

**PERSONAL AND LOCAL.**

E. B. Philson, of Berlin spent last Sunday with Myersdale friends.

Miss Emma Finegan visited friends in Garrett on Sunday.

Mrs. Thos. O'Leary, of Garrett, was a town visitor on Sunday.

Miss Edna Kuhs is visiting relatives in Listie and Somerset.

Miss Mary Brant is spending a few weeks with her sister in Confluence.

Miss Minnie Hittie visited friends in Salisbury on Sunday.

J. E. Hillegas, of Buffalo Mills, was here to spend Sunday with friends.

R. R. Whipkey, of Casselman, was a recent visitor for a day.

Chas. Shroyer, of Rockwood was a Sunday visitor here with friends.

Engineer B. J. Lynch was a visitor to Butler county a few days ago.

Wm. Shaulis, of Conneville spent over Sunday here with friends.

Miss Emma Broesecker spent Sunday with her parents in Brothersvalley township.

Miss Annie Geiger, of Witterberg spent Sunday and Monday here with friends.

Miss Clara Bernard, of Butler came here on Monday to accept a position with Miss May Diehl as milliner.

Mrs. J. H. Martin, of Johnsburg, was the guest of Mr. Wm. Hittie on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Rose, of Johnstown were town visitors Friday of last week.

Richard Griffith, of Frostburg enjoyed last Sunday with Meyersdale friends.

V. P. Bloecher, of Grantsville, was numbered with the visitors here on Sunday last.

Miss Maud Hady, of Cumberland, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Hady, of Large street, on Sunday.

Mrs. M. L. Boucher, of the South Side enjoyed a visit on Friday with relatives and friends on Friday.

Mrs. Daniel Meyers visited relatives in Elk Lick township on Friday of last week.

Misses Lutie and Myrtle Tressler are spending the week in the Smoky City.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Livengood enjoyed Sunday with relatives in Salisbury.

Miss Grace Baer left on Saturday for a few weeks' visit with friends in Somerset.

Mrs. Phillip Bennett, of Saxton, is at present the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Rowe, of Meyers avenue.

Mr. Ernest Morrison of Confluence and Vera Imhoff of Meyersdale visited friends in Berlin over Sunday.

Wm. Herr, a well-known jeweler of Somerset, died Friday night, aged 70 years. He was unmarried.

Joseph Kreigline of Hyndman is spending a few days here with his sister, Mrs. Margaret Dunn of High st.

Miss Mary Lou Dom of Pittsburgh is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Klingaman.

Dr. Oliver Getty, a prominent citizen of Meyersdale, who has been ill for a couple of years, is in a critical condition and is not expected to live more than a few days more.

About 75 people enjoyed the Epworth League banquet in the M. E. social room Friday evening.

Mrs. Charles Dahl left Saturday for Lonaconing, Md., where she will spend a week visiting relatives and friends.

Joe. Krieglina, of Hyndman, spent Friday last here at the home of his sister, Mrs. Margaret Dunne, of High street.

Mrs. W. H. Gill, who had been visiting friends at Beavertown, Pa., for the past two weeks has returned to her home in this place.

Wm. and Herbert Leckemby spent Saturday and Sunday in Cumberland, guests of their uncle, W. H. Leckemby.

Mrs. J. D. Meese, of Pittsburg, is here visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. W. H. Klingaman on Meyers avenue.

Misses Letia and Hazel Miller very pleasantly entertained a number of their friends at their home on Broadway on Thursday evening of last week.

Miss Margaret Dom, of the Dom millinery store, is spending part of the present week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Dom in Pittsburg.

Mrs. M. Hurley and sister, Miss Margaret Weber left on Tuesday morning for a short visit with friends in Conneville.

Mr. Paul D. Clutton left on Sunday evening for Philadelphia and New York to purchase new goods for the Hartley, Clutton Co. spring opening.

Mrs. John Ryan and sons, of Conneville visited at Mrs. Ryan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Stein, of North street several days of last week.

Miss Effie Hasselrath left on Sunday for Scottdale to accept a position in the Baygor department store as milliner.

Miss Malinda Bird has returned to Pittsburg after spending several weeks here visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Grace Woods of Hyndman has returned home after a visit here with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hammers.

Miss Lizzie Benford, of Ursina, visited her brother and sister, Mr. and

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**MISCELLANEOUS NOTICES.**

Wanted—A correspondent for the Commercial from Addison.

Wanted—To rent a house with small rent, \$10 to \$15.

