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A Conversation Overheard.

"Wonder if they will have any Holiday goods at the Drug Store this year?"
Second Speaker—"Yes, I asked Miller just the other day, and he said they would have as large, if not a larger line than ever before."

First Speaker—"Well, he had a dandy line last year, and I think he sold it about all, too."

Second Speaker—"Yes, you see, he only gets a few pieces of each kind, but he gets a slough of kinds, and then when you buy a present there you know it is going to be something new and up to date."

The above conversation was heard on our streets a few days ago by E. H. Miller himself, and we wish to add that our line of Holiday Goods will be new and up to date, consisting of Books, Games, Toilet Cases, Leather and Metal Novelties, Toys, Christmas Tree Trimmings, Perfumes, Christmas Cards and Novelties of all kinds from 10c. up.

Goods will be on display in about a week. Come and look them over, whether you wish to buy or not.

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Address: Franklin Miles, M. D., LL. B., Dept. K 413 to 428, Main St., Elk-Hart, Ind. 12-22

The full official returns of the last general election show that Pennsylvania gave Roosevelt a plurality of 505,519. Some of the Democratic papers declare that the Republican organization, which the Democratic press delights to brand as a gang of thieves, exercised a good deal of forethought in not returning a Republican plurality in excess of the entire population of the state. Well, the next time the old Keystone state will just make it unanimous. There's but one real political party, anyway, and that's the Republican party.

The following decision has recently been made by the Supreme court in the case of Miller vs. Hastings borough: "The borough authorities have no power to expend public money in defense of borough police officers indicted under the law, when the borough itself is not involved. Police officers, in the preservation of peace, are not agents or servants of a borough. Their powers and duties are derived from the state, to which their primary responsibility is due, therefore the borough is not liable for the omissions or commissions, or malfeasance in the performance of their duties.

EVERY few weeks a few new "fairy tales" are put in circulation by some of the striking miners of this region. One of the latest is the allegation that the working miners have been cut from 55 to 45 cents per ton, and that they are now working at the 45-cent rate. Of course, the report is a lie, and it is a

very clumsy lie at that, for the same fellows that are circulating it are also telling that the operators are about to recognize the union and grant the demands thereof. A more clumsy or ridiculous lie never was circulated. If the union miners have the strike about won, as some of them allege, it would be strange indeed that the companies would be able to reduce their large present working force from a 55 to a 45-cent rate without even a protest from the many miners now working. If that were the case, as some of the strikers allege it is, the union would be just 10 cents further away from a settlement than at any former stage of the game, unless the union is contending for a 45-cent rate instead of the district scale price. Thus it will be seen by all men who have horse sense, or even good mule sense, that the 45-cent lie proves the allegation that the strikers have the strike about won, to be even a greater lie. The strike is won long ago (by the companies) and whether April 1st, 1905, will bring a raise or a reduction in wages, the union will have nothing to do with the change. The union is licked clean out of its boots, and we believe it is licked to stay licked, so far as this region is concerned. We predict that all men who get work in this region from this time forward, must go to work as individuals. And we believe it will be to the advantage of the miners to work as individuals. The union has been a curse to the region, and especially to the miners who have been blindly following the dictates of unprincipled labor grafters from other states. Honestly now, are there not just a whole lot of fellows in this region that would be many dollars and cents ahead if they would have never known the union?

AN EMERGENCY MEDICINE.

For sprains, bruises, burns, scalds and similar injuries, there is nothing so good as Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It soothes the wound and not only gives instant relief from pain, but causes the parts to heal in about one third the time required by the usual treatment. Sold by E. H. Miller. 1-1

TOM WATSON'S ADVICE.

Tom Watson, a one-time tail to the Bryan kite, and recently the Populist candidate for President, is no longer a Democrat, no matter what his former affiliations may have been.

He declares that the Democratic party is without a definite policy, devoid of a leader, bankrupt in reputation, lacking in unity; that its secret purpose is to foster and protect the trusts, and therein to deceive the people. He predicts that Bryan will be the Democratic candidate in 1908, and that he will be a worse beaten man than Parker.

Watson speaks much that is true, and he makes a strong appeal to the South to break away from a party that is wholly powerless and purely sectional, and no longer be the "political slave of a handful of Eastern capitalists."

The Democracy of the South is the Democracy of tradition and not of common sense. The war is over. The Republicans of the North harbor no ill feelings against the brethren of the South, but are willing to help them, and they are in position to do it. The South should follow Tom Watson's advice and change its politics, but instead of becoming Populists, the Southern people should become Republicans.—Connellsville Courier.

