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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Sheriff's Sale.
Lammers, Ad.
Robinson, Ad.
Hopkins, Locals.
Penn's Ry. Reader.
J. C. Scowden, Local.
Scowden & Clark, Notice.
Bovard's Drug Store, Ad.
F. W. Devore & Co., Letter.
White Star Grocery, Local.
Grant Shuster, Horse sale ad.

—Oil market closed at \$1.50.
—Oil and gas leases at this office.
—Hopkins sells the Douglas shoes if
—Go to Hopkins and be fitted out in a nice suit of clothes. He has them. It
—Everything in the fruit and vegetable line at the White Star Grocery. It
—The schools of Tionesta township started Monday on seven-months' term.
—If you want the best and most stylish skirt get the Wooltex. Hopkins has a new invoice. It
—A child's red cape was left on Bovard's store porch recently, and owner can have same by calling at this office.
—A set of barn timbers, and several sticks of yellow pine, 8x8, 20 feet long, also a large barn saw, in good condition, for sale at a bargain at Scowden & Clark's. It

Following is the list of letters lying uncalled for in the post office at Tionesta, Pa., for the week ending Sept. 9, 1903: C. S. Buck, S. R. Carson.

D. S. Knox, P. M.
—The new fall millinery stock of the Joyce Sisters is arriving and is being displayed at their store. Call early and inspect the elegant stock while the choicest selections may be had. It

—A box social will be given in Bovard's hall a week from next Friday evening, 18th inst., for the benefit of the base ball team. The boys hope to be well patronized, and extend a cordial invitation to all.

—Negotiations between the commissioners of Armstrong and Clarion counties and the owners of the East Brady bridge were completed on Friday and the bridge is now owned by those counties and is free from toll.

—Manasse Arnold, one of Clarion's most prominent and oldest business men, died at his home on the 29th ult., aged 73 years. No man in Clarion county was better known than he, and his popularity was as extensive as his acquaintance.

—In the family of Andrew Grubbs, who lives on the old Gordon farm, below Newtown Mills, three members are down with typhoid fever, two sons and a daughter. Fred, a son of Mr. Grubbs, died with the disease about a month ago.

—Livestock market, of this place had two horses entered in the races at the Brookville fair last Friday and both took prizes. His trotting stallion took three straight heats in the 220 trot and his running horse took third in a couple of races.

—The Christian Endeavor Society will serve a chicken supper in the Kepler Block next Saturday evening from 5:30 to 8:00 o'clock. All are cordially invited to come and enjoy a good supper and help along a good cause. Prices 15 and 25 cents.

—Supposin' some of these newspaper fellows that know so much about women's halloes and peek-a-boo waists—which isn't so—let us tell you why a man wears a belt and a pair of suspenders to keep his breeches up.—Ex.

—Will H. Hunter, of the West Side, had the bad luck to cut a severe gash in the great toe of his right foot yesterday, while engaged in splitting some boiler wood for a well on which he is drilling in the old Pitohole field. The injury will lay him off duty for some time, likely.

—We are told that the week shall inherit the earth, says the Jamestown Journal. This is well, for at present they get upper berths, inside rooms, the worst seats at the theater, the hardest jobs, the slowest "raise," are the last to receive back borrowed money, and at the laying of cornerstones are told to keep off the grass.

—Postmaster Knox is minus a fairly good umbrella, as many a good citizen has been at some time in his career, and he would appreciate the return of the article at this particular time. His name is stamped on the handle, so that whoever took it—in mistake—will have no trouble in identifying it as not his own. Kindly leave it at the postoffice and receive the owner's best thanks.

—Mrs. Nancy Summerville Steele, relict of the late Rev. David Steele, died at her home near Brookville, on August 29th, last, at the age of 76 years. Her death resulted from a stroke of paralysis, and was very sudden. The deceased was well and favorably known to many people living in the southeastern portion of this county, they having at one time lived near Clarion for several years.

—Wm. Seeley, whose farm is located near the county line beyond Neiltown, had a valuable horse very mysteriously poisoned last Saturday. When discovered in his stall the horse was apparently in terrible agony, and in a few minutes dropped over and expired. He had eaten about half his oats, which had been dosed with enough strychnine to kill a dozen horses. Mr. Seeley is trying to ferret out the culprit who perpetrated the dastardly offense.

