### The Most Favorable Season.

To cure catarrh is in the spring During the winter the patient is very likely to take fresh cold and have a set back. But if treatment is begun in the spring and continued into the summer, nothing need be feared for the succeeding winter. Of course it all depends on the medicine. There are a great many catarrh medicines which re-lieve the most disagreeable symptom lieve the most disagreeable symptom temporarily. Pe-ru-na cures more slowly but also more permanently than this class of medicine. A course of Pe-ru-na during the spring will cure catarrh more quickly than at any other season. Mr. Walter H. Tucker, Concord, N. H., writes Dr. Hartman as follows: "When I began taking your medicines four years ago I was suffering with chronic catarrh. I had taken nearly two dozen bottles of so-called catarrh cures without much relief. Peru-na oured the night sweats and ru-na oured the night sweats and distances; it cured the cough I have had from the cradle; I can say it saved my life."

Dr Hartmann has published in book form a series of lectures on various phrases of chronic catarrh, which he calls "Winter Catarrh." This book will be sent free to any address by the Pe-ru-na Drug Manufacturing Company, Columbus, Qhio.

#### Public Notice.

The Republican Primary Election will be held in the township and election districts of Pike County on May 21st, 1898, at which election is again at the Sawkill House. seven County Committeemen will be voted for, and

One Representative,

One Congressional Conferce, One Committeeman for such township and borough.

Copies of the rules adopted at the members of the County Committee the Copper River. by application, and of the Secretary ; also of the township Committee-E. PINCHOT,

Chairman Co. Com.

Rule 7 provides that twenty days before the primary election each candidate shall notify the County Chairman of his candidacy. Those, therefore, intending to be candidates should give notice on or before May 1st.

(We assume that in the above case, the wording of which would seem to imply that but seven County Committeemen, one representative, pennsylvanis, won a handsome ring one Conferee and one Township or in a voting contest in Port Jervis Climirman of the Democratic State M. & N. Y. R. R. across the river. strictly neutral, and will render no Borough Committeeman will be recently. The proceeds went to the voted for, the meaning is that those Little Wesley Church. are the officers to be voted for, but Hudson Van Etten, of Port Jerthat there is no limit to the number vis, is a gunner on board the Nash- tion. of Candidates who may run for the ville, which captured the Buena office.—ED. Press. office.-ED. PRESS.

#### The Gills in Pares Are in Swell Societee.

The Paris correspondent of a New York daily writes:

what an extraordinary lot of people they have collected together at their apartment in the Avenue Kleber! All sorts of titles, doubtful than otherwise, with a sprink- Gap, but were prevented by the rain. the Philadelphia Press on board the ling of extraordinary Americans.

The Gills are an example of When Cornelius Vanderbilt married Miss Gwynne, he found that
each of ill bealth, and is succeedeach or item for the found that
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I have been at many entertainments at the Cornelius Vanderbilts, but I never had the pleasure very much at this late day, after little difficulties of the Gills, if Greene; consideration \$150. Mr. and Mrs. Gill are living to-Perhaps they are. They may consideration \$1000. gether at the present moment. have bissed and made up.

At the entertainment, however one fails to see the name of Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, who has Minerva Hazen, dated Feb. 18 1897,

The Gills and their dogs, and their \$900. famous baboe, are in green remembrance in the minds of some Milford Halpen, dated Apil 21, lot in Mata-

#### PERSONAL.

Thomas Bradford, of Woodtown, was in town Wednesday. G. W. Chamberlain, of Lehman,

was in town Saturday last. Miss Fannie Poillon entertained a few friends, Wednesday evening. George Daumann purchased this week, a handsome upright Cornish

Nick Roman and Geo. A. Knealing, of Shohola, visited Milford last

George Robinson, of Palmyra, was at Milford, yesterday, on business matters.

Miss Nellie Myers closed her term of singing school, Tuesday evening, with a recital.

Edward Cabill is confined to his attack of pneumonia.

been visiting friends at Ridgwood, returned home this week. Mrs. Lizzie R. Ball, after visiting relatives in Orange County, return-

ed to her home this week. Ed. G. Loreaux, now of Port Jervis, but a former resident of this ed for their temerity in opening town, was here Wednesday,

Mrs. Mangie Corvelius, after an abscence of ten years in the West,

B. A. Westbrook, recompanied by Calvin Decker, of Branchville, was in Milford for a day this week.

Wm. H. Armstrong, Esq., and wife returned to Milford, Monday, from Washington, where they passed the

John H. Wood, who left his home Republican County Convention, in Shohola for the Klondike, has October 19, 1897, may be had of reached Alaska and will prospect up

> Arthur Wolfe, who successfully managed the Sawkill School the past term, closed his term of school there last Friday.

