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LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

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

Manzan Pile Remedy is put up in a tube with nozzle attached. May be applied directly to the affected parts. Guaranteed. Price 50c. Sold by Elk Lick Pharmacy. 6-1

Sherman Stevanus was a business caller at THE STAR office, Tuesday. He recently returned from Ohio, where he had been employed for about two months, in the vicinity of Canton.

Sick headache, constipation and biliousness are relieved by Rings Little Liver Pills. They cleanse the system. Do not gripe. Price 25c. Sold by Elk Lick Pharmacy. 6-1

The sugar-makers are still being kept very busy, and the crop of maple sweets made in this vicinity, this year, will be one of the largest on record, while the quality is unusually fine.

The best known pills and the best pills made are DeWitt's Little Early Risers. They are small, easy to take, gentle and certain, and are sold by E. H. Miller. 4-1

A moonshiner's wife once offered a drink, a smoke and a chew to a visiting stranger, and when all had been declined, said: "Say, stranger, what do you do to make yourself smell like a man?"

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, Prop. 4-1

Some of our merchants are filling their ice houses, this week, with manufactured ice shipped here from Cumberland. The natural ice was a failure here during the past winter, something that probably never occurred in this locality before.

Rheumatics are for Backache, and bring quick relief to lumbago, rheumatism, fatigue and all other symptoms of Kidney disease. They are a tonic to the entire system, and build up strength and health. Price 50c. and \$1.00. Sold by Elk Lick Pharmacy. 6-1

Miss Irene Estella Thomas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Griffith Thomas, of Elk Lick township, and George B. Cochrane, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Cochrane, of Salisbury, were married at West Salisbury, March 19, by Justice of the Peace David Fuller.

A Guaranteed Cough Remedy is Bees Laxative Cough Syrup. For coughs, colds, croup, whooping-cough, hoarseness and all bronchial affections. Best for children because it is quick to relieve and tastes good. Gently laxative. Sold by Elk Lick Pharmacy. 6-1

Henry Johnson, a resident of this Borough, was taken to the Memorial Hospital, at Johnstown, Pa., last Saturday, where he was operated on for an obstruction of the bowels. He was in a serious condition when he left here, but we have learned nothing of his condition since. J. C. Fravel accompanied the patient to the hospital.

Foley's Kidney Remedy will cure any case of kidney or bladder trouble that is not beyond the reach of medicine. Cures backache and irregularities that if neglected might result in Bright's disease or diabetes. Elk Lick Pharmacy, E. H. Miller, Prop. 4-1

A Kansas editor who paid little attention to punctuation, is now defendant in a libel suit because he published an item as follows: "Two young men went with their girls to attend teachers' meeting, and after they left, the girls got drunk." The comma should have gone after the girls, but as it is, the girls have gone after the editor.

We say without hesitation that DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills are unequalled for weak kidneys, backache, inflammation of the bladder and all urinary disorders. They are antiseptic and act promptly in all cases of weak back, backache, rheumatism and rheumatic pains. Accept no substitute. We sell and recommend them. E. H. Miller. 4-1

Woods Liver Medicine is a liver regulator which brings quick relief to sick headache, constipation, biliousness and other symptoms of liver disorders. Particularly recommended for Jaundice, Chills, Fever, Malaria. The \$1.00 size contains 2 1/2 times as much as the 50c. size. Sold by Elk Lick Pharmacy. 6-1

Mrs. Sadie Fernsner, of Frostburg, Md., and her cousin, Miss Cora Keim, were welcome callers at THE STAR office, yesterday. Mr. Fernsner was also in town, but having business that called him out into the country, we failed to see him. We trust they will call again, and be able to stay longer the next time. Mrs. Fernsner reports her aged mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Wellfey, in good health, which will be welcome news to her many old-time friends in Salisbury and vicinity.

