

# ANNOUNCEMENT

Our buyers are in the Eastern Markets this week, getting the newest ideas in Women's and Children's Ready-to-Wear

The Women's Store, this season, will be teeming with all of the newest up to the minute wearables for fall and winter.

Watch for further announcement of our Fall Opening

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### BERKLEY MILLS.

We have been having plenty of rain through this part of the country, which is none the best for fall crops. The oats are about all reaped and a good portion of it put away around here.

Levi Shultz hauled a load of straw to Meyersdale on Monday.

Howard Heimes is doing quite a bit of improving to his property here. On Saturday with the help of Mark Spangler he erected two new chimneys. On Tuesday he put on a new roof. He will have a fine looking home with all the improvements he is making.

Those who attended the Mt. Lebanon picnic from here were the Misses Clea Shultz, Viola Zinn and Nellie Neimiller, Messrs. Sam. Landis, Earl Becker, and Baden Boger; J. C. Wilhelm and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ebaugh, Mrs. W. J. Bittner and son Harry. The attendance was not large, the day not being favorable and besides the roads were very muddy.

W. J. Bittner was at Connellsville and vicinity on Monday. He reports that work is slack everywhere.

Howard Sellers who had been West for several weeks is home again. He says that work is plentiful in the west and that there was lots of wet weather with fairly good crops. He spent the most of his time near Waterloo on a farm. We are glad to see him back again and enjoy hearing of his trip.

The store at Berkley's Mills has again changed hands and is now being run on a larger scale by Anna Barnhart. All who will patronize will be pleased we are sure.

Wm. Ebaugh is working for J. R. Ebaugh.

The young folks as well as some married ones have been enjoying the water the past few weeks.

Mahlon Reich has moved the summer house on his property, and has also cemented the cellar and had some roofing done.

Isaac Neimiller has again recovered and is able to be about at present.

Candidates are numerous these days.

For the best news read the Commercial.

### THE NORTH AMERICAN.

A serial story constructed along entirely new lines will begin in the North American for Thursday, August 26, and be continued a chapter a day.

The title of the story is "Neal of the Navy"; the author is William Hamilton Osborne, one of the leading American creators of fiction. Incident after incident of the most thrilling character combine to make the story grip the attention of the reader, and motion pictures based upon these incidents will be shown in leading theaters, thus heightening the interest of the reader.

The first episode of the story—the first six instalments and the first two reels of the motion picture—are based upon the catastrophe of Mount Pelee, and so successfully have they been written and planned that they send the story off at a rattling gait. The picture of the scenes described will include many feet of real volcanic eruption, one of the most marvelous bits of action ever shown on the screen.

"Neal of the Navy" represents another departure. Never before has a writer of the standing of Mr. Osborne written an original story with the purpose of having it screened. It marks a new departure and a new class of motion-picture play.

Our wedding invitations are up-to-date in form material and type.

### WITTENBURG.

The annual Lutheran Sunday picnic was largely attended considering the inclemency of the weather.

Myrtle, Edna and Lester Mankamyer of near Meyersdale were the guests of their uncle, L. M. Mankamyer on Sunday last.

Some of our farmers made a business trip to Frostburg on last Friday.

Miss Lulu Frazier of Somerset a former teacher of Larimer township, was the guest of John Mankamyer, on Sunday last.

W. H. Hable, his wife and mother of Meyersdale took in the picnic at White Oak Saturday.

Samuel Baer will move into his new house this week.

Ralph Mankemeyer was the guest of Maurice Murray Sunday.

The Evangelical congregation will hold their communion service on Sunday, Aug. 29, conducted by Rev. Richards. All are cordially invited.

Miss Orpha Mankemeyer, of Salisbury Junction, was visiting over Sunday her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Mankemeyer.

Miss Clara Coleman of Rockwood attended the picnic at White Oak.

Miss Blanche Mankemeyer has returned home from Connellsville where she had been visiting her uncle, C. C. Bittner.

Boien Ramhoff has nearly completed his new house near Flaugherty Creek.

Our roads at present are in bad condition. Supervisor, wake up!

### BOYNTON.

Chas. Garlitz and Arthur Robertson spent several days of last week at Blackfield, Pa.

Rev. C. V. Sparling was a Sunday visitor at the home of Mr. George Hillegas.

Miss Marion Saylor of Meyersdale, visited relatives of this place on Saturday and Sunday.

Harry Hackman and Henry Christner who are employed at Jerome enjoyed Sunday in their own families.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Darr and daughter Margaret and Mrs. Trent motored to Cumberland on Sunday to visit Mrs. Darr's daughter, Mrs. Harry Critchfield. Mr. Knecht's car was used.

Harry Shirey is wearing a two by four smile because of the arrival of a stalwart boy in his home.

