

INTERESTING PARAGRAPHS

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

CONDENSED FOR HURRIED READERS

Jos. B. Mellott, who has been in the mercantile business at Andover during the past three years, is closing out his stock, and intends removing. In order to close up accounts, he will, to those who come in and settle promptly, allow a discount of eight per cent. from their bills. Mind—to those who come soon!

"I had tried everything for my baby, until Dr. Lyle recommended Cascasweet. I can truthfully say it is the best medicine I ever used for babies. My little baby was a mere skeleton from stomach trouble—so bad that she did not notice anything, but is now entirely well, and we can almost see her grow."—Nannie L. Taylor, Bedford, Va. Cascasweet is sold at Trout's drug store.

In a letter containing a dollar to change the label on his paper from a 7 to an 8, J. M. Bowman, Oneida, Ill., has this to say of the "News": "The paper is a general favorite in our home, and my wife and myself await its coming each week, with the greatest pleasure. It contains so much news about our eastern friends, that we feel that we are still in close touch with them."

Squire George W. Fisher and John R. Tayman of lower Thompson, were in town a few hours attending to business Monday. Although a young man, Mr. Fisher claims to be the oldest thresherman in the county, having completed his twenty-third consecutive season, during which time he has threshed wheat enough to relieve the famine stricken Chinese. Mr. Tayman was arranging for the advertisement of his sale, which will be on Valentine day. Mr. Tayman has purchased a farm down in southern Maryland about twenty five miles below Washington, and will have the advantage of two of the best markets in the country—Washington and Baltimore. Mr. Tayman is much pleased with his purchase, and feels sure that the country down there has advantages equal to those we hear so much about in the west, and not so far from home.

Adam Shaffer is spending a few weeks among his old time friends and relatives in this county. Adam is married to a daughter of Philip Snyder, of Tod township, and it is now about twenty-nine years since Mr. and Mrs. Shaffer decided to cast their fortunes in the great Middle West, and they removed from the Philip Snyder farm. Mr. Shaffer is now a prosperous farmer near Summerfield, Ill., twenty-six miles east of St. Louis. Their family of six children—three boys and three girls—are well grown. William is married and lives in Oklahoma, where he has a very desirable homestead. Clara is married and lives in Summerfield. Harry, the youngest son, is a musician and belongs to a band with a regiment of U. S. troops in Cuba. John, Lizzie, and Carrie are at home. Of course, Adam thinks Illinois is the country. They raise big crops, lots of stock, and have no trouble in turning their produce into cash at the best market prices. There are many chances to rent good farms. The tenant gives one-third and the land owner, of course pays the taxes.

Farmer's Local Institute.

There will be a Farmers' Institute at the McNaughton school house, on the afternoon of Friday, January 11, 1907. A full program has been prepared, and an instructive meeting is anticipated for all that may attend. At the same time and place, the Big Cove Agricultural Society will elect a member of the State Board of Agriculture, to represent Fulton county for the three years following the fourth Wednesday of January, 1907. Officers of the Society will also be chosen for the term of one year.

A full turn out of the members is earnestly requested.

W. C. PATTERSON.

TO CURE A COULD IN ONE DAY, take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box, 25c.

LOST THEIR LIVES.

Prominent Baptist Preacher with His Wife and Daughter Were in The Terrible B. & O. Wreck.

What lends a deep personal interest to many people in this county, of the terrible disaster on the Baltimore and Ohio railroad last Sunday a week, is the fact that a well known Baptist clergyman, together with his wife and daughter were on the train and all three were killed. The minister was Elder Ollie Dailey, of Newark O., who had been assisting Elder Funk in conducting a series of meetings at Needmore, and his wife and daughter were accompanying him on a preaching tour, which included this county, part of Maryland, and Washington City.

Mr. Dailey and his family left Needmore Friday morning and took the train at Hancock. After having filled some appointments in Maryland Friday evening and Saturday, he and his family boarded the ill fated train Sunday afternoon to go to Washington City to continue his work.

The story of the terrible wreck in which a half hundred people were killed almost instantly is already well known, and Mr. and Mrs. Dailey and their daughter were among the number.

