

INTERESTING PARAGRAPHS

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

CONDENSED FOR HURRIED READERS

Ladies' new Fall Coats on exhibition at J. K. Johnston's.

Mrs. B. W. Peck is spending this week among her Blair County relatives.

Mr. Scott Tritle has sold his farm in the Cove to Samuel S. Mellott near Big Cove Tannery.

Misses Augusta and Nan Robinson, of Philadelphia, are spending a few days with relatives in this place.

James S. Brattan, Managing Editor of the Mount Union News, spent a few hours in town Sunday evening.

Miss Netha Nesbit returned to Hagerstown, Monday to resume work in one of that city's largest millinery establishments.

Mrs. S. R. Cromer, of Knobsville, is spending a few days in the home of her cousin Miss Katie Fore, South Second Street.

Percy Mentzer, who was among the boys who recently left this county for training at Camp Lee, Va., is now on his way to France.

Miss Ada Rexroth left last Saturday morning for Aberdeen, Pa., where she has accepted employment in the Ordnance Department of government work.

Misses Emma Sloan and Carrie Greathart, who had been home for the summer, have returned to Johnstown for another year's work in the schools of that city.

Joseph Ambrose Chesnut and brother John and son Vaughn, Joseph Andrew Laiding and son Rudolph—all near Hustontown, motored to McConnellsburg Monday morning.

Miss Marie Hoke, who had been spending her summer vacation at home returned to Pottsville the first of this week and resumed her work in the millinery department of the Dives and Pomeroy store.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Foster Bolinger, Woodvale, motored down to McConnellsburg Monday morning and went over to the Fruit Farms in Franklin County and returned in the afternoon with a load of fine peaches.

Landlord J. J. Harris has installed telephone service in his hotel and he is in direct communication with every phone in the County, which will be a convenience for persons who may wish information about sales or hotel accommodation.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gladfelter and daughters Grace and Minnie—the latter being the wife of Ralph O. Ramser, now in France—motored to McConnellsburg from their home at Clear Ridge last Saturday, and were pleasant callers at the News office.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Spangler, of Wells Tannery, motored to Chambersburg last Thursday, returning to McConnellsburg in the evening where they spent the night in the home of B. W. Peck and wife. Friday they attended the Soldiers' Reunion on their way home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Reiser and their son Bill came over from Hagerstown last Saturday and spent the time until Monday morning when Mr. Reiser returned home and Mary and the boy will remain a week or two in the home of her mother Mrs. Josephine A. Sloan.

Misses Martha and Esther Kendall left last Saturday for Washington, Pa., where they are attending the Washington County teachers' institute this week. Next week they open their school at Venice, Pa., the former as teacher of English in the High School, and the latter as teacher in the Junior High School.

IF YOUR CHILDREN ARE DELICATE OR FRAIL under-size or under-weight remember—Scott's Emulsion is nature's grandest growing food; it strengthens their bones, makes healthy blood and promotes sturdy growth.

District Sunday School Convention.

The annual district Sunday School Convention in Brush Creek township was held in the Jerusalem Christian Church, in Whips Cove last Sunday afternoon. The afternoon session was very well attended by representatives of the Sunday schools of the community. Following a service of song Mr. George A. Comer, secretary of the Fulton County Sabbath School Association, took charge of the meeting and after a short address introduced Rev. William J. Lowe, the president of the county association, who spoke on the needs of advancing the standards of the Sunday schools along all lines but especially in Teacher Training. In the conference which followed short addresses were made by Mr. Frank P. Pleasinger, and others, Mr. C. J. Brewer, Superintendent of Temperance, delivering the closing address.

The evening session opened with a devotional service conducted by the County President. A business session followed during which the organization of two new Teacher Training classes was assured. Following a service of song under the leadership of an excellent choir, Rev. Lowe gave an object lesson "The Windows of the Soul", using a large representation of a heart to illustrate. Addresses were also delivered by Mr. Brewer and Mr. Comer.

The Soldier's Reunion.

For many years the Soldiers' Reunion has been the great event of the County, and last Friday was no exception, as far as the crowd was concerned. The program was all right and conditions favorable for a splendid outing. But Jupiter Pluvius seemed to have something to do with it, and about 2:30 o'clock, a violent down pour of rain set in and kept at it for more than an hour. Those that had not gone home before the rain wished they had, and the reunion came to a close in a short order. George Comer took the precaution to say his piece before dinner, while saying was good; but the speakers for the afternoon are now saving up their dope for next year with the exception of Food Administrator Jackson, who relieved his system in the afternoon before the rain began. It seemed too bad. Every year sees fewer and fewer old soldiers at these gatherings, and everybody feels that it is a privilege to turn out and help to honor these Civil War heroes.

