NO. 19,

O, shief of the Sandy Scraglio! O boss of superfluous cats! I'm sorry for you, and I'll tell you How you can get sld of your spats; Your rows with your wires and the nation Will end with this one stroke of wit:

Indulge to a new revelation-That's It! Don's grumble of sland and libel, Nor talk about hiving away— Hatch out a new loaf for your Bible

The examination of Reed Smoot, Apostle, elected to the Senate from Utah, is proceeding before the Committie on Elections of the Senate, seventeen Mormon witnesses are presen , summoned and brought hither by the government. At their head church, Joseph F. Smith, a nephew of the celebrated founder of that re ligion. Before a committee of senators he yesterday stated that he had children, since the government manifestive and when saked why he had disobeyed the law proclaimed in that prohibition, he frankly stated that to and he preferred to receive any pun-Ishment that might be inflicted. He said that he had not married an additional wife since that time and that no Morman had added to his wives since that prohibition was issued. The purpose of the anti-Smoot crusaders is to prove that Senator Smoot represents the church and not the state, but the president denied this roundly and repeatedly declared that the church had nothing whatever to do with the election of civil officers.

On the 23rd inst, the senate indulged in a spirited running debate on the naval appropriation bill, as presented by Senator Hale of Maine. In round numbers the bill will carry one hundred millions of dollars for the next fiscal year. While this is a very large sum Senator Hale admitted that if the naval program is carried out, in a few years the naval establishment will cost two hundred millions of dollars annually, and there will be 90,000 sallors affoat. This will make the navy of the United States second only to that of England. Expansion, and the retention of the Philippine island, was given as the reason why such a great navy is needed. Senator Depew pictured glowingly the great results that might be expected to flow from our Oriental commerce when each of the four hundred millions of Chinese wears a cotton shirt made in America and eats Parker House biscuit made of American grown wheat. Already the government has a fleet of twenty-four war ships in Asiatle waters to protect American interests. Incidentally, the question arose the guns on the new ship should be mounted in revolving turrels, or on platforms, en' barbette, as in the English navy. As no one could answer this technical question it was dropped. There was little opposition to the bill and it will pass.

now be in order. As the senate has danger lies in the middle avenue, confirmed the commissioners selected by the president and their \$10,000 more, in order to make it possible to

The government is going to help out the farmer; show him how to conduct a farm, pay part of the ex- A negro sat with low bowed head penses and let him pocket the resulting profits. The farms will be called | Asking why the cold hand of fate United States diversification farms. Had left for cfaves eruel blot. The first one is to be situated near Upon one man and not the other Upon himself and not his brother "Most I forever be a slave." are to operated in the Southern states. feed for live stock. This may be When in Heaven when we've died' So why on earth this unjust state When in Heaven they know ne slank hogs or dairy cattle. Seeds and one "Must I forever be a slave." half of the fertilizers, will be given, He raised his low bowed head month

to extend the birth day ecistration of the republican party. It costs more liefore a year had passed away The membra rice, was heard the republican party. It costs more than \$2,000 a year to eaten White House counts and send them back to the towns whence they came.—A host of the advocates of the service "Must I forever be a slave."

THE WASHINGTON LETTER pension bill have been laboring with TREMENDOUS ICE GORGES. the president to secure his influence for the measure. Thus far he is noncommittal. It is now said the bill been the worst ever known in the will take but \$19,000,000 per year, history of the town. The pack favor of putting timber lands to their week, and when the masses of toe town on Harford street were bought empte of months. best use.—The president has been from above as far as Lackawaxen, by John C. Beck for \$685. advised that it should not take more came sweeping down on the crest of The equal undivided three-fourths than 30 days to hand over the money the tunniltious water it was halted of 672 acres in Milford township were and close the Panama deal.

