BELLE OF THE BALL.

with metal cloth richly embroidered in silver thread. The dip of the skirt grades down into a pointed train, and silver beads give the shoulder straps.

An Optimist.

An old soldier who had lost one of his legs in the war once said to a younger man, "Well, there is one advantage in having a wooden leg."
"What is it?" asked the other.
"You can hold your socks up with them tacks."—Pittsburgh Press.

Benefit of a Doubt.

"That woman seems to know everything that goes on in the neighborhood. I don't see how she can be much of a help to her husband."
"You can't tell. Maybe he's a detective."—Washington Star.

BRIEF HOME ITEMS OF TIMELY INTEREST

Telling of Those Who are Visiting, and Those Who Have Visitors, With Other News of Our Busy Little Town

Wayland Zwayer, a Junior at Denison University, returned to Granville Monday, after spending a pleasant vacation at the home of his parents Rev. and Mrs. Zwayer of the Baptist Church.

George Kless, who for the past year has been employed as Wash Mother in the Baxter Jewelry Store, resigned his position and left on Monday for his home in Latrobe.

Harry Gorth, engineer at the silk mill is receiving congratulations over the arrival of a girl child, both mother and child are getting along nicely.

George Grove has resigned his position with the coal company in Patton and left this week for Virginia where he will represent a Pittsburgh firm.

Miss Esther Bishop, student nurse of the Jefferson Hospital, Philadelphia, returned to that place on Monday, after spending some time in town.

Miss Mary Shannon, student of Mt. Aloysius Academy Cresson has returned to school after spending her vacation with her parents in town.

John Cochran, son of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cochran, who was operated for appendicitis at the Spangler Hospital, is getting along nicely.

Miss Mae Yeager, student at India State Normal, returned to school the first of the week, after a pleasant visit with friends in town.

Miss Irene Esholy, entertained a number of her young friends at a theatre party Saturday evening in honor of her 16th birthday.

Miss Mary Elliott, who has been suffering from a severe attack of Appendicitis is recovering and will soon be able to be around again.

Thomas Buck attended a banquet held by the International Correspondence School men in Harrisburg, the first of the week.

Miss Mary McGinnis of Elmira N. Y. has returned home after a pleasant visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul T. Bearer.

Miss Ora McCully left last week for her home in Westover after spending several weeks with relatives in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Maurer entertained a number of friends at their home on 5th avenue last Saturday evening.

Miss Hilda Mulder, graduate of the

Itasca Conservatory of Music, will leave tomorrow for Harrisburg from hence on a concert trip through the East.

Edward Overberger returned the first of the week to West Chester, to resume his studies at the Normal School.

Miss Martin Whiteford returned the first of the week to Latrobe, to resume her studies in the Normal School.

W. J. Morgan, representing the Vacuum Oil Company of Pittsburgh, called on friends in town the first of the week.

H. E. Ward, of the Armstrong, Wolfe and Zimmerman Company of Pittsburgh spent Wednesday in town.

Lincoln S. Bell, and daughter Miss Helen, of Altoona, called on friends in town the latter part of the week.

Arthur T. Lowry, of the Keystone Lubricating Company of Philadelphia transacted business in town Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Flood of Elmira N. Y. returned to their home in that place the first of the week.

Miss Anna Mary Delinger returned to Greensburg after spending her vacation at her home in this place.

Mrs. Earl Sharabach and family are spending some time at the Morey home on Palmer avenue.

Miss Catherine Smith of Akron Ohio, is visiting friends and relatives in town this week.

Miss Irving, student nurse at the Spangler Hospital spent Monday with relatives in town.

"Butch" Yeager, salesman for the Geo. Good Company, left on Monday for Boston.

J. R. Cornelius is laid up this week with a very painful sprained foot.

Raymond Thompson, of Johnstown spent Sunday with friends in town.

Earnest Commons spent Sunday with lady friends in St. Boniface.

Mrs. William Martin was shopping for her home in Westover after spending several weeks with relatives in town.

Tabert Davis has returned from a visit with friends in Philadelphia.

Chaire Kelly has accepted a position in the Sauter Jewelry store.

Benton Dury called on friends in Spangler Sunday.

Dr. B. J. OVERBERGER

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Watch for the big street parade at 12 o'clock and the band concert in front of the Theatre in the evening.

GRAND THEATRE, Patton, Pa.

Tuesday, January 16, '17

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