

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

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

ROCKWOOD.

Mrs. Clarence Crirchfield who has been seriously ill for several days past was on Sunday removed to the Cottage Hospital, where she will take special treatment. She was accompanied to Connelville, by her husband and family physician, Dr. C. J. Hemminger.

Mrs. Charles Weisel, of Scottdale, and Mrs. C. R. Lane of Pittsburgh, were guests of their brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Foster Walters.

Mrs. William Farley, aged 29 years, died at a Connelville hospital on September 8th, after having given birth to a little daughter. The remains were taken to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Hay, in Black township, and services were held on Thursday of last week, conducted by the pastor of the Reformed church. Those who attended the funeral from the vicinity of Meyersdale were the following:—Prof. Kretchman and wife, L. A. Kretchman and wife, Harvey Kretchman and wife, John W. Kretchman and wife, H. E. Hershberger and family, Lloyd, Frank and Edward Hay.

Fred Just, and daughter Miss Nellie of Akron, Ohio, were visiting friends here recently. They were former residents of this place, Mr. Just being a partner in the furniture business with his brother, Cyrus Just.

SALISBURY.

Editor P. L. Livengood, of the Frostburg Spirit, was a Salisbury visitor Saturday.

The public schools of this borough, opened last week with an attendance of 247 pupils.

Mrs. Ellen Garlitz, widow of the late Joseph Garlitz, sold at public sale last Friday afternoon all the personal property on the farm, a short distance southeast of town, and will go to live with her daughter, Mrs. Fannie Baker, at Frostburg.

Sherman G. Stevanus, of Sugar Creek, Ohio, is visiting his father, J. S. Stevanus, at Sand Flat, and the forepart of the week visited his brother, W. B. Stevanus, and family in Salisbury, before returning home.

Attorney J. C. Lowry of Somerset was a town visitor Wednesday and Thursday.

Miss Carmen Ringler, and Clara Gagner, of Fairhaven, Pa., are visiting relatives and friends here this week. Part of last week they were guests of the former's sister, Mrs. Robert Newman, in Elk Lick twp.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Glotfelty, and children of Oakland, Md., were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Smeerman, during the past week.

Mrs. B. F. Grey, and daughter of Accident, Md., were guests last week of Mrs. Grey's sister, Mrs. L. W. Miller, and family.

Miss Mary Rushter, of Washington, D. C., visited her sister, Mrs. Herman Reiber, last week.

Joseph Patton, of Akron, Ohio, was a Salisbury visitor several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Bowser and children of Garrett Co., Md., were the former's brother, Alvin Bowser, and family Sunday last.

Miss Helen Knecht of West Salisbury is visiting friends at Meyersdale.

Mrs. Homer Barnett, of Jenner, spent several days of last week with her mother, Mrs. Thomasine McDowell, at this place.

Miss Grace Easton, and her cousin Miss Annie Gipe, of Johnstown, spent last week here with Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Easton, on Main street.

Mrs. Wm. Reiber, and daughter Miss Mary, of Lonaconing, Md., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Herman Reiber.

VIM.

Mrs. Fred Miller, who was a sufferer of cancer of the stomach for some time, died at the home of her daughter Mrs. P. C. Miller, on Thursday of last week. Interment at Johnsburg on Sunday at 10 A. M.

James Ringler and Wm. Pike, Jr. returned home Saturday after spending the summer in South Dakota.

John Nicholson, of Markleton, spent last Thursday at the home of W. W. Nicholson.

Mr. and Mrs. Eifert, of Frostburg, Md., spent several days of last week at the home of Martin Meyers.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lepley with their son and daughter-in-law, all of Somerset, spent a few hours at the home of C. W. Tressler, one evening last week.

Samuel Saylor and family, of near Meyersdale, spent last Sunday at Vim.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Vought, of Washington, D. C., visited his sister, Mrs. Emma Fike on Tuesday.

Throughout the County.

A tremendous apple crop is the rule this year throughout the mountain districts and adjoining sections in southern Somerset county.

While handling a rifle, Carl, the 17 year old son of Chas. Shaffer, of Ralpton, was accidentally shot in the abdomen and seriously injured.

Miss Bessie A. Martz of Glencoe, has succeeded her father, Eli C. Martz, as postmistress in that village. She had been the capable assistant for a long time.

The large saw mill of C. K. Shaffer on the Holsopple tract near Hillsboro, was destroyed by fire recently. The fire is believed to have been started by sparks from the engine.