—All of next week J. C. Scowden will have on exhibition a line of shot guns that will be worth seeing by any one contemplating the purchase of a new and up-to-date fowling piece for the hunting season which will soon be upon us. These guns will be from one of the largest houses in the country, and you will be able to fit yourself out just right at a nominal cost. Come any time during next week.

—The congregation of the First M. E. church of Jamestown, N. Y., one of the largest churches in the Erie conference, has made a unanimous request for the services of Rev. W. P. Murray, now stationed at Dunkirk, N. Y. Dr. Murray is one of the leading divines in this conference, and his many Tionesta friends are pleased to learn of his popularity and preference with the larger and more important churches.

—On Thursday, September 10, 17, and 24, and October 1, 8, 15, and 22, 1903, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets from all points on the River Division, including the Plum Creek branch, to Pittsburgh, at reduced rates, including admission to the exposition. The tickets will be good going on regular trains on day of issue, and will be valid for return passage within three days, including date of sale. 622

—A Dunkirk lad had a narrow escape the other day from strangulation by swallowing a wooden whistle attached to a rubber "squawker." It lodged in his wind-pipe and an operation had to be performed for its removal. Hearing a number of these nerve-racking pests on our streets within the past few days brings this piece of information close home, and we sound the warning early to parents who allow their dearies to use the pesky squawk-lugs.

—Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Range of Stewart Run, were visitors in town for a few hours last Thursday afternoon and left with us a sample of tomatoes of their own raising the like of which is seldom seen in this section. There were four in the bunch, the combined weight of which was 44 pounds, the largest one tipping the beam at 11 pounds. If any one can beat this for tomatoes let him or her lay the same on the editorial table. Competition open to all comers.

—A rather sensational account of an injury to Harvey Kiser, at Wilkinsburg, appeared in the Pittsburgh papers last Saturday, which, we are pleased to inform his many friends here was not of a serious nature, Harvey having merely gotten his left hand a little too close to one of the buzz-saws in the planing mill in which he is a part owner, and he was able to resume work as soon as the cut was sewed up. The papers had it that his hand had been severed at the wrist.

—Anderson Dunkle, well known to many of our readers, died at his home near Black's Corners, on Monday of last week, and the funeral took place on Wednesday, conducted by Rev. F. M. Small. The interment was in the cemetery at Lucinda. Had he lived till the second day of September Mr. Dunkle would have been 63 years of age. He had an honorable record as a soldier in the civil war, and was a pensioner. He was a brother of the late George Dunkle of this place.

—As a train was pulling on to the siding at the Penn's station here yesterday forenoon a rail was broken by one of the heavy engines near the water tank and about twenty-five cars passed over the place, crumpling up about four feet of the rail, but luckily none of the cars left the track and the train came to a standstill without doing any damage. Had the cars left the track there it might have been a mixup that would have made things decidedly interesting in and about the depot.

—Mr. Meredith, who has had charge of the erection of the new span of the river bridge during the past month, put the finishing touches on this morning, and the job is now complete, and a nice piece of work it is too, laying the balance of the old bridge so badly in the shade as to make one feel ashamed of it. The new span was erected without interfering with travel to any extent worth mentioning, for all of which our people feel quite grateful to the one having in charge the rather precarious work.

—Tionesta won one and lost one last week—we are speaking now of base ball games. The first on Wednesday with Warren, resulted 12-8 in favor of the home team. It was a sort of pitcher's battle, Bankhead of the locals having 15 strikeouts, and Davey Blum for the Warren's had 11. The second game on Friday, was between Tionesta and Clarion, and resulted in a defeat for the home team, the score standing 8-6 in favor of the visitors at the end of the eighth inning, when the Clarion players had to leave the ground in order to catch the train. In this game Bankhead had 11 strikeouts, while Bailey, for the visitors, had 5.

