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Governor Pennypacker has succeeded in making a part of his administration a howling success.

The bank will be closed tomorrow C. T. Ott of Brooklyn spent last Sunday with friends here.

Top buggy and single harness for sale. Inquire at Methodist parsonage Mrs. F. P. Sawyer of Chicago is a guest at the home of her father, H. H. Wells.

Street Commissioner Steele has cleared out the walks on Centre Square.

Henry Guy Carleton of New York is visiting his friend, Dr. H. E. Emerson.

Dunham Gregory and wife have gone to Newton today. The trip is for business.

Rev. E. M. Smead and W. A. H. Mitchell were at the Rep. State convention this week.

Senator Penrose was elected chairman of the Republican State committee Wednesday.

Mrs. Haight and daughters of New York will reside in the Bourniquet cottage this summer.

Harry Pantley has moved from the Wells to the Berthoud house on upper Harford street.

Mitchell Bros. new ad will appear next week. Meantime call and inspect the stock of new goods.

Mrs. Ann M. Wells, who has spent the winter with her son Frank at Macon, Ga., will return home today.

Quite a number here expect to enjoy the Erie excursions tomorrow. There is one to New York and one to Ross Park, Binghamton.

Miss Grace Wannacott of Matamoras and Thomas D. Reese of East Harford, Ct., were married in Egworth church Wednesday afternoon.

The directors will pay Architect B. E. Brown four per cent of the contract price for the plans and supervising the construction of the new school building.

Judge Ferris, specially presiding in Monroe county, has discharged the rule for a new trial in the case of L. M. Tucker convicted of violation of the primary election laws.

Rev. Alonzo Ransom, a student in the Theological Seminary at New Brunswick, has been engaged to hold services this summer in the Reformed churches at Bevans, N. J., at 10.30 a. m. and at Dingmans Ferry at 2.30 p. m.

The residence of Mrs. Elizabeth Brink in Montague, N. Y., was burned early last Monday morning. Mrs. Brink was here at the time visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. V. Davenport, and only her daughter, Miriam, was at home.

Rev. J. A. Myer, pastor of the Reformed church of Montague, and his elder, Jacob McCarty, will attend the General Synod of the church at Ashbury Park, N. J., June 2-10. Services in the Montague church will be omitted June 7th.

John W. Lucas and Miss Ella Westbrook, a popular young woman, daughter of the late Hon. Jacob B. Westbrook of Dingmans, were married Thursday at Cole's cottage, Bushkill, by Rev. Arthur Lucas, father of the bridegroom, of Pater-son, N. J.

Presbyterian Chronicalings

(By Rev. E. M. Smead.)

The morning service will be held as usual next Sabbath day. The evening service will be given up for the purpose of uniting with the Methodist church. The pastor urges a full representation of his people at both services.

It is learned that some are contemplating joining our church at the next quarterly communion one week from Sunday morning. If there are any that have not already made their intentions known and who are ready to present themselves at this time the pastor would be glad to know of them.

The pastor reads a paper before the ministerial association next Monday afternoon. The members of the association are expected to prepare one paper each year which is to be read and criticised by the monthly gatherings. It is trying for the writer but most beneficial as well.

The writer has just returned from his trip to Gettysburg and feels amply repaid for going. The battle-field itself is an ideal one. The whole country bears every evidence that God prepared the stage as well as governed the issues of that most important contest. We feel more in touch with the soldiers and the great cause for which they fought than ever before.

Please bear in mind that next week is the first week in June and observe the extra services accordingly.

Frozen to Death in May

The heaviest cattle and sheep loss in the history of Montana, the damage of which will be \$5,000,000, has been caused by the terrible snow-storm which raged for three days beginning Sunday.

In some sections fully 90 per cent of the sheep on the ranges have perished. Three herders at least have wandered away in the blinding storm and have been frozen to death. An aged herder employed at Portage was lost Sunday. Two more in the Shelby Junction country employed by the Floweree Cattle company are missing, and there is no hope that they can be found alive.

Herders have abandoned their flocks on every hand and fled for safety to the settlements and ranches. Nothing like the fury of this storm has ever before been witnessed in northern Montana.

Of a consignment of 600 cattle bound from Havre all but five were found frozen stiff. Losses are reported on every hand, and this district will feel the effects of the losses for years.

Deaths of Noted People

W. T. Hall, noted humorous writer and dramatic critic of Chicago, died in Colorado Springs Saturday of tuberculosis.

Sibyl Sanderson, the well known American opera singer, died suddenly in Paris Saturday morning from an acute attack of grip. She was born in Sacramento, Cal., in 1865.

