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JUSTICE OF THE PEACE. 1st Monday of Sept. 2d Monday of Oct. 3d Monday of Dec. Appellate Court is held between the above dates.

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EDITORS SPEAKERS ALL RIGHT. The Carrolltown News of Friday, August 18th, says:

Editor Spencer, of Spangler, has declared war on Sunday ball playing. A contest has been scheduled for two Sunday days between the Spangler and Nickerson teams, but on each occasion the editor had the games stopped.

Now the boys are wondering whether anyone has the power to prevent their playing on Sunday and will likely make another attempt, and find out what the law will do with them. It will be interesting for us would all like to know.

Inasmuch as several attempts have been made in Patton and vicinity to play base ball on Sunday the COURT respectfully quotes the following Act of Assembly, dated April 21, 1794, relative to worldly enjoyment and sports, games, etc., taken from Brightly's Pardon's Digest, found on Page 1872, 1-7:

"If any person shall do or perform any worldly enjoyment or business whatsoever on the Lord's day, commonly called Sunday, (works of necessity and charity only excepted), shall do or practice any unlawful game, hunting, shooting, sport or diversion whatsoever on the same day, and be convicted thereof, every such person so offending shall, for every such offence forfeit and pay four dollars, to be levied by distress; or in case he or she shall refuse or neglect to pay the said sum, or goods and chattels cannot be found, whereof to levy the same by distress, he or she shall suffer six days imprisonment in the house of correction of the proper county. Provided always, That nothing herein contained shall be construed to prohibit the dressing of victuals in private families, bake-houses, lodging-houses, inns and other houses of entertainment for the use of sojourners, travellers or strangers, or to hinder watermen from landing passengers, or ferryman from carrying over water travellers, or persons removing with their families on the Lord's day, commonly called Sunday, nor to the delivery of milk or the necessities of life, before nine of the clock in the forenoon, nor after five of the clock in the afternoon of the same day.

"Provided always, That every such prosecution shall be commenced within seventy-two hours after the offence shall be committed."

THEY have no terrapin in the Klondike, but hot-cared bull pup stew is the reliable goat producer in that region.

TOM WATSON declares the Populist party is on its last legs. This is what the Populist party gets for refusing Tom the privilege of pulling its legs.

UPON the anarchy shown by the United States Circuit Judges in West Virginia, it would seem that the United States Courts are greater than the Government.

NOW is the time for merchants to advertise in the PATTON COURIER. Are you represented in its columns? If not you should be and get hold of some of the trade which you otherwise would not get.

EVERY time a man is found dead in a bath room the tramp has additional reason for boycotting water.

An Editor's Prayer. The editor of the Batesville (Ark.) Bee went to church the other Sunday night and was called on to lead in prayer, when he said: "Almighty and kind Father who doth from Thy throne look down on the government of men and delinquent subscribers most humbly we beseech Thee to draw near unto them and whisper a few things in their ears that the statutes forbid us to utter. Thou knowest our wants, but the subscribers knoweth them not and seldom stop to inquire. Let it be known unto them that there are large patches on the homestead of our pants, and that we hunger and thirst and are a-soreth us not to sup with him. Thou knowest, Lord, that our paper and ink cost money, but the subscribers knoweth it not and careth a darn sight less. Thou knowest we are cold and the subscriber bringeth not the wood he promised, and we are shivering and shaketh while he roasteth his shins before the red hot stove of his mother-in-law. Tell him all these things, Lord, and if he then believeth and bringeth us succor, banish him to the lower regions, to dwell with calamity howlers and Thine shall be the glory and praise throughout our newspaper career. Amen."

"They don't make much fuss about it." We are speaking of DeWitt's Little Early Riser, the famous little pills for constipation, biliousness, and all stomach and liver troubles. They never gripe. C. W. Hodgkins, Patton Pharmacy.

Last of the Season. The last excursion of the season to the seashore over the Pennsylvania railroad leaves August 21. A special train of Pullman parlor cars and day coaches will leave Pittsburg on above-mentioned date at 8:55 a. m., arriving at Altoona 12:15 p. m., where stop for dinner will be made, reaching Philadelphia 4:25 p. m. and arriving Atlantic City, via the Delaware River Bridge route, at 8:40 p. m., making the run from Pittsburg to the seashore via the only all-rail route in eleven hours and forty-five minutes. Passengers may also spend the night in Philadelphia, and proceed to the shore by any regular train from Market Street Wharf or Broad Street Station the following day. Stop-over will also be allowed at Philadelphia on the going trip, within time limit, if tickets are deposited with agent at Broad Street Station, Philadelphia, immediately on arrival at that point.

"I crave but One Minute," said the public speaker, in a husky voice; and then he took a dose of One Minute cough cure, and proceeded with his oratory. One Minute cough cure is unequalled for throat and lung trouble. C. W. Hodgkins, Patton Pharmacy.

