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SCHOOL TERM EXAMINATIONS.

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Names of Those Successful, and Names of Examiners.

four of whom passed.

knowledge of the branches, pre- through it, when he was attacked don county. scribed in the course of study by Brights disease in its worst laid down for the schools in the form and the poor boy died last county, and, second, they serve Saturday night and was buried at don county, on Thursday evening as a guide to the teachers' exami- Bethlehem church Sunday evennations. Those who pass this ex- ing. amination with a fair average and One of the pecuhariy distressattend a summer school thereaf- ing features is the fact that owter, making good use of their time ing to the contagious nature of should be able to make a very fair scarlet fever there has been no showing in the teachers' exami- one near the family save the docnation.

these spring examinations lies in the undertaker. the fact that too often very young they pass with a narrow margin, and 3 days. are too young to teach, and are unable to go away to school; they feel they have completed the work of the public schools and thus drop out of school entirely.

Last year the age required of applicants for teachers' certifi P. Palmer's family last Sunday. where they have rented for the years. cates was seventeen, and, in view of the fact that the Minimum Salary Bill will become a law, and posed that it was set on fire by as they are excellent people. consequently, more applicants an incendiary. from which to select, this standard is more likely to raise than county bridge at Charlton's fordlower.

No girl or boy should be allowed to drop from the public school fordsburg to farm for W. P. Gorunless prepared and able to at- don. tend another school, until they have reached the age of womanhood or manhood; they should not Chesnut's school. be induced to remain at home in idleness, waiting until they are old enough to make a living for themselves.

Those who failed this spring average in age only a little more than tifteen. Pupils so young as this can well afford to spend more time in the public schools.

The following shows the number of pupils who passed the examination in the several townships, as well as the names of those who conducted the exami

An Afflicted Family. Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Sipes at

the water trough on the pike on Huntingdon and Fulton County Those Who Have Been Summoned the east side of Scrub Ridge, The results of the term exami- have been called to suffer deep nations held throughout the coun- affliction. About seven weeks ty, April 11th, show that there ago a bright little daughter died were forty-five applicants, thirty- of scarlet fever, and about two ing Justice, Daniel E Fore, Tues-

tor and Samuel M. Clevenger, a The greatest danger attending hired nurse, and H. S. Daniels,

The boy's name who was burpupils are pushed ahead too red last Sunday was Harry W., Locke of Fort Littleton, and is a strongly in the hope of passing; and his age was 18 years, 4 mos.,

Pigeon Cove.

The extremely wet and cold weather has kept the farmers from plowing.

T. W. Peck was the guest of H. Lewis Yonker's straw stack

We are all in good hopes of a ing.

David Kerns has moved to War-

school, and Harvey M. Sipe of LICKING CREEK.

The examiners were David Strait, Miss Margaret Daniels

and Miss Katharine Metzler .-This was the largest class in the county-thirteen persons, eight of whom passed, namely, Eva R. Mellott and Frances M. Daniels of Daniels' school, Edgar Hann, Richard Schooley and Louise B.

Alliances During the Past Week. SHERMAN-PARKER, At the residence of the officiat-

weeks later, a second followed. day, April 21, 1903, Mr. Joseph day, April 21, 1903, nged 59 years, These examinations serve a Soon after the death of the sec- Sherman of Dublin township, Ful 7 months and 24 days; interment double purpose: First they serve ond child, the third, a boy of 13, ton county, to Miss Elmira Park. at Oakley on Thursday. Funeral to test the pupils as to their took the fever, but was brought er of Dublin township, Hunting. conducted by Rev. Anthony of stock over the C. V. R. R. Pass-

LOCKE-SHERINGER.

CUPID STILL BUSY.

of the 16th of April, Mr. Frank Locke and Miss Anna Sheringer, ware united in holy wedlock by Rev. Dressler.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Sheringer of near Walnut Grove. She is an accomplished young lady, and is held in high esteem by her associates and friends. The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. William

very industrious and intelligent young man. The happy couple have our best wishes, for a long and happy life.

ensuing year. We are very sorry

burg in search of employment. The masons are working on the

wall for Andrew Souders's new dwelling. The new house will be on the hill near the road and will make quite an improvement in the looks of the well known old place. The house in which they are living is one of the oldest m

working at Mac Litton's. Jacob and apron and masquerading as "ye housewife."

ly scarce in our neighborhood .--Most of the farmers do not have enough; and the "Big Farmers," who have plenty, decline to sell. Squire Daniel Covalt is able to be out again.

