

INTERESTING PARAGRAPHS

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

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Look for Runyan's dates in this paper. Have the children's eyes ready for school.

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

Miss Mollie Perry, of Harrisburg, is visiting this week in the Goldsmith home on north Second street.

Mr. J. K. Johnston went to Baltimore and Philadelphia on Monday to buy the latest in fall goods.

Mrs. Roy M. Daniels, of Hancock, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Winnie Kendall, and other relatives in the Cove.

Will Ranek and Ed Golden, of Bethel township, motored to McConnellsburg Monday morning and spent the day attending to business.

On Wednesday evening of last week, Mrs. Ellis Lynch entertained at tea in honor of her guest, Mrs. Justus Sinexon, of Philadelphia.

Mrs. David Knous, formerly Miss Lizzie O'yer, of Arendtsville Adams county, is spending a few days this week visiting among her McConnellsburg friends.

J. W. McClain, Waterfall, Pa., has taken ten lessons in auto repairing, and desires a position as repairman in some garage or with any one who may need his services.

Attention is called to the advertisement of the McCachran limestone farm close to Newville, in Cumberland county. This is a grand location for a pleasant home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Staley, of Carnegie, Pa., are spending their annual vacation in the home of Mrs. Staley's mother Mrs. Angeline Sipe on West Walnut Street.

Prof. and Mrs. Charles Lodge and their little baby returned to their home in Huntingdon Mills a few days ago after having had a nice visit in the Lodge home on north Second street.

D. E. Little has added another improvement to his residence and place of business on east Lincoln Way, by laying a fine concrete pavement the entire width of the front of the property.

Russell Nelson came home from the seashore Monday, to see his mother who has been very ill for about a week. Russell has been pursuing a course of study down where the billows roar.

Miss Elsie Greathard came home last Saturday to spend the short summer vacation before resuming duties in the Springfield, Mo., State Normal School where she holds a good position.

Mrs. Mary E. Keyser and Mrs. Sanner Ray hereby thank all friends and neighbors for kindness shown during the illness and at the time of death of husband and father, Duffield Keyser.

Rev. and Mrs. J. L. Yearick attended the annual Presbyterian Reunion at Pen-Mar Thursday of last week. Several thousand people from southern central Pennsylvania were in attendance.

We "told a story" last week when we said that Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Stewart, of Trenton, N. J., would be home this week. A card to Max Sheets from Will said "Cannot come before October."

Max Irwin, of Pittsburgh, came home last Saturday evening to remain a few days while it is so hot. With the thermometer at 90 to 96 part of every day in McConnellsburg, he ought to get well cooled.

W. H. Williams and Blaine Hixson, of Brush Creek Valley, went last Friday in town. Mr. Williams will have a nice lot of lumber to market as soon as the new railroad is completed into the Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hess and son Floyd and daughter Pearl of Bethel township made a trip to McConnellsburg last Friday in their new Chevrolet. They were met in McConnellsburg by Miss Gertrude Gelvin who took Miss Pearl home with her to spend a few days in the Gelvin home near Fort Littleton.

Doctor and Mrs. Clarence N. Trout, of Red Lion, were expected home this week, but a phone message from Clarence said he was sick and unable to travel during hot weather such as we have been having.

Mrs. Hannah Cromer, of Pittsburgh, is spending this week visiting her McConnellsburg friends. Her son Hon. Horace Cromer and wife, the latter being formerly Mary Woodall, spent a night last week at the Fulton House.

Sam Peck, a nephew of the Editor of the News and a former McConnellsburg boy, was last Friday transferred from the U. S. S. Vermont to the submarine E-1. Sam belongs to the Radio Department, and was a wireless operator on the Vermont.

The Reformed Sunday School held a picnic on Tuscarora Heights last Friday afternoon. Heavy rain in the forenoon dampened both the picnic grounds and the spirits of the picnickers, but by noon all was bright again—including the spirits—and they had a nice picnic.

Mr. and Mrs. John Martin, of Chambersburg, autored to McConnellsburg last Friday evening and called on Mrs. Martin's father, Mr. William A. Stoner for a short time. They were accompanied by Mrs. Swentzel, Mrs. Horner, and Miss Huntsberger, all of Chambersburg.

