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The Frostburg Mining Journal says there are two good things about the editor of this paper. One of them, he says, is the last syllable of our name. Now, with Editor Oder, of the Journal, matters are different. There's usually an Oder about his office that some people consider good, and others consider bad. Anyway, we've got the advantage of him, for no matter what people may think of us, or whether business is brisk or dull, we're always Livengood, just the same.

It will be noticed elsewhere in this paper that Mrs. Carrie Simpson, the negro murderer of Boswell, has escaped the rope. It is needless to review the horrible murder that she committed when she shot Miss Minnie Friedline, for our readers are already familiar with all the details. It is only necessary to say that in Mrs. Simpson's case the gallows has been cheated, the death of an innocent white girl unavenged, and altogether too much of the people's money and patience wasted on trying and delaying sentence on a bad "coon" that deserved being hanged higher than Haman long ago.

There is a lot of rot talk about the catalogue houses, among country merchants. If catalogue houses have been successful, it has been through advertising; and all the country merchants have to do to offset it and get the business is to do the same thing, and it's not necessary to print a catalogue, for they have their home papers, which go into every home and are read. This paper is read by an average of 5,000 people each week, and the paper does not meet the same fate as the circular. The people are not fooled any more, and the sooner the country merchant contracts for regular space the year around in the local paper, and makes it a part of his business and advertising his wares liberally, the sooner the catalogue houses will go out of business, and there is no other way to meet it successfully.—Cornell (Ill.) Journal.

Our at Bonner Springs, Kansas, they passed a law to separate the whites and blacks in the public schools, but the negroes refused to be separated, and forced their way into the white schools. The board then agreed to allow the blacks to occupy separate rooms in the same building, and employ the best of colored teachers, but they would not agree to that, either. They are determined on equality, and are raising quite a "stink." It is becoming more evident every day that the whites and blacks should be schooled separate. It was never intended that the two races should mingle to any great extent with one another, and the mania that many negroes have for wanting to force themselves into the society of the white people, will, if persisted in, eventually be their complete undoing. THE STAR does not believe in mistreating the negro, but it does believe in separate schools, separate churches, separate railway coaches, etc., for the two races.

New Primary Law.

Every voter in Pennsylvania is interested in the new primary law passed by the last Legislature. It is to go into effect Nov. 1 next. Primaries for all parties are to be held the same day, and are to be conducted by the regular election officers.

Only official ballots are to be used, each party having a separate ballot.

Costs of primaries are to be borne by the state.

Candidates for nominations may have their names placed on the ballots by petitions, the number of names required varying with different offices.

The people will vote direct for candidates and State delegates, and will have direct control of their political affairs.

DON'T GET THE HABIT.

Indigestion is much of a habit. Don't get the habit. Take a little Kodol Dyspepsia Cure after eating and you will quit belching, puffing, palpitating and frowning. Kodol Digests what you eat and makes the stomach sweet. Kodol is a thorough digestant and will afford relief from any disorder due to imperfect digestion or mal-assimilation of food. Sold by E. H. Miller. 4-1

The Campaign Barrel Limited.

A revision of the popular methods of campaigning is likely if the "anti-boodle" law passed by the Legislature is enforced. Candidates are obliged to file sworn statements of their expenses if they exceed \$50. These statements are to be open for the inspection of the public. Money expended by campaign committees must all go through the hands of a treasurer, and by him must be accounted for.

The law does not interfere with such election expenses as printing, advertising, telegraphing, telephoning, traveling expenses, employment of watchers at the polls, conveying voters to and from the polls, etc., but it does cut off treating to whisky, beer dinner tickets and other things, which are in effect a direct attempt at bribery. The sworn account must be filed within thirty days after election, and must be accompanied by vouchers for all sums expended in excess of \$10. The penalty for violation of the law is a fine of not less than \$50, nor more than \$1,000, or imprisonment of not less than one month, nor more than two years.

Jennings Syndicate Takes Over Somerset Street Railway.

Somerset, March 3.—The charter and franchises of the Somerset County Street Railroad Company were sold here Friday to a syndicate headed by C. H. Jennings, of Maryland, who a few weeks ago secured a franchise of the streets of Salisbury and Meyersdale for a proposed electric line between Cumberland, Md., and Johnstown, Pa. A number of Connellyville and Fayette county people were interested in the company.

