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We like to meet that man each day on the way to the office, who regardless of the weather conditions, whether agreeable or disagreeable, who from force of habit, cries out his salutation, "Good morning, fine morning." Some bit of philosophy in the remark. Each morning ought to have something "fine" in it. Try it.

**GOVERNOR BRUMBAUGH.**

The new state executive, Dr. Martin G. Brumbaugh, previous to and immediately following his inauguration, is proving a gratification to some of those who had supposed that he was linked indissolubly with the bosses. Our new governor is trying to let the people know that he is for the public good, and he may have been misjudged relative to his attitude in the election campaign on the local option question. He was wise enough not to say much at that time. One of the pronounced traits of Dr. Brumbaugh is that of independence in thinking and acting. We believe that in some things he will agree with Mr. Penrose because of sincere belief and in other respects he will run counter to the so called bosses. In fact Dr. Brumbaugh is able to be a boss himself. We need "bosses" only so they are right.

**DO YOUR BEST WRITING ON PROPER NAMES.**

It is more than a joke that some persons' writing is so abnormally poor that the authors of the same are unable to read their pen or pencil product a few days after they had done the writing. In such cases it would be futile to try to decipher the unprecedented hieroglyphics. However, the reader of a poor writing, may be able to guess at some of the words owing to what in course of human expression one might naturally expect would be said except when it comes to the spelling of proper names, like names of persons. Here the reader is simply a guesser and nothing more and if now and then a name is incorrectly spelled or bears no relation to the one that was intended by the writer, why often it is due to poor writing. Let us write our best at all times and doubly so when we write names. Print it if you can't write it out.

Inasmuch as some very otherwise talented men are miserable scrawlers with pen or pencil, we shall assume that all poor writing which comes to this office is an indication of genius on the part of the originator of it. But we'd prefer better writing and less marks of talent.

**WILLS PROBATED.**

By the terms of the will of Henry W. Miller, of Northampton township, a life interest in the testator's entire estate is left to his widow, Margaret Miller, at whose death the property is to be equally apportioned among their children as follows: Jno. E. Miller, Geo. W. Miller, Annie Miller, Rose Miller, Elizabeth Miller, Martin Miller, Henry C. Miller and Amelia Miller. The testator's son, Henry C. Miller is appointed executor. The will was witnessed by Clarence G. Miller, John H. Miller and Walter G. Miller and was executed July 9, 1914.

Under the will of Nancy Hechler, of Middlecreek township, her son Harvey Hechler gets a cash bequest of \$55.00 and her daughter Annie M. Hechler, receives a bequest of \$5. The testatrix directs that the balance of her estate is to be equally divided among all of her children. She names Jacob R. Hechler as executor. The will was witnessed by Hiram Leer and Cyrus B. Moore and was executed Sept. 2, 1910.

The will of Catherine Fisher, late of Somerset township, was probated. She made the following cash bequests: Viola Spaugy \$25; Foster Spaugy, \$25; Harold Spaugy \$25; Edward Fisher \$100; Magie Fisher, \$100; Harry Fisher, \$100; and Stella Fisher, \$100; one-third of the balance of the estate is bequeathed to Harvey Fisher and the remaining two-thirds to Maggie Fisher. Jacob P. Welmer, who died recently in Los Angeles, Cal., had been appointed executor.

Letters of administration have recently issued to Jos. Kimmel in the estate of Horatio Kimmel, late of Somerset twp. Bond \$5,000.

The contract for the erection of a fine building in Bedford to be occupied by the newly-organized Bedford County Trust company and the First National bank has been awarded to Lawrence & Critchfield, of Somerset.

**SOLEY KIDNEY PILLS**  
FOR BACKACHE KIDNEYS AND BLADDER

**SLEEP WITH YOUR WINDOWS WIDE OPEN.**

Sleeping with your windows wide open the year around is a matter of habit and of bedclothes. Nature intended us to have fresh air to breathe both day and night. If you have any lingering memories of the old wives' tale that night air is injurious, put it aside. This, like many another old saying, has no foundation in fact.

The following is the good advice given by Dr. Samuel G. Dixon, state commissioner of Health in this week's "Little Talks on Health and Hygiene."

Does your bedroom window drop with mercury? Do the window openings which cannot be too wide in the summer time gradually fall to an inch or two at this season of the year? Do you think that your need for fresh air diminishes with the arrival of the first cold wave? If so, you are greatly mistaken.

If the thought of wide open windows in zero weather is appalling, pluck up courage and try a small dose first. You will find it far better to spend more money for blankets and comfortable than for doctor bills and medicine, and eight hours' sleep in cool, fresh, invigorating air is a far better stimulant than anything that comes in bottles, no matter what the claims on the labels.

