

COURT NEWS.

Second Week of Court Opened Monday—Some of the Cases Disposed of.

The following cases were disposed of at the first week of September court after the issue of last week's Reporter:

The case in which Malin McCloskey was defendant and Miss Eye was prosecutrix. The charge was betrayal. A large body of evidence was reviewed in this case resulting in a verdict of "not guilty." The costs were placed upon the county.

The second case of the Butlers charged with interfering with the property of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, resulted in the acquittal of Mrs. Butler and finding the son, Hugh Butler, guilty. Like in the first case the Butlers were charged with cutting a wire fence, a detective having seen some one whom he thought was a woman doing the deed. Mrs. Butler proved that she had not been away from her home on the afternoon the act was done. It was intimated by Mr. Butler that a good joke had been worked on the railroad company.

On Wednesday morning the two prisoners who had escaped from the Western Penitentiary were again brought into court. They both entered a plea of guilty and threw themselves upon the mercy of the court. Under an Act of Assembly made and provided in such cases the men were sentenced to serve a like sentence to the one which had been imposed upon them in the first instance to begin at the expiration of their present sentence. In the case of John Blair this sentence was a minimum of two years and a maximum of three years, in the case of Pasquale Cammilleo it was a minimum of four years and a maximum of seven years.

In the case of Lucien Rager of Milesburg, who was charged with assault and battery the defendant entered a plea of guilty. The court suspended sentence and gave the defendant sixty days to arrange the costs of the suit.

The case of the Commonwealth versus "Scottie" Erb next came before the court. This case comes from South Phillipsburg Borough. The defendant was charged with indecent assault and statutory rape upon a little girl thirteen years of age by the name of Lillian Haines. A verdict in this case was rendered adjudging the defendant guilty.

In the case of Comm. vs. Muehler, jury rendered a verdict of not guilty and placed the costs upon the prosecutor and defendant in equal proportions.

Comm. vs. B. L. Brown, indicted for defrauding a board bill; Prosecutor W. H. Hindle. The prosecutor being the proprietor of the Central Hotel in Phillipsburg, and the defendant having boarded there from sometime in October, 1913, until Jan. 15, 1914, when he left without paying anything to the proprietor and going to Coalport, and the proprietor learning of his whereabouts caused his arrest early in August. Verdict, guilty. Sentence was suspended upon the defendant entering into his own recognizance to arrange the costs and bill.

Comm. vs. Emanuel Crawshaw, charged with assault and battery; prosecutrix Hendershot. Bill ignored and county to pay the costs.

Comm. vs. Oscar Wert, first count, desertion and non-support of wife, second count, desertion and non-support of children. Prosecutrix Adela Wert. Bill ignored and county to pay the costs.

Comm. vs. Harris Hugg; charge, first count, non-support and desertion, second count, desertion and non-support of child. Prosecutrix, Louisa Hugg; continued.

The grand jury made its final presentation on Thursday morning, stating that they had passed upon nineteen bills of indictment, twelve of which were found to be true bills and seven ignored. That they had visited the Court House and found it in excellent condition, with the exception that the furniture in the grand jury room be kept dusted and a writing pad suitable for keeping records of the grand jury work be placed therein; that they had visited the jail and found it in tidy condition, and would recommend the same repairs of the grand jury of February 25, 1914; after which the grand jury was discharged.

Forest E. Harter vs. Thomas Scholl; being an action brought by the plaintiff to recover balance on book account for labor, the plaintiff claiming something like a \$100 while the defendant claims payment in full. The case was on trial on Thursday afternoon and on Thursday evening the jury rendered a verdict in favor of the plaintiff for \$21.17.

SECOND WEEK.

Court convened on Monday morning at ten o'clock and after hearing some motions and petitions proceeded to the trial of causes.

Mrs. Nancy Baker, Sr., use of Tillie Edelin, now use of Alfred Cherry vs. W. G. Runkle, Executor of Catharine Harper, deceased. Verdict in favor of the plaintiff for \$145.

Mary H. Denlinger, now Holt, vs. Mary Denlinger Holt and J. Kennedy Johnston, Administrators of J. H. Holt, deceased, being an action to revive and continue the lien of a judgment. Verdict in favor of the plaintiff for \$750.54.

