

SEPTEMBER JURY.

Sheriff Charles F. Hockard, Deputy Sheriff Clayton L. Berkey, Jury Commissioners Josiah W. Pile, and Solomon D. Shoemaker and Miss Clara Shoemaker, Jury Commissioners' clerk Thursday afternoon drew from the wheel the following names of jurors who will serve at the regular September term of criminal court, which will convene on Monday, September 8th.

GRAND JURORS.

Berlin—Cyrus Musser.
Boswell—Worth Judy.
Brothersvalley—Alexander Coleman.
Conemaugh—Aaron Miller.
Jefferson—Josiah Hemminger.
Jenner—O. M. Shaulis.
Larimer—Peter Weimer.
Lincoln—Henry H. Hay.
Meyersdale—John H. Lepley.
Paint Township—Leslie Foust.
Rockwood—Austin Miller.
Somerset Borough—Edward C. Barron.
Charles Young, John Weigley, Harvey A. Barron, Edward Neid, clerk.
Somerset Township—Harry F. Maust, Albert Musser, William M. Walker.
Summit—R. H. Mason.
Ursina Van Sickle, W. L. Davis.
Windber—Arthur Wedlake, William Jordap.

PETTIT JURORS.

Addison Township—G. D. Savage.
Stephen McClintock, Albert Roberts.
Berlin—Joseph Eville, A. C. Floto.
Boswell—B. F. Gindesperger.
Black—Irvin Walker, Mahlon Hauger, J. F. Altmiller, Edward Kuhlman.
Brothersvalley—Bruce N. Snyder.
Conemaugh—Joseph M. Croyle.
Elk Lick—Demetrius Compton.
Greenville—Frank Murray.
Hooversville—Royal Rodgers.
Jenner—Charles J. Walter, E. H. Friedline.
Meyersdale—Joseph L. Tressler, W. H. Baldwin.
Middlecreek—Willis G. Singo.
Milford—James M. Meyers.
New Centre—Samuel H. Boyd.
Paint Township—Alfred W. Livingston.
Quemahoning—Foster Gindesperger, Thomas Z. Ringler, Daniel J. Bowman, Daniel G. Stauff.
Rockwood—A. J. Sembower.
Salisbury—John H. Menborn.
Somerset Borough—Adam Bushman, Thomas Jones, Haywood T. Montgomery, Franklin Barnhart, H. Coleman.
Somerset Township—John A. Marteeny, Luther Long, Chauncey Baker, John W. Hank, Edward Miller, Harry H. Rockwood, John P. Rhoads.
Southampton—Simon Lepley.
Stoytown—Joseph Gardner.
Summit—Hiram M. Saylor, Francis Smeerman, James Ferrell, Simon Marteeny, George W. Christner.
Upper Turkeyfoot—Albert E. Elcher.
Windber—Grant Bergstresser.

HELP WANTED IN MEYERSDALE.

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Those who suffer with kidney backache, urinary ills of any little kidney or bladder disorder, want kidney help. Who can better advise than some Meyersdale residents who has also suffered, but has had relief. Meyersdale recommended Doan's Kidney Pills. Here's one case and there are many others.

Mrs. Ross Albright, 600 Keystone St., Meyersdale, Pa., says: "For a long time my back pained me and I had a severe headache and spells of dizziness. In the morning, I felt tired and I lacked strength and energy. Doan's Kidney Pills were recommended so highly that I was led to begin using them, procuring a supply at F. B. Thomas' Drug Store. They soon relieved me and I have since felt better in every way."

If your back aches—if your kidneys bother you, don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—ask distinctly for Doan's Kidney Pills, the same, that Mrs. Albright had—the remedy backed by home testimony. 50c all stores. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

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Remember the name—Doan's—and take no others.

DEAD LETTER LIST.

H. C. Boits, Philip Cober, Mrs. L. Hull, Miss F. Naughton, Daniel Stall, Mrs. F. E. Smith, Miss Lizzie Smith, card; Tyler Co., News Co., A. K. Watson.
Aug. 9, 1913, J. F. NAUGLE, P. M.