"My three year old boy was badly constipated, had a high fever and was in an awful condition. I gave him two doses of Foley's Orino Laxative, and the next morning the fever was gone and he was entirely well. Foley's Orino Laxative saved his life." A. Wolkush, Casimer, Wis. Elk Lick Pharmacy, E. H. Miller, Prop. 4-1

Dr. A. M. Lichty was in Connellsville, recently, attending a convention of the medical examiners of the B. & O. railroad, which was held at that place. Among the other physicians of the county who attended, are the following: J. S. and W. A. Garman of Berlin, R. T. Pollard of Garrett, W. S. Mountain and H. Wiedman of Confluence, G. H. Masters of Rockwood, Henry Zimmerman of Holsopple, H. I. Marsden Bruce Lichty and W. T. Rowe of Meyersdale, John Critchfield of Ralplton.

How can any person risk taking some unknown cough remedy when Foley's Honey and Tar costs them no more? It is a safe remedy, contains no harmful drugs, and cures the most obstinate coughs and colds. Why experiment with your health? Insist upon having the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar. Elk Lick Pharmacy, E. H. Miller, Proprietor. 4-1

M. P. Lichty, of North Dakota, begs to state that he was very much interested in the long list of uncle C. C. Livengood's customers of 85 years ago. Of the many names given in the issue of THE STAR a few weeks ago, he has recollections of a large majority of them, but some he only faintly remembers. He says: "Of many, methinks, I can see their faces as distinctly as though it were but yesterday—the very play of their smiles and frowns, according to the mood they were in. Of the long list, to my knowledge, only two are yet alive, namely, uncle Elias Peck, of Falls City, Neb., who will be 94 years old the 7th of this coming August, and Jacob-Lentz, of Waterloo, Iowa, now somewhere in the 80's."

This is the most dangerous time of the year to catch cold, and it is the hardest time to cure it. If you should take a cold, a few doses of Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup will act very promptly. Its laxative principle cures the cold by driving it from the system by a gentle but natural action of the bowels. Children especially like Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup, as it tastes so good, nearly like maple sugar. It is sold by E. H. Miller. 4-1

Woman Burned to Death.

The wife of Louis Smearman, of Garrett county, Md., met with an accident on Monday last which proved fatal to her. She was doing the family washing, when in some way her clothing caught fire, burning her so badly that she died the next day. Her husband is an uncle of Henry and J. T. Smearman, of this town, and some years ago the stricken family resided on the McClure farm, in Elk Lick township, this county.

Tallest and Shortest.

Washington, Pa., March 23.—With the admission of "Tobe" McConnell, a dwarf, to the Washington County home, yesterday, that institution now houses the shortest and tallest adult persons in the county.

"Tobe," for many years a familiar figure in Washington, is 2 feet 7 inches tall. Pat Bane, stands 7 feet 2 inches. Pat was the first inmate to accept "Tobe" when the latter arrived, and the two promise to become fast friends.

Cost of State Roads.

Recently, the County Commissioners issued orders for the payment of the county's share of the cost of building the following State highways in the different parts of this county during the past year: Seenor road, \$2,024; Summit Township road, \$1,380.89; Friedens road, \$1,336.83; Shade Furnace road, \$561.70.

Under the new road law the state pays six-eighths, the county one-eighth, and the township or borough in which the road is located pays the remaining one-eighth of the cost of constructing the highways. As a result, the above amounts represent only one-eighth of the total cost of improving these four roads, which was \$16,192 for the Seenor road, \$11,047.12 for the highway constructed in Summit township, \$10,694.64 for the Friedens road, and \$12,413.80 for the Shade Furnace highway—an aggregate cost to the state, county and townships of \$50,347.36.—Somerset Standard.

CURES INDIGESTION.

All Distress from Stomach and Indigestion Vanishes in Five Minutes.

Take your sour stomach—or may be you call it Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Gastritis or Catarrh of Stomach; it doesn't matter—take your stomach trouble right with you to your Pharmacist and ask him to open a 50-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin and let you eat one 22-grain Triangule and see if within five minutes there is left any trace of your stomach misery.

