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# ROYAL

## Baking Powder

Absolutely Pure

It is economy to use Royal Baking Powder. It saves labor, health and money. Where the best food is required no other baking powder or leavening agent can take the place or do the work of Royal Baking Powder.

**SEYLAR HAS THE DRUGS.**

Miss Joy Lamaster, of Marcks, is visiting in the home of her grandfather, Daniel E. Fore, Esq. Horse run down? Rough in hair? Seylar has the Tone-up.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Peck, of Gem, were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Feek in this place, Tuesday.

**HIDES WANTED.**—Highest market price paid for beef hides, horse hides, wildcat skins, and all kinds of grease, at Paul Wagner's Tannery, McConnellsburg.

Rev. Blair, of Chambersburg, will preach in the Presbyterian church in this place next Sunday morning and evening.

Miss Jennie Woodal spent a couple of days in Mercersburg last week the guest of Mollie Shelley who accompanied Miss Woodal to Hagerstown last Saturday.

**HIDES.**—James Sipes & Sons pay the highest market price for beef hides at their butcher shop in McConnellsburg, also highest price paid for calf skins, sheepskins and tallow.

Appropriate exercises in commemoration of the one-hundredth anniversary of the birth of Abraham Lincoln will be held in the Court House at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon under the auspices of the King Post, G. A. R., the Women's Relief Corps, and the Borough public schools.

There will be preaching services in the Salvation Army Church near Big Cove Tannery next Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock, and in the evening at 7. The subject for the morning's service will be "The Power of God," and in the evening, "God's Love." Everybody welcome.

There is not any better Salve than DeWitt's Carbolic Witch Hazel Salve. We hereby warn the public that we are not responsible for any injurious effects caused from worthless or poisonous imitations of our DeWitt's Carbolic Witch Hazel Salve, the original. It is good for anything when a salve is needed, but it is especially good for piles. Be sure you get DeWitt's. Sold by Trout's drug store.

A few days ago the Editor received a letter from Mr. Robert Divilbiss in which he wished to be remembered to his old McConnellsburg friends, mentioning among others, Martin M. Bender, David McNulty, Daniel L. Grissinger, John Fox, and Robert Smith. Mr. Divilbiss resided here several years ago, and was at one time leader of the Band. He now resides on a farm and his postoffice address is Shepherd, Michigan, R. 5, Box 81. I am sure Mr. Divilbiss would enjoy getting a letter from any of his old time friends here.

The battleship fleet is now on the Atlantic homeward bound, with all the sixteen bands playing "Home, Sweet Home," as loud as they can. The cruise has cost about twenty millions, and it is not clear whether this includes the several millions that will have to be spent in overhauling the ships when they get to home ports, or not; but, at any rate, the fleet has had "a perfectly corking time," and so has the "resident." The display of force by or may not have done much to promote the world's peace, but they hope that the international whistles exchanged have answered something in that direction to the Legislature of California and Nevada. **Time is a Record.**

**FRANKLIN MILLS.**

**Edward Golden Seriously Injured by an Explosion in a Limestone Quarry Last Saturday.**

Edward Golden and his brother Ellsworth, of Bethel township, were quarrying limestone at the former's home last Saturday. They drilled a hole, loaded it, lighted the fuse, "lighted out" themselves to a place of safety, and waited for the explosion. After waiting a reasonable length of time, they went cautiously up to the place and found that when they had gone out of the quarry, the fuse had gone out, too. Doing what quarrymen usually do under like circumstances, they proceeded to remove the tamping, and as they were doing so, the fuse that seemed so dead, began to sizz and spit, warning the boys that there would be something 'dom' in about a minute. They took the hint and left—Ellsworth going clear out of the quarry, but Edward, who was more venturesome, did not go so far. In a moment there was a puff of smoke and dust, a loud roar, and the stones played around like a shower of big hailstones. One of these stones struck Edward violently in the left side, pretty nearly putting him out of business. Dr. Rensburg was called and found one rib broken and one lung injured. At present he is not able to lie in bed, but has to spend his nights in a chair.

