

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

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

CONFLUENCE.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Corbett, of Addison were in town a short time Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. S. McNutt, of Somerset, were in town visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jackson Saury.

Robert Jacobs of Somerset, was in town on business Saturday.

Miss Wilma Watson, of Addison, spent a few days of last week here with her aunt, Mrs. W. S. Mountain.

Mrs. Mary Loach, of McKeesport, was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Newlin Bowlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bailey, of Bradock were guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Bailey.

John Curry, who operates a saw mill at Listonburg, went to Connessville Saturday to spend Sunday with his family.

Everett Show, of Connellsville, is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Show.

L. J. Holiday, the restaurant man, went to Friendsville to attend a special meeting of the I. O. O. F. there Saturday evening.

Charles Baughman, of Irwin, was the guest of his brother, Prof. Wm. Baughman, of Confluence High School, a few days last week.

James Brown, of Dawson, was the guest of his grandmother, Mrs. J. R. Brown, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Laura Sloan, of Scottdale, is the guest of Mrs. John Hawke, and Mrs. Lewis Constance, this week.

William Wilson who works in Uniontown spent Sunday with his family in Johnston Chapel.

Miss Elizabeth Butler, of Fort Hill, spent several days recently as the guest of her mother, Mrs. T. F. Butler, near town.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Flanagan, have returned home after a week's visit with friends in Somerset.

John Hawke, of Rockwood, spent Sunday and Monday with his family here.

Miss Zella Shaffer, and brother Clifford of Rockwood were guests of their cousin, Miss Margaret Murray and the Misses Allie and Belle Dull, several days recently.

Carl Brown of Scottdale spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Brown.

Lewis Lininger of Scottdale was the guest of his father, George Lininger and sister, Mrs. Herbert Bid from Saturday until Monday.

Miss Helen Joliff, has returned home from a visit in Uniontown.

Mrs. F. Coughenour of Connellsville is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Morrison.

VIM.

Mrs. Irvin Fike of near Hays Mill, spent Wednesday and Thursday of last week with her mother, Mrs. Wm. Fike.

P. C. Miller spent several days in Philadelphia and other points, on a business mission.

J. C. Kretschman was a welcome caller to our town last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lindeman of Meyersdale, spent Sunday with Wm. Stein's.

D. M. Lee butchered two hogs on Monday, which weighed three hundred and nine pounds.

R. S. Nicholson of Pleasant Hill, spent Monday with relatives in Vim.

P. C. Miller and family spent Sunday in Meyersdale.

Our schools were closed on Monday on account of diphtheria; the advanced room was fumigated on Monday, where the pupils attended who had contracted the disease.

HOOVERSVILLE.

Several cases of winter cholera are in our midst, due we think to the change in atmosphere.

Frank Cassena is nursing a sore foot, caused by a mine car going over his foot.

Mrs. T. H. Williams has a severe case of grippe and is confined to her room.

Put one over on a certain doctor. A young Slavish man came to the physician and surgeon's office, and asked the doctor, "whether he is the Guy that pulls teeth" the doctor said yes and got busy.

Lloyd Kregar of Rockwood is working for the B. & W. mines, one mile east of Hooversville, and is boarding with Mrs. M. F. Miller.

Mrs. Patsy Brezzi is on the sick list.

LaGrippe seems to predominate here in our borough, as well as tonsillitis.

GARRETT.

N. H. Lenhart and his wife and daughter were visiting his son Homer at Hyndman, Saturday and Sunday.

F. D. Godel's brother and wife, of Altoona, are visitors at the Merchants Hotel.

W. J. Currie, B. & O. telegraph operator has moved his family in the First National Bank building.

William Martin is getting along nicely since the operation.

Kenneth, son of Albert Mason, has been seriously ill with typhoid fever. Dr. Wilson is the attending Physician.

Leonard & Tucker, the new livery firm, are doing a rushing business, since groundhog day.

