

**PERSONAL AND LOCAL**

Miss Lottie Boyer of Salisbury, was visiting friends here Saturday. Miss Mary Porter, of Oakland, is the guest of Miss Ruth Keller. Parker McMullen and Thomas Noll, of Addison, were in town on Friday.

Misses Gladys Dugan and Virginia Neff, of Frostburg, are the guests of Mrs. Susan Durst and Henry Baker. Miss Almira Boucher is spending a month in Pittsburg, the guest of relatives.

John E. Consalus, David Schontag and J. O. Getty were Uniontown visitors on Friday.

A dance will be given in the Summer Garden this evening by a number of the younger social set.

The youngest child of Jerry Mott at Springs was buried in the Grantsville cemetery on Thursday.

Misses Eva Clark, Welthea and Mary Evans of Frostburg are guests of Engles' at Englewood.

Miss Goldie Lamert and Mary Carroll, of Washington, D. C. are the guests of Miss Ethel Broadwater.

Miss Zella Sides left Thursday for Frostburg, Md., where she will visit friends for a few days.

Miss Bernadette Lynch is home from Pittsburg, where she had been taking a course for the last six weeks.

After spending two weeks in Youngstown, O., and Pittsburg, Mrs. Kathryn McKenzie has returned home.

Mrs. Bruce Lichty is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. F. Getty in Cumberland.

Mrs. Ida Sturtz of Scottsdale is a guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. Jennie Wilmoth.

Miss Betty Denner, of Pittsburg, is a guest of Miss Alta Siehl of the South Side.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Thomas are entertaining the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Thomas, of Johnstown.

Miss Nellie Griffith of Virginia arrived on Monday for a visit at the home of her brother, J. B. Griffith of the South Side.

Miss Louise Wertz, of Greensburg has been visiting at the home of her cousin, Mrs. Clyde Rowe on Meyers avenue.

Misses Helen Miller, of Pittsburg Marcella and Patricia Gannon, of Barton, are visiting Miss Blanche Miller.

On Friday evening Mrs. J. O. Getty entertained the guests of the Casselman Hotel with a card party at her home.

Mrs. Mary Hemler and three children of Pittsburg are visiting Mrs. Hemler's sister, Mrs. Barbaa Youngkin.

C. E. Boyer and family spent the week-end at Pittsburg and Mount Pleasant, making the trip, a distance of two hundred miles in their auto.

Misses Beatrice O'Hara, Martha Hagerty of Baltimore and Miss Walker of Cumberland are guests at the Casselman.

Mrs. Bertha Kight and little daughter of Georgia were the guests of Mrs. Bert Swanger and Mrs. Miriam Broadwater, this week.

Clarence Miller cut his foot while working in the woods. He was brought to Dr. Bowen's office at once and had the wound dressed.

Attorney and Mrs. Al. G. Hay of Somerset, spent several days of last week here visiting with the former's father, W. H. Hay of the South Side.

The Rev. and Mrs. S. R. Kresge of Jenner, are visiting for a few days with the former's father, the Rev. A. S. Kresge of the South Side.

John Barrett returned home to Cumberland a few days ago following a visit here with Rev. J. J. Brady at the Catholic rectory.

Mrs. Cavell Parsons, of Dawson, Pa., and her two children are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Hocking.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Walker, daughter, Miss Mae, and son Harvey, of near Bertha, were shoppers in Meyersdale one day this week.

The State Secretary of Agriculture says the peach crop in Somerset county will be from 65 to 70 per cent of a normal crop.

Miss Myrtle Smiley is enjoying a visit with relatives at Pittsburg and Misses Mayne Platt and Evelyn are visiting for a few days with friends in Frostburg.

Miss Angela and Wilda Getty entertained about a dozen of their friends on Monday evening. Five Hundred was the diversion; dainty refreshments were served.

Miss Mae Diehl milliner, left on Monday for a week's visit with relatives in Bedford after which she will go to the eastern cities to purchase the fall stock for her trade.

Miss Margaret Dix and her cousin, Miss Irene Appel who spent several weeks here visiting at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Dia, left on Saturday for their home in Cincinnati, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shaffer, Mrs. J. A. Starr and M. Glasscock of York, arrived here last Saturday in the former's car and are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Ebbecka.

Miss Edith Just underwent a very serious operation for cancer last week in a Pittsburg hospital and is getting along as well as can be expected.

Mrs. Daniel Altfather, of Denton, Md., visited a few days last week at the home of C. E. Boyer on Meyers avenue. Mrs. Boyer is a niece of Mrs. Altfather.

Mr and Mrs. D. G. Keeble and four children of Pittsburg, are here for a month's visit with their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. William T. Hocking of Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex B. Groff, former well known residents of Meyersdale but now of Somerset, were visiting relatives and friends here on Thursday.

