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## CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION WAS FITTINGLY OBSERVED BY THE UNITED BRETHREN.

A Series of Well Attended and Very Interesting Exercises That Were Taken Part in by Eminent Churchmen of That and Other Denominations.

### A PEOPLE THAT HAS MADE MUCH LOCAL HISTORY

The United Brethren in Christ of Mount Pleasant have celebrated their centennial as a church, fittingly, too, as becomes a people whose history is closely interwoven with that of the town. They did this for their own sakes that they might feel more keenly their relationship to the church as a divine institution; for the sake of their ancestors who are worthy of the honor accorded their memories, and for the sake of their successors, to whom they would transmit all the inheritance of the past, the endearing elements of life which are more to be desired than gold.

It is no easy task to arrange for and successfully carry out an affair like this was, as Rev. Dr. Lawrence Keister and his hospitable people have done. They are certainly deserving of all the congratulations that have been showered upon them. Perhaps, the highest compliment to be paid them is that implied by the fact that, now that it's over, they have nothing to regret.

Special mention is due Dr. Keister's esteemed father-in-law, Rev. S. E. Cormany, a veteran in the service of both his Master and his country. He voluntarily took up the work of writing the history of the church, and work of the hardest and most trying kind it was. But perseverance won the day and the result was a handsomely illustrated booklet that is full of most interesting facts concerning the sturdy men and women who planted this church west of the Alleghenies where it has since grown and become a great power for good.

The opening service was held Friday evening, beginning with the reading of the 90th Psalm by the pastor who led the congregation in repeating the Lord's prayer. The choir, under the leadership of Dr. B. M. Loar, whose selections throughout were most pleasing features of the meetings, sang the anthem, "The Lord is my light." Dr. Keister then made a brief address of welcome and was followed by the choir singing "I love Thy Kingdom." Former pastors, Rev. G. W. Sherrick and D. Speck, then spoke. Rev. Sherrick's talk was an earnest, sympathetic one, while that of Rev. Speck was of a livelier strain. He came here first from Center county on horseback, while on this occasion he used the trolley. After Miss Edith King's well rendered solo, "The Good Shepherd," Bishop E. P. Kephart made the closing address of the evening, which was highly appreciated. The story told of his pastorate about a man who requested to be dragged to the altar and afterward fell dead in Pittsburgh refreshed the memories of older members and informed the younger members of a striking event of the past. Following the singing of "Blest be the tie that binds" Rev. Dr. J. H. Pershing pronounced the benediction.

On Saturday evening, following the reading of the 133rd Psalm and prayer by Thomas A. Kempis, the choir sang "Guide me, O Thou Great Jehovah" and kind letters from Rev. S. S. Hough and Prof. W. J. Zuck were read. This was followed by Rev. S. E. Cormany reading his excellent history of the church. When the hymn, "Come, Thou out of every blessing," had been sung, Miss Ruth Hubbs recited Dr. Keister's centennial poem, which will be found on the fourth page of this issue. After the vocal solo, "When the mists have rolled in splendor," by Miss Clara Burkholder, Revs. H. S. Wilson, C. L. Smith and S. G. Yahn gave greetings on behalf of the other local churches. Rev. D. M. Lyle pronounced the benediction following the duet, "Invisible Land" by Mrs. W. E. Shope and Mrs. George Schilling.

Rev. E. U. Hoenshel, another former pastor, conducted the quarterly review in the Sabbath school Sunday morning and much interest was added by the fact that he had visited many of the places mentioned in the lesson. He also opened the regular morning services with prayer following the chanting of the Lord's prayer. Rev. Speck also prayed before the choir sang "Hark, my soul." Following Mrs. W. E. Shope's rendition of "The Heavenly Song" Dr. W. M. Bell preached a fine discourse. The centennial offering taken up at the close of the service amounted to \$458.

The afternoon service was opened by the choir rendering the anthem, "Serve



REV. S. E. CORMANY

WHOSE WORK AS A LOCAL HISTORIAN IS MUCH APPRECIATED.

the Lord with gladness," followed by prayer by Rev. W. H. Spangler. The address made by Rev. G. W. M. Rigor, a former resident of this place, was especially full of interest for both old and young as it contained many pleasing reminiscences. When the congregation had sung "How sweet the hour of praise and prayer" to the tune of "Auld Lang Syne," Rev. J. P. Cowling pronounced the benediction.

The Sunday evening service opened with the anthem, "The shadows of evening," by the choir. Following the reading of the 91st Psalm the congregation sang "Sun of my soul, Thou Savior dear." Presiding Elder S. W. Keister offered up a prayer. After a duet by Mrs. W. E. Shope and John Crosby, of Greensburg, Bishop Kephart preached one of his always well-sustained discourses. When the offering had been brought up to \$500, the goal of the financial effort, the congregation joined in singing "How firm a foundation." Rev. Speck pronounced the benediction that brought to a close the centennial services, which, from first to last, were most profitable and inspiring.

### FRATERNAL GREETINGS

Given by Revs. Wilson, Yahn and Smith on Behalf of the Local Churches.

In the course of his address Rev. Wilson said: For one hundred years your congregation and the one I represent have been fellow workers in this town. In the association of the churches they are the charter members, the original pioneers who first blazed the claim here for things spiritual, and who have never dropped the tools of labor, or moved farther west. For fifty years these two congregations were joint owners in the first piece of church property, and for the other fifty years they have been side by side spiritual competitors. They have gathered from the flowers of human nature the honey of loyalty to Christ. Fifty years ago the hive became too small. The U. P.s remained at home; the United bees safely swarmed on this plot of Main street ground, helped to this location by the music of a free deed to the property from Solomon Keister, the father of your pastor.

This printed and pictured history brings up to you the fathers of your church. One of them is here represented as supposing the effect produced if he would come back to his pulpit after fifty years. I act upon his suggestion, and, fifty years after our separation I represent to you those other old men, not here pictured, those old-time partners, the ministers of the Associate Reformed, now United Presbyterian

church. I present their greetings, express congratulations and bid you God speed. Let me call your attention to something of special mention from your own history and ours, that is the absence of jealousy and the presence of uninterrupted friendliness during all that joint ownership period. It had great possibilities in the other direction. Think too of the times in which these men lived. Times when the ecclesiastical hatchet was dug up, and the war paint was upon the face of Methodist, Presbyterian, Baptist, United Brethren. And yet no hint has come to us from document or tradition of discord or jealousy. Let us name it to the honor of the noble men and women of our past. They lived in harmony.

I do not know whether a hundred years ago there was in the German your modern hymn, "Blest be the tie that binds," but I do know that the old men whom I represent were a hundred years ago singing a hymn which some section of God's church has been singing for three thousand years: "Behold how good and pleasant, and how becoming well, where brethren all in unity in peace together dwell." And those old people of our two churches practiced the sentiment of your modern hymn and of that song of the ages. They did more than that, they gave a direction to a Christian fellowship and unity in the town which has not been lost in the years since.

May we not say that they anticipated in their relations while here upon earth the union of the church above, when all these members of the Presbyterian family of churches, shall become United Presbyterians, and all this larger company, these Christians from all these other churches shall become United Brethren. As you come into port after a hundred years' course, rest a while, hoist your sails and start out on another century voyage, I come representing the past to express congratulations and bid you God speed.

#### The Power of Truth.

An occasion of this kind, said Rev. Yahn, naturally suggests appropriate thoughts, one of which is embodied in the word truth. You are celebrating the centennial of this church. Not of the building; for, it is not so old as that, nor of the congregation, for no member has lived through the century; but the identity that has marked your existence for a hundred years is to be found in the truth as you have taught it and practiced it.

A church, in this respect, is much like the individuals who compose it. While man is constantly changing, and undergoes a complete physical change every several years, he retains his identity from birth to death. So the old church building gives place to the new, and the personnel of the church is constantly changing, but the church retains her identity in the immortal truth that she teaches. Hence, we should regard the church as a trustee of the truth. A church is of worth to the world only to the extent that she embodies, teaches and practices the truth. It is probable that all churches have some of the truth. It is possible that no church has all of the truth. It follows, therefore, that the best church is the church that teaches and practices the most of the truth. In the work of such a church you can conscientiously engage, and religious work only counts to the extent that you can put conscience into it.

I take it to be true that you are members of this church on such a doctrinal basis. He who belongs to a church on any other grounds is a hindrance to the church and an annoyance to the pastor. I do not know what changes the coming

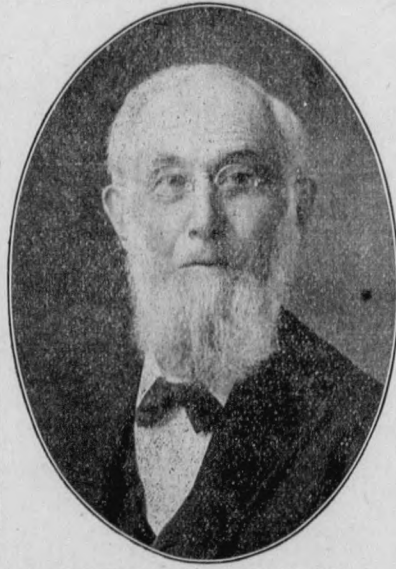
century may bring to this denomination, but I do know that a hundred years hence the truth for which you stand will still live, and shine forth in the beauty of another century's accumulated light.

You of today are heirs to a splendid inheritance. But this inheritance brings a tremendous responsibility—a responsibility that suggests that your church must be not only a trustee of the truth, but also a transmitter of the truth. And in the transmission of the truth, keep the standard high, and speak the truth in love, that it may be "the power of God unto salvation to every one that believeth."

#### More Kind Words.

It substance Rev. Smith said: I come to you this evening to bring you the greetings of a church which is numerically the strongest of us all, but which bears therefore a correspondingly great burden of responsibility. I bring you greetings of the most sincere and heartfelt kind. It affords me great pleasure to stand before you this evening and bring such a message.

My purpose tonight is also to congratulate you. We have heard with much satisfaction the edifying historical



FATHER SAMUEL ZUCK.

sketch read by Brother Cormany. It has brought to us in carefully digested form just the information which we all need to enable us to appreciate what this centennial celebration is all about. I come to you with the greater pleasure because of the relation of unity which has always existed between our churches. We are one in doctrine, creed and practice, and we are practically one in polity. Our greetings therefore must surely be fraternal indeed.

We bear a common heritage also. From the simple and pious folk called the Moravians the early United Brethren in Christ received no small spiritual impulse. So, with John Wesley, whose bicentenary we are to celebrate up at our church tomorrow. His knowledge of spiritual things was greatly quickened by his contact with Peter Boehler and other good Moravians. And, finally, I greet you and congratulate you because you have been permitted to live as a church through such a century as this latest one. It is the best of them all. It brought great religious blessings to the world. May you be able to train up a better generation than yourselves, and then hand to them as a heritage an age made better by yourselves. And thus may God's Kingdom grow till it fills the whole earth.

