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**Harry H. Hain** editor of the Duncannon Record, Duncannon, Perry County, Pa., was born in Buffalo Township, Perry County, July 25, 1873. He is the youngest of five children of **Henry** and **Elizabeth (Huggins) Hain**. **Henry Hain** is a grandson of **Casper Hain**, an early settler of Berks County, whose son, **John Hain**, became a resident of Northumberland County. **John Hain** married **Katharine Snyder**, and their son, **Henry Hain**, was born in Northumberland County, September 2, 1833. He removed at an early age to Perry County, where for the greater part of his life he has been engaged in farming. He has served in many offices in the gift of his township. His children are: **John L.**; **George C.**; **Harry H.**; **Alice M.**; and **Emma C.** The first two are employed in the railway mail service. **Henry Hain** is a gentleman in good standing and held in great esteem in his community; but his greatest satisfaction is founding the success of his children. At the early age of sixteen, **Harry H. Hain** successfully passed a teachers' examination, and began teaching school. Having a taste for newspaper work, he was employed on the Greencastle Pilot and the

Harrisburg Patriot. In 1891, forming a partnership with a brother, he purchased the plant of the Duncannon Record. By the dissolution of this partnership, in 1894, **H. H. Hain** secured entire control of the paper, of which he is still both publisher and editor. He became an enthusiastic party worker while yet in his teens, and his inclinations are strongly political. He is well-known in patriotic circles, being past president of the county organization of the Junior O. U. A. M., and having served two successive years as chairman of the State appeal committee of that organization. He is also a member of Iron Conclave, No. 136, I. O. H., and of Evergreen Lodge, No. 205, I. O. O. F. **Mr. Hain** was secretary of the board of trade for several years, having been the leading spirit in its organization in 1892. But his "hobby" is the newspaper business, and in it all his hopes for the future are centered. Early in 1896, **Harry H. Hain** was united in marriage to Miss **Fannie Swartz**, an estimable young lady of Harrisburg, Pa., but a native of New Bloomfield, Pa. One little daughter, **Martha Amelia**, with her parents, constitutes the household. Mr. Hain is a "home" man, and is fond of his family. His wife is a member of the Lutheran church, where the family are wont to attend services.