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MEYERSDALE, PA., THURSDAY, JULY 8, 1915.

GOVERNOR BRUMBAUGH TO BE HERE OVER SUNDAY

He and His Staff Will be Guests of Mr. & Mrs. F. B. Black at Holland Farm. To Preach in Church of Brethren Unless Other Plans are Made. TO ARRIVE IN TOWN SATURDAY MORNING

This morning, Mr. F. M. Black, of this place, Chairman of the State Commission on Agriculture, received a telegram from His Excellency, the Governor of Pennsylvania, Martin Grove Brumbaugh, that he, with others in an auto party would arrive in Meyersdale, Saturday morning, and would preach on Sunday morning in the Church of the Brethren.

HAUSFRAUEN PICNIC PLANNED

On Thursday, July 1st, a special meeting of Die Hausfrauen was held at the home of Mrs. F. B. Black, Holland farm, at which time arrangements were completed for the society picnic which the members are giving in honor of their men folk.

SOCIALIST CANDIDATES

Following is a list of candidates endorsed by the County Conference of the Socialist Party, and approved by referendum vote of the party membership. These candidates will enter the fall primary for nomination to the respective offices.

WATER CO.'S AGREEMENT

Borough council met in regular session on Tuesday evening with the following members present, Dis., Darnley, Saylor, Bauman, Staub, Bittner, and Emeigh.

DEATHS IN COUNTY.

MRS. LOUISE LAMBERT, Widow of Abram Lambert, died Tuesday at her home in Lambertsville at the age of 90 years.

MRS. GEORGE SAYLOR Mrs. Anna Bird Saylor, wife of George Saylor, died at her home in Somerset, Monday night, of paralysis, following an illness that extended over a long period.

MRS. A. G. SMITH. The sudden death Sunday morning of Mrs. A. G. Smith, wife of the Consolidation Coal Co's superintendent here, came as a great shock to many friends.

WILLIAM E. HESS. William E. Hess, for a number of years employed on the P. R. R., died Monday at his home in Johnstown, aged 33 years.

MRS. SHERIDAN FOUST. Mrs. Lydia Pfell Foust, wife of Sheridan Foust, died on Thursday of pulmonary trouble at the Foust home, Ferndale borough aged 33 years.

DEATH OF CHILD. Eveline, the five-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Slater, died at the home in Rockwood, after an illness of two weeks from typhoid fever, on Thursday last.

CHURCH NOTICES. Brethren Church: There will be preaching services on Sunday, July 11, at Salisbury in the morning.

A son arrived at the home of Mr. Clyde Rowe and likewise a son at the home of Mr. Geo. Blake today.

THROUGHOUT THE COUNTY.

The United States Court has designated the Farmers National Bank, of Somerset, as a depository for bankrupt funds.

Frank Lowry, the well-known Italian hotel keeper at Windber, was called to the back door of his home one night last week and shot three times just above the heart.

Legal proceedings to set aside the will of Michael Hurley, one of Conellsville's richest men, formerly of Ursina, were begun in the Orphans' court at Uniontown Thursday.

Cloyd Lohr, of Hooversville, has been taken to the Somerset County jail on a charge of attempted robbery and pointing firearms at the home of Frank A. Shaffer, near that place.

25TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

On last Saturday, the twenty-fifth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph F. Reich was celebrated in a very delightful manner.

What made the event particularly pleasing was the fact that Father Reich, of Albany, Ga., a brother of Mr. Reich, celebrated 8 o'clock mass in St. Philip and James Catholic church at which Mr. and Mrs. Reich and all of their family were present.

About 200 of their relatives and friends attended a reception given in the evening. The guests were received by Mr. and Mrs. Reich at their home on Broadway; here a short time was spent after which all repaired to the Summer Garden where the festivities were held.

The out of town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. William Gorman and three children, of Johnstown; Mrs. Gorman being a sister of Mr. Reich; Miss Sarah Smith, of Pittsburgh, a sister of Mrs. Reich; Robert and Fred Taggart, of Altoona; Miss Regina Mink and Mrs. E. L. Clayton, Cumberland; Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Beachy, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Riley, Mr. and Mrs. Wibur Derry, Miss Edna Smith, J. J. Smith and John Smith, all of Salisbury; Miss Sheba Mitchell, W. J. B. Merrill, C. H. Merrill and J. H. Nedrow, of Garrett.

CHAUTAUQUA ASS'N MEETING. There will be a meeting of the Meyersdale Chautauqua Ass'n this evening at 8 o'clock in Amity building for the purpose of closing up old business and electing officers for the coming year.

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MEYERSDALE OFFICERS CAPTURE TWO BURGLARS

Shiparo House Again Robbed And Thieves Confront Revolvers in Hands of Policemen as They Leave With Their Booty by Window. BOTH OF THE MEN WERE STRANGERS HERE

Two burglars, who were about to depart with their booty about one o'clock, Wednesday morning, from the home of Asa Shiparo, at the lower end of Broadway, in this place, were confronted by the muzzles of two revolvers in the hands of Officer Hare and Constable Bittner.

