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Milford, Pike County, Pa.

Wonder if Governor Pennypacker thinks his muzzle a snappy. The papers seem to talk right through it.

Throwing papers or dodgers on the streets should be strictly prohibited. They are a nuisance in more ways than one.

Those seats for public use around the town will soon be needed but we do not hear of any movement to secure them. Who will inaugurate the scheme?

We have been hoping to chronicle some news regarding a village improvement society but so far the ladies appear to be shy of the project. Anyway the meetings would afford excellent opportunities for talk.

The Philadelphia Press this week comes pretty near being as yellow as the best of them. It comments on the ideas of the attorney general concerning executive punctiliousness by calling them "solemn and ponderous flapdoodle." This may seem rather severe on the governor's legal advisor.

Erie Excursion to Binghamton On Sunday, May 31st, the "Old Reliable Erie" will run their first popular low-rate family excursion to the beautiful "parlor city" and picturesque Ross Park. A pleasure out in at this time is more delightful when everyone can enjoy nature in its first fresh beauty of summer. There will be a special musical entertainment at the park on Sunday afternoon and Fenner's band of Port Jervis will accompany the excursion and returning. Train will leave Port Jervis at 7 a. m. Fare round trip only \$1.25.

Unclaimed Letters. List of unclaimed letters remaining in the post office at Milford for the week ending May 23, 1903: Miss Kate Sutton, Rev. A. M. Pendleton, F. W. Malloy, Esq. Persons claiming the above will please say "Advertised" and give date of this list. CHARLES LATTIMORE, P. M.

Mrs. James R. Bull of New York is a guest with relatives here. Mrs. Alice Bennett of Brooklyn is visiting her father, Nathan Fuller.

The directors will offer the old school building and the three lots on Catharine street at public sale tomorrow.

Colonist Rates to the West The Erie Railroad will sell daily until June 14th, one way colonist tickets from Port Jervis to most all points in Arizona, British Columbia, California, Colorado, Idaho, Mexico, Montana, Nevada, New Mexico, Oregon, South Dakota, Texas, Utah, Washington and Wyoming, at very low rates of fare. A postal to the Erie ticket office, Port Jervis, will bring by return mail any desired information.

The Great A Risk In almost every neighborhood some one has died from an attack of cholera morbus, often before medicine could be procured or a physician summoned. A reliable remedy for these diseases should be kept at hand. The risk is too great for anyone to take. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy has undoubtedly saved the lives of more people and relieved more pain and suffering than any other medicine in use. It can always be depended upon. For sale by Balch & Son, Matamoras, all general stores in Pike county.

The college of music at Freeburg, Pa., is in session with the largest attendance of any previous summer term, and to continue without vacation until the holidays. Pupils admitted any day for a term of six or more weeks. Piano, Organ, Singing, Band and string instruments taught. For Catalogue address, with stamp, HENRY R. MOYER.

RAYMONDSKILL FALLS

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stream, with its picturesque, glistening recesses, its thousand leaps and eddies; its variety of likely riffles and rock-hung pools; its forest-laced sunlight and shadow; beyond all, the perpetual, delicious laughter of its water, luring one ever along its course! What though we pass through perilous gorges and chamber, wet and lame, from rock to rock! There are mossy openings, where the hobolinks make music and the grasses are still spangled with dew. Here we rest and count our trout, and lovingly lay them down, never ceasing to wonder at their hues of carmine, silver and gold, clear in our own minds that 'tis their manifest destiny to be brought from their shadowy hiding-places into the revealing light, to

"Suffer themselves to be admired, And not blush as to be desired."

After a season's task-work, come to one of these brooks, and in an hour the cares and quarrels of a jostling world seem

"Gone, like a wind that blew, A thousand years ago!"

All wildwood, gently barbaric elements within us assert themselves; the primitive man peers out, and one feels a world to be well lost for the natural life, the health, the savagery of the forest and stream. The Vandermark and Sawkill flow through the village of Milford; lower down, and at intervals of a league are the Raymondskill, Adams, Dingman's and the Bushkill, each with attractions peculiar to itself. The Sawkill Falls are somewhat widely known; their grace is the despair of the painter and delight of young and old. Sawkill Glen is another beauty-spot, in the heart of Milford, directly behind Fanny Dimnick's hotel. Upon the Adams Brook the underwoods are dark and romantic, and there are terrific gorges and countless falls, between the mountain and river roads. This stream is stocked with noble trout, but is so difficult of access that only the elect frequent it. Among these is the poet Bokor, who made it his resort during a season among the hills. I warrant that now, though he may be sitting cross-legged upon a silk divan, in all the indolence of oriental life, he sometimes has a picture in his mind of the lumbering rock, at the foot of the "high-fall," upon the dear old Adams Brook, five thousand miles away.