—In years gone by only the demimonde of America smoked cigarettes, but of late the practice is indulged in by women who profess the highest respectability. Whether or not the habit permits of them retaining their self respect or command that of others is a matter somewhat discussed. It is undoubtedly a fact that when women indulge in the pernicious habit and endeavor to follow in the footsteps of men, they lower themselves in the estimation of people and sacrifice their greatest charm, attractiveness and noblest womanliness. Though cigarette smoking by women may look "cute" to men and be deemed proper by women who indulge in it, it is anything but elevating and should be condemned by all respectable people.

—For the benefit of those desiring to attend the annual session of the Sovereign Grand Lodge of I. O. O. F. at Baltimore, Md., September 21 to 26, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell round-trip tickets to Baltimore from all stations on its lines except Woodbury, Harrisburg, and intermediate stations; Columbia, Frederick, and intermediate stations on the Northern Central Railway; Lancaster, Harrisburg and intermediate stations, and stations on the Philadelphia Baltimore and Washington Railroad (exclusive of stations south of Townsend, Del.), on September 19, 20, and 21, good for return passage until September 28, inclusive, at rate of single fare for the round trip, plus one dollar. For conditions and stop-over at Philadelphia on tickets reading through that point, consult ticket agent.

—At first no one understood why the fashion show now running in New York should attract such large crowds. Now the secret is out. The clothes are shown by a hundred actresses, or would-be actresses, who parade slowly around a platform before the audience. The women go to see the dresses, the men to see the girls, who are said to be the handsomest looking the city could produce and naturally there is a large and continuous patronage. Just wait till the fad strikes the small towns and the fashion models are drawn from local talent!—Franklin News.

—In a recent issue of the Journal of the American Medical Association appears a summary, covering several pages, of the deaths and accidents resulting from the Fourth of July celebrations of this year. Omitting all cases where actual identity had not been made, or where there was any doubt, the summary shows that 4,449 persons were killed and injured in the United States. It is not thought that over one-half of the cases are included in this table. Aside from tetanus, which caused 406 deaths, there were 60 deaths from other causes, 10 persons were blinded, 74 lost one eye, 54 lost hands, arms, or legs, 174 lost one or more fingers, and 3,670 received other injuries, making a total of 3,983 injured. In the 406 deaths from tetanus 363 were due from the blank cartridge and toy pistol.

—The storm of the 25th ult. created no little consternation among the inhabitants in the vicinity of Lickingville, if the account of it written by a correspondent of the Clarion Republican is to be relied upon. He says: The storm which passed over this section last Friday was quite severe. It unroofed a barn of C. L. Mahler, buried one of his horses in the hay blown from the barn, smashed a new buggy for him and tore part of the barn down. It carried trees for quite a distance. At A. E. Alexander's a halfgrown orchard was destroyed and his fences were scattered all over the farm. F. H. Fletcher's corn crib was taken from its foundation and carried toward Tylersburg. G. M. Bradley's barn roof was torn off and the frame spread. Lightning struck Daniel Daum's house, but did little damage.

—Pursuant to directions from School Directors Convention, the committee consisting of Co. Supt. Stitzinger, and Principals T. E. Slight, of Marienville, W. J. Stewart of H. Hickory, and D. W. Morrison of Borough, met in the Superintendent's office in Tionesta on Saturday, and planned the foundation of a County Course of Study. The course embraces twelve studies and is divided into nine years' work. The committee then divided up the various branches among its members, and will meet again in four weeks to compare notes and make final adjustment. In the meantime, each member will be busy outlining the work by years in his respective branches, subject to approval or alteration by the committee as a whole. The committee estimates that the complete course will contain nearly one hundred pages.

—Through the efforts of R. L. Logue, of Oil City, formerly of West Monterey, and J. H. Giles of the last named place, a deal for over 2000 acres of coal land was closed up within the past week, whereby about \$75,000 will be distributed among a number of farmers in Monroe and Piney townships for the coal rights alone. This is the deal that has been on for some time past and has been spoken of through the papers as having been purchased by the Mt. Zion Coal Co., the owners of which are C. W. Ansley, J. C. Campbell and D. B. Shields of Marienville. Aside from coal rights purchased, these parties bought out-right the Kearney, McQueen, Hamilton and one of O. L. Altman's farms. During the past week notice has been served upon a number of those whose options were held that they were accepted, and as rapidly as the titles can be examined and the preliminaries arranged the coal will be paid for and the deal for the lots will be closed up. Numerous references to this deal have been published from time to time but it has never been entirely completed until last week.—Clarion Democrat.