#### History of the Church.

Copies of Rev. Cormany's history of the church can be had at 10 cents each, with postage added if sent by mail. It tells how Abraham Draksel (now Truxal) was the first United Brethren minister to come to this side of the

Alleghenies in 1790, making frequent trips in the next fourteen years, on one of which John Jacob Pfriemer accompanied him as a fellow laborer; how these sturdy men of God, with Christian Newcomer, conducted a great revival meeting during the summer of 1803 in the old Bonnet school house, which stood near where Isaac Horner has his garden today, a little over a mile east of this place. The local church dates its birth from this meeting. It was in this school house that the first General Conference of the Church was held in 1815 when Christian Newcomer and Andrew Ziller were elected bishops. In 1815 the new United Brethren people and the United Presbyterians joined in the erection of a log church, just opposite this office. This was replaced by a brick structure in 1830 and the United Presbyterians bought it outright at public sale for \$700 on September 10, 1853, and the next year the United Brethren built their Main street church, which has since, been remodeled.

#### COMERS AND GOERS.

Paragraphs About Prominent People Gathered During the Week.

W. A. Kalp is off on a business trip to Idaho and Montana.

Rev. S. E. Cormany left Wednesday to look after his property interests in Johnstown.

Mrs. Samuel Dennison and family returned Saturday from an extended visit paid West Virginia friends.

S. C. Donaldson, of Scott's, with his wife and child, spent Monday here with his brother, A. B. Donaldson.

Mr. and Mrs. Leopold Grant, of East Washington street, will celebrate their golden wedding with a family reunion tomorrow.

Misses Nell Cunningham and Grace Pugh, of Somerset, are here visiting the former's aunt, Mrs. Henry Cunningham, of East Washington street.

Councilman Charles Cunningham and George Parfitt drove up to Pleasant Unity Tuesday and spent the day with their old side partner, Dan Jordan.

Misses Lillie Hunter and Mayme Sherrick drove over the mountains Tuesday to Somerset where they will spend several weeks with friends.

Prof. C. T. Fox, of Findlay, Ohio, joined his family here Monday and with them will spend a week or ten days visiting his parents and old friends in this vicinity.

John F. Neilson, of Peoria, Illinois, and his son, Harold, stopped off here Monday to pay their respects to the former's aunt, Mrs. A. N. Miller, while on their way to visit New England friends.

Misses Ruth Buck, Irene Husband, Helen Bryce, with Ralph Husband, were at Connellsville Friday evening attending a shirt waist dance given by Howard Markle and Harry White in Markell Hall.

W. B. McCaleb, of Harrisburg, superintendent of the Philadelphia division of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, wife and little son were here over Sunday with that gentleman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John D. McCaleb.

Miss Mame Johnston, of this place, one of Prof. Bissell's pupils, took part in last week's Curry Conservatory commencement at the Alvin theatre, Pittsburgh. Miss Johnston is working for the degree in music that will obtain for her the London Conservatory diploma. She expects to receive it next year.

## LOCAL BANK ON THE ROLL OF HONOR

With Surplus Equal to its Capital Stock.

CITIZENS' EXCELLENT RECORD

MADE DURING THE TEN YEARS OF ITS EXISTENCE.

Brief History of That Well Managed Money Institution That Now Proposes to Make Some Extensive Improvements in Its Rooms That Will Also Include a Partial Remodeling of Its National Hotel Property.

The directors of the Citizens National Bank of Mount Pleasant, O. P. Shupe, J. S. Hitchman, J. L. Myers, John Husband, J. L. Ruth, J. C. Crownover, J. A. Warden, J. McD. Bryce and John M. Stauffer, were all smiles at the close of their meeting Tuesday when the cashier's statement showed that their institution, with the surplus equal to the capital stock, \$50,000, is now entitled to have its name added to the national bank roll of honor.

It was also decided to make some extensive improvements, consisting of an addition to the rear of the present large banking room for the accommodation of the board and other officers. The rooms now used for that purpose will be turned over to the National Hotel property, which is part of the block owned by the bank, giving the hotel a much greater convenience than it now enjoys. The changes will be made at once.

This bank was organized ten years ago from the old Mount Pleasant bank, owned by the late W. J. Hitchman, J. C. Crownover and W. B. Neel, with James S. Hitchman as president and J. G. Shope as cashier and from that day until this it has never missed a regular quarterly dividend of 2 per cent., the 39th declaration falling on Tuesday last. Six years ago Mr. Ruth succeeded Mr. Shope who resigned the cashiership to engage in the same business at Hollidaysburg, Pa.

#### COKE AND COAL.

Items of Interest Gathered From Both Mine and Yard.

Dominick Rice and Carl Corporalla, two miners at Loyahanna, while dividing a can of blasting powder Sunday, were perhaps fatally burned by an explosion caused by the ashes of the tobies they were smoking dropping into the can.

George H. Blackburn, for almost five years the assistant mine foreman at the Frick company's Standard mines, has resigned, having on Wednesday last taken charge of the Keystone Coal & Coke Company's Madison No. 1 pit, at Darrah, this county. The best wishes of many friends here will follow him.

The Husted-Semans Coal & Coke Company, capitalized at \$500,000, has been organized in Uniontown, with Capt. J. F. Husted, president; Isaac W. Semans, treasurer, and Messrs. Frank M. Semans, Albert Husted, J. Edgar Husted and W. Barton Beeson. The company owns between 900 and 1,000 acres of coal land in Luzerne township, Fayette county, and will develop it. Two hundred ovens will be erected.

The Shade Coal Mining Company, of this place, owning extensive developed coal lands in Somerset county, has just been chartered with \$75,000 capital. J. W. and I. F. Overholt, of this place, are directors and among the principal stockholders.

#### THE FOURTH HERE.

St. Joseph's People will Lead in the Way of Celebration.

St. Joseph's will lead in tomorrow's celebration of the Fourth and, barring rough weather, the entire day will be taken up in different kinds of amusements. The forenoon will be devoted to base ball, greased pig and foot races and machine striking contest. Following dinner there will be blindfolded wheelbarrow, sack, three-legged and egg races and a second game of ball. Prizes will be given for everything. After supper will come the balloon ascension and at 9 o'clock the parlor suit and silver set contests, continued from the May Carnival, will be decided. Dancing will continue throughout the entire day and evening. A large tent on the grounds will be used in case of rain. Neither money nor work has been spared to make the affair a most enjoyable one for everybody.



# Hurrah for the Fourth!

July 4th=====

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=====July 4th

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to the young couple (married or single) coming the farthest distance to attend the 4th of July celebration. Call at Broadway Department Store, register your name, address and distance you have come, and at 5 p. m. sharp we will announce who are the lucky couple to receive prizes. Come, bring the little folk, also your sweetheart, as you may be the lucky one to get prize free. It's like going to Niagara and not seeing the falls as to come to Scottdale and not visit the Broadway Dept. Stores.

## \$10,000 of Merchandise must be Sold Regardless of Cost or Loss.

Carpets, Lace Curtains, Oil Cloths, Matting, Portiers, Ladies', Misses' and Children's Wash Suits, Ladies' and Misses' Walking and Dress Skirts, Silk and Wash Waists, Ladies', Children's and Men's Shoes, Hosiery and Underwear, Ladies' and Children's Trimmed Hats, Linings and Trimmings, Window Shades and Curtain Poles, Fancy Pillow Tops, Art Linens, Chinaware, Queensware, Hardware and Groceries. General Clearance Sale in all departments. A saving of 1-4, 1-3 to 1-2 on many of above named articles and thousands of others not mentioned. Save money by spending it at our Clearance Sale--it's the talk of the town. What? Why, the clearance sale at the Broadway Department Store; so, be quick if you want to save money.

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## NOW UP TO REV. YEUELL.

Burgess and Local Justices Take Him to Task for What he Said of Union-town's Wickedness.

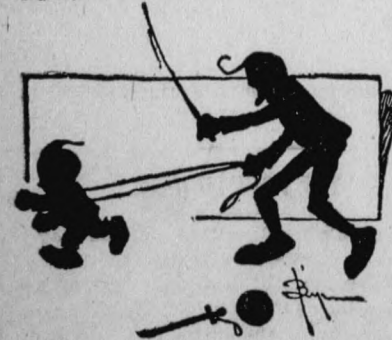
## THEY DEMAND PROOF OR A DENIAL OF IT.

Burgess Francis and Justices of the Peace Miller and Dawson at Uniontown are after Rev. Herbert Yeuell, pastor of the Central Christian church there, for the sensational charges he made in a recent sermon, of which the substance was published in last week's JOURNAL. Rev. Yeuell made the statement that four prominent business men had very recently been arrested at 2 o'clock in the morning with four women; that they were taken before a justice, and on account of their social prominence and being married men, were let off with a fine of \$15 each. He further

stated that some of these men are officers in the church and every Sunday walk up and down the aisle taking up the contribution. He also stated that if these men had been poor their arrest would have been heralded broadcast over the town in great headlines in the papers.

The Burgess and justices most emphatically deny that anything of the kind ever occurred in their offices and demand that Rev. Yeuell either substantiate the charge or acknowledge its falsity. The reverend gentleman has not made any reply as yet.

### A Change of Work.



"Don't you think we've played this game long enough, Willie?" "Oh, I don't know! But if you want to change I'll let you be the horse and me the driver."—New York Evening Journal.

### A Pleasant Dream.

"I've been thinking of taking a couple of months off this summer"—began the man at the desk. "A couple of months off!" repeated the man near the door. "Why, I didn't know you ever got but a couple of weeks." "I don't, but I can think about taking two months, can't I?" And only the hard working electric fan was heard for the next five minutes.—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

## No Life, No Energy, No Ambition.

These are common expressions nowadays and the finger posts that point with unflinching accuracy to a nervous system robbed of its vitality by over-exertion, overstrain or excess of some kind. That anyone should allow this condition to go on to complete mental, physical or sexual ruin as it surely must if neglected, is a positive crime when the cure is at hand in Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Pills—a medicine designed expressly for this condition—a medicine that cures to stay cured by resupplying the very essential of life—Nerve Force.

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# CLOSING UP THE GAPS.

The Pittsburg, McKeesport & Connellsville Railway Company will Soon Have the Coke Region Entirely Covered.

## WILL REACH PITTSBURG BEFORE VERY LONG.

The Pittsburg, McKeesport & Connellsville Railway Company is rapidly joining up its gaps and will soon have the coke region completely covered. That at Dunbar was closed last Thursday evening, making a through line from Uniontown to Everson, a distance of 18 miles. With the overhead bridge at Everson completed, as it soon will be,

cars can be run right through from Tarr, via Uniontown, to Fairbance, or into the Masontown field as far as Footedale. The line from Connellsville to Vanderbilt is also in operation. It is said that connections to Pittsburg, by way of Greensburg, Jeannette and Irwin, will be had this fall when through cars will be put on.

### REDUCED RATES TO BOSTON.

Via Pennsylvania Railroad, Account Meeting National Educational Association.

On account of the meeting of the National Educational Association, at Boston, Mass., July 6 to 10, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets to Boston from all points on its lines west and south of Princeton, Hightstown, Tennent and Long Branch, on July 3, 4, 5, and 6, good going on those dates and good to return between July 8 and July 12, inclusive, at rate of a single fare for the round trip, plus \$2.00. By depositing ticket with Joint Agent at Boston, on or before July 11, and payment of fee of fifty cents, extension of return limit may be obtained to September 1. For stop over privileges and further information consult nearest ticket agent. 1

### Night Was Her Terror.

"I would cough nearly all night long," writes Mrs. Chas. Applegate, of Alexandria, Ind., "and could hardly get any sleep. I had consumption so bad that if I walked a block I would cough frightfully and spit blood, but, when all other medicines failed, three \$1 bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery wholly cured me and I gained 58 pounds." It's absolutely guaranteed to cure coughs, colds, la grippe, bronchitis and all throat and lung troubles. Price 50c and \$1. Trial bottles free at H. F. Barkley's drug store. 3 17 31

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### REDUCED RATES TO ATLANTA, GA.

