

GLADE CITY CHRISTMAS SERVICE.

The Christmas service of the Glade City union Sunday school, reorganized by J. G. Deeds, the mission organizer of the union Sunday schools of Somerset county, held its first Christmas service under the new organization and under the superintendency of J. W. Forrest, on Christmas eve.

The school house was crowded to overflowing, the decorations were profuse, and exceeded anything in that direction that had been undertaken before. The music was of an unusual order. A. W. Bittner used the violin to good effect, H. Mankamer used the cornet, and Miss Myrtle Blankmeyer was organist. The address of welcome was delivered by Wm. Long, D. D. Dickey, the district Sunday school superintendent, followed addresses, recitations and dialogues to the number of twenty, without exception were well rendered. One hundred and fifteen scholars received treats. On February 6th the school opened with six.

NEW YEAR PARTY.

Miss Martina Glessner gave a New Year party at her home on Meyers avenue, to a number of friends. The evening was very pleasantly spent in playing games and music. A delicious lunch was served. Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Cook, assisted Rev. and Mrs. A. S. Glessner in entertaining the young folks.

Those present were as follows:—Misses Eline Hocking, Mary Gill, Orpha Meyers, Florence Just, Mary Conrad, Leora Collins, Elizabeth Irwin, Helen Bolden, Henrietta Horing, Hilda Lichty, Mariam Glessner, Messrs. Samuel Greer, Samuel Meyers, Dick Bauman, Charles Pike, Clarence Sient, Frederick Groff, Wm. Dill, Frank Hocking, John Boucher, John Hocking, Berkeley Meyers, and Paul Schaffner.

Oscar Brode, of Sharon, Pa., spent the holidays with relatives and friends at Frostburg, Md.

EXPECT HUERTA OFFER

That special envoy John Lind, now steaming north to meet President Wilson, has a tentative agreement with Huerta, is the belief here. It is understood that Huerta has renewed his offer to retire after the first of the year, but with only a few of the strings that were fastened to his former offers eliminated. With this in view, Huerta's withdrawal is only a faint one.

All information on the subject was withheld at the President's cottage. The time of Lind's arrival and his route have also been kept a secret. The President was seemingly in fine trim today and went over the 9-hole golf course twice before felt sufficiently exercised.

BANK TO RESUME.

Pittsburg, Dec. 31.—The First-Second National Bank will reopen soon if the comptroller of the currency approves steps taken yesterday by the stockholders to reorganize and reopen the institution. At the meeting of the stockholders the most important factor necessary to reopening was disposed of, the subscribing of \$1,000,000 of stock, or more than is required to reopen the bank. It was announced by a leading member of the stockholders' committee that the bank would be ready to resume business within a month.

More than 90 per cent of the stock was represented at the meeting. The capital was increased to \$4,000,000 and the surplus made \$1,000,000.

Two additional steps will have to be taken before the bank can do business. It will be necessary to have the Pittsburg Clearing House re-instate it, for the law is that when a bank closes or suspends, it must make application to the clearing house if it wishes to be again included in that organization.

The second step is the organization of the bank by election of officers and a board of directors. Who these will be is a matter concerning which those having leading parts in the bank's affairs are keeping silent. It was stated that a stockholders' meeting would be called shortly at which the officers and directors would be chosen.

Life is a Compliment. I have an abiding faith that a falsehood never hurts anyone but him who propagates it. It is also my conviction that no man can pay a much greater homage to another than to deliberately misrepresent him. It is a cowardly confession of weakness and of inferiority.—John Blyelow, in "Retrospections of an Active Life."

DIE IN FIRE PANIC FOOTPAD KILLED PLYING HIS TRADE

CALUMET FORGETS COPPER MINE WARFARE TO MOURN FOR YOUTHFUL VICTIMS.

MAUDLIN MAN GIVES ALARM

Trampled to Death by Elders—Horror Occurs in Italian Hall as Children of Miners Line Up to Receive Gifts from Santa.

Calumet, Mich., Dec. 26.—Seventy-two persons—fifty-six of whom were children—were trampled to death in a panic at a Christmas tree gathering in Italian Hall here, when an intoxicated man staggered to the door of the little hall and shouted "Fire!"