King Arrested for Shooting Two Girls.
William King, the man who shot Dilla and Ethel Weigel, daughters of Samuel Welsh, near Sigel, Jefferson county, report of which appeared in the REPUBLICAN two weeks ago, was arrested and bound over to court last week. In default of bail he was lodged in jail at Brookville. The girls are aged respectively 15 and 13 years, and at time of shooting were near the home of King, where a family rumup was apparently going on, which had attracted their attention. King took a shot gun and fired at the girls, 15 shot taking effect in the arm of the elder girl, seven of them being still in the arm. The younger girl still has five shot in her left hip. The father of the girls is employed at Grunderville, where he has the job of stocking the mill of the Warren Lumber Co.

A Good Citizen Passes Away.
Syen Johan Swanson, a well known and highly respected citizen of this community, died at his late residence, near Jamieson station, on Wednesday last, Sept. 2, 1903.

The deceased was born in Sweden in 1838 and came to this country in 1871, and shortly after settled in the place where he spent most of his life. He had lived a short time in Wisconsin.

For nearly thirty years he had been a faithful employee of the Pennsylvania Railroad, and was held in high esteem by his co-laborers or by his excellent qualities of head and heart. He was a well informed, intelligent citizen, who made the welfare of his country a close study, being especially well versed in economic affairs. A life long member of the Lutheran church, he passed away in peace, sustained in his last hours by the consolation of a faith to which he had been a loyal adherent throughout life.

His burial took place on Friday last in the Riverside cemetery, where simple but impressive services were conducted by the Rev. R. W. Hingworth. As a mark of respect to Mr. Swanson, the Section Foreman, Mr. Armon, was accorded the right of way over the road to bring the casket and friends to this place on a hand car and trailer.

Kidly Settle.
Having a large number of accounts on our books, and having made a change in the firm, we desire all knowing themselves indebted to or having accounts with us to call and settle same at an early date. SCOWDEN & CLARK. Sept. 1, 1903.

YOU AND YOUR FRIENDS.

—W. A. Grove was a business visitor to Oil City on Monday.

—W. G. Wyman was in Erie on business a part of last week.

—Mrs. Henry O'Hara was a visitor to Oil City last Saturday afternoon.

—Miss Alice Agnew is visiting her uncle, P. Agnew, at Youngsville.

—Merton Mealy has taken work in the Reid Gas Engine works at Oil City.

—Mrs. Gus. Wensel, of Nebraska, is quite seriously ill with typhoid fever.

—Jim and Harry Canfield were up from Balliet, Venango county over Sunday.

—Mrs. Rachel Noble left yesterday on a visit to friends in Franklin and New Castle.

—Mrs. Wm. Smearbaugh and daughter, Miss Helen, were visitors to Oil City last Friday.

—A. P. Anderson, of Warren, was a guest of his sons and daughters here last Saturday.

—Mrs. J. C. Hamilton, of East Liverpool, Ohio, is a guest of her sister, Mrs. J. P. Grove.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Weller, of Newtown, were business visitors to Oil City last Saturday.

—Arthur Kelly and little daughter Margaret, of Chicago, are here on a visit to his parents.

—Mrs. W. H. Stiles of Endeavor was the guest of her friend, Mrs. M. E. Abbott, yesterday.

—Mrs. G. H. Killmer was a guest of her mother, Mrs. Ada Dunkle, in Oil City during last week.

—Mrs. Alex Swanson returned yesterday from a week's visit with friends at Jamestown and Buffalo.

—Miss Margaret Nickle returned Saturday from a week's visit with friends in Nickleville, Venango county.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Meader, of Titusville, are guests of the latter's father, Fred Weingard, on German Hill.

—Mrs. L. C. Witherub, of Enlenton, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Ed. Wasson, returned home Monday.

—Misses Florence Fulton and June Herman went to Clarion Monday to enroll for the winter term at the Normal.

—Mr. and Mrs. Shuer and baby of South Oil City, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Caulkins over last Sabbath.

