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New Grenada. Rev. A. S. Wolf is holding a series of meetings at the U. B. church.

Maude Shafer is visiting friends at Robertsdale. Mr. and Mrs. Gideon Duvall, near Saltillo, spent a day last week with friends in our town.

Rilla Houck is slowly recovering from an affection of eczema on her hands and arms, from which she suffered very much pain and inconvenience.

Nora Gracey, of Gracey, had an exciting experience on Monday, she had taken her father part way to the mines, and when coming down the mountain on her return, the horse, which was hitched to a jumper, started to go faster than ordinarily, spilling her over the road; also, the sled and contents were scattered. The horse was stopped in New Grenada. No one was hurt, but the sled, John Mills volunteered and delivered Nora safe home in his sleigh. There was not much fun in it for anyone, unless it was for the horse.

Dr. R. B. Campbell and our village smith, Geo. Shafer, took a sleigh ride on Sunday to Mt. Union, Shirley and other points, returning on Monday.

There was another store-box and mail-meeting of gas and coal prospectors of New Grenada capitalists and one from Taylor, at which it was proposed to put a test hole down on "Flick's" coal fields near or at the old oil well. Most of the meeting was composed of "hot air." "Davie" says, "Dod blast your fired skins; 'taint no use talkin'—there's no coal here."

Wells township had trouble to get nominees to accept the various offices in the township, and politics, seemingly, is laid aside as far as the election of supervisors is concerned. The battle cry is "New highway" and "Old highway" this campaign.

District president, B. C. Lamberson, accompanied by Harry Dawney of Hightstown, installed the officers of Washington Camp No. 479 P. O. S. of A. A sled load of members from Three Springs was present.

Married.—At the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Troy, Robertsdale, Huntingdon county, by Jesse O. McClain, Esq., January 24, 1905, Mr. John T. Winegardner, son of David Winegardner of Taylor township, and Miss Bertha Troy.

Jacob Crider, our old reliable mail man, has received the contract again from here to Hopewell at a straight six hundred dollars a year. If he lives to finish this term it will make 17 years of mail service for Uncle Sam.

Mrs. John Castle, of New Bedford, Ill., in sending a dollar for a year's subscription to the "News," says: "I have been away from Fulton county twenty-two years, and yet from the paper I shall get much to interest me and keep me in touch with my dear old home." Mrs. Castle will be better known to our older people as Miss Belle Kuhn, daughter of Mrs. Susan E. Kuhn, who now resides at Stouchsburg, Pa., and is a constant reader of the Fulton County News. Mrs. Castle was reared in the home of the late John Murdock, who lived on the farm now owned by Abram Pittman on the turnpike west of town. Mrs. Castle says it is cold out there—40 degrees below zero.

Foley's Honey and Tar is best for croup and whooping cough, contains no opiates, and cures quickly. Careful mothers keep it in the house. Sold by all dealers.

Merchant Geo. W. Reissner, is taking a few days of this week, and visiting his brothers at Shippenburg and at Lancaster.

DEATHS.

The sleighing is fine and the sleigh bells ring merrily in our vicinity. Miss Gertrude Barton left for Andover Friday, where she expects to visit for a few days. Claud Smith and sister, Miss Grace, spent last Sunday with M. E. Horton and family. A pleasant surprise party was held in honor of Bessie Akers last Friday evening. Quite a number were present and reported a good time.

Among the sick in our valley are Mrs. W. H. Walters, Mrs. R. J. Jackson, Wm. Duvall and Miss Clara Hixson—all of whom are slowly improving. Jennie Lodge spent one day with M. E. Barton's family last week.

An institute will be held at Buffalo school, February 11th. All friends of education are invited. Mrs. Frank Diehl was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Smith last Sunday.

Miss Flora Smith, who has been spending the past few days in Whippsville has returned home. Miss Olive Stouteagle, of McConnellsburg, spent one day last week with G. W. Hixson and family.

Give Your Stomach a Rest.

