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LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

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

Make good New Year resolutions, then live up to them.

Mrs. E. E. Haselbarth is this week being visited by her sister, Miss Miller, of Friedens, Pa.

Colonel James Stirratt has been re-employed as Superintendent of the Merchants Coal Company's works at Berwells.

Pinesolve is the best Salve for sores, burns, boils, tetter, eczema, skin diseases and piles. Sold by Elk Lick Pharmacy. 3-1

Ed Reitz, Howard and Ross Livengood are three Salisbury boys now in Los Angeles, Cal. How long they will remain THE STAR cannot say.

We wish all our readers, especially those who pay their subscriptions promptly, all manner of happiness and prosperity during the year 1906.

Quite a number of Salisbury Free Masons attended a big masonic banquet in Meyersdale, last night. Most of them were accompanied by their wives.

The reason Dr. Dade's Little Liver Pills give perfect satisfaction is due to their tonic effect on the liver. They never gripe. Sold by Elk Lick Pharmacy. 3-1

The Stoyestown Borough Council has granted a 30-year franchise to Edward Smith, a citizen of that town, who intends to put in a system of water works.

If you were fool enough to get drunk on Christmas, be wise enough to remain sober on New Year's Day. "A drunken man's joy is a sober man's sorrow."

The season of Indigestion is now at hand. Ring's Dyspepsia Tablets relieve indigestion, and correct all stomach disorders. Sold by Elk Lick Pharmacy. 3-1

Scott Hartline came up from Cumberland, Md., a day or two ago to visit his father, Rufus Hartline, who has been suffering intensely with asthma during the past few days.

Chief of Police J. E. Joy, of Somerset, is at his home in this place to recuperate his health. He has been ailing for some time, but expects to resume his official duties by next week.

The children's jubilee of good health follows the use of Bee's Laxative Honey and Tar, the cough syrup that expels all cold from the system by acting as a cathartic on the bowels. A certain remedy for Croup, Whooping Cough and all lung and bronchial affections. Sold by Elk Lick Pharmacy. 3-1

Mrs. Leora Nutt, the only daughter of Valentine Hay, Esq., of Somerset, was granted a divorce from her husband, at Cleveland, Ohio, last Thursday. The couple had been living apart for about a year.

Any one suffering from Kidney pains, backache, bladder trouble or rheumatism who will take a dose of Pineules upon retiring at night shall be relieved before morning. Sold by Elk Lick Pharmacy. 3-1

Miss Marion Couperthwaite, a teacher employed in the Windber schools, is this week the guest of the Misses Edith and Almyra Lichter. They were all students together at the Lock Haven State Normal.

A justice of the peace in one of the districts of this county recently found a defendant guilty of "hunting on Sunday with a gun and a dog dressed in a yellow hunting suit with brass buttons."—Somerset Standard.

WANTED! 10 men in each state to travel, post signs, advertise and leave samples of our goods. Salary \$75.00 per month; \$3.00 per day for expenses. ROYAL SUPPLY CO.; Dept. W, Atlas Block, Chicago. 3-19

James W. Beal came home from Pittsburg to spend Christmas. He is still a fireman on the Pennsylvania railroad, but expects to be an engineer in the near future. James is a first rate fellow and a good, trusty railroad man.

Franklin Friedline, one of the pioneer residents of Somerset borough, and for many years one of the county's leading carpenters and contractors, died on Tuesday last, aged nearly 75 years. He was well known in Salisbury.

Miss Sadie Smith and Miss Susie Cochrane spent Christmas with the home folks. Miss Smith is a student of the State Normal at California, Pa., and Miss Cochrane a student of the Central Commercial College of Cumberland, Md.

The McClure boys, Samuel, William and James, all came home to spend Christmas. William and James are still students of the Pennsylvania College, at Gettysburg, and Samuel is still holding down a good position at Buffalo, N. Y.

Our esteemed friend Rev. A. K. Travis, who is now located at Addison, Pa., sends THE STAR family his best wishes for the year 1906. We thank you very much, Mr. Travis, and we trust that you may also have a happy and prosperous year.

