

Read Hostetter's ad this week. Brick for sale at Morton's yard. A boon to men, women and children—a Portable Shower Bath. For sale by D. Malloy. 25 tags from "Honest John" plug and 10c will secure a handsome 7 1/2 knife free.

If you do not wish other people to forget that you are a gentleman, don't fail to remember it yourself.

85 tags from "Honest John" Plug and 10c will secure you a watch guaranteed to keep accurate time.

To tell good eggs put them in water; if the butt end turns up they are not fresh. This is said to be a certain test.

"Honest John" Plug Tobacco Tags are more valuable than any other tobacco tags. The Tobacco is the best.

Holy communion at Big Cove Tannery church next Sabbath at 10.30 A. M. Preparatory service at 2.30 P. M. on Saturday.

Fatal kidney and bladder troubles can always be prevented by the use of Foley's Kidney Cure. All dealers.

FOR SALE—One 12-horse power portable Watertown Steam Engine—good as new. Terms easy. J. H. HAYER, Bedford, Pa.

110 tags from "Honest John" Plug and 10c will secure you a Gem Safety Razor, guaranteed to shave the heaviest beard.

FOR RENT—A good 6-room house in Knobsville. A tenant preferred who will work on farm. J. C. FOLEY, Knobsville.

12 tags from "Honest John" Plug will secure you a dime's worth of "Honest John" free from your Merchant.

Word from Bedford says an epidemic of diphtheria is sweeping over that county. In some districts the schools have been closed, and many deaths are reported.

Send 25 "Honest John" Tobacco tags and 3c to H. C. Heckerman, Bedford, Pa., for a handsome knife. State if large or medium size is desired.

Communion services will be held at the Presbyterian church at Green Hill next Sunday morning. Preparatory services Saturday afternoon.

The prevention of consumption is entirely a question of commencing the proper treatment in time. Nothing is so well adapted to ward off fatal lung troubles as Foley's Honey and Tar. All dealers.

The Christian Endeavor societies of McCConnellsburg will hold a union service in the Lutheran church next Sunday evening, beginning at 6.45. On account of which there will not be any preaching services in the Presbyterian church that evening.

Monday evening of last week D. D. G. R. Jno. P. Sipes, installed the following officers in Tuscarora Council No. 1212 for the current term: Regent, George W. Reiser; Vice Regent, W. S. Dickson; Secretary, B. W. Peck; Treasurer, A. U. Nace; Collector, Dr. A. D. Dalbey, and Warden, S. B. Woollet.

The many friends of G. H. Hanson, Engineer, L. E. & W. R. R., at present living at Lima, O., will be pleased to know of his recovery from threatened kidney disease. He writes, "I was cured by using Foley's Kidney Cure, which I recommend to all, especially trainmen who are usually similarly afflicted. All dealers.

Jacob Lake's school, fourth month, Miss Cora Funk, teacher. Number of pupils enrolled, 28; average attendance, 24; per cent. of attendance, 90; attended every day—Wilbert Deshong, George Fittory, Simpson Mellott, Albert Mellott, David Fittory, Allison Truax, Callie Truax, Edith Mellott, Lillie Mellott, Blanche Mellott, Vera Fittory, Goldie Deshong and Edna Deshong.

Fire broke out in Ross A. Stivar's big livery stable at Bedford last Sunday and the firemen fought it with a single weak stream of water for nearly an hour. The stable was almost completely ruined. The heavy blanket of snow prevented the engine's taking effect on other structures, and the adjoining houses as well as the barn were saved.

Paul Johnston is on the street again after five weeks' confinement to the house wrestling with Bill Yus Fever. Paul looks like he had not been fed enough.

FOR SALE—My farm of 106 acres in Thompson township, 2 1/2 miles northwest of Plum Run. Call on or address Mrs. John H. Gordon, Plum Run, Pa.

