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MOON'S PHASES. Quarter 4 7:40, Full 12 11:39, First 20 9:03, Last 27 9:03.

Editorial.

A WORD TO THE COUNCIL.

Our sidewalks are in a terrible condition generally, and have been so for a month. It is almost necessary to wear gum boots and use stilts to keep dry feet.

During court week when a few hours' work with shovel or snow plow would have cleared our gutters and enabled the water to pass off, not a hand was raised, and the town was thoroughly advertised throughout the county.

SANDYSTON MATTER.

So much has been written and talked concerning the troubles in that township that our readers have probably concluded enough has been said, but a word may tend to somewhat clear the atmosphere.

written by Rev. Alexander Craig, dated July 5, 1895, who at the request of Mr. Demings had investigated the rumors to the members of the congregations at Hainesville and Centreville, in which the rumors were denounced as being without any foundation, and without doubt base fabrications, and malicious libels.

This was throwing the church, the pastor and the congregations into the arena of politics. Naturally old scores were opened, and the old bitterness revived, which finally culminated in an election for trustees of the church, at which election two sets were chosen.

Mr. Demings presided at the trial, selected the jury, assumed the role of counsel in the examination of witnesses, and production of evidence, and then when the two trustees were declared guilty of the charges in manner and form as they were preferred, he performed the mournful duty of declaring them expelled from the church membership.

They are formally expelled and hence are precluded from testing the legality of their election. They are under bonds to appear before a criminal court and answer the charge of maliciously breaking in the church and disturbing its peace.

The Press last week advertised "for gentle Spring to come," and she promptly appeared. Who will say there is no virtue in a Press "ad."

Will the supervisor or supervisors who were out on the roads in gum boots and overcoats, with hoes or shovels during the recent heavy rains, preventing washes on the hills or other places and so saving the taxpayers a large sum of money please send in their names for publication, so that the people of the townships may make no mistake in not re-electing them next year.

Judge Craig in Carbon county last week in refusing to hear the Lehigh Coal & Navigation Company case, because he had received a letter intimating that he might be partial to the company.

THE LADIES' COLUMN. APPLE PUDDING.—Fill a butter baking dish with sliced apples and pour over the top a batter made of one tablespoonful of butter, one half cup of sugar, one egg, one half cup of sweet milk, and one cup of flour, to which has been sifted one teaspoonful of baking powder.

IMPROVING AN EGG.—To prepare an uncoked egg so it shall be tasteful and delicious, beat the yolk in a glass with a teaspoonful of sugar until very light, stir in a teaspoonful of sherry, port or brandy; add to this the white of the egg beaten to a froth, and mix well.

CEMENT FOR GLASS.—A cement for mending broken glass or china is made by dissolving half an ounce of gum arabic in wineglassful of boiling water and adding enough plaster of paris to make a thick paste.

TO SWEETEN BUTTER.—If you have butter that is not entirely sweet, put it in a porcelain dish with a little salt and a tiny piece of soda, place over the fire and bring to a boil.

COVER FOR HOT WATER BAG.—The cover should be made of all-wool flannel that has been washed, to prevent shrinking. Cut it in the shape of a bag at the bottom, allow one inch for seams. The top is in ordinary bag shape, with a piece of ribbon stitched on the outside of the top edge as a facing for the draw strings, which should be of silk braid to correspond in color.

DELICIOUS ALMOND CAKES.—Take the whites of six eggs, one pound of pulverized sugar, an ounce of ground cinnamon, a pound of almonds, blanched and chopped fine, and the grated rind of one lemon.

ORPHAN'S COURT SALE. By virtue of an order of the Orphan's Court to me directed I will expose to sale by public vendue or outcry at the Court House in the Borough of Milford on

SATURDAY, APRIL 25th.

at 2 o'clock P. M. the following described real estate of which John Henry Meyer, Frederick Meyer and Christian D. Meyer, late of the Township of Dingman, deceased, died seized to wit: All that part of an original tract or piece of land situated in and known as the year 1884, situated near the Log Tavern Ford in Dingman township, County of Pike and State of Pennsylvania, and the original tract numbered on the map or chart of said township 161, (one hundred and sixty-one).

