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NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

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

EAST BENTON.

CENTRAL.

We are enjoying good spring weather at this writing but a great many are complaining sick. The grippe has about tackled everyone in this section.

Henry C. Hess one of our oldest and most respected citizens, invited his two grand sons who are both grown up young men and first rate good fellows, out to shoot mark on New Year's day. Mr. H. taking his old time twist cut, the young men their improved arms. After firing about nine rounds each, it was discovered by the score that the old gentleman was several points ahead.

Mr. James Shultz, another standby, and an old resident of this section has been seriously sick the past week.

The hotel at Central will change hands again about February 1st. The people seem to like the change.

Not very much work now until spring opens up, and what work has been done here was mostly through contractors who employed their help from elsewhere.

It would be no more than right for these same parties that expect to live off the public to let them get their support from others.

ELK GROVE.

This little village is situated about two miles from Central and has with the exception of Jamison City, the largest population in Sugarloaf township. It has been built up within four years almost entirely through the firm of Messrs. Sheppard & Burcher, who conducted the lumber business. The firm has now closed, Mr. Sheppard going elsewhere.

Mr. Burcher built about three years ago a fine building, principally for a business stand. The buildings, both house and barn, is very conveniently located. The house is a good sized one, well furnished throughout, heat supplied by a large furnace,



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heating every room in the house with hot air, so flowers can bloom during the winter season. Mrs. Burcher has some very beautiful varieties at the present time. Mr. Burcher now proposes to conduct a first-class hotel here, and his reputation as a gentleman in all his dealings, which have been many, warrants in saying he will be the right man in the right place.

Everyone in the grove seem to enjoy good health, and instances are now coming to light where some expect to live a retired life.

FORKS.

There will be a prize contest soon in Zion church. Extensive preparations are being made to have an interesting time. The competitors are busily engaged preparing their declamations. This is laudable and redounds to the development of the young and entertainment of the public.

The cemetery could be beautified with shade and ornamental trees growing here upon the hillsides.

E. M. Laubach is fast gaining prominence as a pump maker. Orders from a distance are coming in for pumps. His work is well received, as he never makes a failure. His press squeezed out 400 barrels of cider this fall.

Oh! that our supervisor would attempt to fix the bridge spanning the Fishingcreek near Amerman's store. It looks like a relic of past ages. Holes in the weatherboards big enough to pass a first class funeral or a 4th of July procession. And we suppose the railroad station will never be moved to suit the convenience of the public down to the road that leads to Jones town.

Measles is becoming quite prevalent among the children.

There is always a recognized leader in every community. Mrs. James Amerman is head and front in every enterprise for the public good. Her hand is visible in Zion church matters of any interest. Miss Grace Amerman has been indulging in fine skating upon the mill race of E. M. Laubach's.

Prof. Peeler of Asbury is successful in obtaining pensions.

Singing talent is no better than at Forks and Asbury.

J. B. DeLong, of Orangeville, during the past season, has met with fine success in furnishing the public with stoves. He has a large assortment. His emporium is well stocked with everything of this sort and he has the business qualities to drive the business.

Landlord Shaeffer, Orangeville, is running a good hotel; he understands the business.

Wesley Bowman and son Henry, have been supplying the markets of Baltimore and Philadelphia with the best of buckwheat flour. A clean mill, floors well swept, make a good impression upon the customer and the public. This mill is in apple pie order every day in the week.

Lawrence Jenkins of Elk Grove, is visiting his grandparents at Forks.

Mr. Zaner is coming on finely since the removal of cancer.

B. F. Edgar who has been one of our county Commissioners during the past three years, retires from the office with credit; has properly represented the interests of the county. This is a good advertisement of his integrity and qualifications as a public office holder.

The G. A. R. at Orangeville and vicinity will have a public installation of officers the forthcoming Saturday night a week. Oyster supper from 4 in the afternoon till 7. The public are cordially invited to attend. They cannot patronize anything more worthy than the old veterans who surrendered their lives that their country might live.

Messrs Edgar and Smith will resume the distillery business in the near future. Mr. Edgar has rented out his farm to parties for cultivation. Miss Edgar, a daughter, is running the school at Forks efficiently.

A Pension Decision.

A RULING WHICH WILL AFFECT A LARGE NUMBER OF CASES.

Assistant Secretary Reynolds, of the interior department, rendered one of the most important pension decisions that has been made by this administration. The case under consideration was that of James E. Harrison, late of company M. Third Iowa cavalry, who claimed a pension for a gunshot wound in the arm. The principal question involved is that "line of duty" and the effect of the decision will be to reverse a large number of decisions made during the last administration in which this question was at issue.

Previous to Mr. Harrison's administration it had been held in a long line of decisions that where a soldier received a disability while absent from his command, acting for himself and for his own pleasure and benefit, that he was not entitled to a pension. But during the last administration, it is alleged, there was a material departure from this well established rule. Some cases were decided, it is said, in accordance with the rule which had long prevailed, while in others men were

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.



A Racking Cough

Cured by Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. Mrs. P. D. HALL, 217 Genessee 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."