The Somerset concern took out a charter two years ago for a proposed line from Paint Creek to Rockwood, paralleling the Somerset & Cambria branch of the Baltimore & Ohio. Geo. R. Scull and Wm. H. Ruppel, of Somerset, retain an interest in the Jennings syndicate.

THE RIGHT IDEA.

One would think the Laxative idea in a cough syrup should have been advanced long before it was. It seems the only rational remedy for Coughs and Colds would be to move the bowels and clean the mucous membranes of the throat and lungs at the same time. Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar does this. It is the Original Laxative Cough Syrup, the best known remedy for Coughs, Colds, Croup, Whooping Cough, etc. Tastes good and harmless. Sold by E. H. Miller. 4-1

THE TROLLEY.

Sensible Remarks Made on the Subject by an Exchange—Good Prospects for the Early Completion of the M. & S. Street Railway.

Rural trolley lines are being built in all parts of the country, and in every instance they are proving highly beneficial to the rural communities fortunate enough to be reached by them. An exchange very sensibly remarks that "if there is any talk about running a trolley line anywhere through the community where you reside, go forth and meet the projectors more than half way; give them the right of way across your land, and push the enterprise along, for it is the best thing which could possibly hit you. Some men whose eyes are set too close together don't do this, but hinder and hamper the work in every possible manner. The trolley line means full municipal privileges and opportunities for the country resident, wider and better markets, better schools and more of all that makes life worth living. Nearly every farmer appreciates the telephone and the rural mail systems, and the trolley road is the keystone to this improved type of country living."

The outlook for the Meyersdale & Salisbury street railway is most encouraging at this time. In fact the proposed line is regarded as an absolute certainty. There are those, of course, who have been trying to hamper and hinder it, and those who have been unreasonable in the matter of granting right of way. Some who would be greatly benefited by the road passing through their land have been so greedy that the road will likely give them the go-by and seek right of way with more liberal-minded and progressive people. In fact all the preliminary arrangements are rapidly being completed, and in a letter received from Mr. C. H. Jennings, several days ago, Mr. Jennings says:

"As regards building of the road, we are meeting with fairly good success in arranging the preliminary details, and I feel confident that we shall be able to begin work on the road by the time that the weather is suitable for the same. I can assure you in this regard, that from the moment work is begun, it will be pushed to a finish with all possible speed."

Mr. Jennings is the leading man in the company, and all persons doing business with him soon learn that he is a man of his word, every inch a gentleman, very fair in his dealings, etc. But he is no man for foolishness or bluff, and he always insists on the same honorable treatment from others that he is willing to extend to all who do business with him.

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The Easy Dupes of Doctorcraft Ought to Cut This Out and Paste It in Their Hats.

The New York Tribune is authority for the following on vaccination: "Three great epidemics of smallpox have occurred since the prevalence of vaccination, in England and Wales. In that of 1857-58-59, with vaccination assisted and recommended, there died of smallpox 14,244. In the epidemic of 1863-64-65, with an increase of population of 7 per cent and vaccination enforced by law, there died of smallpox 20,054, or an increase of nearly 30 per cent. In the epidemic of 1870-71-72, with vaccination for many years enforced with brutal energy, and an increase of population of only 10 per cent, there died of smallpox 44,840, or an increase of 120 per cent. In Bavaria, in the epidemic of 1871, there were 90,472 cases of smallpox, of which no less than 29,429 had been successfully vaccinated. In view of these facts it is not wondered at that Dr. Creighton, of England, terms vaccination a 'grotesque imposition,' and the national body of ecclesiastics officially condemns it."

A FRIEND THAT WAS A FRIEND.

Don't frown—look pleasant. If you are suffering from indigestion or sour stomach, take Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. Hon. Jake Moore, of Atlanta, Ga., says: "I suffered more than 20 years with indigestion. A friend recommended Kodol. It relieved me in one day and I now enjoy better health than for many years." Kodol digests what you eat, relieves sour stomach, gas on stomach, belching, etc. Sold by E. H. Miller. 4-1