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TRESPASS LAW.

The arrest and fine of a person last week for alleged infraction of the special law protecting an association in this county, gave rise to the usual loud and angry protests among a class of citizens, that the corporation should be favored with such exclusive and absolute priviliges, so far as we heard no sympathy was expressed for other land owners not enjoying a like protection. The question naturally arises why? If one association owning land, paying taxes thereon, and improving it is especially protected by stringent laws which enables it to control the use of its property and prevent trespassing, why should not other associations and land owners enjoy the same or like rights? Why should farmers who pay taxes on their lands not be allowed the liberty of saying who may use and enjoy them for fishing and hunting purposes. Certainly they as a class, not only paying taxes but spending their hard earned dollars in the community, should receive the same consideration as those who occupy lands for sporting purposes only, and who are enabled by reason of their stringent laws to prevent encroachments in their lands, but who may at the same time also hunt and fish at will over the whole country. Why not place all our land owners on the same plane and confer on all property holders like rights? Is there any injustice in this? Who but those who are not land owners can complain, and why should they have priviliges to use for sporting purposes the farmers' lands at their will?

Suppose a club of men wished to lease or occupy for sporting purposes a few hundred or thousand acres and were willing to pay a fair rental for the right, the farmers might obtain a revenue directly from their lands by leasing such privileges reserving to themselves such rights as they saw proper.

Under our present laws this cannot be done because there is no adequate protection for the enjoyment of such privileges. A farmer may protect a flock of quails or pheasants on his lands and some day a sportsman comes along with his dogs and bags the whole covey. There is no redress. The birds are wild the farmer has no property in them, no appreciable damage has been done to his land and he must grin and bear it. We should like to see an effort made to pass a more stringent trespass law so that all land owners might be enabled to have some control over their lands and the streams which flow through them.

The Grout oleomargarine bill passed the House of Representatives last Friday and now goes to the Senate where its fate is in doubt. It was not opposed by any member of the Pennsylvania delegation, but the Southern cotton seed interests and butterine people will make a bitter fight against its passage. It should receive the support of every real friend of the farmers.

Little Delaware will have a warm contest this winter over the election of two United States Senators. The Republicans are divided and Addicks who is a candidate cannot be elected without the aid of Democrats.

THE CHURCH COLUMN.

Methodist Episcopal Church.
Rev. C. E. Scudder, Pastor

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Class Meeting	9.30
Preaching	10.30
Sunday School	11.45
Epworth League	6.45
Preaching	7.30

WEEK DAY SERVICES.

Prayer Meeting Wed	7.30
Class Meeting Fri	7.30

CHURCH NOTES

The revival services will continue on Wednesday, Friday and Sabbath evenings. These are the regular services and may be made seasons of continued and increasing revival work. Three things are necessary; first, that christians come; second, that they come prayerfully; third, that they invite and bring with them the unsaved. When we do our part God will do His.

To all persons interested in the singing class we wish to announce that the "Cantata" will be given as early in January as possible. We hope to be ready by the 3rd I see no reason why we should not be prepared by that time.

The subjects for next Sunday are, "The true riches or tried gold" and "The walk of the just."

Next Sabbath afternoon there will be service at the Schocopee school house.

The catechism of the M. E. church has been put in the hands of all our Junior Leaguers and instruction is given each Friday afternoon in the teaching of the church. We believe this will prepare the hearts of the children for conversion and church membership.

The need of thorough instruction in the fundamentals of a christian life is seen by every careful observer. There is no time like childhood for such instruction. It is not given in the home as it once was. The modern work of the church in looking after the young has become a necessity to its progress. It is a grave mistake for parents to delegate the religious teaching of their children to church instructions. When the home teaching becomes more, and the church instruction not less, then there will be less need to plead for a more rational experience and a more genuine christian life.

The "Choir Heralds," used by our choir are furnishing us with good music and the singers by their faithfulness deserve this word of appreciation. We expect in a short time, to be able to publish in this column, the musical selections to be rendered on the Sabbath for the benefit of the general public.

EDGEMERE.

Hom. A. M. Beitler's boat-house is nearly completed.

Wm. Sinley has just given J. V. Sloan's summer cottage a coat of paint on the outside and a coat of varnish on the inside and made many other improvements.

Mrs. Justin Nilis who has been visiting relatives and friends in New York city and other parts of New York state for the past seven weeks returned last Thursday.

All who attended the dance party at August Mercier's last Wednesday report a very enjoyable time.

Robert Depue, of Bushkill, has been spending the week at August Mercier's.

Edgemere school both teacher and pupils are greatly rejoicing over the much needed and useful presents they have just received.—A Mrs. Geo. A. McCall, of Philadelphia, sent the school five medium sized Webster's dictionaries and the Youths Companion for one year, and then went among her friends and raised money for an organ that the teacher informed her could be bought very cheap near at home, so with the articles mentioned above, and with the many improvements that have been made in the school building by those interested the school will be in a more progressive condition than it has been before. We only wish there were more ladies like Mrs. McCall.