The Red Cross people, notwithstanding the rain, cleared about \$129 good dollars and turned the same into the treasury Saturday.

Family Reunion.

The surviving members of the Hoop families in this county, took advantage of the presence of Mr. and Mrs. John Tayman, of Brandywine, Md., to eat dinner together at the Soldiers' Reunion at Hoops Grove, last Friday. The only thing to mar the pleasure of the occasion was the recent death of the late Judge J. W. Hoop, a half brother of Mrs. Tayman.

Registration Day.

Thursday, September 12th, has been named by President Wilson, when between the hours of 7 a. m. and 9 o'clock p. m. every male citizen between the age of their 18th birthday and their 46th birthday, not having already registered, will go to their respective polling places and register for military service.

Quiet Wedding.

At six o'clock last evening at the U. P. parsonage, Rev. W. V. Grove united in marriage Miss Annie R., daughter of Mr. A. J. Pittman, west of town, and Harvey L. Barmont, son of Henry Barmont, of Todd township. Immediately after the ceremony the happy couple left for a trip to Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington.

Registration Day.

The large barn on the David Agnew farm, two miles west of Mercersburg, was struck by lightning in the heavy storm that passed over the county on Saturday afternoon and was entirely destroyed together with a large amount of grain, hay and farm implements. The loss is partly covered by insurance.

Knobsville.

Mrs. Austin Addison and children Jean and Donald of Pittsburgh, have returned to their home after spending some time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Snyder.

Mrs. Addison was accompanied to her home by Mrs. Snyder who expects to visit in the Smoky City.

Will Gunnells, of Chambersburg spent a few days here recently visiting his sister Mrs. B. F. Cline and other relatives.

Mrs. Margaret Lanerty, of Harrisburg, is spending a few weeks among friends and relatives in, and near, this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Humbert spent last Sunday the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Bradnick.

Mrs. Scott Wagner spent a few days the past week with her daughter Miss Ruth at Chambersburg.

Miss Anna Fleming, of Harrisburg, visited in the home of her sister Mrs. Ira Fore from Tuesday until Saturday of last week.

Miss Mary Helman and Lola Wilson spent last Sunday the guests of Oda Gutshail.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hamill and children Ivan and Mary Elizabeth, spent a day recently at Geo. Glunt's.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cromer and little daughter Gladys spent Sunday with Mrs. Cromer's parents Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Wible.

Mrs. Katie Kalso has returned to her home here after having spent several weeks with her daughter Mrs. Grover Peck near Stone Bridge Station.

Do not forget the lecture by the Hon. Michael J. Fanning in the M. E. Church next Saturday evening.

Miss Etta Snyder left Tuesday morning for Pittsburgh where she expects to be employed by the Westinghouse Corporation.

War on German Soil.

American troops are likely to be the first to strike a blow on German soil, according to Washington dispatches which may or may not be based on reliable information. Thus first blow is to be struck on the Alsace Lorraine front, it is said, where recently American troops captured a village less than five miles from the German border. The late defeats of the Germans by the Franco-American armies in the Soissons Rheims section and by the Anglo-French forces in the Aisne neighborhood occurred far from the German border, naturally giving the impression that German soil is still far out of reach; yet it is a fact, virtually forgotten, that on the south of the Alsace Lorraine front American troops have actually been on German territory for weeks past. If pushing ahead under such heavy blows on German soil, and thus win back for France her lost provinces, such a culmination would be peculiarly gratifying to the public in America, where there is an eager desire not only to go to the rescue of our war-worn allies but to pay a debt to France.

The Alsace-Lorraine front, however, is too far from Berlin to be a good starting point for a rapid drive on the German capital, and, moreover, such a drive is not regarded as possible until the power of the German forces entered on the west front has been shattered; and though America may be largely instrumental in retaking the lost provinces, the main drive toward Berlin must be made from points where the heaviest forces of the hostile armies face each other. When the great final drive is really on its way the Allied armies will probably push into German territory at several points at once.

