

INTERESTING PARAGRAPHS

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

CONDENSED FOR HURRIED READERS

Andrew Rotz is painting his barn this week.

Apple and pear trees in town show great ravage of leaf blight this summer.

There will be a festival in the grove at Dublin Mills, Saturday evening, July 22nd.

Huckleberries, were never known to be more plentiful than on Cove mountain this summer.

Our thermometer has touched 96 in the shade several times recently, but we are not bragging about it.

Large crops of hay are being reported this summer. S. A. Nesbit took 35 large loads of clover from 14 acres.

Last Saturday night, sneak thieves entered the Fulton House cellar and helped themselves to a large quantity of liquors.

Rev. Lewis Duvall will preach at Sideling Hill Christian Church at 10:30 next Sunday morning followed by communion services.

Last Thursday, Hon. and Mrs. John P. Sipes and their granddaughter Anna Mary went to Atlantic City, and returned Saturday.

Miss Pauline, daughter of L. C. Reisner, of Millersville, is visiting her uncles Messrs. Jacob and George Reisner, in McConnellsburg.

Misses Lillian and Bess Grissinger, Mrs. A. D. Hohman and Mrs. Charlie Scott were recent visitors in Chambersburg and in Greencastle.

Rev. and Mrs. R. E. Peterman are expected home to-day. They have been spending their mid-summer vacation in York and Adams counties.

Mrs. Jennie Wagner and daughter Susie, of Johnstown, and Mrs. Nancy McQuade and Miss Ethel Rider, of Altoona, were guests of Mrs. George Suders, east Lincoln Way, part of this week.

Miss Verona Mellott, a student of West Chester Normal School, who had been visiting in the home of O. S. Dillbaug and family of New Holland has returned to her home in Sipes Mill.

Do you read the Bank advertisement that appear weekly in the News? They are full of good advice—how to "plant" a seed that will surely grow into fruitful source of comfort some day.

Last Saturday afternoon, Miss Mary Jane Johnston entertained about a dozen ladies at her home with Rev. and Mrs. J. L. Grove. The guests were Avr township ladies, members of a local sewing circle.

Mrs. Rosa Pittman of Ayr township, her sister, Miss Nettie Barber, of Licking Creek township, and John C. and son James Deshong, near Green Hill, took dinner on the Fourth at the J. J. Harris Hotel, in McConnellsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Mock, of Allentown, came home about a week ago and are stopping at the home of the former's father, John Mock, in Tod township. Their stay will be about three weeks, during which time Clarence will "bronze up" in the harvest fields.

Ruth, daughter of William H. Cooper, near Webster Mills, came home from the Chambersburg Hospital last Saturday. Ruth had been attending school in Chambersburg and suffered an attack of appendicitis a few weeks ago and was operated on in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Lynch spent the week-end in the home of Dr. N. C. Trout, and on Monday they went to Red Lion to Dr. C. N. Trout's. On their return a few days later they brought with them Mrs. Matilda Trout who had been visiting her sons for several weeks.

Mr. J. H. Cooper of Jacksonsville, Cumberland county, attended the funeral of his half-brother George Cooper who was killed in the harvest field Monday. Jess did not get the word until 10 o'clock Monday night, and at 2 o'clock Tuesday morning he was in McConnellsburg. He returned home Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. J. Howard Shimer and son Harold, of McKees Rocks, are visiting in the home of Howard's mother Mrs. James Shimer, East Lincoln Way.

Miss Kate Brotherton and her niece Miss Maude Brotherton of Waynesboro spent a few hours in town Tuesday calling on former friends and acquaintances.

Miss Pauline Kirk, of Hustontown, returned home on Wednesday after having spent ten days in the Cumberland Valley very pleasantly. Miss Kirk was the guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Kirk, Tuesday night.

Miss Minnie Smith, of Pittsburgh, is being entertained in the home of her aunt, Mrs. Thomas Hamil, on east Lincoln Way. Miss Smith is a daughter of David G. Smith who left McConnellsburg when he was about 19 years of age. Miss Smith has not been in McConnellsburg for twenty years.

