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**GENERAL LOCAL NEWS**

Room to rent—J. W. Dingledine. Primes 4 cents at Glenn Locks's. College Girls coming Feb. 22, 1909. Wheat has reached \$1.20 in Shenandoah county.  
Moving pictures every night at the Rink.  
Fresh garden seeds at T. Glenn Locke's.  
New fresh goods at A. Litton's grocery.  
Apron gingham 6c yard at T. Glenn Locke's.  
Silent auction begins Friday at Kline's.  
Cut prices on clothing at T. Glenn Locke's.  
Watch the auction at Kline's, Feb. 19th to 20th.  
For fresh candies and groceries call on A. Litton, Court street.  
New dress goods, percales and gingham just in at Glenn Locke's.  
Flour, canned goods, coffee and crackers at A. Litton's, Court street.  
Smoking tobacco, chewing tobacco and cigars at A. Litton's Court street.  
Beautiful and valuable goods in the auction—runs a whole week at Wm. Kline's.

The voting contest at Locke's closes Saturday at 10 p. m. Don't fail to vote.  
Everything that can be found in a first-class grocery at A. Litton's, Court street.  
Harness of all kinds and of the best quality can be found at the store of J. A. Dysart & Co.  
Don't fail to vote for the most popular girl at Glenn Locke's. A vote free with every pound of candy at 10 cents per pound.

Shenandoah County Y. M. C. A. presents "The College Girls" in Irwin's Opera House, Feb. 22d. Admission 35 cents. Don't miss it.  
Diamonds, solid gold jewelry, imported china and glass and silver in our auction beginning Friday, Feb. 19th. Kline's Jewelry Store.  
The "Christian Workers" are attracting large crowds at their open air religious services on the court house pavement.  
The best entertainment of the season, "The College Girls" at Irwin's Opera House, Feb. 22d, 1909. Admission 35c. Post haste.

LST—On Main street between the academy and Schmitt's Drug Store, last Saturday, \$1.05 finder will receive reward if left at this office.  
The Children's Aid Society of the Reformed church realized \$81.00 from the Valentine Tea held last week. The entertainment feature excelled the usual program rendered on these occasions.  
Attention is called to the advertisement of Real and Personal Property, by the heirs of the late Moses Walton. This is very valuable property and the sale will attract a large number of people.  
If you wish to spend a pleasant evening as well as assist a worthy cause attend the Geography puzzle contest at the new public school building Friday evening. Music from 8 to 9 o'clock.  
Foley's Orino Laxative cures constipation and liver trouble and makes the bowels healthy and regular. Orino is superior to pills and tablets as it does not gripe or nauseate. Why take anything else? Walton & Smoot.

Messrs. J. D. Burner and son will have their Black Percheron horse at Woodstock, on March Court Day, and invite the attention of farmers and breeders to this fine horse. This horse will make the season 1909 between Mt. Jackson and Strasburg. See bills for dates.  
Prof. Strasburg and Baby Ruth entertained large audiences at the Rink last Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights and their performances were far superior to anything on skates seen at the local rink. The managers have a number of high class entertainments booked for the near future.  
Put your savings in the Savings Department of Shenandoah Valley Loan & Trust Co., Woodstock, Va., at 3 per cent. compound interest. Amounts of \$1.00 and upward received. The only savings institution in the county for the accumulation of the small savings of laboring men, women and children.

**Farmers' Meeting.**  
A farmers' meeting will be held in Harrisonburg, Feb. 24 and 25th. Addresses will be delivered on the following subjects: "What to do with old orchards," "The orchard from babyhood to bearing," "Raising of small fruits," "Spraying, Pruning, Packing, Selling, etc."  
A number of distinguished speakers will be present.

**Revolt a Cold Tree.**  
"Your only hope," said three doctors to Mrs. M. E. Fisher, Detroit, Mich. suffering from severe rectal trouble, lies in an operation, "the use of Dr. King's New Life Pills," she writes. "I'll wholly cured." They prevent Appendicitis, cure Constipation, Headache, etc. at Walton & Smoot.

