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GARRETT SIX MINUTES FROM MEYERSDALE.

Not afoot, nor by trolley, nor by the ordinary automobile—but with a Franklin car with Fred Plock at the wheel.

The explanation—On Tuesday evening about 9 o'clock, the fire department received word that our near sister town of Garrett was having quite a blaze, the Pollard chemical factory being on fire—an account of which appears in another column of the Commercial—and that help was needed to stay its ravages. The word was passed to the Meyersdale garage to get ready one of their cars, the Franklin was selected and was manned by Messrs. Plock and Gurley accompanied by the following fire ladders: Harry Bowman, Fred P. Hare, James Campbell, Lawrence Stehl, Roger Spence and Robert Smith. These were thrown on and the start was made with full privileges of the streets and highways. There were several time keepers aboard but they did not all agree as to the time required in transit, one making it six minutes, another eight and one slow fellow said ten. However, there was some movement of the aforesaid vehicle regardless of the inshoots, the outshoots, the up down curves etc. When they arrived at their destination the fire was under control and while the Meyersdale boys wanted to assist they found their hose was of different size from that of Garrett and their proffered assistance was of no avail.

SPECIAL TERM OF COURT.

A special term of Civil Court to continue three weeks opened at Somerset Monday morning with Judge W. H. Ruppel presiding, assisted by Judge A. W. Johnson, of Snyder County, for the week.

Juries of view were selected in the case of the Markleton Hotel Company vs. the Connellsville & State Line Railroad Company.

A continuance was announced in the case of Emma Berkely, wife of Harvey M. Berkely, vs. the Somerset Telephone Company. This is a suit to secure dividends alleged to be due the plaintiff on capital stock of the company.

A continuance was announced in three cases involving the transactions of the late Henry F. Barron. One suit is that of the Farmers' National Bank vs. Mr. Barron; another is that of the Somerset County Poor Directors vs. Barron and the 3rd is that of the Farmers' National Bank vs. John N. Kauffman, involving a note.

Settlements were announced in these cases: John M. Lambert vs. the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company; Adam Baker vs. the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company and A. I. Shine vs. George Clare.

Attorney J. C. Lowry has been appointed Master to take the testimony and report to Judge Ruppel in the suit for divorce instituted by Ora Mabel Berkely against Frank W. Berkely.

CONFERENCE ENDORSES WOMAN SUFFRAGE.

After endorsing woman suffrage by a vote of 185 to 19, the 92nd session of the Pittsburgh annual conference, Methodist Episcopal church, adjoined late Monday to meet next year in the Butler street church. The list of appointments was read immediately after the conference adjourned by Bishop Earl Cranston who presided at all the sessions of the conference. There were a number of changes from last year's list.

Somerset county is in the McKeesport district, Dr. J. J. Hill district Supt. The appointments for this vicinity are:

- Addison—O. J. Rishell.
- Berlin—Stoyestown—Edward Thomas Colfience—L. W. Lepage.
- Connellsville—G. L. C. Richardson.
- Meyersdale—J. C. Matteson.
- Ursina—J. T. Davis.
- Ohio Pyle—Arthur Sellers.
- Scottdale—G. W. Terhush.
- Somerset—C. F. Bollinger.

CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to extend our sincere thanks to our friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy during the sickness and death of our beloved husband and father, Adam C. Lepley; and for the assistance rendered by the Meyersdale Lodge, F. & A. M.; the choir of the St. Paul (Wilhelm) Reformed Church and the comforting words of Rev. E. S. Hassler and Rev. Wilson; and also for the many beautiful flowers.

Mrs. Adam Lepley and family.

DEWEY'S HORSE & MULE FEED at \$1.75 Per Hundred Weight.
C. E. DEAL.

THROUGHOUT THE COUNTY

Somerset council has decided that they do not wish a policewoman.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Barnhart of Stoyestown have announced the engagement of their daughter, Rachel to Frank Binger of Somerset. It is said that the marriage will take place some time this month.

