

Brick for sale at Morton's yard
Keep an eye on our sale Register.
Invitations are out for the wedding next Wednesday evening at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Kezia C. Johnston in the Cove, of Miss Nora Kezia Johnston to Mr. Owen Dunlan, a prominent citizen of Pittsburg, Kansas.

Owing to the inclement weather last Sunday, the communion services in St. Paul's Reformed church were postponed. Should the weather prove favorable, these services will be held next Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock; if not, there will be Divine Services in the evening, at 7 o'clock.

Fix the date for your sale and have it entered in our Sale Register—both the News and Democrat free when bills are printed at either office.

It affords us much pleasure to learn from the Bedford papers that W. F. Harcleroade who has so ably filled the editorial chair of the Bedford Gazette during the past ten years, has purchased a half interest in the plant and will hereafter share in the dividends. Frank is one of Old Mother Bedford's best young men, and we congratulate him most heartily.

McConnellsburg Lodge 744 I. O. O. F. last week removed from Comeror's Hall into W. S. Cleveenger's new building on West Water street. To celebrate the event, on last Friday evening a banquet was held at the Washington House in which a half hundred Oddfellows, their wives, and sweethearts spent a delightful evening. The bill of fare, both in quantity and quality, was in keeping with that well known hostelry.

JURORS.

List of jurors drawn to serve at March term of court at McConnellsburg, beginning Monday March 16, 1903 at 2 o'clock P. M.

GRAND JURY.

AVR.—Frank Duffy, Charles Nesbit, Abner McClucas.
BELFAST.—M. Truax, Frank Layton.
BRUSH CREEK.—T. H. Akers.
DUBLIN.—G. W. Comeror, Irwin Cook, James Stevens.
MCCONNELLSBURG.—Valentine Hoop, C. C. Bender, Licking Creek.—Geo. W. Mellott, Johnson Wilson, W. Scott Brant.

TAYLOR.—John W. Bergstreser, Samuel Speck, Simon Fix.
THOMPSON.—James C. Snyder, Grant Brakeall, Scott Gordon.
TOD.—David Herhey, John Forney.

UNION.—William Schetrompf.
WELLS.—Warren Anderson.

PLETT JURY.

AVR.—U. G. Humbert, Wm. Keefe, Samuel Mellott.
BELFAST.—Joseph B. Mellott, Carl Mellott.
BETHEL.—H. K. Markey, Albert Hixson, James E. Mellott, George M. Gardner.

BRUSH CREEK.—Elijah Hoopengardner, Samuel Hart, Carey Layton, C. W. Spade, Lemuel Smith.
DUBLIN.—George Locke, Irwin Wilson, George Doran.

MCCONNELLSBURG.—Isaac Hull.
LICKING CREEK.—B. F. Deshong, G. S. Hoop, John W. Hoop.

TAYLOR.—A. L. Shaw, Andrew Bolinger.
THOMPSON.—Eli Covalt, Doyle Morgret, Dennis Everts.
TOD.—T. B. Stevens, Benjamin Cline, Bert Henry.

UNION.—Nelson Beatty, C. H. Feoff, George Scriver, Vernon Northcraft, Frank Lee, Jackson A. Hendershott.

WELLS.—J. Cal Kirk, James A. Woodcock, E. G. Foster.

Summer Normal School at Harrisonville.

To begin April 27, 1903, and continue for 8 weeks.
Tuition 50 cents per week. Good board \$2.00 per week.
C. H. SHULL, Principal, Harrisonville, Pa.

FARMING IN THE SOUTH

The Passenger Department of the Illinois Central Railroad Company is issuing monthly circulars concerning fruit growing, vegetable gardening, stock raising, dairying, etc., in the States of Kentucky, West Tennessee, Mississippi and Louisiana. Every Farmer or Home-sower, who will forward his name and address to the undersigned, will be mailed free. Circulars Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5, and others as they are published from month to month.

E. A. RICHTER,
TRAVELING PASSENGER AGENT,
PARK BUILDING, PITTSBURG, PA.

Picked Up in Belfast.

The Mellott brothers—Tom, Frank and Harvey have gone to Everett, where we understand they have secured employment.

