

# "THE RACKET."

## A FEW FACTS.

Nearly thirteen years ago "The Racket" started with a small stock and an honest purpose to build a business on different lines from the usual stores in Centre county—and U know the result. There are reasons for results and to day we are glad to say and think we can prove to your satisfaction that "The Racket" is a better store than at any time in its history. In every issue of The Centre Democrat for many years U have been asked to Kom and C. Will U be good now and accept the invitation?

G. R. SPIGELMYER.

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#### Rebersburg.

Harvest over, most of the people are done hauling in. As a rule the farmers are very much pleased with the fine harvest.

Miss Sallie Winkelblech, from Renova, is the pleasantest of friends from this place.

People think the iron bridge is very slow coming.

The subject for conversation last week was Dr. Jones' great (?) party.

C. McGramley will again be in the threshing business during the coming season.

Our young folks were to Penn Cave on Saturday.

Isn't funny that some people will "run" or "ruin"?

Rev. Ed. Bierly, from Massachusetts, is under the parental roof again.

Prof. Bright, from John S. Hopkins University, is visiting his brother, Dr. Bright.

Frank Houseman and wife, from Millheim, were the pleasant guests of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Crouse.

Mrs. Willis Weber, from this place, has gone to Ridgeway to visit her son, whose wife has been very ill for many months.

Messrs C. J. Crouse and Edwin Frank made a flying trip to Lock Haven on Friday.

The people from this place were very thankful for the refreshing rain on Friday morning, as it had been very dry in this section.

Mrs. Harvey Corman is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Harry Musser, at Spring Mills.

H. H. Miller had been doing some repairing and building last week. Mr. Miller likes to have things to suit him.

Prof. J. C. Morris, and son, Bruce, were to Aaronsburg, on Saturday on business.

The United Evangelical Sunday School will have a picnic and festival on Saturday, Aug. 10.

Huckleberries are plenty at the east end of the valley.

The most interesting thing at the post-office last week was, young rats.

Prof. H. W. Morris and friend Miss Grace Miller, took a pleasant trip to Sugar valley on Saturday afternoon. O how sweet!

The horse sale at Millheim was well attended from this place.

The Brungart brothers have charge of J. C. Auman's threshing outfit, and are now ready to serve the farmers. Farmers, that is a good machine.

A heavy thunder storm passed over this vicinity on Monday afternoon. A great deal of damage was done to trees, fences, corn and so forth. Lightning struck the M. E. church at Kreamerville, shattering the steeple.

#### Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoffman, of Ridley Park, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Holmes, Sr.

The republicans held their primaries on Saturday evening 27th.

Mrs. J. Newt Kline, of Scotland, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Sayers.

John C. Hoy had two of his sheep killed by dogs.

The members of the Reformed church and Sunday school will hold a basket picnic on next Saturday, in Lucas woods, near Jacksonville. The Presbyterians and Evangelical with their pastors, are cordially invited to participate.

J. W. Leather, the bustling agent for step-ladders, pastry boards, etc., has been kept very busy the past several weeks. He has sold 375 step-ladders and ironing board combined, and 67 pastry boards. Don't forget to give him your order. For prices see advertising column.

#### Beech Creek.

The Beech Creek base ball team went to Howard Saturday afternoon and defeated the nine at that place by the score of 15 to 13. It was the second game lost by Howard this season. The game was well played on both sides.

The dwelling house and lot of H. H. Burry, which was sold at sheriff's sale, was purchased by N. T. Bittner, for \$1250.

J. H. Hunter has closed his meat market and is making preparations to move his family to Chicago.

Miss Mae Whitefield has returned home from Pittsburg.

Miss Margaret Owens, of Tyrone, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. S. Hall.

Rev. L. F. Brown preached in the Presbyterian church Sabbath evening for the last time until, Sept. 1, his vacation occupying the month of August.

#### Catarah Cannot be Cured

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#### Aaronsburg.

Mrs. William Throssel spent a few days last week at Sunbury, where she visited her mother.

The Misses Carrie and Nellie Weaver took in the festival at Penn Hall on Saturday evening.

Chas. Mensch, of the Gazette, spent Sunday with his parents in this place.

