

**SOCIETY NEWS OF OTHER TOWNS**

**NOTICE TO COUNTRY CORRESPONDENTS**—Because of the rush of advertising during these days our columns are so crowded that we will need ask our country correspondents to confine themselves to news only. Send us the news items and leave out the stories of adventure for a while until the rush of advertising is over. We thank you for favors and appreciate same.

**DEMOCRAT-SENTINEL**

**Skunk Hollow**

We are having cooler weather at present.

Frank and John Miller called on S. W. Sollenberger, Wednesday.

Ed Ruff is busy hauling wheat to the mill, these days.

S. W. Sollenberger was a caller at Sugar Grove, Friday.

Mrs. Henry Johnson and Mrs. Frank Johnson visited the latter's parents, Mr. Carpenter's, one day last week.

Bud Tipple and family visited the latter's parents, Sunday.

Mrs. David Ellinger visited Caroline Wilmer, one day last week.

Ed Klump sold a fine fat calf, Wednesday.

Henry Ellinger is busy hauling logs and lumber.

Jim Sherburn, of North Berne, visited his grandparents, S. W. Sollenberger's, a couple of days last week, and while there, entertained them with a story of how to get bug juice after night. Bully for you Jim, you are death on highballs more commonly known as red eye, are you not Jim?

Jim Sherburn and his uncle, S. H. Sollenberger, Hiram Shull and John Miller are attending big meeting at Pleasant Hill. What do you go for boys, the girls or highballs, there is no bug juice at church, but maybe you have experienced a change of heart, God bless you if you have is the wish of the scribe.

Katie Wagner called on Clara Walter, Wednesday.

Frank Miller called on his sister Caroline, Friday.

Hiram Shull, of Buzzard avenue, called on his crony, Seth H. Sollenberger, Friday.

Cyrus Ricketts, our genial mail carrier is busy on his route these cold days. It behooves one to bundle up in sheep skin these cold days, does it not Mr. Ricketts.

Clara Wagner took dinner with her mother, Mrs. S. W. Sollenberger, and while there was very much entertained by her nephew, Jim Sherburn's droll tales of bug juice. Come again Jim, you are as good a talker as the best speaker of the house of common's, except you talk all the time of highballs and bug juice, but as luck would have it, there was no highballs or bug juice forth coming which was a sad thing for your listeners as it whetted their appetite for old rock red eye—nit Jim. Guess who.

If you will take Foley's Orino Laxative until the bowels become regular you will not have to take purgative constantly, as Foley's Orino Laxative positively cures chronic constipation and sluggish liver. Pleasant to take. Bort & Co.

**Pursell and Vicinity**

Mr. Stephen Smelts and family are visiting his father, Mr. James Smelts, of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. John Chilcote, who had been visiting some of their many friends at this place, returned to their home at Brice, last Wednesday.

Enid Cupp was a visitor to Circleville, one day last week.

Will Woodard was a visitor to South Bloomingville last Wednesday.

Mr. L. Hawkins was seen in our village last Wednesday.

Mrs. Velma Lemon called on Mrs. Clara Cupp, last Tuesday.

Miss Retha Huffman was a visitor to Lancaster one day last week.

Thurman Beiter of Mount Vernon, was seen in our valley last Wednesday.

Albert Lytle is in the employ of John Dresback.

Mrs. D. Barclay spent New Year's with her father, Mr. Hiram Hannold.

Mrs. Ella Lama is on the sick list.

Charley and Miles Willard attended protracted meeting at So. Bloomingville, Saturday evening.

Mens' lined gauntlet gloves, were 50c, clean up price... 29c

**Strentz & Lappen's FOR TEN DAYS**

Mr. and Mrs. Will Lemon were the Sunday guests of Ollie Lemon and family.

Harley Paxton is on the sick list at this writing threatened with appendicitis.

