

INTERESTING PARAGRAPHS

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Mrs. Peter Kirk and Mrs. Wm Tolbert, of Big Cove Tannery, were in town a few hours yesterday.

Frank C. Bare and wife, of Ft. Littleton came to town in their Ford touring car Wednesday morning and spent the day here.

In the congressional fight last Saturday, Focht won seven out of the eight counties in the District, and Endsley won all of the three counties in the Senatorial district.

George Everhart, accompanied by his wife and her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Mock, and her sister Miss Minnie E. Mock, went to Philadelphia, Tuesday. For some time Mr. Everhart has been paralyzed in his lower limbs, and he went to the City with a view to consulting a specialist and entering a hospital for treatment. Mrs. Mock and Minnie will go on to Allentown to visit Mrs. Mock's daughter, Mrs. Annie Kapp.

Candy manufacturers have received orders to cease varnishing chocolates and other confections with shellac or any other gum. Several reasons are given by the food bureau prohibiting the use of gums. One is that the gums are prepared in alcoholic solutions and even wood alcohol solutions. The other reasons are that the coating conceals inferiorities and enables candy to be kept in stock for long periods of time, both a desirable result.

A farmer, while on his way to Chambersburg last Saturday with a load of eggs, got interested in a horse race along the road, and forgetting about driving slow in order to keep the eggs intact, speeded up his horse and soon out-distanced the other team. But imagine his surprise when he arrived at his destination and beheld the condition of the eggs, about thirty dozen being broken and what few had escaped breakage had to be washed before you could recognize them.

Thirty years ago, Thomas Gunn, a contract painter of Altoona, was working on a scaffold which he thought was going to fall. Placing his hand against a window to steady himself the pane gave way, and his right arm was apparently slightly lacerated. Recently Mr. Gunn has felt sharp pains in his right arm, and Friday he was rubbing it when his hand struck a sharp substance protruding through the skin. It proved to be a piece of glass, and it had been in his flesh all these years.

Prominent citizens of Carlisle are interested in an unusual improvement for a town of its size. A project is on foot to build a boulevard which will completely encircle the city, and which will be especially adapted for driving and motoring. This boulevard will probably be about seven miles long. By the use of certain developed streets and roads comparatively no grading will be required. The boulevard will have a width of fifty feet, and will be started at the beautiful Linder Park in western Carlisle.

P. of Ernest M. Gress, formerly principal of the McConnellsburg schools, but now at the head of the Swissvale, Pa., schools, at a salary of fifteen hundred dollars a year, is spending a short time among his Fulton county relatives and friends. In connection with the discharge of his duties as teacher, he has had time during the past year to take a course of study in the Pittsburgh Institute, and win a scholarship in the Brooklyn Institute, a branch of which is located at Cold Spring Harbor, L. I., which carries with it board and tuition for a six weeks' course, beginning the first of July.

INITIAL GAME.

Base Ball Season Opens on the Athletic's New Field Next Saturday Afternoon.

On account of the rainy weather, the McConnellsburg Athletic Association was unable to open the baseball season on May 30th, but, if the weather man is good to us next Saturday, the season will open with the fast aggregation from Hancock, Md.

Last year Hancock took both games from us; but, this year, we hope to have a reversal of form and take two or more games from them. This promises to be one of the most interesting games of the season, and there should be a large crowd on hand to give the boys a boost.

There will be a seat in the grand-stand for everyone, and bleachers to take care of the boys—and, if you get a little too warm and want a glass of real lemonade "Whiskers" Steach will be there to serve you.

The price of admission for the opening game (this game only) will be 25c for the grand-stand—young and old—and 15c for boys in the bleachers.

This price is necessary on account of the very heavy expense incurred this year at our new grounds, and other expenses, such as balls, bats, etc.

There will be on sale a number of special tickets, printed for the opening game, at 35c. Perhaps you can't go yourself, but want to help the boys; if you do, buy one or more of these tickets. They are transferable.

If we get the right support, we will have baseball all summer, and we have every reason to believe we will get the support. Everybody go and give the boys the glad hand—but leave your little "knockers" at home. Always remember—"If you can't boost, don't knock."

