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FOR RENT—A four room cottage at 722 Gaston avenue.
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FOR SALE—Ladies' side saddle, bridle and blanket. Only used one summer. Will sell cheap. Inquire at Holt's cigar store.

TRAMP PUTS A BABY UPON A REDHOT KITCHEN STOVE.

OSWEGO, N. Y., July 31.—A drunk Pole, a stranger in this city, entered the home of Charles Leonard 235 East Second street, about noon yesterday, took a seven months' old baby from a crib, where it was sleeping and placed it on a red-hot kitchen stove. The cries of the child brought the mother, who had left the house for a minute. The baby was badly burned before it was rescued.

Advertisements in this paper bring results

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JACOBS BLDG., FAIRMONT,
Commercial, Classical, Normal
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THEY ALWAYS GO TOGETHER.
A happy pure and good, nourishing loaf of Wise's delicious bread. Our bread doesn't make your purse suffer. It is more economical than baking at home, and you get palatable and wholesome eating without cooking during the heated term, at less cost than when you bake yourself. Try some of our bread. It is a meal for the gods.
J. U. WISE & CO.,
324 Main Street.

THE WEST VIRGINIAN'S MANNINGTON BUREAU

LIVE NEWS FROM A LIVE TOWN BY A LIVELY CORRESPONDENT.

(Frank V. Jolliffe, Correspondent.)
MANNINGTON, July 31.—The last few days which have been clear and bright have been a great help to the farmers and they are all busy. This is the first time that wheat has been in condition to put into stack and the farmers have made good use of the time. It is very unusual for wheat to be so late in getting ripe as it is this year. The season seems to be about one month late and should it be an early fall the corn will not mature. The outlook for the winter is not very bright as all kinds of food stuffs will be scarce and high. The fruit and berry crops will be a failure— even the black berry crop is a failure and are selling at forty cents a gallon on the street. This season seems to be almost equal to the year of long ago when they speak of a year without a summer.

The Chas. Phillips Tool Co. is rushed with orders and have been running at night for some time. There is an unusual amount of drilling going on in this district.

The Pottery has been working overtime for some days and everything seems to be on the boom in that section.

George W. Hawkins is making extensive improvements on his property near the pottery. When finished it will be one of the most convenient and desirable homes in the city.

Mrs. Sarah Mockler is making extensive improvements on her property on Buffalo street, which will add very much to the convenience of the property.

Maurice Hershman who has been very sick for some time has gone to Terra Alta to try the mountain air but so far it has been of no benefit to him.

To see flowers blooming around the depot is a new experience to our people, but the B. and O. has been beautifying its grounds this summer and it adds very much to the appearance of the place and I am sure the traveling public appreciate it. What an improvement green grass and blooming flowers are over the old cinder pile.

G. W. Long has returned from Parkersburg where he has been for some time. While there he both bought and sold some property.

J. D. Charlton has been shipping several car loads of manure from the stables of the city to his farm near Farmington. Jim is giving his farm much attention.

Miss Lola Obie, of Macksburg, Ohio who has been visiting Miss Hazel Munnell, has returned to her home.

Miss Ora Dent is home from a pleasant visit to Unton town.

Some of our people have been buying groceries from some of the so-called pure food firms of Ohio. Their goods are not as good as can be bought here for the same money. Why not patronize your home people who help you pay taxes and support the city. If every one would patronize the home people and pay cash, as they do to the stranger our people could sell cheaper and better goods. Stand by your home merchants. Boom your home town.

The dirt is flying on the trolley line between here and Farmington and it looks like we would soon have the cars sure. More men are needed all along the line. Real estate is getting active along the line and it begins to look like business.

The Mannington Juniors have gone to Hundred to-day to cross bats with the team at that place. It will be a hot number.

The tank at the water station burst yesterday but no particular damage was done. The hoops were rusted and gave away suddenly. It will be repaired at once.

The Ladies' Missionary society of the Presbyterian Church will have a picnic at Eureka park, Downs, tomorrow and will return on No. 55, if a sufficient number will report to Mrs. A. L. Pritchard.

The Woodmen's band held their weekly concert last night and the Elks band will give a concert Friday night.

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We have an Elegant Line of **SERGES** IN BLACK and FANCY SHADES
A Suit from one of these would help SOME these warm days.
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Mrs. LeRoy Taylor is still in the city. Mr. Taylor has gone to Detroit to attend the meeting of the Commercial Law League which is now in session. On his return he and Mrs. Taylor will go to Wadestown for the usual summer vacation.