Mrs. Bundy Crist and Miss Jessie E. Lewis spent last Thursday very pleasantly with Mrs. J. P. Fisher, near Warfordsburg.

Frank Lewis and Ellsworth Golden are busy hauling limestone for a lime kiln.

Lemuel Kirk is moving his saw mill from near Franklin Mills to Job Hess's to saw out a barn bill.

Bundy Crist has a contract of logging for Ed Ritz on A. J. Rensburg's home place.

There will be a flag raising at Gordon's schoolhouse in Pigeon Cove on Lincoln's birthday. They are expecting a good time.

There will be a debate at Franklin Mills schoolhouse Friday night, the 19th. All are invited.

**EFFECTIVE RECIPE.**

**Home-Made Kidney, Bladder, and Rheumatism Medicine for Readers.**

Here is a simple home-made mixture as given by an eminent authority on Kidney diseases, who makes the statement that it will relieve almost any case of Kidney trouble if taken before the stage of Bright's disease. He states that such symptoms as lame back, pain in the side, frequent desire to urinate, especially at night; painful and discolored urination, are readily overcome. Here is the recipe. Try it:

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Karzon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. Take a teaspoonful after each meal and at bedtime.

These ingredients are all harmless and easily mixed at home by shaking well in a bottle. This mixture has a peculiar healing and soothing effect upon the entire Kidney and Urinary structure, and often overcomes the worst forms of Rheumatism in just a little while. This mixture is said to remove all blood disorders and cure Rheumatism by forcing the Kidneys to filter and strain from the blood and system all uric acid and foul, decomposed waste matter, which cause these afflictions. Try it if you aren't well. Save the prescription.

**Sale Register.**

Tuesday, February 23, Mary D. Troglor and H. S. Daniels, administrators of the estate of Elmer W. Troglor, deceased, will sell on the premises of the late decedent, on the pike between Foltz and Mercersburg, Twelve head of Horses and Colts, 43 head of Cattle, 24 head of Hogs and Shots, 400 barrels of Corn, lot of Oats, farming implements, and household goods, &c. Sale begins at 10 o'clock a. m. Credit 9 months.

Thursday, February 25—Jacob Clouser, intending to remove in the Spring, will sell at his residence on the McQuade farm, 2 miles west of McConnellsburg, horses, cattle, hogs, farming implements. Sale begins at 10 o'clock. A. L. Wible, auctioneer.

Tuesday, March 2—N. W. Hohman will sell at his residence two miles south of McConnellsburg, near Jugtown schoolhouse, 7 head of horses and colts, 5 head of cattle, hogs, and a lot of nice young sheep. Sale begins at 10 o'clock. Credit 10 months. A. L. Wible, auctioneer.

Thursday, March 4th, C. J. Brewer intending to quit farming will sell at his residence 2 miles south of McConnellsburg a large lot of horses, cattle, hogs, farming implements, &c. Sale begins at 10 o'clock. A. L. Wible, Auctioneer.

Wednesday, March 10—The administrators of the estate of S. A. Wible, late of Licking Creek township, deceased, will sell at the late residence of the decedent on the Peach Orchard road, 5 1/2 miles northwest of McConnellsburg, horses, milch cows and young cattle, hogs, farming implements, harness, 30 tons of hay, 400 barrels of corn, 200 bushels of wheat, 150 bushels of rye, household goods, &c. Sale begins at 10 o'clock sharp. A. L. Wible, auctioneer.

Thursday, March 11, J. J. Conrad, intending to remove from the County, will sell at his residence 2 1/2 miles southwest of McConnellsburg, live stock, farming implements, hay, corn, household goods, etc. Sale begins at 10 o'clock. Credit 9 months.

Saturday, March 13, D. H. Patterson & Son will sell a carload of fine hand-made buggies at their store at Webster Mills. Sale begins at 1 o'clock. See advertisement in another column.

Monday, March 15.—Schnebley & Hege will sell on the John Grove farm, 1 mile south of Welsh Run, Franklin county, valuable brood mares—some of which are with foal and the rest are fine young mares, also some fine young horses. Large lot of cattle, among which are 5 registered Short Horn bulls, and balance is fine young cows—both fresh and springers. A fine lot of Registered Berkshire Thoroughbred Sows and Boars.

