

FROM NEAR-BY TOWNS
CHRONICLE OF HAPPENINGS AMONGST
OUR NEIGHBORS.

PLEASANT VALLEY.

Mrs. Henry C. Helwig dug 21 fine potatoes out of one hill, ranging in size from a walnut to a large hen egg. She has also the finest cabbage we have seen this year.
Rev. John O. Yoder delivered his farewell address on Sunday morning to a large congregation. Rev. Yoder said that the two hardest sermons that a minister has to preach are when he comes and when he leaves. He will make his future home in Akron, Ohio.
Mrs. Walter Helwig had the misfortune to tramp on a rusty nail on Monday evening and had it not been for prompt attention she would have had lockjaw as the nail penetrated a blood vessel. She is not much better.
Mr. and Mrs. Jonas Lawyer and daughter, of Frizellburg; Mr. and Mrs. Reinhold and daughter Leah Catherine, of Taneytown, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Lawyer on Sunday.
Mr. Jesse Myers and daughter Lizzie, and two grandchildren, of Taneytown, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Levi Myers and other friends on Sunday last.
Mrs. Frederick Myers is spending some time in Baltimore.
Miss Mary Galloway, of Baltimore, is spending some time with her friend, Miss Ada Getman.
Mr. Charles Myers, of Baltimore, is spending some time with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Myers.
Mr. and Mrs. Milton Hymlinger, of Tyrone, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Levi Myers.
Mr. and Mrs. Grant Yingling, of Harburg, spent Sunday and Monday with their daughter, Mrs. Edgar Lawyer.
Mr. Jacob Myers, who has been confined to the house for some time, is somewhat better but not able to be out.
Miss Rachel E. Devilliss has returned home after spending some time with her friend, Miss Marian Sheets, of Westminster.
Mr. Claude Myers has his new house under roof which is located at the Pleasant Valley and Stonersville road about one-fourth of a mile from here.
Miss Mildred Devilliss is spending some time in Baltimore with relatives and friends.
The date of the annual Sunday school picnic is undecided.
All readers of the Baltimore American of June 21, noticed the picture of the elephant. The elephant represents the grand old party. The party as your correspondent understands it represented Jonah and the whale. All Bible students know that Jonah had to be spit out of the whale's belly. In this case Roosevelt was so strong in his mind the grand old party had to throw him overboard and now he has to preach repentance. When he went out of office his farewell speech was "Never again will I aspire for office."
Mrs. Robert Cookson, of Froid, Montana, is a guest of Mrs. Joseph P. Yingling.

MEDFORD.

The farmer's meeting which was to be held at Westminster on Saturday last for the benefit of the boys' corn club, was held in the grange hall at this place. Dr. Hill, director of the farmers' institutes, with Mr. Collier and others as speakers, went to the Court House in Westminster to have the meeting there as it was advertised to be, and when they reached there they found the doors locked, a pretty warm reception indeed. If Westminster does not want the farmers' institute, Medford now has a hall, sufficiently large enough, and railroad facilities, and everything to have the institute meet at this place.
A woman's institute was held here on Saturday last, and Dr. Hill had able speakers for the occasion. It was very much pleased with the hall, and said it was the finest grange hall in the State, one we can well feel proud of.
The festival held at this place on Saturday evening was quite a success. We thank the public at large for its liberal patronage.
The season for a large potato crop looks very promising; in fact it is a very favorable season for everything. We have had the rains to make it such.
Charles Englar and wife, of Waynesboro, Pa., are now at Mr. Englar's father's, Mr. William Englar. Charles Englar has been indisposed for some time and not able to attend to his business, in Waynesboro, of running a hardware store and plumbing.
Miss Margaret Mackley, of Westminster, spent several days with Miss Marie Stoner, near here.
Mrs. Clara Lindsay, Mrs. Laura Baile and Mrs. Ernest Myers visited Mrs. I. N. Stoner on Sunday last.

ALESIA.

Quite a number from here attended the picnic held at Miller's on Saturday.
Messrs. Casey and Charles Boerner, of Baltimore, spent Sunday with friends in this place.
Dr. E. M. Shamer, of Baltimore, visited relatives here Sunday.
Owing to derangement of 6 cars of coal at Jack's Mountain Sunday evening, our regular Baltimore passenger train waiting at the main line and a special train made up of Hanover conveyed passengers to Baltimore along our division.
Quite a heavy hail and rain storm passed through this section Sunday afternoon.
Under the present W. M. schedule, the public is granted the privilege of going to or coming from Baltimore early Sunday morning and return at night, which is very much appreciated by the public. Traffic is very heavy.
Miss Cora A. Hoffacker, of Baltimore, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Hoffacker, of this place, the past week.
Mrs. George Lauer spent a few days last week visiting relatives and friends in Baltimore.

