

ALDERSON AND VICINITY

Skating is over for awhile now. We had fairly good skating here at Alderson until last Tuesday night when a two or three-inch snowfall covered the ice rendering it useless for skating. The ice-cutters are getting busy now filling the local ice houses. We hear that they are cutting about ten inches of good clear ice.

To use a good old term the wild cat has "kicked the bucket." Visitors at R. A. Davis' store will be disappointed now for Mr. Wild Cat passed in his checks. We have heard of the cause of his demise so we will make no wild guesses. We merely say "there ain't any wild cat anymore."

Miss Mary Keiser, of Dansville, N. Y., is spending some time visiting her sister, Mrs. G. E. Altemus of Alderson.

The lake nearly claimed a winter victim on Sunday last when some young man whose name we have been unable to obtain went through the ice near Griffith's Landing at Alderson. M. B. Avery, who happened to be near at the time hurried out with a large plank and the young man was safely gotten out. It is strange that there are not more accidents for so many strangers go skating here without inquiring as to which parts are safe to skate on. Some, as we know, have

State's War On Drunken Drivers

Driving while intoxicated has constituted the chief cause for withdrawal of operating licenses of motorists in Pennsylvania for the last five years, statistics of the Department of Highways reveal.

A total of 3,904 drivers had their permits taken back by the department last year and of that number 1,592 were charged with drunkenness. In addition forty-eight others faced charges in addition to intoxication, making a total of 1,610 withdrawals for that cause.

During the preceding four years the percentage of licenses recalled for drunken driving either nearly equalled or excelled one-half of the total withdrawals. Prior to 1924 the withdrawals were not classified as to cause.

Ten years ago when the automobile was beginning its climb to the place it occupies today, a law providing revocation of the operating licenses of violators of the motor laws was passed by the Legislature. During that year 1919 there were ten revocations.

Voting Machine Bill Goes Back To Committee

The Davis bill to carry into effect the voting machine amendment passed last November was referred back to the committee on elections when it came up on second reading in the Senate Tuesday. The recommitment was on motion of the sponsor, Senator Davis, Lackawanna, seconded by Senator Harris, Allegheny. This was done so that the Davis bill and the Harris measure offered Tuesday on the same subject would come up in

the Senate on a par. paid for such foolishness already and these should take warning.

Our latest news from Charles Ktchen tells us that "he's in the army now." He joined the U. S. Field Artillery and is located at Fort Slocum, N. Y. We guess Charley is in for some rough ridin and plenty of hard work. When he comes back we're going to ask him how the soldiers can sit on those gun carriages with folded arms and stick there, no matter how rough the ground is. They always do that way in pictures anyhow.

James Montross has recovered from an attack of pneumonia. We envy him for we are beginning to think there is no such thing as recovery.

The Methodist Ladies' Aid held a covered dish social at the home of Mrs. Nelson Garinger. A goodly crowd attended and a delightful afternoon was spent by all.

Mr. James Altemus and family, of Shavertown, spent Sunday last with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Altemus of Alderson.

Miss Mary Kuchta, who has been ill for a few days, has returned to her school at Laketon.

Good Manners Acquired
John Erskine in "What Education Means to Me" says: "All good manners have something histrionic in them; they are not natural; they are a performance, and the best inspiration toward acquiring them is a fine desire to be agreeable to others."

Sheriff's Sale

Saturday, February 16, 1929, at 10 A. M.

By virtue of a writ of Alias Fi Fa, No. 97, January Term, 1929, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Luzerne County, to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale by virtue to the highest and best bidders, for cash, at the Sheriff's Sales Room, Court House, in the City of Wilkes-Barre, Luzerne County, Pennsylvania, on Saturday, the 16th day of February, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of the said day, all the right, title and interest of the defendants in and to the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:—

All the surface of those two certain lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate in the Borough of Swoyerville, County of Luzerne, and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described, as follows:

THE FIRST THEREOF:

Being lot No. 58 on Map of Pettebone Second Addition to Swoyerville Borough lots, as recorded in said County in the Office for the Recording Deeds, etc., in Map Book 2, page 38, described as follows:

BEGINNING at a corner on the southeasterly line of Church Street in line of lot No. 57 of said map; thence along the line of said Church Street, North 61 degrees 3 minutes east forty (40) feet to a corner in line of lot No. 59 of said map; thence along the line of said lot No. 59, South 28 degrees 40 minutes East one hundred twenty (120) feet to a corner in line of lot No. 61 of said map; thence along the line of said lot No. 61, South 61 degrees 3 minutes West, forty (40) feet to a corner in line of said lot No. 57; thence along the line of said lot No. 57 North 28 degrees 40 minutes West, one hundred twenty (120) feet to the said line of Church Street,

the place of beginning. THE SECOND THEREOF:

BEGINNING at a point on the Northwesterly side of Perrin Street; thence South 50 degrees 35 minutes West along said Perrin Street, eighty-seven and one-half (87½) feet to land of Andro Koval; thence along line of said Koval land in a Northwesterly direction forty-three (43) feet to a ten foot alley; thence along said alley, North 50 degrees 35 minutes east eighty-seven and one-half (87½) feet to a point; thence in a Southeasterly direction forty-three (43) feet to the place of beginning. Containing 3762½ square feet of surface, be the same more or less.

Improved with a two-story frame dwelling house, fruit trees, and out-buildings.

Coal and other minerals excepted and reserved.

Seized and taken into execution at the suit of Singer Sewing Machine

Company vs. Michael A. Lavin and Leo J. Hanks, and will be sold by

JOHN MacLUSKIE, Sheriff. EDWARD N. NOLL, Attorney.

DALLAS ROTARY MEETING
Dallas Rotary held its regular meeting on Thursday evening and a "round-table" discussion of community needs was the program.

Many suggestions were offered in regard to community work of not only Dallas but this entire section.

Stanley Shukwit, of Shavertown and Luzerne, performed on the musical saw.

DR. SWARTZ VERY BUSY

Dr. Swartz, our local M. D., is extremely busy these days going about administering to the sick. Due to the large number of people ill with la grippe and many other forms of flu.

An Ordinance

AN ORDINANCE FIXING SALARY OF CHIEF OF POLICE OF DALLAS BOROUGH FOR YEAR 1929.

Be it enacted and ordained by Town Council, Borough of Dallas, and it is hereby enacted and ordained by authority of same that salary of Chief of Police of Dallas Borough for year of 1929 be fixed at One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars per month or Twelve Hundred (\$1200.00) Dollars per year.

Enacted and ordained this 2nd day of January, 1929.

WARDAN KUNKLE, President Town Council. J. H. ANDERSON, Burgess.

Attest— HAROLD ROOD, Secretary Town Council. Approved this 4th day of January.

"Tell The World"

IN SPITE of all your enthusiasm over a new salad oil or shoe or hair dresser, you cannot possibly pass on the good news to more than a few people. You can't really "tell the world."

The manufacturer himself is in the same fix. He can't tell the world. His salesmen can't. His dealers can't. And the world ought to be told. It wants to know. It wants to know what's new, what's not only good, but better than the best; or cheaper; or more durable; or more useful; or just plain more fun.

Advertising "tells the world" today. Back of every advertisement is somebody, perhaps a whole group of somebodies, full of enthusiasm just as you are when you discover something that makes things easier or better for you. They are telling just as many people as they can reach in the world in person. But that is only a tiny fraction of those they speak to in advertising.

Advertisements are truly personal things to the people who write them. And they can be exceedingly personal for you, too, for they mean better food, better clothing, increased health, a happier home, greater prosperity.

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THEY TELL YOU WHAT YOU
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A DRAPERY SALE

WHICH REDUCES ALL CURTAINS AND ALL CURTAIN FABRICS

2300 Pairs of Curtains 20% Less

Springtime is "fixing up" time and there's no need hesitating when you can get lovely curtains at a 20% reduction! There are a good many kinds, so you're pretty sure to find the style you want.



Curtain Fabrics and Damasks 15% Less

All lovely damask for doors or window drapes—all curtain fabrics to make your own curtains are now 15% less! Plan now for the Spring rejuvenating while this saving is effective.

CRISS CROSS CURTAINS

\$1.35

Marquisette criss cross curtains in ivory or ecru. With tie-backs to match. Reduced from \$1.69 in the Sale.

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