

Local and Personal

Mrs. M. F. Baer is spending a few days in Frostburg, Md.

N. E. Miller has returned from a business trip to New York.

Mrs. E. O. L. Stotler is visiting friends in Fairmont, W. Va.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Dahl and family spent Sunday in Bedford, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Stacer, of Homestead, spent Sunday here.

Misses Fannie and Olive Phillips have returned to Fairmont, W. Va.

Mrs. George Miller and children are visiting relatives in Pittsburgh.

Mrs. John Dixon, of Connellsville, is the guest of her son, James Dixon.

Miss Dorothy Collins, of Connellsville, is visiting at the home of C. P. Baer.

Fred Wilmoth is on a business trip to New York and eastern cities this week.

Robert Thompson, of Barnesboro, was a welcome caller at this office today.

Miss Nora Cox, of Pittsburgh, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Cox.

Mrs. Elizabeth Younklin has returned from a several days visit in Cumberland.

Misses Lillian and Margaret Baer visited Mrs. N. B. Hanna, at Elk Lick, Sunday.

Mrs. S. M. Tressler and daughter, Edna, visited relatives in Hyndman, Pa., Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Lenhart, who was the guest of Mrs. C. E. Deal has returned to Pittsburgh, Pa.

We have just received a carload of Copra Oil Meal—very rich in protein. Good for all farm animals. \$2.70 per hundred at Habel & Phillips.

Miss Emma Snyder of Berlin is spending a week in town the guest of Mrs. J. T. Shipley.

Dr. McCune, of Braddock, spent a few days in town during the past week with friends.

Mrs. C. E. Deal and daughter, Margaretta, are spending the week in Grantsville, Md.

Misses Myrtle and Lutie Tressler are in Pittsburgh purchasing fall goods for the Tressler Millinery.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Naugle are in Bedford, Pa., visiting Mrs. Naugle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Stiver.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Elcher and two children of Somerset, Pa., have been visiting relatives in town recently.

Miss Kathryn Loroditch, of Pochontas is spending a few days in town the guest of Mrs. S. J. MacKenzie.

Mr. and Mrs. George Elcher and two children, of Somerset, Pa., spent Saturday and Sunday visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Steinley and family, of Finzel, Md., visited at the home of M. F. Baer a few days of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Steinley and two children of Finzel, Md., were Saturday and Sunday visitors at the home of M. F. Baer.

Misses Lutie and Myrtle Tressler went to Pittsburgh on Sunday where they will purchase the fall goods for the Tressler millinery.

Miss Elizabeth Hay, of Somerset, is spending a few days in town, the guest of her grand-father, W. H. Hay, Esq., of Beachly street.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Graberstein, Misses Esther Stacer and Katie Graberstein motored here and spent Sunday at the home of John Stacer.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Fernser, and family, of Washington, D. C., are visiting at the home of Mrs. Fernser's mother, Mrs. Emma Younklin.

The Meyersdale Fair will be held September 18-21. When in town visit the store whose ad you see in this paper. They appreciate your trade.

Misses Fannie and Olive Phillips, who were visiting relatives and friends in Meyersdale and other cities have returned to Fairmont, W. Va.

Miss Pearl Martz, of Scottdale, and Lewellyn Poorbaugh, of Mt. Pleasant, who were visiting Miss Elizabeth Wagner, returned home on Monday.

Mrs. J. T. Shipley, accompanied by her daughter, Belle, and granddaughter, Margaret, spent the week end in Somerset with Mrs. D. B. Zimmerman.

The excursion from Pittsburgh and intermediate points, to Cumberland were well patronized last Sunday, a total of 1700 persons being carried into the city.

Use Hammond Dairy Feed and you will get more milk and cream. Carload due in a few days

at Habel & Phillips

Patronize our Advertisers.

License was granted Carumi Ramaciati and Anna Ellen Greig, last Monday at Cumberland, allowing them to be united in the bonds of holy wedlock.

Miss Maggie Baer, of Pittsburgh, who had been spending some time at Atlantic City, stopped off here with friends and was a pleasant caller at the Commercial office.

The Citizens Band will give another of those interesting concerts on Sunday evening at 8 o'clock on the Band Stand, on the square and those who fail to attend will miss a good thing.

