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LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

NEWSY ITEMS GATHERED HERE AND THERE, WITH AN OCCASIONAL JOKE ADDED FOR SPICE.

Read all the new "ads" in this week's STAR. All of them are important to some people.

Mrs. B. Welfley and daughter Ida, of Meyersdale, are visiting Salisbury friends this week.

Miss Sadie Smith, who was a student of the State Normal at California, Pa., returned home, Saturday last.

The Boynton Baseball Club last week downed a Frostburg club on the former's grounds. The score was 13 to 6.

Mary McDowell had the misfortune to break an arm, Monday evening, while playing ball with some other children.

Jesse Livengood, a former resident of Elk Lick township, died at the County Home to-day. He was aged upwards of 80 years.

Daniel Thomas of Akron, Ohio, is here on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Griff Thomas. He reports work very dull at Akron.

Wm. and James McClure, who are students of the Pennsylvania College, at Gettysburg, Pa., returned home last week to spend their vacation.

"Keeping everlastingly at it brings success." This is the motto and watchword of the merchant who gets there by judicious and persistent advertising.

Rev. E. S. Johnston, Edward Haselbarth, Amanda Martin and Lottie Boyer, went to Stoytown, Monday, to attend a Lutheran Sunday school convention.

Early this week a young druggist made his appearance in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Miller. Mr. Miller hopes to have a permanent position for the young man.

Prof. William Baumgardner, who is one of the instructors of the preparatory school at Keyser, W. Va., arrived here several days ago for a visit with Salisbury friends.

Mr. Q. A. McClure showed us a fine sample of new potatoes, Monday, that he has grown in his garden, which is reported to be one of the finest to be seen in town this year.

Married, Wednesday evening, June 22, at the home of the bride, near Grantsville, Md., by Rev. E. S. Johnston, D. D., Mr. Frederick William Winterberg and Mrs. Laura E. Stanton.

Miss Ellen Rodamer, of West Salisbury, started for Shipman, Ill., today. She will attend the St. Louis Exposition and visit friends in the west for an indefinite period before returning.

Joseph T. Shipley, father of Burgess J. T. Shipley, of Meyersdale, died Sunday evening at the home of his daughter, Mrs. B. F. Boyer, in Johnstown. He was 82 years old and was born in Maryland.

M. H. Hoover orders THE STAR sent to his address at Watsondale, Pa., where he is employed as telegraph operator by the Southern Pipe Line Company. His wife arrived here recently for a visit with friends.

S. R. McKinley, of this place, has bought the sole right to sell the Superior Washer in Elk Lick township. If the people of this locality appreciate a good thing, he will surely meet with great success. The Superior is a great labor and clothes saver.

The Misses Sarah Jennings, Gerda Marriott and Lucretia Warnick constituted a bevy of very pretty girls that visited friends in Salisbury on Saturday, Sunday and Monday. They came down from the town of Jennings on the Jennings R. R., riding in the cab with Uncle Josh Messersmith.

One of the most important questions that every young man has to solve, is this: "How can I create a demand for myself?" If he does not "tackle" that question in a manly way, and work out the answer to it some way, he is likely to be out of a job most of the time, and deserves to be.—Western Pennsylvanian.

D. I. Hay has taken charge of the Hay Hotel, with Thomas Clark installed as bar-keeper. We wish the new management success, and our best wishes also go with the retiring proprietor, Wm. N. Hay, who goes to Cumberland to reside. "Billy" Hay and family will always have a great many friends here.

Rev. Charles E. Hay, D. D., pastor of the Lutheran Deaconess' Home, Baltimore, Md., will preach in the Lutheran church of this place, next Sunday, June 28, at 10 o'clock A. M. He will present the object and importance of the Deaconess work. Come and hear him. It is a subject upon which we all need information. All are welcome.

A lawyer in a court-room may call a man a liar, scoundrel, villain or thief, and no one makes a complaint when court has adjourned. If a newspaper prints such reflections on a man's character there is a libel suit or a dead editor. And this is owing to the fact that people believe what an editor says; what a lawyer says cuts no figure.—Routt (Col.) Courier.

Note the advertisement of Edgewood Grove in this issue. It is the finest grove in all Somerset county, and the only one where large gatherings of people can be suitably entertained at all times, rain or shine, during the summer season. It is the ideal place for church reunions, camp meetings, picnics, barbecues, etc., and the place will attract thousands of people.

Ed. Flynn, who had been in this vicinity for the past six or seven years, was in town one day last week settling his bills, preparatory to returning to his old home in sunny Tennessee. Of course he didn't forget THE STAR, for he has long been one of our model subscribers, and the paper will visit him every week at his southern home. We have found Ed. to be an honest, upright young man, exceedingly good-natured and industrious, and we hope he will return again.

For no reason that has yet been discerned, Miss Lizzie Statler, a respected and well-to-do maiden lady of Bucks-town, this county, attempted suicide early Monday morning by cutting her throat at the home of her sister, Mrs. David Coleman, about a mile and a half east of that place. Though she is not dead at latest accounts she inflicted a terrible wound, from which it is feared by the attending physician, Dr. Baker of Stoytown, she may not recover.—Somerset Democrat.

