

Brick for sale at Morton's yard.

Harry H. Gaster of Waterfall, while in town last Saturday, added his name to our rapidly growing subscription list, and a dollar to our fund for paying expenses.

The civil engineers who are engaged in running the lines for the proposed Bedford and Hollidaysburg railroad have about completed the survey between the latter town and McKee's Gap.

The ladies of the M. E. church of Warfordsburg will hold an oyster supper for the benefit of the church at the vacant house of Mr. Wm. P. Gordon, on Friday and Saturday nights, January 9th and 10th.

Sale Register.

Wednesday, March 4.—Tobie Glazier will sell valuable personal property at his residence near Webster Mills.

Friday, January 9, S. W. Kirk, administrator of the estate of Zephatha Moates will sell at the residence of William Weaver in Thompson township 2 1/2 miles north of Hancock, all the personal property of the deceased. Sale begin at 11 o'clock A. M., sharp.

Heads Should Never Ache.

Never endure this trouble.— Use at once the remedy that stopped it for Mrs. N. A. Webster, of Winnie, Va. She writes, "Dr. King's New Life Pills wholly cured me of sick headaches I had suffered from for two years."—Cure Headache, Constipation, Biliousness. 25c at W. S. Dickson's drug store.

Wells Tannery.

Mr. and Mrs. Ran McDonald visited relatives in Mt. Union last week. While there Mrs. McDonald was taken sick and suffered greatly all the way home. We learn from her doctor that she has inflammatory rheumatism.

Mrs. John Gibson is also on the sick list.

W. H. Baumgardner has taken contract to cut wood for charcoal. He has employed a number of men, and hopes to have enough coal to make a shipment on the South Penn when completed.

A few mornings ago Mr. Harvey Wishart and family had special reasons to be thankful. On coming from their rooms they discovered that a fire had caught fire, burnt the fire board, oilcloth and edge of the carpet around it, and then died out.

Prof. Horace Griffith of Dordick City, and Nora Griffith of Philadelphia are home for the holidays.

Our Sunday schools all observed Christmas. Their services were well rendered, and the children made happy with nice treats many of our people received very handsome gifts of different kinds—Ranney and Frank Guillard, a nice new organ; several young ladies, musical instruments, but grandest of all, was a nice little boy in the home Mr. and Mrs. Frank Faust.

Mrs. W. H. Baumgardner and daughter Maud attended the 50th anniversary of the marriage of Mrs. John Nelson at Cessna, Bedford county, celebrated on the 30th inst.

Mrs. Joe Truax of End spent several days last week with Mrs. Annie Truax.

Mr. Daniel Johnston who has been in different parts of the West for several months returned to his home in time for Christmas dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. George Swope are visiting their sons and daughters in Port Perry and Dawson.

Mary Baker who has been in Saxton school is spending her vacation at home.

Dorsey Barnett is home from Juniata College for a few days. Mrs. G. A. Stewart is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Florence Blackmore, of Pittsburg.

New Century Comfort.

Millions are daily finding a world of comfort in Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It kills pain from Burns, Scalds, Cuts, Bruises; conquers Ulcers and Fever Sores; cures Eruptions, Salt Rheum, Boils and Felons; removes Corns and Warts. Best Pile cure on earth. Only 25c at W. S. Dickson's drug store.

One of the Justices from each township was in town this week making his final settlement of tax collection with the commissioners.

William F. Wink of Belfast was in town last Friday attending to some odds and ends of business preparatory to leaving Pennsylvania and becoming a resident of Maryland. He leaves, this week with his family for their new home on the farm he recently purchased about a mile and a quarter from Princess Anne, Md. His farm lies near to that of V. H. Prosser formerly of this place. Mr. Wink is one of Fulton county's best young citizens, and we trust he and his family may find their new home pleasant, and that prosperity will crown their efforts with success. Mr. Wink has sold his home farm on Licking Creek to James E. Hollenshead who will get possession in the spring.

Charles Stotlemeyer, aged 30 years, fell forty feet from a cliff at Pinto on Tuesday of last week and was instantly killed. He had been employed in the West Virginia lumber region and was on a visit to his brothers, James Stotlemeyer, foreman of the cement tunnels, and Geo. Stotlemeyer, at Pinto. He walked too close the edge of the cliff to see the funeral car of Major Shaw and fell, his body landing on the railroad track. He was a son of Mrs. Mary E. Stotlemeyer of Hancock, and of the late Andrew J. Stotlemeyer. The body was taken to Hancock and the funeral occurred Thursday from the Methodist church. Interment in the Public Cemetery. The deceased is survived by his mother, brothers James, George and Arley and sisters Laura and Mollie.

