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A LITTLE BIT OF EVERYTHING.

We all make too much of our difficulties.

We ask advice; we mean approbation.—Colton.

Few mysteries are as inexplicable as the one of how some people live.

One would naturally think the best man at a wedding would be the minister.

When a man brags about himself it is a sign other people don't brag about him.

Lots of people expect to get into heaven by buying a general admission ticket.

Actions speak louder than words, except where the parlor eloquentist is concerned.

A mistake many men make is being a cat and imagining themselves popular with the mice.

"Scauldrel has gone broke." "What's he been doing? Playing the races or getting engaged?"

It has done me good to be some what parched by the heat and drenched by the rain of life.—Longfellow.

A man discovers that his wife is getting old looking ten years before he makes the discovery about himself.

Perhaps you can reach a man's heart through his stomach, but many a man with a warm heart eats cold victuals.

"Women and trouble are synonymous," says the Cynical Bachelor. "At any rate, you can't court one without the other."

"So the specialist said you'd have to give up smoking, eh?" "Yes, and he also said I'd have to give up \$15 for good."

Tommy—"Pop, what is meant by a fellow feeling?" Tommy's Pop—"A fellow feeling, my son, generally means a keyhole."

An English schoolboy was asked what "etc." meant.

"It is a sign used in writing to make people think you know more than you do."

Great vices are the proper objects of our detestation, and smaller faults of our pity, but affectation appears to be the only true source of the ridiculous.—Fielding.

Kansas City women who are campaigning against "objectionable billboards" have made no outcry against the object on the spring boards at the seashore resorts.

"My dear," said John, on observing new striped hose on his only heir, "why have you made barber's poles of our Ernest's legs?" "Because he's a little shaver," was the reply.

Mrs. Quiverful—Tommy, did you give your little brother the best part of that apple, as I told you? Tommy Q.—Yessum; I gave him the seeds. He can plant 'em an' have a whole orchard.

"She's a lovely girl, and so simple in her tastes. I told her that I hadn't much of an income yet, but that I hoped I could provide for her every want." "And what did she say?" "She said that would be all she could ask."

"Are you opposed to marriage?" he asked. "No," replied the lady who had received degrees from three colleges; "I do not object to marriage per se. It is merely the fact that one cannot get married without having a husband that I dislike."

"But is that the way to serve the people who elected you?" "I have acted in accordance with the wishes of the men who elected me," said the statesman.

"I have nothing to do with the people who merely cast their votes for me."

Memorial Day.

Memorial Day in McConnellsburg was observed with more than usual ceremony. A very elaborate and interesting program had been prepared under the management of the Ladies' Relief Corps, whose privilege it is to encourage the proper observance of all patriotic days, and to keep alive in the hearts of all a warmer sentiment for the day and its noble defenders.

Rev. J. V. Adams offered the invocation, and Mrs. C. B. Stevens was pianist and musical director.

The Hustontown Band had been engaged for the occasion, and furnished most excellent music during the services of the afternoon, and an escort to the different cemeteries of the town for the decoration of the graves.

The address by Dr. J. P. Bouse was very much appreciated. The orator said a host of good and appropriate things in a very short time, avoiding all risk of a too lengthy program.

A very beautiful ceremony was enacted by forty-five boys and girls—each representing a State of the Union—in decorating a cenotaph "to the unknown dead." Each little actor depicted himself or herself in a most creditable manner.

The credit of this successful performance is due to Mrs. C. B. Stevens, the capable patriotic instructor of King Corps, under whose management these children were instructed.

Recitations were given by Marden Stoutteagle, Maye Sheets and Alice Hays, that showed careful preparation and were a treat to all present. Lincoln's Gettysburg address was the offering of Mabel Trout. Several choruses were rendered by the school and the reverent and sincere behavior of all testified to the appreciation of this day of saddest memories.

A larger group of veterans were present than for many years and they elicited the admiration of all by their genteel and soldierly appearance.

So Lost Mother.

"Consumption runs in our family, and through it I lost my mother," writes E. B. Reid, of Harmony, Me. "For the past five years, however, on the slightest sign of a cough or cold, I have taken Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, which has saved me from serious lung trouble."

