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J. H. Van Zitteren, Publisher, Milford, Pike County, Pa.

With a balance of over \$7000 in the county treasury, what is the matter with a reduction in the rate of county taxes?

Will the new school house, if built, resemble the Borough Building in utility of design and beauty of architecture.

Hon. Samuel W. Pennypacker was inaugurated governor Tuesday and Hon. William Brown took out of office as lieutenant governor.

R. P. Linderman, a son of Garrett B. Linderman, died at his home in South Bethlehem Wednesday of blood poisoning. His age was about 53 years.

Hon. J. D. Honck has been appointed on three committees, constitutional reform, federal relations, and forestry.

Bart Jardon will leave town next Monday for Annapolis, Md., where he has a situation in Carvel Hall.

Mrs. Wm. McGowan lost a couple of quite valuable rings recently.

Richard E. Humbert and wife went to New York today for a visit of several days.

Rev. Elliston J. Parot of Wisselickon, Pa., has accepted a call to the Episcopal church here and will begin his duties January 25th.

Invitations have been received here to the marriage of Miss Sara, daughter of Mrs. Harriet Lane, and David Mott Walls, which event will take place in the Central Methodist church in Newberry, South Carolina, February fifteenth.

The editor of the Atlanta Constitution, who has just returned to his mansion from a trip to Cuba, says that he was "superlative chumps" when we let Cuba go, since the island is very rich in natural resources and would be a desirable acquisition. Perhaps we did lose something material when we gave Cuba her promised freedom. However, we did not lose our self-respect, to say nothing of the good opinion of the world.

Cambridge Springs a Winter Resort

AND WHY

The idea that because "a change" is needed it is necessary at this season to go to some much warmer climate, is not always correct. Such a course may sometimes be necessary, but in nervous troubles, disorder of the digestive functions, kidney complaints and many others, nothing is gained, and much is often lost by breathing an enervating atmosphere when vitality and vigor more are needed. Besides, one is seldom comfortable in such places because there are cold days there, with no facilities to meet them.

The best place to thoroughly enjoy and benefit by cold weather is at a dry, oceanic atmosphere, with ample preparations for keeping warm, a generous table, good society, opportunity for exercise indoors, such as enclosed balconies, sun parlors, etc. Add to these the health-giving waters of Cambridge Springs, Pa., and you have an ideal place to spend the winter, or any part of it. If not informed as to Cambridge Springs ask any Erie Ticket Agent for illustrated booklet, or send to D. W. Cooke, G. P. A., Erie Railroad, New York.

A Good Recommendation

"I have noticed that the sale on Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets is almost invariably to those who have used them," says Mr. J. H. Weber, a prominent druggist of Cascade, Iowa. "What better recommendation could any medicine have than for people to call for it when again in need of such remedy? Try them when you feel dull after eating, when you have a bad taste in your mouth, feel bloated, have no appetite or when troubled with constipation, and you are certain to be delighted with the prompt relief which they afford." For sale by A. W. Balch and Son, Matamoras, and all drug and general stores in Pike county.

An Ancient Foe

To health and happiness is Scrophulous as ugly as ever since time immemorial. It causes hunches in the neck, disfigures the skin, inflames the mucous membrane, wastes the muscles, weakens the bones, reduces the power of resistance to disease and the capacity for recovery, and develops into consumption.

"A hunch appeared on the left side of my neck. It caused great pain, was lanced, and became a running sore. I went into a general druggist. I was persuaded to try Hood's Sarsaparilla, and when I had taken six bottles my neck was healed, and I have never had any trouble of the kind since." Mrs. E. T. Stevens, Troy, Ohio.

Hood's Sarsaparilla and Pills

will rid you of it, radically and permanently, as they have rid thousands.

Candidates Nominated

Borough democrats have nominated the following ticket: Chief burgess—J. C. Chamberlain. Town council—J. E. Boyd, Albert Helms.

Collector—John C. Wallace. Auditor—Frank Schorr. Overseer poor—Lorenz Geiger. Justice peace—J. H. Ludwig. Judge election—A. Q. Wallace. Inspector—C. E. Watson. School directors, Independent District—H. E. Emerson, F. A. Beck. School auditor—Frank Van Campen.

