

INTERESTING PARAGRAPHS

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Marriage is a short cut from romance to reality.

Try the Irwin Blend of 20 cent Coffee. It has the cup quality.

C. R. Spangler, the well known lumberman of McConnellsburg, was a business visitor here Monday. He was in Chambersburg to purchase supplies for his planning mill.—Opinion.

Cranberries, raisins, currants, lima beans, canned peaches, and apricots—all new fresh goods. Get them at the Irwin store.

OUR WHEAT TERRITORY

Will Soon be Inadequate, but Canadian and Other Acres Waiting.

According to reports from Canada, the Canadian West within five years from now will be producing a wheat crop of over 200,000,000 bushels annually. This year's crop is estimated conservatively at 110,000,000 bushels. As there was but 14,000,000 bushels of wheat produced in this area during 1900, some idea of the great expansion of wheat production in the Canadian Northwest may be had from the figures of recent production.

There are constantly recurring pessimistic predictions that the world is fast approaching the time when the production of cereals will be insufficient to furnish the needed supply of bread. But from time to time new and unthought-of areas of wheat producing lands are opened. The latest of these under immediate observation is in the Canadian Northwest, which is coming to the front so rapidly at this time. Before all of the available area in this great district is under cultivation, the plains of eastern Siberia and Manchuria will be going into wheat as rapidly as is the Canadian Northwest at the present time.

So far as the United States is concerned, however, the time is easily in sight when this country will cease to produce, under the present systems of cultivation at least, any more wheat than is needed to supply the needs of its own people.—Seattle Post-Intelligencer.

A Smile From a Stranger.

Most of us owe debts of gratitude to strangers whose kindly smile has sent sunshine into our aching hearts, and has given us courage when we were disheartened.

It is a great thing to go through life with a smiling face. It costs little, but who can over estimate its value?

Think how the pleasure of life would be increased if we met smiling faces everywhere—faces which radiate hope, sunshine and cheer! What a joy it would be to travel in a gallery of living pictures, radiating hope and courage!

Who can estimate what beautiful, smiling faces mean to the wretched and the downcast—those whose life burdens are crushing them?

Many of us carry precious memories of smiling faces which we glimpsed but once, but whose sweet, uplifting expression will remain with us forever.—From Success Magazine.

"The Ring and the Man"

Is the title of Cyrus Townsend Brady's new story, which will be printed in serial form in "The Philadelphia Press." It is a story of real American life and the metropolis of the country is the scene of most of this romantic action. The theme is mostly politics and love. George Gornly, who is the hero of the story, is the highest type of American manhood. His battles with the forces of civic corruption in the American metropolis will interest every American citizen and lover of good, strong fiction. "The Ring and the Man" is a wonderful story of love and politics, filled with many other interesting points. The opening chapters will appear in "The Sunday Press" November 29. Remember the date and to be sure you get the opening chapters, order "The Sunday Press" in advance from your newsdealer.

Official Vote of Fulton County, November 3, 1908.

DISTRICTS	PRESIDENT		JUDGE OF SUPERIOR COURT		CONGRESS		ASSEMBLY		ASSOCIATE JUDGE		COUNTY COMMISSIONER		PROTHONOTARY, ETC.		COUNTY AUDITOR						
	Tark. R.	Byran. D.	Pover. R.	Grin. D.	Fock. R.	Baun. D.	Akers. R.	M'Donough. D.	Remsburg. Ind.	Markley. R.	Hoop. D.	Cromer. R.	Nesbit. R.	Keefer. D.	Sharpe. D.	Burkhart. R.	Harris. D.	Baker. R.	Rod. R.	Myers. D.	Wink. D.
Ayr.	133	137	89	128	90	121	92	133	3	91	133	87	89	133	124	67	151	75	95	126	131
Belfast.	85	101	78	87	78	82	85	89	4	89	84	94	57	98	84	37	124	47	79	77	118
Bethel.	95	104	86	92	87	91	87	89	20	125	75	112	87	100	80	78	104	89	87	97	97
Brush Creek.	78	56	75	52	74	52	81	49	1	70	53	82	90	52	42	67	61	77	65	54	59
Dublin.	110	83	94	76	84	76	83	87	1	101	78	109	47	75	82	45	113	92	76	75	80
Licking Creek.	98	119	56	110	57	111	56	115	1	48	134	56	90	107	100	33	144	58	55	117	116
McConnellsburg.	79	63	79	54	83	57	71	78	2	68	89	91	74	56	54	53	95	77	94	53	58
Taylor.	100	96	97	90	96	89	94	98	1	109	86	101	86	92	87	82	101	95	97	80	98
Thompson.	54	129	46	116	44	114	43	119	1	61	107	51	36	133	106	39	120	43	42	118	119
Todd.	57	82	52	77	57	75	49	81	1	54	75	52	45	70	72	31	94	25	64	70	72
Union.	90	55	83	57	92	40	80	48	1	96	37	90	66	50	45	64	61	81	84	44	50
Wells.	55	71	49	60	52	65	37	39	1	67	58	50	58	64	68	31	90	61	45	65	67
Totals.	974	1008	884	1002	894	973	868	1077	59	985	1000	960	765	1030	933	627	1258	820	883	982	1064