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SARAH F. MORGAN,
Oct. 7, 1898. Brownsburg, Va.

Happy Illustration.

"What is an anecdote, Johnny?" asked the teacher.

"A short, funny tale," answered the little fellow.

"That's right," said the teacher. "Now, Johnny, you may write a sentence on the blackboard containing the word."

Johnny hesitated a moment, and then wrote this:

"A rabbit has four legs and one anecdote."—Tit-Bits.

The Deluded Canine.

"The dog is one of the most intelligent of animals," remarked Willie Wishington.

"So I've heard," answered Miss Cayenne.

"And he is the most loyal admirer a man can have."

"Yes. I never could quite reconcile those two assertions."—Washington Star.

A Safe Bet.

Mr. Cobble—I'll bet that I can tell with absolute certainty just what the weather will be for the next 24 hours.

Miss Stone—I'd like to bet you five dollars you can't. Now go ahead and tell.

Mr. Cobble—Not so fast. Meet me on this spot to-morrow at this hour. —Judge.

An Amendment.

Mr. Dinsmore—I am writing a letter to Uncle John and telling him that his advice has been of infinite value to me.

Mrs. Dinsmore—You had better say it was of infinitesimal value.

"Why?"

"Well, it's a longer word, and I think it will impress him more."—Harlem Life.

A Woman's Awful Peril.

"There is only one chance to save your life and that is through an operation" were the startling words heard by Mrs. I B. Hunty, of Lime Ridge, Wis., from her doctor after he had vainly tried to cure her of a frightful case of stomach trouble and yellow jaundice. Gall stones had formed and she constantly grew worse. Then she began to use Electric Bitters which wholly cured her. It's a wonderful Stomach, Liver and Kidney remedy. Cures Dyspepsia, Loss of Appetite. Try it. Only 50c. Guaranteed. For sale by all druggists

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GEORGE H. MCCARTY,
July 1, 1897. Lessee.

TRESPASS NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that trespassing upon the southern half of the tract of land known as the William Denny, No. 66, in Shohola township, for hunting, fishing, or, any other purpose, also trespassing on Sawkill pond in Dingman township, or, fishing in it is forbidden under penalty of the law.
M. CLELAND MILNOR,
Apr18im Attorney for owner.

TRESPASS NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that trespassing upon the property of the Forest Lake Association in Lackawaxen township, Pike county, Pa., for the purpose of hunting and fishing, or any other purpose is strictly forbidden under penalty of the law.
ALEXANDER HADDEN,
Nov. 22, 1895. President.

TRESPASS NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that trespassing on the premises of the undersigned, situated in Dingman township, for any purpose whatever is strictly forbidden, and all offenders will be promptly prosecuted. IRA B. CASE.
Oct. 24, 1895.

NOTICE—All hunting, fishing or other trespassing on the premises of the undersigned, in Dingman Township, on Raymondskill and Dwarfskill Creeks, is forbidden under penalty of the law.
CHAS. J. BOILEAU,
Dingman Twp., N. BOILEAU,
May 17, 1898. JOSEPH F. BOILEAU.

Register's Notice.

The following accounts have been filed with the Register and will be presented to the next Court to be held the third Monday of December next for Confirmation and allowance:

Estate of Henry Worzel, dec'd, account of Anna C. Worzel, administratrix.

Estate of Henry Lang, dec'd, account of Jennie Lang, Executix, in the matter of sale of Real Estate.

Estate of George A. Frich, dec'd, account of Louise J. Frich, administratrix.
J. C. WESTBROOK, JR.,
Nov. 19, 1900. Register.

Court Proclamation.

State of Pennsylvania }
County of Pike. }

Notice is hereby given to all persons bound by recognizance or otherwise to appear, that the December Term, 1900, of the several Courts of Pike county will be held at the Court House in the Borough of Milford on the third Monday, (17th) at 2 o'clock p. m., and continue one week if necessary. E. VANDERMARK, Sheriff.
Milford, Pa., Nov. 20, 1900.

Notice of Application for Incorporation.

In the Court of Common Pleas of Pike County. No. 35 Oktober Term 1900.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the said Court, Hon. George S. Purdy, Law Judge thereof, on Monday, the 17th day of December, A. D. 1900, at 3 o'clock, p. m., under the "Corporation Act of one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four" and the supplements thereto, by John W. Blitz, Edmund H. Holmes, James R. Smith, Reuben Lancaster, George W. Carlton and others, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called "The Methodist Episcopal Church of La Anna," the character and object of which is for the support of public worship according to the faith, doctrine, discipline and usages of the Methodist Episcopal Church in the United States of America, and for these purposes to have possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges conferred by the said Act and its supplements.
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