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LITERARY NOTES.

THE WATER WORKS PROBLEM.

THE town Council has practically decided to accept propositions for the erection of water works. The borough can not bond itself for the payment of the plant, so water works builders are asked to make a proposition, to put in a plant, name the number of plugs which shall be 18 or 20, and the annual rental from the borough for the use of water in case of fire, state the rate to private consumers and in addition to that the council desires to know the price the water company is willing to accept for the water plant in ten years.

It may be difficult, if not impossible, to give exact figures on the cost of a plant and hence it is not an easy matter to make a proposition on a business basis without a survey. This survey should be made at the direction of the borough, with full and complete specifications. This would place the matter in shape for business on a business basis. A survey would have to be made by the water company that gets the contract at any rate. The borough could assume the expense of the survey temporarily and make it a part of the successful bidder to pay the expense of the survey, which they would be compelled to do, if the borough does not do it in advance.

Another idea advanced on the manner of getting water works is that the borough guarantee investors a certain per cent, say five or six, and the borough assume control of the plant, collect all the revenues and control its affairs in general. This idea is put forward with a view of reducing the price at which the borough can buy the plant whenever it feels able to bond itself for

the amount of the plant. The existing statutes permit a borough to buy a water plant in ten years at the actual cost of construction plus an annual interest of six percent. A plant costing ten thousand dollars now would cost \$16,000 in ten years.

It is well for the borough to consider the best plans for the plant, but after all the only thing to do first is to get a survey made by a competent water works engineer, make plans and specifications stating size and weight of pipe and all details. The expense of this survey can be provided as above stated.

USEFUL HOME WORK FOR WOMEN.

IN the *Woman's Home Companion* for September Ada C. Sweet has an unusually able and attractive article which every woman interested in home work will read with pleasure.

"I saw an unusually attractive room of a girl last summer. The rug she had made herself from strips of blue and white cotton, knitting them, like yarn, on large wooden needles. The window-curtains had been a pair of rather coarse but snow-white linen sheets—old homespun linen. These cut in two she had hemstitched all around, to make two curtains for each window. Then she had embroidered them in dull blue and white, just a sprig here and there inside the hems. The bedcover was all white. It had been made from a wide piece of some thick, cotton material, and was edged with an embroidered cambric ruffle. The covers for bureau and wash-stand were made in the same way, of the same material. The little bookcase in this room had a brilliant curtain which fairly shone and flashed with color. Its owner had bought a remnant of satin, and loaded it with embroidery in most fanciful patterns and colors. I did not wonder at the pride with which its young mistress showed this room.

"When our girls begin to appreciate woman's handiwork at its true value they will see the worthlessness of much of the gimcrack furniture which litters many houses. The pine boxes with veneered fronts which pass for wardrobes and bureaus; the tawdry, unfinished, assertive, weak-kneed tables and chairs, the 'overstuffed,' fat-cushioned sofas with colorings like unto an Indian's blanket, and all the endless bric-a-brac and cheap impedimenta of the day, will not bear the examination of intelligent, instructed eyes. The girl who works, under artistic training, with her own hands at household stuffs will demand tables and chairs of good material, well planned and well made, comfortable, and standing square on their four legs, as respectable tables and chairs should stand."

EDITOR LESHER of the *Selinsgrove Times* must not judge others by himself. We were never guilty of the pernicious kind of journalism that the *Times* has practiced for years. We know a Republican office holder in Snyder Co. whom Lesher promised to support for One Dollar. Joe never got the dollar.

THE Salem correspondent to the *Tribune* suggests the name of Hon. Charles Miller as a candidate for assembly and Henry Kuster for county auditor. They are both good men and would do their duty faithfully.

THE faithful friends of the late Daniel S. Boyer have raised a fund to erect a suitable memorial to his memory. This is a fitting tribute to the faithful services of a good citizen.

HELP to build up your town by subscribing for the *Post*. This paper leaves no stone unturned that will assist the progress of any town in Snyder County. Help those who help you is a good business policy.

PORT TREVORTON.

Edwin Shafer came to town Monday. Casper Sowers of Shamokin and his two children were seen in town Sunday.

Edwin Arnold, wife and son are spending a month with the former's mother, Mary A. Arnold of this place.

