

INTERESTING PARAGRAPHS

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

CONDENSED FOR HURRIED READERS

Mrs. Morrow Kirk and Mrs. Robert Alexander were shopping in Chambersburg last Friday.

Mrs. Howard Zimmerman, of Hancock, visited Mrs. Grace Bender several days last week.

Leave your subscription for the National Stockman and Farmer at this office and save postage.

Walter R. Sloan took a peep at Red Lion last Sunday the guest of Doctor and Mrs. C. N. Trout.

Mrs. Rachel Shives, of Laurel Ridge, after having gone through a long spell of sickness, is able to sit up a little.

Miss Sallie Reeder recently visited her brother Scott in Ayr township, and Miss Mary Fisher, of McConnellsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. James K. Van Dyke, of Philadelphia are guests in the Rexroth home, and will remain for several weeks.

Mrs. Belle Van Cleve, of Ochedyan, Iowa, is visiting her son in Tod township, and other relatives in the Cove.

Erma Kennedy accompanied her uncle and aunt, Rev. and Mrs. Horace Sipes, to their home in Blairville, last week.

Mrs. J. Howard Shimer and son Clair and Miss Mertie E. Shimer took advantage of a recent excursion and visited Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mellott, and their sons Quay and Willard were in town Tuesday and they brought us some news. Wm. Engle came with them to see a doctor.

Fred Black, wife, and grandson Paul, Luther Black, wife and baby, and Joe Sowers and wife, all in Joe's car, went to Williamson, Franklin county, last Sunday.

Rev. John F. Frantz and family, of Palmyra, Pa., were guests for a few days this week of Rev. and Mrs. J. L. Yearick, at the Reformed Parsonage in McConnellsburg.

Last Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fore, of Franklin county, autoed to McConnellsburg and in the afternoon they took D. E. Fore, Esq., and Miss Katie to Knobsville.

Miss Mary Crumm, Miss Nora Seibert, and Miss Lizzie Palsgrove, all of Mercersburg are guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Palsgrove, to remain two weeks or more.

The Misses Marion and Ruth Wolf, daughters of former Lutheran pastor Rev. A. G. Wolf, of West Fairview, are guests of Miss Mary Irwin in the home of her parents on east Lincoln Way.

In a letter from Mrs. O. S. Deibaugh, New Holland, Lancaster county, enclosing subscription to 1917, she said the farmers had lost much wheat by the wet weather, and "Everybody at our house is well."

A post card to her parents, from Miss Joe Morton, brings the news that she and her cousin Mrs. Thompson, of Bismarck, N. Dakota, were taking in the grand view of the Yellowstone National Park last week.

W. R. Faust of Pennbrook, Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Lambert, of Williamson, Pa., and Mr. and Mrs. Kissel, of St. Thomas, all in Mr. Faust's car—spent Sunday with Mrs. Angeline Sipes, West Walnut street.

Dr. Thomas E. Bowman and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Spicer, and Mrs. Elizabeth Baldwin all of Harrisburg, lunched yesterday with Mrs. H. A. Comeror. Mrs. Baldwin will remain for some time. The others went to Pittsburgh.

Mrs. A. A. Haiston, of Fannettsburg, her daughter Mrs. Myrtle Greenland, of Pittsburg, and another daughter, Mrs. Jas. Barr, of Braddock, Pa., autoed from Fannettsburg last Saturday to call on Mrs. Haiston's brother, S. B. Woollett.

Postmaster and Mrs. W. R. Speer, and daughter Alice, of Everett, accompanied by Miss Moore, of Nebraska, were guests of friends and relatives in McConnellsburg last Sunday. Miss Moore is a Home Missionary under the auspices of the Presbyterian church.

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More people can now afford a Ford—the factory price has been reduced to \$360 for touring cars and to \$45 for roadsters.

Charles E. Hughes, Republican candidate for president, is in favor of speedy amendment granting National suffrage to women.

Farmer D. A. Washabaugh and family, accompanied by Miss Annie Ott and "Jack" Snyder—all of McConnellsburg—in Mr. Washabaugh's new Overland Six, left Wednesday over the Lincoln Highway for an extended motoring trip through the Middle Western States, during which they will visit a number of relatives in the West.

Mrs. Mary A. Beidleman and her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Virginia Beidleman, and the latter's son Charles, all of Harrisburg, came to McConnellsburg last Saturday to be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Stevens, west Lincoln Way, and in the Goldsmith home on north Second street, for several weeks.