But the Raymondskill is the acknowledged monarch of our Milford fluvialarchy. It rises miles above them all, in a vast wilderness, where the springs outlast the summer drouth and winter cold, and yield a constant torrent for its craggy bed. I have never fished upward to its source, choosing rather to think of the wild wood as perpetual, stretching into trackless western regions, the cover of mysteries and snares. Certes, it is the ranging-ground of copperheads, rattlesnakes, and other such small deer, and I am told that venison and bear's meat, even, repay the hunter, who strikes boldly out from Blooming Grove Park at fall-tide of the year. But let my reader make his first acquaintance with the Raymondskill where it is a swift, full stream, coursing through ferns meadows on the upper plateau. Drive thither at sunrise of a bright June morning and spend a golden day, angling if you like, along its banks. Should the water be of the right depth and color, you will fill your creel with handsome fish; otherwise the beauty of the tramping-ground must be your reward. In an hour you may reach the cataract and ruined dam at "Goosy's," below which a series of the loveliest swift-waters and miniature cascades will tempt you, by another hour's journey within sight of the spray and sound of the roar of the greater Raymondskill Falls.

Here is a cleft in the mountain, wide and deep, where the brook takes its grandest leaps from the higher to the lower world. The upper fall is a double cataract as represented in the last of Mr. Perkins' truthful sketches, and higher in fact, than the broad, magnificent fall which is the subject of our frontispiece. The two are so near each other as to form one picture to the eye. I do not know the exact height of the upper or lower fall, but the proportions are well indicated by the figure in the drawing of the latter, and it is not the dimensions of a cataract that make it poetical and inspiring. All these matters are relative and, for one, I have had more pleasure in gazing at the Raymondskill Falls than at Niagara itself.

From the cliff, on the left of the dark pool below, is shaken down the sunny, transparent "Bridal Veil." Every waterfall has a Bridal Veil, but this is the Laureate's veritable "slow-dropping veil of the thinnest lawn," as one can see by its counter-foil presentation. Here I will leave my angler to consider a while, and drink his fill of that beauty in which Weir and Beard and Whittrage have loved to dip their pencils. He has still before him a mile of devotional windings—filled with such witching nooks as that which stretches its tranquil, dreamy length across this page—are he can gain the riverside, and set his feet toward Milford. May his day's luck be proportionate to his deserts as an angler, and his appreciation of the pools' and painters' beauties.

Presbyterian Choralists

(By Rev. E. M. Sisson.)

Services both morning and evening next Sabbath. One week from next Sabbath we will unite with the Methodist church for the evening service and Mr. Wood will preach to the graduating class.

One week from coming Sabbath at the morning service will occur our regular quarterly communion and the reception of new members if any shall present themselves not later than the preparatory service on the Friday evening preceding. All those who love our Lord Jesus Christ and who are not members of some church do themselves as well as the cause they profess to love harm by hesitating to join a church. If there are any, old or young, who consider our denomination their choice we hope to have them present themselves at this time.

The pastor expects to be out of town the greater portion of next week but will return in due time to conduct the preparatory service next Friday evening (one week from tonight). A large attendance is very earnestly requested.

Remember the services for next Wednesday. The missionary meeting at 4 p. m., the prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m., and should the pastor, who is the president of the Y. P. S. C. E., be absent the vice president will conduct the regular monthly business meeting of that society.

What we said about union services last week we thoroughly believe still but two such services held on successive Sabbaths would be more than could be fairly expected. A selection then must be made and the Sunday for the baccalaureate sermon has been chosen because of the absence of the pastor next week and because it seems best for several other considerations. This is not a discrimination against the veterans whom our church love and whose services we most sincerely appreciate. The sermon in the evening at our own church will be of memorial character. Of course we realize that the attraction is strongly in favor of the service where the soldiers will attend but we will make an earnest effort to have a profitable hour for those who in loyalty feel constrained to worship in their accustomed place.

Reformed Church Notes.

(By Rev. A. J. Meyer of Montague.)

The services next Sabbath evening will be in harmony with the observance of Memorial Day. The topic is, "Our Hoisted Banners." It has been a source of gratification to the church officers to note the increasing audience and we trust they may prove an angury of larger success.

The Sabbath school will be reorganized a week from next Sabbath when the annual election of officers occur. The rehearsals of the school for Children's Day are progressing very favorably. It is earnestly desired that every scholar be faithful in attendance at these rehearsals in order that the exercises may be the most successful we have ever given. The Sussex County Bible Society will hold its annual session at Newton June 3rd. The annual offering for the work of the society will be received at the morning service Sabbath after next, at which time also the "Bible as a Controlling Influence" will be discussed.