It may be that your daily business demands your presence in stuffy, overheated work rooms or offices where the regulation of temperature is not within your individual control. It may be that your fellow workers or employers are not wise enough to appreciate the value from a business standpoint of good ventilation in the workrooms. If it is your misfortune to be so confined and make up for it by giving yourself the maximum amount of ventilation during the hours of sleep.

Night is the time for mental and physical building up. This demands fresh air. It is impossible to properly purify the blood with used air. It is just as necessary to bathe the blood while it is passing through the lungs with clean air as to bathe the body with clean water.

**MARRIAGE A FAILURE FOR THESE COUPLES.**

Four divorce suits have been filed in Somerset county court. Laura Wilkins Bowlin, of Confluence, asserts that her husband deserted her in Stronghurst, Ill., about a year ago, and that he now resides in Norton, Kan. They were married Sept. 1, 1886. The libellant is represented by Attorney Jno. Calvin Lowry.

George W. Beal, of Berlin through his attorney, James B. Landis, Esq., asks a separation from his wife, Clara Bennett Beal, of Listle, whom he asserts deserted him and fraudulently obtained money on his savings account at a Berlin bank.

Mrs. Beal is alleged to have departed twelve weeks after the wedding on Nov. 2, 1913, and the charge is made by the husband that the wife was too fond of another man.

Attorney Louis C. Colborn represents Maggie M. Price, who alleges that her husband Edward Price, deserted her in 1907, since which time his whereabouts to her are unknown. They were married in 1898.

Chas. A. Hanning of Addison Twp., states in his bill of complaint that his wife, Annie B. Hanning has been guilty of desertion and unfaithful. He says that she left him on March 31, 1913. She is now living in Pittsburg. They have been wed for seven years. The counsel retained Mr. Hanning are the Messrs. Kooser.

**DIED IN PITTSBURG.**

Miss Ada Gertrude Mosholder, a daughter of Mr. S. S. Mosholder of near Rockwood whose death was noted in these columns recently died in the West Penn Hospital, Pittsburg on Jan. 22, where she had been operated upon eight weeks before for appendicitis. She had apparently recovered from the operation and had intended to leave the hospital for her home that week. Heart trouble was the immediate cause of her death. The deceased would have celebrated her twenty-fourth birthday the next week following her early demise. Besides her father she is survived by the following brothers and sisters: Henry, of near Rockwood; Howard, of Somerset; Elwood and Miller, at home; and Mrs. Nellie Ferrel, of New Centreville.

A. O. Lorent, who has been running the Central hotel in this place, formerly the Alt Miller, Klare, Jones, Naugle House, etc. has sold the furniture and fixtures to P. J. McGrath, who has secured a five years' lease of the property from W. P. Myers and will take possession on April 1st. Mr. McGrath who is now a resident of Johnstown, is no stranger in this county, as for years he conducted the National House in Berlin which he still owns. He also has a fine farm at Hay's church. He purposes remodeling the house he has just leased which is the oldest hotel property in Meyersdale, and make a model hotel of it.


It will pay you, please you, to buy your flour and feed from C. E. Deal.

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The Milkman leaves the milk every day.  
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In Summer the ice man leaves the ice regularly.

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Such as Sugar, Eggs, Coffee, Butter, Lard, Potatoes, etc.—that you use and need at regular times? It will be a Convenience and Economy for us. Ask us about it. Leave the "BOTHER" to us.

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**COFFEE AT 12 CENTS PER POUND.**

Try one pound of our "Eighesgee Brand" Coffee at only 12 Cents a lb. By the way, did you see the large premiums which go with the Lucy Find Coffee at 30 Cents a Pound. Come in and see them.

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**NEW DRESS GINGHAMS.**

See the Advance Showing in the Centre Street Show Window.  
Your Choice this week at 10 cts. yd.

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**OPENING OF THE EARLY SPRING CARPETS.**

THE NEW THINGS ARE HERE—  
THE BIGGEST LINE—  
AND MOST CAREFULLY SELECTED PATTERNS  
That we ever assembled. See a few of the patterns in the Clay street window. Come in and look through the entire line.

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**THE FREE HITCHING AND FEEDING STABLE.**

Has Called Forth Much Praise from my Friends, The Farmers. I have now Doubled the Capacity and made the Stalls and Feeding Troughs Substantial and Permanent. It is open for your Free Use from 7 A. M. to 6 P. M. —Please remember the hours.

I have a Good Two-Horse Platform Wagon and Several Thousand of good Fire Clay Brick to be disposed of Soon to make more room. Tell it.