Prof. Wm. T. Meyer, of Philadelphia, joined his family in this place last week. He has been given his usual month's vacation. However he will tune pianos for parties in this section who desire him to do so.

Mrs. Nelson Wert presented her husband with two boys on last Thursday and he is the happiest man in town.

Mrs. Chas. Bower and son, Luther, spent a few days last week with the lady's daughter, in Loganton.

Mrs. Emanuel Cronmiller, after spending a week at State College waiting on her sick daughter, Mrs. Perry Adams, returned home Monday evening.

Irvin Musser and family, of Centre Hall, visited friends in this section several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Barr, of Rebersburg, spent a day last week with the Gramley's, in our town.

George Weaver, of Piedler, recently bought the Mumbower property in our town for \$700, and expects to remodel the same before occupying it in the spring.

On Saturday evening next the M. E. congregation of our town will hold a festival at which cream, cakes, lemonade, and other toothsome delicacies will be served. We earnestly hope that our people and the entire community will turn out en masse and liberally patronize this festival as this is the first one this congregation has held for many years. Tell your neighbors and friends they are most cordially invited.

Miss Mabel Maize, of Allentown, Pa., is visiting her mother at this place.

Mrs. Howard Homan, of Williamsport, spent a few days last week at Geo. E. Stovers.

#### Kreamerville.

After a few weeks of silence, we will again give you a small budget of news.

J. Ellis Bell, Presiding Elder of the M. E. church of the Altoona District, preached to a good sized congregation on Saturday evening. He delivered a fine discourse, his subject was based on Numbers, 13th Chapter, and the latter cause of the 9th verse.

Wm. P. Brindle, of Salona, was visiting relatives and friends here Saturday and Sunday.

Frank Housman and wife, of Millheim, were seen here on Saturday.

Elmer Confer and wife were visiting in our town on Sunday.

Serenes Harry and daughter Annie, were to the Tyersville festival Saturday.

Maggie Harry left Sunday for Salona, where she will visit her sisters.

It has been noticed that some one is trying to demolish the side walk leading from here to Rebersburg. These parties are known and it will be well for them to keep a stiff upper lip.

Adam Greninger who had been confined to bed for some time is, we are glad to say again up and among us.

H. A. Detwiler was to Aaronsburg on business, Saturday.

Sallie Winkelblech, of Renova, is among us and is giving us some idea how to do fancy work. Anyone wishing to have a fine stand cover or anything in decorated covers should see her before buying elsewhere.

A terrific storm passed over this vicinity, Monday about 2:30 o'clock, tearing down trees almost for every resident here. A sharp flash of lightning and a terrible peal of thunder, broke from the heavens almost in an instant; in the store of W. J. Hackenberg were seated quite a number of men, sparks of lightning flashed from the telephone, and after the storm was over and the weather suitable to leave the building, John Emerick was the first to leave the building, and to his surprise found that lightning had struck into the steeple of the M. E. church, and had divided itself, went down by the chimney, run along the stove pipe, tearing two large holes into the ceiling, and entering the floor, tore up quite a space of flooring. The stroke was so terrible that the windows in the building were broken and the large doors entirely forced open. Nothing was ever witnessed here like it before.

#### Linden Hall.

G. W. Ocker, agent for the Buffalo Grain & Coal Co., transacted business here last week.

Jacob Zong and family spent a few days recently with friends at Millheim.

Miss Anna Musser, of Pine Grove Mills, was the guest of Mrs. J. H. Ross part of last and this week.

Mrs. Lydia Zeigler spent a few days of last week with her son Nathaniel, of Centre Hall.

The Zobo band composed of two small boys with musical instruments, gave an entertainment here one evening last week.

Mrs. J. H. Ross in company with her guests, Mrs. A. C. Musser, of Altoona, Miss Anna Musser, of Pine Grove Mills, visited friends at Lemont, Saturday last.

John Eisenhuth and family, of Fowler, spent part of last week as the guest of Perry Cole and family.

A little daughter arrived at the home of Elmer Houtz, last week.

Charles Lucas, who moved into the

tenant house on the Dr. Kent farm last spring, has vacated and returned to Boalsburg.