**FOR RENT—A five room house opposite the creamery. Apply to Dr. H. J. Irwin.**

**PERSONALS.**

Mr. J. C. Paxton was in Lynchburg this week.  
Rev. W. H. Darbie visited Mt. Jackson Tuesday.  
Mr. F. S. Pennybaker, of Mt. Jackson was in town Tuesday.  
Miss Mary Beall Walton is visiting friends in South Bethlehem, Pa.  
Mr. Wm Pence is the guest of his brother-in-law Mr. M. B. Wunder.  
Mr. W. T. Williams was in Washington this week on legal business.  
Mrs. Ann Williams, of Edinburg is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Jos. McKevey.

Mr. John A. Thorn, of Warrenton, spent Sunday with Mr. C. R. Miller and family.  
Mrs. Charles Bowman, of Alexandria is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Geo. R. Geary.  
Mr. W. H. Snapp, of New Market visited Sheriff Dan'l Spiker last Wednesday.  
Mr. Chas. Skyles left Thursday morning for Washington where he has secured a position.

Miss Nettie Kneisley spent several days this week with her brother, Mr. C. L. Kneisley in Strasburg.  
Mrs. L. S. Walker and daughter, Miss Arlene have returned from a visit to friends in Washington.  
Mr. Enoch Duncan who has been quite ill at his home on north Muhlberg street is slightly improved.

Mrs. C. E. Walton and little daughter have returned from a visit to Mrs. Walton's parents in Front Royal.  
Mr. D. E. Copp left for Manassas last Tuesday. He has purchased a farm near that place and will make it his future home.

Dr. C. O. Miller and Mr. Samuel Houshell, of New Market neighborhood were in Woodstock last Wednesday.  
S. F. Dingledine, of Timberville, Va., who had been visiting his brother, J. W. Dingledine, the past week has returned to his home.

Miss Frederica Hotel and little Miss Lelia Riddleberger, of Strasburg spent several days this week with Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Hotel.  
The many friends of Mr. Peter E. Hoshour were glad to meet him on the streets last Monday. During the bad weather he did not venture far from home. He is quite active for a man not far from the 90th mile stone of life. Mr. Hoshour is one of the best known men in the county and has friends in every section of it.

Miss Laura Boehm, the 22 year old daughter of Mr. John E. Boehm, of near J. W. Dingledine, accompanied by Dr. W. C. Ford, where she underwent an operation for abdominal trouble the result of a former operation for appendicitis. Surgeon-General Vaughan, of the Georgetown Hospital performed the operation Tuesday which was entirely successful. This is Miss Boehm's third experience on the operating table.

**Boys and Boyhood.**  
On this Friday evening, February 19th, at 8 o'clock, p. m., Dr. Charles C. Ellis will deliver his lecture on Boys and Boyhood in the Reformed church. Dr. Ellis visited the Academy two years ago and at that time lectured to the students and their friends in a most acceptable manner. He carries the recommendation of the best lecturers of the Lyceum platform today, and every man and boy in Woodstock should endeavor to hear him in this inspiring address.  
Dr. Ellis is too thoroughly in earnest to aim at anything less than moral uplift and inspiration in all his lectures; but he is a believer in the psychology that says we are happy because we smile, and from his lectures many a word of solid sense makes its way into the brain cells to stay, under the shelter of a hearty laugh. His fund of illustration is wonderful and intensely interesting; the influence he exerts is refreshing, wholesome and lasting. Price of admission 25 cents.

A. G. Shaver & Bro., of Maurertown captured the order on last Friday for the new auditorium at the Massanutten Academy for a Hallet & Davis Grand Piano. This sale was consummated after a trip to Newark, N. J., to the warehouses of the Hallet & Davis Piano Co. by Prof. J. Calvin Bolger principal of music for the past 10 years at the Academy. To thoroughly test the piano before shipment, this was in direct competition with the Steinway and other standard pianos. The academy has now a Hallet & Davis upright piano, that has been in daily use for the past 10 years. This is another testimonial as to this grand old piano, that was founded in 1839 by Hallet & Davis. A. G. Shaver & Bro. will treat you right, make terms right and give you pianos at the right prices, honest pianos at honest prices, is their motto.

