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Thanking you for past patronage, we solicit a continuance of the same.
H. H. Reitz & Sos.
8-25 tf.

MR. H. C. WHITE, the well known Fashionable Merchant Tailor and Clothier, will be in town about Sept. 12-15th, with his Fall and Winter Suitings, etc., and shall execute all orders to perfect satisfaction and at reasonable prices. 9-8

GRAND INTER-STATE FAIR, JOHNSTOWN, PA.
AUGUST 30, 31-SEPTEMBER 1, 2.
VERY LOW RATES VIA BALTIMORE & OHIO RAILROAD.

Excursion tickets on sale from all stations—Meyersdale, Confluence and intermediate points to Johnstown and return, good going on above dates and all returning to and including Sept. 1, 1904.
Get details from Ticket Agents. 1t.

CURED OF LAME BACK AFTER 15 YEARS OF SUFFERING.

"I had been troubled with lame back for fifteen years, and I found a complete recovery in the use of Chamberlain's Pain Balm," says John G. Bisher, William, Ind. This liniment is also without an equal for sprains and bruises. It is for sale by E. H. Miller.

The Editor is Given Some Valuable Free "Pointers" on Rearing a Family.

Pious old Joe Hartline, who is moral and Christian perfection personified, has given the editor of this paper some valuable information on rearing a family, and we feel that we ought to give our readers the benefit of it, as St. Joseph's idea is very easy to carry out. We got the valuable information in this way:

Last week THE STAR stated that the editor dreamed of seeing St. Joseph asking our old namesake, St. Peter, for admittance at the gate of heaven. The great paper further stated that it was the editor's purpose to publish the dream in full, this week, and accordingly good old Joseph was advised to borrow a copy of the paper early and avoid the rush.

As usual, some of the wicked people of the town saw something to laugh at in our innocent little news item, and they began to poke fun at good old Joseph, just as the wicked have always railed at the righteous from time out of mind. St. Joseph at first said he didn't care what THE STAR said about him, especially when he was spoken of as about to enter heaven. But he evidently changed his mind, for on Monday evening he stopped the editor on the street, saying he had a grievance, which he proceeded to relate as soon as he threw his cigar snipe away, laid his quid of tobacco on the curbstone and coughed up and spit out seven green bullfrogs and nine prayer books by actual count.

To our great surprise he accused us of slurring him, and demanded in deep, sepulchral tones to know the whichness and whereforeness thereof. We felt as though confronted by a being from another world, and we felt like shedding a whole slobberful of tears, but knew that wouldn't do, as Timmie Scull had the slobberbucket in use, filling it with his salty anticourthouse tears. We therefore had to refrain from weeping, as we feared we might drown good old Joseph, and what would have become of the old town then?

Then we got about half angry and reminded St. Joseph that he had been slandering THE STAR and its editor without cause, and that people complained of being tired of his borrowing their papers, only to hear him denounce both paper and editor after eagerly reading THE STAR each week at their expense. We explained to him that such "cussedness" on the part of a saint was enough to cause any poor sinner to dream strange and weird things.

St. Joseph, of course, denied having slandered us, and being sanctified as he is, we perhaps ought to believe him, but we don't and can't. He acknowledged bugging the paper and reading it, and also acknowledged that he said he would not want his children to read it, as he feared it would corrupt their morals. Now, some people would have been foolish and dumb enough to construe that as slander, but not so with us. We regarded it only as a valuable "pointer" on how to rear a family and being up nice children, as Mr. Hartline has done. We accept the suggestion with thanks, and hereafter we trust that people will carefully keep this awful sheet out of the way of their children, although it is like good old Castoria, and many of the children will cry for it. You people who have carelessly been letting your children read THE STAR can see the sad mistake you have made if you will only compare them to the models of perfection pious old Joe Hartline has raised.

Of course, it doesn't look as though good old Joseph practices what he

preaches when he reads literature that is not fit to come into his pious habitation, but then it must be remembered that St. Joseph is sanctified and can't sin. It is claimed, however, that some of these sanctified people are sure to go to hades, but they can't make us believe that, even if some of them do get so sanctified that they won't go to see maimed and suffering relatives nor permit any of their sanctified families to do so, for fear of losing the respect of some of the organized thugs of the community.

And while speaking of well raised children, etc., it might interest Mr. Hartline to know that no later than last Sunday evening a young daughter of his indulged in calling the editor names while he was quietly walking along the street with another man. Of course, that was a mark of good raising, and we always like to see and hear smart children.

But THE STAR is a desperately bad sheet, for St. Joseph has so said, and he can neither sin nor be mistaken. But with all its faults the paper has some virtues, for the code of morals it tries to teach will not cause your boys to lie, steal, swear, get drunk, smoke cigarettes nor frequent immoral dives in Johnstown, Cumberland, Pittsburg or elsewhere. To read THE STAR may not make preachers or angels of your children, and it may not cause them to make long-winded prayers in public places; but if they follow THE STAR's code of morals they will grow up to be good, honest, self-reliant, progressive, law-abiding and patriotic citizens, and educated to the limit of their means.

Bad as the editor may be, he some time ago received this flattering endorsement from a man who is a model of morality and singularly free from the vices most men are addicted to: "I admire your paper for its originality, its fearlessness and forcefulness in favor of law, order and good morals. You are almost brutally frank at times in dealing with evils that need attention, but knowing you to be a man who loves his family and country and constantly strives for the betterment of mankind, a few faults can be overlooked. If we had more men like you the country would always be safe."

