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Local Man Is Granted Court Rule

H. C. Lonsberry, of Patton, Opens Proceedings to Be Freed from Payments.

Tuesday's Johnstown Democrat.
EBENSHI FRIG. Upon petition of H. C. Lonsberry of Patton, presented before Judge John E. Evans in court Monday, a rule, returnable March 5, was granted upon the Johnstown Terminal Warehouse Co., acting in the litigation for the First National Bank of Davidville, to show cause why a judgment on a note against the petitioner should not be set aside because of allegations of fraud on the part of the stockholders for the warehouse company in selling the capital stock of the enterprise.
The petitioner admits that he signed several notes for large amounts payable to the Johnstown Terminal Warehouse Co., and one of them held by the Davidville bank. Judgment was secured against him at the December term of court, but he now alleges that the notes were made by him through the practice of fraud by agents of the company, and that assurances had been given him at the time that he would never be required to pay out any money, the agents, according to the petition, making the promise that the company would pay off the notes when they became due.
According to the petition, two agents of the Johnstown Terminal Warehouse company visited Mr. Lonsberry at his farm near Patton last July and outlined to him the Johnstown warehouse proposition. The men said they were representatives of the Pennsylvania Railroad Co., which, they said, was greatly in need of a terminal warehouse in Johnstown, and was actively interested in the venture. The company organized as the Johnstown Terminal Warehouse Co. The men said that practically all the stock in the new company had been purchased, but that the money could not be realized until the following December.

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But merchants gain and grow by experience. That is the reason the statement that the Dollar Day to be held in Altoona on Wednesday, Feb. 14, will be the greatest trade event ever held in the city. The members of the Boosters' Association are preparing for what is coming. They will have cash, they will have the assistance to turn over to the public, in exchange for their dollars, just what they want.
Dollars will be king on Feb. 14. Count your needs, no matter what they may be, bring as many dollars as you have needs. Every need will be filled, and the values will rise so far above the price that arithmetical comparisons will be an impossibility. Join the throng. It will be a splendid way to spend Valentine Day. Get counsellor practical, useful valentines at the Dollar Day stores.

Former Resident Visits Patton.
Augustus Dale, a former Patton youth, who for the past several years has been in the west, as a traveling representative of the Gill Manufacturing Company of Philadelphia, visited Patton and his old time friends in visit after twelve years absence last week. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Dale, of Philipsburgh.

Anthony C. Patalia.
The body of Anthony C. Patalia, aged 29 years, of Patton, who died on January 20th at Avlauda, Fla., arrived at his home in Patton on Friday last. Interment was made on Saturday in St. Mary's Catholic cemetery this place. His death was due to tuberculosis.

Basketball Game by Girls Tonight.
The Patton High School Girls' Basketball Team will contest at the Miners' Hall here tonight with the fast Ebensburg High School Girls' Team, and quite a bit of sport is in store for those who attend. The local young ladies won their first game played in a contest with Hastings last week. They want you to see them in action tonight.

Undergoes Operation.
James Fairbanks, of Hastings, underwent an operation at the Spangler hospital Monday for appendicitis and is reported to be regaining fairly well.

Miner Fractures Ankle.
John Jubas, of Spangler, suffered a fracture of the left ankle late Friday afternoon when he was caught under a fall of coal at the West Branch mine. He is a patient at the Miner's Hospital.

Ex-Sheriff James M. Shoemaker.
died at his home in Johnstown last Thursday morning at 7:15 o'clock of a complication of diseases, aged 72 years. Funeral took place Sunday afternoon with interment in Grandview cemetery.

A meeting of the Nant-y-Glo Fire Company has been called for tonight at which time arrangements are to be made for the Fremont's Bazar to be held in the Lather Hall from February 14 to 24.

Mrs. Simpson Receives Invitation.

