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THE SUNDAY SCHOOL FIELD.

Enthusiastic Work This Year Will Marke Fulton a Front Line County.

The showing made at the State Sunday School Convention at Uniontown a few weeks ago, says the Pennsylvania Herald. as a direct result of the adoption of a standard for the county associations to attain unto, proved to be a great inspiration and sent the the delegates away with fixed purposes and resolute determinations. Five counties were placed high on the honor roll because of the splendid work accomplished. The beautiful banners awarded to these counties by President Heinz on behalf of the State Association will unquestionably prove to be a great incentive for increased activity in many counties during the year.

A word of warning, however, should be sounded right at the beginning of this year's campaign. To "get busy" simply for the purpose of capturing the prize of State banner at the next State Convention would be a motive deserving of defeat. The Front Line position should be striven for solely and purely because of the incalculable benefit it brings to the local school. To bring to the local school tested and tried methods in teacing God's Word and in securing decisions for Christ is the business of the organized Sunday-school work in Pehnsylvania, and this should be done independent of prize banners.

The State Association, however, delights to honor the county association that is standing true to the purpose of its existence and bringing about results such as were shown at the State Convention.

It will be well for all Sunday-school workers to study the County Association Standard and consider the position your county now occupies and then consider what individual help you can lend to give it a more honored position.

The County Association Standard.

1. County organized.
2. Annual County Convention held.
3. Complete district organization in county.
4. Annual Convention in each district.
5. Statistics annually sent to State office.
6. State pledge made and paid.
7. County represented at State Convention.
8. Fifty per cent. of schools have Cradle Rolls.
9. Thirty per cent. of schools have Home Deportments.
10. Twenty per cent. of schools have Teacher Training classes.

Five points—a Banner County.
Eight points—a Star County.
Ten points—a Front Line County.

The classification of the counties according to the above standard at the State Convention was as follows:

FRONT LINE COUNTIES: Fayette. Columbia. Greene. Washington. Union.

STAR COUNTIES: Lawrence. Butler.

Banner Counties.

Adams	Elk	Montgomery
Allegheny	Erie	Montour
Armstrong	Forest	Northampton
Beaver	Franklin	Northumberland
Bedford	Fulton	Perry
Berks	Huntingdon	Philadelphia
Blair	Indiana	Pike
Bradford	Jefferson	Potter
Bucks	Juniata	Schuylkill
Cambria	Lackawanna	Snyder
Cameron	Lancaster	Sullivan
Carbon	Lebanon	Susquehanna
Center	Lehigh	Tioga
Chester	Luzerne	Venango
Clarion	Lycoming	Warren
Clearfield	McKean	Wayne
Crawford	Mercer	Westmoreland
Cumberland	Mifflin	Wyoming
Dauphin	Monroe	York
Delaware		

Look once more at little Fulton. Are you satisfied with its position? We know you want it in the Front Line list. So do we—and that is where it must stand. But what are you going to do to help us get it up there? One more point will make us a Star County, and ten Cradle Rolls, ten Home Departments, and nine Teachers' Training Classes, will make us Front Line.

Mr. Thomas K. Downes has organized a Sunday school in Belfast District, and already he reports a Cradle Roll and Teachers' Training Class. He says, "we are going to organize a Home Department very soon." Why not follow his example? What will you do in your own school to make Fulton a Front Line County? Remember, it means not only banners and honors, but, best of all, boys and girls for Christ. Don't talk about it—do it. When?—next Sunday.

THROUGH AUTO ROUTE

From Philadelphia Through Here to Pittsburg on a New State Highway.

The Franklin Repository says it has information on very good authority, that should the next legislature pass a law creating a highway across the State, that the turnpike passing through this place via Bedford, will be the route selected, and that it will be the purpose to place thereon a line of large automobiles which will be run for the benefit of the public from Pittsburg to Philadelphia. This will take the place of a trolley line on that route, as no trolleys can be run on State public roads, unless the trolleys were there prior to the turnpike being condemned for a State highway.

Printed By Request.

Mix the following by shaking well in a bottle, and take in teaspoonful doses after meals and at bedtime.

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. A local druggist is the authority that these simple, harmless ingredients can be obtained at nominal cost from our home druggists.