Last week Mr. Conrad Glazier and his two sons Tobie and Conrad, Jr., all of Ayr township, sold 67 hogs varying in weight from 225 to 350, Mr. Glazier selling 15; Tobias, 30, and Conrad Jr., 22. While we do not have the exact weight the price was from 6 to 8 1/2 and the thirty farmers had a return of perhaps, \$1500. John Raker of Licking Creek township, also, sold 7, for which he received \$90.

On Monday while Linn Alexander and William Myers and his son Fred, were hunting foxes on Cove mountain, they run a wild cat into the rocks up at the "Look out." They soon made it so uncomfortable for the cat in the rocks that it took chances in coming out; but here it made a mistake, for Fred no sooner got his eye on the animal than he put two loads of shot into it. Two dollars premium and seventy five cents for the hide footed up the money value of the transaction.

The Kane Republican of the 13, inst, says: "Attorney H. E. Shaffer, accompanied by his wife, left last night for a sojourn in Florida. Mr. Shaffer has been quite sick for a couple of weeks with grip and bronchial trouble, and acting upon the advice of his physician went south, hoping the milder climate may be beneficial to him. Thirty-two years ago, Mr. Shaffer was editor of the Fulton Republican and he and his wife lived in part of the house now the home of Senator Alexander. The Republican at that time was "housed" upstairs, over Watson's barber shop.

In a letter received from Mr. Charles Henry Wisser he writes that his term of enlistment in Co. H, 19th U. S. Infantry, will expire about the middle of March, that he will not return to the United States, but will remain in the Philippines and seek his fortune. He is now stationed at Iloilo, on the Island of Panay, about 600 miles South of Manila, where he has been detailed to translate insurrecto documents from the Visayan language into English to be filed in the War Department at Washington. During his stay in the Philippines Mr. Wisser has learned to speak, read and write the Spanish and Visayan languages, an advantage that few Americans possess, and with this knowledge he feels that success will follow him in his future business relations; he will devote his time in the practice of law and we wish him success.

Sale Register. Saturday, February 15.—William Sigel, Trustee, will sell on the premises 1/2 mile north of Buck Valley postoffice, two tracts of land—one of 110 acres, and one of 40 acres, the property of A. J. Sigel, late of Union township deceased. Sale at 1 o'clock.

Monday, February 17.—Mrs. T. Irvin Sipes will sell at her residence 2 1/2 miles south of Harrisonville, Live Stock, Farming Implements, &c. Sale begins at 10 o'clock.

Thursday, February 27.—Mrs. Margaret Booth, Executrix of estate of John Booth late of Tod township, deceased, will sell at her residence 2 miles north of McCConnellsburg, Horses, Cows, Young Cattle, Farming Implements, Grain &c. Sale begins at 10 o'clock.

New Grenada. The sleigh bells—how they jingle, jingle, jingle! The people here, during the week, were engaged in filling their ice houses.

W. R. Foster moved into his new house last week. Mrs. Mollie Foster is visiting her daughter Maude, at Greensburg, Pa.

John A. and Jesse B. McClain of Robertsdale, spent Sunday in our village.

Tilden Newman, while working in the mines, had, by some means a car to run over his foot; consequently, he is off duty awhile, and very lame.

Edward Black is suffering from a very sore knee. He is a great worker in the P. O. S. of A. & I. O. F. (a warm member).

Russel Rowe and Irvin Crider visited Henry Rowe at Knobsville on Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. John Bridenstine slipped and fell on the ice at her home, receiving quite a shaking up.

Died near Enid, on January 25, 1902, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Wallace, age, four weeks.

Harry Dawney, the hustler of Hustontown, accompanied by his daughter Miss Nellie, drove up to the "yellow parsonage" on Saturday afternoon; and while Nellie spent the evening with friends, Harry, who is District President of P. O. S. of A., installed the officers of Washington Camp, No. 479, for current term, namely, Past Pres., H. H. Bridenstine; Pres., N. H. Alloway; Rec. Sec., F. G. Mills; Financial Sec., Carlton Gris-singer; Treas., J. A. McDonough; M. of F., G. H. McCoy; Con., Bertie Heeter; Inspector, Blauze Bergstresser; Guard, Geo. Alloway; Trustee, Jacob S. Black.

