

INTERESTING PARAGRAPHS

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

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Elusive Isabel.
E. R. McClain is furnishing our people with manufactured ice.
Mercersburg council has stopped the sale of cigars, soda water, etc., on Sunday.
Mrs. Lloyd Doyle and two children, of Harrisburg are visiting relatives in this place.
Mr. W. R. Berkstresser, of Waterfall, was in town on business Tuesday morning.
The Crystal Springs Camp Meeting began on Tuesday. It will continue for ten days.
Rev. W. M. Hann will preach at Morton's Point at 10 o'clock the third Sunday in August.
Mrs. George Mock and sister Miss Lulu Snider, spent last Thursday at Daniel E. Fore's.
The citizens of Mercersburg and Greencastle are agitating a trolley line between the two towns.
A Georgia Senator proposes to tax bachelors \$50 a year. As if the poor fellows hadn't had luck already.
Paul and Roy Ott, of Iowa were called home last week on account of the death of their mother Mrs. John Ott.
The Presbyterian Sunday school and congregation picnic ed at the "Douglas" yesterday afternoon.
It is estimated that at least 10,000 persons attended the Odd Fellows' picnic at Pen Mar, on Thursday last.
Miss Jeannette Stouteagle is spending a week visiting friends at Hancock, Md., and Berkeley Springs, W. Va.
Mrs. Hary E. McGarvey, of Baltimore, is visiting in the home of her son, Rev. L. W. McGarvey at Hustontown.
Ernest McClain and Merrill Nace made a trip over to Chambersburg last Friday evening in Ernest's automobile.
On Wednesday evening of last week six barns were burned by lightning within a radius of 10 miles of Harrisburg.
C. E. Royer of Spring Mills, Centre County, Pa., the father of Rev. John V. Royer is a guest at the M. E. parsonage.
Senator Frey of Maine died last week aged about 80 years. He was a member of the U. S. Senate for over 40 years.
Mrs. Clarence Wilson of Chambersburg is visiting in the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Eli Largent on west Walnut street.
Cloyd Erb, who has been spending a week among his old companions in McConnellsburg, returned to his home in Baltimore to day.
Mr. and Mrs. Orville Logue and little daughter, Kathleen, of Elerstie, Pa., are visiting in the home of Orville's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Logue.
Mrs. George Burtsfield, of Shippensburg, visited Mr. Burtsfield's sisters, Misses Kate and Sarah, and Mrs. Martha Kuhn—all in Fort Loudon, last week.
On account of the pastor's attendance at the Crystal Springs campmeeting, there will not be any preaching services on the Hustontown M. E. charge next Sunday.
Mr. Samuel A. Hess, of Belfast township, candidate for the Democratic nomination for County Treasurer, was in town Monday. He says rain is much needed in his locality.
M. R. Shaffner, Esq., made a trip to Bedford last Thursday in his Ford Runabout. He was accompanied by Mrs. S. B. Woollet who visited her sister in law Mrs. John R. Fisher.
"I was cured of diarrhoea by one dose of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy," writes M. E. Gebhardt, Oriole, Pa. There is nothing better. For sale by all dealers.
"Were all medicines as meritorious as Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy the world would be much better off and the percentage of suffering greatly decreased," writes Lansay Scott, of Temple, Ind. For sale by all dealers.

Dr. H. C. McClain, Dr. A. K. Davis, and Mr. N. E. Hoover Democratic candidate for Prothonotary—all of Hustontown, came to town in Dr. McClain's automobile yesterday.
Mr. G. Ellis Sipes, formerly of Needmore, writing from his home in California, says crops are only about 50 to 75 per cent. of the average there. He and his family are enjoying good health.
Oklahoma will this year produce 1,200,000 bales of cotton, valued at \$75,000,000. Pretty good for a country that up to twenty years ago never produced anything but trouble.
Eld. Lefeets, of Leesburg, Va., will preach at the Sideling Hill Baptist Church next Saturday and Sunday, August 19th and 20th, at 10 o'clock a. m., and at Needmore on Sunday evening.
Dr. and Mrs. Hanks, of Breezewood drove down Tuesday in the Doctor's E. M. F. Thirty and returned home taking with them Heien Hanks, who had been visiting here and in Franklin county.
The French steamer Emir foundered in the Strait of Gibraltar in a dense fog, after collision with the British steamer Silverton, and 93 persons were drowned—69 passengers and 24 of the crew.
Prof. J. H. Daniels, of Huntingdon, Mrs. Rose Hammond, of Dryrun, and Miss Ethel Kypser, of Mt. Union were guests at the Shearer home on Upper Ridgley Street over Sabbath.—Orionisia Dispatch—
M. R. Shaffner, Esq., drove over to Orbisina in his Ford Run about last Friday afternoon, attended the funeral of one of his nephews in Huntingdon, on Saturday, and returned home Sunday afternoon.
One of the most common ailments that hard working people are afflicted with is lame back. Apply Chamberlain's Liniment twice a day and massage the parts thoroughly at each application, and you will get quick relief. For sale by all dealers.
The statements that deer are more numerous in Pennsylvania forests than ever before are confirmed by tourists, who see many deer while passing through the mountainous districts of Bedford and Fulton counties.
Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Pittman accompanied by Mrs. Pittman's sister, Miss Mabel Fore, returned home last Wednesday after a brief visit to the following places of interest: Niagara Falls, Buffalo, Pittsburg and Harrisburg.
Mr. John G. Hess, of Needmore, was in town on business last Saturday. He was accompanied by Mrs. Emanuel Fegley, who was here on business connected with the settlement of the estate of her deceased husband.
After having spent a week very pleasantly in the home of their uncle J. J. Dunlap at Fayetteville, Franklin county, Miss Mary Stouteagle, of this place and Helen Hanks, of Breezewood, returned to McConnellsburg, Monday.
Miss Gertrude Sipes drove her Ford touring car over to Mercersburg last Saturday and brought home her grand-father James Sipes, and uncle Harvey Sipes who were returning from a trip to their farms in Cumberland county.
Miss Katie S. Fore, spent a few days at Atlantic City, and on her home trip was met in Harrisburg by her friends Mrs. Lizzie Royer Miller of Philadelphia and Mrs. Mary Royer Schrader of Scranton, who accompanied her to her home and spent the time there until last Monday, when they returned to their homes.
Miss Martha Kendall left for her work in the mountains of Kentucky last Friday. She is engaged in Home Mission work under the auspices of the Associate Presbyterian church. She had been spending a summer vacation in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Kendall in the Cove.
Mr. Henry Garland, of Bethel township, called at the NEWS office a few minutes while in town last Saturday. Mr. Garland informed us that his daughter-in-law, wife of Eld. Arlington Garland, had a surgical operation performed in the Maryland University Hospital about three weeks ago; that the operation was successful, and that they expect the lady to be able to be brought home soon.

