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LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

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

E. McDowell is on the sick list.

Mrs. I. S. Retchey, of Colorado, requests her name placed on THE STAR'S subscription list.

Mrs. Morgan Williams, of Johnstown, Pa., arrived here for a visit, last Saturday, and returned home today.

George Deal, a son of Charles H. Deal, is again able to be out after a long and severe siege of typhoid fever.

We regret to announce that Frank Murphy, one of our popular restaurant men, has been in quite poor health for some time.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Stotler, Ambrose Deal, Geo. Engle, Frank Newman and Victor Keim all took in the Hagers-town (Md.) fair, last week.

A brother of Mrs. C. B. Dickey was visiting the Dickey family last Saturday and Sunday. The visitor resides in Brothersvalley township.

Miss Annie Haselbarth, who had been visiting her sister, Mrs. F. J. Zobel, in Washington, D. C., during the past five or six weeks, returned here last Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Livengood went to Brownsville, Tuesday, to visit her sister, Mrs. J. T. Jeffery. She will go to Pittsburg before returning, to consult a specialist in regard to her health.

Harvey Tedrow and Frank Lung, who some time ago secured employment in the mines at Jerome, arrived here a few days ago for a visit. They report the coal trade brisk at Jerome.

If you are a sufferer from piles, Manzan Pile Remedy will bring relief with the first application. Guaranteed. Price 50c. Sold by Elk Lick Pharmacy. 12-1

Henry Smouse, one of the oldest and best known citizens of Grantsville, Md., died this week at the home of his son George, in Scottsdale, Pa. Deceased was the father of Mrs. Geo. Schramm, of this place.

Oscar Wagner, who is suffering with cancer, is also showing marked symptoms of typhoid fever, which his many friends deplore exceedingly. But with all his affliction, Oscar bears his misfortunes bravely.

Foley's Honey and Tar cures coughs quickly, strengthens the lungs and expels colds. Get the genuine in a yellow package. Elk Lick Pharmacy, E. H. Miller, proprietor. 11-1

Bishop C. G. Lint, of Meyersdale, is in a Pittsburg hospital, where he recently had a cataract removed from one of his eyes. His condition since the operation is very satisfactory, which is gratifying to his many friends.

We regret to announce that the condition of George Schramm, who for more than a year has been suffering with dropsy, is very serious. His recovery is regarded as impossible, and his death is hourly expected.

Bees Laxative Cough Syrup always brings quick relief to coughs, colds, hoarseness, whooping-cough and all bronchial and throat trouble. Mothers especially recommend it for children. Pleasant to take, gently laxative. Sold by Elk Lick Pharmacy. 12-1

Last Sunday evening the "Dunkard" people of this place observed the Holy Communion. Rev. P. J. Blough, of Hooversville, was in attendance and did some preaching here during the week prior to the communion.

Miss Marion Reese, who spent many long and weary months in a Pittsburg hospital, where she had to undergo a number of surgical operations, came home last Saturday, greatly improved in health. Miss Reese is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Reese.

An interesting meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held at the home of Mrs. Annie Emerick, Monday evening. A pleasing feature of the program was an address given by Mr. Albert Robinson, of Huntingdon, Pa. The report of the State Convention was read by the delegate.

Rev. P. D. Steelsmith, an eccentric character who preached for the United Evangelical church, in Salisbury, about 16 years ago, died last Friday morning at his home in Scottsdale, Pa. He was a very enthusiastic worker against Catholicism, and an extremist in almost everything he advocated.

To those afflicted with kidney and bladder trouble, backache, rheumatism, Pineules for the kidneys brings relief in the first dose. Hundreds of people today testify to their remarkable healing and tonic properties. 30 days' trial \$1.00. They purify the blood. Sold by Elk Lick Pharmacy. 12-1

We don't know what's getting wrong with the people. Conductor Chas. Newman of the P & M., got one of his fingers smashed, Motorman Wash. May shot himself in the hand, and a whole lot of other fellows have been getting about "half shot" about every day and night since politics is warming up.

Albert Robinson, who is still holding down a good position in the Pennsylvania railroad offices at Huntingdon, Pa., arrived here several days ago for a visit with his mother, Mrs. Geo. W. Robinson, and other relatives. Albert will cast his first vote this fall, and he says it will be for Taft. That will be a vote to be proud of, too.

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The wedding of Mr. Howard Baker and Miss Carrie Edith Folk is reported to this paper. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln Eolk, of Niverton, Pa., and the groom, if we are correctly informed, is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Baker, who reside near Niverton. The ceremony is said to have been performed by Rev. A. J. Rudisill, at the Berlin Lutheran parsonage, last Thursday afternoon.