**PUBLIC SALE**—Household Goods on Saturday, March 20 at 1 o'clock at 220 Broadway, Meyersdale. MRS. EMMA RITTER.

Wanted—To contract for Maple Syrup and Sugar Crops. Habel & Phillips.

WANTED—A place to work. Would like to hear within a couple of weeks. Address, Alice Hutchinson, Rockwood.

Notice—My wife, Mrs. Annie Walker left my bed and board without just cause. I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by her.  
G. B. WALKER, Boynton, Pa.

It will pay you, please you, to buy your flour and feed from C. E. Deal.

Wanted—To rent in Meyersdale 3 or 4 rooms for light housekeeping. Rev. J. C. Matteson, Methodist Parsonage.

Salt Fish—In all size packages and lowest prices at Habel & Phillips.

**MARTEENY OUT FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.**

One of the first candidates to announce for County Commissioner at the next primary election is Simon H. Marteeny, one of the successful and most highly esteemed farmers of Summit township.

Mr. Marteeny decided to enter the race at the solicitation of a number of his friends and after having had a talk with the present Co. Commissioner, Mr. C. C. Heckle, the latter although he had intended to run again for the same office, at once offered to withdraw in Mr. Marteeny's favor.

Mr. Marteeny, while a Republican, does not allow party prejudice to run away with his better judgment. He has always been loyal to his party but he recognizes higher interests than those of factional party politics. He no doubt will command the same respect throughout the county as exists towards him in his own immediate community.

**The Cumberland Civic Club**  
to conduct a  
**Style Opening and Society Bazaar**

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March 17 and 18

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There will be living models for displaying the styles in Millinery, suits and dresses as well as sales ladies selected from the members of the Club.

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Let part of your Spring Allowance for clothes go toward the Tuberculosis Hospital, The Baby Welfare and Associated Charities.

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| <b>GENERAL MANAGER</b><br>MISS ELIZABET LOWNDES<br>MRS. W. W. HANLEY, ASST. | <b>ADVERTISING MANAGER.</b><br>MRS. J. W. S. COCHRANE   |
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|   | <b>FINANCE MANAGER</b><br>MRS. A. M. LICHTENSTEIN, MGR. |

**EXCESS CREWS IN DISFAVOR**

Various Attempts to Enact New State Laws Have Been Unsuccessful.

Philadelphia, Feb. 27.

Efforts of the trainmen's organization to force Full Crew Laws—really "excess" crew laws—upon various states are meeting with strong public opposition. Farmers and business men of Kansas made such sharp protest that the bill before the legislature of that state was killed February 12 in the senate committee.

An effort to enact an "excess" crew law in West Virginia met with general opposition, and the bill was reported adversely by the legislative committee to which it was referred. Down in Alabama a legislative committee, after public hearings upon a Full Crew bill, concluded that the contentions of the trainmen's union were not well founded and that the measure would only compel employment of extra men not needed on the trains. The bill was consequently adversely reported.

In Texas a new effort to get an "excess" crew bill passed has encountered vehement opposition from the farmers, who defeated a previous effort. Out in Washington a bill has been agreed upon by committees of both the senate and the house, which in effect will repeal the Full Crew Law of that state and leave it to the Public Service Commission to say how trains shall be manned.

The bill before the New York legislature for repeal of the Full Crew Law of that state is being earnestly supported by newspapers all over the state, by grange and business organizations, such as the Rochester Chamber of Commerce, and by influential men of affairs.

The State Board of Agriculture and the New Jersey State Chamber of Commerce stand strongly for repeal of the Full Crew Law of New Jersey, with power to the Public Utilities Commission to determine how trains should be manned.

"Tom Water" star of "The Mayor in Laughland," and "Pink Lady" and "Felix Haney" the "Hi Holler" of "Way Down East" and Company, at Donges Theatre, 3 days commencing Monday, March 15. Prices 10 and 20 cts.

**Donges Theatre**  
Mon., Tues., Wed.  
March 15th - 16th - 17th

**Tom Waters**

The late comedian from "The Pink Lady" and "Mayor of Laughland" and his clever associates, including Felix Haney, the original Hi Holler in "Way Down East" and for years principal comedian at N. Y. Hippodrome. Others in the east include Nellie Bennett, Mae Wallace, Nell Sterling, the child artist, H. Bartlett and H. Nickoon, presenting

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Entire change nightly  
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- 1 dozen Cans Good Corn for 90 cts.
- 1 dozen Cans Early June Peas for \$1.
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