

The Sheets Stage Line takes you to Mercersburg for 50 cents. Comrade M. D. Mathias, of Hustontown, was in McConnellsburg a few hours Monday.

Georgia Taylor, of Clear Ridge, was taken suddenly ill last Sunday evening of congestion of the lungs.

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

A fine little 10-pound dishwasher came into the home of Mr. and Mrs. Brady Mellott on Monday night of last week.

Benjamin Wible, father of our former townsman, L. H. Wible, Esq., has been rather seriously ill during the last three weeks.

Samuel Gress and family removed from Franklin county Tuesday into one of T. J. Comer's houses on West Walnut street.

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.

The store keeper who does not advertise and who does not systematize his business might as well put up his shutters. Judicious advertising means financial success. Never in the history of the commercial world has advertising held so dominant a place as it does today.

The Breeze-wood correspondent in last week's Bedford Inquirer says that Dr. J. G. Hanks, Postmaster S. J. Pee, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Truax, James H. Chamberlain, and E. G. Whetstone were numbered among the sick during the past week. Nearly every family in that community has one or more suffering from grip.

WANTED A DEALER TO HANDLE OUR MANUFACTURE OF LIGHTNING RODS IN YOUR LOCALITY.—We will arrange with you for the Exclusive Sale of the goods you select for your territory. Prompt application should be made, if you are looking for a good local business. Any person wishing to act as a Local Canvasser may file his application at our office. In either case state plainly whether you wish to canvass for a Dealer or handle the goods for yourself. For full particulars address: HUM & LEATHERMAN, 103 Market St., Pittsburg, Pa.

The balmy spring-like weather of the first seven days of March, closed with a violent thunder storm last Sunday night. The old saying, thunder in the fall is followed by warmer weather, and in the spring by colder, has been verified in last Sunday night's storm, for it was immediately followed by cold and freezing weather.

Wanted.

Apprentices to learn Machinists Trades. Favorable opportunity and good wages. Instructions in mathematics and drawing given. Write for particulars. LANDIS TOOL CO., Waynesboro, Pa.

Church Notice.

McConnellsburg M. E. church services for Sunday, March 13: Sunday school, 9:30; preaching, 10:30; communion services both morning and evening; Epworth League, 6:00; preaching, 7:00. This is the last service for the present conference year. A full attendance is desired.—C. W. Bryner, pastor.

Saving Fruit From Frost.

The very pleasant, balmy weather that we have had during the last few days, following a long season of unusual cold, is causing some uneasiness among Pennsylvania farmers and fruit growers, lest under the influence of sunny days for a considerable period, buds may develop, only to be killed by frosts later in the spring as freezing weather often comes in this climate when the season is farther advanced than it is now.

This fact lends timely interest to a little illustrated pamphlet issued by the Oregon Short Line Railroad Company, telling the fruit growers along its lines how to protect their fruit crops from early spring frosts.

As fruit buds are often killed by frost in Pennsylvania, the question of the feasibility of protecting orchards from frost by artificial heat, is as interesting here as anywhere. When it is remembered that estimates based on careful investigation place the annual loss by frosts to the fruit growers of the United States at fifty per cent., the importance of the experiments thus far made is apparent.

Most that has been accomplished has been within the last three years in the Grand Valley, Colorado, where it is asserted that it has been proved possible to maintain a safe temperature in orchards when the natural temperature is many degrees below the freezing point and where a fruit crop value at \$2,000,000 was saved and marketed when the records show that the temperatures outside of the orchards in various places in the Valley were nineteen and twenty degrees above zero.

The method of orchard heating recommended by the author of the Oregon Short Line Company's pamphlet is by means of smudge pots with crude coal oil as fuel.

The total cost of heating a ten-acre orchard for eight nights by means of smudge pots is estimated at \$510. This is for the first year and includes the cost of 500 pots, two 1,200-gallon storage tanks, wagon tank and oil pump, oil pails, torches, thermometers, &c., and 2,400 gallons of crude oil. But after the first year the cost would be limited to the value of the oil used and this is estimated would not amount to more than one per cent. of the value of the fruit saved.

