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BALTIMORE & OHIO RAILROAD.

Excursion to Atlantic City, Cape May, Sea Isle City and Ocean City, N. J., Ocean City, Md., and Rehoboth Beach, Del., at Very Low Rates, Thursday, June 23, July 12 and 29, August 9 and 23.

The Baltimore & Ohio R. R. have arranged a series of Popular Seaside Excursions to be run on Thursdays, June 23, July 12 and 29, August 9 and 23, to Atlantic City, Cape May, Sea Isle City and Ocean City, N. J., Ocean City, Md., and Rehoboth Beach, Del. Tickets will be good sixteen (16) days, including date of sale.

Stop-overs will be allowed on the return trip at Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington on tickets sold to New Jersey resorts, and at Baltimore and Washington on tickets sold to Ocean City, Md., and Rehoboth Beach, Del. For tickets, time of trains, sleeping and parlor car accommodations, call on Ticket Agents at Baltimore and Washington or B. & O. R. R. for full information. 8-23

Amazon Brothers' Uncle Tom's Cabin show, which will exhibit here to-morrow, comes well recommended. The newspapers all over the country speak very highly of it. Be sure to see the street parade and then go to the show. All of you will get the worth of your money. This is no humbug.

Of late there has been much burglary committed in Berlin, and it is believed that the burglars are residents of the town and vicinity. The last robbery in the town was that of Krisinger's hardware store, which occurred recently. A lot of cutlery, silverware and other valuable goods were taken to the amount of about \$300.

Ex-County Treasurer Ross Compton, of near Grantsville, was in this community several days last week on business. He stated to us that his son arrived home from Alaska on Saturday, June 30th, in very poor health, he having contracted gold-seeker's rheumatism since he went to the north with the party of gold-seekers—Oklahoma Republic.

Yesterday two Duncombe's miners came to town with badly disfigured faces. One of them, a Bedford man, had his nose mashed in a frightful manner, while the other, a George's Creek man, was bitten on the cheek and hand. They had a fight in the mine, but after a hearing before Esquire Lowry, they settled the matter and paid the costs.

Our illustration in last week's issue of the Emerick-Petry fight took immensely, judging from the numerous calls for extra papers. Our cartoons seem to take very well, and if some people of the gentler sex don't look out they will see themselves in some future illustrations in this paper, for we are great on cartooning ladies when we once get started.

It has been demonstrated by experience that consumption can be prevented by the use of One Minute Cough Cure. This is the favorite remedy for coughs, colds, croup, asthma, grippe and all throat and lung troubles. Cures quickly. Sold by medicine dealers.

Very few cases of frost bites and chilblains have been reported for this season, and our merchants report a dull time for overcoat sales. Don't ask whether it is warm enough for us if you value your life. From 90 to 95 degrees in the shade is summer weather with vengeance, but under a hot sun of the Sun's office it is about 100 degrees hotter than here.

Messrs. P. S. Hay and Levi Liechler last week returned from Kansas City, where they had been to visit Michael Dively and take in the National Democratic convention. They report a good time, but we are sorry to say that they found Mr. Dively totally blind. In other respects, however, Mr. Dively is reasonably well, and he was found quite cheerful in spite of his blindness.

Mrs. H. G. Wilhelm last Friday returned home from Petersburg, where she had been visiting her parents. She found Hans greatly rejoicing to welcome her home, but it was really amusing to see him walk about whistling "I want to be an angel," just as though there wasn't a cloud in the sky. Her arrival here at his residence every night during Mrs. Wilhelm's absence. Oh, how deceitful men!

The editor of the Farm Journal asks: "Why have a mortgage on the farm, poor crops, rheumatism, sour bread, grip, leak in the roof, hole in the pocket, skeleton in the closet, or any other thing or trouble, when you can get the Farm Journal, nearly 5 years (or remainder of 1900, and all of 1901, 1902, 1903 and 1904) and the *THE STAR* one year all for \$1.25. Pay in advance and you get both papers as above."

Last Saturday night some one broke into R. B. Sheppard's barber shop and tried to rob his nickle-in-the-slot machine. The machine was somewhat damaged, but the thief, who was probably frightened away before he could complete the job, secured no booty. It is a very cheap sort of a thief that will run the risk of losing his life or going to penitentiary for no more cash than is usually contained in a slot machine.