A shirt in a laundry at Parsons, Kan., went through the cleansing process last week with two diamond studs in the bosom, and the owner got back both of them, says a western exchange. That is certainly a most remarkable shirt tale.—Greensburg Argus.

The ordinance against coasting and skating on the sidewalks should be better observed. We know of two ladies that hurt themselves quite badly by falling on a sidewalk, several days ago, which had been rendered very slippery by the skating and coasting of boys and girls.

You can see his sunny smile, you can see him grin a mile, and he's happy all the while, and so calm! That 'ere 'leven pound boy fills his leaping heart with joy, and cares no more annoy "Blacksmith Sam." Born last Thursday morning, to Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Livengood, an 11-pound boy.

Blind, bleeding, itching and protruding piles are instantly relieved by Manzan. This remedy is put up in collapsible tubes with nozzle attachment, so that the medicine may be applied inside directly where the trouble originates. Manzan relieves instantly. Sold by Elk Lick Pharmacy. 3-1

Frank Thomas, who resides about a mile south of town, has purchased the Schramm restaurant, grocery and billiard business. He will take possession on New Year's Day. Some money can be made with that place if it is rightly conducted on a cash basis, and we wish Frank much success in his new venture. He is a very excellent man—honest, upright, generous and manly.

Mr. John J. Biser, of Frederick, Md., arrived here last Saturday for a visit with his nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. George Biser. "Uncle John," as he is called here by all the many warm friends who made his acquaintance during former visits, is a very genial and popular bachelor, and even some of the fairest of our fair sex are delighted when he makes our town a visit.

The mission of "Early Risers" is to clear the way and give Nature full sway. These famous little pills rid the stomach and bowels of all putrid matter, thus removing the causes of headache, constipation, sallow complexion, etc. DeWitt's Little Early Risers never gripe or sicken. A safe, pleasant, perfect pill. Sold by E. H. Miltner. 1-1

Landlord Frank Daugherty, of Riverview Inn, Ursina, Pa., has THE STAR's thanks for a handsome calendar depicting "The Spirit of '76," a well known battle scene of the American Revolution. Now, if Frank had only sent a quart or two of his best along with the calendar, we might be able to tell something of the sprits of the Riverview Inn. The Pittsburgh Bank for Savings also has our thanks for a fine calendar.

It is a sin to suffer with backache and pains over the Kidneys, when a single dose of Pineules will give relief in one night. Suffering women should heed these warnings ere it is too late. Female troubles may result. Pineules will strengthen the Kidneys and bladder, cleanse the blood and relieve the aches and pains of Neuralgia and Rheumatism. Sold by Elk Lick Pharmacy. 3-1

Yommer Bros., (Louis and Daniel) of Garrett county, Md., recently erected a log slide about a mile long, near their sawmill, which is located at the foot of Meadow Mountain, about one mile from Jennings, and they can now send logs down the mountain about as quick as if they were shot out of a huge gun. They own 236 acres of very fine timber, and their mill has a cutting capacity of about 12,000 feet per day. They sell all their lumber to Jennings Bros.

Beginning at 8 o'clock a. m., Thursday, Jan. 11th, 1906, the personal property of the late Abraham J. Folk will be sold at public sale, at his late place of residence, about one mile from Savage postoffice, in Elk Lick township. It will be a very large sale, and it ought to draw an immense crowd. Horses, cattle, sheep, hogs, grain, potatoes, hay, straw, farming implements, household goods and many other articles will be sold. Much of the property is very desirable.

A great many of our subscribers promised to remember THE STAR with some cash on or before Christmas, and while some of them made their promises good, quite a number of others failed to do so. We hope those who failed to do so will "duff up" on or before New Year's Day. It's never too late to do good, and a promise is only a disappointment when not fulfilled. Some of our subscribers who made no promises treated us much better than some of those who did.