Did you ever stop to think what an untiring and steady letter writer a good local paper is? Week after week, reaching into years, it goes on telling of marriages, births and deaths, the coming and going of the people, the successes and failures, the accidents, crops, improvements, parties, revival meetings, socials, in fact all events of all kinds. All is grist that comes to the hopper of a good local paper. Why, if you were to undertake to write a letter each week to an absent friend and tell half the news your local paper gives, you would soon give it up in despair. The supposed pleasure would soon become a tiresome bore. The letters would grow shorter, further apart and finally cease entirely. What is the difference? Because with a newspaper it is business. The people recognize this and take pleasure in giving the editor news items you would never learn.

Laidig.

Not noticing any news from the place commonly called Tail Holt, will give you a few of the happenings.

Everything passed off very quietly on Xmas with the exception of a few turkey roasts.

The Laidig blacksmith attended a roast, but has since been in the background, as the custard pie was very rich.

As one of our citizens was on his way to Harrisonville last Saturday evening, the "goat" became excited as it passed through the city of Laidig, causing him to tear his buggy. The next time leave the goat at its proper place.

After Dr. Shoemaker partook of a fine roast on Christmas, he drove to Laidig to see his old friend David Stevens, who says the Doctor's turkey, cranberries, cake, &c. were fine. Also, Mr. Stevens' niece Alice Clevenger, brought him a fine basket full of Christmas dinner.

T. F. D. was busy hauling fertilizer Christmas morning.

Dr. T. Deavor of New York, is visiting his brothers and sisters.

J. R. Price's son Frank arrived home to spend the holidays with his father and friends. Glad to see you, Frank.

Mr. Laidig, merchant has rented at Dublin Mills. At that place he will conduct business the coming year. Sorry to see them leave as they are good neighbors. Possibly he will not be annoyed so much by bad boys.

The neighbors say that D. R. M. killed some fine rabbits with the hammerless gun. Sorry the season is out.

Raw Furs.

I pay the highest cash price for fox, coon, mink, akunk, opossum, and other skins. Write for prices. CLAY PARK, Three Springs, Pa.

Licking Creek.

Our correspondent must be sick, or away, as we have missed Licking Creek items.

Some of our people have been making good use of the snow; but the sleighing is about gone. Hope there will be more soon.

Uranzo Truax, of Ohio, is visiting his parents and other friends at Pleasant Ridge.

Miss Rhoda Le'ae who has been employed in Philadelphia is visiting her brother, Joseph Lake.

Lewis Mellott and family were visiting at Mrs. Ellie Mellott's last week.

Clayton Deshong has purchased a new buggy.

George Meck of Broadtop is spending some time with the family of Hartman Truax.

Homer Sipes is wearing a very smiling face as a little girl has come to his house to stay.

Mr. O. E. Haun has bought Mrs. L. E. Harris' farm at Saluvia.

Earl Morton spent Christmas afternoon with George C. Deshong.

Rev. C. H. Shull spent Christmas with Elmer Deshong and helped eat a turkey.

Miss Dora Deshong who is teaching school in Bedford county spent a week at her home at Saluvia.

Joe Mellus of Punxsutawney is spending some time with Misses Leona and Anna Schooley, at Harrisonville.

Matthew Mellott is seriously ill at this writing.

The protracted meeting is now in progress at Siloam, conducted by Rev. C. H. Shull.

Mrs. Elias Deshong is on the sick list.

Conrad Sipe had the misfortune to lose one of his work horses.

James and Michael Mellott have returned home from Riddlesburg.

Scott Mellott who has been home for a few weeks, has returned to Riddlesburg.

Mrs. Harriet Deshong who has been confined to her room with rheumatism, is getting better.

James Hockensmith of Johnstown is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Caleb Hockensmith.

Miss Lottie Hockensmith is on the sick list.

The Christmas entertainment at Siloam on the evening of the 24th was quite a success. The people took an active part, the little folks all had very good recitations about Christmas and Santa Claus, and they recited them well. Dialogue by several of the little folks, and Miss Leona Schooley. Recitation by Miss Glenna Decker. Essay, The Holidays, by Miss Linna A. Deshong. Prof. Joseph Mellus of Punxsutawney furnished excellent music for the entertainment. As quite a number of little folks had part we cannot name them all. About ninety Sunday school scholars received each a pack of candy from Santa Claus. Something over a hundred with teachers, was treated by Santa Claus. It was closed with a very appropriate speech by Rev. Shull.

