

INTERESTING PARAGRAPHS

Local and General Interest, Gathered at Home or Clipped from our Exchanges.

CONDENSED FOR HURRIED READERS

Both Black and Smokeless Powder Shells at Johnston's.

John H. Reisner goes back to New Haven, Conn., this week to begin his Junior year work as a student in Yale College.

B. S. Fleming, of Waynesboro, landed in this place Monday evening, and he and his brother Robert drove out to Clear Ridge to see their sister, who is undergoing a siege of typhoid fever.

Hunting Coats, Vests and Pants at Johnston's.

J. S. Mort, of Clear Ridge, was a very welcome caller at this office yesterday. He had brought Mrs. Mort into town to take the noon back for Waynesboro, where she expects to visit her daughter, Mrs. W. S. Stonffer.

Men's Cord Pants \$1.25 per pair at Johnston's.

The case of Wm. Wood, charged with the murder of Lewis Brown, which occupied the time of the Franklin County Court for several days last week, resulted in a verdict of murder in the second degree. Wood gets 20 years in the penitentiary.

Men's 50c. Work Shirts at 35c. at Johnston's.

Rev. Dr. John R. Van Pelt, pastor of the Barndollar First Methodist church of Everett, has accepted the professorship of Philosophy and Biblical Literature at Cornell College, Mt. Vernon, Iowa, and will leave for that place in a few days.

Horse Powders! Your money back if they don't do the work; that's us! Seylar's Drug store.

Dr. Frederick A. Cook, discoverer of the North Pole, landed in New York Tuesday, and was given a wonderful reception, an immense crowd cheering him and crowding about him, showing confidence in his claim. He is receiving all kinds of offers from lecture bureaus and newspaper people.

Now is the time to clean house; so don't forget that Seylar has the Alabastine. Use it on one room and you will never want any more paper or whitewash.

The Methodist people picnicked last Saturday in James Henry's meadow out at the "Dougliey." That they had an enjoyable time goes without saying. When we older people remember what a picnic meant to us in our childhood days, we should never think any effort too great to provide for the enjoyment of the boys and girls of to-day.

Take care of your stomach. Let Kodol digest all the food you eat, for that is what Kodol does. Every tablespoonful of Kodol digests 2 1/2 pounds of food. Try it to-day. It is guaranteed to relieve you or your money back. Sold by Trout's drug store.

While Mrs. Martin Wolf, of Mt. Holly, was picking grapes last Thursday morning, she fell and broke her neck. She was a lady about 60 years old and was at home alone, and the exact time of the accident will never be known. Her son Cameron found her lying where she had fallen when he came home at noon. Whatever she was standing on gave way and she met her death all alone.

The long-talked-about bridge across the Tonoloway creek at the fording east of Needmore, is likely to be a pleasing reality by a time not later than the first of December. The contract for the erection of a reinforced-concrete structure, with a sixty-foot span, has been made by the County Commissioners with A. Buchanan of Chambersburg at a cost not to exceed \$2,000. A bid of \$1700 for the erection of the same sized bridge in iron with plank, was received, but there is no question but that a good concrete bridge is worth a dozen iron bridges. A few dollars expended in deepening the channel just at the fording would do much toward preventing the water from spreading during a freshet, and would make the cost of the approaches much less.

A Loudon girl recently sent fifty cents to an agent in New York for a receipt for keeping the hands soft. She got this answer: "Soak them in dishwater three times a day while your mother rests."

Prof. Ross Marvin, of Cornell University, who accompanied Commander Peary on his last two expeditions in search of the North Pole, was drowned, April 10, forty-five miles north of Cape Columbia. He was formerly an instructor in Mercersburg Academy, and was only 29 years of age.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the safe, sure, easy, gentle little liver pills. The original Carbonized Witch Hazel Salve is DeWitt's. The name is plainly stamped on every box. It is good for cuts, burns, bruises, sores, boils, and sunburn—but it is especially good for Piles. Sold by Trout's drug store.

Stuart Harpster, of Pennsylvania Furnace, Huntingdon county, and Mrs. Frank Thomas, of Baileyville, both leaving families, are said to have eloped and left for parts unknown. Harpster leaves a wife and seven children, the youngest of them five years old, while the Thompson woman leaves a husband and four children, the youngest of them being four years of age.

Lovers of good oysters have cause to be thankful as the United States Bureau of Fisheries reports that there will be an abundant supply of wholesome oysters during the season just opened. State Board of Health are taking an active interest in the supervision of the oyster beds so as to assure cleanliness and danger from infectious diseases such as typhoid fever.

For falsely swearing to the age of his sweetheart in order to secure a marriage license, William Moore, Baltimore, was sentenced to four years in the penitentiary by Judge William H. Forsythe, jr., at Elkton City, Md. Moore obtained a license to marry Elizabeth Saylor, of Baltimore, representing that she was 18 years of age, when in fact, she was scarcely 15.

