

## In and Around the County

### WIPE OUT CHURCH DEPT

At a congregational meeting last Sunday morning of St. Paul's Lutheran Church of Millersburg, a note of nearly \$700 was destroyed, to the satisfaction of the pastor and the church membership. This indebtedness was made during the recent substantial repairs to the church property. A greater and still more agreeable surprise then followed for Rev. Mr. White, the pastor, when the members, almost as a unit, voted to increase his salary from \$1200 to \$1500 per year.

### TO CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY

Steelton Lodge No. 411, Knights of Pythias, will celebrate its twentieth anniversary Thursday evening, June 13. An extensive program is being arranged for this event and the meeting will be open to all members, their families and friends.

### WILL ATTEND CONVENTION

A Nevin Pomeroy, Superintendent of Public Printing and Binding, will leave for Chicago on June 22 to attend the meeting of the National Editorial Association, which will hold a four day's session there and then take a trip through South Dakota. Mr. Pomeroy will not take the far western trip because of business affairs here.

### STREAK OF ILL FORTUNE

Since moving to Millersburg last fall, Mr. and Mrs. Levi R. Ulsh, residing at the Ulsh mill property south of town, have had a streak of ill luck that would be hard to account for in any way. Recently, in removing a splinter from her hand, Mrs. Ulsh was threatened with poisoning as the result of the wound. Some time ago a field of 75 acres of wheat was destroyed by a storm at the former home of Mr. Ulsh near Middleburg. The field would have yielded about \$1500; Mr. Ulsh sold the big field for \$5.00. Not long ago lightning struck the home here and demolished several chimneys; a valuable cow was lost by death, owned by Mr. Ulsh, and on last Sunday one of his draft horses kicked another on the leg, breaking it, and necessitating the killing of the animal. The team was valued at \$500.

### EAGLES IN HARRISBURG NEXT YEAR

The next State convention of the Fraternal Order of Eagles will be held in Harrisburg May 11-13, 1913. This was decided in Pittsburgh at the meeting of the State Aerie. The State Aerie was formed. Officers were elected as follows:

President, John M. Morin, Pittsburgh; vice president, John P. Hower, McKeesport; chaplain, M. J. McGuire, Allentown; secretary A. J. Dougherty, Pittsburgh; treasurer, F. Williams, Jr., Scranton; conductor, George

Chambers, East Pittsburgh; inside guard, R. M. Hatfield, Glassport; outside guard, A. N. McQuown, Punxsutawney; trustees, J. C. Amig, Lewiston; H. W. Wilson, Linton, and Ralph Molter, New Brighton; delegates to Grand Aerie, George Kobler, Harrisburg; W. H. Sharah, Braddock; Patrick Acton, Charleroi; Andrew Thurborn, Pittston, and T. H. Greevy, Allentown.

### NEED LABORERS AT WORKS AT STEELTON

For the first time in five or six years the supply of laborers has been very limited and it is known that agents of the Pennsylvania Steel Company have been in various localities of the east in an effort to secure enough men with which to operate several blast furnaces and the Bessemer mill when these departments resume operations in a few weeks.

### WILL EXTEND SEWERS

The Middletown Drainage Company has been granted a permit to extend a number of sewers in the developing part of town. The company was granted permission a couple of years ago to make extensions providing it arranged for a sewage disposal plant. The site for the plant has been selected and eventually it will be built. The drainage company has accepted all State requirements.

### G. A. R. POST GETS FAMOUS RELICS

Sergeant Samuel W. Lascomb Post, 351, G. A. R., of Steelton, has just come into possession of a number of rare and historical relics which have been presented to it by Samuel D. Light, of Oberlin.

These relics consist of an old rifle used in the Revolutionary War, a saber, broken in half, which had been picked up on the ground occupied by Washington and his troops at Valley Forge, and an eighteen-pound shell from the battle field of Gettysburg.