The National School of Domestic Science at Washington, D. C. of which Miss Ruth Geddes, of Windber, the unfortunate victim of an automobile accident, was a graduate, has appropriated a memorial fund in honor of Miss Geddes, which will be used to aid a worthy candidate for honors in that institution.

George Cloy, a miner employed by the Knickerbocker Coal Company at Hooversville, whose back was broken when he was caught under a fall of coal, June 28, died at the Memorial Hospital Johnstown a few days ago. He was 28 years old and unmarried. He was a native of Holland. A brother William, lives in Gary, Ind., and has been advised by wire of the death. Cloy's parents are said to reside in Florida. The body was taken to Boswell by Undertaker Friedline, of that place.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith of Ursina is suffering from a broken leg as the result of a fall from a high swing. The little girl was thought to be internally hurt also but is now believed to be suffering from the injury to her leg.

Mrs. Oscar Pile, of MacDonaldton, laid her baby in its bed Saturday night. A short time later she went to pick the child up and found that it was dead. The cause of death has not been determined. The baby was four weeks old.

The mines at Blackfield were never busier than they are at present. The operations are on in full blast every day in the week, including Sundays, and the men are making money. Big shipments of coal are being made daily.

A successful revival campaign is in progress at Summit Mills. The series are in the Church of the Brethren. Large crowds are being attracted and a number of conversions have been reported.

The business section of Acosta was almost wiped out by fire on October 6, which started about 2:30 a. m. Three general stores, all of them two-story buildings of frame construction, were burned to the foundations and everything in them consumed. Belmont Inn was scorched and saved from destruction only by hard work on the part of those fighting the fire.

The stables of the hotel were burned to the ground. The origin of the blaze which was first noticed in the Kashmareck store is not known. Two families occupying two of the store buildings had to be awakened and gotten out with difficulty on account of the smoke. In one of the families there were six small children. The general stores burned down were those of W. B. Kashmareck, Frank Salik and Ed Dimarco.

NEARBY COUNTIES.

Blair county Red Men will have a demonstration in Altoona, on October 22.

The Mt. Union Business Men's Association is hard put to find accommodations for newcomers who are flocking to the town on the crest of a crowded at present and the Etna Explosive Company expects to bring 300 more workers there soon.

While Sheriff Dodson, of Bedford was taking a demented man named Murray to the State Hospital, recently, the prisoner tried to escape by attempting to jump out of the car window. The sheriff in preventing Murray from carrying out his intentions, had his hand badly lacerated and his face painfully scratched.

J. Frank Bonner, a well known grocer of Bedford died at his home there Saturday night from injuries received that afternoon when struck by an automobile driven by Miss Ruth Manock of near Bedford.

Thirty-five head of pure bred cattle were recently shipped from Mann's Choice to State College for exhibition purposes. The cattle were raised at Schellsburg and the high prices paid for steers shows what can be done by the farmers in this county in raising high class stock.

YOUNG MAN ACCIDENTALLY ELECTROCUTED.

Wm. Howard Gibbs, telephone line man of the Pittsburgh Telephone Co., was electrocuted on an electric power wire in Braddock on Wednesday. The body of Mr. Gibbs was brought to the home of the bride's parents in Lincoln township, this county on Friday last and the remains were buried at Edie at 10 o'clock the following day.

Mr. Gibbs was 36 years of age, an exemplary young man and his premature death is much regretted by a large circle of friends. His widow before her marriage was Miss Lillian Baker, daughter of Simon D. Baker of Lincoln township. Five children also survive.

OPENING DAY Saturday, Oct 16th 1915.

YOU ARE CORDIALLY INVITED to Visit my Store Since I have Remodeled. A souvenir will be given away to Ladies and Gentlemen, I want you to make this your home for drugs, medicines or anything pertaining to the drug business, I thank you.

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Opposite Citizens Bank MEYERSDALE, PA.

CONFLUENCE

The chestnut crop in this vicinity is very poor and few have been brought to market.

Miss Elsie Beggs was in Ohiopyle last week.

Frank Kreggar of Lower Turkeyfoot township was a recent business visitor in town.

