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BRIEF MENTION

The Presbyterian Brotherhood will serve a Waffle Supper on Tuesday evening, May 17th, from 6:15 to 8:30 in the Lecture Room of the church. All are invited. Price 25c.

Walter Kottler, of Rochester, N. Y., is spending a few days with his parents here.

Mrs. Dr. de Plasse and daughter have arrived at their home here for the summer.

J. H. Van Elton made a business trip to New York this week.

Arthur Adams and wife of Bushkill were guests in town Wednesday.

There is the suspicion of a rumor that Roosevelt may visit Milford some time this coming summer and should he do so the family of David Jones of Port Jervis might claim his attention as three sons were born there Wednesday making eleven children in the family.

James P. Van E-t-en and Geo. R. Ball Esq. were at Newark, N. J. yesterday arranging business details for the Van Pike Telephone Co.

P. J. Glard, a former resident and Burgess of Milford, was here this week with his wife to attend the funeral of her sister Mrs. Guinand.

Ray G. S. Garrison of Dingmans Ferry was in town Tuesday.

As an instrument for putting people to sleep the folding bed sometimes works too well. Not long ago a wealthy and apparently respectable man from Mass., was caught to come in a New York house and smothered. His companion escaped but his reputation did not.

Some political forecasts read like experiments in mind reading.

President Taft says the postal savings bank bill, the anti injunction bill and the railroad bill with some other administration measures will pass.

Rogers L. Burnett esq. of Stroudsburg announces his candidacy for the office of Senator from this district. Monroe will have the two candidates as one of the other counties seems to have an aspirant, and practically concede the place to her.

Mr. Burnett is a man of ability a pleasing and instructive speaker and has done yeoman service for his party. His father, Hon. S. C. Barnett was in the State Senate years ago.

Dr. George V. Howard with Rand and McNally Co. was in the county this week introducing maps of the various counties. They are mounted on rollers in a cabinet and in very convenient form for use and would be a great aid to children in the study of geography and history.

The remains of Mrs. Louise Guinand (nee Berthold) who died recently in Philadelphia were brot here for interment this week.

It would take a great political astronomer to figure out when Comet Bryan will disappear.

As there is likely to be a sad short age of cotton seed this year, the country may be obliged to worry along with olive oil for salad dressing.

Look out for the tail of Halley's Comet next Wednesday. The same evening there will be a temperance lecture in town, and people may note which will affect the atmosphere most.

At a meeting of the town council held Monday evening Arthur McCarthy tendered his resignation as special police. It was accepted and he was re-employed at a salary of \$20 a month. The dog tax will be due June 1st and is payable to McCarthy who will issue tags and give receipts. It is the intention to see that all dogs are tagged or the reason why will be known.

The question of a safer observance of July 4th is being considered in many places. It is a day of national rejoicing, but must it be for that reason a day of national death. The giant cracker and a careless or thoughtless boy or man may be destructive to life, limb or property. There are other ways in which pleasure may be derived from the day and its enjoyment made complete than in subjecting thousands to the risk of being blinded, maimed or disfigured for life. Every town might well make some rules and regulations respecting a proper and safe observance of the day we celebrate.

The Port Jervis Traction Company has been given permission to abandon its Kingston Avenue line and will extend the road to Sparrowbush. John DeBonger, of White Mills, was a visitor in town Sunday.

Fly time is here and rules are being made to deal with the pest. It is concluded that they spread disease and that they are a danger especially where they have access to any one ill with a contagious disease. They breed in dirt and filth and the more cleanly premises are kept the fewer flies there will be. See that refuse is removed, garbage pails kept covered and lime or other disinfectants freely used where there is refuse or decaying material.

King Edward, whose death is mourned by the British people, was regarded as a wise and safe ruler. Under his reign the nations have been reconciled and the cause of peace greatly progressed. His tact and judgment and sympathy with the masses endeared him to his people and lamentation at his death is universal.

A strike of conductors and trainmen on the Erie is possible as negotiations between the men and company have been broken off. It is a question of wages.

Dr. J. C. Price and wife of Branchville, who were on an auto tour last week, called on friends here.