TREASURER'S SALE Of Unseated Lands in Pike County for Taxes of 1894, 1895 and School 1896.

Notice is hereby given that agreeably to an Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania entitled an Act to amend the Act entitled an Act directing the mode of selling unseated lands for taxes and for other purposes, passed March 18th, A. D. 1815, by a supplement to an Act to amend the Act entitled an Act directing the mode of selling unseated lands for taxes and for other purposes passed March 17, A. D. 1816, and by further supplement to last recited Act passed March 30, 1884, by Act entitled an Act in relation to the sales of unseated lands in the several counties of this Commonwealth passed March 9, 1847, the following described tracts of land (described in the warrant name) will be sold on the

Second Monday in June Next, (being the eighth day of said month) commencing at 9 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at public vendue, at the COURT HOUSE IN MILFORD, in the County of Pike, for arrearsages of taxes due and costs accrued on each lot respectively:

Table of unseated lands for taxes in various townships including Milford, Paimry, Blooming Grove, and others. Lists names of owners and amounts due.

TREASURER'S NOTICE Of Sale of Seated Lands for Arrearsages of Taxes.

The following is the list of taxes returned by the collectors for the several townships for the years 1893 and 1894, and school year 1895, with costs, which land will be sold agreeably to the act of the 10th of February A. D. 1870, at the same time and place as the above and foregoing unseated lands:

Table of seated lands for tax arrears in various townships including Milford, Paimry, Blooming Grove, and others. Lists names of owners and amounts due.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of Levari Facias issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Pike county, to me directed, I will expose to public sale by vendue or outcry, at the Sheriff's office in the Borough of Milford on

Saturday, April 24th, A. D. 1896, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, all that lot, piece or parcel of land, situate in the Township of Lackawaxen, County of Pike, State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a post corner of lands conveyed by Jacob Coyell to Lewis S. Coyell on the bank of the Lackawaxen river, thence along said Coyell's land west seventy rods to a stone corner, thence south twelve degrees west sixty-six rods to a stone corner, thence east sixty-seven and three-fourths rods to a point on the bank of said river, and thence northerly along the river above said several courses and distances thereof to the place of beginning. Containing twenty-eight and five-eighths acres of land more or less, and being the same land and premises which Solomon S. Spicer, et al., ux. granted and conveyed to Ann Huff by their deed bearing date of 10th of December, 1882.

UPON the premises are frame dwelling houses and outbuildings. Selected and taken in execution as the property of Ann Huff and will be sold by me for cash. H. I. COVINGTON, Sheriff, Milford, Pa., March 29, 1896.

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Hints for the Household. Fruit is not a complete dietary in itself, but it is excellent to accompany meat diet. The acid contained in the fruits assists digestion, and it is for this reason that apple sauce should be served with roast pork or goose, the fat of which is rendered more assimilable by it.

Woodwork and floors are now stained with a color called forest green. It harmonizes with draperies and coverings of almost any color.

After the juice has been squeezed from lemons the peel may be utilized for cleaning brass. Dip it in common salt and scour with powdered brick dust.

To remove a grease spot from wall paper, hold a piece of blotting paper over the spot with a hot flat iron for a few moments.

Crinklers may be removed from gratings and ranges by throwing half a dozen oysters shells into the fire when the coal is aglow and cover them with fresh coal. The crinklers are made soft by this means and are easily disposed of.

Dream Superstitions. A dream concerning the eye means a loss of property. Climbing a tree while dreaming means you will attain to high political honor.

Seeing a fire in a dream denotes a speedy quarrel with a friend for a very trivial cause. A dream of being clothed in silk denotes ultimate wealth for yourself and happiness for your family.

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