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BRIEF MENTION

Dudley C. Ryan sat earlier of the bank has been suffering this week with tonsillitis and A. D. Brown, the president has been confined to his room with an attack of vertigo.

Mrs. Anna B. Nichols of Germantown widow of a former pastor of the Presbyterian Church is mentally afflicted with remote chances of recovery. She was a most pleasant member of society here for nearly eleven years and her many friends will grieve to hear of her affliction.

The bungalow built by Robert W. Reed is about finished and new furniture for it has been arriving this week.

The Jordan House is being refurnished and will soon open for the season's business.

Born May 17th to James S. Sparkes and wife of Shohola a son.

The addition to the Marguerite is approaching a finish and is a handsome appearing structure. Hamberg has displayed good taste and the proportions of the building accord well with the former house. The view is fine and no doubt the resort will be popular with city guests, as it deserves.

Only thirty tracts of land were sold by the Treasurer last Monday. E. T. Riviere bought 5, H. H. Sanderson 2, Peter Beauson 2 and E. F. Peters 5. The rest went to several purchasers, mostly without bonds. Land sales in this county are not so interesting as a few years ago, when tracts were in demand.

The State and sporting clubs practically own about all of them now.

Charles Bridge and his masons are rebuilding the north abutment to the County Bridge at Strubles Mill, and the one on the south is badly cracked and will likely soon need rebuilding.

The oil is being applied to the streets and no doubt for several days there will be an inconvenience to travelers and pedestrians but in order to have the dust removed these annoyances must be suffered.

Wells Fargo Express Office is now at the office of the D. V. T. Co.

Pike, pickering, yellow perch and black bass may now be caught.

Charles K. Hamilton flew from Governors Island, N. Y. to Philadelphia and back Monday, 172 miles, in 309 minutes. The outward flight was made without any mishap, but on return he mistook his bearings and landed in New Jersey. At the same time his motor became clogged but the difficulty was soon overcome and he finished the course.

Roy and Edwin, sons of Dr. C. S. Van Etten of Rhinebeck N. Y. passed through town on a walking trip this week.

Charles Klier who is foreman in a spoke factory in North Carolina is visiting his brother here Hon. Jacob Klier.

The ladies cake sale at Normandie Cottage Tuesday evening netted \$30.

Peter E. Beauson of Shohola visited Milford Monday.

John B. Sutphen, who owns a large body of land in Delaware township has just 1000 trespass signs printed at this office which will be put up on his premises.

Miss Beate D. Mettler, who formerly resided here, graduated as a trained nurse from the Samaritan Hospital in Brooklyn yesterday. She is an accomplished and pleasant young lady and no doubt will win success in her vacation.

P. N. Bourneque and John Henderson motored to Wilkes-Barre Tuesday to witness the auto hill climbing contest.

Mrs. James P. Van Eton was called to New York last week by the illness of her sister Mrs. Ruprecht, who died Sunday.

The sun rises now at 4:34 and sets at 7:27. The days are longest and after next Tuesday will begin to grow shorter.

E. L. Van Etten of N. Y. spent last Sunday here with his daughter Mrs. Charles Wood.

The Erie has opened its cut thru Bergen hill and in future it will be used exclusively for passenger traffic and the tunnel for freight. Thus a serious inconvenience to Erie patrons is removed.

Miss Millicent Christman will open her tea room next door to the Saw Mill House tomorrow.

The V. I. A. will hold its annual meeting June 21st at 4 p. m. at the home of Mrs. N. G. Palmer on Ann street.

We received this week a clipping from Motor Age saying that the business men of "Milford Pa." had formed a "Good Roads Association," to improve the roads leading to the town, and keep them in better condition. Split log drags were to be purchased, and quite a lengthy account given of the methods to be pursued. It was a surprise to receive news from Chicago of this scheme, but on investigation it turned out that the Milford referred to is in Iowa. The paper probably thought we needed some such association and so located it here.

FOR RENT—To summer guests, furnished house foot of Broad St. F. P. SAWYER.

The Democratic Convention at Allentown Wednesday nominated this ticket: For Governor D. Webster, Grim of Hocks county, Lieutenant Governor Samuel B. Price of Lehigh, a brother of Senator Price of N. J. State treasurer Samuel B. Phillips of Somerset, Secretary Internal Affairs James L. Blankenship of Carbon. G. G. Wood has bot an Overland auto.

