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REPUBLICAN COMMITTEE MEETING.

The members of the Republican county committee will meet at the Keystone Hotel in Patterson, on Saturday, September 2, 1899...

SHORT LOCALS.

The Port Royal fair is looming up. Constable Samuel Lapp is in Chester.

Here and there a man sows wheat this week.

Dr. King's New Discovery. They have corn to burn in Kansas and Nebraska.

Miss Wilson of Milton is a guest of the Misses Murray.

Mrs. Krick and children, are visiting her parents in Reading.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve. The big picnics are all over. A few small ones are yet on the carpet.

T. H. Buttart of Newport was in town on the evening of the 23rd inst.

Misses Kate and Lizzie Hayes, are visiting friends at Landsdale, Phila.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Mrs. Quinster of Harrisburg is visiting Mrs. S. E. Brown of Patterson.

The Port Royal Fair will be held at Port Royal, September 13, 14 and 15.

Wm. Allison, a talented writer is home from Pittsburg on a short vacation.

Stiles Gillford of Altoona spent several days with his cousin Edgar Birchfield.

John Meloy and wife of Patterson, spent a few days at the Granger's picnic.

Wm. Adams of Pittsburg is visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Adams.

Dr. King's New Life Pills. One of the features in the veteran parade at Newport will be a company of girls.

Diphtheria and scarlet fever are reported as having appeared among children in town.

Mr. Howard Martin and daughter Bell, have been visiting relatives in Tuscarora Valley.

Mrs. Wm. Wagner has returned home after a pleasant visit to Ebensburg and Barnsbrough.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Mr. Henry Penny and daughters, have returned home after a pleasant visit to Lewisburg.

Mrs. Belle Patterson and daughter Miss Margarie have returned from a trip to Atlantic City.

Mrs. Clara Okeson and daughter of Pleasant View, spent a day recently with the Misses Laird.

Miss Emma Nankeville of Lewistown, is a guest at the home of Wm. Nankeville of Patterson.

Dr. King's New Life Pills. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Meloy of Huntingdon, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Meloy of Patterson.

Postmaster McNitt, while visiting his old home in Mifflin Co., took in the Gibony Park picnic.

The September number of the Ladies Home Journal is one of the most attractive numbers issued.

The school teachers vacation days are rapidly growing to a close. Ditto the vacation of the pupils.

Dr. King's New Discovery. W. H. Moore, manager of the oak extract works at Newport, spent an evening in town recently.

Coon hunting is beginning to engage the attention of those who are fond of that kind of sport at night.

Mrs. Wm. Finkle and Mrs. Harry Hawk of Patterson, attended the Gibony Park picnic, Mifflin Co.

Dr. King's New Discovery. Miss Margaret Laird was called to Lewistown by the request of her friend Mrs. J. G. Long, who is seriously ill.

An additional public school house is a question that the taxpayers of Milford township are considering.

A soaking rain fell on Saturday night and all day Sunday—a slow rain, just the kind that almost all enters the ground.

Mervin Cook, wife and two children of Harrisburg and Miss Ella Tyson of Millerstown, visited their brother Samuel Tyson, on Thursday.

Miss Mabel Gilson of Aurora, Ill., and Miss Grace Gilson of Canton, Ohio, returned to their homes on Tuesday after a lengthy visit to friends in Tuscarora Valley.

The letters uncalled for in the Mifflintown post office at the close of business hours, August 26, 1899, were for Morris W. Dickinson, Mrs. Clara J. Johnson, Edward Hasler and Charles Hamilton.

A man running the wheel of fortune at the Waterloo picnic was arrested for conducting a gambling place.

The political candidates are all in the field, and the election is scarcely more than two months away.

Dr. King's New Discovery.

Newspapers from adjoining counties report wheelmen selling their wheels rather than pay a dollar a wheel road tax.

Colonel Thomas Moorehead of the T. V. R. is in the west making a tour of California, Idaho and other western states.

Dr. King's New Life Pills.