Children Poisoned. Many children are poisoned and made nervous and weak, if not killed outright, by mothers giving them cough syrups containing opiates. Foley's Honey and Tar is a safe and certain remedy for coughs, croup and lung troubles, and is the only prominent cough medicine that contains no opiates or other poisons. All dealers.

Whips Cove. Miss Blanche Barton, after a very enjoyable visit in the Cove, has returned home.

Lewis Layton has gone to Johnstown, and James Layton, to Clearfield.

Logue Plessinger's little girl Opal has pneumonia.

Clara B. and Pearl E. Sharpe have whooping cough.

Mrs. Boston Diehl, who was seriously ill, is better.

Henry Vanclief, who was kicked with a horse and had his arm broken last fall, fell on the ice and hurt his hand badly on the same arm.

The Democrats held their nomination at John Plessinger's store last Saturday.

The meeting at Jerusalem is in progress and has been for a week. The preachers are Revs. May, Jno. Barney, Hendershot, Baugher, and Troutman.

Blown To Atoms. The old idea that the body sometimes needs a powerful, drastic, purgative pill has been exploded; for Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are perfectly harmless, gently stimulate liver and bowels to expel poisonous matter, cleanse the system and absolutely cure Constipation and Sick Headache. Only 25c at W. S. Dickson's drug store.

Knobsville. John M. Foro's health does not seem to improve much. There is a good deal of grip in this community. We see Dr. Mosser up this way almost every day.

Knobsville needs a resident physician. The right man would establish a good practice here. We also need a good blacksmith. Splendid opening.

The happiest man in town is William E. Snyder. He goes around whistling "Rock a bye baby on the Tree Top."

Mr. Kalbach is going to put two steam sawmills on his timber land in Cowans Gap. That will make lots of work.

Don't Live Together. Constipation and health never go together. DeWitt's Little Early Risers promote easy action of the bowels without distress. "I have been troubled with constipation nine years," says J. O. Greene, Depauw, Ind. "I have tried many remedies but Little Early Risers give best results."

Jno. P. Sipes, Receiver. Pneumonia and La Grippe Coughs cured quickly by Foley's Honey and Tar. Refuse substitutes. All dealers.

HARNESS AND FARM GEARS. I have now on hand the largest, best and cheapest assortment of Hand Made Harness in Pennsylvania, and sell them cheaper than the cheapest. Harness from \$8 to \$25 always on hand. REMEMBER, we make all our work BY HAND and guarantee it to be all right. Fly Nets and Summer Dusters very cheap and at COST with Harness.

Farm Gears of all kinds always on hand ready for use. We give SPECIAL LOW PRICES to our FULTON COUNTY customers. Whips, Collars, Harness, Bridles, and every thing for the horse. Write or call for prices before you buy.

W. S. HOSTETTER, Mercersburg, Pa. S. E. Cor. Diamond.

GOOD OPPORTUNITY. Mill Property and Farm For Sale. The undersigned will sell his Mill Property, and farm of 50 acres, situated about a half mile south of the Siding Hill Baptist church in Bedford township. The mill is in running order, and the improvements on the farm are a new frame house, good back barn, and other necessary buildings. This property will be sold at a bargain, and on terms that will suit the purchaser.

ABRAHAM J. BITTMAN, Mercersburg, Pa. Jan. 9, 1902.

New Steam Chopping Mill, In McCConnellsburg. All kinds of grain chopped promptly. Give us a trial. At the Old Foundry, West End of Town. W. H. NESHBIT.

Administrator's Notice. Estate of Mrs. Anna Pinner, deceased. Letters of administration on the estate of Mrs. Anna Pinner, late of Licking Creek township, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, who has no other heirs, all persons having claims against said estate will present them properly authenticated for settlement, and those owing the same will please call and settle.

MRS. MARY ANN FAGLEY, Administrator. Dec. 10, 1901.

Administrator's Notice. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration have been granted to the undersigned upon the estate of Joseph Hart, late of Fulton county, Pa., deceased. All persons having claims against said estate will present them properly authenticated for settlement, and those owing the same will please call and settle.