The family of Gus Lange Jr. have arrived and are occupying their summer home on Hartford Street.

Emily Jane widow of the late Truman Angel, died at her home in Montague N. J. June 14th aged 76 years. She was born in 1834 in Delaware to a ship.

It is reported that Miss Jorgeson, who has rented the Jordan House, lost considerable table and bed linen last Saturday night which was in a box left on the porch. The box was broken open and the articles taken out.

In many towns a movement is being made for a safe and sane celebration of the coming 4th of July. That is to prohibit the use of crackers and explosives which leave death and mutilation in their wake. It seems hardly worth while for a boy to carry through life a hand shot of fingers. If he survives the injury, for the sake of few moments of noisy fun, it may seem like a deprecation to prevent him from this customary form of enjoyment but the time to preclude chances of permanent maiming is before he takes them.

Friends of Edward Cahill will be pleased to hear that he has so far recovered from his recent severe illness as to be able to ride out in the Park, and that he may soon come to his summer home here.

Anna Mas, daughter of W. T. Struble and wife of Milford, and G. M. Bonger of Brooklyn were married June 4th at St. Thomas Episcopal Church by Rev. George R. Savage. The attendants were J. J. Tansury and Cora a sister of the bride. The honeymoon will be passed at Rockaway Beach.

E. P. Arbogast of Stroudsburg has received the contract to build the Dingmans Ferry water works. The supply will be taken from the creek below High Falls. It is estimated the plant will cost at least \$8000.

According to a report made at the last session of the Penn'a G. A. R. encampment held at Harrisburg last week eleven hundred veterans died in this State the past year. Lewis W. Moore of Philadelphia was elected Commander.

Hon. J. N. Place has taken charge of the Riverside Hotel, lately conducted by Paul Schanno. He is a well known hotel man and has been in the business in Monroe county for many years.

Stroudsburg is making ample preparations for an "Old Home Week" July 17-25.

A new 20 passenger auto makes four trips a day between Portland and Delaware Water Gap connecting the trip by trolley from Stroudsburg to Philadelphia.

Sussex county is governed by a board of chosen Freeholders, a large and rather unwieldy body, and it is probable the voters the coming fall will have an opportunity to vote on the question of reducing the number to three commissioners, as is the case in this State. The affairs of the county would be as well and economically managed and with less expense for officials.

Several cars from the hill climbing contest at Wilkes-Barre passed thru town yesterday. They were high powered and showed signs of fast travel.

Rain yesterday interfered with oiling the streets. Where the oil was applied it was soon absorbed in the ground and the odor was not offensive.

A Knox commercial car from Stroudsburg was in town yesterday delivering a popular brand of beer. From appearances and recent developments flying machines will soon be competitors of the auto, for like the girl in the circus they "fly through the air with the greatest of ease."

A small boy in a school wrote a composition on Quakers and wound up by saying, "Quakers never quarrel, never get into fights, never claw and never scratch. Paw is a Quaker but I really don't think Maw is."

The warden of the Trenton N. J. prison is more than a model Louisa-keeper. In his report he shows that he has had prisoners at an average cost of about three and a quarter cents a meal. He gives his charges beef, fish, coffee, bread and soap, and a recipe for doing this at so little cost would command a high figure in many families.

The suggestions made by the court as to cutting brush along roads should be regarded by supervisors. It is an easy and cheap method of making them safer, and at the same time run along them and around sharp curves there should be every possible opportunity afforded for a view as far ahead as can be.

Riding bicycles at night without lights on the Borough streets prevails and it is a dangerous practice and against the law. An accident is reported as happening one night this week in which a man was frightened and he was thrown from the wagon from this cause. We noted two riders going at a rapid rate late one evening without lights and they had been riding for several hours. Enforce the law as to this and also riding on sidewalks. Safety demands it.

John C. Van Etten of Port Jervis was in town Wednesday.

A Fiat car driven by Dr. Palmer was the hill climbing contest at Wilkes-Barre Tuesday in 1:28 min.

The total number of passengers carried by street cars in 1907 was nearly ten billion.

Archib Steinh left town this week for Philadelphia to accept a position in a garage.

