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LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

Mrs. Jasper Kimmel is reported to be quite ill, we are sorry to announce.

Charles Speicher, of Accident, Md., was the guest of his brother, Dr. A. F. Speicher, over Sunday.

Sound kidneys are safeguards of life. Make the kidneys healthy with Foley's Kidney Cure. E. H. Miller.

Mrs. C. C. Livengood is reported quite ill this week. Everybody hopes for "Aunt Sally's" speedy recovery.

A Berlin correspondent is authority for it that several Salisbury gentlemen were recently in Berlin looking up a location for a pop factory.

Foley's Kidney Cure purifies the blood by straining out impurities and tones up the whole system. Cures kidney and bladder troubles. E. H. Miller.

Mr. Bernard Leach, of Washington, D. C., who was the guest of C. R. Haselbath and family for about a week, returned home last Sunday.

On Tuesday our home base ball team crossed bats with a Meyersdale team on the latter's ground. The score was 11 to 8 in favor of the Salisbury boys.

A. R. Bass, of Morgantown, Ind., had to get up ten or twelve times in the night and had severe backache and pains in the kidneys. Was cured by Foley's Kidney Cure. E. H. Miller.

Rev. H. S. May and family have for a week or more been enjoying a visit made them by the mother and sister of Mrs. May and the sister's husband, Rev. Stein.

The management of the Meyersdale Fair Association recently held a meeting and fixed upon Sept. 30 and Oct. 1, 2 and 3 as the dates for holding the fair this fall.

It is reported that our friend Ben Livengood has taken unto himself a wife. We are inclined not to believe the report, although Ben is a great ladies' man. At any rate he hasn't been around yet to "set 'em up."

It is now said to be a sure thing that Charles F. Overacker, late temporary editor of the Meyersdale Republican, will establish a newspaper in Rockwood some time next month. The new paper will be called the Observer. Mr. Overacker is a good newspaper man, and we wish him success in his new venture.

We call your attention to the report of the condition of the First National Bank of Salisbury as printed elsewhere in these columns. The report shows the bank to be in a flourishing condition. The management is in the hands of men who have been successful in business, and this assures the continued prosperity of the institution.

Samuel Philson, the aged and well known banker of Berlin, this county, died last Friday at the ripe age of nearly 89 years. Cancer and old age were the causes of his death. Mr. Philson was well known throughout Somerset county, and he was noted for his keen business foresight and extreme activity in the county's development and business interests.

Slight injuries often disable a man and cause several days' loss of time, and when blood poison develops, sometimes result in the loss of a hand or limb. Chamberlain's Pain Balm is an anti-septic liniment. When applied to cuts, bruises and burns it causes them to heal quickly and without maturation, and prevents any danger of blood poison. For sale by E. H. Miller.

Mr. J. J. Hohlitzell and son J. R., of Meyersdale, were business visitors in town, Monday. Mr. Hohlitzell has just returned from Tennessee, where he has what is proving to be valuable coal and oil interests. Under his 4,000-acre tract are four veins of coal ranging from 3 1/2 to 7 feet thick. On this same tract is a boring in which has been found petroleum, and on surrounding tracts are a number of oil wells. Somerset borough and county capital is interested with Mr. Hohlitzell in the purpose of developing the coal and oil. —Berlin Record.

About eighteen months ago Mr. W. S. Manning, of Albany, N. Y., widely known in trade circles as the representative of the Albany Chemical Co., was suffering from a protracted attack of diarrhoea. "I tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy," he says, "and obtained immediate relief. I cheerfully recommend this medicine to those similarly afflicted." Sold by E. H. Miller.

Besides William Jennings Bryan, August 2, and Richmond Pearson Hobson, August 28, at the Chautauque, Mountain Lake Park, Hon. Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, will lecture on August 16, on "Labor and Capital, the Workman's Side of the Story," and on the same date President John Mitchell, of the United Mine Workers, will lecture on "Phases of the Labor Problem."

A manufacturing enterprise was launched in Sterling, Wednesday. The new company will engage in the manufacture of hard coal, on a capital stock of \$20,000. The produce is the invention of W. C. Smith, of Moline. The men will give employment to about fifty men at the start. The coal is said to be first class and can be placed on the market at two-thirds the price of natural anthracite. —Lanark (Ill.) Gazette.

