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Letter to A U Nae, McConnellsburg Pa.

Dear Sir: A few years ago, a New York daily got up a great agitation for dollar gas, and got it. The State passed the law, and the people liked it of course, till the bills came in. The bills were digger, not less; the didn't say what the gas should be.

The price of a gallon of honest paint is \$1.75; but there's "paint" all the way from 35 cents to \$1.75. A popular price is \$1.25; there are scores of "paints" at that price. Like dollar gas.

If \$1.75 is the price of a gallon of honest paint, you may be quite sure there are scores of "paints" at all prices from that down, with paint enough in them to pass for paint. And what are you going to do about it?

It takes from \$2 to \$4 a gallon to pay the painter for doing his work. Is it worth while to pay \$2 to \$4 a gallon for brushing on paint half whitewash?

No; the expense of that extra and useless labor makes counter-felt paint cost more than true.

The remedy is Devoe. There are eight honest paints; Devoe is the strongest one of the eight.

Yours truly F. W. Devoe & Co. P. S. J. A. Boyd, Mercersburg and Norman O. Huber Chambersburg, sell our paint.

There are a whole lot of smart things being said about the big hats which the ladies wear this year, says an exchange, but really a fellow who wears his coat half way up his back one season and flopping around his knees the next, and who has to grease his trousers one year to get into them and the next season crawl into them carefully to keep from falling through one leg, hasn't much license to holler.

BEST HEALER IN THE WORLD. Rev. F. Starbird, of East Raymond, Maine, says: "I have used Bucklen's Arnica Salve for several years, on my old army wound, and other obstinate sores, and find it the best healer in the world. I use it too, with great success in my veterinary business." Price 25c. at Trout's drug store.

Parted Nineteen Years.

When news of the Johnstown flood reached Pittsburg nearly nineteen years ago and the extent of the loss of life and property became known, says the Globe one of the first men to volunteer his services for rescue work was Thomas Smith, of the Smoky City. Fondly bidding good bye to his wife of three months, Smith boarded a train for the stricken city. Week after week he worked as a laborer.

After months of the hardest sort of work, Smith returned to Pittsburg to claim his wife, Katie. Not a trace could he find of her. During his time in Johnstown they did not correspond, owing to the demoralization of the mail service. Smith made many efforts to find the woman, but without avail.

The other afternoon while walking along Smithfield street the pair met for the first time since May 30, 1889, when the husband took the first relief train for Johnstown.

Although both are now in middle life, the greeting between husband and wife was as enthusiastic as it would have been almost 20 years ago.

Good For Everybody.

Mr. Norman R. Coulter, a prominent architect in the Delbert Building, San Francisco, says: "I fully endorse all that has been said of Electric Bitters as a tonic medicine. It is good for everybody. It corrects stomach, liver and kidney disorders in a prompt and efficient manner and builds up the system." Electric Bitters is the best spring medicine ever sold over a druggist's counter; as a blood purifier it is unequalled. 50c. at Trout's drug store.

BURNT CABINS.

Samuel Bowman and son, David, spend part of last week in Huntingdon on business.

Wm. Gallagher is all smiles. It is a girl.

Ellen Stahl, of Pittsburg, is spending some time with her parents Mr. and Mrs. James Waters near here.

Gilbert Bowman, is sporting a new buggy! Look out, girls.

T. M. Cisney, is spending this week in Philadelphia at the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F.

Esther Naugle and Ethel Cisney are attending Summer Normal in McConnellsburg.

Walter Comerger spent Monday in town on business. Look out for measles and mumps.

Prof. Harris is helping to teach the summer Normal in McConnellsburg.

John Baldwin and wife spent Sunday in Fort Littleton.

Rev. S. L. Pittinger, and wife are spending this week with relatives in Adam county.

That Towel.

When I think of the towel, The old-fashioned towel, That used to hang up by the printing-house door, I think that nobody In these days of shoddy Can hammer iron to wear as it wore. The tramp, who abused it, The devil, who used it, The make-up and foreman, the editor (poor man), Each rubbed some grime off While they put a heap on. In, over, and under, 'Twas blacker than thunder, 'Twas harder than poverty, rougher than sin; From the roller suspended, It never was bended, And it flapped on the door like a banner of tin.

It grew thicker and rougher, Harder and tougher, And daily put on an inkier hue, Till one windy morning, Without any warning, It fell on the floor and was broken in two.

Chronic Constipation Cured.

One who suffers from chronic constipation is in danger of many serious ailments. Foley's Orino Laxative cures chronic constipation as it aids digestion and stimulates the liver and bowels, restoring the natural action of these organs. Commence taking it today and you will feel better at once. Foley's Orino Laxative does not nauseate or gripe and is pleasant to take. Refuse substitutes. Trout's drug store.

END.

Mrs. Catharine Lockard is seriously ill, no hopes of her recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Bergstresser left on Saturday for Philadelphia. Mr. Bergstresser as delegate from Waterfall Lodge I. O. O. F. Mrs. Bergstresser to visit her brother T. Speer Dickson.

F. E. Cunningham is spending a few days at West Chester, Philadelphia, and Atlantic City.

Harry Lockard, of Altoona spent a few days in the Valley called here by the sickness of his mother.

George Barnett drove down from Everett on Sunday and his mother Mrs. S. A. Barnett went back with him to visit relatives and friends there.

A Teachers Training Class was organized at the U. B. church to be in charge of Rev. Strayer.

Mr. James Foster, of Trough Creek brought his mother Mrs. Lib Foster to the Valley on Sunday to spend the summer with her daughter Mrs. Joo. Rider.

Thomas Sipes, of Saxton is visiting his sister Mrs. N. S. Edwards.