Mrs. Ebenezer Warner was taken a lawsuit in that County. eriously ill last Saturday evening and her condition has remained practically unchanged during the

Ferry, is lying very ill with pneumonia, at her home in that place, and grave fears are entertained for her recovery.

Pennsylvania, won a handsome ring

debacks near Milford.

handsome summer home which they done. will occupy in a few weeks.

Rev. Edward S. Cross, formerly

Rev. Nathaniel W. Conkling and wife, of Brocklyn, and Mrs. Mark Brodhead, of Washington, visited Milford for a couple of days this spendent who reported the Schultz

the miseries of a millionaire. many years been a successful and the miseries of a millionaire. popular landlord in Port Jervis, last

supported the whole family and in Milford several years ago, last bridge, and every thing seems to Lorenzo Gregory; in Binghampton, bode well for the new railroad proreceipt for many years of an income N. Y., sang Handel's "Where e'er bode from her sister.

I have been at many entertain. Wood's "Afterward," and Halton's pool of the company of the com "Bid me to Lave."

# Real Estate Transfers.

Same to William J. Manhart,

same day, 37 acres, Greene; con-

sideration \$50. reached Paris with her husband. | 50 acres Lackawaxen; consideration

### BRIEF MENTION.

Armstrong's store room has been seiled with Georgia Pine, which adds to its appearance.

Company E, of Honesdale, left Wednesday night ch route for Mt. Gretna, where the Guards will mo-

Forty-five men have enlisted in

The late Benjamin Cole, of Monague, carried a paid up policy on his life, of \$1,400, in the Mutual Life, of New York. We extend thanks to Hon. F. A.

Treasurer and State Commissioner strong. of Fisheries' Reports.

sylvania 10,789, New Jersey 2,962 Miss Bertha Williamson, who has and New York 12,513. Report says Elijah Van Dermark. of Delaware, will be a candidate for

the Democratic nomination for Sheriff of this County. The too previous peepers have beea several times severely punish-

their concerts prematurely. Moses Dewitt, a lawyer of Newark, is one of the vice-presidents of the Holland society of New York. He owas a fine farm near Decker-

town, N. J. The "Milford Bottling Works" A. G. Rowland, proprietor, sports a Guard as now constituted may be good team and a very neatly painted wagon, which first appeared on our vice. streets last week.

Our mortars are both trained toward the river, the balls are at hand, and it is safe to say that no Spanish

has been appointed referee to settle for the torturing and robbing David brought on. T. Armstrong & Co. will enclose

the present shed and convert it into heart, Jessie Corrine. a feed room, making the shed where the present lumber sheds are, with Mrs. Hannah Sigler, of Dingmans entrance from Gooseberry alley. A number of patriotic citizens as-

and flung "Old Glory" to the breeze, bridge in tow of three teams of hours. This action is regarded high-Miss Annie Wells, representing shots to give her the smell of powder. locomotive of which the Press has inasmuch as it shows the powers of

One of Van Tassel's teams came in town last Saturday on the go as L. W. Armstrong, wife, and you please style, having taken daughter, Mrs Fred Wilson, were in French leave of the driver at the Milford this week looking after their Half Way House. No damage was

Col. J. E. Bloom, who will be re-And now here are the William Fearing Gills, according to some of the silly dispatches, entertaining like mad in the gay capital. And

Rev. Edward S. Cross, formerly membered in connection with an attempt to build a railroad in this valley several years ago, has enrolled bridge will stand and then taken a definition of the engine. The commended the adoption of the engine in the gay capital. And weight of nine tons of the engine. It was taken up the river road poposite the pier where the new bridge will stand and then taken a country and Spain, and urged speedy quarter of a mile down the old action to the end that the definition

week, expecting to go to the Water trial, is now staff correspondent of J. Emmet Wickham, who has for flagship New York, off Havana

the Dagos are there, a shanty is built Walter H. Crabtree, who resided for them, work is progressing on the

Rev. Edgar A. Hamilton, pastor Rose what I have read of the various Manhart and wife to Philip issued a patriotic call to the people in Port Jervis. unteers during the Civil War, has vive her. of Sussex to organize into military companies.

Governor Hastings called the State Guard, Monday, and ordered yesterday. There is great enthus. Elks, at ten regiments of infantry and four the round trip.

