

INTERESTING PARAGRAPHS

Of Local and General Interest, Gathered at Home or Clipped from our Exchanges.

CONDENSED FOR HURRIED READERS

Highest possible cash and trade prices will be paid for turkeys at Huston's.

Huston at Saltillo is paying 20c for eggs; 50 for apples, and 50 for potatoes.

Trimming free of charge a Mrs. A. F. Little's millinery opposite postoffice.

Mrs. S. B. Woollet left this morning for a little trip to Philadelphia and Lancaster.

Newt J. Bard and brother Oliver, of Pleasant Ridge, were early callers at the News office this morning.

It is nice to live in the mild climate of Maryland. Write J. Waters Russell, Real Estate Broker, Chestertown, Md.

Charlie Tritle lost a very valuable horse last Sunday. This is the second horse Mr. Tritle has lost in a very short time.

Wanted at Paul Wagner's tannery, calf skins, sheep skins, horse hides, and tallow. 9, 10 and 12 cents paid for beef hides.

Emery Pittman, who had been employed in Pittsburg for a few months, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kissler Pittman, of this place.

James G. Turner & Co., Hancock, Md., are showing a beautiful line of useful Christmas presents. They can save you money on that line.

Mrs. George Fox and two children, of Markes, Franklin county were the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Henry near town.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ramsey of Clear Ridge, were guests in the family of John Nesbit in the Cove Sunday night and pleasant callers at the "News" office Monday.

James G. Turner & Co., Hancock, Md., have moved into the new store room in the Masonic Temple building, where they have on exhibition the best line of goods ever shown by them.

HIDES—James Sipes & Sons pay 10, 13, and 16c a pound cash, for beef hides at their butcher shop in McConnellsburg, also highest price paid for calf skins, sheep skins and tallow.

Dr. George M. Robinson, of this place, is in Philadelphia this week taking an examination before the State Board of Medical Examiners. Dr. Robinson is a graduate of the George Washington Medical College, Washington, D. C.

The most pleasant, safest and best remedy to use for coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough, etc., is Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar. This remedy expels all cold from the system by acting as a cathartic on the bowels. Sold by Stouteagle & Bro.

Center school in the Little Cove is open for a teacher, as the present incumbent will resign tomorrow to accept an appointment as R. F. D. Carrier. Any one who would like to finish the school should look after it soon. Information can be had by writing to C. A. McCullough, Sylvan, Pa. The school is composed of thirty-two pupils, and is in a very desirable neighborhood.

BRUSH CREEK.

Jennie Hanks expects to leave for the south next week where she will spend the winter.

Ada and Lizzie Hixson spent the latter part of last week with relatives near Crystal Springs.

M. J. Hixson had the misfortune to fall from a scaffold while putting spouting on his barn and broke his leg near the hip joint. Dr. Hanks was summoned and ordered the necessary surgical aid and Mr. Hixson is getting along as well as he can under the circumstances.

Miss Gertrude Barton left for Everett last week, where she expects to spend the winter.

Ivy Hixson spent a couple of days last week with her aunt near Brezewood.

A party was held at the home of Gates Seeling last Friday evening in honor of Mrs. Seeling and her daughter Mary.

Ross Jackson, who had been spending a week with his mother, Mrs. Angelina Hixson, returned to his work at Altoona last week.

CHRISTMAS ENTERTAINMENT.

At Cedar Grove, Saturday Evening, December 23, 1905

The following program will be rendered: Organ Voluntary, Invocation by pastor; Music; Address by J. H. H. Lewis to children: Why we have Christmas; Music; Address of Welcome by Thurman Sharpe; Recitation by John Hill; Music; Recitations by Rexie Hess; Acrostic by ten boys and girls; Music; Recitation by Stella Gray; "Linked to the Cross," exercise by six girls; Music; Recitations by Verdie Sharpe, and Floy Truax; Music; Recitations by Connie Hess, Catharine Clark and Kittle Hill; Music; Recitations by Verdie Sharpe and Cora Bivens; Music; Recitations by Willie Clark and Oscar Bivens; Music; Recitations by Maye Carnell and Arthur Arthur; Music; Recitations by Stella Gray, Ada Sharpe, and Verdie Sharpe; Music. Santa Claus will appear and treat the school. A cordial invitation is extended to all people in general.

