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Mrs. Jennie Shearer of Bloomfield N. J. is a guest of Mrs. Westfall.
B. D. Blythe and wife of Staten Island were guests recently with the family of Dr. Reed.
William E. Sigler a veteran of the Mexican and Civil wars, and one of the oldest residents of Delaware township, died at his home in Dingmans Ferry yesterday morning aged about eighty six years. His wife, Hannah, who is a daughter of the late Samuel Hunt survives him. The funeral will be held tomorrow at 2 p. m.

The firm of W. D. Ackerson & Co. which operated stores in Newton N. J. failed last week with liabilities of nearly \$50,000. Hon. Joseph Coatt Jr has been appointed receiver.

Mrs. Edward Shepherd, residing in Delaware township near Longwood, is critically ill with pneumonia and her recovery is not expected.

Rupert P. Nills, recently elected a justice of the peace in Lehman was in town yesterday to file his acceptance.

An agreeable surprise was tendered F. A. Beck last Saturday evening the occasion being to recall his birthday.

Mrs. C. C. Tyler and son of N. Y. visited the family of Col. Lewis this week.

Miss Pearl Quinn is slowly improving in health after a long illness.

PAUPACK.
B. F. Killam is spending a short time with his daughter Mrs. S. C. Steele at Rochester and Mrs. E. M. Green at Scranton.

Arthur Pellett returned home last week after being the guest of relatives in Brooklyn and Paterson the past two weeks.

Mrs. H. Adams of N. Y. is caring for her mother Mrs. Bennett, who has been on the sick list for some time.

We are pleased to see Mrs. W. H. Clark out again.

Mrs. Evi Trivelpiece entertained the ladies all Thursday last. Report says a very pleasant day was spent by all present. The next meeting of the club will be held at Mrs. H. Frazier March 6.

Edwin Kellam and Will Singer have been erecting new ice houses.
Sorry to hear that Cornelius Stephens of Shingonmounain is under the care of Dr. Simons.

No church at this place Sunday, on account of the high water, the minister was unable to come here from Loda-gale.

CROSSES
Leonard B. Little, who has been very ill is slowly improving.
Fletcher Hager, whose wife called on relatives at Gray's Ferry, Pa.

The Misses Laura and Nina Bertson have returned to Lancaster Pa.
Ladies returned with Mrs. J. Sanders Friday Feb. 25.

Misses Grace and Mary Bertson, who went to Philadelphia to a training school for nurses are now wearing their caps. Congratulations.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Simpson and Mrs. T. N. Cross spent Sunday with Anthony Hopp and wife.

There is much talk of erecting a cemetery at Ledgedale, Wayne Co., this spring. It would certainly be a great benefit to the farmers and all join in hoping that it will be built.

SILVER LAKE
Mrs. Elram Rake of Notch is spending a couple of weeks with her mother Mrs. Sarah Hunt.

Mrs. Ella Kober and daughter Laura of Shawnee spent a part of last week with the former's niece Mrs. Robinson Shepherd.

Geo. B. Bennett, steward of Edge-wood Club House will soon locate in Monroe county. He expects to go to the mercantile business.

Mr. Eston Bevans of Layton N. J., spent several days recently with the family of Robinson Shepherd.

Advertise in the Press.

OBITUARY
JOHN DEGEN JR.

After an illness of less than a week John Degen Jr. died at his home, on Water street in this Borough, yesterday of a complication of diseases. He was on the election board February 16th and was in apparent good health but became ill next day. He was aged about 29 years and was a son of John Degen a well known citizen in town. He was a most excellent young man, honest, industrious, courteous in manner and was a friend to all and everybody was his friend. The heartfelt sympathy of our whole community will go out to his bereaved wife and two infant children left to mourn his death. Besides his father and mother he is survived by brothers Charles, Walter Harry and a sister Nora. The funeral services will be held Sunday at the Episcopal Church at 2.30 in the afternoon.

KIMBLE
Mrs. Lucy Losey of Hawley has returned home, after caring for Mrs. W. F. Kelley nearly four weeks.

F. B. Ward of Scranton was in town recently looking after his lumber interests.

John Malone of Port Jervis visited his parents last week.

