

NORTHEASTERN PENNSYLVANIA

RICHARD WILSON ABSENT.

A Prominent Resident of the Water Gap Missing Since March 12.

Special to The Scranton Tribune.
Stroudsburg, March 20.—Richard Wilson, a prominent resident of the Delaware Water Gap, has been missing since March 12, and it is feared that he has been foully dealt with. Wilson left ostensibly for Bangor, a few miles from the Gap and had in his possession thirty-one hundred dollars which he drew in part from a Stroudsburg bank on the day before he left his home. Not a word has been heard from the missing man since his mysterious disappearance. Wilson is an Englishman and came to the Gap in 1872. He is a man an inch or so above the medium height, well built, with a slightly ruddy face. He has handled thousands of dollars and never lost or misused a cent. Last fall Wilson purchased the Amos LaBar property, fronting Oliver LaBar, of Bangor. The purchase price was \$2,000, and to bind the bargain Wilson paid \$20 down.
Before going away Wilson filled the ice houses and gave out that he would sell the ice in the coming summer. Wilson's wife refuses to talk over her husband's sudden disappearance.

WHOLESALE POISONING.

Thoughtless Use of What Seemed to Be Cough Mixture.

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Towanda, March 20.—A thoughtless use of what was supposed to be a cough medicine, taken from an unlabeled bottle, nearly resulted in a wholesale poisoning near Canton on Saturday night. Two men stopped at the home of one Nathan Spencer and wife, to remain over night. At the preliminary all took a dose of the so-called cough mixture, when soon it became evident that poison had been taken.
One of the number attempted to go to the barn to secure a horse to start for a physician, but as he was unable to find a horse, he returned and his wife was seriously ill, but last reports claim all will recover.

Fair Association at Athens.

Special to The Scranton Tribune.
Towanda, March 20.—An effort is under way towards organizing a fair association at Athens. At the preliminary meeting on Saturday several addresses were made, and the object is to make it a strictly farmers' fair. The committee on further progress is: Frank Morley, Dr. Crawford, P. E. Maynard, George Brink and J. K. Mum.

NEW MILFORD.

Special to The Scranton Tribune.
New Milford, March 20.—The ladies of the Working Guild of the Presbyterian church will hold a maple sugar social in the church parlors Thursday evening, March 22. Warm sugar will be served from 7 until 10 o'clock.
Mrs. A. J. Kimball visited friends in Binghamton recently.
Henry E. Sweet, of Mt. Upton, has accepted a position with the New Milford Milk company in the creamery at this place.

FACTORYVILLE.

Special to The Scranton Tribune.
Factoryville, March 20.—Messrs. M. V. Townsend and H. N. Carvill will attend the court of appeal at Tunkhannock today.
Trustee A. B. Gardner, in the matter of C. R. Bliss in bankruptcy, will sell at auction the personal property of the Bliss family at this place, at 11 o'clock, Pa., Thursday, March 23. The real estate will be sold April 2.
In the destruction by fire of the store building and the hotel property at Pierreville, last Saturday night, Wyoming county lost one of its most landmarks, the hotel being built about seventy-five years, or more ago.
Among those who will change places of residence this spring are Simon Reynolds to the house of Mrs. Garr, J. E. Butler to the Tourne property, F. L. Reynolds to Cranford, Matthewson's house, James B. Smith to Nicholson, Simon Philper to Nicholson, Aaron Phillips to his house on Church street, H. N. Capwell to the Sumner Hills house on Main street, A. E. Bedell to the house of Aaron Phillips, corner of High and Grove streets.
A sleighload of young people from Keystone academy enjoyed a sleigh ride to Nicholson last Saturday evening.
The Kain lecture on Abraham Lincoln at the Methodist Episcopal church this evening.

How to Save Doctor Bills.

We have saved many doctor bills since we began using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in our home. We keep it on hand for the time and whenever one of our family or myself begins to catch cold we begin to use the Cough Remedy, and as a result we never have to send away for a doctor and incur a large doctor bill. For Chamberlain's Cough Remedy never fails to cure. It is a family medicine of great merit and worth.—D. S. Meaurio, General Merchant and Farmer, Mattie, Bedford county, Pa. For sale by all druggists. Matthews Bros., wholesale and retail agents.