Nathan Truax has gone to work for W. F. Wink near Princes Anne Md. Letters, Mr. Wink's friends have been receiving from him, state he is well pleased with his new home.

George Morton, Sr., has been confined to the house for some time from a heavy cold. Mr. Morton is about eighty years of age.

Emory, son of Christopher Dishong, is recovering from a very severe attack of pneumonia.

Thomas Truax has moved to Everett.

One dark night, recently, when Earl Morton, one of Belfast township's school teachers, was returning to his boarding place at a late hour, when his foot struck an animal, which gave an alarm so suddenly, that Earl leaped about ten feet in the air, (more or less) but struck terra firma near where he had left it. Now it wasn't a low deep growl like a bear, neither was it one of those hair raising squalls like a wild cat; but a dense fog settled around the scene. It is well this wielder of the birch was well up in wood craft, or he would never have found his way out; but he landed safe at Joseph Truax's. Now he is contemplating the advisability of getting the champion skunk hunters of Stone Ridge to go down and rid that vicinity of this particular species of the feline tribe.

Millions Put to Work.

The wonderful activity of the new century is shown by an enormous demand for the world's best workers—Dr. King's New Life Pills. For constipation, sick headache, biliousness, or any trouble of the stomach, liver or kidneys they're unrivaled. Only 25c at W. S. Dickson's drug store.

Wells Tannery.

Mrs. Harriet Barnett of Waterfall is visiting her son and other friends in this community.

Rev. Schaeffer was unable to fill his appointments here on Sunday on account of the illness of his son Harold.

J. C. Kirk has sold his farm and expects to remove with his family to Everett in the spring.

A daughter has come to grace the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Barnett.

Mrs. George Swope was hastily summoned to Pittsburg Saturday on account of the serious illness of her daughter.

Notwithstanding the bad condition of the roads, more than one hundred persons attended the "Valentine Social" held at W. H. Spangler's last Friday evening.

The affair was all that could have been desired, both socially and financially.

Mr. G. E. Truax returned to his home here Saturday. He has been a contractor and builder in Nanty Glo for several months.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cook and children and Mrs. Mary Fore, all of Everett, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Hayes Bivens.

Messrs. Comeror and McGowan, with their force of men, have gone home to Burnt Cabins to cast their votes, we trust for worthy men.

Mrs. Jerry Sprowl from the old Sprowl mansion, visited her sister Mrs. Bert Deshong one day last week.

William Barnett of Juniata College spent Sunday at home.

Agents Wanted.

Purchasing agents wanted, to take orders for ladies' furnishing goods and shoes. The book agent is an unwelcome visitor but the purchasing agent with selected samples of furnishings and shoes is always welcome. You can establish a permanent and increasing trade. Samples free if references are satisfactory. Liberal commission.

GELDER & BROMLEY

914 Walnut St., Philadelphia, Pa.

It is said that statistics prove that in every 1000 bachelors there are 88 criminals, while in every 1,000 married men the criminals number only 13. If this is so it surely proves that the present day members of the sex labeled coy and hard to please have at least an immense capability for keeping men out of mischief; sufficient to overbalance, perhaps, even the unkind reputation handed down the ages by Mother Eve.

Sale Register.

Thursday, February 19.—T. E. Fleming executor of the last will &c. of Wilson Catohall will sell at the late residence of the deceased near Clear Ridge, horses, cattle, Farming Implements, Household goods, &c. Sale begins at 10 o'clock. Credit 9 months.

Thursday, Feb. 19, 1903, J. N. Sheely will sell at public sale at his residence, 1 mile east of Greencastle, on the Waynesboro pike, 2 head of horses, 6 head of cattle, 13 head of hogs, farming machinery, etc. Sale begins at 11 o'clock. Credit 11 months.

Tuesday, February 24.—D. S. Denisar, intending to quit farming will sell at his residence 1 mile west of Burnt Cabins, Live Stock, Farming Implements, Hay Household Goods, &c. Sale begins at 10 o'clock. Credit 9 months.

Thursday, February 25.—The administrators will sell at the late residence of Matthew W. Mellott of Licking Creek township a large lot of valuable personal property. Sale begins at 10 o'clock.

Saturday, February, 28.—W. A. Vallance on the pike 1/4 mile east of Harrisonville, having rented his farm, will sell Horses, Farming implements, Household goods, &c. Sale begins at 10 o'clock. Credit 6 months.

