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TEACHERS OF OUR SCHOOLS.

Directors and Teachers, Salaries the Latter Receive.

Teachers—Meadowgrounds, \$26; Back Run, \$26; McNaughton's, \$24; Juggtown, Olive \$26; Spring house \$26; Wible, \$26; Rockhill, \$26; Webster \$26; Chambliss, \$26; Cornhill, \$26; Truax, \$26; Laurel Ridge, \$26.

REL-PAST.

Teachers—Abner Lake, J. P. Mott, B. A. P. Pock, and Alexander.

Teachers—Sipos Mills (no salary) Philip Margaret's, Annie \$10.00, Pleasant Grove, \$10.00, Needmore, \$10.00, Palmer, \$21.50, Lake's, \$20.50; Morton's, \$20.50; Ma-son, \$20.50; Henry T. Bard, \$21.50; Rands, \$21.50; Elia Mellott, \$21.50; Orpuy Snyder \$10.00. Salaries upon which salaries graded is as follows: With 10 years experience \$21.50 with 15 years \$24.00 with 20 years \$26.50 with 25 years \$29.00 with 30 years \$31.50 with 35 years \$34.00 with 40 years \$36.50 with 45 years \$39.00 with 50 years \$41.50 with 55 years \$44.00 with 60 years \$46.50 with 65 years \$49.00 with 70 years \$51.50 with 75 years \$54.00 with 80 years \$56.50 with 85 years \$59.00 with 90 years \$61.50 with 95 years \$64.00 with 100 years \$66.50

Teachers—No. 1, advanced, \$30; No. 1, primary, Nora Griffith, \$22; No. 2, Harry Truax, \$20; No. 3, vacant, \$20.

From Everett Press.

Miss Jessie E. Wishart, of the United States Pension office, Pittsburgh, stopped in Everett over night on Saturday last, while enroute to her home at Harrisonville, Pa. Miss Lenora Wishart arrived on Monday from Bellefonte. She took the great eastern hack on Monday for her home.

Word reached Everett on Saturday morning last that Richard H. Clevenger was dead, and his remains would be shipped to Everett for burial. Richard Harwood Clevenger was a son of Harrison Clevenger, whose home is at Irvonia, Clearfield county, Pa., but who is superintendent of a tannery at Buchanan, West Virginia. "Dick," as the deceased was familiarly known in Everett, was born in Fulton county August 15, 1868, making him at time of his death, 32 years and 3 days old. He was at one time a clerk in the store of James T. Shoeder and afterwards for A. J. Nyeom. When he left Everett he went to Eastman's Business College, at Poughkeepsie, New York, and graduated with highest honors in 1890. For the last several years he has been connected with the Armour Bank, of Philadelphia. On account of poor health he resigned his position four months ago and just returned two weeks before his death to his father's home at Irvonia. The deceased leaves surviving his father and stepmother; three brothers, Edward J. Clevenger, of Missouri, Thomas A. Clevenger, of Waynesville, North Carolina, and Frank Clevenger, of Pittsburgh, Pa., and two half brothers and one half sister at home. His mother died about seventeen years ago. Mr. Clevenger was a model young man, having united with the Presbyterian church when he was a boy. He was always found working in the Sunday School and at the time he lived in Everett he was secretary and librarian of the Presbyterian Sunday School. The remains were brought to Everett on Monday afternoon and taken to the residence of his uncle, Mr. David M. Clevenger, of North Spring street. The remains were laid to rest in the Everett Cemetery.

Two more copies of the News will complete its first year.

UP THE HUDSON.

An Interesting Sketch of a Day's Outing from the Quaker City.

There are ways in which one may escape the heated atmosphere of the city—the dreadful discomfort of which I told you not long ago—and spend a most delightful day at seashore or mountain for a trifling sum—one within the reach of the poor. We can board an express train at 7 a. m. and find ourselves in Atlantic City, that queen of coast resorts 59 miles away, in one hour. We can bathe and frolic all day and get delightfully sunburned and reach home at 8 in the evening—and only one dollar out. Or, we can go to Cape May on the coast, Woodland Beach on Delaware bay, Neshaminy amid Bucks county hills, or up the Hudson river by rail and steamer. And, of all the day trips, the last named is certainly far ahead of all other excursions. During August, both the Pennsylvania and Reading offer weekly outings over this beautiful route.

