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CRIMINAL COURT NEWS

The regular September term of criminal court convened Monday morning at 10 o'clock. The Court appointed Edward Neid of Somerset, foreman of the grand jury, whose first return was in the Goldberg arson case from Berlin in which a true bill was found at noon Monday.

Settlements were effected in the following cases:

J. A. Bartolon, embezzlement, J. J. Longacre, prosecutor; John Patton, desertion and neglect to maintain wife, Annie E. Patton; Tony Romeo, fraudulently removing goods, W. S. Albright; George W. Lybarger, extortion, Lucy John; W. D. Brant, highway robbery, Katharine Layman, William Colborn, larceny, Matthias Nahlen; Bert Biddle, larceny, Matthias Nahlen; John King, larceny, Matthias Nahlen; Willis Werner, resisting an officer, John C. Bentley; Harry Wilkins, assault and battery to ravish, Mrs. N. C. Smith; Stephen Beres, assault and battery, Joseph Vites; John Beres, assault and battery, John Simon; Albert Szeozzyk, assault and battery, Julia Vinsek; Flora Ross, offense against morality, Constable H. W. Thomas Paul Grove, offense against morality, Flora Ross; William H. Powell, desertion and non-support, Mary M. Powell; John G. Miller, desertion and non-support, Eliza Miller; James Sarena, carrying concealed weapons, Samuel W. McMullen, prosecutor; Harry Wilkins, assault and battery to ravish, Mrs. N. C. Smith; Albert Freeberger, aggravated assault and battery, John Harris; Martha Servi, violating liquor laws, Samuel W. McMullen; Walter Enos, offense against morality, Sarah J. Dodson; Garfield Shaffer, offense against morality, Lillian Parson; Louis Roth, selling cigarettes to minors, David Gildner; Ivan Gardner, assault and battery, Mary Moser.

The following cases have been continued: Jacob Brisco, assault and battery with intent, Francis Collier; Laura Collins, offense against morality, Constable Adam Baker; J. J. Hay, offense against morality, Laura Collins.

It has been announced that the defendants in the following cases are fugitives from justice: R. S. Alexis, charged with embezzlement by Herman Obermayer; Daniel Morse, charged with an offense against morality by Katharine Stern, and Alexander Scott, charged with an offense against morality by Elizabeth Emily Gray.

HARVEST HOME.

The annual harvest home services will be held in the White Oak Reformed church on Sunday morning at 10:00 o'clock and at 2:00 o'clock in the Brethren (Hostetler) church, by the pastor, Rev. A. S. Kresge.

THE TOWN IN HOLIDAY ATTIRE.

The old town has put on holiday attire and is appearing at her very best during Fair Week. The main streets are beautifully decorated, business fronts show to advantage with the gaudy colors in nice arrangement, the hundreds of lights shining across the streets make the principal streets nearly bright as day. All this is a new experiment in connection with the Meyersdale Fair. A year ago when Old Home Week was celebrated. The good effects of that week's decorations impressed themselves to such an extent that those in authority felt the same idea should be carried out this week and the effect is certainly pleasing.

JOSEPH J. SNYDER, A CANDIDATE.

In another column of The Commercial appears the name of Joseph J. Snyder, of Friedens, who solicits the votes of the Republican party for the nomination of Director of the Poor. Those who know Mr. Snyder say his heart and his mind are right for that important office. Two years ago Mr. Snyder received 2,583 votes, two less than necessary for the nomination. It would now seem eminently proper to supply the votes necessary for the nomination, and we believe the readers of The Commercial would honor themselves by honoring Mr. Snyder with their votes at the primary election on September 16th.

Mrs. Milton Bittner, and children and mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Robison, of Cumberland, Md., arrived here Sunday for a visit with relatives and friends.

GOLDBERG NOT GUILTY.

Harry Goldberg, of Berlin, who was tried for arson was found not guilty, but pay the costs. His attorneys prayed the court to set aside that part of the verdict which said he was to pay the costs.

HENRY F. BARRON SHOT HIMSELF.

This morning at 9:45, Henry F. Barron, who was on trial for embezzling \$33,000. of the Poor House funds, shot and killed himself in the bath room of his father-in-law, Daniel Stahl.