GOLDEN WEDDING.

Friends and Neighbors Assemble to Celebrate the Fiftieth Anniversary of the Marriage of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Winters.

New Year's morning 1907 dawned on the comfortable home of Mr. John M. Winters, in Thompson township, much the same as it had on other New Year's mornings; and whether or not Mr. Winters had in his mind a long list of New Year's resolutions that he intended to keep, our correspondent does not tell; at any rate, he started about his usual work much the same as on other mornings. If it occurred to him that that day marked fifty years in which he and Mrs. Winters had walked together in the path of married life, he thought it did not seem half so long.

About ten o'clock he was about leaving his home to attend to some business, when his plans were somewhat interrupted by the arrival of a few friends; then there came some more, and then some more, until Mr. Winters began to wonder whether there was to be a public sale at his home that day, or what was "in the wind."

These very same visitors without much ceremony began to take possession of his home and to run things pretty much their own way. Well, there was not much harm done, for by noon there was spread in the dining room a sumptuous dinner, at which Mr. and Mrs. Winters were the guests of honor, and a most happy social time was had. If they had not thought of the Golden Wedding before, it was all plain enough to them now, and they greatly appreciated the thoughtfulness and good will of their many friends and neighbors, who had thus assembled to tender congratulations and add to their pleasure on this holiday.

Amid the festivity and pleasure of the occasion, no one present was unmindful of the fact that to God were they indebted for all real blessings of life, and in the afternoon with their pastor, Elder Funk, they assembled in the parlor, where the 103d Psalm was read and a devout prayer offered. It was a day well spent.

Mid-winter Term Begins

Jan. 7, 1907. Catalogue Free. The Tri-State Business College Cumberland, Maryland.

It's a pleasure to tell our readers about a Cough Cure like Dr. Shoop's. For years Dr. Shoop has fought against the use of opium, chloroform, or other unsafe ingredients commonly found in Cough remedies. Dr. Shoop, it seems, has welcomed the Pure Food and Drug Law recently enacted, for he has worked along similar lines many years. For nearly 20 years Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure containers have had a warning printed on them against opium and other narcotic poisons. He has thus made it possible for mothers to protect their children by simply insisting on having Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. Sold at Dickson's drug store.

Wedding Gifts

Should be of a substantial character. No gift makes a more lasting impression upon the bride than a piece of Sterling Silver, however small. We have Sugar spoons in Sterling Silver in price from \$1.50 to \$3.75 each. Sterling Silver Teaspoons from \$7.50 to \$20 the dozen. Sterling Silver Dessert Knives from \$18.50 to \$30 the dozen. Dessert Spoons and Forks from \$17.50 to \$20 the dozen. These goods we have in stock at all times and many new, handsome patterns. Let us send you samples.

WM. H. LUDWIG,

Jeweler and Silversmith, Trust Company Building, CHAMBERSBURG, PA.

Our Fall and Winter Stock is Ready--

Ready with a larger and a more complete line than ever before, showing the very latest styles in suits and overcoats.

Men's Cardigan Jackets, Sweaters, Flannel Underwear, and all the wool clothing you need.

Children's Camel-hair Tam-O-Shanters, and nobby Hats and Caps for boys.

Our line of Fine Shirts, Collars, Cuffs, and Neckties, and in fact every thing you would find in an up-to-date

Gent's Furnishing Store.

Cannot be surpassed. Come and see our line before buying

C. B. STEVENS,

M'CONNELLSBURG, PA.

Rouss Racket Store.

Christmas Presents

For Everybody-- YOUNG AND OLD.

Not any toys, but the goods that are useful in everyday life.

If you want a nice pair of suspenders, we have them from 5 to 40c., or a nice necktie, we have the nicest we ever had. Or, it may be that you would like to get a nice pair of shoes for a present, what would make a nicer present than this? We also have gloves, mittens, and handkerchiefs. Gloves 10 to 89c; mittens 9 to 20c; handkerchiefs 2 for 5, to 13c each. Bed blankets, 49, 85, 90 to \$1.40; horse blankets 60c to \$5; fascinators 45c, or a pair of linen towels 20, 25, 30, 35 and 40c. We also have table covers, and rugs from 75 to \$1.75; lace curtains 30 to 75c pair; hose supporters for men and women 8 to 23c. In hosiery, we have most any thing from 5 to 23c.