Flea beetles, which both jump and fly, eat little holes in leaves of plants making them appear as though covered with little brown spots. They often attack potatoes and the means of getting rid of them is to spray with a mixture of an ounce of arsenate of lead to one gallon of water, or three pounds of bordeaux mixture. This is also a remedy for blight.

Edward A. Mead of New York will give a reading "The Servant in the House" in the Presbyterian church Monday evening, June 27th. He is an excellent impersonator of character and reads with a thorough understanding of his subject, bringing out forcefully the shades of meaning and portraying with vividness the emotions of the various characters who are speaking.

Roosevelt will arrive tomorrow and great preparations are being made for his reception. A war ship will fire a salute of twenty-one guns. No man has been more cordially received abroad than he and no recent home coming of an American citizen has been so generally and cordially welcomed.

Charles Person and family will occupy the house on Broad street, which James P. Van Etten who goes to his new house on Hartford street will vacate in a day or two.

In 1880 the Behring sea was inhabited by no less than two and a half million seals, but by 1890 the number had been reduced to 150,000. The rest have been slaughtered as moths or starved as offspring and Japan, Great Britain and the United States are responsible for the destruction.

Prof. Robert Koch, the discoverer of the bacillus of disease and the remedial, died May 27th. He also was the discoverer of tuberculin in the treatment of tuberculosis.

A Women's Great Idea is how to make herself attractive. But, without health, it is hard for her to be lovely in face, form or temper. A weak, sickly woman will be nervous and irritable. Constipation and kidney poisons show in pimples, blotches, skin eruptions and a wretched complexion. But Electric Blisters always prove a godsend to women who want health, beauty and friends. They regulate Stomach, Liver, and Kidneys, purify the blood, give strong nerves, bright eyes, pure breath, smooth, velvety skin, lovely complexion, good health. Try them 50c at All Druggists.

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If I had alabaster skin
It would be hard and cold,
I could not comb my hair at all
If it were made of gold.
If my cheeks were peaches red
They would soon decay,
And if my lips were cherries ripe
Birds might eat them away.
If my eyes were violets
They'd be useless for me
Eyes were not made to perfume
They were made to see
If I had a long swan neck
No collar could I wear,
And if my ears were pearls shell
I don't think I could hear
If the artist were to sketch
My poetic licensed face
I think of my homeliness
There would not be left a trace

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Cold Storage Plant

A bill has been introduced in Congress to provide a government cold storage plant in Washington. It is approved by Dr. Wiley the advocate of pure food laws who thinks such a plant would result in better provisions for the army and navy, and cut out the enormous profits now made by the meat trusts. It would cost a million and a half dollars, and would afford the government a chance to study and learn the cost of keeping perishable foods in a healthful condition without taking the evidence of men employed by the trusts. The army and navy and soldiers homes would be supplied with foods of better quality than they now have at less expense. Soldiers homes last year cost more than a million dollars for meats and the army over two million. The navy bill for butter alone was \$400,000, and the fresh meat for the navy cost fifteen million dollars to say nothing of bacon, lard and poultry. It is argued that with a government plant a large sum could be saved besides the great profits now paid to the packers.

Real Estate Transfers

Sophia Waltz to Charles Frisbie, 63 acres Green \$2500.
Samuel Carleton to James C. Carleton, 11 acres Green \$100.
Royal Fowler to Sherman Fowler, 45 acres Green \$425.
John H. Cook to Helen R. Cook and Mary Clark, lot in Bushkill Lehman township.
Henry W. Gobbe to E. M. Gobbe and wife, 168 acres Lackawanna.
E. B. Labar Treasurer to W. B. Schoonover, 103 acres John Gates Porter.
E. B. Labar Treasurer to Peter Beauson 2 deeds, Robert Erwin Shohola 42 acres, 200 acres William Coedell Lackawanna.
George L. Nyos to Charles E. Peters, 88 acres Lehman part of John Hook.
George B. Moore to Eleanor L. Hilliard, 229 acres Deborah Connard Dingman township.
Frederick Hasset to Wally Weigel, land in Lackawanna.
William Adams to Laura E. Van Etten, 1 acre Westfall at Mill Rift \$50.