RECENT MARRIAGES IN THE COUNTY.

Miss Edna Tressler and John Parrell, both of Confluence, were married at Confluence, by Justice of the Peace, G. G. Groff.

Miss Irene E. Hostetler and John Brougher, both of Markleton, were married at Ursina, by Rev. J. W. Cunningham.

Miss Bertha Jenkins, and Elmer Thorne Wilker, of Pittsburg, were married at the parsonage of the Somerset Lutheran church, Rev. I. Hess Wagner, pastor.

Miss Mary N. Crawford, of Hooversville and John W. Close, of Somersfield were married at the court house by Marriage License Clerk, Bert F. Landis.

Miss Lottie M. Hoover, of Rockwood, and George W. Pritts, of Brothersvalley twp., were married at Rockwood, by Rev. I. J. Duke, pastor of the Rockwood United Brethren church.

Miss Binnie Rebecca Tipton, and John Edward McQuaide, both of Berlin, by Rev. H. B. Burholder.

Miss Lucy Lucille Hoffman, and Harvey F. Shipley, both of Confluence, were married at Confluence, by Rev. J. A. Hopkins.

Miss Elizabeth Ellen Boyer, of Somerset, and John Francis Hartman, of Zimmerman, were married at Somerset, by Rev. S. G. Buckner, pastor of the Somerset Christian church.

Miss Mary V. Solomon, of Champion, Fayette county, and John W. Brown, of Accident, Md., were married at the court house by clerk of court, B. F. Landis.

Miss Rosa Elizabeth Lantz, and Cyrus W. Moore, were married at the court house, by marriage license clerk, Bert F. Landis. Both of Rockwood.

Miss Lena Blanch McMillen, of Somerset, and William Owen Gloss, of Cecil, Pa., were married at the home of the bride's parents, by Rev. S. G. Buckner, pastor of the Somerset Christian church.

Miss Dora Mae Orris, and Charles Hinkledier, both of Quemahoning twp., were married at Kantner, by Justice of the Peace, Ross M. Ringinger.

Miss Ida Ferne Lambert, and Jacob J. Miller, both of Stonycreek twp., were married at Shanksville, by Rev. M. L. Smucker, pastor of the Shanksville Lutheran church.

Miss Rose Floy Shaver, and Thomas Wilson Henry, both of Stoyestown, were married at Stoyestown, by Rev. Frank Wetzel.

Miss Olive Pearle Bowman, and George Wesley Hunt, both of Stoyestown, were married at Stoyestown, by Rev. J. S. English, pastor of the Stoyestown Lutheran church.

Miss Erma Monica Shaffer, and James Garfield Thomas, both of Jenner twp., were married at Jenner town, by Rev. E. F. Rice, pastor of the Jenner town Lutheran church.

LARGE PICTURE OF WERNER REUNION.

The Saturday evening's issue of the Johnstown Tribune contained a 12 column wide picture of the Werner Reunion held at Riverside Park on August 30. The photographer has finished the pictures on large scrolls four feet in length. The work is of a high order and is giving splendid satisfaction to the Freundschafft.

PASTORAL ANNOUNCEMENT.



Rev. A. E. Truxal, D. D. The following special announcement by card was made to the membership of Amity Reformed church by the pastor: Services September 28th to October 5th.

The services of Sunday 28th will be a key to the meeting of the week and it will be to your interest to be present.

The climax will be on October 5th when the Holy Communion will be celebrated both morning and evening.

These services will be held for your benefit and any one omitted by you will be a loss to you.

In order to live at peace with God and to die in peace you need religion.

The church is the only foundation of true religion. Therefore it is of the highest importance to you that you diligently improve the opportunities and privileges offered to you in the services of this week.

The Lord says, Come; the Spirit says, Come; the Church says, Come; your pastor says, Come and partake of the water of life freely.

In Christian love,
Your pastor, A. E. TRUXAL.

ANNUAL CONVENTION OF THE W. C. T. U.

