

Mrs. Julia Koefer of Webster Mills has been very seriously sick during the past week.

Every body can afford to smoke now. Robinson has reduced the price of cigars.

If you want something nice for a lunch go to C. C. Bender's and get a box of fresh Soused Mackerel.

Miss Minnie E. Mock was elected teacher of the grammar school at Shade Gap, for the ensuing term.

Mrs. Waltz, the aged mother of ex-Prothonotary James P. Waltz, still continues very ill.

If you want something fine for breakfast go to C. C. Bender's and get a package of Malts' Breakfast Food.

Mr. Joe P. Hege of Dickey's Station, few days ago had the bad luck to lose thirty-five dollars in cash. Joe got the empty purse, but no money.

Mr. J. R. Mellott, who lives on one of the Rhea farms in Franklin, is having a fine sheep pen built. Dock is a pushing fellow; and all that is needed to show this is to simply go around where he is at work.

After June 1 the law prohibiting any prize or premium, or promise of such, in packages of tobacco, cigars, cigarettes and snuff, is to be strictly enforced by the internal revenue authorities. Any violation of the law subjects the package to seizure.

A Fulton county farmer, whose other occupation we withhold from publication, for fear of giving him away, is in a quandary over paying 75 cents tax on all his horses and cattle and \$1.80 tax on two dogs. The latter's days have since been numbered.—Hancock Times.

It may not be known to all of his neighbors and friends that John S. Harris, of near Green Hill, has on hand splendid leather and a nice lot of new tools, and is prepared on short notice to do any kind of harness repairing—even to making an entire new set with the exception of collars. Take your repair work to John.

James S. Akers, formerly of Akersville, purchased at Sheriff's sale, at McConnellsburg, last Monday, the Vansickle mill property in Whips Cove for \$332.50. With the experience and means possessed by Mr. Akers, the property will likely be put into a good shape, and the mill will be a great convenience to the Cove farmers.

Mr. Alex Skipper of Licking Creek township, lost a good mare last week. When he went to the barn in the morning she was lying in the stall. When Mr. Skipper entered the stable, she went to get up quickly, became entangled in some way, and broke one of her legs. The injury was so great that Mr. Skipper had to have the mare killed.

H. E. Goldsmith was very badly burned on Wednesday. He was engaged in cleaning a suit of clothes with benzine and was holding the can in his right hand when he accidentally got near the fire. The can of fire fluid exploded in his hand burning his arm and wrist severely. His clothing also caught fire but was quickly extinguished.—Everett Press

#### A CONVENTION SOUVENIR.

#### Remarkable Gift in Connection with the great Republican National Convention.

While it is known by everybody that McKinley will be renominated by the Republican National Convention to be held in Philadelphia during the week of the 18th, interest is no less high on that account. It is admitted that the convention will be among the greatest in history on account of the importance of its results. Every one will therefore be anxious for a souvenir of the gathering. Appreciating this the great "Philadelphia Sunday Press" has arranged to give free with every copy next Sunday (June 17) a novel and attractive convention souvenir. On a ground 10 1/2 by 28 inches is printed a handsome picture of the convention hall, and in the panels appear the faces of the leading Republicans who will be prominent in the work of the convention. Both, as a work of art and on account of its historic value, this picture is certain to be eagerly sought for and highly prized. If you want it you had better order next Sunday's "Press" to-day.

#### A Monster Devil Fish

Destroying its victim, is a type of Constipation. The power of this remedy is felt on organs, nerves, muscles, and brain. But Dr. King's New Life Pills are a safe and certain cure. Best in the world for Stomach, Liver, Kidneys and Bowels. Only 25 cents at W. S. Dickson's Drug Store.

#### A Wealth of Beauty

Is often hidden by unsightly Pimples, Eczema, Tetter, Erysipelas, Salt Rheum, etc. Bucklen's Arnica Salve will glorify the face by curing all Skin Eruptions, also Cuts, Bruises, Burns, Boils, Felons, Ulcers, and worst forms of Piles. Only 25 cents a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by W. S. Dickson, druggist.

Court convened on Tuesday and lasted but a few hours. There was the usual gist of administrators' accounts for confirmation, but nothing that would interest the general public. For all the business Fulton county has had during the past few years, it would be money in the pockets of the tax payers to hold court in a school house and rent out the court room to some enterprising farmer for a hay shed.