HALLSTEAD.

Special to The Scranton Tribune.
Hallstead, March 20.—The large locust trees in front of Mrs. O. H. McIntosh's residence have been cut down, as they were becoming dangerous to the building.
Miss Leora Van Loan, of Lansdown, was visiting friends in town Sunday.
Miss Alice Smith, of Uptonville, was visiting Miss Marion Church, Sunday.
Arthur Reed had a wood carver at work all winter upon the interior woodwork of his studio at Ottonomee park.
A great many logs were hauled to the E. H. R. Roosa mill during the few days that the sleighing lasted.
The American Chair Manufacturing company have accepted the proposition to locate in Hallstead. William Hand and Manager Charles Kessler, of Brant, were in conference with the Hallstead board of trade on Tuesday. The result of the conference was that the proposition was accepted.
Mrs. John Landy has returned from New York city.
Several Grand Army of the Republic systems attended the funeral of George Taylor, who died at Smoky Hollow, several miles above town. The funeral services were held in Island Plains Methodist Episcopal church on Tuesday. Rev. John Chidester officiated.

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ated. Interment was made in Rose Hill cemetery.
A new roof will be placed on the round-house in a few weeks. It is also announced that a new turn-table, four feet longer than the one now in use, will be installed, as the old table is not large enough to turn the largest engines without difficulty.
Mrs. Gus Slicker is visiting in New York city.
Miss Gamwell is this week visiting in New York.
Miss Blanche Douglas, of Binghamton, was visiting in the borough on Tuesday.
Mrs. Richard Barnum and son Edward were the guests of Scranton friends on Monday.
John Humphrey has nearly recovered from his attack of appendicitis.

PITTSBURGH.
Special to The Scranton Tribune.
Pittsburgh, March 20.—Announcement has just been made of the marriage of Edward Manger, of West Pittston, and Miss Nellie McDermott, of Fort Griffith. The groom is employed in the cut glass works, and came here a few years ago from Honesdale. The bride was a teacher in the public schools of Jenkins township. The marriage ceremony was performed in St. John's Roman Catholic parochial residence on No. 15, 1899, by Rev. Father Quinnan. The couple have just commenced housekeeping on Exeter street, West Pittston.
The members of the Welsh Congregational church, of Pennsylvania, of worship was completely ruined by fire Sunday evening, held a business meeting at the parsonage last evening, and decided to hold their Sunday meetings temporarily in Young Men's Christian association hall. A new church will be built as quickly as possible.
Michael Lyons, an aged resident of this city, died this morning in the Ransom Home, where he had been a private patient for the past two years. Mr. Lyons had resided in Pittston for some forty years, and for thirty-five years had been a justice of the peace in the Ninth ward. The funeral will take place from the home of his nephew, William Lyons, on Tompkins street, Tuesday morning.
R. B. Cutler and John L. E. T. Finney, have formed a partnership and will open a first class dry goods store in the Butler block on April 1.

SUSQUEHANNA.
Special to The Scranton Tribune.
Susquehanna, March 20.—The Erie shops were yesterday placed on nine hours time, instead of ten hours, as heretofore.
Mrs. Patsy Ann Suttill, an old and respected resident of Susquehanna, died in Oxford, New York, where she was visiting, on Sunday last. She is survived by a son, Frank Suttill, of Newport, Rhode Island. The funeral and interment will be in Oxford.
The next fishing season opens this year on Easter Sunday, but—
Mr. and Mrs. Al. Dirck, of Carbonate, are visiting Susquehanna relatives.
The official board of the Methodist church, at a meeting held last evening, adopted a resolution requesting the Wyoming conference to return the able and popular pastor, Rev. Charles Henry Newing for another year.
The epidemic of mumps in Montrose is subsiding.
The social work on the Jefferson division of the Erie is decidedly dull.
An entertainment under the auspices of the choir of the First Presbyterian church, will be held in Hogan Opera House, April 25.
The Great Bend brush factory is running five days a week.
The Erie is shipping thirty-five carloads of ice daily from Uniondale to New York city.
The funeral of the late Delaware, Lackawanna and Western railroad agent, Mr. Matthew Summerton, was largely attended from the Presbyterian church in Hallstead on Sunday afternoon, Rev. L. W. Church, the pastor, officiating.
The people of the Uniondale school are preparing for commencement exercises on Monday.
The sleighing has suddenly "staid" into the creeks and river, to the deep regret of teamsters and liverymen.
The Montrose railroad is gradually being swallowed up by the Lehigh Valley company.
The funeral of Belle, wife of Charles Johnson, of Buffalo, New York, took place and was largely attended this afternoon, from the First Presbyterian church in this place, the pastor, Rev. David L. Sutherland, officiating. Interment was made in Evergreen cemetery.
Louis G. McCauley, a student in the state normal school at West Chester, is visiting his parents in this place.
Joseph Keene is recovering from a severe illness.
Miss Nellie Keene, an attaché of the register and recorder's office in Montrose, spent Sunday at her home in this place.
Miss Lena Estabrook is visiting Elmira friends.
In the courts of Susquehanna county, Lena Dannie is suing for a divorce from her husband, George E. Dannie.
R. G. Scott, a prominent Montrose merchant, is ill.

