

## INTERESTING PARAGRAPHS

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

### CONDENSED FOR HURRIED READERS

Farm for Rent.—Frank Mason, Agent.

Mr. William Kelso, near Knobsville, is very ill of pneumonia.

Trespass Notices sent by mail. Six for a quarter. Send postage stamps.

Misses Viola and Rosetta Melott were Saturday shoppers in Chambersburg.

Rev. W. M. Hann will preach at Mortons Point next Sunday morning at 10 o'clock.

John McLucas, of the Cove was a business visitor in Mercersburg last Saturday.

Miss Ethel Sipes, of Laidig, spent a few days last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mason.

Mr. H. L. Baumgardner, one of Wells township's substantial farmers, spent Monday in town on business.

When you have a bilious attack give Chamberlain's Tablets a trial. They are excellent. For sale by all dealers.

Mr. George E. Brant, of Franklin county, was circulating among his friends on this side of the mountain Tuesday.

Miss Alice M. Long, of Knobsville, spent last Saturday in the home of her sister, Mrs. Adam Gress in this place.

Mr. and Mrs. George Steach, of this place, spent last Sunday in the home of the latter's brother, Richard Pittman.

George Morton, son of Hon. and Mrs. Peter Morton, left his home last Tuesday to enter State College as a student.

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Charles B. Paylor returned home last Saturday evening after having spent part of last week visiting friends in Mercersburg, Greencastle, and near Hagersstown.

Mrs. Harry Lamberson and adopted son Raymond, of Huston town, spent the past week in the home of Prof. and Mrs. B. C. Lamberson, on north Second street.

Miss Edith Mellott, who suffered a fracture of one of her arms in falling from a stepladder in Chambersburg about three weeks ago, came home last Saturday.

Stephen Tenley, one of Franklin county's bustling young farmers, spent last Saturday on this side of the mountain on business, and was an agreeable caller at the NEWS office.

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.

Mr. John W. Truxel, of Thompson township, was in town Monday and spent a few minutes very pleasantly sitting in an expensively upholstered chair in Dr. Steven's dental parlor.

Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Mann, of Mansfield, Ohio, Mrs. John McClellan and Mr. John Mann, of Needmore, spent Tuesday and Wednesday with P. P. Mann and family, in McConnellsburg.

Word was received here yesterday morning by the Fleming boys that their uncle Dr. J. C. Appleby, of Shirleysburg was dead, and that his funeral would take place at 1 o'clock, Wednesday afternoon.

Farmer Jonathan Peck near Knobsville butchered six nice porkers one day last week. One of them dressed 435 pounds, another, 445, and the others—well, they did not weigh any more apiece than the two mentioned.

You will find that druggists everywhere speak well of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. They know from long experience in the sale of it that in cases of coughs and colds it can always be depended upon, and that it is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by all dealers.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian Church will sell in the Alex Patterson building, on Saturday, December 16th, from 10 a. m., to 5 p. m., home made bread, pies, cakes, potato chips, &c. Drop in and get a supply for Sunday.

Bethany Salvation Church Sunday school near Big Cove Tannery will hold a Christmas entertainment on Sunday evening, December 17th. A cordial invitation to the public to attend, is hereby extended.—Mrs. A. V. B. Souders, Secretary.

Prof. and Mrs. Emory Thomas and their little daughter Geraldine, attended the funeral of Mrs. Thomas's sister, Mrs. Rebecca Rotz Stoops in Franklin county, Tuesday. They were taken in an automobile as far as Greencastle by Harry Johnston.

William B. Ranck, one of Bethel township's enterprising farmers, was here in attendance at the Farmers' Institute Tuesday afternoon and evening. Mr. Ranck appreciates the value of these meetings, and thinks it pays him well for the time and expense of attending them.

There have been rumors afloat again the past week or more that the Pennsylvania Railroad is about buying the Huntingdon and Broad Top Railroad and the coal lands of that company in the Broad Top region, but as yet there has nothing developed to confirm the rumors.

After having spent several weeks among his oldtime Fulton County relatives and friends, Adam Kauffman has returned to his home in Pittsburg. Mr. Kauffman spent the time from last Thursday until Saturday in the home of his grand-daughter Mrs. A. F. Cutchall, and her family.