Your food must be properly digested and assimilated to be of any value to you. If your stomach is weak or diseased take Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. It digests what you eat and gives the stomach a rest, enabling it to recuperate, take on new life and grow strong again. Kodol cures sour stomach, gas, bloating and heart palpitation and all digestive disorders. L. A. Soper, of Little Rock, Ky., writes us: "We feel that Kodol Dyspepsia Cure deserves all the commendation that can be given it, as it saved the life of our little girl when she was three years old. She is now six and we have kept it for her constantly, but of course she only takes it now when anything disagrees with her." Sold at Trout's drug store.

PHILIPS GROVE.

V. R. Sipes and Milton Decker are making a job lot of shingles for Walker Mellott in Belfast township.

Mrs. Roxy Deshong is able to be out again after having been confined to her room for four weeks. Chas. Senocley and wife spent Monday with T. I. Sipes and family.

Quite a number of young folks spent an evening recently with much pleasure at the home of N. S. Strat.

There was a surprise party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Strait last Friday that was a very pleasant affair for those who were fortunate enough to be in attendance. It was held in honor of Mr. Strait, who was out cutting ice and was in blissful ignorance that anything unusual was going on until he came home for dinner when he found the house crowded with his friends and neighbors, and a table well spread with everything good and plenty. After dinner, the hours were spent in innocent games, and some very fine music by N. S. Strait. Just before time to go home Emanuel Sipes and G. C. Strait drove a fine match team to the gate and called to the ladies to come and take a sleigh ride, and they were soon on their way. As the party returned to their respective homes they could not help wishing that such surprise parties could come more frequently.

Public is Aroused.

The public is aroused to a knowledge of the curative merits of that great medicinal tonic, Electric Bitters, for sick stomach, liver and kidneys. Mary H. Walters, of 546 St. Clair Ave., Columbus, Ohio, writes: "For several months I was given up to die. I had fever and ague, my nerves were wrecked; I could not sleep, and my stomach was so weak from useless doctors' drugs, that I could not. Soon after beginning to take Electric Bitters, I obtained relief, and in a short time I was entirely cured." Guaranteed at Trout's drug store; price 50c.

That Tickling in the Throat.

One minute after taking One Minute Cough Cure that tickling in the throat is gone. It acts in the throat—not the stomach. Harmless—good for children. A. L. Spofford, postmaster at Chester, Mich., says: "Our little girl was unconscious from strangulation during a sudden and terrible attack of croup. Three doses of One Minute Cough Cure half an hour apart speedily cured her. I cannot praise One Minute Cough Cure too much for what it has done in our family." It always gives relief. Sold at Trout's drug store.

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PRONUNCIATION.

Read Over This Test and Then Consult Your Dictionary.

The following rather curious piece of composition was placed upon the blackboard at a certain teachers' institute and a prize of a dictionary offered to any person who could read it and pronounce every word correctly. The book was not carried off, as twelve was the lowest number of mistakes in pronunciation made:

"A sacrilegious son of Bellal who has suffered from bronchitis, having exhausted his finances in order to make good the deficit, resolved to ally himself to a comely, lenient and docile young lady of the Malay or Caucasian race. He accordingly purchased a calliope and coral necklace of a chameleon hue and securing a suit of rooms at a principal hotel he engaged the head waiter as his coadjutor. He then dispatched a letter of the most unexceptional caligraphy extant, inviting the young lady to a matinee. She revolted at the idea, refused to condescend herself sacrificially to his desires and sent a polite note of refusal, on receiving which he procured a carbine and bowie knife, said that he would not now forge letters hymeneal with the queen and went to an isolated spot, severed his jugular vein and discharged the contents of the carbine into his abdomen. The debris was removed by the corner."

The mistakes in pronunciation made on the following words:—Sacrilegious, Bellal, bronchitis, exhausted, finances, deficit, comely, lenient, docile, Malay, calliope, chameleon, suit, coadjutor, caligraphy, matinee, sacrificial, carbine, hymeneal, isolated, jugular, and debris.

A Thousand Dollars Thrown Away.