#### Several communications were deferred until next week.

A large gang of men, with several teams, is at work taking down the Quicktown hill, this week,

J. M. Depew secured the contract yesterday for rebuilding the abutment of the bridge at Klærs mill for \$280

Dr. Edgar M. Green, of Easton the local Company of volunteers in is announced to marry Miss Mary Port Jervis, and have commenced B. Brodhead, a daughter of Edward Brodhead, of Delawnae Water Gap, early in June.

for that purpose. All, so inclined Kessler for copies of the State may leave donations with T .Arm-

ome on Broad Street, with a slight call of the President is for Penn the work of creeting them between to leave, and took his departure here and Matamoras commenced. Thursday, for France. Thursday The poles in town are from 30 to evening, the North Atlantic Squad-36 feet long and of large size.

A new bank has been organized at Washington, N. J., with a capital of fifty-thousand dollars. Why, with our prospective improvements, cannot we have a bank in Milford? It would aid business in the county very much.

The scheme for reorganizing the State Guard meets with general disapprovel and efforts are being made by prominent officials to have Secretary Alger modify it so that the entire division of the National mustered into the United States ser-

ed to marry; Patsy Banya, of the with our Government, and declaring be a dangerous and costly foe. Rev. Joseph Millet, who formerly same County, who killed Perroni that because of our injustice and Berkey ; and Frank Jongras, of Law-

# Matamoras' First Engine.

The first locomotive engine that has been in Matamoras was taken try, to withdraw their men of-war sembled last Saturday afternoon there this week across the Barrett from her ports, within twenty four companing the act with several horses. The engine is the little ly favorable to the United States,

Committee, at its meeting April 20. The engine was taken off the assistance in intervening to end the He had no opposition. June 29 is flat car in the Germantown switch war. This action will, it is thought the United States are: and put on the section track but effectually prevent the intervention it was afterward found that the of Continental Powers, as they will 22. use of the track was not necessary, not take action unless Great Britain consequently the engine was run is a party to it. on the ground in the street with-

out the use of the tracks. taken across the bridge, which diplomatic relations with the Unishook and swayed under the heavy ted States in a summary manner, quarter of a mile down the old Milford road and placed in the field where the new tool house, rails, ties and other materials are placed.

Action to the end that the definition of the international States as a belligerent power might be made known and the assertion of all her rights The engine is handsomely decorated with national colors.

# OBITUARY.

intterly in Port Jervis with her son,

and was a daughter of Jontahau Rosenoranse. Three brothers, Silas, of the Presbyterian Church of Deck. of Barryville, N.Y., James and Oliertown, a descendent of Alexander ver, of Lackawaxen, and two sisters of meeting either Mr. or Mrs. Arthur Kimble to A. J. Kimble, Hamilton, the Statesman, and who William Fearing Gill and I doubt dated April 9,19 acres Palmyra; con-The funeral was held last Monday

### Excursion Tickets to New Orleans, La.

On account of the meeting of Ben-

brance in the minds of some Milford people.

They christened the baby! and Mr. G. got up an entertainment for belaware; consideration exchange of property.

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H. I. Courtright Sheriff to Frank and—yes perhaps some felks here will be proud to recall their associations with that captivating and swell pair of beauties.

Halpen, dated Apil 21, lot in Matemoras; consideration \$215.

Rev. Charles Ecattie, of Middle—town, preached a sermon in that city recently which did not teem with the loftiest patriotic sentiments. He rather abhors the present with Spain, and intimates that we ought to applicate.

H. I. Courtright Sheriff to Frank and sociations should be producted affair and reflects and the numerons slight allments and and intimates that we ought to applicate.

H. I. Courtright Sheriff to Frank and social tickets—gobbled the proceeds, and—yes perhaps some folks here will be proud to recall their associations with that captivating and swell pair of beauties.

H. I. Courtright Sheriff to Frank and social tickets—gobbled the proceeds, and with a liminent has no equal. William Hinailne, dated April 4, 72 acres belaware; consideration \$900.

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# RESUME OF CUBAN EVENTS.

last week was signed by the Presi- proprietary medicines, etc. substandent, and accompanied with his ul- tially as existed in 1866. These taxes timatum was immediately transmit- it is estimated will raise from ninety ted to the Spanish Government. to one-hundred million dollars a year. His demand was that Spain with- It is also proposed to issue five hundraw her forces from, and abandon dred millions of ten-twenty I per Cuba before Saturday, April 28d., cent coin bonds to be offered as a and failing to do so, he would employ popular loan. the force authorized by the resoluhe was handed his passports on been made, Wednesday, and informed that diplomatic relations between the two ron, under command of Capt. Sampson, left Key West and took a position outside the harbor, preparatory, to sailing early Friday morning tor Cuban waters. While lying outside, merchantman, the Buena Ventura, large steamship loaded with lumber. The President, April 23, issued shore batteries. a call for 125,000 volunteers to serve and Bahia Honda, and the port of one of Spain's gravest problems.