Last week we filled a satchel with ham, hard boiled eggs, bread, butter, tomatoes, and pickles, and getting aboard at 8 o'clock, we went whirling away toward New York City where we arrived at 10 a. m., having passed 93 mile post without a stop. Now we begin the interesting part of our trip; for the man to whom we gave up our two dollars and fifty cents for the trip, has a fine, big steamboat ready and moored alongside the monster depot to take us up the Hudson river to Newburg, 60 miles above. Rushing on deck we grab camp stools and get a good place in the bow to sit down and wonder why the ropes are not cast off and we do not go. Presently we find that another section of our train has not yet arrived, and our already big crowd of 1200 is shortly to be augmented by the arrival of some fifteen hundred more; for the pursuer is responsible for the statement that we carried on that boat 2700 people, all of whom came from Philadelphia and vicinity on those two trains; and on that same day, it will be well to remember that 194 car loads of people left the same city between 7 and 8 a. m. for Atlantic City.

Now the ropes creak, the great side wheels are put in motion, the water foams and rushes, first forward, then backward, and we swing out and are quietly heading north; and we contrast the graceful, easy ride with that jarring, nervous flitter of the rail.

Now our guide, an affable gentleman, who reminded me of the late Doctor Wm. F. Trout, steps out to tell us the places of interest we are passing; but of all we saw, I can only give you a few. Here is a point where Hendrick Hudson anchored September 13, 1609—Dobbs Ferry, Irvington, and the house just above where dwelt Washington Irving; Tarrytown; Sleepy Hollow where Andre was captured; Sing Sing village and the famous prison; Verplanck and the ground on which Baron Stenben drilled the Continental soldiers in 1776; Franciscan Convent, Village of Peekskill, all are passed in pleasing succession. Just above rises in stately grandeur the famous Sugar-loaf mountain; the old Beverley House, Arnold's headquarters, and Constitution Island, opposite West Point Military Academy. Here we disembarked 2000 or more of our passengers, and then proceeded up the river past the frowning heights of "Break Neck" mountain, reaching Newburg at 3.10 p. m., when we turn, (for we are only out for a day's boat ride) and proceed homeward, faster than before, for we have a strong current in our favor. We stop again at West Point and gather on board our dusty fellow passengers who have been most courteously shown the beautiful buildings and grounds of Uncle Sam's Military school. Stony Point is soon reached where we

JOHN B. H. LEWIS.

Franklin Mills' Pension Attorney in the Clutches of the Law.

John B. H. Lewis, of Franklin Mills, Schuylkill county, United States Marshal Christianizer, stationed at Hagerstown, came to Hancock Tuesday morning, and with Constable Rhodes drove to Mr. Lewis' home for the purpose of arresting him. Mr. Lewis was found at home out struck to the woods at the sight of the officers, who captured him. He is charged with receiving exorbitant fees in sending pensions, there being no less than sixteen separate charges against him. Mr. Lewis was at one time a postmaster at Franklin Mills, secretary of the Graham Oil Company, justice of the peace and pension claim agent.

He was taken to Hagerstown and appeared before United States Commissioner A. R. Hagner, who held Lewis in the sum of \$800 bail for a hearing Saturday. Bail was furnished and Lewis returned home Wednesday morning. Marshal Christianizer also returned Wednesday morning and left here in a team for the country, accompanied by Constable Rhodes. There is no doubt but what considerable trouble is brewing for Lewis.

NEW GRENADA.

Alfred M. Keith, who has been working in Altoona for some time spent a few days with his father, Jas. M. Keith.

Frank Black, of Pittsburgh, visited the family of his uncle, John Thomas, a day recently.

Max Shedd's one of the "burgs" boysmen gave our town a call Thursday.

Tom Campbell was the guest of his brother, Dr. Wm., of Mount Union last Thursday.

