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LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

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

Addison township reports three sets of twins born within the past few weeks.

If you need a pill, take DeWitt's Little Early Risers. Insist on them; gentle easy, pleasant, little liver pills. Sold by E. H. Miller. 3-1

Recent arrivals in Salisbury: A young son at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Lichter, and a young daughter at the home of Rev. and Mrs. H. S. May.

A pill in time that will save nine is Rings Little Liver Pill. For biliousness, sick headache, constipation. They do not gripe. Price 25c. Sold by Elk Lick Pharmacy. 3-1

Petitions are being circulated for the division of Somerset township. The name which the petitioners have selected for the new township which they are seeking to have created, is "Forward."

Personal experience with a tube of Manzan Pile Remedy will convince you it is immediate relief for all forms of Piles. Guaranteed. 50c. Sold by Elk Lick Pharmacy. 3-1

Triplets, a boy and two girls, were recently born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith, of Holsopple, this county. Mrs. Smith died a few days after the triplets were born, but at last report the babies were all doing well.

Foley's Orino Laxative cures constipation and liver trouble and makes the bowels healthy and regular. Orino is superior to pills and tablets, as it does not gripe or nauseate. Why take anything else? Elk Lick Pharmacy, E. H. Miller, Proprietor. 3-1

N. G. and Lew S. Keim, of Elkins, W. Va., spent last Sunday visiting at the home of their mother, Mrs. S. C. Keim, of this city. They returned to Elkins on Monday, accompanied as far as Meyersdale by their sister Cora.

Colds contracted at this season of the year are quickly relieved with Bees Laxative Cough Syrup. Its laxative quality rids the system of the cold. Pleasant to take. Best for children for coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough. Sold by Elk Lick Pharmacy. 3-1

John M. Bowers, a miner employed in the mines at Kimmeltown, this county, was instantly killed about a week ago, by the fall of a large rock from the roof of the mine. Deceased is survived by a wife and several children.

Pineules for the Kidneys are little golden globules which act directly on the kidneys. A trial will convince you of quick results for Backache, Rheumatism, Lumbago and tired wornout feeling. 30 days' trial \$1.00. They purify the blood. Sold by Elk Lick Pharmacy. 3-1

Abraham Lincoln's birthday will be fittingly celebrated by the Salisbury schools, tomorrow afternoon. A very excellent program has been prepared, and all parents and friends of education generally are invited to be present at the thoroughly prepared exercises.

Hoarse coughs and stuffy colds that may develop into pneumonia over night are quickly cured by Foley's Honey and Tar, and it soothes inflamed membranes, heals the lungs, and expels the cold from the system. Elk Lick Pharmacy, E. H. Miller, Proprietor. 3-1

Henry Baughman, a B. & O. brakeman aged 20 years, recently fell between two cars of a moving freight train, resulting in injuries that caused his death the day following the accident. Deceased was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Levi Baughman, of Sand Patch.

Woods Liver Medicine in liquid form regulates the liver, relieves sick headache, constipation, stomach, kidney disorders, and acts as a gentle laxative. For chills, fever and malaria. Its tonic effects on the system felt with the first dose. The \$1.00 bottle contains 2 1/2 times as much as the 50c. size. Sold by Elk Lick Pharmacy. 3-1

Orlando Flesher, of New Haven, Pa., and Samuel Hershberger, of Grantsville, Md., were business visitors at The STAR office, last Friday. Mr. Flesher recently recovered from a siege of sickness, hence was looking a little thin, but is still worth more than all the dead men in the world.

Foley's Honey and Tar clears the air passages, stops the irritation in the throat, soothes the inflamed membranes, and the most obstinate cough disappears. Sore and inflamed lungs are healed and strengthened, and the cold is expelled from the system. Refuse any but the genuine in the yellow package. Elk Lick Pharmacy, E. H. Miller, Proprietor. 3-1

There is a bad situation existing in Huntingdon, Blair and Cambria counties. The jails are too small. Huntingdon county proposes to spend perhaps \$35,000 for a new jail. Blair county thinks \$90,000 would so enlarge its jail as to hold the people who ought to be in it. Cambria county needs an expenditure of \$200,000 to hold the people who should be in jail in that county, says The Twice-a-Week Republican, of Mt. Union.