Clayton C. Gettig and wife, of Pitcairn, are spending a short vacation with their friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Houtz, of Toledo, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. House, of Pleasant Gap, and Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Gingerich and others were the guests of Mr. Henry Houtz and family.

#### Millheim.

The farmers are busy cutting oats to get ahead of the grasshoppers as they are destroying a great deal of it.

The average price at the horse sale of Walter and Shivery was \$132.

The telephone company is getting poles from Brush mountain to extend the line through the narrows to Union Co.

Andrew Smith, of Salona, was in the valley on Monday.

Harry Schlegel, of Washington, D. C., is after another car load of horses.

Robert Harter sold his black team to William, of Williamsport.

Ex. Sheriff and Mrs. Cronister spent Sunday with W. F. Smith.

A. Kessler had his room enlarged he is getting a new line of goods, curtains.

Mrs. Howard Homan spent several days at the National with her daughter-in-law Mrs. Geo. Homan.

Harold Stover bought a fine team of blacks at the sale on Thursday.

Peter Shires sold his male team and black horse to John Rutherford, of Laurelton.

W. F. Sheetz went to Ohio beginning of the week.

The dog and cat show was a slim affair, and did not draw a crowd.

John Royer and Geo. Sechrist went to Pittsburg after employment.

Mrs. Ad. Richer, of Altoona, after spending a week in town went to Coburn to visit friends.

Mrs. Wm. Mooney, of Chicago, Ill., and Mrs. Rebecca Shaffer, of Millifinburg, are visiting Mrs. W. S. Musser.

Miss Nannie Cannon, of Tyrone, is the guest of Miss Mary Hartman.

Mabel Harter, of Millifinburg, is a visitor in town.

Mrs. Wm. Ulrich and children, of Pittsburg, are visiting relatives and friends here.

The first automobile seen here passed through here Tuesday afternoon. It was occupied by a lady and gentleman from Milton.

#### Oak Hall.

Miss Luella and Ella Ross, of Linden Hall, were in town last Wednesday.

Miss Annie Bohn entertained her friend, Robert Fogleman, over Sunday.

Arthur Kline attended the band festival at Pleasant Gap, on Saturday evening.

Earl Gingrich, of Linden Hall, was noticed on our streets on Friday.

Thursday Mrs. Wm. Keller, of Lemont, was a guest at the home of A. W. Dale.

Miss Lillie Dale and niece, Luella Dale, of Dales Summit, were visitors in town last week.

Monday Mrs. Henrietta Dale and daughter, Miss Anna, returned home from a trip to Stone valley where they had been visiting James Rutherford.

Miss Rachel Baumgarden, of State College, was a guest of Miss Nellie Holtzer, recently.

Jesse Klingler and family, of Centre Furnace, and L. K. Dale and family, of Pine Grove, were among the Sunday visitors in town.

Miss Bess Weber entertained her cousin, Bertha Meyer and friend, of Centre Hall, last week.

Mrs. Belle McIntyre and daughter Sara, of Altoona, took dinner with Mrs. J. G. Irvin, on Sunday.

Harry Burns entertained his brother and family, of Huntingdon, last week.

Miss Myrtle Williams spent several days last week at George Martz's, near Lemont.

Wm. Knopf and wife are visiting their parents in town.

Wm. Fry visited among friends at Rock Springs and Pine Grove on Sunday.

Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Jacob Meyer and son Albert, transacted business in town.

#### VOICE FROM THE COUNTRY.

In recent years many articles have been published in the newspapers asking why the young men do not stay in the country, saying that is the place where they ought to be.

The man with the hoe, Apollo at the plow, recognize the goddess of the Creator in the dewdrops in each thirly stalk of sprouted corn; name the birds by their song; know of the coming rain by the murmuring of the mountain, and often when the long weary day is over, some Elibu Burritt among them gazing upward into the starry sky, wonders where that far away center is around which the solar system is on the way to revolve! The man at the plow, like Hercules, has shouldered the world that others may reap the fruits thereof, condemned to heavy and laborious steps, all the wild flowers plowed under, and the hard laid aside, the nerve, and spur, and glow of youth are quite consumed, he feels and knows that his life is crushed out at solitary labor, (the penal condition of a convicted criminal) brought about by the political condition of our country; otherwise this land of hills, valleys and flowing streams that Father Penn bought would be a veritable paradise. But there is no time to lose on the hoe; for the taxes must be made up, notwithstanding the other man who holds a mortgage on the same farm pays taxes on it also, and interests and taxes go on, while crops fall, perhaps two or three years in succession, and the man with the hoe, while the sweat drops flow, would like to know where all the money goes to; and when birds of prey pass that way he could utter a cry like that of the ugly duckling's when the swans flew beyond it. Being of a gregarious nature, if enough of nerve remains, he hies away to city or town to be with the others. (x)

Linden Hall, Pa.