"My child was burned terribly about the face, neck and chest. I applied Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. The pain ceased and the child sank into a restful sleep," Mrs. Nancy M. Hamburg, Z. Y.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

Special to The Commercial.
August 9 Relations with Mexico have reached a stage so extremely critical that, reluctant as the administration and nation are to proceed to the last resort, of armed intervention, that course may be forced upon both in the comparatively near future. The Mexico situation is the subject of principal attention in Washington just now. President Wilson has displayed very great patience with Mexico and is exerting himself to the utmost to obtain a peaceful solution of the difficulty. His last move, however, has served to put an exceptional strain upon our relations with the disturbed republic across the Rio Grande. The announcement that he had sent former Governor John Lind, of Minnesota, to Mexico, as his personal representative and as adviser to the American Embassy, there has been met by the official statement on behalf of President Huerta that unless Governor Lind comes with proper credentials and with full power to recognize the Mexican government his presence in Mexico will not be desirable. Going as the personal representative of the President, however, Governor Lind needs no credentials. He is not accredited to the Mexican, he is not even an official of the American Embassy in Mexico and the demand of Huerta that he be formally accredited might properly be construed by one less patient with the turbulent Mexicans than President Wilson to be a deliberate affront to this government. Moreover, Huerta's demand that Governor Lind shall come empowered to recognize the present de facto government of Mexico is made with the full knowledge on Huerta's part that President Wilson has determined not to grant such recognition. It is, therefore, nothing short of defiance of this country. Many men in President Wilson's position would respond with immediate preparation for intervention.

Discussion of the affair in the Senate discloses the fact that many Senators, including the foremost supporters of the administration, take a very serious view of the situation. Senator Clark, of Wyoming, introduced, and pressed vigorously, a resolution for a Senate investigation of the situation. It required a long and serious appeal by Senator Bacon, Chairman of the Committee on Foreign Relations, the natural spokesman for the administration on such matters, to prevent immediate action on the resolution. In the course of his appeal Senator Bacon admitted that Governor Lind's mission was likely to fail and that its failure almost inevitably meant armed intervention.

General Huerta's official announcement, that Governor Lind's presence in Mexico would not be desirable, is followed by an astonishing official statement by the Governor of the Federal District, in which Mexico City is situated, to the effect that he can provide no guarantee for the personal safety of Governor Lind in that city. These two formal announcements by high Mexican officials present a situation which may easily and shortly compel this government to resort to armed intervention.

Don't use harsh physics. The reaction weakens the bowels, leads to chronic constipation. Get Doan's Regulents. They operate easily. 25c at all stores.

CORN CROP DROPS, BUT WHEAT BIGGER.

Washington, August 8—A special crop report issued today by the Department of Agriculture made the following estimates.

Conditions August 8—Corn 75.8 against 82.2, the ten year average; spring wheat, 74.1, compared 80.4, the ten-year-old averages oats, 73.7, compared with 81.5, the ten-year average.

Yields indicated by condition report:
Corn—25 bushels per acre, as against 29.2 last year, and 2,672,000,000 bushels total production, compared with 3,125,000,000 last year.
Winter wheat—16.5 bushels per acre, as against 15.1 last year; total average 511,000,000.
Spring wheat—12.5 per acre, against 17.2 last year; total 133,000,000 against 830,000,000.

All wheat—15 bushels per acre, against 16.9 last year, total 744,000,000 against 730,000,000.

Oats—26.8 bushels, against 37.4; total 1,028,000,000, against 1,418,000,000.

The quality of winter wheat is 93.7 against 90.7 last year. The amount of oats remaining on farms August 1st estimated at about 7.3 per cent of last year's crop, or 103,900,000 bushels as compared with 34,572,000 bushels last year.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

(By E. O. SELLERS, Director of Evening Department The Moody Bible Institute of Chicago.)

LESSON FOR AUGUST 17 CROSSING THE RED SEA.

LESSON TEXT—Ex. 14:19-31. GOLDEN TEXT—"Before they call, I will answer"—Isa. 65:24.

No sooner were the Israelites sent on their journey than the Egyptians repented and pursued (vv. 5-9). Then it was that Moses encountered the first of that complaining (v. 10) against which he struggled until God took him from this earth. They "cried" (v. 10) but they did not rest. It did look like a dangerous situation and there were but three possible methods of procedure. (a) To return to slavery, (b) to die in the wilderness, or (3) to go forward in faithful obedience, trusting God for deliverance. Their salvation (v. 13) was from God, see Acts 4:12; Heb. 5:3; 9. God's leading, 13:21, 22, had brought them to this place; now He will manifest His glory, will get unto Himself "honor" (v. 17).