Mrs. Jane Dresback called on Mrs. D. Barclay, last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tisdale of near Apple, passed through here one day last week enroute to Logan.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Burgoon visited the former's sister, Mrs. John Stevens of Laurelville, last Monday.

**Gibsonville**

The following very interesting program entitled, Prince of Peace was rendered at the U. B. church, Christmas eve:

- Opening Song..... by Choir
- Responsive Reading..... Prayers
- Dialogue..... Welcome
- Solo..... Velva Brashares
- Recitation..... Sylvia Miller
- Song—Bethlehem Star..... by Choir
- Dialogue..... God's Wondrous Gift
- Recitation..... Paul Kline
- Primary Motion Song..... The Shepherd's Exercises
- Song—The Lost Lamb
- Song—Swing Christmas Bells..... by Choir
- Recitation..... Harold Moore
- Recitation..... Zelma Head
- Solo—O Chime Again..... by Choir
- Dialogue—Three Candles..... Mary and Fanny Keller and Georgia Moore
- Duet..... Velva Brashares and Mrs. Head
- Recitation..... Fanny Keller
- Song—The Bells of Xmas..... by Choir
- Dialogue..... A Shout for Gladness
- Song—Blest Morn, We Hail Thee..... by Choir
- Dialogue..... King Ye Bells
- Song..... O Peal Your Merry Chime
- Offering.....
- Closing Song..... Happy Xmas Time
- Benediction.....

**Pleasant View, Va.**

Jack Johnson, wife and daughter, of Chautauqua, N. Y., arrived at Maplewood, W. Va., last Saturday evening, the 9th. They expect to remain in Va. until May, when the extreme cold weather will be over in the north. Mrs. Johnson is the daughter of Mrs. A. F. Mann, of Green Hills.

J. A. Warriner, of Jetersville, called on Sarah Weaver, Sunday evening.

Sarah Weaver called on Mrs. Clarence Crist, Sunday.

Mrs. I. Weaver called on Mrs. Marshall White, Monday.

Jack Johnson and daughter called on Rev. and Mrs. Marshall White, Monday. The Johnson's and White's were old friends and neighbors in New York, Rev. White having moved his family to old Va. twenty years ago.

Jack Adams, of Jetersville, was the guest of Grover Weaver, Sunday afternoon.

Sarah and Grover Weaver, J. A. Warriner and Jack Adams called on C. F. Mann and wife, of Maplewood, Sunday evening.

Mrs. C. F. Mann called on her mother-in-law, Mrs. A. F. Mann, Friday.

Mrs. Edgar Holt and son Clyde, of Amelia, C. H., called on her sister, Mrs. Johnson, Wednesday afternoon.

Victor Herold spent Saturday night with Grover Weaver.

Blair Wayant and Clarence Crist made a business trip to Jetersville, Thursday.

Mrs. Ashley White made a hurried trip to Manchester, Va., Sunday evening. She was called to wait upon her mother, Mrs. Rowlette, who is seriously ill.

Word was received recently that Mrs. A. C. Allemond and daughter, Mrs. Wise Perry, who have been spending the last few months in Palm Beach, Florida, are thinking of returning to their old home at Maplewood Va. in the near future. They say the oranges, pine apples, palm trees and sunny Florida in general are right, but good old Virginia is good enough for them at any time, winter or summer.

Hello Starr, sure, we danced all the holly and mistletoe down and the first pretty girl that was caught beneath the mistletoe got kissed, it happened to be "Yours Truly" and of course "Yours Truly" couldn't say a word as those were the rules when the ball began, but those cow-hides? Why they are just the things to do a waltz in, they help you to perform all those graceful motions "because they are so light," now when I come back to see you I shall bring my "dancing cow hides" along with me, then watch me.

May the year 1909 be a prosperous one for the DEMOCRAT-SENTINEL and its readers. EISENBERG.

**Cedar Grove**

Our people are attending the protracted meeting at So. Bloomingville.