Miss Daisy Koen will entertain the Thursday Club at her home on Main street tomorrow.

Miss Marion Shaw will entertain at luncheon Friday afternoon in honor of Miss Arden Morgan.

Dr. Chas. L. Ney and wife have returned to their home in Jersey City after a visit to friends here.

The weekly services of the Episcopal church will be held on Thursday of this week instead of Wednesday as formerly.

Mrs. Sallie Pichard's Sunday school class held a picnic at Downs yesterday. There were about twenty-five present and they all had a delightful time and returned on No. 55 last night. These outings of the Sunday school classes help to make the Sunday school popular.

Mollie Anderson has gone to her home in Cameron. She will be there for some time before returning here.

Misses Bessie and Olive Keever spent Tuesday visiting relatives in Downs.

Joe Diggs and friends have been camping near Lumberport for the past two weeks. Owing to the excessive rains the life of the camping parties has not been pleasant.

RIVESVILLE NOTES

RIVESVILLE, July 31.—Sunday was a busy day down here. Baseball to further orders. Rivesville vs. Barnsville, or some at least were from Barnsville, but the principal players or contenders rather were not natives or residents of the little newly incorporated town, but that was all right, no kick coming as to that, nor none whatever, as far as the writer is concerned as he isn't a ball player, but rumor has it that the umpire of one of the fellows who said the outs and ins and seemed to be the push and pull for Barnsville altogether, might have had more warm friends down here if he hadn't shown his warm feelings for the Barnvites quite so plain, but all is well that ends well.

Rivesville will be mindful of several occurrences in the future which took place at the game Sunday and would much rather be the victims of a wrong or an overdose of authority than a defeat so, so, so, and so long as to that a hint to the wise should be sufficient.

Near three hundred people witnessed the game. Even big Mas Chipps, Frank Yost, Leroy Shuman and several others from old Monongalia county, Fairmont and other points were represented also, and the game could have been an interesting one should the right spirit have prevailed, but let it go now. Sure, sure, to be sure.

Rivesville batteries were Dent, Thorn and Harris. Score 14 to 3 in favor of Rivesville.

Mr. J. V. Williams, one of our village business hustlers, has fitted up a neat ice cream parlor on Main street and in addition to that he is handling organs, pianos, phonographs, graphophones and a general line of furniture. Good luck to a man with the nerve to place everything on the market at Rivesville from a folding bed to a goose yoke and don't you think that Williams hasn't got it either, the goose yoke and the other, too.

Josh Sruceby's writings in the West Virginian jama a whole lot of truth into the air, that never would have been thought of. Josh's sayings are lasting. They don't leave with the dew. Josh, you will do no harm and lots of good by sprinkling old Marion county quite often in the next two years.

The Lone Star has got to be mighty careful about what he says of late, as there is a certain man in the country who don't hesitate to tell his hired hands and most everybody he can get an audience with that the Lone Star is a bad shiner, but against he gets the rounds and tells the thousands of readers of daily papers about the Lone Star, he will not be any more popular himself among the people than a billy goat in an orchard of young apple trees.

Your humble correspondent is like the Irishman and the flees. They begin on me first and I'm ready to quit at any time.

J. A. Hess, of this place, went to Pittsburg on special business Monday last. A development of no little significance is likely to become visible soon after the return of Mr. Hess, providing things materialize as per plans now on file.

H. J. Rice, a well known coal dealer of Fairmont, was here Monday meeting some of his business associates and returning to Fairmont on Papwap flyer. The Wabash hasn't put on any Monday morning or before breakfast trains down this way yet, so the old B. & O. is still the main stand by.

LONE STAR

MT. LAKE PARK

MOUNTAIN LAKE PARK, Md. July 31.—Yesterday the silver jubilee anniversary celebration of the Mountain Lake Park Association, which lasts until August 2, was begun. A number of interesting addresses will be given during the celebration. Friday the Mountain Chautauqua opens and Stevens hand will begin their series of daily concerts. The Cecilian lady quartet will entertain in the evening, a number of well known singers and instrumentalists are also on the programme.

Mrs. John Rule, of Clarksburg, entertained at cards Monday evening. Light refreshments were served.

Mr. Harvey B. Reppetto, of Wheeling, spent the week end with Mr. Jas. Taney at Hoffman Hall. Durling Mr. Reppetto's stay Mr. Taney gave a small stag affair in his honor. Those present were: Mr. Reppetto, Ira McKee, of Pittsburg; Chauncey Devora and Camden Taney, of Wheeling; James Burns and Corwin Burns, of Morgantown, and George Sincell, of Oakland.