Marvelous Discoveries.

mark the wonderful progress of the age. Air flights on heavy machines, telegrams without wires, terrible war inventions to kill men, and that wonder of wonders—Dr. King's New Discovery—to save life when threatened by coughs, colds, bronchitis, hemorrhages, la grippe, asthma, cough, hay fever and whooping cough or lung trouble. For all bronchial affections it has no equal. It relieves instantly. Its the stress cure. James M. Black of Asheville, N. C. R. R. No. 4, writes it cured him of an obstinate cough after all other remedies failed. 50c and \$1.00 A trial bottle free. Guaranteed by All Druggists.

NOTES FROM SANDYSTON

Farmers are complaining that the ground is dry, and now that we have a rainfall of 1.38 inches makes it too wet to plow corn—where it is big enough.

The ladies of the Layton M. E. Church will hold an ice cream and strawberry social in their church on Wednesday evening June 22. Everybody cordially invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Bensley of Layton are happy over the advent of a baby girl on Thursday last.

Benjamin Cole the oldest resident of Walpack fell from the stoop on the front of his house injuring two ribs and other bruises. Mr. Cole is quite infirm and almost blind. He is in his 93rd year.

They will celebrate the event on the evening of the 16th inst by having a dance and strawberry social. They propose eclipsing all former dances.

Mrs. Pierson of the Evans hotel will have a sale of all personal property on Tuesday June 21st. Will Case of Newton has leased the hotel.

The Town Committee met in Grange Hall on Saturday for the reception of road orders.

The frame of the big barn on the Club farm at Evans is ready for raising and the raising will take place some time this week.

It is a question as to who will be superintendent of the Tuttle Corner Layton road. It is not a matter of who over sees the work, what we want is the road, and that cannot come too soon.

The examination for promotion to high school grade was held in the Layton school building last week. Some 8 or 9 pupils were present, and when a sister teacher entered the room to see what her pupils were doing was early informed that if she persisted in staying in the room would be considered a disorderly person but she stuck, but next day she was found to retreat.

The Layton Grange is making a good effort to reach the 100 mark (in number) and they are assured of getting it.

A Colder June

Though during the past few days the month of roses has partly relieved her reputation yet there was a year, according to the Sussex Register when she was far unkindler than this. It says

Is this another year without a summer? Still conditions might be worse than they are. It is recorded that in June, 1770, frost and snow destroyed the crops in this part of the county. Rev. Nathan Karr was then pastor of the Presbyterian Church, Goshen. The tradition comes down to us that in the midst of the desolation, he lifted his voice in prayer with his people saying "O God. Our corn is blasted! Our fruit is all cut off! Our flax is caught under the snow so that we shall soon have neither shirt nor shift! And what, oh God, dost thou intend to do with thy people next?"

Future of Shohola Falls

The Pa. Coal Company of Shohola has made its last run of logs for the season down the creek which for a couple of miles back from the mill at Shohola is filled with timber. The reservoir will be allowed to run out to save expenses of repairs in summer. After the lumber is all removed it is possible that the property may be converted into a summer resort. Recently architects and surveyors have examined the sites and it is found that a lake several miles long easily can be made which with the large area of wooded land would make a desirable location for that business. The Shohola is one of the finest trout streams in northeastern Pa.

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Monroes	3002
Pike	716
Carbon	1687
Palmer	1087
Broadhead	1200
Palmer's majority in this district, 4018.	

STATE SENATOR	
Monroe	1680
Pike	541
Carbon	1464
Huffman	1300
Burnett	283
Huffman's majority in the district, 787.	

OBITUARY

FRANCIS A. DIMMICK

One of the most widely known persons in this section, a generation or more ago but who for the past few years has been living a retired life passed away last Friday night, June 13. She was born in Milford November 5, 1831 and was a daughter of Samuel O., and Wealthy Dimmick. Her father was born in Connecticut and was descended from Thomas Dimmick who came to this country in the early part of the 17th century. Samuel O. came to Milford about 1826 and opened a hotel in part of the house which is now the free library building and began erecting a hotel on the site of the present Dimmick House and opened it in 1829. This frame building was burned in 1855 and replaced with a brick structure. The house was popular and sheltered many notable people. After the death of her father in 1867 Miss Fanny took charge and her charming personality and quaint ways attracted a host of people. Among the many celebrities who found happiness and content under her hospitable roof were Hon. James M. Porter and Hon. William Jessup, both Judges of our courts, Hon. William H. Jessup Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, Hon. Geo. Sharswood, Hon. George M. Dallas poet and artist E. C. Steedman, Laout Thompson, J. F. Wier, Beard, Satterlee, Whittredge and others. Several of the characters in Mrs. Harris novel, "A Perfect Adonis," were guests with Aunt Fan and of her one who for many years was a regular visitor remarked, "time, the thief, may rob the cheek of its bloom and change the raven hair to silver, but he never will succeed in quenching the vivacity or quelling her cheery spirit, and she will play the fiddle and enter to the wishes of her guests with all her old time heartiness." Horace Greeley, who during the forties was interested in the experiment of the Sylvanian society, at what is now called Greeley, made the house his stopping place.

