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Clear Ridge.

Cromwell church was dedicated last Sunday by Presiding Elder, Rev. J. I. Bessler, who delivered two able sermons on the occasion.

The hunters are in glory this week; for, with the aid of the snow, they are bagging game every day.

Mrs. Lewis Sipes was visiting Grandmother Fields last Sunday and Monday.

Sharp must have been lost Sunday night, as it is reported that he did not reach home until the chickens were crowing for daylight next morning.

S. M. Shore, who had been attending the St. Louis Exposition and visiting relatives in the West since June 30th, returned home a short time ago, and reports a fine time.

The Mechanics Band, of Clear Ridge, will hold an oyster supper and ice cream festival in the Hall Saturday evening, Dec. 17th.

Miss Goldie Winegardner spent last week in McConnellsburg and reports a good time.

B. S. Winegardner and his lady friend attended the Cromwell dedication Sunday.

Christmas time is drawing near and Santa Claus will be around and gladden the hearts of the children; the preachers will be gladdened also—not by Santa Claus, but by Cupid.

The M. E. church, of this place, will hold an entertainment Christmas evening. Everybody is invited to come, for they promise to give a first-class entertainment.

Our band teacher, C. R. Shore, will be with us for a few evenings again, and we expect a full turnout every evening of practice; for C. R. cannot be with us always, and we miss him when he is away.

Miss Lizzie Fields, who was stricken with paralysis some time ago, is very poorly at this writing. Baker Fields and Mort. Carpenter, contractor's at Portage, have returned home for the winter.

G. C. Fields says he thinks by New Year that he will be ready to purchase Bert's share in the mercantile business.

Miss Edna and Irene Kerlin returned home Monday, after spending the past week with their sister, Mrs. Bert Henry, at Knobsville.

Mrs. Lulu Henry was in McConnellsburg, Monday, getting some teeth extracted.

W. A. Baker, a former employe of the P. R. R., of Altoona, has secured employment with John A. Henry to help butcher.

Bert Henry, of Knobsville, was in town Monday on business.

Upon entering the store of Jacob Winegardner and Son one day last week we discovered that the proprietor was all out of humor; in fact, mad, and upon making inquiry we found out what was the trouble—Jake had lost his pipe.

Fancy Pastry. Mrs. Merte Harr announces that she is prepared to receive orders for cakes, cookies, gingerbread, custards, etc., at her home in this place.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY. Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure.

WHIPS COVE.

December 8.—As your regular correspondent has apparently "gone dead" or removed to parts unknown, I shall try to give a few items from this "neck-o'-the-neck."

The sick in the Cove, including Samuel J. Mellott, Logue McKee and Willard Plessinger, are improving.

Emory Diehl, who has been engaged in business in New York during the past year, has returned home. He together with several of the Cove boys, captured two fine deer on Saturday Nov. 26th. Emory also captured one "all by his lones self" on Wednesday—the last day of the deer season.

Mr. John Skogquist, of Plainfield, N. J., a former resident of the Cove, is spending some time here for the improvement of his health.

Business at Locust Grove is moving along finely under the new managers, Messrs. Layton & Garland.

The squeal of the dying porker is heard in the land. Mrs. Rachel Hart recently slaughtered three spring pigs which weighed respectively 225, 227 and 228 lbs.

Extensive forest fires raged on Town Hill recently. Our constable and fire warden, J. Howard Mellott, aided by a number of the citizens, had to "hustle round." The extreme dryness aided by the high wind made it impossible to subdue the flames until a large area in the deer district had been burned over.

A Thousand Dollar's Worth of Good.

A. H. Thurnes, a well known coal operator of Buffalo, Ohio, writes: "I have been afflicted with kidney and bladder trouble for years, passing gravel or stone with excruciating pain. I got no relief from medicines until I began taking Foley's Kidney Cure, then the result was surprising. A few doses started the brick dust like fine stones and now I have no pain across my kidneys and I feel like a new man. It has done me a \$1000 worth of good. Sold by all dealers."

What One Vote Did.

