

INTERESTING PARAGRAPHS

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

CONDENSED FOR HURRIED READERS

Elusive Isabel.

A movement is on foot to incorporate Fayetteville, Franklin county.

There will be Children's Day services at Bedford Chapel, July 30th, at 10 o'clock. All are welcome.

We are now in the midst of the dog days which began on the 3rd of July, and will last six weeks.

Miss Alice Cutchall and sister Miss Jessie, of Taylor township, were in town a few hours yesterday.

Miss Helen M. Kendall is visiting her sister Mrs. Warrie Johnston and other relatives in the Cove.

H. R. Ganoe of Chambersburg, representing the Equitable Life Assurance Society, was in town on Tuesday.

There will be a picnic next Saturday afternoon and a festival in the evening in the grove near Gracey. Proceeds for benefit of church.

Big Cove Tannery.—Sunday school 9:30 a. m., Divine Worship 7 p. m. Please notice the change in the hour of the evening service from 6:30 to 7 o'clock.

Rev. L. H. Rice, formerly pastor of the Reformed church in this place, is now pastor of the Reformed church at Hamilton, O., a city of several thousand population, and is much pleased with his new field.

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

The Rehoboth M. E. Sunday school will hold its annual picnic and Children's Day services in Secrist's Grove, Saturday, August 12, 1911. The Hancock Band will furnish the music. Everybody welcome.

Never leave home on a journey without a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. It is almost certain to be needed and cannot be obtained when on board the cars or steamships. For sale by all dealers.

There will be a table picnic in Sharps Grove, near Dott post-office, Saturday, July 29th, in commemoration of Mothers' Day. There will be speaking, vocal and instrumental music and baseball. Everybody invited.

St. Paul, McConnellsbury.—Sunday school 9:15 a. m., Holy Communion 10:30 a. m., Y. P. S. C. E. 6:30 p. m. Preparatory service Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at which time there will be the baptism of infants.

On the property of A. W. Johnston, Sr., Cito, near his house is an apple tree that measures 8 feet and 11 inches in circumference and near by a cherry tree that measures 11 feet and 6 inches in circumference. Who has a larger tree?

Dr. Fred Curtis and wife spent Sunday night in town. They were making a trip from their home in Cleveland, O., in their automobile to Ocean Grove as a summer outing. Dr. Curtis spent a year practicing medicine in McConnellsbury about ten years ago.

The Buck Valley Ball team proposes to make a tour of the county about the middle of August, when they would like to have a game with all the good teams of the county. Teams desiring to make arrangements for a game during that time should write to the manager of the Buck Valley team—Mr. Lewis Stahle, whose postoffice address is Buck Valley, Pa.

Notice.

On Saturday, August 5th, at 3 o'clock p. m., Pleasant Grove church will meet in a business meeting, known as the annual Delegate Meeting. We hope for the presence of all members. By order of the Church. BLANCHE C. SMITH, Sec.

Surprised Mrs. Sipes.

On Monday evening, July 17th, as the sun was fast disappearing, a large crowd of friends was seen wending their way to Allison Sipes', it being Mrs. Sipes' 30th birthday. Her daughter Ethel and two friends had planned the surprise so perfectly that Mrs. Sipes never had the least intimation that anything out of the ordinary was going on. They just kept her going out to pick berries each day from the middle of the week before, so that she did not think it strange when asked to take a trip to a neighbor's fields for black-berries. They even had the family invited for dinner on Sunday so as to keep her in the dark until the right hour arrived. On the way home she kept wondering where all the people were going, never dreaming until near the house and seeing an auto before the door and so many teams around the barn, that they were stopping there. On going around the house, she saw friends everywhere. There were 76 strangers present. They were served with pies, ice-cream, cake, candy, lemonade, etc., and entertained by music on the organ, playing games, and pleasant conversation. At a late hour they began to depart for their homes, wishing Mrs. Sipes many more birthdays as pleasant as this one. Mrs. Sipes received many useful and valuable presents; also, a large number of beautiful cards.