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pensioned when acting for their own benefit and pleasure. The practice finally culminated in the case of Harrison which is overruled and made to conform to the rule which had been in force for years under all prior administrations.

The condor soars higher than any other known species of bird, spending nine tenths of his life floating about at a height of over three miles.

The oldest tree now extant is probably the baobab of Africa, alias the sour gourd of cream-of-tartar tree of Australia, which is known to be at least 5,000 years old.

Buckingham's Dye for the Whiskers is a popular preparation in one bottle, and colors evenly a brown or black. Any person can easily apply it at home.

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Death.

Died on Dec. 29, in Fishingcreek township, Mr. Samuel Yoft, age 88 year, 6 months and 16 days.

REGISTER'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to all legatees, creditors and other persons interested in the estates of the respective decedents and minors that the following administrators, executors, guardians, accounts have been filed in the office of the Register of Columbia county, and will be presented for confirmation and allowance in the Orphans' Court to be held in Bloomsburg, Monday, February 5th, 1894, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day.

No. 1. First and final account of E. E. Everett, Executor of Lafayette Unger, late of Pine Township, Columbia county, dec'd.

No. 2. The account of R. C. Rishel and C. W. Savitts, Administrators of B. F. Savitts, late of Bloomsburg, deceased.

No. 3. First and final account of Henry Divis, Administrator cum testamento annexo of Phebe Divis, late of Benton Township, Columbia county, deceased.

No. 4. First and final account of B. F. Fruit and George F. Watson, Administrators of David Phillips late of Madison Township, Columbia county, deceased.

No. 5. First and final account of Ida Shaffer, Administrator &c., of William H. Shaffer, late of the Town of Bloomsburg, deceased.

No. 6. First and final account of J. M. Wenner, Administrator of the estate of Jacob O. Wilson, late of Fishingcreek Township, deceased.

No. 7. The account of E. M. Tewksbury, Guardian of Matilda Ann Zimmerman, grand daughter of Thomas Knorr, late of Bloom Township, deceased.

No. 8. The first and final account of Sylvester C. Yohey, administrator of the estate of Wm. H. Yohey, late of Mifflin Township, deceased.

No. 9. First and partial account of J. C. Messenger and Wm. H. Messenger, Administrators, &c., of J. L. Messenger, dec'd.

No. 10. The final account of Mary Angle and Hurler W. Angle, administrators of the estate of H. B. Angle, late of Scott township deceased.

No. 11. The first and partial account of Moses McHenry, executor of John Rhinard, deceased.

No. 12. First and final account of Lahman Martz and Charles C. Evans, executors of the last will and testament of Daniel Martz, late of Columbia county, deceased.

No. 13. First and final account of M. M. Hinderstot, guardian of Charity M. Camp, a minor child of Clara Camp, deceased.

No. 14. First and final account of M. M. Hinderstot, guardian of Oscar L. Camp, minor child of Clara Camp, deceased.

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What Patriots We Are (?)

What patriotism there is in this country is gradually working to the top. Every little while we see evidence of it. The citizen who refused to go to the army until his district, or some fellows equally brave (?) as himself, offered and paid him a bounty for doing so, is now the most clamorous for exorbitant pensions. The statesman(?) who was in the hey day of life during the war, but kept far away from it, has now the most to say in keeping alive the prejudices and sectional bitterness that should have been buried with Lee's surrender. The soldier (?) who joined the "diarrhoea corps" before he got to the front and who stuck to it until he got a discharge, is the one whose recollections are the most vivid of the bloody battles he never saw and of hardships and bravery to which he was an entire stranger. The churches that demanded contribution on top of contribution, for relief organizations at the front, and whose pulpits resounded with denunciations of their own members, and everybody else, who could not believe that carrying on a war was the proper means of adjusting differences between sister states, or settling disputes between our own people, have not forgotten their patriotism, and thirty years after the close of the war come to the front with the bounty taker, the hanger-round the hospital, the stay at home howler, and demand their pound of flesh for services rendered the government in the hour of its necessity.

A case of the latter kind comes from our neighboring town of Tyrone, where a little wooden church, the cost of which was less than \$1800, was used for a few weeks during the war for sleeping quarters for men who were enlisting in the service. It now demands of the government, through congressman Hicks, \$2000 as reimbursement for its use. Had any one at the time its doors were opened to accommodate the men who were on their way to the front, intimated that it was not patriotism or love of the old flag, that actuated its trustees, he would have been denounced a traitor, and pointed to as an enemy of the government. At that time to doubt the purpose of those who were demanding war, or to suspect the services that were so blantly offered, when and where there was no danger, was to make ones self liable to arrest and imprisonment as well as to social and political ostracism.

But time seems to uncover much that was hidden. And nothing that it exposes does it show plainer than the deception, the hypocrisy, the pretense and the parsimony, that wrapped itself in the flag and paraded as "patriotism" here at home during the dark days of the war.—Watchman.

Married.

On the 4th inst., at the Reformed parsonage in Orangeville, by Rev. A. Houtz, Mr. Harry S. Berlin, of Espy, and Miss Kate Wilson, of Jerseytown.

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