

INTERESTING PARAGRAPHS

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

CONDENSED FOR HURRIED READERS

Look before you shoot.

James Fix is breaking the record husking corn.

Daniel E. Fore left Monday for a visit to Hagerstown and other points.

Mrs. Eli Hann, and her son David, of Needmore, were shopping in town Tuesday.

Mrs. Nettie Alexander entertained a company of ladies at tea last Saturday evening.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. George Souders, east of town, a little daughter, last Sunday.

You must now speak of the top of the mountain on the Loudon like as "Lincoln Park."

We hear that Licking Creek is so low that the fish have to bend their necks to get a drink.

Miss Jean Johnston, who is attending Shippensburg State Normal school, was home over Sabbath.

Mrs. E. R. Cutshall of Clear Ridge, spent a week very pleasantly with her friend Mrs. A. F. Cutshall at Selea.

Miss Myrtle Fix, of Selea, is spending a week with her brother James, in McConnellsburg, and with other friends.

The Melville Woolen Company, of Chambersburg, received an order last week for 110,000 blankets for the French army.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Clay, of Columbus, Ind., were recent visitors in the home of the latter's cousin, Mrs. George Mock.

Mrs. W. E. Bair, of Green Hill accompanied Rev. E. J. Croft and family in the Croft auto, to the Hagerstown Fair, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hall, of Hagerstown, and Willis Lemaster, of Faith, South Dakota, were recent visitors at Daniel E. Fore's.

Rev. and Mrs. J. L. Yearick attending the funeral of a friend in eastern Pennsylvania, and will be home Friday evening.

The new pavement in front of Sam's saddlery, and Great-Grand's cigar store, adds greatly to the appearance of that locality.

John Stiver, of Bedford, spent time from Friday until Monday in the homes of his uncle, C. Peck and B. W. Peck in McConnellsburg.

Sheriff Harris took Misses Grace Amy Lodge, Joan Morton Ruth Cooper to Chambersburg last Saturday, on a shopping expedition.

Miss Nora Watson, and Gladys Wang, a pupil in her school, left Friday for Clayton, Del., where Miss Nora is engaged in teaching in the public schools.

Mrs. Nettie L. Alexander and daughter, Miss Maria Dickson Alexander, and Miss Minnie Watson, went to Harrisburg this morning on a few days' pleasure trip.

Mrs. Wilson Elder, (Dix Robinson) of Albany, N. Y., was the object of great anxiety last week account of severe illness, but is somewhat better at this time.

Marshall McKibbin, of Washington, D. C., came up last week for a few days' visit to see his mother and baby who are rusticating in the home of Miss Mollie Peck.

Henry Booth, of Altoona, left Monday for the electrical department of the car shops and home last Saturday to look after his material interests in town.

John H. Wilt, a former time resident of McConnellsburg, but now of Waynesboro, is visiting in the home of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Nesbit.

George A. Harris was in Philadelphia latter part of last week with his wife who is in the hospital. It is expected that Mrs. Harris will return home about a week from to-day.

H. Sipes, formerly of Licking Creek township, and now located at Hartsville, Ohio, R. D. 2, has subscribed to the NEWS for a week, offered to give our readers the cost of erecting and printing this new silo. Please send your name to Mr. Sipes. Many will be glad to hear from you.

The band of greasy gypsies that passes through here every summer camped near town Monday night. We did not hear of their having paid \$50 for the privilege of annoying citizens.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Hoover, of Superior, Wis., came to their home town—Burnt Cabins—last Friday, and will remain there probably all winter on account of bad health of Mrs. Hoover's mother, Mrs. Nancy Comerer.

Miss Elizabeth Doyle, who had been spending a week in Mercersburg in the home of her brother Joseph B. Doyle, returned home last Friday evening accompanied by Mrs. Doyle (Lillian DeHart) who remained until Monday morning.

F. C. Hockensmith, wife, and children—Paul, Elizabeth, and Ruth of Johnstown, spent a few days last week in Franklin county with Mrs. Hockensmith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McClure, and are now visiting friends in this county.

As yesterday was the first rainy day for a long time, Thompson Peck and Floyd Hart, of Needmore, could not resist the temptation to be out in it, and they made a trip to McConnellsburg. Floyd stopped at Brookside Farm and bought a fine Holstein heifer.

F. R. Shives, Pleasant Ridge, spent from Saturday until Monday in town. His son H. D. Shives drove through this place at about day light Saturday morning on his way to Greencastle on business, and returned Monday, taking his father home with him.

The open season for squirrels and pheasants begins to-day. The season for rabbits opens November 1st. To avoid mistakes while shooting, we may do so by remembering that rabbits have fur and long ears; pheasants have feathers and short ears.