The men were taken to the local lockup and on being put through some of the degrees they implicated Jacob Burkholder who lives out in the country. They stated that it was he who had directed them to the Shiparo house and told them how to get in and that he would buy their booty which they were to place near Salisbury Junction in the woods about a mile from this place and that he would take it away.

The other two men are to be taken to the county jail to-morrow. The work of the officers in being on the spot at the right time is most commendable and the incidents leading up to the apprehension of the men is full of interest.

It will be recalled that about six weeks ago Shapiro was robbed of \$50 by three negroes who entered his house at night and so terrorized him that he is not living there any longer.

Since that night attack his house has been invaded several times and junk of various kinds amounting to about \$500 has been taken. On the night of June 18th, he was robbed of rubber material. Two days later there was shipped from Raineytown two bags of rubber goods to a junk dealer in Somerset, but investigation at that place disclosed none of the missing goods.

Constable Bittner and Officer Hare are to be warmly commended for this act. The town and the community need men like them for the protection of the public.

RECENT COUNTY WEDDINGS

David L. Custer, of Jenner township, and Miss Elizabeth Foust, of Foustwell, were married Thursday forenoon, by Alderman John Sweeney. Mr. Custer, who is a son of Lewis Custer, residing at Windber, is a farmer operating an 82-acre farm in Jenner township. They will begin house-keeping in a newly-furnished home.

Edward Eash and Miss Ada Thomas, of Holsopple, gave their friends a surprise Saturday evening, June 26, by driving to the parsonage of Rev. Elmer Blough, at Davidsville, and getting married. The serenade lasted until midnight when an excellent supper was served.

Miss Hilda K. Slagle and Ray Leckemy, both of Hooversville, were united in marriage on Wednesday of last week by the Rev. C. E. Wagner. The bridegroom is employed by the Lewis Coal company. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Leckemy, of Meyersdale. After several here they left on Sunday to visit relatives in Ohio and Indiana.

Miss Elizabeth Straub, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gottlieb Straub of Stoyestown, and Jesse Stakem, of the Reading Iron company, were married at 6 a. m. on Wednesday of last week in the Stoyestown Lutheran church, by Rev. J. S. English. They are enjoying a trip to the great lakes.

Fred Uhler, of Greensburg, and Miss Susan Bird, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Bird, of Somerset, eloped to Cumberland recently and were married. When Mr. and Mrs. Bird went to the station to meet their daughter, she gave them a big surprise by presenting her husband, Mr. Uhler is connected with the Greensburg branch of Armour & Co.

The marriage of Miss Marian Estella Ferner, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin H. Ferner, and A. Beam Sellers, was solemnized June 30 at 5 a. m., at the home in Somerset, Rev. G. A. Collins officiating. After a northern trip they will be home on July 15. Mr. Sellers is a member of Ferner Bros. & Co., Somerset.

FICTITIOUS BOUNTY CLAIMS

Justice of the Peace A. Kent Miller Friday afternoon at Somerset held a hearing in the case of Squire Charles H. Miller, W. E. Gardner, Jacob H. Flick and A. L. Enos, all of Jefferson Township, who are charged with violating the State game laws in issuing alleged fictitious certificates for bounties. The four men were taken to the Somerset jail Thursday evening by Game Warden Kinter B. Rodgers, of Johnstown. It is alleged that Squire Miller sent in claims for large sums of bounty money. The state officials became suspicious and information was made against Squire Miller, who implicated the others.

In Game Warden Rodgers' investigation he interviewed several of the hunters named in the certificates and learned from them that the certificates were fraudulent, some of them it is alleged, having been raised and altered after they had been sworn to by the hunters. In one instance where a claimant asked bounty for two weasels, the certificate is said to have been raised to include six weasels and two foxes.

The certificates seem to have been issued for the payment of the bounty without the presentation of the pelts as the Act of 1913 requires. Squire Miller says that occasionally the proofs of killing and certificates were filled out while he was busy in his store and that at times the seal was put on documents by others. He says he only received his lawful fee. To the inquiry whether he did not know that a claimant for bounty was required to produce the entire pelt, he said that he did, but having not required it at first he did not insist on it later.

PROF. KRETCHMAN TAKING COURSE OF LECTURES.

Prof. W. H. Kretchman, the efficient supervisory principal of the Meyersdale public schools, while excellently equipped for his profession, is desirous of coming into contact with some of the leaders in the educational field and accordingly left on Duquesne, Thursday morning, to attend a course of lectures at the University of Pittsburgh to be absent several weeks. The more distinguished of the lecturers are Dewey of Chicago University and Dr. Stanley Hall, of Clark University.



Some Good Bargains in MOTOR CYCLES this week at Gurley's Sporting Goods Store.