Mr. W. W. Baker, of Plainville, Neb., writes: "My wife had lung trouble for over fifteen years. We tried a number of doctors and spent over a thousand dollars without any relief. She was very low and I lost all hope, when a friend suggested trying Foley's Honey and Tar, which I did; and thanks be to this great remedy, it saved her life. She is stronger and enjoys better health than she has ever known in ten years. We shall never be without Foley's Honey and Tar and would ask those afflicted to try it." Sold by all dealers.

THINK THEMSELVES TO DEATH.

Morbid Ideas of the Mind Need as Much Doctoring as Physical Diseases.

Thousands of people actually think themselves to death every year by allowing their minds to dwell on morbid subjects. The idea that one has some incipient disease in one's system, the thought of financial ruin, that one is not getting on in life without improving prospects—any of these or a thousand similar thoughts may carry a healthy man to a premature grave. A melancholy thought that fixes itself upon one's mind needs as much doctoring as physical disease. It needs to be eradicated from the mind or it will have just the same result as a neglected disease would have.

Every melancholy thought, every morbid action and every nagging worry should be resisted to the utmost, and the patient should be protected by cheerful thoughts, of which there is a bountiful store in every one's possession. Bright companions are cheaper than drugs and plasters.

The morbid condition of mind produces a morbid condition of body and if the disease does happen to be in the system it receives every encouragement to develop.

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Imaginary Wretchedness.

A curious investigator with a hypochondriac bent once undertook to make a catalogue of the miseries of the life of man from the cradle to the grave. He made the account as hideous as possible, including in it the disease, the poverty, injustice, deferred hopes and various forms of suffering to which many of the human race are subject even in a civilized country. It does not require much imagination on the part of any one to arrive at the conclusion that all is misery, and that neither happiness nor a tolerable state of bare comfort is to be found on the habitable globe. In order, however, to make the indictment complete he ran over the miseries to which the great mass of mankind who do not happen to live in civilized countries under an enlightened form of government are subject, and it appeared that the lot of these people was so much worse than that of those among whom he lived that he was forced to admit that an ordinary man in England or America had reason to be thankful just because he lived in a free and progressive land. The final judgment passed on life by Gibbon, the historian, in the eighteenth century, was similar:

"My lot might have been that of a slave, a savage, or a peasant; nor can I reflect without pleasure on the bounty of nature, which cast my birth in a free and civilized country, in an age of science and philosophy."

One of the peculiarities of temperament, disposition and cast of mind of a multitude of people is that they have not the capacity to see and appreciate the advantages they enjoy unless a sense of them is brought to their attention in a sharp and forcible manner. Vast masses of people in really comfortable condition in the world fret their lives away in a senseless and unmanly way about wretchedness which is almost purely imaginary.

Any one almost can make a test of the truth of this from his own experience. The business man is wont to regret all his life that he has embarked upon a mercantile career; the ordinary physician dwells on the hardships and the drawbacks of his profession, and bewails his fate that he did not become a business man; the lawyer is dissatisfied with his lot and is eloquent on its shortcomings; the literary man or newspaper writer bewails his unseemly fate; the teacher or college professor, forgetting entirely his long summer vacation, would, if he only could, shake the dust of the academic shades from his feet; and half the people, whatever be their vocations, will say in private conversations with their families that they have made a mistake.

There are exceptions. They are the men who learn to love their professions or vocations, and who, whether they are especially adapted or not to their particular pursuits, achieve success just because they are interested and in earnest, and have never learned to whimper and to whine. Don Quixote could pay no greater homage to his greatest hero than to say that he was no whimpereur.

The discontent which is a spur to ambition, and which results in improvement and amendment, is a spring of progress, but the mere useless discontent which ends only in ceaseless complaining and railing at the world and at one's ill fortune is evidence of a defect of understanding and character.