Tuesday, March 16, Mrs. M. A. Kelly will sell at her residence in McConnellsburg, household goods, wagonmaker's tools, etc. Sale begins at 10 o'clock. A. L. Wible, auctioneer.

Thursday, March 18, Allen Grissinger, intending to quit farming, will sell at his residence two miles west of Three Springs, on the road leading to Rocky Ridge coal bank, 3 horses, 3 mules, 4 head of cattle, wagons, sleds, harness, farming implements, corn by the bushel, &c. Sale will begin at 9 o'clock, a. m. A reasonable credit will be given.

Thursday, March 25, Mrs. Susan Rummel will sell at her residence, 1 mile west of McConnellsburg, household goods, &c. Sale begins at 1 o'clock.

**Swindled His Many Wives.**

Charged with having married and swindled 50 women in as many cities of the United States and Europe, Harry J. Bauman, alias Dr. Herman Brandt, was last Saturday given an indefinite prison sentence by Judge Clifford in Criminal Court, in Chicago.

Bauman is said to have wives in New York, Watertown, and Troy, N. Y., and Mahanoy City, Pa. The prosecution alleged that he had swindled his many wives out of \$50,000, and on the witness stand he smiled when asked if his matrimonial ventures netted him more than the amount mentioned.

# Great Buggy Sale

**D. H. Patterson & Son's**  
Webster Mills, Pa.,

**On Saturday, March 13, 1909,**  
Beginning at 10 o'clock a. m.

The undersigned will offer at Public Sale a Car Load of Buggies and Run-a-bouts on the above named day.

The Manufacturer of these Vehicles will be present to tell all about the Materials used in their construction.

**TERMS.**

A credit of six months will be given by purchasers giving their note with approved security. A discount of 5 per cent. per annum will be allowed for cash.

**D. H. PATTERSON & SON.**  
A. L. WIBLE, Auctioneer.

# MIDWINTER Clearance Sale

**John S. Wilson's Store,**  
Three Springs.

While there is practically three months of winter weather to be expected yet, the wide-awake merchant begins early to clear his stock to make room for Spring purchases.

The old way of merchandising was to carry over from one season to another all unsold goods, and never parting with an article unless the full retail price was received. That day is gone by. Goods bought for the winter trade must go in the winter, and it is much better in the end that the stock should be closed out at profit or no profit, than to be at the trouble of storing it away and beginning next winter's business with old out-of-date stuff.

**During the Month of February**  
we shall sell at way-down prices,  
**Men's, Women's and Children's Clothing**

Blankets, Arctics, Rubbers, Carpets, and with these goods will go at Special Prices. Dry Goods, Groceries, Hardware and Housefurnishing Goods.

We want it distinctly understood that when it comes to quality of goods we will not be undersold by anybody.

**Letters From The Far East.**

The brilliant writer on travel, Frank G. Carpenter, is now traveling through the far Eastern countries. He tells his experience in a fascinating, entertaining, as well as educating letter every week in The Philadelphia Press every Sunday. The series has just begun by Mr. Carpenter, and will surpass anything he has ever attempted. He is now in Japan, where he met the Vice-Minister of Foreign Affairs, also the greatest General, Prince Yamagan, who is really the father of the great fighting machine, which brought Japan to the front. Mr. Carpenter will also travel through China, Korea and Manchuria, and his letters will appear every Sunday exclusively, in The Philadelphia Press. Order your copy to day from your newsdealer so you won't miss a letter of this great series.

## A NICE HOME for SALE

In New Crenada, Pa.

