

PORE OLD DAD.

Ye kin see 'em pick up a paper
An' its 'poets' corner' greet,
'Cept ye'll see er pliry poem
'Bout the mother, saintly sweet:
But ye'll have a time a-sarehin'—
Eyes will be er-uchin' had
Ere ye'll overtake er poem
At this time for pore ole dad!

BETHEL.

Miss Loetta Ashmore has returned
to her home in Illinois from a recent
visit among friends in Fulton coun-
ty.
Job Hess intends building a kitchen
to his house this summer.
H. K. Markley has built an addition
to his house in Warfordsburg for the
postoffice.

MAPLE HILL.

We are glad to say that there is a
large attendance at the school at Har-
risonville.
Mrs. A. J. Mellott is spending some
time with her daughter, Mrs. D. D.
Hann near Harrisonville.
Miss Ada L. Hann of this place was
among those who attended May Meet-
ing last Sunday.

WATERFALL.

News is scarce.
The fruit around here is much dam-
aged by the late freeze.
John Bergstresser is putting a new
roof on his house.
A. N. Wither and family spent Sun-
day with L. Kesselring in Taylor.
Mrs. Ida Heaton of this place is vis-
iting friends at Woodvale.

NUMERICAL ENIGMA.

I am composed of thirty-five let-
ters
My 14, 18, 7, 20, 24, 1, 27 is a small
detached house.
My 22, 25, 7, 10, 9, 33, 26 is a large
bird.
My 8, 28, 10, 15, 10 is a man's
name.
My 20, 2, 31, 15, 19 is a title of re-
spect.
My 4, 34, 20, 30, 22, 35 is a main
cabin.
My 6, 11, 17, 32, 7, 21 is freedom
from barn.
My 3, 5, 12 is a color.
My 10, 23, 13, is seen in wet weath-
er.
My whole is Queen Victoria's cable-
gram to Mrs. Garfield.

ALL SORTS OF PARAGRAPHS.

Sunday School Teacher—Well, who
was sorry at the return of the Prodigal
son?
Little Girl—The fatted calf.
'My daughter spent four years at
Vassar, but the bread she makes is aw-
ful.'
'It's probably college bred.'
Kind Lady—So you were in one place
three years? Why did you leave?
Tramp—I wuz pardoned, ma'am.
Think of a number. Double it. Add
1. Multiply by 5. Add 5. Multiply
by 10. Subtract 100. Strike off the
last two figures and it leaves the num-
ber thought of.

AFTER TEDDY.

From the Montgomery (Ill.) News.
The old maids of western New York
held a convention at Pittsford last week
which was a corker. Miss Amelia Hig-
ginson, of Honeoye Falls, is the presi-
dent of this unique organization of
ancient virgins and the way she went
after President Roosevelt in her open-
ing speech was a caution to cats.
'The President believes in the rear-
ing of large families,' she screamed.
'He has a right to his opinion, but
when he places childlessness in the
same category with criminal acts, he
goes too far. The President is the fa-
ther of what we Americans would call
a large family, but he is not the moth-
er of a large family. (Applause, dur-
ing which several delegates exclaimed
'O, My!' and applied their smelling
bottles to their noses). We have heard
nothing about 'race suicide' from the
mothers of America, and we never will
let the President grapple with the tar-
iff, trusts and the coming election.—
They are more in his line. He can
safely leave the question of babies in
the hands of the women of this great
republic.'

Presbyterians Will Hold a Re-union July 9.

A meeting of the reunion committee
of the Presbyterian churches of South-
ern Pennsylvania, Maryland and Vir-
ginia was held at Shippensburg Tues-
day. Rev. W. A. McCarrell, D. D.,
presided. It was decided to hold the
reunion on Thursday, July 9, at Pen-
mar. The Cumberland Valley and the
Western Maryland railroads have
agreed to give excursion rates on that
occasion.
David E. Small, of York, was elected
a member of the committee. The Rev.
J. Stockton Roddy, of Harrisburg, was
re-elected secretary of the committee,
and Rev. J. G. Rose of Mercersburg,
was appointed to arrange for a train
on the South Penn road.
Rev. Mr. Roddy was appointed to
arrange for the musical program for
the reunion. As the number of singers
will be limited there will have to be
changes made from the plans of last
year, though the same number of
chorus singers will go from Harris-
burg.

ADVERTISE IN
The Fulton County News

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.—Estate of Samuel
H. Ritz, late of Todd township, Fulton county,
Pa., deceased.
Letters testamentary on the above estate
having been granted to the undersigned, all
persons indebted to the said estate are re-
quested to make payment, and those having
claims to present the same without delay to:
JACOB RITZ,
April 2, 1903.
McConnellsburg, Pa.

Administrator's Notice.
Notice is hereby given that letters of admin-
istration have been granted to the undersigned
upon the estate of Stewart Landers, late of
Taylor township, Fulton county, Pa., deceased.
All persons having claims against said es-
tate are requested to present them properly
authenticated to the undersigned, and those
having claims to present the same without delay
to:
DANIEL LANDERS,
ANDREW S. BRANT,
March 19, 1903.
Administrators.

Administrator's Notice.
Notice is hereby given that letters of admin-
istration on the estate of Hyman C. Knicker-
bocker, late of Taylor township, Fulton county,
Pa., deceased, have been granted to the under-
signed. All persons having claims against said
estate are requested to present them properly
authenticated to the undersigned, and those
having claims to present the same without
delay to:
ELISHA A. SCHWELB,
April 9, 1903.
Administrator.