Margaret Robertson who is employed at the home of Dr. P. L. Swank of Salisbury spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Robertson.

Lester F. Engle has purchased Jno. Tressler's new automobile.

A lawn fete is to be held on the church lawn on Saturday evening, August 28. Come one; come all.

### POCAHONTAS.

Plenty of rain in this vicinity during the past week.

A number of people from this place attended the Sunday School picnic at White Oak last Saturday and reported a good time.

Austin Friedline is again traveling the Deal road and the Pocahontas Brass and Tin bands is expecting to call in the near future at a place not hard to find.

Mrs. Dr. F. E. Sass is spending a week with friends and relatives in Meyersdale.

Minnie Rembold has returned home after several weeks visiting.

J. H. Baer was seen cutting a queer looking figure out of a log one day last week and upon being asked what it was said, "I am experimenting on a bass drum and if successful will install a factory soon. Pocahontas will then be a degree ahead of Berkley's Mills, which boasts of nothing more than may be an oil well and a few other things that couldn't touch a bass drum factory. Waken up, Berkley Mills, and be a doin'."

Ella Barmoy spent several days in Pocahontas last week.

IT WILL PAY YOU TO BUY YOUR TIN CANS AND FRUIT JARS at BITTNER'S GROCERY.

### UNION VALLEY

Jack Frost has made his appearance in some sections in this locality.

Everybody is busy reaping their oats which is a very good crop excepting where the hail storm damaged it.

The Reformed Sunday Schol will hold their annual picnic on the 11th of September; let us all make it a great success.

Miss Lucy Poorbaugh and her sister, Lydia, of Kansas, were in town to attend the funeral of H. B. Beal.

Leroy Crissey made a business trip to Meyersdale on Friday last.

Mrs. P. W. White is a sufferer from rheumatism.

Mrs. Andrew Hochman is spending a few weeks with relatives in Maryland.

Simon Keefer and family of Finzel, Md. were welcome callers at P. W. White's on Sunday last.

Elmer Gnagey finished up the carpenter work on the house of Mrs. H. B. Beal. Mrs. Beal is very well pleased with the work of Mr. Gnagey.

Quite a number of our farmers have threshed their winter grain. They report a very successful crop.

Rev. Smith held a special meeting for men only one night last week and gave them some splendid advice.

There will be communion services in the Lutheran church next Sunday, Rev. L. P. Young having charge.

Subscribe for the Commercial and get the news.

### SUMMIT TOWNSHIP.

Farmers are busy threshing their wheat which is a good crop.

Jno. Grew spent Monday in Larimer township on business.

George Pfeiffer, one of our reliable mail carriers is enjoying his annual vacation at present. Edward Miller formerly on R. D. No. 3 is substituting for Mr. Pfeiffer.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Kinsinger and family formerly of this township, but now of Hartsville, Stark Co., Ohio, are visiting friends and relatives in this section at present.

George E. Witt who purchased the Louis Klotz property last spring is busy erecting a new stable on his premises.

Mrs. M. M. Lindeman was visiting friends and relatives in Greenville township last week.

E. R. Hay spent Sunday at the home of W. P. Meyers and family.


Mr. and Mrs. Yost Summy and family and Mrs. N. J. Kinsinger intend to leave on Thursday for a fortnight to visit the Amish colony near Norfolk, Va.

L. A. Kretzman who is one of the largest timber owners of this township has sold his timber to Daniel Klink. The latter is busy making preparation to get the timber to market.

J. B. Walker who bought the Barney Miller farm is busy painting his barn. Mr. Walker is making many improvements on his farm by cleaning fence rows and building new fences. This is one of the largest and nicest farms in this township and Mr. Walker is the right man to improve it.

N. P. Meyers is improving his residence by building a silo, a reservoir and putting heat in his house at present.

Prof. and Mrs. W. H. Saylor of Roscoe, Pa., where the former is the principal of the schools and who had been visiting here for the past two months returned to their home on Tuesday.



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WANTED—Boy 14 years old wants home this winter for board and clothing and desires to attend school. Apply at this office.

NOTICE—Is hereby given the public in general, that my wife, Emma A. Hoover, has left my bed and board without just cause. I will not pay any bills contracted by her on my account.  
Blackfield, Pa. —Garrett, R. D. Pa...  
LLOYD S. HOOVER.  
August 16, 1915.

WANTED—At once 50 to 100 Miners, Steady work. Apply at Superintendent's office, Carney Mine, Donohoe Station, Penn'a.

NOTICE—Is hereby given that all patrons of the Sand Spring Water Company are urged to see that their spigots and flush tanks are in good repair, so as to prevent waste of water.

NOTICE—Is hereby given that the bills due Becker & Streng, Millers, who dissolved partnership in April last, after August 9 are to be settled with each of the two members of said firm, that is one-half of the amount of each bill is to be paid to one of the firm and the other half to the other member of the firm.