#### Accidents.—"Two of a Kind."

While walking in the garden, about a week ago, Mrs. Blair Rodgoy, of this place, noticed a nail protruding from a board. Fearing the children might be injured by it she pressed her foot against it, hoping to bend it down or break it off. Instead of this it pierced the shoe sole and ran the full length into her foot, which became much swollen and caused her great pain. She is getting better and nothing serious will result from what is always a wound that should be looked well to.

Master Clifford Grissinger, son of Daniel L. Grissinger, of town, while at play, was also so unfortunately as to run a nail into his foot. We think Clifford will pull through as whoever is attending him is giving him careful nursing, as we noticed something like a pillow tied about his foot with innumerable bandages, making it quite burdensome for him to carry them.

#### SALUVIA

Miss Annie Speer, Mrs. Harris, Misses Ella Mann, Hattie Betz, Lydia Mumma, Effie Mellott, Retta Schooley, Mrs. Stewart and son Will, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Strait, attended Sunday school convention at Fort Littleton.

Mrs. Vernon Skipper, and children of Tyrone, are visiting Mrs. Skipper's parents, Mr and Mrs. W. C. Mann.

Mrs. Kellner continues dangerously ill.

Adam Wible's little daughter is suffering from an attack of typhoid fever.

Mrs. T. Riley Sipes is critically ill.

Mrs. Dr. S. H. Hoop is on the sick list.

Mr. Levi Hockensmith left Monday morning for Somerset county, where he expects to find employment.

Messrs. Merrill Nace, Wilson Nace, Welles Greathead, and Frank Eitemiller, all of McConnellsburg, spent Saturday night at Harrisonville. They had fine sport catching frogs in Licking creek. The three last named gentlemen attended preaching at Green Hill, Sunday morning.

Elder Thomas Sloan of McConnellsburg, assisted Elder John B. Sipes at the communion services at Green Hill Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Peck, Mrs. Woollet, Miss Cora Peck, and Miss Hattie Alexander, of McConnellsburg, and Mrs. John Laidig, and two sons, of Laidig, were among the welcome visitors at the services.

Mrs. George Faulkner, of Johnstown, spent a few days the first of the week the guest of Dr. Wishart's family.

Supervisor Mumma, is busily engaged in repairing our roads, and removing the loose stones. He is having neat and attractive finger boards prepared, by John S. Harris which, when properly placed, will be appreciated by the traveling public.

Mr. W. E. Akers, and Miss Ora Dickson, of Sipes Mill, and Charles Schooley, and family, of Hustontown attended Children's services at Siloam, Sunday.

#### LICKING CREEK.

Miss Caddie Sipe and her gentleman friend spent Sunday at G. Runyan Sipes' and attended children's service at Siloam.

Mr. John Mumma and family spent Sunday with his brother Harry Mumma.

Mrs. Ada Hann spent Saturday at her home at Mr. Uriah Kline's.

Mr. Morgan Deshong is on the sick list.

Mr. George Sipes and wife, of Everett, are visiting friends in Licking Creek. Mr. Sipes has been afflicted with cancer on the face for several years, but endured his affliction with patience.

There is to be singing at Pleasant Ridge school house on the last Sunday of this month, at 2 o'clock.

Mr. Norman Akers and Miss Ora Dixon attended children's service at Siloam on Sunday.

Quarterly meeting will be held at Ebenezer M. E. church, Monday, June 18. Quarterly Conference at 4 p. m. Preaching in the evening by the Elder.

Mr. Clayton Deshong and family and Miss Funk spent Sunday with Mrs. Maria Hoop.

Mr. Mart Hess completed Jos. Deshong's well Saturday.

#### THOMPSON.

Ephraim Gregory is having a commodious springhouse built. D. Gregory and Frank Martin are doing the work.

George Snyder, our Supervisor, has remodeled the foot-bridge at Hess's fording. It is now safe for children to cross.

H. H. Brewer's house is about completed.

William Stone, of Foltz, spent a few days recently with his son Will near Plum Run.

Enoch Hart of Needmore visited friends in this vicinity Monday.