The mixture is said to cleanse and strengthen the clogged and inactive Kidneys, overcoming Backache, Bladder weakness and Urinary trouble of all kinds, if taken before the stage of Bright's disease.

Those who have tried this say it positively overcomes pain in the back, clears the urine of sediment and regulates urination, especially at night, curing even the worst forms of bladder weakness.

Every man or woman here who feels that the kidneys are not strong or acting in a healthy manner should mix this prescription at home and give it a trial, as it is said to do wonders for many persons.

The Scranton (Pa.) Times was first to print this remarkable prescription, in October, of 1906, since when all the leading newspapers of New York, Boston, Philadelphia, Pittsburg and other cities have made many announcements of it to their readers.

Surprise Party.

Sunday, November 10th, was a day long to be remembered in the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. John Long, in Dublin township—the occasion being the celebration of Mrs. Jane Kerlin's seventieth birthday. There were present three of her daughters, Mrs. John Long and family, Mrs. George Regl and three sons, Mrs. Will Gunnels, Dan Gunnels, wife and son; Miss Edith Kerlin, of Tyrone; Porter Snyder, of Burnt Cabins; Herbert Kerlin, and Grover Peck.

Mrs. Kerlin was the recipient of a nice lot of useful and valuable presents, among which was a nice sum of money. As Mrs. Long is a fine cook, there was a sumptuous dinner served, and the day was spent very pleasantly, and the company dispersed after singing several songs, the last being "God be with you till we meet again." "G."

WINTER NEAR.

Snow Fell in Many Parts of the Country Monday.

Wheeling, W. Va., Nov. 11.—Six inches of snow are reported from William, W. Va., in Tucker county.

Cleveland, Nov. 11.—Nearly two inches of heavy wet snow fell here this morning, between six and eight o'clock. Street-car traffic was delayed in some sections of the city, but the steam roads generally report trains on time.

Colorado Springs, Col., Nov. 11.—Most unseasonable weather has prevailed in this vicinity since Sunday morning. Two inches of snow fell yesterday, and the temperature to-day was down to ten degrees. Snow and bitterly cold weather is reported from the Cripple Creek district.

Topeka, Kan., Nov. 11.—Western Kansas is covered with two inches of snow, which continued to fall to day.

South Bend, Ind., Nov. 11.—The first snow storm of the Winter overspread Northern Indiana and Southern Michigan to day.

Ashland, Wis., Nov. 11.—Several inches of snow has fallen here since Sunday, making conditions for deer hunting ideal.

Thanks.

EDITOR NEWS:—I desire through your valuable paper, to thank Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Mellott, of Whips Cove, for a barrel of fine apples sent us last week. Oh, how we do appreciate the kindness of such true and tried friends. May the dear Father bless them abundantly in this world's goods, and give them a Crown of Life in the City of Gold.

S. L. BAUGHER.

Conshohocken, Pa.,
November 9, 1907.

P. S.—We appreciate the NEWS, and through its newsy columns, we keep in touch with Little Fulton and our old charge.

S. L. B.

WELLS TANNERY.

Hon. S. F. Wishart attended the dedication of the Presbyterian church in Saxton last Sunday.

J. A. Wishart is visiting friends in Chariton, Ind., and other western towns.

Maud Baumgardner visited friends in Everett Saturday.

Our young friend Rev. Walter Stewart, has accepted pastoral work at Shirleysburg. We wish him success in the great work before him.

Rev. Forrest, of Three Springs, is holding a series of meetings in the Pine Grove church.

The Rally Day service in the Presbyterian church, was one of the best services we have ever attended in our little valley. Many new things were put into practice that proved to be most entertaining. It was a feast to listen to the "Keep Sweet" song.

Dorsey Barnett, who is employed as clerk by Jesse O. McClain, at Robertsdale, spent Sunday at home.

Misses Ora Foster and Nell Truax, of Enid, were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Truax, Saturday.

Thomas Sipe, of Saxton, and James McDonough and Mr. Alloway, of New Grenada, attended Odd Fellows' Lodge here last Saturday evening. From what we can gather quietly—Frank and Bob took the bumper degree.