Gen. C. H. Grosvenor, of Ohio, is the venerable president of the Washington attending the Smoot the Red Cross society. There is curtosity to know how the funds have waters have receded they are seen secured by the Egypt Mills Club for seen expended.—Senator Quay, of lying near the site. five wives who had borne him eleven Pennsylvania, appeared in the senate on the 3rd inst., quite tanned by streets of Port Jervis, coming in ware, comprising 324 acres, was bid Sept. 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10. Florida sunshine, but evidently not over the Brie flats, and innundated to \$800 and withdrawn. improved in health. He has the the whole of the village lying below Nine shares of stock of the Milford desert his wives and abandon his a cat map as soon as he sits down .- far up as the Gazette office, rushed were withdrawn \$23 being offered. innocent children would be unmanly John Mitchell of the labor unions, down Ball street and submerged to Eight shares Milford Water comstudying art. He paints portraits, with toe and water. The Senator has just been subjected to a small but painful surgical oper-

MAXIMS AND VERSE

We Publish Below Some Lines from the Pen of Our Townsman, John Arnold Watte

The time to think of repentance is when temptation is still before you.

* * * Man may overcome nature for a time, but she always wins in the end.

Dante saw hell. He probably deserved to see it. The just see heaven with much less exertion. . . .

. If your enlightened mind reveals to you, your soul, remember the lowest savage has one likewise,

Common religious chanting is but mechanical. Soulful prayer and righteons deeds are Godly worship.

. . .

THE RESERVE

principle, to them true and secred.

N . S . S. MUST I POREVER HE A SLAVE. Bemouning his miserable lot

One fourth of a farm not less than The tears rolled down his shou cheeks Which in vain he tried to hide fifty acres may be planted with cotton; "One God arnst be for us all" he said.

and an impector will call once a His eyes grow bright and clear month. Showed he lind solved a problem que The president has not decided whether he can go to Jackson, Mich., to attend the birth day ecistration of

The lee gorge at Port Jervie has Real Property was not in Demand -A delegation of foresters has called Punkies resisted the water which late P. A. L. Quick occurred Tuesday town Wednesday. at Matamoras and the river over. bid to \$175 and withdrawn. flowed Port Jervis. The rising ice The G. D. Williams farm of 9) will come back to congress for the carried away the New York span of acres in Dingman township was not and promises not to do so again. So 'cleck Tuesday evening, and it was withdrawn. -While ex-Secretary Carilale is in about 10 o'clock, reports say the House on lot 18, Matamoras was other span was lifted off the founda- bought by L. W. Quick for \$795. \$110.

will entertain society after Lent .- with back water to their roofs, and Michael Uch for \$550. Senator Spooner has a son who is Laurel Grove cemetery was covered

> On this side the water found a but not bid for. new channel, coming on the flats at The property sold bought a total of Rebecca Baker, of Philadelphia. farm and continued past the Hickory Tuesday, March 15, at 2 p. m. Grove House down along the road, which was covered 5 or 6 feet deep, and returned to the river just below hill above the Half-Way House

saved.

Slave of impure habits rend asunder ran across Metz's farm, but at no street commissioner. the chains that bind you. Let your time was the ice raised to within 10 or 12 feet of the Milford bridge, and that structure appears safe from

Effects of Inbresding .

hypocrites and smooth tongued fewer, continue the experiment, the next both sides the river. Work on the Panama canal will still the very lowest. The greatest season use a cock of the last season's production, with pullets of the same blood. That is, keep one of the half-Habits are nearly hereditary, like-bred Plymouth Rocks and mate him salaries now begin to run, they will wise most diseases. They travel hand with a few of the half-bred pullets. take a trip to the zone and look over in hand. A strong will overcomes the ground. It is proposed to raise from the eggs had by the half-bred mile Tuesday, March 15, 1904, at 2 choice season for that company to pullets will revert to their grandams, secure drainage. Admiral Walker is The time to do justice to great men and instead of being uniform, like Milford, Pa. not as optimistic as could be wished, is during their lives. Nearly all men the cross from the pure Plymouth not as optimistic as could be wished. Is during men need to them and their decirines linet, will come of all colors, shapes Hall! property, a fine three story in front and five story in rear, brick will be begun immediately, except through life, after death nearly all are suid sizes (when larger). By inbresttentatively, are very much mistaken. With them. Think of the panes of ing the uniformity is destroyed, be-No digging for two years yet. It is opposition, which is but an aggregate cause the parents are not pure-bred, cent grove of trees and all the up- strongle, when it is remembered that proposed to invite the president to grant with the president to them while struggling to forward a the first shovelfull of turf.