Via Pennsylvania Railroad, Account National Convention Baptist Young People's Union of America.

For the benefit of those desiring to attend the National Convention of the Baptist Young People's Union of America, to be held at Atlanta, Ga., July 9 to 12, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell round trip tickets from all stations on its lines to Atlanta July 6 to 9, inclusive, good going on those dates and good to return until July 15, inclusive, at rate of a single fare for the round trip, plus \$1.00. By depositing tickets with special agent at Atlanta on or before July 15, and payment of fifty cents, an extension of final return limit may be obtained to reach original starting point not later than August 15. For specific rates and full information concerning stop-overs, consult nearest ticket agent. 1

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### REDUCED RATES TO SARATOGA.

Via Pennsylvania Railroad, Account Imperial Council, Nobles of the Mystic Shrine.

On account of the Imperial Council, Ancient Arabic Order, Nobles of the Mystic Shrine of North America, to be held at Saratoga, N. Y., July 7 to 10, inclusive, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell round trip tickets to Saratoga from all stations on its lines, on July 6 and 7, good to return until July 20, inclusive, at rate of a single fare for the round trip. A stop-over will be allowed at Philadelphia and Baltimore on tickets reading via those points within final limit of July 7 going and July 20 returning, on deposit of tickets with station agent immediately on arrival.

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S. P. Zimmerman.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE CITIZENS' National Bank, at Mount Pleasant, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, June 9th, 1903.

RESOURCES.  
Loans and discounts, \$194,425.51  
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured, 11,806.04  
U.S. Bonds to secure circulation, 50,000.00  
Premium on U.S. Bonds, 1,250.00  
Stocks, securities, etc., 46,000.00  
Banking-house, furniture and fixtures, 30,000.00  
Due from national banks (not reserve agents), 113,696.45  
Due from state banks and bankers, 2,345.56  
Checks and other cash items, 14,107.00  
Notes of other national banks, 200.84  
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz: Specie, \$241.85  
Legal tender notes, 16,500.00  
Redemption fund with U.S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation), 2,500.00  
Total, \$491,073.25

### FOR PROTECTION AND CORRECTION

against the action of the sun and wind something must be used. Sunburn is painful and freckles disfiguring. We carry a full line of all the high class and reliable

Salves, Face Powder, Cold Cream, and other toilet preparations. These are all effectual and absolutely harmless and necessary for the beautifying of the skin and producing a smooth complexion.

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Correct Attest:  
O. P. SHEHE, J. McD. BRYCE, J. S. HITCHMAN, Directors.

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619 Main Street.

## SUMMING UP.

## THE FINAL ARGUMENT.

In these weekly talks of the past few months, we have touched on many sides of the clothing question—we have endeavored to be impartial in all our statements—we have sought to give facts, and facts only—neither stretching the truth in our favor, nor distorting conditions of competition.



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DESIGNERS AND MAKERS OF FINE CLOTHING

In the meantime, these "talks" have brought us many new friends—and our methods of business have cemented their patronage. In the newspapers, we can only declare our intentions, but in our business relations we can prove our intentions—and as the "proof of the pudding is in the eating," our meriting success is shown in the tremendous increase of our business this spring.

Next week we will "Submit our case to the jury."

As we sell the "Best-Clothing-in-the-World," made by Schloss Bros. & Co., of Baltimore, there is little cause for wonder that we have won such wide popularity.

Every garment bears this label:



## RUMMAUGH & DILLON,

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### ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Mrs. Elizabeth Ackerman, deceased.

Letters of administration on the estate of Mrs. Elizabeth Ackerman late of Donegal Borough, Westmoreland County, Pa., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned by the Register of said county, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same will present them, properly authenticated, for settlement.

W. A. KALP, Administrator.  
Mount Pleasant, Pa., June 15, 1903.

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## The Mount Pleasant Journal

JOHN L. SHIELDS, PUBLISHER.

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FRIDAY, July 3, 1903.

## NEW COURT HOUSE OUTLOOK.

The announcement has been made in Greensburg that there are persons prominent in political circles there who are willing to wager large amounts that they can name now the firm who will be given the contract for the building of the proposed new court house, although the bids for the fourth letting will not be opened until July 12. It is stated that an entirely new political combination has selected a certain contracting firm for the plum.

The people of this county, who have given their consent to the erection of a new court house with the understanding that they would assume the payment of all reasonable bills incurred, must be heartily tired of the puerile actions of their officials in charge of this matter. The above report regarding the approaching opening of the bids may or may not be true, but it does seem that if Westmoreland is to have a new temple of justice she will have to first elect successors to Controller Brown and Commissioners Earnest, Price and Mowry.

## NO THIRD PRESIDENTIAL TERM.

Ex Governor Robert E. Pattison, of Philadelphia, is out in an interview in a Washington City paper, in which he declares against a fourth nomination of Grover Cleveland by the Democrats. Mr. Pattison is quoted as saying that Cleveland would make a weak candidate and that there is hardly any condition, however favorable, under which he could be elected, even though he received the nomination, which is improbable. Mr. Pattison also holds that the people of this country will not give a man a third term at this time and he hopes they never will. He says the Democrats had better drop the Cleveland idea and busy themselves with feasible ideas.

At first glance it might appear that Robert, who enjoys considerable national reputation as a Democratic statesman, has a personal interest in having Grover's little boom sidetracked; but, any such impression formed would be wrong as Mr. Pattison frankly adds, when this subject is broached to him, that Pennsylvania is too hopelessly Republican for him to expect to be so honored. Its doubtful, too, if he measures up to Colonel Bryan's standard of first class presidential timber.

## WILLIAM AND THEODORE.

It was a graceful act of President Roosevelt to send an American squadron to last week's German regatta at Kiel, Prussia, and in acknowledging the courtesy Emperor William sent this cablegram to the President.

"On my arrival at Kiel I was saluted by a fine American squadron and had the pleasure of receiving Admiral Cotton and his captains. It was a very happy and kind inspiration on your part to send the squadron to Kiel for the week, and thanks to this fact I was able to inspect the magnificent flagship Kearsarge today, when I was able to compliment the captains on the exceptionally good state of efficiency and neatness of the ship and the fine appearance of her gallant crew. Everybody will vie with each other to make them feel at home, in response to the kind and friendly reception of my brother by the citizens of the United States."

The President replied, telling of the pleasure it was to him, as the holder of the highest office in the gift of the American people, to hear such words of praise from a royal expert. Of course, some of our old sea dogs are already growing, claiming that the Emperor took this means of getting the latest American ideas on naval architecture. But, even were that true, the knowledge he gained will doubtless only increase his respect for your Uncle Samuel's sea power.

THE account of the United Brethren centennial takes up a good portion of this issue, but THE JOURNAL's only regret is that it hadn't more space to devote to such excellent local history, to say nothing of the royal manner in which Rev. Dr. Keister's hospitable people entertained throughout the entire affair.

## CENTENNIAL ODE

Composed by Rev. Dr. Lawrence Keister, the Popular U. B. Pastor.

A hundred years of history,  
On this thrice sacred spot,  
Run back in shades of mystery,  
But ne'er can be forgot.

Our fathers here have labored,  
Our mothers here have loved;  
Their lives by us are treasured,  
Their worth by us is proved.

Within the golden chalice  
Of true, ancestral worth,  
We see the gifts that grace us,  
That came to us by birth.

Religion was their treasure,  
The gift of God by faith;  
And we receive our measure,  
For thus the Lord still saith.



REV. DR. KEISTER.

Then let us join their choros  
Of victory complete,  
As now they hover o'er us,  
And every note repeat.

The nation once they cherished  
Is our own nation, too;  
From earth it ne'er has perished,  
Though wide "Old Glory" flew.

The bonds of love still bind us  
To all our distant past;  
Its threefold strands remind us  
Of things that always last.

Then let these years, a hundred,  
Call back to days of yore,  
From which we have been sundered,  
Our minds and hearts once more.

We look, but not in sadness;  
We weep, but not in grief;  
Our tears are tears of gladness;  
We know "a sweet relief."

With us as with our fathers,  
God's love in Christ is known;  
And in His arms He gathers  
His cherished and His own.

The years now past, a hundred,  
May point our minds before,  
To years of which we've wondered,  
The years that ne'er are o'er.

So bright are they with glory,  
So sweet with fellowship,—  
They come in sacred story,  
They haste to touch our lip.

A hundred years of history,  
From this thrice-sacred spot,  
Reach out in glorious mystery,  
And cannot be forgot.

## International Taffy.

The German Emperor did a very graceful and kindly act yesterday when he cabled to the President praising the American squadron sent to Kiel. He is such a martinet in military and naval matters with his own soldiers and sailors that commendation from him must mean a good deal to the officers and men, not only of the flagship Kearsarge, which he inspected, but the whole squadron.

## King Pete's Trouble.

Pittsburg Gazette.  
King Peter tried his crown on yesterday. He is worrying less about its fit than his ability to keep it on.

## Political Hair Apparent.

Connellsville Courier.  
Indiana County celebrated her centennial with Judge Harry White at the head of the procession. Judge White occupied the proper position. He has been the head and the front of Indiana county for a lifetime and will continue so until the day of his death, when he will no doubt be succeeded by John P. Elkin.

## We Need Both.

Somerset Herald.  
Somerset county stands more in need of good roads than it does of a new court house.

## A Ministerial Wonder.

Uniontown News Standard.  
Some congregations can sleep while the minister preaches, but out in Indiana they have a minister who preaches while he sleeps.

## Of Course They Were.

Pittsburg Leader.  
King Pete got a cordial welcome from the Servians. Naturally they are pleased to see a prospective victim.

## New Regimental Band.

The twenty-four members of the Latrobe band have enlisted in the Tenth regiment, N. G. P., and will hereafter furnish the music.

## May Prove Murder.

A fight was inaugurated at a dance at the Carbon coal works near Greensburg on Saturday night, and Charles Oleson and B. F. Baker were seriously injured. Baker was terribly cut about the head and Oleson was badly beaten with a club. Peter Sonie and his brother, Walter, were arrested and committed to jail to await the result of the injuries.

## Famous Resort Sold.

The Summit House, which has been popular for over half a century as a famous Fayette county summer resort, has been sold to A. S. Ingles, but it is supposed he bought it for several Uniontown capitalists. About 800 acres of land go with the building. A \$50,000 hotel and a number of cottages will be erected while the grounds will be beautified.

## ORDINANCE.

An Ordinance to authorize an increase of the indebtedness of the Borough of Mount Pleasant, Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania, for the purpose of sewerage, streets and alleys of the Borough and for the completion of sewer terminals of said Borough and to provide for the redemption of said indebtedness.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the Borough of Mount Pleasant in council assembled and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, that the Chief Burgess, President and Secretary of said Council are hereby authorized and directed to borrow for the use of said Borough, the sum of SIXTEEN THOUSAND (\$16,000.00) DOLLARS, for the purpose of sewerage, streets and alleys of the Borough, and for the completion of sewer terminals of said Borough and for that purpose to cause to be prepared and executed as herein directed, and to sell at not less than par, and accrue interest on behalf of the Borough of Mount Pleasant, thirty-two coupon bonds of FIVE HUNDRED (\$500.00) DOLLARS each, to secure the payment of the said increase of indebtedness of \$16,000.00 hereby authorized by council, which said increase of indebtedness together with what has already been authorized without an election, for deducting the amounts authorized by public elections from the net indebtedness, will not make the entire indebtedness thereof, authorized by council, more than a total of \$100,000.00, or two (2) per cent of the assessed valuation of the taxable property therein; and that the said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of one-half (1/2) per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, said bonds to mature, bear date and be in the following form:

## FORM OF BOND.

No. .... \$500.00.  
Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,  
THE BOROUGH OF MOUNT PLEASANT,  
Westmoreland County,  
Sewer and Sewer Terminal Bond.

