

George Earhart, who farms for J. T. Potter, west of Centre Hall, this fall husked from eleven acres of ground a crop of 1248 bushels of corn, or an average yield of 113 1/2 bushels per acre. And the corn was all of a fine quality, too.

We know that everyone will find as much pleasure in reading as we take in writing the announcement that H. C. Quigley, Esq., who had been so dangerously ill for the past six weeks, is able to be down town for a few hours each day.

A four-year-old child of Andrew Breon, near town, was badly bitten by a dog, last Saturday. Dr. Fisher was sent for on Monday but an examination showed that blood poisoning had set in and the child is in a precarious condition.

Daniel A. Ertel recently purchased the Spear G. Burrell property one-half mile east of Penn Hall, for \$1,000, where he will move in the Spring as he intends to quit farming. Frank Richardson has rented the farm north of Penn Hall to be vacated by Mr. Ertel.

Last Friday morning while the Bezer brothers of this place were en route to Snow Shoe with a drove of beef cattle, they had quite an exciting mix-up at the bridge over the Bald Eagle creek in Milesburg. John C. Peters was just returning from the depot with a load of broom corn and one of the herd of cattle got tangled up with Mr. Peters' horse, almost causing it to run away. Another man, a stranger in a buggy, came driving along about that time and his horse frightening, backed into the bridge abutment, throwing the man out on his head. Though things were quite exciting for a few minutes there was no damage done except the slight injury the stranger sustained by being thrown out of his buggy.

#### Pine Grove Mentions.

The first white sheet for mother earth fell on Sunday morning and really was a reminder of winter.

Cliff Closs and Luther Peters, of Oak Hall, were in town Saturday.

Wm. Floyd Heberling, one of Patton township's old democratic war horses, has been confined to the house the past week with lumbago.

Mr. Clifford Reed, who has spent some time in the woolly west is back at his father's, Robert Reed's home much pleased with his travels, as well as the sights at the world's fair.

Hugh L. Fry has been visiting relatives in the Mountain city the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Louder, of Oak Hall, left last Friday for the St. Louis fair. They expect to visit relatives in Kansas and Missouri during their trip.

Mrs. G. W. McWilliams is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Allen Beckwelder, at Lancaster this week.

Geo. Baker, an old battle-scarred veteran of Gen. Beaver's regiment, after a month's visit with Centre county friends bid adieu to them last Saturday when he started for his home in the Sunflower State. Time is telling on his once jet black locks, now quite silvered.

Mr. Ellis Lohr, of Circleville, while chopping wood on Monday his axe caught on the clothesline causing it to glance cutting an ugly gash in his forehead and splitting his roofer open so that he will get a good rest before it is all healed up.

Ed. Roop, after a ten day's hunt with the wild cat crew, left for his job on the Pennsy on Wednesday.

Our obliging miller, Alf Bradford, was unfortunate in losing his purse last Friday evening, somewhere between Lemont and Pine Grove Mills. The finder will be liberally rewarded by returning it to Mr. Bradford at this place. It contained over \$307 in checks.

On last Sunday afternoon, Jacob Walker's fine residence three miles west of Centre Hall, caught fire and came near going up in smoke. No one was at home at the time. Some small boys rang an alarm and near-by neighbors formed a bucket brigade and extinguished the flames just in time as the water supply was done.

Mrs. John Bowersox, of Milroy, has been visiting the home of her childhood at Pine Hall this week.

Mr. Jacob Sparr, of Ohio, is inspecting his broad and fertile acres in Harris township, where he is the owner of the noted Sparr farm.

D. Ross Gregory, of Neff's Mills, was swinging around for his share of the flocks in this valley loading a double decker on Penna's Furnace for the New York market. Squire Gregory was with him to see that the co-partnership was complied with.

Israel Rites came in last week with a fine doe, which outlives him to nimrodic membership.

Alfred Bradford brought down a large doe on Monday, near the Kepler camp. Len Musser at the same time and near by wounded a very large bear, but Bruin made his escape.

The Harrisburg and Indiana hunters, camped at Old Monroe, struck camp last week with a large bear. Last season they brought down a bear about the same place.

