

INTERESTING PARAGRAPHS

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

CONDENSED FOR HURRIED READERS

Easter post cards at the Irwin Store.

Walter Johnston spent Tuesday in Chambersburg.

Buy your Groceries for Easter at the Irwin Store.

Mrs. J. H. Johnston, of Webster Mills is suffering with a severe attack of rheumatism.

George McEldowney and family moved from the Paul Wagner home on Tuesday to Hopewell.

Mrs. Flora Hammers of Mercersburg and her brother Alex Amerson of Akersville, visited their father during the past week.

Boyt Glenn moved from Miss Esther Sloan farm to the one he purchased from C. M. Ray, and Andrew Rotz from town to the Sloan farm.

Mrs. Ross Doyle and children Andrew and Rose went to Ridleysburg Tuesday to spend a few days with Ross who is employed at the coke ovens.

Miss Lavina Long, who has been spending six months among the Franklin County relatives returned to her home in McConnellsburg last Monday.

Mrs. John Lamberson and daughter Miss Jennie of Hustonsport spent last Monday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Lamberson at Jugtown.

Mrs. Charles Hykes and Mr. David Malloy of York, Pa., spent a few days during the past week at the home of Mrs. Mary Clevenger, West Lincoln Way.

Murray Ray moved on Tuesday from the farm he sold recently to Hoyt Glenn to the bakery recently purchased from his brother-in-law in McConnellsburg.

Easter Candies, Easter Novels—a large assortment at the Irwin Store.

W. M. Patterson, of Pittsburgh, spent Monday night and part of Tuesday in the home of his parents, Hon. and Mrs. D. H. Patterson, North Second Street.

David Woodal moved yesterday from the Patterson Brothers farm in Ayr township to the George Mock farm in Todd township recently purchased by Mr. Woodal.

HIDES.—Frank B. Sipes says the highest market price for beef hides at their butcher shop in McConnellsburg, also the price paid for calf skins and sheepskins and tallow.

Advertisement.

Mr. J. S. Brattan, who has been connected editorially with the Fulton Democrat during the past few months, went to Bellefonte, Pa., on a business trip Sunday.

The Ladies Aid Society of the M. E. church will have a Social, Supper, and Saturday evening, April 14th at the home of Mrs. Nevin at Andover. Everybody invited.

Mr. Owen A. Barton came over from his home in Brush Creek township Sunday evening and spent the night with his son Elton at Salvia. Monday morning he came to town and arranged for advertising of their sale which will take place on the 18th of April. Mr. Barton and family are going to move to Illinois the latter part of April.

After having lived in the old Johnson Hotel property in the town of McConnellsburg for more than fifty years, Mary Clevenger, last Saturday made sale of her personal property and left the old home with her son William who is tenant farmer on the Cove. Patterson farm in the Cove.

Clevenger is the widow of Clevenger who died several years ago. The house was built many years as a private home, and Mrs. Clevenger is known far and wide for her splendid table she set and her skill as a cook. We regret to see Mrs. Clevenger close her home, but hope she will find her new surroundings pleasant, and the relief from the home ought to do her

Runyan the Eye Man at

McConnellsburg Friday and Saturday March 30 and 31. Mercersburg, Monday April 2. Bt. Cabins, Wednesday April 4th, afternoon only. Three Spring, Friday, April 6.

Rubin & Rubin Here Next Tuesday.

Rubin & Rubin, Harrisburg's leading eye specialists will be at Seylar's Drug Store, McConnellsburg, Pa., Tuesday, April 3 1917 and at the Mansion House, Mercersburg, Wednesday, April 4th. One day only at each place. Hours from 9 until 6.

Card of Thanks.

We wish through the columns of the NEWS to extend thanks to all the friends and neighbors who so kindly rendered help and sympathy during the sickness and death of our dear mother, Mrs. Elizabeth McEldowney.

MAYE MCELDOWNEY.
MRS. OLIVE SNYDER.

C. L. S. C. Program.

April 2nd.

