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North American's Color Gravures Are Works of High Quality.

Quite the handsomest articles for home decoration that have yet been offered by a newspaper as inducements to its readers are the series of color art gravures now being distributed by The North American in exchange for a coupon from the Sunday paper and 5 cents.

Counting the cost of the newspaper, the entire price of these color types is 10 cents. Similar reproductions are sold every day in the art stores at \$1 or more. The reduced price is due to the fact that The North American, in disposing of these works of art is associated with several other large newspapers in the printing of them, and the enormous cost is greatly reduced.

The subject for the first painting issued was "The Forest Fire," a thrilling picture, and most realistic. The next subject will be a reproduction of a handsome landscape at sunset, reproduced with the utmost fidelity to nature's colorings.

Agents for the North American will furnish one of these pictures in exchange for a coupon from Sunday issue and 5 cents in cash.

In a Strange Land.

Two belated disciples of Bacchus staggered arm in arm up Walnut street about three o'clock the other morning. The street was dark except for a single ground-glass globe that blazed in front of an apartment house. One of the inebriates, spying this lone light, observed:

"Oh, look at zhe moonsh!"

The other seriously contradicted him saying:

"That ain't no moonsh; zash sun."

This started an argument which lasted for several minutes as to whether the globe was the moon or the sun. Finally they decided to leave it to the first passer-by, who happened to be another "happy" gentleman. They stopped him, and pointing to the globe, asked:

"Settle an argument, old pal; is that the moon or the sun?"

The third party stared knowingly at the globe for several minutes before he shook his head and replied:

"Gentlemen, I really couldn't tell you. I'm a stranger in this town."—Philadelphia Record.

The Sun a Star?

The sun is one of a stream of stars moving in the same direction and with equal velocities. Thus says Professor Kohold of the observatory of Kiel, who has become convinced by his studies of star currents that the sun does actually from part of such a current, which is moving toward a point on the edge of the Milky way. Kapteyn of Groningen has come to the conclusion that the stars drift in two directions. This conclusion is based on the examination of 2,500 stars observed repeatedly.

Many a Day is Spoiled.

By a cough which cannot be broken by ordinary remedies. But why not try a medicine that will cure any cough that any medicine can cure? That is Kemp's Balsam. It is recommended by doctors and nurses, and it costs only 25 cents at any druggist's or dealer's. Keep a bottle always in the house and you will always be prepared to treat a cold or cough before it causes any suffering.

McConnellsburg M. E. Church.

Services for Sunday, May 9th, as follows:

Sunday school, 9:30 a. m., followed by preaching. "Mothers' Day" will be observed with special music, and a sermon will be preached by the pastor to mothers; theme—"The Model Mother." We cordially invite and urge all mothers to make a special effort to be present at this service. Junior League and probationers' class will meet at 2:30. In the Epworth League, at 6:30, a special program will be rendered in honor and commemoration of "Mothers' Day." Preaching, 7:30; theme—"The Evolution of a Sinner."

A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend our services. C. W. BRYNER, pastor.

BRUSH CREEK.

We had a little snow flurry on the first Sunday of May. Blaine and Ada Hixson went to Hancock last Saturday to meet their sister Miss Viola who has returned from Washington, D. C. where she has been attending school.

Mr. and Mrs. Dawson Barnes, of Piney Creek, spent a few days with the latter's father at Akersville.

M. E. Barton and wife, and Oliver Clevenger, spent Sunday afternoon in the home of Doyle Hixson.

Sebert and Ross Barton spent Sunday afternoon with their uncle H. N. Barton.

Chester and Grant Spade were visiting friends in Whips Cove last Sunday.

Mrs. Lizzie McKibbin is spending some time with her brother M. W. Hixson who is very ill.

Miss Elsie Whitfield, of Rays Hill, is spending a few days with her parents Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Whitfield at Crystal Springs.

Miss Viola Seiling spent Saturday and Sunday at her home near Akersville.

Sherman Clevenger and wife spent Sunday afternoon with Caera Hixson and family.

N. B. Hixson spent a couple days in Washington, D. C., last week.

Clarence Barton has purchased a fine driving horse.

Jacob Spade, of Emmaville, had a barn raising last Tuesday.

Misses Ada and Ella Barton spent Friday afternoon with friends near Emmaville.