Here is the way a north Missouri editor grinds out his local: "Johnnie had a little mule, its hoofs were hard as rock. He used to hitch the donkey up and drive him 'round the block. One day the little mule he stopped and wouldn't move a shoe, so Johnnie got his pocketknife and stuck him just a few. Now when that donkey felt the knife he moved himself, you bet, and Johnnie, well, he also moved; they haven't found him yet."

John Boucher arrived in town on Tuesday evening and will spend a vacation of a few days at his old home. John began firing a locomotive for the Pennsylvania Railroad Company about two years ago, and by close attention to duty and a knack of being able to catch onto things quickly, he was promoted from fireman to engineer about six months ago. John is a get-there sort of a young man, and his many friends here congratulate him on his rapid promotion.

Henry Brown, a brother of Mrs. Geo. W. Robeson, who resides near Avilton, Md., was in town on Tuesday with one of his brothers. After a short visit with friends here, Henry went to Rockwood, where he will remain several weeks with a brother-in-law. We regret to announce that Henry is suffering considerably with defective eyes, and his symptoms indicate that he is in danger of becoming blind. He says he has consulted some very good specialists, but so far none of them have been able to benefit him very much. We earnestly hope that his sight will yet be fully restored.

John W. Ringler, who went to Ohio about two weeks ago to inspect the country in the vicinity of Akron, has decided to locate in the Buckeye state. He has bargained for a 50-acre farm about seven miles from Akron and is to have possession of same in October. John is well pleased with Ohio, and we trust that his fondest hopes will be realized, although we regret that he has decided to leave our good old town. Mort Welby and family also expect to move to Akron in the fall, and thus it seems Salisbury is to lose two good families. We wish both families much success in the Buckeye state.

Lightning struck the home of Samuel J. Shoemaker, who lives in Black township, on Tuesday night, and cut some strange capers. A babe in the arms of its mother was thrown from the bed to the floor. The lightning struck the chimney, cutting it in two as accurately as a stonemason could do. The current passed down the stove pipe, breaking and twisting it, and setting fire to the attic floor. From the attic it passed to the outside of the house and entered the cellar, charring the boards. A small hole was made in the foundation. The fire burned a hole in the floor, but two boys of the family succeeded in tramping it out with their bare feet. No one was badly injured. —Somerset Standard.

We call attention to the new advertisement of the First National Bank of Frostburg, Md., which appears in this issue of THE STAR. The business of the aforesaid bank is increasing right along. At the close of business on July 16th, the surplus of this bank had reached the magnificent sum of \$50,000, the largest surplus of any bank in this section. The assets are over \$900,000, the largest of any bank in Allegheny or Garrett county, Md. The next statement of the Frostburg First National will, it is expected, show assets reaching a million dollars. The management of this bank is so popular with its patrons that the more competition it has the more the bank seems to prosper.

The huckleberry crop in this locality is very large this year. Quite a lot of berries are being shipped to the cities, and finer one we never saw. The chestnut crop also promises to be immense, as the trees bloomed more profusely this year than they have for at least ten years. Acorns will be plentiful, but hickorynuts and butternuts will hardly be an average crop. The fruit crop will be fairly good, especially

apples. These reports are vouched for by our huckleberry, chestnut and green apple editor; but so far our snake editor has not had much to say. That snake story Elijah Livengood brought from Cumberland, recently, seems to have knocked all the wind out of our snake editor, and like our hired fish, game and ginseng liar, he isn't earning his salt, much less his drinks.

Berkeley Springs prospectors claim that they have again discovered coal in Morgan county, W. Va., near Rockwell's Run. They have been discovering coal in Morgan county for years and years and haven't dug any yet. There is evidence of coal and ore, too, but they don't develop. Mr. Eppinger, a Pennsylvania German, living in Morgan county, once remarked that Virginians would never do anything till they got their backs warm. He said they had a habit of backing up to a fire-place or stove, pulling up their coat tails and standing there all day. There are good signs of mineral in Morgan county, but they only attempt to develop it in the newspapers to get some Pennsylvania capitalists to come and buy and give them a job. There is something in Mr. Eppinger's remarks. —Queen City Courier.