Among those attending the funeral of Miss Mary Stouteagle yesterday were Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Hanks and daughter Miss Helen, of Everett; Mrs. Frank Daniels (Olive Stouteagle) and daughter, of Philadelphia; Miss Marden Stouteagle, Pittsburgh, and Mr. and Mrs. James J. Dunlap, Fayetteville, Pa.

On page two, you will find an account of the arrival in this country of a large German ship that sailed 1,800 miles of the way under water to avoid enemy war vessels. The total distance traveled more than 4,000 miles. This is the first time in the history of the world that such a feat has been accomplished.

Last Sunday, Mrs. Henry Comerer entertained the following friends: Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Eitemiller and daughter, and Mr. Eitemiller's mother, Mrs. Harriett Eitemiller; Edgar Cowan and Miss Camellie Wydick—all of Mercersburg. Also a granddaughter, Miss Martha J. Comerer, daughter of Jacob Comerer, of Hagerstown.

By parcel post Tuesday evening we received a package of hay (timothy and clover) from Mr. C. C. Young, a progressive farmer near Hollidaysburg, which for length of stalk comes nearly up to what we raise in Fulton county. A stock of the clover measured 4 feet 11 inches, and a stalk of the timothy, 5 feet and ten inches.

Stock Law.

Complaint is made that in certain sections of the country live stock is allowed to roam at will to the great annoyance of neighbors. There is nothing on the statute books of Pennsylvania that will hinder a man from keeping all the horses, cattle, sheep hogs that he can take care of on his own premises; but they must not be allowed to trespass on the lands of others. There was a time a few years ago, when the law required that a man must fence against his neighbor's stock. Now, a man may remove every panel of fence on his farm except line fences, and if a neighbor's stock trespass on his land, or damage his crops, the neighbor is liable for trespass and damages.

To recover the damage, a suit may be entered to recover the amount, or the stock trespassing may be shut up and held until reparation is made. Of course, this does not prevent any one from driving his stock on public highways.

Walters--Hess.

Mr. Wilbert J. Hess, of Shade Gap, and Miss Orpha Leona Hess, of Big Cove Tannery, were married Saturday, July 8, 1916, by the Rev. Edward Jackson, at the M. E. parsonage in McConnellsburg. The bride is a daughter of the late B. Frank Hess, of Thompson township.

Well Known Eye Specialists

Will Be Here Monday.

Rubin & Rubin, Harrisburg's leading Eye Specialists will be at L. W. Seylar's Drug Store, Monday July 24th for three days only. Eyes examined free and glasses for reading and sewing as low as \$1.00.

Trespass notices for sale at the News office—6 for a quarter. Sent prepaid by mail if cash accompanies the order.

Take Care of Your Horse.

The following rules were prepared by the Boston Work-Horse Relief Association whose office is at 15 Beacon street, Boston, Mass. Copies of these as well as Stable Rules, Drivers' Rules and Noon-Feeding Rules, can be had free if requests is made at the above address. The rules follow:

1. Load lightly, and drive slowly.
2. Stop in the shade if possible.
3. Water your horse as often as possible. So long as a horse is working, water in small quantities will not hurt him. But let him drink only a few swallows if he is going to stand still. Do not fail to water him at night after he has eaten his hay.
4. When he comes in after work sponge off the harness marks and sweat, his eyes, his nose and mouth, and the dock. Wash his feet but not his legs.
5. If the thermometer is 75 degrees or higher, wipe him all over with a damp sponge, using vinegar water if possible. Do not wash the horse at night.
6. Saturday night, give a bran mash, lukewarm and add a table-spoonful of saltpetre.
7. Do not use a horse-hat, unless it is a canopy top hat. The ordinary bell-shaped hat does more harm than good.
8. A sponge on top of the head or even a cloth, is good if kept wet. If dry it is worse than nothing.
9. If the horse is overcome by heat, get him into the shade, remove harness and bridle, wash out his mouth, sponge him all over, shower his legs, and give him two ounces of aromatic spirits of ammonia, or two ounces of sweet spirits of nitre, in a pint of water; or give him a pint of coffee warm. Cool his head at once, using cold water, or, if necessary, chopped ice, wrapped in a cloth.
10. If the horse is off his feed, try him with two quarts of oats mixed with bran, and a little water; and add a little salt or sugar. Or give him oatmeal gruel or barley water to drink.
11. Watch your horse. If he otopes sweating suddenly, or if he breathes short and quick, or if his ears droop, or if he stands with his legs braced sideways, he is in danger of a heat or sun stroke and needs attention at once.
12. If it is so hot that the horse sweats in the stable at night, tie him outside, with bedding under him. Unless he cools off during the night he cannot well stand the next day's heat.