Rev. J. F. Diener of Waterloo; James Sharron of Newport; and merchant John Scott did the speech-making at the Waterloo picnic.

It is estimated that the state of Illinois will have to buy for her own use this year, seven million bushels more wheat than the State raised.

Railroad Superintendent C. K. Miller and family of Newport, have been spending a few days of vacation in Mifflintown among friends.

Dr. King's New Life Pills.

Miss Mary K. Snyder of Selinsgrove, grand-daughter of Governor Simon Snyder, will use her own money to build an Episcopal church at Selinsgrove. It will be the only Episcopal church in Snyder county.

Mechant George Goshen of Patterson shipped a car-load of locust posts from this station to Iowa. The western country where the locust fails to grow, may become a place for a profitable market for locust posts.

Dr. King's New Discovery.

It required two engines to pull the train of people from Port Royal to Leonard's Grove on Saturday. Leonard's Grove is a couple hundred feet higher than Port Royal, and the grade in several places is steep.

William Powell of near Media, Pa., was milking a cow last Saturday evening during a thunder storm. A bolt of lightning came down and killed the cow and stunned into unconsciousness and almost killed Powell.

Some of the Waterloo picnicians from town missed railroad connection at Port Royal and walked home three miles in the wet. Their experience was more varied than those who had no walking to do, and missed the train, but they are all living and in good health.

Dr. King's New Discovery.

David Huffman has had his pension increased from \$8 to \$12 a month, and has received \$224.50 back pension. Dave's friends say he was a good and prompt soldier. He was wounded at Hatch's run on the left side of his neck. The bullet came near cutting the jugular vein. He was an orderly at Fort Steadman under Hartranft, and was shot in the left leg near the knee.

Dewey writes to the Executive Committee of the Dewey reception committee of the New York demonstration to take place on the 30th of September, that he is desirous of having the Olympia's battalion lead the procession with a big band at its head. A big band, big enough will be provided. Let it be a stunner while they are at it. A stunner like Dewey's naval fight at Manila.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

Read Hollobaugh's new advertisement.

The summer is over, the autumn has come.

With honesty for a policy, one has a clear conscience.

The electric light "went out" a couple of times on Sunday night.

David Miller has opened a laundry in a building on the creamery lot.

A fifty pound can of lard will be taken on subscription at this office.

The neatest and the best and latest styled clothing at Hollobaugh's.

Dr. H. P. Derr is the republican State Committeeman for Juniata county.

James Mathers of Cleveland, Ohio, is spending vacation days among relatives in Juniata.

Theodore Garman formerly editor of the Tribune spent Friday and Saturday in town.

James Mathers of Altoona, came from the Mountain city on Saturday, to visit his relatives.

The republican state convention was harmonious, excepting the one kick of the 49 delegates at Quay.

The turn out of people from this place to Leonard's Grove picnic on Saturday, numbered a good many.

The Jewish New Year 5660 will fall on Tuesday, September 5th. The Day of Atonement, the fasting day, occurs just one week later.

Mrs. Anna M. Cox and son Samuel D. of Altoona, have been the guests of Probationary Zeiders the past two weeks. Mrs. Cox is the mother of Mrs. Zeiders.

In Cumberland county parties who follow threshing grain take with them a sufficient number of men to complete a job wherever they go from the handling of the grain to the stacking of the straw.

Since Aquinaldo remarked that the democratic party in the United States is his best friend outside of the Philippine islands—since then many of the democrats have turned hard against Aquinaldo.

John A. Keefe of Carlisle engaged in stock speculation and lost, which so worked on his mind that he went to Hagerstown, Md., and there committed suicide in a hotel. He put a bullet through his head.

The town council has appointed a board of health.

Mrs. Jenney, of Philadelphia, was the guest of Misses Sally and Maud Irwin, on Monday.

Andrew Banks, Esq., went to Pittsburgh, and marched with his comrades of the 10th Pennsylvania, on their return to the Keystone state.

What to prevent men in the country from using their wire fences for telephones. With wire fences all over the country and 'phones in the houses what a talking there will be from place to place in the near future when people will catch onto the availability of the thing and when wire fences will have come into general use.