Benjamin F. Jones, Sr., member of the advisory board of Jones & Laughlin Steel company, limited, and for many years head of its immense manufacturing interests in Pittsburg, died at his residence in Allegheny Tuesday, aged seventy-nine years.

Bishop Thomas Alfred Starkey of the Episcopal diocese of Newark died at his home, East Orange, N. J., Sunday. Though he was eighty-four years old his faculties seemed to be as clear as when he first became an Episcopal minister on May 31, 1848. He was born in Philadelphia.

A Coming Event

Invitations have been received here to the wedding of Miss Edith Davies Nyce of Bushkill to Joseph D. Rahner which happy event will occur in the church at Bushkill, June seventeenth. Miss Nyce is a most engaging young lady, is well known here and has numerous friends who will congratulate her on her bright prospects of future happiness.

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 B. MOYER, 5-23.

A Sure 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 Shepleytown, 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." It is infallible for croup, whooping cough, grip, pneumonia and consumption. Try it. It is guaranteed by all druggists. Trial bottles free. Regular size 50c. \$1.

Too 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 & Co., Matamoras, all general stores in Pike county.

Methodist Church Jottings.

(By Rev. V. A. Wood.)

Subjects for Sunday, May 21st: Morning, (communion service), "Quickened Memory." Evening, (Bacchalaureate address), "Highest Success."

Mid-week prayer service: "Constraining Power of Love." Telegrams of ten-word testimonies are to be prepared for this service. Last service 37 present. Testimonies 23. We are gaining steadily.

The service for the veterans last Sunday evening was largely attended.

The next "Group Rally," composed of pastors and visitors of neighboring Methodist churches, is to be held in our church Thursday evening, June 11th. Rev. W. A. Chadwick of Port Jervis is the speaker for the occasion.

First Quarterly Conference June 6th.

Preparation for a number of special sermons of late has detracted from the pastors calling. He is anxious, however, to do his full duty and overlook no one. A postal with your name on and time when convenient for a call will receive prompt attention. The pastor likes a definite duty. It frequently answers the perplexing question, "What next?"

The Sunday school is progressing nicely in its preparation for the Children's Day service, June 14th. The Union S. S. is also preparing for a special service that afternoon.

The pastor is planning an exchange of pulpits with Rev. Alfred Evans of Hasbrouck Heights, N. J., some Sunday in the near future.

In rummaging among some old papers the pastor came across the following beautiful little poem which is herewith appended for those who love the study of child-life.

A CHILD'S QUESTION Mamma, is the sky a certain hiding heaven from our sight; Are the moon and sun but windows made to give the angels light? Are the stars bright, flashing diamonds shining from God's hand afar, And the clouds but veils of vapor, dropped from heaven floating there? If the sun's a window, Mamma, dont the angels thr' it peep, Ere it kisses earth at even, watching 'er us while we sleep? Is the rain-bow just a ribbon girdling heaven and earth about, Or a railing made of roses so the angels wont fall out? Is the singing in the tree-tops songs of praise some angels slugs, And the flakes of snowy winter feathers falling from their wings? Are the dew-drops brightly shining in the early morning hours, Kiss-spots left by elfs and fairies where they slept among the flowers? Is the lightning rockets flying where the Princes of Glory come, And the thunder but the rattle of the baby-angels drums?

Succeeded at the End

In a cemetery at Baton Rouge is a tombstone bearing this inscription: "Here lies the body of David Jones, His last words were, 'I die a Christian and a democrat.'" He had evidently failed in the attempt to live in this duplex character, but accomplished a triumphant death in it.

Workmen have taken down the Mott street iron bridge this week and it will be reerected over the Sawkill near the Hamilton place. The one to replace it is on the ground and will be considerably longer and rest on a new abutment on the Milford side. It will be raised about three feet, improving the approaches on both sides.

The state department has indicated that regardless of the outcome of the negotiations respecting the political control of Manchuria, this government is prepared to insist absolutely upon commercial privileges for United States merchants equal to those enjoyed by the merchants of other nations, Russia included.

Young Plants

Every farmer knows that some plants grow better than others. Soil may be the same and seed may seem the same but some plants are weak and others strong.

And that's the way with children. They are like young plants. Same food, same home, same care but some grow big and strong while others stay small and weak.

Scott's Emulsion offers an easy way out of the difficulty. Child weakness often means starvation, not because of lack of food, but because the food does not feed.

Scott's Emulsion really feeds and gives the child growing strength.