Three children, two boys and a girl, are so badly hurt that they may die. Two of them, it is declared, certainly will not recover.

The children were standing in the aisles waiting for a signal to move forward and receive their gifts when the fatal cry was uttered. In a fraction of a minute nearly all of the 700 persons in the hall made a dash for the single exit. The stairway was choked with dead and dying, while the building was fairly rocking with the rush of the throng and the shrieks of the terror-stricken people.

More than seventy dead have been accounted for, and it is estimated that there are many others who were removed to their homes by parents and friends before the authorities could gain control of the throng.

Calumet, which has been the scene of so much disorder by reason of the copper strike, is almost in a state of terror as the result of the catastrophe. Every policeman and detective in this region is searching for the man who gave the false alarm of fire, and if he is caught he probably will be lynched.

While several hundred miners and their wives looked on, the children pressed eagerly toward the stage to receive Christmas presents. At that instant a man put his head in at the door of the hall and yelled "Fire!"

The cry was taken up by those in the hall. Every one started for the doors. The weaker were thrown to the floor, and those behind tried to climb over those in front of them.

The alarm was spread outside the hall by a few persons who had been near the door and had escaped unhurt. A crowd soon assembled, and the work of clearing the hall begun.

The principal exit was a narrow stairway at the back of the hall. When this had been cleared of the bodies that filled it to the top, and a quick accounting had been made it was found that seventy bodies had been piled up beside the building.

The dead that were piled up beside the hall included thirty-seven girls, nineteen boys, thirteen women and five men. Excited men and women stood about the building, some dazed by the sudden change from holiday festivities to tragedy, others calling hysterically for missing children, and a few even threatening violence to the rescuers for keeping them back from the long row of bodies.

There was not much work for the many doctors who hurried to the scene as soon as the alarm was spread, for those who were not killed in the first rush were held upright and safe by the very force of the crush toward the exit. Only three injured persons were taken to hospitals and a few went home with the assistance of friends.

LIKE "FATHER AND SON" IDEA

Many Cities Take Up the Movement Started by a Cleveland Man.

Cleveland, Dec. 26.—Queries received by Secretary Robert E. Lewis, of the Cleveland Young Men's Christian Association, regarding the "Father and Son" movement launched here, indicate that the idea is taking root in many cities.

Washington, Harrisburg, Charleston, West Va., Mansfield, Ohio, and other points as far East as Bangor, Me., and as far West as Denver, have declared their intention of spreading the movement. Civic bodies, and in the case of Harrisburg and Charleston, city executives, ask details for carrying out the plan.

Mayor Newton D. Baker, the first of 500 American Mayors asked to issue a proclamation urging fathers and sons to begin the new year with a resolve to be more intimate and companionable, complied with the request in a 300-word document, closing with the words:

"If we can begin the new year with the resolve that our sons shall be more our companions and our fathers more our comrades it will add both to the sweetness of our private life and to the value of our citizenship."

BORN FACE TO FACE

"Siamese" Girl Twins in Paris Are to Be Separated by an Operation.

Paris, Dec. 26.—"Siamese" twin girls, a month old, who are joined face to face by a strip of flesh more than an inch thick between their stomachs, have been brought to Paris to be separated by a surgical operation.

A radiograph examination suggests that the twins have no vital organs in common. They are both vigorous.

NEW CASTLE MAN, HELD UP ON LONELY ROAD, DRAWS GUN AND SHOOTS ASSAILANT.

Participants in Old Labor Trouble Blamed for Dynamiting Fan House of Coal Mine.

Western Newspaper Union News Service. New Castle.—Attacked, he says, on his way home about midnight, Martin Matz, steel worker, shot and fatally wounded an unidentified man. The stranger jumped from some bushes and seized Matz by the throat, according to Matz' story. He repulsed the stranger, and the latter, repeating a demand for money, made a second attack. Matz drew his revolver and fired, the bullet lodging in the assailant's abdomen. Matz gave himself up to the authorities.

Dynamite Building.