The Twenty-ninth Annual Convention of the W. C. T. U., of Somerset county, was held at the United Evangelical Church, Salisbury, Pa., Aug. 28 and 29, 1913.

Delegates from nine of the twelve Unions in the county were present at the Convention.

The Thursday afternoon session was opened by the county President, Mrs. Azubah Jones, who gave an entertaining address, followed by the Roll Call.

Report of Cor. Sec.—Mrs. Ida Stotler. Addresses of welcome by Mrs. Victoria Dean and Levi Lichtler.

Response by Mrs. Sue Liston, of Meyersdale. The evening session opened with devotional exercises conducted by Mrs. Baumgardner.

Address of welcome by Rev. Ira S. Monn. Response by Mrs. Sylvia Wilson, M. D.

Lecture by the State President, Mrs. Ellen George, of Beaver Falls.

The large audience was delightfully entertained with a solo by Mr. Baumgardner and a reading by Miss Ellenberger.

An Executive meeting was held on Friday morning, at which reports from the County Treasurer, Mrs. Dr. Hemminger, and other officers were read and officers elected.

At the Friday afternoon session reports from different committees were heard, and delegates to the State Convention elected.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year.

Pres.—Mrs. Azubah Jones.

V. Pres.—Mrs. Sylvia Wilson, M. D.

Hon. V. Pres.—Mrs. McKinley.

Rec. Sec.—Mrs. T. B. Grauger.

Cor. Sec.—Mrs. Ida Stotler.

Treasurer—Mrs. Dr. Hemminger.

The welcome, accorded the delegates, by the people of Salisbury was most cordial and hospitable.

Somerset was chosen as the place for holding the next Convention.

TROLLEY OUT OF SERVICE.

Yesterday the trolley service had been out of commission from three o'clock until nine at night. While the automobile drivers did not much object, yet it inconvenienced a great many people.

TAKEN TO ALLEGANY HOSPITAL.

On Saturday Mrs. C. E. Klare, of Garrett, was taken to the Allegany Hospital, Cumberland, Md., by Dr. Hemminger, where she underwent a successful operation for appendicitis, by Dr. Johnson.

SCHOOL PARADE.

There may be many parades attracting attention and applause, but there never was a parade in Meyersdale that appealed to the pride of the community, nor gave more assurance for the future than the parade of the public schools on Tuesday when nearly eight hundred pupils were in line. That was an inspiring sight, for in the boys and girls of Meyersdale the town beheld the most valuable asset that she possesses. The police force, the teachers and the parade committee piloted through the line of march without any accident or jar.

Some of the classes went to a great deal of trouble to present a good appearance and they succeeded very well. This is especially true of the classes of the high school, and while each one attracted favorable attention, it appeared that the Juniors were superior to all others in lung power. The grades did very well under the special care of their teachers.

FIREMEN'S PARADE.

Yesterday was parade day for the Firemen. Lonaconing and Frostburg, were the out town companies to participate in the parade. The Pine Hill band furnished the music. The parade was an interesting one. The visiting companies presented a very fine appearance and executed nice figures. The home company brought up the rear. The Ladies Auxiliary was on a wagon drawn by four horses. The outfit was a very attractive feature of the parade. The judges were E. C. Kyle, H. M. Cook, and L. W. Weakland.

Frostburg, took 1st prize \$50.00. Lonaconing took 2nd prize \$30.00 and 3rd prize \$20.

The home team did not contest for a prize.

FARMERS PARADE.

The Farmers parade was an immense success. The Judges were M. A. Zimmerman of Stoyestown, Lewis Berkley of Berlin, and J. A. Opel of Meyersdale, No. 2. The following prizes were awarded:

MODERN FARM LIFE.
Perry C. Miller, 1st.—\$15; Jared Walker, 2nd.—\$10; Austin Miller, 3rd.—\$5.

FARM PRODUCTS.
E. M. Hay, 1st.—\$15; John Peck, 2nd.—\$10; John Saylor, 3rd.—\$5.

OLD STYLE.
Elias Fike, 1st.—\$15; Andrew Rishel, 2nd.—\$10; Elias Marteeny, 3rd.—\$5.

