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REPUBLICAN MEETINGS.

The Chairman of the Republican County Committee announces the following Speakers and dates for Meetings to be held in the county:

SPEAKERS:

Hon. J. M. Barnett, New Bloomfield; Hon. M. M. Garland, Pittsburg; Hon. John H. Jordan, Bedford; Hon. N. B. Critchfield, Orthesfield; Hon. W. C. Miller, Bedford; Hon. Allen F. Cooper, Uniontown; L. C. Colborn, Esq., A. C. Holbert, Esq., C. L. Shaver, Esq., and others.

MEETINGS:

Somerset	Friday	12
Rockwood	Saturday	13
Stoyestown	Monday	15
Boswell	Tuesday	16
Hooversville	Wednesday	17
Windber	Thursday	18
Davidsville	Friday	19
Edie	Saturday	20
Garrett	Monday	22
Salisbury	Tuesday	23
Pochontas	Wednesday	24
Wellersburg	Thursday	25
Glencoe	Friday	26
Holsopple	Saturday	27
Jennertown	Monday	29
Kingwood	Tuesday	30
Sculltown	Wednesday	31
Trent	Thursday, Nov. 1	

The Somerset Orchestra will be present at all the meetings. This Orchestra has the reputation of being fine entertainers. The Vocal and Instrumental Music furnished by this organization will be a treat to all.

Turn out and hear the live issues of the party of Lincoln, of Garfield, of McKinley and of Roosevelt thoroughly discussed. All members of the Republican party, and other political faiths cordially invited. N. B. McGRIFF, Chairman.

J. A. LAMBERT, Secretary.

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M. E. Pulpit Assignments for Somerset County—Conference Scores Emery.

The Pittsburg conference of the M. E. church closed at Butler, Pa., Monday morning, the 8th inst. Lewis Emery, Jr., fusion candidate for Governor, was denounced in a strong resolution passed by the conference by a vote of 122 to 45. Emery's letter to Editor Likins, of Uniontown, in which he placed the church, the school and the hospital on the same level, is more than the church people are willing to stand for, hence the strong resolution against Emery by the M. E. conference at Butler.

Following are the pulpit assignments made by the conference for Somerset county: Addison, A. K. Travis; Berlin, S. W. Bryan, supply; Confluence, Thomas Charlesworth; Meyersdale, J. W. Langdale; Salisbury, L. Z. Robinson; Somerset, J. M. Mason; Stoyestown, S. W. McCarkle.

Lecture Course.

Arrangements have been completed to give to the people of Salisbury a strong lecture course during the winter. Season tickets are now on sale. Considering the low price of seats and high class talent offered, this course should be well patronized. The purpose of this course, to give the people of our town something edifying and uplifting, is a noble one, and should receive the help of all our citizens. Let us support the promoters of this movement. It is a new departure along right lines, and deserves the practical endorsement of every lover of a clean, helpful entertainment.

First number will be given Saturday evening, Oct. 20, 1906. Frank Dixon the great orator, opens the course. Board for reserved seats opens at Miller's drug store, Thursday evening, Oct. 18, 1906, at 6 p. m.

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure
Digests what you eat.

WHO'S THE COWARD?

The Man Who Openly Expresses His Opinion, or the Sneak Who Hides Behind a Fictitious Name?

Reply to a Graceless Sneak Who Villifies Others Under Cover, Stabbing Them from Ambush, as it Were.

The following cowardly article appeared in the Meyersdale Commercial of Sept. 27th, 1906:

VACCINATING WITH A STILETTO.

"Pete" had a bad vaccination eruption last week when after quoting all the authorities from away back, he showed the object in view by trying to vaccinate Harvey Hay and Dr. Lichty in their backs with a stiletto. "Pete" should try and use only the truth and give his readers a genuine surprise by doing so.

One quotation in relation to the smallpox scourge in Montreal in 1885 was downright prevarication if not outright as any person who lived in the Province of Quebec during that period well knows.

In that province the French have ever been opposed to vaccination and consequently the whole territory had been for years, if not centuries, the hot bed of smallpox and at the very least over 50 per cent. of the population previous to 1885, were marked and disfigured. The English speaking inhabitants who believed in vaccination and practiced it were comparatively free from the scourge. After the scourge of 1885 the Dominion government took up the matter and passed a vaccination law and had it enforced; since the Montreal and surrounding country appear to be as free from smallpox as any portion of the United States.

Abuse of the whole body of reputable physicians is not any argument whatever. If the anti-vaccinationists want to have their argument of any force they must come out in a square honorable manner, like the Rockwood Leader and other reputable newspapers have done, and not use their vaccination prejudice as a cloak under which to stab the characters of persons against whom they have a spite.

FAIR PLAY.

We think THE STAR could readily name the person who wrote the foregoing cowardly letter, to which he signed a fictitious name instead of his real name. The clumsy and faulty composition would indicate that it was written by some bungling dope-dispenser who wears the title of M. D., and who would welcome a law that would compel people to patronize him whether they wanted to or not. But that's the way vaccination fanatics do business, hence we are not surprised.