Tuesday, March 3.—Richard Madden intending to move to Three Springs, will sell at his residence 1 1/2 miles south of Dublin Mills, Horses, Wagons, Farm machinery, Harness, Corn, Rye, and Clover seed by the bushel, &c. Sale begins at 10 o'clock. Credit 6 months.

Wednesday, March 4.—Tobie Glazier, having rented his farm will sell at his residence near Webster Mills, 6 work horses, 3 colts, 11 milch cows, 3 steers, 3 heifers, 30 sheep, 6 brood sows, 12 shotes, also corn, hay, wagnons mowers, binders, in fact, all his farming implements, and much household goods. Sale to begin at 10 o'clock sharp. Credit 12 months.

Saturday, March 7.—Mrs. Margaret Bollinger will sell at her residence 1/2 mile southwest of Dublin Mills, Horses, Cattle, Grain, Farming implements, and Household and Kitchen Furniture.—Sale begins at 9 o'clock.

Tuesday, March 10.—William H. Charlton intending to quit farming will sell at his residence near Warfordsburg, a large lot of fine live stock, agricultural implement, &c. Sale begins at 10 o'clock sharp.

Tuesday, March 10.—Alex R. Hamil intending to quit farming, will sell on the Hassler farm, 2 1/2 miles south of Fort Loudon near Dickey Station, 10 horses and colts, 15 head of cattle, 16 Poland hogs, farming implements, household and kitchen furniture. Sale begins at 10 o'clock. Credit 12 months.

Wednesday, March 11.—Wm. Butts will sell at his residence in Waterfall, Pa., a good cow, farming implements, household goods 35 bushels of potatoes, &c. Sale begins at 1 o'clock p. m.

Thursday, March 12.—D. A. Gillis intending to quit farming, will sell at his residence 3 miles northwest of McConnellsburg, Horses, Cattle, Farming implements, &c. Sale begins at 10 o'clock.

Thursday, March 26.—William Comeror, intending to quit farming, will sell at his residence two miles south of McConnellsburg, horses, cattle, farming implements, household goods, &c. Sale begins at 10 o'clock.

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.

Pacific Coast Without Change. In new Pullman "Ordinary" sleepers, wide vestibuled and with every modern convenience, in charge of competent agent, from Cincinnati and Chicago via Louisville, New Orleans, Houston San Antonio, El Paso and Los Angeles to San Francisco. Rates for berths less than half of cost in regular sleepers. For free descriptive matter and full particulars, address E. A. RICHTER, Trav. Pass. Agent, Illinois Central Railroad, Park Building Pittsburg, Pa.

Local Institute.

The Local Institute at Needmore last Friday night was well attended and full of interest.—The chairman was T. P. Garland, Esq., and the secretary, Miss Orpha Snyder. The teachers present were from Brush Creek, Oscar Sharpe; Bethel, William Peck, Austin Hill, and Miss Minnie Funk; Belfast, Albert, Unger, and Howard Mellott; Miss Cora Funk, Logue Wink, Levi Morton and Orpha Snyder.

The work done by the school reflects much credit on both pupils and teacher. The next institute will be held at Pleasant Grove, February 27.

Raw Furs.

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

Rev. B. F. Black will preach at Siding Hill Christian church Saturday evening, February 21st and on Sunday morning 22d at 10 o'clock. He will also, preach at Pleasant Grove Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock of the same day, and in the Baptist church at Needmore in the evening.

Cow Peas.

For the information of those who may be interested in the culture of Cow Peas, we suggest that a letter be addressed to The Secretary of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., with a request for Farmers' Bulletins Nos. 16 and 29. Also, write to A. B. Lehman Fayetteville, Pa., who has some seed for sale.

Mind Your Own Business.

