

# NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

News Items of Interest From Near-by Places, Gleaned by The Commercial's Special Correspondents.

## SIPPLEVILLE.

Dec. 22—N. B. Hechler was a passenger on the W. M. to Frostburg and other points today.

W. Ankney butchered a nice hog for Charles Yutzky on Tuesday.

At this writing the sick are getting along nicely.

A. J. Miller of Meyersdale was in Sippleville on Tuesday.

Messrs. George, Harold and Ezra Sipple were repairing the foot bridge that crosses the foot bridge that spans the run at David Sheppard's place today.

Mrs. Freeze was a Wednesday caller at Ross Albright's.

Mrs. John Clites was a Wednesday caller at the home of Ross Albright.

Samuel Hoffmyer spent part of Thursday at the home of Charles Yutzky.

Mrs. N. B. Hechler spent Thursday at the home of Mrs. W. Ankney.

Mrs. Wm. Ankney was a Friday caller on her mother, Mrs. Lucy Albright.

Messrs. Roy Albright and John Freeze decorated the Sand Spring school house for Christmas last Friday morning.

N. B. Hechler spent Friday last in Chestnut Springs with friends and relatives.

Miss Margaret, the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ankney, had the misfortune on Friday evening to fall and break her right arm a few inches below the elbow.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Boyer, of Berkeley Mill were Sunday callers of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Smith.

Mrs. Jerry Wiland was a Sunday visitor at the home of John Baker.

## ROCKWOOD.

Nearly the entire number of business places in Rockwood have signed a petition that their business places will be closed all day Christmas.

Marcellus Snyder who owns a farm west of Rockwood a short distance, sold it to E. G. Byron of Meyersdale for \$8,000. Mr. Snyder in the near future have a sale of personal property and will move his family to Athen county, O., where he has purchased a farm.

Raymond Miller, of Somerset, was a business caller at Connellsville last week.

S. S. Rickard and R. C. McVicker, of Rockwood, who were in the automobile wreck are getting along nicely. Mr. McVicker was brought home on Thursday, while Mr. Rickard is still in the hospital in Pittsburgh.

A few nights ago thieves entered the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wolfersburg, and secured \$30 in cash and a B. & O. mileage containing 300 miles.

Mrs. Henry Cook, aged 45 years, died early on Friday morning at her home at Shamrock near Rockwood. Mrs. Cook had been ill for several months from a complication of diseases. She is survived by her husband and several children.

Mrs. J. C. Vaghn of Winsten-Salem N. C., is the guest of her mother Mrs. J. C. Enos and other Rockwood friends and relatives during the Xmas holidays.

Engineer W. R. Wadsworth has been assigned as regular engineer on the Somerset & Cambria branch running between Rockwood and Johnstown. "Becky" Payne who formerly held this position has been transferred to the Meyersdale helper crew at his own request. E. R. Bear who has been working out of Rockwood several years on the branch has accepted a position as fireman on the Fairmont "drag" and will soon leave for his new home.

## MARPLETON.

Monster Christmas trees have been put up in the U. B. Church and at the Sanatorium for the Sunday School and young folks.

The annual Sunday School entertainment of the U. B. Church will be held Christmas eve.

Music and Christmas treat will take place on December 23, at 7:00 P. M., at the Sanatorium.

Wm. Ayers is on the sick list.

Louis Ayers, the veteran night watchman at the "San.", is recovering from a severe attack of Rheumatism.

On last Saturday night a foreigner who got an overload of Rockwood Rye lost control of his steering gear on the bridge and fell into the river. He was fished out by his companion and thawed out at the store. No damage.

Mrs. T. G. Leonberger has returned from a visit to her former home at Allentown and Mauch Chunk P.

## CONFLUENCE.

Mrs. Reeves Hill of New Castle, is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Black.

Mrs. John Reiber visited her daughter, Mrs. George Wagner in Connellsville last week.

Misses Claudine and Maria McCullough, students of Monasses College, were guests of Miss Josephine McKee Wednesday and Thursday. They went to Friendsville Thursday morning where they will spend the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McCullough.

Mrs. Adam Parnell and two children of Johnson Chapel, were guests of friends in town on Wednesday.

Russell Silbaugh was in Connellsville and Uniontown on business Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Kurtz of Somerset came here on Wednesday to attend the funeral of their aunt Mrs. H. Kurtz.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. DeBolt left Friday for a short visit with friends in Chicago, Ill.

James Liston of Bidwell, was in town on business Friday.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Ella Kurtz was held from her home on Friday morning. The funeral was conducted by Rev. Hopkins of the Christian Church. Interment was made in Hill cemetery. Mrs. Kurtz was 50 years old and was born and reared near Bidwell.

Mrs. Hazel Harbaugh returned home yesterday from a two weeks visit with her uncle, William Love and family in Hazelwood.