School Letting.

The Schools of Fulton County, Pa., will be let as follows: Wells-Valley, No. 2, July 18. Taylor-Hustontown, July 19. Dublin-Fl. Littleton, July 20. Todd-McGovern's, July 21. Licking Creek-Harrisonville, July 22. Ayr-Webster Mills, July 24. Thompson-Center, July 25. Belfast-Needmore, July 26. Bethel, Warfordsburg, July 27. Union-Center, July 28. Brush Creek-Emmavill, July 29. School directors are requested to meet at the above named places at 9 o'clock a. m. for the purpose of electing teachers to fill the schools for the ensuing term and transacting such other necessary business that may come before them.

J. EMORY THOMAS, County Superintendent.

Sealed Bids Wanted.

The Belfast township school board will receive sealed bids for the erection of a new schoolhouse at Pleasant grove, 3 miles west of Needmore. The blueprint and specifications may be seen at Hart's store, at Needmore July 18th and 19th, and at County Superintendent Thomas's office at McConnellsburg, July 21st and 22nd. The rest of the time it will be in the hands of the secretary. Bids will be received until the 29th day of July at 1 o'clock, p. m., when they will be opened. Bids may be sent by mail to

WATSON G. PECK, Secretary, 7-6-2t. Warfordsburg, Pa.

Last Friday, the first new wheat was sold in Chambersburg by D. H. Martin, of Reservoir Hill, Franklin county. He sold two loads at the warehouse for 90 cents per bushel.

Timely Warning.

The following story is printed in the Franklin Repository and must be true or how could they print it. It, of course, happened in Franklin county. Now, the same thing might happen in Fulton county, and we have the interests of the good people of this county too deeply at heart not to publish this as a timely warning:

The story goes that there was a man who was too stingy to take his home paper and always sent one of the children over to borrow his neighbor's paper.

One evening he sent his son over to borrow the paper and while the son was on the way he ran into a large stand of bees and in a few minutes his face looked like a summer squash.

Hearing the agonized cries of the son, the father ran to his assistance, and in doing so ran into a barbed wire fence, cutting out a handful of flesh from his anatomy and ruining a \$4 pair of trousers.

The old cow took advantage of the hole in the fence, got into the corn field and killed herself eating green corn. Hearing the racket, the stingy man's wife ran out of the house, upsetting a four-gallon churn full of cream into a basket of kittens, drowning the whole flock. She slipped on the cream and fell downstairs breaking her leg and a \$19 set of false teeth. The baby left alone crawled through the spilled cream into the parlor and ruined a \$40 carpet. During the excitement the daughter enloped with the hired man, taking the family savings with them.

More Big Clover.

Edgar Hann dropped in to see us Tuesday and reported a wonderful growth of clover on his father's farm north of Saluvia. In the fall of 1914, this field was covered with little else than poverty grass. 50 bushels of stone lime to the acre were put on, the field ploughed, sowed to wheat and fertilized, and in the following spring, Big Red clover was sown. An average of two tons of dried clover hay per acre was cut this year.

Edgar counted the branches on one stalk, finding 53, each branch averaging 3 1/2 feet in length.

REISNER'S Spring Announcement.