Mrs. Jordan Deshong, in surprise to her husband, had a turkey roast and wood-chopping on Christmas day. It was a very agreeable surprise, as a number of his neighbors came and helped him saw up a lot of wood. There were a number of ladies, but they helped eat turkey and didn't saw wood. The men there were Geo. R. Hoop, Harry Mumma, John Hollenshead, Lewis Mellott, Levi, Thomas and Ross Morton and Wishart Deshong.

Notice.

In order to move from this place, I will offer my entire stock of goods, consisting of Hardware, Dry Goods, Hats, Caps, Boots, Shoes, &c., &c., at greatly reduced prices, M. LAIDIG, Laidig, Pa.

To Cure a Cold in One Day. Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

An unusually large number of new subscribers was added during the holidays. Many were presents to distant friends.

Dr. George Robinson of Washington, D. C. spent a few days with his parents during the holidays.

Laurel Ridge.

Our school was closed last Friday, the teacher, Miss Peck, being absent.

B. F. and Mary Shives spent Christmas with their sister Mrs. Cover, of Hancock.

Messrs. Mac, Bliss, and Edward Lynch of Johnstown, are spending the holiday season with parents and friends here.

Robert Mellott's new barn is about completed.

Jacob Clouser and Wilbert Mann spent last Wednesday at McConnellsburg.

Daisy Shaw spent Saturday as the guest of Mrs. B. F. Shives.

Harry Bergstresser of Warfordsburg, visited his sister Mrs. John J. Gordon Saturday and Sunday.

Alice Shives was the guest of Mrs. Minnie Lynch on Christmas.

Thomas Shaw visited friends and relatives from Tuesday till Friday in Franklin county.

P. P. Shives put spouting on Clouser's barn last Saturday.

The Sunday school here closed December 21 for the winter, and will be re-opened in April.

Among those who attended the Christmas entertainment at the Lutheran church Wednesday evening were Mrs. Rob't Mellott and daughters Gracy and Goldie, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Shives, Flora and Raymond Shives, G. E. Clouser, Wilbert Mann, Lillian Bishop, Maude Gordon and Netta Lynch.

Listen for Wedding Bells!

Clear Ridge.

Christians passed off here very pleasantly, and many good dinners were served.

Misses Anna and Ella Irwin of McConnellsburg, spent their Christmas with Miss Millie Huston whose brothers and sisters were all at home.

C. R. Brown came home from Pitcairn to spend his Christmas, and will return the last of this month.

B. N. Palmer, of Needmore attended our oyster supper last Friday night.

Miss Rella Chesnut is home from Greensburg.

Mrs. J. H. Mowers is visiting friends in Franklin county.

Clark McGovern was in our town on Friday.

Mrs. E. J. Miller spent a couple of days with her sister Mrs. R. E. Brown last week.

Baldwin Fraker has about decided to help James Fields next summer.

W. R. Fields is cutting his third set of teeth, but only one has come yet.

C. R. Brown and Miss Rella Chesnut called on Howard Denisar's Sunday.

Justice J. S. Akers and wife of Locust Grove spent Tuesday night at the Washington House.

There will be a local institute at Laurel Ridge Friday evening, January 9th.

W. R. Bergstresser of Waterfall spent Monday in town.

Mrs. Paul Wagner of this place has been quite a sick woman for several days.

Geo. W. Morton and Michael W. Mellott of Pleasant Ridge went to Riddlesburg last Monday, where they expect to get employment.

Bessie and E. B. Morton, two of Belfast's teachers, spent Saturday and Sunday with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Judge Morton. Their sister Blanche accompanied them when they returned to their schools, where she will visit friends during her vacation.

Mrs. Henry A. Comer of this place entertained a large number of friends at dinner Tuesday in celebration of the eightieth birthday anniversary of her mother, Mrs. Catharine Eitemiller. A well filled box from her sons, Jacob S. at McKeesport, and Geo. at Pittsburg, testified to their appreciation of the event.

Register and Clerk's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the following named accountants have filed their accounts in the Register and Clerk's office of Fulton county, Pa., and that the same will be presented to the Orphans' Court of said county for confirmation on the Tuesday following second Monday of January next being the 12th day.

- (1) HART.—The first and final account of William F. Hart administrator of Joseph Hart, late of Belfast township, deceased.
- (2) ENNERY.—The first and final account of William S. Ennery Trustee of the real estate of G. H. Ennery, late of Brush Creek township, deceased.
- (3) SHANK.—The first and final account of Louis Shank administrator of A. J. Shank, late of Union township, deceased.
- (4) SHANK.—The first and final account of Louis Shank Trustee of A. J. Shank late of Union township, deceased.
- (5) KIRK.—The first and final account of Rev. Kirk administrator of Thomas Kirk late of Taylor township, deceased with distribution attached.