## SUMMIT TOWNSHIP.

W. H. Herwig is digging coal for H. M. Schrock at present.

Adm Johnson while shredding corn fodder for Mahlon Christner, had the misfortune of breaking his cutter when a piece of iron went through which was in the fodder.

Joel Hershberger, one of Elk Lick township's successful farmers, and family, were welcome visitors, last Sunday, at the home of R. J. Engle.

Miss Bertha and Fannie Miller of Salisbury Jc., were visiting at Summit Mills last Sunday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Klotz, a daughter, last week.

S. M. Gnagey bought a valuable cow from J. S. Wenger last Monday.

W. P. Meyers was a business visitor at Washington, D. C., the forepart of this week.

Most of our public schools are preparing Christmas programs for the afternoon of December 24.

The Brethren Church, of Summit Mills, is busy preparing a Christmas program which will take place on Christmas eve.

Miss Emma Kretzman spent Sunday with her friend Miss Marion Kendall.

Many of the people of this township attended the dedicatory services of the Reformed Sunday School building in Meyersdale last Sunday.

A. G. Maust and Albert Meyers were Salisbury visitors on Sunday evening.

William Manges, of Berlin, was a Summit Mills visitor on Sunday.

Mary Hostetler is working for L. A. Kretzman at present.

William Vought, who conducted the Cyrus Bockes farm for the past two years, has purchased the U. L. Glessner farm in Milford township for \$3800. The Glessner farm lays very level. Mr. Vought is beginning to move his personal property.

## BOYNTON.

Dec. 16—Mrs. Harry Critchfield, of Cumberland, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Wm. Darr.

Rev. Thomas was a Sunday visitor at James Robinson's.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Bowman attended the opera at Meyersdale Saturday evening.

Samuel Shroyer, of this place was in town on a business trip one day this week.

The Teachers Institute held at Boynton Saturday was largely attended and an excellent program was rendered.

Misses Eva Pyle of Coal Run and Edna and Emma Weller of Meyersdale were visiting friends in Boynton on Sunday.

Harry Hochman of this place was a Sunday visitor at Salisbury Junction.

Rev. H. L. Goughendur is going to preach a another fine sermon Sunday December 21st. You had better be present.

Mrs. Ashman and children of Virginia were visiting for several days at Mrs. Hans'.

Claire Rosensteel, a B. & O. fireman and wife and daughter were Sunday visitors at the home of Mrs. Rosensteel's mother, Mrs. Argenbright.

Miss Margaret Garlitz and Miss Edna Diehl, of Salisbury, were Sunday visitors at C. A. Pyle's.

Miss Dorothy Glodfelty, of Salisbury was seen in our town on Friday.

**FOLEY KIDNEY PILLS**  
FOR BACKACHE KIDNEYS AND BLADDER

## VIM.

Dec. 23—Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Engle spent Sunday at Coal Run with Frank Thomas'.

Rev. E. S. Hassler and John Lowry of St. Paul and E. R. Hay of near Summit Mills spent part of Sunday with W. W. Nicholson's.

Mrs. Mary Jones and Mrs. John O'Donnell spent several days of last week in Cumberland, Md.

Mrs. Emma Fike and Mrs. Annie Nicholson spent Wednesday at St. Paul with their cousin, Mrs. Andrew Sechler.

John, Adam, Andrew and their father Andrew Seignor left Sunday to spend the Xmas season in North Carolina with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Meyers spent last Sunday in Meyersdale.

Peter Knepp spent last Saturday at Sand Patch, on a business mission.

Samuel Fike, who was down with typhoid fever is able to be up and around.

Charles Commons came home on Tuesday of this week.

## INDIAN CREEK.

Mr and Mrs. George Arzbacher of Mill Run, are calling on Connellsville friends and doing Christmas shopping.

Nelson Anderson and George Rowan spent Saturday in Connellsville.

H. I. Fisher left for his home in Wilkensburg to spend a few day with his family.

F. W. Stichel arrived here from Magnolia, W. Va., today and is looking after his business here.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Shearer of Mill Run, called on Connellsville friends on Saturday.

A. P. Doorley left for Scottdale to spend a few days with relatives.

Miss Blanche Hiltabedel of Connellsville spent Friday night with her parents at Mill Run.

George Miller of Mount Nebo, was transacting business in Connellsville on Saturday.

As long as the present stock of goods last, we will make photographs at one half the regular price. All portrait frames will also go at the same rate. We guarantee all goods to be strictly first class and up-to-date. E. E. Conrad, ad

## Household Notes.

When the lamp wick is short and the oil is burned low, put water into the lamp bowl; it will raise the oil.

A tablespoonful of vinegar put into the water in which meat is boiled will make it deliciously tender.

If oatmeal is put to soak over night in cold water, it will only take half the time to cook it in the morning.

Pocket handkerchiefs and laces can be whitened by soaking them over night in a bath of toilet carbolic soap.

It is a good idea to put a heavy Turkish towel on the bottom of the dishpan when washing fine china or glass.

Pack glass or china in hay which is slightly damp. This will prevent the articles from slipping about.