People who are in the habit of listening to private conversations carried on over the telephone lines and repeat the same to others are probably not aware that there is a law against so doing. The following section of this law may be interesting to them:

That in case any person, superintendent, operator or subscriber, who may in any other capacity be connected with any telegraph or telephone line in this state, shall use or cause to be used, or make known the contents of any dispatch sent from or received at any office in the state, or in any wise unlawfully expose another's business or secrets, such person shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall for every such offense be subject to a fine of not less than \$100 or imprisonment not exceeding six months, or both, or either, at the discretion of the court.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best and most famous compound in the world to conquer aches and kill pains. Cures cuts, burns and bruises, subdues inflammation, masters piles. Millions of boxes sold yearly. Works wonders in boils, ulcers, felons, skin eruptions. It cures or no pay. 25c at W. S. Dickson's drug store.

Number of Shingles on a Roof.

J. D. Tate gives to the New York Farmer's Club a rule for estimating the number of shingles in a roof of any size, one which he thinks every mechanic and farmer should remember. First find the number of square inches in one side of the roof; cut off the right-hand or unit figure, and the result will be the number of shingles required to cover both sides of the roof, laying five inches to the weather. The ridgeboard provides for the double courses at the bottom. Illustration: Length of roof 100 feet, width of one side, 30 feet—100x30=3000—3000—Cutting off the right-hand figure, we have 300 as the number of shingles required.

MARDI GRAS AT NEW ORLEANS

The Mardi Gras festivities at New Orleans this year will be the grandest ever held and will occur February 23d and 24th, although the entire week preceding February 5th, will be devoted to celebration by the various organizations that have made "Mardi Gras" and "New Orleans" famous the world over. The Illinois Central Railroad is synonymous with "Mardi Gras" and arrangements have been made for special "Tour Service" from Pittsburg, Cincinnati, Chicago, and St. Louis for handling passengers to New Orleans for this occasion. If you are contemplating a trip to the Mardi Gras make your arrangements at once for sleeping car accommodations, etc. Free descriptive matter and full particulars upon application to E. A. RICHTER, TRAV. PASS. AGT. ILL. CENT. R. R. PARK BUILDING, PITTSBURG, PA.

Prothonary's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the following named accountants have filed their accounts in the Prothonary's office and that the same will be presented to the Courts of Common Pleas of Fulton county, Pa., on the third Monday of March next before the 10th day.

GEORGE A. HARRIS, Prothonary.

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 Courts of Common Pleas of Fulton county, Pa., on the third Monday of March next before the 10th day.

GEORGE A. HARRIS, Register and Clerk's Office.

Administrator's Notice.

Estate of J. L. Jackson, deceased. Letters of administration on the estate of J. L. Jackson, late of Brush Creek township, deceased, having been granted by the Register of Wills of Fulton county to the subscriber, whose post office address is Akronville, Fulton county, Pa., all persons who are indebted to said estate will please make payment and those having claims will present them to

JONAS LAKE, Administrator.

Administrator's Notice.

Estate of Abram King, deceased. Letters of administration on the estate of Abram King, late of Taylor township, Fulton county, Pa., deceased, having been granted by the Register of Wills of Fulton county to the subscriber, whose post office address is Lading, Fulton county, Pa., all persons who are indebted to said estate will please make payment, and those having claims will present them to

JONAS LAKE, Administrator.

A Sure Cure for Catarrh.

Use the Formaldehyde Generator, a positive cure for all forms of Catarrh, Colds, and Lung trouble. For sale at Trout's drug store.

There are so many things a boy hasn't had time to learn that it is no disgrace for him to say, "I don't know," when asked about most of them. Of course, there are some things he ought to know, and as to them ignorance is a disgrace. But even then it is better to say, "I don't know," than to pretend to know when you don't. In the first place, such a pretence is a cheat and a sham. That alone is a reason enough for giving it a wide berth. In the second place, it never succeeds. Sham and humbug are sooner or later found out. You can't build any real success on them. Then say: "I don't know." But if you ought to know, make up your mind that you have used the humiliating phrase for the last time. Take as your motto for such a situation this three-worded determination: "I'll find out."—Epworth Herald.

Store and Property For Sale.

Property alone, or property and goods together. Reason for selling is that I have a position on the road. Can give possession April 1. All necessary out-buildings, and a never failing spring of water at door. Building practically new.

D. EDWARD FORE, Knobsville, Pa.

CUT IN

Horse Blankets.

5-A Blankets at 65, 75, 85, \$1.20 and \$1.90.

Plush Robes,

\$1.75, and \$2.00

R. S. Patterson's

MCCONNELLSBURG, PA.

