

FARM NOTES.

Many people fail of success with bees because they do not place the hives right. If too shaded the bees are likely to be attacked by the moth miller, which breeds these worms that destroy the honey.

There are several borers of the apple tree—the flat-headed, which bores under the bark and sometimes into the wood; the round-headed, which bores into the tree, remaining in the larval state three years; the twig borer, which enters just above a bud. Dig out the borers with a sharp knife, or probe into the borers for them with a sharp pointed wire.

The potato blight, or mildew, will perhaps never prove as disastrous in this country as it did in Ireland in 1845, owing to our advantage in possessing a larger area of territory and many climates, but the blight does considerable damage in some sections nearly every year and causes a heavy loss to farmers who make a specialty of potatoes.

There is another somewhat similar fungus disease of potatoes, known as "early blight," as it is confined mostly to early potatoes, the late blight or mildew mentioned above seldom appearing before August. Its progress is slow compared with the other, and its effect is to produce certain points on the leaf roundish, dead spots, which are dry, crisp and blackish in color, marked by peculiar concentric lines.

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Mrs. Sarah A. McMillen, the aged mother of Major C. G. McMillen, of Dayton, O., who is well-known in this city died at her home in that city on Monday evening of last week after a long illness of paralysis.

DEATH AT MILLHEIM.—Mrs. Mariah Kremer departed this life at the home of her son-in-law, William Musser, of the Musser hotel, last Sunday night. Mrs. Kremer up to about two years ago lived about a half mile north of Rebersburg. She was noted for her kind and helpful disposition, no one in need called upon her in vain if it was in her power to give or help.

She was born in Berks Co., near Reading, where she was raised and lived until about 40 years ago when she married Joseph Kremer, of Rebersburg, and has since that time made that place her home. Her maiden name was Hayne. She was the mother of four children; all of them living. George, a merchant of Kremer-ville; Mrs. Musser, of Colchester, Ill.; and Harry the youngest employed by a bicycle firm in Chicago, and stationed at Kenosha, Wis.

Funeral services were held in the Lutheran church on last Thursday morning conducted by Rev. Mumma. Deceased was 63 years old.

A BOY, A JUSTICE, THE COMMISSIONERS AND A TOM CAT.—Several weeks ago William Bathurst, a Boggs township boy, came to Bellefonte and told a hair-raising story about the manner in which he had dispatched a wild cat that had attacked his dog and in its ferocity had threatened to eat him up. Bathurst swore that he had been out with his dog on the 31st of March, when the wild cat attacked the dog and in the fearful fight that followed was getting the better of it.

Having made affidavit to this effect before a Bellefonte justice and exhibiting the pelt he was given a certificate and straightway marched off to the commissioners' office where they paid him \$2 as the regular bounty on a wild cat. Not content with this the boy decided he ought to make more out of his quarry so he took the pelt to Jas. I. McClure, who is a dealer in the skins of all kinds of furred animals, and received 25 cts. for it.

The sequel is told in the remittance from Mr. McClure's New York buyer for a commission of pelts which he shipped him and among which was that of the Bathurst wild cat. The various pelts were enumerated and at the end was the quotation that is the sequel to this tale. It read: "1 Tom cat—10cts."

McClure, the commissioners, and the justice are all trying to find out who was faked. Probably it was the boy and his dog.

THE DAUGHTERS OF THE REVOLUTION TO ERECT A SHAFT AT THE OLD FORT.—The Bellefonte chapter D. A. R., some time ago decided to erect a shaft at the "Old Fort" in Pennsvalley, as a permanent marker of the spot on which stood the famous Indian fort that was built in 1777.

The fort was erected in 1777, known as Potter's fort, because it was built by Gen. John Potter, famed for his revolutionary war services, as well as his sagacity as an Indian fighter, and whose descendants are quite numerous in this place. At that time this was the only fort within a radius of 75 miles and on various occasions was the refuge of early settlers when the Delaware and Shawnee Indians went on the war-path.

—Rigby—Did you fire your cook? Digby—No, she fired herself. Rigby—French leave? Digby—No; gasoline.—Brooklyn Life.

Pine Grove Mention. Hall son of merchant O. B. Krebs is seriously ill with pneumonia. James M. Cori is glad that the cool weather has come for he is now able to look after his new son.

Contractor Gault has begun work on the Kepler barn, which is to be completed as soon as possible. Mrs. Henry Koch is suffering with nervous prostration caused by the shock of her husband's sudden death.

W. B. Ward has the contract for the new barn to be built on the Penna Furnace farm, now owned by A. M. Brown.

Wednesday of last week the Oliver barn raising took place and every mortise and tenon fit like a t much to Joe Myers credit.