Harry Kifer, of Somerset, who travels for the National Biscuit Company of New York, was in town on Monday evening. While coming up from Confluence on the train, he found Wm. Jennings Bryan and daughter in the same car. Mr. Bryan and daughter were on their way to Mountain Lake Park, in Garrett county, Md. Thomas Null, of Addison, who was also in the same car, stepped up and introduced himself to Mr. Bryan, stating that he had the honor of twice voting for Bryan and free silver, and adding that he is still a good Democrat. However, Mr. Null forgot to tell Mr. Bryan about wagering a pig against \$5.00 with Harry Kifer, during one of the Bryan campaigns. Mr. Null lost the bet, but failed to ship the pig to Somerset as per his agreement with Mr. Kifer. He evidently believed less in free pork than free silver.

Because she learned three months after her marriage that her husband was her half brother, Mrs. Maggie Wagner, bride of Fred Wagner, a wealthy young farmer living at Russellville, Ill., swallowed carbolic acid and expired in great agony in her husband's arms, with his name upon her lips. The suicide and revelation of its cause has shocked the community as nothing else ever did in its history. The young couple were devoted to each other. Their meeting was an accident, their courtship brief and their honeymoon ideal. Recently the bride discovered from anecdotes related by her husband of his childhood that he was her mother's son, her own half brother whom she had not seen for twenty years, and whom she believed to be dead. She did not reveal her discovery to her husband, but after two or three weeks of brooding decided to end her life as the only way to end her mental anguish.

Our old friend George H. Subrie, who for several years has been foreman of the job printing department of the Altoona Gazette, is here on a vacation and expects to remain about ten days. Mr. Subrie is one of Somerset county's veteran editors, and one of the best of the county has ever produced. He is also a good all-around printer, and above all, a most genial gentlemanly man. He was born and reared in Salisbury, and he has ever been a credit to himself and to the town. About 1872 he and Lou A. Smith established the Salisbury Independent, the first newspaper our town ever had. It was published for about a year, when the firm dissolved partnership, if we are correctly informed, and the plant moved to Meyersdale, where Smith has been going bankrupt and starting anew for these many years, publishing papers of various sizes and of various names. About 1888 Mr. Subrie established the Meyersdale Register, which continued in business for about four years, when he sold out and has since been following his trade in some other towns of the state. Old Salisbury is always glad to welcome Mr. Subrie back to the famous old town that has probably produced more prominent men than any other town in Somerset county.

Vacation Days.

Vacation time is here and the children are fairly living out of doors. There could be no healthier place for them. You need only to guard against the accidents incidental to most open air sports. No remedy equals DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve for quickly stopping pain or removing danger of serious consequences. For cuts, scalds and wounds, "I used DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve for sores cuts and bruises," says L. B. Johnson, Swift, Tex. "It is the best remedy on the market." Sure cure for piles and skin diseases. Beware of counterfeits. E. H. Miller.

Law Regarding Traction Engines.

Those in charge of traction engines on the public highways should not forget that persons with vehicles and horses they meet on the roads have rights under the law which traction engine drivers must respect. The law makes the engineer or proprietor liable for all damages done by horses they frighten, and declares that a man shall be kept 150 yards in advance of the engine when running on any public road to warn people of its coming.

DON'T GET LEFT.

Niagara Excursion Tickets Now on Sale at The Star Office—Get Them at Once, or You May Get Left.

Our readers are nearly all aware that the Somerset Orchestra has arranged to run a magnificent excursion from Somerset to Niagara Falls on Saturday, July 29th, leaving Somerset at 4 p. m., and arriving at Niagara Falls the following morning. The excursion train will not leave Niagara until in the evening, thus giving the excursionists a full day to behold the grandeur of the falls, the whirlpool, the lower rapids and the many other world-famed wonders to be seen there on both the American and the Canadian side of the picturesque and historic stream. Furthermore, those who do not wish to return on the excursion train, have the privilege to remain five days. Or in other words, their tickets will be good to return at any time within five days on any regular train over the route tickets are sold for.