There is not any better Salve than DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve. We hereby warn the public that we are not responsible for any injurious effects caused from worthless or poisonous imitations of our DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve, the original. It is good for anything when a salve is needed, but it is especially good for piles. Be sure you get DeWitt's. Sold by E. H. Miller. 3-1

Leonard A. Maust, a prominent citizen of Garrett, Pa., was in our town last Saturday, looking up insurance for a new company to be known as the Garrett Mutual Fire Insurance Company. Mr. Maust says the proposed company has thus far met with excellent success, and that he anticipates no trouble in writing enough policies to reach the sum of \$200,000, the amount required in order to be able to get a charter for the concern.

The writing paper used by a business house has just as much to do with getting orders as prices or the quality of goods. Many a house is judged altogether upon the appearance of its correspondence. Your writing paper should be conservative, dignified and substantial, if that is the kind of business you are doing. No writing paper is too good for a good business. The STAR print shop is headquarters for good paper and good printing.

This is just the time of year when you are most likely to have kidney or bladder trouble, with rheumatism and rheumatic pains caused by weak kidneys. Delays are dangerous. Get DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills, and be sure you get what you ask for. They are the best pills made for backache, weak back, urinary disorders, inflammation of the bladder, etc. They are antiseptic and act promptly. We sell and recommend them. E. H. Miller. 3-1

The United States uses far more news paper, book paper, writing paper, etc., than any other country in the world. In a single year this country has used 2,730,000 tons of paper of the classes named, or 190,000 tons more than was used during the same period by Germany, England, France, Austria and Italy combined. In the use of paper, Germany ranks second to the United States, England third, France fourth, Austria fifth and Italy sixth.

The Sheriff closed Murphy Bros.' restaurant, several days ago, and the stock and household goods are advertised to be sold at Sheriff's sale, on Monday. We understand there is some likelihood of matters being adjusted and the sale called off. We sincerely hope that can be done, for Frank and James P. Murphy are honest men of good habits, and we believe they will make good if given time. They are both badly afflicted with asthma much of the time, and all the mercy possible should be shown them by their creditors.

C. R. Kluger, the Jeweler, 1069 Virginia Ave., Indianapolis, Ind., writes: "I was so weak from kidney trouble that I could hardly walk a hundred feet. Four bottles of Foley's Kidney Remedy cleared my complexion, cured my backache and the irregularities disappeared, and I can now attend to business every day, and recommend Foley's Kidney Remedy to all sufferers, as it cured me after the doctors and other remedies had failed." Elk Lick Pharmacy, E. H. Miller, Prop. 3-1

Postmaster Arrested. A Rockwood news dispatch dated Feb. 6th has the following to say concerning the recent arrest of the postmaster of Pinkerton: "A mild sensation was created here with the arrest yesterday of Antonio Depompe, postmaster at Pinkerton and proprietor of a store there, charged with selling iron and brass belonging to the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad. The arrest was made by Special Officer E. F. Ludwick, of Rockwood, and Depompe was held for court after a hearing before Justice of the Peace J. R. Haines of this place.

"It is alleged that Depompe had collected a large amount of brass and scrap iron, and had sold it. A large number of witnesses attended the hearing. Depompe was defended by Attorney C. L. Shaver, of Somerset."

Had an Eye Removed.

We are in receipt of a letter written by W. G. Giffin, of Conemaugh, Pa., on the 2nd inst., in which he sends the following message concerning his father, J. W. Giffin, who is well known to many of the people of Salisbury: "My father's sight is not permanently lost, although he has had one eye removed."

Mr Giffin lost his sight some time ago by a gas explosion in his house.

Rich Picking at Somerset.

The celebrated Dr. A. J. Thorn, the "eye-carpenter" who did a lucrative business in Salisbury, several years ago, leaving here with about a trunkful of easy money, has evidently found even richer and greener pasture at Somerset. He gathered enough of the "golden fleece" at Somerset to enable him to make a tour of Europe with his wife, a year or more ago, and immediately upon their return the genial and versatile "doctor" again opened shop in Somerset, where he has again evidently gathered much easy money, judging from the following from the Somerset Herald:

"Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Thorn left yesterday for Palm Beach, Fla., where they will remain for six weeks before going to the West Indies on a sight-seeing tour, expecting to return to America via sea to New York. They will return to Somerset about the first of May."

Donges Theater Has Narrow Escape from Fire.

A Meyersdale news dispatch dated Feb. 6th gives the following account of a fire which might have wiped out the entire business section of Meyersdale: "Fire broke out yesterday evening in the basement of the home of George Donges, and for a time threatened the Donges theater, only the good work of the volunteer firemen saving it. Wind blowing at the time threatened to spread the fire, and it is stated that had a higher wind been blowing, the entire town might have been wiped out."