Adolph Godel of Windber has received word that his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Godel, formerly of this county, now of Altoona, took passage on an English vessel at Liverpool, on August 29th, and that they were homeward bound.

The Kirkpatrick Coal Company has sold the mines at Listonburg to a new concern of operators from Punxsutawney, Salisbury and Harrisburg. J. A. Kirkpatrick of Rockwood, and his son, Blayer Kirkpatrick of Rockwood were former proprietors of the Listonburg mines.

The Loyal Women's Class of the Hooversville Lutheran Sunday school, of which Mrs. R. W. McGregor is teacher, made \$161 on a quilt last week. People were assessed a certain sum to have their names worked in the quilt and in that manner \$84.11 was realized. At a social, when the quilt was sold \$45 was cleared, and the quilt was sold to R. W. McGregor for \$32.

Alice Suter, 32 years of age, and a native of Fairhope, this county, was taken to a Cumberland hospital last Tuesday for what is believed to be bichloride of mercury poisoning, but she declined to remain at the institution and later was taken to her home. She went to Cumberland several years ago and while employed in a laundry in that city had a hair permanently injured when the member was caught in the machinery. It will be several days, the physicians say, before the result of alleged attempt at self-destruction will be known.

A Lame Back-Kidney Trouble Causes it.

And it will give you worse if not checked. Mrs. H. T. Strayge, Gainesville, Ga., was fairly down on her back with kidney trouble and inflamed bladder. She says: "I took Foley Kidney Pills and now my back is stronger than in years and both kidney and bladder troubles are entirely gone. Sold by all Dealers Everywhere. ad

Some Farm Facts.

The need of the rural communities today is intelligent and consecrated leadership.

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The farmer asks no special privilege. The business of farming only wants the same opportunities afforded other lines of industry.

It is as much a duty of the country pastor to exhort us to own a home while on earth as it is to inspire us to build a mansion in the skies.

The rural press, the pulpit and the school are a trinity of powerful influences that the farmer must utilize to their fullest capacity before he can occupy a commanding position in public affairs.

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Reed Bird in Season.

President Wilson has signed the new regulation making the open season for Reed birds in Pennsylvania commence on September first, and continuing for eight weeks. Wild ducks and rail birds may be shot until January 15th.

NEARBY COUNTIES.

What is Going on in This Part of The State

What is believed to be a robbers den was discovered Wednesday afternoon in the mountains above Bluestone by Special Officer T. C. Phalin of the Baltimore & Ohio, railroad and Constable Samuel Ritenour of South Connelville. It was inhabited by two men, one of whom got away but the other, Frank Tinzer, was captured and is now locked up in the city hall.

Peaches sold as low as twenty-five cents a basket at Cumberland last week.

Immigrant traffic over the Pennsylvania has shown a great decrease since the outbreak of the European War. Not a single special train has passed west during the past several weeks, although several cars have been attached to regular trains. Transportation to Europe has been confined chiefly to the Italian line.

The twenty-ninth annual reunion of the Pennsylvania Canal Boatmen's Association will be held in Johnstown on the 17th inst. The veterans of the Fifty-fourth Pennsylvania volunteers of the Civil War will hold their annual reunion in Johnstown, September 22nd.

The Commercial Hotel at Hyndman, has been sold to E. E. Colvin, Esq., of Bedford, for \$1,200 at Sheriff sale.

Miss Amy Large, of Denver, Col., died at the Union House, near Everett county, early Thursday morning of a fracture of the skull, the result of an automobile accident, between Bedford and Everett late Tuesday afternoon. The young lady did not regain consciousness. She was 18 years of age and was on a visit to her uncle, James D. O'Neill, of Pittsburgh, who is vice president of the United Coal company, which has extensive operations in the Somerset field, especially near Boswell.

The W. H. Fissell Company, of New York City, has been awarded the contract for erecting the new government post office building on Penn Square, Bedford. The contract price is \$2,800. Work is to begin at once.

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Housing and Health.

Nature intended man to live outdoors. Civilization has so extended the geographical range of the human race that this primitive plan has of necessity been abandoned by the great majority of people who spend far more time indoors than out.

In the early stages of civilization houses were sufficiently primitive to insure a healthful degree of ventilation. In recent years there has been much talk in regard to the improvement necessary in housing conditions. In the larger cities there are many miserable tenements which are unfit for habitation but the great majority of our modern houses are constructed on sanitary lines and would be more healthful if they were properly used.

