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Owners of dogs will do well to bear the following in mind: "Should a bicycle rider fall or sustain any injury through a dog running, barking or snapping at him, the owner of the dog (according to a recent decision of the courts) is liable for damages."

The reason why so many men of considerable talents are failures is that they have no proper conception of the value of time. Systematic labor, if directed to any intelligent and useful end, will bring success, the degree depending entirely on the brains and energy put into the work.—Punxsutawney Spirit.

The small amount lost in the post-offices of the country by fire, burglary, etc., is shown by a statement covering the fiscal year 1898-99. It showed the losses aggregated \$81,713, of which \$17,619 was caused by fire \$56,711 by burglary and robbery, \$4,496 in transit and \$2,690 by larceny. Floods and storms caused \$151 loss and rats and mice did \$46.72 of damage to stamps.

More sleep, with more regularity in taking it, is a prime need of our exhausting modern life. People talk of giving rest to their minds, but it is not likely that the mind itself ever tires. The brain, or some overworked tract of it, may need repose, and it seems a well established physiological fact that this central organ literally undergoes repair and renewal during sleep. The slowing down of the blood permits the deposit of nutritive particles, just as the slowing of a river permits it to drop its sediment.

Athens and Rome were not the problems that New York and Chicago are. Ninevah never had more than 600,000 souls, and Rome at the height of its power had only 1,200,000. The modern city has sprung up like a mushroom. When Thomas Jefferson was president there were only six cities of 8,000 souls in the United States. The government of the city of New York alone in a single year costs more than it does to maintain the city and state governments of twenty of the western states. The army of employes is greater than the standing army of the United States.

Beginning on September 15th, a new form of postoffice money order will be brought into use, and will be a great improvement on the one now given by the postoffice. The greatest change in the system will be in the giving of a receipt with each order. The receipt will be an exact fac-simile of the original order, and will be made by placing carbon paper under the original order when it is filled out. This method of making the fac-simile will prevent any mistake and at the same time will be conclusive proof that such an order was issued. In case the order is lost in transmission this receipt will be redeemed by the office after a reasonable time has elapsed for search to be made for the missing order. The prices for the orders will remain unchanged.

Now the tongue is a shield lifted up for attack against the wrong; now it is a spear whose sharp point is turned against the right," writes Rev. Newell Dwight Hillis, D. D., in the August Ladies' Home Journal. "The sword hath slain its thousands, but the tongue its ten thousands. Of the children of sympathy, it may be said, the tongue sends forth healing balms and cordials; but of envious men it is true that the 'poison of asps is under their lips.' For, as of old, so now, the tongue is a hand wherewith we lift men up, or a mace wherewith we strike men down. With this instrument we bless God, with it we curse men. No other member carries such power, and nothing taxes man like the skillful handling of the tongue and its bridling, even as the charioteer lifts the reins above his well-trained steeds. From the tongue gushes forth comfort like a cool, sweet spring; the tongue is a harp, piling up masses of melody; the tongue is a fruitful bower, full of bounty and delight; the tongue carries a glow, warming the soul like a winter's fire; it sends forth sweet songs to be sung in camp and wept over in cottage. Out of words the tongue weaves for the hero an armor against all enemies."

Have you seen the new novelties in neckwear at Millirens?

Times are better; so are our prices—Seeley's.

Striped half hose, all colors, at Millirens.

It is easy to buy shoes if you go to Robinson's.

Rathmel.

Oliver Nelson, of Horatio, visited here Sunday.

James Roberts had business in Punxsutawney last week.

Edward Elsenhuth, of New Bethlehem, is visiting old friends here for a few days.

Miss Mary Roberts, who has been at Anita for three months, returned home last week.

Mrs. J. R. Fieck and family, of DuBois, visited friends here the first of this week.

A number of our young people held a moonlight picnic near DuBois Monday evening of last week.

James Sneddon, manager of the company store at Glen Richey, visited his parents here over Sunday.

