

**RURAL NEWS**

Written by  
**OUR CORRESPONDENT**

Venus the faithful is here as of old. We bet he has had another square meal and discovered another good cook, or he has sold another millstone.

Uncle Bill, after working hard all summer, has again found time to send us in a few lines. Glad to hear from you again Uncle Bill.

Old Timer let us hear from you again, and Rastus and Blue Eyes, and Hustler and Frog Pond, where, oh where are you. Come let's have a reunion of the happy party.

And Billy Boy of St Paul's, has woke up. We thought he would come out in the sun when the weather got cool.

And Diamond Dust of Mammotholis, is also again in the bunch. He is as crazy as usual.

**MAMMOTHOLIS.**

Oct. 3.—Tom Soakum was found guilty the other day of stealing watermelons. Sunday he had repented and was made a deacon of the church.

Tuesday evening Miss Sally Ratus, of Hot River, the most charming young lady that has ever been seen any where or any where else, passed through the city.

She is well remembered here and is very popular in society circles. It will be remembered she stopped over here in the summer of 1841 and purchased a package of snuff.

Henry Heel, who it will be remembered beat George Hardup out of six months wages and was connected with the stealing of Widow Osky's cow, was elected mayor of the city last week.

This will give him a larger feel in which to exercise his great ability which, of course means that Gen. Henry Morgan, our leading, worthy and capable citizen, Mr Heel's opponent, was defeated.

Mammotholis is becoming a modern city in every respect as we always give the tricksters and grafters, some times charitably called successful business men, the preference.

Rusty Rastus shipped a pair of millstones to Texas yesterday. They are to be used to grind corn that has been planted, cultivated, ripened, gathered and taken to the mill.

We explain this matter in order that you will not think millstones are made to grind snow balls at the north pole.

Henry Litzies' hound pup has flees. We will send one to any body for a two-cent stamp to pay the government's freight charges commonly called postage.

The stork left a pair young plow boys at Jas Smith's yesterday. They were both twins.

Calvin Snipes moved back his family to live, (or die) to this place he has a good job at Bartin cutting sprouts. This place is a very cheap place to live here for we have lots of good water and air.

Mrs Anse Jones the widow woman who lived at Benton mills pond and was sick under the doctor is out.

Our handsome is now very greatly in demand all the young ladies and beautiful girls who have kodaks and can spare the change are snap shooting us at every tu

We just received one from the Azores written on it, Diamond, Oh Diamond, thou Sparkling Gem, Come to my cabbage patch.

Shifty Billy who came here last week and secured an important position at the spoke and handle factory somehow Tuesday morning, managed to get a plank caught in a belt, which was carried to the ceiling with such force as to break the heavy belt, tare down the shafting and knock a hole in the roof. Wednesday evening he dropped a monkey wrench in the planer and besides ruiuing the knives and cracking the bed of the big machine, made it impossible for the company to ship a lot of pick handles to a big contracting firm which had just sent in an urgent order. Friday he forgot to turn water in the boiler which exploded just before noon and practically wrecked the plant. Monday morning he handed in his resignation, much to the regret of the company's officials, as he was one of it's most valued employees. His host of friends will regret to learn that he will leave in a day or so for the more congenial orange groves of Alaska. The best wishing they can do for him go along.

**DIAMOND DUST.**

**PINEY WOODS.**

The protracted meetings at Piney Woods Lutheran church closed Sunday. A large crowd attended.

The Methodist meeting will begin at Misenheimier, Sunday night with Rev Daniel Dry as pastor.

The high school at Mitchell Home began Sept. 12th.

J D Johnson of Misenheimier is having his five hundred acre track of land surveyed today, near Misenheimier.

The clover thresher is near by and has a good deal of threshing to do.

We have one of the best switch boards at Piney Woods that there is in this country with Tom Fry to attend to it.

Here is something we want to see who can beat it. M A Arey was born Sept. 25th., his wife Sept. 30th., his daughter, Daisy, Sept. 25th., his daughter Exie, Sept. 17th., his son Lester, Sept. 2nd. Five in one family born in September. If any one can beat that trot out your lucky family.

Miss Roxie Frick is on the sick list.

Milos A Arey and Ed Wagoner is building J Gib Frick a new smoke house and an automobile shed.

Marshall Dry of near Gold Hill and Miss Gertie Miller of Richfield, were happily married Sept. 16th. We all wish them a happy life.

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Rowan County ) Court  
A H Wertz )  
vs )  
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This, September 6, 1917.  
J FRANK MCCUBBINS,  
Clerk Superior Court.  
John L Rendleman, Attorney.

**ROCKWELL, ROUTE NO. 2**

Thomas Rhinehart, who has been sick for about two months, is able to be out again we are glad to note.

The town authorities of Rockwell are preparing to lay street curbing, also some sidewalks. The curbing is already on the ground and work will begin soon as possible.

Rev and Mrs H A Fesperman of near Newton, visited at Rockwell last week.

W C Peeler, who has been traveling for a large gas company is spending a short visit with his parents, Mr and Mrs G H Peeler of Rockwell. While here Mr Peeler was drafted for the army service. He says he will not ask for exemption and is ready to fight for his country and believes this a time when all young men should do likewise.

H L Sifford who is a brother of G H Sifford of near Rockwell, and who volunteered for army service as a clerk in the quartermaster's department is now located at San Antonio, Texas. He writes his brother that he is well fed and has gained ten pounds in weight since he entered the service, that he likes the army fine and is expecting to go to France soon.

W H Earnhardt is making molasses these days.

Amos Penning will teach school at the Kluttz school this winter and Z A Kluttz at Lower Stone school.

Arthur Kluttz and W H Earnhardt got a job of street curbing out for the town of Rockwell.

Corn shucking will soon be on all the go.

Charlie Miller of near Shuping mills, will move to Nortolk, Va., as soon as his crops are gathered.

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The undersigned, having qualified as executor of the estate of L J Dancy, deceased, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased to present the same to the undersigned duly verified on or before the 12th day of July, 1918 or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery.

All persons indebted to the said estate will please make immediate payment. July 9, 1917.  
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Zeb V Turlington, attorney.

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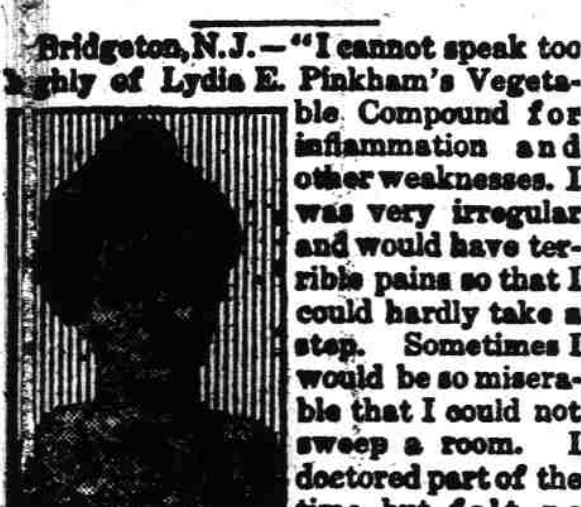
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**Notice to Creditors.**

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Any person indebted to the estate will call and settle with the undersigned at once.  
This September, 21, 1917.  
Mrs Weston Capps Ramsey, Adm'r.  
Bismark Capps, Atty.