

Goldsmith, the Tailor.

Canned Corn, Peas, Peaches, Pears, and Tomatoes at Robinson's Grocery.

Don't forget the Bible Normal conducted by Elder J. Kurtz Miller at the McConnellsville church next week.

John D. Rockefeller advises young men to keep a careful record of all expenditures and receipts, so that at the end of every year they may tell whether they are saving enough to provide against the inevitable rainy day.

The Ladies' Home Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church will give a Colonial Supper at the home of Miss Mary Pittman on Thursday evening, January 25.

Isaac Morgret of Hancock has recently purchased Thompson Peck's livery at that place. Thompson is slowly regaining his health, being able a few days ago to take a short drive.

George W. Cooper has sold his hotel property at Milton.

William H. Dodson, says the Hancock Star, has purchased the Hancock Foundry and Machine Works from the George W. Saylor estate.

The Directors of the Franklin and Fulton Telephone Company met on Thursday of last week for the annual round up.

A quarterly school report received from the principal of the C. V. normal school by Mr. J. G. Reiser of this place giving the class standing of Mr. Reiser's son Ed, states that out of a possible thirteen A's, Ed. made ten; the other three being two B's and one C.

It is reported that Dr. Bernhardt, of Dublin Mills has bought the Dr. Stever property at Three Springs. The former is putting up ice at the latter place.

To attract new business and hold the old you should make the name and merit of your business as familiar as household words to the people of your own county.

The Pennsylvania Fish Commission had heard tales that the brown trout with which some of the streams of the State were stocked were particularly susceptible to destruction from lightning.

The best teachers for boys and girls are the lives of good men and good women.

Selfishness is that detestable vice which no one will forgive in others, and no one is without himself.

Walk straight up to trouble if it is coming your way, but don't run after it. This is the only certain way of making it look small.

How they differ—a woman can not run up a telegraph pole, and a cat can't run up a store bill.

An honest confession that does not reach down to the pocket-book is an injury to the soul.

Come to the NEWS office and see our sale bills and learn prices before placing your order.

Now is a critical time in the history of business men. Some merchants are content to advertise during the holidays but the shrewd and always successful business man never permits his business to slumber during the so-called "dull season."

No Cause to Be Discouraged. Mr. Youngpop—My little girl is nearly 2 years old and hasn't learned to talk yet.

There is enough coal in New Mexico to supply the whole of the United States for 1,000 years.

THE GREATEST BOOK ON EARTH.

The greatest book on earth is Wilmore's Bible. By this it is not meant that Mr. Wilmore has discovered a way by which people living in open defiance of the laws of God have just as much hope of heaven as those who have accepted Christ as their Savior.

BETHLEHEM.

Ice plenty in the Corner. Boyd Elvey and Luther Fix have obtained employment in Altoona.

Mrs. Flora Shaffer spent Sunday afternoon at the home of G. M. Mumma, and Misses Daisy Elvey and Sadie Shaffer were at Charles Lawyer's.

Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Elvey spent Saturday afternoon in McConnellsburg.

John Shaffer makes no pretensions as a jeweler, but he knows how to make a clock go.

Miss Lucy Peightel spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. George Fix.

BURNT CABINS.

S. P. Metzler, and Miss Annie Miller visited the county seat today.

Scott Miller and son Jacob, of Shirleysburg, spent Saturday and Sunday at J. W. Miller's, of this place.

On last Friday, Frank Oliver was unfortunate enough to have his leg broken above the knee while working on the planing mill.

Miss Laurietta Polk and one of her pupils spent Saturday and Sunday at her home in Knobsville.

J. W. Miller is visiting his son Samuel, at Shade Gap.

Wm. Greer, of Knobsville, visited our city on Saturday.

THOMPSON.

Rev. Barney's protracted meeting began last Sunday. Rev. Hughes preached at Zion at three o'clock.

Mrs. L. M. Fisher, of Brunswick, Md., attended church at Antioch Sunday.

Mrs. M. A. Kelley and Mrs. A. F. Little of McConnellsburg visited friends on the Ridge last week.

Mrs. J. V. K. Fisher and daughter Rose Bell, of Brunswick, Md., visited Mrs. Fisher's mother, Mrs. Cattlett from Friday until Monday.