The preliminaries in the ladies' bowling contest have been rolled and the following handicaps announced: Miss Mary Clapper, scratch; Miss Margaret Bishop, 2; Mrs. J. H. Mink, 5; Miss Margaret McLain, 11; Mrs. W. H. Scott, 13; Miss Kate McLain, 15; Miss Evelyn Burns, 22; Miss Leila Pitt, 24; Miss Dorothy Scott, 51. A change in the gentlemen's contest has been made, so that W. H. Scott will roll scratch with Mr. List.

Rev. and Mrs. David W. Howard spent the week end at the Lock Lynn hotel.

Miss Helen Graham, of Piedmont is visiting Miss Kenny of Piedmont at her cottage here.

Mrs. Homer Jackson, Mrs. Charles Lamb, Miss Genevieve Harrison and Miss Mildred Lambert, of Clarksburg, are at the Lock Lynn for a stay of about two weeks.

Mr. Thomas Gausburg made a short stop at the Mountain Lake hotel this week.

Miss E. Murdoch and E. M. Lang, of Kingwood, W. Va., spent the week end with relatives at the Lock Lynn Heights hotel.

Mrs. P. W. Lange, of Holcomb, W. Va., spent the week end at the Mountain Lake Park hotel.

Miss Nellie C. Cassiday, of Fairmont, will spend the season with relatives at the Lock Lynn hotel.

Mr. Carl Willett, of Clarksburg, spent the week end with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Willett at their cottage here.

B. F. Park, of Fairmont, is at the Lock Lynn hotel for a short stay.

Mr. Corwin Burns, of Morgantown left here to-day for Terra Alta, to attend the State shoot for picked squads of National Guardsmen being held there. He will return to-morrow.

Mr. R. Zeising, of Clarksburg, spent the week end with his family, who are stopping at the Lock Lynn hotel for the season.

R. A. Regen, of Buckhannon, made a short stop at the Mountain Lake hotel last week.

Mrs. W. H. Smith, of Parkersburg, spent the week end at the Lock Lynn Heights hotel.

Mrs. Matthews Halmes, of Clarksburg, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Homer Davis, at her cottage here.

Mr. J. P. Donley, of Wheeling, spent the week end at the Lock Lynn.

Mrs. John Hammet, of Parkersburg, are at Haydenhurst for a lengthy stay.

H. E. Jackson, of Clarksburg, spent the week end at the Lock Lynn hotel visiting his family.

C. H. Long, of Mannington, made a short stop at the Mountain Lake Park hotel last week.

A. Bliss McCrum, of Kingwood, W. Va., spent the week end at Lock Lynn.

Miss Helen Emery, of Washington, Pa., will arrive Thursday to visit Miss Katherine Thistle at her cottage here.

R. T. Cunningham and H. P. Hesse of Fairmont, spent the week end at the Lock Lynn Heights hotel.

Mr. Camden Sommers, of Clarksburg, was the guest of his sister, Mrs. Charles H. Taney, over Sunday at Hoffman Hall.

The picture man is in town. I wonder when our people will ever learn to let the picture take alone. If they have pictures to enlarge why not give the work to your local dealer and he will have your work done by a reliable firm at a reasonable price. Let the fake picture man alone.

I will mail you free, to prove merit, samples of my Dr. Shoop's Restorative and my Book on either Dyspepsia, the Heart, or the Kidneys. Troubles of the Stomach, Heart or Kidneys, are merely symptoms of a deeper ailment. Don't make the common error of treating symptoms only. Symptoms treatment is treating the result of your ailment, and not the cause. Weak Stomach nerves—the inside nerves—mean Stomach weakness, always. And the Heart, and Kidneys as well, have their controlling or inside nerves. Weaken these nerves and you inevitably have weak vital organs. Here is where Dr. Shoop's Restorative has made its fame. No other remedy even claims to treat the "inside nerves." Also for bloating, billiousness, bad breath or complexion, use Dr. Shoop's Restorative. Write me to-day for sample and free book. Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. The Restorative is sold by E. A. Billingsley & Co.

SOCIETY

The Udie Dulci Embroidery Club, a popular First ward organization, will hold an outing at Traction Park on Thursday afternoon of this week. The ladies will go to the park on the four o'clock car and will be joined later by the men.