MT. AIRY.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Smith spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Nusbaum, of Frederick.
Mr. Wm. O. Banks, of the firm of Watkins & Banks, left home very mysteriously on the night of June 18. The Mrs. A. Hoffacker, of Baltimore, completed and the business will be moved the first of July.
Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Hood have moved into their new residence, just recently completed.
Mr. John W. Shipley is on the sick list at this writing.
The Children's service held at the Methodist Episcopal Church South

was largely attended and the children were well trained for the event.
Miss Jessie Debraut, of Baltimore, has returned home after spending a week very pleasantly with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Nusbaum.
Harvest is here and some of our farmers are very busy cutting grain.

FRIZELLBURG.

Mrs. Sue Bankard and Miss Jennie Dickensheets are spending the week in Baltimore.
Mrs. Newton Eckard and son Howard spent Sunday with Mrs. Eckard's brother, Mr. James Warren, at DeTour.
Mr. John Null and family spent Sunday at Westminster with Mrs. Harvey Bankard.
Mr. Reb Snader and family spent Sunday here with the former's brother and sister, Mr. Frank and Miss Emma Snader.
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph D. Brooks were guests of Wm. Arthur and family on Sunday.
A severe storm visited this place on Sunday with plenty of wind, hail and rain.
The Sunday school will hold a festival in front of the church on Friday and Saturday nights. The school numbers near 100 scholars.
Mr. Luther Null, wife and son Kester, visited friends in Westminster Saturday and Sunday.
Mr. Levi Maus and family spent Sunday with Mrs. Ellen Rinehart.
Mr. Wm. Babylon and family, Mr. Jesse Halter and family, Mr. Wm. Marker and family, Mr. Howard Derr and Miss Mollie Marker, of this place, were guests of Ezra Spangler, of Arlington, on Sunday.
Mr. Stevens and wife, of Baltimore, Mr. Harry Myers and Miss Margaret Arthur motored to Gettysburg on Saturday, returning on Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Eckard and friend Mr. John Powell, wife and little grandson, of Tyrone came in Mr. Eckard's auto to spend Sunday with his brother, Howard Eckard, and family.
Mrs. Catherine Stevenson is spending the week with her son Arthur.
Mr. Charles Shaffer and wife and Oscar Brown and wife, of Baltimore, spent Sunday with friends in this place.
Mr. Bowers, of Washington, D. C., who has been spending some time at Mr. Jacob Null's returned to her home on Monday. Mr. Bowers came over and accompanied his wife home.

BRIERWOOD.

Farmers are all very busy making hay and plowing corn.
D. E. Gilbert and family and Miss Rebecca Babylon spent Sunday with Noah Babylon and family, near Tyrone.
Dennis Reinhold and family, near Reindollar.
Mrs. Harry Fisher and son, of Baltimore, are spending some time with Mrs. William Sipes.
James Robertson and wife entertained on Sunday: Samuel Robertson and wife and David Randall and wife.
Harry Fowler and family spent Sunday with Mr. Fowler's brother, John Fowler, and family, of Frizellburg. On the way home they got in the mud so deep they were compelled to leave their buggy and walk home.
Some of the children of this vicinity are suffering with whooping cough.

SPRINGDALE.

Mrs. Harvey Myers and daughter Vegie, spent Wednesday in Westminster.
Mrs. Lillian Englar, of Stonersville, is now at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Young which will be her future residence.
Mrs. Frank Lambert has been indisposed recently.
Mr. Levi Flickinger reports a splendid crop of raspberries both in quality and quantity.

UNIONTOWN.

Dr. and Mrs. Sydney Cover, of the Narrows, Va., visited relatives at Clear Ridge and Uniontown the past week.
Miss Marian Fritz is spending the week with Miss Beatrice Hiteshaw.
Mrs. C. Edgar Myers and children are visiting relatives in Baltimore.
Mrs. Thomas Zepp and Mrs. George Grumbine, of Westminster, spent Monday night and Tuesday with relatives in Uniontown.
Mr. and Mrs. John Waltz, of Becktown, entertained the club on Saturday night. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Fritz, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bowers, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bowers, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Haines, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hawn, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fowler, Mr. and Mrs. Snader Devilliss, Mr. Nevin Hiteshaw, and daughter, Miss Beatrice Hiteshaw, Mr. John Dehoff, Misses Fannie Davidson, Blanche Hood, Evan Bowers and Susan Fritz.
The Aid Society of Pipe Creek

A WOMAN'S GOOD LOOKS

Depend on her general health and freedom from pain. Many a woman looks old before her time because of those irregularities which are essentially feminine. Starting from early womanhood, she suffers from frequently recurring derangements that upset her womanly health. If she be beautiful she grows into that mellow age without wrinkles and crowfeet about the eyes or the blue circles underneath. It is invariably the rule that such women suffer little, or not at all, from womanly derangements which sap the health and leave in the face the tell-tale story of pain and suffering. Dr. R. V. Pierce, the famous specialist in the diseases of women, found a prescription in his early practice that soothed the organism peculiar to womanhood—oiled the machinery, as it were, of the human system—and helped the woman to pass those painful periods that scar-lined and aged her face. This remedy became the well-known Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, that has benefited thousands of women and saved them from misery and suffering at different periods of life.