S. H. McFann of New York, who was on the Oregon on his famous trip from the Pacific several years ago, recently visited his wife's parents, Arthur B. McCarthy and wife in town.

Frank Berthold of Philadelphia, a former resident after an absence of ten years, was in Milford the first of the week making arrangements to bury his sister Louisa, who died last Saturday, in Military Cemetery.

Edward VII King of England, died in Windsor Palace after a short illness May 6th. His son succeeded to the throne as George V.

Benton McKean of Port Jervis who was arrested for dynamiting fish in the Delaware, has paid his fine of \$200 and costs.

Fans like the uncertainties of baseball when the home team wins.

President Taft may not talk politics on his swing around the circle but he will start some.

There is no doubt about the earnestness and sincerity of President Taft. He means to do right, and is honest in whatever he does.

It is said a process has been found by which the ink can be extracted from old newspapers thus making them available to be ground up and used in the manufacture of paper. Heretofore the ink has colored them so they could be used only in the lower grades.

Dr. Peter Hughes sent up a deer the other day for ornament on his grounds at Haysmoundkill. It is an excellent counterfeiter in form of the genuine animal and will stand being barked at by dogs.

Mark Twain died worth a million, or so, it is said. It is just as well to bear in mind, moreover, that Mark never made any of his money by whitening.

A man of the name of Booz has been convicted of felony, in New Jersey. Booz is indicted from one end of the country to the other every day.

Some of our public servants are shamefully underpaid. At Wheatfield, in Pennsylvania, the postmaster gets 18 cents a day, and a man who prefers the vicissitudes of private life can get \$3 a day in any one whistfield in Kansas.

All the members of Secretary Ballinger's Amateur Club are large and robust specimens, it seems.

The latest style in overcoats is to wear them longer than usual.

George P. Van Wyck and wife have returned from their tour and are occupying their summer home on Ann Street.

A sale of household goods will take place at the Wallace building on Fourth street Monday, May 23, beginning at 1 p. m. when the property of the late Wilhelmine B. Townsend will be disposed of. There are many articles of value, some antique and all of good quality. It may be profitable to attend.

A temperance address will be given in the Court House Wednesday evening, May 18, by Judge W. A. Livingston. He is a forceful and brilliant talker and whether you believe his doctrine or not it is always beneficial to listen to a good speech. It expands your ideas.

Mrs. J. H. Van E-t-en has returned from a visit in East Orange, N. J. Charles Zimmerman and family, regular summer guests here, are at Hotel Fancher.

The Erie has issued a summer home book which is a neat little index to resorts along its line. Hotels are returned to and prices per week for board given, but there is practically no description of the country or the attractions which surround a place.

To show how well or otherwise Milford is known, eight people in East Orange, N. J., who had heard of the place and desired to come here could find no directions, and had never seen any advertisement of the town. Five after diligent inquiry learned sufficient from a private source to warrant them in deciding to come here for the summer.

The town which advertises casts its bread on the water, the town which does not is likely to have its bread mold under the water.

News has been received here of the death of Herbert Kent which occurred some days ago at Bridgeport, Ct. He was well known in town and has frequently visited here.

The kind of oil to use on our streets, the best method of procuring it, whether in barrels or tank cars are matters which are receiving serious attention by the council. Two kinds, asphalt oil similar to that used in Mainanora, and an emulsifying oil are being discussed. The former occasions some inconvenience in the use of the streets, while the latter, does not, but the question is will it do the work as well. It is mixed with water and requires from two to four applications. Both are products of the Standard Oil Co. and do not differ greatly in first cost.

Theodore Correll and Howard Jones of Green were in town yesterday.

Halley's Comet

IS NOW SEEN EVERY CLEAR MORNING IN THE EASTERN SKY

Halley's comet which was at perihelion, (that is, nearest the sun) Tuesday, April 19, was then making its fastest time, that is, at the rate of 112,680 miles an hour. On July 27, the earth will reach the present location of the comet, but by that time the comet will have retreated far into space, not to be seen again from our globe for about 75 years. On May 19, the comet will appear in the evening sky.