Hence, always use pure-bred unies in boarding house, on the banks of the first shovelfull of turf.

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J. M. Van Akin, treasurer, to boarding house, on the banks of the formal boarding house, on the banks of the only one of Lawrence estate, taxes. uniform, but superior to those of the | thereto. previous season. The same rule appiles to the breeding of cattle, sheep, and to all domegic animals.

Southern dish, but in the North it is of adapted for making milroad ties, solemn piedge to the world.

not so well or generally known. The All near Dingmans Ferry, Pa. plant is a prolific yielder, though it Pond" in Dingman township, conis a little hard to start in heavy taining about 91 acres, with house ground and should be sowe thick and other farm buildings. A most nursery, do not plant them harried Herman Bloss to William Wolff, 34

MARRIED

CLEARMAN GREEN-On Mamb

QUICK ESTATE SALE

and Some Stocks Were The sale of the real estate and

The water poured through the The Manor Hall property in Dela-

who lives in Washington, says the a greater or less extent the whole pany, par value \$50 each, were in east the poorest workman should of the viflage lying on the flat. It good demand and were bought by bave each year is \$600.—The Minis- was reported 2 feet deep at the Mrs. Ches. H. Wood at \$104.25 each. ter from Venezula has closed up his Fowler House. Tri-states suffered Ten Shares First National Bank of legation and gone out of business. from the back water. The bridge Port Jervis, par value \$100 each, Some one at the other end of the line across the Neversink was pushed up after a spirited contest were secured stopped his pay.—Senator Lodge's stream from its foundations and by Jacob Kalmback for \$220 each. on John has an ear for music. He now lies parallel with the river. One hundred acres, Westfall, the has organized a string quartet and Houses in that vicinity were covered Van Horn farm, were bought by

One share, par value \$10, of the

Bell's farm, passing down by J. C. \$5,379, but several valuable tracts Rose's place, covering the Marvin remain. The sale was adjourned to intermediate department in the public Westbrook died at his home in Leh-

Town Council Meeting

The members of the Horough counwhat is known as the brick yard cil: Hy. T. Baker, Esp., George R. from New York Tuesday and crossed B-Il's cattle and horses were J. H. Ryder and J. C. Warner met was carried off, was detained there drowned and the family spent Tues. Monday evening to organize, W.-F. by the flood and reached town day night in the attic of the house, Chol absent. George R. Quick was yesterday. uncertain in the darkness what their elected president and J. C. Warner fate would be. The water came up temporary secretary. The salary of cause of a lack of water for are purto the porch of J. C. Rose's Pocoso the secretary for the ensuing year was poses and at a meeting held hast week times was honored with local offices balance in the borough treasury of was covered. Rose turned his cattle dates for the office: D. H. Hornbeck, subscriptions to purchase some kind of and credit to his ability. April 24, is the fact, the outgoing Council did out on the hillside and they were Harry Armstrong, J. F. Terwilliger fire apparatus. and H. O. Kipp, and because of The les here yet remains firm. The neither having a majority no election rising water for a time Wednesday was made. E. C. Wood was appoint- Josephine Martin, late of Palmyra, Venango county they returned and so it only takes about two thousand forenoon overflowed the bank and ed chief of police and P. F. Steele

For Free Bridges

The New Jersey Senate has passed Sin not against man or nature lest destruction. There is so much room a bill which provides for the appoint ye be found guilty and ye or your offspring be punished accordingly.