John Woolever made a business trip to So. Bloomingville last Monday.

Walter Pleukharp, of Valley City, was in our village last Tuesday.

There will be an attachment to our telephone in the near future.

Henry Isles, of Logan, is here affliating among his many friends.

Pearl Rose, of our town, and Tussing Rose, of Laurelville, have purchased the Rose & Co's. Store of this place.

Our churches seem to be doing well. We should endeavor to have good order during public worship.

Remember our savior said that "My Father's house is a house of prayer," then we should not make it otherwise. Holiness becometh the house of the Lord. Remember friends that the eye of God is watching us all the time and that we ought to be reverent in God's house and be glad to hear prayer and testimony. Remember that it speaks well of a young man or woman who gives due reverence to the house of the Lord, while on the reverse it looks very degrading of anyone who disobeys in a church, where God is watching us with an eye that cannot look upon sin with the least degree of allowance. Remember too my friends, that we must all appear at the Judgment seat of Christ sooner or later to give an account of our stewardship in this life, good or bad. Think when we are in God's house that we are in a holy place. Think that the time will come when every knee will bow and every tongue will confess to God. Then my friends let us be thoughtful and always give good order while at church, and in so doing it will speak well of you and your parents. The Saviour said, "If you will reverence me before men I will acknowledge you before my father and the holy angels."

RED BIRD.

**Carbonhill**

There were some slight mistakes in our last week's items, but we will not correct them, for anyone knowing enough to keep out of the rain can see them.

Grover Francis and sister Anna, returned from Centralia last week. They report times dull there.

Oscar Tom, of this place, is in Columbus attending the Miners' Convention.

John G. Spencer and wife attended the Inauguration of Gov. Harmon last Monday.

James Shaffer and wife, of Logan, spent last Sunday here, the guests of J. L. Blosser and wife.

Mrs. G. W. Ross spent last Monday and Tuesday in Columbus.

Geo. Ridenour, of Nelsonville, in company with G. W. Ross, of this place, recently made a visit to Straitsville.

Frank Evans was in Nelsonville on business last Saturday.

David Powers, of Sand Run, while employed as driver in a mine near here, met with a very painful accident one day last week. Somehow the trapper gave the wrong signal and run him into the door, breaking his right arm above the wrist. He is doing well and we hope he will soon be able for duty again.

We wish to say just a few words about our public schools which we think are just doing fine, considering some of the handicaps our teachers have. In the first place just about the time the school got started nicely the school building burned down, and everything was abandoned for several days, and then the school and teachers resumed in different parts of the town and being separated from each others council, are doing well under the circumstances.

**Sand Run**

We are again visited with cold weather, the past week.

Clarence Huffines, who is employed at this place, made a business trip to Athens, last Thursday.

Amos Matheny seems to be much attracted at Sherron's bank, which is located at this place.

Several men have found work at the coal mine near Carbonhill.

Addie Dawley, who works at Carbonhill, is home on a short visit.

Mrs. J. M. Sweazy is very ill at this writing.

Snow balling seems to be the order of the day at the school house the past week.

EVERYBODY'S FRIEND.

**Good Hope**

As this month is the first month of the new year, as someone says, we will either have to do better or worse, for pity sake let it not be worse. We could all do better if we just wanted to, for our lives are generally what we make them, so each one of us should strive to improve our lives as we are in a land of schools and churches. We that go to school should know what we are going for and study the good Christian lessons that are daily taught, and while we in our youth try to fit ourselves out for better men and women in the future time to come, so it cannot be said of us we would bear the disgrace of throwing ourselves by the wayside and indulging in wasteful dirty slothful habit of drink and run our nose in the ground and lose our wits and bear the name of being called a sot.

George Wagner and wife, of Indiana, have been visiting Mr. P. Wagner, his father, and his brothers and sisters of this place.

Mrs. George Wagner has been called to her home in Indiana by the serious illness of her mother.