Dying Of Famine

is, in its torments, like dying of consumption. The progress of consumption, from the beginning to the very end, is a long torture, both to victim and friends. "When I had consumption in its first stage," writes Wm. Myers, of Cearfoss, Md., "after trying different medicines and a good doctor, in vain, I at last took Dr. King's New Discovery, which quickly and perfectly cured me." Prompt relief and sure cure for coughs, colds, sore throat, bronchitis, etc. Positively prevents pneumonia. Guaranteed at Trout's drug store, price 50c and \$1.00 a bottle. Trial bottle free.

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Wm. Kuhn has killed the champion hogs so far. Five that he butchered a few days ago, weighed respectively, 279, 280, 293, 312, and 377, averaging 308, and making a total of 1541 lbs. George Seiders butchered one that weighed 354 lbs.

There has been quite an excitement in Middletown about wildcats recently.

Rev. Spriggs was in Chambersburg on business last Saturday, and John Seiders and Albert Clevenger spent the day in Middletown.

Mrs. Will Reed is still poorly. George Buterbaugh is on the sicklist, and Uncle James Clevenger is still confined to his room with a sore foot.

The First Chapters of "The Masqueraders" and Five Christmas Stories in the Xmas Number of the Sunday North America.

The North American promises something decidedly out of the ordinary in its Issue for December 17th, the Christmas edition of the Sunday paper. The management has secured six Christmas stories by the best-known authors, and will also begin the serial publication of "THE MASQUERADER," by Katherine Cecil Thurston, the novel that has been praised by all of the critics as the greatest that has been written in the last ten years.

The short stories are: "A Stolen Christmas," by Mary E. Wilkies Freeman; "Davy's Christmas," by Annie Trumbull Slosson; "Solomon Crow's Christmas Pockets," by Ruth McEnery Stuart; "A Journey in Search of Christmas," by Owen Wister; "An Engineer's Christmas Story," by John A. Hill, and "The Christmas Gifts of Thaddeus," by John Kendrick Bangs.

The front cover of the magazine is said to be the finest head of Kris Kringle ever printed in a newspaper. There is a poem by Peter H. Doyle that the young folks will be reciting at the holiday entertainments.

All the magazine article and comics will be full of the Christmas spirit, and one page that will be thoroughly practical is that which tells about the cost of the Christmas presents that are bought annually in the big cities.

The edition will be limited, owing to the extra work necessitated by the special features, so that it will be necessary to order the paper in advance.

James G. Turner & Co., Hancock, Md., are now closing out their stock of Ladies', Misses and Children's Hats and Millinery Goods at very low prices regardless of cost. You should see them before buying.

Store Property

FOR RENT.

Located at SYLVAN, PA., within 7 miles of the new Wash R. R., with a good slate road leading to it. Property consisting of 14 acres of land.

STORE-ROOM 20x42 FT.

Ware-house, Bank-barn, large Brick Dwelling with nine rooms, Water in the Kitchen, with other necessary outbuildings. Plenty of Fruit thereon, handy to Churches and Schools, also Telephone connections.

This is one of the best country stands in the county. There is at this time a well established business, and with special efforts can be increased. Any one wishing to go into the mercantile business will do well to call and see the undersigned.

A large lumber company has bought 2,000 acres of timber and will commence to work it in the spring. They expect to take them five years to work it which will greatly add to the store.

Books open for inspection to any one having a desire to rent.

Good reasons for wanting to rent. Correspondence solicited.

S. J. Zimmerman,
SYLVAN, PA.

DeWitt's *Witch Hazel* **Salve**
For Piles, Burns, Sores.

W. H. NESBIT

Nearly opposite Cooper House is better prepared than ever before to furnish our farmers with

BINDERS,
MOWERS,
HAY RAKES,
and one of the best
Corn Plows

in use. Repairs for all kinds of Mowers and Binders. Sections for all kinds of Binders and Mowers cheaper than ever.

Binder
Twine

AWAY, AWAY, down this year. Machine Oil from 20c to 50c per gallon.

Falling-Top Buggies
and
Runabout Buggies,

Stick Wagons, &c. Also Garden Tools of all kinds.

