

**REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.**

Harrison Snyder to Melda Farrigan, Rockwood, \$383.  
 Wm. Meyers to Esther Shumaker, Meyersdale, \$450.  
 Susan Speer to Edward Holliday, in Addison twp., \$3,300.  
 W. J. Lynch to Merchants Coal Co., Jenner township, \$1.  
 B. H. Cannon to Merchants Coal Co., Jenner township, \$1.  
 Mary Weller to Jos. Miller, Paint Borough, \$1,950.  
 Wm. Gilbert to Geo. Zimmerman, Somerset township, \$500.  
 Maurice Lancaster to W. S. Bird, Lower Turkeyfoot Township, \$750.  
 Emma Collins to Philson National, Berlin, \$16,000.  
 C. L. Shull to Elizabeth Porkalob, Paint Borough, \$500.  
 E. G. Mostoller's heirs to James Garrett, Shade twp., \$23.  
 S. H. Mostoller to Jas. Garrett, in Shade twp., \$73.  
 Geo. Muller to Chas. Beam, Somerset twp., \$143.  
 Jacob Poorbaugh's heirs to Harvey Meyers, Northampton twp., \$800.  
 Lizzie Gashaw to Sadie Zerfoss in Stonycreek twp., \$1.  
 Chas. Pohan to Helena Zajac, Jenner township, \$200.  
 Sadie Zerfoss to Lizzie Gashaw, Stonycreek township \$1.  
 Harvey Howard to J. S. Beam, in Jefferson twp., \$500.  
 Clara Hutzell to B. & O. R. R., Larimer twp., \$150.  
 Louisa Lohr to Elsie Hershberger, Conemaugh township, \$8,000.  
 Harry A. Countryman to Walter B. Furtney, Somerset \$1.  
 Nancy Thompson to Stephen Maschub, Conemaugh township, \$1,450.  
 Jos. Niber to Stephen Azari, Hooversville, \$100.  
 M. K. Johns to O. A. Johns, Hooversville, \$1.  
 Jno. O'Roke to Samuel Lowry, Elk Lick Twp., \$1,150.  
 Elizabeth Moore to Chas. Garding Boswell, \$350.  
 Emmanuel Lape to MaggieBurket, Somerset twp., \$500.  
 Jno. P. Kimmell to Walter Schrock Somerset \$1.  
 Gertrude Schrock to Walter O. Schrock, Somerset township, \$140.  
 Henry W. Bridgum to William Koontz, Berlin, \$1,150.  
 Rosa Rubis to Nunzio Vespa, Windber, \$2,050.  
 W. H. Ringler to Austin S. Ringler, Stonycreek township, \$10,000.  
 Elias M. Lohr to Quemahoning Branch R. R. Jenner township, \$26.  
 Rosa A. Donner to George Long Berlin, \$300.  
 N. F. McNeal to Verda Rhue, Allegheny township, \$75.  
 M. Berney to Jacob Berman, Conemaugh township, \$4,500.  
 Isaiah Good to D. B. Zimmerman, Shade township, \$1.  
 D. B. Zimmerman to Noah G. Fryock, Shade township, \$8,000.  
 Graziar Coal Mining Co. to John M. Rone, Conemaugh township, \$350.  
 Margaret Shockey to Malinda Lipold, Greenville township, \$1.  
 Josiah Y. Brallier's executor to Peter A. Kreger, Somerset, \$1.  
 Joseph Loin to William W. Gilbert, Somerset, \$1.  
 H. L. Carlisle to Alexander Nemolsky, Boswell, \$300.  
 Samuel T. Downs to Inez Edna Thrasher, Confluence, \$6,000.  
 John D. Yoder to Enoch Bender, Elk Lick township, \$306.  
 Enoch Bender to Elijah Ringer, Somerset township, \$218.  
 Lewis S. Tressler to Christian W. Bender, Elk Lick township, \$750.  
 Elias J. Schrock to Robert M. Ford, Meyersdale, \$1,080.  
 Somerset County Treasurer to Crist Bender, Elk Lick township, \$45, \$45.

**MUCH SOUND; LITTLE EFFECT**

Protest of Champ Clark Reminded Alabama Statesman of Humorous Story.

The most dramatic day of the Sixty-third congress was when Champ Clark, the speaker of the house, took the floor for his famous speech explaining why he opposed President Wilson's policy of repealing the Panama canal tolls exemption law. Clark was on the losing side, and everybody knew that the vote would certainly uphold the president.