—Rev. and Mrs. McGarvey and Mrs. Eli Holeman attended the F. M. quarterly meeting at Tidoute over last Sabbath.

—Miss Effie Walters went to Pittsburgh Monday to study new fall styles and order new millinery goods for F. Walters & Co.

—Miss Cella Buzzard, of McKeesport, Pa., was a guest of her sister, Mrs. W. J. Campbell, last week, returning home Friday.

—Miss Josephine Strong, the guest of the Misses Smearbaugh for the past three weeks, returned to her home in Tidoute Monday.

—Miss Effie Brown, the guest of her aunt, Mrs. J. G. Dale, for the past week, returned to her home in Ashtabula, Ohio, yesterday.

—Mrs. J. D. Greaves is making a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lawrence. She reports the Doctor well and in good spirits.

—T. C. McMaster, F. P. Turner, Chas. J. Sabine, Marienville, and A. N. Lehenator, of Leola, were Tionesta visitors over Monday night.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Chevelier of Oil City, were guests over last Sabbath of the latter's cousins, Mrs. L. J. Hopkins and Mrs. J. F. Proper.

—Mrs. F. A. Keller and children came home from Fredonia, N. Y., last Friday. Her brother, Wilson Frost, was a guest of the family over Sunday.

—Mrs. Jas. Canfield, who has been spending the past two months with her parents, at South Vandalia, N. Y., returned home last Thursday.

—Mrs. John Pryor and daughter, Mrs. Sadie Perrin, of Venango county, were guests during the week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Osgood.

—Thomas H. Jenkins of McKees Rocks, Pa., and Miss Nettie E. Mealy of Johnstown, Pa., were yesterday granted a wedding permit by Clerk Geist.

—Miss Isabelle Joyce returned yesterday from Pulaski, Pa., where she has been assisting in the housekeeping for her father during the past two months.

—Bishop McCabe, who will preside at the session of the Erie M. E. conference at Warren this week, preached in the M. E. church at Nebraska last Sabbath morning.

—Miss Lulu Bulger, of Akron, Ohio, the guest of Mrs. J. P. Grove for the past three weeks, returned home Monday. She was accompanied as far as Oil City by Mrs. Grove.

—Miss Delva Randall went to Wilkinsburg yesterday for a three weeks' visit with her sister, Mrs. Harvey Kiser. Miss Lizzie Randall accompanied her as far as Oil City.

—Mrs. James Zahniser, aged 82, died at Cochranston last Tuesday and was buried at Jackson Center, Mercer county, on Thursday. She was the grandmother of Mrs. Harry Canfield and brothers of this place.

—Rev. O. H. Nickle is attending conference at Warren this week, and will not be here to hold services next Sunday in the M. E. church. Mr. Nickle's many friends hope he may return to this charge.

—Mrs. Seamen, of Indiana, Pa., who has been the guest of her brother, Rev. B. F. Feil for the past month, returned home Monday. She was accompanied as far as Oil City by her niece, Miss Gertrude Feil.

—George Carson came home from Monterey last Wednesday on the sick list, and has since been confined to his bed with an attack of congestion of the lungs, but he is steadily improving, we are glad to note.

—Miss Mary Joyce, who has been in Pittsburgh purchasing millinery goods for the past two weeks, returned home Monday. She stopped at Pulaski, Pa., on her way home and spent Sunday with her father, brothers and sisters.

—Mrs. J. H. Robertson and Mrs. Wm. Smearbaugh gave a progressive luncheon to a large party of their lady friends last Thursday afternoon. Among the out-of-town guests present were Mrs. W. G.

Wilkins, Mrs. Orion Siggins, Mrs. A. J. Siggins, Mrs. J. A. Turner, Miss Jennie and Miss Justina Siggins, of West Hickory, Mrs. G. W. Warden and Mrs. G. B. Evans, Endeavor, Mrs. Frank Chevelier, Oil City, and Mrs. Jennie C. Partridge, Pittsburgh.

—Word comes from Eagle Rock that a bouncing big boy came to the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. McCrea, Monday of this week. Here's hoping he may grow to be as fine a man and possess as correct a "shooting eye" as his good-natured dad.