There were 55 Prohibition votes cast in the County: 8 in Ayr; 4, in Belfast; 2, in Dublin; 10, in McConnellsburg; 3, in Taylor; 2, in Thompson; 3, in Todd; and 10 in Wells. Three Socialist votes were polled in Ayr; 7 in Belfast; 2, in McConnellsburg; and 1 in Thompson.

Thanksgiving Day Proclamation.

President Roosevelt has issued his annual Thanksgiving Day Proclamation, naming Thursday, November 26, as a day of general thanksgiving and prayer.

Notwithstanding the general political turmoil, there is just cause for thankfulness and this is so aptly expressed by the President in these words.

"Year by year this nation grows in strength and worldly power. During the century and a quarter that has elapsed since our entry into the circle of independent peoples we have grown and prospered in material things to a degree never known before, and not now known to any other country. The thirteen colonies which struggled along the sea-coast of the Atlantic and were hemmed in but a few miles west of tide water by the Indian-haunted wilderness, have been transformed into the mightiest republic which the world has ever seen. Its domains stretch across the continent from one to the other of the two greatest oceans, and it exercises dominion alike in the Arctic and tropic realms. The growth in wealth and population has surpassed even the growth in territory. Nowhere else in the world is the growth of individual comfort and material well being as high as in our fortunate land.

"For the very reason that in material well being we have thus abounded, we owe it to the Almighty to show equal progress in moral and spiritual things. With a nation, as with individuals who make up a nation, material well being is an indispensable foundation. But the foundation avails nothing by itself. That life is wasted, and worse than wasted, which is spent in piling, heap upon heap, those things which minister merely to the pleasure of the body and to the power that rests only on wealth. Upon material well being as a foundation must be raised; the structure of the lofty life of spirit if this nation is properly to fulfill its great mission and to accomplish all that we so ardently hope and desire."

Men Past Sixty in Danger.

More than half of mankind over sixty years of age suffer from kidney and bladder disorders, usually enlargement of prostate glands. This is both painful and dangerous, and Foley's Kidney Remedy should be taken at the first sign of danger, as it corrects irregularities and has cured many old men of this disease. Mr. Rodney Burnett, Rockport, Mo., writes: "I suffered with enlarged prostate gland and kidney trouble for years and after taking two bottles of Foley's Kidney Remedy I feel better than I have for twenty years, although I am now 91 years old." Trout's drug store.

School Report.

Report of Black Oak school, second month. Number enrolled, 88; average attendance, 25; percentage, 80. Those who attended every day during the month, Cecil Barnhart, Arnold Bishop, Preston Bishop, Arlie Schetrompf, Grace Schetrompf, Gladys Jordan, Stella Burton. Those who missed one day, Reed Bishop, Floyd Hess, John Garlick, Marshall Bishop, Harry Garlick, Raymond Garlick, Roy Garlick.—Kathryn Yonker, teacher.

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Who They Are.

For the benefit of our readers living away from the county, who some times complain that in reading the election returns and seeing only the last name of the candidate, they do not know, for instance, which one of the Cromers, Hoops, or Sharps is meant. Here is the full names: The candidates for Assembly were Clarence R. Akers, Akersville; James A. McDonough, New Grenada; and Dr. A. J. Remsburg, Warfordsburg. For Associate Judge, Hiram K. Markley, Warfordsburg; and John Wesley Hoop, Harrisonville. County Commissioners, Daniel W. Cromer, Fort Littleton; Samuel A. Nesbit, McConnellsburg; James R. Sharpe, Dot, and Emanuel Keefer, Plum Run. Prothonotary, Solomon Burkhart, Fort Littleton and George A. Harris, McConnellsburg. Auditor, Alfred F. Baker, Wells Tannery, Charles C. Rotz, McConnellsburg; David H. Myers, Knobsville, and William Wink (Big Bill) Pleasant Ridge. Now if you take this list and compare it with the table, you will be straight.

Pneumonia Follows a Cold

but never follows the use of Foley's Honey and Tar. It stops the cough, heals and strengthens the lungs and prevents pneumonia. Trout's drug store.

The Boy and His Parents.