A. O. Griffith is adding an extension to his dwelling.

W. H. Baumgardner is building an addition to his store room. He hopes to have it completed in time to make a display of holiday goods.

Married.

COOPER—BISHOP—On Tuesday evening, Nov, 12, 1907, at the office of the officiating Justice Lewis H. Wible, McConnellsburg, Clarence W. Cooper and Lillian M. Bishop, both of Ayr township.

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DAISY WINK IN JAIL.

Taken by Sheriff Alexander Last Sunday upon Paper Obtained from Prothonotay's Office, and Commitment Issued by Rev. Bryner.

Miss Daisy Wink, who grew from childhood to young womanhood in the home of Mrs. Mary Ann Kelly, of this place, and who has been an earnest and devoted member of the Methodist Episcopal church here, enjoying the confidence and esteem of every one among her large circle of acquaintances, and well known as an excellent housekeeper and good cook—is now in the county jail.

The circumstances of the affair are about as follows: Early in the afternoon of last Sunday, Sheriff J. G. Alexander, who during his almost three years of service as guardian of the peace of this county, and who has never been accused of shirking any duty that came in his way, was seen driving up South First street. It was noticed that his team was stopped in front of the residence of Mrs. Mary Ann Kelly, and that the Sheriff entered the house. In no very great length of time, he emerged with Miss Daisy Wink, handed her in to his buggy. As it was Sunday and the offices of the respective committing Justices of the Peace were closed, the Sheriff did the next best thing and drove to the Methodist Episcopal parsonage Mr. Bryner, the pastor, was at home. To Mr. Bryner, the Sheriff exhibited the "warrant" issued by Prothonotary Harris, which upon examination, the preacher found to be correct, and forthwith read the law in such cases made and provided, and upon receipt of costs, gave a "commitment" authorizing the Sheriff to convey the said Daisy Wink to the county jail, and there to remain in the custody of the said sheriff, until the decision of the said parson be reversed by a higher court.

The Sheriff and Daisy then proceeded to the jail, which, of course, is the residence of the sheriff, the great doors swung open, the party entered, and the doors closed.

The Sheriff now calls Daisy, Mrs. Alexander, and the boys call her mother.

The worthy couple have the congratulations of their many friends.

Wells Tannery.

Mrs. Ruth Edwards and Mrs. Mary Lockard visited their brother James B. Horton last Sunday.

James Truax, of Kearney spent over Sunday with his father, G. E. Truax.

G. Hann and family are visiting the former's sister, Miriam Horton.

A girl came to the home of J. L. Duvall.

Bertha Warsing spent Sunday with Mary Horton.

William Barnett is home for a few days helping his father.

Clyde Ritchey, of Kearney, spent a couple days last week with Oliver Horton hunting.

Mr. and Mrs. John Freeman passed through this place on their way to Kearney to visit the former's brother Alex.

There is a protracted meeting going on at Pine Grove.

While going home from church last Tuesday night Mrs Lizzie Wright and Mrs. Drucie Guillard had a thrilling experience, when the king bolt came out and let front part of the buggy down throwing the occupants out, spraining Mrs. Wright's arm. Mrs. Guillard escaped with a badly bruised face also the latter's baby was hurt some.

The Ladies Aid of Pine Grove have a quilt in at Mrs. A. F. Baker's at present.

We are glad to note that Mr. C. Martin, of the Cove, who has been poorly for some time, is improving in health, and we hope to see him out soon again.

DEATH RECORD.

Notice of Persons Who Have Gone to Join the Great Majority.

MAGGIE RUMMEL.

Miss Sarah Margaret Rummel, or Maggie, as she was more familiarly known among her friends, died at the home of her brother-in-law, M. F. Doyle, in this place, last Friday night, aged 61 years, 10 months, and 2 days.

About five weeks ago, Miss Rummel returned from a visit of several weeks in the home of her sister Rebecca, at Rouzersville, Franklin county, with the intention of spending this winter in the home of the family of J. G. Reisner, but a few days later, she had a stroke of paralysis; two weeks later, she had a second stroke, and last Friday night, the third, from which she lived but a few minutes.