The Ladies Aid Society met yesterday at the home of Mrs. James McGehee. At the same time the Dorcas Society gathered at the home of Mrs. Blundina Newell to prepare for the social and literary entertainment and to be provided for the strawberry festival June 18.

The young people of the church last week purchased an Estey organ through Mr. Sidney Hulse of the Mann organ company. The organ has not yet arrived so we have had no opportunity to test its good qualities, but the fact of its being secured through Mr. Hulse is sufficient assurance that it will prove satisfactory. The young people are heartily congratulated inasmuch as their progressiveness and service have been so faithful in results, and they have merited the cordial thanks of the pastor and the members of the church.

SHYLOCK

Shylock was the man who wanted a pound of human flesh. There are many Shylocks now, the convalescent, the consumptive, the sickly child, the pale young woman, all want human flesh and they can get it—take Scott's Emulsion.

Scott's Emulsion is flesh and blood, bone and muscle. It feeds the nerves, strengthens the digestive organs and they feed the whole body.

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We will send you a couple of ounces free. SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, 405-415 Pearl Street, New York, and elsewhere; all druggists.

Spring Medicine

There is no other season when good medicine is so much needed as in the Spring.

The blood is impure, weak and impoverished—a condition indicated by pimples and other eruptions on the face and body, by deficient vitality, loss of appetite, lack of strength, and want of animation.

Hood's Sarsaparilla and Pills

Make the blood pure, vigorous and rich, create appetite, give vitality, strength and animation, and cure all eruptions. Have the whole family begin to take Hood's today.

Hood's Sarsaparilla has been used in our family for some time, and always with good results. Last spring I was all run down and got a bottle of it, and as usual received great benefit. Miss BEULAH BOWEN, Stone, Va.

Hood's Sarsaparilla promises to cure and keep the promise.

Methodist Church Jottings.

(By Rev. V. A. Wood.)

Subjects for May 24th: Morning, "Anan"; Evening, "Christian Topic"; Prayer meeting topic, "Praying Without Ceasing." Present last meeting, 34. Of this number 20 took active part. The pastor has been spiritually helped by the earnest testimonies given and the evident willingness of his members to cooperate with him in these meetings.

The pastor was pleased with the large attendance at last Sunday evening's Epworth Anniversary meeting.

Our sexton has hit on a better plan for the ventilation of the church during the warm summer evenings.

Remember the special service for the G. A. R. Post Sunday evening.

The pastor will preach the baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class of the high school on the evening of the 31st. In conference with the other pastors of the town it has been decided to throw this service open to all the churches without the formalities of a "union service."

The pastor's wife and her friend, Miss Jennie E. Wilder, of Cleveland arrived home from Ohio Thursday morning. Both stood the 500-mile trip well.

Elder Wright informs us that he is obliged to change the time of the first Quarterly Conference of the year to Saturday, June 6th, 8 p. m. He will preach for us the next time he comes.

A little poem entitled "A Child's Question" will appear next week.

MAY

From each brook the roses peep And bid their dainty heads. They pink and red and white, Her perfume softly shed.

Lively on the ground they grow, The gentle violets blue And lift their faces, do you know, To tell us to be true.

The golden spurs and maiden-hair, Make up a pretty row, The blue flag and the lily rare, The creamy dogwood I wear.

The pansies, golden hearted, The dandelions bright hue, Grow up and grow up, To nature they are true.

All are here to welcome thee, Oh fair and lovely May, Where'er we look, there's naught to see But flowers every way.

The woods so full of gladness, The meadows all so bright, Forever each showing of sadness, There's not a cloud in sight.

The soft blue sky above us, A money color green, Oh well does nature love us To make so fair a scene.

Milford, May, 1903.

A Safe Cure

It is said that nothing is sure except death and taxes, but that is not altogether true. Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption is a sure cure for all throat and lung troubles. Thousands can testify to that. Mrs. C. Van Metre of Shepherdstown, W. Va., says: "I had a severe case of bronchitis and for a year tried everything I heard of, but got no relief. One bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery then cured me absolutely. Its infallible for croup, whooping cough, grip pneumonia and consumption. Try it. It's guaranteed by all druggists. Trial bottles free. Regular sizes 50c, \$1.

It has jarred some of the low traffickers who were hoping to see a chasm grow in the republican ranks to find that the president stands by the traditional policy of the republican party in addressing and adequately protection for home industry.