School win arrive nor open a bill which provides for the appoint remain two months. Any one having ment of a commission to investigate the matter of crecting free bridges and which they desire mapped with plans for force to disturb it.

The following wedding notice of interest in this locality, appeared in the plans for force to Philadelphia. The function by addressing the Sin not against man or nature lest destruction. There is so much room a bill which provides for the appoint. School will arrive here April 20th, to this county, and two sisters, Sarah J. state and Pennsylvania, It is probable receive attention by addressing the held Tuesday and interment in Dela-Take a flock of common hens, of all the House will take similar action. A school at New Haven. colors, shapes, and sizes, so as to conduct an experiment. Place with the legislature of this state should not citizen of Port Jervis, died at his Live out that section of life that them a pure-bred Plymouth Rock and both states favor the plan the home in that village Friday, March immediately surrounds you. Hasten not the end. It may prove disastrous and so near like Plymouth Rocks that it will be difficult to distribute the first superintending the construction of a after an illness of considerable duration.

A quiet weaking took place Franks will be constructed by day, March 3rd, at three o'clock, first a long illness occasioned by day, March 3rd, at three o'clock, first an injury received last October while traffic between the two states. The Few are the real. Many are the tinguish them from pure bred, To tolls now paid are a tax on people on grave in Laurel Grove cemetery. His she was born in New York, Oct. 6, Skilton Geyer and Leon St. John. The

A portion of the rest estate of the satis Tuesday, March 15, 1904, at 2 choice season for that company to interment in Milliord cemetery.

The same comprises the "Manor building with 30 rooms; pleasant people cannot but be with the brave part of Jacob Arast and F. Kuhl supper was served, porches, beautiful lawns and magnifically and their life and death surveys, \$1. be, and your chicks will be not only farm and timber land appurtenant official note of the fact that Russia has

Also, another piece of land, containing 180 acres with splendid growth of timber thereon, and about one mile of "Adams brook" flowing provided that the troops of all the powers should definitely withdraw of Lawrence estate, \$1.

large family and also dried pods vided interest in lands adjoining, so that the tops will protect one Edgar Van Etten, 2nd vided interest in lands adjoining, so that the tops will protect one Edgar Van Etten, 2nd vided interest in lands adjoining, so that the tops will protect one Edgar Van Etten, 2nd vided interest in lands who is that the tops will protect one Edgar Van Etten, 2nd vided interest in lands who is that the tops will protect one in Edgar Van Etten, 2nd vided interest in lands who is that the labels, that of the New York Central R. R., and was discovered by a child who opened the door and saw her lying on the fire and timber of large and the labels, that the labels, and the labels, that the labels, that the labels, that the labels adjoining to the labels, that the labels, that the labels adjoining to the labels, that the labels adjoining to the labels adjoining to the labels. The labels adjoining to the labels. The labels adjoining to the small size growing thereon in paying the roots well with soil, leaving no married March 3d at the brides home the floor. A hammer stained with quantity and readily accessible.

Also, stocks and securities.

ducted by LENA A. TALMAGE,

Milford, Pa., March 9, 1904.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL NOTES

Blue birds, robius and too gerges were contemporaneous this week. Frank Keller, Esq., Peter Shields nough to build three large war ships which formed several weeks ago at stocks belonging to the estate of the and John Hess of Shohola drove to home in New York, 125 East 83rd

upon the president, and in a little owne rushing down from the rain at the Court House. The ten lots in Chus, DeKay Townsend and family speech he assured them he was in and melting snow the first of the Milford lying in the upper part of have gone to Atlantic City to spend a York about sixty-three years ago and E. church.