Leonard Masker returned home last week after spending 10 days in Brooklyn.

Mrs. Fred Hilderbrand of Hawley visited her parents Monday.

Mrs. Geo. Cortright of Port Jervis, visited friends here this week.

Frank Burkhardt has returned home from California.

EGYPT MILLS
Edward Garris, wife and daughter spent Sunday with the former's sister Mrs. Wm Justice at Pine Ridge.

Mrs. Phillip Ladlee is nursing the family of Daniel Van Why afflicted with scarlet fever.

Miss Lulu Counterman made a business trip to Bushkill recently.

Mrs. Jas DePue has returned home after spending some time at Pen Argyl Pa.

Miss Nora Counterman is spending a few weeks at Coolhaugs Pa.

Harry Cortright of Coolhaugs was a town caller recently.

Miss Melvina Van Why is on the sick list but is convalescent at present.

A violent electrical storm passed over this place last week.

Mrs. Amy Morris and son Walter and John Litta and wife and Mrs. Geo Litta attended the funeral of the latter's sister Mrs. Chas Cramp recently.

How's This?
We offer One Hundred Dollar Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O.
We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Administrator's Notice
Estate of Andrew C. Cron deceased.
Letters of Administration on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims to present the same without delay to CALVIN CRON, Executor.

LICENSE APPLICATIONS
The following applications for license have been filed with the Clerk and will be presented to the Court of Quarter Sessions of Pike County on the third Monday of March next for consideration and approval.

DELAWARE
Francis Mercher, Warren R. Van Gordon, Philip F. Fulmer.
MAYAGUE
E. O. Hollister, Albert Gatterill.
LAKELAND
John F. Myer, Robert E. Wagner, Lorenz Gosta, Edmund Dellert, Carl Neve, Max Garcia.
LEHMAN
Pierre M. Nills, John Ottenheimer.
MAYAGUE
Joseph B. Vogt, Herman Gebhardt, Agnes Lecht, John F. Englehart.
MILFORD BORO
Christian Rupp, Louis J. Friebe, John R. Thornton, August Mercher, John C. Beck, Frederick A. Beck, Warren F. Chol, Percy Lyman, Leroy E. Kline.
MILFORD TOWNSHIP
Louis F. Hagot, Frederick Deim.
PALMYRA
Richard Reichler.
PORTER
Frederick Hoffacker.
SHOBOLA
Arthur W. Robinson, Adolph Fuller, John Vogt Jr.
WESTFALL
Will S. Loflin, Floyd E. Bevans.
JOHN C. WESTBROOK JR., Clerk.
Milford, Pa. Feb. 20, 1909.

A Sure-Enough Knocker
J. A. Harmon, of Lanesboro, West Va., says: "At last I have found the perfect pill that never disappoints; and for the benefit of others afflicted with torpid liver and chronic constipation, will say: take Dr. King's New Life Pills." Guaranteed satisfactory. 25c at C. O. Armstrong's Drugist.

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GRADUATE IN PHARMACY



Illness is Costly
Loss of time so much; nursing so much; medicine so much—total so very much. We help directly and materially to reduce the last item.
There isn't a drug store anywhere better equipped or one that gives fresher, purer drugs, or one that employs better prescription compounders. And still our prices are low.

Sick-Room Supplies
Depend on us for any comfort or convenience for the benefit of your sick ones. We have a large variety of sick room helps of recognized value—all at most reasonable prices.

F. J. HERBST,
Graduate in Pharmacy

ONE ON THE LAWYER.

Milwaukee Cross-Examiner Becomes a Little Too Inquisitive.
The lawyer who cracks jokes at the expense of the witness often gets more than he gives. The following incident in a divorce trial is told by a Milwaukee lawyer:
The witness was an elderly lady and the lawyer was a confirmed bachelor.

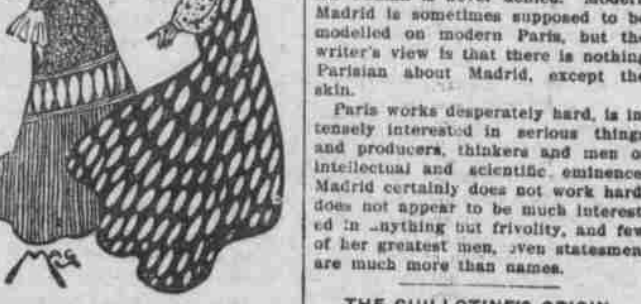
"How old are you?" asked the lawyer.
"I am an unmarried woman, sir, and I do not think it proper to answer that question."