The ball team of Coal Glen, played with our boys here last Saturday. The score stood 9 to 18 in favor of Rathmel.

Mrs. G. L. Henry, who has been visiting her brother, Rev. J. H. Jelbart, at Johnsonburg, the last ten days, returned home last Saturday.

Miss Mae Johnston, who has been assisting Joseph Bateson in his store for some time, returned to her home in DuBois last Monday.

Oliver, three-year-old son of Wilber Clarke, had a narrow escape from being poisoned to death a few days ago from eating rough on rats, that had been mixed up and set where he could get it.

Paradise.

David Reiter is confined to his bed with pneumonia.

Jonathan Deemer, of Sykesville, visited friends in town last Sunday.

Miss Annie Hollenbaugh, of Scotch Hill, visited Miss Tena Strouse last Sunday.

The blackberries have not been as good a crop since last summer as they are now.

W. A. Sheesley visited his parents at New Washington, Clearfield county, last week.

Miss Inez Strouse, who has been at Brookville the past few months, returned home last week.

John Griffiths will begin drilling for coal on the Walter Sprague farm some time this week. The drill is now ready for work.

The ice cream festival held at the M. E. church last Thursday evening was a grand success. The amount raised was twenty-three dollars.

The time is not far distant when we can hear the shrill whistle of the engine coming up Trout Run pushing before it coal cars to be loaded with the black diamonds of the hills of Paradise. We hope it will soon come.

Reduced Rates to the Seashore.

August 10 and 24 are the dates of the remaining Pennsylvania Railroad Company's low-rate ten-day excursions from Erie, Troy, Bellefonte, Williamsport, Mocaqua, Sunbury, Shenandoah, Dauphin and principal intermediate stations (including stations on branch roads), to Atlantic City, Cape May, Ocean City, Sea Isle City, Avalon, Anglesea, Wildwood or Holly Beach.

Excursion tickets, good to return by regular trains within ten days, will be sold at very low rates. Tickets to Atlantic City will be sold via the Delaware River Bridge Route, the only all-rail line, or via Market Street Wharf, Philadelphia.

For information in regard to specific rates and time of trains consult hand bills, or apply to ticket agents, or E. S. Harrar, Division Ticket Agent, Williamsport, Pa.

Stop over can be had at Philadelphia, either going or returning, within limit of ticket, provided ticket is deposited with agent at Broad Street Station immediately on arrival.

The New Town Clock.

The town clock is now complete, the glass dials having been put in position Monday, and the contractor, T. B. Zeller, has authorized us to say to the people that they can now regulate their watches and clocks by the time as shown from the court house steeple, the new clock having proven itself to be an accurate time-keeper. With the glass dials and the aid of an electric light the hour of the night can be ascertained just as readily as the hour of the day, and the actions of the commissioners in providing us with this convenience will be heartily endorsed, especially by those good women whose husbands have acquired irregular domestic habits by paying too close attention to the town clock of the past, and to whom this new device should prove a timely warning.—Brookville Republican.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by H. Alex. Stoke.

A strictly high grade wheel—the Rambler—with G. & J. tires, lamp, bell, coasters and pant guards, \$38.00 at Riston's.

Soft warm-weather shirts of all kinds at Millirens.

Sheriff's Sales.

Sheriff E. C. Burns, of Jefferson county, will expose to public sale at the court house in Brookville on Friday, August 11th, 1899, the following properties:

Property of Joseph I. Grube, in Punxsutawney borough, two lots, two frame dwelling houses and one barn.

Property of Elie S. Ryland and H. H. Ryland, in Falls Creek, one lot and two story brick dwelling.

Property of B. J. and R. W. Moorhead, in Richardsville, one lot and two story frame building.

Property of Jacob J. Bahtal, in Cool Spring, one lot and two story frame house.

Property of D. G. Davis, in Punxsutawney borough, one lot and frame dwelling house.

Property of W. K. Fetzer, administration of George R. Kirkman, deceased, and William Harris, in Rose township, one lot and dwelling house.