The farm of the late Wilson C. Locke, of Shade Gap, was sold on the premises by Mrs. Locke, administrator, for \$6100, to Prof. E. E. Kell, of that place. This farm is in a fine location, has splendid buildings and contains 125 acres. Prof. Kell taught school in Thompson township a few years ago.

B. A. McClellan, of Bedford, and V. D. Schenck, of Wells Tannery, shipped five carloads of apples last week, grown in Wells Valley. More and more attention is given to the cultivation of fruit trees in this county with each year, and the fruit product is becoming one of the important sources of revenue to the farmer.

From the Gazette-Times (Pittsburg) we learn that on the 27th of November, a license was granted George Copenhaver and Miss Rebecca Belle Deshong—both of Andover, to be united in marriage. While we have not heard anything more about it, we suspect that by this time Miss Belle writes her name Mrs. Copenhaver.

The time for filing accounts of expenses at the recent election expired last Friday. Candidates who failed to observe the law, are in danger of losing offices to which they were elected this year or in the future. The same limit applies to the regular committees and the various other organizations which had to do with the recent election.

Harvey Snyder, of Needmore, came to town last Friday after his sister Miss Orpha, who had been attending the Institute. They went up to their Uncle Jonathan Peck's near Knobsville, and remained until Saturday, when they returned to Needmore. Harvey returned just a few days ago from Illinois where he had spent three months. Harvey is quite "stuck" on the west, and may go out there in the spring and locate permanently.

Dr. Samuel A. Martin, principal of the Shippensburg State Normal school, has suit brought against him for failing to pay his taxes. In accordance a sale of his personal property has been ordered. It appears that when Dr. Martin was given blanks on which to write the value of his properties he would not comply with the assessor's wishes. No tax could then be figured, so the county commissioners, it is said judged that his property was worth \$12,500. On this amount his taxes, State and county, were based. A delinquent tax collector, tried to get the money, but could not, and in turn ordered that his property be levied upon.

## AT CLEAR RIDGE.

Farmers' Institute on Tuesday and Wednesday of Next Week.

On December 19th and 20th, on the second floor of the Mechanics Hall at Clear Ridge, there will be held a Farmers' Institute for the benefit of the farmers, and every one that is within reach should attend. Lecturers from various parts of the State will be there to make the institute one of interest.

On the first floor, and at the same time, there will be an exhibit of Agricultural and Horticultural products, and honors given for the best grown fruits and grain of different kinds; so, if you have any of either one or both, bring them along and have them placed on exhibit.

The Mechanics Concert Band will hold an oyster supper on the same floor of the exhibit, and immediately after the Institute adjourns, the Band will give a concert for an hour free to every one.

Every body come and help make the Institute a success.

### COMMITTEE.

#### CLEAR RIDGE.

On account of a week's vacation brought about by the teachers having to attend the County Institute last week, the pupils of the various schools of the County returned to their studies Monday morning.

Mrs. G. C. Fields, Mrs. Jesse Bloom, and Miss Nelle Baker made a trip to McConnellsburg last Thursday and took time to look in upon the Institute awhile. Master Leo Fields who has been suffering from and attack of eczema for some time, is getting much better.

Luther Grove, Charles Henry, and Miss Minnie Grove were among our people who attended Institute last week.

Mrs. Bert Henry and children—Mabel, Grace, and Mary, spent the past week in the home of Mrs. Henry's parents, John P. Kerlin and wife.

Misses Irene and Emma Kerlin spent last week with relatives at the County Seat.

Don't forget to attend the Farmers' Institute at Clear Ridge on the 19th and 20th.

Misses Oltipa Keebaugh and Elsie Cromwell spent part of last week with relatives in McConnellsburg.

#### GRACEY.

We have been having beautiful weather during the past week. The Institute on last Friday night was well attended.

Some of the young folks from this place attended the County Institute last Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. Mack Kerlin has been visiting the past week at Pitcairn Huntingdon, and Mapleton.

Dr. Fawcett preached to a large congregation at Center last Sunday.

Miss Elsie McClain of Oak Grove, visited at the homes of James Cutchall's and Isaac McClain's last Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Velma Alloway spent Thursday and Friday with her friend Miss Ruth Lyon.