Last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Ephraim Gregory visited Adam Gregory's, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Peck were at Mr. Sharpe's, and Mrs. John Waltz and Miss Minnie Lynch were at Thomas Truax's.

S. C. Peck gave an ice-cream supper to the Plum Run drum corps last Saturday evening.

Three of the happiest men in this township are Harvey Comer, Graut Metzler, and William Knable. A little stranger in each home is the secret.

It is reported that Mrs. Jonathan Peck is home from the hospital at Baltimore, without having received much benefit.

George Mills, of Union, dropped in to see us while in town.

On account of the crowded condition of our columns, a number of communication, will have to go over to next week.

Dr. W. A. West is now comfortably located at the Washington House in this place, his furniture having been brought over during the past week. His daughter, who is now visiting in Harrisburg will join him in a few days, and then they will, as we trust, be permanent residents of our town.

As usual Judge Swope remained in Fulton county for a few days recreation after adjournment of court Tuesday. No man has ever presided over our courts, so popular with the masses of our people as Judge Swope; and we trust his visits over here are fraught with as much pleasure to himself, as to the citizens of this county.

Judge Swope on Tuesday pronounced the scalp laws of 1879 and 1899 unconstitutional, and our Commissioners, of course, will not pay out any more money for wild cat, fox, or mink orders. He, also, decided that constables shall be paid \$1.50 a day and usual mileage for making returns to court, and \$2.00 for advertising spring elections.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel P. Wishart, of Wells Tannery, had scarcely arrived at the Sunday school convention last Thursday when they were informed by telephone of the death of a niece of Mrs. Wishart at McAllister-ville, Pa. They immediately returned home in order to attend the funeral which took place on Saturday.

Among the visitors to the Sunday school convention last week, were Rev. and Mrs. H. G. Clare, of St. Thomas, and Mrs. Clare's sister, Miss Katharine Wensell of Highspire, Pa. During their stay in McConnellsburg, they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Shaffer. Mr. Clare is one of the ablest young ministers in the Presbytery, and both he and his estimable wife have a host of friends on this side of the mountain.

#### SOCIAL.

There will be a Necktie Social held at Pine Grove M. E. church, Saturday evening, June 16, under the auspices of the Epworth League in Wells Valley. All are cordially invited to attend.

#### Compliment With a Sting?

Talk about delightfully put compliments, I heard a girl at a supper deliver herself of a perfect jewel the other night. She leaned across the table—the table next me—to say it, and she meant well.

"Oh, Miss Dum-dum," she said, "for-dilly, I've got a trade at last for you."

"A swap?" asked Miss Dum-dum, beaming with anticipatory delight.

"Uh-huh," answered the other. "Lientenant Bulbul said it."

"Oh, do tell it?" pleaded Miss Dum-dum, eagerly.

"It was awfully nice one," said the first girl, "and Lientenant Bulbul meant it, too. He said you walked divinely. He said he was awfully surprised, too, to find it out, so I know he meant it. He said he wouldn't have thought from seeing you walk that you could dance at all."—Washington Post.

#### NEEDMORE.

Brad Mason was seen perambulating our streets last Friday.

S. R. Martin purchased a fine wheel last week. Sammy can now be seen on the streets both day and night.

Mr. Swope called for Miss Sadie Deshong, one of the Normal students, last Friday.

Mrs. Robert Dixon, of Pittsburg, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Runyan, at this place.

Dixon & Martin's repair shop is thriving.

Miss Metzler, Prof. Gress, Miss Dixon and Mr. Daniels called on Miss Culler last Saturday evening.

Theodore H. Myers returned to Franklin county to attend the examination.

Miss S. M. Bard and Levi Morton were visiting at this place on Saturday.

Mr. G. G. Chambers and Miss Annie Covalt called on Miss Etta Everts last Sunday.

Mr. W. Grant Wink, the census enumerator, makes frequent visits to this village.

Funk Bros. moved their saw-mill from here last week. We miss their noise.

Mr. D. D. Deshong and sister, Miss Mary, spent Saturday and Sunday last at the home of Isaac Layton all attended childrens services in Whips Cove on Sunday.