Oliver Sipes of Forest Dale, and

HARVEST OF DEATH.

McCONNELLSBURG, PA., APRIL 30, 1903.

to the Other World.

MRS, O. W. SIPES. Mrs. George W. Sipes died at

her home near Needmore Tues. my second trip. I will tell something of what I saw, Hancock, assisted by Rev. Baugh- ing Scotland school I saw the order assembled at the Hall and Soldiers' Orphans school builder of Needmore.

Mrs. Sipes was a daughter of ing, and a lot of the orphans out Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Hampton, and at play. The State Normal school was born at Fort Loudon, Frank- buildings at Shippensburg preslin county. About thirty-eight eut a line appearance from the years ago, she was married to railroad. Passing ou one comes George W. Sipes, and in addition | to Carlisle, a beautiful town, then to her husband she is survived by eleven miles farther we pass a son, G. Ellis Sipes, late of Pitts- through Mechanicsbury and burg, but who a few weeks ago reach the Susquehannah river moved back to the old home at Bridgeport and cross into Harplace, and by a daughter, Rose, risburg where I stayed all night. wife of Dr. Swartzwelder at Needmore; there are also four grand. found that the cars ran close to children.

number of years a consistent county but those I saw as I went member of the Methodist Epis. down from Harrisburg this morncopal church and a constant read- ing leaves the Fulton county"doner of the Christian Advocate, of icks" in the shade,

which she has an almost unbroken file of the numbers issued ing with seines, and the nicest during the past twenty-three fish I ever saw. At six o'clock I

Mrs. Sipes had been a sufferer mar a flourishing town on the was burned recently. It is sup- to lose them from our community from pulmonary troubles during Maryland-Delaware line, on Easthe past twenty years, which ter morning. Here I had to stay

JOHN G. STINSON.

John Stinson a well known and very excellent eitizen, died at his home near Clear Ridge, on Thursday morning. He was born May 24, 1881, and died April 23, 1903, aged 71 years, 10 months, and 29 days. Interment was made in Clear Ridge cemetery

Saturday morning, Rev. Dressler | for me, and we unloaded the car. officiating. He had made prepar-Yeakle is wearing the cook's cap ations for the next life and said the 15th, Miss May McEldowney he way ready to go.

He had been married twice, and leaves a wife and eight children country. They say they areafraid to mourn his departure, namely, Mrs. Maggie Fraker of McConnellstown, Huntingdon county, Funk's lawn is a grand place .-and Isaac and Wesley in some of Mr. Yager is as fat as an old bear the Western States. His second He says girls are plenty. Just Wednesday to spend a couple of land will preach at the Boardyard to this marriage five children sur vive : Easton, of Broadtop City; Mattie married to Rannells Mc-Donald of Wells Vailey and Milton, Harry and Charlie at home. Mr. Stinson was a soldier of the Civil War, having served in Company H., Captain Thomas Sipes, 158 Regiment, Pennsyl-James Barnett and wife visited vania Infantry. His long life was friends at this place last Friday one of unusual activity until a few days ago, when his health began to fail. Death resulted from consumption.

ing friends here.

Next morning I started, and the river for 50 or 60 miles. I Mrs. Sipes had been for a long thought we had rocks in Fulton

WILLIAM WINK

Gives an Account of His Trip

to the Eastern Shore.

At Frenchtown I saw them fishstarted again and reached Deltill Monday morning. Funk'shens ing. laid me some eggs but I had to take them raw. Leaving this place at 7 o'clock, 13th, 1 soon reached Princess Anne and found Mr. Prosser looking for me. AtKings Creek, W. F. Wink came to the car, and went with me to Kingston Mr. Funk's railroad point, which place we reached at noon. Benjamiu Yeager was waiting

Mr. Funk landed at Kingston and Miss Bessie Motter came with hun. They think it is a fine their people will write for them to come home. They think Mr.

I was at W. F. Wink's five

Odd Fellows' Sermon. Rev. J. V. Adams preached in the M. E. church an excellent - rmon to the Odd Fellows last Sonday evening from James 1:27

Having just returned from the Eastern Shore, Md., this being before God and the Father is noon at Daniel E. Fore's. this, To visit the fatherless and widows in their affliction, and to I left Mercersburg April 10th, keep himself unspotted from the with John W. Funk's car of live world."