The Borough of Mount Pleasant, for value received will pay to the bearer hereof, on the 1st day of July, 1903, at the office of the Treasurer of said Borough, the sum of FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS, payable in lawful money of the United States of America, with interest thereon from the date hereof, at the rate of 1/2 per centum per annum, payable annually from the date hereof, upon the presentation and surrender of the annexed coupons as they severally become due; and for the payment of the said sum and interest, the property, faith and credit of said Borough are hereby pledged as well as the sum of \$1,027.27, annually commencing A. D. 1903, which is assessed and levied and to be applied exclusively to the payment of the interest and liquidation of the principal of said bonds when due, which bonds are payable as follows:

Bond No. 1 ..... on July 1st, 1905.  
Bond No. 2 ..... on July 1st, 1906.  
Bond No. 3 ..... on July 1st, 1907.  
Bond No. 4 ..... on July 1st, 1908.  
Bond No. 5 ..... on July 1st, 1909.  
Bond No. 6 ..... on July 1st, 1910.  
Bonds Nos. 7 and 8 ..... on July 1st, 1911.  
Bonds Nos. 9 and 10 ..... on July 1st, 1912.  
Bonds Nos. 11 and 12 ..... on July 1st, 1913.  
Bonds Nos. 13 and 14 ..... on July 1st, 1914.  
Bonds Nos. 15 and 16 ..... on July 1st, 1915.  
Bonds Nos. 17 and 18 ..... on July 1st, 1916.  
Bonds Nos. 19 and 20 ..... on July 1st, 1917.  
Bonds Nos. 21 and 22 ..... on July 1st, 1918.  
Bonds Nos. 23 and 24 ..... on July 1st, 1919.  
Bonds Nos. 25 and 26 ..... on July 1st, 1920.  
Bonds Nos. 27 and 28 ..... on July 1st, 1921.  
Bonds Nos. 29 and 30 ..... on July 1st, 1922.  
Bonds Nos. 31 and 32 ..... on July 1st, 1923.

The bond is one of a series of bonds of like date, tenor and amount, except as to the date of maturity and numbered consecutively from one (1) to thirty-two (32), both inclusive, amounting in the aggregate to SIXTEEN THOUSAND (\$16,000.00) DOLLARS and issued pursuant to the Act of the General Assembly, approved April 26th, 1874, entitled, "An Act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities, to provide for the redemption of the same, and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof," and its supplements and amendments.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, The Borough of Mount Pleasant has caused this bond to be signed by the Chief Burgess and by the President of Council, attested by the Secretary of Council and the corporate seal of said Borough affixed, and the coupons to be signed by its Treasurer as of the ..... day of ..... A. D. 1903.

Attest: W. M. OVERHOLT, Chief Burgess.  
B. B. BELTZ, Secretary of Council. F. L. MARSH, President of Council.

## FORM OF COUPON.

The Borough of Mount Pleasant, Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania, promises to pay to the bearer of this coupon, on the 1st day of July, 1903, at the office of the Treasurer of the Borough of Mount Pleasant, Pennsylvania, in lawful money of the United States of America, Eleven and 25/100 Dollars being six months' interest on bond No. .... for Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars, series of 1903.

Section 2. That said bonds shall be signed by the Chief Burgess and by the President of Council, with the corporate seal of the Borough affixed to each bond, and the coupons shall be signed by the Treasurer of said Borough, except that in lieu of the signature of the Treasurer to the coupons annexed to the bonds, his signature may be lithographed thereon.

Section 3. That an annual tax, the collection whereof shall commence A. D. 1903, of the sum of \$1,027.27 be, and the same is hereby levied and assessed upon all property, real and personal, in said Borough, subject to taxation for borough purposes, and a like sum for each and every year thereafter until and including the year 1923, and appropriated to provide for the interest aforesaid, and for the redemption of said bonds as hereinafter provided, and the Treasurer of said Borough is authorized and required to apply the moneys arising from said annual tax to the payment of the interest of said bonds as it becomes due, and for the accumulation of a sinking fund for the liquidation of the principal of said bonds, and said tax applied to no other purpose whatsoever until the principal and interest of said bonds have been fully paid and discharged.

Section 4. That before selling any of the said bonds the Treasurer shall give bond in the sum of Twenty Thousand (\$20,000.00) Dollars, with two or more sufficient sureties, conditioned for the faithful application of the proceeds of the said bonds, and the performance of his duties under this ordinance.

Section 5. The Chief Burgess, President of Council and the Secretary of Council shall prepare and file in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Quarter Sessions of Westmoreland County, Pa., all statements required by law to validate and carry into effect this ordinance.

Ordained and enacted into an Ordinance this 23rd day of June, A. D. 1903.

Attest: F. L. MARSH, Pres. of Council.  
B. B. BELTZ, Secretary of Council.  
Approved this 24th day of June, A. D. 1903.  
Attest: W. M. OVERHOLT, Chief Burgess.  
B. B. BELTZ, Secretary of Council.

NOTICE is hereby given that the firm of W. C. Bakhaus & Co. is hereby dissolved, the said business having been sold to J. D. Reuleux who will continue the business at the old stand, No. 212 East Main street, in the Kuhn block. Thanking our former trade for their favors we bespeak a continuance of the same for our successor.  
W. C. Bakhaus,  
6 26 31 June 19, 1903. J. L. Robinson.

## IT IS NOT FAIR

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## MILLINERY--The Bargain of the Season.

Hats worth all the way from \$2.50 to \$4.50 have been put into one lot at \$1.98—the lowest price ever put on such really stylish and dressy millinery. And no matter what shape or coloring you prefer, think you can be suited in this bargain lot, as it includes styles without number. But see the hats—one look will prove more convincing than anything we could say. Worth from \$2.50 to \$4.50. Special only \$1.98

## Ladies' Summer Underwear.

Ordinary prices, but many of them extraordinary values. We buy in such immense quantities that we are often able to get, and therefore, to give better underwear for the money than others do.

Ladies' fine white, Jersey Ribbed Vests, deep lace trimmings, tape finish; well worth 15c, here at.....	10c	Ladies' fine white cotton, Jersey Ribbed Vests, high neck, long or short sleeves.....	25c
Ladies' fine white, lisle finished Jersey Vests, lace yoke and trimmings; worth 15c.....	15c	Ladies' fine Jersey Ribbed Lisle Vests, deep lace yoke and trimmings, in white and colors.....	25c

## SHOES.

Our shoe department has many attractions now. Here are two them:

## Ladies' Fine Vici Kid Lace Shoes.

We have this shoe made from genuine vici kid, with patent tip and dull top, the sole is light and flexible with Cuban heel; has all the style of higher grade shoes. We have left the question of profit entirely out, so as to give you a snappy shoe for a small price. Sizes 3 to 7. Extra special for..... \$1.49



\$1.49

## Men's Fine Velour Calf Lace Shoes.

Made of the finest Velour Calf, one of the best pieces of leather ever put on a man's foot, with good, solid oak bottoms and smooth sole leather inner soles; one of the best values ever offered and not to be duplicated in the regular shoe store for less than \$2.50. Our special price..... \$1.49

## Ladies' Tailor-made Skirts.

Our reputation for having the very best selection of ladies' skirts has been fully proven. Many of our town ladies can vouch for the accuracy of our statement.

## Sale of Dress Skirts at \$4.50.

Made of broadcloths, chevrons, chambrays and mistral, with bands of stitched taffeta. Some styles have drop skirt of fine quality percale; others unlined. Actual \$7 and \$8 values. Special sale price..... \$4.89

Examine Dress Skirts, made with panel front, full flare and sweep, hip trimmed with folds and taffeta bands. Either black or blue—\$7.50 value on sale at..... \$3.95

## See how our Straws Blow.

Men's fine Straw Hats, unlimited choice of the best. Every hat from 75c to \$1.48, choice at 50c. Men's or boys' dress straw hats worth up to 50c at 24c.

20 per cent. off on all Clothing from now until July 4th.



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## Application for Charter.

Notice is hereby given that application will be made by James S. Mack, Jacob J. Hunt and John D. Hitchman to the Governor of Pennsylvania, on the 23rd day of July, 1903, at 11 o'clock, a. m., under the provisions of an Act of Assembly, entitled, "An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for a charter for an intended corporation, to be called "Mount Pleasant Ice Company," the character and object of which is the manufacture and sale of ice and applying refrigeration for general cold storage purposes and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges by said Act of Assembly and the supplements thereto conferred.  
N. A. Cort, Solicitor.

## Application for Charter.

Notice is hereby given that application will be made by O. P. Shupe, John A. Warden, J. McDonald Bryce, John Husband, James S. Hitchman and others to the Governor of Pennsylvania on the 20th day of July, 1903, at 11 o'clock, a. m., under the provisions of an Act of Assembly, entitled "An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for a charter for an intended corporation, to be called "Citizens Saving and Trust Company," the character and object of which is the engaging in and carrying on the business of the insurance of owners of real estate, mortgages and others interest in all real estate from loss by reason of defective titles, liens and encumbrances and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of the said Act of Assembly and the supplements thereto.  
734 N. A. Cort, Solicitor.

## Application for Charter.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Governor of the State of Pennsylvania on Monday, July 13, 1903, by J. M. Rowland, C. E. Mullin, W. A. Kalp and their associates, under the provisions of an Act of Assembly, entitled "An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29th, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called "Mount Pleasant Tool Company," the character and object of which is the manufacture of tools, implements and other articles of commerce from wood or any metal, or both, and the sale of the same; and for that purpose to have and possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of the said Act of Assembly and its supplements.  
Lightcap & Warden, Solicitors.  
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Such Astonishing Values were never offered anywhere.

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is mostly the prevailing price on all our

## Clothing and Furnishings

Actual Cost for all Shoes.

Did you ever hear anything like it before?—GUESS NOT, and you wouldn't now, either, if twasn't that we are compelled to close out owing to the extensive alterations that are to be made in our store room.

Large as Our Stock Is

the selection will soon be gone, at the rate the crowds are coming since we started this sale we will be closed out sooner than we looked for, so better come without delay.

## H. GOLDSTONE,

Cor. Main and Church sts., Mount Pleasant, Pa.

Mount Pleasant's Largest Men's Outfitting Store.

Money refunded if purchase is not satisfactory.



## HAPPENINGS AT HOME

For the Past Week Briefly Mentioned.

## LITTLE TALK OF THE TOWN

THAT WILL BOTH INTEREST AND ENTERTAIN.

A Department in Which the Local Editor Holds High Carnival and Works off his Surplus Energy in Condensations That Deal Solely with Matters Relating to Mount Pleasant

The Standard ball team defeated the Sterlings Wednesday 15 to 12.

The Knock-about Tennis Club has secured a nice court on South Church street.