REPUBLICAN

Burgess—William Angle. Councilman—John Ryder, W. B. Kenworthy.

Collector—J. C. Wallace. Auditor 3 yrs—Albert Radolph. Auditor 1 yr—P. N. Bourneque. Justice peace—J. H. Ludwig. Judge election—F. B. Thrall. Inspector—J. H. Van Etten. School directors, Independent District—W. T. Struble, E. G. Barkley. Auditor—E. Q. Cole.

MILFORD TOWNSHIP—DEMOCRATIC

Supervisors—Moses Doyle, C. Herman. Overseer poor—El. Quinn. Collector—D. B. Olmstead. Judge election—J. C. Bull. Inspector—John H. Daumann. Auditor—Henry McCarty. Clerk—Daniel B. Olmstead.

DIXONIAN—DEMOCRATIC

Supervisors—E. A. Greening, Ed. Travis, C. J. Balleau, N. W. Holden. Overseer poor—George B. Quinn. Collector—R. J. Hoffman. Auditor—John P. Lauer. School directors—J. W. Greening, Louis J. Haason. Judge election—Alex. Gavaille. Inspector—George Briard. Clerk—John E. Olmstead.

DELAWARE—DEMOCRATIC

Supervisors—Daniel Jagger, Isaac Smith, John D. Hanna, J. Schrieber. School directors—George Darragh, Harry L. Briscoe. Justice peace—A. A. Albright. Collector—Isiah Hornbeck. Judge election—George Middaugh. Inspector—Gilbert C. Crono. Overseer poor—John McGrogan. Auditor—Oscar Lakin. Clerk—W. B. Layton.

REPUBLICAN

Supervisor—Joseph Snyder. School director—Irving C. Angle. Judge election—Miles Wittsell. Inspector—Ralph Angle. Overseer poor—Levi Howell. Auditor—Frank Rosenkrantz.

LACKAWANNA—DEMOCRATIC

Supervisors—No. 1, I. B. Rosenkrantz, 2 Pierce Harberthier, 2 Chas. Hannan, 4 W. P. Kirkham, 5 J. A. Brinkman. School directors—M. J. Hanson, Ira B. Rosenkrantz. Auditor—A. F. Boettcher. Overseer poor—A. G. Rowland. Justice Peace—John Bartholomae. Clerk—Henry Dewitt. Collector—Joseph Dodan. Judge election—James Grady. Inspector—George Williams.

The report of the director of the mint shows a record-breaking gold production for 1902 of almost \$22,000,000. The highest point reached during the California gold fever of 1895 was \$23,000,000, while in 1883 the total was down to \$30,000,000. The past year has been a notable one in the country's financial history. The aggregate money supply was larger than ever before, as was also the per capita circulation. The gold held in the treasury, the gold owned by the government, and the gold in actual circulation were all greater than in any previous year. It is predicted, however, that 1902 stands an excellent chance, with present prosperous conditions continuing, to outdo last year.

New Gentry Content

Millions are daily finding a world of comfort in Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It kills pain from burns, scalds, cuts, bruises, contusions, ulcers and fever sores; cures eruptions, salt rheum, boils and felonies, rashes, corns and warts. Best pile cure on earth. Only 25c at all drug stores.

Presbyterian Chronicalings

(By Rev. E. M. Smead.)

The sermon next Sabbath morning will be upon "The Temptation of Jesus." There are none who are unacquainted with temptations from many and varied sources and all such should receive comfort and help from this sermon. All are most cordially invited to come. The evening topic will be announced at the morning service.

The Christian Endeavor meeting on last Sunday night was very interesting and the subject was of unusual suggestiveness. It was "Endeavors in Training for Church Work." Miss Pauline Friel led the meeting and as it was the first time she had ever conducted a meeting we feel that she has set a splendid example for the society. The pastor is very much pleased with the work the young people are doing and hopes they may never show signs of "weariness in well doing."