If our Burnt Cabins readers realized how much their friends out west missed news from that section, they would send us a postal card every week, giving a few of the most important items. We will gladly furnish stamps and paper. Your friends away from home expect it.

The dry weather this season evidently did not cut the potato crop for all farmers. James D. Stevens, of Dublin township, has a fine lot of nice ones—some of them weighing 30 ounces; and J. Bart Stevens, who owns a farm down along Woodenbridge, in Taylor township, reports a crop of 230 bushels from one acre of ground. Many of these were large—weighing as much as 52 ounces each.

At The New Store.

Don't forget that Mertie E. Shimer has all kinds of useful and fancy goods on hand all the time. Fancy Galath buttons, one and two color glass buttons, Tango Silk Neck Cords, the very latest in Tango hair pins and Barrettes, lovely Beads, Laces and Ribbons, Ruching, Fancy Pins, Side Combs, Embroidered Belts, fine Handkerchiefs, Neck Bows Corset Covers, ready-made Drawers for misses and children Gauze vests, Stockings, Toilet articles, Kitchen utensils, fine fresh Candies, Novelties, and many other articles too numerous to mention. Mail orders filled. 2t.

Church Notices.

Rev. Croft will preach at Bedford Chapel Saturday evening at 7:30; at Mt. Zion, Sunday morning at 10:30; and at Ebenezer, at 2:30.

Mrs. Mary E. Marshall, of Philadelphia, will deliver an address in the Lutheran church next Sunday evening. This is the lady who was booked to speak there two weeks ago, but was not able to come.

The Holy Communion will be observed by the Reformed and Presbyterian congregations, at 10:30 o'clock next Sunday morning in the Reformed church. Preparatory services in the Reformed church, Saturday afternoon at 2:30. Regular preaching services Sunday evening in the Presbyterian church; subject "Eden."

Irwin Mellott.

A telegram to Hon. John P. Sipes, Wednesday of last week, conveyed the information that Irwin Mellott died at Ollie, Iowa, the evening before. No further particulars were obtainable up to the time of going to press. Mr. Mellott was a former resident of Licking Creek township.



FOR CONGRESS. FRANK L. DERSHEM.

A vote for Hon. Frank L. Dershem is a vote to uphold the Wilson administration, and every man ought to stand by the President of a great nation at a time when thrones are tottering and the governments of Europe are crumbling. No President since the time of Abraham Lincoln faced more trying circumstances than the present head of the nation. He needs and merits the united support of all right-thinking Americans, and the support of Congressman Dershem means the support of the President as well.

Our Answer.

Never, perhaps, in the history of this country has the farmer been so justly recognized as during the past few months. When the pinch of high priced food brought the cities and consuming centers to realize that the American policy of educating our boys and girls away from agriculture by luring them to crowded factory centers to make labor there cheaper was wrong, then, and not before, did the advocates of better agricultural financing get a hearing in our legislative halls and among financiers. As we write, we have before us an appeal to banks of America by a big manufacturing trust, to do all they can to further the interests of their respective farming communities. The banks are urged in the strongest language to educate farmers to make their farms produce more. It is all very good as far as that part is concerned, but back of it all is the old cry "Set the wheels of industry and commerce in motion." And even that would be all right too, if, yes, "if" our captains of industry were broad enough to foster both sides, as good generals would do, by seeing that their base of supplies is safe. This they (the captains) did not do, and the present social, and as a result, political, unrest is solely due. There is no other possible explanation of the situation.

As an unbiased student of political economy, we have found that the government machinery, save for a very small portion, has been run with one object in mind namely, the fostering of every description of industry requiring capital, with the exception of the one on which all stable governments are based, namely, agriculture. Even the text books used in our country schools are colored to lead the minds of the young to city life.

Our comment, therefore, on the circular in question, from the National Vehicle and Implement Association, is; Gentlemen, you are at least twenty-five years behind the times for not having before recognized the mistakes that we as a nation have made. Labor with which to push farming extension cannot be had, and funds for the maintenance of Experiment Station agents has not been provided, as we have recent letters from that institution to prove. It is neither the inclination nor the province of farmers to maintain fighting lobbies in our legislatures to get their share of benefits from those bodies. This state lost Prof. Agee for the reason that he was disgusted with conditions that would maintain a costly experiment station and not make ample provision for the dissemination of their useful knowledge freely and liberally among the very ones for whom the work is intended. The bluffs now being made to do so only prove the necessity and demand for it.

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WATERFALL.

This community was shocked last week to hear of the death of Oscar Brown, and the injury of a Mr. Williams and Albert Fraker of Robertsdale, caused by the explosion of a boiler at that place.

