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NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

Interesting Items From Various Points in the County, Reported by Our Staff of Correspondents

WALLER.

Mr. John Savage is seriously ill with pneumonia. Several other cases are also reported in this vicinity of the same disease which is probably the grip in modified forms.

The new M. E. church near Divide, to be known as Sylvan Chapel, will be dedicated next Sunday Dec. 24. Rev. Fortner, a former pastor is expected to be present and conduct the dedicatory services assisted by the present pastor, Rev. Houtz and neighboring ministers.

The rain on Saturday came very nearly taking the sleighing, but we have plenty of ice left and the sleds are still running. That ice is generally prevalent is shown by the Millville Creamery's driving sleds this week.

Mr. Aaron Kile and Miss Grace Fritz of Divide, were united in the bonds of holy wedlock on Saturday evening, and on Monday evening they were greeted with an unholy serenade by the boys, who were so hasty as to never stop to practice in tuning their instruments and keeping the proper time, without which music is only a chaos, but with cow bells and sleigh bells, dinner horns and fog horns, crosscut saws and circular saws, tin pans and tin boilers and everything else imaginable to make the night too hideous to sleep the bride and groom were compelled to get up, and after the "boys" received a generous treat they gave the newly married pair their best wishes for a happy future and wended their ways homeward.

The hunters were not very successful in capturing deer this season, yet each party got about three, which after considering their scarcity is good enough, but the rabbits are being decimated at a terrible rate. One man shot four in a half hour, a party got seven Monday and a school boy who



Reflections of a Married Woman are not pleasant if she be delicate, run-down, or overworked. She feels "played out." Her smile and her good spirits have taken flight. It worries her husband as well as herself.

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has been neither tardy nor absent all winter, and has a mile to go to school is said to have coaxed some thirty to his hands, besides quite a number of pheasants for a change. These figures are not given as record breakers but merely to show that we know how to take care of such things after fattening them.

Rumor has it that the wedding bells are going to be kept ringing quite frequently about Christmas, and there don't seem to be much reason for doubting it; several contending parties have been on the list for some time and perhaps no fitter time could be found to settle it through thick or thin till death us do part, as the saying runs.

EAST BENTON.

Present appearances indicate a thaw that will substitute mud for snow.

Butchering has commenced all along the line.

Never heard so much unfavorable comment on verdicts of juries in the history of jury trials throughout the State, as during the court proceedings of the last Quarter Sessions. Better poll every jury and let the majority render a verdict. Or better still, dispense with traverse juries and submit every case to the judgment of the Judge.

The hunters still ply their vocation with no better success than at the beginning of the game season.

Silas McHenry, of Cambra, shot over 80 pheasants this fall.

Samuel P. Krickbaum is complaining ill at present. He is much afflicted with rheumatism.

Judge Krickbaum killed a porker that was supposed to tip the scales at 500 pounds.

Christmas comes on apace. Let the charitably inclined and those in easy circumstances not forget the poor.

Much sickness prevails in some localities in and near this place.

It is reported that Will Calander, of Cambra, and Nettie Wenner, of Van Camp, will be married this coming Saturday.

Philip Gibbons killed a hog that netted between 300 and 400 pounds.

A depleted treasury is the order of the day. So is a depleted pocket book. Now let us have "tariff reform" that all these may be replenished.

Our local mechanics have also been forced into winter quarters by reason of the late freeze up.

It is said that poultry and pork have somewhat declined in price by reason of large supply.

LIGHT STREET.

An entertainment will be given in the M. E. Church on Monday evening.

The Misses Maggie Driebelbis and Myrtle Albertson, of Jackson twp., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Young during the past week.

Miss Phoebe Shew has so far recovered from her recent sickness as to be out again.

L. M. Pettit has broken ground for a new house, expects to have it ready for occupancy by the first of April.

Samuel Burnside, an old colored man who resided here years ago, came to town on a visit on Saturday last, was taken sick and is now critically ill.

Mrs. Hettie Kelchner, who has been visiting at Shamokin for several weeks past, returned home last week.

M. M. Hicks paid his son Benjamin Hicks, of Scranton, a visit last week. Whilst there he visited the new M. E. church lately erected, which he says is a fine one, the organ costing nine thousand dollars.

Mrs. Ira Piatt, who has been living in the south for some time past is visiting her parents at this place, Mr. and Mrs. Getty, before settling at their old home, formerly near Waller.