Mrs. R. W. McKibbin and children came over from Waynesboro yesterday to spend a few days with Mr. McKibbin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Kendall.
Mr. Jesse B. Snyder, of Thompson township, was in town a few hours yesterday. Mr. Snyder has a patent on a canthook that is one of the best things we have ever seen for use of lumbermen.
Charles Studebaker passed through town last week pushing a cart. He claimed to be walking from Brice-ton, Ohio, to Philadelphia, to New York, to Chicago via Buffalo and thence to Brice-ton, on a wager with the H. O. C., a secret organization of the latter place. The pedestrian is to make the trip in one year; is not to "beg," but is to pay expenses by repairing watches, clocks, honing razors, etc. He left Brice-ton June 22nd.
We had a very agreeable call Monday afternoon from Rev. J. I. Wenger, pastor of the Gaithersburg, Md., M. E. charge. Mr. Wenger taught the Ditch Run school in Thompson township one term while the Editor was County Superintendent, and did excellent work. He came over to McConnellsburg Monday with Mr. Raymond Brewer of the Little Cove, and took dinner in the home of Raymond's uncle, C. J. Brewer, of the Cove.
Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Smith, and Miss Agnes Smith—all of Chambersburg, spent last Friday making a trip to this county in Mr. Smith's "Elmore"—Harvey and Miss Agnes were born on the J. Walker Johnston farm in the Cove, and a trip during the day was made to their old home. They took dinner at Archie Johnston's and came to town and had supper with Mr. and Mrs. Leslie W. Seylar, and returned home in the evening.
Mr. B. R. Stimpson, of Dicekeys Mountain was in town on Monday, and was a pleasant caller at the NEWS office. Bennie said that Judge Lambert went down to Baltimore Saturday evening, and on Monday morning reached home accompanied by his nephew Stanley Lambert who had recently had a leg amputated in the Maryland University Hospital, Baltimore. Stanley's leg has almost healed, and he is feeling fine, which will be agreeable news to his many friends.
A lawyer charges a man \$10 for ten minutes' conversation. The man insists on paying it. A doctor charges one dollar for a prescription, and the patient says: "Oh pshaw! Is that enough?" An undertaker charges \$100 for conducting a funeral, and he is just perfectly lovely with everybody inside and outside the family, says the Marion (Ga.) Record. A man buys a gold brick and apologizes for not having bitten before. An editor walks a mile in the hot sun to get facts of a death or a wedding or a social function and spends three hours writing it up and tells his praising people until he hates himself. Then if he makes an insignificant omission or charges five cents straight for three extra copies he is a stung, careless, good for nothing old cuss who never gets anything right and charges four times the price of city papers twice as large.—Ex.

To Double Egg Production.
The American hen lays eighty egg a year. That is the average. She ought to lay one hundred and fifty a year. That is the average. She does. These are the figures and this the decision officially declared by the American Poultry Association, in annual session at Denver.
If the hen would do as well as she ought to, the production of wealth in the United States would be increased four hundred million dollars a year. It is not the fault of the hen that she does only about half what she ought to do, but of her owner. Her comparatively meagre production is due to the fact that she is not properly housed, fed and cared for.
These are facts which the American Poultry Association is striving to impress upon every farmer and poultry raiser. It used to be true, and perhaps is yet, that most farmers paid no attention to their hens except to give them feed and a place to roost, until disease broke out among them, or their chicks, and then they let them die, because they did not know how to prevent it.
The raising of chickens for the market and for their eggs is a science that must be mastered and practiced if the best results are to be obtained. It is a science that is being taught in the School of Agriculture at State College and at the Pennsylvania Farmers' Institute and Movable Farm Schools. The value of it is not sufficiently appreciated by the general run of farmers. The official declaration by the American Poultry Association, made up of experts, that with better care the farmers could about double their profit from eggs, ought to make a deep impression on them.
The four hundred million dollars annual increased production of wealth, estimated by the executive committee of the national organization would be theirs.—The Patriot.