F. G. Mills spent part of last week in Huntingdon, the guest of the family of J. H. Akers.

Two more schools were let last week; Harry Truax will teach No. 2 and Jere B. Cutchall will handle the reins at New Grenada.

When our correspondent to the Fulton Democrat, in last week's issue, jokingly remarked that our scrub base ball team was a Bryan club, he did not know what a play he put the boys in. For they now have challenges on the sheet from Bedford, Huntingdon and Fulton county teams. Although they have never played but 2 games together in their history. Some I presume have an idea that they can redeem themselves. The challenge from the Republican team of McConnellsburg will likely be accepted and a game played there this week. We hope our boys will come home victors 16 to 1 or, even more, as Bryan is sure to do in November. The Burgers will find our team a jolly good set of boys and can easily run down their fly balls.

GAME AT LITTLETON.

The match game of baseball played between Fort Littleton and Clear Ridge last Saturday at Fort Littleton, resulted in the defeat of the latter by a score of 34-49.

The Littleton boys being accustomed to slow balls, did not "get onto" Baker's swift ones until the sixth inning, when they brought in 13 runs. From that on, they showed their ability to make trouble for any pitcher that stands before them in the future.

In the 14th, Cromer got a finger staved, and the visiting team made 14 runs. Woollet then went into the box and held them down in great shape. Many of the runs made by the visitors were due to the wild throwing to the bases, and to the rank decision of the umpire.

The line up:

TEAM	outs	runs
C. Shore, 1b & c	5	2
H. Stinson, ss	2	5
U. Brown, rf & 3b	2	5
J. H. Baker, p	2	4
S. Cabery, 2b	3	4
H. Ramsey, lf	3	4
H. Kerlin, 3b & rf	0	6
H. Henry, c & 1b	4	3
G. Anderson, cf	5	1
	25	34

PORT LITTLETON.

B. Fraker, rf	1	5
J. Sherman, c	3	4
F. Cromer, p & ss	5	3
E. Fraker, 1b	2	5
C. Richardson, ss & 2b	3	6
S. Wilson, lf	3	6
D. Fraker, 3b	2	7
K. Orth, cf	0	9
B. Woollet, 2b & p	5	4
	24	49

INNINGS.

INNING	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Fort Littleton	0	2	4	6	2	13	7	15-49
Clear Ridge	0	2	2	1	2	6	5	3-34

Umpires, A. Kerlin and D. Jones. Time, 3 hours. Game called at 3 p. m.

PICKUPS.

D. Fraker hit the ball every-time he came to the bat.

Orth had 9 runs and no outs.

C. Richardson had a three bagger with three on bases.

Sherman caught his initial game and did exceedingly fine.

The fielding of Kerlin for the visitors was excellent.

F. Fraker with his game leg held 3rd down with great style, and will soon be ready to take his old place behind the bat.

Cromer was cheated out of a 3 bagger in the 8 by a fine catch by Kerlin.

The playing of B. Fraker, Fort Littleton 14-year-old player, was fine.

Stinson led the visitors in batting.

The playing of 1st base, and the hallooing by E. Fraker, was out of the remarkable order.

Woollet pitched fine for his 1st game.

Wilson did well at the bat.

The question is, Why will McConnellsburg not come out to play?

PERSONAL.

Mrs. S. B. Woollet spent Monday in Chambersburg.

Master Albert Cook, of Everett, spent the past week with friends in McConnellsburg and Mercersburg.

Job P. Garland, secretary of the Belfast township school board, was at McConnellsburg Monday.

Mr. Morris Brindle, of Greencastle, spent from Sunday till Tuesday with friends at McConnellsburg.

Bert Hann, secretary of the Licking Creek school board, accompanied by his mother and sister spent Monday in town.

Messrs. John Fisher and Andrew Souders, of Thompson, stopped at the News office a minute while in town last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles McGeehe, of Burt Cabins, spent last Wednesday the guests of Miss R. F. Fore of this place.

Miss Grace Mosser, of Claysburg, Pa., is visiting her brother, Dr. J. W. Mosser, at the Washington Home in this place.

Miss Virgie Doyle, after a visit of six weeks among friends in this place, returned to her home in Harrisburg on last Friday.