Twenty-two members of the went to the church in a body.

Needmore.

The weather for March and April this year evidently got pretty badly mixed up.

After an absence of eight years in Minnesota and other western states, George Clevenger 1s visit

M. L. Peck of Park Head, Md., spent Saturday evening with the family of W. F. Hart. Martin is still hustling in the lumber business

J. B. Runyan and son Russell Mrs. Howard Hill of Warfords- | iously hurt. burg, spent Sunday with their

at this place. from Chambersburg last Monday well pleased with his trip.

Darlington Hart was seen passing through our town by those who were up early Monday morn

We are glad to be able to state that Mr. Ahimaaz Runyan is so much improved in health as to be able to attend his store part of the time.

A. J. Ramsey the lumber man from Saxton, was in this vicinity last week looking after his interests.

Mrs. Mann, Mrs. Runyan, and Mrs. Palmer-all of whom had been for some time more or less unwell, are convalescent.

D. A. Garland and son Blair have both been housed up with the grippe for a week or two.

Mrs. Robert Dixon expects to go back to her home in Pittsburg on Wednesday of this week.

Prof. B. N. Palmer left last

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Brief Mention of Persons and Places You Know.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Rev. J. V. Adams, wife and "Pure religion and undefiled daughter spent Sunday after-

> Mrs. Tolbert of Big Cove Tannery, spent a few hours in town last Saturday.

Our friend James H. Davis of Laidig, called a few minutes while in town last Wednesday.

Miss Maggie Houck of Frau! hn county came over to spend sometime in the home of her sister, Mrs. William Locke.

Next Sunday Rev. Shull will preach at Ebenezer at 10 o'clock; at Siloam at 2:30, and at Asbury at 8 in the evening.

Mrs. Wm. Locke of Fort Littleton has gone to Pittsburg to spend sometime with her son Prof. H. W. Dubbs.

On Thursday at Mr. Hoover's horse sale at Fort Littleton, a little sou of Harry Hamil was run of McConnellsburg, and Mr. and over by a horse, but was not ser-

Watson C. Lynch of this place, parents Mr. and Mrs. A. Runyan has accepted a position as clerk in a large dry goods store at Master Floyd Hart came home Langdondale, Pa., and entered upon his work last Monday.

W. E. Litton of Webster Mills, dropped a dollar into our till last Saturday to help meet our expenses this month. Wilson never allows himself to get in arrears for his paper.

Dr. and Mrs. Mosser of this place expect to leave on Satur day morning for a visit to the Doctor's old home in Blair county, and they will be away until the 13th of May.

Mrs. Linna A. Trogler and her husband of Mercersburg, spent a day or two on this side of the mountain last week. The News will keep Mrs. Trogler posted on the happenings about her old home.

Elder Thomas R. Palmer will preach at Bethel church in Pigeon Cove the second Sunday in May at 10 o'clock A. M., also the same day and hour Rev. Arlington Garweeks with friends in Ohio, Indi. school house in Thompson town-

the neighborhood. Lizzie Yeakle is at present

Wheat and corn are exceeding-

Plum Run. Mr. H. Wishart Wink and wife moved to Hustontown Monday,

John Keefer has gone to Pitts- eventually led to her death.

nations.

AYR.

Examiners, Gilbert B. Mellott, Miss Nannie Mellott, and Miss Blanche Johnston.

Of the ten schools six pupils presented themselves for examination. The three that passed were Maye Mellott and Maude Rinedollar of the Webster Mills school, and Virgie Truax of the Meadowgrounds.

BELFAST.

This township has nine schools and presented for examination six scholars, namely, Thomas S. Truax of the Cross Roads school, Oscar Mellott and Queen Lake of Philip Morgret's, Wilbert Deshoug and Minnie Mellott of Jacob Lake's, and Viola Deshong of Pleasant Grove,-all of whom passed.

Levi P. Morton, Miss Cora V. Funk and Albert Mellott were the examiners.

BETHEL.

Bethel has seven schools. The examiners were D. C. Hart, Harvey Shavpe and Miss Bertha Goldea. There was one applicant, Jesse H. Daniels of the Gordon school, and he passed.

BRUSH CREEK.

Ernest Walters, J.:hn McKibbin and Will Hanks conducted the examination. Three pupils were examined and all passed, uamely, Ada Barton of the Buffalo school, and Clem A. Barton and Maye Akers of the Akersville school. I'he township has seven schools.