While the speaker was delivering his remarks in his vibrant, booming voice, Tom Healin of Alabama walked through the Democratic cloakroom. Even there the thunder of Clark's voice was audible.

Healin stopped, laughed and said: "That reminds me of an old colored man down in my state. He was working out in the middle of a field on a hot summer day. It was so hot that the heat seemed to be simmering visibly wherever you looked. After a while the midday train rushed by about half a mile away, whistling for a crossing and roaring and thundering as it went.

"The old man watched it go by, took hold of his hoe and stooped over his work once more. Then he said, talking to himself: "Boom! Bing! Bum! Hum! But he gwine to ride you nex' Saddy night!"—Popular Magazine.

**Song and Story.....**

"Oh heart of mine we shouldn't worry so,

What we've missed of calm, we couldn't have, you know. What we've met of stormy pain And of sorrow's driving rain We can better meet again If it blow."

Down on the lower East Side of New York, where sweat shops abound, a teacher was talking to her class about the four seasons. At the end of the talk she began to question.

"Rebecca, how many seasons are there?"  
 "Two," replied Rebecca. "Slack and busy."

**The Poetry of Railroad.**

The oft quoted Finnegan has a rival in Pat Donohue, an Ohio freight conductor whose train had a breakdown recently. After the accident he sent this message to Train Dispatcher, Straight:

Two-twenty-two has a busted flue. What shall I do? Donohue.  
 This awakened the slumbering muse in the telegraph office, and the reply ran:  
 Wait. Two-twenty-eight will take your freight. Dispatcher Straight.

**A Fine Distinction.**

He had bad luck fishing, and on his way home he entered the butcher shop and said to the dealer: "Just stand over there and throw me five of the biggest of those trout!"  
 "Throw them? What for?" asked the dealer in amazement.  
 "So I can tell my family I caught 'em. I may be a poor fisherman, but I'm no liar."

**Sounded Like it.**

"Say, young man," asked the old lady at the ticket office, "What time does the next train pull in here, and how long does it stay?"  
 "From two to two to two-two," was the reply.  
 "Well, I declare! Be you the whistler?"

**What A Name!**

A guild of god-parents to save children from incongruous names is being suggested. The late Canon Bardsley, author of a book on English names told the story of what was probably the most idiotic name ever bestowed upon an unfortunate infant. A woman had her son baptized "What" for no other reason than to cause amusement in future years when being asked his name, he should reply, "What"—London Chronicle.

**A Sure Cure.**

"Doctor," said he, "I'm a victim of insomnia. I can't sleep if there's the least noise, such as a cat on the back fence, for instance."  
 "This powder will be effective," replied the physician, after compounding a prescription.  
 "When do I take it, doctor?"  
 "You don't take it. You give it to the cat in some milk."

**The Dog Came Home.**

A bird dog belonging to a man in Nashville disappeared and the owner suspected that it had been stolen, so he put this notice in the paper and insisted that it be printed just as he had written it.

"Lost or Run Away—One liver colored burd dog named Jim. Will show signs of hiderfobby in three days."  
 The dog came home the following day.

**1,000 HUMAN LIVES**

**THE 1914 MINING TOLL.**  
 More than 1,000 lives were lost in and about the mines of Pennsylvania in 1914, according to statistics made public in Harrisburg by the State Department of mines. There were 600 men and boys killed in the anthracite mines, a reduction of 24 as compared with 1913 and 413 lost their lives in the bituminous regions, a decrease of 198 compared with the previous year.

The total production of coal in the state was 237,251,835 tons. The anthracite output amounted to 91,387,305 tons, a decrease of 259,659 tons, compared with 1913 and the bituminous production was 145,864,530 tons, a decrease of 27,981,129 tons compared with the previous year.

The number of persons employed in and about the mines last year was 376,831. Anthracite statistics on employes show 180,902 employed in 1914 against 175,310 in the previous year.

**HORSE & MULE FEED—Better than oats and cheaper at \$1.75 per 100 lbs. Try it at Habel & Phillips.**

**Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA**

**NEW YORK FASHIONS.**

New York, March 23—  
 On every side one sees the most fascinating frocks of taffeta silk irresistibly attractive for all varieties of wear, and that find favor with women of any age or taste.

Nothing is at once more practical and stylish than a dress of black taffeta, and it all depends upon the lines and the trimming whether this suits the girl or the grandmother. The shops are showing ready-to-wear skirts of this material in excellent quality, made after a number of smart models that are an invaluable addition to almost anyone's wardrobe and that will solve the problem of the dress that goes anywhere and packs in small compass for traveling purposes, or week-end visits.