Miss Addie Gracey spent Institute week with her Aunt Mrs. Richard Alloway at New Grenada.

Mack Kerlin left this morning for Albion to see his sister Mrs. Jenale Brown who is in the hospital at that place.

Miss Freda Alloway spent part of last week in the home of Bert McClain's near New Grenada.

#### Ends Winter's Troubles.

To many, winter is a season of trouble. The frost-bitten toes and fingers, chapped hands and lips, chilblains, cold sores, red and rough skins, prove this. But such troubles fly before Bucklen's Arnica Salve. A trial convinces. Greatest healer of Burns, Boils, Piles, Cuts, Sores, Bruises, Eczema and Sprains. Only 25c at Trout's drug store.

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## FINE PICTURES.

North American Coupons Make Available Photographures of Masterpieces.

For the second of a series of remarkably fine art photographures The Philadelphia North American is offering that greatest of masterpieces by a woman painter, "Madame Le Brun and daughter."

The picture, which the North American offers to its readers, unframed, at the remarkable price of 5 cents, which accompanied by a coupon from Sunday's edition, is of a quality that would sell for at least \$1 in art shops. It is 16x20 inches, and is printed on high-grade art paper. An even more remarkable offer is made of the same picture, framed, for 70 cents and the coupon. In case pictures are to be mailed, 5 cents extra is required. Framed pictures are sent out by express, charges collect, at owner's risk, on receipt of 70 cents and the coupon.

Vigee Le Brun, the greatest of French women painters—in fact, the greatest woman painter of any time—threw into this work her mother's soul. It represents all the mother's devotion to a child and all of the child's devotion to a mother—a devotion which, sadly enough, the child outgrew in mature years. It is the ideal picture of mother-love, since it is the representation of that affection as painted by a mother herself. The picture is one of the great treasures of the French government collection at the Louvre Museum, at Paris.

The North American's coupon is also available for the purchase, at the same price, of a magnificent photographure copy of "Mona Lisa," the \$5,000,000 painting which was stolen from the Louvre, at Paris, last August. The reproduction is one of the finest that has ever been offered.

#### Lightning Kills Few.

In 1906 lightning killed only 160 people in this whole country. One's chances of death by lightning are less than two in a million. The chance of death from liver, kidney or stomach trouble is vastly greater, but not if Electric Bitters be used, as Robert Madson, of West Burlington, Ia., proved. Four doctors gave him up after eight months of suffering from virulent liver trouble and yellow jaundice. He was then completely cured by Electric Bitters. They're the best stomach, liver, nerve and kidney remedy and blood purifier on earth. Only 50c at Trout's drug store.

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## Caution Notice.

Whereas an orphan child, known as Elsie Seiders, was duly installed into the home of the undersigned in Ayr township, Fulton county, Pennsylvania from the Orphans' Home, Hagerstown, Md., when Elsie was a mere child; and Whereas, certain persons are using their influence to entice Elsie to leave her home, this is to warn all persons, that I will pay no debts of her contracting, and that I will prosecute any one proven to be guilty of trying to persuade her to leave my home without my consent.

JOHN C. SEIDERS,  
November 29, 1911.

## FARM SALE.

The Christian Martin Farm in Ayr Township Will Be Sold on the 28th of December.

On Thursday, December 28, 1911, the undersigned, executors of the will of Christian Martin, late of Ayr township, Fulton county, Pa., deceased, will sell the farm of the late decedent to the person or persons offering the highest bid at that time. Terms cash; or half cash, and the balance secured by a first mortgage on the farm.

This farm lies in Ayr township, 2 miles south of McConnellsburg, and consists of 90 acres of good limestone land, with buildings and fences in good repair.

Any person desiring to purchase a desirable home will do well to call and examine the property.

Any person or persons desiring to purchase this property, will please to leave their sealed bid with Mrs. Lydia J. Martin, who resides on the farm, and whose address is McConnellsburg, Pa.

None but sealed bids will be considered, and no bids will be opened until 12 o'clock, noon December 28, 1911.

LYDIA J. MARTIN,  
S. R. MARTIN,  
Executors.

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