#### Festival.

The members of the Evangelical church, of Snow Shoe Intersection, will hold an ice cream festival on Saturday evening, August 3rd. Everybody cordially invited to attend.

#### IN ADJOINING COUNTIES.

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through Centre county a few days since. He tied his team in front of a country store and went inside. One of the clerks, who was standing in front, came in shortly afterwards and inquired of the salesman where he got his bees. Mr. Hess did not understand what the clerk meant until he went out to where his rig was standing, where he found a large swarm of bees hanging to one of the horses' tails. The question was how to rid the horse of the bees. Finally it was decided to unhitch the team and drive it down the road as rapidly as possible. The p'au was tried and the animal switched its tail and the bees flew to a nearby tree and alighted.

The teachers who have been chosen to take charge of the Rush township school's for the coming year are: Sandy Ridge primary, Miss Fannie Sharrat; Powellton, Miss Agnes Subrie; Edendale, Miss Eunice Hutton; Tower, Miss Alice Custer; Klondike, Miss Lilly Heath; Reese, Miss Jessie Blowers; Park, Charles Waring; Cold Stream, T. L. Crust; Point Lookout, grammar, Miss Ella Ward; Point Lookout, primary, Miss Letitia Flegal; North Phillipsburg, grammar, Miss Lyle McCloskey; North Phillipsburg primary, Miss Annie Ward. Munson, Miss Gwen Waring; Black Moshannon, Miss Isabella Hutchings.

#### IN ADJOINING COUNTIES.

A team of horses owned by Cyrus Bixler, of Sugar Valley, recently hauled 23,000 lath at one load over the mountain to Mill Hall.

Stock has been subscribed by local residents of Altoona, to the amount of \$30,000 for the erection at once of a malleable iron foundry at that city.

Hon. C. A. Mayer and daughter, of Lock Haven, will sail on August 7th for a European trip. In his absence Judge Baily, of Huntingdon, will preside.

Several changes in the original specifications for the construction of the federal building at Altoona have been made which cuts out all wood and substitutes terra cotta and iron. This will make the building absolutely fire proof.

While picking potato bugs in a field on her father's farm near Altoona Monday morning 22nd, Miss Jennie Habel, 20 years old, was bitten by a huge rattlesnake. Blood poisoning has set in and grave fears of her recovery are entertained.

#### RECENT DEATHS.

MARY JANE MYESLEY:—wife of John Myesley, died at her home in Patton township on Friday 26, her age being 51 years. She was born in Huntingdon county and was a very fine woman.

JACOB B. BARNER:—one of the substantial residents of Loganton, died on the morning of 27. He had been ill four weeks with heart trouble. He was 66 years old. He had always been a resident of Sugar valley and for many years had lived at Loganton.

Mrs. THOMAS NASON:—died Saturday morning about 5 o'clock at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Griffith, at Point Lookout, near Phillipsburg, after an illness extending over a period of three years. She had attained the ripe age of 82 years, 10 months and 7 days. She survived by five sons and two daughters.

Mrs. FRANK CUNNINGHAM:—formerly of this place, but late of New Kensington, Pa., died at her home in that place Sunday evening of typhoid fever. Her maiden name was Jennie Mowery and she was born at Hubersburg, Centre county 34 years ago. She is survived by her husband and five children. Interment at New Kensington, last Tuesday.

JAMES PARKER:—died very suddenly at his home in Phillipsburg last Friday morning from heart trouble, superinduced by dropsy, with which he has been a sufferer since February last. He was standing in the front yard of his residence holding to the fence, when he suddenly fell back and expired. The deceased was aged about forty years. He was a wagon-maker by trade. Surviving him are a wife and two daughters.