The communication should have been signed "Foul Play," for genuine fair play is always carried on in an open, many manner, not under assumed or fictitious names.

Fair Play, as the Commercial communicator calls himself, evidently did not relish a truthful article that appeared in THE STAR some time ago, where it was published for all men to read, open and above board. THE STAR's article did not appear over a fictitious name, but was given to the world as the editor's own production.

If Mr. "Fair Play" calls THE STAR's open course vaccinating in the back with a stiletto, pray what should his sneaking, ambushed course be called? Oh, you graceless sneak, why do you mask yourself with an assumed name and keep under cover like a thief in the night? Why do you strike from ambush, like an assassin in the dark? Come out from behind your *nom de plume* and let the world know who you are. Why should your identity be hidden if you speak the truth?

The attack upon character which Mr. "Fair Play" complains of, exists largely in his fertile imagination, as that portion of our former article to which he refers to as "vaccinating Harvey Hay and Dr. Lichty in the backs with a stiletto," was merely stating what he believed to be their true position on the vaccination question. At any rate, if it can be called an attack on character, it cannot be truthfully referred to as a stab in the back, for our statement was made in the open, and not over an assumed name, after the manner of Mr. "Fair Play" and others who do business from ambush.

Mr. "Fair Play's" reference to the great smallpox scourge in Montreal, in 1885, is about as thin as the balance of his silly twaddle. He asserts that the Province of Quebec, before a compulsory vaccination law was passed and enforced, was for years, if not centuries, the hotbed of smallpox, and that at least 50 per cent. of the population previous to 1885 were marked and disfigured.

How awful! The fact is that Mr. "Fair Play's" own silly statement is the best proof of its falsity, yet it is just the kind of a statement that certain easy dupes swallow on blind faith, without ever thinking of its utter absurdity.

It seems strange indeed that Quebec Province could have been the hotbed of smallpox for years and for centuries, and yet only 50 per cent. of the people get the disease in all those years. If that province had been such a hotbed of smallpox for all the years Mr. "Fair Play" would have you believe it was, practically the entire population would have had smallpox long before the year 1885, when by the aid of vaccination (legalized murder) the great scourge at Montreal was brought about. In that year, by the damnable art of vaccination, when practically the whole city was a reeking mass of vaccination scabs and corruption, smallpox flourished as it never flourished

before. There has been comparatively little smallpox in Montreal since 1885. Why? Not because of vaccination, but because nearly everybody there had smallpox in 1885, when the vaccination craze was at its height.

The people there have also hearned a few things since 1885 in the matter of clean living and other sanitary conditions. Besides, there is a great difference in the modes of living of the French and English people, and while some nationalities are more subject to smallpox than others, some others are more subject to other maladies that people who take smallpox readily. For instance, take the American negro and the American white man. The negro is, as a rule, poorer than the white man, hence is surrounded by more squalor and filth. He also contracts smallpox more readily than the white man, and gets the disease much more severe.

As to the marking and disfiguring of the French Canadians, there is no use in referring to that. No use in going that far away from home. Look at the vaccinated victims of smallpox right here in our own town. Their vaccination neither kept them from getting smallpox nor the marks thereof, while neither John J. Livengood nor A. B. Newman got the disease or its scars, yet they nursed smallpox patients day after day. Why did they not get the disease? Simply because vaccination did not take on them, and thus their blood was in the best possible condition to ward off the disease.

Mr. "Fair Play" even accuses us of abusing the whole body of reputable physicians. Nothing could be farther from the truth. We are upholding the reputable body of physicians, and from the reputable body of physicians we derive our anti-vaccination ideas. We have been reading what the great and scientific men in the medical profession have said and written against vaccination, and we have also read what the little quacks and fakirs in the profession have said in its favor. The little fellows in the profession cannot see beyond their pocketbooks, while the big fellows, who are called upon to help compile cyclopedias and other scientific works, can. We believe the big, brainy, many doctors in preference to the little quacks and yelpers who yell for more vaccination for the graft there is in it.

If Mr. "Fair Play" is a physician, as we have reason to believe, he should at once leave his present company and join the respectable body of physicians, the men who scorn the idea of compulsory vaccination, who refuse to rob people of their God-given liberty, and who denounce vaccination as a crime, which it is, and one of the most heinous and cowardly kind.

And, finally, Mr. "Fair Play," don't accuse us of stabbing in the back, but come out and tell who you are. If you insist on hiding behind an assumed name, then change your name to "Foul Play." "Fair Play" never fights from ambush.

We don't believe in vaccination, but if vaccination ought to be indulged in at all, it should be done with a stiletto or shotgun, and only practiced upon those physicians who seek to make vaccination compulsory. In that way much good might result to the human race, and a lot of quacks be buried in the cemeteries where they bury most of their mistakes.

DANGER FROM THE PLAGUE.

