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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1912.

A THOUGHT FOR TO-DAY.

We lose vigor through thinking continually the same set of thoughts. New thoughts is new life.

The spring primaries fall on April 13. It will certainly be an unlucky day for several political candidates who will be looking for nomination to office.

The columns of *The Citizen* are open for opinions on Greater Honesdale. If you are a resident of Texas township and do not favor annexation write to the editors about it. If you favor a busier, bigger and better Honesdale tell the readers of *The Citizen* about it. We want to hear from both sides.

Professor H. A. Oday, Vice Principal H. T. Davies and Scout Master E. G. Jenkins are to be praised for the active part they are taking in the interest of the boys of Honesdale. These gentlemen give much of their time evenings in drilling the boys, many of whom do not attend school, in exercises that build up mind and body. Through the efforts of Scout Master Jenkins a boys' band has been organized. Robert Dorin is leader. There is, however, a scarcity of volunteer trainers Professor Oday recently told the writer. This should not be in a town the size of Honesdale. No work is more entertaining or profitable than the moulding of the lives and character of young men. Offer your assistance.

The *Citizen* has previously called the attention of its readers to the need of an Associated Charities Board. A like society could be formed from the different churches. In addition to their individual church work the members could take up special work at large when occasion demanded it. Had there been an Associated Charities Board organized at the time of George J. Bergmann's tragic death it would have been the proper functions of such an association to receive and disburse monies to the bereft wife and family. It is not too late now to arrange for and establish an Associated Charities Board. Would that the members of the representative churches realize the need of a like association in Honesdale, meet, organize and work in harmony for sweet charity's sake.

There must be some reason for this action on the part of the present Democratic majority and when it is fully analyzed it will be found that the reason is this: The report of the Tariff Board fully vindicated what Republicans have been saying for many years. It proved conclusively that the present rates, are not as a whole too high, though it may be found that some adjustment would be warranted. It proved false the contention of the Democrats, that although wages are higher at home than abroad, that labor is more efficient. It showed that if there is any difference whatever labor in the woolen mills abroad is more efficient than here and that our wages, which are two or three times as high as abroad, measure a difference that must be compensated for by sufficient duties. The Democrats therefore found themselves in a hole and instead of courageously meeting the situation they simply sidetracked it and tried to confuse the issue.

WASHINGTON HEADQUARTERS.

Dispatches from Washington state that there are now six presidential booms housed in separate quarters in the Capital and that "all is not quiet along the Potomac." We had suspected as much.

There are the Taft headquarters, the Roosevelt headquarters, the Harmon headquarters, the Wilson headquarters, the Clark headquarters and, last and not least, the La Follette headquarters.

What Mr. La Follette could want with headquarters now, the dispatches do not explain. Perhaps he keeps them as a convenient place for storing the immortelles, floral pillows, wreaths and gates ajar sent him by his sorrowing friends. The tragic death of the Wisconsin Senator's well-nourished and for a time promising little boom in Philadelphia, seems to have left its bereaved parent in a stunned condition. He insists that the boom is not dead, but that he is going to wake it up again at the proper time.

Poor La Follette! And others will merit the same sympathetic adjective sooner or later, some of them sooner and some later.

WHO GOT THE 15 PER CENT?

One of the things that is said to be impending is an increase in the price of shoes.

That reminds us of something. A few years ago the cry was raised all over the country that our shoes and the harness for our horses was high because of the "robber tariff" on hides. Take the tariff off hides—and shoes and harness would immediately be cheapened. It was a great reform that swept the country and every one had visions of cheaper leather. The tariff was denounced to such an extent that finally Congress heeded the cry and took the duty off hides, making them absolutely free, so that hides now can come from any part of the world on an equality with American hides.

The duty that was removed at that time was 15 per cent, and that is the amount that was to be taken off shoes. Has any one found that shoes are cheaper, or that harness is cheaper? The government lost the duty, thus decreasing its income, but the consumers, the ultimate consumers of whom we have heard so much, have they gotten it? No, not that any one knows of. Instead of cheaper shoes we have had higher shoes. Who got that 15 per cent? And who was it that was worked?—Cedar Rapids Republican.

LAKESWOOD.

(Special to The Citizen.)