Fine girl babies arrived this week in the families of Jesse Duff and Edward Cooper.

A street car jumped the track near Bridgeport Wednesday noon, but no one was hurt.

Beginning Monday next, stores here will close at 6 p. m. except Saturdays and Morewood pay days.

The local postoffice will be open tomorrow only from 11 a. m. until noon and from 4:30 to 5:30 p. m.

M. E. Abramson, of New York City, an expert silversmith, has accepted a position at Posner's jewelry store where he is now at work.

The Pitcairn and Southwest nines attempted to play ball at Frick Park Saturday afternoon, but the rain and mud knocked them out.

Constable L. M. Karney was 45 years old Saturday and his wife gave him the nicest kind of a surprise party that evening in honor of the event.

The Parfittown Park management has arranged for two dances, one to begin at 6 o'clock this evening and the other at the same hour tomorrow.

Prof. William J. Zuck, formerly of this place, has resigned his chair at Otterbein University, after having spent eighteen years there as a teacher.

Members of the Ceramic Club and a number of their lady friends were nicely entertained by Mrs. John A. Warden at her South Side home Saturday afternoon.

Old friends of Dr. Charlotte Goodman here will be interested to learn that she has resumed her position in charge of one of the departments in the insane asylum at Harrisburg.

John D. McCaleb corrects THE JOURNAL, stating that it was Joseph, and not Jesse, Lippincott who erected the building that is being remodeled for local hospital purposes.

The regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held at the U. B. church at 2:30 Tuesday afternoon next. Clothing for the Children's Home should be sent in not later than this day.

It was stated last week that Mrs. William Lowry was a daughter of Dr. C. C. Miller when she is that old gentleman's granddaughter and a daughter of William M. Miller.

William Wilson, a young Parfittown man, was arrested Friday last and held for court under \$1,000 bail to answer the charge of having criminally assaulted Lena Murray a 14-year old Bridgeport girl.

Mr. Benjamin Crosby, of Scottdale, and Miss Anna Bowman, of this place, were married last Wednesday evening at the McKeesport home of the groom's uncle, George Matheny. The young couple will reside in Scottdale.

George Cramer, of Brush Run, desires to warn persons from harboring Harry Bramble, or Hair, the 14-year-old boy he took from the Westmoreland Children's Home to raise two years ago. The youngster dressed himself in his best and again skipped out Saturday.

The Re-Union Presbyterian Ladies' Aid Society will hold a lawn fete this evening, beginning at 5 o'clock, on their church grounds. If the weather should prove rough the stacks of good things to eat will be served in-doors. With fair skies the affair will be continued tomorrow.

Captain J. A. Loar, of this place, was a member of the general military court which tried Second Lieutenant W. L. Semans, of Company C, Uniontown, at Pittsburgh Monday for conduct unbecoming an officer and a gentleman. The verdict found will have to come down through N. G. P. channels before being made public.

The 300th anniversary of the birth of John Wesley was nicely observed by the Methodist Episcopal people Sunday. There were special exercises by the Sunday school in the morning under the direction of Superintendent C. M. Galley and in the evening Pastor Smith gave an interesting talk on Wesley and his times.

## Won a Nice Prize.

W. Lawrence Kalp, of this place, who was graduated last week at Bucknell University, was awarded the gold watch prize in oratory, given by Chaplain J. J. Kane, of the United States Navy.

## DEATHS OF THE WEEK.

The Grim Reaper's Work in This Place and Vicinity.

Earl, son of Francis Sloan, died Thursday last of typhoid fever at his Ruffsale home, aged 23 years.

Patrick Eagan, a well known East End citizen, died Monday of pneumonia at the Main street residence of his daughter, Mrs. Thomas McNulty, with whom he made his home. The interment took place at Connellsville Wednesday. He is survived by four sons and three daughters.

Old Mount Pleasant friends of Mrs. Hettie B. Shields, widow of the late James Shields, will learn with sorrow of her death which occurred Monday last of Bright's disease at Winona Lake, Indiana. The body was taken to her former home at Chambersburg, Pa., where the interment took place yesterday from the residence of her sister, Mrs. J. Watson Craig. The lady was about 70 years of age.

The body of Cyrus, the 11-year old son of Lewis Weaver, of Pitcairn, formerly of this place, who died of blood poison, was buried here Wednesday.

WANTED:—A grown girl to work in laundry. For particulars apply at No. 29 Church street.

LEE WING.

Strickler's store offers special inducements to thrifty housekeepers.

REWARD—M. S. Brinker will pay a liberal reward for the return of his fox terrier which has either strayed away or was stolen. The animal is white with black spots over kindeys and at root of tail. 732

FOR SALE—Fine double lot on Vine street, 80 by 120 feet. Will be sold as a whole or divided in two to suit purchasers. Call at No. 229 Standard or address P. O. Box No. 341, Mount Pleasant. 731m

NOTICE—On July 9th the Mount Pleasant Township School Board will receive bids to furnish coal to the school houses of the township for a term of seven months. THOS. LAIRD, Sec.

WANTED—Slate roofers, forty-five cents per hour, steady job. Apply to Scott A. White, Secretary Slate Roofers Association, 600 Lewis block, Pittsburg.

July Clearance Sale of all summer goods began July 1st. Money saving opportunity for economical buyers.

STRICKLER'S STORE.

## REDUCED RATES TO DETROIT.

Via Pennsylvania Railroad, Account Epworth League International Convention

On account of the international convention of the Epworth League to be held at Detroit, Mich., July 16 to 19, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell round trip tickets to Detroit from all stations on its lines, July 14 and 15, good to return until July 20, when properly validated by Joint Agent, at rate of single fare for the round trip. For further information concerning rates, routes, stop overs, extension of limit, etc., consult nearest Pennsylvania Railroad ticket agent. 1

TO MY MANY FRIENDS AND PATRONS:—The trouble that some unscrupulous persons took to tell you that I am quitting the business and am going to leave town is only done for a purpose; there is no truth in it. The only motive for my closing out my entire stock regardless of cost is to make badly needed alterations in our store room, to make more room for our large and increasing business. With better facilities and more energy, I hope to faithfully and honestly serve you for many years to come. H. GOLDSTONE. 731f

Matching coffees is one of our ways of winning trade. Match our Murry Hill Java with the coffee you are now using. 70c for 2-pound can.

STRICKLER'S STORE, Grocery Department.

You can get queensware and wall paper at the Benford store almost at your own price. J. B. Coldsmith, the new proprietor, is closing the stock out. 424tf

## PENNSYLVANIA CHAUTAUQUA.

Reduced Rates to Mt. Gretna via Pennsylvania Railroad.

For the Pennsylvania Chautauqua to be held at Mt. Gretna, Pa., July 1 to August 5, 1903, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell special excursion tickets from New York, Chestnut Hill, Phoenixville, Wilmington, Perryville, Frederick, Md., Washington, D. C., East Liberty, Butler, Indiana, Connellsville, Bedford, Clearfield, Martinsburg, Bellefonte, Waterford, Canandaigua, Wilkesbarre, Tomhicken, Mt. Carmel, Lykens, and principal intermediate points, to Mt. Gretna and return at reduced rates. Tickets will be sold June 25 to August 5, inclusive, and will be good to return until August 13, inclusive. For specific rates, consult ticket agents. 262

## AROUND AND ABOUT.

But Principally Within the Bounds of This County.

A FULL COLUMN OF GOOD NEWS SECURED FROM THE PAGES OF RELIABLE EXCHANGES.

How these Articles Appear After They Have been Boiled Down Into Short Paragraphs That Speak to the Point But Briefly of Interesting Events Transpiring in the Old Star of the West

Edward Jones, of Vandergrift, aged 35 years, attempted to board a freight train at Hyde Park last Thursday, but fell under and was instantly killed.

Rev. J. E. Hutchinson, pastor of the Irwin Presbyterian church for the past ten years, has accepted a call to the First church of Danville, this state.

William Pringaman, aged 25 years and single, was caught by a fall of slate in the mines near his Larimer home Saturday and crushed to instant death.

Joseph Storey, a young Jeannette man, was jailed at Greensburg Sunday on a charge of having forged Liveryman Miller's name to a check which he had cashed.

Jesse Wilson, of Oliphant, Fayette county, was struck by a B. & O. train at Hutchinson Friday and instantly killed. He leaves his wife with five children.

Stephen, 12-year-old son of Andrew Tuskas, of Latrobe, died Saturday from lockjaw, caused by the explosion of a toy pistol, the cartridge of which tore his mouth.

Ernest Phillips suicided at his Collinsburg home Friday last by hanging himself to the limb of a tree in a fit of despondency. He was 45 years of age and leaves his wife with seven children.

H. L. Hough and other Pittsburgers have closed a deal for the McCoy farm, near New Stanton, on which they will erect foundry and machine shops, laying out the balance of the 75 acres into town lots.

N. S. Burnett, of Jeannette, who conducted a photograph gallery at Oakford Park, died at the Greensburg hospital Sunday from injuries received in a fall from a beam at the summer theatre at that resort.

John Rutter, leader of the famous Rutter gang, which for years was one of the objects of terror of the Laurel Hill mountain, died on Sunday in his lonely home at the very summit of the Alleghenies.

Harvey McClean, of Unity township, has been held to answer the charge of having feloniously assaulted William Howard at a Hungarian wedding celebration. It was feared for a time the victim would die.

Bertha Patchen, aged 17, a domestic at the Frost House, Uniontown, took an ounce of carbolic acid with suicidal intent Sunday. Two physicians pulled her through all right. She refused to say why she did so.

E. Coyle, a Pennsylvania freight engineer whose home was at Altoona, was so badly hurt in a wreck at Shafston last Thursday night that he died soon afterward. He was only 26 years old. An older brother, Thomas, also an engineer, was killed at New Florence last fall.

Robert Gibson, who was arrested on a charge of felonious assault on the person of Capt. Joseph Brown at the late Democratic primary election in Latrobe, is again at liberty, the court having fixed his bail at \$1,000, which was furnished. Capt. Brown's condition is still serious.

## Sunday Services.

Rev. D. M. Lyle will preach a patriotic sermon at the Re Union Presbyterian church Sunday morning next.

The Rev. Dr. Chas. T. Fox, of Findlay College, Findlay, O., will preach at the Church of God next Sabbath morning and evening.

Rev. C. W. Haines will preach at the First Baptist church Sunday next, in morning on "American Liberty" and in the evening on "To him that overcometh."

There will be communion at the Lutheran church Sunday morning following a sermon on "Conquering through Christ" at 10:30 by the pastor, W. R. Swickard. There will be a preparatory service this evening.

Dr. John A. Wilson, professor of History in the Allegheny Seminary, will fill the pulpit at the United Presbyterian church Sabbath morning and evening next in the absence of the pastor, Rev. H. S. Wilson, who will preach at Connellsville that day.

## A Sad Drowning.

Charles, the 8-year-old son of John A. Davenport, of Connellsville, and a grandson of Alex. Davenport, of this place, was drowned Sunday below Davidson island while swimming with M. C. McGee, a boarder at the house, who was arrested on suspicion of having been guilty of foul play but was afterward released. The body was not recovered until the next day.

## STRICKLER'S STORE.

Established 1854.

Store closes at 8:30 p. m.

July 3, 1903.

