

**PERSONAL AND LOCAL**

Flag Day, June 14th.  
 Mrs. F. B. Thomas was a visitor to Pittsburg, recently.  
 Mrs. Charles Sanders was a Saturday day visitor at Markleton.  
 The Ford Garage has installed a Wayne curb gasoline system.  
 Miss Mary Cook of Somerset is spending a few days here with her friend, Miss Grace Kendall.  
 Miss Beulah Burk of Keyser, W. Va. is here for a few weeks' visit with relatives and friends.  
 Mr. W. T. Hohlitzell had an attack of acute indigestion on Monday and for a time was in a serious condition.  
 Miss Helen Lloyd has returned to her home in Pittsburg after spending a week here visiting friends.  
 Miss Annie Fike of Johnstown was a recent guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Plitt.  
 Mrs. W. T. Rowe and daughter, Estella are visiting relatives and friends at Frostburg, Md.  
 J. J. Daugherty of Connelville was a business visitor to Meyersdale yesterday.  
 Miss Agnes Lepley, who was taken ill suddenly last week, is slowly improving.  
 Mrs. J. L. Vought and Mrs. Cyrus McClintock, of Fort Hill, are visiting Mrs. Ellen Krause, of High School.  
 Mrs. Dina Engle was operated upon at the Allegheny Hospital Monday for fatty tumor and hernia.  
 J. C. Speicher, principal of the Berlin High school, was a visitor here Tuesday afternoon.  
 Sylvester Stouffer left on Wednesday for Akron, Ohio, where he expects to work this summer.  
 Mrs. W. H. Gill, ad daughter, Miss Alpha, were Cumberland visitors, on Friday.  
 Mrs. Thomas Cowles, of Connelville, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. M. Newcomer, a few days this week.  
 Miss Anna Matthews, of Washington, D. C., is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Annie Matthews, of Olinger st.  
 Mrs. Gorman Getty, of Lonaconing, Md., is visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Ryland.  
 Dr. W. F. McMillan and C. E. Crowe were delegates at the F. O. E. Convention in Altoona Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.  
 Miss Ida Getz, whose home is near Ellerslie and has been attending school here is suffering with an attack of diphtheria.  
 Mrs. P. H. Hauger and two children of Rockwood, are at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Bittner, of Lincoln avenue.  
 Mrs. Solomon Housel died at her home at Pochontas on Monday and was buried on Wednesday. Obituary in our next issue.  
 Miss Effie Hosselrode has returned from Scottsdale where she had been employed as milliner for the last three months.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Henry Diest, of Akron, Ohio, are guests at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Caspar Diest, at Trans-Meyersdale.  
 Still another mail sack of vegetable seeds, different from the others, came to our office this week for our subscribers.  
 William Morgan, formerly of this place but now of Chicago, is here for a few days' visit with old friends and acquaintances.  
 Miss Pearl Matteson, of the Pittsburg Christian Advocate, Pittsburg, is spending the week-end with her brother, Rev. J. C. Matteson.  
 Miss Lou Floto who has been teaching school at Carnegie, has arrived home to spend her vacation with relatives and friends.  
 Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ward and two children of Seibert, W. Va., are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Layton.  
 Miss Rose Darrah, who is training in a hospital in Baltimore, is here on a visit for two weeks, with her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Darrah.  
 Mrs. W. E. Binford spent several days last week with her sister, Miss Rebekah Truxal, who is teaching school at Bellevue.  
 Miss Rosella Darrah, who is in training for a nurse at Mercy Hospital, Baltimore, is home for a few weeks vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Darrah.  
 We are glad to state that we have secured good correspondents from Grantsville, Summit Mills and Garrett who will now regularly send letters.  
 Merchants Ralph D. Pfahler and Charles Damico have each purchased a fine auto truck for use in their business. Mr. Damico's is the largest truck in town.  
 Mrs. John Beerits of Somerset, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Milton Black recently and on Wednesday departed for Washington, D. C., where she will visit for a few weeks.  
 John E. Custer, of Hooversville, a former popular school teacher of the county, and candidate now for recorder of deeds, was a Meyersdale visitor on Wednesday.  
 Dr. J. W. Wenzel is greatly improving his recently purchased property by having a garage built at the rear of one side and a long pergola en-