Mrs. Bert Hedge and wife spent Sunday evening with W. A. Starner and family.

Cleve Azbell will teach one week more and then a new teacher will take charge of the school. We regret changing teachers, as Mr. Azbell has always given good satisfaction as a teacher.

Quite a number of young folks from this place started to attend the Brownsville spelling, but on account of the bad weather the spelling was a failure.

Herbert Starner is attending the Commercial School at Lancaster at present.

Homer Bushee visited P. Wagner and wife Sunday.

Chas. and Johnnie Starner called on Mrs. Martha Dodroe, Sunday afternoon.

Sabbath School was not well attended Sunday, owing to the bad weather.

Our trees are at present clothed with ice which makes them look very beautiful.

Our news are not very important this week as winter has closed us in and we are all kept very busy attending to our own affairs, and since the weather is rough we have as much as a bargain to do that.

Old Crupper, you asked what I got for Xmas, I was like you. My old girl doesn't thing enough of me, so I got what the boy shot at.

PETER PINDER.

**Here and There Valley.**

There was protracted meeting at Pleasant Hill last Friday night with five conversions.

Will Woltz was seen at this place Friday morning.

Amos Kline entertained last Sunday Earnest Shull and wife, Mrs. Rate Dupler and Mrs. Effie Wharton, of Rockbridge.

Mr. Barney Kline and Miss Etta Bucker were recently married. We wish them a long and happy sail on the sea of matrimony.

Miss Ida Stuart spent last Tuesday with Minnie and Eliza Kline.

Miss Mazie Lama spent part of last week with Carrie Woltz and family.

The school is progressing nicely under the management of Miss Effie Woltz as teacher.

Howard McBroom lost a valuable horse last week.

Boys get your bells ready for there will be a wedding in the near future.

Wesley Kline and wife pleasantly entertained last Sunday Mrs. Barbara Primmer and Miss Mazie Lama, Mrs. Jennie Edwards and son Herbert.

Harry Woltz and Truman Kline called on Barney and John Kline, Sunday evening.

Mrs. Callie Mathias called on Jennie Edwards one day last week.

Frank Edwards is a pleasant caller at Holy Chapel often.

Ed Stuart and Miss Jennie Bucker attended church at Pleasant Hill, Saturday night.

Clifford Trout called on Will Woltz, Thursday morning.

The Misses Emmie and Lizzie Roup spent last Sunday with Mrs. Edith Miller.

Joseph Woltz called on B. I. Edwards, Saturday.

Miss Minnie Kline spent Sunday with her sister Mrs. Mollie Bailey.

Albert Edwards and Miss Lizzie Roup attended church at Pleasant Hill, Sunday night.

Wesley Mathias and wife had for Sunday guests Mrs. Jennie

**Edwards and son Herbert, Misses Mazie Lama, Emmie, Lizzie and Ethel Roup and Harry and Albert Edwards.**

Mose Stuart and wife entertained last Sunday Misses Edna and Virgie Goss, Rev. Price and Fred Bowers. UNCLE NED.

**Northern Climate**

Well, here we are again with a little budget of news.

We are having plenty of snow and sleet at present.

Samuel Root was the guest of Will Hedges and family last Saturday.

James Mohler and wife were seen on our pikes yesterday.

Lewis Lynn, wife and daughter Leona, were Cedar Hill last Thursday.

Vernon Merle and Fleeta Hedges called on Wm. Scanlon and family yesterday.

Forest Bobo and wife passed through here yesterday.

Howard Scanlon was seen sleigh riding on our pikes one day last week.

Van Root and family spent last evening with Will Hedges and family.

Burl Lynn called on his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Lynn, last Friday.

Martha Hedges called on Stella Hedges one day last week.

Protracted meeting will begin the 20th. of this month at the United Evangelical Church at Cedar Grove in charge of Rev. C. Weltner. Everybody invited.