A gentleman recently cured of dyspepsia gave the following appropriate rendering of *Brown's Kidney Pills*: "Some have meat and can not eat, and some have none that want it, but we have meat and we can eat—*Brown's Kidney Pills* are thanked." This preparation will digest what you eat. It instantly relieves and radically cures indigestion and all stomach disorders. Sold by medicine dealers.

Supt. R. S. Garrett, of the Merchants Coal Company, says nearly or quite \$8,000 will be paid to the miners of that company on July 25th, their next payday. This large amount is for only two weeks work, remember, and it will give the public some idea of the vast amount of coal being shipped from this region. W. K. Xiver & Co. are shipping nearly as much coal as the Merchants Company, and all the rest of our operators are also doing a big business.

That was a delightful little moonlight concert on Hay's hotel porch, Monday night. Hearing music in the air, we paused to listen. We heard the melody of a guitar, and in the merry little party were some ladies that sang as sweetly as the angels. But every rose has its thorns, and frequently a musical concert has its disorders. The ladies of the party referred to could sing nearly as well as the angels, but they would half lead the items sent to him he would be in jail one half the time, and in the hospital the other half—E. X.

Dr. S. J. Miller and two sons, of Madera, Pa., Mr. M. E. Klare, a telegraph operator of Munson, Pa., and Miss Edna Harkins, of Wallaceton, Pa., were all guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Klare, of West Salisbury, several days during the past week.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers are famous little pills for liver and bowel troubles. Never gripe. Sold by medicine dealers.

State Forestry Commissioner Holtz has decided to bring proceedings against all county commissioners who refuse to comply with his request to appoint detectives to ferret out and prosecute those guilty of causing the burning of timber lands.

Mr. John A. Noe, the book salesman, has had phenomenal success at selling books in Boynton, Coal Run and other neighboring villages during the past week. Everywhere this man goes, the people are glad to know the advantage in buying of him. Mr. Noe will remain here until about the middle of next week, and all those who have not yet given him an order for books should see him at his hotel, without delay. You can't help but buy if you take the trouble to look up the good values he has in store for everybody. It.

The colored work in Biggie Beer Book is an immense aid to berry growers. It shows the leading berries true size, shape and color. They were first carefully painted by an experienced artist, and then reproduced by lithography at a cost of over one thousand dollars. Aside from the color work, it contains the best reproductions made directly from photographs of berries, so that the reader may have an accurate idea of them. The price is 50 cents, by mail; address the publishers, Wilmer Atkinson Co., Philadelphia. It.

J. W. West, of the old Mills Orton's circus, in last week's number of the *THE STAR*, was in town on business. He is an advance agent of Amazon Brothers' Uncle Tom's Cabin Co., which will exhibit here to-morrow, July 20th, and right here *THE STAR* wishes to remark that this is the best Uncle Tom's Cabin company that ever visited this town. This show carries a most scenery to exhibit in the average opera house, for that reason it will be given in a large tent, in M. J. Bechley's field adjoining the town square. The suggestions that were reported at the Wright's Crossing meeting, a party of fifteen.

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out of whack. This disarranged the gliderlike and knocked the skid-plate upspiddow, and there you have it. Anybody knowing anything about machinery will not understand all about the trouble. But never mind, fellow-citizens, the Todro's boys will have everything in good working order in due time, and when they are ready for business we want you to give 'em a liberal patronage. They are a good set of boys and will treat you right, but don't bother them with foolish questions. The editor is at your disposal to answer intelligently all questions pertaining to machinery, no matter whether your questions are foolish or otherwise.

Bank Pays 3 per cent. Interest.

The First National Bank of Frostdale, Maryland, which is a designated Depository of the United States Government, pays three (3) per cent. interest on money left with them for deposit.

The "Frosty Sons of Thunder" Complimented.

The following letter to the editor from Mr. B. J. Johns, of Chambersburg, Pa., explains itself.

Chambersburg, July 10th.

DEAR FRIENDS:—I walked around through Gettysburg, Monday morning, and every body, and every body, told me in their praise of your excursion. The landlady of the house said it was the best behaved lot of men that ever came to Gettysburg. It made me feel proud that I had fallen in with such good company. B. F. JOHNS.

It affords *THE STAR* much pleasure to read the good reports of the excursion. We are glad to know that our people created a good impression in Gettysburg. It is always better to be gentlemanly and well behaved than to play the "smart Aleck."

George's Creek Strike Situation.

Sheriff James Martin, of Cumberland, went down to Lonsheing, Monday, and served a number of warrants issued as a result of investigation by the Grand Jury in the Lonsheing riot affair. He returned in the afternoon with a party of fifteen.

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