Our new borough bastille was initiated today, when "Mont" Snyder and A. W. Phillippi were landed therein. With Snyder it was a case of drunk and disorderly, while Phillippi made the mistake to interfere with an officer in discharge of his duty. The question now arises, "In dishonor of whom shall the new lockup be named, Snyder or Phillippi?" THE STAR suggests the combination name of "Snydephilderpi Castle."

We had the pleasure of meeting Floyd Morrison, formerly of Niverton, but now of Philadelphia, while in Somerset, last Saturday. Mr. Morrison is now a commercial traveler, covering all the New England states, New York, Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Delaware. He says wherever he goes there seems to be a great preponderance of Taft sentiment, and in Mr. Morrison's opinion Taft's election is a foregone conclusion.

Geo. C. Biser, late manager of the Dull Mercantile Co.'s Salisbury store, is now holding down a good clerical position in Bedford, where he has located with his family. He asks to have THE STAR sent to his new address, encloses a few "plunks" to apply on subscription, and wants to be remembered to all his Salisbury friends. A little daughter has been added to the family circle of Mr. and Mrs. Biser, since they moved away from Salisbury.

Mr. Travis, this district's Democratic candidate for Congress, was circulating among the voters of this town and vicinity, yesterday. Unlike Mr. Likins, he carries sunshine and gentlemanly qualities with him, and like some other good men, he is a credit to his party; more, perhaps, than his party is to him. Mr. Travis is a very pleasant gentleman to converse with, to say the least, but realizes, of course, that he hasn't a ghost of a show to be elected.

Matthew Heinbaugh, of Illinois, is visiting friends in this county. Mr. Heinbaugh is a brother of Mrs. Jeremiah Folk. He was born and reared in the Turkeyfoot settlement, in this county, but went west, where he located many years ago. Like many other old-timers who went west in earlier times, he has found upon returning for a visit to his native health that many of his old-time acquaintances have crossed "the great divide."

Daniel S. Knee, an old and respected Civil War veteran who was well and favorably known by many of THE STAR'S readers, died at his home in Somerset, on the evening of the 13th inst. He was aged nearly 80 years. The following named aged residents of this county also died recently: Miss Mary Risinger, of Somerset, aged 91 years; Jacob Fleck, of Somerset, aged 71 years; Mrs. Isabella Miller, of near Stoystown, aged 80 years.

Henry Baker, of Grantsville, Md., was a business visitor at THE STAR office, Wednesday evening. He gave it as his opinion that local option will win out in the Grantsville district at the coming election, when the proposition will be voted on at that

district. Local option meetings have been arranged for throughout the district, which will be addressed by able speakers, and the hosts of hell and rum are beginning to see that the end of the damnable traffic they are supporting is drawing near. Let the good work go on.

Mrs. Herman Stahl, of Friedens, was the victim on Wednesday of a most peculiar accident, which came very near resulting fatally. John Dickey used a large caliber rifle to shoot a chicken near the Stahl home. The bullet struck a peach tree, glanced, went through the window of the Stahl home, struck Mrs. Stahl in the mouth, glanced from a tooth, emerged just below the left eye, and lodged in the ceiling of the room. Dr. Noon, of Listie, attended Mrs. Stahl, who is sixty-five years of age, and hopes are entertained for her recovery, says the Somerset Herald.

Geo. K. Walker, of Greensburg, Pa., has been visiting friends at Salisbury and Meyersdale during the past week. Mr. Walker was a resident of Salisbury from 1877 to 1898, conducting a general store most of the time, and was also engaged in the coal business here for a while. He has many friends here who were glad to meet him once again, but all sorry that he could not remain longer. Mr. Walker reported his wife in poor health while here yesterday, which we are indeed sorry to note, but trust that she will soon recover, and that she and the other members of the family will also visit our town from time to time. While in Salisbury last week, Mr. Walker was accompanied by his niece, Mrs. Geo. H. Hocking, of Meyersdale, and his brother, Charles Walker, late postmaster of Frostburg, Md.

Last week the Merchants Coal Company had a suit in court against the Farmers' Fire Insurance Company, of York, Pa., which grew out of a fire at Coal Run, several years ago, when the said coal company lost a block of houses insured by the Aetna Fire Insurance Company and the York concern aforesaid. The houses were not occupied at the time, and had been vacant for a longer time than the terms of the insurance policies permitted. However, the Aetna company did not take advantage of technicalities, but promptly paid its share of the loss. The York concern, however, was not so liberal, and in a suit to compel it to pay, won out by taking advantage of an unfair provision in the policy. It is needless to say that the York company's course in the matter will lose it lots of business in this locality.