MRS. HARKLEY E. PIERCE, of 214 Bright Street, Sarnia, Ont., writes: "I am now a well woman after suffering for three years and doctoring with several different doctors, each one saying it was something different, and the last one, after putting me through a thorough examination, said I was suffering from a growth, which, in time, would result in cancer, and said I would not live more than two years if not operated upon right away. I became hopelessly discouraged but would not consent to the operation as I was too weak and too much afraid, but at last, through the advice of a friend, I tried Dr. Pierce's medicine, and after using two bottles of the 'Favorite Prescription' I immediately used two boxes of 'Healing Suppositories' and eight boxes of 'Lotion Tablets', and can safely praise the name of Dr. Pierce's medicines to all who suffer from any female disease, for these medicines are all they are claimed to be, and I hope will help others as they have helped me."

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Methodist Protestant Church held its June meeting on Friday afternoon, at the parlors in Uniontown. Quite a number were present and refreshments were served by the society.
Mr. M. D. Smith, of Woodbine, raised 55 bushels of barley to the acre.
Mrs. Lydia Brubaker is boarding with Mr. and Mrs. George Selby.
Rev. Harry Brown preached at Bethel last Sunday and will preach at Wakefield next Sunday at 10.30 a. m.
Mr. and Mrs. John Hillbridge and daughter and Miss Maggie Little visited Mr. and Mrs. Milton Shriver.
Miss Alice Ecker, of Clear Ridge, is on the sick list at this time.
Mrs. L. S. McCake and daughters returned on Tuesday to their home at Rock Island.
Mrs. Rose Rapp, of Clemsonville attended the reception at Elder Philip Englar's on Sunday, and on Monday was stricken with paralysis.
Mrs. Rachel Caylor, of Clear Ridge, visited her sister, Mrs. Mary Cookson, the past week.
Dr. and Mrs. Sydney Cover and son James, of the Narrows, and Mr. E. G. Cover, of Easton, visited relatives at Clear Ridge and Uniontown the past week.
Mrs. Courtland Hoy, of Philadelphia, Pa. is visiting her mother, Mrs. Alice Hanna.

News Items from Pennsylvania College.

Gettysburg, Pa., June 24th, 1912.—Of the graduating class of sixty-five, thirty-seven or more than one-half finished the full classical course. As far as it has been possible to determine, this is the largest number of Greek and Latin Course students to graduate this year for any educational institution in the United States.
Because of the death of Hon. Edmund D. Graff, of Worthington, Pa., President of the board of trustees, the vacancy was filled by the unanimous election of William L. Glatfelter, of Spring Grove, Pa.
So far \$140,000 has been secured for the \$230,000 to be raised for the college, which means that \$90,000 additional must be secured before July 10, 1913. At their last meeting the board of trustees decided to increase the membership of the committee on Endowment so as to include men from all the principal points of Gettysburg influence. The following executive committee of this Committee on Endowment was appointed to take charge of the details of the financial campaign:
William L. Glatfelter, Spring Grove, Chairman; William A. Granville, Ph. D., LL. D., Gettysburg, Pa., Sec'y; Rev. J. A. Clutz, D. D., Gettysburg, Pa.; George E. Neff, Esq., York, Pa.; Rev. W. H. Durbin, D. D., Baltimore, Md.; Martin H. Buehler, Baltimore, Md.
Prof. C. H. Huber has been relieved of his duties as instructor next year in order to assist President Granville in the financial campaign.
Rev. H. A. Ritz, Student Y. M. C. A. Secretary and Registrar, has resigned to accept the Vice Principalship of Perkiomen Seminary, Pennsylvania. Prof. Clyde B. Stover was chosen to assume the duties of Registrar and Earl Bowman of the class 1911 will serve as Student Y. M. C. A. Secretary.
The first term of the Gettysburg Summer School opened June 17 with a splendid attendance and a very promising prospect. This work is under the direction of Professor Sanders and he has as helpers a very efficient corps of instructors, including Professors Van Ormer, Moser, Troxell, Rice, Knipple and others.

Mr. and Mrs. Stoner Entertain Aid Society.