A reasonable time will be given to close these accounts, then I shall place my portion of the accounts unsettled in legal hands for collection. In the daytime I am at the Habel & Phillips Warehouse.  
This has been agreed to by both members of the firm.  
GEORGE BECKER.

WANTED—To buy farms of 20 to 160 Acres in Summit Township, as we have prospective purchasers for same. Answer quick. Address or call on Meyersdale Real Estate Co., F. W. Plock, Mgr..

### ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Elmer E. Conrad, late of Meyersdale Borough, Somerset County, Pennsylvania, deceased.

Letters of Administration in the above estate having been issued to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the estate may present them for settlement to the undersigned at the late residence of the decedent on Saturday the 21st day of October, 1915, at one o'clock, P. M.

Baldwin & Livengood sold one of their fine new Briggs pianos one day this week to a Mr. Walker near Berlin.

### WELLERSBURG.

Misses Elizabeth and Loretta Richardson of Lonaconing are spending a few weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Baker.

Mrs. A. C. Kennell and two daughters after spending a few weeks in Pittsburg returned home Friday accompanied by her sister, Miss Harriet Staub of that place.

Ralph Poorbaugh of Glencoe passed through town on his way to Cumberland on Friday.

Mrs. Frank Delbrook and daughters of Mt. Savage spent from Wednesday till Saturday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Witt.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Redding and daughters were callers in Mt. Savage Friday.

A number of people from town attended the picnic at the White Oak on Saturday.

Misses Elthea Wilhelm and Edna Witt were callers in Cumberland on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kilshenstein and daughter, Maude, and Miss Mae Clinton of Ellerslie were business callers in town on Saturday.

B. C. Weller, of Hancock spent a day last week with relatives in town.

A surprise party was given at the home of G. W. Witt in honor of their guest, Miss Hattie Weller, of Hancock. The evening was spent with games and music. Those present were Cecil Long, Bertha Beal, Lillian Wilhelm, Mrs. Frank Delbrook and children, Lena, Erma, Grace and Leora Marie; Mrs. B. C. Weller and daughter, Garnet, Luella, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Witt, Ellsworth Beal, Hattie Weller, Walter Witt, Edna Witt, Jos. Blank, Pearl Cook, Loretta Beal, Harry Delbrook, Millie Long, Nora Sturtz Susan Shaffer, Guy Witt, Helen Wingert, Homer Beal, Florence Sturtz, Dorothy Shaffer, Grace Cook, John Kennell, Hattie Long, Elsie Wilhelm, Reginald Schafer, Robert Witt, Mrs. W. B. Wingert, Mrs. F. P. Schafer and Mrs. Russell Kennell. Refreshments were served at a late hour.

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### ST. PAUL.

Carl Nordstrom, of Washington was a recent visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Weise, the latter being his sister.

Miss Margaret Little and Miss Martha Jenky who had been visiting at the Sipple home have returned to their own home in Pittsburg.

Mr. Jno. R. Boose, a candidate for County Commissioner was a recent caller in our town.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Sechler were visiting the latter's parents over Sunday.

Robert Engle and Ray Engle are leaving for Akron, Ohio, where they expect to get work.

The St. Paul band has disbanded. Miss Maggie Hotchkiss was a visitor at the home of Wilson Engle on Sunday.

Ross Sechler threshed his wheat crop on Monday.

Should men be able to get more than others because they render more service than others? Should their pay be greater than the service rendered? We are speaking of individuals who are able to render service. If a man's purpose is saving money is to give him power, thereby to get something for nothing, wherein does his motive differ from the burglar who uses burglar tools to get something for nothing?

Does not the power in either case result in injury to society? Society has praised the individual in the use of power one way and condemned the other way. Do not both ways tend to impoverish society?

### Indians Turn Down Barnsdall.

Advices from Oklahoma state that the Osage Indian tribal council of Oklahoma has turned down the proposition made by Theodore N. Barnsdall and associates of Pittsburg, who offered to pay the Indians a bonus of \$500,000 and to expend \$600,000 annually in drilling for oil and gas on the Osage Indian lands.

Charge Envoys Used Money. Allegations that the imperial German consulate and British Consul Ross at San Francisco, furnished \$250,000, directly and indirectly, to men under indictment for violation of the neutrality of the United States were made in indictments made public there by John W. Preston, United States district attorney.

France Sells Dacia. France has sold the steamship Dacia, condemned by a French prize court because of her transfer from German to American registry. Her new French owner has renamed her the Yser.

Laplaid Arrives Safely. The White Star liner Lapland has arrived safely at Liverpool. This announcement dispelled fears in shipping circles that the liner had been torpedoed in the war zone by a submarine.

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