A COSTLY MISTAKE.

Blunders are sometimes very expensive. Occasionally life itself is the price of a mistake, but you'll never be wrong if you take Dr. King's New Life Pills for Dyspepsia, Dizziness, Headache, Liver or Bowel troubles. They are gentle yet thorough. 25c, at E. H. Miller's Drug Store. 1-1

A Pointer for H. H. Reitz.

Although this is their busiest season of the year, H. Malin & Son, who conduct the cider mill at Hydetown, still take time these days to get out their pencil and paper and attempt to figure out just how much money they have spent needlessly in the past few years. This line of thought has been superinduced by the fact that about one week ago the supply of coal at the mill was running short, and the experiment was tried of using apple pomace in the furnace. The experiment worked like a charm, and the fuel now consists of four parts pomace to one part of coal. Pomace is the refuse of the cider grindings and heretofore has been considered a nuisance, the manufacturers being glad to dispose of it in any way. They couldn't be induced to part with it now.—Titusville Courier.

ANOTHER TROLLEY COMPANY.

Two Companies Now Incorporated to Build Line to Mount Savage.

A certificate of incorporation was last week granted a company to operate a passenger railway from Cumberland to Mount Savage, from Corriganville to Ellerslie, and from Barreilville to the Pennsylvania state line, a distance of less than 12 miles in length. The capital stock is \$50,000. The incorporators and directors are George Clinton Uhl, Mount Savage; Dr. William Oliver McLane, Frostburg; John Henry Holzshu, James A. McHenry and Charles G. Holzshu. It is understood that it will cost about \$150,000 to build the proposed line. James A. McHenry and J. Henry Holzshu are officials of the Cumberland Electric Railway. The new company, is a rival of the Mount Savage and Cumberland Railway Company, incorporated last January by James Findley and Henry Mullaney, of Mount Savage; William A. Morgart, Warren C. White and Lindley P. Bane, of Cumberland. The latter company had an engineer over the route, but has done nothing since. It will be necessary to obtain a franchise for the use of the county roads from the county commissioners.—Frostburg Herald.

GRIP QUICKLY KNOCKED OUT.

"Some weeks ago during the severe winter weather both my wife and myself contracted severe colds which speedily developed into the worst kind of la grippe with all its miserable symptoms," says Mr. J. S. Egleston of Maple Landing, Iowa. "Knees and joints aching, muscles sore, head stopped up, eyes and nose running, with alternate spells of chills and fever. We began using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, aiding the same with a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, and by its liberal use soon completely knocked out the grip." These Tablets promote a healthy action of the bowels, liver and kidneys which is always beneficial when the system is congested by a cold or attack of the grip. For sale by E. H. Miller. 1-1

Rapid Advancement of Two Able and Excellent Young Men.

We are much pleased to note that J. C. Brydon, general superintendent of the Somerset Coal Company, has recently been appointed general superintendent of the Consolidation Coal Company. This does not mean that Mr. Brydon has severed his connection with the first named company, but it means that he is now the general superintendent of both the Somerset and the Consolidation. His compensation will consist of a salary of \$10,000 a year and a handsome residence in Frostburg, Md., for his official home. His time will be about equally divided between Somerset and Frostburg.

F. R. Lyon, another popular and brainy man connected with the Somerset Coal Company, has also been promoted, and he is now assistant general superintendent of the two aforesaid gigantic concerns. His salary corresponds to the very responsible position he holds, and we congratulate Messrs. Brydon and Lyon on their rapid and merited advancement.

Both gentlemen are yet quite young men, but they have executive ability of a high order, and that quality coupled with energy, honesty and the most gentlemanly bearing, has placed them where they are, and the companies employing them are very fortunate in securing their able services.

She Took It Back.

I.
She went to the store
And bought a little sack;
The thing didn't suit,
And so she took it back.

II.
The next one was blue—
She thought she wanted black;
She really thought she did,
And so she took it back.

III.
And so she took it back.

IV.
And so she took it back.

V.
And so she took it back.

VI.
And so she took it back.

—Cleveland Leader.

A FRIGHTENED HORSE.

Running like mad down the street dumping the occupants, or a hundred other accidents, are every day occurrences. It behooves everybody to have a reliable Salve handy and there's none as good as Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Burns, Cuts, Sores, Eczema and Piles, disappear quickly under its soothing effect. 25c, at E. H. Miller's Drug Store. 1-1

FARMERS' INSTITUTE.