L. D. Herritt vs. Catharine Reese and James A. Reese, Administrators of Christian Reese, deceased, being an action to revive and continue the lien of a judgment, and when the case was called for trial the pleadings not being in shape on account of a rule and answer to open judgment the case was continued.

The W. T. Riehl Medical Company, a corporation duly incorporated under the laws of Illinois, guarantees, vs. H. S. Taylor, A. E. Schad and E. T. Hoan, guarantors of John Long, Jr., being an action to recover on a guarantor's bond, the defendants having gone on a bond for Mr. Long who had become the agent to sell the produce of the plaintiff, and subsequently under the testimony it appears that the plaintiff had accepted the return of some of the goods and that the plaintiffs had not proceeded to conclusion the collection of the balance claimed from Mr. Long, and the plaintiff was unable to show the insolvency of the principal of the bond in order to hold the guarantors. At the close of the plaintiff's testimony defendant moved the compulsory non-suit which was granted.

Serenaded After 10 Years of Wedded Life.

Dr. H. H. Longwell, who has been a resident in Centre Hall since taking over the practice of Dr. J. V. Foster, about six weeks ago, on Tuesday afternoon met his wife in Bellefonte, she arriving at that place from New Albany, Bradford county, and together they made the trip across Nittany mountain in the doctor's car to their future home in Centre Hall. Because of the fact that Dr. Longwell recently furnished his home complete with new furniture and installed a heating plant, and in every way prepared for the coming of a most important event, the rumor that it was a bride who was to share the comforts of this cozy home gained wide circulation and the same evening a delegation of fifty or more took the house by storm, the doctor, to use his own words, thinking that "the German army had begun an attack." It was a peculiar case to the genial physician, but he soon diagnosed it as a terrible delusion and attempted to effect a remedy by stating facts. The unvarnished truth is that Dr. and Mrs. Longwell have been married for ten years, the ceremony having been performed in June, 1904, by Rev. Robert B. Longwell, a brother of the doctor, who subsequently left for India where he labored as a missionary for several years. The doctor and Mrs. Longwell, however, enjoyed the unique experience, and are thankful for the pile of kindling wood which the serenaders provided while laboring under the delusion.

LOCALS

The W. C. T. U. will meet in their hall Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Heckman of Spring Mills were visitors in Centre Hall, Tuesday.

Cyrus Brungart the local justice of the peace, had his card inserted in this issue of the Reporter.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Kauffman and Mr. and Mrs. Foster Sharer, of Zion, attended the funeral of James Alexander.

Dr. W. H. Schuyler and J. T. Potter attended the meeting of Huntingdon Presbytery at Clearfield the first three days of this week.

Mr. Stoten, former supervisor of the L. & T. Railroad, spent Monday at the home of James Smetzler, another retired railroad man.

Mrs. Joseph H. Kreamer will return to her home in Reading today (Thursday), after a week's visit with her son, John Kreamer, in this place.

The Lucas carpenter force consisting of John D. Lucas, Lawrence Runkle, Harry Weaver and Irvin Showers did some carpenter work at Hublersburg for Treasurer John D. Miller.

Mrs. F. P. Geary and daughter Agnes left for Newport yesterday (Wednesday), where they will spend about three weeks at the home of Mrs. Geary's father, Rev. W. O. Buck.

John H. Markle of Tyrone was in Centre Hall for a few days beginning of this week, having come here to attend the funeral of James Alexander who employed him for a period of fifteen years. Mr. Markle is now employed in the Tyrone paper mill.

The condition of Mrs. Ralph E. Dinges, whose illness is mentioned in another part of this paper, was of such a nature Tuesday evening that Dr. H. H. Longwell and Dr. R. G. H. Hayes of Bellefonte, were in consultation. Wednesday morning Dr. C. S. Musser of Aaronsburg was also called, and at this writing a marked improvement has taken place.

The real estate of the late J. H. B. Hartman in Millheim was offered at public sale, but no sale was effected, because of the fact that the best offer was entirely too low considering the location and condition of the property. Since the time of the sale several Millheim gentlemen are interesting themselves, and may induce some one to buy the foundry plant and operate it.

Rebekah Lodge Has Interesting Meeting.