Mr. George Everhart, of Tod township, has been an invalid for about twelve years. Last Sunday he had the pleasure of entertaining two brothers, Sylvester, of Broadtop City, and Daniel, of North Point. Sylvester was accompanied by his wife and by his son-in-law and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bolinger and their daughter Helen and son Thorburn of Woodvale—all in Mr. Bollinger's big Overland car. Daniel and his wife and daughters Alma and Goldie came in their Ford.

Ball Games.

There will be two games of ball played on the Needmore grounds on the afternoon of August 12, by different teams. There also will be other sports in the evening, followed by a festival. Everybody take a half-day off and attend.

Church Notices.

Services next Sunday morning in the Reformed church in McConnellsburg, and at Hebron at 2:30. Union lawn service in the evening.

Preaching August 6th, Siloam 10 a. m. Ebenezer 2:30 p. m. and Asbury 7:30 p. m. The Siloam Sunday school picnic will be held at Siloam, Saturday August 5th. Everybody welcome. Everybody come. Spend a day for yourself and children.

Will Play No More.

The McConnellsburg Band wishes to thank all who assisted and attended our play on the 29th of July. We are sorry to state that we shall play no more on the streets of McConnellsburg this summer unless something important calls for our help. We are through working for nothing, and giving what little we do make to those who should not have it.

McConnellsburg Concert Band.

Basket Picnic.

Friday, August 11th, is the day set for the Annual Harvest Home Basket Picnic to be held in Miss Esther Sloan's Woods in Ayr township this year. We have been informed that in case Friday should be a wet day, the picnic will be held on Saturday, August 12th. Plan to take a day off, pack a basket, box, or bag, with "eats" and meet your neighbors in the wood for a day of social enjoyment. Sharp tools make work easier and they do better work. Lets keep our wits sharpened by contact with our fellows.

The people of Big Cove wish to see a large delegation from McConnellsburg at the picnic, and they have selected Friday as the day best suited to merchants and other to attend a picnic. Big Cove is McConnellsburg's "best girl," and—we'll treat her as such.

A Letter From Colorado.

Gentleman:—Enclosed please find \$1.00 to apply on my subscription to your paper for one more year. I also enclose a short letter that if you could spare the space would like to see in print.

Since I left good old Fulton county I have seen thirty-five of our states, have been on both coasts and spent some time in Canada, finally settling at Julesburg, Colo. I landed in Julesburg four years ago; tell the world I am here to stay.

I left Fulton County with the intentions of finding a country that was perfect in every way, but decided there was no place on earth that would exactly fill the bill. My common sense told me that if I did find such a place it would be so uncomfortably crowded that I couldn't live. So taking everything into consideration I finally decided on Julesburg, Sedgwick County, Colorado.

Julesburg is known as the gateway to Colorado. Located in the north-east corner of the state in the South Platte river valley, 376 miles west of Omaha and 197 miles north-east of Denver, on the main line of the Union Pacific Railroad. It is also the junction of the branch running to Denver thereby making railroad facilities good. The climate is great; altitude is 3458 feet above sea level, has new electric light and water works owned by the city, has a beautiful park, new public school building under construction, high school building with all modern equipments. (Our schools are considered the best in this part of the state), three churches, the Methodist, Congregational, and Catholic; most all of the lodge orders are represented, all streets are park-lined with beautiful trees and in short it is a beautiful city.

Julesburg is surrounded by an extra good farming and stock raising country. On each side of the platte river valley there is a range of hills that is ideal for stock raising as they are heavily coated with the different kinds of western grasses with good hay in the hill valleys. Then on both sides of the range of hills we find our level table lands. These lands are rapidly being broke up and improved into farms ranging from quarter section to a section. The large ranches have had their day and diversified farming has come to stay.

There is nothing our land won't grow, but of course we have better success with some things than others. Winter wheat is one of our best paying crops on account of our good market. A few of our other successful grains are fall rye, spring wheat, spring rye, barley, oats, spelts, and corn. All forage crops can be raised successfully, including cane, kaffir corn, maize, field peas, millet, etc. Tame grasses of all kinds are raised for hay, alfalfa of course is the leader.

Our land sowed to fall wheat is more than paying for the land it grows on in one season. The following is a fact, I have the statistics.

Geo. McCone a South Table farmer, raised during the season of 1915, 150 acres of wheat, threshed 5315 bushels, or an average of 35.4 bushels per acre. Mr. McCone received as high as \$1.40 per bushel for wheat that fall. There is not only one but hundreds that are doing just what Mr. McCone has done. Why pay enormous rents back east when opportunity is so great in the west? Would like to meet some of my Fulton county friends out here; am sure the change would do you good. I am, Very respectfully, W. R. PLESSINGER, Julesburg, Sedgwick County, Colorado.

Change in Business.