AN AWFUL ERUPTION

of a volcano excites brief interest, and your interest in skin eruptions will be as short, if you use Bucklen's Arnica Salve, their quickest cure. Even the worst boils, ulcers, or fever sores are soon healed by it. Best for Burns Cuts, Bruises, Sore Lips, Chapped Hands, Chilblains and Piles. It gives instant relief. 25c. at Trout's drug store.

A few days ago we received a dollar bill in a letter from Ray V. Dawney, formerly of Hustontown, but now in the United States Navy, serving on the U. S. S. Chattanooga, in the far Pacific. Ray says, that while the News is sometimes forty days old when he gets it, he does not miss any numbers, and reads every one with a great deal of pleasure. He says the copies have been delivered to him in China, Japan, Siberia, Manchuria, Corea, and in the Philippine Islands—all over the Orient, but they get there just the same. Ray says he wants the Hustontown reporter to get busy.

List of Jurors.
List of Jurors drawn for March Term of Court, beginning at 2 o'clock, on Monday March 21, 1910.

GRAND JURORS.
Ayr—C. W. Crouse, John Hendershot, S. S. Lynch.
Belfast—Wm. Funk, Geo. W. Hanman, Watson Peck, Elias Wink.
Bethel—Albert Bivens, Lemuel Hendershot, Lewis Younker.
Brush Creek—S. M. Jackson, Job Winters.

Dublin—Charles Snyder.
Licking Creek—W. H. Wible.
McConnellsburg—Ross Doyle, Mack Helman, C. W. Peck, C. R. Spangler.
Taylor—David Strait.
Thompson—Wm. Phillips, U. J. Shives.
Tod—George Tice.
Union—Nathan Wigfield.
Wells—John Stunkard.

PETIT JURORS.
Ayr—James Cooper, Henry Hann, U. G. Humbert, Himmel Harris, Daniel Ott, Daniel McQuade, Calvin Tittle.
Belfast—E. N. Akers, James Hollenshead, Andrew Swope.
Bethel—Wm. Kanck.
Brush Creek—John Bard, Emery A. Diehl, Edward A. Diehl; W. C. Hanks.
Dublin—L. G. Chne, George Doran.

Licking Creek—U. S. Deshong, David D. Deshong, Charles Hess, Scott Mellott, W. L. Swope.
McConnellsburg—Ed. Grissinger, Samuel Shimer.
Taylor—Wm. Edwards, Harris Wagner.
Thompson—Watson Carbaugh, John W. Gordon, Moses Gordon, John W. Strait, Geo. Winters.
Tod—Daniel Fix, A. J. Pittman.
Union—Jackson Hendershot, John W. Screaver, Amos Sigel, Adam Shank.

Saved A Soldier's Life.
Facing death from shot and shell in the civil war was more agreeable to J. A. Stone, of Kemp, Tex., than facing it from what doctors said was consumption. "I contracted a stubborn cold," he writes, "that developed a cough, that stuck to me in spite of all remedies, for years. My weight ran down to 130 pounds. Then I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery, which completely cured me. I now weigh 178 pounds. "For coughs, colds, jaundice, asthma, hemorrhage, hoarseness, croup, whooping cough, and lung trouble, it's supreme. 50c. \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by Trout's drug store.

Birthday Surprise.
You hear of ghost stories and great surprises, but the greatest surprise came to Miss Catherine Smith on her 49th birthday, which took place on the 26th ult., at her home in Belfast township.