Cienfuegos on the south coast. April 23, the House of Represent-

This Government cut the Havana rence County, who killed his sweet- Cable Sunday, and General Blanco is now cut off from all communications

with Spain. On Sunday, Great Britain served notice on both Spam and this coun-

Monday, President McKinley sent to Congress a brief message in which It was put on the tracks and he recited Spain's action in ending in the conduct of a republic may be pieces of the Arbitrium Club. Upassured.

ty-one seconds, passed the following

Be it enacted; First.-That war be and the same is hereby declared to of Spain.

Second.-That the President of the efforts. United States be, and he is hereby itia of the several States to such an to depart extent as may be necessary to carry this act into effect.

Same to Philip M. Manhart, dated the militia to mobilize at Mt. Gretna evolent and Protective Order of his advanced age, felt that the duties clarinet, and Mr. Beirne, violinist. New Orleans, La., the of his responsible office should be Much of the pleasure of dancing de-Heirs of Michael Clifford to dinerva Hazen, dated Feb. 18 1897; every town is raising a company.

The quota of this State is 10,762, and some superposed from the control of the president appoint.

The quota of this State is 10,762, return up to May 31st., at \$35.40 for the president appoint. ed to succeed him, Judge William R. particular.

re-coal in British waters without Inquire at PRESS OFFICE.

#### special permission, in three months. Chairman Dingley, has reported a War Revenue Bill which increases the taxes on beer, tobacco, wines, mineral water, etc., and a stamp tax The resolution passed by Congress on documents, instruments, checks

Patriotic citizens purpose raising tion. Before Gen. Woodford, the Havana and the guns of Morro Cas- of ceremonies, and the exercises a large flag, on the High Knob, and Minister to Spain, could lay the re- tie have fired on some of the ves-

Poles have been delivered for the countries were ended. He therenp which are in a state of revolt, and tations, interspersed with singing for Manilla, in the Phillipine Islands, was followed by a number of reci-The quota of volunteers under the Hudson River Telephone Co. and on made immediate preparations it is probable the first naval battle by the pupils, after which County will be fought there.

The Spanish fleet is preparing to interesting talk on trees, their useleave, or may have already left the fulness, and the necessity for plant-Cape de Verde islands, but its destination is unknown.

meet Admiral Dewey's squadron at the Nashville captured a Spanish the Phillipine Islands, and it is probable that a naval engagement will soon be fought under cover of the handsome one which the children

The Cape Verde fleet having been for two years or until the close of ordered out of port by Portugal will the war, and issued a proclamation likely go to Catiz, Spain. There is formally announcing blockade of one insuperable difficulty to its the assembled audience that they the north coast of Cuba, including crossing the Atlantic, the necessity ports on said coast between Cardenas | for coal. The fuel problem will be

Russia has signified her friendliness to this country, Great Britain Five murderers suffered the ex- atives passed the Army Re-organiza- and France have declared neutraltreme penalty, in Pennsylvania, tion bill. Sunday, April 24, Spain ity, and Spain will be compelled to last Tuesday. Fred K. Rockwell, issued formal announcement that a fight her battles alone; but the peoin Elk County, for the murder of state of war exists between the two ple must not be deceived with the Gunboat can get within a dangerous Louis Haines, whose wife he wish- countries, annulling the treaties idea that she cannot, and will not

John and James, of Somerset Co., conduct, the grave conflict has been declining to culist. She will stay at

naval engagement is likely to enue there at any moment. Our Gunboats have bombarded and silenced the batteries at Matan- Arbor Pay Proclamation,—Mark zas, fifty miles from Havana. No Spanish shots hit our vdssels, but Origin and History of Arbor Daythey lost quite heavily. Spain is sending gunboats in the Mediterrancan to sieze American yachts,

Prizes of American Ships. The Spanish vessels matured by

Buena Ventura Steam Pedro, Steamship, April 29.