If you want to save money you will call on

W. H. Nesbit,
McConnellsburg

Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar
Cures all Coughs, and expels Colds from the system by gently moving the bowels.

Millinery

We are now ready to show you a full line of Fall and Winter Millinery Goods. We do not claim to have the largest line of any in the county; but we do claim to have the

Cheapest

—quality considered. Don't fail to come and see our goods before buying elsewhere.

We can, and will, save you money. Thanking the public for past patronage, I am yours for business

Nellie Dawney,
Hustontown, Pa.
(Successor to Annie E. Dawney.)

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure
Digests what you eat.

LADIES

DR. LA FRANCO'S COMPOUND

Safe, Quick, Reliable Regulator Superior to other remedies sold at high prices. Cures guaranteed. Successfully used by over 200,000 Women. Price, 25 Cents, drug stores or by mail. Testimonials and booklet free. Dr. LaFranco, Philadelphia, Pa.

One Minute Cough Cure
For Coughs, Colds and Croup.

JAYNE'S EXPECTORANT

MILLINERY
Closing Out Sale!

Advertisements of closing out sales are sometimes looked upon as simply a means of drawing trade and disposing of old stock. THIS is a

Real Closing Out Sale!

and a chance to buy goods for less money than you have purchased them in McConnellsburg for years past or can for years to come.

The Sale starts DECEMBER 4, 1905, and will continue until stock is disposed of.

Maye Johnston,

West Water Street,
McConnellsburg, Pa.

McConnellsburg's
New Furniture Store.

Read this and be convinced that we have in our store the largest stock of selected **FURNITURE** and **HOUSE HOLD FURNISHINGS** that has ever been in this county, and at prices that will suit every body:

Iron Beds—green, blue and white, \$2.30, \$2.65, \$3, \$4.25, and up.
Bed Springs—both woven wire, and coil, \$2.50, \$3.15, and \$4.75.
Mattresses—excelsior, husk, cotton, etc., \$2.85, \$3.10, \$3.75 and \$4.
3-piece Bedroom Suite, \$15.50, \$18.50 to \$32.75.
Chiffoniers, \$10; Hall Racks, \$7;
Side Boards, \$12 to \$20; Extension Tables, 8-ft., \$6.25, \$7.65; 6-ft., \$4.55;
Falling-leaf, \$3.15. Dining-room and Kitchen Chairs, \$3.75, \$4, \$5.75, \$6, \$6.50, \$7.80 per set. Rockers, \$1.25,
\$1.45, \$1.75, \$1.98, \$2.65; Child's Rockers and High Chairs: Reed Rockers, \$4.75, \$5.55, \$5.75, and \$6.50.
Couches, \$6.25 to \$12; Bed Lounges, \$11.98; Cots, \$1.50 and \$1.70.
Five-piece Parlor Suite, upholstered in Silk Damask, \$29.
Stands, 75, 95, and \$1.25. Easels, 50 and 60c.
Mirrors—French Plate, \$5, \$1.90 and \$5.50. Pictures and Frames, \$1 to \$1.75.
Window Blinds, 10 to 22c. Ten-piece Toilet sets, \$3.25 and \$4.15.

Anything you would like to have, and we don't have it in stock or mentioned in the above list, would be glad to have you call and select from our catalogue, and have same ordered at once. Thanking you for your past patronage, and wishing your future trade, we are,
Respectfully yours,

Thos. B. Stevens & Son,
EAST WATER ST. McCONNELLSBURG.

Boots and Shoes

Boys' and Men's Boots \$1.50 to \$1.75.
Ladies' Felt Boots \$1.25 to \$1.50.
Men's Felt Boots \$2.00 to \$2.35.
Boys' School Shoes \$1 to \$2.
Men's Work Shoes \$1.25 to \$2.
Men's Watsontown high Shoes \$5.
Ladies' Dress Shoes \$1.25 to \$2.50.
Ladies' Fox-lined Shoes \$1.25 to \$1.75.

Men's Work Pants 75c to \$1.
Men's Corduroy Pants \$1.50 to \$2.50.
Best Linen Corduroys \$2.50.
Men's Work Coats \$1.25 to \$2.
Men's and Boys' Sweaters 25c to \$3.25.