Last Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fore and Miss Olive Blattenberger—all of Franklin county, and in Frank's Maxwell came to McConnellsburg and picked up Frank's father and sister, D. E. and Miss Katie, and took them to Bedford Springs. They enjoyed the trip very much.

Last Wednesday a week, Jacob Everts started to Duffy's mill with a four horse load of wheat. On his way he stopped at Harvey Gordon's. A gun in Harvey's hand "went off" and the bullet went into the neck of one of Jacob's horses. Of course it was an accident, and better that the bullet went into the horse's neck than into Jacob's.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Spangler, temporary residents of Hancock, were in McConnellsburg several days this week laying off the foundations for their new residence on north Second street. We warned them not to leave McConnellsburg, assuring them that they would finally wander back again, and we are glad to see our predictions coming true. Welcome, friends.

For the benefit of former residents of Fulton County who may be longing for the refreshing breezes from the old mountains, we beg to say that our thermometer has registered between 90 and 96 degrees of heat every day for more than a week. The humidity has been great, sometimes registering 95 per cent of moisture saturation. Your burning, but drier, prairie heat is not nearly as debilitating.

Last Sabbath, while Rev. J. L. Yearick was holding communion services at Hebron, a wasp stung him on the little finger of the right hand. He thought little of it at the moment, but by the time the services came to a close, his hand began swelling and continued to get worse all that night and by next morning all the other fingers on that hand were enlarged and inflamed and for several days he had quite a sore hand.

Last Monday evening, Miss Marian Sloan, assisted by Miss Jessie, entertained in their charming manner, between thirty and forty ladies who, at sundry times had been members of Miss Marian's Sabbath school classes, and some of whom are now members of her Bible class in the Presbyterian church in McConnellsburg. Many pleasant memories were recalled, friendships strengthened, and increased interest in the Sabbath school will surely follow.

Mary, Basil, and Abbie Cattlett, of Belfast township, returned to their home last Sunday after having spent two weeks in McConnellsburg in the homes of their aunts, Mrs. D. E. Little and Mrs. P. P. Shives. While here the two uncles showed them a good time, taking them auto rides to picnics and a trip to the Big Spring, Md. After having reached home the kiddies were by no means slack in enthusiastic praise of the treatment at the hands of their "rich uncles."

KILLED BY LIGHTNING.

Wife of William M. Cunningham formerly of Fort Littleton, Lives Life in Idaho.

Ada V. Small, wife of William M. Cunningham, met death very suddenly and unexpectedly at their home near Jeroma, Idaho, on Sunday evening, July 20th. She happened to be in an outside toilet when a severe electric storm came up, and a ten-penny nail in the roof directly over her head proved a conductor of the electric fluid that caused instant death. When found, her dust cap had been destroyed, her hair singed, a shoe torn from one of her feet, and traces of the burn were seen on her breast.

Mrs. Cunningham was a native of Westmoreland county, Pa., and her husband brought her remains to Jeannette, Pa., where interment was made in her father's family lot on the following Saturday.

Besides her husband, she is survived by her mother, 4 brothers, and 3 sisters. She was a consistent member of the Baptist church, and a woman greatly beloved by all who knew her. She lacked a day of being 42 years of age.

The King's Highway.

There will be no services next Sunday morning in the Presbyterian, or the Reformed churches. Services in the Little Cove in the morning at 10:30 o'clock.

In the evening at 7:45 as previously announced, The Mission Pageant entitled, "The King's Highway," will be rendered in the Reformed church by the Missionary Society. This service is not to conflict with the Union Lawn Service at the Court House.

We were compelled to have this Missionary Service this month, before our young people, who wish to take part in the service, will leave for school. We made the hour for the Missionary service late on account of the Union Lawn Service.

I therefore take the liberty to announce that the Union Lawn Service will be held next Sunday evening on the Court House Lawn. May I suggest that we get together a little earlier—say, 6:45. That will give us our usual time for the Lawn Service. In this way we can all spend a delightful time in prayer and praise and to the preaching of God's word, and thus prepare ourselves to see how The King of Kings entered the heathen lands. Rev. J. LEIDY YEARICK.

A Popular Candidate.