Hon. John T. Richards of Buck Valley is spending a couple of weeks at Mountain Lake Park, Maryland's favorite summer resort.

Barber Ed Brake rode his wheel over to Saint Thomas Sunday, spent Sunday night with friends and went on to Chambersburg Monday.

Miss Sadie Hann, who had been spending two weeks with her mother, Mrs. Anna R. Hann, near Saluvia, returned to Chambersburg on Monday.

Messrs. Weimer Bert and William McKinney, of Greencastle, were the guests of Mr. Bert Golf at the Fulton House for a few days during the past week.

Mrs. Kate Cope and her sons, Calvin Clyde and Bruce Elmer, of Chester county, are visiting. Mrs. Cope's mother, Mrs. Rachel Hart, in Whips Cove.

Miss Ellie and Nettie Knauft of Ayr spent several days in Mercersburg with their brother Luther; and also, spent some time with Mr. Wm. Trogler's family near Mercersburg.

Mrs. E. C. Trout and daughters, Misses Eloise and Bess, accompanied by Miss Mary Patterson, returned from Atlantic City on Friday where they had a very pleasant ten days' outing.

Misses Mary Witherspoon and Hettie Bradley, Thomas Walker, and Robert Sarton, and James Witherspoon, all of Mercersburg, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Johnston of this place.

Mr. W. D. Myers, and family have returned from a week at Atlantic City. While away Mr. Myers visited New York and Philadelphia and selected an unusually fine line of winter goods. —Hancock Star.

Harry A. Thompson, the general Editor of the Tyrone Times, accompanied by his daughter, Miss Nellie, spent a few days the past week the guests of his parents, Mr and Mrs. T. J. Thompson of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Comer and son Harry of Burt Cabins, left on Monday for Dixon Illinois, where they expect to spend a few weeks visiting Mrs. Comer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Comer, and other friends.

Miss Ada Roxroth, who has been spending her summer vacation at the Fulton House with her mother and family, left on Monday to enter upon her sixth year's work as teacher of the Churchville school in Montgomery county.

Miss Grace Huston, of Clear Ridge, spent last Saturday and Sunday with her aunts, the Misses Ella and Annie Irwin of this place. Her little brothers, George and Amos, who had been spending a couple of weeks in town, returned home with her.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Nace, accompanied by their two daughters, Misses Nellie and Jessie, left Chambersburg last Saturday morning on a trip for the west. They will visit Chicago and Kansas City. In this latter city their son Bruce resides and they will be his guests for a week or two.

Mr. W. A. Alexander, Everett's popular druggist, with his wife and two boys, spent a few days with his mother and other relatives in this place last week. Mrs. Alexander and the boys had been visiting her mother, Mrs. Lehnor, in Chambersburg, and was accompanied home by her sister, Miss Kate Lehnor. Mr. Alexander met them at this place and left for Everett on Monday afternoon.

Misses Sadie and Myrtle Sipos, who had been spending two weeks at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. V. Sipos, of this place, went out and spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Ed R. Austin, of Saluvia, and on Saturday went to Everett and took the train for their homes respectively at Allegheny and Newcaste. They were accompanied to Everett by their brother Clarence of the "News" office.

UP TO DATE

From the Shippensburg Chronicle.

The editor of The Chronicle accompanied Mrs. G. E. Dunlap and daughter Mildred to McConnellsburg, Fulton county, on Friday last and enjoyed the hospitality of that far-famed little town until Monday, being entertained at the home of the Misses Dickson. People who have only heard of McConnellsburg and have never been there are of the opinion that the town is deadly dull and far behind the times, but a visit will quickly put such ideas to flight. It is one of the liveliest little towns we have ever visited and the people are strictly up-to-date in every respect. The fact that there is no railroad reaching the town and a ten-mile drive over the mountain must be taken to get there does not make visitors scarce, by any means, for they are there in great numbers all the time. Like the writer they find a visit there so delightful that these inconveniences are regarded as trifles.

DIED.

HARBOUR.—Infant daughter of J. J. and Nellie Harris died August 12, 1900. "Little daughter thou hast left us here to mourn thy loss; but thou hast a better home than we could give thee."

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