Following is the program for the Sixteenth Annual Farmers' Institute of Somerset county, to be held at Somerset, December 19, 20 and 21, 1904:

Monday, Dec. 19, 1:30 p. m.—Opening exercises; Economical feeding of farm stock, Prof. Wells W. Cook, Washington, D. C.; Lime, do you need it? Hon. T. J. Phillips, Atglen, Chester county, Pa.; Farmers' Mutual Fire Protection of Somerset county, A. J. Boose, Meyersdale.

Monday evening, 7 o'clock—Queries; Clover and its place on the farm, F. J. Wagner, Harrison City, Westmoreland county, Pa.; A comparison of the past and present farming, P. E. Weimer, Rockwood, Pa.; Recitation, Miss Ruth Glessner, Somerset; The effect of feed on the quality and quantity of milk, Prof. Wells W. Cook.

Tuesday, 9 a. m.—Opening exercises; Queries; The chicken a source of profit, Hon. T. J. Phillips; Theory and practice of draining, Samuel Saylor, Somerset; Potato culture, Wm. J. R. Hay, Lavansville; Soils and soil making, E. J. Wagner.

Tuesday, 1:30 p. m.—Queries; Rural Telephones, Peter Miller, Somerset; Clover in crop rotation, N. B. Critchfield, Secretary of Agriculture, Harrisburg; Feeding from silo throughout the year, Wells W. Cook.

Tuesday, 7 p. m.—Recitation, Miss Annie Ross, Friedens; The importance of good reading for the farmer and his family, Miss Sadie Critchfield, Critchfield; Recitation, Vida Stella Miller, Friedens; The inside of the farmer's home, Miss Flora Tipton, Glen Savage; The farmer should be a business man, T. J. Phillips.

Wednesday, 9 a. m.—Opening exercises; Queries; Cream separators, F. J. Wagner; Education for farmers' boys and girls, Prof. D. W. Seibert, Somerset; The horse, breeding and training, Peter Dumbauld, Lavansville.

Wednesday, 1:30 p. m.—Queries; Lime or commercial fertilizer? P. K. Moore, Trent; Breeding, feeding and profit in hogs, David Weller, Somerset; Roads and road taxes, Wm. P. Hay, Lavansville. The program will be interspersed with music.

A PLEASANT PILL.

No Pill is as pleasant and positive as DeWitt's Little Early Risers. DeWitt's Little Early Risers are so mild and effective that children, delicate ladies and weak people enjoy their cleansing effect, while strong people say they are the best liver pills sold. Sold by E. H. Miller. 1-1

Two from the Meyersdale Republican.

Jacob Lowry, of Coal Run, who is a striker and a member of the union, assaulted Enoch Fosle, who is working, on Wednesday evening of last week on Salisbury street, near the home of Dr. McKinley. He was arraigned before Squire Hay, who required of him bond in the sum of \$500, to answer to the charges preferred against him at the coming term of court. Samuel Mason, the merchant at Coal Run, went on defendant's bond.

While guiding a party of Pittsburg hunters through the woods, Samuel Albright, of Greenville township, aged 45 years, was accidentally shot by one of the city gunners, who neglected or refused to give his name, Tuesday afternoon. The charge of shot literally tore away the tendons and muscles of the calf of the left leg. A party of hunters from this city, among them Paul H. Gross, of the City Drug Store, happened along and heard the screams of the wounded man, and the well known druggist, being somewhat handy in cases of emergency, had the unfortunate man removed to a nearby house, where, with such means as he had at hand, dressed the wound temporarily until a physician could be summoned. At last accounts the wounded man is resting as well as can be expected under the circumstances.

BEWARE OF COUNTERFEITS.

"DeWitt's is the only genuine Witch Hazel Salve" writes J. L. Tucker, of Centre, Ala. "I have used it in my family for Piles, Cuts and Burns for years and can recommend it to be the best Salve on the market. Every family should keep it, as it is an invaluable household remedy, and should always be kept on hand for immediate use." Mrs. Samuel Gage, of North Bush, N. Y., says: "I had a fever sore on my ankle for twelve years that the doctors could not cure. All salves and blood remedies proved worthless. I could not walk for over two years. Finally I was persuaded to try DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, which has completely cured me. It is a wonderful relief." DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cures without leaving a scar. Sold by E. H. Miller. 1-1