On Thursday evening, June 20th, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Stoner, near this city, invited the Ladies' Aid Society of Centenary Methodist Episcopal church, and a number of their friends to their home. Automobiles, livery carriages, delivery wagons and private carriages were used to convey the guests from the city to Mr. Stoner's residence. The lawn and grounds around the home were lighted by Japanese lanterns and the interior was beautifully decorated in roses. Mr. and Mrs. Stoner spared no pains to make the evening a pleasant one. The ladies of the society had prepared a musical and literary program which was well received by the guests. Those who took part in the program were: Misses Isabel Rapp, Mary Hay, Margaret Little, Helen and Gladys Hunter; Mrs. Hillbridge, Miss Kauffman, of Baltimore, and Mr. Reginald Stoner. Refreshments of ice cream, strawberries and cake were served.

Methodist Episcopal Church.

Sunday school 9.15 a. m. Preaching 10.30 a. m., subject: "Hope." Vesper service, 8 o'clock. Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 8 p. m.

Mid-Summer Sale OF Laces, Embroideries, Flouncings, Scrims, Window and Door Drapery, Ladies' Hats, Percaloes, Gingham, Shirt Waists, Muslin Underwear, Men's Clothing, Hats, Shirts, Etc. THIS sale is of vital importance to all economical women. It embraces our entire stock of Embroideries and Flouncings at about 2-3 their value. For instance we offer 45 inch Swiss and Net Flouncings, value \$2.50 yd., Mid-Summer price \$1.39. 27 in. Embroidery Flouncing, well finished scallops, on the best of material, regularly sold for 79c. \$1.25 to \$1.50., Mid-Summer price 49c yd. 27 in. Embroidery Flouncing, fully worth 75c yd., excellent patterns in good lengths 49c yd. Cluny and Irish Torchon Laces During this Mid-Summer sale you will find bargains of special interest, including Cotton and Linen Clunys, Cotton and Linen Torchons, Ratine and Wide Bandings, the very latest for trimmings. Draperies A chance of a lifetime to secure Draperies for all purposes during our Mid-Summer sale will be found here—few fancy, some bordered, while others are well covered and plain—ranging in prices from 9 to 15c yd. Their former prices were 12 1/2 to 25c. 12 1/2c Best Percaloes 9c. About 25 pieces of our best percaloes, for our Mid-Summer sale we offer them as long as they last 9c. 15c Anderson Gingham 11c. After going over our stock of 32 inch Gingham we find so many short pieces—most of them are dress pattern lengths—we offer them during Mid-Summer sale for 11c yd. Ladies' Hats End of season price on Ladies' Hats. Their former price was from \$2.00 to \$5.00, our Mid-Summer price 98c. \$1.25 Ladies' Shirt Waists 98c. Mid-Summer Prices on Men's Clothing If you want to save money on Men's and Boy's Clothing, just listen to our short talk on clothing. We will sell you any suit in our entire stock during our Mid-Summer sale for 1-3 less than its face value. In other words you can buy a \$15 suit \$10.00 for Remember one week only.

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SPECIAL NOTICE! To the Public from the RED FRONT STORE. We have added a department known as THE BARGAIN COUNTER where we will have on sale STRICTLY HIGH GRADE GOODS at less than the Manufacturer's price and FULLY GUARANTEED. We will also display in one of our show windows one of these Bargains each week. Understand these Bargains may not always pertain to our REGULAR LINES and will discontinue the sale of them when our allotment is sold. Always on sale AT LESS THAN HALF PRICE until sold. Stop in and look them over and if you do not buy, you may do us some good by TELLING YOUR FRIENDS. OUR SPECIAL LINES. Coffee and Teas fresh every week at Wholesale Prices. Sold 30,000 lbs. last year at retail. STATIONERY The largest Stock and everything in the line at the right price. SPORTING GOODS. Base Ball, Tennis, Fishing Tackle, Bicycles and Supplies. Largest stock and lowest prices of any one in the State outside of Baltimore. Agents for Racycle Bicycles and Flying Merkle Motorcycles. CONFECTIONERY. 50c Chocolates at 35c. 15c and 20c candies at 10c lb. Only fresh goods sold. Bicycle Repairing done at reasonable prices. VISIT OUR SODA and ICE CREAM PARLOR in the annex where we have a Beautiful Room. Only the best of everything served and good service. Ice Cream Sodas and Sundae 5c. Plain Creams 5 and 10c. Combs, Brushes, Cologne, Jewelry, Ornaments, Clocks, Watches and many other articles cheaper than you can buy elsewhere. Ansco Cameras and Supplies. We do your developing at short notice. Cigars, Cigarettes and Smoking Tobaccos. Everything we sell Guaranteed or your money back. Your patronage earnestly solicited. CARROLL MDSE. CO. - - Opposite Westminster Savings Bank. P. S. We are Agents for Rayburn & Hunter Lightning Rods. Oldest people in the business. We will repair your old work or put on a new job at less than you have ever been quoted. Write us for an estimate, 5 years Guaranteed.