It may now be seen any clear morning before sunrise. It is losing its speed, traveling slower each day as it gets farther from the sun, until its apellion point (farthest from the sun) is reached, when, in about 26 years, it turns on its journey back to our sun.

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Postal Savings Banks

The wealthy bankers of the country are using the Democrats in Congress as their principle weapon for the defeat of the Postal Savings Banks Bill. A law to establish Postal Savings Banks will be one of the most advanced steps this country ever took, and President Taft deserves the deepest gratitude from this country in his efforts to establish these banks, so that the man with a small sum of money can safely deposit that in the hands of the Government, where he will know it is safe, and at the same time draw a small percent interest. This is much better than wrapping it up in an old stocking or hiding it in the fireplace.

Every country in Europe has established these banks, and they have proven an unqualified blessing, as it keeps money from being hoarded, and the same is thereby used in the commerce of the country at all times.

Real Estate Transfers

Arthur Adams to Wallace Bosley and Harry L. Briscoe, Trustees, 5 acres Delaware, for use of Creek Swamp Hunting and Fishing Association.

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Isabella N. W. Fraser and others to John B. Bowen, 1 acre Delaware at Silver Lake \$500.

Alvin Friedberg to Josephine Marsden, lots in Hyde Park Porter.

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NEWS FROM WASHINGTON

The President has returned to Washington after his visit to Pittsburg, Cincinnati and St. Louis, and is in conference with Senators and Members of Congress with reference to the jeopardized railroad bill. No President, not even Col. Roosevelt, has traveled as much as President Taft. Chief Wilkie of the Secret Service, speaking of the President's traveling, has said that he has traveled as much as the army appropriated for his protection for a year has been exhausted in six months, and he says that the appropriation for guarding the President should be increased to ten thousand over last year's grant. The President will leave again on Monday to engage himself outside the capital.

The Ballinger-Pinehot investigation, like the famous wounded snake, "drags its weary length along." The attorney for Glavis, Mr. Brandeis, has been cross examining Mr. Ballin and Mr. Ballinger has been replying with great emphasis and much show of resentment to the attorney's questions. It is given out that Mr. Ballinger will resign his place in the cabinet as soon as this investigation closes, which, it is understood, will result in his formal vindication. Our readers will take the rumor for what it is worth. It may be no more than a rumor.

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NOTES FROM SANDYSTON

Our B. of E. will meet on Saturday evening for the purpose of engaging teachers for the coming year. The prospects are that many changes will be made, and for the good of the schools changes are a necessity.

Scholarships were issued and served to a case of a disorderly house near Hainesville, and now comes the news that the case is settled. That is certainly something new in law, but how was it settled.

Mr. and Mrs. Flavin Warner, of Hainesville, are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby daughter on Friday last.

The teachers' meeting at Layton on Saturday last was a farce, as only one third of the teachers of the valley were present. Supt. Decker, Professors Krasniker and Rohm of Deckertown were present. It is too bad that most of the teachers were absent when the Deckertown gentlemen drove all the way from that place to assist in making the meeting a success.

N. C. Deppa and son of this town now have 2,700 little chicks in their yards and in the near future will add to the number.

They have been uniformly successful in the raising of poultry.

John B. Rosenkrans has purchased of the Bevans brothers all that part of the "Clark" farm lying west of the main road.

The tract contains about 60 acres, and the price paid between eleven and twelve hundred dollars.

Harry Clark, the proprietor of the Hainesville hotel, is having the time of his life getting his license. It has been closed up about a month and a farther hearing will be had on the 17th inst. Some of the evidence in the case was peculiar to say the least. One party was fined ten dollars for spitting a witness out of the state, but he says never again.

The Port Jervis telephone company has arranged its service so that listen ers are out and only the one talking has the wire.

Will that company please extend their service down the valley, for as it now is there is no secrecy.

Walter McCracken and Rose Harsh are engaged in painting the residence of the Bevans brothers near Hervas and when completed the house will present a neat appearance.