"Those who complain most are most to be complained of." They are burdens to themselves and bores to others, and often the ground for their dissatisfaction is so slight as to appear ludicrous. It has been shrewdly said that there is no person so wretched but he may gain some consolation by considering that there is some one else in the world in worse plight than he is. However that may be, it is true that many persons who complain just because they have not enough to do or not enough to occupy their minds would see how unreasonable and unmanly is their bemoaning if they would stop and think of those steeped in real misery who have cause to bewail their fate. Sydney Smith says:

"A stockbroker or a farm-

er has no leisure for imaginary wretchedness; their minds are usually hurried away by the necessity of noticing external objects, and they are guaranteed from that curse of idleness—the eternal disposition to think of themselves."

The man who has just escaped starvation can have but little patience with the person who frets because his dinner was not equal in all its appointments to his ideal of the culinary art; the mother of a family whose children have just narrowly escaped a pestilential disease is in the mood to give thanks that they are alive and well, and listens with scorn and contempt to the recital by a woman of fashion of her woes in connection with the slight imperfections in the fit of a ball gown; and Doctor Johnson, who had in his youth lived on "four pence ha'penny a day" and walked the streets at night, never could have any patience with those who complained of the weather or of the stings of wounded vanity. Grief for real woes is to be expected; for, as Shakespeare says wittily, every one can master grief except the one who has it; but the extreme of folly is to create sorrow about trifles or to draw upon the unknown future for misery which may never come.

A Touching Story

is the saving from death of the baby girl of Geo. A. Eyer, Cumberland, Md. He writes: "At the age of 11 months, our little girl was in declining health, with serious throat trouble, and two physicians gave her up. We were almost in despair, when we resolved to try Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, cough and cold. The first bottle gave relief; after taking four bottles she was cured, and is now in perfect health." Never fails to relieve and cure a cough or cold. At Trout's drug store; 50c and \$1.00 guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

What The Girls Will Wear.

According to Marian Kent, who writes on fashions for young girls in the March New Idea Magazine, the dainty dresses for this spring and summer are to be made of silk-finished mohair, laundowne, batiste and colienne, besides the soft silks and the sheer fabrics. Hand-work in its charming simplicity still supersedes elaborate trimmings; and "very many dainty frocks are made entirely of the material, utterly devoid of trimming and depending solely for decoration on the exquisite workmanship in the form of hand-run tucks, shirring, fagoting, piping, etc." Yokes cut round or square, are to be used a great deal, and the "drop yoke," as well as berthas and epaulets, will keep the broad-shouldered effect still prominent. The skirts are to be still full, according with the prevalent "1830" ideas in clothes. Everything that can be done to a sleeve will be in fashion, and puffs, shirings and ruffles will hinder the very rapid arrival of the leg-o'-mutton, which is again coming to view.

COUNTY WITHOUT NEGRO OR SALOON.

Even Soft Drinks Barred in This Kentucky Backlick.

Owingsville, Ky., Jan. 29.—Menifee County, this State, is just now one of the most unique in the entire nation. Not one negro resides within its boundary, nor is there a saloon anywhere in the county. There are said to be several "blind tigers," but this has not been proven. Any liquor that may be used in Menifee is shipped in from outside.

In Frenchburg, the county seat, even soft drinks, like soda water and lemonade, are prohibited. Only recently a near relative of the County Attorney was sentenced to 100 days in jail because he gave a friend of his a drink of whisky-y.

Every attempt to open a saloon has met with such firm opposition that the movement has ceased.

LADIES FRANCO'S MENTHOLATED CAMPHOR BALM. It stops the Cough and heals the lungs. Prevents Pneumonia and Consumption.

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Sample copies of the NEWS sent to any of your friends on request.

CUMBERLAND VALLEY

TIME TABLE.—Nov. 27, 1904

Table with columns: Leave, No., Time, Arrive, No., Time. Lists routes between various stations like Harrisburg, Hagerstown, etc.