Our blacksmiths were kept very busy the past two weeks getting the horses in proper shape for the rough roads.

Mrs. Lingsley, of Wilkes Barre, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Silas Young.

FORKS.

Another gone to rest. Mrs. Rebecca Bogert departed this life Dec. 13th, at the home of her son, Aaron Bogert, at the ripe old age of 83 years and 27 days. She was immediately removed to the home of her son, John W. Bogert, the old homestead. The remains were kept there till Sunday a. m., when she was conveyed to Zion's church, where Rev. Mr. Straub preached an appropriate funeral discourse, from Luke, chap. VIII, verse 52, after which she was buried in the Zion church cemetery, followed by many relatives and friends and citizens of the community. The attendance at the church and at the grave was large. Another has finished out life's course and gone to rest. She was of the Lutheran persuasion, and was a consistent member of this church for many years. Cemetery means a place of rest and so she has gone there to rest to await a happy resurrection. What is her friends' loss is her gain. "We are going down the valley one by one." To God's people death is but the ferry boat conveying them across the dark river only to return for more. She



A Racking Cough

Cured by Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. Mrs. P. D. HALL, 217 Genesee St., Lockport, N. Y., says:

"Over thirty years ago, I remember hearing my father describe the wonderful curative effects of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. During a recent attack of La Grippe, which assumed the form of a catarrh, soreness of the lungs, accompanied by an aggravating cough, I used various remedies and prescriptions. While some of these medicines partially alleviated the coughing during the day, none of them afforded me any relief from that spasmodic action of the lungs which would seize me the moment I attempted to lie down at night. After ten or twelve such nights, I was

Nearly in Despair,

and had about decided to sit up all night in my easy chair, and procure what sleep I could in that way. It then occurred to me that I had a bottle of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. I took a spoonful of this preparation in a little water, and was able to lie down without coughing. In a few moments, I fell asleep, and awoke in the morning greatly refreshed and feeling much better. I took a teaspoonful of the Pectoral every night for a week, then gradually decreased the dose, and in two weeks my cough was cured."

**Ayer's Cherry Pectoral**  
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Prompt to act, sure to cure

left a family of five sons and three daughters, all married; besides two children dead.

There are a number of persons in this vicinity who have taken the Keely Gold Cure for the liquor habit. In so doing they have shown a desire to break loose from the habit, and they ought to be assisted and encouraged in every possible way. It would be a double crime for any one to sell or give them liquor, even if they ask for it, because the law prohibits the sale of intoxicants to those habitually addicted to their excessive use; and secondly, it would be a far greater crime to help such a one back to his former miserable condition after he has made such a noble effort to redeem himself.

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12-25-17.

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Lippincott's Magazine for January, 1894.

The complete novel in the January number of "Lippincott's" is "The Colonel," by Harry Willard French. Based on a romantic adventure, in which the hero saves the heroine's life at sea, the tale goes on to study the characters of these two highly-gifted idealists, and to trace the fortunes of a mutual passion which neither is willing to own. The sentiment throughout is the purest and loftiest of which human nature is capable, and the chapters appeal to the reader's heart no less than to his brain.

Gilbert Parker supplies the opening chapters of a serial story, "The Trespasser," which will run through six numbers of the magazine. It deals with a Canadian of high family, who comes from a wild and wandering life to take his rightful place in England, and is of uncommon force and interest.

"Frenchy" is a domestic tale by Molly Elliot Seawell. "A Mother and Her Boy," by George Morley is a pathetic sketch from every-day life.

"The Peninsula of Lower California," by James Knapp Reeve, gives valuable information concerning that little-known region, and corrects sundry errors of the "Encyclopaedia Britannica" and other received accounts.

Mrs. Sherwood's "Recollections" of Rachel, Fanny Kemble, and Charlotte Cushman will interest many. Julian Hawthorne, in "A Poet of Manhood" pays tribute to the memory of Daniel L. Dawson.

Under the heading, "A Juvenile Revival," Thomas Chalmers celebrates the "Christian Endeavor" era. Frank Shelley writes of "Early Marriage Customs," and Charles Morris anticipates "The Twentieth Century." In "Talks with the Trade," F. M. B. answers some questions of young writers.

The poetry of the number is of unusual merit. It is by Martha T. Tyler, Celia A. Hayward, Kathleen R. Wheeler, Edward Oldham, M. S. Paden, and the late Daniel L. Dawson.

Wood's College of Business and Shorthand has in it the swing of victory.

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