Or, possibly, you will want a suit of clothes, or an overcoat for the boy, or the man of the house. We have them at prices that can't be matched any where. We also have Ice wool at 9c ball; Shetland floss at 8c, Saxony and Germantown yarn at 8c; croquet cotton 4c for 100 yds.

We certainly have the nicest plush lap spreads at \$2.45 you ever saw. It weighs about 7 lbs.

Blacksmiths we just got another lot of 16-in. 1-2 file horse shoe rasps at 25c; 13-in. at 18c; 12-in. cutting nippers at 55c; horse shoe nails at 11 to 18c; Burden horse shoes at 4 c lb.; Never-slip horse shoes by the set—No. 1 at 65c; No. 2 at 76c; No. 3 at 80c; No. 4 98c, set ready to drive. Calks 2 1-2c each.

McConnellsburg, Pa.

STEVENS & RAKER'S Bargain Store.

For First Fall Days We Have The Goods.

FALL AND WINTER.

Underwear coming in at prices that will surprise you. Overshoes, Leggings and Rubber Goods now on hand at a clean-sweeping price—goods that we commenced buying as early as April and May.

We have a full line of outing cloth at 8c, a yd., gingham and calicoes as low as 5c. a yd. Muslins, shirts, socks, drawers, flannellets, at low prices. Men's cords from \$1.40 up.

GLASS JARS 50 and 60c. a dozen while they last. We are closing out for 38c.

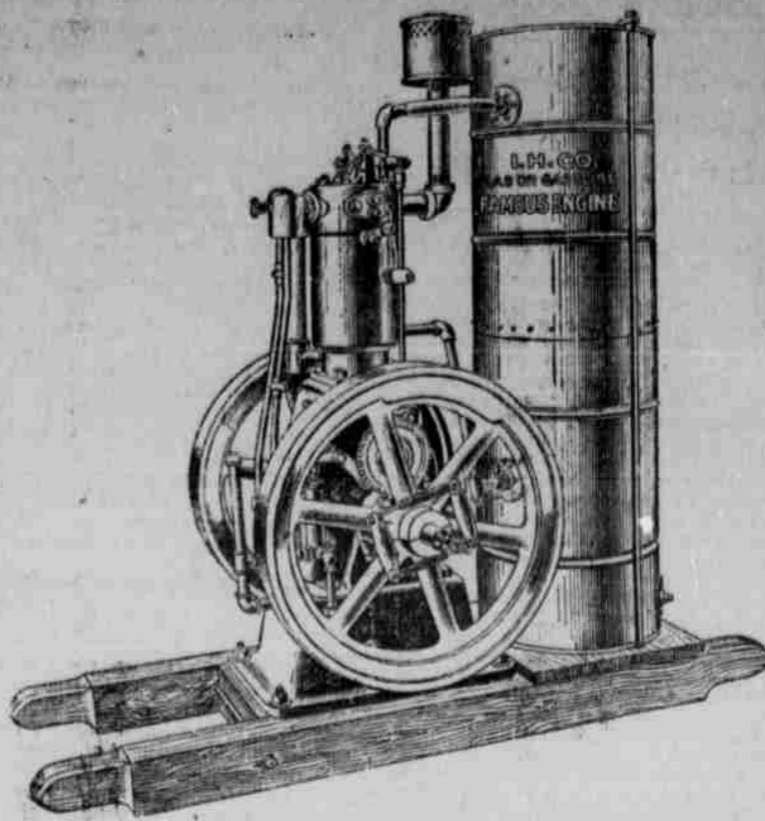
TAR ROPE first class Sisal twine 9c. lb., rope halter 15 and 25c., web halters 30 and 45c., harness pads that we are selling for 10 to 40c.