After thirty years engaged in Merchant Tailoring, I have closed out that line and added to the Gent's Furnishings a complete line of tobaccos, cigars, and groceries. Thanking my many friends for their past patronage, I ask for a continuance in my new line, assuring them of the same courteous treatment as here-to-fore. In Gents Furnishings goods, you will find every thing up-to-date. In Groceries and Tobaccos, fresh and clean. Yours, respectfully CHAS. B. STEVENS.

Teachers Elected.

- WELLS.
Primary, Jessie Cutchall. No. 2, Catharine Dilling. No. 3, Araminta Duval.
TAYLOR.
No. 1, Alice Cutchall. No. 2, No. 3, Beatrice Mellott. No. 4, Ethel Sipes. No. 5, Thad Winegardner. No. 6, W. G. Wink. No. 7, Howard Knepper. No. 8, Eugene Chesnut.
DUBLIN.
Bt. Cabins, Roy J. Mathias. Fort Littleton, Jennie Cromer. Mud Level, Esther Welsh. Chesnut's, Gertie Gelvin.

- TODD
McGovern's, Lois Mason. Summer's Etta Snyder. Scott's, Norman Kerlin. Knobsville, Rush Wagner. Woodburn, Mildred Mock.
AYR
Back Run, H. S. Alexander. Road, Maye Pittman. Jugtown, Kenneth Glazier. Cito, Olive Wible. Webster Mills, Martha Kendall Conner's, Retha Mellott. Laurel Ridge, Stanley Humbert Corner, Hazel McMuade.

- THOMPSON
Center, Rose Keefer. Board Yard, Thomas Truax. Ditch Run, Alice Brewer. West View, Pearl Fisher. Oak Dald, Rebecca Hocken-smith.
Independence, Jessie Yeakel. Bald Eagle, Oliver Winters.

- LICKING CREEK
Harrisonville, Thelma Metzler. Vallance, Wilmer Mason. Compulsion, Verlie Decker. Siloam, A. E. Deshong. Saluvia, Edgar Hann. Shanes, Wilmer Sipes. Forestdale, Daisy Strait.
BRUSH CREEK
Akersville Advanced, Celia Barton.

- Akersville Primary, Minnie Lynch. Buffalo, Lizzie Hixson. Emmaville, Ernest Walters. Buchanan, Roy Plessinger. Locust Grove, James Davis. Oak Grove, Edith Fix.

- UNION
Center, Oscar Lashley. Harmonia, Ada Lehman. Zack's Ridge, Jessie Hoopengardner.

- Fairview, Kenneth McKee. Excelsior, Lily Ritz. Barnes Gap, Gilbert Mellott.

- BELFAST
Needmore, Floyd Hart. Cross Roads, Levi Garland. Cedar Lane, Etta Waltz. Maple Grove, Clarence Morton. Jacob Lake's, George Mellott. Philip Morgrets', Blanche Smith. Pleasant Grove, Vernona Mellott. Sipes Hill, Nellie Garland. Morton's Point, Hobart Truax.

- BETHEL
Warfordsburg Advanced, Orben Hebrner. Warfordsburg Primary, Erma Gress. Mt Airy, Virgie Gress. Alpine, Frances Norris. May's Chapel, W. W. Mellott. Black Oak, Clara Norris. Gordon's, Gladys Charlton. Franklin Mills, Earl Golden.

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Notice to Contractors.

Sealed proposals for the construction of a concrete bridge over Sideling Hill Creek, near the village of Dublin Mills, between Huntingdon and Fulton Counties, Penna., will be received by the joint Boards of County Commissioners of the above named counties, at the Commissioners' Office, Huntingdon, Huntingdon county, Pa., and at the Commissioners' Office, McConnellsburg, Fulton county, Pa., until August twenty-first (21st), 1916, at twelve o'clock noon. Also, bids will be received on the day of opening bids at Rober's store, at Dublin Mills until twelve o'clock noon, August 22nd, 1916, and publicly opened by the joint Boards of County Commissioners one hour after the hour above set for the closing of bids.

Bids will be opened at Rober's store, Dublin Mills, Fulton county, Pa., August 22nd, 1916, at one o'clock, p. m. Plans and specifications may be seen at the offices of the County Commissioners at Huntingdon, Huntingdon county, Pa., or at McConnellsburg, Fulton county, Pa., where bidding blanks can also be secured. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

Attest: ADAM J. BLACK, JOSEPH C. HALL, A. A. Wible, SELEA CUTCHALL, Clerk. Com. of Huntingdon Co., Pa. FRANK M. LODGE, CHARLES W. SCROOLEY, W. C. Davis, ALBERT NESBITT, Clerk. Com. of Fulton Co., Pa.

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