Another petition is being circulated, asking the town council to pass a curfew ordinance. It is said that children are spending too much time on the borough streets and that "a better showing in the schools would not hurt much."

J. W. Endsley, of Somerset, was here Friday on his way to Somerset on business.

Russell McClintock, of Connellsville, visited his parents here recently.

Miss Nettie Weaver of Ogden street is visiting friends in Connellsville.

J. M. Tissue, of Somerset, was a recent visitor here.

J. W. Black is home from attending the annual conference at Pittsburg. He announces that the pastor here, Rev. L. W. LePage, is returned for another year.

Mrs. H. C. Show of Johnson Chapel was shopping in town Saturday.

Harry Black, of Friendsville, Md., is visiting friends here at present.

Rev. H. C. Show was here Saturday enroute to his home at Johnson Chapel after attending the annual conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church at Pittsburg.

W. A. Kelly of Terra Alta, Va., was here Friday and loaded a carload of sheep for Philadelphia.

Mrs. Ella Zufall, of Connellsville, is visiting her father, Milton Show, and other relatives in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl McClintock and son of Ohiopyle were here recently on their way to Dunca, Pa., to visit friends.

Thos. Knight had a rib broken and his head injured while at work at the tannery on Tuesday.

BERLIN

The Bellino Novelty Co. will begin the Lyceum course on October 22.

J. Harnett Garman has gone to Johnstown, where he will be employed as night clerk at the Nelson Hotel.

Mrs. Ellen Earhart has been enjoying a visit to Dunbar with relatives and friends and to attend the Old Home Week celebration which is being held in Dunbar.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Colborn, of Somerset, were visitors to Berlin on Monday.

Among the ladies who attended a Missionary Convention recently at Pinehill were Mesdames Grist, Emma Reltz, Lewis Esken, A. C. Floto, Ed. Miller, John Pohnson, Anna Kurtz, Clifton Brubaker, J. B. Schrock, John McQuade, Ed. Stuck, Robert McLuckie and Miss Rose Heffley and Mrs. S. A. Philson, of Meyersdale, and Mrs. Moore, of New Lexington.

Mrs. Moore, of New Lexington, is visiting for a week with her son-in-law and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. John Brubaker.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lamens, of Greenville, are visiting their cousin, the Rev. H. H. Wiant.

Expostmaster Benjamin J. Bowman, who was an unsuccessful candidate for Register of Wills at the primary election held September 21st, suffered a stroke of apoplexy on Tuesday morning of last week and remained unconscious for several hours. Mr. Bowman had gone to the barn of Joseph Spelcher in order to help in threshing, but at the time of receiving the stroke he was seated on a chair from which he fell. He was removed to his home, where he received treatment by a physician. He remained unconscious until late at night.

THE CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN
Rev. W. M. Howe, Pastor: Subjects for Sunday sermons: Morning, The Reapers; in the evening, The White Horse of Rev. 6:2.

JUST RECEIVED LOT OF HEINZ'S GOODS AT BITTNER'S GROCERY

STATE ARBOR DAY.

October 22 Has Been Named as the Time for Tree Planting.

Nathan C. Schaeffer, state superintendent of public instruction, in the following proclamation designates Friday, October 22 as the Annual Fall Arbor Day for Pennsylvania:

"The time for the fall planting of trees is again nigh at hand. The custom of planting trees in the fall and in the spring cannot be urged too often or too strongly. Each year we cut several times as much timber as grows. Fruit trees and shade trees grow old and die. New trees should be planted to take the place of those which grow old and useless.

The legislature has added the study of birds to the duties of Arbor Day. In these days one hears much about national preparations for defense. Few have any adequate conception of the relentless war which insects are waging against the farmer and the fruit grower. Birds are our best allies in fighting these destructive enemies.

In accordance with a long established custom, Friday, October 22, 1915 is hereby designated as Arbor Day and all persons connected with the schools are urged to observe the day by the planting of trees, by the study of birds and other suitable exercises.

ROCKWOOD

Mrs. I. D. Hechler, who recently underwent a surgical operation at the Allegheny General Hospital, for appendicitis, is convalescing.