Special G. A. R. Excursion. To Buffalo Monday, August 23, 1897, via the Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburg railway. Note the train schedule and low rates round trip as follows:

Table with 3 columns: Station, Time, Fare. Buffalo to Buffalo, 8:00 a. m., \$1.00. Buffalo to Buffalo, 8:00 a. m., \$1.00. Buffalo to Buffalo, 8:00 a. m., \$1.00.

Tickets at above rates will also be on sale for all regular trains August 21st, 22nd, 23rd and 24th, limited for return passage until August 21st, 1897. For further information consult agents at stations named, or address A. F. Ravert, Excursion Agent, Rochester, N. Y.

Vim, vigor and and victory—these are the characteristics of DeWitt's Little Early Riser, the famous little pills for constipation, biliousness and all stomach and liver troubles. C. W. Hodgkins, Patton Pharmacy.

Ocean Grove Camp Meeting. In order to enable those who desire to visit the camp meeting to be held at Ocean Grove (Asbury Park), the Beech Creek railroad will sell on August 24th low rate excursion tickets to that point. Tickets will be good for passage on morning train east bound at a very low rate from all points on the road. Tickets to be good for return passage on regular trains until September 1st, inclusive, and passengers can stop off at Philadelphia within limit.

Free, Free, Free. With every \$25 worth of goods purchased at our store you will be presented with a beautiful piece of silverware, which can be seen displayed in our show window. MERRIN & KUSNER.

A Famous German Doctor's Work. Consumption is now known to be curable if taken in time—the German remedy known as Otto's Cure, having been found to be an almost certain cure for the disease. Asthma, bronchitis, croup, coughs, colds, pneumonia and all throat and lung diseases are quickly cured by Dr. Otto's Great German Remedy. Sample bottles of Otto's Cure are being given away by our agent, C. W. Hodgkins. Large sizes 25 and 50 cents.

Best table syrup on the market for 30 cents at Beck's.

Doctors in Session. The regular monthly meeting of the Cambria County Medical society was held in the society rooms in the Waters building Thursday afternoon.

Among the entertaining papers read was one by Dr. Haight on the subject, "My Experience as a Practitioner in Mexico." Out-of-town physicians present were Drs. Troxell and Ferguson of Gallatin, Somerville of Chest Springs, and Krebs of Lilly.—Johnstown Democrat.

A Great Medicine Given Away. C. W. Hodgkins is now giving 200 to all a trial package of the great herbal remedy, Bacon's Celery King. If ladies suffering from nervous disorders and constipation will use this remedy they will soon be free from the headaches and backaches that have annoyed them so much suffering. It is a perfect regulator. It quickly cures biliousness, indigestion, eruptions of the skin and all blood diseases. Large sizes 25 and 50 cents.

Dissolution Notice. Notice is hereby given to the public that the partnership heretofore existing between P. P. and B. Young in the butcher and meat market business in Patton Borough, has been dissolved by mutual consent, both parties retiring from business. All accounts will be settled, etc., upon being presented to P. P. Young.

P. P. AND B. YOUNG. Patton, Pa., Aug. 10, 1897.—3623 To Advertisers.

Hereafter all patrons who wish a display advertisement in the PATTON COURIER, or who wish to change their "ad" now running, must hand their copy in not later than Monday evening of each week. If handed in later than Monday evening it will have to be held over 'till the next week. Try to get copy in early. PATTON PUB. CO.

Dreadfully Nervous. Genis—I was dreadfully nervous, and for relief look your Karl's Clover Root Tea. It quieted my nerves and strengthened my whole nervous system. I was troubled with constipation, kidney and bowel trouble. Your Tea soon cleansed my system so thoroughly that I rapidly gained health and strength. Mrs. S. A. Sweet, Hartford, Conn. Sold at Corner Drug Store.

John Griffl, of Zanesville, O., says: "I never lived a day for thirty years without suffering agony, until a box of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cured my piles." For piles and rectal troubles, cuts, bruises, sprains, eczema and all skin troubles DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is unequalled. C. W. Hodgkins, Patton Pharmacy.

A Whim of Louis XI. In "The Dungeons of Old Paris" the author, Tighe Hopkins, says the transformation of the chateaux of Vincennes into a dungeon was decided upon by Louis XI while in a meditative mood.

"He walked one day in the precincts of Vincennes, wrapped in his threadbare surtout edged with rusty fur, and pinching at the queer little peaked cap with the leaden image of the Virgin stuck in the band. There was a smile on the sallow and saturnine face.

"At his majesty's right walked a stouthead, square nose of every complexion, wearing a close fitting doublet and armed like a hangman. On the king's left went a shabby person, vulgar and mean of face, whose gait was a ridiculous strut. Louis stopped against the dungeon and tapped the great wall with his finger. "What's just the thing, man, this?" he asked. "His feet in place, sire; eight in others," answered the squab man, Tristan, the executioner. "Good," said Louis. "But the place looks to me as if it were tumbling." "It might, no doubt, be in better repair, sire," observed the shabby person, Oliver, the barber, "but as it is no longer used."

"Ah, but suppose I thought of using it, gospie?" Then, sire, your majesty would have it repaired.

