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LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

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

Miss Carrie Johnston went to Gibbons Glade, Fayette county, Pa., yesterday, to visit the family of Rev. S. M. Baumgardner.

Ellet Smith, formerly of Salisbury, but now of Pittsburg, will leave that city tomorrow, with several friends, for a six-weeks tour of the Pacific coast states.

For young and old the best pill sold is Dr. Dade's Little Liver Pills. Never gripe, never fail to cleanse the system and tone the liver. Sold by Elk Lick Supply Co. 9-1

On Tuesday Rev. E. S. Johnston, Edward Haselbarth, Miss Annie Haselbarth and Miss Salome Martin went to Friedens to attend a Sunday school convention.

Thomas, a son of Lawrence Fallon, of West Salisbury, was badly hurt by a fall of roof in Tub Mill mine, one day last week. One of his legs was caught and badly crushed.

On Thursday, July 27th, a grand rally of the Methodists of Somerset county will be held at Rockwood. It will no doubt be a great day for Brother Overacker, but Editor Henry P. Snyder, of the Connellsville Courier, had better keep away.

The most pleasant and positive cure for indigestion, heartburn and all stomach troubles is Ring's Dyspepsia Tablets. They aid digestion, tone and strengthen the stomach. Sold by Elk Lick Supply Co. 9-1

A western newspaper offered a prize for the best answer to the conundrum: "Why is a newspaper like a woman?" The prize was won by a lady in Oklahoma, who sent in the following answer: "Because every man should have one of his own and not run after his neighbor's."

One dose of Pineules taken at bedtime will entirely relieve the most obstinate case of backache before morning. Pineules is a certain cure for all kidney and bladder troubles. Sold by Elk Lick Supply Co. 9-1

"Junk" Harding, a West Salisbury young man who is well known through his mania for hunting trouble, run against a "snag," recently, in the George's Creek mining region. He had an altercation with another young man, and the other fellow fired a bullet into his body, the ball entering the breast and taking a downward course. "Junk" is in the Cumberland hospital, and the bullet is still in his body. His condition is critical, but the only wonder is that somebody hasn't killed him long ago.

Pineules contain the alterative and diuretic properties found in the native pine. A certain cure for all liver, kidney and bladder diseases. A single dose of Pineules will relieve the worst case of backache in one night. Sole by Elk Lick Supply Co. 9-1

Our Catholic friends have bills out for a nice picnic and 4th of July celebration to be held on the church grounds at West Salisbury. Rev. Father Looney, of Meyersdale, will deliver a patriotic address, and there will also be base ball games, dancing and the usual picnic sports and refreshments. It promises to be a pleasant affair, and those who are looking for a nice time on the 4th, devoid of drunkenness and rowdiness, can not go to a better place than the picnic billed by St. Michael's congregation.

The most wonderful cure for piles is Manzan, put up in collapsible tubes with nozzle attached. It reaches the spot, stops pain instantly, and cures all kinds of blind, bleeding, itching or protruding piles. Sold by Elk Lick Supply Co. 9-1

Pinealve contains the antiseptic properties of the native pine, and is a sure cure for sunburn, tan, tetter, eczema and all other skin diseases. Heals a sore, cut or burn without a scar. Sold by Elk Lick Supply Co. 9-1

Our little daughter Minnie, a pupil of the Edgewood Park school for the deaf, at Pittsburg, was brought home yesterday for her vacation. The little tot was very glad to greet the loved ones at home, but she wept bitterly when she found her mother and one of her sisters very sick abed. Little Minnie made phenomenal progress in her studies during the term just closed, and her ability in writing, reading, etc., as well as her ability to read conversation from the lips of others, is truly remarkable for a child of seven years.

The original is always the best—imitations are cheap. Bee's Laxative Honey and Tar is the original Laxative Cough Syrup. It is different from all others—it is better than all others—it is better than all others, because it cures all coughs and colds and leaves the system stronger than before. The letter B in red is on every package. Sold by Elk Lick Supply Co. 9-1

"Dr." Charles Hill, the long-haired medicine man who made Somerset his headquarters for some years, was arrested on a serious charge at Dunbar, Pa., recently, and committed to the Uniontown jail until some one furnished bail for his appearance at court. The "doctor" and his band of entertainers were giving nightly free exhibitions at Dunbar to attract audiences to whom he sold his medical preparations. It is alleged that Hill enticed a seventeen-year-old girl into his tent and brutally assaulted her. The defendant will be given a hearing at Dunbar on July 19th.

If in a kind of bilious mood, You wish an aid to digest food, No other pill is half so good, As DeWitt's Little Early Risers.

The Famous Little Pills Early Risers cure Constipation, Sick Headache, Biliousness, etc. They never gripe or sicken, but impart early rising energy. Good for children or adults. Sold by E. H. Miller. 7-1

The borough school board hired Miss Janet McKinley, last Saturday evening, as principal of our schools for the coming term. There were other applicants, but Miss McKinley received nearly the unanimous vote of the board. She is a most excellent teacher, but most of our citizens doubt the propriety of hiring a female teacher for principal. The chances are that we will this year have a full corps of female teachers in the borough schools, and most people think at least two able-bodied male teachers should be employed. That is our opinion, too, but we are willing to give the "gals" a chance before condemning the scheme. But there should by all means be seven teachers instead of six employed, this year, as some of the primary rooms are too badly crowded for the teachers to do justice to their pupils.