**Victorian Coatees.**

practical and very pretty frocks especially in the combinations of plain and brocaded or embroidered goods. Some of the most fetching models in the fancy silks with white or light tinted grounds are made with diminutive Victorian coatees of black taffeta, a rose tucked into its folds and pretty lace used for the tucker and sometimes for the sleeves as well.

A dress of blue taffeta with a flower in black embroidery spotted at wide intervals had a jumper waist of white satin with strappings in military fashion down the front of the blue silk. The same blue showed in tie lining of the up-standing half collar, and cuffs. A hem of black satin turned up on the right side finished the bottom of the skirt.

**Hem Contrasts and Trimmings.**  
 One notices a lot of trimming effects produced by contrasting hems. Frocks of pretty figured cotton and silk mixtures have upturned hems of black taffeta finished with the bound scallops that are an insistent note in the present styles. Gingham in stylish plaids have similar bands in the prevailing color at the foot of the skirt and one sees many costumes that are half voile, half silk which are novel and smart.



McCall Design

**Up-to-date Lines.**

As the season progresses the complete change in the modish silhouette becomes more strikingly evident. Every tendency toward floppy slouchiness has disappeared and only when an erect, military poise is secured, does the new spring suit set as its designer intended. A careful study of the points shown in the new models of Warner's rust proof corset will repay anyone who wants to secure the best effect for the coming season.

Without any sacrifice of comfort or wear, these models bring every type of figure into line with present requirements.

**Silent Colors.**

Quiet tones prevail for street costumes, and more models are seen in single matching tones than for a long time back. Silent colors some one has dubbed them, in distinction from the screaming hues that have been with us during the Oriental craze. Sand tones, soft grays, and grayish greens with the "Soldat Bleu" just over from Paris. This latter about the shade familiar in West Point uniforms. Browns in all of the quieter shades are well endorsed and with the long list of the blues and the always popular black and white mixtures. The woman of refined taste rejoices at the opportunities the present color card affords.

**A Fifth Avenue Hat.**

A hat that is striking plainness is seen at intervals on the girlish contingent on Fifth Avenue these days. It is usually of black fine straw and exactly reproduces the shape seen in the pictures of the early Puritans. This has a band of ribbon about its crown with a buckle of pearl, usually directly in front.

VERONA CLARK.

**CONDENSED REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE SECOND NATIONAL BANK OF MEYERSDALE, PENN'A. AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS, MARCH 4, 1915.**

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and Investments.....	\$435,270.16	Capital stock paid in.....	\$ 65,000.00
U. S. Bonds and Premiums.....	72,231.87	Surplus Fund and Profits.....	51,932.25
Real Estate, Furniture and Fixtures...	62,499.50	Circulation.....	63,700.00
Cash and due from Banks.....	54,866.82	Deposits.....	444,236.10
Total Resources.....	\$624,868.35	Total Liabilities.....	\$624,868.35

Growth as Shown in Following Statements Made to Comptroller of Currency. ALSO OUR BIG ADVANCE IN 1914

ASSETS	
JULY 15, 1908.....	\$262,014.92
JUNE 23, 1909.....	\$411,680.13
MARCH 7, 1911.....	\$512,574.48
APRIL 4, 1913.....	\$605,870.62
MARCH 4, 1914.....	\$610,212.34
MARCH 4, 1915.....	\$624,868.35

**ROCKWOOD.**

H. P. Fritz, proprietor of the Fritz machine shop, spent Wednesday in Pittsburg, where he purchased material for a new machine shop he is about to erect.

A number of young men have formed the B. D. C. O. A. club and have rented rooms in the rear of the Jas. Peters' premises on Broadway.

Jas. Conn, of Barronville has moved to the E. J. Weimer farm near town.

The G. M. S. Club of Rockwood was recently entertained by Miss Agnes Conway of Broadway street.

The entertainment given the Photo-Play theatre on Tuesday evening by the Galbraith Bros. was one of the best given here this season. The best entertainment is yet to come, which is the Fisher-Shipp Concert Co. under the auspices of the Rockwood Entertainment Association. They present character songs, reading in costumes that picture six different kinds of people.

Dr. G. F. Speicher has returned from Baltimore where he spent several days on business.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Darr, of Rockwood died at 7 o'clock on Thursday morning. The funeral was held the next afternoon, with interment at Edie.

