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Church Notices.

Announcements for Sunday, Dec. 12, 1910.

HUSTONTOWN, M. E. CHARGE, L. W. McGarvey, Pastor.

Dublin Mills—Sunday School 9:30. Preaching 10:30.

Clear Ridge—Sunday School 1:30. Preaching 2:30.

Hustontown—Sunday school 2:00. Epworth League, 7:00. Preaching 7:30.

Preaching services at Wesley Chapel Saturday evening, Dec. 17th, 7:00.

HUSTONTOWN, U. B. CHARGE, E. H. Swank, pastor.

Hustontown—Preaching Saturday at 7 Mt. Tabor—Preaching at 10:30.

Wells Valley—Preaching at 7:30.

Theodore Ruby.

Theodore Ruby, perhaps better known as "D" Ruby, died at Finleyville, Bedford county last Friday, and was buried at Walnut Grove, Huntingdon county on Sunday. Mr. Ruby resided a few years ago at Dublin Mills, and also near New Greunda. While at work in a coal mine at Finleyville a few days ago, he suddenly raised up and exclaimed, "Who hit me on the head?" Seeing that something was wrong, his fellow miners went to his side and found him suffering much pain in the head, but there was no evidence that anyone, or anything, had struck him. He was taken out of the mine and given every attention possible, but in a few days he died. It is supposed that the trouble originated from the bursting of a blood vessel in his brain. He was in the act of pushing a mine car at the time of the accident.

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For thirty years J. F. Boyer, of Fertile, Mo., needed help and couldn't find it. That's why he wants to help some one now. Suffering so long himself he feels for all distress from Backache, Nervousness. Loss of Appetite, Lassitude and Kidney disorders. He shows that Electric Bitters work wonders for such troubles. "Five bottles," he writes, "wholly cured me and now I am well and hearty." It's also positively guaranteed for Liver Trouble, Dyspepsia, Blood Disorders, Female Complaints and Malaria. Try them. 50c. at Trout's drug store.

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The population of continental United States is 91,972,266, an increase of 15,977,691 or 21.9 per cent, over 55,994,579 in 1900, when the increase was 13,946,831, or 20.7 per cent, over 42,047,744, the total in 1890. The total population of the United States with all her possessions is about 101,100,000.

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Local Institutes.

The fifth local institute of Belfast township was held at Jacob Lake's school, Friday evening, December 2nd. The meeting was called to order by the teacher Maye Lake, who appointed S. L. Wink, president. Many profitable points were brought out in the discussion of the following topics: 1. Language work; its importance and how taught? 2. Individual work. 3. How much time do you devote to special exercises? The literary work by the school was excellent. Teachers present were: Orpha Snyder, Bessie Morton, Daisy Strat. Blanche Smith, Margaret Daniels, Maye Lake, Nelle Morton and S. L. Wink, of Belfast, and Mary Mellott of Lacking Creek.—Nelle F. Morton, Secretary.

Fourth local institute of Thompson township was held at Board Yard school Friday evening, December 2. It was called to order by the teacher, Anna Comerer, after which the following questions were discussed: 1. How do you teach Geography, primary and advanced? 2. Upon whom does the success of the school depend, and why? 3. How do you teach Agriculture? Four of the teachers from Thompson were present; also, two of the directors. A large crowd was present, all of whom showed their interest in education by giving most excellent attention.—Anna Comerer, Secretary.

The sixth educational meeting of Ayr township was held at McNaughton's school, Friday evening, December 2nd. All the teachers of the township were present except one. We were pleased to have with us Supt. Lamberson and Prof. Thomas. Subjects discussed were: 1. Preparation for the recitation. 2. Self government in the Ungraded schools. 3. Agriculture in the Public Schools. A large number of patrons were present and several joined in the discussions. It is encouraging to the teachers when the patrons show that they are interested in the work of the schools. Both patrons and teachers agreed that the subject of agriculture was one of great importance and should be taught in the public schools. The program was interspersed by some well-rendered literary work. The next meeting will be held at Big Cove Tannery school, Friday evening, December 16, 1910.—Maude Rinedollar, Sec'y.

The Prayer of a Horse.

To the, my master, I offer my request. Feed me, water and care for me, and when my days work is done provide me with shelter, a clean, dry bed and a stall wide enough for me to lie down in comfort. Talk to me. Your voice often means as much to me as the reins. Pet me some times, that I may serve you more gladly and learn to love you. Do not jerk the reins and do not whip me when going up hill. Never strike, beat or kick me when I do not know what you mean, but give me a chance to understand you. Watch me, and if I fail to do my bidding see if something is not wrong with my harness or feet. Examine my teeth when I do not eat—I may have an ulcerated tooth, and that, you know, is very painful. Do not tie my head in an unnatural position or take away my best defence against flies and mosquitoes by cutting off my lateral appendage. And, finally, my dear master, when my useful strength is gone, do not turn me out to starve or freeze, or sell me to some cruel owner to be slowly tortured to death; but do thou, my master, take my life in the kindest way, and your God will reward you here and hereafter. You may not consider me irreverent if I ask this, all this in the name of Him who was born in a stable.

This county will lose to Franklin another of her substantial citizens the first of next April in the person of Mr. Geo. E. Brant, of Tod township. Mr. Brant recently purchased a hundred-acre farm near Brant's church, 2 1/2 miles from Lemaster, Franklin county, for \$11,700—which, of course, means \$117 an acre. Mr. Brant owns two or three small farms in this county, but prefers to be nearer to market. Hence the change.

Back To The Farm.

The question of how to hold to the farm those who are raised on the farm, and to attract to the farm some of those who swarm in the cities, is engaging a large share of newspaper attention all over the country. The necessity of more farm labor is apparent, and that the existence of all the rest of the world depends upon the tilling of the soil is, not disputed.

