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Keep the bowels regular with Ayer's Pills and thus hasten recovery.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

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

At last the ice men are happy, and during the past few days they have been very busy packing ice from five to six inches thick.

If you want a Business Education, attend the Meyersdale Commercial College, Meyersdale, Pa. It's The Best School. Catalogue Free.

Norman Keim returned from Medina county, Ohio, last week, where he went on a horse-buying expedition. He returned with seventeen very fine equines.

Preparatory services will be held in the Lutheran church, Friday evening, at 7 o'clock. Communion services Sunday, at 10:30 A. M. Rev. T. B. Roth, D. D., will preach Sunday evening. All are invited.

Piles get quick relief from Dr. Shoop's Magic Ointment. Remember it's made alone for Piles—and it works with certainty and satisfaction. Itching, painful, protruding, or blind piles disappear like magic by its use. Try it and see! Elk Lick Pharmacy. 2-1

Isn't it really inspiring to listen to a fellow pretty well dressed, and the clothes not paid for, although bought ten months ago, telling how this town ought to be run? asks the Carleton (Neb.) Leader.

Joe De Francesco, the Italian who murdered a fellow countryman at Coal Run, last August, had the death sentence passed upon him, last week. Governor Stuart has not yet fixed the date of his execution.

When the cold winds dry and crack the skin a box of salve can save much discomfort. In buying salve look for the name on the box to avoid any imitations, and be sure you get the original DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. Sold by E. H. Miller. 2-1

Governor Stuart has appointed the editor of this paper to the office of Notary Public. The appointment has been confirmed by the Senate, and the commission is for four years. We will be ready for business in a week or ten days.

J. Wesley Platt, a sixteen-year-old son of Fred Platt, of Berlin, is a full-fledged minister of the gospel. He recently preached to a large audience in the Brethren church, in Berlin, and those who heard the youth, pronounce him a good talker.

Mothers who give their children Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup invariably indorse it. Children like it because the taste is so pleasant. Contains Honey and Tar. It is the Original Laxative Cough Syrup and is unrivaled for the relief of croup. Drives the cold out through the bowels. Conforms to the National Pure Food and Drug Law. Sold by E. H. Miller. 2-1

Eighteen ladies and gentlemen constituted a jolly sleighing party that went to Grantsville, last night. Another party of forty-three, from Addison, also took in Grantsville, last night. All had a good time, of course, for old Grantsville is a hospitable town.

Clear up the complexion, cleanse the liver and tone the system. You can best do this by a dose or two of DeWitt's Little Early Risers. Safe, reliable little pills with a reputation. The pills that every one knows. Recommended by E. H. Miller. 2-1

In launching a newspaper in a southwestern state, the editor said in his salutatory: "It is up to you whether we wear diamonds or whether we eat icicles three times a day." Whenever an editor has that notion, it is a cinch that he will get the icicles.

WANTED—10 men in each state to travel, distribute samples of our goods and tack signs. Salary \$85.00 per month; \$3.00 per day for expenses. SAUNDERS CO., Department P. No. 46 Jackson Boulevard, Chicago, Ills. 3-28

Alonzo Chamberlain, the oldest man in Meyersdale, recently celebrated his 90th birthday anniversary. He is still quite a vigorous man, both mentally and physically, and THE STAR hopes he may live long enough to reach the century mark, and then some.

In a startled voice, Johnny suddenly asked, "Mamma, is that bay rum in the bottle on your table?" "Mercy! no, dear," she replied. "That is mullage." "Oh," said Johnny. Then after a moment's pause he added reflectively, "perhaps that's why I can't get my hat off."

"They like the taste as well as maple sugar," is what one mother wrote of Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup. This modern cough syrup is absolutely free from any opiate or narcotic. Contains Honey Tar. Conforms to the National Pure Food and Drug Law. Sold by E. H. Miller. 2-1

We have on file a very interesting communication from M. P. Lichty, of North Dakota, which will be published in our next issue. Mr. Lichty tells all about the rigorous winter in the Northwest, which seems to be a record-breaker, this year, and of the great suffering caused by a shortage of fuel, while trains are unable to get through, engines "die" on the road, etc.

