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MEN'S OVERCOATS WORTH UP TO \$15.00 \$7.50

This special bargain is offered to induce you to visit our clothing Dept. during our pre-Holiday sale.



STATE NEWS

LIQUOR VIOLATION. PARKERSBURG, Dec. 17.—Ell E. Garnett has been arrested and released under bail by United States court official on a charge of violating the federal internal revenue laws by selling liquor to another person.

TO PETITION FOR PARDONS. MOUNDSVILLE, Dec. 17.—S. U. G. Rhodes, David Hill, B. A. Smith, Rath Duff and H. F. Asbury, the five members of the state legislature serving terms for bribery in the state penitentiary here, have served notice on Governor Hatfield that they will file petitions for pardons. The men were sentenced last August.

SERIOUSLY HURT. PARKERSBURG, Dec. 17.—William T. Banks, unmarried, aged about 35 years, while attending to his duties as yardmaster of the Ohio River division of the B & O railroad company at Gould avenue, was struck by west-bound passenger train No. 703, hurled in front of a yard engine and badly crushed and mangled.

TWO GIRLS BURNED. HUNTINGTON, Dec. 17.—When her dress became ignited from an open gas stove Monday night Miss Ota Sheets, 17 years old, of 1115 Fourth Avenue was seriously burned. Her sister, Olive Sheets, received severe blisters about the hands and arms when she went to the other girl's assistance.

The girls were standing in front of the open fire when Miss Ota's dress blew into the flames. Before the fire had reached her face Miss Olive tore the blazing clothes from her sisters' body and probably saved her life.

WOMEN SUFFER FROM WAR.

Thousands of Women of Europe Are Left Destitute, Unprotected and in Misery.

The hearts of the women of America go out to their sisters in Europe who are left in misery and want. American women often suffer from deprivations that are purely feminine.

At the first symptoms of any derangement of the feminine organism at any period of life the one safe, really hopeful remedy is Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

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Wesleyan To Have A Strong Debating Team

NEGOTIATIONS ARE NOW ON WITH SEVERAL COLLEGES.

ARRANGEMENTS ARE NOW COMPLETE FOR THE TRY-OUT DEBATE.

BUCKHANNON, Dec. 17.—(Special.)—It was given out yesterday by Secretary McQuain, of the Wesleyan Oratorical Association, that Wesleyan would have some strong debating teams on her floor this year, and perhaps send two teams away from home.

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Advertisement for Courtney's clothing store. 'The Exclusive Specialty Store for Women's Apparel.' 'The Store of Style and Quality - Prices Temptingly Low.' 'ONLY 7 DAYS And From Now on Until Xmas Shop Early in the Day. Don't Forget Your Handkerchiefs. The reason nine persons out of ten include handkerchiefs on their gift lists is because they combine the maximum of utility with the minimum of expense—that is, if they are the right kind of handkerchiefs.'

using for a liquor house of Uniontown, was yesterday given a hearing before Justice Fleming and bound over to answer a indictment by the grand jury. Suplida handed out the advertisements while on a train coming from Uniontown to this city. He has so far failed to furnish bond so was sent back to the county jail.

COURT NEWS. Licenses Issued. S. Denzel Straight, 21, and Nettie B. Swisher, 21, both of Fairmont. John A. Raikes, 26, and Mary Shaffer, 21, both of Fairmont. Torrence H. Shaver, 27, of Worthington, and Cora D. Hall, 28, of Barackville.

Fire Yesterday At Sixth Street

A small fire yesterday afternoon at 3:15 called the Central department to the home of R. H. Smith, colored, on Sixth street, in the rear of the Ritz store. A hot fire in the oven of the cook stove had ignited the floor of the kitchen. It was put out before the arrival of the fire wagon.

Advertisement for 'FLOWERS' by Hayman Greenhouse Co. 'Watson Hotel Bldg. - Both Phones. FAIRMONT, W. VA.'

Advertisement for 'CASTORIA' for infants and children. 'In Use For Over 30 Years. Always bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.'

Advertisement for 'Harry R. Cole' cleaning, pressing, repairing ladies' work. 'Suits Made to Measure. Send us your work by parcel post and let us know when you will call for it. 121 MAIN ST. Opp. Colonial Theatre, Over Barber Shop. Bell phone 43-J.'

Advertisement for 'For Sale!' Palm Oil Feed for hogs or cattle. '\$16.00 per ton, f. o. b. Clarkburg. Can make prompt shipment. PHILLIPS SHEET & TIN PLATE CO., Clarkburg, W. Va.'

Advertisement for 'CHICHESTER'S PILLS' for constipation. 'THE DIAMOND BRAND. Endorsed by your Druggist. Sold by Druggists Everywhere.'

Advertisement for 'DR. A. B. SMITH' OSTEOPATH and EYE SPECIALIST. 'All diseases successfully treated without drugs or surgical operation. Glasses of all kinds correctly fitted and guaranteed satisfactory. No 7 HALL BLOCK, MAIN ST. Opposite Marietta Hotel. Both Phones.'

Advertisement for 'Christmas' goods. 'Fruit Cake, Pastry, Candies, Loose Boxes or Baskets Everything Home Made at Comunitis.'