We are very late with our paper, this week, owing to the fact that the editor went to Edgewood Park, near Pittsburg, Wednesday, to attend the closing exercises of the Western Pennsylvania Institution for the Deaf and Dumb. He remained until Thursday, to bring home his daughter Minnie, who is a pupil at that institution. The editor was greatly pleased with what he saw, and pronounces the graduating exercises far ahead of anything else in that line he has ever seen. He will tell you something about it next week.

Philip Smith, a well known young man who grew to manhood in this town, but who left here a good many years ago, landed here last week to look up old acquaintances. This is his first visit to the old town in nine years, and during that time he has traveled far and wide in the United States and Canada, working at various occupations, as suited his fancy. Philip is quite a roamer, but is the same genial, warm-hearted fellow as of yore, and the old boys are all glad to see him. He thinks of getting employment here and remaining a while.

The gamey little sunfish is now protected by law and can only be legally taken during the same open season as his kinsman, the black bass—from June 15 to February 15 inclusive—and must be caught only with rod, hook and line. The sunfish certainly merits protection, as it furnishes good sport when its full size is attained, taking the bait with avidity, and as a table delicacy is far superior to the bass when properly cooked. Great numbers of these fish are caught in the spring-time, when very small, and the new law will doubtless put an end to the practice.—Ex.

Some of the women of Coal Run have been degrading themselves and violating the law all week by shouting "scab" and other vile names at the men employed in the mines in that vicinity. At least two men committed a felony by dressing themselves in women's clothes and joining the tin can and wash-boiler brigade, which heretofore had been a strictly "shemale" aggregation, but directed by a lot of cowardly men, who are rapidly wrecking the miners' organization and storing up a big lot of trouble for themselves and their wives by their foolishness. The end is not yet, except to the strikers.

W. A. Scott, Jr., of Pittsburg, was at the Somerset House on Saturday, meeting the owners of the farms included in the proposed military camp site near Somerset. To a representative of the

Standard Mr. Scott stated that he had not abandoned hope of having the Somerset site purchased by the government for military purposes. The only obstacle in the way, he stated, was the high price demanded for the land. A large number of farmers renewed their options with Mr. Scott, agreeing to accept a considerable reduction in the price first asked. The price now asked is about an average of \$70 per acre.—Somerset Standard.

On Tuesday evening last, Marcellus Shartzler, of Coal Run, was arraigned before Squire Lowry, charged with having thrown a brick at some miners employed at the Meager mine, while the said miners were on their way home from work. The brick struck Wm. McMurdo in the side, slightly injuring him. Several men swore positively that they saw Shartzler throw the brick, and under the evidence offered, the Justice could do nothing but bind Shartzler over to court. His bond was fixed at \$500, which was promptly provided, and the case will come up at the September court. Shartzler claims to be able to prove an alibi.

If we are worth nothing to the people at home, we need not flatter ourselves that there is a big niche for us in the outside world. The son whom his father trusts with his business worries, and on whom his mother leans, who helps plant a bright ideal in the mind of a younger brother, who feels a responsibility for making home the brightest and most attractive place to be found, is the very one whose life will be an influence for good beyond the limits of home. But the sons who are anxieties to fathers and mothers, wet blankets on the family gayety, dead weights so far as the household duties are concerned, will not prove of any particular value to the larger circle outside. Their value at home measures their value to the world.—Ex.

Acting in cooperation with the State Survey Commission of Pennsylvania, several parties from the Federal Survey are now engaged in topographic work in this state. Of these parties one is in charge of Mr. R. D. Cummin, assisted by Messrs. Robert Coe and J. I. Treidel; one in charge of Mr. E. B. Clark, assisted by Mr. J. S. B. Daingerfield; and one in charge of Mr. A. C. Roberts, assisted by Mr. E. B. Alexander. These parties are expected to map, in the course of the season, large portions of Washington, Allegheny, Butler and Westmoreland counties, covering the industrial and mineral region centering about Pittsburg. A similar district in Cambria and Somerset counties, of which Johnstown is the commercial center, will be surveyed. In the eastern part of the state, portions of Juniata, Snyder, Perry, Montgomery, Berks, Chester and Lancaster counties will be surveyed.

The trip to Dan's Rock, Allegany county, Md., last week, by Misses Linna Perry and Cora Keim, and Rev. A. H. Travis, Mr. Geo. Huston, and the editor and wife, was a most enjoyable event. Our thanks are due to Mr. Huston for arranging for the trip. It far exceeded the expectations of those of us who had never seen the great rock, from the summit of which we could see into four states, viz: Pennsylvania, Maryland, Virginia and West Virginia. On a clear day one can see Cumberland and Frostburg, Md., Winchester, Va., and Keyser, W. Va., from the rock. We have neither space nor time to go into details, but we had a most pleasant time, and the lady members of the party deserve great credit for the great abundance and excellent quality of lunch they provided for the outing. All did ample justice to the same, and all agree that the M. E. parson and the editor are evenly matched when it comes to eating spring chickens. A trip to Dan's Rock is worth \$50 to any person.