Charles Fisher is able to be out again after being confined to the house for several weeks on account of a severe cold and heart trouble.

There has been somewhat of a scare among the people of Garrett and vicinity on account of fever. Eight cases of scarlet fever, two of diphtheria and one of typhoid fever were reported which is only about one-third as some had never been reported until they were well. Some children of families that had scarlet fever were going to school, others that had their homes placarded were attending the moving picture shows, going in and out of stores, restaurants and other public places. It has been reported that a lady was permitted by a doctor, of the Board of Health, to move into a house that was placarded, diphtheria. The Board of Health called a special meeting to see what could be done with the Doctor or the lady, but they got into such hot arguments that turned almost into a fist fight, and as a result some of them went home and the balance of the Board adjourned until Friday night. When the roll was called and found every officer of the Board of Health present, the president called the meeting to order and tried to get down to business but it seemed they could not agree and they all resigned except one man and the health officer. There was a meeting held by the town council on Monday night and a new Board was appointed.

What do we need a Board of Health for if they would just go and tack up a card and let these contagious diseases spread over the community? No; we want it stopped if the schools, moving picture shows, Sunday schools, churches and all other public places have to be closed for a time.

The new school house caught fire and did considerable damage which the board estimated at about \$1,200. The school is heated with hot air and as we understand the fire started in the basement and burned through the floors before it was discovered but the Bucket Brigade soon had it under control.

Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Rush spent Saturday and Sunday at her home at Mann's-Choice.

Mr. Samuel Hopkinson is spending a few days with his brother, Mr. James Hopkinson, proprietor of the Hentz Hotel.

Misses Nora Bittner and Fannie Lenhart were Meyersdale visitors Thursday.

Mrs. N. H. Lenhart and daughter, Violet were visiting their son and brother, Homer Lenhart of Hyndman.

Mr. C. F. Bittner left for Pittsburgh Monday morning after spending Sunday with his family.

ROCKWOOD.

Mrs. Harriet Baker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Baker, and J. B. Smith, both of this place, were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents on Friday evening.

Mrs. Edith Polhamus is in Pittsburgh on business pertaining to her millinery store.

W. M. McCrea of Pittsburgh, spent several days this week as the guest of his uncle and aunt, Merchant and Mrs. J. C. McSpadden.

Mrs. Margaret Gardner of Rockwood, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Wolfersberger of Somerset.

The young ladies of the United Evangelical church will hold a social in the Snyder property on Market street, Friday evening, February 13.

Buying to Save Money.

Buying Foley's Honey and Tar Compound saves money because just a few doses stops the cough and cold and one bottle lasts a long time. It quickly heals raw and inflamed surfaces, stops tickling throat, harsh, rasping coughs, croup, hoarseness, bronchial and lagrippe coughs.

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Accidents will happen, but the best regulated families keep Dr. Thomas' Eclectic Oil for such emergencies. Two sizes 25 and 50c at all stores. ad

SALISBURY

The Citizens Light, Heat and Power Company are installing meters for all their patrons. Quite a number of the patrons were opposed to the meter system and well they could be for it is costing most twice as much as it did by the flat rate. The rate is 10 cents per 1,000 watts, which is considered a high rate.

Rev. L. P. Young held services in the Greenville Lutheran church every evening last week and the series of meetings terminated on Sunday with Holy Communion.

Casper Wahl one of the oldest residents of town celebrated his eightieth birthday last Thursday.

The Rev. G. A. Neeld, pastor of the Meyersdale Methodist Church and a number of his members attended the revival services of the local Methodist church on Tuesday evening of last week.

Miss Florence Saylor of Meyersdale who for some time was the efficient book keeper and stenographer at the West Salisbury Foundry and Machine shops has quit the employment of that company and has accepted a position with the First National Bank of Boswell.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wagner have started housekeeping in a part of the John Reese residence on Beachy Ave.