—Judge and Mrs. S. D. Irwin were among the out-of-town guests who assisted Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Davidson, of Pleasantville, celebrate the 25th anniversary of their marriage last Friday evening. Upward of 150 guests were present, and the affair was the social event of the season in that place.

—Principal T. E. Slight, accompanied by his assistant principal, B. H. Botenborn of the Marienville schools, drove over on Saturday morning to attend the meeting of the Committee on the County Course of Study. Principal W. J. Stewart of the E. Hickory school came down on Friday night for the same purpose.

—A pretty wedding was celebrated at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Davis on Wednesday afternoon last, when their niece, Miss Bertha A. Porter, of Golina, was joined in marriage with Mr. Orval M. McKenzie, of the same place. Rev. O. H. Nickle officiated. Mr. and Mrs. Ephraim Porter, parents of the bride, were among the guests present.

—Robert L. Huddleson, a former well known citizen of this county but for several years a resident near Parsons, W. Va., was up last week visiting old friends and relatives in this vicinity for a few days. "Bob," as he was familiarly known in early days, had not changed much since last we saw him, and his old acquaintances hereabouts were glad to see him once more.

Mayburg.
George Stitzinger, of New Castle, Pa., was in town on business to-day. George was manager of the Watson Lands Lumber Co. store here a few years ago, and a good one, too. We miss you George; always glad to see you.

Mr. and Mrs. Long have returned with their household goods from Oil City. Considerable company at F. K. Brown's but did not get their names. One is a veteran of the Spanish war.

Sickness still continues. The school board meets as a board of health at Mayburg at 9 a. m. the 8th and at Kelletville at 2 p. m., to investigate the cause of so much fever.

School commences to-day. Mr. Carringer, of Marienville, for the Mayburg school. Miss Jeannette McClen for Buck Mills. Kingsley township has a good corps of teachers this term.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Paul, of Kelletville, are called upon to mourn the loss of their youngest son, who died on Friday of cholera infantum, aged 3 months. A large funeral on the Sabbath at the Kelletville church. Interment at Whig Hill, Rev. Wm. Richards officiating.

Car load of piping for the air plant arrived on Thursday. The foundations for power house about ready.

Brown & McManigle are pushing the lumber manufacturing for about all there is in it. A good mill and a good crew makes things hum. Walter Shepard at the levers of the band saw, and Mr. Williams at the saws, makes a good team. One train brings logs from Bobs creek, and another brings them from Bear creek. The Spooner lands are yielding some fine pine.

MARRIED.
MAZE—LUCAS—In Clarion, Pa., August 31, 1903, by Charles E. Mathews, J. P., Mr. A. Jackson Maze of Cooksburg, Pa., and Miss Myrtle Lucas of Fisher, Pa.

DIED.
PAUL—At Salmon Creek, Forest Co., Pa., Sept. 4, 1903, Martin Howard, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Paul, aged 3 months.

He had been ailing for several weeks and on Saturday evening, Aug. 22, he was taken with a violent attack of congestion of the brain. His case proved a very stubborn one, yielding to treatment at times only to take a firmer hold. He suffered untold agony in spite of medical aid and constant care of relatives and friends. On Friday relief came and the little spirit took its flight to the One who said "Suffer little children, and forbid them not, to come unto me, for of such is the Kingdom of Heaven." The interment took place at the Whig Hill cemetery, Rev. Wm. Richards officiating.

If from our side the first has fled And home he but a name, Let's strive the narrow path to tread That we the last may gain. I. C. W.

We desire to return our sincere thanks to the many friends in Salmon Creek and Kelletville who so kindly assisted us during the sickness and after the death of our little loved one.

MR. AND MRS. G. H. PAUL.
Letter to Jos. Morgan.
Tionesta, Pa.

Dear Sir: The Trustees of Fair Ground, Cobleskill, N. Y., were glad to pay 15 cents a gallon more for Devore; and it would take 150 gallons of their paint to cover the buildings.

Our agent put it at 125 or less. It took 115.

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Yours truly,
F. W. DEVORE & CO.,
New York.

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DIZZY SPELLS.—Edward Happ, of Titusville, Pa., had such pain in the back that he could not do any kind of work and had such dizzy spells that he would have to hold