"Oh, yes; answer the question," said the judge.
"Well, I am fifty."

"Are you not more?" persisted the lawyer.
"Well, I am sixty."

The inquisitive lawyer then asked her if she had any hopes of getting married, to which she replied:
"Well, I haven't lost hope yet, but I wouldn't marry you, sir, I am sick and tired of your palaver already. So you can consider yourself refused."

WHEN.



Madge—When did I give Cholly any encouragement?
Marjorie—When you said a girl was foolish in these days to marry brains when she could get money.

A False Prophet.
Secretary Wilson of the Department of Agriculture tells a story of a Connecticut farmhand's methods of weather prophecy.

"This farmhand believed he could foretell the weather infallibly," said Secretary Wilson. "On a walk with me one afternoon a frog croaked, and he said:
"We will have clear weather for twenty-four hours. When a frog croaks in the afternoon you may be sure of twenty-four hours of sunshine." We walked on, and in twenty minutes or so a heavy shower came up, and we were both drenched to the skin.

"You are a fine weather prophet," said I, as we hurried homeward through the downpour. "You ought to be ashamed of yourself."
"Oh, well," said the farmhand, "the frog lied. It's I blame, not me. Am I responsible for the morals of that particular frog?"

The Sting of the Tail.
Vu Koo the brilliant young Chinese editor of the Daily Spectator of Columbia University, said the other day of a critic:
"When I began to read, I thought the article was laudatory. I soon discovered my mistake however. That article recalled to me a motor ride that I took with a junior last month.

"The junior's car was not a remarkable one and out in the country after luncheon the young man was rather pleased when a farmer said to him:
"I guess that that automobile of yours is a hundred horsepower isn't it?"

"Oh, no," said the junior, with a pleasant smile. "Oh no, my friend it is only a five horse-power. A hundred horsepower would be ever so much larger."
"I won't judge by the size, but by the noise," said the farmer.

Doing One's Best.
Human work must be done honorably and thoroughly, because we are cowards; whether we ever expect to be angels, or ever were angels, being practically no matter.—Runkle.

FRIVOLOUS MADRID.
Spanish Capital a Spendthrift Town and Devoted to Gossip.
The note of Madrid is frivolity. It is a spendthrift town. Nowhere do so many people of modest means keep carriages, or at least hire them. The automobile has supplied a new outlet to an old passion.

Nowhere do so many people who cannot afford to have a motor driver, or to buy regular supplies of petrol (which, to be sure, is both dear and modelled on Spain), keep an automobile. Therefore they turn out now and again for a short run at high speed to their own glorification and the danger of the public. As for that public, it lives in the streets and in a perpetual state of briak talk.
What London or Paris news comes through to Madrid, except telegrams, is mostly gossip. Important matters appear to interest the Madrileño little. What did interest him was when a young person appeared on horse back in Hyde Park in a Director's costume. Feather headed and light keeled, the Madrileño is, on the other hand, good natured and easy to live with.

Madrid women dress well, even very well, and the charm of the Spanish woman is never denied. Modern Madrid is sometimes supposed to be modelled on modern Paris, but the writer's view is that there is nothing Parisian about Madrid, except the skin.
Paris works desperately hard, is intensely interested in serious things and producers, thinkers and men of intellectual and scientific eminence. Madrid certainly does not work hard does not appear to be much interested in anything but frivolity, and few of her greatest men, even statesmen, are much more than names.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE
First National Bank of Milford
in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, February 5, 1909.

