

# Meyersdale Commercial.

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**THE MEYERSDALE COMMERCIAL.**  
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## Uncle Sam Wants Better Children.

The federal Department of Labor has established a Children's Bureau to teach parents how to care for children and has just issued a booklet on "Prenatal Culture" which is for free distribution.

For some time Uncle Sam has been paying considerable attention to the improvement of hogs, chickens and livestock, as well as teaching us how to raise pumpkins and potatoes, and it is encouraging to find attention now being turned toward improving the human race.

## Woman Suffrage.

A woman is an individual, and as such she has a right to independence in thinking. Intellectually, it was the cry a few years ago that she was incapable of pursuing the more advanced branches in our higher curricula of learning, but the honor women in the first schools and colleges of the country, have silenced the question as to the comparative strength of the sexes, mentally considered.

Have not our mothers, sisters, and wives the same, yea, nobler aspirations for what is best for the community, the state and the nation, than the generality of men!

The idiot, the Indian, the Negro, the yellow man, may help to decide the destinies of the nation, but our laws at present degrade women below these, in not granting her the right of franchise.

## Political Candidates Here Next Week

Meyersdale is to be instructed in matters political during the coming week. Candidate for the U. S. Senate, Gifford Pinchot, and candidate for Governor, William Draper Lewis, on the Progressive ticket, are scheduled to appear at various places next week in Somerset Co., on next Tuesday and Wednesday, and late rumors have it that M. G. Brumbaugh, the Republican candidate for governor, will be here about the middle of the week. We have no authority that Mr. Penrose will be along with him.

It is the duty of every voter in this section of the state to hear the representatives of two of the three great parties of this commonwealth. Besides, all these candidates are men of unusual ability. After having heard them all you may still be of the same political views, but no doubt you will be better able to discharge your obligations as a voter. Go hear them all.

## BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENT.

The new management of the Commercial desires to inform the public that all outstanding subscriptions, job work and advertising accounts have been purchased from Mr. A. M. Schaffner and settlement is to be made with the present owner.

**REDUCTION TO PAY UP.**  
That the subscription list of the Commercial may be more of an advance payment list, up to November, all settlements for arrearages or future payments will be made on the basis of \$1.25 per year. For many people this would mean putting out their money at 20 per cent; surely this is worth considering by the Commercial subscribers, and those who purpose becoming such.

## 1000 MILE AUTO TRIP

Joseph Mosholder of town, a veteran of the Civil War, started Sunday morning on an automobile trip to Waterloo, Iowa. His son Maurice and wife and two children, Catharine and Alberta, went with him. Miss Lettie Williams accompanied them as far as Pittsburg, where she will bid them good bye.

At Pittsburg they will be joined by Mrs. George Bopp, a daughter of Mr. Mosholder. They will pass through Canton, O., Lima, and Fort Wayne, Ind., to Chicago and thence to Dubuque, Iowa, to Waterloo. The distance is between 800 and 1,000 miles and is quite a trip for the 70 year old veteran.

## NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

Those who have attended the Meyersdale fair in past years recall vividly the annoyance of purchasing an entrance ticket at the grounds owing to the crush. To reduce this annoyance the Fair management has arranged for the sale of tickets at the Slicer Hotel, Meyersdale, as well as at the fair grounds and it is urged upon all, who can conveniently do so, to buy their tickets in town before going to the grounds.

Social trains will be run on both the B. & O. and the W. M. Frains will leave in the evening from Meyersdale at about 7:00 o'clock making stops at all stations. Special rates during the fair.

W. H. DEETER, President.

Specials in 5c, 10c and 25c goods at the Globe Electric and Novelty Store.

# INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

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

LESSON FOR SEPTEMBER 6

## THE GREAT COMMANDMENTS.

LESSON TEXT—Mark 12:28-34.  
GOLDEN TEXT—"Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy strength, and with all thy mind; and thy neighbor as thyself." Luke 10:27.

This lesson considers a third question asked of our Lord; two others in this connection we studied last week. It was not so much a question of placing one commandment in competition with another, but rather which commandment most clearly epitomizes or reveals the final principle in law. It was the business of this scribe to know the law and to interpret the commandments. Jesus in his reply quotes from Deut. 5:4, and from Lev. 19:18, which are both in a sense an exposition of the Decalogue.