Bloomfield Advocate.—Thursday night, 10th inst., two steers and a heifer belonging to Jonas Lenig of Juniata township, were driven from his premises. Mr. Lenig next day missing the animals tracked them and found them in possession of David Yohn of Saville township. Yohn's explanation that a man had come and desired him to feed the cattle until he came for them, did not satisfy Mr. Lenig, who had Yohn and Addison Simonton arrested on the charge of "larceny of certain horned cattle." Yohn gave bail before Squire D. C. Kell of Lekeburg to answer the charge at next quarter sessions, and Simonton on the 18th inst., was committed to the county jail in lieu of bail.

TO CALIFORNIA VIA THE MIDLAND ROUTE.

Every Friday night at 10.35 p. m., a through Tourist Car for San Francisco, carrying first and second-class passengers, leaves the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway Union Passenger Station, Chicago, via Omaha, Colorado Springs and Salt Lake City (with stopover privileges at Salt Lake City), for all points in Colorado, Utah, Nevada and California.

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NIAGARA FALLS EXCURSIONS.

LOW RATE VACATION TRIPS VIA PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

September 7th and 21st and October 5th and 19th are the dates of the remaining Pennsylvania Railroad popular ten day excursions to Niagara Falls from Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington, and intermediate points.

Excursion tickets, good for return passage on any regular train, exclusive of limited express trains, within three days, will be sold at \$10.00 from Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington and all points on the Delaware and Potomac Rivers to Atlantic City; \$9.50 from Lancaster; \$8.50 from Altoona and Harrisburg; \$6.90 from Sunbury and Wilkesbarre; \$ 7.75 from Williamsport; and at proportionate rates from other points. A stop over will be allowed at Buffalo, Rochester, Canandaigua, and Watkins within the limit returning.

A special train of Pullman parlor cars and day coaches will be run with each excursion. An extra charge will be made for parlor car seats.

An experienced tourist agent and chaperon will accompany each excursion.

Tickets for a side trip to the Thousand Islands (Alexandria Bay) will be sold from Rochester in connection with excursions of September 7 and 21, good for return to Rochester or Canandaigua via Syracuse within five days at rate of \$5.50.

Tickets for a side trip to Toronto will be sold at Niagara Falls for \$1.00 on September 23. In connection with excursion of September 7, tickets will be sold to Toronto and return at reduced rates according to tariff.

For prospectus giving full information and all points on the Delaware and Potomac Rivers, apply to nearest ticket agent or address Geo. W. Boyd, Assistant General Passenger Agent, Broad Street Station, Philadelphia.

WHERE DIAMONDS ARE FOUND.

Where diamonds come from has long been a puzzle to learned men. Many people believe they grow where found, they also believe that some of all kinds grow. Chemists in recent days have exhausted their best efforts to compound diamonds, but all to no purpose. Lately, geologists have been giving the diamond considerable attention, not as the chemist has done, but he has been examining the places in which the diamond has been found. A good many diamonds have been found in the United States among the pebbles left by the last ice age, and now the belief exists among those who have investigated the matter that the diamond was deposited in the ice period, whence the glacier scraped the diamond in an other question. It is true that the diamond is found in the deposit of the ice period there may be diamonds in Pennsylvania, in the glacial moraine. The glacial moraine does not extend as far south as the Juniata Valley. The nearest points of the glacial moraine to Juniata county are Lycoming and Montour counties.

MCALLISTERVILLE.

Harry Harman from Mechanicsburg, is home visiting his parents. William Sprout who is employed on the railroad at Lewistown, spent Sunday with his parents.

Mr. Kurtz Oberholzer has returned to Lewistown, where he is employed at his trade.

We are glad to know that Mr. Reighard who has been ill for some time, is rapidly recovering.

Miss Grace Oberholzer who has

been sick with typhoid malarial, is slowly recovering.

Harry Shirk and Edward Swartzlander, contemplate a trip to Philadelphia this week.