We have received from Mr. H. M. Hays, of the University of Virginia, who is a native of Shenandoah county, a valuable paper on the German Dialect spoken in the Valley of Virginia, published by the American Dialect Society, in Dialect Notes. Less than one hundred years ago, this was the language of the people of this section, but it has now almost entirely given place to the English language, and few families converse in the language of their fathers. Mr. Hays has contributed a valuable paper, which will preserve so far as an unwritten dialect can be preserved, the language of the people who settled this portion of the Valley of Virginia.

**Crystal Palace.**  
The moving picture show on the first floor of Crystal Palace, conducted by Mr. Ed. Hickman opened Wednesday evening with a crowded house.

Before purchasing, call and examine the celebrated merits of the Peerless Feed Mills, Appleton Wood Saws, Ester Easy Running Pumps, and Domestic Gasoline Engines. For sale by WM. GOCHENOT, 212d Jan. 22—2mo pd Maurertown, Va.

**Letters Advertised.**  
The following letters remain in the Woodstock Postoffice unclaimed for:  
Mrs. J. C. McVean (2),  
Mr. D. W. Burrows,  
Mrs. Rosa Yowell.

**Kirby Bowman Waves Preliminary Hearing.**

The preliminary hearing of the case of the Commonwealth of Virginia against Kirby J. Bowman on the charge of felonious assault on Robt. Lantz, in this place last court day, was disposed of last Friday morning before Justice W. H. Borden. When council for Bowman waved the preliminary hearing and Justice Borden sent the case on to the March grand jury for their consideration. Bail Commissioner E. E. Stickley released Mr. Bowman on \$1,000 bond. Messrs. W. R. Bowman, C. M. Bowman, Robert Holler, W. T. Williams, Harrison Fadelly and Chas. Grim got on the bond.

Mr. Lantz, who is still at the home of his father in Edinburg, contrary to reports is still improving and at this time no complications are expected.

**Modern Creamery and Ice Plant.**

Messrs. A. W. Nicodemus & Sons have completed their new creamery and ice plant, which is the most complete in Virginia, excepting none.

The building is brick 30 by 70 feet, with concrete floors, with slate roof and the wood work is finished in hard white enamel.

The building is equipped with one of the latest improved cream separator's, improved brine ice cream freezer, with a capacity of from 10 to 500 gallons a day; two cold storage rooms, electric lights and mountain water, and one of Frick Company's improved ice plants with a daily capacity of three tons.

This creamery is built according to the sanitary regulation of the United States government and cost over ten thousand dollars.

**Our Board of Supervisors.**

By referring to the proceedings of the Board of Supervisors, it will be seen that they have accepted the offer of the states aid in building permanent roads. Shenandoah needs today nothing more important than good roads. We have had, and have now, a conservative Board of Supervisors. Their work shows up well.

The county has a court house second to none in the state, in convenience and adaptability to the purpose intended. We have one of the best jails in the State. It is well furnished, has every convenience, but is very little used. At this time, there are no prisoners in jail. Seven iron bridges have been built across the Shenandoah and there are a number of bridges over other streams. The county is not in debt and has a surplus of \$7,500 in the treasury.

While some may think that our Board is too conservative, their work shows well, and it is really better to be too conservative than to plunge so heady as to make it oppressive to the people.

**Public Library.**

The Schmitt Memorial Library in the Woodstock High School is, we trust, the beginning of a large public library for the town of Woodstock and the surrounding country. Every progressive town needs a library and a number of our most prominent citizens are now greatly interested in this movement which will be a benefit to each resident of the town.

A Geography-Puzzle Contest will be given at the Public School building on Friday, Feb. 19th at 8 o'clock P. M., for the benefit of the library. Admission 25 cents.