Catherine was busy superintending the work of getting out posts for a wire fence, when her home was invaded by sixty-five of her friends and relatives. Imagine her surprise as she returned to the house, to find dinner ready, and the many smiling faces there to greet her.
Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hess and son Blair, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Mellott, Mr. and Mrs. Mason Mellott, Mr. and Mrs. Emory Diehl, Logue Hess, wife and children; Watson Peck and wife; Mack Mellott, wife and children; Mrs. Randolph Palmer, Mrs. Amos Palmer, Mrs. J. J. Palmer, Mrs. Luther Smith, Mrs. Alfred Mellott, Mrs. Bennett Mellott, Mrs. Bert Truax, Mrs. Frank Layton and sons; James Layton and wife, Besie Morton, Nellie Palmer, Corcha Truax, Ora Truax, Kate and Anna Smith, Lillian Youngblood, Catherine Hart, Mattie Funk, Blanche Smith, Bertha Truax, Orpha Snyder, Cornelia and Nettie Mellott, Earl Shives, Floyd Hart, Howard Peck, T. K. Downes, Walter and Frank Truax, Duffy, Russel, Clyde, Maple, and Alonzo Mellott; Guy Spade, and Raymond Plessinger.
After dinner was served, which was composed of the finest delicacies, of which a king might wish to partake—such as chicken, beef, salads, cakes, pies and puddings, and a variety of good things, the time was taken up by music and chatting and having a merry good time. About 5 o'clock, all took their departure for their respective homes, each wishing for many more such occasions. Catherine received many good useful presents, of which she is very proud. She also received more than a hundred post cards which she also prizes.
May we all meet again on more of these occasions.

ONE WHO WAS THERE.
Mrs. Jane Baker, one of Knobsville's older ladies, has been quite ill during the past week, suffering from an attack of lagrippe.

Sale Register.
Monday, March 14.—Adam Oyler will sell at his residence on the Peach Orchard road, 4 miles northwest of McConnellsburg, live stock, farming implements, hay, grain, cornfodder, &c. Sale will begin at 10 o'clock. A. L. Wible, auctioneer.

Tuesday, March 15.—Ross Fite having sold his farm, and intending to quit farming, will sell at his residence 1 mile north of Plum Run, horses, cattle, hogs, farming implements, household goods, &c. Sale begins at 10 o'clock.

Tuesday, March 15.—P. Scheidman intending to quit farming will sell at his residence on the James Henry farm about a half mile north of Knobsville, horses, cattle, farming implements, and other articles. Sale begin at 10 o'clock. A. L. Wible, auctioneer.

Thursday, March 17.—Oliver Mellott, having rented his farm and intending to go west, will sell on his farm in Belfast township, one-fourth mile northwest of Gem postoffice, 3 horses, cow, lot of farm machinery and farming implements as good as new, wagons, buggies, harness, Carpenter tools, Bees, &c., &c. Sale begins at 10 o'clock. 9 months credit.

Thursday, March 17. J. Grant Hanks and William C. Hanks will sell on the premises 1 mile south of Emmaville, 4 tracts of land. See advertisement elsewhere in this paper.

Friday, March 18.—J. F. Johnston having rented his farm, will sell at his residence in Ayr township, four and a half miles south of McConnellsburg, 9 head of horses and colts, high bred stock, 20 head of cattle, among which are grade Holsteins and all well bred, 10 sheep, 10 hogs, farm wagons, binders, mowers, hay rake, drills, corn plows, wagons, sleds, harness, corn oats, &c., &c. The farm implements are all practically as good as new—none of them having been in use over four years. Sale begins at 10 o'clock. 12 month credit on sums over TEN dollars. A. L. Wible auctioneer.

Thursday, March 24.—The Misses Knauff, intending to remove to town, will sell at the Knauff homestead, 2 miles southeast of McConnellsburg, 3 good cows, 10 sheep, corn, hay, buggies, household goods, &c. Sale begins at 10 o'clock. Credit 6 months. A. L. Wible, auctioneer.

Thursday, March 24.—W. C. Hanks and J. G. Hanks, executors of the will of Nathan B. Hanks, will sell at the late residence of the deceased 1 mile south of Emmaville, Cattle, Sheep, large lot of Farming Implements, Wheat, Corn, Oats, and Buckwheat by the bushel, Hay by the ton, lot of household goods, &c. Sale begins at 10 o'clock. 6 months credit.

