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POINTS THE WAY.

The Statement of This Greencastle Resident Will Interest Our Readers.

Our neighboring town, Greencastle points the way in the words of one of its most respected residents:

J. B. Logan, cigar dealer, E. Baltimore St., Greencastle, Pa., says: "I had pains across the small of my back. My kidneys weren't acting right. I am on my feet all day long and I believe that caused the trouble. I got a box of Doan's Kidney Pills and in a short time after using them, I was relieved. I am pleased to recommend this medicine, as it keeps my kidneys in good shape."

Price 50c. at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Logan had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

Advertisement.

Educational Meetings.

AYR.

The fourth educational meeting of Ayr township was held at Cito, Friday evening, November 5th. There were nine teachers present. The discussions of the following topics were very interesting: 1. How Can Parents Help the Work of the School? 2. How Do You Conduct the Recitation? 3. Poetry. The school room was nicely decorated and the children gave very interesting recitations.

The next meeting will be held at the Corner, Friday evening, November 19th. Topics: Little things and Their Effect on the School. To What Extent Should Literature Be Taught in the Public School? Special exercises for Friday afternoon.

All friends of educational work are invited.—Sophia Hohman, secretary.

BELFAST.

The third educational meeting of Belfast township was held at Cross Roads, Friday evening, October 29th, at which the following topics were well discussed: 1. How do you teach beginners arithmetic? 2. How can we secure better attendance? A number of recitations and songs were well rendered. Teachers present were: Etta Waltz, Maye Pittman, Floyd Hart, John Morton, Hobart Truax, Thomas Truax, Levi Garland, Vernona Mel-lott of Belfast, and Jessie Yeakle, Denver Evans of Bethel. There were also present two directors, and Prof. Emery Thomas.—Vernona Mel-lott, Secretary.

LICKING CREEK.

The second local institute of Licking Creek township was held at Daniel's school house last Friday evening. The subjects discussed were, "How to avoid monotony," "Duties of patrons and teachers," and "Special exercises." The teachers present were A. E. Deshong, C. W. Mellott, Wilmer Sipes, Daisy Strait, N. E. M. Hoover and Thelma Metzler, of Licking Creek, and Vernona Mel-lott, of Belfast. Their next institute will be held at Harrisonville two weeks.—Thelma Metzler, Secty.

TAYLOR.

The third local institute of Taylor township was held at Cherry Grove last Friday evening. The house was called to order by teacher, Miss Lyon, after which the president took charge. Questions discussed were: 1. Tardiness, how overcome? 2. Grammar, its importance; how taught? All teachers present helped in the discussions of these questions, which, together with the well rendered literary program, made the meeting very interesting. The school house was tastefully decorated with autumn leaves, and chrysanthemums. We thank the teachers from adjoining districts for their attendance at the meeting. Teachers present were: Paul W. M. Cook, W. G. Wink, Alice Church, Orlissa Korbach, Robt. Lyon, L. M. Long, and Ethel

Sipes of Taylor; Jessie Cutchall, of Wells; Glenn Laidig of Dublin; Ray Hess and Dallas Kerlin of Huntingdon county. Next meeting be held, at Winegardner's in two weeks. All interested in education are invited to be present and help along with the meeting.—Ethel Sipes, acting secretary.

THOMPSON.

The second local institute of Thompson was held at Oak Dale school, November 5, 1915. The meeting was called to order by the teacher, Denver Evans, and Mr. Powers was chosen president. The questions—Primary Arithmetic, how taught—Discipline—Home work, value of, and to what extent—were well discussed by the teachers present—H. W. Wink, Denver Evans, Jessie Yeakle, Pearl Fisher of Thompson, and Thomas Truax of Belfast. The school room was tastefully decorated and a very interesting program was rendered by the school. Music was furnished by a graphophone.—Pearie Fisher, Secretary.

TODD.

The first local institute of Todd township, was held at McGovern's, Friday evening Nov. 5, 1915. The questions discussed were: 1. How to Acquire and Hold Attention? Grammar, How Taught Teachers present were: Grace Lodge, Etta Snyder, Joan Morton, Janette Stoutegale, Mildred Mock, John Kelso, Rush Wagner Scott Alexander, Hon. S. W. Kirk, was present and gave some helpful suggestions.

The next meeting will be held at Woodburn Friday evening, November 12, 1915. Teachers, patrons, directors and all who are interested in educational work are invited. Mildred Mock, Sec.

WELLS.