"To be sure," checked the king. "If I were to shut you up there, Oliver, you could get out, eh?" "I think so, sire." "But you, gospie," so his majesty, "you'd catch him and have him back to me, heist?" "Trust me, sire," said Tristan. "Then I'll have my dungeon mended," said Louis. "I'm going to have company here, gospie." "Sire!" exclaimed Oliver. "Prisoners so close to your majesty's own apartments! But you might hear their groans." "Ha! They groan, Oliver? The prisoners groan, do they? But there's no need why I should live in the chateau here. Hark you both, gospie, I'd like my guests to groan at their pleasure without the fear of inconveniencing their king." And the king and his hangman and his barber fell a-laughing."

Some Wesley Letters. A number of papers of interest to Methodism have been discovered in two boxes at the Wesleyan conference office in London. Among them are 44 letters of John Wesley to his brother Charles and 80 by Selina, co-widow of Huntingdon, the founder of the sect known as the Countess of Huntingdon's connection, written to Charles Wesley.

An old rule of civility says, "Be no less disrespectful to bite the nail of your thumb by way of scorn or derision, and drawing your nail from betwixt your teeth, to tell them that you value not this what they can do."

An original autograph of Jack Sheppard, accompanied by George Cruikshank's sketch of Jonathan Wild, sold at Sotheby's for \$20. A letter of Thackeray to Almsworth went for \$19.15.

THE WONDERS OF SCIENCE

Lung Troubles and Consumption Can be Cured.

An Eminent New York Chemist and Scientist Makes a Free Offer to Our Readers.

The distinguished New York chemist, T. A. Stocum, demonstrating his discovery of a reliable and absolute cure for consumption (Pulmonary Tuberculosis) and all bronchial, throat, lung and chest diseases, stubborn coughs, catarrhal affections, general decline and weakness, loss of flesh, and all conditions of wasting away, will send THREE FREE BOTTLES (all different) of his New Discoveries to any afflicted reader of the PATTON COURIER writing for them.

His "New Scientific Treatment" has cured thousands permanently by its timely use, and he considers it a simple professional duty to suffering humanity to donate a trial of his infallible cure.

Science daily develops new wonders, and this great chemist, patiently experimenting for years, has produced results as beneficial to suffering humanity as can be claimed by any modern genius. His assertion that lung troubles and consumption are curable in any climate is proven by "heartfelt letters of gratitude," filed in his American and European laboratories in thousands from those cured in all parts of the world.

Medical experts concede that bronchial, chest and lung troubles lead to consumption, which, uninterrupted, means speedy and certain death.

Simply write to T. A. Stocum, M. C., 98 Pine Street, New York, giving post-office and express address, and the free medicine will be promptly sent. Sufferers should take instant advantage of his generous proposition.

Please tell the Doctor that you saw his offer in the PATTON COURIER.

Education Your Howels With Concoction. Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever. No. 25. If C. C. C. fail, druggists refund money.

The people have long since learned that the most disagreeable medicines are not necessarily the best. In fact, as a rule, they are not. What is wanted is something mild and sure, such as chamberlain's colic, cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. That is really pleasant to take when reduced with water and sweetened. Then it is acknowledged everywhere to be the most successful remedy in the world for bowel complaints. Ask any number of druggists for the best remedy they have for diarrhoea and fully nine out of ten will recommend chamberlain's. In speaking of this medicine, Mr. B. E. Ruffum, of Friendsville, Susquehanna county, Pa., says: "We have used it in our family for pain in the stomach, colic and diarrhoea and found it to be a most effective remedy." For sale by Patton Pharmacy, C. W. Hodgkins.

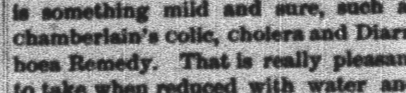
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Address all communications to F. A. CRESSWELL, Gen. Mgr., 3564 Johnstown, Pa.



Clinton St., Johnstown.

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All Spring and Summer goods must go at any price. We want to clean counters for our Fall Goods. It will pay you to go to Quinn's, Johnstown.

There Are Other

PEBBLES ON THE BEACH!

We are Not the Only Ones!

And we ain't going to promise you the earth for nothing. What we will give you is

Good Value and Good Treatment.

And a visit to our store will prove to you that we have the finest line of Groceries and General Merchandise ever handled in this section.

Miners Store Co., Limited,

Do you know That I am Selling Wall PLASTER,

That I have the two best Patent Plasters made? The Diamond Wall Cement —AND THE— Crown Wall Plaster

and sell both very cheap. Get my prices before buying elsewhere.

Also Sell Cement

Giant Portland, Rosendale Cement and Hillsboro Plaster, which is the best grade of Plaster Paris made.

ALSO Phosphate, Farmers' Dissolved Bone, which is made by the Baltimore Guano Co.

I have just received a car load of FINE SHINGLES,

both No. 1 and No. 2, which I am selling at a very low price.

Those contemplating building or using any of the above articles will do well to get my prices before purchasing elsewhere.

GEO. S. GOOD, PATTON, PA.