Miss Emma Harding, who had been at Akron, Ohio for some time is visiting her mother Mrs. Anna Harding.

Mrs. Robert Horne, of Boswell, was a guest at the home of Michael Knecht of West Salisbury last week.

Albert B. Lowry was at Somerset one day last week and lifted his commission as Notary Public, having been appointed by Governor Tener on Jan. 21.

H. W. Dennison, of Somerset, was a Salisbury visitor last Tuesday.

Mrs. Samuel Brown and Miss Ruth DeLozier are visiting friends at Sand Patch and Glencoe.

At a recent meeting of the town council James Harding was elected Borough treasurer and John Harding clerk for the 'Borough Dads.'

Mrs. Robert Wardlaw Mrs. Wm. Carter, of Meyersdale were guests of Mrs. Jacob Emerick one day last week.

'Sammy' Bowser, who had been working for the Maust Lumber Company in Garrett county, Md., is back again at the foundry of the West Salisbury machine shops.

Mrs. Ellen Sloan, of Lilly, Pa., is visiting her daughters, Mrs. Joseph Knecht, Mrs. Charles Paschke and Miss Rose Sloan at West Salisbury.

The teachers and pupils of our schools are making preparations for Patrons Day, Friday, Feb. 20. Three patriotic programs will be rendered. The pupils of the first and second primary will perform in the second room; the pupils of the first and second intermediate grades will have theirs in the fourth room and the third will be given by the pupils of the grammar and high school in the fifth room.

OHIOPILE.

B. A. Show of Connellsville, spent Saturday and Sunday at his home on Commercial street.

Mrs. H. C. Jones and daughter Helen, who have spent some time as the guest of Dr. and Mrs. D. H. Webster at New Jersey, returned to their home at the Rainier Hotel Saturday.

Milton Herring of Connellsville, spent Saturday and Sunday with his family on Garrett street.

Arthur Wallace and Barton Jackson left for Marketon Sunday night.

William Hall returned to his work at Humbert after a few days spent at his home here.

Mrs. George Stewart returned to her home near here Sunday after a short visit with Connellsville friends.

Miss Helen Robinson and father, of Ursina, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. K. C. Holt and Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Hochstetler for a few days.

Mrs. Bessie Gould left Sunday for Connellsville to visit with friends.

Newman Boyd and son Sterling spent Saturday in Connellsville.

Rolly Hall of Connellsville was in town Saturday.

Mark Lamby and mother left last evening for Connellsville to spend a short visit with friends.

Miss Laura Stuck was a caller in Connellsville Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Corristan spent Saturday calling on friends in Connellsville.

Charles Stuck of Connellsville spent Saturday and Sunday at his home here.

John Hall left Sunday for Rockwood.

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For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought

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FEED FOR COWS IN PASTURE

Early Pasture Has Stimulating Effect on Milk and Butter Production—Hay and Silage Help.

Cows that are turned into early spring pasture are benefited greatly if fed as much hay and silage as they will eat, is the opinion of Professor G. C. Humphrey of the college of agriculture of the University of Wisconsin. He gives the following advice to dairymen:

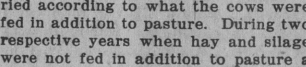
Spring pasture has a stimulating effect on milk and butter fat production, and the amount of milk and butter fat is increased quite appreciably even though a decrease in live weight may occur. This increase in production is greater where hay and silage are fed than where pasture alone constitutes the feed. When cows are withheld from grass until it becomes very good they may refuse hay and silage, but ordinarily it is believed to be the best plan to supplement early spring pasture with hay and silage in such quantities as cattle will eat. Losses in live weight which occur during the spring pasture season have to be made up later, and usually at the expense of production and the interests of the owner.