The measles are plenty in our Valley.

NEW GRENADA.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Davis, of Robertsdale, visited in George Shafer's family a few days.

Arthur G. Cunningham, with his lady friend, Miss Peterson, of Mt. Union, visited in the home of Arthur's parents, N. G. Cunningham and wife.

Dr. R. B. Campbell took Mrs. Jacob Cutchall to a hospital in Philadelphia for treatment. Mrs. Cutchall has been in poor health for several years.

Mrs. Geo. W. Smith, who had been taking care of her brother, Hon. James McDonough, during the last three months, left on Tuesday to join her husband at Waynesburg, Pa. Joseph Woodcock, of Enid, has taken Mrs. Smith's place with Jim.

Mrs. Jane Truax and Miss Floe Truax—both of Enid, visited friends here last Tuesday.

Baldwin Fraker, of Fort Littleton, was in New Grenada between trains last Sunday.

The Wells Valley Band came down to our town last Saturday evening and treated our people to some fine music, and incidentally held a social in Mills Hall, where they dispensed chicken swallop, cake, ice cream, fudge, etc., realizing a nice bunch of cash. We are glad to help the boys along, and shall be glad to see them back.

The postoffice department has granted another mail route leading out of New Grenada, to take effect on the first of July. It goes from New Grenada via Wood to Robertsdale. It will leave here after the arrival of the Salvia mail, get to Robertsdale in time to catch the 2 o'clock train, and be in Mount Union at 3:30. As it is now, all outgoing mail lies over night on any of the routes.

Subscribe for the "News" only \$1.00 a year.

WANTED NO LAWYER.

It Was a Simple Matter to Satisfy the Accused.

"Jed Blake to the bar," ordered the judge in a rural Alabama court.

A big, hulking negro ambled up to be arraigned for murder.

"Jed," began the judge, "you are charged with the gravest crime known to the law, that of taking the life of a fellow man. One of the forms of punishment for murder is death. Have you made any arrangements for your defense in this case, Jed?"

"No, suh, jedge, I ain' done nuthin'."

"Have you a lawyer, Jed?"

"No, suh, jedge. I ain' got no lawyer, I ain' got nuthin', jedge."

"Well, Jed," said the judge showing a little impatience. "have you talked to anybody about this case?"

"I talked to de sheriff some dat night when he come after me, jedge, but you knows dat didn't do no good."

"For your information, Jed, I will state that it is within the province of this court to appoint counsel to any defendant who has none. I am now ready to appoint you a lawyer. Do you want one?"

"No, jedge. I don't want nuthin'," replied Jed rather dolefully.

"See here," snapped the judge, "I won't have any more of this foolishness. You say you don't want any lawyer. Well, then, what do you intend to do about this case?"

"Well, I tells you, jedge, I ain' 'tendin' to do nuthin'. Ef it's jes' de same to you, jedge, as far as I's concerned I's willin' to let do whole matter drap right here."

—Everybody's.

Salmon Fishing in Newfoundland.

Recreation for May contains an interesting and informing article on salmon fishing on the Hunter River, Newfoundland. A trip of a month, including tackle, wading stockings and shoes, camp outfit, supplies, guides, boats, traveling and incidental expenses of the journey will vary in cost considerably with the needs of the individual and his ability to do without comforts considered by many indispensable, but in most cases the average expense would be about three hundred dollars, although in the case of a party of three or four it might be considerably less. Having the privilege of fishing, however, much can be done with very little, writes the author, as I gathered from a youthful fisherman, who gave me as nothing strange, while awaiting a train at a station in Newfoundland, the story of his skill. The tackle consisted of a three-jointed cane rod costing \$1.10, reel .50, line .30, leader .15, fly .20, and with this he captured and landed a seven pound salmon. Fine tackle is not always necessary, and when salmon are disposed to take the fly, they will take it, however crudely presented. One morning a guide in my employ found at the landing a rod of a fellow guide which, for want of a leader, had the fly tied to the end of the line. This is contrary to all approved methods, but nevertheless, casting from a rock near the landing, an unlikely spot for salmon, he had a rise, and landed a fish of eleven pounds. But where so much depends in landing the fish on the reliability of the tackle, no salmon angler would feel reasonably sure of the fish with anything except what is only procurable at a much greater cost. It is possible in Halifax, Nova Scotia, or St. John, Newfoundland, to purchase a rod and reel, two lines and a supply of leaders and flies at an outlay of about fifty dollars, sufficient for a trip of three weeks, and it is generally adequate, but a thoroughly reliable outfit usually involves in New York an expenditure of from eighty-five to one hundred dollars.