The correct name for your trouble is Food Fermentation—food souring; the Digestive organs become weak, there is lack of gastric juice; your food is only half digested, and you become affected with loss of appetite, pressure and fullness after eating, vomiting, nausea, heartburn, griping in bowels, tenderness in the pit of stomach, bad taste in mouth, constipation, pain in limbs, sleeplessness, belching of gas, biliousness, sick headache, nervousness, dizziness and many other similar symptoms.

If your appetite is fickle, and nothing tempts you, or you belch gas, or if you feel bloated after eating, or your food lies like a lump of lead on your stomach, you can make up your mind that at the bottom of all this there is but one cause—fermentation of undigested food.

Prove to yourself, after your next meal, that your stomach is as good as any; that there is nothing really wrong. Stop that fermentation and begin eating what you want without fear of discomfort or misery.

Almost instant relief is waiting for you. It is merely a matter of how soon you take a little Diapepsin.

Death of Judge Fairall.

Judge Samuel M. Fairall died on the 8th of March, in Iowa City, Iowa, aged 74 years. He was the oldest son of Truman and Mary Fairall, originally from Prince George's county, this state. The son was born in 1835, at the Little Meadows, now in Garrett county. The father then kept the historic Tomlinson Stone House Hotel.

The Fairall family consisted of ten children, about equally divided in the sex. They were all carefully educated by the ambitious parents. Samuel's education was begun at a nice private school on the Fairall premises. For a time he was a student at Allegany Academy, thence to Washington college, Pa., where a full education was completed.

The deceased was a cousin of Mrs. Dr. E. H. Bartlett and Mrs. R. J. West, of Oakland, Mrs. Dr. Carr and Mrs. Dunlap, of Cumberland, and Richard Fairall, formerly of Swanton, now residing in Cumberland. He is survived by several children.—Oakland Journal.

Death of Mrs. Samuel Wetmiller.

Mrs. Samuel Wetmiller died March 19th, 1909, at her home in Greenville township, four miles east of Salisbury, at the age of 80 years and a few months. She was married to Samuel Wetmiller, Sept. 14th, 1872, and to their union have been born twelve children, as follows: Albert J., of Iowa; Noah S., of Milan, Pa.; Cyrus J., of Colorado; Edward F., at home; Mrs. D. D. Meese, of Garrett county, Md.; Mrs. Harry Knecht, of West Salisbury, Pa.; Lucinda and Eliza, of Hall's Corners, N. Y.; Clara, Catharine and Alice, at home. One son died in infancy. Besides the eleven surviving children, deceased is also survived by her husband, six brothers and three sisters, and her aged father, Mr. Samuel Wetmiller.

Mrs. Wetmiller was well and favorably known in this locality, and she was universally respected and held in high esteem for the noble traits of character she possessed. The eleven surviving children have been brought up in the way that good parents rear their children, and all are a credit to themselves, the respective communities in which they live, and to the parents from whom they received their good qualities and excellent training.

The funeral service was conducted by Rev. Father Brady, with High mass, at St. Michael's Catholic church, West Salisbury, on Tuesday, the 23rd inst., deceased having been a faithful member of the Catholic church all her life. The remains were interred in the cemetery adjoining the church, the four stalwart sons of the deceased acting as pall-bearers.

The little church was entirely too small to accommodate the many people who turned out to pay their last respects to one of earth's noblest women, and many wept with the bereaved family during Father Brady's touching discourse. A FRIEND.

NEAR DEATH IN BIG POND.

It was a thrilling experience to Mrs. Ida Soper to face death. "For years a severe lung trouble gave me intense suffering," she writes, "and several times nearly caused my death. All remedies failed and doctors said I was incurable. Then Dr. King's New Discovery brought quick relief and a cure so permanent that I have not been troubled in twelve years." Mrs. Soper lives in Big Pond, Pa. It works wonders in Coughs and Colds, Sore Lungs, Hemorrhages, LaGrippe, Asthma Croup, Whooping Cough and all Bronchial affections. 50c. and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by Elk Lick Pharmacy. 4-1

WOMAN IN CONTEMPT.

Fined for Writing Letters to Court About License Applicants.

