

WAY DOWN EAST

At SMITH'S THEATRE, Barnesboro
Nightly for the Balance of THIS WEEK
Special Matinee Saturday at 1:30
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RECENT MEETING OF GRANGE

San Resolutions Adopted
Indication in Salaries; Com-
missioners Commended.

A unusually large attendance
was present at the first quarterly meeting
of the Patton Grange, which was held
last evening at the Grange building.
The meeting was presided over by
Dr. F. J. Kelly, who called the meeting
to order and reading of the minutes
of the last meeting.

and after disposing of routine busi-
ness, there was an address by Worthy
Master Sherman Cross, who
gave a report on the last meeting of
the state grange. He was followed by
Mrs. John Hise, who spoke on "The
Mission of the Grange." She told
of some of the things accomplished
by the organization and what could
be accomplished by thorough co-
operation, particularly on the part of
the younger members. The meeting
closed with the passing of a
resolution committee, which was
composed of three members—Alex-
ander Strittmatter, Edward J. J.

and A. E. Kirsch.

The afternoon session opened with
the election of directors of the
Grange Fire Insurance Co., resulting
as follows: A. E. Kirsch, William
Karlheim, I. T. Strittmatter, Joseph
Dietrich, Henry Laiden, Harvey Evans,
Edward Bolton, F. A. Westrick, G. E.
Dunn, J. A. Parshbaugh, Edward
J. J. J. and M. J. Bradley. C. T.
Gottelmer was elected auditor. This
body will meet at Ebersburg next
Monday. It was stated that the
Grange Fire Insurance Co. has been
in existence for 25 years and in that
time has written insurance to the
extent of \$25,000,000, while the losses
paid in the same period have amount-
ed to \$25,000. The average cost to
the insured during the period was
\$2.47 per \$1,000 of insurance. At
the present time the company has
insurance in force amounting to \$1-
400,000. The company is obliged to
conduct its operations to members of
the grange in Cambria County.

The feature address of the after-
noon session was in answer to the
closed question, "With Dr. Flegan's
Office Force Six Times Greater and
Eight of Whom Receive More Pay
than the Entire Force Did in Dr.
Schneider's Administration—Is Flegan's
School System Property-Intensely
Better?" The question had been as-
signed to John Springs, but owing
to his inability to be present, Alex-
ander Strittmatter very ably substi-
tuted. Mr. Strittmatter quoted from
recent reports showing that the cost
of the Schneider administration was
about \$25,000 per year, while the cost
of the Flegan administration is run-
ning close to \$47,000 per year. The
subject was discussed by several oth-
er grangers. County Supt. M. S.
Bantz explained the workings of the
new school law and told of some of

the things that he has accomplish-
ed.

Joseph Farabough discussed the
question of a modified price and
quoted from many after-noon
speeches of others and there was
all sections, which should be con-
sidered that what is not written
what they really think. The ques-
tion before the group was "How
Can the People be Properly Informed?"

Alexander Strittmatter discussed
the propriety of establishing co-
operative blacksmith shops as a means
of eliminating high prices. Mr.
Strittmatter explained that the aver-
age blacksmith is a "working man
like themselves and is generally
ready to be reasonable when present-
ed with the facts.

The resolutions received the warm-
est endorsement of the entire
group and were as follows:

Whereas, when prices of farm
products have fallen in the pre-
vious year, freight rates on ferti-
lizer, lime, fuel, and other
necessaries are higher
or that when grain prices
prevailed during the war and
about double the rates prevail-
ing in 1919;

Resolved, that we hereby call
upon the State Highway Department
and the State Highway Board to
investigate the matter and to
take such action as may be neces-
sary to obtain relief for the farm-

ers and the general public from
railroad extortion; and further

Resolved, that we deplore the
fact that most of our agricultural
papers and the heads of some
farmers' organizations gave as-
sistance to the passage of the
Eck-Cummins bill and have been
recently in secret conference with
the representatives of Big Busi-
ness in scheming for the continu-
ance of the evil provisions of this
bill.

Whereas, the process of read-
justment after war conditions has
brought about a great lowering
of prices and wages, consequent-
ly reducing the producers' ability
to bear his share of govern-
ment expenses; therefore,

Resolved, that we demand that
the salary of every public official
that has been increased be re-
duced in the same proportion as
other wages and prices have de-
clined.

Whereas, the state highway de-
partment assumes to control all
road building done by counties
and townships and to control all
funds of both county and town-
ship without assuming any re-
sponsibility on their part, there-
fore we most heartily commend
the county commissioners for
their stand in refusing to accede
to the demands of the state high-
way department.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

In the Estate of Laura E. Merrell,
late of Patton Borough, deceased.
Notice is hereby given that Letters
of Administration upon the estate of
the said decedent have been granted
to the undersigned, and all persons in-
debted to said estate are requested
to make payment and those having
claims against the same to present
them to the undersigned, within sixty
days.

SCOTT MERRELL,
Administrator,
Patton, Pa.

David Semerville, Atty.
Patton, Pa.

Early Egyptian Maps

Maps originally supposed among the
early Egyptians. They were written
on which land and sea, roads
and rivers were fairly accurately out-
lined. The evidence of such maps is
not only furnished in the old Egyptian
papyrus rolls, but some of the actual
maps have been discovered. It was
once contended that the Greeks were
the inventors of the art of cartography,
but it has been proved that the Egyp-
tians and Babylonians antedated them
in this respect.

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