Mrs. L. G. Dom, who had been visiting here for a few weeks, returned to her home in Pittsburg, Thursday. She was accompanied home by her daughter, Miss Margaret Dom, who will remain in the city for a week.

Mrs. John Stacer is in Cumberland, where she will spend a week visiting. She was accompanied by her granddaughter, Miss Emma Grabenstein of Cumberland, who had been here for the last month.

The Rob Roy Construction Company is shipping the machinery to Albany as they have about finished the contracts in this section of the country where they had been working for two years.

Miss Nan Hocking has been very ill the past week from appendicitis but is now improving. Her sister, Mrs. Evelyn Sturgis, of Oakland, Md. has also been suffering from a similar cause, she having had several attacks in recent years.

Sunday was a busy day for the chefs at the National hotel as they had to prepare meals for 114 and a chicken and waffle supper was served in the evening. It was also a very busy day at the Casselman as diners were served for 95, besides the large number of their regular boarders.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence F. Rowe gave a week-end house party at their home on the South Side at which the following were present: Misses Grace McClellan and Elizabeth Miller, of Rockwood, Miss Marie Weller, of Gebhart, and Messrs. Elliott Weller, of Gebhart, Walter Loucks, of York and John Habel, of Cumberland, Md.

Newspapers from Holdenville, Okla., report the good luck of Dr. Evans Scott, brother of Attorney John R. Scott of Somerset. A few days ago oil drillers on a tract owned by Dr. Scott struck gas, which is said to have flowed from the hole at the rate of 16,000,000 cubic feet every 24 hours and opens up a new oil district equal to the great Cushing field.

E. F. Stahl, agent for the Ford automobile in Somerset and Cambria counties and parts of Maryland and West Virginia, ranks second in total sales for 1915 cars of any of the Ford agencies in the United States. Mr. Stahl sold 1375 cars, the value of which was more than \$600,000. He received a bonus of \$15,000 as a special dealers' prize from the company for his year's work.

George Black, a son of Mr. Milton Black of the South Side, was taken ill with diphtheria about a week ago. He was placed under medical care at once and at present is convalescing very satisfactorily. The members of the household as well as the patient took anti-toxin treatment, though Mr. Black and Miss Mary have been stopping at the home of Mr. W. T. Hobbittzell, a relative.

Still another suit growing out of the alleged fraudulent manipulation of the stock certificates of the Somerset Telephone Company by Harvey M. Berkeley, fugitive treasurer of the company, of the company, was filed Saturday by Attorney Ross R. Scott. Mr. Scott asks the court to make an order compelling the telephone company to transfer a certificate calling for 258 shares of the capital stock of the defendant company issued in the name of Harvey M. Berkeley, and subsequently pledged by Berkeley to William P. Meyers of Summit township, as collateral for a loan of \$5,000, in his name.

J. L. Kendall, of Connellsville was a visitor here this week at the home of his brother, Hon. S. A. Kendall. A wholesale transfer of employees of the J. L. Kendall Lumber Company, now engaged in operations in Pennsylvania, W. Va. and Md., to the seat of the latest activity of the Kendall interests at Roseburg, Oregon is the plan of the company. Just who will be transferred to the Pacific coast is still a matter of conjecture as Mr. Kendall has not yet given out any information regarding those to go. While the greater majority of the workers for the new enterprise will be recruited from the ranks of western lumbermen, a large number are to be taken from the eastern plants and thus will have an opportunity to grow with the thriving Westland.

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**THE BEST SAUSAGE AND PUD- DING AT DONGES' MARKET**

**The Daring Divers of Thursday Island**

Diving for shell, and incidentally for the little treasure of pearl—it has been estimated that one shell in a thousand contains a pearl—is carried on in deeper water off Thursday Island than anywhere else. Other productive beds lie comparatively shallow—the Persian Gulf, the Sulu Seas, the Gulf of Manaar. The greatest depth at which a diver in helmet and dress can perform any sort of useful labor is held to be one hundred and eighty-two feet. At that depth a Spanish diver raised 9,000 pounds in silver bars from a wreck off Finisterre. At one hundred and fifty feet an English diver saved 50,000 from a wreck off Leuconna Reef of the Chinese coast.