Next Wednesday's prayer meeting will be "The Place and Power of Personal Work in Our Church Life"—Dan. 12:13. There are many verses of scripture that bear upon this subject besides the one chosen. It would add interest and profit to the meeting if the ladies and young people would bring their bibles and read verses of scripture that occur to them in connection with the subject. This is only a suggestion and the trial of it would prove whether it is a good one or not.

The Normal Bible class is studying Palestine or the land where Jesus lived and suffered and wrought out human redemption. It is a most interesting land for very many reasons. May we not have a full attendance of the class for next time. We take lesson xv for next time with a review of the two preceding lessons.

The quarterly calendar has been a benefit to our work and deserves a mention. Our city friends have commended it very highly and all who have seen it have spoken only words of praise. Some of the congregation have been gratified with the fact that it has eliminated the announcements from the pulpit to a very large degree. The pastor appreciates this also. Those who may wish copies may secure them of the pastor or after services from the usher at the church door.

The young people will please remember the consecration meeting next Sunday evening. The subject is "Chinese Missions" but there will be no restrictions made to the consecration feature of the meeting. Let each endeavor come and bring a friend.

Almost unanimous support is claimed for the Cuban treaty now that it provides specifically that no further reduction of the sugar tariff shall be made for a period of at least five years. This concession has resulted in the withdrawal of the entire best sugar opposition. At the same time it is now announced that the treaty will be ratified in the Cuban congress by a large majority.

RUTS

The walking sick, what a crowd of them there are: Persons who are thin and weak but not sick enough to go to bed.

"Chronic cases" that's what the doctors call them, which in common English means—long sickness.

To stop the continued loss of flesh they need Scott's Emulsion. For the feeling of weakness they need Scott's Emulsion.

It makes new flesh and gives new life to the weak system.

Scott's Emulsion gets thin and weak persons out of the rut. It makes new, rich blood, strengthens the nerves and gives appetite for ordinary food.

Scott's Emulsion can be taken as long as sickness lasts and do good all the time.

There's new strength and flesh in every dose.

Advertisement for Scott's Emulsion featuring an image of a man carrying a large fish on his back. Text: "We will be glad to send you a few doses free." "SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, 409 Pearl St., N. Y. 50c and \$1.00 bottles."

Advertisement for Lion Coffee. Text: "Lion Coffee is 16 ounces of pure coffee to the pound. Coated Coffees are only about 14 ounces of coffee and two ounces of eggs, glue, etc., of no value to you, but money in the pocket of the roaster." Includes an image of a lion.

Methodist Church Jottings.

(By Rev. C. E. Schompp.) The topics for next Sabbath are, "The Shining Way," and "The Sinner's Friend."

Beginning with one week from next Sabbath morning a series of sermons will be preached on the Apostles' Creed. Each Sabbath morning we say, I believe. That is right. We must have a creed. We must believe something. We will look a little closely at this faith of the universal church and see if there is not something in it that we have not yet fully grasped. A thorough acceptance of this creed will fortify us against many dangers as well as feed us with spiritual food, exceedingly nourishing.

A change in the arrangements for the lecture course has been made necessary by the illness of Dr. Gilbert. The next in order of entertainments will be the recital, James Whitcomb Riley, by Charles Kemble, on Monday evening the 16th of February. Dr. Gilbert has been absent from his work for the past month but is much improved in health now and will give his lecture on "Courtship and Marriage" sometime in March. Mr. Kemble has made a great hit with his recital and is at present in great demand. No one can afford to miss this treat.

Twenty-seven dollars have been raised and forwarded, to help furnish our Conference Seminary at Hacketstown. This is one of the best equipped institutions in America and is enjoying great prosperity. Any young people who anticipate going away to school can do no better than attend this school. It was a source of much pleasure to us to learn that the daughter of our presiding elder, Dr. Wright, is among the best students of the seminary, stand second in her class.

Good schools are the next greatest national blessing after good churches. We look forward to the time when in this place those who are laboring to advance the intellectual life of our young people will have more inspiring quarters. Three cheers for a new school building.

GREENTOWN.