## July Clearance Sale of All Summer Goods.

A merchandise movement that will do what we want and what we've determined shall be done—sell down to where we want it the largest stock of summer goods the store ever owned. There is one to do it with—prices. It doesn't take long to spend a lot of money for printers' ink—good a thing as it is. We think it better to spend half the amount for printers' ink and take dollars off the prices. Not only do we think this but we practice what we preach.

Goods that will pay to get here for. Prices to make it interesting. All goods this season's purchase.

\$1.00 white waistings reduced to 50c.  
65c and 75 white waistings reduced to 40c.  
45c and 50c " " " 25c.

## Lawns and Dinities

at prices that will interest you.

15c and 12 1-2c for 9c  
20c " " 12 1-2c  
25c and 35c " 18c

50c and 65c Anderson's Novelty Gingham reduced to 25c.

## Dress Goods

This season's novelties.

\$1.25 and \$1.35 Flecked Knickerbockers reduced to 98c

\$1.00 " " " 78c  
65c " " " 48c

## Long Cloth

Nice goods and suitable for many purposes—put up in 10 and 12 yd pieces—sold by the piece.

15c reduced to 11c.  
18c " " 12 1-2c.  
20c " " 15c.

BED SPREADS hemmed ready for use at less prices—75c, 90c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.

LACE CURTAINS.—heavy selling has left us with lots of one and two pairs each. \$1.50 curtains \$1.00; \$2.50 curtains \$1.50.

Shoe Department contributes to make this July sale the greatest in the store's history.

Main street and Diamond Square, - Mount Pleasant, Pa.

## J. W. Swartz

Dealer in

## Wall Paper,

Paints, Oils, Varnishes, Brushes, Window Shades, Oil Cloths, Roofing, Carpet & Building Paper,

## Picture &amp; Window Glass,

and heavy Plate Glass for store fronts.

## Paper Hanging and Sign Painting a Specialty.

Main street, - Mount Pleasant.

Go to

MARY SWARTZ for Millinery.

For the 20th Century buy the new

Home Sewing Machine and the

Sterling PIANOS and ORGANS.

FROM J. L. ARMBRUST, of Armbrust, Pa.

SEND FOR PRICE LISTS.

Repairing of Machines and Organs attended to with promptness.

## Application for Charter.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Governor of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, on the twenty-second day of July, A. D. 1903, at 10 o'clock, a. m., by Edward G. Benford, Harry O. Benford and A. E. Benford, under the provisions of an Act of Assembly entitled "An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29th, 1874, and the supplements and amendments thereto, for a charter for an intended corporation to be called "Mount Pleasant Distilling Company," the character and object of which is the distilling and manufacture of vinous and spirituous liquors and the sale of the same, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges by said Act of Assembly and the supplements and amendments thereto, conferred.

636 4t McCurdy & Cunningham, Solicitors

## HOW TO SAVE

## ONE DOLLAR.

If we have your size left come at once and let us save you one dollar on a good Shoe or Oxford.

Men's Shoes or Oxfords, \$5 and \$6, reduced to **\$3.50** and **\$4.00.**

Men's Shoes, \$3.50 W. L. Douglas, reduced to **\$2.50.**

Ladies' Shoes or Oxfords, \$3.50 and \$4.00, reduced to **\$2.50.**

Ladies' Queen Quality Shoes and Oxfords reduced to **\$2.25.**

We are getting pretty well broken up on sizes, as there have been so many of our economical shoppers who have taken advantage of these

## GREAT : SACRIFICING : PRICES.

JUST ARRIVED:--- Lot Men's Potatoe Toe Oxfords.

Remember the entire stock is new and up-to-date. Goods will be cheerfully exchanged or money refunded.

## H. SELIGMAN,

(Successor to J. W. Faust.)

Up-to-Date One Price Shoe House,

654 Main st., - Mount Pleasant, Pa.



# NARROW ESCAPE.

The Blairsville Methodist Episcopal church  
Struck by Lightning During Ser-  
vices Sunday Morning.

## HOW COOL HEADS AVERTED A PANIC.

During a violent thunderstorm, which broke over that region just before noon Sunday, the Methodist Episcopal church at Blairsville was struck by lightning. The morning service was just drawing to a close, and the sudden darkness, capped by the loud peal of thunder and the crash of the bolt as it struck the tower, threw the large congregation into a panic which for a moment boded

serious consequences. The presence of mind of several men in the congregation and of Rev. Charles W. Smith, editor of the Pittsburgh "Christian Advocate," who was occupying the pulpit for the pastor, Rev. B. F. Beazell, D. D., nipped a rash for the doors just in time to prevent injury to many women and children. The building was not seriously damaged.

## THE WESTERN RESERVE

Story of First White Child Born in That Locality.

### THRILLING FRONTIER TRAGEDY.

Husband Returns From Journey to His Old Home to Find His Wife and Children Gaunt, Hollow-Eyed and Dying of Starvation.

The reader who sits to-day in his comfortable home and enjoys the peaceful life of this section of our land can scarcely appreciate the great hardships which the pioneer settlers of Pennsylvania and Ohio endured a century and more ago, as they fought back the wilderness line and brought this rich country under cultivation and civilization. This is the story of the first white child born in the Western Reserve, and of the melancholy fate which overtook it. The first exploring party of settlers was led into the Reserve by General Moses Cleveland in 1796. They were hardy men, born to conquer the wilderness and make it blossom as the rose, and they came with the conscious tread of those behind whom were following millions. In the western progress of the Cleveland party a halt was made at a spot on the southern shore of Lake Erie, where since has grown up the town of Conneaut, Ohio. They were here for some time during the early summer of 1796, and then at length passed on westward to the mouth of the Cuyahoga, where they laid the foundations of a new city which is now known as Cleveland.

Here we leave them, for this story has to do with a brave man and his family who followed alone the track of the Cleveland party. This man was James Kingsbury, who had in the early summer left his old home in New York state and set out with family and household goods to seek a new habitation in the virgin Ohio country. Their sad adventures during the following winter furnish one of the most thrilling of frontier tragedies. Kingsbury belonged to that numerous class to whom the promise of new things always seemed the certainty of better things, and the great rich lands lying to the south of Lake Erie seemed like an Eden, or a Canaan, full of promise. Making all preparations possible he followed in the trail of General Cleveland's surveying party. Only a short time after they had left Conneaut this venture-some family, consisting of husband, wife and several children, arrived at that spot. Constructing a crude cabin close by the lake, these pioneers settled down to spend the winter, being the first family to winter in the Reserve. Their quarters were rude, affording but poor accommodations for a man, not to say anything of the more tender woman and children who so bravely set their hands to the conquest of the untamed wilderness. Soon after this rough beginning was made Mr. Kingsbury found that he would have to make a journey back to his former home in the East to attend to some business matters which his sudden departure had compelled him to leave unfinished. This made necessary the leaving of his family alone in that exposed situation, but no one flinched from the hardship, and the husband and father sat out on his way. Weeks went by and the time of his expected return arrived. No sign of his approach was seen. The days passed and the weeks increased. The brave pioneer wife and mother began to fear that death had overtaken her absent loved one, but all she could do was to watch and wait. Food became scarce and they were compelled to reduce their allowance, so that hunger troubled them as well as cold. Their situation was becoming desperate, and there was no way of helping matters. Meantime, back in old York state, Mr. Kingsbury had attended to his business and was just about to set out on his return, when he was taken ill with a fever, which laid him up for long weeks. It would be hard to appreciate his feelings during this enforced delay. At last, well on into the winter, he was able to start back home. At Buffalo he hired an Indian guide, that he might save time. At Presque Isle he bought twenty pounds of flour, all he could carry. Finally

one morning he reached his cabin and the sight made his heart sick. His wife lay in bed ill, and in the advanced stages of emaciation from starvation. By her side lay the body of a child born during his absence, which had died for lack of nourishment. This was the first white child born in the Western Reserve, and such was its early and sad fate, born in a land rich and fertile, only to be starved to death in a few days. The other children were gaunt and hollow-eyed, but still living. The food which the father brought soon turned the tide of life, and trouble vanished for the time. A century has wrought marvelous changes at Conneaut. Where the lone cabin stood is now a busy, growing community of thousands, a commercial center of great activity. The actual site of the Kingsbury cabin has for three-quarters of a century been covered by the encroaching waters of the lake, as the shore line changed. It appears that Mr. Kingsbury in later years moved to the vicinity of Cleveland. Of him it is related that his was the hand which thrust the first sickle into a ripened field of wheat on the Western Reserve. In his later life he became a legislator and judge. During the past winter his grandson, an aged and honored Methodist Episcopal clergyman, died at Alliance, Ohio.

C. L. SMITH.

## THE GREAT DROUGHT OF 1845.

Not General, Confined to Southern Shore of Lake Erie.

There are yet living some few persons in Northern Ohio who have a personal recollection of the famous and destructive dry summer of 1845. This drought was not general, but prevailed throughout a fated strip of country lying along the southern shore of Lake Erie for over a hundred miles, and being about sixty miles in width. The spring rains ceased that year in the latter part of March, after which no rain fell till June 10, when during part of a single afternoon a little fall occurred. This small amount of moisture made no impression on the parched ground, and the great dry spell continued absolutely unbroken until July 2, when enough water was let down from the heavens to make a little bit of mud on the roads. Thus did nature merely tantalize the weary and worried people, for the skies again cleared up and assumed their long wanted brassy hue. This continued till in September, when rains came sufficiently copious to start vegetation, but too late to help the sufferers. As this terrible long and dry summer wore on the wells went dry, springs failed, brooks and creeks went dry, and rivers were reduced to mere tiny rivulets meandering along the bottoms of former deep channels. The life ordinarily sustained in the waters was destroyed very largely. Vegetation of course shriveled up. The grass crop became a mere matted tangle of dry and inflammable stuff. The setting of a fire among it was very dangerous, for the flames would run like fiery serpents in all directions. The settlers had to be exceedingly careful as to every spark of fire all through that dreadful summer. Great trouble was experienced with the dust. It was everywhere. Even in meadows one walking would stir up great clouds of it like horses on the roads. Grain crops were practically destroyed. For the most part no attempt was made to harvest them, as they could not have been made to pay for even the time spent in gathering them. The effect of the drought was quite noticeable in the forests, where the trees shed their foliage early in the summer, and the leaves which did not fall dried up on the branches. The only things which seemed to thrive during the dry spell were the grasshoppers, which were reduced at length to the eating of thistles and elders to sustain life. The scarcity of feed which followed compelled the owners of stock to sell at low prices, or to send their animals down into the Scioto valley or over into Pennsylvania. This great drought brought total ruin to many a hard-working man, and it took others many years to recover their lost standing with the world. It is safe to say that never while he lives will any man forget the drought of 1845, who, as a man and a farmer, tried to live unharmed through it.

C. L. SMITH.

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Of the Borough of Mount Pleasant, Pennsylvania, for the year ending March 2nd, 1903.