Notice.
Notice is hereby given that I have filed in the
office of the Secretary of Internal Affairs at
Harrisburg an application for a warrant for 20
acres of unimproved vacant land situated in
Brush Creek township, Fulton county, adjoin-
ing lands of L. A. Duvall in right of Ebenezer
Brannaman on the west and north. W. H. Du-
vall in right of Wm. Sterling and Archibald
Sterling on the east, and Keziah Logan's land
on the south and southwest.
L. A. DEVALLE,
Akersville, Pa.

KISSES AT \$200 PER.
From the Minneapolis Journal.
At Middletown, N. Y., a jury
has fixed \$200 as the price a mid-
dle-aged man must pay for kiss-
ing a middle aged woman against
her will.
This is too little—and too much.
A kiss obtained from a middle-
aged woman against her will is
not worth a cent. A kiss obtain-
ed from any woman against her
will, whatever her age or previous
condition of servitude is not worth
a cent.
A kiss obtained from any wo-
man who is personally attractive,
with her full consent and hearty
participation, is worth more than
\$200—much more—and a kiss be-
stowed under these conditions by
a high bred, warm blooded woman
of middle age is simply beyond
price.
True, there can be no way of
regulating the market value of a
kiss, but if there were, only mil-
lionaires could afford to kiss mid-
dle-aged women of the proper
pulchritude and pedigree, and
then not often.
Kisses stolen from or bestowed
upon girls, debutants or other ex-
ceedingly young women are
thrown away. It is a shameful
waste of raw material. It is only
the ladies who have arrived at an
age when they stop counting who
are fully equipped and qualified to
sign, seal and deliver a kiss that
will burn a hole through sand
paper. And these are the only
kisses worth worrying about or
striving after.
Wasn't Cleopatra 40 when she
did all the damage? Do you for
one instant suppose that Sappho
was a bread and butter miss?
The man who buys a kiss is a
chump; the man who steals one
from unwilling lips ought to be
locked up in a foolish house; the
man who steps up like a winner
and sips it from the ripe, red lips
of maturity is a gentleman and a
hero, always in demand.

DISASTROUS WRECK.

Carelessness is responsible for
many a railroad wreck and the
same causes are making human
wrecks of sufferers from throat
and lung troubles. But since the
advent of Dr. King's New Discov-
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be cured, and hopeless resig-
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Lois Cragg of Dorchester, Mass.,
is one of many whose life was
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This great remedy is guaranteed
for all throat and lung diseases
by W. S. Dickson druggist. Price
50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

Rouss Racket Store
SOME SPRING BARGAINS.

The time is here for cleaning house and getting things in readiness for the
summer. We think we are in better shape this spring to save you money than
we ever were. Compare a few prices: Table oil cloth 1 1/2 yd., roller window
shades 8c, oil window shades with fringe 25c, scrim for curtains 4 and 5c yd.,
lace curtains—a nice line 20, 50, 60, and 85c pair, clothes baskets 50, 60 and
70c, knives and forks 42, 55, 60 and 85c, silver steel tea spoons 7c set, table-
spoons 14c set, wash boilers 65 and 80c, wooden wash tubs 60 to 85c, galvaniz-
ed tubs 45, 50, and 55c, clothes pins 1c box, Aunt Lydia's linen thread 4c a
spool, machine thread 3c spool, garden rakes 15, 18 and 22c, hoes 20 to 25c,
steel shovels 50c, manure forks 23 to 45c. The best broom on the market 20
and 25c, carpet tacks 3 bids for 5c or 4 boxes for 5c.

Underwear! Underwear!
To say we have the best is putting it mild. Ladies gauze vests with tape
only 5c with lace neck and shoulder 9, 10 and 13c, men's balbriggan 23 or 45c
suit, better 45c each, men's dress shirts 23, 45, 48, 65 and 90c—see them, men's
hats in the latest shapes 45c to \$1.20, looking glasses 12 to 40c.

SHOES! SHOES! SHOES!
We have sold more shoes this month than in any month since we have been
in business, and why is this? Simply because we are selling shoes that will
give good service for less money than you can get them anywhere in the coun-
ty. For instance we sell you a shoe for \$1 that you pay \$1.25, and one at \$1.20
that you pay \$1.50 and one at \$1.65 that you pay \$2.00. The time was when
some of the merchants in our town could make the people believe that our
goods were no good, but that time is past. If you haven't bought any shoes
from us why not try us and save 25c on the dollar? Trunks \$1.00, \$2.00, \$2.50
and \$2.95, telescopes, 50, to 75c. In overalls and shirts, we handle the Ship-
penburg goods. Shirts, 25 to 40c; Overalls 25 to 70c; Pants 50 to \$2.00.
Clothing in children's 95 to \$1.95. Boys' piece suits, \$1.95 to \$3.25. Men's
suits \$2.45 to \$7.25, also, a nice lot of samples of men's suits made to order
from \$6.00 to \$12.50. Call and see them.

Respectfully,
HULL & BENDER, PROPRIETORS.
McConnellsburg, Pa.

When You Come to
Chambersburg

Just go up Main street till you come to Queen street.
Right at Bloom Bros.' corner turn to the west half a
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You will find many articles here that you do not see
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spot for 75 years and yet there are many of the younger
people and some others who don't know it. That is the rea-
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tory: where with skilled mechanics and seasoned lumber we
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COME TO OUR STORE and look around—Much to
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