Homer Waites expects to move on Harry Peters' farm near Lancaster soon. Amos Waites, of Salt Creek, will move in the house vacated by Homer.

Will Hedges and son Vernon, made a flying trip to Cedar Grove last Thursday.

Eli Stump, of Columbus, visited his daughter Mrs. Van Root and amily part of last week.

**Clear Creek**

We are having plenty of snow and mud at this writing.

Henry Cayes made a business trip to Sugar Grove, Wednesday.

George Finefrock, who has been on the sick list for sometime, is able to resume his work again.

Charley Lindsey, of Sweet Lake Ridge, was seen passing through our town, enroute to Sugar Grove, one day last week.

James Conrad, of near Rockbridge, took dinner with William Carpenter and wife, one day last week.

George and Till Garrett, who have been working at Bremen, spent Tuesday with their mother at this place.

John Elick was a Lancaster visitor one day last week.

Edward Carpenter and Grover Elick made a business call at the Springfield pumping station, Friday evening.

Willis Brown, the Superintendent of the Brownsville Gas & Oil Company has leased the Finefrock property, where he will drill for oil in the near future.

William Carpenter made a business trip to Sugar Grove, Saturday.

George and Carrie Morris were Rockbridge shoppers, Thursday.

May Finefrock, who has been working at Lancaster, spent Sunday with her mother of this place.

Edward Carpenter and Leonard Spears called on Jerry Elick, Sunday.

Charley Lindsey, of Sweet Lake Ridge, called on Grover Elick, Saturday evening.

Mrs. Pete Kraft called on Mrs. Sarah Finefrock, Sunday.

Edward Carpenter and Jerry Elick were working for Ben Sheets Sunday.

John Elick was seen on our streets, Monday.

Bud and Blanche Kraft were Rockbridge visitors, Monday.

George Morris was seen on our streets, Monday.

Quite a number from this place attended preaching at Bethel, Sunday evening. CROSS DOG.

**Max**

Protracted meeting is still in progress at Harmony U. B. Church with good crowds in attendance.

Miss Annie Geil, of Oldtown, who has been visiting at the home of T. S. Bowland and attending church, returned to her home Sunday.

J. Welty was a Logan visitor Thursday.

J. H. Johnson has been on the sick list.

Wesley Hockman and wife were Logan visitors Monday.

Mr. Blosser, of Allen county,

**\$7.65** For the choicest lot of Men's suits that formerly sold for \$13.50. This lot includes choice new worsteds worth \$15.00.

**At Strentz & Lappen's for 10 days.**

**Hocking County Farmers' Institute, Friday and Saturday, January 29 and 30, 1909.**

**PROGRAMME**

Friday, January 29

MORNING SESSION 9:30

Invocation..... Rev. Willis

MUSIC

Opening Remarks..... Pres. Marks

The Clover Family—Its Value..... Horatio Markley

Discussion..... A. Nixon

MUSIC

Has Agriculture Come Fully Into Its Own..... Wm. H. Culbertson

Discussion.....

MUSIC

AFTERNOON SESSION 12:30

MUSIC

The Wheat Crop..... Horatio Markley

Discussion..... R. B. Longstreth

How and Where Our Road Tax and Money was Spent..... James Bebout

Should the General Farmer Pursue a Mixed or Special Agriculture for Most Profit?..... Wm. H. Culbertson

Discussion..... J. Brown

MUSIC

EVENING SESSION 6:30

Invocation..... Rev. Wilson

MUSIC

Choosing a Profession..... Horatio Markley

Address.....

MUSIC

Pitching Hay With Fork Upside Down..... Wm. H. Culbertson

MUSIC

Saturday, January 30

MORNING SESSION 9:30

Invocation..... Rev. Correll

MUSIC

Perfect Corn Culture..... Horatio Markley

Discussion..... Otto Iles

MUSIC

The Golden Hoofed Sheep a Money Maker