Workmen are engaged in framing the large barn to be erected on the Club farm at Bevans and when finished will be the largest barn in the valley and strictly up to date in every way.

Aaron Loney whose condition was reported critical has so far improved that he was removed to the residence of his brother, near Branchville last week.

Listers' Fertilizers at W. & G. Mitchells.
Japan and China Mattings at W. & G. Mitchells.

Lion Fondles A Child

In Pittsburg a savage lion fondled the hand that a child thrust into his cage. Danger to a child is sometimes great when least regarded. Often it comes through Colds, Croup and Whooping Cough. They slay thousands that Dr. King's New Discovery could have saved. "A few doses cured our baby of a very bad case of Croup," writes Mrs. George B. Davis, of Flat Rock, N. C. "We always give it to him when he takes cold. It's a wonderful medicine for babies." Best for Coughs, Colds, LaGrippe, Asthma, Hemorrhages, Weak Lungs. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by all druggists.

FOR RENT!

ONE of the finest store rooms in Milford, Corner Broad and Catharine Streets from April 1st. Also two cottages; one 6 rooms, water in both. Enquire of A. D. BROWN.

WANTED!

SALEMEN to represent us in the sale of our High Grade Goods Don't delay, apply at once. Steady employment; liberal terms. Experience not necessary.

ALLEN NURSERY CO., Rochester, N. Y.

FOR SALE!

Good farm horse weighing 1200 lbs. cheap. Apply to Carlisle Kapp, Milford, Pa.

Business Women Must Accept Business Manners.

When a girl enters the business world she must be grateful for courtesy from men, but she is in no position to demand it. It is not considered necessary for a man to remove his hat in an office because there is a woman there, or in a public elevator. There are men who pay attention to these conventions, but they are growing fewer every day. A business woman must accept the ways of business or stay at home—THE DELINEATOR for June.

State Model Orchards.

Bordeaux-Lead Arsenate Spray to be Demonstrated in 200 Orchards in Pennsylvania.

Following the public demonstrations on pruning and spraying fruit trees for scale insects held in the State Model Orchards during March and April the work will now be taken up of applying effective combined insecticides and fungicides viz., the Bordeaux-Lead Arsenate Spray, which prevents injury to fruits and foliage from codling moth, curculio, and other chewing insects, as well as the development of rot, scab, rust, blotch, leaf blights and fungus, etc.

An expert from the Division of Zoology of the Department of Agriculture will be in charge and will show the proper methods of mixing and applying the spray materials and answer questions as well as identify specimens.

The public is cordially invited to attend. The dates of the meetings in this and Monroe counties are as follows:

Monday May 16. Orchard of H B Decker. Near E. Stroudsburg.
Tuesday May 17. Orchard of E. A. Schwilke. Near Egypt Mills.
Wednesday May 18. Orchard of Harry C. Lockwood. Near Mt Pocono.
Thursday May 19. Orchard of Anthony S. Lamp. Near Milford.

FRED B. FERTIG, INSPECTOR, LEBANON, PA.

The Successful Vs. Perfect Marriage.

This mating business is much more serious than young people can ever be made to realize, and while I believe young people should be left to make their own selections, I believe also that they should be made to see, before a critical stage is reached, as nearly as possible what marriage means, says Erman J. Ridgway in THE DELINEATOR for June.

What does marriage mean? Not in transports, high spots, purple days but in terms of every day. It is generally believed that the most successful marriages follow the mating of contrasts, nervous with phlegmatic, sunny with solemn, light with dark, and so on. There is probably something in the theory, though if the contrasts are too marked, the result is likely to be misery. The chasm is too wide to bridge.

A perfect mating is hardly attainable. There would be fewer misunderstandings and more "successful" marriages if more people realized that a marriage can be successful without being perfect. Perhaps, too, there would be easier sliding if more people realized that marriage is an attempt at three matings: the mating of two souls; the mating of two minds; the mating of two bodies. Two people fairly mated in any two of these can make a very happy marriage of it, even if the other mating is hopeless, as long as they understand the situation and decide to make the best of it. The mischief of hasty marriages is that they are usually body mating only. When the tragic days are succeeded by every day, she does not find in his mind, or in his soul, a complement of herself. The misery of imperfectly mated bodies—and there is misery—is as nothing to the anguish of chained minds that would move in different worlds, but the very dregs of misery must be plumb when a white soul discovers itself pledged to daily contact with a mental leper, or an unamoral thing.