"The fire is supposed to have been caused by an overheated furnace in the basement of the Donges' home, the flames gaining rapid headway. The fire department was called out and prevented the flames spreading to the Donges theater, owned by Mr. Donges, which adjoins the home. Prompt work by the firemen saved the theatre, but the flames did considerable damage to the house. The loss is placed at \$1,000."

Hans Wilhelm Tells How Prohibition Works in the South.

Under date of Feb. 2nd, in remitting for renewal of his subscription to THE STAR, H. G. Wilhelm, of Pensacola, Florida, takes occasion to tell how prohibition works in the South. He encloses a clipping from a Southern newspaper which gives the chief reason why the South leads in doing away with the booze joints. The principal reason is the bad effect liquor has upon the ignorant negroes, inciting them to all manner of crime while under its influence. In writing of the great prohibition wave, Mr. Wilhelm says:

"I think it is one of the best solutions to rid towns and cities of thieves, ruffians and bums, as the only place where they can enter in company with all classes of people is in the saloon. Remove the saloon, and they will seek new territory. Since Mobile and Montgomery closed the booze shops, Pensacola and other Florida towns are overrun with the criminal classes that loiter about saloons."

In closing his letter, Mr. Wilhelm says he and his family are all fairly well.

Horrible Mine Accident at Jerome.

Last Thursday morning a horrible accident occurred at the mines of the Jenner-Queamohoning Coal Company, at Jerome, this county, by which two men, Mike Muderick and Charles Bergers, were instantly killed.

It seems that a new engineer had taken charge of the drums by which the cage is lowered down the shaft. Ten miners entered the cage in the morning and gave the signal to the engineer to lower them down the shaft. Everything went smoothly until the cage was more than half way to the bottom, when it suddenly shot downward at a frightful rate of speed. Muderick and Bergers, the two men who were killed, leaped from the cage in order to save themselves from being dashed to pieces when the cage struck the bottom. Just as the two men jumped, the cage suddenly shot upward, the two men being crushed between the sides of the shaft and the cage. Bergers' head was torn from the trunk. The other eight miners signalled the engineer, and the cage was brought safely to the mouth of the shaft. The funerals of the unfortunates took place on Friday. It is said that the engineer is on the verge of a nervous collapse.

WASHINGTON ONCE GAVE UP

to three doctors; was kept in bed for five weeks. Blood poison from a spider's bite caused large, deep sores to cover his leg. The doctors failed, then "Bucklen's Arnica Salve completely cured me," writes John Washington, of Bosqueville, Tex. For eczema, boils, burns and piles it's supreme. 25c. at Elk Lick Pharmacy. 3-1

INDIGESTION ENDS.

Misery from Your Disordered Stomach goes in Five Minutes.

You can eat anything your stomach craves without fear of a case of Indigestion or Dyspepsia, or that your food will ferment or sour on your stomach, if you will occasionally take a little Diapiesin after eating.

Your meals will taste good, and anything you eat will be digested; nothing can ferment or turn into acid or poison or stomach gas, which causes Belching, Dizziness, a feeling of fullness after eating, Nausea, Indigestion (like a lump of lead in stomach), Biliousness, Heartburn, Water brash, Pain in stomach and intestines or other symptoms.

He-daches from the stomach are absolutely unknown where this effective remedy is used. Diapiesin really does all the work of a healthy stomach. It digests your meals when your stomach can't. Each triangle will digest all the food you can eat and leave nothing to ferment or sour.

Get a large 50-cent case of Pape's Diapiesin from your druggist and start taking today, and by tomorrow you will actually brag about your strong stomach, for you then can eat anything and everything you want without the slightest discomfort or misery, and every particle of impurity and gas that is in your stomach and intestines is going to be carried away without the use of laxatives or any other assistance.

Death of Sergeant Mark A. Prynne.

It is with much sadness that THE STAR this week chronicles the death of Sergeant Mark A. Prynne, of the State Police force, who died in a hospital at Shenandoah, Pa., Tuesday night, the 8th inst.

At this writing we are unable to give full particulars of his death, nor have we learned anything of the funeral arrangement.