The juice of a lemon added to a pan of water will freshen wilted vegetables. Let them stand in it for one hour.

Ammonia will remove grease stains from white goods. Soak the spot and let it dry, then wash it with hot soap suds.

When you have no old padding for the ironing board, try a pad made of old newspapers under the ironing sheet.

If a sugary coat is desired on lemon meringue pie, sift powdered sugar over the top before it is put into the oven.

Roast pork should never be eaten by any one with a delicate digestion. Salmon and herring are also very hard to digest.

Try rubbing the silver every day with a dry flannel rag; it will not have to be cleaned with silver polish nearly so often.

There is always a cause for a flickering kerosene oil light. Either the top is clogged, the wick or chimney is a misfit or a draught or wind may be blowing into the room.

When the eyes ache, relieve them by closing them for a few minutes. If there is a burning sensation, bathe them with hot water, to which a few drops of witch hazel has been added.

A good method of cleaning black jet is to first brush it free from dust, then apply a little olive oil by means of a brush, then polish with chamois. Care should be taken not to break the jet.

When frying doughnuts it is a good idea to have a dish of boiling water on the stove. As each cake is done, lift it out with a fork and dash quickly into the boiling water and out again.

After a heavy meal, take Doan's Regulets and assist your stomach, liver and bowels. Regulets are a mild laxative. 25c at all stores. ad

# The Spirit

of this 1913th Cristmas-time prompts us to express our appreciation to the community collectively and to each of our friends individually, for any part they have played in making this a most prosperous year for us.

May December 25th be numbered among your Yuletide memories as the happiest Christmas of them all is the wish of

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**Candy**  
From 10c to 50c per pound.  
**Nuts**  
From 16c to 23c per pound.  
**Florida Oranges**  
From 20c to 35c per dozen.  
Leave your order with us this week for OYSTERS, CHICKENS, Etc., to be sure that you have them for Xmas.

## CHURCH SERVICES.

Methodist Episcopal church service, Rev. G. A. Neeld pastor—Services at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Epworth League at 6:45 p. m. Evening service at 7:30.

SS. Philip and James Catholic church, Rev. J. J. Brady, pastor—Mass next Sunday 9 and 11 a. m. Vespers and Benediction at 7:30 p. m.

Church of the Brethren—Preaching 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday School, 9:30 a. m. Christian Workers Meeting at 6:30 p. m. Bible Class, Saturday evening, 7:30 p. m. Teacher Training classes meet Monday evening 7 and 8 o'clock, respectively. Sunday School Workers Meeting, Friday evening, 30th inst., at 7:30.

Brethren Church, H. L. Goughnour pastor—Services on December 28th at Salisbury in the morning, Summit Mills in the afternoon and Meyersdale in the evening. Sunday school and Christmas Endeavor at usual hours. All are cordially invited.

Itching, torturing skin eruptions annoy, drive one wild. Doan's Ointment is praised for its good work. 50c at all Drug Stores.

## DEAD LETTER LIST.

Wm. Alexander, W. G. Bryant, card; Miss Marie Burkholder, Miss Belle Hamilton, Miss Ella Lohr, card; A. W. Livingston, card; A. C. May & Co., card, Miss Sallie Martz, card.  
Dec. 13, 1913, J. F. NAUGLE, P. M.

## Not Beyond Help at 87.

Sleep-disturbing bladder weakness, stiffness in joints, weak, inactive kidney action and rheumatic pains are all evidences of kidney trouble. Mrs. Mary A. Dean, 48 E. Walnut St., Taunton, Mass., writes, "I have passed my 87th birthday, and thought I was beyond the reach of medicine, but Foley Kidney Pills have proved most beneficial in my case." Sold by all Dealers Everywhere.

Children Cry  
**FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA**

## Fashions and Fads.

Hats made wholly of fur have a considerable vogue for motoring.

The general tendency seems to be in favor of darker colors for suits.

Some of the most striking French corsets actually have vests in them.

Many of the conservative winter coats are made of blue or black zibeline.

Charmeuse or velvet skirts are the correct thing to wear with fur coats.

Velvet and broadcloth are used in the same suit, but always in the same color.

Black leads all other colors for the broadcloth costume for afternoons.

Roman stripes in very bright colors are in great favor for trimmings.

Raglan sleeves and kimonos are as important as ever on one-piece gowns.

Hunter's green and tete de negre are among the best colors for the winter.

Corsages for evening gowns are usually blouses with crossover lines edged with fur or with fichu effects.

Some of the loveliest handkerchiefs possible are simply of handspun linen, edged with real valenciennes.

Many women are wearing the sheathlike dresses with mermaid trains, all a glittering mass of spangles and beadwork.

Some of the smartest afternoon dresses are of black velvet, with transparent bodices of lace or net or chiffon, or even all three.

You simply can't have too much color in your handkerchiefs this season; greens, reds, lavenders, yellows, browns and blues are all in favor.

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