Mrs. William Simpson, of this place has received an invitation from the Publication Art Society, to attend the National Course in music to be given this summer at the Philadelphia Conservatory of Music. The course is given only to advanced music teachers and the society defrays all tuition charges and materials used in connection with the course. Mrs. Simpson feels very much honored to be placed on this complimentary list and is considering attending. She has already studied under four Professors at the League Conservatory of Music, Germany, one of them being a descendant of the famous composer, Spohr.

Patton Building & Loan Association.

A new line of stock was authorized by the Directors which is now offered for subscription. The Association offers an excellent opportunity for persons to deposit monthly for their own savings and realize handsome returns on the same. The Association also offers an opportunity and plan by which persons of small means may own their own homes. In this way the rent usually paid will become the priority of the individual making such deposits monthly. In other words the individual who deposits his rent on the stock plan for ten or twelve years will own his own home at that time whereas the individual who does not will pay rent for the same length of time and in the end not own his own home.

Party Held at St. Augustine.

A surprise party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Krise in honor of their daughter Madeline. The following guests were present: Mrs. H. J. Ryan, Mrs. and Mrs. James Krise, Lucy Hoover, Annie Horne, Mrs. and Madeline Krise, Maria Crebin, Messrs. Leo Crebin and Ed Crebin, Messrs. John and E. J. Krise, Edwin Hoover, Neal Leo and Ralph Krise, Ralph Nagle, E. D. and Marcellus Hoover, and Lewis Nagle. The evening was spent in playing cards. Luncheon was served.

Miscellaneous Shower is Held.

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CONDOLENCE.

Castle Hill, Mountain Lake, No. 81, Knights of Pythias,
Feb. 8, 1923.
Whereas, We record the entrance into our portals of the Messenger from the eternal world, and has returned from our midst one of our esteemed and worthy Brothers, John O'Brien, who without a murmur, went with the grim stranger down through the valley of death into the unknown beyond.
Resolved, That while we recognize the Supreme Commander of all, who doeth all things well, we are impressed with the fact that this is not our dwelling place, but that we are destined to pass on, by one to another, Grand Lodge above where Fraternity reigns supreme.
Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family of our deceased brother and a copy be spread upon the minutes of Mountain Lodge.
Witness the hands of the Committee, attested by the C. C. and K. of R. and S.
Fraternally,
WILLIAM NELSON,
LEONARD LACUE,
CLARK HEIST,
Committee.
Thomas Morgan,
C. C.
Richard Rowland,
K. of R. and S.

Protects Pennsylvania Crop.

To safeguard the interests of potato growers, a Federal regulation requiring that potato shipments from Canada and Bermuda be officially certified by the district or locality where grown, especially in the Dominion of Canada, became effective on February 1, according to advices recently received by plant pathologists at the Pennsylvania State College. Pennsylvania potato growers get most of their seed stock from sources other than those mentioned, but the ruling is of particular importance to them in that it prevents the possible entry of potato wart in sections of the state where it has not heretofore been found, through the importation of either table or seed potatoes. This disease, which is now rigidly confined to a definite quarantine area by the State Department of Agriculture is known to exist in certain sections of Canada, and the certification will be instrumental in preventing its spread in this and other states.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Northern Cambria Farmers' Telephone Company was held in the Grand Hall, Patton on Tuesday afternoon.

A large representation was present and a large amount of business transacted.

To Get Free Phone Service

Farmers' Company Holds Annual Election and Hears Good Reports

Stockholders of the Northern Cambria Farmers' Telephone Co. held their annual meeting here Tuesday night and elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, H. M. Gooderhand, vice president, P. C. Strittmatter, secretary, treasurer, Edward Wiser, directors for three years, Daniel Sheehan, P. C. Strittmatter and Frank Miller, director for two years, F. A. Westrick.

Reports submitted at the meeting indicate that the company has 30 miles of copper wire for phone service. The organization expects to purchase additional wire during the coming summer to rebuild additional parts of the line.