James Stech and James Rine-dollar of McConnellsburg were recent visitors at George Bishop's.

Miss Millie Lynch spent last Sunday with her friend Olive Gregory.

Hess and Gregory is the name of our new huckster company.

With the beginning of 1900 a new series of lessons was taken up by the Sunday schools, as suggested by the International Committee.

The whole will make a most interesting and instructive course.

BABY STUART.

A Popular Misconception of Vanduyke's Crieser Painting.

If the number of houses in which there hang reproductions of a certain drawing of a little child's head after Vanduyke could be enumerated, it would cause astonishment. There is nothing surprising in the popularity of the head. But whatever genius named it "Baby Stuart" is responsible for many ludicrous misapprehensions.

There are women who believe that this head was painted by Gilbert Stuart. There are women who have asked if it was the infant of A. T. Stewart. Again, there are women who know that it depicts one of the children of Charles I, but who do not know which one of his children it is.

REMOVING A RING.

A Jeweler Tells How to Take Off One That Has Grown Tight.

Most girls who have had baby rings have had trouble in removing them from their fingers. "There is really no necessity for all this ado about removing a tight ring," said a jeweler.

By this time the jeweler had passed the needle and thread under the ring on his own finger and was prepared to illustrate the little lecture.

Danish Hospitality.

A correspondent of the Dundee Advertiser writes from Denmark: "The people of Denmark, though sprung from the same stock as ourselves, are infinitely more polite and hospitable—so much so that my friend the Scotch landowner, who is Scotch to the backbone and never more Scotch than when out of Scotland, early came to the conclusion that their politeness, besides being a mighty trouble to themselves, was a sheer waste of time."

Where Dr. Johnson Was Married. One of the most interesting entries in the parish register of St. Werburgh's, Derby, relates to the marriage of Dr. Johnson and the widow Porter, which was celebrated in St. Werburgh's, it reads:

"Marr.—Samuel Johnson, of ye parish of St. Mary's, in Lichfield, and Elizabeth Porter, of ye parish of S. Phillip, in Bham."

Why the couple should have traveled from Birmingham to Derby to be wed is greatly dark. Even Boswell confessed that he could not understand the reason. Johnson, however, gave him an amusing account of the journey.

Wouldn't Trust Him. Mean men continue to exist, and frequent examples are cited of what is claimed to be the meanest of all.

J. H. Covall, President of the Fulton Telephone Company, accompanied by his son Simeon, spent a couple of days in town this week looking after the interests of his line.

The several telephone companies operating in this county seem to be prospering and are providing a great convenience for the people.

A SONG OF LIFE.

What shall I make of my life, love? What shall I bring to you? Flower of fair color, song of lullabies sweet? Find that over waters of tears on a faithful wing to you?

When Jackson Gave an Order, It Was Obedied to the Letter. The following dialogue, current at the time, between one of Stonewall Jackson's soldiers and the provost guard illustrates Jackson's tact at eluding his enemy and also the obedience rendered and the confidence reposed in him by his troops.

The orders read on dress parade the evening before Jackson left the valley to take part in the seven days' fight around Richmond were that in case the army moved further orders the answer from every soldier to any and all questions except those connected with the army shall be, "I don't know."

"Who are you?" demanded the guard. "I don't know," replied the soldier. "Where is your command?" "I don't know."

"To what command do you belong?" "I don't know."

"Are those good cherries you are eating?" "I don't know."

"Is there anything you do know?" "Yes."

"Well, the last order I had from old Stonewall was that I was not to know anything until further orders, and, gentlemen, I will see you all hanged before I will know anything until old Stonewall takes that order off."—Waco Times-Herald.

The Bell Mare. Ill tempered old horses delight to attack very young foals and will kill them if permitted. Mules have the same cheerful habit, unless they are under the influence of "the bell mare."

Back in the old days, when horses and mules throughout the southwest went to market in droves, the rough riding highwayman of that epoch always tried to capture "the bell" and make off with it, knowing that nothing could keep the drove from following.

A good deal is to be forgiven Colonel Higginson in view of his witty and most admirable thrust at Henry James. There are four mots upon which Boston particularly prides herself.