Mrs. Edward G. Wagner and son Albert of Pittsburgh were visiting her brothers, Daniel and John Fix, near Three Springs; Howard of Clear Ridge; George near Harrisonville; William of McConnellsburg; and Luther at Foltz. Mrs. Wagner was a daughter of the late John and Harriet Fix. She was accompanied by her niece and nephew Mr. and Mrs. Robert Finiff and daughter Harriet. They motored from Pittsburgh to Fulton County in Mrs. Finiff's automobile.

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The Progress of the War.

For Seven Weeks, the Allies Have Been Pushing the German Army Back with Irresistible Force and Capturing Thousands of Prisoners.

IT IS HINTED THAT PEACE WILL COME IN 1920

During the early part of the summer as the Germans kept inching forward day by day, getting nearer and nearer to Paris, and to the channel ports, the condition to the casual observer seemed anything but encouraging. The Allies had been on the defensive; and while not losing as many men as the Germans, they were losing territory. But, now it is very clear that the leaders of the Allies knew what they were doing, and when the proper time came—when sufficient forces had arrived from America, and they were assured that a continual stream of reinforcement could be depended upon every week, the pursued became the pursuers, and for seven weeks the Huns have been running like rabbits, and much of the territory gained by them during the past two years has been regained, together with thousands and thousands of prisoners.

Much of the territory regained, is the valuable iron and coal lands which the Germans took from the French, and which has been such a valuable asset to them in carrying on the war. Unless we meet with unlooked reverses, German territory will soon become the battleground and their people in cities and on farms will get a taste of the bitter experiences of the Belgians and French during the past four years. Let the war go on until the Huns are brought to their knees in humility, and the Hohenzollern family deported to some isolated island, there to remain until the last vestige of the tribe is extinct.

The Fourth Liberty Loan.

The campaign for the Fourth Liberty Loan begins September 23 and closes October 19. While this amount has not yet been announced, it is generally conceded it will be for a larger amount than any of the preceding loans. The American people, therefore, are called upon to raise a larger sum of money in a shorter length of time than ever before. There is need, therefore, for prompt action—prompt and efficient work and prompt and liberal subscriptions.

We have a great inspiration for a great effort. The news from the battle front inspires every American heart, not only with pride and patriotism but with a great incentive to do his or her part. There is no shirking, no shifting of the individual burden, no selfishness by American soldiers in France; there should be none here. We are both supporting the same country and the same cause—our Army in one way, ourselves in another. There is the harder part, but at least we can do our part as promptly and loyally and efficiently as they do theirs.

CHEERFUL WORDS.

For Many a McConnellsburg Household.

To have the pains and aches of a bad back removed—to be entirely free from annoying, dangerous urinary disorders, is enough to make any kidney sufferer grateful. You following advice of one who has suffered will prove helpful to hundreds of McConnellsburg readers.

Mrs. Lewis Christ, 339 E. Queen St., Chambersburg, Pa., says: "I had rheumatic trouble and my kidneys acted irregularly. At times I was dizzy and my head ached fearfully. Sharp pains took me in the small of my back and across my hips. When I heard of Doan's Kidney Pills I got some and they surely gave me excellent relief. Doan's put me in much better condition in every way."

Advertisement.

60 HEAD OF CATTLE 100 HEAD OF SHEEP.

The undersigned will sell at his farm occupied by Robert Hamill, 1 mile east of McConnellsburg on the Lincoln Highway on Thursday, September 12, '18 sixty head of cattle, of which 10 are fresh cows, some with calves at their side; 16 head of steers that will average 500 lbs each; 5 stock bulls, well bred, the balance are heifers ranging from 500 to 700 lbs. Some of the steers and heifers are ready for the butcher.

100 head of sheep, the most of which are good stock ewes and worthy the attention of any farmer who may wish to raise sheep. Sale will begin at 1 o'clock Reasonable credit.

HARRY HAMILL.

Sale Register.

Saturday, September 28th, David C. Gibson intending to break up housekeeping and go to the West, will sell at his residence near Rees Hill school house in Ayr township, personal property, and the same time offer his real estate. Sale will begin at 1 o'clock, p. m. J. J. Harris, auctioneer.

Farm Wanted.

Give location, acreage, cleared and in timber, improvements and all detail information and price in first letter. Address, F. M. TAYLOR, McConnellsburg, Pa. 8-8-18.

Administratrix Sale OF VALUABLE Real Estate.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 1918, AT 11 A. M.