Lakeville, Pa., Feb. 21. Charles F. Purdy, aged 71 years, died at the home of his son, Harry, on Ridge street, Honesdale, Feb. 19. The funeral was held Feb. 12 from the house, Rev. Wendall officiating. Interment in Glen Dyberry cemetery. Mr. Purdy was born in this vicinity and lived here all his life. He was a son of Reuben R. Purdy, and has many friends here. He was in the Civil war and served 18 months. He is survived by seven children—Reuben R., of Galeton, Potter county; Clarence H., Seelyville; Harry T., Honesdale; Cora, wife of Frank Tut-hill, of Schenectady, N. Y.; Clara, wife of Wm. Reineke, of New York City, and Ora and Lee, of Edgertown, Wisconsin. Two sisters, Mrs. Lee of Waymart, Pa., Mrs. Leonard, of Cen-

tral Valley, N. Y., one brother, Sylvanus Purdy, of Carbondale.

Mrs. L. Herzog, of Schenectady, N. Y., Mrs. Norman Bishop, Jr., Mrs. A. DeRoat, Mrs. Chas. Raushmier of Honesdale, were recent guests of J. Bishop's family here.

Miss Lena Osborne, of Elmhurst, visited friends here last week.

Mrs. Sarah Kimble, lawley, visited her daughter, Mrs. Cora Locklin, over Sunday last.

Chester James returned to Brooklyn, N. Y., on Thursday after spending a week here.

Miss Mary Smith underwent a very serious operation in Dr. Burns' private hospital, Scranton, recently. Her friends here wish her a speedy recovery.

Alex Goll Smith, of Ledgedale, is passing a few days with his grandparents, G. L. James and wife here.

Peter Daniels is confined to his bed with a severe attack of rheumatism.

The order of the P. of H. of this place initiated two candidates on Wednesday evening of last week, after which a dainty lunch was served.

Miss Laura Smith, also Mrs. D. A. Smith, of Ledgedale, are visiting the former's sister, Miss Mary Smith, at Dr. Burns' hospital, Scranton.

Mrs. E. Brunson and daughter from Avoey were pleasant guests of Mrs. R. Lovelass recently.

Our minister, Rev. H. T. Parkins, has failed as yet to make his appearance.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Tresslar of Ariel, were guests of parents, D. A. Locklin and wife on Sunday last.

Garfield Goble is ill with a severe cold.

HAWLEY.

(Special to The Citizen.)

Hawley, Pa., Feb. 20. Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Murphy and George Tutthill attended the funeral of C. F. Purdy at Honesdale on Monday last.

Herbert Plum has moved his livery business into the Reafler stables on Church street. He had the misfortune to lose one of his horses on Saturday last.

Miss Lottie Kimble, who resigned her position here, has accepted a position with the Bell Telephone company in Scranton, and has gone there to take charge of the work.

Mrs. Rause will leave for Boston this week in which city her husband is now located.

At the opera house Saturday afternoon and evening to a crowded house the young people of St. Philomena's church presented to the public their first minstrel which elicited no end of praise for the very excellent talent brought out. It was a musical and financial success.

A load of Honesdale's young people joined the crowd of skaters at the rink on Saturday night.

Much trouble has been caused and a water famine threatened for the last two weeks by the freezing of the water pipes in nearly every section of the borough. The process of thawing them out by electricity seems to be working admirably well.

Frank B. Pennell, Uswick, was in Hawley on Saturday. He came to take the civil service examination for the appointment of Postmaster of Uswick, Minnie Olmsted having sent in her resignation as Postmistress of that office.

George Atkinson died of pneumonia after a brief illness of one week at his home on Chestnut avenue Friday morning. He was 63 years of age his last birthday, Dec. 15. Mr. Atkinson had always lived in this vicinity and was well and favorably known. He was a kind father and friend with a cheerful disposition which won him numerous friends. His wife preceded him to the grave, being called by the same dreaded disease, pneumonia, about twelve years ago, their home being at Wilsonville at that time. The deceased was fraternally associated with the following orders: I. O. O. F. and Juniors, he having been a member of the former order since he was 21 years of age, which order had charge of the funeral. The Juniors were also present in a body. Interment was made in the Indian Orchard cemetery. His immediate survivors are two sons, Norman and George, and two daughters, Mrs. Nellie Caruth, with whom he made his home, and Miss Lella, a trained nurse of New York, who nursed him during his illness.

Mr. Wren, a resident of East Hawley, was called to the Great Beyond Saturday morning, a victim of consumption. His wife's death occurred but a short time ago. Now the home is most desolate with small orphaned children. The deceased was a member of the I. O. O. F. lodge. The funeral was held on Tuesday, with burial in the Indian Orchard cemetery.