His mother's death was a sad loss for Mr. Reid, but he learned that lung trouble must not be neglected, and how to cure it. Quickest relief and cure for coughs and colds. Price 50c and \$1.00; guaranteed at Trout's drug store.—Trial bottle free.

"What do you use," asked the unsophisticated one, "when you go fishing in salt water? The same as in fresh water?"

"O' yes," replied the wise one, "except that I carry along some fresh water in a bottle to use on the side."

It is a disastrous calamity, when you lose your health, because indigestion and constipation have sapped it away. Prompt relief can be had in Dr. King's New Life Pills. They build up your digestive organs, and cure headache, dizziness, colic, constipation, etc. Guaranteed at Trout's drug store. 25c.

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He Did Not Believe in Banks.

When the circus came to Pine Grove last week, John Doll, the chief burgess, decided to go, but as he had \$1,000 cash in the house he first sought a hiding place for the money. He put the bills in a cigar box and put the box in the oven of the cold cook stove. While he was gone his wife decided to get her Sunday baking out of the way. When the stove was red hot and she had her pies and cakes ready she opened the oven door and found inside the ashes of the cigar box. There is not enough of the currency left for the Treasury officials to decipher its value.

George Lodge spent a couple of days in McConnellsburg last week.

PISO'S CURE FOR CONSUMPTION. CURES WHERE ALL ELSE FAILS. Best Cough Syrup. Tastes Good. Use in time. Sold by druggists.

DeWitt's Early Risers. The famous little pills.

UNITED STATES GROWTH.

Fascinating Story of Progress Revealed by Statistical Abstract.

The first pamphlet copies of the statistical abstract of the United States for the year 1904 have come from the printer, and as soon as a few minor corrections are made, the edition will be ready for distribution. The abstract, says the New York Commercial, will make a volume of 659 pages, and every page of the book is a table of figures. It does not look interesting, but the volume really tells a fascinating story of progress in America, presenting figures so large as to challenge the human mind to comprehend them. Here are some of the facts derived from these more than 650 pages of tables:

In a single year, the length of time upon which all of the comparisons are based, the population of the United States has increased by 1,380,000 souls. The estimated total for the country in 1904 was 81,752,000.

In the same year the amount of money in circulation increased by 151,450,691, a gain of upward of \$2 per capita. The gain in gold circulation alone was more than \$28,000,000. The interest-bearing debt of the nation decreased by more than \$19,000,000 and the interest payments decreased by more than \$1,360,000.

The thrift of the people at large is shown by the fact that in the last year the total deposits in banks increased by \$456,553,405, and the number of persons who deposited money in savings banks alone was \$270,215 more in 1904 than in 1903.

In the year under consideration the people of the United States were less dependent upon foreign products, the imports decreasing by about \$34,000,000. At the same time the exports to foreign countries increased by more than 40,000,000. The farmer is still king, for the total export of farm products last year amounted to \$853,643,073. This was not quite so large as the amount exported the year before, but the demands for home consumption were very large; there are more than 1,000,000 more mouths to feed in the United States each year than in the year before. American manufacturers sold their products in foreign countries last year to the amount of \$452,415,921; this meant an increase in their foreign sales of more than \$47,000,000 over the record of the year before.

More figures taken from the statistical abstract, almost at random, show that the total value of farm animals in the United States in 1904 was \$3,006,580,737, an increase of more than \$8,000,000 in a year. The production of wool in 1904 amounted to 291,759,032 pounds, a gain of over 4,000,000 pounds in twelve months. The wheat crop was 85,000,000 bushels smaller than that of the year before, but the production reached the respectable figure of 522,369,517 bushels. The corn crop was tremendous, the grand total of the 1904 harvest being 2,467,480,924 bushels, a gain of 223,000,000 bushels over the crop of 1903.

Of the railroads, which are to the country what the veins and arteries are to the body, 4595 miles were built in the last year. The number of passengers carried was more than 42,000,000 larger than in the year before, the grand total being 696,908,994. The total amount of freight carried by the railroads one mile was 171,290,310,694 tons, or over 15,000,000,000 tons more than in the year before.