Warren Anderson is attending Grand Lodge in Philadelphia; delegate from Wells Tannery Lodge.

Mr. J. F. Early has improved the looks of his property by painting his house.

Mrs. Ella Lockard came home from Homestead on Thursday brought her little grand daughter Edith with her to spend the summer.

Letter from Morgan Deshong.

Chestertown, Md., May 5, 1908.

DEAR EDITOR:—As we like to read letters from friends in Fulton county, who travel, perhaps some of the readers of the NEWS would like to hear something from the Eastern Shore of Maryland. Nathan E. Truax and I left home April 13th, drove to Hancock and took the train there for Baltimore stopping at Martinsburg, W. Va.; Harpers ferry, Washington Junction, and Washington. We arrived at Baltimore at 2:30 p. m. We left the depot and went down to South Light Street Wharf, Pier 16, and took a steamboat for the Eastern Shore of Maryland, which landed in safety at Buck Neck wharf, about 7 p. m. We were met there by my brother Simon Deshong, with a team to drive us to his home, which was only a short distance from the wharf. After a short rest there, we started to explore the country of which we have heard so much, and to our surprise, we found a finer section of country than we had expected. The soil varies from sand to heavy clay—but mostly a very nice loam, which is smooth, and apparently very easily worked, and capable of growing fine crops of great variety. Some of the large farms would be good stock farms, but the people here don't keep many cattle from two to five cows are the most I have seen. Some farmers keep a number of sheep. Most of the horses are small. The people breed for speed, although I have not seen any fast horses. The people here are very clever and sociable.

Mr. Thompson took us out on the Chester river in his gasoline boat, and we enjoyed the trip very much. Fish are plenty, but shad, rock and eels are high in price. We have been at the fishery several times. We saw load after load hauled away, over into Queen Anne county. There are some of the finest farms, man would wish to see. Chestertown has about 3500 population.

We don't know how long we shall stay. I like the country, although it was quite windy and cold for about two weeks after I came, but has gotten quite mild. The 30th of April, rained, and it has been windy and cold up to the 5th of May.

We like the breeze of the water. If any one would like to make a change, they ought to come and see the country, as it is a great shipping point—both by rail and water, and a good home market. The people can sell anything, and can raise almost anything. The country is mostly level. Some parts are somewhat rolling. The Chester river divides Kent and Queen Anne counties.

MORGAN DESHONG,

Work Makes Men.

Work makes men. Luck usually fails. Pluck nearly always wins. To succeed in anything, one must overcome obstacles. Force and fiber are built by hardships. Grit is as necessary in the making of a man as gumption. Hardships are not always handicaps. Often they are helps. You will understand this better in twenty years. Meanwhile permit one who has lived that twenty years and more to advise you in this. Hang onto your job until you are sure of a better one. Dependable boys are in demand. And no boy can be depended upon who does not finish the task he sets his hand to do. However disagreeable our work, do it thoroughly. Do it better than the average boy will do it. In that way you will come to be known as a dependable boy. And mind you this: Men everywhere are looking for capable, honest, gritty, dependable boys. The sooner you let people know that you are that kind of a boy, the sooner you will get a better job. And don't be in a hurry to give up the work you already have. Be sure something better is offered. Wait awhile. Do your work well. Promotion will come. And do not envy the boy who has an easy time. You would much better pity him. He has a good time now, but some day he must "make good" and "deliver the goods." With his flabby muscles and his easy habits and his many wants, he stands a far poorer chance than you. Remember above all, young fellow, you are making a man of yourself.

KINGSFORD'S OSWEGO CORN STARCH. Sixty-six Years of Superiority. Just the thing to go with all kinds of fresh or stewed fruit, either as a delicate sauce to pour over the fruit or as a blanc mange or pudding to serve with it. Before another meal drop postal for "Original Recipes and Cooking Helps" and learn what a practical cooking aid Kingsford's Oswego Corn Starch really is.

CROWNOVER & ISENBERG, SALTILLO, PA. HEADQUARTERS FOR GENERAL MERCHANDISE.

Must have more room, and in order to get it we will sell all the various lines of SHOES at 10 percent off the regular price for one month, commencing May 15, 1908. All Wool and Summer Dress Goods at 10 percent off regular price. Men's Youths' and Boys' Suits at prices as follows:

Table with columns: Gent's, Suits, at, \$10.50, 10.50, 8.00, 7.50, 6.00, 3.00, 2.50, 2.00.

Crownover & Isenberg, Saltillo, Pa. In S. W. Kimmel's old stand.

SPECIAL MENTION OF Carpets, Rugs and Mattings. There is no Bigger, Better or Lower Priced Stock in a radius of 150 miles. You have the advantage of a large, well-lighted room in which to do your choosing leisurely. We carry only the standard makes and guarantee all goods we sell to be as represented. Need a New Carpet? Buy it here. You'll make a big saving. We guarantee that. We want you to know what a splendid Carpet Department we have - what choice qualities and pretty styles we sell at remarkably low prices.

GENERAL DIRECTORY. President Judges—Hon. S. Mc. Swepe, Associate Judges—D. T. Lambert, H. K. Harlow.

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.

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.

SOCIETIES. Odd Fellows—McConnellsburg Lodge No. 744 meets every Friday evening in the Cleverger's Hall in McConnellsburg.

TOBACCO with valuable tags. A tag from a 10-cent piece will count FULL value. A tag from a 5-cent piece will count HALF value. Save your tags from JOLLY TAR, STANDARD NAVY, TOWN TALK, SPEAR HEAD. REDICUT and PICNIC TWIST. Premium Department THE AMERICAN TOBACCO CO., Jersey City, N. J.