**Y. M. C. A. Notes.**

The series of evangelistic meetings which have been in progress for ten days under the auspices of Shenandoah County Y. M. C. A. with Mr. W. G. Mason, of Hillsdale, Michigan, special evangelist for the county department of North America, closed with a meeting in the Methodist church of this place which was splendidly attended and in which the public got a broader view of the relationship of the association to the church and the great need of encouraging and strengthening the church. From start to close of Mr. Mason's address he emphasized the need of a closer walk with "The Master" and a deepening of our religious experiences.

We learn that about twenty-five men and boys expressed a willingness to identify themselves with the church. This certainly speaks well for his work in other points. He divided his time between New Market, Mt. Jackson, Edinburg, Woodstock, Tom's Brook and Strasburg at all of which places the Y. M. C. A. has organized except Mt. Jackson where local conditions have hitherto prevented organization.

FEB. 26-28 FIXED BY THE COUNTY COMMITTEE FOR ANNUAL MEETING OF WORKERS.

Shenandoah County is soon to begin its third year of Y. M. C. A. work and the Annual County Convention will be held at Woodstock the last three days of this month. Several notable features seem now assured, several strong speakers will be on the program and some sacred music that will be a genuine treat.

The first meeting, on Friday night, will be ministers night, when some of the leading pastors of the county will tell of the Association's helpfulness to the churches of their respective localities. The staunch help of these ministers and others in the county alone have made possible the good work that the Y. M. C. A. has been able to do. Saturday will be given over largely to some athletic work and conferences, and Saturday night the Ladies Auxiliary will serve a banquet to delegates, members and contributors. There will probably be 100 covers laid, and some prominent speakers will be present. The meetings on Sunday will close with a union meeting.

Shenandoah's Orchestra and the Shenandoah Male Quartet will add greatly to the effect and enjoyment of the meetings by Gospel music.

**Mrs. Ida Miller Scoville Dead.**

Mrs. Ida Miller Scoville, wife of Mr. James A. Scoville, died at her home in this place on Sunday morning the fourteenth of February. She has been in failing health for several years, but had been confined to her bed for about six weeks.

Mrs. Scoville was a noble, christian woman and was very active in church work in her native place, Hamburg, N. J., as long as her health would permit. She had been a member of the Baptist church, but finding no church of her own denomination after coming to Woodstock, she transferred her membership to the M. E. Church in this place. She is survived by her husband, Mr. James A. Scoville, father, Mr. A. R. Miller, one sister Mrs. Wm. E. Parish, of Shaft, Md., and two brothers, Messrs. Edward C. Miller, of Brooklyn, N. Y., and Harry Miller, of the U. S. A., stationed at Columbus Barracks, Columbus, Ohio.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. H. M. Canter in the Methodist church, at two o'clock Wednesday afternoon, after which she was laid to rest in the family lot in Massanutten Cemetery.

**Death of Joseph Dunkel.**

Mr. Joseph Dunkel died at his residence, about three miles North-west of Woodstock, last Thursday. He had been suffering from heart disease, but his death was unexpected. He is survived by his wife, one son and two daughters. He was 70 years of age. He was born in Germany and served in the German army. He came to this country soon after the civil war and located in Woodstock. He afterwards married Miss Kibler and lived on a farm. He was one of those good natured genial men whom every body liked. He could speak several languages and amused his friends by singing German and other songs. Many friends will regret to hear of his death.

**Death of Wm. H. Ricketts.**

Charlottesville, Va., Feb. 14.—William H. Ricketts, treasurer of Orange county, died at 6 o'clock this morning at the University of Virginia Hospital, aged about sixty-five years. Mr. Ricketts had long been a sufferer from some form of stomach trouble. He was not brought to the University Hospital until yesterday afternoon. The body was sent this afternoon to his late home in Orange.

**William D. Stickley Dead.**

Mr. Wm. D. Stickley, a prominent citizen of Strasburg, died at his residence in that place last Tuesday morning, at the age of 63 years. He was a good man, and an enterprising citizen. For some years he in connection with Mr. Orndorff carried on an extensive lumber business at Cedar Creek.

**Death of Mrs. D. S. Henkle.**

Harrisonburg, Feb. 13.—Mrs. Rebecca Ellen Henkle, aged 55 years, wife of Rev. D. S. Henkle, pastor of the Christian Church, died this morning, of paralysis. Besides her husband, she is survived by three daughters and four sons.