1. Roll Call—Current Events.
2. "The Crowned Anarchist."—Mrs. Grove.
3. King William and Belgium—Mrs. Smith.
4. Review of Chapter XXVI—Mrs. Stevens.
5. The Future outlook for Belgium—Minnie McGovern.

Across Safe

The American liner St. Louis, first armed American ship to cross the Atlantic arrived safe at her destination on Monday.

Information as to the arrival of the steamer came to the navy department from the offices of the American line in New York. The company wished to make known the fact to relieve the anxiety of those having relatives or friends on the vessel. Secretary Daniels approved such action. No details of the trip were given in the company's report.

OAK GROVE.

Mrs. James Benson spent a few days visiting her son Frank in Huntingdon.

Mrs. Charles Black and children, and Mrs. Wilbur Berkstresser visited Mrs. Alice McClain recently.

Mrs. Wible is visiting her son O. L. Wible.

Those visiting at Bruce Shores last week were Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Barnett, Robert McClain and Gertrude and Orpha Black.

Mrs. Nora Barnett is spending a few days with her parents Mr. and Mrs. James Chesnut near Hustontown.

We are sorry to hear of the illness of A. N. Witter.

Ray and Zola Bollinger visited Ethel Thomas last Sunday.

Mrs. Bruce Shore and daughter Alice also visited at the Thomas home Sunday.

Misses Rachel and Sarah Laidig visited at D M Black's Sunday.

BIG COVE TANNERY.

The measles seemed to have disappeared, but they are coming back thicker than ever. We seem to be getting our share of contagious diseases, mumps, chicken pox, measles and scarlet fever. What next?

The reorganization of the Sunday School at Laurel Ridge was postponed until April 1st.

Mrs. Elmer Clouser spent last Thursday with her sister at Webster Mills.

Rowe Mellott has moved one of his sawmills up to Geo. Unger's and another one to Geo. Butterbaugh's. Mr. Unger expects to build a barn this spring.

David Lauer Supervisor is improving some of our roads.

David and Harry Bivens are putting up a lime kiln.

May, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Fittory that was improving at last writing, died Tuesday morning and will be buried Thursday afternoon at Union cemetery.

Grant McCoy has returned to his home in Cumberland.

Edward Lynch, of Johnstown is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Lynch.

There will be services in the Methodist Episcopal church in this place every evening next week beginning at 7 o'clock. Sunday April 8th at 10:30 Rev. Jackson will speak on "Echoes from Conference." Preaching at Cito at 8 o'clock.

CLEAR RIDGE.

Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Fleming and daughter Cora, of Waynesboro, and Robert Fleming, of McConnellsburg, spent Saturday night and Sunday with their mother Mrs. T. E. Fleming of this place.

Glen Miller, of Woodvale, spent the week end with his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Fraker, and with his mother Mrs. Minerva Miller.

Some of our folks are beginning to clean house.

Luther H. Grove and Arthur Kerlin are suffering from La-grippe.

The young folks are practicing for an Easter entertainment.

Mr. and Mrs. Cloyd Everhart, of the Cove, spent a day the past week with her home folks Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Fields.

John Gallaher expects to move to Woodvale this spring. James C. Appleby will move from the Fore farm at Knobsville to the Henry farm in Taylor township. John Carmack moves from the Henry farm, to the place he purchased lately known as the R. Justus Fields property.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mower who have been spending the winter with his son Joseph Mower at Mowersville are expecting to return to their home here this spring.

Mrs. Celie Sipe and son Owen Anderson are expecting to move from Hustontown to the Kerlin place here this spring.

John Z. Sipes expects to quit farming this spring.

School will close a little late this spring on account of bad luck with teachers. H. P. Barton has it in hands now, he is well thought of.

John Carmack is building a combination building, consisting of a kitchen, wood house, meat house, etc.

It was a little showery in our town today. We have not heard from conference yet we do not know who our preacher may be.

We are going to have an Easter entertainment on Sunday evening April 8th.

Some of our people are redding up and getting ready to make garden.

