

OPENING OF MY CAFE Over My Drug Store Will Be on MONDAY, APRIL 24, 1916.

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MEYERSDALE COMMERCIAL

ADHERENTS OF GOVERNOR BRUMBAUGH ACTIVE

Over forty counties of the state filed at Harrisburg the past week, petitions to have Governor Brumbaugh's name placed on the Presidential preference primary ballot. These have been signed by 20,000 Pennsylvanians and show the popular will. Dr. Brumbaugh is in the race to stay and the Penrose ringsters will find they have met their match in one who by fair and open battle will defeat all their underhand tactics.

Mr. Penrose is playing as flent, fovy game as usual. It is interesting to note how some of our county papers are flipping for and against this political trickster. Some were set dead against him in every aspect a few months ago, and others who regarded him erstwhile as a statesman see in him only a self-protecting politician. Penrose may have some of the politicians on his side but the common people are with Governor Brumbaugh.

ANOTHER EASTERTIDE.

Again we commemorate the resurrection of the Lord of all the earth and never has an Easter Sunday seen more of sorrow and woe than that of the year 1916. The idea of many in celebration of the day means only costly clothing, handsome flowers, exquisite music, and eloquent sermons. Jesus sent his followers into Galilee among the sick, poor and miserable to tell them of the joy that had come through the resurrection and only in a like uplifting of others may we see Him and know the full significance of Easter Day.

SOARING NEWSPAPER EXPENSES

While the war has increased the price of many articles in most lines of business, no other industry has been struck quite as hard as that of newspaper publishers. Lists sent out by manufacturers the past week quote nearly all job stock at from 30 to 50 per cent increase on all goods. Paper for publishing news has gone up at an alarming rate. The average reader has little idea of the expenses of a newspaper office and many try to get out of paying the small price asked as subscription in a manner that is often astonishing.

VILLA'S REPORTED DEATH.

The widely circulated report of the death of Villa, is now declared to be a hoax by one of the generals now in Mexico, but the uncertainty halted the expedition now in search of Villa, but with the body is absolutely identified it is probable the American soldiers will remain in that country and perhaps many more lose their lives, as several already have. Typhus fever is raging there and is the greatest foe to be feared by our boys not used to the climate. If the bandit is not yet dead this ruse has greatly aided his escape into the impenetrable parts of the country.

IT IS ROOSEVELT.

It is Roosevelt now and it will be Roosevelt at the great Republican convention that will be the nominee of the party. When a great paper like the New York Tribune, which stood like a Gibraltar against Mr. Roosevelt four years ago, with love of country and party principles, comes out for Col. Roosevelt, though it hurts the paper's pride to top, it shows that these times demand a rare man and such has Mr. Roosevelt proven himself to be.

All over the country the feeling for Roosevelt is growing more and more in his favor.

It looks as if the delegates from this district to the National Republican Convention ought to know that the sentiment of a majority of the Republican voters are for Roosevelt.

CRUSHED TO DEATH

William J. McKee, aged about 65 years, was crushed to death Friday afternoon about 1 o'clock, in the S. M. Hamilton company mines near Listie. After firing a shot Mr. McKee returned and was caught under a heavy fall of roof which came down because the blast blew out some sup-

ports. The unfortunate man was working alone but some of his fellow workmen heard the fall and found him buried. He lived only a short time after he was taken home, as he was crushed from his head to his feet and his back and legs were broken.

Mr. McKee was much esteemed by his fellow workmen. A few years ago he was divorced from his wife who is now living in Ohio. Two daughters are living, Miss Jennie, at home, and Mrs. James Williams, of Listie. Mr. McKee was a Mason and members of the Somerset lodge attended the funeral.

GLENCOE.

John Poorbaugh and wife of Corriangville spent the week-end with relatives.

Miss Stiffler of Meyersdale was the guest of "Babe" Leydig over Sunday.

Mrs. C. A. Poorbaugh and children of Connelville spent the week-end with W. J. Meyers.

Rev. and Mrs. Kresge visited their parishioners last Friday and Saturday previous to the communion services.

Mrs. W. H. Miller was a Somerset caller last Thursday, bringing back as spoils five settings of Rhode Island Red eggs.

John Ray's family left Tuesday for West Virginia, where they will eventually make their abode.

Ralph Poorbaugh and Edna Witt Sundayed at H. M. Poorbaugh's, making the trip across the mountain in the Ford.

Mrs. Harry Beachy of Maple Glen Farm entertained the following at a six o'clock dinner on Saturday evening: I. D. Leydig's three "boys," Miss Stiffler, Mrs. Shear and Miss Troutman of Dixon, Ill., and the F. W. Webeck family. The night session at games took in Ben and Clara Leydig.

Mrs. Frank Aldridge and children of Mt. Savage, spent the week-end at W. H. Cook's.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cook, Sr., celebrated their golden wedding on Saturday. A host of relatives attended the happy event and the couple received a lot of beautiful gifts. Mrs. Cook says that it pays to be married fifty years.

Mrs. John Weaver and daughter Fairrell of Connelville spent Friday with her parents.