The maximum depth to which the sponge-fishers of the Mediterranean successfully descend is one hundred and fifty feet. In the Torres Strait, with the depletion of the beds, the divers have moved from the shallow water of from four to six fathoms to depths of one hundred and twenty feet, where the operation is a distressful and perilous one. A paternal law prohibits diving beyond a specified depth of safety; but as the courts have held that a diver must be actually seen at that depth, if anybody is to be held amenable, and as the reefs are remote from any practical scheme of supervision, it is a law of small consequence after all, and the perilously deep diving goes on, no doubt, much as before, with its occasional issue of sudden death. Subjected to a hazardous degree of atmospheric pressure—at one hundred feet it is sixty pounds to the square inch—the divers are attacked by various characteristic disturbances, pains in the muscles and joints for example ("the bends"), and deafness, spells of fainting, and paralysis, otherwise known as "diver's palsy." The effects appear when the diver ascends too rapidly from deep water and the pressure is removed. It is then that the cases of sudden death occur—the diver found dead in his helmet or expiring on the deck when the helmet is removed.

It is a short life (they say) and a bitter one, fit only for the yellow and brown men—the Japanese and Papuans and Manilla-men and island boys—the Japanese, especially, who are tough fellows, sullenly reckless of their days, and thinking of life only in terms of hard labor and brief periods of violent pleasure.—Norman Duncan, in Harper's Magazine.

**Mistaken Ideas**

"I don't know whether I will sit with you fellows or not," said Dubbs to the group in the smoker. "The minister is dining at our house tonight, and I will not be in the proper mood if I associate with you fellows."

"That's where he was wrong," said Smudger, shifting his cigar to the other corner of his mouth. "The minister won't want any hifalutin' talk from you. He gets all of that he requires, and besides he can furnish it for himself. Go right ahead and be your usual breezy and open-faced self, and the minister will pass the time much more pleasantly."

"Don't make the mistake that Billings made, Billings got word that some of his wife's relatives were coming from the country and he said to his son: 'My boy, you and I must change our mode of life. These country bumpkins are in the habit of going to bed at nine o'clock and they won't know a thing but crops and chickens and cows. We'll have to bone up on the poultry journals so you can talk to the girl about milking and feeding chickens, and I'll have to talk to the old man about the weevil and how to cure it.'"

"That's where he was wrong. He didn't know much about farmers. He didn't realize that they had a phone in that farmhouse connected with the city, that they had two mails a day, and that the girl was a civic reformer."

"The consequence was that the girl who wanted to talk civics and how to cure the evils of the city and who was cognizant of every crooked deal that had been put over by the administration for the last two years, thought the boy a regular boor; and the old man, who knew the batting average of every player in the league, thought the city man the worst mossback he had ever seen."

"So, if you don't want to get off on the wrong foot, refrain from springing solemn talk on the minister. He'd see through you right away."

"I rise to report," said the young man of the party. "that the foregoing remarks are correct. The girl of the present day, town or country, will not listen to tennis talk, style or poetry or the dulcet guitar. She is interested in clubs and reforms. The lums are the thing."

"If you start anything about balls or bridge she will look at you as if you were Old Man Methusalem."

"I am convinced," said Dubbs, settling himself in the smoker with his cronies. "I will steep myself in low-brow talk for the sake of being agreeable to the minister."

**Comforting**  
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**POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS**  
Of Republican Candidates

**PROTHONOTARY.**

For Prothonotary—  
**JONAS M. COOK.**  
Of Somerset Borough  
"On the Return" as Republican Candidate for Prothonotary of Somerset County.

For Prothonotary—  
**AARON F. HEIPLE**  
Of Somerset Borough,  
Your vote and influence solicited at the Primaries on Sept. 21, 1915.

For Sheriff—  
**AMOS W. BAUMAN**  
Of Somerset Borough.  
Solicits your vote and influence at the Primary, September 21, 1915.

For Sheriff—  
**JAMES T. BERKEY**  
Of Conemaugh Township.  
Your Vote and influence solicited.

For Sheriff—  
**WILSON CHRISTNER**  
Of Meyersdale  
Subject to the decision of the Republican voters at the primary election September 21, 1915.

For Sheriff—  
**VALENTINE GRESS**  
Of Meyersdale,  
Your vote and influence solicited at the Primaries on Sept. 21, 1915.

For Sheriff—  
**JAMES D. SPECHT**  
Of Quemahoning Township  
Your vote and influence solicited at the Primaries on Sept. 21, 1915.

For Sheriff—  
**LESTER G. WAGNER**  
Of Somerset Borough  
Your vote and influence solicited at the primaries to be held Sept. 21, '15

For District Attorney—  
**VIRGIL R. SAYLOR**  
Of Somerset Borough.  
Respectfully solicits your influence and support at the Republican Primary Election to be held on Tuesday September 21 1915.

For County Commissioner—  
**JOHN R. BOOSE**  
Of Somerset Borough,  
Your Vote and Influence is solicited

For County Commissioner—  
**W. H. HANNA**  
Of Addison Township.  
Your Vote and Influence Solicited at the Primaries on Sept. 21, 1915.