An instance of the value of a single vote is given by a writer as follows: "In the spring of 1811, at the annual election in Rhode Island, there was a town precinct closely contested by the federal and the republican (the peace and war) parties. A federal farmer, hurrying down to vote just before closing time, was stopped on the way by finding one of his valuable pigs fast between the planks of a fence. He tried to pull the pig out and failed. Then with some difficulty he pried away one of the planks released the pig, and started on a run for the voting place. Just as he got within a hundred feet of it the town clock struck six. The polls closed without his vote. The result was the war representative from that town was elected by one vote. When the general assembly met a few weeks afterward a war senator was chosen by one majority on joint ballot. In 1812 the declaration of war against England was carried in the United States senate by one vote. General Jackson was nominated as a major general and confirmed by one vote. January 8, 1815, he commanded the army at the battle of New Orleans, won a great victory, became a popular military hero, was elected and re-elected president of the United States, turned all the Whigs out of office, removed all the deposits from the national banks, vetoed the bill, and played havoc generally, and all because that pig was in Rhode Island and got fast in a plank fence."

Worst of all Experiences.

Can anything be worse than to feel that every minute will be your last? Such was the experience of Mrs. S. H. Newson, Decatur, Ala.

For liver, kidney, stomach and bowel troubles Electric Bitters is the only medicine. Only 50c. It's guaranteed at Trout's drug store.

BURNT CABINS.

Dec. 8.—W. S. Miller of Shurlysburg, Pa.; S. G. Miller of Shade Gap, Pa.; Mrs. Josie Trimmer of Carlisle, Pa.; Mrs. Ella Porter of Bridgeport, Va.; James Miller and son of Pittsburg, Pa., and Solomon Miller of McConnellsburg, were all called to the home of their father and brother, respectively, on account of the illness of Mr. Jacob Miller, better known as "Uncle Jackie."

Miss Minnie Mock of McConnellsburg, was a recent visitor at the Miller home, and attended the local institute held in the M. E. church.

Roy Curfman, who has been engaged with the Long Distance Telephone Company since May, is visiting his parents and expects to remain for Christmas.

It is said we will soon hear "wedding bells" in our town.

Mr. John Locke and daughter Myrtle, are visiting the former's daughter, Mrs. Roy Morrow. David Bowman and Dick McGowan spent a few days at Hancock, Md., on business.

Fred Bowman, who has been teaching school near Plum Run, and his friend, Will Keefer, spent week at the former's home near town, recently.

The M. E. Sunday school is preparing an entertainment to be held in the church on Christmas eve. All are cordially invited.

The drunks, who used such profane language on the porch of the postoffice last Saturday evening, were a disgrace to the town and should be punished.

John M. Bowman and Mr. Harris attended the local institute at McKinley school house.

No More Suffering.

If you are troubled with indigestion get a bottle of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure and see how quickly it will cure you. Geo. A. Thomson, of Spencer, Ia., says: "Have had dyspepsia for twenty years. My case was almost hopeless. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure was recommended and I used a few bottles of it and it is the only thing that has relieved me. Would not be without it. Have doctored with local physicians and also at Chicago, and even went to Norway with hopes of getting some relief, but Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is the only remedy that has done me any good, and I heartily recommend it. Every person suffering with indigestion or dyspepsia should use it." Sold at Trout's drug store.

Dinner Etiquette.

The only articles of food that should be touched with the fingers are bread, biscuits, olives, asparagus, celery, bonbons and small whole fruit.

Don't talk about the food provided. It is bad form.

Never cut your bread with a knife. Break it with your fingers.

Curry is eaten with a spoon and a fork, vegetable entrees with a fork only.

It is a safe rule never to use a knife or spoon on a fork will do.

When meat or poultry is placed before you wait for vegetables, sauces, etc., before beginning. With soup, sweets or anything of that kind that is complete in itself, begin at once.

Startling Evidence.

Fresh testimony in great quantity is constantly coming in, declaring Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds to be unequalled. A recent expression from T. J. McFarland, Bentonsville, Va., serves as an example. He writes: "I had bronchitis for three years and doctor all the time without being benefited. Then I began taking Dr. King's New Discovery, and a few bottles wholly cured me." Equally effective in curing all lung and throat troubles, consumption, pneumonia and grip. Guaranteed at Trout's drug store. Trial bottles free, regular sizes 50c. and \$1.00.

PLEASANT RIDGE.

Dec. 8.—Samson Mellott and wife are visiting Mrs. Mellott's parents.

Edward Mellott is busy hauling limestone to burn next spring.

The people of this vicinity have the worst deer fever that ever was known; they hunt the deer and somebody else gets them.

Joe Lake is getting a fine lot of wood for winter use.

Garfield Morse has moved back to his home in Bedford county, close to the mines.

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Table with columns: LEAVE, ARRIVE, TRAIN NO., etc. for various stations like Winchester, Hagerstown, etc.

SOUTHERN PENN'A R. R. TRAINS.

Table with columns: P.M. (Pa. Md.), A.M. (Pa. N.Y.), etc. for various routes.

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