Aunt Fan, was an excellent whip, fond of horses, and could drive a coach and four with the skill of a Jehu. What were considered her masculine traits a few years ago are now fashionable forms of female amusement, showing that her fertile mind only anticipated coming events. She was skillful with several musical instruments and an adept at impersonation, thus always entertaining her guests with some new phase of her many sided character.

She is survived by one sister Mrs. Henrietta Edred and by nieces Mrs. J. W. Lyon and the Mrs. Grace and Blanche Dimmick of Port Jervis and Mrs. Kathryn St. John, who cared for her here, Frank Hillis and the family of her deceased brother C. W. Dimmick, an ex postmaster of Milford. The funeral was held last Monday and interment in Milford Cemetery.

CHARLES KISSEL.

Mr. Kissel died at the home of his son Julius W., in Dingman township, Thursday, June 9. He was born August 15, 1827 in Mahlerberg Baden, Germany.

In his fathers shop he learned cabinet making which was his principal occupation in his boyhood. In 1846 he visited parts of France, and in 1847 took part in the German revolution and was soon compelled to leave the Province. In 1848 he

went to Frankfurt on the main where he worked at cabinet making for three years, while in Frankfurt he was well known by the Rothschilds and often went there to do fine finishing work. In 1851 he went to Vienna, Austria to work on piano making.

In 1852 he left Vienna for America traveling through Austria, Hungary, Bohemia, Saxony and Prussia to Hamburg and Bremen, where he sailed for America and reached New York after a tempestuous voyage of 71 days, where he worked at piano making. June 4, 1858 he married Bertha Kuhn also a native of Mahlerberg Baden, Germany and in 1857 came to Pike County, purchased land and cleared a small farm and also did carpenter work. Since 1901 he has resided with his son Julius W.

Charles Kissel was a fine mechanic and a neat worker, he much preferred the open country to the hot workshops, and was much interested in fruit growing.

In New York city in 1853 he joined the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, and was one of its oldest members perhaps in the state. He was buried in Milford Cemetery followed by members of Vandermark Lodge, Rev. Dr. Coxie officiating.

He is survived by his wife and two sons; Charles J., of Bayonne, N. J., and Julius W., of Dingman township, and two grandchildren Pearl E. and Josephine B. Kissel.

Mrs. ALFRED RUPRECHT
Carrie, wife of Alfred Ruprecht of Brooklyn died last Sunday at the German Hospital in N. Y. She was the youngest daughter of George P. and Anna Weightman and was a sister to Mrs. James P. Van Etten of Milford. She was suddenly taken ill while passing a few weeks in Salisbury county and was removed to the hospital in hopes that a transfusion of blood would relieve her ailment—anaemia—but owing to her weakened condition it was unavailing. Her husband and two daughters, Marlan and Evelyn, besides her father and mother and sisters survive her. The funeral was held Tuesday evening.

Where Will He Stand?

A question agitating politicians just now on the eve of the return of ex-President Roosevelt in this country is just what position he will take concerning the matters which have been in controversy during his absence. Will he give aid to the so-called insurgents or will he step in with the regulars? Will he support Gifford Pinchot in his conservation efforts or will he give aid to the Taft position. That his influence will be powerful on whatever side it is cast is shown by the anxiety of many states men and politicians to obtain interviews with him and so presumably gain favor by first presenting their views. Roosevelt is of an independent mind, an idol of the people and not friendly to trusts and combinations. The effect of his future course on party destiny will be far reaching and many politicians will shake in their boots until they learn his intentions and hear his speech.

Kept The King At Home.

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