For County Commissioner—  
**JAMES MCKELVEY**  
Of Somerset Borough,  
Your Vote and influence solicited.

For County Commissioner—  
**CHRISTIAN H. SHOCKEY**  
Of Stoyestown.  
Your vote and influence solicited at the Primaries on Sept. 21, 1915.

For Treasurer—  
**A. E. CASSLER**  
Of Holsopple  
Your Vote and Influence Solicited at the Primaries on Sept. 21, 1915.

For Treasurer—  
**EDWARD HOOVER**  
Of Somerset Township.  
Your Vote and influence solicited.

For Treasurer—  
**W. W. LANDIS**  
Of Jerome.  
Your Vote and Influence Solicited at the Primaries on Sept. 21, 1915.

For Treasurer—  
**A. J. WEIMER**  
Of Friedens.  
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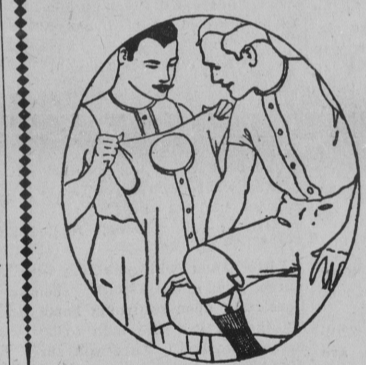
For Treasurer—  
**ED. SMITH**  
Of Stoyestown.  
Your vote and influence solicited at the Primaries on Sept. 21, 1915.



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**Miller & Collins**

For Recorder of Deeds—  
**ED. B. BARNETT**  
Of Somerset Borough  
Your vote and influence solicited at the primaries to be held Sept. 21, '15

For Recorder of Deeds—  
**JOHN E. CUSTER**  
Of Hooversville Borough, Formerly of Quemahoning Township.  
Your Vote and influence solicited.

**THE ADRENAL GLANDS.**

In states of strong excitement due to fear, anger, the lust of chase or battle, there is an overwhelming sense of power that sweeps in like a sudden tide and lifts a man to a new level of ability. Firemen, policemen, escaped prisoners, wrecked sailors, soldiers and football players have borne testimony to the energizing influence of the emotions that enabled them to perform prodigies of strength.

A Harvard professor of physiology, Walter B. Cannon, after a lengthy study of these phenomena (assisted by 10 collaborators) has written a book entitled "Bodily Changes in Pain, Hunger, Fear and Rage" (Appleton), which is an important contribution to the new science of medicine. He finds the explanation of the energizing power of the emotions in the actions of those small bodies lying interior to each kidney—the adrenal glands. The adrenals are glands of internal secretion, like the thyroid, parathyroid and pituitary glands. They give into the blood the material which they elaborate. From the medulla of the adrenal gland can be extracted a substance variously called suprarenin, adrenin, epinephrin and adrenalin; the latter is a proprietary name and Dr. Cannon prefers adrenin. Injections of adrenin into a vein of a patient produce heightened blood pressure, an added sense of strength and lessen the effects of fatigue. These are effects which are produced by heightened emotion and which the author's exper-

iments show are caused by the liberation into the blood of increased quantities of the secretion of the adrenals. "Certain remarkable effects of injection adrenin into the blood have for many years been more or less recognized," says Dr. Cannon. "For example, when injected it causes liberation of sugar from the liver into the blood stream. Some old experiments indicate that it acts as an antidote for fatigue . . . and there is some evidence that it renders more rapid the coagulation of the blood."

"Sugar is the form in which carbohydrate material is transported in organisms; starch is the storage form. In the bodies of animals that have been well fed the liver contains an abundance of glycogen, or 'animal starch,' which may be called upon in time of need; at such time the glycogen is changed and set free in the blood as sugar."

An excess of sugar in an eliminating fluid of the body, known as glycosuria, is a prominent symptom of diabetes; yet great exertion, high excitement, pain, grief and anxiety will produce pronounced glycosuria. This symptom of a dangerous disease has been found in football players immediately after a game and even in spectators of the game; but all traces of it had disappeared the next day.

Dr. Cannon, in experiments on cats, produced glycosuria through rage, fear and pain. His experiments have been verified by other investigators and the positive connection has been established between the emotion, the freeing of the adrenal secretion in larger quantity and the consequent increase of sugar from the liver into the kidneys.

Sugar is a source of energy, and adrenin, by causing its release into the blood, overcomes fatigue; but 'adrenin has also another action, a very remarkable action, that of restoring to a muscle its original ability to respond to stimulation after it has been largely lost by continued activity for an hour or more, adrenin will do in five minutes or less."