Testing the Israelites. I. Protection, vv. 19-22. As the angel of God (Christ?) came between Israel and the Egyptians we are reminded of Ps. 34:7, "the angel of the Lord encampeth round about them that fear Him and delivereth them." The same cloud that brought darkness to the Egyptians brought light to the Israelites. Even so we have the "Light," Luke 2:32; John 8:12, 9-5, and are admonished to walk in the light, Eph. 5:8. While God brought confusion to the Egyptians and was testing the Israelites by causing them to "fear not, stand still and see" (v. 13). He was at the same time giving Moses an opportunity to work out His plan of deliverance (v. 16). As the strong east wind blew it heaped up the waters, dried out the muddy bottom and opened a passage for the deliverance of all the chosen ones. Then it was time for prayer to cease (v. 14, 15) and for action to begin, the seemingly impossible is now quite possible, Matt. 19:26. Notice, however, that God had used a man (Moses) in His work of deliverance. It was a very simple shepherd's staff that God directed Moses to use. Surely the power was not in the staff nor in the arm back of the staff. The same waters that had seemed to be such a barrier are now used as a wall of protection (v. 22) on the right hand and on the left leaving no opportunity for a flank attack. Their only way of escape was forward and each step they took was one of faith.

II. Pursuit, vv. 23-25. Pharaoh had judged that the Israelites were entangled, "perplexed" (v. 3) in the wilderness and that Moses had inadvertently led them into a natural trap which was to the advantage of the Egyptians. Further, we judge that with the darkness of the cloud before them, the Egyptians were not fully aware of the fact that they were following Israel into the midst of the waters. Blind fury will lead a man into strange surroundings and to perform insane acts. This new way was not prepared for Pharaoh nor is the straight and narrow path which leads to glory for the unrepentant sinner. Jehovah was near at hand that "morning watch" (v. 24), even as today He blesses those who keep that hour. One "look" from Jehovah brought confusion and discomfort upon the pursuers.

The Safe Path. III. Punishment, vv. 26-31. The path that is safe for faith is no place for the disobedient. God looking through that cloud paralyzed the proud forces of Pharaoh in the place of all places most dangerous. God not alone looked but took off their chariot wheels and fear overcame them. Then they realized that Jehovah was fighting and sought to flee. Again God uses a man in the working out of His plan and Moses is instructed to stretch forth his hand over the sea, v. 26. As the morning breaks the waters return to their level, and again God uses natural forces in a supernatural manner. Like as one would shake off some useless, offensive, appendage so God was rid of the army of Pharaoh (v. 27 marg.). A careful reading of this story, especially verse 28 R. V., clearly indicates the probability that Pharaoh himself did not perish. Thus it was that Israel saw the handwork of the Lord upon the Egyptians while they themselves remained a saved people, saved by the power of Jehovah. Great fear came upon them (v. 31) and they "Believed the Lord and His servant Moses." How sad that their faith proved so short lived and that they so soon murmured against God and His servant Moses. Thus we see the nation delivered, consecrated and placed under the direct government and guidance of God. Egypt did not keep faith with Israel to let them "go and worship" and God wrought a complete deliverance. God's judgment of the sin of Egypt was carried out to the last degree, but in strict justice. On one hand is God's guidance and over against that the lengths men will go whose hearts are hardened in rebellion. The blasphemous daring of the Egyptians was rebuked as they attempted to march along God's highway of deliverance. Israel followed Moses, the prophet.

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NEW PARCEL POST REGULATIONS.

The new amendment to the parcel post regulations will inaugurate a new rate of postage. This new rate is five cents for the first pound and one cent for each additional two pounds or fraction thereof when intended for local delivery, and five cents for the first pound and one cent for each additional pound or fraction thereof when intended for delivery at other offices within the first and second zones. This will mean a reduction in postage. The new table of weights and rates is as follows:

Weight	First Zone.		Second Zone.	
	Local Rate	Zone Rate	Local Rate	Zone Rate
1 pound	\$0.05	\$0.05	\$0.05	\$0.05
2 pounds	.06	.06	.06	.06
3 pounds	.06	.07	.07	.07
4 pounds	.07	.08	.08	.08
5 pounds	.07	.09	.09	.09
6 pounds	.08	.10	.10	.10
7 pounds	.08	.11	.11	.11
8 pounds	.09	.12	.12	.12
9 pounds	.09	.13	.13	.13
10 pounds	.10	.14	.14	.14
11 pounds	.10	.15	.15	.15
12 pounds	.11	.16	.16	.16
13 pounds	.11	.17	.17	.17
14 pounds	.12	.18	.18	.18
15 pounds	.12	.19	.19	.19
16 pounds	.13	.20	.20	.20
17 pounds	.13	.21	.21	.21
18 pounds	.14	.22	.22	.22
19 pounds	.14	.23	.23	.23
20 pounds	.15	.24	.24	.24

The old rate, the one now in use, is as follows:

Weight	First Zone.		Second Zone.	
	Local Rate	Zone Rate	Local Rate	Zone Rate
1 pound	\$0.05	\$0.05	\$0.06	\$0.06
2 pounds	.06	.08	.08	.10
3 pounds	.07	.11	.11	.14
4 pounds	.08	.14	.14	.18
5 pounds	.09	.17	.17	.22
6 pounds	.10	.20	.20	.26
7 pounds	.11	.23	.23	.30
8 pounds	.12	.26	.26	.34
9 pounds	.13	.29	.29	.38
10 pounds	.14	.32	.32	.42
11 pounds	.15	.35	.35	.46

Under the new amendment fresh meats and other articles likely to spoil quickly, if wrapped carefully and boxed securely, as provided by the rules, can be sent to places within the second zone, instead of the first, as is now provided.

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FRIEDENS HOLDS HARVEST HOME PICNIC.

The annual picnic of the Friedens Lutheran Church was held Saturday in Snyder's Grove, on the edge of the town.

The best of weather prevailed, and it is believed to be the hottest day that was experienced this year. Autos, buggies and spring wagons began arriving about 10 o'clock and continued to come until late in the afternoon, bringing people from all parts of Somerset county, and also from Cambria and Bedford counties. People from Friedens and the surrounding country deserted their homes before noon and went to the grove, where between 4,000 and 5,000 people were assembled by 1 o'clock. Dinners were spread on the grass and on benches erected especially for the occasion. It was one of the biggest reunions ever held in that vicinity.

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CHURCH SERVICES.

Evangelical church, L. B. Rittenhouse, pastor—Sunday school at 2:00 p. m. Preaching at 7:45 p. m.

Methodist Episcopal church service, Rev. G. A. Neel pastor—Services at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Epworth League at 6:45 p. m. Evening service at 7:30.

Church of the Brethren—Preaching 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday School, 9:30 a. m. Christian Workers Meeting at 6:30 p. m. Bible Class, Saturday evening, 7:30 p. m. Teacher Training classes meet Monday evening 7 and 8 o'clock, respectively. Sunday School Workers' Meeting, Friday evening, 9:00 inst., at 7:30.

At the A. M. E. Zion church Sunday School at 3:00 p. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. Christian Endeavor, at 7:45 p. m.

Evangelical Lutheran church, J. A. Yount, pastor—Sunday school next Sunday at 9:30 a. m. Morning service 10:30. Evening services 7:30. Luther League, 6:45 p. m. Mid-week service Wednesday 8:30 p. m.

SS. Philip and James Catholic church, Rev. J. J. Brady, pastor.—Mass next Sunday 8:30 and 10 a. m. Christian Church, J. A. Hopkins minister—S. S. 10 a. m. Preaching 7:30 p. m.

Wilhelm Reformed church—E. S. Bassler, pastor—Services next Sunday at St. Paul, Wilhelm church, in the morning, Sunday school at 9 and preaching at 10. At Grantsville in the afternoon there will be Sunday school at 2, and preaching at 3 o'clock. The pastor will be at Somerset but Rev. C. A. Hauser, of Philadelphia will occupy his pulpit at the above places and times.

Brethren Church—H. L. Goughnour, pastor.—The regular services in all departments will be resumed next Sunday August 17. Preaching by the pastor at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. in the Meyersdale church. Sunday school and Christian Endeavor at the usual hours. All are invited.

GRASSHOPPERS IN OKLAHOMA

Measuring grasshoppers by the bushel is what the inspectors from the board of agriculture have been doing in Lincoln county in their fight to exterminate the pests. Advice from that county are that the grasshoppers have practically been driven out.

Crude oil and an arsenical solution were employed in the destruction of the hoppers, and the work has been very successful. A big scoop-like pan was constructed to which was hitched two horses. The pan was filled with crude oil. In driving through a field, the hoppers would strike against a back shield and fall down into the pan. As soon as they struck the oil they died. When the pan would get full the hoppers would be piled on the ground and burned. Often more than 50 bushels would be on the ground at one time.

In the use of the arsenical solution the hoppers would die from ten to 30 hours after they had been sprayed with it. One of the peculiarities noted was that after they had subjected to the poison they would congregate under a bush or shrub and begin eating each other.

Only the bodies of the insects would be devoured, the heads being left. In many places piles of grasshopper heads would be found under a bush.

No Need of It.

One day Mark Twain was being shaved by a very talkative barber, and was forced to listen to many of his anecdotes. The barber had to strop his razor, and when he was ready, brush in hand, to commence again, he asked: "Shall I go over it again?" "No, thanks," drawled Mark, "It's hardly necessary. I think I can remember every word."

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