During a period of nine years it has been noted that on the average 87 per cent. of the cows of the university dairy herd decreased in body weight during the two weeks following the time they were turned to pasture. The amount of shrinkage varied according to what the cows were fed in addition to pasture. During two respective years when hay and silage were not fed in addition to pasture a marked average shrinkage in weight of 51 and 95 pounds was observed.

HANDY TRUCK IN DAIRY BARN

Farmer Cannot Afford to Ignore Modern Devices That Tend to Decrease Amount of Labor.

The dairyman cannot afford to ignore that which will lighten his labor in any way. His stable can be ever so conveniently arranged and still he has enough to do, says the Independent Farmer. The truck presented in this cut is very handy and will save much labor. It is made of good lumber and the only iron about it is the handle at each end by which to draw or push it, and the straps which are screwed against the ends, engage the ends of the axle outside the wheels and are screwed flat against the bottom of the truck.



A Handy Truck in Barn.

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GOOD OF COW TESTING CLUB

Many Unscientific Dairymen Relying on His Eyes and Own Judgment Rather Than Record.

There are too many cows in herds of the American farmer that do not pay for their own keep, much less yielding a profit, but the unscientific dairyman who relies alone on his eyes and own judgment rather than on records of yield and income, keeps on until he has his eyes opened by the progress of his neighbor, who may have joined a cow-testing association.

As illustrative of the difference in value of the average cows in a herd, may be cited the record of the work of cow-testing associations in operation in the state of Iowa since 1909. The best cow of the 688 tested returned a profit of \$106.77, while the poorest cow showed a loss of \$19.44. The average profit from the best cow in each of the 46 herds tested was \$59.04, and from the poorest cow in each herd, \$16.63. From the data presented it has been estimated that ten years in a cow-testing association ought to bring all the cows up to nearly 290 pounds of butter-fat per year.

SILAGE FOR YOUNG ANIMALS

It Has Very Beneficial Effect Upon System in Keeping Digestive Organs in Condition.

Silage plays a very important role in the most economical and efficient ration for young, growing dairy animals, states a recent bulletin from the Iowa station. It has a very beneficial effect upon the system in keeping the digestive organs in the best condition and as an aid in developing large digestive capacity.

In attaining this last effect it is materially aided by alfalfa or clover hay. When these feeds are given it is not necessary to feed very much grain to the animals after the end of the first year. A good winter ration for yearling dairy helpers is corn silage, fifteen to twenty pounds, alfalfa or clover hay, eight to ten pounds grain mixture consisting of equal parts corn, oats and bran, two pounds.

Condensed Statement OF THE CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK

MEYERSDALE, PA., At Close of Business, January 13, 1914.

RESOURCES	
Loans and Investments	\$ 744,028 74
U. S. Bonds	77,000 00
Banking House	29,300 00
Due from Banks and Reserve Agents	105,899 03
Cash	54,049 01
	\$1,010,276 78
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	\$ 65,000 00
Surplus	100,000 00
Undivided Profits	18,673 30
Circulation	65,000 00
Deposits	761,603 48
	\$1,010,276 78

Fashions and Fads.

Even girdle bows are being made of net.

Beaded handbags are always in good style.

Cotton broche crepe dresses have self-ruffles.

Scotch plaid will trim the new morning suits.

Straw hats for spring are being edged with fur.

Point d'esprit makes some of the prettiest fichus.

Skunk is one of the most effective furs for evening.

Grass cloth and organza collars are particularly new.

The tub silk waists never go altogether out of style.

Cut steel is greatly in vogue for slipper and dress buckles.

A stray flower caught on the tunic is seen even in cloth dresses trimmed with fur.

Cotton crepes with chenille embroidery are among the prettiest of the imported stuffs.

Most of the fashionable evening sleeves seem to be held on the shoulders by three stitches.

It is many seasons since there were such stately designs as at present in embroidery fl unces.

Ribbons with watered surface and brocaded flowers are all in one tone and curious and lovely.

Lovely girdles for evening gowns are made of the silver and gold tinsel ribbons, solely crushed up.