She spent her entire life in this place, and enjoyed the respect of every one, being skilful with the needle, and very useful where there was any sickness. For more than forty years she was a consistent member of the Methodist Episcopal church, and the funeral services which took place Sunday afternoon, were conducted by her pastor, Rev. C. W. Bryner.

She is survived by her sister Rebecca, already named, and by James W., of this place, and J. Alfred, of Gettysburg, Pa.

Interment was made in the Lutheran graveyard in town.

MARIA BOOTH.

Mrs. Maria Booth, aged 83 years, died at her home four miles west of Warfordsburg, on Oct. 31. Mrs. Booth was a member of the Methodist Church for 50 years. Eight children survive her, namely: Nelson, George, Isaac and James, of Warfordsburg; William, of Hancock; Mrs. Maggie Powell, of Jefferson, O., Mrs. Mary Hill, of Buck Valley, and Mrs. Allie B. Pittman, of Hancock. Two brothers, Anthony Lynch, of Sideling Hill, and John B. Lynch, of Massilon, O., also survive. Funeral services were conducted on Sunday by Rev. Powers at Warfordsburg. Interment in the cemetery at that place.

MELLOTT.

Little Lizzie, daughter of W. S. and Eliza Mellott, died October 23rd, and her remains were laid to rest on the 24th, in the cemetery at the Sideling Hill Baptist church. She was aged 7 years, 1 month and 7 days. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. J. C. Garland, assisted by Rev. Pittenger. The parents have the sympathy of their many friends in this dark hour of bereavement.

The Buchanan Monument.

The work on the erection of the Monument over at Buchanan's Birthplace, near the Gap, is progressing nicely. A car load of the granite to be used in the monument arrived at the Mercersburg Railroad Station last week and is being hauled out. Some of the pieces are very large, one weighing as much as six tons.

There has been some delay in deciding just what the inscription shall be, but it will contain about 300 letters. These can be cut in the stone to a much better advantage before the stone is put in place. This stone is a handsome piece of granite, 6 feet in length by 2 feet 5½ inches in height and about 8 inches thick. If good weather continues and the desired help can be obtained, the work will be completed according to contract—by December 1st.

Odd Fellows Take Notice.

There will be important business brought before McConnellsburg Lodge of Odd Fellows on next Friday (tomorrow) evening, and all members are urged to be present.

BE GRATEFUL.

Governor Stuart Sets Apart a Day for Especial Thanksgiving to God.

Governor Edwin S. Stewart, last Friday at Harrisburg issued his first official Thanksgiving proclamation:

"In the name and by authority of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Executive Department. Proclamation:

"In accordance with custom, and in devout acknowledgement of human dependence upon Almighty favor, I, Edwin S. Stuart, Governor of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do hereby designate and set apart, Thursday, November 28, 1907, as a day for thanksgiving and prayer.

"The year now drawing to a close has been a year of bountiful harvests and of business prosperity. We have been free from pestilence and great calamities. Almighty God has been pleased to extend unto our Commonwealth and citizens thereof, His divine protection and blessing. It is fitting, therefore, that we should humbly return thanks for all our blessings, and acknowledge all the gifts of God so bountifully bestowed upon us with grateful recognition of His providence, and with cheerful submission to His unvarying laws, by which the destinies of our Commonwealth and Nation are guided.

"On that day let us cease from our daily work, and gathering together in our places of worship and around our firesides, offer sincere praise and thanksgiving to Almighty God for the unnumbered blessings we have received in the past, and devoutly pray for strength to meet the obligations of life and courage to discharge each duty with fidelity. Let us also, in a practical and substantial manner, remember the poor and afflicted among us.

"Given under my hand and the great seal of the State, at the City of Harrisburg, this sixth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand, nine hundred and seven, and of the Commonwealth the one hundred and thirty-second.

"By the Governor,
EDWIN S. STUART,
ROBERT MCAFEE,
Secretary of Commonwealth."

The Fulton County Sabbath Association.

The Fulton County Sabbath Association will hold its annual Convention in the M.E. church of McConnellsburg, Pa., on Tuesday, November 19 1907, at 2 o'clock, p. m. with program as follows.