Who owned the saber at the time of the war for Independence is not now known, but the old rifle has an interesting history. It has a long heavy steel barrel of the pattern that was common among the mountaineers of the State prior to the Civil War. It had originally been a flint lock, but was later changed so that percussion caps could be used in firing. That it has seen a great deal of service is proven by the fact that the trigger pull was worn so thin where it rubbed against the side guards that it finally broke off. Outside of this defect the weapon could be used to-day. During the Revolutionary War this weapon was owned by John Moyer, whose residence is unknown. This man was a blacksmith and soldier of "76" and used the weapon at Paoli and the battle of Brandywine, which was fought at Chadd's Ford, on that creek, September 11, 1777, at which time

18,000 British and German troops under General Howe defeated 13,000 Americans under General George Washington, after which the former occupied Philadelphia while the latter went into winter quarters at Valley Forge.

On the death of Moyer the rifle became the property of George Eshenaur, of this county, and when the latter died the weapon was sold at public sale and became the property of Samuel D. Light, who has now presented it to the local post of the G. A. R. for safe keeping.

### DOG RUN DOWN

A dog was run down by an automobile in front of the Hose house on Wednesday evening. The dog was so badly crushed that it was found necessary to shoot him. "Steve," our bootblack distinguished himself by carrying the canine away, after the automobile had crushed him.

### HERSHEY CHOCOLATES

Talk about your dandy chocolates.

Chocolates of wide renown;

None better ever has been made;

Than here in Hershey town.

This chocolate of all chocolates.

It can do no harm;

All Hershey chocolates are very pure;

And are made down on the farm.

Once you eat of Hershey's.

Of Hershey's you will always eat;

Simply because the Hershey chocolates;

Are chocolates that can't be beat.

It's the chocolate for the family.

It's the chocolate that's true blue;

It's the chocolate for the children,

And for dad and mother too.

It's the chocolate that is crispy.

It's the chocolate that is firm;

It's the chocolate that is tasty,

It's the chocolate with no germ.

This will end these verses.

We need not further explain;

For Hershey's chocolates are already

sold,

From California to Maine.—Editor.

ESTABLISHED JAN. 1894

## Walter T. Bradley

MAIN OFFICE

9th, below Girard Ave., Philadelphia

Building and  
Crushed (all sizes)Building and  
Land

Stone

Lime

High-grade Calcite Stone for Furnace Purposes

### Location of Quarries

Hoffer Quarry (formerly Engle Quarry), Hummelstown, Pa.

George P. Hoffer, Superintendent

Swatara Quarry, Swatara, Pa.

E. M. Hoffer, Superintendent

Palmyra Quarry (formerly Landis Quarry), west of Palmyra, Pa.

E. B. Cassady, Superintendent

Telephone Connections at House and Quarries

### NEW BRANCH LINE INTO PARK OPENED

For some months past, workmen have been busily engaged in laying a branch trolley track from the main line on Chocolate Ave. into Hershey Park. The new line was thrown open to public use last Friday, at which time the Harrisburg High school students on their annual picnic were taken into the park over the new line. The branch will be a great convenience to the thousands of picnickers who annually visit the park.

Heretofore picnickers were compelled to walk the distance from the main line to the park. This improvement will greatly facilitate the handling of the large park crowds.

### "BOY SCOUTS" TO ORGANIZE

Meeting to Be Held Friday Night to Form Patrols and Get Work Started

The newly appointed boys' work committee of the Y. M. C. A. of which G. E. Copenhaver, chairman, George Hench and Harry Zentmeyer are members, met at the Y. M. C. A. on Monday evening of last week. Plans were made to take up the work among the younger members of the Y. M. C. A. under the organization known as "Boy Scouts." The organization was started here over a year ago, but it has been inactive since that summer.

The meeting on Friday night will be held at the Y. M. C. A. at 7.30 o'clock. All of the young members of the Y. M. C. A. are expected to be present. The first thing that will be done will be to divide the boys into patrols, and then elect a captain for each patrol.

After the organization is completed, each of the boys will be given special tests to prepare for which must be passed before he can be enrolled as a "tenderfoot."

Director Kogel and Harry Zentmeyer will be the "Scout Masters" in immediate charge of the organization.

Only a man here and there is called to preach, but we are all called to practice.