The stockholders voted to have a 5-cent rate of stock for \$1 for stock, holders and \$2 for rented phones. Free service for stockholders over their own lines was voted by the directors of the company. The company, which is a central station with both the Bell and independent telephone companies.

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John O'Brien Is Fatally Injured

Caught Between Mine Cars and Wall When Derailment Occurs

John O'Brien, one of Patton's farm-owners, died instant death on Friday afternoon of last week in Mine No. 33 of the Pennsylvania Coal and Coke Corporation at this place, when a trip of mine jumping, the track at the mine opening and crash of Mr. O'Brien beneath them. He was in the fifth year of his age.
The deceased was employed as a pumper and was working the three to 11 o'clock shift last week, the accident occurring while he was entering the mine for the evening shift. Just as he entered the opening a motor hauling a string of loaded cars ran away with the result that it came down the track at the spot where Mr. O'Brien was walking. He was crushed between the mine wall and the cars.
Mr. O'Brien had returned Thursday evening of last week from Altoona, where he had represented the Patton local of the United Mine Workers of America at the conference of Operators and miners which was his first trip to that city.
John O'Brien was married to Mrs. O'Brien, who survives. His wife and three children, Joseph, Leo, Madeline, Frances and Rease O'Brien all reside here. The following brothers and sisters also survive: James, William, William, Stoney, Mrs. A. J. Rodgers, of Grove City; Mrs. S. R. Kreutter, of Stoneboro; Mrs. Patrick Meehan, of Patton, and Mrs. B. J. McCaffery, of Methodist Episcopal church, Killbuck. The following brothers and sisters also survive: James, William, William, Stoney, Mrs. A. J. Rodgers, of Grove City; Mrs. S. R. Kreutter, of Stoneboro; Mrs. Patrick Meehan, of Patton, and Mrs. B. J. McCaffery, of Methodist Episcopal church, Killbuck. The following brothers and sisters also survive: James, William, William, Stoney, Mrs. A. J. Rodgers, of Grove City; Mrs. S. R. Kreutter, of Stoneboro; Mrs. Patrick Meehan, of Patton, and Mrs. B. J. McCaffery, of Methodist Episcopal church, Killbuck.

Bogus Money Bad Business

Tony Insantino of Hastings Committed to Jail Following Hearing

Tony Insantino, resident of Hastings, for the past 14 months, but formerly of Brooklyn, N. Y., was arrested by Secret Service operatives on a charge of counterfeiting, and following a hearing before United States Commissioner Ray Patton Smith of Johnstown, was ordered committed to the Allegheny County jail to await trial on the charge. He was unable to furnish bail.
Insantino, it is alleged passed counterfeit money in the town of Hastings, and in one instance, in particular on the Delco-Roca store of that place. It is alleged that he passed \$20 and \$10 bills, counterfeit money.
Secret Service men have been working on the case for some time and the arrest of Insantino it is said, will clear up some of the passing of bogus money in that section. It is claimed that a considerable amount of bogus money has been passed on streets and others at Hastings, but the amount has not been determined.

St. Augustine News.

Mrs. Mary, Treasurer of Altoona is spending a few days in St. Augustine, Fla., with Mrs. O'Brien. Mrs. O'Brien is visiting her parents here.
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The primary department of the Baptist Sunday school had a big time last Monday evening. Every boy and girl tried to make every other boy and girl smile, and the time of the evening was spent in a very merry and profitable way.

Prof. William Simpson of this place is directing the music for the celebration of Plymouth, a home talent affair to be given in St. Patrick's hall at Spangler next Monday night. William Simpson, Jr. is playing the cello in the orchestra.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.