Halley's comet, the coming of which is awaited with greatest interest by astronomers and many other people, has been seen by an astronomer with the eye through a telescope. It is in the southeastern heavens. It, according to the scientists, will not be visible to the naked eye without a telescope before next spring. The sighting of it with the eye through the telescope is considered a great feat by the scientists.

Dickinson College at Carlisle opened its one hundred and twenty-seventh year last Thursday morning with the largest Freshman class in the history of the institution. Had it not been for the regulation passed last year limiting the number of young ladies who shall be allowed to attend Dickinson to 25 per cent of the total strength of the institution, the number of new students received this year would have been almost doubled.

Church Notices.
Announcements for Sunday, September 29, 1909.
HARRISONVILLE, M. E. CHARGE.
L. W. McGarvey, pastor.
Bedford Chapel—Sunday school 9:30. Preaching 7:30.
Ebenezer—Sunday school—Rally Day 2:00.
Siloam—Sunday school 9. Preaching 10.
Thursday—Prayer meeting 7:30.
HUSTONTOWN M. E. CHARGE.
Rev. Harry Moyer, pastor.
Hustontown—Sunday school, 9:30. E. L. prayer meeting, 6:30. Preaching, 7:30.
Monday—Teacher Training class, 7:30.
Thursday—Prayer meeting, 7:30.
Fairview—Sunday school, 9:30. Preaching 10:30.
E. L. prayer meeting, 7:30.
Friday—Teacher Training class, 7:30.
Centre—Sunday school, 2. Preaching 3.
E. L. prayer meeting, 7:30.
Wednesday—Prayer meeting, 7:30.
Clear Ridge—Sunday school, 2. Preaching, 3.
E. L. prayer meeting, 7:30.
Wednesday—Prayer meeting, 7:30.
Dublin Mills—Sunday school, 9:30. Preaching, 10:30.
Tuesday—Prayer meeting, 7:30.
W. Chapel—Sunday school, 3.

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The Most Enticing Breakfasts Are Now Shot from Guns

Puffed Wheat and Puffed Rice were served last month for seventeen million meals.

But millions of others lacked them. There are millions yet who don't know them.

If you are among them, we invite you to try them. Serve one of these foods tomorrow.

The world, as you know, doesn't jump to a food which all are not finding delightful.

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These are the foods invented by Prof. Anderson, and this is his curious process:

The whole wheat or rice kernels are put into sealed guns. Then the guns are revolved for sixty minutes in a heat of 550 degrees.

That fierce heat turns the moisture in the grain to steam, and the pressure becomes tremendous.

The foods of the day are the foods that are best. That is always so.

The foods of this day are these crisp, gigantic grains—puffed to eight times their natural size.

These whole, unbroken, nut-like grains, made four times as porous as bread.

You'll like what others like. We do you a kindness when we ask you to try these foods.

Puffed Rice—15c

Then the guns are unsealed, and the steam explodes. Instantly every starch granule is blasted into a myriad particles.

The kernels of grain are expanded eight times. Yet the coats are unbroken, the shapes are unaltered. We have simply the magnified grain.

One package will tell you why people delight in them. Order it now.

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Record Wheat Yield.

W. S. Neal and his sons, who are cultivating 400 acres of land known as the La Follette home near Pullman, Wash., south of Spokane, report a cut of 22,500 bushels of Red Russian wheat, an average of 56 bushels to the acre. This does not include the grain which fell or the hay cut earlier in the season. The crop is believed to be the record yield for a similar area in the Northwest, if not on the Continent. Some farmers cut from 60 to 75 bushels an acre in the same district but the holdings were much smaller.

HIRAM.

Elmer Cutshall, Edwin Brant, and Bernard P. Foreman, have gone to Franklin county to cut corn.

Rev. Wilbert C. Erb has gone to Altoona to attend Conference this week.

Ellis Amick, of Lloydsburg, was buying cattle in this community last week.
Earl Metzler, of Harrisonville, attended League at Fairview, last Sunday evening.

An automobile party from Altoona, visited J. E. Lyons, over Sunday.

BURNT CABINS.

Sept. 16.—Cora Kelly and Esther Naugle spent Saturday and Sunday with the former's parents James Kelly and wife, near Decorum.

We understand that Miss Ethel Cisney, one of the young ladies of this community is getting along fine with her school, and we hope it will continue so. We are also glad to say that Miss Speck, who teaches the village school, is getting along nicely, and is liked by all.

Ruth Mumma and Esther Houck took supper in the home of Wm. Mathias, near this place, last Sunday evening.

Mrs. Geo. Doran, who was spending sometime with her daughter in Dudley, has returned home.

Warren Taylor, of Shade Gap, was a welcome caller at Chas. McGehee's last Saturday evening.

Warren Welch will leave on Tuesday, the 21st, for Washington, where he expects to attend school.

Mrs. Pittinger and daughter Katharine returned home after spending sometime in Maryland.

Wanted.

Success Magazine wants an energetic and responsible man or woman in McConnellsburg to collect for renewals and solicit new subscriptions during fall or spare time. Experience unnecessary. Any one can start among friends and acquaintances and build up a paying and permanent business without capital. Complete outfit and instructions free. Address, 'VON,' Success Magazine, Room 103, Success Magazine Building, New York City, N. Y.