Traveling is Dangerous.

Constant motion jars the kidneys which are kept in place in the body by delicate attachments. This is the reason that travelers, trainmen, street car men, teamsters and all who drive very much, suffer from kidney disease in some form. Foley's Kidney Cure strengthens the kidneys and cures all forms of kidney and bladder disease. Geo. E. Hanson, locomotive engineer, Lima, O., writes, "Constant vibration of the engine caused me a great deal of trouble with my kidneys, and I got no relief until I used Foley's Kidney Cure." Sold by all dealers.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR

Cures Colds, Prevents Pneumonia

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HUSTONTOWN.

May 25.—Ada Barton is attending Prof. Lamberson's summer normal at McConnellsburg.

Mrs. S. W. Kirk of McConnellsburg, spent the past week with her mother, Mrs. E. H. Lodge near Emmaville.

Dolph Bequeth spent last Saturday night and Sunday with Alex McKibbin.

Corra Duvall spent Saturday night and Sunday with Ida Rohm.

Mrs. Martha Mumma is critically ill.

Lincoln Deshong and Mrs. Nelhe Davis spent Saturday night and Sunday with the latter's sister, Mrs. H. N. Barton.

Margaret Golden was visiting Jennie Lodge the past week.

Jennie Hanks has returned home after spending the winter in the South.

Calvin Kirk and son Harold, and Mark Lodge, spent Saturday night and Sunday with the latter's mother Mrs. E. H. Lodge.

Ira Clark and sister Ida spent Sunday with friends in the Valley.

Gilbert Barton spent Saturday night and Sunday with ex-Judge Peter Morton and family near McConnellsburg.

Ernest and Haslet Walters made a business trip to McConnellsburg last Monday. Quite an interesting event took place in our Valley last Wednesday evening. A number of boys gathered up their tin horns, pans, bells, etc., and collected at C. R. Akers'. After giving some excellent music they called for the bride and groom, (Ernest Walters and bride), who insisted on having more music after which Lewis Harris and Nora Griffith appeared. This was not the couple they wanted to see; so again called for the bride and groom, who promptly appeared. After congratulations the groom passed cigars for the crowd. The serenading was enjoyed by both the serenaders and those serenaded.

CLEAR RIDGE.

Great preparations have been made for Decoration Day.

Mrs. Kate Baker, who had a paralytic stroke, still remains no better.

Miss Maud Fields went to McConnellsburg on Saturday to attend the remainder of the Normal at that place.

Lillian Fleming, who spent a few weeks with relatives in Altoona, returned home Saturday, accompanied by Alyce Keebaugh. Both girls were delighted with the trip.

Robert Gallaher, of Burnt Cabins, passed through this place on Sunday to see his daughter, Mrs. Bruce Ramsey, at McKinleyville.

George and Ella Huston, Jess Henry, and Elsie Baker came home from McConnellsburg school Saturday to spend the 30th.

Goldie Fields came home from Robertsdale on Saturday; also, Joseph Dettler, Robert Fleming and May Mort came from Altoona the same day.

Charley Brown's barn burned one evening last week. It was partly covered by insurance.

Mrs. J. A. Henry made a business trip to Altoona last week.

T. E. Fleming, wife and daughter, Miss Lillian, spent Sunday and Monday with Mrs. Fleming's sick brother at Shade Gap.

Mrs. Abraham Rosenberg and her daughter Ettie, of Horse Valley, are visiting Grandmother Fields and other friends at this place.

Harry Stinson and his best girl visited John Gillis's last Sunday.

Mrs. R. E. Brown returned home last Friday after an absence of two weeks in Waynesboro and Greencastle.

Bert Brown is the happiest man in town, and it is on account of the arrival of a bouncing big boy.

Dr. F. K. Stevens' family and Frank Keith's family are visiting in the home of N. B. Henry.

W. L. Fields is putting up a kitchen, and siding on J. P. Kerlin's house.

G. C. Fields and sister Maud were at the County Seat last Saturday. G. C. was having his teeth treated.

Hustontown Millinery.