All the living rooms and bed rooms should have a sufficient amount of fresh air passing through them to keep the atmosphere perfectly sweet. With the arrival of the cold weather comes the problem of properly heating the house. The ordinary hot air furnace provides for the admission of fresh air as do indirect systems of steam and hot water heating but where the radiators are placed in the rooms heating too often means raising the temperature of the impure and stagnant air which often remains unchanged for hours regardless of the number of people who breathe it.

It may add to the expense of heating our homes and places of business to permit constant admission of fresh air and the discharge of that which has been vitiated. Health, however, depends upon the quality and quantity of the air we breathe and the slight additional expenditure required for heat plus ventilation will mean much to health when compared with heat minus ventilation.

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ANGLO-FRENCH TIDE SWEEPING INVADERS FAR FROM PARIS

FIFTY AVIATORS HAVE LOST LIVES THUS FAR DURING PRESENT WAR

PARIS.—The total number of aeroplane pilots killed thus far in the war is estimated at fifty, divided among the belligerents as follows: Russian, 16; French, 12; English, 4; German, 18.

This does not take into consideration pilots and crews of dirigibles, many of which have been reported destroyed.

London.—Cutting off a great force of Germans sixty miles northeast of Paris, the first and second divisions of the British army, assisted by a French cavalry, scored a complete victory.

Unofficial despatches telling of the battle state that the British captured 6,000 prisoners and fifteen guns. Although greatly outnumbered they completely routed the Germans. Officers report the forces of the Kaiser utterly demoralized. The prisoners taken were half starved and ravenously devoured beef biscuits supplied them by their captors.

A party of British cyclists surprised a detachment of German cavalry in a wood and wiped out 150. The losses of the attacking cyclists were severe, but nothing to compare with those of the Germans.

DEVELOPMENTS OF THE WAR.

FRANCE.—Gen. Joffre, commander in chief of the French forces, in a telegram to the Minister of War says that the French victory appears more and more complete. "Everywhere the enemy is in retreat, abandoning prisoners, wounded and stores." In a further statement he says that the German army is retreating before the French left, having evacuated Amiens and falling back eastward between Soissons and Reims. In the centre the Germans still hold the south end of the forest of Argonne, but west of this they have retired northward from Vesle and are making no attempt to defend the Marne to the southeast of Reims. According to Bordeaux reports the line of communication of the German Army eastward has been cut, thus forcing the invaders to rely on the lines through the valley of the Meuse and through Luxembourg, which are likely to be thrown into confusion by the congestion. The Crown Prince's force, attacking Verdun, is also impeded.

BELGIUM.—Passengers returning to England from Holland report that the Anglo-Belgian forces have recaptured Brussels and are now in occupation of it. A large Belgian army under King Albert defeated the Germans with considerable loss at Termonde, Ghent and Lierre. It has driven the Germans in the district around Antwerp south and it is said that the German forces have been cleared out of a territory fifteen miles south of Antwerp. The purpose of these movements in Belgium has been to cut off the German communication with the German front in France and also to check the sending of troops to the French battle front. The Belgian successes, it is asserted, have been largely instrumental in effecting both of these purposes.

RUSSIA.—The reports from St. Petersburg, Rome and Paris say that the Russian victories for the past few days have utterly overwhelmed the power of the Austrian army in Galicia. The armies of Gens. von Auffenberg and Dankl have been shattered in Galicia where they were making a desperate effort to concentrate in the vicinity of Ravnoska. Caught between rivers and unable to protect their wagon trains or transport artillery in marshy country, they were cut off from supplies of all kinds and are now completely surrounded. It is estimated that the Austrian Generals were unable to withdraw 180,000 men after the disasters at Krasnik and Tomaszow. It is said that the Russians in the last two days have taken 60,000 prisoners, including 110 officers, and an immense quantity of ammunition and military stores. The surrender of Gens. Auffenberg and Dankl will have two immediate results. The way will be open for the great Russian army to advance toward Breslau and thence to Berlin, and also for an independent force of Russians and Servians to make a junction for an advance upon Budapest and Vienna. The Russians upon completing their operations in Galicia plan to move directly toward Vienna.

VIENNA BITTER AGAINST KAISER

Left Austria to Fight Czar's Forces Alone.

Vienna.—There is increasingly bitter feeling here against Germany and an almost universal demand in popular circles that the Government sue for peace. The acknowledgment that the Austrian armies were compelled to meet the Russian assaults alone and unsupported while Germany invaded France with the result that the Austrian army was crushed by overwhelming numbers has resulted

WAR!

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