KEEP THE KING AT HOME.

"For the past year we have kept the King of all laxatives—Dr. King's New Life Pills—in our home and they have proved a blessing to all our family," writes Paul Mathulka, of Buffalo, N. Y. Easy, but sure remedy for all Stomach, Liver and Kidney troubles. Only 25c. at Trout's drug store.

BUCK VALLEY.

We have been having plenty of rain during the past few days.

Jacob Hammann, of Gathersburg, Md., visited relatives and friends in the Valley the past week. We were glad to see you back, Jake. Come again.

John Shank, of Ohio, is visiting in the home of his brother, Adam Shank.

Mrs. Amos Hill, of Baltimore, Md., is visiting her son, A. F. Hill, who has been ailing during the past few weeks.

John Hammann and wife visited in the home of Charlie Geinger last Sunday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sigel—a girl.

James Rhea drove to Clearville last Monday, and was accompanied home by his daughter Bertha, who had spent the past two months in Everett with her brother John and family.

Children's service at the Christian church, next Sunday, June 12th, at 10 a. m.

Job Winter, of Whips Cove, purchased a horse from John Hammann one day last week.

Lessons For Girls.

Maurice M. Lustig came to Millroy a year or two ago and courted a Miss Mills, and married her, and took her to New York and got her life insured in his favor, and then poisoned her, and took her body to Millroy and buried it. His sin came out however, and he is found guilty of murder in the first degree and will no doubt go to the electric chair. When will the time come that young women will have sense enough to fight shy of strangers?

According to the annual report of Chief Factory Inspector John C. Delaney, there were 147 fatal, 535 serious, and 1810 slight accidents last year in the industrial establishments of Pennsylvania that are under the supervision of the Factory Inspection department. Ninety per cent. of the fatal and serious accidents occurred in or about rolling mills or blast furnaces.

Questions About Pruning.

A Philadelphian owning a suburban property on which he has fruit trees, wrote to State Zoologist Surface for answers to the following questions:

1. Will it do any harm to prune trees while in bloom, or after they have formed fruit?

2. I remove branches to open up the tree in the center, and in the case of peaches cut back about one-third to one-half of last year's growth. Is this right?

3. Is it right and beneficial to prune trees now, or during the summer, when the growth becomes excessive?

Professor Surface's replies to these queries are of importance to all fruit growers. He wrote as follows:

"It is my opinion that you are doing right in pruning your trees at this time, unless you are removing large branches. If the trees have been neglected to such an extent that it is necessary to cut much away from them, it might be very severe on them to continue the pruning into the summer, but comparatively light pruning, such as trees should have to direct growth, can be done at any time.

"It is right to open the centre of the tree and let in light, heat and air. I think pruning sufficiently to do this can be done at any time, as you suggest. It is also right to cut back the trees to some extent. This cutting back should be done in proportion to their lack of vigor, as very strong trees do not need it so much as those that are declining.

"I should much prefer to do pruning in the early spring than to delay it until summer time. I think if it is to be done, the earlier it is done the better it will be for the trees. Pruning in the summer removes the leaves, which are both the stomach and lungs of the trees, and this will, of course, tend to check the growth."

A WOMAN'S GREAT IDEA

is how to make herself attractive. But, without health, it is hard for her to be lovely in face, form or temper. A weak, sickly woman will be nervous and irritable. Constipation and Kidney poisons show in pimples, blotches, skin eruptions and a wretched complexion. But Electric Bitters always prove a godsend to women who want health, beauty and friends. They regulate Stomach, Liver and Kidneys, purify the blood; give strong nerves, bright eyes, pure breath, smooth, velvety skin, lovely complexion, good health. Try them. 50c. at Trout's drug store.

Lost 100 Hives of Bees.

George Beetem, of Cumberland county, who keeps bees on a large scale and does a large business in selling honey, reports that during the past two weeks he lost 100 hives of his bees, their death being caused by working among blossoms which had been sprayed with sulphur and lime, or some other preparation for scale. His monetary loss on honey alone this year is \$1,200.