But we must chop off, as we have already taken so much space that we will have no room in this issue to publish our dream. However, we can publish that later, and when we do, it will be so plain that not only a Joseph can interpret the meaning thereof and profit by it, but the common herd will also be able to interpret it and laugh themselves hoarse over it. Keep your eye on the Star of Bethlehem, as Mr. McCullough calls it, ye borrowers and all.

COLORADO MINING LABOR TROUBLES.

The editorial attitude of the Mining Magazine, of New York, to the recent labor upheaval in Colorado, is regarded as a comprehensive and conservative statement. The Magazine sums up the situation in these words:

"To say that there is blame on both sides is trite, but to fairly distribute the blame is difficult to one who has personal familiarity with the situation and the circumstances which have led up to it. If for the sake of argument it be granted that the defeat of the eight-hour amendment was by sharp practice rather than by open conflict, and was poor politics, the fact remains that this was an incident rather than a cause. The contest with the Western Federation of Miners was inevitable and the time only was uncertain. Such a state of terrorism as has prevailed in the San Juan for some year could not be allowed to go on, much less to extend itself. It is also true that the ordinary processes of law had failed to stamp out the evil, and the choice remaining was between the rule of the vigilance committee and martial law. The latter has its disadvantages. The ways of soldiers are not those of peace, but the legality of Martial Law has been settled by the courts and ought not to be questioned. . . . To class the Western Federation of Miners with the decent, law-abiding unions of the more settled states merely indicates ignorance or a hopeless confusion of ideas, and Mr. Gompers' fiery defense of an aggregation expelled from the American Federation of Labor for non-payment of dues, and which has abused and vilified him in terms no less severe than those applied to the veriest oppressor of labor, is at once amusing and pathetic. It illustrates how many sins the word union may be stretched to cover, and how prone labor leaders are to permit sympathy to warp judgment."

THE STOMACH IS THE MAN.

A weak stomach weakens the man, because it cannot transform the food he eats into nourishment. Health and strength cannot be restored to any sick man or weak woman without first restoring health and strength to the stomach. A weak stomach cannot digest enough food to feed the tissues and revive the tired and run-down limbs and organs of the body. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests what you eat, cleanses and strengthens the glands and membranes of the stomach, and cures indigestion, dyspepsia and all stomach troubles. Sold by E. H. Miller.

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Take notice that I have opened a new and up-to-date meat market in Salisbury, one door south of Lichliter's store. Everything is new, neat and clean, and it is a model in every respect.

I deal in all kinds of Fresh and Salt Meats, Poultry, Fresh Fish, etc.

I pay highest cash prices for Fat Cattle, Pork, Veal, Mutton, Poultry, Hides, etc.

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Headquarters for Fresh and Salt Meats, Poultry, Sausage, Pudding, etc.

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LOWEST PRICES prevail when selling to our customers, and we keep our shop

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A DELIGHTFUL TRIP TO CALIFORNIA.

The Sovereign Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F., will hold their annual meeting at San Francisco, Cal., September 19-25, and for this occasion the Baltimore and Ohio R. R. will sell excursion tickets from August 28th to September 9th, at Very Low Rates for the round trip, valid for return to October 23, 1904.

Stop-overs on going trip at St. Louis, Chicago, Memphis and New Orleans will be allowed; also at any point in California, Oregon, Washington, Idaho, Assiniboia, Alberta and British Columbia within a going transit limit of October 10, 1904.

Baltimore and Ohio Ticket Agents have full details. 9-9

OLD PAPERS for sale at THE STAR office. They are just the thing for pantry shelves, wrapping paper and cartridge paper for the miners. Five cents buys a large roll of them. 1t

PERSONAL

To Sufferers From Kidney and Bladder Diseases

No matter how long you have suffered, FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE will help you. This we will GUARANTEE.

It has cured many cases of Bright's Disease and Diabetes that had been thought incurable, however we do not claim that it will cure these diseases in advanced stages as no medicine can make new kidneys for you, but

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE

will positively cure every case of kidney and bladder trouble if taken in time, and even in the worst cases of Bright's Disease and Diabetes it always gives comfort and relief.

Remember when the kidneys are affected the work of destruction never ceases, so commence taking FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE at once and avoid a fatal malady.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE is made from a prescription of a specialist in kidney diseases and was used for years in private practice before it was put on the market.

No Could Not Straighten Up

Thomas Maple, Birbeck, Ill., writes: "I had a very bad case of kidney trouble and my back pained me so I could not straighten up. The doctor's treatment did me no good. Saw FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE advertised and took one bottle which cured me and I have not been affected since. I gladly recommend this remedy."

Three Physicians Treated Him Without Success

W. L. Yancy, of Paducah, Ky., writes: "I had a severe case of kidney disease and three of the best physicians in southern Kentucky treated me without success. I then took FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE. The first bottle gave immediate relief and three bottles cured me permanently. I gladly recommend this wonderful remedy."

Suffered Twenty-Five Years

Seymour Webb, of Moira, N. Y., writes: "I had been troubled with my kidneys for twenty-five years and had tried several physicians but received no relief until I bought a bottle of FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE. After using two bottles I was absolutely cured. I earnestly recommend FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE."

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