D. A. Black and wife spent last Sunday with their son Charlie and family, and Mrs. John Gracoy spent the same day with her mother, Mrs. Margaret Berkstresser.

Isaac Baker and wife attended church at Mt. Tabor, Sunday, and spent the remainder of the day in the home of S. S. Strait.

Jesse B. Heefner, wife and daughter Olive were shopping in Salsillo, Monday.

Rert Heeter, of New Grenada, passed through here with a family car which he purchased from John Cromwell, of Maddensville.

Mrs. Burns and daughter, of Altoona, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Albert King.

Mrs. Harriett Barnett and sister, Mrs. Richey, of Altoona, are visiting friends in Hustontown.

The institute held at Miss Ruth Strait's school last Friday was well attended.

Mrs. D. A. Black spent last Tuesday with her daughter, Mrs. Charlie Cutshall.

BRUSH CREEK.

Mrs. Melissa Lodge, of McConnellsburg, is visiting her son George, of this place.

John Truax and Ernest Sprowl of Wells Tannery, spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in our Valley.

Mrs. John Mellott, of Gapsville, spent one day last week with her sister, Miss Sadie Barton.

Mrs. Rhoda Barton spent part of last week with B. F. Whitfield and family.

John Stouteagle, of McConnellsburg, is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Hixson. Miss Edna Fletcher spent Sunday in the home of M. E. Barton and family.

James Akers, who is employed at Everett, spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Akers.

LAUREL RIDGE.

John Clouser, Altoona, spent a few days with his brother Jacob.

Miss Mayme Hess, of Martinsburg, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Jacob Clouser.

Rev. Powers, Needmore, will preach at Laurel Ridge, Sunday, at 10:30; Sunday school at 9:30.

Mrs. Lewis Potts, of Wolfsburg, will preach at Laurel Ridge Christian church Wednesday, October 21st, at 7:30 p. m.; all cordially invited.

Wanted, For Sale, For Rent, Lost, Found, Etc.

RATES—One cent per word for each insertion. No advertisement accepted for less than 15 cents. Cash must accompany order.

Timothy Seed for sale at Stout eagles. 9 17-1f

Wanted—A woman or girl for general housework in small family. Address W. M. Byers, Fort Loudon, Pa. 6-18-1f.

WANTED—Party to contract cutting and placing Extract wood alongside Tramway.—Vincent Lumber Company, Millin, Pa.

FOR SALE—Farm containing 75 acres, one mile south of Clearville. Good buildings, well timbered, a desirable home. Albert McDaniel, Clearville, Bedford county, Pa., R. D. 2. 10 15-4t

FOR SALE—three fine perch on mare colts, — one, a yearling, and two, are spring colts; also, one 6-year-old brood mare with foal, good worker. Too much stock to winter. D. A. Fisher, near Gem in Belfast township.

LOST—A small gold watch with three fobs, two, from the battle field of Gettysburg; one, a dog. Lost on Saturday evening, September 26, or Sunday morning. Liberal reward if left at the Fulton House. 10 1-3t.

FOR SALE—The Ohio Souders farm in Tod township, 2 miles northeast of McConnellsburg, containing 105 acres, good state of cultivation, good buildings, fruit and timber. Apply to J. P. Waltz, McConnellsburg, Pa. 7 9 t.

FOR SALE—Farm of 185 acres 75 acres in cultivation, 40 in pasture, and balance in good timber. 8 room house, bank barn with new steel roof; spring water. 2 miles northeast of McConnellsburg. Edgar Downin, McConnellsburg, Pa.

The Racket Store.

Now we have 3,000 feet of floor space filled with Goods, that if purchased now, would cost more money. Below, we quote you some prices. We have made a good buy on Sanitary Fruit Cans—the kind that sell for 50 cents; but we can let you have them for 33 cents. Sealing strings at 4 cents a dozen.

Perfection heavy jar gums. We have sold 125 pounds of them at 7 cents a dozen.

Quart and half-gal glass jars at 48 and 70 cents a doz.

No. 20 Syracuse plow points 28 cents

No. 30 Syracuse plow points 33 cents

Mason jar caps, 15 cent a doz.

Glass nest eggs, 1 cent each

Anglefoot fly paper 30 cents a box, or 4 double sheets for 5 cents

Table Oil cloth; 15 cents a yard

Linoleum 30 to 85 cents a yard.

Clothes pins, 5 doz for 5 cents.

X-ray Stove polish 4 cents;

Sewing machine oil, 4 cents

Liquid stove polish, 8 cents a bottle

Two-in-one stove polish 8 cents.