Advertisement for 'Mountain State Brand Sweet Apple CIDER'. 'Made by the Morgan County Cold Storage Company, of Berkeley Springs, W. Va. The most healthful, nutritive temperance drink. Made from thoroughly washed, selected apples. Grown in the great Eastern Pan Handle. If not carried by your grocer, phone Frank Morgan, either phone. This cider has been tested by the Prosecuting Attorney of Morgan County and was approved by him as being non-alcoholic.'

Advertisement for 'FREE ENGINEERING ADVICE'. 'Our Industrial Power Department is composed of specialists in the application of gas for power, either through the gas engine or steam boiler. We offer you assistance in solving your power problem without obligating you. Our advice is given only after we make careful tests of your present equipment. A report of these tests will be left with you whether you decide to do business with us or not. If others in your line of business can profitably use gas power you can also. There is no time like "NOW" to get the facts as they apply to your case. Holt Drug Co. Fairmont Gas Company. C. H. EVANS, General Manager. Consolidated, 568. Telephones—Bell, 550.'

Big Wrestling Match At the Grand Tonight

Tonight at the Grand Opera House Charlie Olsen, the Stranger, will meet William Demetral, the Greek Demon, in a wrestling match. Both men are of the topnotcher variety and will put up a first class exhibition of the wrestling game. Demetral has met the best men in the world and has not been defeated in the past three years. He has contested the mat with Gotch and Bysbski. Olsen is a man who knows every trick and will give a great battle for mat supremacy at the Grand.

John Suplida is Held for Grand Jury

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Plans Being Laid For Track And Field Meet

UNIVERSITY OF WEST VIRGINIA EXPECTS TO HAVE GREAT TEAMS THIS YEAR.

HAS HAD CHAMPIONSHIP OF THE STATE FOR TWO YEARS, SEEKS TO BRANCH OUT.

MORGANTOWN, Dec. 17.—As a result of the fact that the West Virginia University has won the state championship in track and field sports two years in succession, local officials are planning to branch out in this particular form of sport next spring.

In anticipation of extensive activity, Director of Athletics George W. Pyle has instructed Manager P. H. Miller, of Wheeling, to arrange three or four meets for next spring and letters are now being sent to various colleges in Ohio, West Virginia and Western Pennsylvania, asking for dual meets. Prospects were never brighter here for a banner year and Director Pyle is anxious to take advantage of this state of affairs.

Unless there is a hitch in present arrangements West Virginia will be seen in the big intercollegiate meet which is held in Pittsburgh every spring in which six or seven colleges are represented. It was the intention to enter this meet last spring, but owing to the fact that no track was available here at that time it was thought best to wait until this year. Plans are on to hold a dual meet with either Marietta College or at Parkersburg,

or with Allegheny, at Meadville, Pa. Melville Boyles, ex-captain of the football team, is the only point winner on last year's state championship team who has been lost, but Newman, formerly of Marshall College, will step into his shoes. Newman holds the state record in the hammer throw and he is also good with the weights. Dorsey Brennan, of Grafton, and Ruppelle, of Massachusetts, are still in college, and they no doubt will be able to hold up to their marks last year, which won places in the state meet at Fairmont. West Virginia will be especially strong in the dash and distance events, as not a man has been lost from last spring's team. More attention is being paid to track sports this spring than has formerly been the case here and fans can expect something out of the ordinary when the season rolls around.

THROUGH TRAINS. PARKERSBURG, Dec. 17.—Effective now is a new schedule of passenger trains on the main line. None of the trains passing through Parkersburg are affected only to the extent that No. 4, which leaves for the east at 7:05 is consolidated with No. 10, a Chicago train, at Cumberland and will be operated to Baltimore as one train. West bound No. 55 will be consolidated at Baltimore with No. 10 at Cumberland. There are other consolidations of trains at Cumberland, but the time schedule is not affected by the changes. Some of the eastern local runs have been partly abandoned.

Advertisement for 'THE CHICAGO DIARY SPECIAL'. 'Good Rio Coffee, 15c lb.; 7 lbs., \$1.00. Good Tub Butter, 30c. Fresh Country Eggs, 33c. Fresh Country Print, 33c. We both lose money if you do not trade here. CHICAGO DAIRY, 309 Madison St.'

Large advertisement for 'SAM B. ISEMAN A Real Man's Store Main St.' featuring an illustration of a man in a suit and the text: 'TO THE MAN... Appearance Means Something. In the few remaining days until Christmas Morning—you had better let us assist you in the selection of things that all men need and appreciate. Suits, Overcoats, Balmacaans, Hats, Shirts, Ties, Shoes, Combination Sets, Traveling Bags, Suit Cases, Underwear, Bath Robes, and Gloves in Christmas Boxes.'

Advertisement for 'AGENCY Park & Tilford And Norris Exquisite Candies'. 'In all size packages. Glace Nuts, Chocolates, Bon Bons, Assorted Chocolates, Cordial Cherries, Cream Brazil Nuts, Nutted Chocolates, Assorted Chocolates, selected centers, Blanched Almond Nougat, Arcadian and chocolate covered Caramels. All in special Xmas packages and baskets. Holt Drug Co. Where Quality and Cleanliness go hand in hand.'