J. C. Neitz, who is working at Duncannon spent Sunday with his family.

S. P. Steffen and J. E. Neitz spent Sunday at the U. B. campmeeting near Elizabethtown.

P. G. Shambach and mother are enjoying a week at the Herndon campmeeting.

Misses Mabel Fisher and Annie Sockshaw of Mt. Carmel returned home Monday after a week's visit with Rev. J. E. Frances and family.

Miss Maggie Attinger, who is working at Shamokin Dam spent Sunday in town.

T. H. Bogar has his cider press finished and all who wish to have good cider made come and try the new steam press.

Capt. Dewey has his battleship painted and commenced to run her the fore part of the week.

John and Wm. Helfenstein of Shamokin passed through town last week with their locomobile.

Saturday evening while a boat load of passengers were crossing the river the heavy rain and storm made them soaking wet.

YACHTING experts and landsmen are all at sea respecting the coming international race and it will be well to drop theories and wait for the race to decide the points of merit in the two big boats.

MEDICAL EXAMINER

Of the U. S. Treasury Recommends Peruna.



Dr. Llewellyn Jordan.

Dr. Llewellyn Jordan, Medical Examiner of U. S. Treasury Department, graduate of Columbia College, and who served three years at West Point, has the following to say of Peruna:

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COURT HOUSE CHIPS.

Deeds Entered for Record. Henry Miller and D. J. Hassinger to Azariah Kreeger, 40 acres and 31 perches in Franklin twp., for \$4000. Azariah Kreeger and wife to M. K. Schoch, 7 acres and 88 perches in Franklin twp., for \$900. M. K. Schoch and wife to H. M. Amig, 50x160 lot in Franklin twp., for \$228.

Sarah Yeager to Michael Wagner, 10 acres in Chapman twp., for \$500. Wills Probated.

The last will and testament of Eva Houser, late of Union twp., was probated. Alex N. Houser is the executor and the children are the heirs.

The last will and testament of D. F. Rau, late of Middlecreek twp., was probated. His widow, Minerva Rau, is the executrix.

In the estate of Henry Naugle, late of West Perry twp., granted to John P. Naugle of Aline.

JOHNSON TO SUCCEED SAMPSON.

Port Royal Commander to Be Placed At Boston Navy Yard.

Washington, Aug. 13.—The navy department has selected Rear Admiral Mortimer L. Johnson, now in command at the Port Royal naval station, to succeed Admiral Sampson in command of the Boston navy yard when the latter officer shall retire. The formal appointment has not been made, as it was not known definitely that Sampson will request to be retired, but it is presumed that he will, for his health has not been of the best for some time.

REDUCED RATES TO THE SEASHORE.

The last Pennsylvania Railroad rate ten-day excursion for the present season from North Bend, Troy, Balfonte, Williamsport, Moccasin, Sunbury; Shenandoah, Dauphin, and principal intermediate stations (including stations on branch roads), to Atlantic City, Cape May, Ocean City, Seaside, Avalon, Anglesen, Wildwood, Holly Beach, will be run on Thursday, August 22, 1901.

Excursion tickets, good to return regular trains within ten days, will be sold at very low rates. Tickets to Atlantic City will be sold via the Delaware River Bridge Route, the only all-rail line, or via Market Street Wharf, Philadelphia.

Stop-over can be had at Philadelphia either going or returning, within limit of tickets.

For information in regard to special rates and time of trains consult local agents, or apply to agents, or E. S. Harter, Division Ticket Agent, Williamsport, Pa.

A Minister's Good Work.

"I had a severe attack of bilious colic, got a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, took two doses and was entirely cured," says Rev. A. A. Power, of Emporia, Kan. "My neighbor across the street was sick for over a week, had two or three bottles of medicine from the doctor. He was better for three or four days without relief, called in another doctor who treated him for some days and gave him no relief, so discharged him. He went over to him the next morning. He said his bowels were in a terrible flux, that they had been running so long that it was almost blood. I asked him if he had tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and he said 'No.' I went home and brought my bottle and gave him one dose. He told me to take another dose in fifteen or twenty minutes if he did not find relief, but he took no more and was entirely cured." For sale by the Middleburg Drug Co.