Miss Ruth Critchfield has gone to Pittsburg where she will visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Kellar, who were the guests of the latter's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Snyder, of Rockwood last week, returned to their home at Harrisburg.

Miss Ludie Critchfield is spending several weeks visiting friends and relatives in Johnsbury and Altoona.

E. D. Miller, R. R. Souser and R. H. Spicher have returned home from the Bedford fair where they spent several days.

J. T. Doyle, of Baltimore was calling on his many friends in Rockwood recently.

Zach. Moyle, the ten-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. James Moyle, met with a very painful accident Saturday. While he and several playmates were having a good time he fell on a piece of broken tile and cut a large gash in his forehead. The boy was taken home and the wound dressed by Dr. C. J. Hemminger.

Mrs. Henry Livengood died in the McKeesport Hospital Saturday night following an operation for cancer performed that day. Deceased was about 38 years of age and leaves a husband and ten children the youngest four years of age. Several brothers and sisters survive. The funeral was held Tuesday morning at St. Paul's church near Addison with interment in Reager's cemetery.

Robert Engle, the 12 year old son of Chas. Engle, on Sunday afternoon was seriously injured at the home of John Marker, in Black township. With other boys he was playing in the barn when he was kicked by a young horse. He was struck in the face, both cheek bones and his nose being broken and both eyes injured. The lad was rendered unconscious and Dr. Hemminger was summoned and it was found necessary to take him to a hospital and the boy was taken to the Connellsville hospital.

POPULAR PASTOR DEAD.

The Rev. Jacob P. Meyers, of Parkersford, Pa. died in a Philadelphia hospital on Friday night, following an operation for gangrene in one of his legs.

Rev. Meyers was a native of Milford township, a son of Tobias Meyers who lived on the farm now owned by Peter Koontz. He was a minister of the Progressive Brethren Church, a pulpit orator of much force and personality and a popular pastor.

A. D. Neil, of Elkins a leading member of the Northport Lumber Co. is in Meyersdale to-day on business.

Classy Gloves That Wear

You know how important it is to have gloves that both fit well and wear well. We carry a diversified line of gloves, silk, kid, woolen, sheepskin, fur, etc., that will not rip at the seams or lose their color. Careful fitting is one of our specialties.



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TAKE NOTICE!
Saturday, October 16th, Beginning at 1 P. M.
The LAST COMMUNITY SALE for This Year at the Usual Place, First Floor Candy Factory.

AND the indications are that it will be the largest of the season. There will be a fine lot of furniture, bedroom suits, wash stands, dresses, single beds, springs, mattresses, carpets, Rugs, dishes, glassware, silverware, cooking utensils, aluminum-ware, baby carriages, wash machines, lawn mowers, picture frames, carriages, buggies, wagons, old relics (from fifty to two hundred years old) such as chests, stands, shawls, etc. Even a lot of Canary Birds and other articles too numerous to mention.

Besides the above we will offer for sale the Deal property on the N. E. corner of Broadway and Centre streets. This is one of the most desirable properties in Meyersdale. The house contains 12 living rooms, 2 bath rooms, is steam heated, electric lighted and hot and cold water. The location as a residence is second to none, and would make a good business corner for any ordinary business. There will also be offered three building lots located on the N. W. corner of North and Ninth streets.

Terms cash except on the Real Estate which will be 5 per cent cash on day of sale and balance or its equivalent on delivery of deed.

The real estate will be called for sale at 3 o'clock sharp at the Candy Factory; anyone contemplating purchasing, look the property over and be on hand otherwise you may lose a big bargain.

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Ohio Pyle	6.10	Garrett	4.75
Bikwell	5.90	Meyersdale	4.50
Confience	5.65	Deal	4.20
Markleton	5.20	Frostburg	3.80
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Brethren Church:—On Sunday, October 17, special Rally Day services in Summit Mills Church at 9:30 A. M. and at Salisbury at 2:00 P. M. Preaching services at Summit Mills in the morning, Salisbury in the afternoon and Meyersdale in the evening. All are cordially invited.
H. L. Goughnour, Pastor.

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