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Letter to J. W. Selsor, McConnellsburg Pa.

Dear Sir: Tell the owner: "I paint Devoe, nothing else, unless you want me to paint something else: I'll paint whatever you like: its your house, not mine; your job, not mine: It's mine, if I do it my way; it's your's if I do it your way."

"It will cost you less, Devoe; less gallons to buy and brush on less money for paint, less money for wages; a gallon put on is about \$5; Devoe will cost less by a tenth to a half, according to what you compare it with; and wears better, how much better depends on what you compare it with—it may be a year, it may be ten."

"It is my business to know how to paint as well as to paint; and I do. You can see my jobs by the dozen."

That's straight talk. The man who can talk like that with a steady eye, will have plenty of business; good business too; and men will stand by him.

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

Mrs. E. H. Kirk, of Hiram, drove in to McConnellsburg last Friday, and on Saturday she was accompanied home by her husband Editor E. H. Kirk of the Fulton Democrat. Mr. Kirk is a member of the Taylor township school board and remained away from town until after the "settle ment" Monday.

Plenty of Trouble is caused by stagnation of the liver and bowels, to get rid of it and headache and biliousness and the poison that brings jaundice, take Dr. King's New Life Pills, the reliable purifiers that do the work without grinding or griping. 25c. at Trout's drug store.

At the 55th annual session of the Grand Lodge, held in Philadelphia, May 18 to 22, I. Dwight Thompson, of McConnellsburg Lodge 744 I. O. O. F., was appointed by Grand Master Christian W. Myers, a member of the committee on the aged Odd Fellows Fund, he having served on a committee similar to this the past year. Old 744 is to be congratulated on again having the honor conferred upon them this year.

G. J. Mellott, the general traveling salesman for the James C. Lindsay, Hardware Company Pittsburg was in town calling on our merchants Monday. Johnson represents a good house and is building up a large trade.

Dan F. Trout went to Everett last Sunday and was accompanied home on Monday by Miss Maye Johnston, who has been employed in Miss Alice Michaels' millinery establishment during the past few weeks.

Miss Josephine Runyan accompanied D. F. Trout to Everett last Sunday where she will visit in the family of W. Robert Speer a few days and then go to Saxton to visit her uncle Will Hoke's family.

Mr. H. M. Strait spent the time from Saturday until Monday with his wife at Fort Littleton who is visiting her mother a couple of weeks. Harvey will go to Waynesboro the last of this week.

Mrs. W. P. Myers and son Horace drove up from Hancock last Saturday morning and spent the time until Monday with the family of the former's brother, Merchant Geo. W. Hays.

Miss Grace Lake and Miss Panay Morgret, of McKibbin, are spending a few weeks with friends at Altoona and at Clearfield.

MEMORIAL DAY.

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then entertained the people, with an incident of war at Ft. Steadman. With the Union colors in his hand, he told most dramatically of the welcome arrival of reinforcements headed by "Old Glory" when his regiment was almost surrounded by Confederates. These war stories of participants are most welcome to the young and makes the far-away scenes of the Civil War most real.

Afterwards, a photograph of the veterans and children was taken by Artist Seville—also one of the cemetery with its precious burden of flowers.

AT NEEDMORE.

Memorial Day brought together an unusually large crowd of people at Needmore where the exercises were in charge of Camp 550, P. O. S. of A.

The observance of the 30th of May brings together larger crowds of people in Belfast than any of the other national holidays.

The Hall was beautifully decorated with flags and bunting, and the "fragrance of spring time." The choir had prepared special music for the occasion which was a very attractive part of the program. After a few well chosen and earnest remarks, and the reading of the scripture lesson by Rev. A. G. B. Powers, prayer was offered by Rev. Lysinger.

The Address of Welcome was given by Earl Shives and the response by Hon. D. T. Humbert. The Judge held the closest attention of the audience as he portrayed the growth of the Nation and the bravery of "The Mothers of Men."

Recitations were given by Floyd Hart, Orville Beatty, Mary Mellott, Esther Peck, Eva Bedford and Mrs. J. W. Lake. The selections were well chosen and rendered in a manner most creditable. An intermission of 1 1/2 hour was given after which people again assembled in the hall. Several pieces of music, especially prepared were given by the choir, and Lincoln's Gettysburg Address recited by Verna Fityer.

The climax of the program came when Prof. B. N. Palmer, our own "Newt" was introduced. He paid a glowing tribute of respect to the memory of his father, of Co. H. 156 P. V. He eulogized the soldiers in beautiful language, and reviewed the history of the Nation. The Hall was filled to the utmost seating capacity during this address and he held the closest attention for almost an hour. Newt surprised his own friends and proved that he has been a careful student since he left us.