JAMES NORMAN McCLAIN:—a son of Amos McClain who resides near Hubersburg, died July 23. He had been sick for several weeks with typhoid fever. He was a young man of good habits and endured his affliction patiently. He was aged 21 years, 5 months and 17 days. The funeral services were held on Thursday afternoon by Rev. H. I. Crow, assisted by Rev. Foss, of the United Evangelical church. The services were largely attended. The family have the sympathy of the community in their bereavement.

#### Rather Severe.

A man in Indiana was fined \$1 and disfranchised for five years and sentenced to serve three years in prison for borrowing a neighbor's umbrella during a thunder storm without asking permission. Talk about Jersey justice! Its severity isn't a marker to that of Indiana.

Went to Visit His Sister.

A. J. Cottingham went to Washington Co., Ark., to see his sister and while there was taken with flux (dysentery) and was very bad off. He decided to try Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and was so much pleased with the prompt cure which it effected, that he wrote the manufacturers a letter in praise of their medicine. Mr. Cottingham resides at Lockland, Ark. For sale by Green's Pharmacy.

#### TELLTALE PICTURES.

#### PAINTINGS THAT HAVE DONE THE WORK OF DETECTIVES.

#### Instances Where the Canvas of an Artist Has Led to the Confession of a Criminal—A Portrait and a Stolen Diamond Pendant.

An artist who had suddenly become almost famous by his production of a painting exhibited at the Royal academy was one day called upon by a man whose visit was productive of the most extraordinary and undreamt of consequences.

The picture represented a lonely stretch of beach, upon which the sea was beating in long, creamy rollers. In the foreground, bending over a dead body, was a man with a wild expression on his face and with a naked knife in his hand. A ship's boat, evidently just beached, was also in the picture, and by the side of the murdered man was a bag of gold. The picture portrayed the advent of two castaways upon a friendly shore. The one had murdered the other so that the treasure might be his.

The painter's visitor was a gray haired, wild eyed man.

"In heaven's name, sir," he gasped out, "how did you learn the dreadful story that you painted? I see you know all. I murdered my mate Bill to get the money that was his. I threw his body into the sea. I don't know what impulse led me to the Academy. The first thing I saw was your picture representing the scene that took place 30 years ago."

Needless to say, the picture had been the outcome of imagination. Yet murder will out, and the guilty conscience of the man who had killed his comrade for lust of gold had convinced him that the painting was no coincidence, but was indeed the actual portrayal of a dastardly and unwitnessed crime.

There is probably no picture better known in England than "The Doctor," by Mr. Luke Fildes, yet there are probably very few people aware of the fact that that selfsame masterpiece was the means of bringing to light the perpetration of a crime that would otherwise never have been known.

A certain doctor in a large town committed suicide, and among his papers was a letter which ran as follows: "I have today seen Luke Fildes' 'Doctor.' The picture represents a medical man watching by the bedside of a child. It has so haunted me that I am going to take away my own worthless life and make a confession at the same time. When Arthur's—his brother's—boy died, I came into money that my dead brother had settled on him. He died as all the world thought of acute pneumonia. Yet his life might have been saved had I acted, as Fildes' 'Doctor' so evidently doing, with the use of all the skill that lay in my power. I hastened the boy's end and so got the money. I can bear it no more."

A well known artist was commissioned to paint the portrait of a lady in exalted circles, who boasted the possession of a most unique jewel in the form of a pendant. The lady was very anxious that this heirloom should be included in her portrait. The artist, of course, complied with her request.

Shortly after the painting had been completed a daring burglary was perpetrated, with the result that the lady lost her heirloom, and no trace of the thief or thieves was forthcoming. Years passed by, and the lady gave up all hope of ever seeing the precious heirloom again.

Now, it so happened that the artist who had painted the portrait of the lady mentioned had occasion to travel in India.

In the course of his wanderings he came to Bombay and, as every visitor to that place does, strolled through the native bazaar.

Suddenly his attention was riveted by a piece of jewelry in a jeweler's shop that seemed familiar to him. It was a diamond and ruby pendant. Where had he seen it before? He ransacked his brain, but could not remember.