In memory of Past Sachem Frank H. Kincaid who died January 29, 1923.
Once again the "Great Spirit" has summoned through death a Brother Red Man to take the long trail to the Happy Hunting Grounds, to the Kingdom of Pomehah, to a life in the Land of the Hereafter. He has been a diligent and faithful worker in our Tribe's Labors of Freedom, Friendship and Charity, and has contributed freely of aid in relieving the necessities of the widow and orphan. As a recompense of his service he has received the plaudit, "well done" from the "Great Spirit".
And whereas the all-wise and merciful Father has called our beloved and respected Brother home; and he is being a true and faithful member of our Mystic Order, therefore be it
RESOLVED, That Killbuck Tribe, No. 369, Order of Red Men, of Patton, Pa., in testimony of loss, tender to the family of our deceased brother our sincere condolence in their deep affliction, and that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family.
ALBERT LACUE,
HUGH WHITFORD,
THOMAS FISHER,
Committee.

Interesting Newspaper.

An interesting newspaper, bearing date of April 15, 1863, containing the news story of the assassination of President Lincoln forms a part of the window display in the store of W. L. Thompson. Take a look at it.

M. E. CHURCH.

Sunday school at 10 a. m. The Sunday school is growing and it will grow one more if you come. Morning worship. Attend by the choir. Sermon by pastor. Duet W. A. Graham and wife. League at 6:45. Evening service. Special music. Sermon by pastor. We will be glad to see you come.

FOOD SALE.

The W. C. T. U. will hold a food sale on February 15, 1923, in the afternoon and evening. This sale will take place in Geo. Dziuransky's meat market on Main Street.

Mr. Gordon Buck of this place (transacted business in Carrolltown last Saturday).

C. H. S. Defeats Patton H. S.

Carecity, Pa. High defeated Patton Patton Friday night, 27 to 20. At the outset it appeared to be anything but a close game, but the scoring of both teams in the third quarter Patton blanked Carecity, while garnering 10 points for themselves and taking the lead by the score of 20 to 10. In the final quarter Carecity, however, showed its recuperative powers and excellent teamwork by collecting eight field goals and one foul, while holding Patton without the line. The final score was Patton, 27; Carecity, 20. Monteith Weiskand, Patton, 3; Larimer Kerr, Patton, 2; S. Winkler, Patton, 1; Moore, Patton, 1; Garrison, Patton, 1. Patton scores: McAffery for Moore, 1; Field Goals: Kerr, A. Winkand, 2; Weiskand, 2; Buck, 2; Larimer, 2; Monteith, 2. Patton field goals: 10. Carecity scores: 8. Carecity scores: 11. Patton scores: 27. Carecity scores: 20. Patton scores: 27. Carecity scores: 20.

Patton Girls Defeat Hastings.

Last Friday evening a basket ball game took place at Hastings between the Patton girls and the Hastings girls. This was the first game played by the teams this season. The Patton girls were victorious and the Hastings girls were defeated. The Patton girls scored 13 points and the Hastings girls scored 11 points. The game was well played and the Patton girls showed excellent teamwork. The Hastings girls also played well but were out of sync.

Renovating Hotel.

The New Palmer House under the ownership and management of Samuel and Basil Weiskand will soon appear in resplendent dress throughout. Ever since the new ownership assumed control a few weeks ago, workmen have been busy renovating the interior. When completed the New Palmer House will stand out as the best hotel in Northern Cambria.

Opinion Handed Down.

In the case of the International Coal Corporation against the Navy Smoker's Coal Company, the U. S. District Court in New York City has given judgment in favor of the Navy Smoker's Coal Company. The court ruled that the Navy Smoker's Coal Company is entitled to the use of the coal rights in the area of the International Coal Corporation's mine. The court's decision is a significant one for the coal industry in the region.

Will Advertise for Bids.

The Board of County Commissioners last week voted to instruct County Controller Herman T. Jones to advertise for bids on the farm buildings for the courthouse, as specified by Architect J. R. Gordon, of New York City. Following a lengthy discussion, the Commissioners voted on the proposition T. Stanton Davis and H. E. Hefley voting aye, while Dwight Roberts was opposed. Judges John E. Evans, John H. McCann and Samuel Lemmon, Reed were present during the discussion of the courthouse furnishings. Judges Evans and McCann signed the specification in approval. Judge Reed had no jurisdiction in the matter. The committee appointed by the Cambria County Bar Association to represent that body in the selection of furnishings took part in the discussion, headed by Attorney F. N. Shilling.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to acknowledge our grateful appreciation for the many kindnesses shown us in our great sorrow and loss of a dear husband and father, JOHN O'BRIEN & FAMILY.