NEW MAGAZINE TO BE DEVOTED TO STORIES.

Will Be Issued Free of Cost to Readers of The North American.

One of the most notable advances in the history of American publications is to be taken on June 12. On that date the Philadelphia North American will begin the publication of a genuine, high-class monthly magazine to be issued without cost to its patrons.

The contents will be mainly fiction—stories of love and adventure, pathos, humor, character, action and sentiment. They will be written by authors famous in the magazine field.

So great is the demand for The North American of Sunday, June 12, that thousands are placing special orders with newsdealers to make certain of receiving the first number of the new magazine.

WELI'S TANNERY.

Mrs. Mary Swope and grandson Bruce Clevenger, of Pleasant Ridge are spending some time visiting her daughter Mrs. Ditha Hann.

Miss Edna Hann, of Saluvia, spent last week with relatives at this place and Gourdneck.

Clem Sipes and Carl Hann, of Saluvia, spent Sunday at James B. Horton's. They were accompanied home by Carl's sister Edna.

Levi Johnston and wife, of Reichley spent Saturday night at this place.

Misses Edna Hann and Mary Horton spent Saturday afternoon with Miss Eleanor Sipe.

Mrs. Miriam Horton fell a couple of weeks ago and sustained injuries from which she has not yet recovered.

Those that went to the social at Gracey last Saturday night were Roy de Shong, Misses Dolly Helser, Lena Stunkard, Leta Sprowl, Elsie Baumgardner, and Day Foreman.

Geo. W. Sipe went to Everett last Saturday.

A. S. Edward, of Enid spent Friday afternoon at J. B. Horton's.

The last report there had been 28 rattle snakes killed on Siding hill mountain by Reichley Bros' men.

A DREADFUL WOUND

from a knife, gun, tin can, rusty nail, fireworks, or of any other nature, demands prompt treatment with Bucklen's Arnica Salve to prevent blood poison or gangrene. It's the quickest, surest healer for all such wounds as also for Burns, Boils, Sores, Skin Eruptions, Eczema, Chapped Hands, Corns or Piles. 25c. at Trout's drug store.

A Storekeeper Says:

"A lady came into my store lately and said: 'I have been using a New Perfection Oil Cook-Stove all winter in my apartment. I want one now for my summer home. I think if only women knew what a comfort they are, they would all have one. I spoke about my stove to a lot of my friends, and they were astonished. They thought that there was small and smoke from an oil stove, and that it heated a room just like any other stove. I told them of my experience, and one after another they got one, and now, not one of them would give hers up for five times its cost.'"

The lady who said this had thought an oil stove was all right for quickly heating milk for a baby, or boiling a kettle of water, or to make coffee quickly in the morning, but she never dreamed of using it for difficult or heavy cooking. Now—she knows.

Do you really appreciate what a New Perfection Oil Cook-Stove means to you? No more coal to carry, no more coming to the dinner table so tired out that you can't eat. Just light a New Perfection Stove and immediately the heat from an intense blue flame shoots up to the bottom of pot, kettle or oven. But the room isn't heated. There is no smoke, no smell, no outside heat, no drooping in the kitchen where one of these stoves is used.



New Perfection
WICK-BLUE FLAME
Oil Cook-stove

It has a Cabinet Top with a shelf for keeping plates and food hot. The nickel finish, with the bright blue of the chimneys, makes the stove ornamental and attractive. Made with 1, 2 and 3 burners; the 2 and 3-burner stoves can be had with or without Cabinet.

RACKET STORE

PRICES FOR JUNE

We made mention of a good Lawn Mower that we are selling at \$2.50 and \$2.65. Well, we have sold a nice lot of 12, and we just got 5 more at the same price.

Also our American Wire Fence. We never had as nice a trade on wire as this year. We were out of the No. 9, but got another lot this week at the same price. If you want fence call and be convinced like others that we have the right prices.

Machine Oil like we always handle, and the same as others get 40 and 50c. a gallon, our price 25c.; oil cans 8 to 25c.; ice cream-freezers \$2.00 to \$2.45.