Croup can positively be stopped in 20 minutes. No vomiting—nothing to sicken or distress your child. A sweet, pleasant, and safe Syrup, called Dr. Shoop's Croup Cure, does the work and does it quickly. Dr. Shoop's Croup Cure is for Croup alone, remember. It does not claim to cure a dozen ailments. It's for Croup, that's all. Sold by Elk Lick Pharmacy. 2-1

The old M. & S. and the P. & M. street railway companies have partly buried the hatchet, but the handle is still sticking out, and no one can tell when they will be in deadly combat with each other. But both companies have agreed not to interfere with each other in the matter of making surveys, and it is not likely that there will be any more arrests for trespassing.

Matsi Shope, Martin Kletz, Martin Samicola, Paul Durack and Pete Shinnock, Italians from Ralplton, were jailed on Friday on a charge of assault and battery with intent to kill. It is said the men made an attack upon John Wyland, one of the bosses at the Ralplton mine, and on William Plummer, an employe of the mine, doing them up pretty badly.—Somerset Standard.

To stop a Cold with "Preventics" is safer than to let it run and cure it afterwards. Taken at the "sneeze stage" Preventics will head off all colds and Grippe and perhaps save you from Pneumonia or Bronchitis. Preventics are little toothsome candy cold cure tablets selling in 5 cent and 25 cent boxes. If you are chilly, if you begin to sneeze, try Preventics. They will surely check the cold, and please you. Sold by Elk Lick Pharmacy. 2-1

The Somerset Standard offers a reward for the return of a stray Maltese tomat. Now, if that cat or any other cat belonged to us, the farther it would stray away the better it would suit us. If we had a pet rattlesnake, alligator, toad, or even an ordinary yellow dog (pug dog excepted), we might offer a reward for the return thereof, in case the animal strayed away, but for a cat, never. Scat!

Nearly every person who is subject to attacks from the stomach suffers from a morbid dread of a dietetic treatment for relief, that is three-fourths starvation, and one-fourth toast and milk. On the other hand you can eat as you please and digest the food by the aid of a good digestant, thus giving the tired stomach equally as much rest. Eat what you please and take a little Kodol For Indigestion after your meals. It digests what you eat. Sold by E. H. Miller. 2-1

Mr. David Lichty still has the distinction of paying for more subscriptions to THE STAR than any other person. On Tuesday he called around to pay his numerous subscriptions in advance, as has been his custom for years, and we are pleased to note that he reports his health first class. Mr. Lichty is now nearly 75 years old, and his wife is nearly 70. They are probably as hearty an old couple as we have in the town, and their years surely rest lightly upon them.

Lee F. Hoffman, the well known automobilist of Meyersdale, was sued by Demetrius Compton, last week, for damages in the sum of \$8,250. It will be remembered by our readers that Mr. Compton and his wife and child were all hurt in a run-away accident, last

fall, caused by their horse taking fright at Mr. Hoffman's automobile. Mr. Compton alleges that Hoffman did not take the precautions required by law to prevent accidents. The outcome of the suit will be watched with much interest.

Earl, the youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Engle, of Elk Lick township, was taken to the Memorial Hospital, Johnstown, Pa., yesterday evening, to be operated on for appendicitis. The little fellow had been suffering for several days, and the operation disclosed the fact that he had a well advanced case of appendicitis, and some of the smaller intestines were found to be twisted around the larger ones. The operation was made too late to save the boy's life, and he died this morning. Deceased was aged between five and six years.

