

The county commissioners are distributing the registration blanks this week among the various voting districts.

Mr. William McCleary and two daughters, from the State of Illinois, are visiting at the home of Mr. John H. Morrison, in Jefferson township.

Mrs. Kate Brough, of Conestoga township, is critically ill at the home of her son Jacob, near Davidsonville. Mrs. Brough is ninety years of age.

Dr. R. S. Mager, of Berlin, has been lodged in jail in default of bail to await trial on a charge of assault and battery preferred against him by his wife.

During the heavy rain storm last Saturday night lightning struck a tree on the farm of David Heminger, near Lanesville, and killed seven head of sheep.

The Meyersdale Consistory will publish a daily evening edition during the week of the German Baptists' annual meeting at that place, which begins its sessions on Monday, May 28th.

Mr. Charles Rhoads and Miss Carrie Heminger, both of Lincoln township, were united in marriage at the Lutheran parsonage, Lanesville, on Friday last, by the pastor, Rev. G. B. Galt.

Services will be held in the Presbyterian Church, Somerset, next Sabbath, May 13, at 10 o'clock, by the pastor, Rev. T. J. Bristol. Morning text: "Yet will I not forget thee."

Unless the borough authorities notify the county commissioners to replace the ragged old pavement in front of the Court house, and jail we shall not be surprised to learn of their having another suit for damages on their hands.

The following veterans of this county have recently been granted pensions: Original, Frank G. Galt, of Berlin; John E. Wood, of Conestoga; Alfred N. Snyder, of Kingwood; H. G. Cunningham, of Somerset.

A Pittsburgh firm of which Mr. Joseph B. Patton is junior member, has received the contract for erecting the piers and abutments for the new county bridge at Markletown. They were the lowest bidder and their bid was \$30,000.

F. E. Vandusen, the hunting agent for the Equitable Life Insurance Company, has been in the county for some time, and has been successful in securing many new subscribers.

Mention was made last week of the fact that Mrs. M. L. Fisher had gone to Pittsburgh for the purpose of submitting to a surgical operation for the removal of a tumor. Her recovery is now complete, and she is at home, and that the operation was performed successfully and that she is recovering to health.

John Fugh, of Johnstown, entered bail before Judge Knepper one day last week for his appearance at the next term of Cambria county court. It appears that Fugh was a composition, named E. F. Patton, on the law, breaking his lower jaw bone in two places, and that Patton indicted him for assault and battery.

Mr. Frank S. Kleinman, who will be remembered as the genial proprietor of the "Central Hotel," a popular Main street hotel, ten years ago, and subsequently in the hotel business at Ligonier, was last week married to Miss Millie Clifford, of this county. Her maiden name was a resident of Greensburg for the past few years.

One day last week Charles F. Stoner, who is known to many as the proprietor of the establishment with Berlin hotels, returned to the Mansion House in that place when overhauled from work and plunged into a tank of cold water. The next morning he was seized with pneumonia and died on Wednesday, May 10, at 10 o'clock.

Secretary of Agriculture, J. Sterling Morton, whose name is associated with Arbor Day as one of its founders, favors the establishment of a national holiday to be known as "Bird Day."

George W. Buford, Jr., was in Harrisburg Saturday, where he underwent an examination before the State Pharmaceutical Board. Some time will necessarily elapse before the board can examine all the applicants for licenses in this county.

Some people like to buy a servicable hat or bonnet with "just a little style about it." All such people should go to Mrs. Kate B. Galt's. The young ladies in her trimmings department are all artists and they all vary just a "little" individuality into all every piece of work they turn out. If your hat doesn't please you at first it will be made to your taste before you leave the store.

I am prepared to deliver and ship Fertile for corn, potatoes and oats, at 25 per cent. less than the market price. Best goods for least money is my motto.

A. C. DANIEL, Conestoga, Pa.

The town of Allegheny county last week made a ruling on the Brock's Home law that is of interest in this county since we have no wholesale houses in the county. A. H. Stouffer was tried for selling liquor without a license. He took orders for the Brock's Home in Prim township, and delivered the beer and collected the money. His defense was that the actual sale was made at the brewery. Judge Foster was in charge to the jury: "If you believe the testimony of the defendant, you may find him not guilty."

My dear daughter, I have just received your letter and I am glad to hear that you are well. I am well and hope these few lines will find you all the same.

I only intend to have a peep at them, but before I got away I had to try me. It is really and the loveliest thing I have ever seen. My dear daughter, I will be speaking to you again soon. I will be speaking to you again soon. I will be speaking to you again soon.