DUBLIN.

committee was E. B. Cline, Miss | each one of those who passed will Lillian Fleming and Miss Edith receive one of them. They can-Speek. Four scholars took the not be mailed with safety to the examination: three passed, name- diploma, hence Mr. Barton pre ly, Verna Parsons of Fort Little- fers that the graduates send in

Etta Hockensmith of Shanes'. TAYLOR.

Everts of Saluvia school, Emery

Pittman of Harrisonville school,

Committee: Prof. B. C. Lam-

berson, Miss Grace Huston and Three passed : Lee Bolinger of weather. Winegardner's, Charles Corbin of Waterfall, and Thomas Huston

of Wintergreen. Eight schools

Only two scholars applied for examination in this township and

they passed: Alvah B. Gordon of Board Yard, and Bessie J. Myers of Oakdale. The examiners were John Keefer, Miss Letitia Peck and S. L. Simpson. Seven schools.

TOD.

THOMPSON.

in township.

Five schools. R. F. Henry, C. C. Rotz and Russell Nelson, examiners. Three applicants. All passed: Jessie B. Gress, Amos D. Peightel and Lucy Peightel, all of Scott's school.

UNION.

Six schools. No applicants. WELLS.

Five schools. Two applicants: Ritner Black of New Grenada school, and Bessie Willett of No. 3. Both passed. Examining com-

Agnes Alexander and Miss Jessie McClain.

There are 84 schools in the County. Forty-five scholars took the examinations, and thirty-four passed. A little beyond the age of seventeen years is the average of those who passed.

Superintendent Barton has purchased fine diplomas execu-

ted on parchment paper 18x24 Eight schools. 'The examining inches, suitable for framing, and

ton, Ira E. Locke of Smith's for them or call at his office.

Grant Mentzer and Geo. Gor don have bought a new engine and saw mill. The gardens are not all made,

and those already planted, will Norris Hoover. Four applicants. be retarded by the cold wet

Waterfall.

and Saturday. William Bergstresser is build-

ing a house. William Cutchall and Blaine Bergstresser of this place left for Pittsburg where they expect to find employment.

Mrs. D. S. Bergstresser is suf- of this place and mother of our neuralgia.

sick list. William Butts of Burnt Cabins

night, aged 71 years, 7 months was in our town last week. Mrs. E. A. Largent and son

William and Miss Minnie Thompson of McConnellsburg, attended the funeral of their Aunt Rachael Bergstresser Sunday.

West Dublin.

Our blacksmith, Joseph Price, improved the time during the wet weather of a few weeks ago, by making a lot of horse shoes to mittee: Prof. G. W. Ready, Mrs. supply his customers. While Chambersburg, Mercersburg, not at work in his shop, he it now engaged in building a kitchen to his dwelling house.

> Mrs. Murgaret Lyon left Wednesday for Pittsburg, where she will spend some time with her daughter, Mrs. David Patterson. John Hockensmith is employed

on a farm at Sixmile Run. He likes his work there. One day recently Stephen Wil-

on killed four snakes. Harry W. Brant of New Eater

vise, Bedford county spent Sun day night of last week with his brother, C. M. Brant. Richard Schooley of Saluvia is

helping Samuel Strait to build some board fence.

ANN CATHARINE REISNER.

Mrs. Ann Catharine Reisner, widow of the late George Reisner fering from a severe attack of townsmen, Jacob G. and George the fresh fish, for Mr. Ray gave a

Mrs. Jacob Deavor is on the her daughter Minnie (Mrs. Murshall) at Shippensburg Monday

> and 30 days. Mrs. Reisner's maiden name was Eckert, and her parents lived near St. Thomas, Franklin county. About fifty-one years ago she was married in Chambersburg to George Reisner, a native of Hesse Darmstadt, Ger. his daughter Miss Mima, whom many, a neighbor in that country he had not seen for fourteen of the late August Rexroth. After her marriage she and her husband lived respectively in exist extensive oyster beds. and came to McConnellsburg in

> 1868, Mr. Reisner dying in 1880. During the past four or five boat takes out from ten to fifteen years she has had her home with her daughter, Mrs. Marshall, in large boat comes along and takes Shippensburg. With the excep- up the catch, and pays fifty cents tion of suffering from a sore ankle, she had been in usual health, bought for fifty cents yields until a few days ago when she about ten quarts of shucked oyswas attacked with heart weak- ters for which we McConnells-