Frank Gilpin has gone to Scranton to seek employment on the D. L. & W. railroad.

Mrs. F. N. Cross is visiting her sister, Mrs. Mary Horace of Starling.

Bessie Crocker, aged seventeen, who died recently, was carried to her final resting place on Sunday, January 18. A large number of relatives and friends gathered to pay their last tribute of respect. The widowed mother and family have the heartfelt sympathy of the entire neighborhood.

Rev. C. W. Clewell had charge of the services.

We are glad to announce that Rev. Thomas Hooper is again able to be out and will soon be able to attend to his pastoral duties.

The republican caucus was held in the voting house Tuesday evening, January 20.

Those interested are highly engaged putting up a supply of ice. With a fair crop, good weather and good sleighing ice gatherers need find no fault.

SILVER LAKE

W. E. Adams, who has been on the sick list, is improving under the care of Dr. Hughes.

Miss Emily Jagger of Chatham, N. J., is visiting relatives and friends in this vicinity.

The ice houses around the lake are about all filled.

Mr. and Mrs. August Mercer visited the ladies' parents of Leav. Monday last Sunday.

The sleighing is getting rather thin, a few inches of snow would improve it.

The Spirit of Winter The Spirit of Winter is with us, making its presence known in different ways—sometimes by heavy sunshades and glistening snows, and sometimes by driving winds and blinding storms. To many people it seems to take a delight in making bad things worse. For rheumatism twinges sharper, colds sharper, and the many symptoms of scrophulous are developed and aggravated. There is not much poetry in this, but here is truth, and it is a wonder that more people don't get rid of these ailments. The medicine that cures them—Hood's Sarsaparilla—is easily obtained and there is abundant proof that its cures are radical and permanent.

LEHMAN.

We have had some pretty cold weather for the past week. The man who predicted an "open" winter was fully mistaken.

Stoll Jagger and Maurice Young have been making railroad ties for Wallace Bentley this week.

County Superintendent Westbrock visited some of the schools of Lehman during the first of the week.

There will be but few removals in this vicinity next spring.

David Benson of Beaver Run, N. J., has been making an extended visit to relatives in Delaware and Lehman.

The population of Lehman is gradually decreasing. The loss during the last decade is slightly four. Alpheus Bentley, our enterprising butcher, has given us the amount of different meats which he has disposed of since April 10, 1902, until Jan. 1, 1903. The list is as follows: 53 hogs, 294 hams, 70 veals, 23 hogs, 230 chickens, 410 pounds Bologna and 1700 pounds of western beef.

The days of the pine trees that were considered almost worthless are numbered. They are being cut down and hauled to Bushkill at the rate of two carloads per day.

Alva Bentley, son of J. M. Bentley, Jr. cut his foot quite badly last Thursday while cutting ties.

"Some time ago my daughter caught a severe cold. She complained of pains in her chest and had a bad cough. I gave her Chamberlain's Cough Remedy according to directions and in two days she was well and able to go to school. I have used this remedy in my family for the past seven years and have never known it to fail," says James Prendergast, merchant, Annetta Bay, Jamaica, West Indian Islands. The pains in the chest indicated an approaching attack of pneumonia, which in this instance was undoubtedly warded off by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It counteracts any tendency of a cold toward pneumonia. For sale by A. W. Balch and Son, Matamoras, and all drug and general stores in Pike county.

"You will never have 'tariff reform' to suit the people so long as the manufacturer virtually sits in committee and writes the schedule." Representative Richardson, democratic leader in the house, in interview in the Washington Star. How about the great "tariff reform" of 1893, when the importer sat in committee and wrote all the schedules ruining American manufacturers, and when the sugar trust sat likewise and wrote out its schedule?

Rev. J. M. Yingling, pastor of the Bedford St. M. E. church, Cumberland, Md., says: "It affords me great pleasure to recommend Chamberlain's Cough, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. I have used it and others who have never known it to fail. For sale by A. W. Balch and Son, Matamoras, and all drug and general stores in Pike county."

