

FAMILY REUNION.—A happy reunion of the Melcher family, one of the pioneer families of Centre county, was held on May 23rd, at Kenneywood Park, Fayette county, in honor of the 76th birthday of Christina Melcher, (nee McMonigal,) relict of John Melcher, who helped to break the road through the tall pine forest of the Allegheny mountains, crossing by way of the Phillipsburg pike.

Mrs. Melcher is the mother of seven children, all of whom are living, and six of whom, with grand-children and great-grand-children, were present. The children present were: Mrs. Mary J. Merryman and Mrs. Leah Brown, of Wilkesburg, Pa.; Mrs. Lizzie Stephens and Leonard, of Ramey, Pa., and Stephen H. and Mrs. Rachel E. Woodring, of Bluefield, W. Va., Henry, of Port Matilda, being the only one who was unable to be present.

The family has a wide connection in Pennsylvania and other States. About sixty were present and took part in the pleasures of the occasion; not the least of which was a sumptuous dinner served in one of the dining halls of the park. It was at the close of this dinner that Mother Melcher was treated to a genuine surprise, in the presentation to her of a beautiful gold ring, the gift of her children and friends.

The gift was presented by Rev. J. L. Leichter, of Wilkesburg. Remarks were also made by Mrs. Speck, of Wilkesburg, and Shearer, of Greensburg, Pa. These were responded to very beautifully by the recipient of the gift, who expressed her appreciation for the gift and for the fact that her children all lived and loved her and, best of all, loved Him who is the source of all good.

Subscribed for the WATCHMAN.  
Linden Hill.

Rev. Leopold presiding elder of the Evangelical association preached here on Sunday evening.

The Linden Hall base ball club made their first appearance on Saturday evening with their new uniforms.

Mrs. Chas. Wolf, of Woodward, spent a few days recently with her sister Mrs. J. W. Keller, of this place.

Mitchell Garbrick, a student at Franklin and Marshall college, returned home on Wednesday to spend his summer vacation.

Children's Day was very appropriately observed in the United Evangelical church here, on Sunday morning.

Aunt Mary Gitt, of Hanover, York county, is home for the summer.  
Mrs. ELIZABETH A. ESSINGTON.—The remains of Mrs. E. A. Essington, widow of Caleb Essington, died at her home in Milesburg last Friday morning and was brought here for burial in the new cemetery, on Saturday noon by a special train. Mrs. Essington had been a sufferer from paralysis for several years but a second stroke ended a life that was so highly esteemed for its many virtues. She was born near Boalsburg, Jan. 30th, 1835, and was a daughter of the late James Miller, one of the pioneer families. She received an Academy education and was one of Ferguson township's efficient school teachers and a life long member of the Presbyterian church. She is survived by two sons, John Miller and Wm. R., and also by one sister, Mrs. Nancy Dabler, and two brothers, John of Plumville, Indiana, and David L., of this place. Rev. Aikens conducted the services that laid her ever out of sight one who had no enemies.

A Card of Thanks.  
The friends of Elizabeth Essington wish to express their thanks to the people of Milesburg and Pine Grove Mills for their kind assistance during her illness, and upon the occasion of her death.

J. MILLER ESSINGTON.  
The Unveiling of Union County's Soldiers Monument.

COMRADES.—Memorial day, with all its tender memories of the heroic dead, has passed; the Children's Day services, which are always beautiful, are things of the past for this year, and now I want to call the attention of the old soldiers of '61 '65, the soldiers of the Spanish-American war, members of the G. A. R. and all citizens of Centre county, to the fact that there is to be a Soldiers and Sailors Monument to be unveiled with appropriate and interesting services, in the very near future (we hope) and at the county seat of the same (Lewisburg) on the fourth day of July 1901. We want to make arrangements for a special train to return us the same evening, and would like to have as many as possibly can go, to signify our intention soon so we will know what to depend upon in regard to getting it. Comrade Amos Garbrick, of Bellefonte, Sheriff Brungart and others are looking the matter up, and all Posts of the G. A. R. in the county should be awake to the matter, and work up a sentiment in regard to it.

In the very near future (we hope) we will have something of the kind in our own grand old county and we will be calling on those of other counties to attend and help us with the services. Then let us help others on such an important and interesting occasion.

In 1886 at what was called Grand Army day, a great many of our citizens with their wives and families went to the same place, had a delightful day and received the hospitality of the people of that grand old town. Then let us this coming Fourth of July turn out in large numbers, for we will receive a royal welcome, and spend a very profitable day and discharge a patriotic duty. A very liberal rate of fare is promised.

June 12th, 1901. AUSTIN CURTIN.

New Advertisements.  
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STRAY HORSE.—A man giving his name as John Smith, was seen at the Central hotel at Milesburg two weeks ago and two days later left suddenly, leaving behind him a horse and buggy. Owner of the same will please call, prove property and pay charges, otherwise it will be disposed of according to law.

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