Messrs. Howard Dixon and C. A. Henry took advantage of the excursion to Washington last Sunday and visited the National capital. The boys report a good time. We rather think the President must have given them an extra medal, or that the elephants and kangaroos at the zoo excited and distracted their minds for we did not see them out on Monday.

Mr. S. N. Bumgardner and wife paid us a call on Friday. Mrs. B. and daughter Miss Jess spent a few days of last week visiting friends in Brush Creek.

Miss Bertha M. Palmer of Philadelphia, is spending several days with her uncle, T. R. Palmer and family. E. N. Palmer of Everett, accompanied her to Fulton.

The "boys" indulged in a game of Base ball on Monday evening. They have only two more weeks of school and then they leave our little hamlet. They are a jolly, studious lot of fellows. Their deportment while here has been very commendable and we are sorry to see them leave.

Our friends Messrs. Martin and Booth seemed rather restless on Sunday morning, and fearing lest Dixon and Henry should outdo them upon their Washington "fly" they too started in that direction. When they were nearing Hancock, they remembered to their dismay, that they had forgotten their pocket books. So, weary, tired and dusty, they were taken in by our old friend, James M. Lake, who fed and comforted them. After a sumptuous dinner, such as only men of their calibre can get around, their generous host gave them a few pence and they succeeded in crossing the Potomac and visiting Berkeley Springs. They say it was a pleasant day; and though they failed to reach Washington, they were able to be up on Monday.

What made Prof. Palmer laugh so coming through town on Monday evening? Ask the girls down on "Water" street.

Uncle John Shaffer is still suffering with rheumatism and dropsy. He has not been able to walk away from the house for several weeks.

Prof. E. M. Gress was showing the students the value of physical exercise on Saturday evening by a performance of leap-frog.

#### LAUREL RIDGE.

Thos. Shaw and Geo. Deshong spent part of last week attending the G. A. R. Encampment at Gettysburg.

Mrs. Rachel and Miss Mary Shives spent last Tuesday at Hancock.

Messrs. A. L. Lamberson, Wm. Feagley and Chick Mellott spent part of Sunday at Jacob Gordon's.

Mr. Jacob Gordon is preparing to store away the sheaves by repairing and roofing his barn.

Lewis Harris returned from Windber to his home here on the 2d inst., and started to Normal school at Needmore, the following Monday. A good change, Lewis.



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#### KNOBSVILLE.

Hot weather. Camp over; it was not well attended. No attraction. Farmers busy getting work out of the way for harvest.

It is rumored that there is a little quiet whiskey trade in our town. The eyes of the public are open. There's trouble ahead for somebody.

The main thoroughfare of our village presents one of the finest pieces of roads in the county. Why not continue the good work? There is one place along the road where a hand rail is needed. The neglect to place it may result in a damage suit to the township. The supervisor should give it his attention.

Mr. D. H. Wible is home from Kearney on a visit. Several of our boys who were out there are back.

Whooping cough is prevalent in our community.

Strawberries and cherries are selling here at five cents a quart, but sugar has advanced. Thus it is—always something in the way.

John Tice and family are home on a visit from the Fort.

George Regi has gone to New Jersey to try to get a contract for building 17 miles of trolley road.

Ira Fore and Charley Glunt are going to help on the work if he gets it.

What has become of the new railroad?

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I have just arrived from Baltimore, Philadelphia and New York with a full line of late style, up-to-date millinery—(see latest in McConnellsburg). You can find at my store goods of all prices. We have dozens of Pattern Hats that cannot be equalled in style and price besides over 100 untrimmings ones. Children's face hoods from 5c to 25c. Children's sun hats from 25c to \$2.50. Infant's coats from \$1.00. Flowers of all variety and colors at prices ranging from ten bunches to \$5.00. Goggles, faces and ribbons of all colors. A full line of ladies' ready-made suits from \$5.00 up. Ladies' coats from \$5.00 up. Ladies' silk and chiffon ties, pulley belts and belt buckles, purses and all the latest novelties. Silk waist patterns in all the new styles. Dress trimmings all over here. In brief, cream and white from the best yard up. We have fancy neat's pins, steel pins, hair pins, hair curlers, hair brushes, etc. Come and see our goods, it is no trouble to show them. Yours respectfully, Mrs. A. F. FITTLE, McConnellsburg, Pa.

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