Now is the time to guard the health and strength of the lungs. The best remedy to use for coughs and colds is Bee's Laxative Honey and Tar. The only cough syrup that does not constipate the bowels, but which on the other hand, expels all cold from the system by acting as a pleasant laxative. Best for coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough, etc. Sold by Elk Lick Pharmacy. 3-1

W. S. Easton, who has been in various parts of the south, most of the time in Georgia and Tennessee, since early last spring, returned home the day before Christmas. He had been holding a lucrative and responsible position with a New York drill company, but has resigned on account of being kept away from his family for such long periods. Walter is a handy man to have in any community, and we hope to see him find profitable employment here at home, and remain. James, his brother, is still with the drill company.

If a town does not reach after the trade, it will come only as fast as it has to; but if the merchants go after the business in the surrounding country, advertising in every possible way and make good every word of their advertising, trade will come from an increasing radius, the town will gain a reputation for being awake, and it will forge to the front. It is the men in the town, and not altogether the men living within a certain number of miles from it, that make a town a bustling business center or otherwise.—Ex.

A woman who is a great tale-bearer happened to hear one neighbor speak slightly of another, and immediately carried the words from the first to the second neighbor, claiming that she thought, as a friend, she ought to let the second neighbor know what the first was saying. But instead of thanking the tale-bearer, the lady said: "It makes no difference to me how many rotten eggs my neighbor has on her premises, but the person who carries the decayed hen fruit to my house and breaks it under my nose is my enemy." A sermon in a nutshell that some Salisbury women ought to profit by.

Jim Jay, a man of Jaspertown, was once a man quite wise; he marked a silver dollar and gave it all to Lize. She went to see the butcher, and she blew the dollar in, but 'twasn't long before the coin came rolling back to Jim. He took it to the merchant and bought a dress for Jane—before the week was over it came back to him again. He spent that coin in Jasper town full fifty times or more, but he always got it back again and spent it o'er and o'er; but when he sent the dollar off, unto a city store, 'twas gone for good, forever! and he never saw it more.

The piano recital given in the Reformed church, last Thursday evening, by Miss Della Brown, was highly appreciated by all who attended. Miss Brown is truly a fine player, and it is a shame that her audience was not larger. Of course, the date was a rather unfavorable one for the recital, owing to the fact that the Holiday shopping season was on, services were being held in some of the churches, and the weather was also unfavorable. Yet, many more people could have and should have attended the recital, for it was easily the equal of any musical treat ever given in Salisbury. Miss Brown is bound to make her mark in the musical world.

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Our Semi-Annual Terrific PRICE SLAUGHTER SALE

Which will appear in THE STAR shortly.

It will be an Eye-Opener.

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Mr. W. S. Lichty, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel J. Lichty, arrived here on Christmas evening to remain for an indefinite period. Wm. S. emigrated to Nebraska about 27 years ago, and this is his first visit to his native heath since his departure. At present he resides in or near Lincoln, the state capital, and makes frequent trips to Canada, being an agent for a Canadian land company, as we understand it, and a promoter of Canadian colonization. He represents a good scheme, and many former Somerset county farmers, and others throughout the western states, are pouring into Canada at a rapid rate. Wm. S. Lichty has always had a host of friends here, and it's the same wherever he has resided. He is a generous, open-handed, free-hearted man, and all his old acquaintances here are delighted to extend to him a hearty welcome after his long absence. He is looking exceedingly well and hearty, and we know he is enjoying his visit. He was one of the editor's friends in Carleton, Neb., and our latching string is always out for "Billy."

The Christmas trade in Salisbury was immense, this year, far greater than that of any other year in the town's history. Naturally our merchants are well pleased, but some of them complain that while the rush was on, Saturday evening, shoplifters got in their work to a most shameful degree. Especially was this the case at Hay's department store, over which hustling C. T. Hay presides as manager. While Mr. Hay and his force of nine clerks were busy waiting upon the army of customers on both the first and second floors, they could not watch thieves very closely, and the latter took advantage of the situation by stealing all sorts of wholesale. Some of the nimble-fingered ones were men, some women, and some children. Some of them are known, too, and it may be that they will be called upon to make satisfaction. Be that as it may, however, it will nevertheless be well for the shoplifters to let up on their rascally and contemptible business. Arrangements are being made to lay traps and have spotters on the trail of suspected and well known thieves. Some of them will sooner or later come to grief. A certain well known meat thief had also better be on his guard and mend his ways.

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