There's grave danger from the plague of Coughs and Colds that are so prevalent, unless you take Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. Mrs. Geo. Walls, of Forest City, Me., writes: "It's a Godsend to people living in climates where coughs and colds prevail. I find it quickly ends them." It prevents Pneumonia, cures LaGrippe, gives wonderful relief in Asthma and Hay Fever, and makes weak lungs strong enough to ward off Consumption, Coughs and Colds. 50c. and \$1.00. Guaranteed by E. H. Miller, druggist. Trial bottle free. 11-1

News Concerning Western Friends.

In a business letter received several days ago from our friend David H. Kelo, of Carleton, Neb., Mr. Kelo gives us the following news:

"Father has almost entirely lost his mind. He is living with us. His general health is pretty fair, considering his age, but his mind is far from rational."

"Mollie lives in Oklahoma City. She had an operation for cancer, last spring, having had her entire left breast removed. So far the cancer shows no sign of return, and she is feeling pretty well. She spent two months with us, this summer."

"You ought to see Nebraska. She spent what a change since you left. Land \$75 to \$100 per acre, and the fine, large houses and barns, with many fine, modern houses in town. Farmers are very prosperous—a big wheat crop and a fine corn crop again this year. We had wheat near town that went 45¢ bushels per acre. Just finished threshing on one of our farms. It made 32½ bushels per acre."

OLD PAPERS for sale at THE STAR office. They are just the thing for pantry shelves, wrapping paper and cartridge paper for the miners. Five cents buys a large roll of them. 11-1

Vehicles at Less than Cost—Fine Stock of Furniture and Stoves. Being desirous of making more room for our stock of Furniture, we will dispose of the following named Vehicles for less than cost.

- One 3-Seat Covered Mifflinburg Spring Wagon.
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- One 2-Seat Road Wagon.
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We also wish to state that we have a select line of Double and Single Heaters on our floors, and we can certainly please you in the Furniture line, at prices that we guarantee to please you. Please give us a call.

11-1 C. R. HASELBARTH & SON.

Why Does the Chicken Cross the Road?

We don't know, but we know the man crosses the road to get Meyersdale Beer—because he knows it's the purest and the best. 10-18

Desirable Residence Property for Sale.

Large corner lot, 66x196 feet, fronting on the main street of Salisbury borough, having thereon a very convenient and desirable 8-room house, a stable, good well, fine fruit, good board walks, etc. The house has been recently remodeled and given three coats of paint. Everything about the place is in good repair, and the location is one of the most desirable in town. The lot is large enough for an additional building or two, and the price at which the property can be bought is very reasonable. For further particulars, apply at THE STAR office, Elk Lick, Pa. 11-1

BEST HORSES, best rigs and best general equipments in the livery line, at the Williams Livery, Salisbury, Pa. Somerset County telephone. 11-1

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One of the most desirable modern homes in Salisbury—14 rooms, heated by hot air, bath room, hot and cold water, electric light, good stable and other out-buildings, large corner lot, ideal location, etc. For particulars call on or address THE STAR, Elk Lick, Pa. 11-1

The Cat Came Back.

So does the man who drinks Meyersdale Beer come back, because he knows it is a pure, wholesome and refreshing drink. 10-18

Desirable Real Estate at Private Sale.

The heirs of Caroline E. Smith, deceased, offer their large double dwelling on corner of Ord street and Smith avenue, Salisbury, Pa., at private sale. Apply to Stewart Smith, administrator. 11-1

SAFE AND GENTLE horses at the Williams Livery. All good travelers and suitable for either young or old persons. J. W. Williams, proprietor Salisbury, Pa. 11-1

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TO LAND OWNERS!—We have printed and keep in stock a supply of trespass notices containing extracts from the far-reaching trespass law passed at the 1905 session of the Pennsylvania Legislature. The notices are printed on good cardboard with blank line for signature, and they will last for years in all kinds of weather. Every and owner should buy some of them, as the law requires land owners to post their lands if they want the protection of the latest and best trespass law ever passed. Send all orders to THE STAR, Elk Lick, Pa. 11-1

TOO MUCH JOHNSON—maybe, but never too much Meyersdale Beer. Order a case. 10-18

MONUMENTS! MONUMENTS!

If you want to purchase a Monument, Headstone or Iron Fence, call at our yard at No. 99 N. Centre St., Cumberland, or at Frostburg, where you will see the largest stock in Western Maryland to select from, sold at prices that defy competition.

J. B. WILLIAMS Co.,
The Low Price Marble and Granite Dealers. 10-11

HAVE YOU A WANT?—If so, try a small "ad" in THE STAR. Many wants can and are promptly supplied if advertised in this paper. 11-1

IT IS BAD BUSINESS to allow people to look in vain through the columns of THE STAR for an advertisement of your business. 11-1

New Store! New Goods!

We have opened a fine new general store in the M. J. Glatfely building, Ord St., Salisbury, Pa., and invite you to come and inspect our nice, new line of Dry Goods, Shoes, Groceries, etc.

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