W. F. HART, Administrator. Jan. 2, 1902.

Administrator's Notice. Notice is hereby given that letters of Administration on the estate of Malinda Richards, late of Berkeley Springs, W. Va., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate will make payment, and those having claims will present them properly authenticated for settlement, and those owing the same will please call and settle.

W. H. DECKER, Administrator. Jan. 16, 1902.

Administrator's Notice. Estate of John Hess, deceased. Letters of administration on the estate of John Hess, late of Fulton county, Pa., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, who has no other heirs, all persons having claims against said estate will present them properly authenticated for settlement, and those owing the same will please call and settle.

GEORGE F. MULLOTT, Administrator. Jan. 21, 1902.

Big Cove Tannery. The band practiced Saturday night. It sounded like old times. Miss Jennie Morton has purchased Wm. Harr's farm. She intends to move there in the spring.

John Gross of McCConnellsburg passed through our Valley Friday evening.

Reed Ray has been on the sick list for a couple days.

Miss Mary Mellott of Needmore was the guest of Lillian Pott.

Prayer meeting at Wm. Evert's was well attended.

Mrs. Lib Tolbert is "on the mend."

Mr. A. J. Craig was over the mountain Saturday.

Communion services will be held at the Lutheran church next Sunday at 10 a. m.

The lumber is being gotten ready for the new church.

Blanche Houck spent Saturday evening with Cora Keefer.

News is very scarce this week. Sammy Lauver and Paul Houck have been suffering with severe colds during the last few days.

James M. Gordon has resigned his commission as justice of the peace, and has pulled his sign board down.

On account of heavy rainfall Sunday night, the creek is since quite high this (Tuesday) morning.

Among those who visited our school last week were, George W. Humbert and Elliot Ray. We think there were five in all.

Charles Carbaugh caught a few very large fish with hook and line last Saturday evening.

Don't forget the debate at Webster Mills Friday night, January 31st, when and where Wellington and Napoleon, with their forces, in battle, true and tried, will master face to face and decide the destinies of England and France, for time to come.

BANNER SALVE the most healing salve in the world.

House Desks are being offered at reduced prices. A new desk, Solid Oak, Golden finish, 26 inches wide, 6 pigeon holes and small drawer inside, Jack-knife lid support, shap-ed legs, for \$3, as long as they last. Have only 5. Others range up to \$15.

China Closets in Golden Oak, 38 inches wide, 70 inches high, round ends, with bent glass, beveled edge mirror in top, \$13.50 and on up to \$30.

Parlor Suites and Odd Pieces are worth looking at now, with a piece cut off the price of a good many. Remember we pay the freight on all purchases of \$10 worth and over.

H Sierer & Co FURNITURE MAKERS, on Queen St., Chambersburg.

KALBACH & SPANGLER, Knobsville, Pa. Manufacturers of ALL KINDS OF ROUGH AND-WORKED LUMBER.

Flooring, Siding, and Shingles always on hand.

Frame Stuff furnished to order with promptness.

Mills one mile north of Knobsville.

HOLIDAYS. Special reduction all this week. We have just received a lot of patterns from New York, which we will close out at a great reduction. Ready-to-wear Hats reduced from \$2.00 and \$2.75 to 75 cents and \$1.00.

Ostrich Plumes and all kinds of fancy feathers, must go next week at a big reduction. Our 75c ribbons reduced to 50c, and all over faces reduced to 30 and 35 cents. Hats trimmed free of charge by our city trimmer. Ours is the Bon-Ton Store.

Mrs. A. F. Little, The Fashionable Milliner.

D. E. LITTLE'S Bakery—McCConnellsburg, Pa. Bakes Every Day. Delivers Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

Bread Cakes and Pretzels on hand all the time.

S. P. METZLER DEALER IN Pianos Organs Buggies Carriages

Good marketable stock taken in exchange. When in need of anything in our line write for particulars to S. P. METZLER, Burnt Cabins, Pa.