Property of Ellsworth and Frances Johnston, in Sykesville, one piece of land, dwelling house and barn.

Property of Catharine Harmon, in Ringgold, one piece of land containing 40 acres, one frame dwelling house, one barn, one wagon shed, one blacksmith shop, 100 fruit trees.

Rural District.

Miss Belle Bollinger is on the sick list.

John Syphrit spent Sunday in Emerickville.

John Syphrit and D. L. Brumbaugh moved John Griffiths' coal drill to Paradise last week.

Mrs. George Welsh, of Renovo, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Dickey.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Dickey held a reunion at the home of their parents Saturday.

Miss Harriet Norris, who has been on the sick list for several weeks, was able to attend the ice cream supper.

The ice cream supper at the Syphrit church last Thursday evening was well attended by the young folks from this neighborhood.

While two men were skidding bark for William Norris last week they were heard talking about finding a bee tree. That night somebody cut a good tree down and the next day the finders cut the tree alongside and lived the bees.

Robbed the Grave.

A startling incident, of which Mr. John Oliver, of Philadelphia, was the subject, is narrated by him as follows: "I was in a most dreadful condition. My skin was almost yellow, eyes sunken, tongue coated, pain continually in back and sides, no appetite—gradually growing weaker day by day. Three physicians had given me up. Fortunately, a friend advised trying 'Electric Bitters,' and to my great joy and surprise, the first bottle made a decided improvement. I continued their use for three weeks and am now a well man. I know they saved my life and robbed the grave of another victim." No one should fail to try them. Only 50 cts., guaranteed, at H. A. Stoke's Drug Store.

McCormick Leads.

We have nine mowers ready for so many good farmers. Horse rakes, harrows, drills, sulky cultivators going rapidly. Come quick. J. C. KING & Co.

The low rates offered by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company for an excursion to the seashore Thursday, August 10th, will allow excursionists to go either to Atlantic City, Cape May, Sea Isle City, Ocean Grove, Avalon, Anglesea, Wildwood or Holly Beach.

Try an orange and celery phosphate; good drink when you are tired. 5 cents. Reynolds Drug Store.

Three prizes will be given in the bicycle race August 11th.

Call and examine our line of new buggies. Lowest prices. Guaranteed work. L. M. Snyder, Jackson street.

Two Indictments.

John W. Lucore, the alleged defaulting postmaster at Penfield, who was incarcerated in the Elk county jail some time ago, pending his securing bail, plead guilty before the United States circuit court at Erie of issuing postoffice money orders without having received the money therefore and will be sentenced in the next term of court in Pittsburg.

The grand jury found two indictments against Lucore, one of which he plead guilty to. The other was criminal embezzlement of postoffice money orders. The trial on the latter indictments was continued.

J. C. Harman, who is now in the Clearfield county jail awaiting trial for murder, was the assistant postmaster during Lucore's administration and there seems to be a disposition to connect him with the crime. He was also bondsman for Lucore, and if guilty it would be a case of a man virtually stealing money from himself. The shortage amounts to \$700.—Ridgway Democrat.

Headache for Forty Years.

For forty years I suffered from sick headache. About a year ago I began using Celery King. The result was gratifying and surprising, my headaches leaving at once. The headaches used to return every seventh day, but thanks to Celery King, I have had but one headache in the last eleven months. I know that what cured me will help others.—Mrs. John D. VanKeuren, Saugerties, N. Y. Celery King for the Nerves, Stomach, Liver and Kidneys is sold in 50c. and 25c. packages by H. Alex. Stoke.

Capt. William Astor Chanler, Congressman from New York, is the president of the New York Star, which is giving away a forty dollar bicycle daily, as offered by their advertisement in another column. Hon. Amos J. Cummings, M. C., Col. Asa Bird Gardner, District Attorney of New York, ex-Governor Hogg, of Texas, and Col. Fred Feigl, of New York, are among the well known names in their Board of Directors.

Trunks, valises and suit cases of all kinds at Millirens.