A Man Wants To Die

only even a lazy liver and sluggish bowels cause frightful despondency. But Dr. King's New Life Pills expel poisons from the system; bring hope and courage; cure all Liver, Stomach and Kidney troubles; impart health and vigor to the weak, nervous and ailing. 25c at all druggists.

A Regular Tom Boy

was Susto-climbing trees and fences, jumping ditches, whittling, always getting scratches, cuts, sprains, bruises, bumps, lumps or scalds. But laws! Her mother just applied Backlen's Anatica Salvo and cured her quick. Heals everything healable—Boils, Ulcers, Eczemas, Old Sores, Corns or Piles. Try it, 25c, at all druggists.

OBITUARY

MARY ELIZABETH REED

Mrs. Reed, mother of Dr. Henry B. Reed died at the Annapolis in Milford township, Friday, May 6th, after a long illness aged about 77 years. She was a daughter of the late Benjamin Alden Bidlack at one time Minister to Bogota, and her mother was M. Matilda, a daughter of the late James Wallace, whose wife was Elizabeth De Aaris, a daughter of Dr. Francis A. L. Smith who was born in Brussels and was eldest son of Jean Baptiste De Aaris, Lord of Oplodp and Immersoole. She is survived by one son Dr. H. B. Reed and one sister Miss Blanche A. Bidlack. The funeral, which was private, was held Monday and interment in Milford Cemetery.

Candidate's Card

To the Democratic Voters of the Fourteenth Senatorial District of Pennsylvania:

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Senator, from the Fourteenth Senatorial District, composed of the counties of Carbon, Monroe, Wayne and Pike, at the election to nominate a candidate for the said office to be held on Saturday June 4th, A. D. 1910.

Wayne and Pike counties having no candidates to present to the voters of this district, all question as to the right of Monroe county to this nomination would seem to have been eliminated.

The late Senator, Hon. David S. Lee, of Monroe county, whose term extended from 1899 to 1903, inclusive was succeeded by Hon. J. G. Zern of Carbon county, whose term extended from 1903 to 1906, inclusive; and the latter was succeeded by Hon. G. Frank Rowland of Pike county, whose unexpired term was filled by his brother, Hon. Miles C. Rowland, the full term extending from 1907 to 1910, inclusive.

It would seem, therefore, that, with no candidates and no claims upon the part of Wayne and Pike counties, and Carbon county having been represented since Monroe, in accordance not only with the old rule of rotation, but also from the standpoint of right, of justice and of fair play, there is now no room for any question or any discussion as to the right and claim of Monroe county to the nomination referred to.

As a member of the Democratic party of Monroe county, therefore, believing under the law and the precedents of the party it is my right to submit my candidacy to the fair and impartial consideration of the voters of this district, I announce myself as a candidate for the office above mentioned; hereby pledging myself, in the event of my nomination and election, to devote my time and attention and the very best service of which I am capable, to the promotion of the interests and the welfare of all the people of the counties composing this Senatorial District.

Very sincerely yours,
ROGERS L. BURNETT,
Stroudsburg, Pa., May 9th, 1910.

Oiling Roads

The Port Jervis road cannot be said to be in decay condition. The ruts and depressions make it hard to travel. With natural material lying alongside, most of the way it would seem that a good road scraper, judiciously used with little comparative cost would improve it greatly. An effort is being made to raise money to treat the road with oil but in its present shape it would be to a great extent a waste of money. All suggests that as to oiling roads insist that to secure the benefit the road must be in salable condition, and the first is well rounded, and free from hollows. A split log drag used on the road would aid in shaping it up so as to prepare it for oil treatment. It is a much traveled highway a gate way to our valley and its condition should be in harmony with the natural beauty of the surroundings. It is not so much a matter of money to make it so as it is of proper, and intelligent work.