Those present were, Rev. McGarvey and wife, and sons Albert and George; Jas. Davis and wife, Jas. McKee and wife, Orlanda Wagner and wife, A. J. Sipes and wife, Berkeley Sipes and wife, Charles Mellott and wife, David Strait and wife, George Sipes and wife, William Stevens and wife, Bert Wagner and wife, Mrs. George Wagner, Mrs. George Mellus, Mrs. C. J. Barton, Mrs. Andrew Brant, Mrs. Luther Kirk, Mrs. Wm. Evans, Mrs. McKendree Lamberson, Mrs. James Lamberson, Mrs. Cecelia Anderson, Mrs. Mary Sipes, Mrs. Harry Keller, Mrs. B. H. Shaw, Mrs. Harry Lamberson and son Raymond, Harrison Wagner, John Sipes, Emanuel Sipes, Owen Anderson, Simpson Mellott, Orpha Kerlin, Edna Hann, Alda Sharpe, Minnie Creuthers, Pauline Kirk, Sallie Fields, Beatrice Wagner, Chester McElhaney, Bertha Wagner, Wm. Rowe, Margaret Stevens, Jamie, Ted and Earl Keller; McClellan, Philletas and Bertha Strait; George and Rosa Mellus, Jessie Wagner, Benjamin Leighton, Alton Price, Lawrence Anderson, Carl Hann, Clem, Drew, Junie, Edgar Elizabeth and Goldie Sipes; Hance Lamberson.

Vote July 22 On Reciprocity.

An agreement to vote on the Canadian reciprocity bill July 22 was reached by the leaders of the various factions of the Senate at 1 o'clock today.

The agreement fixes a vote on the House wool revision bill for July 27; free list bill August 1, reappointment bill August 3, and statehood on the legislative day of August 7. It is expected that the adjournment of Congress will immediately follow the statehood vote.

The agreement was formally offered in the Senate by Republican Leader Penrose.

Senator Martin, Democratic leader, said Democrats favored the agreement because of the desire throughout the country to see the present session terminated.

Lawn Funeral for Heavy Women.

Mrs. Barbara Whiteman, wife of the Rev. John H. Whiteman, of Denholm Juniata county, was buried at Milltown one day last week. She weighed nearly 300 pounds, and no door nor window was large enough to get the coffin into the house. Undertaker Snider was compelled to prepare the corpse on the back porch of the residence and held the funeral services on the lawn.

The dead woman's husband, Rev. Whiteman, preached in Burnt Cabins in 1905.

August 3, Methodist Day.

The annual gathering of Methodists from the central part of the state, including the Altoona and Juniata districts of the Central Pennsylvania Conference, and the Blairsville district of the Pittsburg Conference, with other outlying territory, is being looked forward to with interest and expectancy. This year promises to eclipse all former occasions. August 3, 1911, is the date fixed, and Lakemont Park is the place.

A Peek Into His Pocket.

would show the box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve that E. S. Loper, a carpenter, of Marilla, N. Y., always carries. "I have never had a cut, wound, bruise, or sore it would not soon heal," he writes. Greatest healer of burns, boils, scalds, chapped hands and lips, fever sores, skin-eruptions, eczema, corns and piles. 25c. at Trout's drug store.

Helpful Hints for Housewives.

New bread may be cut quite evenly if the knife is very slightly heated.

Never put salt into soup when cooking until it is skimmed, as salt prevents the scum from raising.

When baking cake or bread if the oven gets too hot, the temperature may be reduced by placing a pan of cold water in the oven.

Before cooking canned goods place in a colander and drain off all juice and rinse with cold water. The seasoning must be supplied with good fresh butter, milk, salt and pepper. Leave no canned goods in a can that has been opened. Remove at once. This may rob the vegetables of some food value, but it is safest and best to do so.

Oranges and lemons will keep well if hung in a wire net in a cool, airy place.

When making apple pie the flavor is much improved and the apples will keep a good color if a few drops of lemon juice are squeezed over the apples just before the paste is put on.