Clothing Clothing

Say, we just got 12 Men's Suits, regular \$9.00 values, that we are selling at \$6.50. Children's Suits \$1.35 to \$3.00, bloomer pants or plain. Oh, Yes, we have a swell suit at \$9.75, see it. We still sell the Shippensburg Working Shirts at 45c.; Overalls 48 to 98c.; Pants 1.25 to \$2.50, these are great values. Blouses 48c. A full line of Lap Spreads 45, 55, 65, 75, 90, \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$1.75.

Just 10 doz. more Felt Window Shades at 8c., also 10 doz. Oil Shades in heavy goods 22c., Curtain Poles 8c., Lace Curtains 33, 45, 63 and 98c.

Tinware and Graniteware

10 qt. flaring pails 10c., 5 qt. flaring pails 8c., 2 qt. covered buckets 6c., 4 qt. covered buckets 10c., Strainer 12 qt. milk buckets 25c., 10 qt. tin dairy pails 20c., 10 qt., galvanized pails 15c., 12 qt. galvanized pail 18c., 14 qt. 20c., galvanized tubs 45c., 10 qt. dish pans 10c., 14 qt. 14c., 17 qt. 17c., heavy tin dish pans 20 and 25c., star dinner pail 24c., 4 qt. stew pans 4c.

Just got a big lot of 4 qt. granite stew pans that we can sell at 5c., blue and white stew pans 4 qt. 15c., 5 qt. preserving kettle blue and white 20c., 6 qt. 25c., 8 qt. 35 and 38c., 10 qt. 45c., Berlin kettles 38 and 48c., 10 qt. blue and white water buckets 48c., granite dish pans 23c., funnels 3, 4 and 5c., 1 qt. measures 5c., flour sifters 10c., granite chambers 23 and 30c., granite slop pails 48c.

Harness and Fly-nets

Say we have a nice set of Buggy Harness, not a flimsy piece of leather in it that we can sell you at \$10.50, also a nicer one that will cause you to wonder how we got them to sell at the price we do. We have had a larger sale this year on collars, team bridles, front gears, whips and in fact everything in the harness line than we ever had. Why? Just because we have the right goods at the right prices. Did you see that team bridle that we sell at \$1.25 it is fine. Don't fail to see our stock of buggy and team nets.

Monkey wrenches 20, 23, 30, 35, 45 and 55c. Just got a dozen scythes and snaths, patent snath, 90c. complete. Paris green 8c. box; electric weld 7 ft. traces 55c., breast chains 33 and 38c., but traces 35, 38 and 45c., wood and iron planes, smooth planes. Wood smooth plane, \$1.05; jack, \$1.10; fore plane, \$1.15; iron smooth plane, \$1.25; jack plane, \$1.65. Adjustable wood scraper \$1.65.

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REISNERS' STORE NEWS FOR JUNE.

Now, that the season of House-Cleaning is on, when there will be old carpets to discard, mattings worn out, curtains to be replaced and the dozen and one other things that need attention, it will mean much to you to know that REISNERS' have anticipated all your wants, and are ready to furnish you anything you may need for your house-cleaning and Spring work, and at prices that are fair. Notice prices on a few things. Everything else in proportion.

- Carpets 12c. to 85c. per Yard.
- Mattings 11c. to 35c. per Yard.
- Linoleum 25c. to 42 1-2c. per Square Yard.
- Matting Rugs, 50c. 75c. \$1.00.
- Crex Rugs, \$1.00. Moquet Rugs, \$1.25.
- Window Shades, 8c. to 60c.
- Lace Curtains, 35c. to \$3.00 per Pair.

SHOES

Ladies Shoes either Oxford or Lace at \$1.25, guaranteed to have solid inner soles and counters; \$1.45 Oxfords guaranteed. Our \$2 and \$2.50 shoes are not equaled. We stand by every pair. If not as represented, your money back.

Clothing

Dependable Clothing \$2.50 to \$13.50 suit. Childrens Suits 50c. to \$5.00. Be sure to see our Stock of Goods, when in need of ANYTHING.



I also carry Deming Sprayers in stock.
S. L. WINK,
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