If you are Constipated, dull, or bilious, or have a sallow lifeless complexion, try Lax-ets just once to see what they will do for you. Lax-ets are little toothsome Candy tablets—nice to eat, nice in effect. No griping, no pain. Just a gentle laxative effect that is pleasingly desirable. Handy for the vest pocket or purse. Lax-ets meet every desire. Lax-ets come to you in beautiful lithographed metal boxes at 5 cents and 25 cents. Sold by Elk Lick Pharmacy. 2-1

A Grant street husband, who had the habit of growling about everything from his meals to his laundry, looked up from his paper, Monday night, and grumbled sulkily: "Madam, I see where a Chicago man went from home, remained for thirty years and then returned and gave his wife \$5,000. If you don't do better you may find me doing the same thing some day!" The patient little wife looked up from her sewing and replied sweetly, "All right, but if you will only remain away the thirty years, you needn't trouble yourself about the \$5,000. The husband resumed his reading without continuing the conversation farther.

Food don't digest? Because the stomach lacks some one of the essential digestants or the digestive juices are not properly balanced. Then, too, it is this undigested food that causes sourness and painful indigestion. Kodol For Indigestion should be used for relief. Kodol is a solution of vegetable acids. It digests what you eat, and corrects the deficiencies of the digestion. Kodol conforms to the National Pure Food and Drug Law. Sold here by E. H. Miller. 2-1

We congratulate our friend John M. Wright on his legal victory over the B. & O. Railroad Company. Mr. Wright sued the company for refusing him cars to be loaded with coal from wagons, at a siding near his home, during the big anthracite strike. He won out in our County Court, being awarded damages in the sum of \$700 or thereabout. Then the railway people carried the case to the Superior Court, where Mr. Wright won again, after which an appeal was taken to the Supreme Court. The Supreme Court, however, turned down the appeal, and now we suppose the railroad people will come down with the cash. Mr. Wright, unlike some people discriminated against in the matter of cars, is not content to merely complain, but he goes after the discriminators in the proper way. More power to him.

Frank Phenecie, a Garrett hotel man, was recently sued by the guardian of Cora Flowers, daughter of Frank Flowers, deceased, for \$5,000. The same plaintiff, some time ago, also entered suit against Mrs. Elsie Reagan, who also conducts a hotel in Garrett, for the same amount. Frank Flowers, it is alleged in the plaintiff's statement, was a man of known temperate habits, and that notwithstanding the fact that the defendant had been notified to desist selling him intoxicants, Flowers procured liquor at Phenecie's bar, last October, and upon the suggestion of Phenecie boarded an excursion train to Somerset to attend a political meeting. Flowers did not catch the returning train, and the following morning was killed by a freight train on the Somerset & Cambria branch. It is alleged that the deceased earned seventy-five dollars per month.

Said a well known business man to us, the other day: "It would not hurt you to occasionally mention our business in your paper. It would help to fill up, you know." Yes, we might do it. We haven't the least idea on earth that it would hurt us, and it would, as he suggests, fill up. We might do all this, but at the same time we do not have to do it unless we feel like it. It would not hurt him, either, to come around and say: "Give me a column or a half column of space for an advertisement, and here is the money for it." By doing this he would become a deserter to that grand army of deadheads who expect the newspapers to continually note the improvements they make, by giving them free puffs, and for which they never pay a cent. It is high time for all classes to learn that a newspaper is a business enterprise, the same as a dry goods store or grocery, run for a living for its owner.—Lanark (Ill.) Gazette.

THE RIGHT NAME.
Mr. August Sherpe, the popular overseer of the poor, at Fort Madison, Ia., says: "Dr. King's New Life Pills are rightly named; they act more agreeably, do more good and make one feel better than any other laxative." Guaranteed to cure biliousness and constipation. 25c. at E. H. Miller's drug store. 2-1

1st NATIONAL FROSTBURG, MD. BANK

Capital stock... \$ 50,000.00
Surplus fund... 65,000.00
Deposits (over)... 990,000.00
Assets (over)... 1,088,000.00

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Our Great SPECIAL SALE Begins Thursday Jan. 10th.

20 Per Cent Reduction on all goods in our big store until further notice.

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C. T. HAY'S DEPARTMENT STORE.

Indigestion

Stomach trouble is but a symptom of, and not in itself a true disease. We think of Dyspepsia, Heartburn, and Indigestion as real diseases, yet they are symptoms only of a certain specific Nerve sickness—nothing else.