Fred Carmack was laying a floor in his buggy shed the first of the week.

Everybody is getting lots of eggs now. They are 21 cents a dozen.

Robert Winegardner is going to farm for John A. Gallaher this summer.

LAIDIG.

Another week finds us nearer to spring that unfolds to us the beauties of a Nature that has slept in dormancy during the winter months.

Public Sales seem to have the right of way just now. Many things are selling for far more than they cost. In general, things are selling for high prices. Milch cows are very scarce, and are bringing high prices.

Bernard Foreman and wife, together with Howard Knepper motored to the latter's home Sunday. Thence they went and viewed the sorrowful scene of the death of Howard's uncle Scott.

George McClain and younger brother Foreman were visiting at Jesse Laidig's last Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fix were callers at the home of the latter's niece Mrs. Chester Brant.

Ned Mellott spent last Sunday pleasantly at the home of Joseph V. Deaver.

On Thursday of last week, Dr. H. C. McClain accompanied the stork out to the home of William Shaw, our rural mail carrier, and left another boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hann will very soon remove to their new property, formerly the Nitsche farm, adjoining the Cooper tract where they will try out the various experiences incident to beginners, at housekeeping.

Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Foreman are expecting soon to move to their town near Dane.

It is reported that Mrs. Hugh Auld's health is rapidly declining. We sympathize with the near friends, and hope for her speedy recovery.

Clem Sipes and Carl Hann are hauling a lot of posts from the Recently Bros. track on Sideling Hill.

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GEN. RAPHAEL REYES



Gen. Raphael Reyes, former president of Colombia, is in Washington to press the claim of his country for \$20,000,000 for the loss of territory caused by the creation of Panama into an independent state.

SIDELING HILL.

Mrs. George Wilson, of Warfordsburg R R spent Tuesday as the guest of Mrs. Job Hill.

Mrs. Amos Layton and granddaughter Maud Layton of Dott were Thursday visitors at this place.

Henry Deshong Jr., of Big Cove Tannery, spent a day recently with his mother at Dott Austin Golden, wife and son of Franklin Mills, Mrs. Walter Palmer and son, of Dott were among the Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert M. Bivens, of Warfordsburg R. R.

Mrs. Oliver Hill and daughter spent Sunday with Andrew Mellott and wife.

Mrs. Jeremiah Golden, of Dott was a Sunday visitor at the home of Charles Bess.

Hazel and Della Carnell recently visited relatives at Dott.

Philip Bernhardt and wife, of Long Ridge recently visited the former's brother, Lemuel.

Lena Bivens, of Warfordsburg spent several day last week with her sister Mrs. Austin Golden, Franklin Mills.

EXECUTOR'S SALE OF VALUABLE Real Estate.

THURSDAY, APRIL 19, 1917, AT 1:30.

By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Fulton County, Pennsylvania, the undersigned, Executor of the last will and testament of A. J. Fore, late of Dablin township, Fulton county, Pa., deceased, will on the above named date sell on the premises in Todd township, one-fourth mile north-east of Knobsville, a valuable

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BRUSH CREEK.

Mrs. Maggie Barton has been spending a few days with her daughter Mrs. Clad Bequeath at Gapsville.

M. E. Barton and daughter Gwendolyn spent part of Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Whitfield.

Mrs. Bruce Barton and daughter Hazel spent one day last week with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Wm Mellott.

John Truax, of Wells Tannery spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of Mrs. Belle Hixson. John Wilt spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. All are invited to attend.

Barton.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Clevenger spent a day recently with Miss Cora Clevenger at Breezewood, Gapville.

Ross Barton and Miss Elizabeth Hixson motored to Everett last Saturday. We imagine it was a rather muddy time for punctures. At least they thought so.

We here wish to make a correction to one of "Brush Creek's" last week items. The play in 3 acts "Little Buckshot," Time 2 1/2 hours, will be given Saturday evening April 7th at the Crystal Spring Club House instead of the I. O. O. F. Hall at Breezewood.