Children Told

Albany-(UP)-The State Health

Department is cooperating in a na-

tionwide campaign to reduce the number of accidents occasioned by

children playing with blasting caps found in the vicinity of mines,

quarries, or along highways or in fields where agricultural blasting has been done.

In a statement, the department

injuries, some are blinded, and

hands, legs or other disfigurements.

in country districts where children

find the caps in the neighborhood

of blasting operations left in many

cylinders used to detonate explo-

sives in mines, quarries, construc-

tion work, and in blasting ditches,

The caps are closed at one end

"Play with these caps-picking

and loaded with a sensitive and

them with nails, hitting them with

hammers, or throwing them into

bonfires—usually results in an ac-

cident," the department said.

Blasting caps are small copper

cases by careless workmen."

stumps and boulders.

powerful explosive.

"Most of these accidents occur

suffer mangled fingers,

## Himka Gives May Report on Bradford Cows

Troy-The Dairy Herd Improvement Association of Western Brad-ord County closed its May record 18 herds of cows, as reported by William K. Himka. The 10 highest:

Owner and Br. of Cow Milk Fat John Woodruff, Gr. H. ...1,817 Bailey & Wilson, R. H. .... 1,553 George & Mark Scott, R. H. 1,646 Bailey & Wilson, R. H.....1,646

During the month of May there were 345 milking cows and 21 dry cows in the Association; 54 cows produced over 40 lbs. of fat and 19 cows over 50 lbs. for the month.

The average for the 10 highest cows was 1,382 lbs. of milk and 59.0 lbs. of fat per cow.

The ten highest butterfat producing herds were as follows: J. C. Fleming, 44.1; Bailey & Wilson, 39.0; Harold Roy, 38.3; Leslie Ameigh, 36.7; George and Mark Scott, 36.2; John E. Wooduff, 36.2; Beaman & Kitz, 34.0; Cole & Roy, 31.8; Allen Gunert, 31.5; Gerald Smith, 31.3

#### William E. Stratton Dies Unexpectedly

Stratton was born Oct. 4, 1886, in erty there. Middlebury Township, the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Edgar Stratton, deceased. He is survived by his wife, Frances McCallum Strat-Corning; seven sons, Edgar, Kenof Corning, Cecil of Presho, and Bernard of Tioga; two sisters, Mrs. on to another's door. Ida Carsten of San Antonio, Texas, and Mrs. Earl Cummings of Tioga; dristian and Missionary Alliance beautify the city. Cemetery at Holliday.

is young.

A Favorite in

# Elected Officers of Bath Missionary Society



Francis Drew, treasurer; Mrs. Robert Wilkes, THE Women's Missionary Society of the second vicepresident; Mrs. Charles Robie, presi-Centenary Methodist Church elected officers for dent; Mrs. Clayton McAdam, corresponding secrethe coming year at a recent meeting. They are: tary; Mrs. Allison Mann, first vicepresident. Mrs. Abbott Putnam, mite box chairman; Mrs.

#### Letters to the Editor

which he was buried.

#### Says Langdon Home Should Be Bought, Preserved

Editor Star-Gazette:-I hesitate if New York State would help Tioga, Pa.-William Edgar Stratto express my opinion on an ex- finance the acquisition of this ton died unexpectedly Saturday penditure of money in Elmira since property as a local and state monumorning at his home in Middlebury I am not a taxpayer, although I ment to Mark Twain. Think of the Township, Tioga County, Pa. Mr. do have an interest in some prop- miles and miles of state parkways on Long Island, also square miles

Phelps of Tioga, Mrs. James Han- great lack of appreciation to let modern languages department. But neth, William, Maynard and Carl finances are better, as opportunity purpose. It has been suggested as is knocking now and will soon pass a home for the aged.