Friday, March 25, George B. Souders, intending to quit farming, will sell at his residence on the Clark McGovern farm, about 2 1/2 miles east of Webster Mills, and 5 miles south of McConnellsburg, 4 horses, 4 cattle, farming implements, &c. Sale begins at 10 o'clock. Credit 10 months.

Tuesday, March 29.—Mrs. Jennie Anderson, intending to remove from Dublin Mills, will sell at her residence at Dublin Mills, valuable household property consisting of 1 cook stove and fixtures, good as new; good coal stove, 2 iron bedsteads, mattress and springs, and 3 oak bedsteads—all good as new; sewing machine, kitchen furniture, &c. Sale begins at 10 o'clock. Sale will go on Rain or Shine. James Chesnut, auctioneer.

Church Notices.
Announcements for Sunday, March 13, 1910.

HUSTONTOWN, U. B. CHARGE, S. B. Hoffman, pastor.
Bethlehem—Sunday school 9:30. Christian Endeavor 7:30.
Wells Valley—Sunday school 9:30. Christian Endeavor 7:00.
Special services at Mt. Tabor at 10:30 and 7:30. As this church has been remodeled at a cost of \$400.00 it will be reopened to the Services of God. Presiding Elder Fulton will have charge. Revival services will be continued the following week.
Quarterly conference at Mt. Tabor, March 15th at 2 p. m. All members are expected to be present.
HARRISONVILLE, M. E. CHARGE, L. W. McGarvey, pastor.
Ebenezer—Preaching 10:30.
Silosm—Adult Bible Class 2:00. Preaching 3:00.
Asbury—Preaching 7:30.

JUGTOWN.
William Fix's wife moved into our vicinity, and John Carbaugh has moved to Thomastown.

The entertainment at Jugtown school was well attended. Miss Viola Mellott has returned to her home at Fort Littleton. Mrs. Rebecca Stenger spent last Thursday at David Rine-dollar's.

Those at Geo. Buterbaugh's last Sunday were Harry Hohman wife and daughter Bessie; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Seiders and two children, Mr. and Mrs. Hayes Sowers and son Merrill, William Buterbaugh and Mrs. N. W. Hohman and her mother Mrs. Sophia Grengrey.

Mrs. James Fryman spent last Thursday at James Souder's. J. N. Nelson and wife, of Ohio, spent Thursday with the former's sister Mrs. John Neuroth. N. W. Hohman spent last Sunday at James Fryman's.

Misses Mary and Alice Stenger spent Sunday very pleasantly at home. Clarence Wright of Laurel Ridge spent Friday night at N. W. Hohman's.



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Farmer Wanted.
Married man, to work by the year, house-rent, wood, &c., free. Good wages for right kind of man. Call on or write to C. L. HENRY, Clear Ridge, Pa.

NO. 8083.
REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF
The First National Bank, at McConnellsburg, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of Business, January 31, 1910.

RESOURCES:	
Loans and Discounts	\$168,225.02
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	1,101.49
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	25,000.00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	654.48
Bonds, securities, etc.	\$1,642.25
Banking house, furniture, and fixtures	270.00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	4,612.74
Due from State, Private Banks, and Bankers, Trust Co's and Sav. Banks	437.30
Due from approved reserve agents	30,912.92
Checks and other cash items	501.00
Notes of other National Banks	1,850.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	18.22
LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, VIZ:	
Specie	\$18,972.10
Legal-tender notes	1,000.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)	1,250.00
TOTAL	\$301,241.18
LIABILITIES:	
Capital stock paid in	\$50,000.00
Surplus fund	7,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	7,233.47
National bank notes outstanding	25,000.00
Dividends, unpaid	15.00
Individual deposits subject to check	67,570.48
Demand certificates of deposit	487.00
Time cert.ificates of deposit	172,105.89
Cashier's checks outstanding	42.00
TOTAL	\$301,241.18

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, ss.
COURT OF PUBLICS.
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.
Corrected—Attest: E. H. HENNING, Geo. A. HARRIS, J. P. P. HARRIS, D. L. GRANTZBERG, Directors.
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