trance to it.  
 Frank Thomas, son of Druggist Thomas, a few evenings ago very pleasantly entertained seventeen of his boy and girl friends, thus celebrating his fourteenth birthday.  
 Mr. Luke Hay and Mr. Edward Pritz and family were among those who attended the dedication at Pochontas on Sunday. Mr. Hay donated the church one of his fine carpet sweepers.  
 Glen Blake, the 15 year old son of Mr. Gorge Blake who had been suffering with an abscess on his spine for the past five months, was operated upon in Cumberland yesterday and the physicians now think the wound will heal.  
 The R. F. D. here No. 3 was ordered discontinued but the patrons are putting up such a strenuous kick that Mr. Burleson, of Washington may have to reconsider the matter. The R. D. Carriers are to have their salaries increased to \$100 per month.  
 Mrs. J. M. Black, of Front street, entertained a number of Somerset ladies at a luncheon on Saturday. The party was composed of: Mrs. John A. Lambert, Mrs. Charles W. Walker, Mrs. Charles F. Uhl, Jr., Mrs. Laurence M. Phillips, Mrs. Lloyd G. Crum and Mrs. P. A. Schell. The ladies motored over from the county seat.  
 Miss Evelyn Truxal has resigned as teacher in the High school here, to accept one nearer Pittsburg. Prof. Reitz expects to leave for a larger field, Prof. Weaver taking his place as principal. It is rumored that there may be a third vacancy also.  
 A. J. Weimer, of Friedens attended Sunday School convention held in this place the first part of the present week. Mr. Weimer is a candidate for the Republican nomination for treasurer and there are but few men better and more favorably known in the county than he.  
 Five hundred invitations have been issued by Hon. and Mrs. S. A. Kendall, of Meyersdale, for the wedding of their daughter, Miss Grace M. Kendall to Rev. Harry Baremore Angus, of Washington, June 16. A reception will be given at the home following the ceremony in the Lutheran church at 8 p. m. Governor M. G. Brumbaugh has promised to be a guest if his duties will permit.  
 Many from this county are attending the annual meeting of the Church of the Brethren at Hershey in Dauphin County, in session for the past week. Some of those enjoying the meeting are: Elder and Mrs. W. M. Hoover, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Shultz, Mrs. Theo. Bittner, Mrs. S. H. Marteeny and daughter, Mrs. H. F. Speicher; Mrs. J. W. Peck and daughter, Miss Carrie; Mrs. D. K. Knepper and son, Daniel; Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Thomas and S. P. Maus of Meyersdale; Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Vought and Eld. E. E. Yoder of Elk Lick; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Gnagy, of Ohio who have been visiting their son, J. M. Gnagy in Meyersdale, also left for Hershey, Friday. Governor Brumbaugh preached there on Sunday afternoon to 7,000 of his church people. It is estimated that 50,000 were on the grounds on Sunday with 4,000 automobiles parked outside the enclosure.  
**W. C. T. U. INSTITUTE.**  
 A very interesting W. C. T. U. institute of Somerset County, was held at Hooversville June 3 and delegates from all of the county unions were present. A business meeting was held in the morning and a program outlined for the convention to be held at Windber the latter part of August.  
 In the afternoon Mrs. Ada Unruh, of Portland, Oregon, gave a very interesting talk on Purity and the W. C. T. U. work as an organization. Mrs. Kiernan of Somerset who is a very enthusiastic suffragist, gave a splendid address on the suffrage work of Somerset county and the work before the W. C. T. U. in the fall campaign. Mrs. Unruh gave her magnificent address in the evening to a crowded house. All of the sessions were well attended and much interest was manifested. The delegates were royally entertained by the members of the Hooversville W. C. T. U. at a luncheon at the noon hour in Custer's Summer garden.  
**YOUR CHAUTAUQUA OBLIGATION IS NOW DUE**  
 President Kyle of the local Chautauqua Association informs us that by the agreement made, that the local organization now owes the general association \$500 and that amount is not now in the treasury because some who made pledges to take tickets did not all make good their word as to the time they were to redeem the tickets. Each person has an obligation to meet and it is earnestly urged those who have not yet done so will go to the Second National Bank, get their tickets and fix up their account. Those who are delinquent are mostly the small ticket promissors. This means you not the other person.