A Farmer's Struggles Out

"A man living on a farm near here came in a short time ago completely doubled up with rheumatism. I handed him a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm and told him to use it freely and if not satisfied after using it he need not pay a cent for it," says C. P. Byler, of Patten Mills, N. Y. "A few days later he walked into the store as straight as a string and handed me a dollar saying, 'give me another bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. I want it in the house all the time for it cured me.'" For sale by Balch & Son, Matamoras, all general stores in Pike county.

Names of Vehicles

Men who in these days "hire a hack" never stop to inquire how the vehicle they engage to wheel them to their homes or to a depot got its name. It suffices to know that everybody else calls it a hack, and to them it is simply that, and nothing more. The original hacks were termed hackney coaches, because they were drawn by "hackneys," a name applied to any going, safe peddling horses.

"Coach" is derived from the French coche, a diminutive form of the Latin cochlea, a shell, in which shape the body of such conveyances was originally fashioned. Seldom, if ever, is the full term, "omnibus," applied to those heavy, lumbering vehicles found in so many large cities. With the characteristic brevity of English speaking races, the title has been changed to "bus."

These were the first seen in Paris in 1827, and the original name of "omnibus" is derived from the fact that it first appeared on the streets of each conveyance, being nothing more than the Latin word signifying "for all."

"Cab" is an abbreviation of the Italian word cabriola, which was changed to cabriolet in French. Both words have a common derivative—cabriole—signifying a goat's leap. The exact reason for giving it this strange appellation is unknown, unless because of the lightness and springiness of the vehicle in its original form.

In some instances the names of special forms of carriages are derived from the titles of the persons who introduced them. The brougham was first used by the famous Lord Brougham, and William IV, who was originally the Duke of Clarence, gave the latter name to his favorite conveyance.

The popular hansom derives its name from its introducer, Mr. Hansom; and the tilbury, at one time a very fashionable two wheeled vehicle, was called from a sporting gentleman of the same name.

London, a city in Germany, was the locality in which was first made the vehicle bearing that name. Salky, as applied to a wheeled conveyance, had its origin in the fact that when it first appeared the person who saw it considered that none but a salky, selfish person would ride in such an affair, which afforded accommodation to but one individual. The strange name was never changed.

Compas is French in origin, being derived from the verb compas (compay), to cut. This was considered an appropriate designation, because it greatly resembled a coach with the front part cut off.

The old fashioned gig was given that name from its peculiar jumping and rocking motion, the word being taken from the french gigue, signifying jig, or a lively dance.—Kansas City Star.

PIKE COUNTY TEACHERS' EXAMINATIONS.

Table with columns: DISTRICT, SCHOOLHOUSE, DATE. Lists exam dates for various districts like Dingman's, Union, Academy, etc.

FEEDING A MILLION MOUTHS

There are a million little mouths in your skin ready to absorb whatever comes to them. What kind of soap do you feed them? We seldom reckon with the powers of absorption exercised by the pores of the skin, and yet it is possible for these little mouths to take in four quarts of water in twenty-four hours. No wonder impure toilet and bath soaps are so apt to produce skin diseases.

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Wyckoff's New York Store Weekly News

(Store Closed Memorial Day, May 30, 1903)

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Once a year manufacturers sell all their sample garments to their regular customers. We being heavy buyers get choice numbers. Our friends who have bought at this underwear sale know the values, while our new customers will find it very much to their advantage to inspect the values offered. They represent a saving of at least a third to a half.

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WYCKOFF'S NEW YORK STORE Stroudsburg, Pa.

COURT PROCLAMATION

State of Pennsylvania, County of Pike. Notice is hereby given to all persons bound by recognizance or otherwise to appear, that the June term, 1903, of the several courts of Pike county will be held at the court house in the borough of Milford on the first Monday (1st) at 2 o'clock p. m. and will be continued one week if necessary. GEORGE GREGORY, Sheriff.

REGISTER'S NOTICE

The following accounts have been filed with the Register and will be presented to the Court for confirmation on the first Monday of June next: Estate of John Hess, deceased. The account of Louis C. Hess, Administrator. Estate of Peter A. Le Quik, dec'd First and partial account of Lena A. Quik Executrix. JOHN C. WESTBROOK, JR., Register.

UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D. C. March 3rd, 1903. Mr. Geo. Oakley, Columbia College, Paterson, N. J.

Dear Sir: For a number of years past the Civil Service Commission has experienced considerable difficulty in securing enough male eligibles in shorthand and typewriting to meet the needs of the service. The supply of such eligibles resulting from the semi-annual examinations in these subjects has not been equal to the demand. Recently several special stenography and typewriting examinations have been held in the larger cities, but without producing the desired result. The Commission would be pleased to have you make this known to young men who may be interested.

Yours respectfully, JOHN R. PROCTOR, President.

For further particulars apply at Port Jervis Business Institute, 430 OAKLEY, Principal.

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