Henry Lyons, aged nearly 55 years, died in the State hospital at Scranton Thursday, Feb. 15, having been taken there for treatment on Monday. The funeral was held at the home of his step-mother on Saturday. Rev. Mr. Lucas, of the Lutheran church, officiating.

Dr. R. H. Ely's condition becoming very serious on Saturday a telegram was sent to his daughter who resides in Binghamton. She arrived Sunday morning.

Pearl Crane, of Uswick, was a visitor of Miss Marjorie and Frances Guinn over Sunday.

Mrs. Richard Teeter had the misfortune to fall recently and sprain her ankle. She is now able to walk about without the aid of crutches.

Alex Correll, of Honesdale, was in town Friday.

Mrs. M. E. Lewis, who has been seriously sick, is improving.

Mesdames Pennell, Chapman and Jones, of Arlington and Ariel, were mid-week guests at the home of Geo. Peiton.

Edith Stevenson has been confined to the house by illness for the past two weeks.

Charley Rose and F. Swingle of the East Side are very sick, pneumonia being feared in both cases.

Rev. Mr. Furey, whose work is in the interest of homeless children, occupied the pulpit in the M. E. church Sunday morning.

The ladies' aid of the M. E. church met with Mrs. Jennie Bingham on Wednesday afternoon.

The masque carnival at the rink Friday night was an enjoyable affair. Prizes were awarded to the following: Miss Bower and brother, who represented the flowery kingdom of Japan, wearing the finest costumes, the most grotesque being worn by Mr. Wallace as a clown and Miss Lintner as a pickaninny.

A party of six from the county seat spent Sunday afternoon in town, stopping at the Kohlman House.

LOOKOUT.

(Special to The Citizen.)

Lookout, Pa., Feb. 21. On Friday last quarterly conference was held in the Lookout M. E. church by the district superintendent, Dr. Finch, of Newburg district. He and Rev. Tolley of Euphrat, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. Teeple.

A number from this place attended the Dutch supper held at the home

of John F. Blake of Union on Friday evening. All report a fine time, and thirty-two dollars added to the pastor's salary.

Orvis Rutledge of Galilee, spent Saturday with friends at Lookout. LaFord Teeple spent Sunday at Callicoon.

Rev. Frank L. Brown preached a fine sermon on Sunday morning to a fairly good congregation. There is still plenty of room. Come out and hear him.

BEACH LAKE.

(Special to The Citizen.)

Beach Lake, Pa., Feb. 20. Sorry to lose our sleighing but still it does seem good to have the weather a little more moderate. The intense cold has played havoc with our coal pile for they begin to look like the small end of nothing and it will be difficult replenishing them, the condition the roads are in.

William F. Wood has been very sick but is doing well under Dr. Parcell's care.

Mrs. Algiers and son Raymond, of Hartford, arrived at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Vangorder, Friday. Mrs. Algiers will remain and care for her mother. We are glad to learn Mrs. Vangorder is recovering as fast as can be expected after so serious an accident.

Mrs. L. Brown returned home last week after an absence of several months.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Budd and daughter, Henrietta, spent Sunday with Mrs. Budd's brother, A. T. Sluman at Torrey.

The Ladies' Aid met with Mrs. Harry Wood last Wednesday and sixty persons can testify of her excellent culinary abilities. She had all that palate or stomach could wish and after satisfying so many appetites she was one of the number that had to furnish for the Indian Orchard Grange that same night. I think she ought to keep summer boarders.

All are pleased that as W. J. Barnes' family take their departure soon that the house will not be left vacant but it is rented by Mr. Avery and he takes possession March 1.

John W. Davey and daughter, Jessie, spent Sunday with R. B. Davey.

STEENE.

(Special to The Citizen.)

Steene, Pa., Feb. 20. Mr. and Mrs. John Short entertained a merry party of sleigh riders from Honesdale on Thursday evening of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Chapman of Wilkes-Barre, spent Saturday and Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Short.

Mrs. Ray Spangenburg, of Carbondale, is spending a few days with her parents here.

Harris Short, of Wilkes-Barre, visited his parents here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Kagler have sold their farm with all stock and farming implements. Consideration, \$5,500. Mr. and Mrs. Kagler will move this week to Dandaff where they have purchased a neat little home.

The Bobolink has tapped his sugar bush.