**ALEXANDER ESTON SHUMAKER**  
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 It was while in the employ of Daniel Buechley, a lad of about 16 years, that he conceived the idea of joining the army. Early in February he went to Somerset and thence to Chambersburg where he enlisted and was assigned to Company D, Twentieth Pennsylvania cavalry. Almost from start to finish, Mr. Shoemaker's Co. and regiment were actively engaged having participated in the famous Hunter's Raid and had eighteen engagements to his credit including Petersburg, Fisher's Hill Antietam, Fredericksburg, New Market Piedmont and was present at Lee's surrender at Appomatox. For some months he was engaged in the hazardous occupation of carrying dispatches from Martinsburg to New Market, frequently narrowly escaping capture by the enemy.  
 Following Lee's surrender a portion of the cavalry branch of the service was reorganized for the purpose of quelling any disorder that might have arisen in the South. These were known as provisional troops and were the cream of Sheridan's cavalry. Deceased was assigned to what was known as the First Pa. Provisional Veteran Volunteer Cavalry, and as such he was finally discharged from the service at Camp Cadwallader, at Philadelphia, in July 1865.  
 At the close of the war he returned to Meyersdale and entered the employ of Peter Meyers as a teamster, later apprenticing himself to Joseph Baldwin to learn the miller's trade. Mr. Baldwin at that time having charge of the Meyers mill, now the Wilmoth ice plant and ice cream manufacturing plant. Completing his trade he accepted employment with the Willson's at Cumberland, who were then extensively engaged in the manufacture of flour and feed. This was prior to the completion of the Pittsburg and Connelville railroad at Cumberland, he frequently walking across the mountains to Meyers Mills Saturday evening and returning in time to start work on Monday morning.  
 Later he leased the mill at Boynton and in turn the one in this place, having been identified with the latter for 21 years. On Dec. 19, 1867 he was united in marriage with Lydia Elizabeth, daughter of Gillian and Elizabeth (Hochstetler) Lint, who survives with the following sons and daughters—W. A. Shumaker, of Frostburg; Miss Ida C. Shumaker, a missionary of the Church of the Brethren at Bulsar, India; Mrs. J. Milton Gnagey, of this place; Franklin D. Shumaker, of Shaw Mines; one daughter, Margaret died in 1879 from diphtheria; and another daughter, Annie Elizabeth, wife of Josiah N. Lint, died in December, 1909.  
 One sister and four brothers also are living: Mrs. Urias M. Housel, of Keystone street; Mahlon M. Shumaker, of Boynton; Henry J. Shumaker, of Connelville; David F. Shumaker, of Johnstown and Charles G. Shumaker of Frostburg.  
 The funeral was held in the Church of the Brethren, Tuesday, and was conducted by the pastor, Rev. Wm. Howe, assisted by Elder E. K. Hochstetler, of Greenville. Rev. Howe, when the death occurred was at Hershey, Pa., attending the annual conference of his church. He was notified of the death of Mr. Shumaker and he was thus enabled to arrive here on Tuesday via the Western Maryland. Before leaving he was permitted to announce the death of Mr. Shumaker, the father of one of the western Pa. missionaries before a 6,000 people. The mission board at once cabled to the daughter in India the fact of the death of her father with expression of sympathy. Many expressions of condolence from the leading members of the conference were sent with Rev. Howe to the bereaved family. Interment was made in the Union cemetery.

**THROUGHOUT THE COUNTY.**  
 The town of Blackfield, near Rockwood, now boasts of a 20-piece brass band.  
 The Sunday School convention of the county is now being held at Windber. This evening the big parade will take place, J. J. Yoder will be the chief marshal.  
 William G. Brown, died at Hotel Cleveland, Zimmerman, this county, Sunday afternoon, aged 45 years. The body was taken to Johnstown for burial.  
 Lester Lambert who was born at Daley, this county, died at his home in Moxam, Monday of pneumonia. Deceased was a motorman for the Johnstown Traction Company, for the past 20 years.  
 Steve Wass, a Hungarian, whose back was broken five years ago, in one of the Windber mines, died Friday night in the Windber hospital. The unfortunate man was 23 years old and unmarried.  
 Miss Lottie Meyers, aged 16 years, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Meyers of this place and George Falkner, of Six Mile Run, Bedford County, eloped to Cumberland on Wednesday and were married, returning to Hooversville the same evening.  
 Noiseless ducks, from eggs sent by California relatives, have been hatched on the farm of John Kuntzman, of Chest Springs, Cambria county. There will be no squawking from these ducks to disturb family slumbers.  
 Children's Day Service in the U. B. church was held on Sunday evening. A very interesting program prepared under the direction of Mrs. J. N. Nestor and the Misses Hilda K. Slagle and Edith Murray, was carried out.  
 At the conclusion of an inquest Saturday into the death of John Serensky, killed by the wreck of a trip in No. 40 mine of the Berwind-White company near Scalp Level last Thursday, the jury brought in a recommendation that the company compel all motormen to operate trips at a speed commensurate with safety.  
 Josiah Specht, the well-known retired merchant, of Kanter, has received a newly purchased Cadillac "51" eight cylinder, seven passenger touring car of the latest type, to make a three months' tour across the continent. A party expects to leave about July 20. Besides Mr. Specht, there will be Morris Nathan and Frank Cook, of Johnstown, and J. O. Rheam, of Berlin. Fully equipped for a sight seeing and pleasure trip, they will take ample time to make the trip an enjoyable one, and will cover about 8,000 miles. Among other sights will be the Panama-Pacific and the San Diego exhibitions, the Grand Canyon, of Arizona, and Yellowstone National Park.