**Death.**

Raymond Lee, infant son of C. H. and D. M. Bemis, was born June 20th, 1907, died Feb. 11th, 1909, aged 1 yr., 7 mos. and 22 days.  
Another little lamb has gone,  
To dwell with Him who gave.  
Another little darling babe  
Is sheltered in the grave.  
God needed one more angel child,  
Amidst his shining band,  
And so he bent with lovely smile,  
And clasped our darling's hand.

Mrs. Mary Thomas, one of the few old time slaves, living among us died at her residence in this place last Thursday. She is survived by three children, Charles, Olie and Julia. She was a good woman and enjoyed the esteem of many of the people of this place.

**Proctor—Weatherholtz.**

Verlin R. Proctor, of Edinburg, Va., and Miss Emma I. Weatherholtz, of Mount Jackson, were married at a late hour last Wednesday night in the parlor of the Baldwin Hotel at Hagerstown by Rev. R. A. Boyle. They are expected to be married on Tuesday, but were delayed getting away from home.

**Gordon—Johnson.**

Miss Mary Catherine Johnson daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry T. Johnson, and Mr. John Robert Gordon, both well-known young residents of this city, were married at the Christian parsonage Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock, the ceremony being performed by Rev. C. E. Walle, the pastor. The ceremony was witnessed by a few friends of the couple. The groom is an employe of the Crawford Woolen Mills. They will reside in this city.—Martinsburg Journal, Feb. 10.

**Logan—Viands.**

Luray, Va., Feb. 16.—C. Richard Logan, of Washington, and Miss Lillian Viands, daughter of C. E. Viands, were married to-day in the home of the bride, near Luray, the Rev. B. L. Miller officiating. They will live in Washington.

Mr. Logan is a son of the late Dr. H. M. Logan, and a grandson of Mrs. Hugh Logan, of Woodstock, where he has been a frequent visitor. His many friends in this place extend congratulations.

**Church Notes.**

There will be service in the Lutheran church, at St. Luke, next Sunday morning.  
Special Foreign Mission services were held in the Reformed church last Sunday night.  
Members of Shenandoah Fire Co. will have their Annual Sermon preached Sunday evening, Feb. 21st, '09, at 7:30 p. m. in the Methodist church by Rev. H. M. Canter. Members will meet at the Fire Co. Hall, at 7 p. m. promptly.

TOM H. MAGRUDER, Sec. Shenandoah Fire Co.

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The Kind You've Always Bought

Signature of Dr. J. C. Ayer

**FOR BETTER COUNTY ROADS.**

**Interesting Letter From Mr. S. B. Miley on the Recent Good Road Convention.**

EDITOR HERALD:—  
Being the only delegate from Shenandoah county to the good roads convention which met in Richmond on the 10 & 11, and in view of the fact that so many of our people are under wrong impressions with reference to the state aid plan, I thought possibly a few lines might be helpful at this time. There were possibly 500 delegates coming from all parts of the state and I do not think I ever attended a meeting that had more enthusiasm in it, and all seemed to be of a nature that will result in much good. I am frank to admit that after hearing the different speeches on the subject of good roads, and seeing the various sections of the state seemed to be getting down to business, I had a different opinion from what I had before I went. In order to satisfy myself more fully after the adjournment of the convention I went to the state high-way office and found that a number of points are misunderstood by many of our people. Some people claim that the state aid fund is largely used up by creating high priced officials to handle the matter. Such is not the case. Should we decide to build roads, we simply notify the commission, they send their engineers, get the whole matter in shape for the work, and the only expense to the county would be for advertising for bids (in case we let the work by contract) and the treasurer gets one-fourth of one per cent, which covers all his expense. It is also claimed that in case we would get convict labor, each convict would cost us one dollar per day for their work. Such is not the case, as these convicts are furnished free except possibly a small fee for medical attention.