Whatever the cause of weakness and failure to grow—Scott's Emulsion seems to find it and set the matter right.

Send for free sample, Scott & Bown, Chemists, 200 Pearl St., New York City. Sold by all druggists.

That Tired Feeling

Is a Common Spring Trouble. It's a sign that the blood is deficient in vitality, just as pimples and other eruptions are signs that the blood is impure. It's a warning, too, which only the hazardous fall to heed.

Hood's Sarsaparilla and Pills

Remove it, give new life, new courage, strength and animation. They cleanse the blood and clear the complexion. Accept no substitute. "I felt tired all the time and could not sleep. After taking Hood's Sarsaparilla a while I could sleep well and the tired feeling had gone. This great medicine has also cured me of scrofula." Mrs. C. M. Root, Glenside, Conn. Hood's Sarsaparilla promises to cure and keep the promise.

PAUPAC.

The people of this community are still praying for rain. The few showers we had last week merely laid the dust but did not help the ground much for plowing.

We are sorry to hear of the illness of Herman Gamble and hope to soon see him in his usual health.

We also hear that Edwin Killam is on the sick list. We wish him a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Toms left for her home Sunday after making a short visit with Lela Clark.

Arthur Gamble caught a snapping turtle on the bank of the Paupack last week which weighed twenty pounds. Now for the soup!

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Slocum returned to Scranton Wednesday after spending a few days at A. J. Kimbles.

The improvement at the home of Edwin Killam is nearing completion under the able management of our carpenter and builder, George Wilson. It cannot fail to attract the notice of the passer by, and adds to the other attractions of the place.

Oliver Ansley returned from Hawley Monday. She seems to agree with the author of Home Sweet Home.

Herman Gamble, Jr., spent Saturday and Sunday in this place. He intends to leave his employment in Milford for a month and help his father with the spring work.

Michael Duffy returned from Texas to his home for the summer to assist with the lumber which will have to be cut on account of the fire.

We are glad to again welcome Mrs. B. F. Killam home and hope to soon have an introduction to her grand-daughter.

An excellent chapter for Sabbath reading is James Chapter 3. ACX.

Senator Martin of Virginia has again pranced into type with the reiteration that "the only hope for tariff revision lies in the democratic party." The senator means that the only hope of the democratic party lies in keeping up its tariff revision howl, and the hope is not a bright one at this time.

The open letter from the Omaha editor, Metcalf to the Buffalo editor, Mack and the answer thereto, the one supposed to represent the Bryan and the other Cleveland wing of the democracy, indicates no closing, nor even narrowing of the political chasm lying between. It is a long time, since the wings of the democracy have flapped together, as the great Samuel Randall once said they did.

Decoration Day New York Excursion

Saturday, May 30th, the Erie will give the people of Milford and vicinity a grand opportunity to visit Greater New York at the low rate of one dollar for the round trip. Special train leaving Port Jervis at 7 a. m., arriving in the city at 10 a. m. Returning special train will leave West 23rd street at 7.25 p. m., Chambers street at 7.45 p. m. and Jersey City at 8 p. m., allowing over nine hours in which to take in any of the many seaside resorts in and about Greater New York, many of which have their opening days on Decoration Day. There will also be base ball both morning and evening between the Boston and now famous New York's at Polo Grounds. Remember the rate only one dollar for the round trip and that the special train leaves Port Jervis at 7 a. m. May 30th.

A Farmer Straightened 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. Ryder, of Paterson 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 & Co., Matamoras, all general stores in Pike county.

Coming Back Into the Fold Certain democratic politicians, possibly statesmen, are expressing much satisfaction that the populists are reported turning to the support of Roosevelt, and state that they believe that the democratic populistic coalition which has been in force since 1896 has been the greatest detriment to the democratic party. The democracy made the mistake of seeking the support and cooperation of the populists, both parties holding different views, but uniting to defeat their common antagonist, the republicans. As a matter of fact many of these populists came from the ranks of the republican party, holding the mistaken idea that all evils could be directly corrected by legal enactment. In the meantime the principles of the republicans have remained fixed and constant, and they have been vindicated by events. And now seeing the error of their one time belief, the populists are coming back into their old party, but they are coming as republicans, not as populists, and are again subscribing to the republican standards. Such accessions by the republicans affords no cause for congratulations among democrats.

Hon. Hoke Smith, a member of President Cleveland's last cabinet says that "our people in Georgia are making money. The farmers are making money and we want that condition of affairs to continue." Mr. Smith comes initially near admitting indirectly that at heart he is a republican.