He returned to his hotel and happened to take from his portfolio a sketch of the portrait he had made years ago of the lady with the pendant. In a moment the enigma was solved. The peculiar pendant that his fair sitter had been so anxious he should include in his portrait.

He hurried off to the chief of police, and told that worthy what he suspected, namely, that the bazaar he had visited contained the long lost jewel of the English lady. Inquiries were at once set on foot with extraordinary results. The jeweler in the bazaar confessed to having given years ago a quite insignificant sum for the jewel, which he had bought from a stableman in the employ of a neighboring rajah. The stableman was sought for, and turned out to be none other than a famous English crackman, who had apparently turned honest, but who, nevertheless, confessed to having been the thief of the jewel that had been so miraculously discovered.—Pearson's Weekly.

#### Of Two Evils the Lesser.

Papa—Didn't I tell you, Willie, I caught you playing with Tommy Jink again I would whip you?

Willie—Yes, sir.

Papa—Then why were you playing with him?

Willie—Well, I got lonesomer than I thought a lickin would hurt, so I just went over and played with him; that's why.—Detroit Free Press.

The father of the game of whist, Edmund Hoyle, lived to be 97 years old. His treatise on cards has been published in all languages, and probably no work except the Bible has passed through more editions. The original work appeared in London in 1742.

#### The Dog Days.

Last Monday, July 22, marked the beginning of what are known as the "dog days," which precede and follow the hebal rising of the star Sirius, in the constellation of the Great Dog. They will end August 27. The season is regarded by many persons as more unhealthy than that which immediately precedes or succeeds it, and as being a time when mankind is more liable to attacks from disease through exposure or imprudence in general habits than in any other. The heat, while the dog days last, is usually more sultry and oppressive than any other in the summer. Then, too, the meat and vegetables are supposed to be in more danger of spoiling from the effects of the weather than at any other time.

#### Dunning Postal Cards.

The mailing of dunning postal cards is a practice that the government officials have to contend with from time to time. A recent number of the Postal Guide contains an article written by Postmaster General Smith relating to postal dunning cards. He says that a postal card is mailable where the writer has not made or expressed a threat. A dunning postal card may contain on its back a bill and mentioned the fact that a collector has called several times for the money, but where no threat is made and the intention has been only to secure the attention of the person receiving it and not the public, it is mailable. There will no doubt now be a great increase in the sale of postal cards.

#### Thought He Had Consumption.

A man in Clearfield became convinced that he had consumption. Every time he drew a full breath he heard a crackling sound. A doctor discovered that the sound was made by a small buckle on his suspenders.

There is always the passenger cars left for the man who cannot express himself.

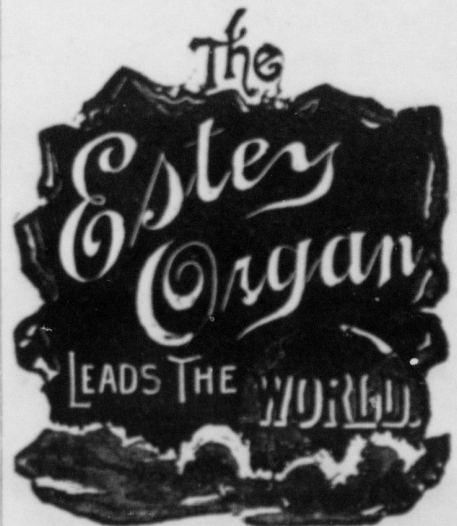
#### KIDNEY OR LIVER.

A Diversity of Pains Come to the Side and Back—Sometimes Its an Ache That Lingers Along or Comes Back.

The location of a pain is easy, but the location of the cause is necessary for its removal, and that is the trouble with aches and pains in the side, back and shoulders, sometimes it is caused by the kidneys and sometimes by the liver or a complication of the two. The marked success of Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Pills is on account of their two fold action on Kidneys and Liver.

Joseph McSweeney, of 68 Logan St., Bellefonte, Pa., says: "During the past my kidneys and liver have been the source of a good deal of trouble and annoyance to me making its presence known by dull pains through the loins and side and constipation. I got some of Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Pills at Krumrine's Drug Store and I must say the results of their use have been all that I could desire. They gave me prompt and thorough relief and I am glad to recommend them."

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