It should be remembered that the Valley pays a good share of the taxes, and we should not turn our backs on anything that is offered us, even though we do have to add some to it. I think Shenandoah's part of this fund will be over \$1,000, while this is very small compared to the amount of roads to make. No one will deny the fact that practically all the road tax is tramped in the mud each year, therefore it occurs to me that we should get on to some plan by which we would do the work right and stop tramping the money into the mud.

There seems to be some objections to the good roads and the excuses that some offer are very flimsy. One will say that he does not want his taxes increased in value as the taxes would be higher; another says that the place for people is at home and if you have good roads they will be gadding around all the time; and some say stone roads are too hard on horse shoes. There is always opposition to any great work and it is very evident that should our people undertake to pave the roads it will mean a great sacrifice on the part of many citizens. A number of the counties have arranged to go ahead with the work and I hope our people will get onto some plan so that we can get out of the mud. I heard a number of plans mentioned as to raising funds, and I think this an important matter, and one that should be wisely considered in connection with the county's resources. I live on the Valley Pike and know what a good road is, but I would like to see the other fellow have the good road also and am willing to help.

**BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.**

Special meeting of the Board of Supervisors held Thursday, Feb. 18th 1909.  
A full Board was present.  
The following resolutions were passed:  
Resolved, That we accept State aid on permanent roads to be divided between two districts.  
Resolved, That the equivalent of a levy of 5 cts. on real and personal property of the whole county be distributed for road purposes among the districts that receive a part of the state appropriation.  
By ballot, it was decided that the state appropriation be expended in Lee and Stonewall Districts.  
Resolved, That the capitation tax be turned over to School Board to be apportioned among the Districts for county and district purposes.  
The clerk was authorized to make application for state aid.  
Pugh's Run bridge contract awarded to Jas. W. Sheetz.

**List of Conveyances.**

J. V. Lantz to J. N. Coffman, H. A. Whissen, and E. F. Andriek, school trustees of Madison district, 2 acres at Lantz Mills for school purposes; \$201.  
J. T. Kelley and wife to Washington Manassas, 652 square poles near Mt. Clifton; \$95.  
Phillip Lantz and wife to Roger C. Bauserman and Sam'l J. Wagner, 1 acre near Maurertown; \$115.  
Arthur L. Holler and wife to J. W. Allison, house and three acres near Lantz Mills; \$450.  
David Jones and wife to Eras. Jones, Lewis Ryman, and Ida F. Ryman, deed of partition, 140 acres near Mt. Clifton.  
John H. Keller, ac. trustees of the Reformed church at Fisher's Hill, to Chas. H. Keller, 374 poles of land in Davis district; \$500.  
J. H. Keller and wife to C. H. Keller, house and lot at Fisher's Hill \$500.  
Jas. F. Bradford and wife to Wm. Wymer, 13 acres on Little Stony Creek; \$48.00.  
Clara A. Tapley and husband to Geo. Wolterton and wife, 62 square poles near Saumville; \$15.00.  
Jno. N. Hall and wife to W. R. Shifflet, undivided one-half interest in certain lot and improvements at Fisher's Hill depot; \$300.  
Mary C. Baker, ac. to Joseph M. Ryman, 61 acres, 3 roads and 28 square poles in Davis district; \$2,000.  
Jane F. Clark to Chas. D. and Richard D. Clark, life estate in 4 of four shares of the Etwal Clark land; the said party of the first part to have a 1/4 undivided interest for her life as

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lower instead of an estate for her life in the said four shares.  
Edward S. Clark and wife and W. L. Clark and wife to Chas. D. Clark and R. J. Clark, all undivided interest in the real estate of Etwal S. Clark, dec'd; \$1,400.  
Josie L. Marston and Jos. B. Marston, her husband, to Edward S. Clark and wife, house and lot in Woodstock opposite Massanutten Academy; \$2,000.  
Jos. M. Ryman and wife to Jno. W. Riffey and wife, land near St. Luke; \$1,050.  
W. J. Wilson and wife to Russell C. Coffman, land in Davis district; \$675.  
Geo. W. Crabill and wife to Benj. F. and Clara Keller, lot in Tom's Brook; \$400.  
Geo. W. Dinges and wife to Russell B. Coffman, land in Madison district; \$400.  
H. D. Fesselrode to Thomas Ryan, Jr., land in Madison district; \$200.