Mrs. E. M. Gress.

FASHIONABLE MILLINER. Hats with all the latest trimmings. Velvets, Silks, &c. at greatly reduced prices. Diagonally opposite Cooper House, McConnellsburg, Pa.

Winter Attractions at J. K. JOHNSTON'S McConnellsburg, Pa.

OVERCOATS!

The season is here for a reduction in stock and price.

MEN'S Medium length \$2.50; Storm coats, \$3.75; Oxford Grays, 48 inches in length \$6.00.

BOYS' Splendid Overcoats from \$1.00 up. Both Storm and Dress at Marvelously low prices.

Splendid Fleece-lined Men's Underwear for 25c

Full Line of Men's, Women's and Children's Underwear at greatly reduced prices.

Rubber goods of all kinds at prices which will remove every piece before spring.

Men's and Boys' Dress Suits and Working Suits, Shirts, Collars, Cuffs, Neckties, Suspenders—in fact, a full line of Men's furnishing goods, at prices that will please you.

THE RACKET STORE

A FEW PRICES FOR FEBRUARY.

Just received a new lot of Felt Boots, with a heavy duck rolled edge, the best you ever saw, for \$1.95; also, two cases of candee Water and Silk finish, ladies overs, at the old price, 42c. We still have a few pair of good cheap Best Grade Men's Gum Boots, \$2.75.

We have this month added to our stock the following goods: Yaukee Farm Brides, home made, \$1.60. 1-inch tie-straps 2c. Dome made leather halters 85c. City made 4-ring halters, 6c. Breast Chains 25c a pair. But-traces, 48c pair. Long plow traces 50, 60 and 80c pair. You will do well to see these goods.

TINWARE! TINWARE!

No. 8, good heavy Wash boiler, 65c; 2 qt covered Buckets, 6c; 3 qt, 4 qt, 12c, 10 qt, flaring pails, 12c, 10 qt, galvanized pails, 17c; 5 cups 2c each, dippers 4, 5, 10, 16, 20c. 3 qt, tin stew pans, 2 1/2 in, tin Wash basins 5c, 2-qt, copper pots 7 to 10c. Granite, to 35c. Pie plates 2 for 5c. Dish pans, 23 to 85c. Flour sifters, 1 Colanders, 10c. Milk strainers 10c. Copper tea kettles 80c.

CLOTHING AND UNDERWEAR.

In overalls and shirts, we have the best and cheapest ever made in suits, we have children's 98c to \$1.90, Long pants suits for boys at \$1.90 to \$3.25. Men's suits \$2.45 to \$7.25. Underwear for boys and men—good fleeced lined, 25 to 40c.

HARDWARE! HARDWARE!

Diamond tooth cross cut saws, with handles \$1.10 & \$1.15. Many double bit axes still 85c. Clippers, double bit, 65c. Clothes pins 1c. Give us an early call and save money.

HULL & BENDER, PROPRIETORS.

ATTENTION!

I am now better than ever prepared to furnish farmers anything in the way of Implements and Machinery.

Buggies and Spring Wagons
Falling-top Buggies from \$40 up
Binders and Mowers
Harrows \$8.50 up
Corn Shellers
Corn Planters
Hay Rakes from \$15. up
Hay Forks and Rope

Boss Washing Machine

Lewis' White Lead at 7 1/2c up
Linseed Oil at 60c a gallon
Machino Oil from 20c a gal., up
Horse Shoe Nails 10c a lb.
Wire Nails at 3 1/2c lb.
Table Syrup 32c a gallon
Double-bit Axes 65c

SEWING MACHINES \$15 UP

Smooth Wire—way down
Pumps and Pipe at any old price
All kinds of salable Live Stock taken in exchange.

If you want anything in my line call and see me; if you haven't time, drop me a postal card and I will call to see you,

W. H. NESBIT, McConnellsburg, Pa.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned auditor, appointed to make disbursements of the funds in the hands of John P. Sipes, Esq., Receiver for the Crystal Springs, Pennsylvania, will sit at his office at McConnellsburg, Pa., for the performance of said duty at 10 o'clock A. M. of Monday, March 2, 1903, when all persons interested may attend if they see proper.

GEORGE B. DANIELS, Auditor.

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