Mr. R. S. Garrett the genial and popular superintendent of the Merchants Coal Company's mines in the Elk Lick region, has resigned the position which he has filled so ably and satisfactorily for the past ten years. We are glad to note, however, that he will continue to make his home in Salisbury, but expects to spend much of his time in Baltimore, of which city he is a native. Mr. Garrett is a man of strong likes and dislikes, and when his ire is aroused against an offending citizen, he knows pretty nearly how to read the offender's pedigree. But back of all his business and outspokenness beats a kind and generous heart, and he is a man of rugged and uncompromising honesty. His kind and generous acts are many, and we have ever found him a most courteous, kind and upright gentleman in all the dealings we have ever had with him. He is a strong and picture-gue character, and THE STAR'S good will is his at all times.

WOMAN INTERRUPTS POLITICAL SPEAKER.
 A well dressed woman interrupted a political speaker recently, by continually coughing. If she had taken Foley's Honey and Tar it would have cured her cough quickly and expelled the cold from her system. The genuine Foley's Honey and Tar contains no opiates, and is in a yellow package. Refuse substitutes. Elk Lick Pharmacy, E. H. Miller, proprietor. 11-1

Marriage Licenses.
 Since our last report:
 Alvin T. Armstrong, of Lincoln township, and Ida B. Rodamer, of Brothersvalley township.
 Charles W. Roof and Sarah Long, of Elk Lick.
 Scott Lohr and Louisa Yoder, of Conemaugh township.
 Dennis J. Stevanus, of Elk Lick township, and Mintie E. Miller, of Garrett county, Md.
 Lemon Grush, of Paint township, and Minnie Mary Ott, of Arrow, Pa.
 Michael L. Reiman and Susie N. Gardner, of Jenner township.
 J. J. Hobbittell, Jr., and Pearl Susan Hartley, both of Meyersdale.
 Edward B. Walker and Margaret M. McQuade, of Berlin.

WHERE BULLETS FLEW.
 David Parker, of Fayette, N. Y., a veteran of the civil war, who lost a foot at Gettysburg, says: "The good Electric Bitters have done me worth more than five hundred dollars to me. I spent much money doctoring for a bad case of stomach trouble, to little purpose. I then tried Electric Bitters, and they cured me. I now take them as a tonic, and they keep me strong and well." 50c. at E. H. Miller's drug store. 11-1

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Sand Patch Items.
 Oct. 19th.—Mountain fires are still raging in this locality, but no damage is reported, except to forest.
 Our genial school teacher, C. H. Shockey, has the honor of bringing in the first rabbit of the season.
 Miss Shockey, the dining-room girl at Hotel Farmer, and her brother, C. H. Shockey, have been treating the Sand Patch people to some fine music, recently.
 The B. & O. Railroad Company has a force of men preparing to open two of the old air shafts at Sand Patch tunnel, in order to give more air to the trainmen.
 Last Saturday night some thief or thieves broke into the bar room at Hotel Farmer and stole a lot of booze. Entrance was gained by taking out a window-pane.
 G. G. DeLozier, who recently embarked in the mercantile business here, has moved his family to this place, and they are pretty well settled down. Mrs. DeLozier's health is greatly improved since locating at Sand Patch.
 Hotel Farmer is well filled at present with boarders, and everybody about the place is happy.
 Born to Mr. and Mrs. James Kerrigan, a girl. Mother and child are doing well.
 Everybody here seems to be for Coop-r.

Teachers' Institute.
 Following is the program for an institute to be held at West Salisbury school house, in Elk Lick township, Saturday, Nov. 14, at 1:30 p. m.
 Song—"America."
 "Influence of the teacher upon the character of the child"—James L. Poorbaugh.
 Essay—Elsie Maust.
 Recitation—Idella Duecker.
 "What constitutes a model country school?"—Prof. Irving Gnagney.
 "Incentives to prevent tardiness"—Lester Engle.
 Song—"Old Black Joe."
 Recitation—Sadie Lee.
 "What should govern the qualifications of a teacher?"—Florence Yoder.
 "Explain the use of the different marks of punctuation used in writing correctly"—E. R. Hay.
 Queries.
 Essay—Florence Compton.
 "Methods of preventing whispering"—Ralph Moser.
 "Words of encouragement to the teacher"—N. D. Hay.
 Dialogue—Victor, Christner and Harry Burkhard.
 Song—"Twilight is Stealing."
 All friends of education are cordially invited to attend. COMMITTEE.

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