SHELLS! Shells! Winchester and U. M. C. shells 3 and 3 1/2 dram of powder, all size shot first class for 45c. a box. Crocks from 1 to 2 gallon each, prices 4 to 10c. each; 2 gallons 20c. A full line of groceries that we sell as low as the lowest, and for SHOES don't fail to try Stevens & Raker before you buy.

All kinds of country produce taken in exchange, wheat, 75c; rye, 60c; oats, 30c; onions, 75c, and country lard 10c. Potatoes 40c. Call and see us. No trouble to show you goods if you don't buy. Respectfully yours,

Stevens & Raker, Clear Ridge, Pa.

Hurrah! For The I. H. C.



The Gasoline Engine is one of the most useful things a farmer can own. With one of these useful machines he can saw wood, grind feed, shell corn, pump water, and many other things. They are being used in some places for electric light plants. I have sold two since Jan. 1, 1906, and expect to sell several more before the year is up.

The demand for Pittsburg fence is still growing. This is a positive proof that it is all right. I have it on hand, and am selling it right along at the lowest price possible.

Tar rope, 7 1/2c. lb; Linseed oil, 50c. a gallon; Machine oil 18 to 37c. gal; Cylinder oil 27c; 1-lb. can Mica Axle grease 38; 3-lb. can Mica Axle grease 23c; 10-lb. buckets Mica Axle-grease, 65c; Harness oil 60c; Lewis 7c; Carter lead, 7c; Dutch 1. Mixed paint, \$1.15 a gallon; Double bitting axes 90c. to \$1. Single bitting axes 70c; solid steel picks, 40c; solid steel masts, 40c; Smooth wire, \$2.75; Barb wire, \$3.25; Wire fence, 23 to 50c. per rod; Wire nails, \$2.50 a keg; Steel buggy tire 3c; Dirt shovels, 40 to 55c; Long handle scoop, 70c; Short handle scoop, 70c; Crow chains, 17 to 25c; Trace chains, 50 to 90c. Simon saws, 5 ft. 54 \$3.45; 6-ft. \$4.04; Hand saws 40c. to \$2.50; Yellow collar pads, 27c; Felt collar pads, 40c.

Horse Blankets and Robes

I have the largest and best assortment of Horse Blankets and Robes in the county. Prices from 70 to \$5.75. Robes from \$2.50 to \$8.50.

Thanking those who have so liberally patronized me, and kindly soliciting the continuance of the same, I am Yours respectfully,

Geo. B. Mellott, McConnellsburg, Pa.

NOW LOOK HERE!

Institute Week is approaching and we wish to say to the teachers and all visitors to the institute that we will make buying extremely interesting to them. We are determined to close our Ladies' and Children's Wraps all out, and in order to do so, will make prices regardless of cost in many of the garments. We have had a splendid season on wraps and all because we had the proper styles.

Dress Cords are plenty and prices right. Notions galore. In

Men's Suits and Overcoats

we are cutting prices all round, and you can not fail to be interested in this stock.

SHOES

for every season--quality considered, prices as low as can be made. Rubbers for every kind of shoes. Don't forget us when you come to town. We will treat you right.

Respectfully,

Geo. W. Reisner & Co., McConnellsburg, Pa.

DeWITT'S Witch Hazel Salve For Piles, Burns, Sores.

PAIN

Pain in the head—pain anywhere, has its cause. Pain in complexion, pain in blood pressure—nothing else usually. At least, so says Dr. Shoop, and to prove it he has created a little pink tablet. That tablet—called Dr. Shoop's Headache Tablets—cures blood pressure away from pain centers. Its effect is charming, pleasantly delightful. Gently through safety, it surely equalizes the blood circulation.

Dr. Shoop's Headache Tablets

W. S. DICKSON.

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



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Dr. Shoop's Early Healers The famous little pills.

Weak Hearts

Are due to indigestion. Ninety-nine of every one hundred people who have heart trouble can remember when it was simple indigestion. It is a scientific fact that all cases of heart disease, not organic, are not only traceable to, but are the direct result of indigestion. All food taken into the stomach which fails of perfect digestion ferments and swells the stomach, puffing it up against the heart. This interferes with the action of the heart, and in the course of time that delicate but vital organ becomes diseased.

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