Meadville, Pa., March 19.—Miss Jessie Reed, whose father was Burgess of Meyersdale, Pa., was fined \$100 and costs by Judge Thomas J. Prather, for contempt of court. Miss Reed is attending a business college in Titusville, and during the recent term of license court, addressed several letters to the court reflecting on the standing of certain applicants and others.

Miss Reed appeared before Judge Prather on a bench warrant and pleaded guilty. She claimed she wrote the letters at the instance of others, and did not realize the character of her offense. The fine was paid.

KILLS WOULD-BE SLAYER.

A merciless murderer is Appendicitis, with many victims. But Dr. King's New Life Pills kill it by prevention. They gently stimulate stomach, liver and bowels, preventing that clogging that invites appendicitis, curing Constipation, Biliousness, Chills, Malaria, Headache and Indigestion. 25c. at Elk Lick Pharmacy. 4-1

PIANO RECITAL.

Grand Opera House, Meyersdale, Pa., April 2nd.

A piano recital will be given by Glenn Dillard Gunn, of Chicago, in the Grand Opera House, Meyersdale, Pa., on the evening of April 2nd.

Mr. Gunn is an artist of fine ability, having won honors in Europe as well as in America. For a number of years he occupied an important position as teacher and concert pianist in Leipzig. He has made many successful appearances abroad, and his work in recital since returning to America has received highest praise from eminent music critics. He has been engaged on tour with Theodore Thomas' Orchestra and New York Symphony, a fact in itself sufficient to give eminent testimony as to his ability. Tickets will be on sale at Miller's drug store, April 1st.

IT SAVED HIS LEG.

"All thought I'd lose my leg," writes J. A. Swenson, Watertown, Wis. "Ten years of eczema, that 15 doctors could not cure, had at last laid me up. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured it sound and well." Infallible for Skin Eruptions, Eczema, Salt Rheum, Bells, Fever Sores, Burns, Scalds, Cuts and Piles. 25c. at Elk Lick Pharmacy. 4-1

Orchard Inspection to Begin at Once in Somerset County.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Department of Agriculture, Division of Zoology, Bedford, Pa.

Mr. R. F. Lee, Bedford, Pa., the official of orchards for the Department of Agriculture-Division of Zoology, will begin the inspection of all the orchards, yards and gardens in Somerset county. This work is all free to the public, and the inspection is for the San Jose Scale, and all other insects and fungus diseases, which may be found destroying the trees or injuring the fruit. It is Mr. Lee's mission to get all owners of trees acquainted with these pests and the remedies to keep them in check. The inspector has the authority to go into any place to search for these insects, but it is desirable that the owners go along and see for themselves, whenever possible to be there. The inspector asks the co-operation of all fruit growers, so as to accomplish the most in the time, along horticultural lines.

Any one desiring the immediate assistance of the inspector can get in touch with him by addressing him at Bedford, Pa. It is a little uncertain where he shall begin operations in the county, but his whereabouts will be made known in the newspapers from time to time. The inspector is no beginner, having inspected all the orchards in Bedford and Blair counties, and is in shape to give practical assistance in orchard work, says the Somerset Democrat.

Capitals of the United States.

Since the foundation of this government, the capital of the United States has been in nine different cities, and at three different times Philadelphia has been the National Capital.

The following are the names of the cities and the years in which they were the capital cities of the United States. Philadelphia from September 5, 1774, until December, 1778.

Baltimore from December 20, 1778, to March, 1777.

Philadelphia from March 4, 1777, to September, 1777.

Lancaster, Pa., from September 27, 1777, to September 30, 1777.

York, Pa., from September 30, 1777, to July, 1778.

Philadelphia from July 2, 1778, to June 30, 1778.

Princeton, N. J., from June 30, 1778, to November 20, 1783.

Annapolis, Md., from November, 1783, to November, 1784.

Trenton, N. J., from November, 1784, to January, 1785.

New York from January 11, 1785, to 1790, when the seat of Government was changed to Philadelphia, where it remained until 1800, since which time it has been permanently at Washington.

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