The first Educational Meeting of Wells township was held at New Grenada Friday evening October 29th. The following topics were discussed:—1. How to secure and hold attention. 2. How to teach Grammar. 3. How to overcome Monotony. Teachers present from Wells were: Orlan Mock and Pearl Shenefeld; from Taylor, Ruth Lyons and Roy Cutshall; from Huntingdon county, Byrd McClain, Dallas Kerlin and Chester Sollers. The next meeting will be held at No. 3, Friday evening November 19th. Pearl Shenefeld, Secy.

School Report.

Needmore School, second month, ending November 5th. Number enrolled: males, 28; females, 20. Per cent. of attendance: males, 99; females 92. Pupils attending every day: Mildred Dixon, Kathryn Dixon, Mabel Garland, Ruthie Garland, Ethel Truax, Pearl Peck, Minnie Peck, Laura Mellott, Mary Peck, Thelma Hess, Thelma Wink, Bessie Mellott, Wallace Wink, Marshall Mellott, Chalmers Peck, Earl Kershner, Judson Kershner, Harvey Peck, Frank Martin, Roy Martin, Howard Sipes, Harvey Clark, Edward Clark, Edward Fisher, Leonard McKee, Fred Dixon, Paul Palmer.—Floyd Hart, teacher.

SALVIA.

Mrs. Howard L. Sipes and Mrs. W. E. Barr attended the Foor funeral at Rays Hill, last Saturday.

Mrs. Edwin C. Deshong and child accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Ed R. Hendershot as far as Everett last Sunday when the Hendershots went to Bedford to call on sick relatives.

R. R. Hann came very nearly being elected justice of the peace for this township at the recent election. Pity he didn't get it, so the "hard cider" gang would have been routed. We hope that Cleveland Mellott elect, will see to it that the laws shall be obeyed.

The Lincoln Highway authorities have removed the stone crusher and other machinery at Stony Batter on Sideling Hill, to McConnellsburg. Now the question is, What will be done for the sandy stretch of road from the top of Sideling Hill to the summit of Rays Hill—the greatest impediment to travel on all the Highway across the State? During wet weather this piece of road becomes almost impassable.

From a credible source, we learn that Charlie H. Mann, of St. Cloud, Florida, has been lying seriously ill for five weeks with a alarming fever, and is still very low.

What Horsepower Is.

When we say that an engine develops 100 horsepower we do not mean that 100 horses could produce the same result. And, as the editor of Power remarks, there are few engineers who could tell just how the term "horsepower" came into use. Its origin is related in the following quotation from "Farey on the Steam Engine," published in 1827:

"The machinery in the great breweries and distilleries in London was then moved by the strength of horses, and the proprietors of those establishments who were first to require Mr. Watt's engines always inquired what number of horses an intended engine would be equal to."

"In consequence, Mr. Watt made some experiments on the strong horses employed by the brewers in London, and found that a horse of that kind, walking at the rate of 2 1/2 miles per hour, could draw 150 pounds avoirdupois by means of a rope passing over a pulley, so as to raise up that weight, with a vertical motion, at the rate of 220 feet per minute. This exertion of mechanical power is equal to 33,000 pounds (or 528 cubic feet) of water raised vertically through a space of one foot per minute, and he denominated it a horsepower, to serve for a measure of the power exerted by his steam engines."

This average is much beyond the capacity of the average strong horse, says Power. Smeaton and other early engineers estimated that 22,000 pounds per minute was more accurate.

WEST DUBLIN.

Edwin Brant spent Sunday, Oct. 31st with relatives near Decorum, Huntingdon county.

Elliott Kirk and wife and son Howard autoed to Warfordsburg on Saturday where they visited relatives. Mr. Kirk will go on to Baltimore where he will consult a specialist for eye trouble.

Albert King and family and Mrs. Susan King, spent a recent Sunday with relatives near Shirleysburg.

Mrs. Elizabeth Metzler and Clinton Mathias, of Decorum, Huntingdon county, and Hiram Baumgardner and wife, and Wilson Foreman and wife, of Wells Valley, spent Sunday at Casper Brant's.

Charles McConnell and wife of Fountain Green, Illinois, are visiting the family of Casper Brant and other relatives in this township and county this week. Mrs. McConnell is a sister of Casper Brant. It has been eight years since their last visit to Fulton county, and they no doubt note many changes in that time.

Ross King and family and Mrs. Susan King, spent a day recently with the family of Maynard Unger in Ayr township.

Bernard Foreman is building a wagon-shed for Jackson Deshong in Licking Creek township.

CRYSTAL SPRINGS.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Whitfield, children Margaret and John, and Mrs. Maggie Barton spent the latter part of last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Blair Ford at Lutzelville.

Mrs. O. A. Barton is visiting in the home of Mrs. Elliott Akers at Warfordsburg.

Marshall Lynch left last week for Altoona where he expects to find employment.