Misses Mary Jeannette and Anna Lucille Allen, bright little daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Allen are spending two weeks with their grand mother, Mrs. Mary Jeannette Allen at Cumberland, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Price went to Morgantown Sunday, where they attended a family reunion. Mrs. Price remained with friends there for a couple of weeks' visit. Mr. Price returning during the week.

I. Weinstein and wife returned from New York on Friday with a new and complete line of all the latest things on the market in Ladies' wear and furnishings. Be sure to call next time you are at the Post Office and look the line over.

Esq. Hay, a Democrat, has unity Republican friends and being a candidate for re-election as Justice of the Peace, some of his Republican friends circulated a petition to have his name placed on the Republican ballot as a Candidate for same office.

Messrs George Wilson, of Berlin, and James Lohr, of Johnstown, and Misses Viola Mickey and Thelma Nicholson, of Somerset, motored to Meyersdale, Friday afternoon, stopping at the Slicer Hotel, returning to Somerset Monday afternoon.

A ten month old son of Mr. and Mrs. Heinbaugh, of Coal Run, died at their home on Wednesday. Funeral services will be held by Rev. Oney on Friday followed by interment in I. O. O. F. cemetery at Elk Lick by W. C. Price, undertaker.

The gallant 142nd regiment, commanded by Colonel R. P. Cummins, during the Civil war, will hold their annual re-union in the grove at Friedens, Somerset county, on Monday, September 3rd. Next week we will publish full details as to trains, speakers, music, entertainment, etc.

We expect to have a carload of Yellow Free Stone Peaches in the early part of next week and think price will be reasonable. Send us your order. Habel & Phillips

The M. E. Bible class picniced at Accident, Md., on Tuesday afternoon having supper and indulging in a few athletic games such as playing baseball and pitching horseshoes, and returning, stopped at Stanton's dam and enjoyed the bathing, returning at 9 p.m.

Miss Catherine Keidle entertained last Friday evening in honor of Mrs. Norman Shomaker, Music and refreshments were enjoyable features of the evening. The guests were: Mrs. William Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Crowe, Misses Gertrude Hibner and Mary Wagner. The affair was a farewell, as Mr. and Mrs. Shomaker and family expect to leave here for Geneva, O., in the near future.

The manufacturing of booze under government supervision is to be discontinued September 8th at 11 p.m. by order of the President. The order is effective "during the war." Speculation has already advanced the price in many localities. The government will take the stock now on hand and use it in the manufacture of explosives to kill people. Some of it will need but little manipulation to make it as deadly as a machine gun or a 42 centimeter shell.

NEW ARMY OPEN TO ALIENS

Not Under Liability to Serve But Will Be Accepted.

The ranks of the new national army were opened formally to friendly aliens as volunteers. A ruling by Provost Marshal General Crowder communicated to the selection boards directs that all such aliens who waive their rights of exemption of nationality be promptly accepted for service.

Provost Marshal General Crowder took steps to reduce the number of exemptions because of dependent families. Instructions were sent to the governors of all states pointing out that the minimum pay of soldiers is \$30 a month and that local boards must consider whether a man's dependents could not be supported on that amount.

Government officials generally are beginning to take up the individual questions that arise where government employees are called for service. Secretary Daniels said that knotty problems were arising in the navy department as to what individuals in the clerical force, navy draughtsmen or skilled workers at the navy yards are absolutely indispensable.

The number of exemptions asked by the various departments will be reduced to the absolute minimum, it is indicated, even if some temporary derangement of clerical work results.

KEYSTONE PARAGRAPHS

That there are at least two patriots in Fayette county was evidenced when Lee Chong, a laundryman, after passing the physical test, waived exemption and was accepted. The other man, whose name was not given out, and who is the support of a widowed mother, a wife and two children, waived exemption when he ascertained that his mother could earn \$50 a month. He said the \$25 he could send home from the army, with the \$50 his mother could earn, would keep them comfortable. He was accepted.

Frank B. Black of Somerset county, one of Governor Martin G. Brumbaugh's oldest friends and his personal selection for state highway commissioner, announced that he had resigned as highway commissioner, to take effect on Aug. 15, at the request of the governor. The commissioner issued a letter in which he charges that attempts were made from time to time to play politics in the department, and that he does not care longer to be connected with it.