FRANK P. LYCH, Register & Clerk. December 11, 1902.

License Notice.

IN THE COURT OF QUARTER SESSIONS OF FULTON COUNTY.

It is ordered that all applications for licenses for the sale of vinous, spiritous malt or brewed liquors, wholesale or retail, for the year 1903, will be heard on Tuesday, the 15th day of January, 1903, at 10 o'clock a. m. at which time all persons applying or making objections to applications, will be heard by evidence, petition, remonstrance or counsel.

There must be no communication at any time upon the subject, with the Judges personally either by letter or any other private way.

The petition, verified by affidavit of applicant, shall be in conformity with the requirements of the acts of Assembly. Judgment bond shall be executed in the penal sum of \$200, with no less than two reputable freeholders of the county as sureties, each of them to be a bona fide owner of real estate in the county of Fulton worth, over and above all incumbrances, the sum of \$200 for other legal security given by the applicant, and to pay all damages which shall be recovered against the licensee, and all costs, fines and penalties which may be imposed on him under any indictment for violating said laws; and the sureties may be required to appear in Court and justify under oath.

The Court shall in all cases refuse the application whenever, in the opinion of the Court, having due regard to the number and character of the petitions, for and against the applicant, such license is not necessary for the accommodation of the public and entertainment of strangers and travelers, or that the applicant is not a fit person to whom such license should be granted.

Petitions to be filed with the Clerk of the Court not later than Monday, the 27th day of December, 1902. Objections and remonstrances to be filed not later than Tuesday, the 7th day of January, 1903. Upon sufficient cause being shown or proof being made to the effect that the party holding license has violated any law of the Commonwealth relating to the sale of liquors, the Court shall upon notice being given to the person licensed, revoke the license.

By the Court, SAMUEL McC. SWOPE, P. J.

Attest: FRANK P. LYNCH, Clerk Q. S. Dec. 11, 1902.

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WINTER MILLINERY

We just received this week a fine lot of NEW WINTER MILLINERY consisting of Beavers, Mohairs, Camels Hair, Velvet, and Felt Hats, CAPS, BONNETS, SILKS, RIBBONS, FISH SCALE TRIMMING, LACES, COLLARS, and APPLIQUES.

Our superb showing of TRIMMED HATS is especially strengthened this week by the addition of hundreds or more of our famous creations at \$1, \$2 and \$3, scarcely equal elsewhere for \$4, \$5, and \$6.

We are safe in saying we carry the largest line of Millinery in Fulton county, and you can save 50 cts on every dollar by buying at our store. Come and be convinced.

Mrs. A. F. Little.

YOU NEED A BUGGY

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A Bran New Falling Top Buggy with Full Leather Trimming, Spring Cushion and Back, Thousand Mile Axle, A Grade Wheels, Patent Shaft Couplers and Finely Finished throughout for ONLY \$50.

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In the last issue of this paper, we called your attention to some prices on Underwear, Horse-blankets and Rubber goods; and now we are certainly pleased with our sales since. We have in our second lot, and are again in shape for another rush. Don't fail to see our Rolled-edge Buckle Arctic at \$1.00.

Now, as Christmas is drawing near and every body is wanting presents, we think it our duty to tell you what we have and to name our prices.

We have the Teachers' Oxford Bibles at 35, 98, \$1.05, and \$1.25. New Testament, 10c. Family Bibles \$1.60. Box paper, 5 to 15c. Mrs. Pott sad irons, 75c, set; Flat-irons 4c. A nice assortment of Suspenders, and at prices that can't be matched, 5 to 35 cts pr. Neckties, 5 to 25c; Rugs, 45, 89, \$1.25. Bed blankets 49 and 65c; also, a nice line of shirts 23 to 65c. Copper tea Kettles 85c. Watches \$1.00 \$2.95 to \$5.85; Watch Chains, 25 and 48c. Alarm clocks, 58, 75, \$1.18 Gold Collar Buttons 2 for 5, Cuff Buttons, 20 and 25c, Sweaters for Boys, 30c each; Sweaters for Men, 45, 65, \$1.25.

Saxony and Germantown Yarn, 8c cut; Granite Coffee Pots 25 and 30c; Dish Pans, 23, 39, 45, 65, 75, and 85c.

SHOES! SHOES! SHOES!

We were never in better shape to show Shoes than now, and never had as good prices. It is impossible for us to give you prices on the whole line. Our child's shoes in soft soles at 20 and 25c, are fine. Misses 50 to 98c. Ladies' 85 to \$1.90. Boys 98 to \$1.25. Men's \$1.00 to \$2.45.

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