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First Ward

Mrs. Charles Rhinshart left yesterday for Bunker's Ridge to nurse the little child of Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Musgrave, who is very ill.

Mrs. Fleming Hamilton left the city yesterday to spend some time visiting her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Carr, of Washington, Pa.

General W. W. Scott, who has been spending a week in this city visiting relative, returned last night to Washington, D. C.

Miss Mattie Morris, of Glover's Gap, is the guest for a few days of Mrs. F. L. Brummage at her home on Market street.

Mrs. Will Jenkins is very ill at her home on Diamond street.

Mrs. Lee Stevens and daughter, Miss Beuna, are spending to-day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. U. Gaskins, of Market street.

Mr. J. M. Smith and daughter, Miss Mary, who have been visiting friends in McMechen, have returned to their home on State street. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Sarah Riggs, who will be their guest for a few days.

Rev. J. W. Barnes, of Wadestown, arrived in the city yesterday and will conduct the special services which are being held in the Palatina Baptist church this week.

Mrs. C. V. Fear spent yesterday as the guest of Mrs. J. S. Walker, of East Park avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hull, of Pleasant Valley, were guests yesterday of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Scott, of Columbia street.

Mr. James Raggerty, of Clarksburg, was a visitor in this city yesterday.

Mrs. Harry Walters is suffering a slight indisposition at her home on Golden View.

Still Unconscious.
 Mrs. Clarissa Moran, wife of Elbert Moran, of Winfield district, while visiting her son, Theodore Robes, of Monongalia, on Sunday last, was driven out in the afternoon to call on one of her family friends. On the way back she complained of being cold and suffering from a chill. Upon reaching the son's home again she was seized with nausea which continued to grow worse and she began to yield in strength until she lost consciousness later, from which she has not recovered and little hope is entertained of her recovery, being in the 79th year of her age.

Rummage Sale.
 The rummage sale, which is being held by the Epworth League of the Diamond street M. E. church in a vacant room on Water street, is proving a great success. Sixty dollars has already been realized and \$60 more is expected as they will continue the sale during this week. At the close of the sale a junk sale will be held, and all persons who have any junk, rags or rubber are requested to either

send it to the sale room on Water street or to the home of Mrs. Florence Gray on the corner of Diamond and Newton streets. The date for sending it will be given later.

City Hospital.
 Frank Spino, of Kingmont, was admitted yesterday for treatment of typhoid fever.

Mrs. Charles McCray and Mrs. Dorsey Adams, who have been in the hospital for surgical treatment, were both operated upon yesterday morning and are doing very well.

Pocahontas.
 All members are earnestly requested to attend the meeting of the Pocahontas on Friday evening. Several initiations will take place and there is business to discuss which will require all members to be present.

Well Patronized.
 The Aid Society of the First M. P. Church served dinner yesterday in the church to a large number of voters, who had come from a distance and realized quite a nice little sum to be put in the treasury.

At the Commercial Hotel.
 The late arrivals at the Commercial are Ross Goodnight, Montana; F. C. Lamb, Watson; W. H. Gaskill, Montana; P. M. Gallihue, Indianapolis, Ind.

WEST VIRGINIANS AT THE LOCAL HOTELS.

TAVERS—D. F. Hornor, Mrs. P. H. Koblegard, Lewis Carr, Clarksburg; Mrs. William Poe, Buckhannon; A. E. Lazler, Fred C. Flenniken, Jas. H. Jackson, S. G. Jackson, R. Piper, D. H. Barr, Morgantown; W. E. Harris, Murray; E. C. Musgrave, E. L. Musgrave, J. M. Simpson, B. F. Hamer, Earl Prickett, A. B. Merrell, L. D. Clevenger, C. R. Marrell, Rivesville; G. R. Jamison, R. Ryan, F. H. Thians, D. F. Kidd, Wheeling; Thomas S. Smoot, William A. Hooper, Parkersburg; R. B. Butcher, Weston; J. W. Paul, Charleston; F. B. Frye, Keyser; J. B. Canning, Valley Falls; F. L. La-

MARIETTA—J. R. Jones, J. E. Stein, Clarksburg; R. F. Lazzell, Morgantown; J. A. Stafford and wife, A. A. J. Gaskill, Mannington; Wayman Collins, Beechwood; S. A. Moore, Statler; Benson Jacobs, Little Falls; R. V. Ford, George E. Yohn, Wheeling; Henry Pultz, Gray's Flat; J. S. Rex, E. W. Nichols, Monongah; B. F. Wilson, Barrackville.