Recitations by Orpha Snyder, Lillian Pott and Bess Simpson deserve favorable comment.

WELLS VALLEY.

Owing to the rain in the early afternoon of Memorial Day, the plans for decorating the soldiers' graves in Wells Valley were somewhat interfered with. After the shower, the folks from the upper end of the Valley met those from the lower end, at the Valley M. E. Church, and after decorating the graves in the cemetery of that place, went into the church where appropriate exercises were held. In addition to music by the choir of that church, a male quartette composed of Dan Cunningham, Charles Early, H. M. Griffith, and George Edwards rendered a selection that was very much enjoyed by all. H. E. Seville was the orator of the day, and made an address that was very creditable to himself, and instructive to his hearers.

A recitation by Miss Marjorie Sipes was well rendered, and very much appreciated.

SALUIVA.

Our farmers are about through planting corn, and some have begun to plough wheat ground.

Samuel Strait had the misfortune to lose one of his work horses last Sunday. The horse by some means got his leg broken.

D. E. Mellott lost two young cattle last week. They were found dead in the field.

Several persons were injured in the storm at Greenhill last Saturday afternoon.

PRESERVE YOUR TEMPER.

One of the Greatest Attainments is Good Temper.

We do not say one of the great gifts, because we wish to impress the idea that it is an attainment, more than a mere gift. It is a matter to be worked for with untiring zeal. It should be put among the most strenuous endeavors.

One is appalled as he looks around him and sees the utter misery on every hand that is caused by simple bad temper. We assail with bitter invective the saloon, and we think we have reason, for to it we trace an immense sum of misery; but bad temper causes quite as much distress, and sits often in the chief seat of the synagogue. It makes constant havoc of all the sweet delicacies of life. We fear that the home, which is always free from the inroads of this enemy, is an exception. And one person giving way to a bitter spirit, desolates all his sphere. There is nothing more remarkable than the atmosphere that each person bears about with him; without word or look, bears with him as he comes. There are husbands who smart beneath the tongues of wives, and wives whose life is bitter from tormenting husbands. There are churches where a very few people of a bad spirit keep the whole society in turmoil. They set out to be unpleasant, and they succeed. Oftentimes too much patience is used towards them; what they need is to be firmly and quietly told, what a persistent nuisance they are, and that they must behave themselves better.

One thing which awakens forbearance towards these persons is the sense of their real and constant misery. They peculiarly bear the fires of their own hell along with them. Their evil spirit tears and lacerates them all the days, like the demon of the New Testament; but the more he tortures them the more they hug him to their breasts, and in no way can be led to cast him off. There is no escape from this demon, however, but in utter casting him out; so long as cherished, he will tear.

The very essence of Christianity is sweetness and light. How patient, how gentle, how strong was our Master. Christianity is the religion of goodness. A bad temper is its distinct opposite; yet how many bad-tempered people think they are Christians because they take the sacrament. Where did they ever obtain such a grotesque notion? Surely not from the teaching of the Savior; they are absolutely opposed to any such conception.

A general prevalence of a kindly, loving disposition would carry a vast extension of the kingdom of Christ along with it. "See how these Christians love one another," was the word that spread Christianity in the first day so quickly over the habitable earth. We must come to this spirit again. Persons of a bitter temper are destroying the life of the religion, however loud their professions may be, or however much they may give to missions. Their mission is to get a good temper as quickly as possible.—Church Union.

WEST DUBLIN.

The children of the Fairview Sunday school are practicing this week for Children's Day. If the program as selected is carried out, it will be a pleasing entertainment.

Alfred King, of Altoona, spent a few days last week with relatives here.

Charles Barton and Charles Blair, of Six Mile Run, spent part of last Saturday fishing in Woodson Bridge.

A number of our people attended Memorial Day exercises—some at Clear Ridge and others, at Greenhill.

A proper and fitting observance of this day is always in order, for we cannot honor and respect too much the faithful and brave "boys in blue," who so nobly and so well gave their lives for their country.

Miss Gertrude and Verna Laidig, of Minersville, spent a few days in this community.

George W. Clevenger, of Hustontown, spent a few days recently with the family of his brother Hiram.

Clarence Berkstresser has obtained employment with the Singer Sewing Machine Company and will work in Franklin and Adams counties.

Lulu Laidig, of Minersville, attended Sunday School at Fairview on Sunday.

Mrs. Susan King has gone to Altoona, where she will spend some time with the family of her son Albert.

LOWER THOMPSON.

I wonder if any of the readers of the News would like to hear from some of the people away down in this corner of Thompson?

Dennis Morgret has been beautifying the interior of his dwelling and also put upon it a new galvanized roof.

