Read the NEWS and get your SHEWS at J. K. Johnston's.

Irwin is showing a complete stock of Holiday Goods.

Soft snaps in youth make hard beds for old age.

All the patent and staple medicines at Seylar's.

Don't forget the Irwin Store when looking for presents.

I love my Hat; but Oh, you Cap! Johnston has both.

If somebody told you, it is not a secret.

J. K. Johnston surely has the prettiest line of Ladies' Long Coats and Jacket Suits.

50 cents pays the fare one way between McConnellsburg and Mercersburg. Sheets stage line.

Ladies' silk knit scarfs, woo scarfs and fascinators, at J. K. Johnston's.

Believing the best of a man will in most instances incite him to do his best.

Gloves and mittens, wool, cotton, or leather, can be had at a saving if bought from J. K. Johnston.

One runs no more risk in believing all he hears than he does in believing all he tells.

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

36 cents a dozen is what John S. Wilson at Three Springs is paying for eggs; he is, also, paying 28 cents for butter, 10 cents a pound for chickens, 15 for turkeys, and 60 cents a bushel for potatoes.

Communion services will be held in the Presbyterian church at 10:30 o'clock next Sunday morning. Preparatory services Saturday afternoon at 2:30.

When you have a cold the first thing to do is have the bowels move. Do not take anything that may constipate—and most old fashioned cough cures do constipate. Try Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup. It drives the cold from the system by a free yet gentle action of the bowels; it stops the cough, it is pleasant to take. Children like it. Sold by Trout's drug store.

Mr. Hugh Hayes has located in Dublin Mills, and is engaged in the blacksmithing business. Mr. Hayes is a good workman, and his shop will be a convenience in the neighborhood.

Teachers, and all those who are going to attend Institute next week, bring those pictures you have to frame along and have it done while you attend institute. Get it done at T. B. Stevens & Son.

It is better to be safe than sorry. The savings banks may not pay a very high rate of interest, but they are safe—and that's more than can be said of most of the numerous "splendid opportunities" that are advertised in capital letters.

It will be news to a great many ladies in this county to know that you can go to the store of A. U. Nace & Son, in McConnellsburg, have your measure taken, select your goods and style, and have tailor made suits with all the polish and finish that you would get if you made a trip to New York, and at a much less price than you would pay in the city. Go in and talk the matter over with them. The correct dresser wears Tailor made clothing now-a-days.

NO. 8083.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

The First National Bank, at McConnellsburg, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of Business, November 16, 1909.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	$163,734 29
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	237.41
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	25,000.00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	854.48
Stocks, securities, etc.	56,703.73
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	270.00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	652.94
Due from approved reserve agents	17,327.17
Checks and other cash items	300.02
Exchanges for Clearing House	
Bills of other Banks	
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	69.85
LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, VIZ.:	
Specie	$18,867.15
Legal tender notes	1,000.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)	1,250.00
TOTAL	$282,967.95

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$25,000.00
Surplus fund	7,500.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	1,741.79
National Bank notes outstanding	23,000.00
Due to other National Banks	199.56
Due to State Banks and Bankers	39.79
Dividends unpaid	50.00
Individual deposits subject to check	204,677.72
Demand certificates of deposit	4,750.00
Due to National Banks	
Due to State Banks and Bankers	
Certified checks outstanding	109.09
TOTAL	$282,967.95

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, COUNTY OF FULTON, ss.

I, Merrill W. Nace, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

MERRILL W. NACE, Cashier.

Correct—Attest:

PETER MENTZER,
F. W. GREEN,
GEO. A. HARPER,
JAS. P. SIPES,
Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of November, 1909.

[SEAL.] MURRAY SHAFFNER, Notary Public.

What Christmas Present?

Which makes the better Christmas present—the 52 issues of The Youth's Companion, costing only $1.75 for the whole year, or one book, costing $1.50 to $2.00?

In quantity, variety and value of reading The Companion excels. Is not such a paper, bringing every week into the home circle charming stories, articles on a thousand subjects by famous men and women, delightful short sketches, humorous anecdotes, and an infinite variety of other wholesome, entertaining reading is not such a paper the very one for an appropriate, acceptable Christmas present? Think of it! In a year The Companion gives you as much reading as twenty 400 page books of travel, history, fiction, miscellany, biography and humor, and not a line in it that shakes one's faith in truth and honor, not a phrase that makes light of the things that are sweet and pure. It is not a Christmas gift worth having—a Christmas gift that is "worth while"?

Send your subscription ($1.75) at once so as to receive free all the issues of The Companion for the remaining weeks of 1909, as well as The Companion's "Venetian" Calendar for 1910, lithographed in thirteen colors and gold.

THE YOUTH'S COMPANION,
Companion Building,
Boston, Mass.

New Subscriptions Received at this Office.

A number of citizens met at the school house at Laurel Ridge last Saturday afternoon, and after considering the matter, decided to go ahead with the building of a church at that place. It is proposed to build on ground to be granted by David Bivens or John Gordon, adjoining the school house lot. Subscription papers setting forth the conditions, were placed in the hands of Edward Richards, Alvah Williams, Reuben Hall, and Mrs. Robert Mellett. Jacob Clouser was chosen treasurer.