The undersigned offers at Private Sale at a reasonable price, and on reasonable terms, his home in the village of New Grenada, Fulton County, Pa., consisting of a new well furnished 2-Story Dwelling and Kitchen attached, with Summer Kitchen, in which is a well of good water. Also, a Large Stable, Wagon Shed, Poultry House, Wood Shed, Etc. With a creek of water at rear of lots, and facing Liberty and Water Streets, in the central part of town, on the Diamond. Contains about 1 Acre of Ground, or width of 4 lots, this is the property on which the New Grenada Oil Company years ago bored for oil, and found a six-foot vein of coal on, and yet undeveloped; is 4 1/2 miles from Broad Top Coal Fields, in sight of Church, School and Post-office. Any person working at coal mines can secure a home near the works, or about 1 1/2 hours walk, to Woodvale and Robertdale. Also, if find sale of Home, will sell 5 Acres adjoining New Grenada—1 acre meadow and 4 in timber. Also another tract in the Narrows of 25 Acres mountain land. Sale must be closed by April 1st, 1909. Possession given May 1st, or in time for gardening. This is no Fake Advertisement. If any one has any thought of buying a home, call and see me, or write. If unacquainted with the place, come and see.

**L. L. CUNNINGHAM.**

## VALUABLE FARM AT Private Sale.

On account of ill health, the undersigned offers for sale his farm situated in East Providence township, Bedford county, Pa., 2 miles from Gansville, 3 miles from Mattie, and 8 from Everett. The farm contains

**FIFTY ACRES.**

forty acres cleared and in good state of cultivation. Ten acres is in timber. The improvements are a Good Six-Room Dwelling House, Bank barn, and other outbuildings. On the place are two good apple-orchards, one Peach orchard, and

**Fruit of All Kinds**

—such as pears, plums, cherries, grapes, &c.

The farm is well watered by springs, and has a drilled well near the house. Township road runs through the farm. Terms very reasonable. This is an excellent chance to acquire a nice home, and if interested you should apply soon to

**BENJ. MILLS,**  
Gapsville, Pa.

# GREAT SALE

**Buggies, Spring Wagons, Farming Implements, Harness, &c., &c.**

**WM. H. NESBIT'S STORE,**  
McConnellsburg, Pa.,

**Monday, March 15, '09.**

The undersigned will offer at Public Sale at his store in McConnellsburg on the above named day, a car load of Buggies and Spring Wagons, and a lot of Brand New Mowers, Hay Rakes, Hay Tedders, Manure Spreaders, Corn Planters, Corn Plows, Grain Drills, and a lot of New Buggy and Team Harness and all kinds of farming implements.

This stuff is all new and fully guaranteed for one year.

This will be the largest Sale of the kind ever held in Fulton County.

Sale will begin at 10 o'clock a. m., when a credit of six months will be given by purchaser giving note with approved security, or time to suit purchaser.

**WM. H. NESBIT,**  
A. L. Wible, Auctioneer.

## HANCOCK Marble and Granite WORKS.

All kinds of Cemetery Work at moderate prices—at least **ONE-FOURTH** lower than you have been paying.

I use the very best grade of Marble and Granite.

I keep in stock a nice line of both Foreign and Domestic Granite.

My lettering is as good as the best. All lettering and carving is done by pneumatic tools, which is a great advantage over lettering by hand.

It will pay you to get my prices. Everything as represented.

**AUSTIN C. PECK,**  
Hancock, Md.

## FULTON COUNTY BANK

McConnellsburg, Pa.

(ORGANIZED IN 1887.)

**3 per cent. Interest Paid on Time Money.**

Deposit it, when	\$	Borrow, when
you have a surplus, with	\$	in need from

**The Fulton County Bank.**

The officers are men with years of practical training in their respective lines. They are thoroughly competent and exercise prudence and the utmost care in the management of this institution. They do not have a dollar invested in stocks or corporation bonds. Individual liability and security to Depositors of more than \$300,000.00.

**W. H. NELSON, - - - Cashier.**

**EIGHTEEN STOCKHOLDERS**

**DIRECTORS:—J. Nelson Sipes, Chas. R. Spangler, A. U. Nace, Wm. H. Nelson, J. F. Johnston, Walter M. Comer, A. F. Baker**

## WEALTH is BUILT FROM THE FIRST SAVINGS!

Beginnings are Generally Small  
You can start a Savings Account with \$1.00 and Receive

**3 per cent**

## The First National Bank

**OF McCONNELLSBURG.**

The Bank that Pays 3 per cent.