When eggs are broken and can not be used at once they will keep better if the shell be removed and a quarter of a teaspoonful of salt be beaten into the egg. They later can be used for cakes or puddings.

IBDO.

The corn is growing nicely, and farmers are nearly done with their hay.

Dr. Remsburg made a professional visit to Watson Peck's recently, on account of the illness of his little daughter Edna.

Viola Kershner, of Needmore, is employed at Frank Hess's.

Mrs. Sarah Plessinger still continues very poorly.

NO HELP FOR THE ILL-MATED.

More Liberal Divorce Laws Are Frowned Upon by Austrian Public.

Slipping honey in his own flower garden has made the average Austrian so contented that he is not giving his unhappy brother in bondage the slightest encouragement in his agitation for a reform in the marriage laws of the Empire.

A regular organization of men and women who live separate from their mates has long been one of the unique institutions of Vienna. They meet with regularity, adopt resolutions, arrange processions and send petitions to the Diet, but with no success. Austria is the most uncompromising foe to divorce of all the Catholic countries of Europe and the outlook for the establishing of the great American institution is next to hopeless for those who have married and are sorry.

In fact, the heir to the throne is even more opposed to loose marriages than the Emperor himself. During the last four years five men in the immediate service of Archduke Francis Ferdinand (the heir to the throne) have been dismissed by him solely because they could not live in peace with their wives and obtained separations. The Archduke has an especially enthusiastic ally in his wife, the Duchess of Hohenberg. She is married to himmorganatically and naturally feels safer in her position as the time approaches when the Archduke will ascend the throne.

It cannot be denied that the movement for more liberal marriage and divorce laws has a considerable following. The movers succeeded in having many broken-heart stories printed in the more liberal papers, hoping thereby to arouse public sympathy. To-day a man whose wife is living in San Francisco with another husband writes this story of hard luck:

"I am a skilled furniture maker. When I married my wife had only her house linen for dowry. We lived together twelve years, quarrelling and making up, as I am told many people do.

"One day my wife and the best workman in my shop disappeared. My four children looked for their mother all over the city and I tried to find the man. Up to this time I had been hopeful that she would come back and ask to be taken in, but when I opened the family safe I found that they had taken 1,000 crowns which we had saved to buy wood and tools. "I was not able to hire a house-keeper and no respectable woman would share my roof with me because I was a married man. In desperation I gave up my independent position, sold my house and went to work for a big firm. My children were put to board with families—the girl went out to service and the boys became common day laborers, because I had no longer the chance to earn money enough to give them a trade education. "Two years after my wife left me I learned that she was in San Francisco, and was married to the man with whom she eloped. A divorce had been obtained in Bakersfield, Cal., without my knowledge. "The two are prospering, and are as happy as can be. I am a wreck, physically and financially, separated from the mother of my children, who had a right to expect a different fate from that which has been theirs. "If I could have obtained a real separation from my runaway wife I could have married again, and might have made up for the loss of the money she took, but the laws of Austria say that I am still married to the woman, while in America she is a respected wife of some one else."

OLD WAR FLAGS WILL BE CARED FOR.

Placing the New Cases in the Capitol Rotunda.

The many old, tattered and torn, bullet and shell-riddled battle flags that were carried by the Pennsylvania military organizations during the Civil war are at last to have a permanent resting place that will be so constructed as to preserve them from falling to pieces and at the same time afford a close view of them to all who are interested. The flags at present are kept in glass cases in the flag room of the State Museum building, but, despite every precaution, these cases cannot be made air tight and the silk in the standards is slowly rotting and causing particles of the flags to drop off. To obviate this and to more carefully preserve the old flags the State has ordered a number of glass and bronze standard holders, perfectly air tight, which will adorn the main rotunda of the Capitol and place the flags in full view at all times.