> ness. She is survived by Jacob and After the oyster season, Mr. Val-George of this place, Charlie and lauce says, they turn their atten-Harry, Hagerstown, Ed and Min. tion to catching herring and shad. nie, Shippensburg, Lewis at You can get all the herring there Lancaster, and John in Illinois. you want for five cents a dozen, Funeral at Shippensburg on and shad as big as au oak slab Thursday morning at 10:30.

nights. They are all well, and like the place very much. It was told around that W. F. had chills and fever, that was a fake report. The grain is looking fine. Peoare very friendly down there. I started home on the 20th. W. F. Wink and Elliott Ray came with me to Mt. Vernon, where I got on the boat, (Enoch Pratt) -That was on the Wicomico river. I came down the river to the bay and crossed to Baltimore a distauce of 180 miles on water. Then I got a ticket for Cham-

bersburg, then to Mercersburgthen I walked home. I will not say anything about

W. Reisner, died at the home of history of them last week. If I say anything more about them

the News might smell fishy.

Mr. W. A. Vallance returned to his home at Harrisonville last Thursday after an absence of five weeks in Millenbeck, Va., Harrisburg and Huntingdon, Pa. At Millenbeck Mr. Vallance visited years. Millenbeck is situate on nose the Rappahannock river where Thousands of persons are engaged in taking the bivalves from the river bed. A man in a small sail

bushels a day. In the evening a a bushel in cash. A bushel thus burgers pay forty cents a quart.

from 20 to 25 cents.

ana and Illinois. John Truax has been confined

to his bed several days with rheumatism.

much missed in the community. subscription. Harvey Suider and his sister, Miss Orpha paid our village

call last Saturday. Silas Morgret manipulated the

mail business between here and Hancock last week.

Mrs. W. F. Hart and little daughter Catharine spent last Friday at Pleasant Ridge with her sister Mrs. J. W. Lake.

Pleasant Ridge.

Jordan W. Deshong met with a very painful accident last Tuesday which might have proved fatal. While engaged in loading railroad ties, he dropped one end of a tie on the ground and in doing so, it caused a short piece of spike that had been used in loading lumber, to dy up and strike him in below the left eye, cutting an ugly gash in his cheek and breaking his

Riley Truax who had gone to Riddlesburg has returned home again.

Mr. Riley Deshong and wife pent last Sunday with Morgan Deshong.

Mr. Erastus Bard, who has been employed in Pittsburg for nat Ridge.

going to Braddock soon.

F. D. Skiles and Miss M. Alte L. ike attended preaching at Side ling Hill Christian church last Sunday.

John W. Lake has returned from Riddlesburg,

Miss Etta Hockensmith visited at J. W. Lake's last Friday.

ship. The postal law now makes the taking of a newspaper and the re-

fusal to pay for the same, theft, The funeral of Mrs. Geo. W. and any person guilty of such an Sipes last Thursday was very action is liable to criminal prolargely attended. She was a most ceeding, the same as if he had estimable woman and will be stolen goods to the amount of his

Mrs. M. B. Trout and daughter Miss Nellie left Monday morning for an indefinite visit among friends in the Quaker City. They will of course be present at the commencement exercises in the Academy of Music Friday evening and see Clarence get his parch ment.

Samuel R. Fraker who has just completed his third years' course of study in the Baltimore College of Physicians and Surgeons, spent a few hours in town last Saturday on his return to his home at Fort Littleton. Sam will spend the next few months in a hospital in New York.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Burkholder, near Orrstown' was the scene of a unique nuptial event on April 8 when two daughters of the house became brides by the same ceremony. The contracting parties word Miss Anna Burkholder and Mr. Reuben E. Frey, the latter of California, and Miss Hattie Burkholder and Mr. John Ruth, of Shippensburg.

We acknowledge the receipt of some time, is visiting his parents an invitation to be present at the Mr. and Mrs. John Bard on Pleas. Commencement exercises of the graduating class of the Philadel-Dayton Shives contemplates phia Dental College on Friday evening of this week. In the list of the names of the graduates is that of our young townsman, Clarence Norman, son of the late Dr. W. F. Trout. Clarence is one of our very best young men, and we heartily join his many friends in congratulating him, and wish-