Bess and Mary Fisher accompanied by their sister Mrs. Margaret Dock, have taken quite an extensive trip to different places of interest in New York State.

Ed. Landis of Phila., passed through town to day on his way home.

The band report a very nice time at Leonard's Grove.

DOCTOR YOURSELF AT HOME.

Send for a copy of Dr. Humphrey's Manual of all diseases and do for yourself at home. Sent free on request. Humphrey's Medicine Co., New York City.

A THRILLING REMINISCENCE.

When on their trip to North Dakota, Squire W. H. Groninger and his brother Mr. Henry Groninger switched off southward to Missouri where the Squire lived a quarter of a century ago. They wanted to visit the place where an awful tragedy was enacted, and which came near taking the life of the Squire and could him to leave Missouri and return to his native county—Juniata. The Squire at that time occupied a house in company with a man named Switzer also a Juniata county man. One evening a great commotion took place in Switzer's end of the building. Groninger hastened over and entered the house just in time to witness the shooting of his friend by a desperado. Groninger sprang at the murderer with the ferocity of a man who understood the awful situation of the case. The murderer fled for the door and fired the last shot of his revolver at Groninger's head. The desperado was considered a dead shot every time, but that time he missed his mark and the bullet passed through Groninger's hat rim and out through the weather-boarding of the house, leaving a hole large enough to put a finger through. On the trip mentioned above when the Squire and his brother Henry came to the property where the tragedy was enacted they found a new house, the proprietor of which soon was led by the Squire into a conversation on the early history of the community. The proprietor recited with remarkable correctness how desperadoes had surrounded the place and how one of them went into Switzer's place and when his demands for plunder was not granted shot Switzer, and how a neighbor having come to the help of the Switzers, narrowly escaped being shot in the head, and how the hole in the weather-boarding was shown to visitors, and how a vigilance committee one night hunted down the murderers and hanged them to the limbs of trees and settled the community. It is now as law abiding as any other peaceful farming community. But that was not all. The proprietor went into a recital of the fire that burned the house in which the murder had been committed. It was a fire that burned as if kindled by demons, and from the bullet hole made by the shot at Groninger a long blue jet of sulphurous fire streamed and was strikingly visible till the testimony of his own senses when told that the larger man of the two men there in his presence was the one whose hat was perforated by the last bullet in the pistol of the man who had murdered Switzer. It was a thrilling reminiscence.

MARRIAGE LICENSES GRANTED.

Aug. 19.—G. W. Diven, Peru Lack; Florence Plank, Blair's Mills.

Aug. 22.—H. F. Walls, Lack township; Carrie Fleisher, Lack township.

Aug. 26.—John Maize, Port Royal; Myrtle Strawser, Turbett township.

MARRIED.

STIMELING—SHOTSBERGER.—On the 15th inst., at East Salem, by Rev. John Landis, David A. Stimeling and Daisy L. Shotsberger.

SHIRK—MASTERSON.—On the 16th inst., at Mifflintown, by Rev. W. H. Fabs, Wilson L. Shirk and Carrie I. Masterson.

KENNEDY—KAUFMAN.—On the 20th inst., by Rev. E. A. Pyles, James M. Kennedy and Grace I. Kaufman.

BABBS—BOTTEICKER.—On the 22nd inst., at Mifflintown, J. Frank Patterson, J. P., Wm. H. Babbs and Jennie May Botteicker.

STAHR—WATTS.—On the 22nd inst., by Levi Light, J. P., Lincoln Stahr and Mary C. Watts.

PARTNER—KERLIN.—On the 24th inst., at Mifflintown, by Rev. W. H. Fabs, David E. Partner and Rebecca Kerlin.

RICEBOFF—HEINBACH.—On the 24th inst., at Reed's Gap, by Rev. Frank J. Milman, Levi H. Riceboff and Cora E. Heinbach.

FISHER—PECK.—On the 24th inst., at Mifflintown, by Rev. W. H. Fabs, John W. Fisher and Marilla K. Peck.

PRY—HOUTZ.—On the 24th inst., at Mifflintown, by Rev. W. H. Fabs, Samuel A. Pry and Kate H. Houtz.