This new arrangement has long been contemplated. For years the flags were placed unprotected in the Adjutant General's department in the old Capitol until the present flag room was devised to hold them, and the fact that they were left exposed was the subject of much unfavorable comment. But even the present arrangement has been a failure because of the fact that the flags are so placed in the cases that it is almost impossible to see them to an advantage. The new arrangement of placing the cases in the new Capitol rotunda was a suggestion of Governor Stuart and has been carried out by Samuel B. Rambo, Superintendent of Public Grounds and Buildings, the latter directing the work.

There are other standards in the present flag room not carried during the Civil War, but possessed of much historic interest, and they will be provided for so as to properly preserve them.

It is proposed to photograph the old flags when they are moved to the new cases, the negatives of photographs taken years ago having been destroyed in a fire.

WHIPS COVE.

An abundance of rain fell early Monday morning, but not before it was needed, for the corn had begun to suffer.

Frank Mason, of McConnellsbury, was in the Cove last week.

D. C. Mallott was over in Bedford county selling cream separators last week.

Fred A. R. Mellott has been ill, but is some better now.

J. M. Truax is able to be about again.

Sunday visitors and visited: Joseph Garland and wife, of Needmore, in the home of N. W. Mellott; Oliver Dibelbiss, wife and brother-in-law, of Sideling Hill, in the home of J. M. Truax; Will Diehl and wife in the home of Howard Garland; Robert Diehl, wife and little daughter Hazel in the home of E. A. Diehl; George Layton and family in the home of Will McKee.

Some threshing has been done in the Cove. The grain seems to be making a very poor yield.

Will Truax, of McKibbin, was in the Cove last week.

Family Reunion.

The annual reunion of the Johnston and Kendall families residing in Ayr township, this county, was held at the home of Morrow B. Kendall on Tuesday. The weather was delightful and the orchard was used as a park where fifty-four of the clan assembled and spent a very pleasant afternoon. A delicious supper was served in the shadow of the "Old Apple Tree," which was followed by amusements of various kinds, and a very enjoyable time was had. Of course, in the midst of the pleasures attending the occasion the thought of the eleven members of the families who could not be present on account of illness or absence, marred the pleasure to some extent.

Our farmers are about all through harvesting and have begun to make hay.

Those who were visiting Sunday were, Robert Diehl and family and Frank Plessinger and family in the home of Edward Diehl; Howard Layton and wife in the home of George Diehl; Edward Mellott, Wilda Truax, and Miller Truax and wife, in the home of D. C. Mellott; Edward Mellott, George Deshong, and Oliver Dibel and wife, in the home of Miller Truax.

Miller Truax, who has been very ill, is better.

Happiest Girl in Lincoln.

A Lincoln, Neb., girl writes, "I had been ailing for some time with chronic constipation and stomach trouble. I began taking Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and in three days I was able to be up and got better right along. I am the proudest girl in Lincoln to find such a good medicine." For sale by all dealers.

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure

Digests what you eat.

It Pays to be Good.

I have lived a long time in this valley of tears, and my head has been whitened by hurrying years. I've sized up the world as I toddled along, I've sampled the right and I've sampled the wrong; I have herded with goats and I've frolicked with sheep, I have learned how to laugh, and I've learned how to weep; I have loafed, I have dreamed, I have whacked up some wood, and I'm sure of this fact, that it pays to be good. Whenever I do wrong, with malicious intent, then I feel for a while like a counterfeit cent; I would swap myself off for a watch made of brass, I haven't the courage to look in the glass. But when I do right, then how cheery I feel! The village is filled with my jubilant spiel! I feel that a feather is placed in my hood, and I guess I am right, for it pays to be good! Oh, what are the things of particular worth? And what are the prizes we gain upon earth? They are not the gems that go chinkety-clank, they are not the bundles we have in the bank. Respect of our neighbors, the love of our friends, some credit up there where the firmament bends—these things are the guerdon for which we should strive, they give us an object in being alive. And you'll never gain them, as gain them you should, unless you believe that it pays to be good.—Walt Mason.

Escaped With His Life.