A mother is her boy's earliest ideal of womanhood. Through her he learns to respect womanhood. Her ideals and standards will be his through all time. If her standards of life are high and pure and noble they will be reflected in the words she speaks, the deeds she does, in the ordering of her household and in her conscientious life. "The light of love in my mother's face made home bright and happy," said a man, looking back tenderly to his boyhood's days. "Her cheerful contented spirit, her calm way of meeting disappointments, her charitable way of judging others, her kind way of giving encouragement, helped me to see how to take life. She seemed to have a well-spring of joy in her heart. I know now that it came from her faith in God and her love of all that is good. Her ideas of duty were very clear, direct and simple. If I had a task or a duty to do and tried to avoid it, or put it off, or excuse myself, she would say, very gently, 'Go and do it,' and her kind look, her few but firm words inspired me at once to do as she said. Then I had the joy afterwards of having her praise and appreciation. When I look back now I see that it was her way to go on quietly, faithfully, uncompromisingly with every duty without expecting praise."

When the mood is in his heart

is the moment to talk to a boy on serious subjects. The words spoken at bedtime are usually worth more than anything that has been said during the day. Blessings will follow a mother's prayers made with her boy. In her boy's Bible a beloved mother wrote, "Let this be your guide; look into it every day, if you have only time for one verse. Do not read it as a task, but for the help it will give you in your daily life, and listen to its teachings as the voice from Heaven."—"The Boy and His Parents," in the Ladies' World for November.

On Thursday, October 29, 1908, at the Lutheran parsonage in this place, by Rev. J. C. Fassold, William Hopkins of Ayr township, and Miss Florence Baker of Warren Pa., were united in marriage.

Executor's Notice.

Letters testamentary on the estate of John G. Metzger, late of Licking Creek township, Fulton county, Pa., deceased, have been granted by the Register of Wills of Fulton county, Pa. to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having legal claims against the same will present them without delay. THOS. S. METZLER, Executor, Harrisonville, Pa.

Cider Making.

The undersigned is prepared with a first-class steam outfit at his home near Jugtown, to do cider making, and hereby gives notice that his mill will be ready for business on every Wednesday until the first of October, and after that time, on Wednesday and Thursday of each week. 8-20-H. NICK HOHMAN.

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Respectfully,
Geo. W. Reisner & Co.

Racket Store News Underwear

Well, the time of year is here to be thinking about what kind of underwear you are going to buy, and it has been for sometime, by the way we have been selling it. You know what that 18-oz. fleece lined goods is. Well, we have sold enough of that case of 32 dozen, that we have to send an order this day to size up on. Think of buying an 18-oz. underwear for 43c. each, or 55c. a suit. Our ladies' are 23c. each, or 45c. a suit; boys' heavy fleece underwear—union or separate—45c. suit; children's separate underwear, 10c. to 23c.; ladies' fasciators, 24 to 45c.; ladies' fleeced hose, 2 pr. for 25c.; bed blankets, 50-88-82c. to \$1.25; horse blankets, 65 and 50c. Talk about

Winter Buggy Spreads

We think we have one now that beats them all for the money. It is a double plush robe, weight about 7 lbs., for \$2.50. See it.

CORDUROY PANTS

for everyone. Well, we have sold more of these goods than ever. You may say, Why? Because the farmer and everyone else that wears them find them the cheapest to wear; and another reason is, we have them. We bought heavy this year. Boys' knee pants, 48-60-75 and 95c.; boys' long cord pants, \$1.15 to \$1.75; men's cord pants, \$1.25-\$1.75-\$1.88-\$2.20-\$2.45. These cords are all lined.

HOG! HOG!! HOG!!!

The time of year is also here for the killing of hogs, and we want to say that we have our old line of Butcher Knives again, and at old prices. We have that plain handle 6-in. knife at 15c., and that round handle 6 and 6 in. at 20 and 25c. We have the scrapers at 8 and 9c.; also, hard cans, the same as last year, 50-lb. at 33c. each. Get prices on Grinders and Stuffers.

SHOES

Here is a shoe that we bought 48 pr. of, and it is to be a solid leather shoe all through. We have one of them here with the sole cut through and the counter cut through, and we find both solid leather. Well, we hear you say that is the sample. So it is; but the manufacturers allow us to say to you that they are all to be just like this one, and if they are not, we will get you a new pair for them. The price is \$1.75.

Bilt Well and Walk Over

These are two shoes that are growing with us every day. To those who don't feel themselves able to pay \$3.50 or \$4.00 for the Walk Over shoe, we want to say that we have the best \$2.50 shoe that ever was worn. They are all good, and can't be beat for wear. Again we say, try our Bilt Well and Walk Over Shoes. We never did sell as many Walk Over shoes as WE HAVE THIS FALL, so far.

A good double bit Axe for 55c.; Mann Axes in two shapes, at 78c.; single bit Axes, 40c.

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