When in need of Millinery Goods don't fail to call at Annie E. Dawney's, Hustontown, Pa.

You can find what you want either in Ready-to-Wear Hats, Pattern Hats, or Untrimmed Hats, and at prices that are right.

We will not be undersold. We have a few salable hats—such as Ready-to-Wear, and Untrimmed left over from last season, that will go at and below cost.

Hats that were sold last season at \$2.50, now \$1.50. We have them at prices ranging from 50 cents to \$1.50.

A fine lot of all kinds will be here by April 26th. Come a.d. see us. We can save you money.

Thanking the public for past patronage, I am, Very respectfully, ANNIE E. DAWNEY, Hustontown, Pa.

New Falling Top Buggies.

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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 Orphans' Court of said county for confirmation on the Tuesday following the 2nd Monday of June next, being the 13th day.

1. First and final account of the Real Estate Trust Company of Philadelphia Trustee of estate of John McKibbin late a minor.

2. First and final account of Jennie Daniels, administratrix of the estate of G. Frank Daniels, late of Licking Creek township deceased.

3. The account of John N. Klein, administrator of the estate of Mrs. Mandoline Post late of Ayr township, deceased.

4. First and final account of O. E. Cook and L. Grieshaber administrators of the estate of Mary Griesinger late of Wells township, deceased.

5. First and final account of D. A. and D. M. Black administrators of the estate of John A. Black late of Fulton township, deceased.

Register's Office, GEO. A. HARRIS, May 15, 1905.

Prothonotary's Notice. Notice is hereby given that the following named accountants have filed their accounts in the Prothonotary's office and that the same will be presented to the Court of Common Pleas of Fulton County, Penna. on Tuesday following the second Monday of June next (being 13th inst.).

1. First and final account of Jacob Shultz administrator of the estate of Maria Lunnig, late of Bethel township, now deceased.

Prothotary's Office, GEO. A. HARRIS, May 15, 1905.

Notice to Tax-Payers. The Tax-payers of Fulton county are hereby notified that I will meet them at the following times and places, in the districts named, for the purpose of receiving the State, County and District taxes for the year 1905, viz:

Thursday, June 1, at Hiram P. O., in Taylor township, from 7 to 8 a. m.

Friday, June 1, at Wells Tannery, from 10 to 11 a. m. at New Greensburg from 4 to 5 p. m.

Taylor—Friday, June 2, at Waterfall from 6 to 7 a. m., at Hilltop from 9 to 10 a. m., at Clear Ridge from 11 to 12 noon, and at H. Hustontown from 2 to 3 p. m.

Wells—Saturday, June 3, at Burnt Cabins, from 7 to 8 a. m., at Fort Littleton from 9 to 10 a. m., and at Knob Hill from 11 to 12 noon. At New Greensburg, from 2 to 3 p. m., at Fort Littleton at 4 to 5 p. m.

Tod—Monday, June 5, at the Treasurer's Office, McConnellsburg from 9 a. m. to 12 m. McConnellsburg—Monday, June 5, at the Treasurer's office, from 2 to 5 p. m.

Brush Creek—Wednesday, June 7, at Akersville from 9 to 10 a. m., at Lynch's store from 10 to 11 a. m., at Emma's store from 1 to 2 p. m., at John Piesinger's store from 4 to 5 p. m.

Union—Thursday, June 8, at Amersbach, from 8 to 9 a. m., at Sellers' Store from 10 to 11 a. m., and at Lashley's store, from 1 to 2 p. m.

Bethel—Friday, June 9, at Wartburg, from 7 to 8 a. m., at Franklin Mills from 11 a. m. to 12 m., at Ho. from 1 to 2 p. m.

Bethel—Saturday, June 10, at New Greensburg, from 8 to 11 a. m., at Joseph W. Lake's store from 1 to 2 p. m.

Homestead—Monday, June 12, at Plum Run, from 10 a. m. to 12 m. and at Anne Sharp's store, from 2 to 3 p. m. Tuesday, June 12, at J. F. Mellor's store, from 10 to 11 a. m. at Webster Mill, from 7 to 8 a. m.