It was this fact that first correctly led Dr. Shoop in the creation of that now very popular Stomach Remedy—Dr. Shoop's Restorative. Going direct to the stomach nerves, alone brought that success and favor to Dr. Shoop and his Restorative. Without that original and highly vital principle, no such lasting accomplishments were ever to be had.

For stomach distress, bloating, biliousness, bad breath and sallow complexion, try Dr. Shoop's Restorative—Tablets or Liquid—and see for yourself what it can and will do. We sell and cheerfully recommend

Dr. Shoop's Restorative

ELK LICK PHARMACY.

ELECTION PROCLAMATION.

Whereas, a Petition of the taxpayers and qualified electors of Elk Lick Township, Somerset County, Pennsylvania, was presented to the Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace of said County, petitioning said Court to authorize the qualified electors of Elk Lick township to vote on February 19, 1907, to change or not to change the system of taxation for the public roads in said township as provided by an Act of Assembly, approved the 12th day of April, A. D. 1865, P. L. 12, etc.

That by a decree of said Court it is made the duty of the Road Supervisors of Elk Lick township, to issue an Election Proclamation that on the regular official ballot, for the Municipal Election for the Township of Elk Lick, to be held on the 19th day of February, A. D. 1907, after the list of candidates, there shall be printed in brief form and followed by the words, "yes" and "no," the question, "Shall the work tax levied and assessed for public roads in Elk Lick Township be abolished and the same be paid in cash?" The ballots to be so printed as to give each voter a clear opportunity to designate his choice of answer to the question by a cross mark (X) in a square of sufficient size at the right of the words "yes" and "no."

Therefore, We, Henry Opel, J. S. Stevanus and Ross Sechler, Road Supervisors of Elk Lick Township, do issue our Proclamation to the qualified electors of Elk Lick Township, Somerset County, Pennsylvania, requesting them to meet at their respective polling places for holding a General Election in said Township, on February 19th, A. D. 1907, (being the third Tuesday of said month) between the hours and in the mode and manner prescribed by law, to vote on the question, "shall the work tax levied and assessed for public roads in Elk Lick Township be abolished and the same be paid in cash?"

Given under our hands and official seals at Elk Lick Township, Somerset County, Pa., this 9th day of January, A. D. 1907.

HENRY OPEL, (seal)
J. S. STEVANUS, (seal)
ROSS SECHLER, (seal)
Supervisors of Elk Lick Twp.

PURE HOME GROUND CHOP!

That's what we are making a specialty of. We grind grain that is always pure and fresh—the very best grades of corn and oats that can be obtained. We always keep our chop clean and fresh. One sack will convince you that no Western feed equals our own home-ground feeds. Our prices are cheap, considering the quality of grain that we use.

Great Shirt Bargains!

We have on hand about 500 nice Dress Shirts that we are offering at sacrifice prices, some for less than cost. One-dollar Shirts, 75c. Fifty-cent Shirts, 40c.

Purest Groceries!

Our Groceries are of the purest and best, and we are sole agents for the famous Laurel Flour, on which we have built up a large trade. It is the flour that best meets the demand of the people. Once tried, always used. We also handle a good line of Every-Day Working Trousers and Gloves. We solicit your patronage and invite you to our store. We have come to stay, and we solicit a liberal share of your patronage.

West Salisbury Feed Co.

Cough keep you awake?

Our White Pine Cough Balsam with tar touches the tickle. It is very unwise to let it run on. Many times a cough is nothing more than a slight cold, and can be stopped by the use of our Pine Balsam.

This is just the season of the year when the cool, blustering wind and nipping air are making coughs and colds pretty fast. If you are one of the victims, you need something, and we have that something. We are pretty positive about that.

City Drug Store,

Paul H. Gross, Deutsche Apotheke, Meyersdale, Pa.

Use Beachy's Tonic Powder for horses and cattle. For sale at Lichliter's store.

Little Early Risers The famous little pills.
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