Mrs. W. H. Johnson and family have returned from Centerville where they attended the funeral of Miss Elizabeth Bittner, aged 72 years, who died of pneumonia on Tuesday.

Miss Pearl Atchison who has been visiting relatives in Akron, O., for several months past has returned home.

Rev. J. C. McC. Runkle, of Newport is spending a few days with Rev. and Mrs. W. A. McClellan of Rockwood. Rev. Runkle has accepted a call to Jeannette where he will likely move in a short time.

Miss Mary Otto for several years an operator here for the Somerset Telephone Co. and as well for the Economy Telephone Co., was married to Fred Schmucker, Johnstown on Thursday evening at the parsonage of the United Brethren Church in that city. Mr. Schmucker has been in the automobile business at Holsopple, this county where he and his bride will be at home to their relatives and friends after May 1. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Cora Haley, of this place.

The stork visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frak Feller of Main street and left a baby girl a few days ago.

Miss Mae Bittner is the guest for several days of Pittsburg relatives. Miss Daisy Gates has returned to her home at Hollidaysburg after having spent a week at the bedside of her grandmother, Mrs. David Gildner who has been suffering with pneumonia. Her condition is reported to be improving.

Mrs. C. P. Hood, of Wheeling, W. Va. as returned home after having spent several days with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McSpadden.

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**FOLEY KIDNEY PILLS** FOR BACKACHE, KIDNEYS AND BLADDER

**NO. 5301 REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE SECOND NATIONAL BANK of Meyersdale, Pa. At the Close of Business, March 4th, 1915.**

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and discounts.....	\$ 944,092.64	Capital stock paid in.....	\$ 65,000.00
Overdrafts, secured, \$185.87; unsecured, \$183.92.....	312.49	Surplus Fund and Profits.....	51,932.25
U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value).....	65,000.00	Circulation.....	63,700.00
Other securities deposited to secure circulation (book value).....	65,000.00	Deposits.....	444,236.10
U. S. bonds pledged to secure U. S. deposits (par value).....	7,000.00	Total Liabilities.....	\$624,868.35
U. S. bonds pledged to secure postal savings (par value).....	7,000.00		
Other bonds pledged to secure U. S. deposits.....	4,000.00		
Other bonds pledged to secure postal savings.....	7,328.70		
Premium on other U. S. bonds.....	231.87		
Other bonds, securities, etc., owned unpledged (other than stock), including premiums on same.....	850,901.30		
Subscription to stock of Federal Reserve bank.....	4,400.00		
Less amount unpaid.....	2,200.00		
All other stocks, including premium on same.....	2,200.00		
Banking house, \$5,418.56; furniture and fixtures, \$7,066.05.....	62,499.50		
Other real estate owned.....	26,395.03		
Due from Federal Reserve bank.....	5,999.00		
Due from approved reserve agents in central reserve cities.....	4,472.03		
Due from approved reserve agents in other reserve cities.....	235,954.78		
Outside checks and other cash items, \$78.24; fractional currency, etc.....	180.17		
Specie.....	81,901.75		
Legal tender notes.....	3,000.00		
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (not more than 5 per cent on circulation).....	14,901.75		
Total.....	\$624,868.35		

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, COUNTY OF SOMERSET, ss: I, J. H. HOWMAN, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

**CORRECT—Attest:**  
 J. H. HOWMAN, Cashier.  
 JOHN N. COVER, W. H. HARRIS, Directors.  
 ROBERT COOK, Notary Public.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of March 1915.  
 My commission expires March 26, 1915.

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**SUMMIT TOWNSHIP.**  
 Dalton Gnagey who worked near Waterloo, Ia., last summer and spent the past winter here with his parents, returned to the Hawkeye State last Thursday accompanied by Norman Ringler of the same place who spent a few evenings east visiting friends and relatives in Elk Lick Township.

Many people from this township attended the sale of Frank Hostetler, in Geenville township on last Thursday.

Miss Edna Shumac is working for Elias Marteney at present.

James Guller who is employed in the large iron works at Steubenville, O., where he had several toes crushed, returned home on last Friday and is now visiting his parents.

H. L. Maust and family spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Miller and family.

I. H. Fike sold his fat cattle to Mr. Reese, of Frostburg last week.

Henry Baer, of Somerset, visited his mother, Mrs. Sarah Baer on last Thursday.

David Maust who is employed by his son, H. L. Maust, visited his family at Springs on last Sunday.