WEST DUBLIN.

Last Wednesday evening, the Fairview Epworth League was reorganized. Wednesday evening of this week the officers of the League will be installed.

The baseball game at Hustontown resulted in the defeat of the Laidig club by a score of 13 to 6. Joseph Barnett lost a good work horse one day last week.

Charles Hoover, John Woodcock, and Samuel Lumberson, of Hustontown, spent Tuesday fishing in Wooden Bridge creek, near this place.

James Foreman is hauling stones for a barn wall.

Harold and Margaret Kirk spent Sunday with relatives near Warfordsburg.

George Mullen, Nelson Adolphson, John Leighty, and Mr. Kroeger—all of Dudley, drove to this place on Sunday afternoon, and spent part of Monday forenoon fishing in Wooden Bridge creek. They reported the fish scarce.

Rev. Dr. W. W. Evans, Dist. Supt. of the Harrisburg District, preached a good, plain, practical, well illustrated sermon from Rev. 1:24-25, at Fairview, on Friday evening, April 30, and administered communion.

Some of our people are peeling bark, which is quite scarce now.

The Origin of Wearing Liveries.

The wearing of liveries dates back to the days of gentle service, when it was the custom for kings to deliver splendid habits to the members of their households. In days of chivalry a duke's son would wear the livery of his prince, an esquire that of a knight, and it was not until modern times that the word took on its present use.

Liveries were gradually suppressed at the close of the middle ages, partly on account of the cost of providing them in increasing quantities and partly because the growing households of liveried retainers became a menace to the king's peace.

To Walk Chalk.

The "walk chalk" is a phrase borrowed from the times when royalty traveled on horseback or in carriages with a considerable retinue. Before arriving in a town a herald, or court officer, would precede the cortege, select the best houses for the use of royalty and mark their doors with chalk. Immediately after this was done the residents in these houses were supposed instantly to vacate them; hence the propriety of the expression.

"Hairbreadth Harry" in Africa.

Notwithstanding Mr. Roosevelt's order that no one except his party should go with him to Africa. "Hairbreadth Harry," proves to be an exception, and positively without fail enters the wildest wilds of Dark Africa, alone, unaided and single-handed, and without help, hunts the monsters of the jungle in their lairs.

The children will find great enjoyment in this new "Hairbreadth Harry" series of comics. Grown up people will split their sides laughing and everybody will want to read these wonderful exploits told exclusively in The Philadelphia Sunday Press.

Follow the great series from Sunday to Sunday through the African jungle with "Teddy" and "Hairbreadth Harry." Order from your dealer or write "The Philadelphia Press."

PLEASANT RIDGE.

The May Meeting at Siding Hill Baptist church was well attended notwithstanding the cold disagreeable weather of May 2d.

Miss Mary Mellott has returned home after having spent some time in the home of Riley DeShong.

The preaching at the Methodist Church (Ebenezer) by Rev. Dr. W. W. Evans from Harrisburg was well attended.

Mrs. Anthony Mellott is some what improving.

Mrs. Lydia Swope, of Sipes Mill, is now on the sick list.

Miss Fannie and Daily Stait, Vernon and Ora DeShong; Belle, Georgia, Gertrude and Mrs. Ed Mellott; Chas. Knable and Bernard Truax—all spent part of last Sunday in the home of Anthony Mellott.

Charles Mellott is slowly improving from an attack of rheumatism.

Charlie Bard's sale was fairly well attended last Saturday.

Ira and Ralph Mellott spent Saturday evening in the home of E. R. Mellott.

Mrs. Mary Spade's two sisters, Bertha and Jola Seiling, spent Saturday evening at her home and also attended May Meeting on Sunday.

Western Maryland Railroad Company.

In Effect June 10, 1908. Trains leave Hancock as follows: No. 4—5:30 p. m. (daily) for Hagerstown, Baltimore, Waynesboro, Chambersburg, and Intermediate.

No. 4—10 a. m. (week days) Baltimore, Gettysburg, York and Intermediate.