Ladies' Day To-morrow. Thursday will be Ladies' Day at the ball park, which means that no admission will be charged to the ladies. The game will be called at 3:30 o'clock. Fairmont and Clarksburg teams will meet on the diamond.

Will Entertain Thursday Club. Miss Daisy L. Koen will entertain the Thursday Club at ten o'clock Thursday morning at her home, 113 West Main street.

Miss Marion Shaw has issued invitations for a luncheon on Friday at one o'clock in honor of Miss Arden Morgan.—Mannington Record.

Fairmont People at Terra Alta. Miss Mary Ward and brother, Fred, went to Terra Alta yesterday, where with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ward, they will occupy a cottage for the remainder of the summer. They were accompanied by Mrs. Lillian Porter and son, Charley, of Wheeling, who will also occupy the Ward cottage. Mrs. Ward and daughter, Frances, will go to Terra Alta on Friday.

Entertained the Jokers. Miss Eva Shafferman entertained the Jolly Jokers Club last evening at her home on Maple avenue. A pleasant evening was spent and tempting refreshments were served. Miss Ethel Patton, of Wheeling, was an out of town guest present.

Picnic at Parkersburg. Arrangements are being made for a picnic which will be given this week probably on Wednesday, in honor of Miss Vivian Morrison, of Grafton; Miss Iris West, of St. Marys, and Miss Mayme Charlton, of Mannington, who are the guests of Miss Ertha Lee Core.—Parkersburg Dispatch-News.

Lieutenant Read in Town. Lieutenant Senns Read, of the U. S. navy from the Mayflower, has been here for a week the guest of his mother, Mrs. William J. Read, at 401 Locust avenue. Lieut. Read has now gone to Pendleton county, where he will join Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Darnall, of this city, and the party will spend several days fishing. Lieut. Read will return here later.

Pleasant Surprise Party. Miss Blanche Hall was given a pleasant surprise party on Tuesday evening by a number of her friends at her home on Maple avenue. A delightful evening was spent at various social diversions and tempting refreshments were served. The guests were Misses Mary Hite, Bird Criss, Bess Watson, Sadie Crowl, Martha Swisher, Martha Hood, Ethel Short, Hazel Harn, Otis Amos, Edna Watson, Mary Prickett, Russell Satterfield, Glenn Harn, Nell Prickett, Bailey Hupp, Glenn Bunner, Arlet Harn and B. Bunner.

To Be Married This Evening. A quiet but pretty home wedding will be solemnized this evening at 7:15 o'clock at the home of Mrs. J. T. Arnett, on Watson avenue, when her granddaughter, Miss Rose Morgan, and Mr. Benton Mitchell, will be united in marriage. Rev. W. B. Clark, of Christ Church, will perform the marriage ceremony. In the presence of about fifty of the intimate friends and relatives of the contracting parties, four little girl friends and two little boys will attend the bride, namely, Misses Susan and Kathryn Arnett, Fay Watson and Virginia Knotts, the latter of Mannington, Master Junior Morgan, brother of the bride, and Master Bernard Arnett. Little Miss Flora Morgan, the bride's sister will bear the ring. The bride will be attired in a three piece suit of blue rajah silk with hat and gloves to match. After the marriage ceremony Mr. Mitchell and his bride will leave for a wedding trip to eastern cities, including a visit to the Jamestown Exposition.

Among the out of town guests here for the wedding are Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Knotts, and daughter Virginia, of Mannington, Miss Etta Watson, of Smithtown, Mr. and Mrs. Alf Arnett of Texas, and Miss Genevieve Collins of Pennsylvania.

Entertained Sunday School Class. WATSON, W. Va., July 31.—Mrs. Ollie Amos entertained her Sunday school class at her beautiful home at Watson, Sunday, July 28. After the close of the Sunday school the children assembled in the beautifully decorated parlor, where Mr. H. O. Amos entertained them with some fine selections of music on the phonograph. Until Mrs. Amos announced that they were wanted in the dining room, and there they were seated around a large table where a tempting course of refreshments was served.

In the afternoon they were taken to the beautiful grove of Mr. Crawford where swings had been arranged and

THE WEATHER—Partly cloudy, probably showers to-night or Thursday.

Hartley's FAIRMONT, W. VA. Hartley's

GOOD SKIRTS FOR WOMEN A T ALMOST HALF PRICE

Formerly \$3.50 to \$10.00. Now \$2.48 to \$5.90

We began this sale with 45 Wool Skirts, and they have been bought up quicker than we expected. Plenty of good picking, plenty of variety in cloth and colors.