MANLEY—M. F. Siles, John E. Kenna, S. C. Lawrence, Charleston, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Krepps, R. W. Babbs, Morgantown; Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Kabitzer, Wheeling; B. F. Hornor, Clarksburg.

WATSON—Lee Davison, H. S. Daugherty, Clarksburg; Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Shirkey, Lumberport; C. F. Sturm, Farmington.

kin, D. H. Barr, Terra Alta; W. J. Straight, Barrackville; Ingle Malone, Beechwood.

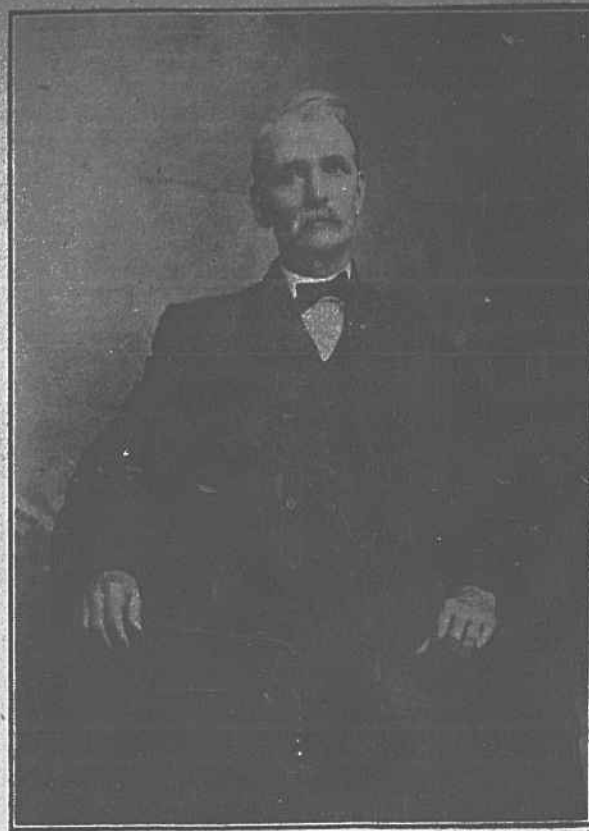
JACKSON—T. S. Sapp, Harry Monroe, Weston; Ray F. Franks, Wheeling.

Ristori's too Grateful Soldier.
 From London Truth.
 During Ristori's first engagement at Madrid an elderly woman one night gained access to her dressing room and tearfully begged her intervention in behalf of her son, a young soldier condemned to death for a serious breach of discipline. At the close of the performance Ristori was presented to Queen Isabella, made the required appeal, and obtained the young man's free pardon—perhaps because she gave to the queen the opportunity of a mot, that she was certain the actress had never before played in a tragedy with such a happy ending. Some years later Ristori again visited Madrid. During the first performance a soldier among the audience made a disturbance, was ejected only after severely damaging a number of policemen, and was subsequently sentenced to a long term of imprisonment. He proved to be Ristori's former protegee, who, hearing of her return, had come to the theater in order to renew his expression of gratitude. Unfortunately, he had drunk her health too enthusiastically beforehand—with the result that he finally owed her, not only his life, but free board and lodging for several years into the bargain.

Jews in the President's Cabinet.
 From the New York Times.
 In connection with Mr. Straus' recent appointment to President Roosevelt's Cabinet I beg to call your attention to the fact that while that gentleman is the first Jew to accept a Cabinet position in our country he is not the first to whom it has been offered—though such would seem to be the case, judging from articles in the various newspapers.

Joseph Sellman declined the Secretaryship of the Treasury in President Grant's administration, and Isidor Straus did the same for the Postmaster Generalship in President Cleveland's Cabinet.

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RUFUS E. HARR,
 Who Was Elected Yesterday as Member of House of Delegates From This County.

Army Lieutenant Short in Accounts

COURT-MARTIAL OF LIEUT. RAMILTON—ALSO CHARGED WITH BEING ABSENT WITHOUT LEAVE.

NEW YORK, Nov. 7.—The court-martial of Lieut. John S. Hamilton, of the Twelfth Infantry, charged with being absent from his regiment without leave and with being several hundred dollars behind in his company accounts, was opened in the officers' clubhouse, on Governors Island, the accused officer, who has been in the Governors Island Hospital since he voluntarily gave himself up to Brigadier General William H. Carter in Chicago a few days ago, had barely enough strength to appear before the court.

The proceedings were secret. The accused was represented by George J. Ross, of Washington. Capt. Henry A. Eaton was judge-advocate, and the following officers sat: Col. P. W. Osgood, president of the court; Lieutenant Colonel Medora Crawford, Major John S. Mallory, Major H. H. Ludlow, Major George Barney, Capt. Geo. F. Landers, Capt. Elijah W. Martindale, Capt. William H. Jordan, Jr., Capt. Allen D. Raymond and Lieut. E. L. Gilmer.