SHOES SHOES

We are in good shape on these goods, and the way we have them arranged, it is no trouble to show them to you. We are selling more shoes this year than ever. We have them from 10 cents to \$4.50 and sell the latest toes. Don't fail to see us for school shoes.

Boys' dress caps 10 cents to 45 cents.

Boys' suspenders 5 cents to 20 cents.

Men's suspenders 10 cents to 25 cents.

Children's Misses', and Ladies' hose supporters, 8 to 10 cents.

4 mouse traps, 5 cents

1 doz. coat and hat hooks 5 cents.

3 boxes carpet tacks, 5 cents.

Holdfast Shoe nails 2 for 5 cents

Padlocks, 10, 15 and 20 cents

Knob locks, 20 cents

Horse rasps 20 to 28 cents

Horseshoe hammers 23 cents.

Handsaws, 50, 75 to \$1.00

100 split rivets, 5 cents

Alabastine 45 cents

Shock tyers 12 and 15 cents

Fodder yarn will be in this week. Look for prices, next week.

See our Aluminum pans, 25, 35, 40 and 50 cents.

Bear brand hosiery 2 pair for 25 cents.

Umbrellas 48, 75 and 95 cents.

CLOTHING CLOTHING

Just got our Fall Clothing in and can sell you a Wool suit about as cheap as we used to sell Cotton. We have a nice Man's Suit that we can sell you at \$5.00. This is straight! and we think we have the nicest 9.75, 10.00 11-dollar suits, we ever had.

Child's suits \$1.60 to \$5.00. Knee pants, 25 cents to 70 cents. Men's pants 98 cents to \$3.25. Cords for boys, and men, 48 cents, to \$2.45. Sweater coats 48 cents to \$5.00. Men's dress shirts, 48 to 95 cents. Big Bill work shirts 45c.

The new Fall Hats are now ready and they are nice. The prices run 89c, \$1.25, \$1.35, and \$1.90.

Well, some time ago, we told you about having some dandy buggy harness at \$12.50 \$13.50, \$15.50 and \$16.00. If one can judge by the way they are going out, they must be all right. We have just received another lot at the same price. Horse collars \$1.00, \$2.25, \$3.00 and \$3.98.

Our Guns and Ammunition

will be in this week, and your early inspection of these goods is earnestly requested.

HULL & BENDER.

Caution Notice.

Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern not to trust William Evans, or give him credit on my account, as I will pay no debts of his contracting, nor be responsible for any of his actions or conduct. N. H. PECK. September 23, 1914-3t. Needmore, Pa.

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agent for THE GEISER MANUFACTURING COMPANY, BURNT CABINS, PA.

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Western Maryland Railway Company.

In Effect June 14, 1914. Trains leave Hancock as follows: No. 7—1:31 a. m. (daily) for Cumberland, Pittsburgh and west, also West Virginia points. No. 8—3:30 a. m. for Hagerstown, Gettysburg, Hanover and Baltimore. No. 1—8:35 a. m. (daily except Sunday) Express for Cumberland and intermediate points. No. 4—9:07 a. m. (daily except Sunday) Express for Hagerstown, Waynesboro, Chambersburg, Baltimore and intermediate points. New York, Philadelphia, Washington, etc. No. 3—2:25 p. m. (daily) Western Express for Cumberland, West Virginia points and the West. No. 2—3:07 p. m. (daily) Express for Hagerstown, Waynesboro, Chambersburg, Gettysburg, and York, Baltimore, New York, Philadelphia, Washington.

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DEALER IN High Grade Plain Pianos, Player Pianos, Organs, Victrolas, Records, and Professional Tuner, McConnellsburg,

Nothing adds more to the refinements of home than good music. To have good music you must have a good instrument. There are good bad and indifferent instruments, and to the unskilled eye they look much alike. The unprincipled dealer is likely to make you pay a first-class price for a fourth-class instrument. I have lived in this county since my birth, I am a taxpayer and in a position to make good any business transactions. Buy your piano, organ, or victrola from me and if it is not all right you can come back at me.

There are families in every part of this county that have purchased instruments from me. Ask them about me.

Perhaps you want to trade your organ for a Piano, or Player Piano; or your Plain Piano, for a Player. See me. Let's talk it over.

L. W. FUNK.

A. L. WIBLE Auctioneer, McConnellsburg, Pa.

Executor's Notice.

Estate of John N. Hixson, late of Brush Creek township, Pa., deceased. Letters testamentary on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims to present the same without delay. NATHAN B. HIXSON, Executor. Akersville, Pa., 9-21-1f

Prompt attention to all business in this line. He may be found at his home on West Water street where he conducts a barber, and shoemending shop. 9-21-1f