**Weinstein's Special Sales**

**Saturday, June 12th**

Ladies' regular \$1.00 waists at ..... 79c  
 J. C. Corsets, regular price \$1.50, at ..... \$1.29  
 Jackson Corsets, regular price \$1.00, at ..... 79c  
 A big line of Children's and Misses' regular \$2.00 hats selling price ..... 79c  
 Boys' knee pants, 50c values, at ..... 38c  
 Boys' knee pants, 25c values' at ..... 19c  
 Men's silk shirts, were \$1.25, for ..... 90c  
 A large assortment of men's 50c dress and work shirts at ..... 39c

**A Big Reduction of Ladies' Summer Coats**

**For Monday, June 14th**

6c Apron gingham, sale price ..... 4 1/2c  
 Large gingham aprons at ..... 19c  
 Children's white petticoats at ..... 19c  
 Boys' regular 50c blouses at ..... 39c  
 Boys' regular 25c blouses at ..... 19c

**I. WEINSTEIN**  
 THE LOW PRICE STORE.  
 Next to Post Office, Meyersdale, Pa.

Somerset last week opened play grounds for the children during vacation, under the supervision of Edward A. Hulek, a Canadian graduate of the Y. M. C. A. College, Springfield, Mass. The Boy Scout Committee of the Board of Trade has co-operated in bringing Mr. Hulek, who has had wide Scout experience, to Somerset. He will have charge of the Boy Scouts' Camp for two weeks in August, the local committee supervising the play ground during his absence. Girls will be taught sewing, cooking and basket making. Mrs. C. M. Williams, Miss Lucy Scull, Mrs. Jno. Brydon and Miss Daisy Cover will conduct serving classes. Singing classes will be conducted by Mrs. Buckner, Miss Colborn, Miss Metta Sanner, and Miss Harriet Holderbaum. Somerset believes that her boys and girls are worth looking after. Besides having Boy Scouts there is also a Junior Civic League in the town.

**ANTI-SALOON SUNDAY**  
 Next Sunday will be Anti-Saloon Sunday in Meyersdale and community representatives of the Anti-Saloon League will fill the pulpits of town; in some of the churches they will speak both in the morning and in the evening.



**THE ROYAL BLACK HUSSAR BAND.**

The Royal Black Hussar Band, the personnel of which was selected and specially trained by Charles W. Niles, formerly of the Fifth United States Cavalry band. Mr. Niles' Royal Black Hussar Band was the greatest musical feature in scores of communities last year. Their varied, cleverly adapted high-class music sets the pace wherever they are heard. Afternoon and night of the fourth day of the chautauqua.

**MISS KEARNEY KNEW FRANCES WILLARD WELL**

Miss Kearney's platform career was begun soon after meeting Miss Frances E. Willard. She entered the work of the Great Reform, to which that matchless leader had consecrated her talents and she was at once chosen to fill important offices. She was crowned with promotions. These found their culmination in the reception of a cablegram from England inviting her to speak at an International convention to be held in London. While there, she was commissioned to go around the globe in the interest of the world's work. Most distinguished attentions were paid Miss Kearney on this, her first visit to Europe. She was the guest of Lady Henry Somerset, at Reigate, Surrey and in London; and was offered the hospitality of Easton Castle and of Lady Henry's home in Switzerland. Before returning to America an extended tour through many countries was accomplished.

Miss Kearney will appear in the Meyersdale Chautauqua on the afternoon of the fifth day.

**CAPT. RICHMOND PEARSON HOBSON.**

Capt. Richmond Pearson Hobson, orator, thinker, student, hero and statesman. Son of southern chivalry, whose initiative and ability to think out difficult problems has brought him to the front among American statesmen. Promoter of the Boys' National Corn Club and leader in the advancement of the New South's educational system; frequently mentioned by widely distributed newspapers and public men as a real national leader, whose future should be limited by no honor within the gift of the American people. He is in greatest demand everywhere.

The night of the second day of the chautauqua.