WOODLAWN.

Everybody seems to be very busy around Woodlawn with farm work and house cleaning.

Charley Poorbaugh went to Philson last week on business and brought a mule home to do his farm work with this summer.

Some of the people of Woodlawn attended the funeral of their friend and relative, Jonas Fike, of Vim, last Wednesday.

Mrs. Ed Meyers of Sand Patch spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. Allen Fike, last week.

Mrs. Ed Maust spent last Thursday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Fike, of Woodlawn.

Mr. Albert Maust has gone to Akron, Ohio, to visit his friend, Mr. George Dietle, and to find employment.

Rev. and Mrs. Truxal of Meyersdale spent last Wednesday at the home of Martin Wahls.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Miller attended church in Salisbury on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mankemyer of Meyersdale made a call at the home of J. H. Dietle on Sunday.

Mr. Leroy Gisbert of Meyersdale visited at the home of John W. Millers on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Ira Shuck of Somerville visited Lloyd Fike on Sunday afternoon.

Grant and Milt Thomas of Salisbury visited their sister, Mrs. James Crossen, of Woodlawn on Sunday.

Mrs. George Wahl of Meyersdale was visiting on Tuesday at the home of Christ Wahl's.

Harry, the eleven year old son of Christ Wahl, had the misfortune of striking his eye with a brush while going through the woods, which has caused him to go blind.

Mr. Christ Wahl and his two sons, Harry and Roy, spent Monday in Cumberland.

SALT JUST RECEIVED AT HABEL & PHILLIPS.

MEYERSDALE H. S. BRIEFS

The drawing room or Room 11 of M. H. S. is a beautiful sight at present. The walls are covered with the drawings and paintings by Elizabeth Bolden, the high school artist. She has taken several characters of the high school and has drawn their pictures. Everybody is cordially invited to visit this room and inspect this fine work of art.

Several pupils have been wondering if Prof. Kretschman is taking mud baths for his health, or whether it was only an accident that gave him a liberal coating recently.

The Commercial students are preparing for the end of time—at least as far as they are concerned. Probably acting on the plan of preparedness they have all drawn up their wills and testaments. They now go about with a look of resigned expectation on their serious faces. We hope there will be no immediate necessity of probating the document.

Last Friday morning several of the Seniors were affected with sore eyes. The trouble was not caused by the brilliant decoration for the Freshies' Class Day, but an arc light which they had constructed the evening before. The light was a flaming success, thanks to Mr. Phil. Reich who loaned part of the apparatus.

May Day Program.

A May Day program will be given May 1, by the High School pupils in Amity Hall for the benefit of the School Library. Everybody is cordially invited to attend.

The Sophomore Class enjoyed delicious refreshments on Tuesday afternoon. In translating the Latin word, vineis, Irwin Gress served them with "wienies" and Jeannett Cole added "grapes."

Why does Helen Wagner revolve so often when called upon to recite in German Class? Is it for want of exercises?

Poor Harvey's heart missed a few beats last week while he was counting his pulse while William's heart took up more speed and got the record.

Clara Rowe in translating Caesar, insisted that Caesar was engaged. We all had to agree with her since she was so determined.

Prof. Weaver, in giving the definition for tautology, said that it meant to repeat something which you had said before.

Wilbur Stotler, "Oh yes, that's stuttering."

We, the members of the Meyersdale High School wish to call attention to the Salisbury Champions(?) and state that certain remarks made by a Salisbury Fan were highly insulting to our basket ball captain, Grier, referring to winning the championship of the county. Salisbury has never proven that. We wish to remind them that there will be a High School Team next year.

The following are some of the answers given in a general information test lately:

The Great Commoner? Columbus. The Ford.

The Hoosier Poet? Bryan. The World's most famous poet? Carranza.

The book in which the Ten Commandments are found? Moses. Mooses. S. P. C. A.? Suspension precedes class ambition. Sweet pickles caught Abe.

c. f.? Certificate of Finance; See father.

Mardi Gras? Alfafa. Adam's Ale? A tonic; A small opening leading into the stomach.

Thomas Mott Osborne? Figures in a breach of promise case.

Last Friday, April 14th, the Freshmen held their Class Day Exercises, and we, The Juniors, think that it surpassed the other three classes, by

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GRANTSVILLE.

George Stearn and party from Frostburg and Thomas Browning were in town last week in the interest of politics and while here stopped at the Victoria.

Mayor A. T. Matthews and Merchant Tom Little spent Sunday in Grantsville.

Miss Angela Getty spent several days of last week in Cumberland.

Miss Wilda Getty is spending this week with her parents.

Misses Mollie and Carrie Dorsey were Cumberland visitors last week.

Capt. R. R. Sanner has returned to his home in Oakland for his summer vacation.

Miss Ruth Keller is visiting friends in Cumberland.

Vida Engle of State Normal is spending her Easter vacation at her home, Englewood.

Mrs. Ralph Engle was a business caller in Cumberland.

Esther Zehner, Mary Miller, Erma, Viola and Evelyn Swanger spent Sunday with Althea Miller of Stone House Farm.

