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Chestnut Spring Items.
Aug. 22.—There is no necessity for a thriving little burg like this to be never heard from, so here we are.

Mrs. Elias Blauch, of Conemaugh, and Miss Annie Sibert, of Keyser, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Blauch, on Sunday last.

The several-days-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Keim was buried at the Chestnut Spring cemetery, on Sunday forenoon.

Mr. Ed. D. Miller, of this place, and Miss Annie Durr, of Masontown, Pa., compose the newly married couple we expect to arrive here this week. We wish them a happy and prosperous future.

Blauch & Livengood are getting their new cider machine ready, which they locate in this town. They will soon be ready to accommodate the public. They are also drilling wells in the town of Niverton.

Jacob Kinsinger has a new barn about completed and a house well under way, on the farm he purchased of W. C. Livengood. He intends to occupy it this fall.

D. J. Miller informs us that he now has his house under a galvanized steel roof and expects to have it finished in the near future. Mr. Keim should profit by Mr. Miller's example, and our "burg" would soon be altogether in the "swim."

Most of the school teachers from this section have procured schools in Garrett county, Md.

The threshing machines are all very busy, as people are in a hurry to thresh since they are obliged to take in damp grain.

If you have not known yet how it feels to go to war, just get to dreaming that you are going and are being in a great row, getting several fingers severed with a knife. Then, when you realize the situation, surprise yourself by dreaming that it was merely an excursion trip. This was some one's experience, but as I want others to dream, I will not expose any name.

One Minute Cough Cure surprises people by its quick cures and children may take it in large quantities without the least danger. It has won for itself the best reputation of any preparation used to-day for colds, croup, tickling in the throat or obstinate coughs. P. S. Hay, Elk Lick.

Beautiful Porto Rico.
Somerset Standard.

Rev. J. H. Sutherland, formerly pastor of the Somerset Presbyterian church, and well known by many people here, is chaplain of one of the U. S. regiments now in Porto Rico.

From a letter written by Rev. Sutherland, dated "Ponce, Island of Porto Rico, Aug. 4," which has just been received by a friend here, we have been permitted to take the following of general interest:

"This is the greatest land in the world—the richest soil, the best climate, the most beautiful land I ever saw or read of. The men who get here first will be in it.

I expect to remain here permanently with my regiment. This is the hottest month in the year, and it seems to me much like the month of June in Pennsylvania. Coconos, bananas, limes, coffee, cane, everything you can think of, growing in profusion; not a bare spot on the island.

Ponce is a beautiful city—a land of Canaan is this. Three crops of almost everything are harvested each year.

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Lieutenant Marshall H. Stone, adjutant of the Second Texas cavalry, whose company was the first to carry arms to the Cubans, relates the following experience connected with their mission:

"While we were over in Cuba a United States scout called Shorty Gonzales was told to deliver an important dispatch. He set out upon his journey, riding a mule. Fearing that he would fall into the hands of the Spaniards, he hit upon a novel plan to keep the message secret. Taking a rubber tobacco pouch he put the message into it. Then he pried open the mule's mouth and forced the pouch down the animal's throat. He fell into the hands of the Spaniards, but after being searched was permitted to continue his journey. The mule was killed and a veterinary surgeon rescued the precious pouch."

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A Quick Reply.
That quick wit is not confined to cities was proved the other day by a young woman who was rambling along one of our roads.

She was dressed smartly, and when she met a small, bare-legged urchin carrying a bird's nest with eggs in it, she did not hesitate to stop him.

"You are a wicked boy," she said. "How could you rob that nest? No doubt the poor mother is now grieving for the loss of her eggs."

"Oh she don't care," said the boy, edging away; she's on your hat!"—EX.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers,
The famous little pills.

Shelley's Prophecy.
To the Editor of the New York Sun:
Sir—Was Shelley prophet as well as poet? In "The Revolt of Islam," written 1817, I find these verses:
There is a people mighty in its youth,
A land beyond the oceans of the west,
Where, though with rudest rites, freedom
And truth
Are worshipped. From a glorious mother's
Bosom,
Who since high Athens fell, among the rest
Sate like the queen of nations, but in woe
Turns to her chainless child for succor now
And draws the milk of power in wisdom's
fullest flow.
This land is like an eagle whose young gaze
Feeds on the noontide beam, whose golden
plume
Floats moveless on the storm and in the
blaze
Of sunrise glens when earth is wrapped
in gloom.
Great people! As the sands shall those be-
come.
Thy growth is swift as morn when night
must fade.
The multitudinous earth shall sleep beneath
thy shade.
Nay, start not at the name—America!
Canto XI, 22.

A Prophecy Fulfilled.

Comes a cry from Cuban water,
From the warm, dusk Antilles,
From the lost Atlantis' daughter,
Drowned in blood as drowned in seas;
Comes a cry of purple anguish—
See her struggles! Hear her cries!
Shall she live, or shall she languish?
Shall she sink, or shall she rise?
Shall she rise by all that's holy?
Shall she live, and shall she last—
Rise as we, when crushed and lonely,
From the blackness of the past?
Bid her strike! Lo, it is written
Blood for blood and life for life!
Bid her smite as she is smitten;
Stars and stripes were born for strife.
Once we flashed her lights of freedom—
Lights that dazzled her dark eyes
Till she could but yearning heed them,
Reach her hands and try to rise.
Then they stabbed her, choked her,
drowned her—
Ah, these rustling chains that bound her!
Oh, these robbers at her throat!
And the land that forged these fetters?
Ask five hundred years of news,
Stake and thumbscrew for their better?
Inquisitions! Banished Jews!
Chains and slavery! What reminder
Of one man in that land?
Why, these very chains that bind her
Bound Columbus, foot and hand!
She shall rise as rose Columbus
From his chains, from shame and
wrong—
Rise as morning, matchless, wondrous;
Rise as some rich morning song;
Rise a ringing song a story,
Valor, love personified.
Stars and stripes espouse her glory,
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"A lady wishes to sell her piano as she is going abroad in a strong iron frame."

"Furnished apartments suitable for a gentleman with folding doors."

"Wanted a room by two gentlemen about thirty feet long and twenty feet broad."

"Lost, a collie dog by a man on Saturday answering to Jim with a brass collar around his neck and muzzle."

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"Bull dog for sale; will eat anything, very fond of children."

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