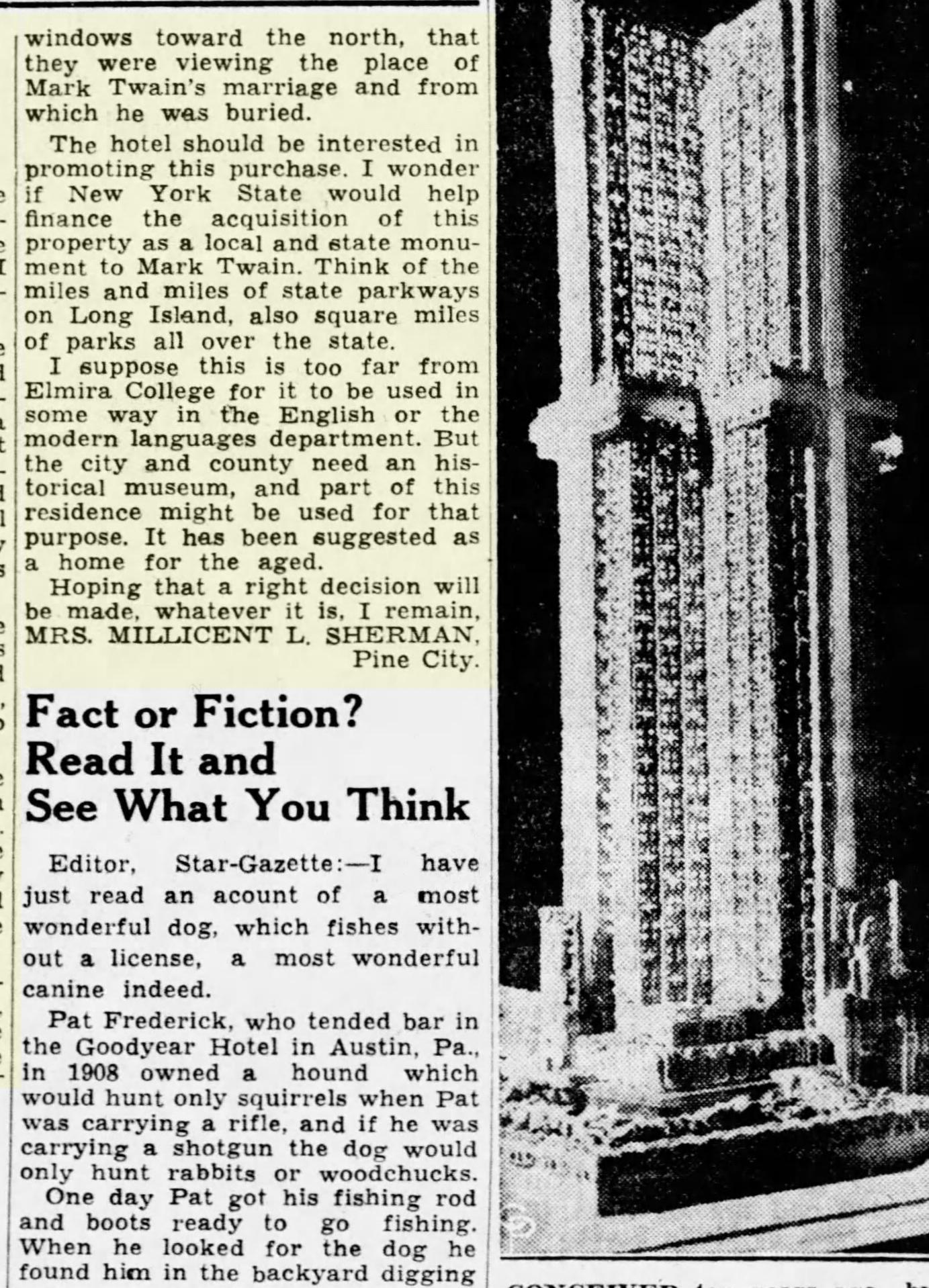
three brothers, Ernest Stratton of preserved as nearly as possible as inghamton, Milford and Bernard they are. The lawn, drives and Stratton was a member of the should be left to continue

Church of Holliday. The funeral Then, of course, there is the the home, and at 2 p. m. at the C. which makes Elmira a famous spot. & M. A. Church. Rev. Marshall This is so much more accessible Smith, assisted by Rev. Claude Mc- than his famous study at Quarry Callum of Tully, N. Y., officiated. Farm and as interesting as and just read an acount of a most Interment was in the Fairview more likely to be visited than the wonderful dog, which fishes withgrave in Woodlawn.

While attending a state con-The oak family, although one of vention at the Mark Twain Hotel, our most important tree families, I wondered how many there realized, while looking out of the

Yates Honor Students

#### Streamlined



CONCEIVED ten years ago b two artists, this streamlined cathedral in the shape of a cross will soon be erected in Budapest, Hungary, 500 feet above a mountain top overlooking the Danube River. It will be lined with gleaming glass. Lloyd Wright and Mrs. Margaret Brunswig Straude, both of Los Angeles, are the designers.