By virtue of an order of the Orphans Court of Fulton County Pennsylvania, the undersigned Administratrix of the estate of Wm. L. Duvall, late of Brush Creek Township, Fulton County Pennsylvania, deceased, will on the above named date sell at public sale on the premises in Brush Creek Township two miles north of Akersville, and one and one-half mile south of the Lincoln Highway, the following valuable real estate belonging to the said estate.

Good Slate Farm.

Bounded and described as follows: all that certain tract of land situated in Brush Creek township, bounded on the North by lands of J. R. Jackson, on the West by lands of H. A. Welsh, and Wm. Hixson, on the South by lands of S. M. Jackson, and on the East by lands of Reichley Bros., containing in all about One Hundred Forty-nine acres and allowances. About 50 acres of which is cleared farm land in good state of cultivation. The balance of the tract is in good timber, consisting of white pine, white oak, chestnut, and a lot of fine yellow pine timber.

Good Frame House and Good Barn Practically New.

Fine spring water, and young orchard of apples, peaches and pears. A desirable home. TERMS OF SALE:—Ten per cent. on day of sale and balance on confirmation of sale by the court. PEARL DUVALL, Administratrix. 8-23-18.

Farms For Sale.

No. 1. The A. W. Deshong farm about 1 mile from Andover in Licking Creek township, containing 179 acres, good house, flat barn, good spring plenty of fruit of all kinds. Splendid young orchard just coming into bearing. About 60 or 70 acres of timber from which at least, 200,000 feet of white pine and oak can be cut, and balance in good state of cultivation.

No. 2. The Howard B. Swope farm near Sipes Mill, containing 110 acres, 50 or 60 acres cleared and in good state of cultivation, the balance in fair timber. There is a large dwelling house and other buildings. Plenty of fruit and good water. The reason for offering these farms for sale is, that the owners have purchased farms in Cumberland County, and will move to them next spring. For further information, call on or address, S. L. BEDFORD, Real Estate Agent, Shippensburg, Pa. Or. A. W. DESHONG, Andover, Pa. 8-22-18.

Cumberland Valley Farms.

- 90 A. slate and gravel land, close to Lincoln Highway; large brick house and bank barn, \$2800 00. 115 A. gravel land, near Upper Strasburg; large frame house, bank barn, lumber, running water, not hilly, \$7000 00. 170 A. limestone land, 4 miles west of Shippensburg; splendid buildings, (would cost \$10,000 to replace them today); smooth and level, along the public road, 20 A. of timber, \$125 00 per A. 140 A. slate land, near Williamson, along the railroad; bank barn and frame house 20 A. timber, \$9000 00. 25 A. slate and gravel land, close to Chambersburg, good buildings, possession this fall, if desired; an ideal tract and poultry farm, \$3500 00. Homes in all parts of Chambersburg, from \$1500 to \$10,000, and small country properties in all parts of the beautiful and productive Cumberland Valley.

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Barrett Specification Roofs

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Racket Store!

We have just received 200 Rolls of Rubber Roofing and we are in shape to save you some money. 1 ply Trumpet, \$1.35; 2 ply, \$1.65 and \$1.90. Also better grade at \$2.60, \$3.25, \$3.75 and \$4.35. We are selling quite a lot of the Slate Surface, 85 lbs. to the Roll, at \$2.95. These prices we can't duplicate as it was bought some time ago and has advanced 25 per cent. since. Don't Wait, if you are in need of Roofing.

We are in good shape on SHOES for the fall trade. Lots of our Customers say the prices are not as high as they expected to pay. HULL & BENDER

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WANTED: Three drivers for sawmill. Work every day. Three years job. BUCKEYE LUMBER & SUPPLY Co., Berlin, Pa. 9-5-18.

FOR SALE: Farm of three hundred acres 2 1/2 miles from Hancock Limestone and shale. Price \$6000. Others wanted, and for sale. A. C. GARLAND, Hancock, Md. 7-5-18

FOR SALE—Six roomed frame house in good condition, corner lot, summer kitchen, wood house, stable and plenty of good fruit. Price Eight. MISS MARY FISHER, McConnellsburg. 2t

Frank Mason pays highest price for Choice Whites 45 cents; "B" was 42, "Mixed 40; Seconds (small, stained, cracked or held eggs) 30 cents. Fair prices for all kinds of Poultry; Smooth fat Hens 26 cents. All should be penned, fed good two weeks. 9-5-18.

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