No Catholic nuns will be allowed to teach in the schools of Cambria county. A preliminary injunction was granted by Judge Knepper Saturday restraining six nuns from teaching in the public schools at Galitzin, Cambria county. The injunction was secured by citizens of that borough, who are all Protestants. The nuns are engaged in proselyting the Catholics. They distribute the Catholic literature among the scholars and teach the children in the schools. A school board is to be appointed to call the teachers, and the black gowns and religious emblems are worn by the nuns in the school.

State Counselor Kerr, of the Junior High School, Allegheny, has charge of the case. The matter will come up for argument next Thursday.

Complaints of high prices in the millinery trade are such as to cause many of our milliners to close their doors. Brown & Co., the most extensive nursery house in the city, has a vast quantity in stock. The matter will come up for argument next Thursday.

R. A. SYDNEY, Rockwood, Pa.

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Be on the Watch, Says Hicks.

Here is Hicks on May weather: The month opens at the end of April's closing storm period, with storm disturbances appearing in extreme eastern parts of the country, and cooler weather prevailing in central and western sections. An equinox of Mercury is central on the 13th, and will cause cloudiness and tendency to continued drizzle. In the extreme North West, a cold wave is moving in from the West, and during the 5th to 7th reactionary storms will pass over the country, being central about the time of new moon on the 5th. A sharp change to cooler weather will follow the 7th, and will be accompanied by strong probabilities of frost along the northern side of the country from 7th to 10th.

From 10th to 14th is the next regular period of storms and storm. A very heavy rain is apt to appear on the 11th in western regions, and during the three days next following storms of much energy and wide scope will traverse the country from west to east. Another very cool wave for the season will be moving in from the West, causing several days of much cooler weather in the country generally. Heavy rains may reasonably be expected during the last-named disturbance, namely, about the 11th, 12th and 13th, during which time a series of daily storms, recurring near the same time of day or night, for several days need not be looked for. Watch barometers, temperature and direction of wind; if barometer falls to rise after one storm passes, with wind shifting to the west, and expect another storm from the west, and so on until conditions change.

The cool weather following the storm of the last period will give place to warmer weather with wind shifting to the east, and secondary storms will be much certainly the coming and following of storm. About the 27th and 28th will be central the last disturbances for May, bringing fair and cooler days and nights for the closing month.

In the nature of things, May must bring more or less violence, in a meteorological way, but there is a marked absence of disturbing causes, so far as other planets are concerned. There are reasons to believe that storms will not be unusually frequent and heavy, but it will be necessary to watch them all, and be prepared to take refuge from all that may carry in their cloudy folds the desolators of towns and hearts and homes.

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Young Girls Suicide. May Gallagher, 21 years old, of New Stanton, Westmoreland county, was found dead in bed at her boarding house in Allegheny Tuesday morning. She had committed suicide, having taken a dose of opium.

Midnight Parade of Coxeyites. A crowd of about 1000 men, some of whom were armed with clubs and stones, paraded through the streets of Washington on Friday night last.

The American farmers who find settled this country learned much from the old-time cultivators of the soil. There is no corn grown in Europe until it had been introduced from America. The Indians had several varieties, including pop corn and sweet corn. People at this time for a corn of the Commonwealth Army returning by way of the National Pike before the final entering of Washington by Coxey's hosts.

As near as people could see, by casual glances through abandoned windows and cracks of doors, the crowd consisted of about twelve or fifteen soldiers headed by a piper who was assisted by a fife and drum. Next followed the Chief Marshall who was not only a tall fellow but was very capable in his character of Coxey, and a person known as "Good Roads Association."

He was followed by a crowd of men who neither spared their lungs or the pleasant dreams of a sleeping town; but with wild yells and loud proclamations told the story of their expedition to secure good roads and non-interfering bands; while an occasional call for the commissary wagon was also heard. It was strange to notice how the lights flickered and went out as the Army advanced and also strange how suddenly quiet the army itself became as it passed certain houses where it is commonly known artillery is kept ready for action.

After traversing Main street from the east to the west end the army dispersed as mysteriously as it had formed leaving every thing in quietude to the residents to rest in doubt and uncertainty as to the true nature of the demonstration. The army must have moved on in the night as the earliest rays saw no one left after daylight.

A farmer named "Coxey," living a short distance west on the pike, reported the next morning that some of his best men were missing and it is not improbable that the army's commissary was reinforced by foraging there. There were no other reports of the demonstration.