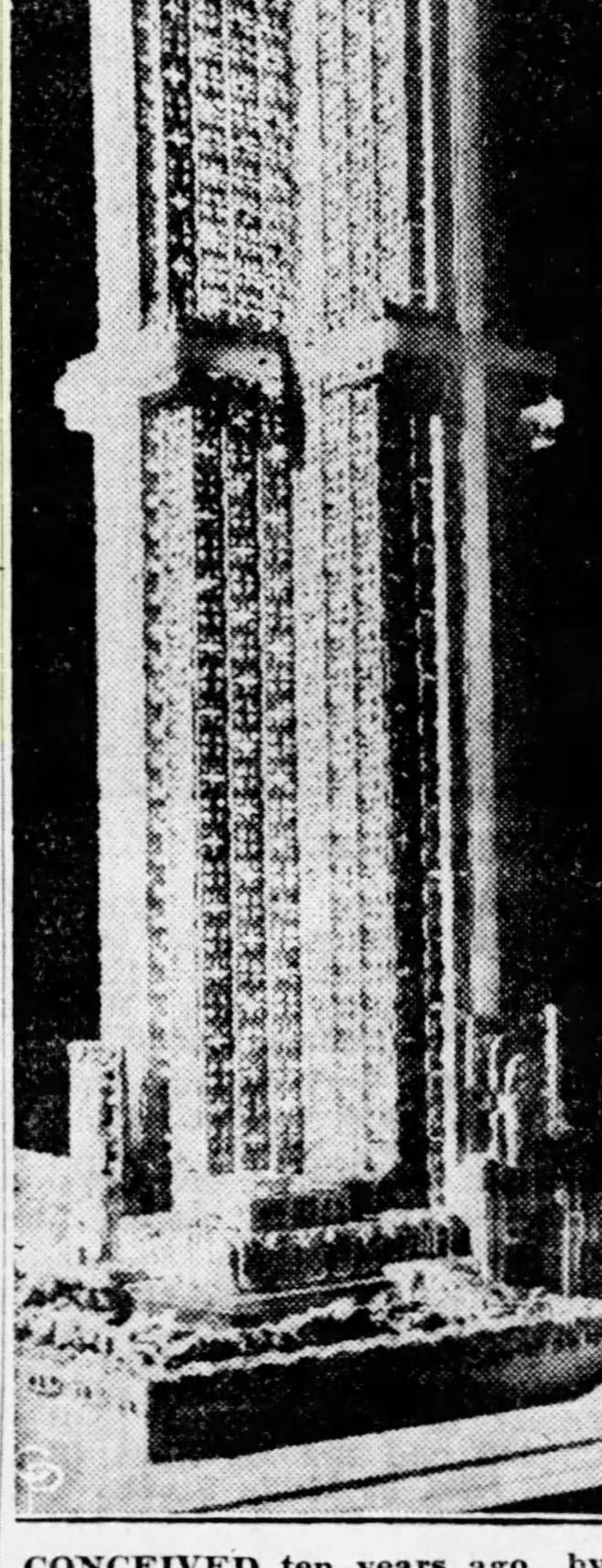
# was held Tuesday afternoon from worldwide interest in Mark Twain See What You Think

Editor, Star-Gazette:-I have out a license, a most wonderful

was carrying a rifle, and if he was carrying a shotgun the dog would only hunt rabbits or woodchucks. One day Pat got his fishing rod and boots ready to go fishing. When he looked for the dog he found him in the backyard digging

When Frank Gunther's house caught fire in Owensboro, Ky., the amily rushed out and discovered they had left the fire insurance icy in the house. The dog, heartheir lamentations, raced back, a wet towel from the bathroom, rapped the policy in it and reurned it to Mrs. Gunther. Now you tell one.

B. P. HUTCHISON.



Classified Ads Bring Results

## DONALD BUTTON is the valedictorian of Central School District 2, Yates County, while Helen Hurley is the salutatorian. Both have taken an active interest in school activities. They are pictured in front of the school in which school sessions have been held for the last time as the central school building will open for the fall term. GOSPER-

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### School Funds Distributed To Districts

State aid to schools of Chemung County recently received by County Treasurer John L. Fiester has been distributed as follows:

To town supervisors to be apportioned to public schools within their towns: Ashland, \$844; Baldwin, \$4,228.97; Big Flats, \$2,757.10; Catlin, \$5,666.65; Chemung, \$7,-740.60; Elmira, \$9,529.81; Erin, \$6,-794.73; Horseheads, \$6,734.63; Southport, \$19,948.01; Van Etten, \$3,733.62; Veteran, \$6,361.40. To union free school treasurers: Horseheads One. \$5,252.48; Horse-\$4,366.98; Veteran, \$1,649.30; Ashland, \$6,340.62; Big Flats, \$4,194.66.

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