PRICEBURG.
On Monday evening, March 19, the spacious residence of W. J. Williams, our genial "squire," was the scene of one of the largest and prettiest weddings that ever took place in Priceburg. The contracting parties were Mr. Fred Zimmerman and Miss Maud Williams, a niece of the "squire." That the young people embarking on the matrimonial voyage are respected and popular was evinced by the fact that over one hundred of their friends were present to witness the ceremony. Promptly at 8 o'clock the bridal party filed into the parlor, to the strains of a wedding march played on the organ by Mr. E. Parry. Mr. T. Miles acted as best man, while Miss Alice Green served in the capacity of bridesmaid. The bride was given away by her mother, Mrs. Williams, of Williams-town, Dauphin county. The nuptial knot was tied by Rev. W. H. Holder, of the Primitive Methodist church. The bride and bridesmaid were attired in steel grey, with lace trimmings, and presented a pretty appearance. The groom and groomsmen appeared in evening dress, as did Mr. W. J. Williams, who acted as master of ceremonies. After the ceremony the guests partook of a sumptuous repast, provided by Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Williams. Among those present were the following: Mrs. S. Zimmerman, Mrs. M. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Eley, Mr. and Mrs. John Eley, Mr. George Eley, Mr. T. Shaffer, Mr. and Mrs. George Zimmerman, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rieg, Watkins J. Williams, Joseph Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Beddoe, Mrs. M. J. Williams, Mrs.

STARBUCCA.
Special to The Scranton Tribune.
Starbucca, March 20.—W. A. Crossley and William Erk, of this place, were in Honesdale on business a few days this week.
E. Stoddard and sister George, of this place, are quite ill.
Mr. J. B. Sampson, Mr. Thomas Orchard and Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Sampson spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Sampson, of this place.
Mrs. Adeline Shannon, of Pleasant Mount, and Miss Florence Brown, of Wilkes-Barre, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Rounde, of this place.

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Miss Irene Cooper, Assistant Superintendent Old People's Home.

Miss Irene Cooper, Assistant Superintendent of the Old People's Home, Chicago, Ill., has a good word to say for Peruna. In a letter written from 3523 Prairie avenue, Chicago, Ill., she says:
"In these days of all kinds of medicine it is a comfort to know of a remedy which may be used with unquestioned beneficial results. I gladly recommend Peruna as a safe, reliable remedy in cases of catarrh of the stomach, helpful in building up the system worn out with overwork or age. Several of my friends who have used Peruna have spoken of it in the highest terms, and I congratulate you on its merits."
Peruna cures catarrh wherever located. Peruna is not a guess nor an experiment. It is an absolute scientific certainty. Peruna has no substitutes—no rivals. Insist upon having Peruna. A free book written by Dr. Hartman, on the subject of catarrh in its different phases and stages, will be sent to you, if you will send a postal note to the Peruna Medicine Company, Columbus, Ohio, on SATURDAY, MARCH 24.