Three months ago Lieutenant Hamilton disappeared from his command and left behind him, it is charged, a worthless check for \$1200, money that he held for his company rifle team as manager. Where he went nobody could learn, nor has the accused a very clear idea of what happened to him after he let his company temporarily stationed at Mount Gretna, Pa., and took a train bound for some place in the West.

After Hamilton had been gone two weeks a letter came to General Bell, chief of staff at Washington, purporting to have been written by Hamilton, and saying that he was tired of life and had decided to commit suicide. The missive asked General Bell to rise his influence to have the body of the suicide buried beside that of his father in the National cemetery at Arlington.

A few days after the receipt of this letter Hamilton appeared before Brigadier General Carter, commanding the Department of the Lakes, with headquarters at Chicago, and surrendered himself. He gave himself up just a few days before the lapse of a fixed period of time that makes a man a deserter.

Since surrendering himself Hamilton's mental condition is said to have been such as to lead to the belief in the minds of his brother officers that he was suffering from temporary insanity when he suddenly left his regiment. The court-martial, it is believed, will develop this line of defense. The trial will occupy several days.

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From the Chicago Record Herald.
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 But what have you done?
 You are going to win in a splendid way.
 As others have won:
 You have plans that when they are put in force
 Will make you sublime;
 You have mapped out a glorious upward course—
 But why don't you climb?
 You're not quite ready to start, you say;
 If you hope to win
 The time to be starting is now—to-day—
 Don't dally; begin!
 No man has ever been ready as yet.
 Nor ever will be;
 You may fall ere you reach where your hopes are set—
 But try it and see.

You are going to do great things; you say
 You have splendid plans;
 Your dreams are of heights that are far away;
 They're a hopeful man's—
 But the world' when it judges the case for you,
 At the end, my son,
 Will think not of what you are going to do,
 But of what you've done.

When the West Was Unknown.

From Putnam's Monthly.
 "Between the Missouri and the Pacific," said a member of Congress, "save a strip of culturable prairie not about two or three hundred miles wide, the region is waste and sterile, no better than the desert of Sahara, and quite as dangerous to cross." The author of these words was Edward Bates, of Missouri, whom Horace Greeley long afterward boomed for the Presidency in the New York Tribune and in the Chicago Republican convention of 1860, and who became Attorney General in Lincoln's cabinet.

This was in the session of Congress of 1820. As late as 1843 McDuffie, of South Carolina, in a speech in the Senate which was applauded by many persons in and out of that chamber, declared that for agricultural purposes he would "not give a pinch of snuff for the whole territory" west of the Rocky Mountains.

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News Notes

New Honors for F. C. Penfield.
 Frederic Courtland Penfield, of New York, formerly United States minister to Egypt, writer of books and magazine articles on foreign travel and diplomacy, has just been notified by the French government of his promotion to be an officer of the Legion of Honor.

Mr. Penfield was created a chevalier of the order on New Year's day, 1905. Six years ago Mr. Penfield won the gold medal of the French Academy. He has also received numerous other European decorations, such as the Grand Cross of the Turkish Order of Medjidieh; Grand Commander of the (Egyptian) Degree of Order of Osmanieh; the Takova Cross of Serbia, and the Grand Cross of St. Catherine.

Timber Cost in Mining Hard Coal.
 One of the many elements of cost in producing anthracite coal is brought out in figures compiled from reports of anthracite mine operators to the United States Geological Survey. These figures show that the total value of the sawed timber used in the anthracite mines of Pennsylvania during the year 1905 was \$5,010,000, or nearly 3% cents per ton of coal produced. The total value of the sawed timber was \$1,842,000, and of the round \$3,468,000. Oak, hemlock and yellow pine were the principal woods used. These are but incidentals in the manufacture of anthracite coal.

"All Aboard" Now in Time.
 "All aboard" is now official. The Pennsylvania Railroad Company has issued an order that all brakemen, Pullman conductors and porters must call out these two words, in a distinct voice, exactly two minutes before the train leaves a division terminal station.

At large towns, where trains stop several minutes, passengers have had a way of leaving the train and strolling up and down the platform. They are apt to wait, until the minute of starting to re-enter the train. The present "all aboard" order is meant to get all the passengers inside before the wheels begin to move and thereby add to the safety of passengers by eliminating the risk incurred by one who boards a car that is under way.

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Women's Pains

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