The shapes of the new jabots and fichus are endlessly varied.

A lovely pale gray is one of the newest tints among gloves.

The richest dress trimmings are of net embroidered with beads, wool, silk and gold thread all at once.

Harsh physics react, weaken the bowels, will lead to chronic constipation. Doan's Regulets operate easily. 25c a box at all stores ad

RECENT MARRIAGES IN THE COUNTY.

Miss Ida M. Wissel, and Clair W. Sebring, both of Acosta, were married at Meyersdale by Rev. John J. Brady.

Miss Minnie Grace Cook, and Guy F. Spangler, both of Somerset, were married at Somerset, by Rev. V. C. Zener, pastor of the U. E. church.

Miss Ruth C. Hill of Shanksville, and Albert L. Gohn, of Lambertsville, were married at Somerset by Rev. H. A. Buffington.

Miss Hazel Erma Betts of Shade township, and Kyle Melvin Boyer of Hooversville, were married at Hooversville, by Rev. John K. Huey.

Miss Sue Blough, and Sem K. Eash, both of Conemangh township, were married at Davidsville, by Rev. L. A. Blough.

Miss Annie B. McManamy and William H. Delaney, both of Logan township, Blair county, were married at Somerset, by Rev. H. A. Buffington.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

MANAGERS SHOULD SERVE PEN TERMS.

Men involved in some of the past financial performances of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad were denounced as criminals in the senate on Friday. Senator Borah said they should be occupying penitentiary cells, if charges relating to the corporation's affairs are substantiated.

There were intimations that the federal government still contemplates instituting criminal action against certain individuals engaged in transactions of the New Haven, which have been investigated by the interstate commerce commission. The discussion arose when Senator Norris, of Nebraska, called up his resolution, which would direct the commission to extend its inquiry into the New Haven's affairs, particularly with a view to ascertaining what became of millions of dollars of the New Haven's funds declared to have been fraudulently withheld from the railroad's stockholders.

Senator Norris insisted that further investigation, at least might furnish a basis for proceedings by the present management of the New Haven to recover something for the widows and orphans who have been "plundered." Reciting circumstances disclosed in the interstate commerce commission's report on New England railroad conditions, the senator declared that the commission had not completed its investigation as to the New Haven because it feared it might be compelled to extend immunity to offenders. It was his reading of sections of this report that prompted Senator Borah to assert that men, if proven guilty of the financial transactions described, "should be in the penitentiary."

Senator Borah declared his faith in the attorney general to push prosecutions of certain men involved in alleged crooked New Haven deals. For him not to proceed on disclosures made, if ground for revelations should prove sound, he said, would lay the attorney general open to impeachment.

B. & O. R. R. Arres s.

Crimes committed against railroads are increasing, according to the annual report of the police department of the Baltimore & Ohio system, which shows that 13,129 arrests were made during 1913, as compared with 10,417 arrests during 1912. There were 8,449 convictions in 1913, while in 1912 the number of convictions was 6,515. This increase in crime added materially to the expense of the railroad for doing business during the year.

The report of G. A. Oglie, superintendent of police, covers all classes of criminal offenses, from petty larceny and disorderly conduct to train wrecking, highway robbery and murder. The most frequent offenders were those who "violated railroad laws," for which 8,303 arrests of tramps and others unlawfully using the railroad property were made. Arrests for intoxication and disorder numbered 2,526, with 1,567 arrests for larceny, 176 for burglary and 3 for murder. For receiving goods stolen from the railroad there were 67 arrests.

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Wm. S. L. Stall, St.

Elsie S. Stah, Somer

Susan C. dison twp.,

Wm. Mo. bazky, Win

Samuel P. Bowman,

Wilson M. National B

ampho twp

A. J. Grov Rockwood,

Sarah J. S. swp., \$5,000

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Tressler O. D. Mostolite \$9,000.

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