W. R. Daniels has erected a large wash-house and some other out buildings, and has also invested in a labor saving device—a gaso-line engine.

Wm Booth has added a two story kitchen to his dwelling and will give the entire building a new coat of paint.

Harvey Comerger has his new barn completed.

John H. Brewer has treated his house to a new coat of paint.

Late one evening last week, Mrs. Wm. Booth heard a little chicken peep, as if it were hurt. She ran over to the coop, pushed the hen aside and screamed, "Here is a snake!" It was coiled all up among the little chicks. Mr. Booth and the boys came to her assistance, when the snake at once began battle, darting furiously at the hen. Emory caught and threw her out, the chicks crept out without getting hurt. They then killed the reptile, which measured six feet three inches.

Preaching at Damascus every first and third Sunday by Rev. A. G. B. Powers; and at Rebo both, every four weeks, by Rev. Feltner. Those Sunday school workers say, "don't get tired to go."

WE GOT WHAT WE NEEDED.

"Nine years ago it looked as if my time had come," says Mr. C. Farthing, of Mill Creek, Ind. Ter. "I was so run down that life hung on a very slender thread. It was then my druggist recommended Electric Bitters. I bought a bottle and I got what I needed—strength. I had one foot in the grave, but Electric Bitters put it back on the turf again, and I've been well ever since." Sold under guarantee at Trout's drug store. 50c.

PLEASANT RIDGE.

Michael Bard is having his house repainted. Spade & Spade are doing the painting.

Lewis Kelso and wife, of Knobsville, spent Saturday night at M. E. H. Bard's.

Earl Beatty and Earl Shives, of Needmore, spent Sunday in the home of the latter's parents.

Charles Edwards of Everett, wife and daughter Ruth, spent Saturday evening at J. W. Lake's.

Quite a number of the people attended memorial Services at Needmore.

James Mellott and Miss Bessie Sikes attended Memorial at Clear Ridge.

A Sunday School was organized at Shanes school house last Sunday 31 and the following officers elected: Superintendent D. G. Shives; Asst. Supt., Geo. R. Hoop; Secretary, Miss Fannie Hessler; Treasurer Mrs. H. C. Mumma. About 45 scholars were enrolled and the time set for meeting at 3 each Sunday afternoon.

W. Blaud Deshong and Miss Mollie Mellott spent Sunday evening at F. R. Shives.

The Huntingdon board of health has resolved to get busy and fight. As this is this parties third attempt to get money by foul means, he will not be dealt with so leniently the next time. Dr. H. C. McClain passed through town this week in his new auto but finding D. W. Cromer's hill steep, it required plenty of "pusher and pullee." Too laborious, Doctor.

Miss Lena Cromer and Baldwin Fraker will represent our Sabbath School at the County convention at Warfordsburg.

Miss Bertha Chno of Burnt Cabins visited Mrs. Charles Fields.

Morgan Chno and wife were called home by the illness of the former's mother.

S. E. Mayne, and family of Martinsburg spent Sunday with his parents.

Mrs. Harry Taylor of Robertsville and children are visiting Dyson F. Fraker.

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". T. KINGSFORD & SON, Oswego, N. Y.

Sweeping the Field. What The New 1908 De Laval Cream Separators are Doing. Reports are arriving in every mail from Maine to California and Canada to Florida, telling of how the New Improved De Laval Cream Separators are sweeping all world-be competition aside. D. C. MALLOTT, Locust Grove, Pa.

Table with columns: WARRANT, ACRES, AMOUNT. Lists property owners and amounts for various townships like Ayr, Bethel, and Clear Creek.

Buggies and Wagons. I have just refilled my sheds with a fine lot of Buggies and Wagons which I am selling under a written guarantee at Rock Bottom Prices. W. R. EVANS, Hustontown, Pa.

GENERAL DIRECTORY. President Judge—Hon. S. M. Swope. Associate Judges—D. T. Hunnert, H. K. Markley. Prothonotary—George A. Harris.

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. The second term commences on the third Monday of March, at 2 o'clock p. m. The third term on the Tuesday next following the second Monday of June, at 10 o'clock a. m. The fourth term on the first Monday of October, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Odd Fellows—McConnellsburg Lodge No. 744 meets every Friday evening in the Cleverger's Hall in McConnellsburg. Port Littleton Lodge No. 484 meets every Saturday evening in the New Hall at Port Littleton.

6 per cent. Mortgages. Send for our MORTGAGE INVESTMENT CIRCULAR, which shows our unique plan of placing money on REAL ESTATE in PITTSBURG, PA. FIRST MORTGAGES 6 per cent to the investor. Jas. W. Drape & Co., Farmers Bank Bldg., PITTSBURG.