A TRINITY OF EVILS

Cured by Dr. Kennedy's New Medicine After Other Treatment Had Failed.

Mr. Martin Montgomery, of Silvers, Penn., formerly of Roxbury, N. Y., writing to Dr. David Kennedy, of Kennedy Row, said:

"Your NEW medicine, Cal-cura Solvent, is immense. It cured me of liver and kidney troubles, and rheumatism, after a lot of weary dosing with things that did no good. It is a record breaker and no mistake."

As in Mr. Montgomery's case, rheumatism is often, indeed almost always, complicated with kidney and liver trouble. It is because Cal-cura Solvent acts on the kidneys and liver and at the same time expels uric acid from the blood, that it is such a reliable remedy for rheumatism and the attendant disorders. It cures by removing the cause, therefore, the cure is permanent, safe and sure.

Write to the Cal-cura Company, Kennedy Row, Rondout, N. Y., for a free sample bottle. Remember, only one Dr. David Kennedy ever lived in Rondout, City of Kingston, N. Y., and be sure you get his new and latest medicine, which is sold only in \$1.00 bottles.

PIKE COUNTY

TEACHERS' EXAMINATIONS.

Teachers' examinations for 1903 will be held as follows:

Table with columns: DISTRICT, SCHOOLHOUSE, DATE. Includes entries for Dingham, Union, June 2; Milford, Academy, June 3; Delaware, Asbury, June 5; Lehman, Meadow Brook, June 6; Westfall, Matamoras, June 8; Shohola, Shohola, June 9; Lockswagen, Williamson, June 10; Blooming Grove, Westbrook's No. 1, June 15; Palmyra, Red No. 4, June 16; Resio, Riptown, June 17.

All examinations will begin promptly at 9 a. m. Directors and other interested parties are cordially invited to attend.

LUCIAN WESTBROOK, Co. Supt. of Schools, Dingham's Ferry, Pa., May 11, 1903.

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 expressed 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.

You can trust the soaps we sell you. We handle none but worthy brands, brands, and by buying in quantities we are able to make low prices on them.

C. O. ARMSTRONG DRUGGIST.

William B. Kenworthy, M. D. Physician and Surgeon. Office and residence Broad street, next Court House. MILFORD, PA.

Wyckoff's New York Store Weekly News

(Store Closed Memorial Day, May 30, 1903)

Summer Comfort at Very Little Cost

On the threshold of summer, now, and a store teeming with fresh, crisp, merchandise suited to hot weather wear. Summer outfitting is not a very costly business now - a - days.

WE EXEMPLIFY THIS IN THE FOLLOWING ITEMS:

Special Sale Underwear: Candwell strongly on the "special." As we stated it is a sale of manufacturers samples, insuring the best of material, the best of making and the best in every detail. We will emphasize the fact that every garment is made of good material, well put together and generously sized. Gowns from 38¢ to \$3. Corset Covers, 17¢ to \$1.50. Drawers, 17¢ to \$1.05. Long Skirts, 38¢ to \$3. Short Skirts, 25¢ to \$1.75. Materials embrace Muslin, Cambric and Nainsook, trimmed with laces, Hamburgs, etc., in elaborate manner.

Parasols: Our new purchases are here and prettier, daintier, brighter than ever before. White is a strong feature. Little ones liberally remembered. Price range from 19¢ to \$1.

Some Snappy Wash Goods: Better try to get first swing at these. They're cool, dainty summer fabrics, and they'll cost you only a trifle more than the ordinary prints. A recent purchase of a sheer linen batiste, with a white mercerized strip to sell at 15¢ the yard, is a surprising bargain. Its true value is nearly double. Won't last long at the price.

Summer Underwear: Have you shed your heavy? If so, we're all ready with the light weights. All length of sleeves; high low or medium necks, ribbed or plain. Under wear needs for summer, whether for man, woman, child or baby, are here in all sizes.

Thin Things for Men: To help you keep cool and your temper, too—easily riled on hot days—and for genuine comfort you ought to visit and become thoroughly acquainted with our mens department. Thin undershirts, light thread half hose, negligee shirts—plenty for dress use as well—low collars, roomy cuffs, handkerchiefs, summer suspenders, etc.

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. Milford, Pa., May 4, 1903.

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 estate of Louisa C. Hess, Administratrix. Estate of Peter A. L. Qui, deceased. First and partial account of Lou A. Quick Executor. J. J. F. WESTBROOK, JR., Register. May 4, 1903.

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Corner Ann and Fourth streets MILFORD PA.

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Cures Grip in Two Days. Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. On every box 25c. This signature, E. W. Snow.