and been duly qualified as one of the wife and devoted mother. 10th time. He is as grateful as over the Matamoras railroad bridge about desired and only \$300 was offered and overseers of the poor of Milford bor-

estate of John M. Smith, late of Frederick B. Wilson; Edward L., inquisition he looked into the affairs of tions and disappeared. No trace The place known as the "Costard Greene, deed, have been granted to Carrie, William, Lancelot W., all of

The 32 annual fair of the Monroe ounty agricultural society will be held at Strondsburg, Monroecounty,

Rev. George Burslem of Princeton Scrulnary occupied the pulpit of the same languid air and drops off into the hill. It rose on Pike street as Bridge company, par value \$50 each, Presbyterian church last Sunday in the absence of Mr. Smead,

Miss Alico Ryman, who has been visiting friends in Newark for the past few days, suffered considerably with blood poisoning in her finger.

Mail service between here and Port Jervis was resumed yesterday by the aid of small boats crossing the river, to the same point and then came to the waters of which are fast subsid- Milford by way of the Claye road in Ing to the normal condition.

Miss Ann Haker, who has been spending some weeks in the south, the Episcopal church, Rev. E. J. Milford Driving Park was offered returned home last Saturday. She Perot officiating. was accompanied here by her cousin,

> Miss Mabel Guinnip, teacher of the county, has resumed her position,

Rev. E. M. Smead, who came up Quick, George Gregory, J. E. Boyd, to Matamoras just before the bridge

Matamoras people are aroused be-

Martin, executor. The whole estate he has since resided. is bequeathed to her two children, George W. and Alice Ruth Martin.

age was about 69 years.

o'clock p. m. in the Court House at work is about ended for the time being.

broken her solemn pledge to evacuate through same, the best trout stream from the Chinese Empire—those of John H. Doffy, et al., executors, to at the highest point in the state of Okra is a plant which should be in overy garden. Okra sonp as a great of large growth and also plenty there.

Okra is a plant which should be in above, of other thickly timbered land of large growth and also plenty there.

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Okra sonp as a great of large growth and also plenty there. Russia, Japan, Great Britain, and all Mary Duffy, 25 acres, Greene, same as New Jersey, and of Piney Woods Inc.

Heeling-in Trees

enough to allow for thinning three.

desirable property.

Also, a farm in Milford township, fourths of the plants. A row of fifty feet in length will supply a gether with a three-quarters undi-Executrix, in cold soil, to be whipped about by groom is in the employ of the Eric severe struggle had take place. There 1904.

The drying winds.

Hallroad. the drying winds.

OBITUARY

MRS. MARY ANN ARMSTRONG Mrs. Armstrong, widow of the late Lancelot W. Armstrong, died at herstreet, last Monday morning of heart failure of which she long been was a daughter of Nicholas and Sarah, Dr. W. B. Kanworthey is contem: Armstrong, Sonza. She was a most plating a trip south for a few days excellent woman, social in disposition, respite from work and for recreation. agreeable in manner, thoughtful for John Detrick has filed his bond the comfort of others, an affectionate

She was married September 17th, 1863, and is survived by the following Letters of administration on the named children; Mary E., wife of New York; Mabel, wife of George Wheeler of this place; and George W. in Alaska. Two brothers, Joseph and Nicholas Sousa of New York also

of Mrs. L. W. Armstrong came to Two days without mail and cut off were unable to reach Milford until yesterday. The casket was then death," How clearly that fact has taken down on a car to the tie pif, been brought to our minds during the back of Tri-States, and the friends were brought in carriages to the Erie road at the Neversink bridge from whence they walked along the tracks New Jersey. The funeral was held yesterday at three o'clock p. m. in

ISAAC V. WESTBROOK

After an illness of long duration Mr. He school, after an absence of a couple man, Friday, March 4th: He was of weeks at her home in Wayne born in Delaware township, Feb. 12, 1847, and was a son of Jacob B. and did any amount of damage again this Hannah Jane, Van Gorden, West- week along the river. Port Jervis brook, both members of old and was hit hard. This town being good respected families in this valley. His escaped any serious trouble. grandfather on the paternal side was Col. John Westbrook, who was promi- who contemplate changing their neut in politics and at one time a residences this spring are making member of congress from this district. preparations to get there. There will

He is survived by his widow, who heavy. is at present in critical health, and The Senior class of the Yale Forest two children, Mabel and Lucian, ware cemetery.