H. C. MORRISON, COLLECTOR, 1896.

To balance due	\$ 50.36	By balance due	\$ 50.36
	\$ 50.36		\$ 50.36

W. M. OVERHOLT, COLLECTOR.

To balance due, '97, '98 and '99	\$ 982.63	By Amount paid Treasurer	\$ 387.56
	\$ 982.63	By Commission, 5 per cent.	20.40
		Balance Due	574.67
			\$ 982.63

J. M. YOTHERS, COLLECTOR, 1900.

To Balance Due	\$ 1,225.79	By Amount paid Treasurer	\$ 500.09
Penalty	28.07	Commission	29.48
	\$ 1,253.86	Balance Due	664.29
			\$ 1,253.86

J. M. YOTHERS, COLLECTOR, 1901.

To Balance Due	\$ 2,724.07	By Amount Paid Treasurer	\$ 1,404.80
Penalty	73.42	Commission	77.09
	\$ 2,797.49	Balance Due	1,255.60
			\$ 2,797.49

J. M. YOTHERS, COLLECTOR, 1902.

To Face of Duplicate	\$ 12,637.75	By Amount paid Treas. 60 days	\$ 7,776.54
		Discount, 5 per cent.	417.64
		Commission	158.70
		Balance Due	4,284.87
			\$ 12,637.75

To Face at 6 months	\$ 4,284.87	By Amount paid Treasurer	\$ 1,444.55
		Commission	76.03
		Balance Due	2,764.29
			\$ 4,284.87

To Face after 6 months	\$ 2,764.29	By Amount Paid Treasurer	\$ 171.30
Penalty	8.59	Commission	2,592.97
	\$ 2,772.88	Balance Due	2,772.88

## TAXES OUTSTANDING.

To H. C. Morrison, 1896	\$ 50.36	By Amount due Borough	\$ 5,137.49
" W. M. Overholt, '97, '98, '99	574.67		
" J. M. Yothers, 1900	664.29		
" " " 1901	1,255.60		
" " " 1902	2,592.57		
	\$ 5,137.49		

## SEWER LIENS OF 1895.

To J. H. Boltz, "Heirs"	\$ 52.00	By Mrs. G. W. Boyd	\$ 57.20
" W. M. Jordan	55.00		
" Mrs. G. W. Boyd	44.00	By balance unpaid	107.00
" " " penalty and int.	13.20		
	\$ 164.20		\$ 164.20

## SUBSCRIPTION TO COOPER ALLEY.

To Geo. Cooper	\$ 10.00	By A. Ruff, cash	\$ 20.00
" Abram Ruff	20.00	" F. L. Marsh, cash	10.00
" F. L. Marsh	10.00	Balance unpaid	10.00
	\$ 40.00		\$ 40.00

## BURGESS M. S. KUHN.

To Fines	\$ 265.00	By Amount Paid Secretary	\$ 512.25
" Licenses	214.50		
" Permits	32.75		
	\$ 512.25		\$ 512.25

## SECRETARY W. W. CAMPBELL.

To Burgess M. S. Kuhn	\$ 512.25	By Amount Paid Treasurer	\$ 1,210.64
" Pole Tax	233.00		
" Board of Health	18.50		
" Walnut Street Sewer	396.84		
" A. Ruff, subscription	20.00		
" L. J. McWilliams	20.05		
	\$ 1,210.64		\$ 1,210.64

## SOLICITOR RALPH D. HURST.

To Mrs. Emma Shaw	\$ 40.28	By Amount Paid Treasurer	\$ 948.94
" " G. W. Boyd	57.20		
" U. B. Parsonage	33.90		
" Matthew Shields	112.84		
" Mt. P. Elec. Light Co.	704.72		
	\$ 948.94		\$ 948.94

## FIVE PER CENT. BONDS OF 1896.

To Amount Outstanding	\$ 22,500.00	By Redemption	\$ 2,000.00
	\$ 22,500.00	By Balance Outstanding	20,500.00
			\$ 22,500.00

## FIVE PER CENT. BONDS OF 1897.

To Amount Outstanding	\$ 24,000.00	By Redemption	\$ 3,000.00
	\$ 24,000.00	By Balance Outstanding	21,000.00
			\$ 24,000.00

## FOUR PER CENT. BONDS OF 1899.

To Amount Outstanding	\$ 7,900.00	By Balance Outstanding	\$ 7,900.00
	\$ 7,900.00		\$ 7,900.00

## BONDS OUTSTANDING.

To 5 per cent. Bonds of 1896	\$ 20,500.00	By Balance Outstanding	\$ 49,400.00
" " " 1897	21,000.00		
" " " 1899	7,900.00		
	\$ 49,400.00		\$ 49,400.00

## SINKING FUND.

To Amount on hand	\$ 4,421.31	By Orders Issued	\$ 7,439.40
" Amount Paid Treasurer	4,764.02	balance on hand	1,751.93
	\$ 9,185.33		\$ 9,185.33

## STREET IMPROVEMENT FUND.

To balance on hand	\$ 2,203.54	By Balance on hand	\$ 2,203.54
	\$ 2,203.54		\$ 2,203.54

## NEW SEWER FUND.

To balance on hand	\$ 505.12	By redempt'n Sewer Cert. No. 1	\$ 500.00
" Penalty and Interest	2.28	Interest on same, 1 year	25.00
" Lien No. 334, paid	38.00	Balance on hand	20.40
	\$ 545.40		\$ 545.40

## SEWER OF 1895.

To Amount on hand	\$ 181.37	By amount on hand	\$ 238.57
" Liens unpaid	151.00	" balance unpaid	107.00
" Penalty and Interest	13.20		
	\$ 345.57		\$ 345.57

## FIRE FUND.

To balance on hand	\$ 271.59	By balance on hand	\$ 394.72
" Amount from State	123.13		
	\$ 394.72		\$ 394.72

## CASH.

To Sinking Fund	\$ 1,751.93	By General Fund	\$ 174.86
" Street Improvement Fund	2,203.54		
" New Sewer Fund	20.40		
" Sewer of 1895	238.57	" Balance on hand	4,434.30
" Fire Fund	394.72		
	\$ 4,609.16		\$ 4,609.16

## APPROPRIATIONS REQUIRED.

To Am't due Sinking Fund	\$ 820.40	To Am't Paid Sinking Fund	\$ 4,764.02
" required as per Ord.	1,800.00		
" " " " "	2,200.00	" Balance due Sinking Fund	685.38
" " " " "	220.00		
	\$ 5,440.40		\$ 5,440.40

## GENERAL FUND.

To Amount on hand	\$ 512.25	By orders outstanding 1901	\$ 800.14
" from Burgess	543.58	" Brick	234.50
" Walnut St. Sewer	622.00	" Light	1,084.08
" Pole Tax Electric Light Co.	82.72	" Lumber	25.94
" Penalty	22.00	" Miscellaneous	200.91
" Pole Tax Frick Coke Co.	18.00	" Police	1,200.00
" P. McK. & C. Ry Co.	113.00	" Rents	60.00
" C. D. & P. Tel. Co.	600.00	" Board of Health	50.00
" Liquor License Co. Treas.	18.50	" Salaries	260.00
" Board of Health	30.00	" Auditors	25.00
" Subscription Cooper Alley	20.05	" Engineers	118.80
" L. J. McWilliams	7,040.82	" Street Repairs	368.02
" County Treas. Ret. Tax	265.92	" Water	1,732.80
" Orders Outstanding	4.05	" Street Commissioner	502.24
	\$ 10,178.35	" Sidewalks	65.74
		" Hauling and Carting	140.72
		" Bond Issue	111.39
		" Printing and Advertising	88.50
		" Quarantine Small Pox	7.95
		" Hardware and Sewer Pipe	357.16
		" Fire Alarm and Apparatus	1,748.44
			\$ 10,178.35

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F. P. EICHER, JAMES S. BRADDOCK, Auditors.

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# MASTER and SLAVE

By...  
T. H. THORPE

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"Estelle, am I never to be regarded by you save as the suggestion of another man? Can you not see?" Her surprised and pained glance apprised him that he was betraying anger, and he checked the utterance of harsh words that sprang from his heart, for he knew his time was not yet ripe while a chance remained that Horace still survived.

"Pardon me, mademoiselle," he added humbly. "My distress has made me a sick man, irritable beyond my power of self control. I will not come to you again until I am better."

"I hope that will be soon," she said, giving him her hand.

He next sought Dede's. Passing Quillebert's house, he was halted by Laure.

"Your brother—is it true that he is dead?" she asked.

"I do not know," he answered.

"What do you believe?"

"Nothing."

"What does she believe?" pointing toward Estelle's home.

"She mourns for him."

"That is more than you will do."

"Why?"

"For a reason I will not state."

"Do you know the reason?" he asked testily.

"I do not. I sense it. I inherit that from my grandmother."

"Bah, Laure! That is nonsense, which you did not inherit from the doctress."

"Have it your own way. But there is a second reason why you will not mourn."

"What is that?"

"Because you will not be sorry."

"Do you not think you are overstepping the bounds?"

"I have no bounds. I talk so because I know you. I have studied you, but I need not have done so, for I understand you without."

"Well?"

"You are in danger."

"From whom?"

"Yourself."

"Then I am doomed, for I cannot escape from myself." And Evariste laughed at his puer.

"But you can escape," Laure said, undisturbed.

"How?"

"Avoid Quillebert from this time on."

"That would be inconvenient, though it would not break my heart."

"And leave off your hopeless pursuit of that girl," again stretching her arm down the bayou, "for you shall never marry her."

"Is that a threat?" he demanded.

"It is a prophecy," she said, with a confident air.

"I was not aware Cassandra survived Troy."

"I do not know what you mean, but you know what I mean."

"Well, I thank you," he said, gathering the reins of his bridle and raising his hat.

"Unless you heed you shall have no cause to thank me." She kept her eyes fixed upon him until he disappeared behind the crest of the bayou bank, and then with all the intensity of her nature she exclaimed: "He shall come my way! I will it!"

Evariste continued to the cabaret and there found his two customary companions at their usual devotion to rum and cards. Quillebert was restive and hastened the intoxication and departure of old Latiolais, after which he drew his chair near to Evariste and said:

"What are your plans now that your brother is dead?"

"They are not definitely formed. I must have verification of this report."

"But you believe it?" asked Quillebert.

"I incline to."

"If it prove true, what is your purpose toward Latiolais's granddaughter?"

"I will marry her."

"Will she consent?"

"Yes, when I convince her she must in order to save her home and the old man's honor."

"How will you do that?"

"By means of the papers I bought from you and the two you still hold, which I will buy also."

"You mean the power of attorney and the order to cancel her mortgage upon his plantation?"

"Yes."

"How did you learn I had them?"

"It is not necessary to explain."

"If I put them at your service without price, you will not relent?"

"Never!" said Evariste, setting his teeth together determinedly.

"The papers are subject to your demand. Give me your hand," Quillebert said exultingly, adding as he chuckled, "Aha, my little Laure of the 'shall' and the 'shall not'!"

"What do you mean by that?" sharply asked Evariste, eyeing Quillebert suspiciously.

"Oh, as you said just now, it is not necessary to explain," replied the latter, continuing his low, malevolent laugh. "We will await the confirmation of the news."

And await they did, though impatiently enough, until two winters and springs had rolled by and fallen into the immeasurable and insatiable maw of the past. Though the battle of Perryville became a known historical fact, no list of the Confederate dead was ob-

tainable, and no survivor returned to give the roll of the slain. Between Avoyelles and the dwindling army of the southwest lay the impassable Union line along the mighty river. But at length when this latter stretched to the western shore and beyond the region of middle Louisiana came the confirmation so devoutly wished.