A full line of
General Merchandise

always in **STOCK.** Highest Market price for Butter, Eggs and Poultry.

G. J. Mellott,
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15 ASTOR PLACE, NEW YORK

Come To The Irwin Store
Make Your Christmas
A Merry One

Now is the time to get the best and get it to suit. Our stock of **HOLIDAY GOODS** is large and complete.

We want your business and our low prices will make your Christmas buying easy. Fancy China in German, French and Japanese makes. Lamps and Glassware, Cut Glass, Silver-plated Ware and Novelties, Watches, Clocks, and Jewelry; Books, Toys, Pictures, and Games.

Groceries and Fancy Candies. All makes of **Sewing Machines.**

Come to see us we can save you money. The Irwin Store.

JOHN A. IRWIN,
McConnellsburg Pa.

ROUSS RACKET STORE.

Some Prices For
December and January

Just received a nice line of ladies' and men's handkerchiefs. Ten dozen men's at 2 for 5c; also ladies' at 2 for 5c, and the nicest 5-cent handkerchief for ladies and men that you ever did see. In ladies' hose, we have just received 10 dozen more of those heavy fleecy-lined black, at 2 for 25c., and the extra-heavy boys' at 23 and 25c.

We are in line shape to serve your wants in foot-wear. We have them from 10 cents to \$4. (Call and be convinced.)

Prices on Neverslip horse shoes, ready to drive: No. 1, 65c. a set; No. 2, 70c. a set; No. 3, 80c.; No. 4, 98c.; and No. 5, \$1.00 a set. Compare these prices with others.

Tinware! Tinware!

Lanterns, 45, 65, and 80c. These are all Dietz goods. No. 1 Dash and Blizzard, 80c.; 6-qt. gray enameled preserving kettles, 23c.; 8-qt., 33c.; 10-qt. Tin Buckets, 10, 15, 19, and 20 cents. We still have some of these good 50 lb. Lard Cans at 33c., and just got another lot of those Wash Boilers at 60 and 85c.

Cobbler sets with hammer, 2 pks. of nails, 3 Awls, hasps 3 lasts, and Stand and a Knife, all for 45c. Tin Dishpans 18, 25, 29, and 36c. Pie Plates 2 for 5c., and 3 for 10c. Dippers at all prices. Milk Strainers 9c.

Plush double Lap Robes \$2.45 and \$3.25. Horse Blankets 95c, \$1.25, \$1.60, \$2.25 and \$2.90. See our new lot of Overcoats and Suits. Men's Overcoats \$3.45 to \$7.90.

Galvanized Tubs 40, 45, 50, and 55c. Buggy Whips, 5, 8, 10, 15, 20, 25, 32, 38, 42, and 60c., each. Wagon Whips—blacksnake, 75 and 85c.

We have a nice line of Fascinators, Mittens, Gloves, and, in fact, almost everything you would want for substantial Christmas presents. We are very busy, but not to busy to wait on customers. Call; let us show you what we have. O yes; felt boots \$1.75, \$2, \$2.25, and \$2.65

HULL & BENDER,
Proprietors.

OPEN LETTER

FROM

Geo. W. Reisner & Co.

To our patrons and the public generally:

We have just received the **LARGEST LOT OF MEN'S AND BOYS' CLOTHING** we have ever bought. The **STYLES** are strictly **UP-TO-DATE**, and the **QUALITY** and **PRICE** are strictly all right. We want you to see our suits before you buy. Our **SHOES FOR FALL AND WINTER** are now coming in and will be ready for you very soon. These we want you to see.

As **EARLY AS MAY**, we bought our **Cotton Blankets, Outings, Flannelettes, &c.,** and can say to you that we can sell you these goods **AT LEAST 2 CENTS A YARD CHEAPER THAN LAST YEAR**, and in some of them more.

For early fall serving, we have the goods.

Very respectfully,

G. W. Reisner & Co.
McConnellsburg

the standard cough and cold cure for over 75 years now comes also in a 25c size Convenient to carry with you. Don't be without it. Ask your druggist. 1905 ALMANAC FREE. Write to Dr. D. Jayne & Son, Philadelphia.