The first attempt to bribe an exemption board was reported in the district comprising Sharon, Sharpsville and Greenville. A wealthy parent is said to have offered to send a signed blank check to the board conditioned on his son being exempted from service. A letter was received from the parents who threatened to carry the matter to the Washington authorities if their son's claim for exemption is not allowed.

An explosion in the enameling metals department of the Spang-Chalfant Steel company in Pittsburgh injured ten men. Frank Kaiser, a foreman, is reported to be the most seriously injured. The origin of the explosion is unknown. A number of men, not included in the injured, were working nearby, but escaped when the explosion occurred.

John Baptiste of Irwin failed to appear among the first fifty of the second call of Exemption Board No. 2 of Westmoreland county. Sheriff John Kilgore found Baptiste in jail where he is being held in connection with the murder of Mrs. Louise Falons, an old widow, who was stabbed to death in her home last April.

That Otto T. Post, a German, who was interned in Pittsburgh because of his alleged friendliness with Germany, raised a fund there to buy a silver loving cup for the captain of the submarine which sank the Lusitania, is one of the accusations made by government officials against the Pittsburgher.

A merger has been effected between the B. K. Elliott Company and the W. C. Fisher company, both of Pittsburgh, to manufacture and sell optical goods, artists' goods, cameras, scientific instruments, etc. Both companies own patents which will belong to the new firm, to be known as the B. K. Elliott company.

Several presidents of corporations have volunteered to make financial sacrifice by offering to take war emergency positions with the ordinance bureau of the war department, according to announcement by Robert Garland, president of the chamber of commerce of Pittsburgh.

A. M. Brink, aged seventy-six, is dying from burns and the Baptist church at Kinzua is in ruins, with a loss of about \$3,000, as the result of Brink boiling tar on his kitchen stove. When the tar boiled over it set fire to the kitchen, the flames communicating to the church.

Fire caused a loss of \$150,000 at the Waynesburg tin mills. A night watchman discovered the fire in the annealing department of the mill and before local firemen could reach the buildings the flames had spread to the tin house, a warehouse and the sorting room.

Two persons were drowned while bathing near Ligonier, one while trying to save the other. The dead are: Mazie Hodge, aged sixteen, daughter of Ernest Hodge of Jeannette, and Robert Elcher, aged eighteen, son of Edward Elcher of Jeannette.

The United States mint at Philadelphia soon will increase its working force because of the heavy demand for small coins. Its daily production now is 350,000 dimes, quarters and halves, and 150,000 nickels and one-cent pieces.

All children under fifteen years of age were ordered barred from the moving picture theaters and churches in New Castle by the state health department as a result of the epidemic of infantile paralysis outbreak.

The state department of health is receiving samples of court plaster from all parts of the state in almost every mail and the letters accompanying them say that the writers fear the plaster has been poisoned.

Robert K. Young of Wellsboro, former state treasurer of Pennsylvania, took the oath of office as a public service commissioner.

Unable to swim, Elmer Jenners, aged nineteen, was drowned in Philadelphia when a canoe upset in the Schuylkill river.

A honeysuckle bush which bloomed late in May is now in full bloom at the home of James Poole in Scottsdale.

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"The Ne'er-Do-Well," by Rex Beach, the Selig Polyscope Company, features Wheeler Oakman and Kathryn Williams and an all-star cast. The hero is Kirk Anthony, a college graduate, a veteran football player, and, since graduation the coach of his university team. On the evening following a football victory, the last of the season, Kirk and others start out to celebrate. Late that night he finds himself on ship-board, and when he awakens he is without money and without baggage. During the voyage Kirk becomes acquainted with a woman—a Mrs. Stephen Cortlandt—whom he learns to admire very much. She is really a diplomatic agent of great influence. One day while Kirk is out hunting he meets in a forest bower, a Spanish girl who is known only as "Chiquita." He falls desperately in love with her, and tries vainly to discover her identity. The story of his making good, of his winning of Chiquita despite the counter-plotting of Mrs. Cortlandt, of the clearing of his name, and of the final decisive intervention in Panamanian affairs of old Darwin K. Anthony, is strongly engrossing and varied by many richly humorous episodes.

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