**ALBERT S. GLESSNER,**  
(Successor to Appel & Glessner.)  
**MEYERSDALE, PENNSYLVANIA.**

**UNIQUE CHURCH PLAN FOR RAISING FUNDS.**

A unique plan for the raising of money for interest on the mortgage has been organized by Rev. Matteson of the Methodist church and is now being put into active operation. It is simply a plan by which a large sum of money may be raised annually by the giving of small amounts frequently and regularly.

The plan is organized after the calendar year and is called The Meyersdale Methodist Episcopal Church Calendar. One person represents the year, twelve persons, the months, fifty-two persons the weeks and 365 people, the days; each person contributes ten cents per month towards the calendar.

The weeks collect it for the days, put their own with it, and the months collect it from the weeks put their own with it and turn it over to the year. The extra days over the four weeks, in eleven months are taken care of by each month. The person is kept account of not by name but by the day or week or month that she or he represents. For instance the person representing January is known as January, the person representing the second week in January is known as Jan. 2nd. Week; the first day of the second week would, of course, be Jan. 8th, so the person on the book is known as Jan. 8th.

The plan is being carried out by members of the Methodist church and members of other churches of the town will not be solicited in general, but there is no objection to outsiders to join the Calendar, if they so desire. So far as the organization has proceeded, Mrs. J. E. McCartney represents January; Mrs. Wm. Daily, February; Miss Lulu Hocking, March; Miss Alma Donnecker, April; Miss Irene Collins, May; Miss Anna Sellers, June; Miss Zella Slides, July; Mr. C. A. Phillips, August; Miss Mayme Platt, October; Miss Emma May, November; leaving September and December yet to be filled. Many or most of the months have their weeks chosen and in many instances the days of the weeks have been filled in. However there is still room for others to join.

**LUMBER COMPANY FAILS**

T. B. Palmer and W. E. Crowe have been appointed by Judge Ruppel as receivers for the United Lumber Co. and the Humbert Store Co., as the result of the failure of J. V. Thompson, of Uniontown.

The assets of the United Lumber Co. are placed at \$750,000 and the liabilities at \$338,000. The assets of the Humbert Store Co. are given as \$31,000 and the liabilities at \$15,000. Practically all of the United Lumber Company's holdings, including the store company and the United Railroad company, are in this county. The mills and store are at Humbert and the timber tracts are in Lower and Upper Turkeyfoot, Middlecreek and Jefferson townships. The various timber tracts embrace between 7,000 and 8,000 acres, and are said to be very valuable.

**Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA**

**THOSE MARRYING THROUGHOUT THE COUNTY**

Miss Nannie M. Anderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Anderson, and Henry Z. Custer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Austin Custer, both of Stoyestown, were married at that place by Rev. Frank J. Wetzel, pastor of the Reformed church there.

Miss Celia Viola Yoder and Russell Ernest Brant, son of Mr. Sanford Brant, both of Brothersvalley twp., were married at the Somerset county court house by License Clerk Bert F. Landis.

Miss Sarah Margaret Mostoller, daughter of Mr. Jno. W. Mostoller, of Quemahoning twp., and Terrance B. Metzgar, son of Mr. Jas. Metzgar, of Stoyestown were married at the home of the bride's parents, by Rev. Frank J. Wetzel, pastor of the Reformed church.

Miss Ella P. Miller, daughter of Mr. Aaron J. Miller, of New Centreville and Clarence H. Bowman, of Somerset, son of Mr. Benjamin J. Bowman, of Berlin, were married at the home of the bride's parents, by Rev. W. A. McClellan, pastor of the New Centreville Reformed church.

Mrs. Mary B. Hetzer, daughter of Mr. Jacob Cramer and Abraham B. Pletcher, son of Mr. Samuel Pletcher both of Somerset were married at the parsonage of the Rockwood Lutheran church by Rev. D. S. Kurtz.

Miss Mae S. Feig, daughter of Mr. Wm. Feig, of Stonycreek twp., and Orange H. Meyers, son of Mr. Henry Meyers, of Shade twp., were married at the parsonage at Friedens Lutheran church, Rev. J. C. McCarty, officiating.

Miss Hand A. Solomon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Assard Solomon, and Thos. Hadad, son of Mr. Habeeb Hadad, both natives of Syria, who reside at Windber, were married at Johnstown by Rev. M. C. Saha.

Miss Mayme B. Darr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Darr, of Lincoln twp., and Ralph E. Stahl, son of Augustus F. Stahl, of Somerset twp., married at the parsonage of the Jewertown Reformed church by Rev. Jno. W. Albertson.