You will not be disappointed if you drink black raspberry, with or without ice cream, 5c. Reynolds Drug Store.

For particulars of bicycle race August 11th inquire at Stoke's drug store.

Millirens received a large invoice of Harris patent suspenders this week.

Business men expect the newspapers to boom the town, and thus, indirectly, boom the business men. That being true, the business men should do all possible to help the newspaper. Good newspapers represent the spirit of a town and its people.—Clearfield Public Spirit.

Buy Robinson's shoes.

Strayed on to the premises of G. H. Linderman, near Rathmel, July 17th, a small red cow with large bell on. The owner is hereby notified to call, pay all costs and take the cow away or she will be sold according to law.

In times of leisure prepare for heat. Linen suits and pants at Seeley's.

Try a cherry phosphate, 5c. Good thirst quencher. Reynolds Drug Store.

The Walk-Over, a strictly special shoe for men; you get them at Robinson's.

Arrow brand collars at Millirens, two for 25c.

Allegheny College
 Founded in 1855.
 Good Traditions, Strong Faculty
 Unsurpassed Location, Expenses Reasonable.
 Fall Term opens September 19th.
 Catalogue sent free of charge to any address on application to
 PRESIDENT CRAWFORD,
 Meadville, Pa.

N. HANAU
 Great Bargains in Summer Goods.
 I WILL SELL ALL SUMMER GOODS FOR LESS THAN COST.

Dimity, sold for .10, now	.06
" " " .15 " "	.08 to .10
Organdy, sold for .15 to .18 now	.10
Best Percalé,	.10
Good Percalé,	.06½ and .08
Ladies Shirt Waist,	.39
3 L Ribbed Vest, for	.10
Summer Silk,	\$1.00 to .75
" "	.75 to .55
" "	.50 to .25

CLOTHING.
 You will find Great Bargains in Clothing. I have a few summer suits left. Suits I have sold for \$8 and \$10, now \$5.50 and \$6.50. Child's suit .75. Don't miss this. Come quick. These goods went last long.

N. HANAU.

THE BICYCLE TRUST
 Has been Completed.
 After five months of negotiations the big undertaking has been finished. The capitalization of the concern will be \$40,000,000.
 It means Higher Prices next year. If you are delaying buying a wheel until next year, better buy it now and make money on your investment. By a fortunate deal I can now offer you a magnificent wheel at
\$20.00.
 A wheel that is up-to-date in every way. Large tubing, flush joints, detachable sprockets, self-oiling chain, adjustable handle bar, and tires that are guaranteed as highly as any tire made.
 If you want a wheel for pleasure or business, I can supply at a most reasonable price.
STOKE, Reliable Druggist.
 Don't forget the Road Race Aug. 11th.

An Interesting Climax---

To a season of trustworthy values will be the last days of July. Extra values are here—natural results, when every effort is being made to clear all lines in their proper season—when a clearance feeling prevails in all portions of the store. We propose making it unusually interesting buying for you—giving you values that will attest our earnestness—that will influence you to come to us for every summer need.

GENEROUS JULY VALUES

Not a need in the hosiery and underwear but what it means best buying economy to come here. The qualities of the offerings in this stock are well known, but the quick-moving prices—the special values for the summer buyers will tempt liberal purchases.

A QUICK CLEARANCE

A special hurry sale of these lines. Priced in a way that when the qualities of the offerings are considered, you'll feel them far under the real worth—you'll buy them with pleasure, feeling that the purchasing power of your money is being almost doubled.

Bing & Co.

A fine line of Ward, Mackey & Co.'s Famous Crackers (they are top-notch in quality) 5c. to 25c. a box at the UP-TO-DATE GROCERY.

ROBINSON & MUNDORFF.

Stop a Minute!

When looking for furniture all want the best and want to go where they can buy the cheapest.

SEE OUR STOCK

Parlor Suits,
 Bed-Room Suits,
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Please you for the least money. Call and examine our goods and get prices before you purchase elsewhere.

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