ANN MODRE POLLLON

Mrs. Poillon, withow of the Inte "A quiet wedding took place Thurs-1840, where she resided after her Episcopal service was read by the It is protty safe to predict that marriage until 1875 when she came Rev. T. H. Gregory, rector of this the Milford, Matamoras and New with her husband to Milford. Mr. parish. To the strains of Mendelssohn's York Railroad Company will not be Poillon died May 31, 1889. Two wedding march Mrs. Geyer was led to running Pullman cars from here to chilstren, Fannie A. and John J., the altar by her father-in-law, Charles Port Jervis by April 1st. The cold survive. The funeral, Rev. E. J. T. Geyer, and was there met by the

Real Estate Transfers

The sympathy of the majority of the Everett, executrix, 71 acres, Lehman, Geyer, where an elaborate wedding

Richard Bolger to John H. Duffy, 65 neres, part of Jacob Arnst, \$1. Same to same, 50 acres, Greene,

Knouse, \$1,649.81. Harry P. Nyce to Clinton W.

When you get trees from the Guillot, 9042 sq. ft. land, Lehman, \$1.

air spaces, using enough earth to Newton, Mass., by Bev. Adelbert blood and two empty pocket books shed water. The trees here will be Hudson, a Unitarian minister. They were found by her side.

THE RAMBLER'S PICKINGS

So Milford has a post !

It was lucky this was not court

March is here, and so is March weather.

Revivals are in progress in the M.

Judge Englehart of Matamoras called down here last Sunday.

Our Town Council is getting liberal in regards to the cierk's salary.

Pedestrians had all they could do to keep their equilibrium the past So we are to have a church paper?

Perhaps what our local papers miss, the new paper will eatch. Jake will have to be careful or his

horse will leave him again. He came very near it Tuesday morning.

The bottom has, fallen out of the price of eggs, but onlous! There is The funeral party with the remains no price high enough to touch them.

Port Jervis Wednesday noon but from the outside world is a novelty because of the bridges being down for us here. Worse than a blizzard. "In the midst of life we are in

> past few days. Those who have not enjoyed a leighride this winter will now be empelled to wait until some time

after July 4th. We are not to forget that we have hurches here. The sound of one or the other of the bells is heard every day in the week.

Rob Findlay says the only thing now a days to carry the mail with is a flying machine. Horses, autos, etc., are back numbers, when the bridges are gone. The water played some pranks and

The time has arrived when those

a committee was appointed to solicit all of which he filled with judgment nearly five hundred dollars. If such 1870, he married Miss Morcena Horn- well enough. The borough will get Letters testamentary on the estate of beck, and after a year spent in a pretty shug sum of license money, dec'd, have been granted to Frank located on the farm in Lehman where dollars to run the town. The borough tax this year should not be very

HYMENEAL

C., where Charles St. John, father of the groom, conducts the Piney Woods

the immediate families. Those present were then driven to La Fleur Cottage, Anna M. Schuyler to Susan C. the residence of Mr. and Mrs. C. T.

Mrs. St. John is a daughter of the J. M. Van Akin, treasurer, to late Gen, Julius A. Skiiton of New was Consul-General to Mexico. Mrs. St. John is a charming society woman and an accomplished musician. Mr. St. John is the manager of the Inn at High Point, a summer resort located 95 acres, Blooming Grove, part John for Palm Beach and St. Augustine, Florida.

Brutally Beaten

Mrs. Mary Keefe, a woman about

Turns made known and safe con- much better off than if planted out will reside in New York, where the skull and the room ladlested that a There were cloven fractures in her