In rags and unshod, his right arm handless and his left leg from the knee gone, Valsin Mouillot hobbled back to his old home, discharged as incapable of service. To eager listeners, many of them weeping, he recited what of the engagement he had seen, which was little, for he was in the heat of it. He told of the drought parched section of Kentucky, dusty and waterless, through which forced marches were made; how, east of Perryville, his retreating division was halted and formed for action under a broiling midday sun; how the warriors of both sides were famished for drink, while the only spring on the field lay in an apple orchard, on one side of which was a



"What do you mean by that?"

low stone wall protecting a battalion of Illinois infantry. His own face gloved as he described the charges of his company on this wall to uncover the spring. The first was under Captain Taillefer, who fell at the brink of the pool with a minie ball through his forehead. Lieutenant Oakfell led the second, received a murderous volley within 40 feet of the wall and bit the dust with Leon, the jockey, who had joined him at Corinth and followed him as body servant and cook of his mess. The third charge was about to be made under the leadership of Lieutenant Brulleton when a shell exploded in Valsin's face, and he knew no more until he recovered consciousness in a canvas covered wagon jolting through the passes of the Cumberland mountains to find himself minus a foot and a hand. He had lingered about the camps and hospitals until he was formally reported as unfit for duty, discharged and ordered to return home as best he could. His journey back was long, tedious and painful and now that it was accomplished appeared to him a hideous dream.

When the doleful story of Valsin was carried to Estelle, she looked with streaming eyes far into the blue vault above and whispered:

"Horace, hear me. Your voice called my love into being, and now my love is dead. No other voice than yours shall ever recall it to life."

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

## He Was Just a Little Bit Cautious

The girl who had fallen into the water screamed frantically for help. "Save me! Save me!" she cried. The man on the bank hesitated.

"I'm a married man," he said, "and I have seven children. I want that distinctly understood."

"Yes, yes; but save me!" cried the girl.

"I can't marry you if I do," urged the man.

"No, no; only save me."

"If any girl falls into my arms and calls me her preserver there's going to be a whole lot of trouble."

"I won't."

"Well, I'll tackle the job," he said as he threw aside his coat. "You see, I was caught on one of these preserver deals once, and that's how I come to be married, so I'm disposed to be just a little bit cautious."—Brooklyn Eagle.

Little Ethics.

"Is it proper for a gent to take a lady's arm on the street in the daytime?"—Mayme.

Perfectly proper, Mayme. As long as a gent takes a lady's arm only, without taking her watch and pocket-book also, a gent is doing remarkably well, daytime or night.—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

Secure.

"Have you ever done anything that will cause you to be remembered by the next generation?"

"Certainly," answered the unambitious man. "I have piled up enough debts to keep my name before a number of people for an indefinite period of time."—Washington Star.

# AFTER SLOT MACHINES.

District Attorney Cunningham has Begun a Crusade Against Them Following Conviction of One Owner.

## PARENTS PROTEST BECAUSE OF THEIR BOYS.

District Attorney Cunningham has begun a crusade against the slot machine owners in this county and constables of boroughs and townships will be notified that they will be expected to return all owners of machines found in their districts. A test case conducted in the courts at Greensburg recently

resulted in the conviction of the defendant, W. J. Harvey, of Derry. The cause of the raid is numerous appeals that have been made recently to the county authorities from parents of boys who spend all their earnings, it is said, on the machines. Quite a few are reported to be located in this county.

### Abyssinian Money.

The Emperor Menelik has had a curious experience in his efforts to replace barter by a metallic currency in Abyssinia. The Maria Theresa thaler has for generations been current, but for want of a smaller coinage salt blocks became the standard of exchange and resisted all efforts, even of the emperor, to replace them by a new currency coined in Paris some years ago. The salt blocks have given way, but not to the new coinage, which the people will not touch. The new standard of values is—the rifle cartridge.

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## NEWS FROM OUR NEIGHBORS.

## INDIAN HEAD.

The farmers are now preparing for harvest.

Miss Lizzie Craig was the guest of Miss Grace Cramer over Sunday.

John Keller and Miss Myrtle Eicher, of Stahlstown, were Sunday visitors at this place.

Mrs. Barbara Miller, an aged lady, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John Slonecker, at Hungryhook, last Sunday and the remains were interred at Mt. Zion Tuesday. The other surviving children are Mrs. Alexander Ansel and George, of Somerset county, John B. and Mrs. David Ritenour, of near this place.

A large crowd attended church at Mt. Nebo last Sunday. Rev. Dillon will again preach on Saturday evening, July 11th.

M. Caddam, of Mount Pleasant, and Harry Cramer, of Scottdale, were guests of relatives here Sunday.

Mr and Mrs. S. M. Davis visited Scottdale friends last week.

## BROOKVILLE.

S. W. Flick, of Somerset county, who was here visiting with relatives, and old friends for the past week, returned home last Wednesday.

Miss Clara Jackson, of Scottdale, was the guest of Miss Sadie Kreinbrook last week.

Harrison Myers and Martin Krepps call quite frequently at C. L. Hoke's. Boys, what is the attraction?

Miss Lizzie Adams is visiting with friends at Freedom, Pa.

Mr and Mrs. N. W. Kreinbrook, of Scottdale, were visiting the former's parents here last Sunday.

Albert Brothers, of Continental No. 1, is at home now with his parents.

John Hoke is employed now at Buckeye in the blacksmith shop.

A young lady from Acme came to a place to work at ten o'clock at night and the next morning went home as her gentleman friend was to call on her that evening. She hasn't been seen or heard of since. O. is quite uneasy and offers a liberal reward for her safe return.

## CHAMPION.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Geary and daughter, Miss Agnes, spent part of last week in Somerset with the former's brother.

Uncle Jake and the boy are talking of running a dairy. They already have two cows.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Bowman were visiting the former's mother, Mrs. Agnes Bowman, last week.

Quite a large crowd attended services at Mt. Nebo Sunday.

Uncle Jake and George Geary are the champion blacksnake killers.

Mrs. Jacob Tinkey spent a few days with her daughter.

The fern that is planted along Main street doesn't look very healthy.

Philip Stout, John Craig and Francis Murray passed through here on their way to Donegal examination.

Keep your eyes open, girls. Jerry Murray is breaking in his colt.

Willie Nedrow was seen out driving in his new buggy Sunday evening. Now, girls, get on your Sunday face.

John Solomon, of Scottdale, was at home over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Foust and Rev. Dillon were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eli Stout Sunday.

Mrs. John Bowman, of Vinco, is visiting friends and relatives here.

## HECLA.

Miss Nell Naylor is home from the California Normal and looks well as does also Miss Bessie Bailey, who returned on Wednesday from the Indiana Normal.

Mrs. Conn and Miss Shrock, of Somerset, spent a few days here with friends last week.

Everybody took in the circus here last Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Southers and son, Master George, of Scott Haven, with Miss Eliza Robertson, spent a week here with Mrs. James Bailey. Miss Sadie Stone returned with them to spend a couple of weeks.

George MacPhail, formerly of this place, but now one of Greensburg's society men, was at home over Sunday looking just as handsome as ever.

Joe Jeffrey, of Edenborn, was at home over Sunday.

Miss Mary Jeffrey, of Trauger, spent a week here with her aunt, Miss Margaret Bailey.

A foreigner, who worshipped at the local Methodist Episcopal church and didn't wait for the amen, took four

umbrellas from the vestibule. The losers won't do a thing to him if they catch him.

Paul McCann and a Mr. Weir, of Pleasant Unity, were calling on friends here Sunday.

The Misses Dean were shopping in Greensburg last week.

"Doc" Fries was at home in Greensburg on Sunday.

The Hecla Coke Company has let the contract to Nallis & Curley, of Sharon, Pa., for the erection of some 25 houses.

The scribe has finally come to and will hereafter be found doing business at the old stand every week. It might be well to state, in answer to the numerous inquiries as to his health, etc., that, owing to the wet weather, he was unable to get out to see what was doing in our good old town.

## LAURELVILLE.

Mrs. Albert Brothers, of near Uniontown, spent the past week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kuhns.

Quite a surprise was given Misses Mabel and Helen Hamel Wednesday of last week by a jolly crowd of young folks from Mount Pleasant, the occasion being these young ladies' birthday.

A number of our farmers' intend cutting wheat on the Fourth.

Mrs. H. A. Leeper and little son Crosby spent Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Carey, of near Kecksburg.

The singing class of the Mt. Joy Sunday school met at the home of the Misses Smith last Wednesday and yesterday at the residence of William Myers.

## MT. NEBO.

John Bungard is busy making shingles.

Misses Ivy Adams and Anna Haney are keeping the boys on the go.

Samuel Craig, between hauling lumber and telling what he knows, has all he can do these days.

Josie Haney, who looks after the milk, butter and eggs, doesn't loaf, either.

John Nickel and a number of his young friends had a good time here last Sunday.

Harvey Showman is very faithful in his attendance at Yothers's.

## State Colored Masonic Meeting.

The 86th annual session of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania, F. and A. M., which was held here, closed with a fine banquet in Kunn's Hall Thursday evening after a most interesting meeting. There were some 50 representatives present from the ten lodges in Allegheny and leading towns in this end of the state. The officers elected are: G. M., Joseph Washington; D. G. M., John Bolls; G. S. W., W. H. Truss; D. G. W., Harry Burgess; G. T., J. M. Sanor; Secretary, A. A. Butler.

## Fatal Game of Crap.

In a quarrel resulting from a crap game John Jackson, a negro, shot and killed "Jack" Kinney in an empty house on "Nigger" Hill, a Connellsville suburb, Monday afternoon. The murderer was captured a short time after the shooting on being run down at Broadford by Superintendent W. H. Hugs and Mine Foreman Charles Wingenroth, of the Frick company's Davidson coke plant.

## Earnest Reformed Workers.

The eleventh annual convention of the Sunday School Association of Westmoreland Classis, Reformed Church, at Johnstown elected the following officers: President, C. E. Zimmerman, Mount Pleasant; vice president, Charles Pierce, Harold; recording secretary, Miss Nora G. Mickley, Johnstown; statistical secretary, Rev. W. B. Tussing, Mount Pleasant; treasurer, J. J. Knappenberger, Greensburg. The association will meet next year at Latrobe.

## New C. E. Union Officers.

The Westmoreland Christian Endeavor Union, whose annual convention at Greensburg closed last Friday evening, elected the following officers: President, Rev. S. L. Krets, Greensburg; vice president, J. F. Whitesel, Salina; recording secretary, Charlotte Horton, New Kensington; corresponding secretary, Amelia J. Eauer, Parnassus; treasurer, Margaret K. Fox, Mount Pleasant; Junior superintendent, Rev. J. N. Armstrong, New Alexandria.

## A Soldier's Quiet Wedding.

Sergeant John C. Mullen, one of Company E's popular non-coms, and Miss Sallie Brothers, a fair Fayette county maiden, were married Tuesday evening by Rev. Dr. Lawrence Keister at the United Brethren parsonage and left at once on a trip to Morgantown, W. Va. On their return they will go to house-keeping on Frick Park Place.

## J. S. PARKER CO.

Store open until 10:00 p. m. Friday. Closed all day the 4th.

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Great Removal Sale!

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Special lot black goods at 55c yd.

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Lot colored goods at 75c from \$1.00 and \$1.25.

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## Wedding Gifts!

Be careful in selecting your gitt. It will be viewed and criticised by many. Those whose opinions you most esteem will see it. By it may be judged your good taste and judgment, mayhap your friendship and liberality. Safeguard yourself by making use of us in the selection. We have the goods that suit. We know the latest styles, best makes, most suitable gifts.

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