LUTHERAN REUNION AT ISLAND PARK.

Reduced Rates via Pennsylvania Railroad.

For the Lutheran Reunion at Island Park (between Sunbury and Northumberland), August 15, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell special excursion tickets from North Bend and intermediate stations west of Williamsport; Bellefonte and intermediate stations on the Lewisburg and Tyrone Branch west of Lewisburg; from Lewistown Junction and intermediate stations; and Harrisburg and intermediate stations, to Sunbury and return, at reduced rates.

Tickets will be sold and good going on August 15, good returning until August 16, inclusive.

Fishkill Man Mysteriously Shot.

Newburgh, N. Y., Aug. 13.—Samuel Verplanck, a wealthy retired resident of Fishkill Landing, was seriously and mysteriously shot yesterday afternoon while out driving with a party of friends, among them Rev. and Mrs. J. Howard Suydam. They had been paying a visit to Mr. Verplanck's farm at the time the affair occurred. While on their way home two shots were fired from the roadside and Mr. Verplanck fell back in his carriage seriously, if not fatally, injured.

Shamrock II, a Beauty.

New York, Aug. 13.—Shamrock II, as she lay at her anchor off Staten Island, yesterday had many visitors. She was examined by the critics and nautical experts, and the general verdict was that she looked handsome. But the easy, graceful lines of a racing yacht above the waterline are not the factors that produce the speed that win prizes, say the experts, who still pin their faith to the Columbia.

Picnics, Festivals, Etc.

THURSDAY AUGUST 15, The Susquehanna Lutheran Reunion will be held on Island Park, near Sunbury. Prominent speakers will be present who will deliver addresses.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 17, the U. B. and U. E. Sunday Schools will hold their annual picnic at Bear Spring Park.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 17, a festival will be held by the Sunday School at Kremer. All are invited.

SATURDAY, AUG. 17th, the Salem Union Sunday School will hold their annual picnic in Beale's grove, one mile west of Oriental. All are invited.

SATURDAY, AUG. 17, a festival will be held by the Lutheran church at Adamsburg.

SATURDAY, AUG. 17, a cake walk and festival will be held at Mt. Pleasant Mills in the evening.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 17th, The 14th annual choir convention will be held near Freeburg. The "Choir Leader" containing the choruses for the day can be had for rehearsal for 5 cents of Wm. Moyer, Pres., Freeburg, Pa.

THURSDAY, AUG. 22, the Burns family reunion will be held at Clement's Park, rain or shine.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 22nd, The Second annual App reunion will be held at Milton Park.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 24th, the Union Sunday School of Bannerville will hold their picnic in the grove, 1/4 mile west of that place.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 24th, the annual picnic of St. John's Sunday school at Mt. Pleasant Mills will be held at Fremont.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 29, the fourth annual reunion of the Schoch family will be held of Row's church near Salem. Trains will stop at Clifford siding on day of picnic and busses will convey passengers from the train to the grove.

SATURDAY, AUG. 31, the Ebenezer U. B. Sunday school will hold their annual picnic 1 1/2 miles south-west of Freeburg. All are invited.

SATURDAY, AUG. 31, Lawyer's and Samuel's Sunday School will hold their annual picnic at the usual place.

SATURDAY, SEPT. 7th, The four Sunday Schools of Troxelville will hold their annual picnic.

SATURDAY, SEPT. 7, Daniel's Union S. S. and Pine church S. S. will hold a union picnic in Aucker's Grove near Gordon's school house. The Fremont band and the Arndt Bros. of Milton will furnish the music. Good speakers will be present.

FRIDAY, SEPT. 13, Co. G's annual bean soup at Selinsgrove.

SATURDAY, SEPT. 28th. The annual dean soup of Captain Michael Smith Post No. 355 of Mc Clure will be held in Cold Spring grove.

\$100 Reward, \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer one Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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MARRIED.—Aug. 3, by T. A. Stetler, J. P., George E. Hartman and Anna Edna Wentt, both of Shamokin Dam.

Aug. 4, by Rev. E. E. Gilbert, James W. Kratzer and Laura A. Swartz, both of Hoffer.