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President Judge—Hon. S. M. Swope. Associate Judges—David Nelson, W. H. Bender. County Surveyor—Charles E. Barton. Attorneys—W. Scott Alexander, J. Nelson Sipes, Thomas F. Sloan, F. McN. Johnston, M. R. Shafer, Geo. B. Daniels, John P. Sipes, S. W. Kirk. Odd Fellows—McConnellsburg Lodge No. 744 meets every Friday evening in the Comer Building in McConnellsburg. Port Littleton Lodge No. 484 meets every Saturday evening in the Comer building at Port Littleton. Wells Valley Lodge No. 607 meets every Saturday evening in Odd Fellows' Hall at Wells Valley. Harrisonville Lodge No. 701 meets every Saturday evening in Odd Fellows' Hall at Harrisonville. Waterfall Lodge No. 773 meets every Saturday evening in Odd Fellows' Hall at Waterfall Mills. Warfordsburg Lodge No. 601 meets in Warfordsburg every Saturday evening. King Post G. A. P. No. 365 meets in McConnellsburg in Odd Fellows' Hall the first Saturday in every month at 1 p. m. Royal Arcanum, Tuscarora Council, No. 121, meets on alternate Monday evenings in P. O. S. of A. Hall, in McConnellsburg. Washington Camp No. 497, P. O. S. of A., of New Grenada, meets every Saturday evening in P. O. S. of A. Hall. Washington Camp, No. 554, P. O. S. of A., of Hightstown, meets every Saturday evening in P. O. S. of A. Hall. John Q. Taylor Post G. A. R. No. 589, meets every Saturday on or just preceding full moon in Lashley hall, at 2 p. m., at Buck Valley. Woman's Relief Corps, No. 80 meets at same date and place at 4 p. m. Gen. D. B. McKibbin Post No. 462, V. S., meets the second and fourth Saturdays in each month at Pleasant Ridge. ADVERTISE IN The Fulton County News.

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ISAAC N. WATSON, Tonsorial Artist. Strictly up to date in all styles of hair cutting. Quick, easy shaves. Day-trim, Cream, Witch-hazel, without extra charge. Fresh towel to each customer. Latest improved apparatus for sterilizing tools. Parlor opposite Fulton House.

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CHURCHES. PRESBYTERIAN.—Rev. W. A. West, D. D., Pastor. Preaching services each alternate Sabbath at 10:30 a. m. and every Sunday evening at 7:00. Services at Green Hill on alternate Sabbaths at 10:30 a. m. Sabbath school at 9:15. Young Christian Endeavor at 2:00. Christian Endeavor at 6:00. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:00. METHODIST EPISCOPAL.—Rev. J. V. Adams, Pastor. Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Preaching every other Sunday morning at 10:30 and every Sunday evening at 7:00. Epworth League at 6:00 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:00. UNITED PRESBYTERIAN.—Rev. J. L. Grove, Pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching every Sunday morning at 10:30, and every other Sabbath evenings are used by the Young People's Christian Union at 7:00 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:00.

EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN.—Rev. A. G. Wolf, Pastor. Sunday school 9:15 a. m. Preaching every other Sunday morning at 10:30 and every other Sunday evening at 7:00. Christian Endeavor at 6:00 p. m. Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 7:00. REFORMED.—Rev. C. M. Smith, Pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching on alternate Sabbaths at 10:30 a. m. and 7:00 p. m. Christian Endeavor at 6:00 p. m. Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 7:00.

TERMS OF COURT. The first term of the Courts of Fulton county in the year shall commence on the Tuesday following the second Monday of January, at 10 o'clock a. m. The second term commences on the third Monday of March, at 2 o'clock p. m. The third term on the Tuesday next following the second Monday of June, at 10 o'clock a. m. The fourth term on the first Monday of October, at 2 o'clock p. m.

BOROUGH OFFICERS. Justice of the Peace—Thomas F. Sloan, L. H. White. Constable—John H. Doyle. Burgess—H. W. Scott. Councilmen—D. T. Fields, Leonard Holman, Samuel Bender, M. W. Nace. Clerk—William Hill. High Constable—Wm. Baumgardner. School Directors—A. U. Nae, John A. Irwin, Thomas F. Sloan, F. M. Taylor, John Comer, C. B. Stevens.

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