WELLS TANNERY.
J. C. Kirk, wife and daughter Marjorie, of Saxton, are guests in the home of A. S. Greenland and wife.
Bessie Helsel, of Saxton, and Mrs. Emma Weyrick and two daughters, are visiting their parents, Albert Helsel and wife.
Mrs. B. C. Dawney, of Philadelphia, and Mrs. Quinter, of Huntingdon, are visiting their sister, Mrs. G. W. Sipe.
Malinda Barnett, and Mrs. Clara Dugan and daughter Helen, of Springfield, Mo., are visiting A. F. Baker's family and other relatives in the Valley.
Gusta Snow, of Everett is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Amanda Snow.
Mrs. Charles Stunkard, who was quite ill last week, is improving.
Mrs. Katherine Spangler, who has been very sick for weeks, is still suffering with a complication of troubles.
W. L. Sprowl and daughter Mrs. Letta Amick, visited friends at Harrisonville last week.
Craig Beatty, of Leechburg, spent Sunday with his family here.
R. H. Kay and Mr. Bower, of Saxton, were guests of W. H. Baumgardner and wife, Tuesday.
S. P. and Harvey Wishart attended the annual Everett picnic Friday.
Mrs. Harvey Wishart is visiting her daughter Mrs. J. R. Hunter in Lewistown.

Water With Meals.
The generally accepted theory is that it is not good to drink much water with meals for the reason that it dilutes the digestive juices and renders them weaker. This, however, is a mere assumption, and does not appear to be borne out by the facts of actual experiments.
Prof. P. B. Hawk, physiological chemist of the University of Illinois, has been experimenting along this line and has satisfied himself that copious draughts of water during meals aid, rather than retard, digestion. In a recent report he gives the results of one of his experiments. The subject was a man 22 years old. He was "placed on normal and constant diet" for thirteen days, analysis being made of his food before the experiment began. Water was given sparingly at first, only half a glass being allowed at each meal—breakfast, 7:30; lunch, noon, and dinner, 6:15. The supply was increased, with beneficial effect, until the subject was drinking three pints of water at each meal and his usual pint between breakfast and lunch, between lunch and dinner, and between dinner and bedtime. This made six quarts of water a day.
Every day the subject was weighed before breakfast, and he gained steadily in weight and healthy tissue. All his physical processes improved. He looked better and felt better as the days wore on, and it was found that the bodily activities were stimulated so that separation and distribution of foods were improved and the system kept free of toxic poisons. The effect was an increased storage capacity for nitrogen in the body, and "the protein constituents of the diet were more economically utilized during the period of extra water ingestion."
Attack Like Tigers.
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President Taft has designated Thursday November 30th as Thanksgiving Day.

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We have certainly had a nice trade on these goods, but in order to make room for our fall shoes. We have to get rid of them. You all know what the **WALK-OVER** low Shoes, and the **QUEEN QUALITY** low Shoes are, and you know that the price is the same everywhere. Now we are going to sell the \$4.00 Shoes for a short time at \$3.25 in tan and black. The \$3.50 Shoes at \$2.78 and the \$3.00 ones at \$2.25; \$2.50 at \$2.00; \$1.98 at \$1.60. The Ladies Queen Quality that were \$3.00 now \$2.35; \$2.50 at \$2.00; \$2.00 at \$1.60; \$1.50 and \$1.60 Oxfords \$1.25; \$1.25 ones, \$1.00. Misses and Children's Oxfords—\$1.48 ones at \$1.20; \$1.25 ones at \$1.00; \$1.00 at 85c; 90c at 65c; 65c ones, 50c. Boys' Gun Metal Oxfords was \$2.00 now \$1.60; Youths', 9 to 13-1-2 was \$1.25 now \$1.00. These are great bargains at the full price and at the special low price they are a great saving to you.
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NEEDMORE.
We have been having very warm weather during the past few days.
Matthew Byers and grand-daughters Elizabeth and Florence Collier who have been visiting in the home of W. A. Peck for the past three weeks, returned to Pittsburg last Saturday.
William T. Ranyan, the eye specialist, and his brother John of McConnellsburg filled an appointment of several days here last week. Mr. Ranyan had several patients while here.
Quite a number of our people have been going to the mountain for huckleberries and return with bushels.
Belle Mellott who has been employed at Dott for several months spent last week with her parents J. D. Mellott and wife.
Some of our people attended the funeral of Emmanuel Fegley, Friday.
J. G. Hess spent last Saturday at the County Seat.
Several people made cider here last week.