PAGE—SWARTZ.—On the 26th inst., at East Salem, by Rev. John Landis, Charles A. Page and Lavina Swartz, both of Juniata county, Pa.

DIED.

BISHOP.—On the 28th inst., in Patterson, Bertha Bishop, aged 65 years, of diphtheria. Interment in Presbyterian cemetery on Monday afternoon.

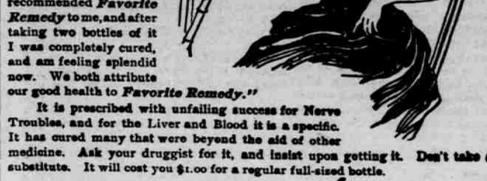
Letter from a Woman

Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy frequently cures several members of a family. While it is considered by many to be a Kidney and Bladder Medicine, it is just as certain to cure Dyspepsia, Constipation, Rheumatism, Scrofula and Eczema. This is because it first puts the Kidneys in a healthy condition, so they can sift all impurities from the blood. Healthy blood practically means a completely healthy body. Here is a letter from Mrs. Capt. PERRY RACK, of N. Y.: "My husband was troubled with his kidneys, fearfully with shooting pains through his back. He was now weak and strong. Although seventy years of age, he is as hearty as a man many years younger. I was so troubled with Dyspepsia that it was painful for me to walk. My food did me no good, as my stomach could not digest it. Somebody recommended Favorite Remedy to me, and after taking two bottles of it I was completely cured, and am feeling splendid now. We both attribute our good health to Favorite Remedy."

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If you want to try Favorite Remedy before buying, send your full post-office address to the Dr. DAVID KENNEDY CORPORATION, Roseton, N. Y., and mention this paper. They will send you a free trial bottle, all charges prepaid. This genuine offer is made to prove to everybody what a wonderful medicine it is.



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Unbleached muslins at 3c a yard. Better unbleached muslin at 4c a yard. Extra quality unbleached muslin, 20 yards for \$1.00. Best bleached Hill muslin, 15 yds for \$1.00. 10c muslin, cut prices, at 6c a yard. Union crash toweling, 7yds for 25c. All linen crash toweling 5yds for 25c. Good calicoes for 3 1/2 a yard. Best Lancaster Ginghams at 5c; worth to day 7c. Table Oil Cloth, 2yds for 25c. Flora Oil Cloth and Linoliums for 20c, 25c to 35c; worth 50c. Carpets at 12 1/2, 18c, 20c and 25c. Now is your time to buy carpet. They are going higher. Fine Rugs in Brussels and Velvet for 75c and \$1.00. Star Oil Cloth in Cut Prices at 4c a yard. Men's Cheviot every day shirtings, 7yds for 48c. Fine Scotch lawns at 4 1/2. All our fine summer dress goods at extra low reduced prices. Red Bord fine Table Linen at 25c; worth 40c. White Summer Blankets, at 50c a pair.

SHOW NEWS:

is the most important News of this Sale. 4,000 pair of fine shoes included in our offerings. Not a plunger spam or excitement, but a merchant's plan, easily formed and thoroughly executed. The purpose is to make a sale of shoes for cheapness and magnitude, which is without precedent. These shoes are all new, their equals are selling at 35 per cent higher throughout the Shoe Trade. Men's Calf Skin Shoes at \$1.47; worth \$2.50. Men's Willow Calf and Vici Leather at \$1.47. You save over \$1 on a pair. Men's Black Dress foot-wear.—Tans and Blacks, Hyle's French Patent Leather all \$4 shoes at \$2.68. Ladies Black and Tan fine kid Leather Shoes, 800 pair, English styles makes at \$1.47, a saving of \$1.00 a pair. 500 PAIR BOYS AND CHILDREN'S SHOES, at equally reduced prices at Extra low values.

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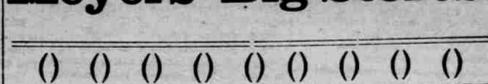
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EASTWARD.

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