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Confluence Painters Injured.

"Dode" Humbert and William Grove, two painters working on the Hotel Dodds at Confluence, fell 25 feet Saturday morning about 9 o'clock. Both were seriously injured. They were painting the exterior of the hotel and were walking on a swinging ladder, which broke and hurled them to the ground. Drs. Griffith and Bowman gave the injured men prompt attention.—Somerset Democrat.

STARTLING EVIDENCE.

Fresh testimony in great quantity is constantly coming in declaring Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption Coughs and Colds to be unequaled. A recent expression from T. J. McFarland, Bentonsville, Va., serves as example. He writes: "I had Bronchitis for three years and doctored all the time without being benefited. Then I began taking Dr. King's New Discovery, and a few bottles wholly cured me. Equally effective in curing all Lung and Throat troubles, Consumption, Pneumonia and Grip. Guaranteed by E. H. Miller, Druggist. Trial bottles free, regular sizes 50c. and \$1.00. 7-1

To Dan's Rock.

Yesterday morning at 5 1/2 o'clock a hackload of excursionists left Salisbury, Pa., for Dan's Rock, passing through the metropolis about 8:45, changing horses here. The pilot was George C. Huston, a Frostburg boy. The other members of the party were Misses Linna Perry and Cora Keim, and Rev. A. H. Travis—all in charge of P. L. Livengood, editor of THE STAR, and Mrs. P. L. Livengood looking after the editor. It was a party of good-looking people.—Frostburg Mining Journal.

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Notice of Special Church Services.

Special services will be held in the Salisbury M. E. church, every night next week, beginning Sunday, June 28, at 7:30, ending on July 1st.

The following topics will be discussed.

June 26—Christ's Mission to the World.

June 27—The Mission of the Christian Church. 2. Social Relation of the Church to the World.

June 28—The Mission of the Christian Church. 2. Spiritual relation of the Church to the World.

June 29—Creeds and Their Uses.

June 30—The Trail of the Serpent.

July 1—High Ideals.

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WORST OF ALL EXPERIENCES.

Can anything be worse than to feel that every minute will be your last? Such was the experience of Mrs. S. H. Newson, Decatur, Ala. "For three years" she writes, "I endured insufferable pain from indigestion, stomach and bowel trouble. Death seemed inevitable when doctors and all remedies failed. At length I was induced to try Electric Bitters and the result was miraculous. I improved at once and now I'm completely recovered." For Liver, Kidney, Stomach and Bowel troubles, Electric Bitters is the only medicine. Only 50c. It's guaranteed by E. H. Miller, Druggist. 7-1

MAD DOG BITES FIVE.

A dog, presumed to have been suffering from rabies, attacked five people yesterday noon near the residence of "Milt" Knepper, a short distance south of town, biting all of them in the hands and arms. Three children, ranging 6 to 12 years of age, son and daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jones, were engaged in driving Cyrus Shaulis's cow from a pasture field, when the brute pounced upon them, biting all in turn.

Peter Mognet, who witnessed the attack, ran to the aid of the youngsters, when the dog turned on him and sunk his fangs in his arm. A lad named Glessner was also bitten by the dog. Milton Knepper, whose home is close by, heard the screams of the little ones, and grabbing his gun ran after the dog and fired a load of shot into him. The brute, frothing at the mouth, kept on running until laid low by a bullet fired by Howard Glessner. The owner of the dog is unknown.

Much uneasiness for the safety of those bitten will be felt for a few days.—Somerset Herald.

Attempted to Break Jail.

When Deputy Sheriff Wm. C. Begley went into the jail Sunday afternoon to remove the dishes, from which the prisoners had eaten dinner, one of the inmates called him aside and told him that Harry Zerfoss had made considerable progress toward breaking out of jail. Investigation showed that Zerfoss had removed an iron window jamb, and the removal of a few bricks was only needed for him to regain his freedom, which he would have no doubt attempted to gain that evening. Zerfoss was sentenced to one year in the Western Penitentiary, Saturday, for larceny, and his break for liberty has added an additional six months to his sentence, which began Monday night, Sheriff Coleman taking him to Allegheny that afternoon. Zerfoss is an old offender, having done time in the Allegheny county work-house, and the Huntingdon Reformatory, and is the party who severely beat Deputy Sheriff Baker some years ago.—Somerset Democrat.

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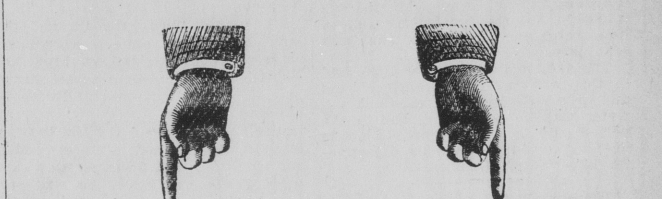
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