HUMOROUS.
Ed. Hay, 1st.—\$7; Perry C. Miller, 2nd.—\$5; Cyrus Forespring, 3rd.—\$3.

LADY RIDERS.
Lulu Knepper, 1st.—\$7; Mrs. Ed Walker, 2nd.—\$5; Mrs. C. C. Heckle, 3rd.—\$3.

LAWN FETE.

At St. Paul Reformed Church, on Tuesday evening, September 16, there will be held a Lawn Fete, to which everybody is cordially invited. The ground will be nicely lighted up with electricity, the best of everything to eat and drink will be served, good music is promised, and a general good time is in store for all. Come and enjoy yourselves.

SIXTY-SECOND ANNIVERSARY.

Program for Sixty-Second Anniversary Gazette Reekah, Lodge, 369, I. O. F., in Odd Fellows Hall, Meyersdale, Pa., Tuesday evening, September 16, 1913, at 8 p. m. Singing—America. Invocation. Quartette. Address—Editor of The Commercial.

Reading—Miss Emma Gress. Vocal Solo—Mrs. Della B. Livengood.

Address—Rev. L. P. Young. Duet—Misses Alma and Carrie Donnecker.

Address—Editor of The Republican. Instrumental Solo—Mrs. Della B. Livengood.

Quartette—C. C. T. B. Reading—W. W. Winter. Reading—Miss Alma Donnecker. Closing. Luncheon free.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Leckemby, of New Brighton, are spending the week here with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. James Leckemby, and other relatives.

PIANO RECITAL.

The piano recital given by twenty-seven pupils from Meyersdale and Salisbury of Mrs. Della Brown Livengood's large music class delighted the many lovers of classical music who filled St. John's Reformed church in Salisbury, last Friday evening.

The program which was made up of selections from the compositions of Chopin, Beethoven, Rheinhold, Bohm, etc., showed that the young people of Salisbury and Meyersdale are being taught by their talented instructor to love the best and to interpret the works of the masters with rare feeling and skill.

Too much could hardly be said in praise of the little girls and boys who with quiet, unembarrassed grace rendered their parts with such unusual exactness or of the older pupils who played many difficult selections with rare technique and appreciation, or of the work of Mrs. Livengood who has devoted her life to the cultivation of great natural gifts as a musician and teacher. Her class of about fifty shows that her work is appreciated.

The Salisbury Orchestra which is so popular with our people, opened and closed the program and played during the lifting of the silver offering which was given to one of the many charities of the church.

The chancel was beautifully decorated with vines, cut flowers and potted plants. Misses Maud Smalley, Hazel Walker, Ada Glotfelty, Pearl Newman and Bessie Engle were the ushers.

BOYS STRUCK BY AUTOMOBILES.

Several automobiles struck boys during the last few days. On Tuesday C. E. Livengood's boy was hit in front of the Slicer House and miraculously escaped with his life. Yesterday, on Centre street, in front of Baer & Company's store, Mr. I. Bradburn's son was hit and bruised considerably, although not very seriously.

BOARD OF HEALTH ORGANIZE.

The new Board of Health who were recently appointed by the president of the Borough Council, met on Monday evening for organization. Dr. Bruce Lichty was chosen president. Clarence Moore was elected secretary and the day policeman was chosen health officer. The last Thursday night of each month was made the regular meeting night.

The new board is composed of the following members:—Dr. Bruce Lichty, George D. Siehl, C. W. Baldwin, W. R. Plitt, and M. F. Baer.

Windber Miner Killed.

Steve Hojay, was crushed to death in No. 38 mine of the Berwind-White company Wednesday when he was caught in the wruck of a mine motor in his charge which he ran into an open switch. Hojay was 29 years of age and married. The funeral took place from the Greek Catholic church at Windber.

CELEBRATION AT TURKEYFOOT.

The annual reunion of the descendants of the Turkeyfoot region and the annual meeting of the Jersey Settlement Historical Society was held at the Jersey church near Confluence. An excellent program consisting of music, short addresses and papers were carried out.

The Turkeyfoot region embraces all that section of the county that is drained by the Big Crossing and Casselman rivers and the Laurel Hill creek, extending from Somerset to the north into Maryland and West Virginia on the south. Nearly all the region is represented at the gathering.