Miss Goldie McKee, of Amaranth spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Louise Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Barton spent Sunday with Ernest Mellott and family.

George and James Barton spent Sunday with their cousin Ross.

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Barton and daughter Thelma spent Sunday in the home of the former's brother Harry Barton in Bedford county.

Lester Mellott, teacher of Buffalo School, spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of his parents near Hustontown.

Place to Buy Furniture.

It may not be known to every body that the place to buy furniture in McConnellsburg is at M. M. Bender's, two squares east of the Court House Iron Bedsteads, Springs of all kinds, Chairs, Rockers, Extension Tables, Center Tables, Kitchen Cupboards, always on hand or furnished on short notice. Prices right.

Sale Register.

Friday, November 19, H. O. Wible intending to remove his family to Huntingdon, will sell at the old home place one mile west of Knobsville, 1 horse, 5 head of cattle, farm implements, hay grain household goods, &c. Sale will begin at 10 o'clock. Credit 6 months. A. L. Wible, auctioneer.

Saturday, November 20, 1915. A. L. Wible will sell at his residence at the Bridge at the west end of McConnellsburg, household furniture consisting of bedroom furniture, bedding, stoves, tables, chairs, carpets, canned fruit, and many other things. Sale will begin at 1 o'clock. J. J. Harris, auctioneer.

Will Have a Murder Case.

Judge-elect McPherson will have a first degree murder case in the first session over which he presides in Adams county in January. It will be the trial of Oliver Sharrah charged with the murder of Peter I. Deardorff at the Sharrah home near Cashtown on the 10th of October.

New Mill Owners.

John McAfee and Son have taken over the Gish Mill at Mercersburg, and are prepared to accommodate the public along their lines. They respectfully call attention of Fulton county farmers and ask a share of their patronage.

Cider Making.

Nick Hohman will begin to make cider Wednesday, September 8th, and the mill will be in operation every Wednesday after that during the season.

SUPERFLUOUS.

"By the way, Jack, Mr. Sebrecht says you ought to cover the lawn with fertilizer this fall."

Jack (pushing the lawn mower)—Oh, does he? I s'pose he thinks I want this grass to grow even faster than it does now.—Life.

TOO LIMITED CAPACITY.

"Well, Bobby, did you have all the pudding you wanted at dinner?"

"No'm; before I got half what I wanted I got full."

This year the conditions were favorable for the growth of sweet potatoes, and there was consequently an unusual production of this vegetable. It is cheap and nourishing, and becomes an excellent food for mankind. Dr. Surface says: "To keep sweet potatoes the two fundamental points are to see to it that they are stored where it is warm and also dry. To prevent their drawing moisture from the atmosphere it is well to wrap them each root in a piece of paper, or pack them in dry sand."

An automobile party composed of Mr. and Mrs. Fred D. Young, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin C. Young, Mr. and Mrs. Blair B. Young, Mrs. S. R. Campbell and daughter Miss Lois, and Mr. Angus B. Stewart—all of Hollidaysburg, and Mr. and Mrs. C. Howard Kendall, of Altoona, were guests last Saturday and Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Peck in McConnellsburg. The Messrs Young and the Mesdames Kendall and Campbell are brothers and sisters of Mrs. Peck.

After having taken three years course in Veterinary Practice in the Ontario Correspondence School, Charles Steach has received his diploma, and he will appear before the Pennsylvania State Board of Examiners. In the experimental practice which he has had in this community he has been highly successful.

Miss Rhoda Kendall, of Ayr township, went to Connellsville, Pa., last Friday to visit for ten days in the home of her former pastor, Rev. S. B. Houston, who, for many years, was pastor of what is now the Second United Presbyterian church of Big Cove.

Lewis Largent went to Harrisburg last Friday to look for a position. For several years Lewis had been hustler in the ice cream department of the Seylar drug store in McConnellsburg; but the lure of a greater city induced him to try his hand there.

Mrs. J. B. Runyan, who had been spending three weeks among relatives in the western part of the State, returned home yesterday. That Mrs. Runyan had a most delightful visit goes without saying.

Lard and Kerosene advertisement featuring an illustration of a lamp and text describing the benefits of Atlantic Rayolight Oil.

Waverly Gasoline advertisement featuring a large '76' logo and text describing the product's quality and availability.

White Sewing Machine advertisement featuring an illustration of a sewing machine and text describing its features and price.

The New York World advertisement featuring text about the newspaper's subscription rates and content.

Double Service Auto Tires advertisement featuring text about tire quality and service.

White Sewing Machine advertisement featuring an illustration of a sewing machine and text describing its features and price.

Double Service Tire & Rubber Company advertisement featuring text about tire services and contact information.