"Twenty-one years ago I faced a awful death," writes, H. B. Martin, Port Harrelson, S. C. "Doctors said I had consumption and the dreadful cough I had looked like it, sure enough. I tried everything, I could hear of, for my cough, and was under the treatment of the best doctor in Georgetown, S. C., for a year, but could get no relief. A friend advised me to try Dr. King's New Discovery. I did so, and was completely cured. I feel that I owe my life to this great throat and lung cure." Its positively guaranteed for coughs, colds, and all bronchial affections. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free at Trout's drug store.

Fatally Injured Under Reaper.

What will no doubt prove to be a fatal accident occurred on the Middow farm, south of Chambersburg, Tuesday afternoon of last week between 2 and 3 o'clock, when David Stamey was thrown from a mower and dragged several yards with the guards of the machine fastened in his head and the knife working.

When found he was beneath the mower, which had caught in the fence. The frightened horses had run a distance of more than a quarter of a mile.

Mrs. Clara M. Grenadle, a daughter, in describing the accident said:

"Father was engaged in cutting hay in a field along the Waynesboro road when the accident occurred. He had reached the corner here and was turning, when an auto came by. Then the horses frightened and started to run. He tried to control them and after going quite a distance he was thrown beneath the machine, where he was found shortly afterward."

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Racket Store News

Well, those Screen Windows and Doors that we told you about are all gone, but we were fortunate in getting another lot of the 85c doors, and the 18 and 20c Windows. We have more of the \$2.50 and \$2.65 Lawn Mowers. They are good ones.

Fly Nets! Fly Nets!

This is the time that they are wanted. We have sold many already and have quite a lot more. We run out last year and couldn't get late. You want to see our Nets at \$1.20, \$1.38, \$1.48, \$1.65, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$2.80 and \$3.75. We can save you money.

We still handle the same ma-	14 qt tin dish pan	14c
chine oil	14 qt retinned dish pan	25c
Machine oilers	17 qt retinned dish pan	30c
Bolts 14 to 7 inches	21 qt retinned dish pan	38c
Drum Edge scythes	21 qt bread pans	75c
Batchelder pitch forks	Blue and white 3-coat enamel ware—	
Whet stones	3 to 8c	
Blinder whips	20 to 30c	
Monkey wrenches	18, 23, 30 and 55c	
Paris green	7c box	
Jar gums, red and white, we handle both kinds this year.	Regular 10c goods	7c doz
Hammocks \$1.25, \$1.70, \$1.90 and \$2.25	Felt window shades	8c
Table oil cloth	14c	
Boyers bottle blue	8c	
3 boxes blue	5c	
So-Bos-So kill fly	75c gal	
Cherry seeders	45c	
Ford choppers	48c	
DeVoe paint is a great go and saves you one-half.		
TINWARE.		
2 qt coffee pot	10 and 13c	
3 qt coffee pot	15c	
4 qt coffee pot	18c	
10 qt tin pails	10 to 20c	
10, 12 and 14 qt galvanized pail	15 to 20c	
10 qt tin dish pan	10c	
14 qt tin dish pan	14c	
17 qt retinned dish pan	21c	
21 qt retinned dish pan	38c	
21 qt bread pans	75c	
Blue and white 3-coat enamel ware—		
Pans	15c	
5, 8 and 16 qt kettles	20 to 48c	
Watering cans	20, 25, 30 and 38c	
Dinner pails	23c	
4 qt gray stew pans	10c	
Have 3 doz more of those small roasters large enough for 4 or 5lb roaster for young chickens	13c	
Wash basins	5, 10 and 15c	
Colanders	10 and 25c	
OVERALLS.		
Overalls, shirts and pants—see our stock of these goods, a good overall	48c	
Shippensburg work shirt that are full size and well made	45c	
Cheaper ones	25 and 30c	
Boys' heavy brownies	25c	
Ladies' vests	9, 10 and 13c	
Ladies' pants	23 and 25c	
Men's gauze	23, 43 and 45c	
Boys' gauze	23c	
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