An interesting meeting of the Lady of the Valley Rebekah Lodge, I. O. O. F., was held in their hall in Centre Hall Tuesday evening, at which time a class of six candidates received the initiatory degree. Several auto loads from State College were present among whom were Mrs. George Nearhood and daughter, Miss Verna, and Mrs. Samuel Sloop. Spring Mills and Bellefonte were also represented. After the business of the evening was over, refreshments were served. The candidates were Mrs. William Fetterolf, Mrs. George Heckman, Mrs. William Homan, Mrs. Clyde Dutrow, Mrs. A. S. Krebs, Miss Jennie Stahl.

Supreme Court Refuses Appeal.

The liquor element in Venango county was refused a petition to appeal to the Supreme Court to reverse the decision of Judge Criswell in refusing to grant any of the liquor licenses in his county, Saturday. The Superior Court also refused to interfere with the decision of Judge Criswell, last spring, holding that he had discretionary power to grant or refuse all licenses as he saw fit.

Deaths of Centre Countians.

Mrs. Lydia Candy of Howard died in the Lock Haven hospital of heart disease and dropsy, aged seventy-six years.

Spring Mills.

Measles are so prevalent that there is some talk of closing the schools.

C. F. Lantz of Millburg attended the funeral of his step-father, Jerry Snavely, on Monday.

Rev. Reaick of Williamsburg was circulating among his friends. He attended the funeral of Mr. Snavely.

Death has been thinning the ranks of our aged people; Jeremiah Snavely, Mrs. Hettinger and Mrs. Katharine Bitner.

Mrs. J. D. Long fell last week and broke her arm. Dr. Braucht was called and reduced the fracture and she is getting along as well as can be expected.

Mrs. Samuel Long paid her daughter, Mrs. Allan Burrell, of Millheim a visit and helped to care for the little daughter that came to that home.

Word was received of the death of Mrs. Donchy of Lewisburg. She was the grandmother of Benjamin Donchy, who is laying so ill at her home in Lewisburg.

A. C. Dunlap, our accommodating barber, went to Jersey Shore hospital last week. His condition was so serious that Mrs. Dunlap was sent for on Friday. At present he is much better.

There were only five tickets sold to Milton fair from Coburn station on Thursday; three of these were Spring Mills people, namely; Bright Bitner and Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Long. Quite a number autoed to the fair.

Colyer.

The saw mill up in the kettle is tied up on account of low water.

The farmers are busy cutting corn and raising potatoes.

Orvis Horner sold a hog to John Taylor that dressed 252 lbs.

The water is getting low every place in this vicinity.

August Kerlin of Liverpool is staying at the home of Peter Jordan.

Fred Klinefelter and Robert Hoal made a business trip to Centre Hall Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. James Harshbarger of Yeagertown spent Sunday at the P. H. Jordan home.

George R. Mies on Saturday returned from his trip to Milton fair and other places.

Mr. and Mrs. George Yarnell and daughter Catharine spent Sunday at the G. K. Meiss home.

Fred Klinefelter and George Jordan last Saturday opened their butcher shop, assisted by John Wingard and James Farner as head butchers.

Market Reports.