While prices on everything are soaring, we are glad to announce that on account of early and extensive purchases, we can give our patrons the benefit of old prices, which will soon seem surprisingly low. Note the following:

FLOOR COVERING

A nice assortment of Floor Covering in Carpets, Mattings and Rugs. Some of these goods cannot be duplicated on account of coloring matter. Our prices are same as last year while they last; Mattings, 12 cents to 25 cents; matting rugs, 20 to 39 cents; 1.50 to 2.50. A lot of very

PRETTY SUITINGS

and waistings 25 to 50 cents—new and pretty. All our woolen Dress Goods will go at old prices, a saving to you of 10 to 25 cents a yard. A large line of

DRESS GINGHAMS

at 10 and 12 1-2 cents—last year's prices. Percales 10 and 12 1-2 cents a yard. We will have a splendid assortment of

MEN'S CLOTHING

at old prices, but we cannot duplicate any of this season's good at old prices.

SHOES

Shoes at last season's prices with few exceptions a slight rise. Wall Papers lots of them as cheap as last year. Please call.

George W. Reisner & Co.,
McConnellsburg, Penn'a.

This Store Is Economy Headquarters For Dependable Furniture :-

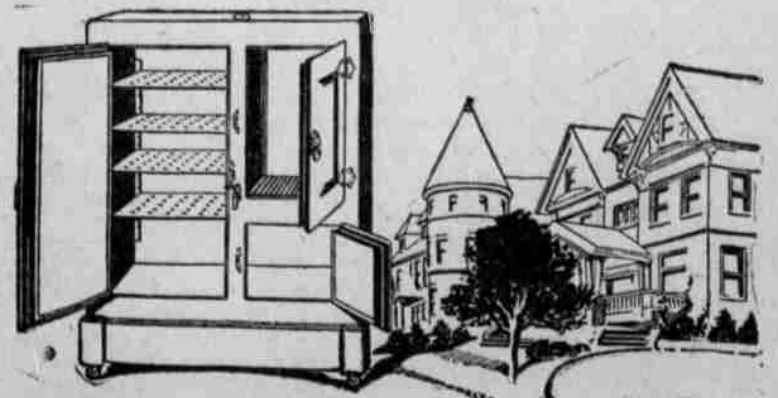
Our Displays Are So Complete You Can Pick and Choose Exactly What You Want

It is logical to select your home furnishings from the concern which best meets your every want and need. The completeness and extensiveness of our stock, the economy and ability to serve that this establishment offers, has put us in a class alone. We serve the home furnishings wants of all the people. We are so confident that our offers will convince you of our claim—"greatest values for the least money"—that all we ask is intelligent investigation and comparison. Our wonderful stock and our low prices both combine in making an opportunity which offers greater comforts and increases household luxury, and which must appeal—without exception—to every home lover in the city. Pay us a visit this week. We are ready, able and willing to prove every statement we make to your satisfaction.

Furnishing the home is made a pleasure here. We have made a specialty of furnishing homes—our salesman are here to help you—to advise and suggest if you desire.

You will find, too, that this is the store of standardizing merchandise. For instance, we particularly ask your inspection of our stock of Simmons Metal Beds—the inviting new models in the new finishes that you have seen advertised in The Ladies' Home Journal and Saturday Evening Post. So beautiful are they, and so unusual are the finishes, you will find it hard to believe they can be of everlasting, sanitary steel. Be sure to see them.

Furniture Needs for Absolute Comfort During the Hot Summer Weather.



Comfortable Porch Rockers \$1.50 to \$9.00. Refrigerators \$12.00 to \$40.00. Porch Swings \$3.50 to \$12.00. Lawn Swings \$6.75. Fireless Cook Stoves \$13.25 to \$25.00. Vudor porch shades 6, 8, 10, and 12 ft. 1 with drop 7 ft. 8 in. Clipwood, Bamboo, painted green also plain color \$1.50 to \$7.50. Crex and Congoleum Rugs for the porch.

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