Advertisement for Armstrong's Cough Mixture. Text: "DON'T NEGLECT COUGHS. Nature might cure your cough without aid, but you can't afford to chance it. A cough that is left to 'care itself' is slowly overcome at best, and there is apt to be some weakness left to make the next cough come easier. ARMSTRONG'S COUGH MIXTURE is nature's best assistant. It makes the cure easy, quick and thorough. It is perfectly harmless, and is equally good for old and young."

Advertisement for C.O. Armstrong Druggist. Text: "C.O. ARMSTRONG DRUGGIST. Fire Insurance. OLD RELIABLE COMPANIES. RATES REASONABLE. Charles G. Wood, Agt. Successor to J. J. Hart. Office in rear of Redhouse on Ann St. Milford, Pike Co., Pa."

Advertisement for Ryman & Wells. Text: "DON'T TOBACCO SPIT and SMOKE Your Life Away! You can be cured of any form of tobacco using early life, be made well, strong, energetic, full of new life and vigor by taking 60-70-80-90 that makes weak men strong. Money paid in ten days. Over 500,000 bottles sold. All Druggists. One guaranteed bottle cures. Address: RYMAN & WELLS, 412 N. W. W. CHICAGO or NEW YORK, 411."

Advertisement for Blue Front Stables. Text: "Blue Front Stables, Port Jervis, N. Y. Adjoining Gannett's Union House (head), carriage, fruit and farm horses for sale. Exchange made. A large stock from which to make selections. CANAL ST. Hiram Towner."

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Wyckoff's New York Store News

Third Week of RUMMAGE SALE

Economy will prompt you to buy liberally. The money loss is ours, but there is good merchandising sense in giving you the buying benefit. Read on.

Cloaks and Suits. The fact not to be lost sight of is that these cloaks, except three, are all this year's garments, tailored in top notch of style. You know the good values they were before, now see. Prices did run on ladies', \$5 to \$17. They are \$4 to \$11. Children's were \$6.50 to \$9, are now \$5 to \$6. Three electric seal jackets, were \$20 to \$25 are now \$12.50.

Suits and Skirts. With but few exceptions all this season's suits with silk drop skirts all-wool material, prices last were \$8 to \$18 are now \$6 to \$14. Liberal reduction all along the line of skirts.

Waists: Silk and Flannel waists are now an indispensable and independent article of dress. All up-to-date, made from best material in the newest style. Silk waists that were \$4 to \$5.95 are now \$3 to \$4.50. Flannel waists were \$1.50 to \$2.75, now \$1 to \$2.50. Two lots of black saten waists, all sizes represented, were \$1 to \$1.25, now 75c to \$1.

Furs. Past has been one of the most successful for seasons we ever had, leaving our stock of ladies' scarfs nearly all sold. A few left, in genuine mink, that were \$12 to \$14, now \$9 to \$10. Good imitations of stone marten at \$4, good value at \$5. A few misses' fur sets—scarf and bonnet—were \$5 to \$7, now \$3.50 to \$5. Children's fur sets were \$2.75 to \$3.75 are now \$1.95 to \$2.75. Best of it is there—lots of good winter weather ahead of us and then ready for next season.

WYCKOFF'S NEW YORK STORE

Advertisement for Port Jervis Business Institute. Text: "PORT JERVIS BUSINESS INSTITUTE WYCKHAM BUILDING Geo. Oakley, Principal PORT JERVIS, N. Y."

Advertisement for Table Dainties. Text: "Table Dainties. Fresh groceries. Canned goods. Meats in every form. Turkeys and chickens. Oysters and vegetables. Everything for an elegant dinner at GUMBLE BROS. Harford St. Milford Pa."

Advertisement for Ryman & Wells. Text: "HOLIDAYS ARE ALMOST HERE. YOU ARE THINKING OF PRESENTS MAY BE USEFUL MAY BE ORNAMENTAL. WE HAVE ALMOST EVERY THING TO EAT, TO WEAR OR LOOK AT. PRETTY AND GOOD AND BEST OF ALL CHEAP. WE WANT TO PLEASE YOU AND WE WILL. Ryman & Wells."

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