Skirts of Black and Blue Panama, Black and Blue Cheviot, Plain Gray Panama and Light and Dark Fancy Mixtures.

Skirts for less than the material alone could be bought for. Within easy reach on the Second Floor.

Women's Wash Skirts

Formerly \$1.00 to 6.50. Now 75c to 4.68

Pretty, dainty Summer Skirts of White Linen, Lawn, Indian Head, Duck and Linene.

Our Skirts are famous for their style, workmanship and general get up. New prices now prevailing.

\$1.25 to 2.00 Canvas Oxfords, 89c

Ten or fifteen cents will make them as good as new. Mostly white, a few grays and mostly small sizes. Popular Gibson Tie style, with turn soles, plain toes and Cuban heels.

Extra Values in Women's Oxfords

\$1.60 for \$2.00 Black Oxfords.
\$1.90 for \$2.50 Black Oxfords.
\$2.40 for \$3.00 Black Oxfords.
\$2.80 for \$3.50 Black Oxfords.

The Busy Bargain Basement Offers

10c Gas Mantles 4 for 25c
1-3 Less for Statuary.
1-4 Less for Art Ware.
1-4 Less for Fancy China.

Making Friends in the Men's Clothing Department

Men who never bought suits of us—a department store—are looking in, attracted by our low prices on Summer Suits. They feel the cloth, view the styles and the sale is made. All reduced except blues and blacks. Reductions like this:

\$8.00 for \$10.00 Fancy Suits.
\$10.00 for \$12.50 Fancy Suits.
\$12.00 for \$15.00 Fancy Suits.
\$13.20 for \$16.50 Fancy Suits.
\$14.50 for \$18.00 Fancy Suits.
\$16.00 for \$20.00 Fancy Suits.
\$20.00 for \$25.00 Fancy Suits.

\$1.90 for Pants, Were \$2.50, \$3.00 and \$3.50

Odd lots of lines up to \$3.50 and not a pair sold for less than 2.50. Neat gray stripes in fancy Cassimeres and Worsteds.

J. M. HARTLEY & SON. J. M. HARTLEY & SON.

there they were joined by a number of children of the Sunday school, also we noticed several parents present, and they seemed to enjoy the occasion as well as the children, especially Mr. John Thompson, who seemed to be living over his childhood days again.

The affair was in every way a success, and a general good time was had by all. Those present of Mrs. Amos' class, and others that partook of the refreshments, were as follows: Opal Fessler, Georgia Hale, Blanch Spult, Fannie McGinnis, Willie Girod, Ellen Tobry, Martha Girod, Bonnie Johnson, Edna Tarleton, Arlin Tarleton, Nellie Hoffman, Flora Mahaffey, Lottie Vaughn, Emma Smith, Susie McIntire, May Chatman, Ada Stuck, Cora Amos, Mrs. Ben Mahaffey, Mrs. Cal. Tarleton, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Amos and children, Miss Ollie Amos and Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Hall. Mrs. Amos is an ideal Sunday school teacher and is loved by her class. Mr. and Mrs. Amos both took an active interest in visiting all to enjoy the day.

"BLUCHER."

Card of Thanks. We desire to extend to the public and friends of Mrs. Nancy Boyd our thanks for their kindness and attention shown her during her recent illness and death. THE FAMILY.

20 per cent reduction in entire stock excepting books. Lloyd's Book Shop.

If you know of any one who does not get the West Virginian you will do us a favor by calling his attention to it.

Many Proposals From Poor Counts

IMPECUNIOUS MEN ANXIOUS TO MARRY BONI DE CASTEL-LANE'S FORMER WIFE.

NEW YORK, July 31.—Among the passengers who arrived yesterday on the liner Minneapolis was Edmund Kelly, the American lawyer. Speaking of the divorce of Anna Gould, Countess de Castellane, which he managed

and she said the higher courts had sustained the decisions made in her favor. Before Mr. Kelly left Paris, he heard rumors that the countess was to marry Prince De Sagan. While he did not put much credence in them he said for the countess to marry the prince would be a great mistake for her.

"The prince," he said, "is even more of a spendthrift than Boni. There could be no marriage under six millions were such a thing contemplated, and many things could happen in that time."

"The Countess de Castellane is a greatly changed woman. She is no longer the slip of a girl she was when she married the count. Her life is made a burden by fortune hunters. She is even annoyed in the street by impetuous counts and others. It takes two postmen to deliver the morning mail for the countess. Many of the letters are from those who beg money, but quite a few are proposals of marriage."

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