The people of this vicinity are now very anxious to find out who and what it was, but as yet there is no clue.

"THE UNKNOWN." Last Tuesday afternoon Charles Brackner, who resides on "Red Hill" just east of town, was kicked on the head by a horse and for several days his life was despaired of. His condition was very much improved to-day and the prospects are that it will be recovered.

Brackner and George Gerhart had been doing some work with a team in the fields and were engaged at putting the horses up in the stable at noon when the former got behind the wheel of one of the teams and Mr. Gerhart had the reins. "Red Hill" was sent sprawling on the stable floor. Gerhart hurried to his assistance and after dragging him out the stable helped him to his feet.

Soon after reaching the home Brackner was seized with a system. It spasm recurred twice during the next few hours. Dr. Kimmel was called in to attend the sufferer. He found that Brackner had suffered a fracture of the skull between the right ear and temple. The patient was unconscious for a period of about 48 hours.

An attempt was made to incite a strike among the miners at Little Lake week. Wednesday morning a written notice was posted at the mouth of the mine, where it would attract the attention of the workmen when they went to work the following morning, offering ten cents per ton to stand together forty-five cents per ton, an advance of fifteen cents per ton over present wages. The notice was soon brought to the attention of Superintendent George J. Krebs, who immediately tore it down and set to work to discover who was the author of it. He was not long in finding out and as a result of his discovery the workmen were paid off and ordered from the premises of the Little Company. The mischief workers, it has been learned, had attempted to intimidate the mill workers by telling them that unless they joined the strike they would be liable to the same fate as the Little Lake miners. The Little people have all the orders for coal they can handle and are anxious to increase their force of laborers in case they can secure the men. Friday, General Manager Patton and Superintendent Ouster, of the Pittsburgh division B. & O. R. R., came to this place on a special train and had an interview with Mr. Krebs. We understand that as a result of this interview the B. & O. will depend upon Leslie to furnish them with a number of car loads of coal per day until the strike has been declared off in the Pittsburgh district.

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Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U.S. Gov't Report

Edie Spintners. Farmers are about through sowing oats. Corn planting is next in order. At a sowing at Sperryville Thursday night the seeders were treated to a bucket of water poured on to their heads from an upstairs window.

One day last week a fire broke out in the mountain above here and for a short time threatened to do great damage. People from all quarters were hastily summoned by the ringing of bells. The fire was extinguished after a hard fight.

Lincoln township does not lag behind in educational matters. At present we have two normal schools; one at Sperryville, R. W. Lehr teacher, with an enrollment of twenty-two; another at Edie. H. L. Young teacher, enrollment twenty-five.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.—FOR THE MAY REPUBLICAN PRIMARY.

To the Editor of the Somerset Herald: We will please announce the following names of the several counties comprising the 11th Congressional District, as the Republican Primary Election to be held on

FOR STATE SENATOR, N. B. CRITCHFIELD, OF JENNER TOWNSHIP.

FOR ASSEMBLY, A. J. COLBORN, OF SOMERSET BOROUGH.

FOR ASSEMBLY, Wm. HENRY MILLER, OF QUEMARENH TOWNSHIP.

FOR ASSEMBLY, A. W. KNEPPER, OF SOMERSET BOROUGH.

FOR ASSEMBLY, S. S. GOOD, OF MEYERSDALE BOROUGH.

FOR ASSEMBLY, JEREMIAH MAURER, OF STOVENHOCK BOROUGH.

FOR JURY COMMISSIONER, SAMUEL J. BOWSER, OF MILFORD TOWNSHIP.

FOR JURY COMMISSIONER, Alex. Hunter, Jr., OF STOVENHOCK TOWNSHIP.

FOR POOR DIRECTOR, Wm. Dull, OF MILFORD TOWNSHIP.

FOR POOR DIRECTOR, Samuel A. Deitz, OF SOMERSET TOWNSHIP.

FOR POOR DIRECTOR, HARRISON GOHN, OF SOMERSET TOWNSHIP.

For Delegate to State Convention, HENRY L. WALKER, OF STOVENHOCK TOWNSHIP.

For Delegate to State Convention, JOHN C. WELLER, OF MILFORD TOWNSHIP.

For Delegate to State Convention, JONATHAN E. GIFFIN, OF STOVENHOCK BOROUGH.

For Delegate to State Convention, Alexander Coleman, OF BROTHERSVALE TOWNSHIP.

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