Pittsburgh.—The fanhouse of the Allegheny Coal Co.'s mine at Harwick was wrecked by an explosion of dynamite that made every building in the borough shake and caused the inhabitants to think for a while there had been a mine explosion. Three men, whose names as they appear on commitment papers are John and Richard Doe and John Dinamiter, were arrested charged with placing the dynamite. Footprints in the snow, leading from the fanhouse, were traced to the home of "Dynamiter." Since Oct. 8, when a riot occurred in which one man was killed and several others injured, guards have been guarding the mines, but they were eluded by the dynamiters in the darkness.

Johnson Goes Forth.

Greenville.—"John Johnson, come forth," said Evangelist W. W. Orr as he stood before a large audience in a tabernacle here. Rev. Orr was illustrating the action of Gov. Tener in granting pardons to prisoners and imprisoned Terner standing before an audience of prisoners. "John Johnson, come forth," the evangelist repeated, holding out his hand with the imaginary pardon in it. Up stepped a small boy and strode along the crowded aisle in front of the speaker, reaching out his hand for the "pardon." The lad's name was John Johnson. The incident brought down the house.

Glendale.—Mrs. Josephine Gledzif, 30, is dead at her home, and her husband, Charles Gledzif, 37, and his brother Joseph, 26, are under arrest in connection with the death. The first authorities knew of the death was when the husband rushed into a physician's office and announced his wife was ill. The doctor found the woman's body lying across a bed. Her body was covered from head to foot with cuts and bruises.

Mt. Pleasant.—Adj. Gen. Thomas J. Stewart has ordered Col. Richard Coulter, Jr., of the Tenth regiment, N. G. P., to make an invoice of the property belonging to Company E following the reported disappearance of Capt. J. Lloyd Kalp, 35, two weeks ago. In his desk at the company's armory was found a note addressed to Lieut. Frank R. Simpson directing the lieutenant to settle Kalp's affairs and to give half the proceeds of the sale of a piano, which Simpson and Kalp had installed in the armory, to Mrs. Kalp.

Blairsville.—A Bible Rev. Robert E. McClure carried in his inside coat pocket his life when he was shot from ambush by enemies made because of the minister's activities with the Anti-Saloon league. The bullet pierced the Bible and stopped half way through, the force almost knocking Rev. McClure from his feet.

Harrisburg.—A Christmas tree that Michael Haberick was carrying over his shoulder prevented him from seeing a train as he was crossing the Pennsylvania railroad tracks. The train hit and instantly killed him.

Greencastle.—Following his usual custom, Landlord William Barkdell of the National hotel, treated all of the children of the town Christmas morning with candy, fruits and toys. One boy walked 12 miles to be favored.

Mercersburg.—With apparently everything to live for, Frank P. Brewer, cashier of the First National bank, committed suicide by cutting his throat and wrists. Bank examiners found his books were without a cent's discrepancy. Although 56 years old, Mr. Brewer was not married. He was in apparently perfect health. An estate which he left shows financial matters were not responsible for his act.

Connellsville.—Coal that had dropped through a defective hopper on a B. & O. train stopped the train and tied up traffic. The crew asked nearby residents to help. They did. In less than 20 minutes the coal was in citizens' bins and the train was on its way.

Greensburg.—Three Bedford county hunters will appeal the decision of a justice of the peace of Everett, who imposed fines of \$100 on them for sharing in doe meat killed by another hunter, W. G. Hills, Youngstown, who paid a fine of \$100.

Solmsgrove.—Adam Younosky, who, after drinking a quart of rotten whiskey and lingering for several hours in a serious condition has gone violently insane. While receiving treatment at his home he jumped from his bed and was captured by a posse after a chase of half a mile. He was sent to an asylum.

HARTLEY & BALDWIN,

(The Home of Hart, Schaffner & Marx Clothes.)

WISH YOU A HAPPY NEW YEAR

DEAL.

Mrs. John Smith, spent Tuesday at Meyersdale.

Mrs. P. W. Suder, who had been sick is out again.

Mrs. J. E. Baker, spent Christmas at Friendsville, Md.

Mrs. H. G. Tressler, spent Wednesday at Meyersdale.

Mrs. A. C. Miller, spent Monday, at Meyersdale.

James McKenzie, and son Elmer are sick with typhoid fever.