Sergeant Prynne was shot in the arm, about two weeks ago, by the accidental discharge of a gun in the hands of one of his comrades, as noted in last week's STAR. On the 2nd inst. he sent a postal card to the editor, stating that about half of the bullet had been removed, and that he was about to undergo an X Ray examination to aid in having the other half removed. He stated further that he was getting along as well as could be expected, and that he expected to be in Salisbury soon, among his friends and relatives.

That was good news, and it was promptly announced to many of Sergeant Prynne's friends. But on Tuesday afternoon, this week, several messages were sent to his Salisbury relatives (Mr. and Mrs. John Meager and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. James), stating that Sergeant Prynne's condition was very serious. His sister, Mrs. James, and his uncle John Meager, accompanied by the sergeant's fiancée, Miss Margaret Glotfelty, left on the 7:15 p. m. car to reach the wounded man's bedside as soon as possible. However, they started too late to find him living, for a message was received here early yesterday morning, announcing his death during the preceding night.

It is needless to say that the sad news brought deep sorrow to all of Sergeant Prynne's acquaintances, for he was loved and respected by all who knew him. THE STAR will pay a fitting tribute to his memory in its next issue.

First National Bank of Frostburg, Md., Makes Its Usual Fine Showing.

The report of the condition of The First National Bank of Frostburg, Md., at the close of business on Feb. 5, 1909, is before us. The strong and reliable institution makes its usual fine showing, and it is a bank that would be a credit to any city in the country, no matter how large. As New York ranks among the great cities of the world, so ranks The First National Bank of Frostburg, Md., among the national banks of Allegany county, Md. Its fame and patronage is annually extending farther and farther into the neighboring states of Pennsylvania and West Virginia, and many people flock there from several states to do their banking business. Out-of-town people are always welcome to make The First National their headquarters when in Frostburg, where they are always accorded the most courteous treatment, and can obtain reliable information and advice on all business matters for the asking. The people like to go there, too, to inspect the splendid equipments of the bank, which the genial and accommodating officers of the institution always take pleasure in showing to visitors. It is an ideal and doubly safe place to carry savings accounts, on which 3 per cent. interest is paid, compounded semi-annually. The next time you go to Frostburg, be sure to visit the First National Bank, get acquainted with its officers, if not already acquainted with them, and ask them to show you through the institution. It will interest you.

WHEN A MAN TELLS YOU it does not pay to advertise, he is simply admitting that he is conducting a business that is not worth advertising, a business conducted by a man unfit to do business, and a business which should be advertised for sale. tf

1st NATIONAL FROSTBURG, MD. BANK

Capital stock... \$ 50,000.00
Surplus fund... 70,000.00
Deposits (over)... 1,000,000.00
Assets (over)... 1,200,000.00

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Drafts on all parts of the world. Accounts of individuals and firms invited. Deposits sent by mail and all correspondence given prompt and careful attention.

Bank open Saturday nights from 7 to 10 o'clock.

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DIRECTORS:
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Country Produce A Specialty!

We handle the choicest and purest of country produce, and deliver goods promptly.

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Christmas Furniture!

What makes a better or more useful present than a nice piece of Furniture? We have added to our stock

A Full Line of Dinner Sets and Queensware.

Also a nice assortment of China in Dinner Sets and odd pieces. You can't fail to find something here to please you, for either Christmas or Wedding Presents.

WILL & SALER, FURNITURE DEALERS, MEYERSDALE, PA.

SAVING!

If you were going to cross a desert which would require several days, you would provide necessary food and water before starting, to last until you reached the other side. Is it not just as wise and important to prepare for the deserts of life, such as sickness, "hard times" and old age by saving. Decide you are going to save, NOW, then call and start an account with us.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF SALISBURY, ELK LICK, PA.

New Store! New Goods!

We have opened a fine new general store in the M. J. Glotfelty building, Ord St., Salisbury, Pa., and invite you to come and inspect our nice, new line of Dry Goods, Shoes, Groceries, etc.

Prices As Low As The Lowest!

We start with an entire new stock, and we handle only the best and purest brands of goods. We solicit a share of your patronage, and we guarantee a square deal and satisfaction to all.

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THE HOME MODEL WASHER

contains new features worthy of your consideration. The tub is made of cypress wood. The inside is corrugated like a washboard. The lid fits tight and prevents the escape of steam and heat. The agitator or rub board is different from all others and a big improvement. You should know all about it. The lever, shaft and agitator are all connected together in a way so there is no lost motion. It cannot tear the clothes, and is rust-proof. By means of a thumb nut the lever can be set for long or short leverage and to turn the handle downward so the operator can be seated.

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