Baptist Church.

YOU are cordially invited to all meetings at the Baptist church as follows: Morning worship 10:30, evening worship 7:45. Pastor Zwayer will preach as usual at both these services Sunday School 2:00 P. M. Prayer meeting and Bible study Wednesday 7:45 P. M. Come, and bring others with you.

Calvary Chapel.

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Oyster Supper.

The Walter McCoy Post No. 614 will hold an oyster supper and dance at the Municipal hall, Monday, Feb. 12, 1923. Oysters will be served to suit everyone's taste, fried, stewed, or raw. The supper will be taken care of by Meslames Adams, Sr. and J. J. Furnaldy, Jacobs and Lucas. Mess Sergeant Andrew Jacobs with his squad of K. P.s. will wait on tables and give his assurance of prompt and effective service. Side dishes will be served with the oysters. Arrange to be present.

Season of Lent Starts Next Week

Rules and Regulations Will be Read in all Catholic Churches Sunday

The priests have received from Bishop John J. McCort, of the Altoona Diocese, the Catholic Church, through Canonizer Bernard Conley, of Janata, the following rules for the Lenten season:
Lent begins on Ash Wednesday, February 15. The regulations follow:
All the faithful who have completed their 21st year, and who are under 50 years of age, are bound to observe Fast or Lent, unless dispensed for legitimate reasons.
The following persons are exempt from fasting: The infirm, those under 14 years of age, women in pregnancy or nursing infants, those who are engaged in laborious occupations, and those over 50 years of age.
Only one full meal a day is allowed, except on Sundays.
On the days on which permission is granted to eat meat, both fish and meat are allowed at the same meal.
A collation or partial meal is allowed in the evening. It should never exceed eight ounces.
Bread, butter, cheese, fruit of all kinds, salads, vegetables and fish are permitted at the collation. Milk and eggs are also allowed.
It is lawful to drink in the morning some warm liquid, such as tea, coffee or chocolate, and to partake of a small portion of bread, not exceeding two ounces.
The use of lard or fat instead of butter is allowed in preparing vegetables, etc.
The use of flesh meat will be allowed at any time on Sundays, and once a day on Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays, with the exception of Ember Saturday and the forenoon of the last Saturday of Lent.
On the above named days when meat is allowed, its use is not restricted to one meal in cases of persons exempt from fasting by age or laborious occupation.
When the principle meal cannot be conveniently taken at midday, it is permitted to change the order, taking the smaller meal at midday, and the larger one in the evening.
Men serving in the army or navy are allowed meat on all days of the year, except Lent.
Ash Wednesday, Good Friday and the forenoon of Holy Saturday.
In virtue of the powers granted the Holy See on March 15, 1915, for 10 years, workmen and their families are permitted the use of flesh meat on all fast days and abstinence days throughout the year, with the exception of Holy Wednesday, the Wednesday of Holy Week, the forenoon of Holy Saturday and the eve of Christmas. This concession is made to persons engaged at hard labor for every meal, and for the principal meal to the members of their families, even though not employed at hard labor. On fast days, therefore, members of the household of workmen who are not exempt from the law of fasting and abstinence on account of hard labor, may use meat once a day; that is, at the principal meal, on the days on which its use is allowed by the law.
Those who avail themselves of this dispensation are exhorted to perform some voluntary act of mortification.
The time during which the Paschal lamb may be discharged will begin on the first Sunday of Lent (February 18) and end on Trinity Sunday (May 27).
By order of the Right Rev. Bishop.

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