Children Burned to Death.

Even the most casual reader of the newspapers must have noticed, within the past few weeks, the unusual number of accidents in which children have been burned to death.

These accidents have most frequently resulted from playing with matches, and this fact leads to the conclusion that not sufficient care has been taken to keep these dangerous things out of the children's reach. In some cases gross inattention or criminal neglect might reasonably be charged. It would be best, of course, for those having matches, and this includes practically everybody, to keep them under lock and key. But this being inconvenient, the next best thing is to put them where it is practically impossible for children to get hold of them.

For it is certain that when children old enough to play with matches get possession of these dangerous things they will get immediately to where the danger is increased, to where they can find the most inflammable material. They want a quick blaze, a great flame, a lurid spectacle, and they too often get not only what they want, but also such terrible burns that death results.—Franklin Repository.

Convicted and Fined Himself.

A fish warden while strolling along the bank of a stream not far from Harrisburg last Saturday saw a man fishing and sitting beside a basket containing a bass under the eight inches prescribed by law.

The warden promptly put the man under arrest although the fisherman protested and said he was a justice of the peace. The warden measured the fish and convinced the justice he was in wrong.

"All right," murmured the justice, facetiously grasping himself by an arm, "come along culprit."

The justice took himself to his own office and pulled out a legal tome. Adjusted his glasses he read aloud the law in the matter.

"The prisoner at the bar," he said, "is fined ten dollars." He then paid the warden the money.

Change in Schedule McConnellsburg & Mercersburg STAGE LINE.

On and after July 1, 1909, the first wagon will leave McConnellsburg at 5:30 a. m., and arrive at Mercersburg at 7:50 a. m., the train leaving at 8:10. Returning, the wagon will leave Mercersburg upon the arrival of the 10:40 train and reach McConnellsburg in 2 1/2 hours.

The second wagon will leave McConnellsburg at 12:35 p. m., and arrive at Mercersburg at 2:50 p. m., and the train leaves at 3:15. Returning, the wagon will leave Mercersburg immediately upon the arrival of the 6 o'clock train and reach McConnellsburg in 2 1/2 hours.

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Western Maryland Railroad Company.

In Effect June 6, 1909.

Trains leave Hancock as follows:

No. 6—7:00 a. m. (daily) for Hagerstown, Baltimore, Waynesboro, Chambersburg and intermediate.
No. 4—10:00 a. m. (week days) Baltimore, Gettysburg, York and intermediate.
No. 2—3:00 p. m. (week days) Baltimore and intermediate stations. Vestibule train with observation buffet car.
No. 1—8:50 a. m. (week days) Cumberland, and intermediate.
No. 3—1:00 p. m. (week days) Little Orleans, Old Town, Cumberland, Elkins and west. Vestibule train with observation buffet car.
No. 5—9:50 p. m. (daily) leaves Baltimore 5:00 p. m., Hagerstown 8:00 p. m.

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

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With the Largest Stock We Have Ever Carried.

On underwear we never sold as much as last year. In ladies we were fortunate in getting the same goods we had three years ago, this same goods last year would have sold for 35c. We can sell them now for 25c. or 45c. a suit. See these before you buy. And the children's separate goods never were better 10c. to 30c. each. We certainly can sell you a good one for boys at 25c. each. We have again got in another case of that 18 oz. Men's blue underwear that we have sold for eight years and it is one ounce heavier to the piece than last year, 43c. each or 85c. a suit. A nice medium weight for men at 25c., 35c. and 45c. Coat Sweaters at 45c., 48c., 95c., \$1.25 and \$1.90. See our line of wool underwear for ladies and men, it is great. Also our line of heavy knit shirts at 45c. and 65c.

Eureka 21 ounce Fodder Yarn full 100 strings, not 75 and 80 as usually sold, this makes quite a difference 6 1/4-c. per lb., 25 or 50 pound coils.

Clothing! Clothing!

We surely can please you as we have almost any thing you would want from the little fellow 4 years old to the oldest man. We have a nice line of overcoats for everybody. See these goods and save money.

Bang! Bang! Bang!

The time for shooting game will soon be here, and from what we can gather it is going to be plenty. Well we have made arrangements for it any how. We are handling this year the new Black Winchester and the new Club Black Shells at 42c. The Repeater in smokeless at 60c. Just got 1 dozen Hopkins and Allen single barrel automatic shell extractor Shotguns that we can sell at \$4.00. This is what they are worth in the city to-day.

Linoleum! Linoleum!

Just got a nice lot of 1 yard wide in 2 yard pieces that we can sell at 25c. per yard. Also our 2 yard wide at 65c., and then the nicest thing you ever did see at 75c. per yard.

Don't forget that we handle all the leading brands of Shoes, such as Champion, Walk-over, Queen quality, Seiz and Deer-skin. We certainly can please you.

See our Bed Blankets at 50c. a pair.

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SUITS—all in
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