Mrs. Susan Durst entertained a few friends at a dinner party on Sunday evening in honor of her birthday. Those present were: Dr. and Mrs. Bowen, J. O. Getty and wife, Chas. Younkun and wife and Henry Baker.

Mrs. C. B. Getty entertained the "Grandmothers" of the town on Monday afternoon. Ms. Getty is the youngest grandmother and Mrs. Sophia Winterberg the eldest and the affair was in honor of their birthday.

W. W. Dempsey of Johnstown was a business caller here this week.

Mrs. Chas. Zellers and Winifred Bonig spent several days with friends in Frostburg.

Miss Emma Krause, and father, Geo. Krause, living about two miles west of town, were thrown from a buggy on Sunday when the horse became frightened at a motorcycle. Mr. Krause was dragged for a distance but other than being bruised was not seriously hurt. The daughter was thrown, head-foremost, against a telegraph pole and rendered unconscious and her head and face were badly cut and bruised.

The orphanage which has been erected in the vicinity of Grantsville by the members of the Amish church, will be ready for occupancy by the first of May. The home will be under able management and in the work that it is doing for those who can not do for themselves reflects great credit to the good people of this section who helped in its erection.

The "Silent Five," which is composed of Misses Blanche Miller, Ruth Keller, Winifred Bonig, Angela Getty and Marie Conner, were invited to spend the day at the sugar camp of Wm. Gnagey, a few miles east of Grantsville. Although the members have justly won the title by which they are known, this fact does not interfere with their appreciation of the virtues of maple wax and sugar.

THE BIJOU.

The great photo-play, "Regeneration," will be this Thursday evening. Friday, April 21—"Orders is Orders," and two other good plays. Saturday, April 22—"The Broken Coin," and also a special Grace Curand feature (Kitty). At the matinee children are to have an Easter Treat.

Monday, April 24—"The Gypsy." Don't miss this, it is a wonderfully fine picture.

Tuesday, April 25—"Iron Rivals," a strong vivid picture play.

Wednesday, April 26—The people of Meyersdale will have the opportunity of seeing again Billy Ritchie in one of his best plays. Only 5 and 10 cents.

Thursday, April 27—Another Big Fox Feature.

Friday, April 28—"The Madcap Queen."

JOHN H. JUDY.

John H. Judy died April 10, at his home in Jennertown at the age of 45 years. The deceased was born in Jenner township. His widow survives. The funeral took place Thursday at 10:30 a. m. from the Jennertown Lutheran church of which Mr. Judy had been a member for many years. Services were conducted by the pastor, Rev. E. F. Rice, assisted by Revs. McCauley and Albertson. The I. O. O. F. of Boswell had charge of the services at the grave.

RULES FOR TROUT SEASON.

The trout season opened last Saturday and the following should be borne in mind by fishermen.

The State department of fisheries requests sportsmen not to fish upon the small tributaries inhabited by trout but to pick out the larger streams in which trout of larger size are to be found.

The law provides that no device except a single rod and line can be used by the fishermen and any who find this law violated are requested to report to the state department.

WILLIAM V. WISSEL.

William Valentine Wissel, until recently the proprietor of the Belmont Inn, at Acosta, died Friday evening at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vaentine Wissel, Cambria City, aged 30 years. He had been engaged in the hotel business until a few months ago when his health failed. Besides his parents, one brother and five sisters survive. The funeral took place Monday morning at Johnstown and solemn high mass of requiem was said at the Church of the Immaculate Conception.

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NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that a family settlement agreement has been executed in the estate of the late Adam C. Lepley of Elk Lick Township, Somerset County, Pennsylvania by the widow and all the heirs of the said Adam C. Lepley. H. G. Lepley has been made "attorney in fact" for all the parties to the agreement. He is to collect all debts owing the estate and pay all claims properly authenticated against the estate. Therefore all persons indebted to the estate are notified to make immediate payment and those having claims or demands to present them without delay to

H. G. LEPLEY, Attorney in Fact, Meyersdale, Pa.

Just received a lot of Fancy Norway Mackerel at Bittner's Grocery.

SAND PATCH.

Our Heavenly Father, the great moulder and architect of our destinies, has, with an all-wise forethought, as a part of his plan to us unseen and unknown, deemed it best to call to his heavenly home, the home not made with hands, the beloved father and husband of Mrs. C. Riley and family, she realizing the frailty of the human vessel and knowing it is the path all of us must sooner or later tread. We extend to the sorrowing wife and members of the afflicted family our sincere and heartfelt sympathy in their bereavement.

Howard Fessler arrived here Saturday.

Vesta F. Sharp was visiting relatives and friends at Pine Hill last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Cupp and son of Pittsburg are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Emory Younkun.

Mrs. Tom Walker and son spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Habel, near Manilla.

Mrs. John Kelly, Mrs. James Kerrigan and Elizabeth Bracken were visiting friends at Meyersdale Sunday.

Miss Mary Beal of Meyersdale was the guest of her grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Q. Beal, Saturday.

3 lbs. Fancy Head Rice for 25 cents at Bittner's Grocery.