Mathilda, Sellocator, April 23. Mignel Jover Steambap, Apr. 24. Catalina, Steamshop, April 24, Sabaticina, stonorchip, April 23; Canolita, Sissmalip, April 25. Panaras, Steemship, April 25. Paquete, Sloop, April 25. Pirense, Schooner, April 25,

# Hop at Farnum's Hall.

Pleasure reigned supreme at Farnum's Hall uptown Monday evening, and the assertion of all her rights on the occasion of the opening of a and maintenance of all her duties series of hops given under the ausward of two hundred guests were in visiting Milford this week with his The House, in one minute and for- attendance and the splendid array of wife, was obliged to get boards and elegant costumes worn by the ladies lay them over one of the principal present made the affair an unusually crossways on Broad street to enable brilliant one.

Miss Mary Squires, a very charm- over shoe top deep. This state of exist, and that war has existed since ing and musically accomplished affairs is a disgrace to the town. the twenty-first of April 1828, inclu young lady, with a talent for organ- During the past week it has been ding said day, between the United izing social functions, was the pre- almost impossible for pedestrians She was born near Shohola in 1809. States of America and the Kingdom siding genius of the occasion, and to cross the streets. The few crossits success was largely due to her ways laid by former town councils

directed and empowered to use the evening, and in the fascinating pas. of Broad and Harford there are none. entire land and naval forces of the time, the hours sped merrily by un. We do not like to call attention to United States, and to call into actual til the lateness of the hour admon- these matters too frequently, but service of the United States the mil- ished the revellers that it was time there seems to be no other resource.

Music of a superior quality was furnished by an orchestra consisting Secretary Sherman, by reason of of Mary Squires, pianist, Mr. Davis,

in the near future. It was a very are expecting a large influx of board-

# ARBOR DAY EXERCISES.

THE MILPORD SCHOOLS OBSERVE THE OCCABION.

Last Friday, the day named by Governor Hastings as Arbor Day, was observed by the Milford schools with very suitable and interesting exercises. The children were out in force and a number of parents and friends manifested their desire to encourage the efforts made by the teachers by being present. Prof. John C. Watson, Principal of the Our War Squadron is in sight of Grammar Department, was master one gentleman has contributed \$25 quest before the Spanish authorities sels, but no bombardment has yet Day—and after prayer, Prof. Bayard Nichols, of the Intermediate The fleet of cruisers has sailed Department, made an address. This Superintendent Sawyer gave a very ing them. Other addresses were made by the pastors of the churches, The Spanish fleet has moved to and many of the pupils took part in recitations and songs. Flags were freely displayed and the primary school was especially happy with a bad bought for themselves. The several participants among the children all acquitted themselves with great credit, and were earnest fully appreciated the day and its real spirit.

Care should be taken in planting the trees and it might be proper to plant several on the school yard. Sentiment is very proper to cultivate, but the active practice of planting the trees and inculcating the idea that the children have in them a personal interest, is also proper, and leads to a practical recogpreached in the Montague Church, Essifia; and the Roddy brothers, provocation, and by our detestable York was practically unanimous in day was inaugurated in Nebraska in 1872. The order of exercises was as follows

Our fleet is nearing Manila and Song-Arbor Day of the Republicby Schools Introductory Remarks—Prof. Eay-ard Nichols.

Liberty Tree-Recitation-Etta Kipp. Ryder.

Dudley Ryman, Dignity of Trees—Percy Hart. Naming parts of an apple-Lowis

Gregory, Arbor Day—Song—Primary School. Address—Supt. Sawyer. Facts About Trees—Pupils. Trees and the Alphabet—Interme-

diate Department. Address—Rev. W. R. Neff. Arbutus—Allie Emerson. Arbor Day—Willie Vantassel. Historical Trees—Primary Department Mamma's Trees-Hetty Unsworth.

April Showers—Dorothy Baker. Red, White and Blue—Primary Department. Address—Rev. Thos. Nichols. Our National Flower-Virginia Mott You'd Scarce Expect-Max Arm-

strong. I Wonder—Herbert Ryman. Tree Planting-Recitation and Song-Schools Arbor Day-Song-Schools. Three Trees-Etta Decker.

# America—By the Schools. Planting the tree. Our Muddy Streets.

A gentleman from out of town the lady to pass. The mud was across Broad street have been Dancing was the diversion of the covered with mud, and lengthwise The condition of the town so far as its streets and sidewalks go is simply disgraceful, and the more money spent under incompetent management, the worse they are. It would be a happy day for us to get sufficient intelligence in our Council to work the streets with some degree of are now far worse than country The success of the first hop of the be simply unbearable, unless roads, and this summer the dust will streams of water are turned on them to keep it down. Landlords ers, and therefore the town may receive more advertising as well as criticism by those coming here, and it is to the interest of all to To LET, on Harford street, fur- have our surrounding, and especially our streets and sidewalks, as cleanly and attractive as possible.