A man must think when making a call to leave his umbrella, overcoat and overboots in the hall, though he may carry his hat and stick to the drawing room.

People are right or left eyed just as they are right or left handed, and just as the right hand is usually the more powerful, so is the right eye.

See Peristitus—Quidness, you would not start on a journey on Friday, would you?

The street accidents of London amount to about 3,500 a year, nearly ten a day.

The population of India increases at the rate of 3,000,000 annually.

A Postal Savings Bank bill empowering all money order Post Offices to receive small savings in sums of 10 cents or decimal fractions of a dollar, is to be introduced in Congress by Senator Penrose.

No such reductions were ever before made in headwear. We have all the latest shapes in felt, chenille, and velvet, trimmed and untrimmed, from extravagant cents up.

Yours Respectfully, MRS. A. F. LITTLE, McConnellsburg, Pa.

WISE ECONOMY.

There is a false economy whose devotees are said to be "penny wise and pound foolish." The following is from Success:

"If I were out of employment, with only a dollar in the world (and if I didn't have a dollar, I would go out and earn one)," said the head of a firm who has risen from an office boy to his present position, "I would spend it all in an hour. I would divide most of that dollar between a shave, a bath and a shine. With the remainder I would buy the best meal I could get. I might have to carry a hod for my next meal, but never would I miss the one opportunity to make myself presentable for a better position."

When Mason & Dixon's line was surveyed, 1762-8, the line was marked by stone monuments at intervals of five miles as far as the Blue Mountains.

Mrs. James Seaman, Hagers-town, and Mrs. Margaret Shipley, living near Downesville, have been notified that the estate of their father, John Caffery, an old canal man who went to Chicago some years ago and made a fortune, is in final course of adjustment, and that they will each receive about \$60,000.

We Appreciate Your Very Liberal Patronage During the Past Three Weeks. We have tried to serve you well, and will continue to do our best. We still have 15 or 18 House Desks \$3.50 to \$18.00.

Eight or Ten Ladies' Dressing Tables \$5.00 to \$16.00. (Birch, White Enamel, Golden Oak and Mahogany.)

A FEW NICE Chiffoniers. With and without glasses. We can still furnish a few of our very popular large Oak Bed Room Suites, 3 pieces, \$18.00; 8 pieces, \$27.00.

H. SIERER & CO. Furniture Makers on Queen St. CHAMBERSBURG, PA.

NOW IS THE TIME! A GREAT JANUARY SALE OF HATS! No such reductions were ever before made in headwear.

Yours Respectfully, MRS. A. F. LITTLE, McConnellsburg, Pa.

J. K. JOHNSTON UP-TO-DATE STORE NEWS



While in perusing our personals, the local evidence, the scraps of history, who is married, is dead, to what has come a new son or no news is more than that which imparts where we can get the value for the least when we want to buy and well selected General Merchandise all the time, at prices that bring me a consistent trade, yet the season is here when we

WILL MOVE HEAVY GOODS

Perfection Overs for Felt Boots, 1 buck cut, \$1.49. Lumbermen's Socks, 83. Lumbermen's Fannel, 94. Heavy Wool Shirts, 48. Men's Felt Boots, 1.50. Heavy Leather Boots, 1.50. During the next few weeks I shall bring of Winter Goods down to the minimum. The next ten days I shall offer you Overcoats, Felt Boots at \$1.75, Blankets at 49 cents, Caps 98 cents and up, and low down Men's and Women's Mackintoshes.

McConnellsburg

The good people of Fulton County are now to come and see The Beautiful Store which I have now completed and filled to overflowing with all kinds of CHRISTMAS GOODS, such as

China Dishes, Fine Vases, Glassware, Queensware, Tinware, Toilet Cases, Lamps, Clocks, Watches, Cutlery, Silverware, Jewelry, Fine Framed Engravings, Fine Mirrors—all sizes, Toys, and Everything in the Fancy Goods Line.

These goods will be sold just as low as at in the East. I Will Not be Undersold, and see my store. It is worth seeing. I will show you the goods; and will do so as free don't buy as if you do. Thanking you all for your patronage, I am,

Yours truly, ALBERT STONE

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