**BERKLEY.**

Mr. Edward Sellers spent last Sunday at Confluence.

Mr. Henry Dickey and Mr. Henry Schlag were seen on our streets one day last week.

The mill is running full time and the trade is growing as people get used to using their own wheat for flour.

Mr. I. Neimiller made a business trip to the slope and shaft on Monday.

A jolly sled load of married folk and others from Meyersdale made their appearance at the home of Levi Shultz on Wednesday evening; they all had a jolly good time, returning home in the early morning.

Mr. Howard Sellers has been busily engaged hauling flour to Berlin.

**FOLEY KIDNEY PILLS**

FOR BACKACHE KIDNEYS AND BLADDER

**DOUBT DISAPPEARS.**

No One in Meyersdale who has had a Bad Back should ignore this Double Proof.

Does your back ever ache? Have you suspected your kidneys? Backache is sometimes kidney ache. With it may come dizzy spells. Sleepless nights, tired, dull days. Distressing urinary disorders. Doan's Kidney pills have been endorsed by thousands. Are recommended here at home. You have read Meyersdale proof. Read now the Meyersdale sequel. Renewed testimony, tested by tim. Mrs. Ellen Wilhelm, 208 Large street Meyersdale, says: "I had been suffering with severe pains in my back and left side for some time. These pains were often so bad that I could hardly do my housework. My head ached a great deal and I had a constant tired feeling. I finally began using Doan's Kidney Pills. The first few doses gave me relief and I grew rapidly as I continued taking them."

(Statement given Oct. 11, 1907) Over six years later, Mrs. Wilhelm said: "Doan's Kidney Pills did me so much good that I haven't had to use them for some time."

Price 50 c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—Get Doan's Kidney Pills, the same that Mrs. Wilhelm had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props. Buffalo, N. Y.

**COURT NEWS**

Emanuel J. Berkey to Foster Thomas, Conemaugh twp., \$2,000; Ira J. Klingaman to Chas. W. Bittner, Meyersdale, \$1050; W. S. Wilt to Jennit Orr, of Windber, \$1450; Wilbur B. Stevanus to Lydia D. Shaw, of Salisbury \$600; Peter Weimer's heirs to Eleanor Weimer, Larimer twp, \$3625; Salisbury & Baltimore R. R. & Coal Co. to L. L. Beachy, Summit twp. \$1; L. L. Beachy to Tub Mill Coal Co. Larimer twp. \$1; Wilson Gomer to Sec. Nat. Bank, Meyersdale, Larimer twp assignment \$1; Jacob Escherich to Martha J. Escherich, Quemahoning twp., \$700; Ida B. Snyder to Walter L. R. Snyder, Stonycreek twp \$8,000; Lydia Snyder to Gertrude E. Philipp, Upper Turkeyfoot twp., \$6,000; Jno. W. Speicher to Jno. Gibson, Jr., Conemaugh twp. \$450; Noah Frye to Penn Smokeless Coal Co. Conemaugh twp \$1; Thomas K. Thrasher to W. J. Murphy, Confluence \$1; Schwartz Land and Improvement Co. to Jos. Pillar, Union Co. N. J., \$850; Geo. G. Shoemaker to Chas. J. Harrison, Jr. Northampton twp \$1; Chas. J. Harrison, Jr. to Adam Pletcher, Somerset twp \$1; E. P. Sipe to Jenner Brewing Co., Jenner twp \$412; Crist Benton Geisel to Cyrus Moore, Black twp, \$600; Louis Klotz to Ada M. Witt, of Summit twp. \$1300; Jesse W. Cover to Mahlon Blough, Jenner twp. \$1000; Daniel J. Brubaker to Wm. Kootz, Brothersvalley twp, \$350; Jno. W. Trostle to John A. Stahl, Quemahoning twp \$3000; Jno. B. Zigler to Michael Bittner, Shade twp \$175; Wilson D. Althous to Wilmore Coal Co. Paint twp. \$1.

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**EYE-STRAIN HEADACHES**

ARE A MENACE IN DAILY LIFE.

CONSULT  
**M. D. GOLDSTEIN**  
EYE SIGHT SPECIALIST  
of Pittsburg, Pa.  
AT COLLINS' DRUG STORE  
MEYERSDALE, PA.  
ON TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 9TH



Any disturbance of the muscles of the eye, or defect in the curve of the transparent surfaces, will cause the act of seeing to be attended with great strain.

Nature does her best to remedy this strain by sending extra nerve force to the muscles. When this supply is overdrawn you have pain, spasm and irritation of the eyes and lids.

No amount of drugging will cure these conditions. The cause is a visual disturbance, and unless corrected with glasses, headaches will continue.

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