Wheat, red	85
Corn, on cob, 70 lbs.	60
Corn, shelled, 56 lbs.	80
Rye	70
Oats	40
Barley	60
Hay, timothy, first grade	12 00
Hay, mixed	12 00
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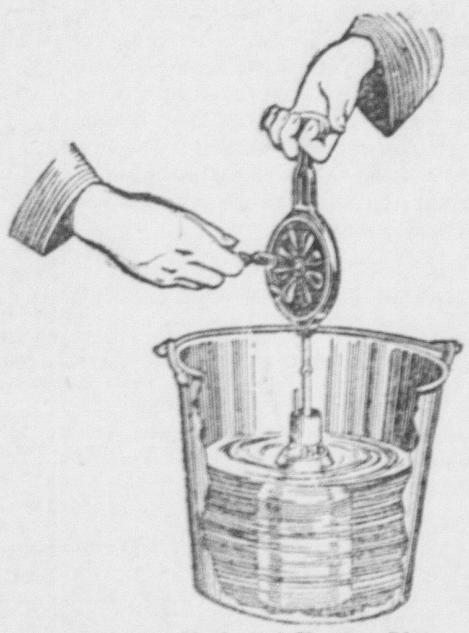
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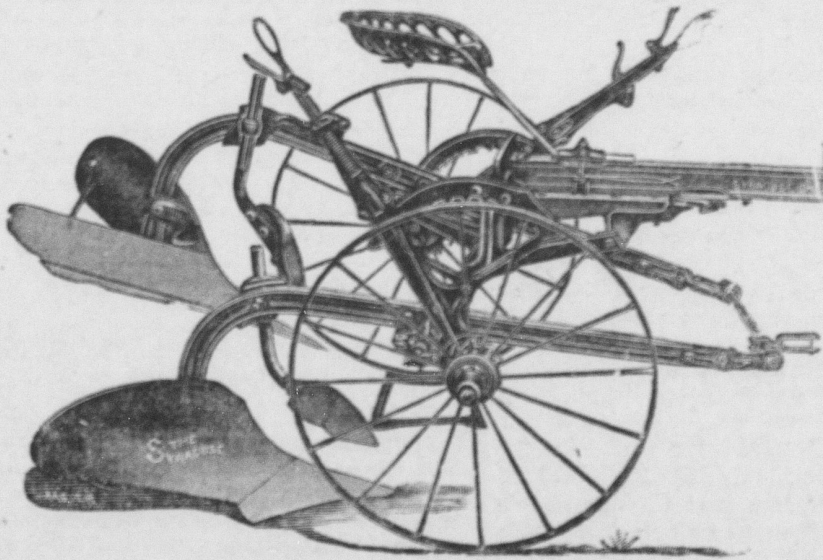
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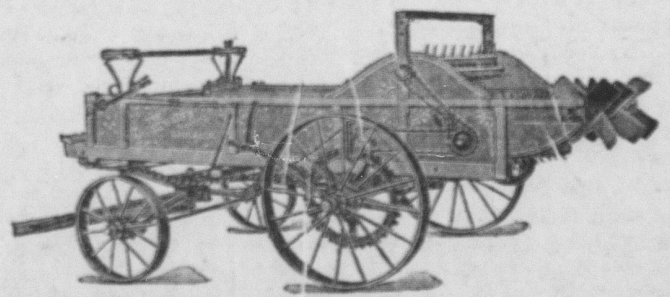


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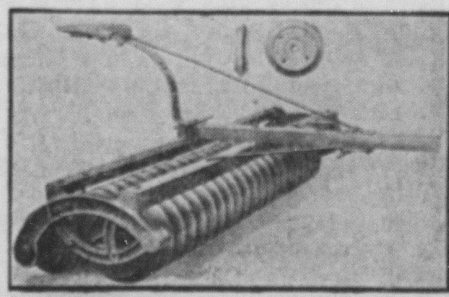
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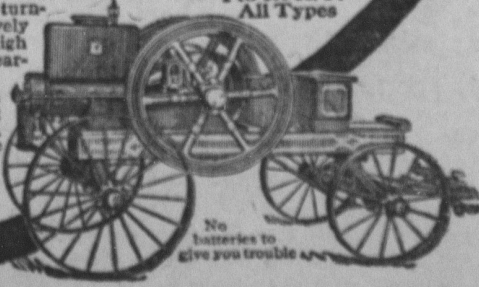
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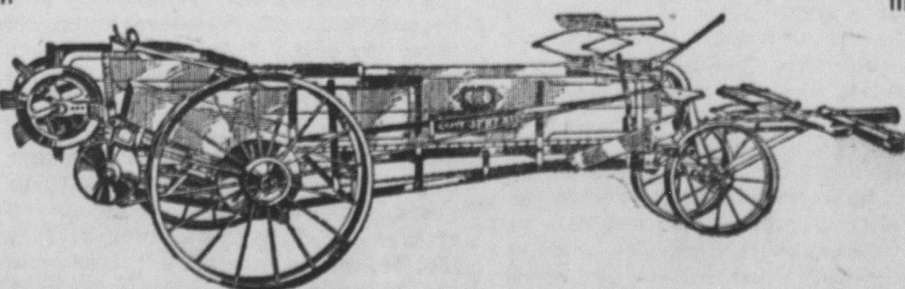
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