1. Devotional Exercises under the direction of the president.
2. Discussion of the theme—"What are the proper steps, and by whom should they be taken to enforce the Sabbath law against its violations?"—Opened by S. W. Kirk Esq.
3. General Discussion.
4. Collection.
5. How Awaken a Deeper Interest in the Sabbath Cause through out the County and Secure for it a better Support?—Opened by Rev. J. C. Fassold.
6. General Discussion.
7. Business.

Recess. Tuesday Evening 7, o'clock.

1. Devotional Exercises.
2. Some Results of lax Sabbath Observance by Professing Christians.—Opened by Mrs. A. W. Johnston.
3. General Discussion.
4. Collection.
5. How Should the Christian Sabbath be Observed?—Opened by Rev. C. W. Bryner.
6. General Discussion.
7. Closing.

All friends of the Sabbath are earnestly requested to attend and take part in the Conference.

SECRETARY.

The Winchester school board has directed that any pupil of the Winchester public school using chewing gum while on the school premises will be immediately expelled.

ABOUT PEOPLE YOU KNOW

Snapshots at Their Comings and Goings Here for a Vacation, or Away for a Restful Outing.

NAMES OF VISITORS AND VISITED

H. T. Heeter, of Dublin Mills, made a trip to the County Seat, Monday.

H. I. Wilson, of Fort Littleton, spent last Thursday in McConnellsburg.

Commissioner S. A. Nesbit, is spending this week in Blain, Perry county, on business.

Harry Clouser went over to Altoona last Saturday to look for employment for the winter.

Miss Mary Daniels, Mrs. Nell Sheets, and Mrs. L. E. Harris, of this place, attended communion services at Green-Hill Sunday.

Mrs. Geo. B. Mellott, of this place, spent the time from last Thursday until Monday visiting her daughter Mazie in Philadelphia.

D. B. Gallaher, of Burnt Cabins, called at the News office a few minutes Monday afternoon. He said the recent rains had put the roads in a bad condition.

William Miller, one of Taylor township's best citizens, and his daughter Miss Lillian, spent a few hours in town Monday. Miss Lillian was having some dental work done.

After visiting friends in Hagerstown, and St. Thomas, Geo. Garner and family came over to Fulton county last week and visited among friends here until Monday, when they returned to their home in Altoona.

Ex-Sheriff J. Alfred Rummel, of Gettysburg, and sister, Mrs. Rebecca Miller, of Rouzersville, were called here last Saturday on account of the death of their sister, Maggie Rummel.

Miss Minnie Mock, who had been teaching at Allen, Cumberland county, has resigned her position and returned to her home in Tod township, on account of the continued serious illness of her father, Daniel Mock.

Mr. T. N. Downs is visiting his father, mother and other friends at Franklin Mills. Mr. Downs is the agent at Mill Creek, W. Va., on the W. M. R. R. He is on his vacation and took in the Jamestown Exposition.

Dr. and Mrs. Clarence N. Trout, of Red Lion, Pa., came to McConnellsburg last Saturday. Mrs. Trout, who has been in poor health for some time will remain awhile in the home of Clarence's mother, Mrs. M. B. Trout.

Harry M. Lewis was spending the past week with his father J. H. H. Lewis at Franklin Mills. He holds a lucrative position with the P. R. R. at Pitcairn. Harry was a very successful teacher in Bethel a few years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Smith, of Gettysburg, arrived in town last Thursday afternoon and Mrs. Smith is spending some time with her sister Mrs. Sarah Pittman. Mr. Smith went on to Bedford on Friday, to visit among his old friends up there.

Mr. G. A. Bard, who has employment on a trolley line in Pittsburg, is spending a vacation of two weeks among his Fulton county friends He and his father, Mr. M. H. T. Bard, of Pleasant Ridge, spent a few hours in town Monday.

Clarence and Brooks Sipes, of Pittsburg, and their sister Mary, of Homestead, and Stella, of Frazer, Pa.,—all arrived home Monday morning having been summoned here by telegraph on account of the serious illness of their mother, Mrs. J. Nelson Sipes. Mrs. Sipes' condition seems to be improving to-day (Wednesday) and it is hoped she may be on the way to speedy recovery. The cause of her illness is pneumonia.