All old-time cough syrups were designed to treat throat, lung and bronchial affections without due regard for the stomach and bowels, hence most of them produce constipation. Bee's, the original Laxative Honey and Tar, gently moves the bowels and cures all coughs, colds, croup, etc. Bee's Laxative Honey and Tar is the original Laxative Cough Syrup. Look for the letter B in red on every package. Sold by Elk Lick Supply Co. 9-1

The dog ordinance which is published in this issue of THE STAR is welcomed by a great majority of the best people in this town. Of course, as was expected, many of the dog owners are setting up a great howl about it, and some of them declare that the ordinance is illegal, that they will ignore it, that the additional tax can't be collected, etc. Gentlemen, be not deceived. The ordinance is legal, as you will soon learn if you ignore it. You will either have to pay the additional tax and have your dogs registered and tagged, or else allow the canines to pay the penalty with their lives. The latter policy would be the best, as there isn't a dog in this whole town that is worth 25 cents to its owner. Don't howl and growl about a poor man's right to keep a dog. The trouble is the owners of dogs seldom keep them on their own premises, but allow them to trespass upon and annoy their neighbors and the public with impunity.

Pay was Record-Breaker. The Berwind-White Company's pay, last Saturday, was a record-breaker, considerably over \$100,000 being paid the miners. The mines are running full time, and the prospects are flattering indeed for a good summer's business. The tonnage, doubtless, will exceed any previous corresponding month.—Windber Era.

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Virtue Rewarded.

A certain well known newspaper man of Lonaconing sent a suit of clothes to our local tailor to be cleaned. The tailor went through the pockets and found a dollar and fifteen cents, a door key and three beer checks. The tailor was overcome at sight of the treasure, and as soon as he recovered from the shock put the wealth into an envelope and returned it to the newspaper man. The latter burst into tears, and, taking the tailor in his arms, exclaimed, "Friend, you have saved me. That money was my reserve fund and my surplus; had I lost it there would have been no dividends this year." And presenting the tailor with the three beer checks, he said, "Brother, virtue is its own reward; take these checks, but don't spend them foolishly."—Lonaconing Star.

DYING OF FAMINE

is, in its torments, like dying of consumption. The progress of consumption, from the beginning to the very end, is a long torture, both to victim and friends. "When I had consumption in its first stage," writes Wm. Myers, of Cearfoss, Md., "after trying different medicines and a good doctor, in vain, I at last took Dr. King's New Discovery, which quickly and perfectly cured me." Prompt relief and sure cure for coughs, colds, sore throat, bronchitis, etc. Positively prevents pneumonia. Guaranteed at E. H. Miller's drug store, price 50c. and \$1.00 a bottle. Trial bottle free. 7-1

Two from the Berlin Record.

A Meyersdale young lady was visiting some friends in the country, recently, and seeing a cow with a bell on her neck, asked: "Is that bell for the cow to ring so the little calfie will know when dinner is ready?"

Surveyor A. E. Rayman, of Somerset, was a visitor in town on Tuesday, and called to pay his respects to this paper. In speaking of the Lincoln Oil and Gas Company's operations, he says the company is confident that it will yet find oil and gas, and that it is arranging to put down another well, not being discouraged over the fact that the second one bored proved to be a "duster." He claims that the gas supply from the well put down about a year ago is in no wise diminishing, but growing stronger, and that there is enough gas going to waste to supply heat and light to a town larger than Berlin.

HUGE TASK.

It was a huge task to undertake the cure of such a bad case of kidney disease, as that of C. F. Collier, of Cherokee, Ia., but Electric Bitters did it. He writes: "My kidneys were so far gone, I could not sit on a chair without a cushion; and suffered from dreadful backache, headache, and depression. In Electric Bitters, however, I found a cure, and by them was restored to perfect health. I recommend this great tonic medicine to all with weak kidneys, liver or stomach. Guaranteed by E. H. Miller, druggist; price 50c. 7-1

Salisbury Young Lady Graduates With High Honor from Chicago Musical College.

Miss Della Brown, one of Salisbury's best natural musicians, graduated this month, with high honors, from the Chicago Musical College, where she had been a student for the past two years. The institution named is the largest musical college in the world, and has, as teachers, some of the world's greatest artists.

Miss Brown appeared in the recital work in Chicago and received great praise and applause. She belonged to the Musical Extension Club and appeared on the club's programs a number of times. She has been asked to return next year and give a recital for the club.

Miss Brown returned to her home in Salisbury, last Saturday, where she will remain several months and take piano pupils in theory, harmony, composition and science of music. She should be given a liberal patronage, as she is a pianist and instructor of fine ability.

Pupils Must be Taught to be Kind to Brutes and Birds.

From this time, teachers in the public schools shall spend at least half an hour in each week, instructing their pupils to be kind to animals and birds. The act says that a system of humane education which shall include kind treatment of birds and animals, shall be included in the branches of study now required by law to be taught in the common schools; such instructions to be given all pupils, up to and including the fourth grade of the public schools of the Commonwealth, and to consist of not more than half an hour each week, during the term of school that no experiment upon any living creature, to demonstrate in physiology, shall be permitted in any public schools in the state, and that the principal or teacher in every school shall certify, in each of his or her monthly reports to school board, that such instruction has been given in the school under his or her control.

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