Henry Wetmiller of Berlin spent Saturday and Sunday here with P. W. Suder.

MARKET REPORT.

Corrected weekly by McKenzie & Smith.

PAYING PRICE.	
Butter, per pound.....	30-32c
Eggs, per doz.....	30-32c
Chickens, per pound.....	10c
Country Side, per pound.....	14-16c
Apple butter, per gal.....	65c
Ham.....	16c

Wanted.

Two Concrete Form Builders. About six weeks work. Apply to, Johnson Construction Co., Garrett, Pa.

Look Here for it.

Many a Meyersdale Reader will be interested.

When people read about the cures made by a medicine endorsed from far away, is it surprising that they wonder if the statements are true? But when they read of cases right here at home, positive proof is within their reach, for close investigation is an easy matter. Read the Meyersdale endorsement of Doan's Kidney Pills.

Mrs. C. Merrill, 336 Keystone St., Meyersdale, Pa., says: "I had nearly all the symptoms of kidney trouble. Backache, chills, dizzy spells and headaches annoyed me and I got worse as time passed. My ankles swelled and I knew that something must be done. Doan's Kidney Pills were so highly recommended that I commenced using them. The pains were soon relieved and my health improved greatly. Last fall I used Doan's Kidney Pills again and they helped me promptly. This remedy is the best one I have ever taken for kidney disorders and I have no objection whatever, to the continued publication of the endorsement I have given before."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills the same that Mrs. Merrill had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, New York.

Quality and low price combined on all Wool Sweaters—\$1.69 at The Underselling Store.

Western Maryland Lines

THROUGH SERVICE TO Chicago and Pittsburgh

The Chicago Limited leaves Meyersdale 4:59 P. M., arriving in Pittsburgh 8:05 P. M., and Chicago 8:10 o'clock next day. Train with sleepers also leaves 3:59 A. M., arriving in Pittsburgh 7:20 A. M., and Cleveland at 10:30 A. M.

Modern Equipment

Observation Parlor Club Car and Coaches

IN GOING TO BALTIMORE

Use the Baltimore Limited which leaves Meyersdale 12:18 P. M., arriving in Baltimore 6:49 P. M. Also train leaves 1:12 A. M., arriving in Baltimore 7:53 A. M.

Notice to Stockholders.

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank of Meyersdale, Pa., will be held in their banking rooms in Confluence, Pa., on Tuesday, January 13, 1914, between the hours of 1 and 2 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing a board of directors for the ensuing year and transacting such other business as may come before them.

D. L. Miller, Cashier.

In the Estate of Mary A. Beachly, Deceased.

Letters of administration have been duly granted by the Register of Wills upon the estate of Mary A. Beachly, late of the Borough of Meyersdale, Somerset County, Pa., deceased, to C. W. Truxal, residing in Meyersdale, Somerset County, Pa., to whom all persons who are indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and all persons having any legal claim against said estate are requested to make the same known without delay.

C. W. TRUXAL, Administrator.
Meyersdale, Pa.
Nov 13-14

Notice.

The annual meeting of the shareholders of the Second National Bank, Meyersdale, Pa., will be held in their banking rooms on Tuesday, January 13, 1914, at 2 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing Directors to serve for the ensuing year and for the transaction of any other business.

J. H. BOWMAN, Cashier.
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Stockholders Notice.

The stockholders of the Sand Spring Water Citizens' National Bank in Meyersdale, Pa., will meet in their directors room of the bank on Monday evening January 13th, 1914, at 7 P. M., for the purpose of electing a board of directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of any other business that may be presented.

S. B. PHILSON

PRIVATE SALE OF Valuable Real Estate!

Consisting of a 56 acre farm, in Summit township, Somerset County, Pa., known as the Daniel Johnson farm, having thereon erected a good sized bank barn, dw. line house, machine shed, wash house with furnace, blacksmith and repair shop, and all other necessary out buildings.

The farm is level and under good cultivation. A large orchard of selected varieties of fruits, and very productive.

A spring of never failing water is on the farm. This farm will be sold at private sale, 7 P. M., for the purpose of electing a board of directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of any other business that may be presented.