-:- J. K. JOHNSTON'S. -:-

Ladies' Long Coats

$2.50 to $10.00. These are all new and fresh goods, no old last years to show you. Now is the time to buy before the stock is broken and you can't go wrong on the styles.

Furs and Muffs to match 75c. up.

Ladies' Silk Knit Scarfs

Suesine Silks for Scarfs.

Men's Suits & Overcoats

Men's all Wool Suits, this fall's styles and prices not higher than last year. Also Men's Long Overcoats. Rain Coats and Storm Collars, $5.00 to $12.00 in Dress, and $2.50 to $5.00 in svery day and work. Cord Trousers in every day or dress $1.20 to $2.25.

Men's Fur Caps & Hats

Dress Caps 25c. Dress Hats in Derby or Telescope styles $1.00 up.

Boys' and Girls' Coats

Children's Bear Skin in white and colored. Girls' Long Coats in dark blue and green.

Boys' Suits and Overcoats that cannot be excelled in quality and we have the prices to suit any purse.

Shoes! Shoes!

We can furnish any style in Dress or every day for any member of the family and always the best quality at less prices than you pay for inferior kinds. Look these over.

Underwear in any size for Men, Women, and Children. This if the prettiest line we ever handled and at a less price than ever before. Men's 35c. to $1.00, Ladies' 23c. to 75c., Childs 10c to 25c.

A Few Guns and Rifles Left.
Plenty of Ammunition for all kinds of Guns.

BLANKETS, SHEETS AND COMFORTS, 50c. UP.

A Few Ladies' Jacket Suits, $6.00 to $12.00.

Dress Goods in all Wool--blue, brown, and black; Ginghams, Percales, Seersuckers, Muslins, Outing Flannels, Flanneletts, Winter White Goods.

MEN'S AND LADIES' COAT SWEATERS.

Men's 50c. Neckties for 25c. See them.

Hosiery for any size--Men's 10c. Hoes 4 pair for 25c. same as we had last season.

J. K. JOHNSTON.

Sale Register.

Friday, November 26, Mrs. Eliza A. Mumma, and Mrs. Barbara Ellen Raker, executors, will sell at the late residence of James A. Mumma, deceased, one mile south of Laidig, farming implements, corn, buckwheat, potatoes, corn fodder, a horse, a cow, a brood sow, a lot of household goods, consisting of a steel range, sewing machine, chairs, bedsteads, &c. Sale begins at 10 o'clock. A. L. Wible, auctioneer.

Kills Her Foe of 20 Years.

"The most merciless enemy I had for 20 years," declares Mrs. James Duncan, of Haynesville, Me., "was Dyspepsia. I suffered intensely after eating or drinking and could scarcely sleep. After many remedies had failed and several doctors gave me up, I tried Electric Bitters, which cured me completely. Now I can eat anything. I am 70 years old and am overjoyed to get my health and strength back again." For indigestion, loss of appetite, kidney trouble, lame back, female complaints, it's unequaled. Only 50c. at Trout's drug store.

Live as much as possible on the sunny side of your house.

Close the year hopefully. Begin the new one with a song in your heart and a girding up of the loins for greater things than you ever have done before.

The carpenter we hired had a handy little arrangement in which to keep his bits when not in use. He had a piece of overall cloth about two feet long, folded up at one side, with pockets sewed all along about the length of a bit and of different sizes according to the diameter of the bits to be slipped into them. Then by wiping them dry and putting them into those pockets and rolling the whole thing up, he had them in good compact shape, and as snug as a bug in a rug. I thought it a pretty good idea.

The Youth's Companion Calendar for 1910

The publishers of The Youth's Companion will, as always at this season, present to every subscriber whose subscription ($1.75) is paid for 1910, a beautiful Calendar for the new year. The picture panel which suggests the title, "Venetian," for the Calendar was painted by the famous marine artist, Thomas Moran. His Venetian scene, reproduced in the Calendar by thirteen-color lithography, will be found well worth preserving, long after 1910 is gone by.

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During Institute Week.

We have the most attractive display of hats in town. Hats of superior material and excellent workmanship. Hats not equaled anywhere else.

The newly trimmed velvet, silk, and felt hats; in fact, hats in every fashionable color. Among them some worth almost double the price asked.

We will be pleased to have you call at our store during institute week. Everybody welcome. All hats will be trimmed free of cost.

MRS. A. F. LITTLE.

Store opposite P. O.

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I have 'ust refilled my sheds with a fine lot of new Top Buggies, both factory and hand-made; ranging in price from $45 00 up to $75.00 for the best hand-made Mifflinburg buggy. My $45 buggy is a good, strong, substantial one that I will guarantee to give good satisfaction. I will sell on time to suit customers. It will pay you to examine my stock before you buy elsewhere.

Thanking the public for past patronage and soliciting a continuance of their favors I am,

Very truly yours,

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