Geo. A. Harris, our candidate for Congress, attended the Shade Gap picnic, and met many people from Fulton, Franklin, Huntingdon, and Juniata Counties. On August 26th, Mr. Harris will be the principal speaker at the large farmers' gathering at Leonard's Grove, Juniata County and he has been selected to address the Rural-Letter Carriers' Association, of Snyder, Mifflin, Juniata and Perry Counties at New Bloomfield on Labor Day, Sept. 4. He will attend the large farmers' picnic at Blain, Perry county, Saturday, the 12th, and the Path Valley picnic on the 19th. Judging from accounts in papers throughout the district he has been well received and is gaining in strength.

Tree Fell On Him.

Last Monday, while Constable David Mellott, whose home is south of Saluvia, was working in the State Highway quarry near the top of Rays Hill, a large tree that had been undermined by the workmen fell and caught Mr. Mellott on the shoulders and it crushed him to the ground. He was taken to his home in Licking Creek township and Dr. Robinson was called. The Doctor found no broken bones, but his patient was severely bruised and the muscles of his back were sprained so that he cannot walk.

HOUGH—HAMPTON.

Mr. Warren Hough, of Clay Hill, Pa., and Miss Minnie Hampton, of Shade Gap, Pa., were united in marriage, August 8, 1916, by Clerk of the Court B. Frank Henry, at the Court House, in McConnellsburg.

Mr. J. G. Patterson, of Pittsburgh, Pa., and Mr. W. M. Cunningham, of Jeroma, Idaho, spent a few hours in town yesterday.

Notice to Clean Up.

Officials in each borough in the State have been notified by the State Board of Health to clean up. McConnellsburg local board of health official received the following notice last week: August 3, 1916.

To the Secretary Board of Health,

DEAR SIR:—In view of the threatened epidemic of Infantile Paralysis (Acute Anterior Poliomyelitis) it is incumbent upon health authorities to insist upon the most radical cleaning measures in every built up community in the State. It is particularly important to have all human and animal waste and all garbage handled in a way that will prevent the breeding of flies and the trailing of putrid substances by flies and other insects to the food of the children. You should at once make a complete sanitary inspection of every property in your community, going particularly into the sanitary conditions of the privies and privy vaults requiring all pit privies or privies with vaults that are full or filled to within a foot of the top to be emptied and require the use of an antiseptic over the vault contents. If any surface privies exist they should be removed and the owner should be required to construct a proper water proof pit or vault. All stables in your community should be inspected and the manure accumulating thereat should be removed at least twice a week during the fly season and burned or plowed under. All alleys and gutters in the community should be carefully inspected so as to prevent the accumulation of filth and dangerous drainage conditions. Garbage cans should be inspected, they should be provided with lids and provision should be made for the removal of garbage at least twice a week. If any pig pens exist they should be placed in a sanitary condition. Any persons raising or housing poultry or other fowl should be made to keep the property in the best of sanitary conditions.

Unless your municipality is ready to proceed at once to make your town cleaner than it is at the present time, this Department should be notified so that we may take steps to enforce the cleaning, doing so if necessary with our own forces at the expense of your local treasury.

Very truly yours,
SAMUEL G. DIXON.

\$25 Reward.

The undersigned offers a reward of twenty-five dollars for information that will lead to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons who removed the flag from, and otherwise desecrated, a certain grave in the burial ground at the McKendree M. E. church.

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Executor's Notice.

Estate of John F. Johnson, late of Taylor 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.
JAMES E. LYON,
Executor.

REISNER'S Spring Announcement.

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Notice to Contractors.

Sealed proposals for the construction of a concrete bridge over Siding 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. Bids must be made upon proposal blanks attached to the specification, and must be accompanied by a certified check in a sum equal to at least ten per cent. (10%) of the amount of bid, and made payable, without reservation, to the order of the Board of County Commissioners of either Huntingdon county, or Fulton county, Pa. 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, JOSIAH C. HALL, A. A. Wible SELSA CUTCHALL, Clerk. Com. of Huntingdon Co. Pa. FRANK M. LODGE, CHARLES W. SCHOOLEY, W. C. Davis ALBERT NESBIT, Clerk. Com. of Fulton Co., Pa.

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