D. D. JOHNSON
R. D. No. 2, Garrett, Pa.
Dec 25-14

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF VALUABLE Real Estate.

By virtue of an order of issuing from the Orphans' Court of Somerset county to C. W. Truxal, administrator of Mary A. Beachly deceased, the undersigned will offer at public sale on

Saturday, January 10, 1914, AT ONE O'CLOCK P. M., on the premises, the following described, real estate:

All that certain lot of ground situated in the Borough of Meyersdale, Somerset County, Pennsylvania bounded on the North by Main Street, on the East by an alley on the South by Clay Street and on the West by an alley.

Said lot of ground fronts 132 feet on Main Street and extends back of equal width 165 feet to Clay Street, and is the same lot of ground which by various sufficient conveyances became vested in Mary A. Beachly, deceased.

The above real estate has thereon erected two dwelling houses, store room, stable and other improvements.

TERMS: Ten per cent, down on day of sale and the balance upon confirmation and delivery of deed.

C. W. TRUXAL, Administrator.
Dec. 18-14

CAN YOU BEAT THIS?

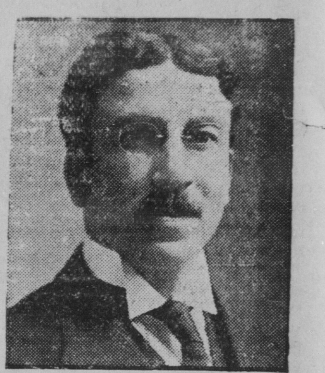
A 75c Hot Water Bag for 48c.

This price is good till next Thursday, if they last that long, but come early. There are only a few of them.

THORLEY'S DRUG STORE,

Centre St., next to P. O., MEYERSDALE, PENN'A.

HUNDREDS of Satisfied Spectacle Wearers in Somerset County.—My Record in less than two years time.



M. D. GOLDSTEIN, Eyesight Specialist.

Due to the many patients who came to see me, and owing to the lack of time to wait on all who called, I will continue this reasonable offer on my next visit only—

TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY, January 13 and 14, From 8:00 A. M. to 5:00 P. M., At Collins' Drug Store MEYERSDALE, PA.

I will fit your eyes with "Stevens' S. A. Gold-Filled" Eye Glasses for \$2.00. Satisfaction guaranteed.

Please remember I am doing this to build up a big business, to receive the future recommendation of each and every patient given this reasonable offer which will give best results.

Come in the morning if possible and you will be sure to get waited on. Office hours 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

"This 'Stevens'" offer is an advertising proposition, pure and simple. Your advantage is a superior grade of goods at a special low price. My profit is making new acquaintances and winning their confidence.

Stevens' mountings are the best in the world. They occupy the same position in the optical trade as "Rogers' Bros., 1847," do in the silver line and "Elgin" or "Waltham" do in the watch business.

Such a Startling Announcement

No doubt makes you ask if it is absolutely bona fide, and if so, why I do it. The whole story is this: I have decided to make this unheard of sacrifice of gold-filled glasses at \$2.00 to gain the full support and patronage of the people of Meyersdale and vicinity, and thus build up an extensive optical business. The lenses are the same I use in my regular lines; every one fully guaranteed, and I use just as much care in fitting your eyes.

Difficult cases a specialty. Headaches, nervousness, pain in the temples, top and back of head, aching eyeballs, red, inflamed and watery eyes, failing eyesight, to see or read at a distance, and other eye troubles far remote from eye are oftentimes the direct result of an eye strain, which if corrected, with the proper glasses, would give immediate relief. It is not necessary for the eye to be sore to indicate the need of glasses. In many cases the eye may be perfectly healthy and glasses may be needed for the reasons which are only apparent to the skilled refractionist.



Examination Free.

During this wonderful offer I will be in charge and every patient will get a scientific examination and glasses properly adjusted.

Remember I am making this offer to build up my business and cannot afford to exaggerate. Special prices during offer on specially ground lenses, bifocals and torics.

M. D. GOLDSTEIN, Eyesight Specialist.

At Collins' Drug Store, Hartley Block, Meyersdale, Pa., Tuesday and Wednesday, January 13th and 14th.