No. 2—2:55 p. m. (week days) Baltimore and Intermediate stations. Vestibule train with observation buffet car.

No. 1—8:55 a. m. (week days) Cumberland and Intermediate.

No. 3—1:15 p. m. (week days) Little Orleans, Old Post, Cumberland, Elkins and west. Vestibule train with observation buffet car.

No. 5—8:45 p. m. (daily) leaves Baltimore 4:30 p. m., Hagerstown 7:45 p. m.

All trains make connection at Brunswick for Frederick and reach 6 and 4 for points north and at Baltimore (Union Station) for Philadelphia and New York.

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W. R. EVANS HUSTONTOWN, PA. Prof. W. H. Pickering, of Harvard University, has devised a scheme which he hopes will settle once and for all whether or not Mars is really inhabited. If \$10,000,000 were placed at his disposal, he would construct a system of mirrors arranged to present a single reflecting surface toward the planet. The mirrors would be so turned as to make a complete revolution every twenty-four hours. They would occupy an area of more than one quarter mile, in order that sufficient light would reach the Martians. Even this huge reflecting surface would be invisible to the Martian observer unless he were equipped with a powerful telescope.

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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. 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.

CHURCHES.

PRESBYTERIAN.—Sabbath school at 9:15. Junior Christian Endeavor at 2:00. Christian Endeavor at 6:00. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:00. METHODIST EPISCOPAL.—Rev. C. W. Bryner, Pastor. Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Preaching every other Sunday morning at 10:30 and every Sunday evening at 7:00. Epworth League at 6:00 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:00. UNITED PRESBYTERIAN.—Rev. J. L. Grove, Pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching every Sunday morning at 10:30, and every other Sunday evening at 7:00. The alternate Sabbath evenings are used by the Young People's Christian Union at 7:00 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:00. EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN.—Rev. Calvin Fassold, Pastor. Sunday school 9:15 a. m. Preaching every other Sunday morning at 10:30 and every other Sunday evening at 7:00. Christian Endeavor at 6:00 p. m. Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 7:00. REFORMED.—Pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching on alternate Sabbaths at 10:00 a. m. and 7:00 p. m. Christian Endeavor at 6:00 p. m. Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 7:00.

SOCIETIES.

Odd Fellows—McConnellsburg Lodge No. 744 meets every Friday evening in the Clevenger's Hall in McConnellsburg. Fort Littleton Lodge No. 484 meets every Saturday evening in the New Hall at Fort Littleton. Wells Valley Lodge No. 607 meets every Saturday evening in Odd Fellows' Hall at Wells Tannery. Harrisonville Lodge No. 710 meets every Saturday evening in Odd Fellows' Hall at Harrisonville. Waterfall Lodge No. 773 meets every Saturday evening in Odd Fellows' Hall at New Grenada. Warfordsburg edge No. 601 meets in Warfordsburg every Saturday evening. King Post G. A. P. No. 365 meets in McConnellsburg in Clevenger's Hall the first Saturday in every month at 2 p. m. Washington Camp, No. 550, P. O. S. of A. meets every first and third Saturday evening at their hall at Nedmore. Tuscarora Council, Royal Arcanum meets every first and third Monday evening in Clevenger's Hall, McConnellsburg. Washington Camp No. 497, P. O. S. of A., of New Grenada, meets every Saturday evening in P. O. S. of A. Hall. Washington Camp, No. 554, P. O. S. of A., Hustontown, meets every Saturday evening in P. O. S. of A. Hall. John Q. Taylor Post G. A. R., No. 589, meets every Saturday, on or just preceding full moon in Lashley hall, at 2 p. m., at Buck Valley. Woman's Relief Corps, No. 89 meets at same date and place at 4 p. m. Gen. D. B. McKibbin Post No. 401 G. A. S., meets the second and fourth Saturdays in each month at Pleasant Ridge. Clear Ridge Council, No. 940, Jr. O. U. A. M., meets in their Hall at Clear Ridge every Saturday evening. The Aspasia Rebekah Lodge, I. O. O. F., of Harrisonville, meets the 1st and 3d Wednesday of each month, in the I. O. O. F. Hall at Harrisonville. Clear Ridge Grange No. 1366, P. of H., meets the first and third Friday nights each month in Jr. O. U. A. M. Hall.

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