WASHINGTON.

By Mrs. E. Teeple.

The name of Washington, First President known. The pride of this Union We call our home.

America, so proud to-day Of noble heroes passed away. Long may his memory so dear Be honored and renewed each year.

Unanimously elected was he, The only one, and first to be, Likewise his second term did serve With no opposition, none did oppose.

With courage and devotion true, Grave problems then were not a few. A more and perfect Union then Were strongly in the minds of men.

And for their leader chose they he Of wisdom and courage. Of highest degree. He was conducted into office Of President to be.

In the presence of the first Congress And spectators free. Under the federal constitution did take The oath of office, as President of States.

A reception at Trenton Was particularly great. An arch was erected By the ladies of the state, Triumphant arch on which was inscribed

The defenders of the mothers will be the protectors of the daughters. He was here met by the ladies and their little daughters who, as he passed, literally strewed his path with flowers and sang the following ode:

Welcome mighty Chief once more, Welcome to this grateful shore, Now no mercenary foe Aims again the fatal blow. Aims at thee, the fatal blow.

Virgins fair and matrons grave, Those your conquering arms did save, Built for the triumphal bowers, Strew ye fair, His path with flowers, Strew your heroes way with flowers.

HOW'S THIS?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

Watson, Kinnan & Marvin, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

WORDS FOR THE SPELLING CONTEST OF THE WAYNE COUNTY SCHOOL.

LESSON XIV.

gymnasium guardian
blissful idiot
idle militia
involuntarily naturalize
miscellaneous numb
obstacle onion
observing phlegm
preferred pneumonia
patient rhythm
remember respectively
reading Sully
slythe weapon
zero.

Surprise Party at Newfoundland.

A surprise party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Simons, on Monday evening, at Newfoundland, in honor of the thirteenth birthday of their son, Floyd. All sorts of games were played and at a late hour refreshments were served to the following: Myrtle Warner, Mae Green, Tacie Grim, Leona Fowler, Laura Beehn, Edith Robacker, Grace Smith, Grace Welben, Laura Resigie, Helen Erhardt, Elva Gilpin, Julia Sieg, Alberta Carr, Minnie Gilpin, Dora Lange, Cora Lange, Elgin Kerr, Charles Bortree, William Simons, Leo Gilpin, Floyd Simons, Tat Kranter, Kenneth Sieg, Myron Zigler, Stanley Erhardt, Lloyd Simons, Edgar Gilpin, Clair Biesacker, Patrick Erhardt, Fred Green, Harold Simons, Clinton Simons, Laurence Oppelt and Russel Hause.

Gasped for Breath

Gastritis Nearly Ended Life of Wm. V. Mathews. Read His Letter.

"I was bothered for years with stomach trouble and gastritis. Food laid like lead in my stomach and fermented, forming gas. This caused a pressure on my heart, so that I choked and gasped for breath, and thought my time had come. MI-ONA cured me after I had doctored without success."—Wm. V. Mathews, Bloomington, Ind.

If you suffer from indigestion, headache, dizziness, biliousness, constipation, inactive liver, nervousness, sleeplessness, bad dreams, foul breath, heartburn, shortness of breath, sour stomach, or dependancy, be sure and get MI-ONA stomach tablets. They are guaranteed. Large box 50 cents at Peil, the druggist, and druggists everywhere.

STERLING.

(Special to The Citizen.)

Sterling, Pa., Feb. 20. We are now having our January thaw and after such a long cold winter it is appreciated. J. E. Cross has his ice crop harvested so we are now ready for summer.

H. R. Megargle had a horse injured so that it died last week. Another good horse took sick and died very suddenly.

On Tuesday C. E. Lucks, district deputy, installed officers in Washington Camp, P. O. S. of A. No. 279.

Mrs. G. I. Griffin has been on the sick list but is improving.

For several months past F. L. Hartford has had unusual bad luck and now report says that while rolling a log he by an accident broke a bone in his leg.

John S. Osrood is over 80 years of age and one day last week he had a stroke of paralysis and is now in a precarious condition.

Mrs. Maria Caruth Butler died at her home in Sterling on Monday, Feb. 12. Deceased was born in Canada, October 5, 1877. She is survived by her husband and six sons, William and James, of Scranton; Frank, Norman, Lewis and Charles, of Sterling, also two daughters, Mrs. Walter Frey of Hollister-ville; Mrs. Arthur Fisk, of Plymouth. The funeral was held in the Sterling church, Rev. W. E. Webster officiating and interment was made in Zion cemetery.