RESOURCES
Loans and discounts \$ 48,300 19
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured 120 00
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation 20,000 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds 900 00
Bonds, securities, etc. 80,840 00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures 1,388 00
Due from approved reserve agents 12,468 82
Notes of other National Banks 860 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents 413 89
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank:
viz:
Specie \$5,985 50
Legal-tender notes 1,230 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5% of circulation) 1,260 00
Total \$100,228 49

LIABILITIES
Capital stock paid in \$ 25,000 00
Surplus fund 10,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid 6,724 50
National Bank notes outstanding 20,000 00
Due to other national banks 928 82
Dividends unpaid 27 00
Individual deposits subject to check 125,576 74
Demand certificates of deposit 1,560 00
Certified checks 87 26
Total \$100,228 49

State of Pennsylvania, County of Pike, ss. I, John C. Warner, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JOHN C. WARNER, Cashier
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of February 1909.
J. C. CHAMBERLAIN, Notary Public.
Correct—Attest:
W. A. H. MITCHELL,
P. N. H. QUE,
A. D. BROWN, } Directors.

Court Proclamation
State of Pennsylvania
County of Pike

Notice is hereby given to all persons bound by recognizance or otherwise to appear, that the March term 1909 of the several courts of Pike County will be held at the court house in the Borough of Milford on the third Monday (18) at 10 o'clock p. m. and will be continued one week if necessary.

GEORGE GREGORY
February 23, 1909. Sheriff.

Register's Notice

The following accounts have been filed with the Register and will be presented to the Orphan's Court of Pike County, for confirmation on the third Monday of March next:
Estate of Mary Eade, deceased. The first and final account of Joseph S. Eade, Administrator.
Estate of Harry Mollinoux, deceased. The first and final account of Lisette A. Mollinoux, Administratrix.
Estate of Elizabeth J. Leidel, deceased. The first and final account of C. W. Bull, Executor.
Estate of Robert Anderson, deceased. The first and final account of Robert Anderson, Executor.
Estate of William Schupp, deceased. Account of H. P. Garbe, Administrator.
John C. Westbrock Jr., Milford, February 18, 1909. Register.

Isle of Wight

The Isle of Wight inhabitants are not alone in speaking of "going to England" when they leave their own fragment of the kingdom. A patriotic Cornishman also "goes to England" when he crosses the Tamar. Similarly, inhabitants of the Italian peninsula talk of "going to Europe" when they leave their own corner of the continent in curious contrast with the people of Great Britain. They regard themselves as both of and in "Europe," and accordingly it is only "the continent" that they visit. The record in the splendid isolation line is probably held by that minister of the Cumbraes, in the Clyde, who prayed for a blessing upon "the inhabitants of Great and Little Cumbrae and the adjacent islands of Great Britain and Ireland."

First War with England

China's first war with England occurred in 1839, when the Chinese government attempted to stop the importation of opium into the country by the East India company. The opium trade had grown from 4100 chests in 1794 to 30,000 chests in 1837, and was, therefore, a most important revenue to the British power. England sent her warships over and achieved various successes with both land and naval forces, and war terminated in the treaty of Nanking, which gave England the island of Hong Kong, opened the Chinese ports to British trade, and exacted a war indemnity of \$21,000,000 from China.

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Thomas Massey & Co.
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Still warm.
After watching a turkey gobbler for some minutes, Tommy exclaimed: "Look, mamma, the old gobbler has had his fan up for half an hour, and his face looks just as red as ever!"

New Thought.
As a man thinketh in his heart so is he. Look on the sunny side, determine not to see shadows and make the best of everything and life will be one sweet song.

Habit Hard to Overcome.
Many people find it impossible to get over the habit of adulterating the truth which they use.

A Cynicism.
Woman's most valuable asset is the imagination of man.—London Truth.

Beautiful Lake Geneva.
Lake Geneva, in Switzerland, is quite insignificant as lakes go, being only 10 miles long and ten miles wide, but it is remarkable for its relation to a beautiful landscape of which it is a part.

The Philosopher of Folly.
"I have an intense hatred of greed and money-grabbing," says the Philosopher of Folly. "It makes me sick at heart to see men making more money than I do."—Cleveland Leader.

Author a Frey of Cynicism.
Tobias, in the "House Moon," says: "All women are angels before marriage, and that is the reason why husbands so soon wish them imbeciles afterward."

Only Freedom Worth Having.
The only freedom I care about is the freedom to do right; the freedom to do wrong I am ready to part with on the cheapest terms to anyone who will take it off me.—Haley.