Ayr—Tuesday, June 13, at Big Cove Tannery, from 9 to 10 a. m., and at Webster Mill, from 1 to 2 p. m.

Licking Creek—Wednesday, June 14, at Salsburg from 9 to 11 a. m., and at Harrisonville from 1 to 2 p. m., and at Joseph B. Mellor's store at Andover, from 4 to 5 p. m.

All persons appearing at the respective places to pay their taxes will be allowed a reduction of five per cent. If taxes are not paid on or before July 28th the duplicate will be put into the hands of a Justice of the Peace in each township, for collection; all parties then owing will be required to pay the full tax charged on duplicate, and fees allowed by law for collecting debts. The rate is 5 mills.

LICENSES.—All persons who are subject to Licenses as manufacturers of Liquor are requested to meet me at the above times and places, as set out in the above notice, to be held on or before July 10th, 1905, at New Greensburg, Pa., as compelled by law to bring suit on all unpaid Licenses by July 10th, next.

G. E. LAIVER, County Treasurer.

THE FULTON COUNTY NEWS

Covers the Field.

In every part of the County faithful reporters are located that gather the daily happenings.

Then there is the State and National News, War News, a Department for the Farmer and Mechanic, Latest Fashions for the Ladies. The latest New York, Baltimore, Philadelphia Markets. The Sunday School Lesson, Helps for Christian Endeavorers, and a Good Sermon for everybody.

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CUMBERLAND VALLEY

TIME TABLE.—May 28, 1905.

Table with columns: Leave, No., Time, Arrive, No., Time. Rows include Winchester, Harlow, Hagerstown, Greenbush, Mercersburg, Chambersburg, Waynesboro, Newville, Newburg, Culloden, Mechanicsburg, Arr. Harrisburg, Arr. Phil., Arr. New York, Arr. Baltimore.

Train No. 12 east runs daily except Sunday between Hagerstown and Harrisburg leaving Hagerstown 1:05 and arriving at Harrisburg at 6:30.

Additional east-bound local trains will run daily, except Sunday, as follows: Leave Hagerstown 7:05 a. m., 12:30 p. m., 6:15 p. m. Leave Mechanicsburg 8:45 a. m., 7:30 p. m., 12:30 p. m., 8:30 p. m. Leave Dillsburg 5:35 a. m., 10:00 a. m., 3:30 p. m.

Trains Nos. 2, 8 and 110 run daily between Hagerstown and Harrisburg.

Daily, Daily except Sunday.

Table with columns: Leave, No., Time, Arrive, No., Time. Rows include Baltimore, Pella, New York, Harrisburg, Dillsburg, Carlisle, Newville, Hagerstown, Martinsburg, Arr. Winchester.

Train No. 12 west runs daily except Sunday between Harrisburg and Hagerstown leaving Harrisburg at 6:15 p. m. and arriving at Hagerstown at 1:25 p. m.

Additional west-bound trains will leave Harrisburg as follows: For Carlisle and intermediate stations at 8:25 a. m., 12:30 p. m. and 6:30 p. m. also for Mechanicsburg, Dillsburg and intermediate stations at 7:30 a. m., 1:30 p. m. and 5:30 p. m.

Trains Nos. 1, 2 and 110 run daily between Harrisburg and Hagerstown.

Pullman sleeping cars between New York and Knoxville, Tenn., on trains 1 west and 10 east and between Philadelphia and New York on trains 2 west and 10 east, except that on Sunday the Philadelphia sleeper will run east on No. 2.

Through coaches to and from Philadelphia on trains 1 east and 7 and 9 west.

Daily, Daily except Sunday.

SOUTHERN PENN'A R. R. TRAINS.

Table with columns: P.M., P.M., M.I., P.M., M.I., P.M., M.I., P.M., M.I. Rows include Harrisburg, Chambersburg, Gettysburg, Mercersburg, Hagerstown, Newville, Newburg, Waynesboro, Mechanicsburg, Greenbush, Arr. Harrisburg.

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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. Junior 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 Sunday evening at 7:00. The alternate 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. C. 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.