Love the Basis.  
I. The answer of Jesus, vv. 28-34. The scribe's question seemed to be quite specific and so the Lord strikes at once at the heart and by his quotation reveals to us the fact that the principle which is the inspiration of the law is that of love. In passing we have here another illustration of the master's ready use and knowledge of the Scripture. Jesus makes a four-fold summary. Man must love God with (a) the heart, e. g., in sincerity and uprightness; (b) with the soul, with the warmth of the emotions, and the feelings; (c) "with all thy mind," the intellect, not as a blind devotee; (d) with "strength," viz., with intensity of service, with energy. "To love God with all the heart and soul and mind and strength is to have supreme desire for and delight in God's glory, making everything else second to that." This statement is but half, for the complement of our love of God is to love man. Man created in God's image was "so loved" by God that he gave his son (John 3:16); man can do not less and must express that love in service to others. To fail in the first is to break the greatest of the commandments and therefore to be guilty of all, Rom. 3:23.

Human and Deity.  
II. The question of Jesus, vv. 35-37. Our Lord's question in return was a Messianic one and he grounds his argument on the 110th Psalm, a Messianic one. Jesus is inferior to David as his son according to the flesh but superior to him as lord of the kingdom of which David himself is a subject and not the sovereign. Christ is both human and deity; his kingdom is spiritual and earthly sovereigns are honored if they are his subjects.

III. The teaching of Jesus, vv. 38-40. The word "doctrine" in verse 38 is translated "teaching" in the revision. These words of warning are full of solemn significance. The scribes, and they have their imitators today, sought the places of preference, the seats of honor in the synagogue and the chief places at the feasts. The motive that governed them was a selfish one. They devoured widows' houses, and sought to cover their covetousness and dishonesty by long prayers and a pretense of piety. This brought upon them the "greater condemnation," Matt. 23:5. Law and love is here again in contrast. Law must become life.

IV. The view of Jesus, vv. 41-44. Jesus had one look of love and compassion for his friends and the needy and another that was exceedingly terrible for his enemies. Thus it was as a master teacher that he saw right at hand an illustration for his lesson, an application of the truth in the case of the widow who gave out of her penury and because of her love for God, supporting these carping, selfish scribes. She had two mites (about fourth-fifths of a cent) and might have withheld one except that the rabbis forbade the offering of a single one. Her love, however, went beyond the "tenth" and she gave "all," therefore in proportion to their means she "cast more than they all," see II Cor. 8:12. Offerings are needed still for the Lord's work. Jesus is "over against the treasure" and "sees" who it is that "casts in" how much they cast and the motive behind the gift. The master's standard of a commendable offering is not according to our superfluity, but our deficiency, not what will be missed but what of sacrifice and in proportion thereto. Not to please man, but God. Read II Cor. 8:1-3. Our Lord's valuation of gifts cast into the treasury remains for all time the true standard of measurement.

The love of God unifies a man. We love because he first loved us, and in proportion as we truly apprehend his love, all that we have of heart, life, strength and mind, yea, our whole nature will unite in love. It is this which unifies society. To love him that begets is to love him that is begotten. To love God is to love man and to keep all of the divine commands that concern our relations to him.

As this woman left it is possible that she was ashamed of the smallness of her gift but it pleased the Lord.

## THE CENT-A-WORD COLUMN.

This space is to be devoted to small ads of any kind,—lost, found, want, for rent, for sale, any honorable use at all, and the charge will be just one penny for each word. For example, Jno Jay has a cook stove he wishes to offer for sale and he words it like this:—"For Sale, Good cookstove, John Jay." The ad would cost the said John Jay just six cents, no more for each time he would have it inserted.

WANTED—A boy or young man to learn the printing trade, and the linotype later. One with experience preferred. The Commercial.

Special price on Chocolate Hydex this week at Bittner's Grocery. ad  
Carload Applebutter Crocks 95c per dozen, or \$7.00 per hundred, at Habel & Phillips.

FOR SALE.—Fine Percheron thoroughbred Stallion, six years old, owned by Somerset and Bedford County French Draft Horse Co., at the Meyersdale Fair.

J. H. SUDER, ad Meyersdale, Pa., R. D. 1.

Buy Ward's Bread, fresh every day, at Bittner's Grocery. ad

3 bottles pure Ketchup for 25c at Bittner's Grocery. ad

An automobile delivery truck enables us to give you quicker delivery and two large warehouses enables us to carry big stocks and give you lower prices. ad Habel & Phillips.