PROMPT PAYMENT.

Garrett, Sept. 3, 1913. EDITOR COMMERCIAL:—Permit me to extend my thanks through your paper to the Star Mutual Fire Insurance Co., for the prompt settlement of the loss on my furniture, as I received my check four days after the fire.

Respectfully,
E. A. BITTNER,
Garrett, Pa.

Miss Kathryn Dougherty of Connessville, spent a few days of this week visiting friends and attending the Fair.

YOUNG MAN LOST HIS LIFE ON RAILROAD.

Yesterday afternoon about 1:30 o'clock, Warner Younkin of Confluence, met a horrible death at Salisbury Junction, when he tried to board a train for home. Early in the morning he and some friends reached Meyersdale to spend the day in town and at the Fair. He attempted to board the train against the advice of those who were at the Junction at the time and knew his intentions, with the termination of his life. His body was cut in two and his left arm was cut off at the shoulder.

R. Reich & Son were sent for who took charge of the remains, and this morning J. F. Reich took the body to Confluence, on the Duquesne.

MARRIED AT GLENCOE.

Yesterday morning at 11:00 o'clock at Glencoe, at the home of the bride's parents, Harvey M. Bittner, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bittner, and Miss Mary Sarah Kroushaar, daughter of Mrs. Wm. Hosselrode, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony by the Rev. A. S. Kresge of Meyersdale. The beautiful ring ceremony of the Reformed church was used.

The bride was attired in a cream charmouse dress, and the groom in the conventional blue.

After the ceremony a sumptuous dinner was served.

The following guests were present: Rev. and Mrs. Kresge, Mrs. I. D. Leydig, Leah Leydig, Elizabeth Leydig, Mrs. H. M. Poorbaugh, Mary Poorbaugh, Mrs. L. J. Little and children of Friedens; Mrs. W. T. Hensel and daughter of Friedens; Mr. and Mrs. Charley Deist and children, Mrs. Luinda Smith of Johnstown, Miss Ida B. Werner of Berlin; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bittner, and daughter Nina; Mrs. C. W. Bittner and children of Meyersdale; Miss Bessie Martz, Mr. and Mrs. Broesecker and children of Brothersvalley township; C. B. Bittner, H. E. Bittner, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kroushaar, Mr. and Mrs. Hosselrode.

TAKEN TO THE SANITARIUM.

On Sunday afternoon Mrs. Charles Chambers was taken to the Markleton Sanitarium on train No. 15, to take treatment for a serious case of heart trouble, aggravated with kidney and other troubles. She was carried on a cot from Salisbury street to the station, by David Curry, Peter Hahn, George Folk, August Rogers, Richard Emelton and Frank Pooley. Mr. Chambers accompanied his wife to the sanitarium. She had been in ill health for some time and Dr. Hemminger suggested the sanitarium in order that she might have complete rest and care, with the hope that she may regain her health. A number of her friends were at the station wishing her much benefit while at the hospital. Her children, Love, Chester and Charles were much affected on having their mother taken away. James, the oldest son is in Pittsburg.

VISIT THE "HOME OF 57" WHEN IN PITTSBURGH.

50,000 people go through the model kitchens of H. J. Heinz Company every year to see how the 57 Varieties are made. You will be welcome any week day between the hours of 9 a. m., and 4 p. m. except Saturdays to noon only.

MARKET REPORT.

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PAYING PRICE.

Butter, per pound.....25-28c
Eggs, per doz.....21-23c
Chickens, per pound.....12c
Country Side, per pound.....14-16c
Apple butter, per gal.....65c
Shoulder, per pound.....14c
Ham.....18c

SELLING PRICE.

Corn, per bus.....95c
Oats, per doz.....55c
Wheat, per bus.....\$1 05
Wheat chop, per cwt.....1 90
Corn and oats, per cwt. home ground.....1 75
Flour, "Best on Record" per bbl. 5 65
"King of Minnesota" 60 per cent patent, per barrel.....6 25

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I. D. Leydig, merchant of Glencoe, came up to the Fair today.