MILINERY GOODS at and below cost at Gress's New Millinery Store. Opposite the Cooper House, McCConnellsburg, Pa.

JOHN PATTERSON COMMISSION MERCHANT, Poultry, Eggs, Fruit, Produce, &c. 334 South Front St., Phila. Prompt return at best market prices. Your ad best solicited.

The Washing Problem SOLVED By the NOVELTY UPRIGHT DOUBLE REFLEX WASHER.

The only perfect washer. Unlike all others. Guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or Money Refunded.

A. J. SCHETROMPF, Buck Valley, Pa. General Agent for M. C. RANDLEMAN & SONS, Des Moines, Iowa.

ROUSS RACKET STORE. In our last ad we called your attention to Men's and Boys' Sweaters at 30 and 45c. Well, we sold all of that lot, and have just received another lot of the same kind at the same prices. Now, this week, we wish to call your attention, first, to our Boys' and Men's Cord Pants: We have sold 10 doz. pairs of Boys' Knee Cord Pants, lined all through and the making guaranteed, at 75c pr., and we have 2 or 3 doz. more at the same price. In Men's Cords, we have sold 12 doz. and have some left at \$1.35, \$1.75, and \$2.35. If you are in need of any of these goods, don't wait or don't allow any one to sell you a pair until you have seen ours. Secondly, we are anxious that you see our Overalls and Cotton and Wool Pants. We have sold lots of these goods, and think we have a better line than ever before. We had Boys' Apron Overalls 15, 25, and 30c pr. Youths' Overalls, 15 to 19 years, in stripes, with, or without aprons—extra heavy—the 50c kind at 35c. Men's Overalls, all sizes and kinds, 40 to 70c pr. Men's heavy Cotton Pants, lined and unlined, at 80 to 90c. Wool Dress Pants 15c to \$1.75.

Hardware! Hardware! If you need a Cross Cut Saw, we have the best made at \$1.10 and \$1.15, with handles. Extra handles, 15c pr. Single-bit Axes, 50c; double-bit, 60, 65, and 85c each—4 1/2 85c ones are the Wm. Mann axes. Did you ever hear of this price on this axe before? Saw Sets, 45 and 48c. Wood Saws—the Keystone with double red frames—at 49 cents. Carriage bolts, 1 1/2 in. to 7 1/2 in. in length; also, large one. Split rivets, 5c machine rivets, 3c; cap rivets, 5c box. Horse shoe rasps, 15, 18, 22, and 25c. Horse shoe nails, 11c lb. The greatest thing you ever saw in socket framing chisels, and at prices that can't be matched—1 inch, 20c, 1 1/2 and 2 in., 25c each.

Coal oil, 100 test guaranteed. If you have been getting oil that is not good, bring your can to us and try ours. 12c gallon.

ROUSS RACKET STORE BULL & BENDER, Managers.

Read and Reflect. CHRISTMAS is almost here and you want all you can get for your money. Our prices are our inducements. Dry Goods. All the New Shades in Cloth, Cassimere, &c. Fine effects in Shirt Waist goods, Flannels, Ginghams, Muslin, India Linen, White Goods, and Linings of every description. Notions. Kid Gloves, Corsets, Hosiery, Mittens, Laces, Braids, Embroideries, Buttons, Spool Silk, Cotton, Veilings, Handkerchiefs, and Fascinators. Ad endless variety of Christmas Gifts. Millinery. The latest creations constantly on hands. Can match you a perfect outfit in a day's notice. You can save money. Take time and see.

T. J. WIENER, Hancock, Maryland.

Overcoats Must Go. Read This. In order to reduce our stock quick, we will, during the next ten days, sell Overcoats at a reduction that will astonish you. Come In.

A. U. NACE & SONS. Locust Grove school, 4th month, ending Jan. 21; average attend. 93; per cent of attendance, 93; attended every day during the

month—Achah Plessinger, Ella Gerelart, Logue McKee, Elmer Hill, Leslie Hart, Albert Garland, James Garland and Willard Plessinger.