Olie Johnson and his bike agreed to disagree not long ago and until his knee gets back in place he will use a horse and buggy. Former Judge D. L. Krebs, of Clearfield, was at State College recently and took occasion to spend part of the day with his aged mother.

Mrs. Jacob Wagner, of Oak Hall, spent a day the fore-part of the week with her old neighbors here, who are very glad to know that she is improving in health.

Our farmers are well on with their spring work and this week will see most of the oats and barley seeded. At this season the prospect of a good grain and hay crop was never more promising and the fruit buds look plentiful.

Mrs. Samuel A. Dunlap was so unfortunate, the other day as to have the sight of one of her eyes entirely destroyed and her face and arms burned badly. She was making soap when a creak of banner life, she was carrying, broke and the contents splashed over her face and body.

The officers of the newly organized Luther League are: Walter Kerlin, president; Amy Lee, vice president; W. J. Smith, secretary; Rebecca Derstine, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Bairfoot, treasurer.

After this Ed. Nearhood, who has been employed with Messrs. Wolf and Crawford, for several years, will gather cream for the Spring Mills creamery with headquarters in this place. Lyman Smith will retire from the business, having sold his horses and wagons to Mr. Nearhood.

The telephone exchange was opened last week in the room formerly occupied by the post office. The exchange is neatly furnished and contains a booth supposed to be sound proof for the use of patrons. Miss Mable Boal has charge of the exchange and when she is off duty her sister, Mrs. C. H. Meyer, is chief. The exchange is open until 9:30 and after the 1st Miss Verna Geiss will be duly installed as assistant.

D. L. Bartzges, who purchased the Durst farm from Col. W. Fred Reynolds, has burned a lime stack of three thousand bushels. He is going into the potato business and will plant seven or eight acres with tubers. Sam-Bruce is also burning a stack of lime. This is a new feature for farmers in this section and it is safe to say that all agriculturists should acquaint themselves more thoroughly about the effects of lime, and the methods and time of applying.

The admirers of William Jennings Bryan are still loyal and when they had an opportunity, last week, to see the advocate of bimetalism it was eagerly seized. Squire Mingle marshalled the boys and under his leadership the trip to Phillipsburg was made in good style. The company was composed of William B. Mingle, Jared Kremer, Frank Bradford, J. Witmer Wolf, W. Gross Mingle, John Dauberman, D. J. Meyer, F. M. Crawford, John Van Pelt, W. W. Boob, Walter Kerlin and S. W. Smith.

THE BOOM.—While war clouds are hanging over the nation "the man about town" sees nothing in and around Centre Hall but activity. If loafers were to gain the freedom for oppressed Cuba, and other sections could not muster into arms a larger per cent. of that brand of humanity, the island to our south would forever be a star in the Spanish crown. Yes there is activity—such as the metropolis of Penns valley has not witnessed for years. Even "the man about town" has scarcely time to gather news but a walk through the streets, the other day, brought him to scenes which bid him say that at the foundation of grange hall State Master Leonard Rhone was busily engaged handling brick. He was at labor all topped up and gloved but the Millsburg brick were caught and pitched with hands bare, (yet "clean" save for the dust) and as rapidly as those who labored for the dollar instead of the welfare of Progress grange. J. J. Arney, like a sentinel, except step, trod every foot of ground looking after the workmen of whom he is overseer, while Gares brothers, were building a first class wall upon which will rest grange hall.

The Centre Hall implement works are completing several hundred corn planters. W. W. Boob's wheel factory shuts down barely long enough to allow its employes to eat their meals. Shipments are made daily. The only bicycle manufactured in Central Pennsylvania is built right in Central Hall, by Messrs. Boob and Rowe, and presents an appearance that would be creditable on Broad street, Philadelphia. The planing mill of Luse & Sons, Poulson's handle factory; Bartholomew's grist mill are running on full time, and even H. G. Strohmeyer's marble works has taken on a new hand.

A Scarce Article. "Bridget. I told you five times to have muffins for breakfast. Haven't you any intellect?" "No, mum; there's none in the house."

BEATS THE KLONDIKE.—Mr. A. C. Thomas, of Marysville, Tex., has found a more valuable discovery than has yet been made in the Klondike. For years he suffered untold agony from consumption, accompanied by hemorrhages; and was absolutely cured by Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds. He declares that gold is of little value in comparison with this marvelous cure; would give it, even if it cost a hundred dollars a bottle. Asthma, bronchitis and all throat and lung affections are positively cured by Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption. Trial bottles free at F. Potts Green's drug store. Regular size 50 cts. and \$1.00. Guaranteed to cure or price refunded.

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