Aug. 1st, at West Milton, by Rev. W. M. Rearick, Grant E. Heimbach of Beavertown and Elizabeth L. Edwards of Watsonstown.

THE MIDDLEBURG POST AT ATLANTIC CITY.

For the convenience of our readers who may visit Atlantic City this summer, we have arranged to have the latest issues of the Middleburg Post always on file at the Philadelphia Inquirer's Seashore Bureau, on Young's Pier at that popular resort. The Inquirer has, at great expense, fitted up commodious reading and writing rooms on Young's Pier where every attention will be given its guests.

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References, First National Bank. Nearby Towns Represented:—Bellwood, Altoona, Hollidaysburg, Huntingdon and Bellefonte. 6-8-1yr.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE Lett-estate of Henry Naugle late of W. Perry twp. Snyder county, Pa., dec'd., having been granted to the undersigned, all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, while those having claims will present them duly authenticated to the undersigned.

J. P. NAUGLE, Administrator. Aline, Pa., Aug. 10, 1901.

Prof. D. Noling

Late with Dr. A. H. Wells, the CELEBRATED EYE SPECIALIST of Washington, D. C.

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ARTIFICIAL EYES INSERTED. In re-estate of Tobias Ramer late of Chapman Township, Snyder County, Pa., dec'd. In the Orphan's Court of Snyder County, Pa.

The undersigned auditor, appointed by the Orphan's Court of Snyder County to distribute the funds in the hands of Augustus Stroub and Levi M. Ramer, administrators of the estate of the said Tobias Ramer, dec'd., to and among those legally entitled thereto, will meet all parties in interest at the office of M. L. Potter, Esq., in the borough of Middleburg, Pa., on THURSDAY, AUGUST 22nd, 1901 at 10 o'clock A. M., at which time all persons having claims against said estate are requested to present them duly authenticated, or be forever barred from coming in for a share of said fund. A. F. GILBERT, Auditor. July 24, 1901.

Executor's Sale of Valuable Real Estate

The undersigned, as executor of the last will and testament of Samuel Brunner, late of Centre township, Snyder County, Pa., deceased, and by authority and powers therein conferred, will on

Saturday, August 31, 1901

on the premises herein described, offer the same at public sale, the same consisting of a farm of 114 acres and 25 perches

situated in Centre township, Snyder County, Pa., on the main road leading from Middleburg to Centreville, bounded on the north lands of Katharine Boyer and James Bingaman, on the east by lands of Levi Young and Elias Brunner, on the south by lands of Peter Hally and Cyrus Bowersox and on the west by lands of Cyrus Bowersox and Harrison Hackenbush.

On this farm are erected a good DWELLING HOUSE and a large BANK BARN with all the usual outbuildings. Barn and house both supplied with water. Two orchards, one of the choicest apples and the other of peaches. The peach orchard is young and in good bearing condition.

This farm contains about 25 acres of fine timberland, the balance being cleared in a high state of cultivation.

Sale to begin at 1 o'clock P. M. of said day when terms and conditions will be made known by ELIAS BRUNNER, Executor.

SALE REGISTER Notices of sales will be inserted free under this heading when the bills are printed at this office. When the bills are not printed at this office 50 cents will be charged. Persons expecting to have sales should select a date and have it inserted in this column.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 15. I. L. Walter, attorney-in-fact for the heirs of Ephraim Walter, late of Centre township, will sell 9 tracts

TUESDAY, AUGUST 27. Dr. W. W. Longacre and Dr. H. M. Krebs, attorneys for the heirs of G. M. Houser, will sell, near Verdilla, a 73 acre farm.

SPECIAL SALE OF CARPETS, MATTING RUGS and FURNITURE. THE LARGEST AND MOST COMPLETE LINE EVER DISPLAYED IN LEWISTOWN. Marked attractiveness in design and color and excellent quality of fabric, combined with the reasonable prices, make our carpets conspicuous. At this time attention is called to the new season's patterns of the well-known Witton's, Axminsters and Tapestry Brussels. The latest effects in Ingrains. Rag Carpets in all styles and prices. Our stock of new FURNITURE is especially pleasing. We also have a fine line of baby Carriages. W. H. FELIX, Valley Street, Lewistown, Pa.