The HERALD Office has been equipped with a large assortment of Job Type and is now prepared to fill orders for job work promptly and in the best style. We ask our friends to favor us with their patronage and it will be for us to render satisfaction.

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Our agency will show convincing evidence of 35 years extensive sale and highly satisfied users of the L. & M. Paint. All dealers in other paints combined cannot furnish equal evidence. When painting with L. & M. you are painting with Metal Zinc Oxide combined with White Lead. Zinc is imperishable and makes the L. & M. wear and cover like gold. Its colors remain bright and lasting. Don't need repainting for 10 to 15 years. Besides it cost less for paint.

SOLD BY: The Shenandoah Farmers' Union, Woodstock.

**Wood for Sale.**

I will sell, at my place, N. W. of Saumville dry rails at \$1.00 per cord. This is a chance to get good wood cheap.  
JACOB WILKIN.  
Feb. 19—11 pd.

**NOTICE**

All persons having claims against the late W. L. Wisman, will please present them, properly authenticated, to  
J. M. BAUSERMAN.

**For Sale.**

Two colts one and two years old. Two bay mares, three yearling steers. M. F. Emswiler, Calvary, Va. It pd.

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that we have a most complete line of  
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at prices within your reach is a matter of pleasure to us. We have filled up all the weak places in our stock with fresh, new goods for the spring trade and it will afford us a still greater pleasure to show you these goods. Don't hesitate because you may not want to buy, come see the newest things any way.

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**SPOOKS.**

In spite of all the evidence which has been accumulating for centuries, there are still some persons who will not believe that their deceased friends will return to visit them after death. An incident of this kind is said to have produced consternation in this place only a few nights ago.

After the death of the husband the widow moved to a distant part of the town and the house was occupied by a colored woman who was gifted with the power of seeing spooks. The first night that she attempted to sleep in the house, she was awakened by the pulling of her bed clothes, and looking up she saw the head of the deceased coming through a stove pipe hole in the ceiling and a sepulchral voice inquired for his wife. The colored woman replied: "I aint your wife, she's dead and moved away down to the other end of town," and at once leaped, she cleared the hole and rushed out in the slush and snow, and clad only in her night robe soon reached the house of a friend living some distance away. It is said that she was a pitiable object when she gained admittance to her friend's house. The whites of her eyes were greatly enlarged and were in marked contrast with her ebony face while her feet and gown were spattered with mud.

She told her story of how she was driven from her home by the spirit of a dead man, and was almost frightened to death. She received the warm sympathy of her friend but it was a long time before her nerves were sufficiently quieted to enable her to resume her pleasant dreams. The next day she moved her effects to another part of the town. In spite of all this, there are some people who say that they don't believe in "spooks."

From an old subscriber in W. Virginia we received the following: "Please find enclosed check to pay for paper. Please let the paper come on. We cannot get along without our old home paper, as it comes from the good town where I was born. With best wishes to the town, the good people and the HERALD.

I am respectfully yours,  
J. G. C. Sr."

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Woodstock, Virginia

**It Beats Them all For Stock.**

One of our customers from the northern part of the county was in last week, and bought five pounds of our Capital Stock Food. He stated that he had tried a variety of other powders and foods, but had never found anything that could even approach ours in the promptness with which it built up and renewed the energy of his stock. This is substantially the report that we hear from every quarter. We hope you will try this remedy when you need anything in the condition powder line.

Schmitt's Drug Store,  
Woodstock, Va.

Current Magazines, Reading Books, Stylish Stationery.

**Wood for Sale.**

I will sell, at my place, N. W. of Saumville dry rails at \$1.00 per cord. This is a chance to get good wood cheap.  
JACOB WILKIN.  
Feb. 19—11 pd.

**NOTICE**

All persons having claims against the late W. L. Wisman, will please present them, properly authenticated, to  
J. M. BAUSERMAN.

**For Sale.**

Two colts one and two years old. Two bay mares,