fit to Susquehanna county, and are in favor of his candidacy for the next election. The representatives of this county in the coming state convention will be among the most earnest and enthusiastic of Senator Hardenberg's supporters."
Hon. D. C. Titman, of Montrose, is ill with catarrh.
Mrs. Charles Anderson, of the Oakland side, is gradually recovering from a severe illness.
Arthur W. Cook, recently of Susquehanna, now editing and publishing the Deposit, (N.Y.), Journal, is also publishing the Susquehanna paper devoted to the Epworth Leaguers of this section.
Colonel William H. Teiford, a gallant soldier of the civil war, and a prominent business man of Susquehanna, is in town on Monday.
Mrs. Ann Walters is critically ill at her home on Willow street.
Bert Gers, of Binghamton, representative of the Mercantile Agency, was in town on Monday.
Mrs. Margaret Doyle is spending a few weeks in a prominent New York millinery establishment.
The funeral of John Gates, an aged resident of Lansboro, took place from his late home on Monday, Rev. D. C. Barnes, pastor of the Lansboro Methodist church, officiating. The interment was made in the Lansboro cemetery.

MOSCOW.
The members of the Women's Relief corps tendered Mrs. Lottie Brown a farewell birthday party Wednesday afternoon at her home on Brown street. A beautiful silver cake basket was presented to Mrs. Brown. Refreshments were served, and an enjoyable afternoon spent. The guests were: Mrs. John Clouse, Mrs. H. C. Clouse, Mrs. Polson, Mrs. Borison, Mrs. Travis, Mrs. G. S. Brown, Mrs. George, the Misses Ina DeWep and Lena Sayre; Messrs. G. S. Brown and Milton Brown. Walter Runyon, of Long Island city, visited in town over Sunday.
Max Long is spending this week in New York city.
Mr. and Mrs. Hořace Jones and Miss Mariam Bourn, of Gouldsboro, were visitors in town yesterday.
The Forel-mes-nae club met at the home of Miss Mae Hornback Saturday evening.
Charles Noack, who has been confined to his home for several weeks by injuries sustained from falling off a load of hay, is able to be out again.
Messrs. Frank and George DeWitt left Friday for New York, where they will make their future home.
Mrs. Kate Wardell entertained a few of her friends at a ragbee and quilting Saturday afternoon.
The remains of Miss Jennie Cummings, of Scranton, a former resident of this community, were brought here for interment, Sunday afternoon, in the Catholic cemetery.
A pleasant evening was spent at the home of Mr. Lanco DeWep Thursday night, in honor of his father, Mr. Israel DeWep's seventeenth birthday. He being an old veteran in the membership of the Grand Army of the Republic and their families were present; also his children and grandchildren. He was presented with a suit of clothes by his four sons.
Dr. G. J. Brown and wife have returned from a visit of several weeks with relatives at Thornhurst.
Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sloan entertained a party of sleighriders from Scranton Saturday evening.
Charles Wardell, of Gouldsboro, has accepted a position in the grist mill of J. E. Loveland, and will move his family here in the near future.

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Wall Street Review.
New York, March 20.—There was a brilliant display of speculative pyrotechnics in the stock market today, which was interesting and informing as a spectacle but which must be regarded as having very unpleasant consequences for some time. The explosive outbreak took place in the New York market, and was precipitated by the official announcement published this morning that the Metropolitan Avenue transit was a controlling interest in the Third Avenue railroad. This at once confirmed the fears of the street that the market was to be severely manifested for several days, and there was not a large enough supply of Third Avenue stock to enable the market to cover their unfilled contracts for delivery. In other words, the stock was cornered. In their brief statement, was a jump of nearly 70 points in the price of one of yesterday's rise of nearly 100 points. The violent rise in the stock brought out large blocks from long holders, and the market was in a state of confusion and made feverish fluctuations all day. But when the shorts attempted to supply their needs, the price always mounted buoyantly upward again. The New York public utilities have been the favorite objects of speculation for several days past and the sympathy of the street has been directed to the group by the Metropolitan Avenue transit, which drove the shorts to cover at a rush. The extreme advance in the group were: Metropolitan 124, Brooklyn Transit, which was not a large enough supply of Third Avenue stock to enable the market to cover their unfilled contracts for delivery. In other words, the stock was cornered. In their brief statement, was a jump of nearly 70 points in the price of one of yesterday's rise of nearly 100 points. 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