10c can Swift's Cleanser for 5c at Bittner's Grocery. ad

Everything in Electric Goods at the Globe Electric and Novelty Store. ad

Coming to Meyersdale

Monday, Sept. 7th.

ONE DAY ONLY.

AT THE COLONIAL HOTEL.

Prominent Pittsburg specialist for twenty years—Dr. Cooper—may be consulted at this time free of charge on chronic diseases of nerves, stomach, liver, kidneys, bladder and bowels. Also catarrh, piles, gonorrhea, rheumatism, paralysis, persistent headaches, deafness and inward weakness. Bed-wetting of children and urinary troubles of old people. We cure appendicitis, if seen early, without the knife, and many tumors.

Minors must be accompanied by their parents and wives by their husbands. Hours from 10 to 6.

Daily shipments of yellow freestone Peaches at Habel & Phillips. ad

## Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

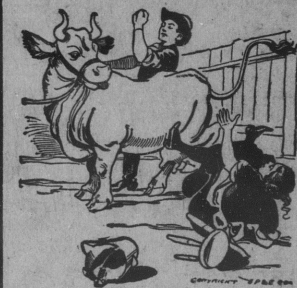
## Executor's Notice.

Estate of John A. Shumaker, late of Harnessedville, Somerset County, Pa., formerly of Hyndman, Bedford Co., Pa., dec'd.  
Letters testamentary on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned by the proper authority, notice is hereby given to all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them duly authenticated for settlement to the undersigned, at his residence in Meyersdale, Pa.  
NORMAN R. SHUMAKER, Executor.

# FAIR TIME IS HERE!

If we have fair weather there will be a big Fair week. This will be a fair time to come in and look at GOOD CLOTHING at a FAIR PRICE—where you will get fair treatment.

THE PLACE IS  
**HARTLEY & BALDWIN,**  
The Home of Hart, Schaffner & Marx Clothes  
MEYERSDALE, PA.



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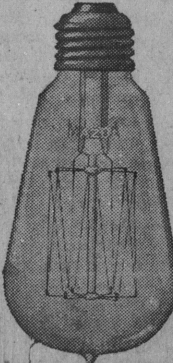
This goods represents the highest attainment in Dip manufacture.

An official Dip of great efficiency for the killing of Lice, Ticks, Scabs and other parasites and disease germs, which infest the bodies and pens of Hogs, Sheep, Cattle and Poultry.

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Write to

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R. D. No. 2 MEYERSDALE, PA.

## FREE PILLOW TOPS



Look At Them  
Aren't they beautiful? One of these handsome Belding Pillow Tops with Back given FREE to every purchaser of a 25 cent Belding Outfit containing 6 skeins of

**Belding's Embroidery Silk**

Illustrated Lesson and Latest Embroidery Designs. This is a very Special Offer so don't delay. Come in early today and pick out the Pillow Top you want FREE.

**HARTLEY, CLUTTON CO.,**  
THE WOMEN'S STORE  
Hartley Block, Meyersdale Pa.

# "Waverly" Oils and Gasolines

Cost More—Worth Most  
Gasolines—Illuminants—Lubricants—Wax—Specialties  
Waverly Oil Works Co. Pittsburgh

# My First Anniversary Sale

Starts Saturday, Sept. 5th—Lasts Ten Days.

War has been declared against the high cost of living. The giant of High Prices has been conquered. These anniversary prices will stand, during this sale, as long as a single item of the kind is in the store. Everything is in readiness. Come now to this feast of bargains.

## DRESS GOODS BARGAINS

All the pretty new things for Fall and Winter wear at prices that will please you. Pretty Plaids and Roman stripes in Silk, Wool and mixed goods.

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| Pilgrim Calicoes.....4c yard     | Cotton Batting.....10c Roll   |
| Dark Outings.....5c yard         | Paper Pins.....1c             |
| Apron Gingham.....5c yard        | Safety Pins.....4c            |
| Cotton Challies.....5c yard      | Clark's O. N. T. Thread....4c |
| Bate's Dress Gingham....10c yard | Sweetheart Toilet Soap....4c  |

Anniversary Bargains throughout the store. You will find hundreds of money-saving items which you will need at once. NOTE—This store will be headquarters for many visitors during the Fair and Races. Also remember, I give \$5.00 cash for the largest and best display of apples at the Fair.

**ALBERT S. GLESSNER,**  
(Successor to Appel & Glessner)  
MEYERSDALE, PENN'A.