The last of our church collections was taken last Sunday for foreign mission and nearly the amount asked for was realized.

HERE IS A REMEDY THAT WILL CURE SKIN AND SCALP AFFECTIONS.

And We Can Prove It.

The Leine's Drug Store says to every person be it man, woman or child who has an irritated, tender, inflamed, itching SKIN or SCALP, you need not suffer another day.

"We have a refined skin preparation that acts instantly and will bring you swift and sure results."

One warm bath with ZEMO SOAP and one application of ZEMO and you will not suffer another moment and you will soon see a cure in sight.

ZEMO and ZEMO SOAP are proven cures for every form of skin or scalp affection. They are sold by one leading druggist in every city or town in America and in Honesdale by A. M. Leine's drug store.

HONESDALE MARKET

Corrected Every Thursday

J. H. Stegner & Sons.

Lettuce, head
Celery, curly
Celery, California stalk
Spinach, 1/2 pk.
Red Cabbage, lb.
Carrots, quart
Beets, quart
Parsnips, quart
Endive, head
Potatoes, Wayne Co., pk.
Wax Beans, qt.
Cauliflower, head
Water Cress, bunch
Sweet Potatoes, 2 qts.
White Cabbage, lb.
Spanish onions, each
Onions, qt.
Potatoes, peck
Apples, peck
Turnips, peck
Oranges, Navels, doz.
Lemons, doz.
Grapes, Malaga, lb.

FISH

Codfish steak, per lb.
Whitefish, dressed
Halibut, steak
Spanish mackerel
Pickering
Yellow Pike
Smelts, not dressed
Clams, doz.
Scallops, doz.
Mackerel, Norway, No. 1
Mackerel, Norway, No. 2
Herring, salt, lb.
Haddock, with head
Trout, dressed

East Buffalo Cattle Market.

East Buffalo, Feb. 21.—CATTLE—Receipts, 100 head; fairly active and steady.

VEALS—Receipts, 200 head; active and steady at \$5.50a10.25.

HOGS—Receipts, 2,400 head; active and steady to 5c higher. He mixed, \$6.55a4.60; Yorkers, \$6.60; pigs, \$6.00a6.15; roughs, 7.5a5.90; stags, \$4.50a5.50; dairies, \$6.00a6.50.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Recel 7,000 head. Sheep active; lambs slow; lambs \$3.50a6.75; yearlings \$5.00a5.50; a few \$5.85.

LEDGEDALE.

(Special to The Citizen.)

Ledgedale, Pa., Feb. 20. Grover Sheerer has doubled gang of men and is changing looks of the Paupae Valley much.

F. B. Simons, wife and sons, R. and Horace, attended the funeral Mrs. Simons' father, William K. ble, at Dyberry, last week.

V. Runyon is still confined to house with the grip.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Sheerer spent Sunday with Mrs. Sheerer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Meyers at Sterling.

Elmer Reid has returned here having been working for some time in Scranton.

Start An Account

Every man, woman or child should make it a point to open up a little money for "rainy day" which we are liable to encounter when least expected. The best way to do this is to open a savings account with the

FARMERS AND MECHANICS BANK

HONESDALE, PA.

The bank for all classes accepts small or large accounts. Scrape together one dollar, or your deposit, receive your book, and then resolve to post a given sum, small the it may be, once a month, or once a week, according to the circumstances. Nobody knows without trying it, how easy thing it is to save money when an account with a bank has been opened. With an account a person feels a desire to large his deposit. It starts on the right road with something to rely upon in time need. Grow with this bank which has reached over \$300,000.00 mark in deposits.

The Farmers and Mechanics Bank was established in 1854. Capital Stock, \$75,000.00. One of the growing banks of Wayne county and represents the deposits of the people of various vocations of life.

M. E. SIMONS, President.
C. A. EMERY, Cashier.

Maple Sugar Time is Here How are Your Supplies?

Galvanized 10 qt. Sap Pails \$14 per 100

" 12 " " " 15 " "

" 10 " Pails with Bails 15 " "

" 12 " " " 16 " "

Sap Spouts 2c. each \$1.75 per 100

One gal. Syrup Cans 10c. each \$9 per "

Syrup Hydrometers 90c. each

Sap Pans all sizes \$1 to \$3.25 each

MURRAY CO., Honesdale