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The undersigned officers and directors of this company take the newspaper route of saying to its members or policy-holders, likewise to all other property owners who may read this communication, that, under the new management with the running expense account reduced to a minimum, and with Jonas M. Cook, of Somerset Borough, as Secretary, we are open for more business, both in the country and for scattered risks in towns of Somerset and adjoining counties, with confident expectation that you will save money by taking out insurance in a HOME COMPANY.

Yes, after two and one-half years of quite successful administration, we are pleased to state that all losses to date have been promptly met and cheerfully paid, and that our risks now in force aggregate about \$700,000, which, with continued cheerful effort on our part and your influence, should be doubled within the next year.

If in need of protection, why not call at the home office, No. 11 East Patriot street, Somerset, Pa., or mail a postal card to our Secretary, who will promptly give rates and name conditions based on our By-Laws.

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FALL TERM BEGINS
 September 1, 2 & 3. Send for catalogue
 THE TRI-STATE BUSINESS COLLEGE,
 Cumberland, Md.

Mrs. Mollie Shoemaker, who was born and reared in this locality, died in a hospital in Lincoln, Neb., recently, of cancer. Deceased was a daughter of the late Elder Jonathan Kelo. She survived by an invalid husband, M. and Mrs. Shoemaker were visitors here last fall, and at that time Mrs. Shoemaker was the picture of good health. Several years ago she was operated on for the removal of a cancer, which her friends hoped would be the end of her troubles from that source. She enjoyed good health for several years after the operation, when the malady again appeared in its worst form, proving fatal. Deceased was aged about 5 years. Her remains were interred at Carleton, Neb., where her two brothers, David and Edward reside.

It will probably be an item of news to most of our readers that our genial postmaster is not compelled to make change for you when you make purchases at Uncle Sam's office. This is a queer rule that not one in a thousand persons know. Buyers of stamps on any purchases at a postoffice must furnish their own change; i. e., the postmaster could insist on the buyer furnishing his own change if he saw fit to do it; but usually the postmaster is glad enough to get rid of his "chicken feed," and he is always ready and willing to accommodate the public by making all the change it asks for. If a man wishes to buy fifty cents worth of stamps, and has but a silver dollar, he would be compelled to buy a dollar worth of stamps or go and get his silver dollar changed, or do without his stamps, if the postmaster was stubborn and refused to make change for him. This is the law, and a queer one according to our way of thinking. An postmasters are not compelled to take more than twenty-five pennies at one time, if they do not want them.

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Mrs. M. M. Davison, of No. 379 Gifford Ave., San Jose, Cal., says: "The worth of Electric Bitters as a general family remedy, for headache, biliousness and torpor of the liver and bowels is so pronounced that I am prompted to say a word in its favor, for the benefit of those seeking relief from such afflictions. There is more health in the digestive organs in a bottle of Electric Bitters than in any other remedy I know of." Sold under guarantee at J. H. Miller's drug store. 50c. 9-1

Came Near Being a Double Murder.

What might have been a double murder occurred in the "Little Italy" section of the Somerset Coal Company's settlement at Shaw mines, two miles south of Meyersdale, at an early hour Monday morning. For some time a grudge has existed between Dominick Matchdol and Jim Stefano, and while engaged in drinking and card playing, a dispute arose between the two. The former drew a stiletto and began slashing the other about the sides and shoulders. The latter drew a gun and fired at him, the ball entering his assailant's breast just below the heart and lodging under the shoulder blade. Deputy Constable James Ritchie was summoned by telephone, but upon his arrival there, neither would inform upon the other, and were disposed to settle the matter between themselves. A physician removed the bullet from the wounded man's breast, and he, as well as the other, is getting along nicely. Both are known as "bad actors" and have frequently paid fines for misdemeanors in Meyersdale.

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