The route will be via B. & O., P. & L. E., and the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern, through Pittsburg, Pa., Youngstown and Ashtabula, Ohio, and Buffalo, N. Y. It will be a delightful trip, worth at least \$500 to any person who has never seen the great Niagara Falls, and only \$9.00 is required for a round trip ticket—less than half fare. It is the chance of a lifetime to see one of the world's greatest wonders.

At Niagara Falls good hotel accommodations can be had at prices ranging from \$1.00 to \$2.00 per day. A sleeping car will be attached to the excursion train for the benefit of those who desire additional comfort, and a pleasant feature will be an abundance of good music enroute. Excursionists from the south of the county can get aboard the excursion train at Rockwood.

Be sure to take advantage of this great trip, while you have the chance to do so at so trifling a cost. For tickets and full information, call on or address P. L. Livengood, Star office, Elk Lick, Pa.

If a Man Lie to You,

and say some other salve, ointment, lotion, oil or alleged healer is as good as Bucklen's Arnica Salve, tell him thirty years of marvelous cures of Piles, Burns, Boils, Corns, Felons, Ulcers, Cuts, Scalds, Bruises and Skin Eruptions, prove it's the best and cheapest. 25c. at E. H. Miller's drug store.

Some News Gleaned From the Carleton (Neb.) Leader.

Last week's Carleton Leader contained some news that interests the editor of this paper as well as many of his patrons. Briefly summed up it is about as follows:

The country surrounding Carleton, and, in fact, all of Thayer county has suffered great loss on account of heavy rains. The damage to Thayer county bridges is estimated at \$12,000.

Samuel S. Lichty and wife, of Byron, Neb., are mourning the death of a three-months-old daughter. The father of the child is a son of W. S. Lichty and a grandson of our fellow townsman, S. J. Lichty.

Dr. G. E. Tyler, an old friend of THE STAR man, died recently of typhoid fever, in Denver, where he had located and became quite a prominent man.

Don't Fail to Try This.

Whenever an honest trial is given to Electric Bitters for any trouble it is recommended for, a permanent cure will surely be effected. It never fails to tone the stomach, regulate the kidneys and bowels, stimulate the liver, invigorate the nerves, and purify the blood. It's a wonderful tonic for run-down systems. Electric Bitters positively cures Kidney and Liver Troubles, Stomach Disorders, Nervousness, Neuralgia, Sleeplessness, Rheumatism, and expels Malaria. Satisfaction guaranteed by E. H. Miller. Only 50 cents.

Elk Lick Township Teachers.

Last Friday the Elk Lick township school board met at the West Salisbury school house and hired the following named teachers: West Salisbury schools, Annie O. McKinley for Grammar school, Margaret McNeal for Primary and Edith Lichtler for Intermediate; Mountain View school, Mayme Gaunt; D. Hay school, D. R. Johnson; Lichty school, Herbert Engle; Chestnut Springs schools, Mary E. Dull for Grammar and Bessie Engle for Primary; Lowry school, E. E. Barclay; Thomas school, Sadie Smith; Cross Roads school, Daniel Livengood; Pleasant Hill school, Norman Yought; Peck school, Emma Meager; Coal Run schools, C. E. Butler for Grammar and Lydia Moser for Primary; Sand Flat school, Mayme Kimmel; Boynton school, J. P. Vogel.

Mother Always Keeps It Handy.

"My mother suffered a long time from distressing pains and general ill health due primarily to indigestion," says L. W. Spalding, Verona, Mo. "Two years ago I got her to try Kodol. She grew better at once and now, at the age of seventy-six, eats anything she wants, remarking that she fears no bad effects as she has her bottle of Kodol handy." Don't waste time doctoring symptoms. Go after the cause. If your stomach is sound your health will be good. Kodol rests the stomach and strengthens the body by digesting your food. It is nature's own tonic. E. H. Miller.

First National Bank

OF FROSTBURG, MD.

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Deposits (over)..... 760,000.00
Assets (over)..... 910,000.00

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ROBERDEAU ANNAN, - - - Cashier.

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