The glamor of city life, the thrill of mingling with the multitude, the numerous diversions there provided for idle hours, form the great attraction that brings thousands from the farming district to the cities. Man is a gregarious animal, it has been pretty well established, and likes to flock with his fellows. This he can do best by making the cities his abiding place.

Formerly, the hard life of the farmer, and the meagreness of his returns were advanced as reasons for the exodus of young people raised on the farms as soon as they were old enough to care for themselves. But it is vastly different now. The conditions of farm labor are much less onerous and exhausting. The financial returns are much larger; the farming occupations are more diversified, and social conditions in the country are infinitely superior to those of half a century ago.

Therefore, it would not be surprising to note a natural trend of many people "back to the farm" in a short time. There is so much more assurance of a comfortable living on the farm to many persons than in the crowded cities, that inclination, as well as common sense, may operate to remove the prevailing trouble.—Altoona Times.

GEM.

Snow is here and we have had fine sleighing for the past week.

Jacob Hill and family visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George C. Sipes near Dickey's Mountain last Sunday.

Mrs. Savannah Lanerhart and son Aaron have moved into the hall owned by A. L. Lamberson near Gem.

Harrison Garland, while on his way home from Mr. David Hill's last Sunday evening had an unpleasant experience. The sleigh upset the occupants were thrown out, and Harrison lost control of the lines. After going about two miles the pony was caught at Mr. Stilwell Truax's. Fortunately no one was hurt and the sleigh was unbroken.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel C. Kline visited in the home of their son Berkeley H. Kline near Big Cove Tannery last Friday.

Mrs. Corder W. Snyder, of near Gem has been critical ill at the home of her sister-in-law Mrs. L. D. Wink near Sipes Mills. Dr. Palmer is her attendant physician. We hope for her speedy recovery.

Mrs. Conrad Sipes visited her son Harry, Saturday and Sunday. Our hustling farmer, Jacob Hill made a flying trip to McConnellsburg last Monday. You took rather a stormy day for it. Jacob, but if it would bring rain instead of snow we would ask you to go again.

Mrs. Rev. C. L. Funk, who has been in poor health for some time and under the care of Dr. Sappington, is slowly improving.

Mr. Court Carbaugh, of Big Cove Tannery, spent Saturday evening very pleasantly in the home of Mr. Samuel C. Kline.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Lampson made a business trip to Webster Mills last Friday.

The Hench & Drumgold Co., at York, manufacturers of agricultural implements and machinery, originated in 1901 with a capital stock of \$350,000, has gone into the hands of receivers, upon petition of creditors and stockholders. The indebtedness is placed at \$20,000, the most of which is in notes held by banks. The assets are estimated at \$250,000, consisting of plant and machinery, material and some finished product. Orders on the books amounting to \$60,000.

The entire membership of the Methodist Episcopal church increased 63,047 last year according to a statement made to the Chicago Methodist Ministerial Association by Rev. David G. Downey, corresponding secretary of the board of Sunday Schools.

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The Christmas number of The North American, which will be published on December 18, promises something altogether unique in the way of a special supplement. All buyers of the paper of that issue, excepting mail subscribers, will receive free a sheet of Christmas cards, reproduced from some of the greatest paintings of the age. There are six cards in the sheet, which when cut apart may be used for sending with gifts or for mailing as mementoes of the holiday season.

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Our school is progressing under the management of Dean Bergstresser.

Oak Grove U. B. Sunday school is preparing to have a fine Christmas entertainment.

Michael Detwiler the efficient mail carrier has stored his auto away for the winter.

Dawson Strait was visiting at J. H. McClain's last Friday.

James Benson and John Newman who were jurors at Huntingdon last week, have returned home.

Archie and Edna O'Neal from Broadtop, spent Sunday with Joe McClain's.

Harry Newman has been away to see the eye doctor again.

Those present at Samuel Gaster's last Sunday were Maurice Keith and family, Otis and John Hockensmith James Hampton and Robert Brumbaugh.

Dallas Kerling is improving from an attack of pneumonia.

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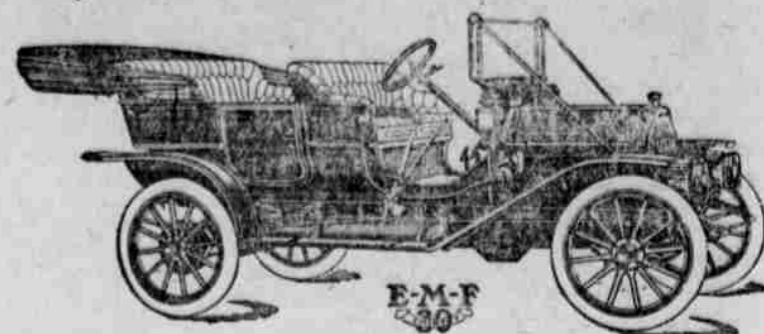
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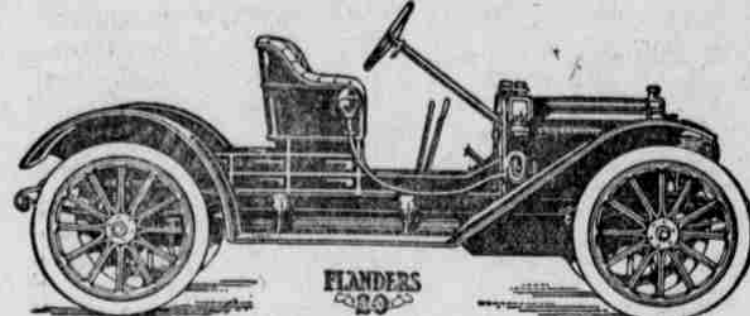
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