Mrs. Alfaretta, widow of Cyrus Goss is suffering from a partial stroke of paralysis that is causing her family much alarm.

Young Clarence McCormick is the crack shot among the youths. He had to his credit on Saturday some eighteen young squirrels and two large raccoons which the boy is proud of.

The many friends of Alex D. Tanyer will be glad to know of his recovery from fever so as to be able to get out gunning.

Prof. H. M. Morris, of Pittsburg, spent several days with the boys gunning for small game in the Barrens. They got their full share.

Sinus W. Stamm, who is engaged in the butcher business in Lock Haven, transacted business here on Tuesday.

Postmaster J. G. Hess and wife enjoyed a Thanksgiving dinner at H. Y. Stitzer's

home in Bellefonte. W. D. Port had charge of the office.

Mr. Isaac Campbell returned from the world's fair last Saturday. His sister, Miss Agnes, decided to visit relatives in Kansas during the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Shaw, of State College, took advantage of the cheap excursion to the ball game at Pittsburg and are visiting his two sisters and other relatives there.

Mr. E. L. Walters, an operator on the Pennsy, is home for a week's outing. The C. O. C. will likely get a job soon.

Will Wagner was in town Saturday evening looking up supplies for his large ranch in Altoona. Mrs. Wagner and little daughter are visiting while William tried his luck as a hunter. Nit!

The M. E. Epworth League is the richer by \$25 over the doughnut social held in the Lecture room of the church Thanksgiving evening.

Mr. Capp resigned as superintendent of the Scotia mines last Monday, to take the cashiership of the new National bank at State College.

#### Lemont.

Wm. W. Schreck had a new roof put on his blacksmith shop this week.

George Williams is now able to work again, after being quite ill with three carbuncles.

Andrew Garbriek spent last Sunday in and around town.

Zac Holt took up bag and baggage and departed from the lumber camp last Monday. He worked the P. B. Crider job northeast of town for more than a year.

C. D. Houtz and Wm. Fogleman spent Sunday back of Fowler and had a pleasant time.

The following large hogs were butchered up to date: One by H. F. Houtz weighing 387 lbs; two by John Fishel weighing 300 and 301 lbs; one by Grant Meyers weighing 425 lbs, and one by Thos. Houtz, weighing 500 lbs.

By latest reports it seems that Mrs. R. J. Houtz and heirs intend to rent or sell the homestead east of town.

Jacob Shuey has been quite ill of late with rheumatism, but is some better now.

The Turnpike company had a new bridge put across Spring creek on the pike between Lemont and State College, this last week, and it was not one day too soon, either.

Wesley Dale and Mrs. Sarah Behers and her son are visiting at the home of John Dale, near Houserville.

Chas. Getz is home for a few days rest this week.

George Baker returned to Kansas last Saturday.

The weather has been very cold this week; in fact, the coldest this winter.

Bishop Hartzler will preach in the United Evangelical church the evening of December 8th.

Quite a number of the I. O. O. F. from this place attended the session of Grand Lodge, Tuesday evening in Bellefonte.

Mr. Speckle, an agent for a Baltimore firm was in town this week buying up a carload of cloverseed.

It is thought that Centre county will send out the largest crop of cloverseed this year that was ever harvested in it, and of the best quality.

A. M. Wasson, a hustling farmer from near Tyrone, was in town Monday helping his aged mother butcher her fine porkers.

#### Spring Mills.

Professor W. J. Harrington, of Vermont, was very successful in our village in organizing a class of over sixty pupils for voice culture in a short time. The professor is ably assisted in the work by Miss Louise Edler, a very accomplished pianist. On Saturday evening next they will give a concert in the United Evangelical church.

Butchering season is now here, as yet I have not heard of any porkers, of special avoirdupois.

Quite a number of turkey dinners were given by our good folks on Thanksgiving day. A very large dinner party was given at the hotel by Mr. Drummond, the proprietor.

If it would only rain—a daily exclamation by everybody. Many of our wells are dry, Penns and sinking creeks are little better than small mud puddles. Hauling water for stock and domestic uses will soon follow, in fact, in some cases it has already followed.

Our hunters here have not had a very successful season. Game not only seemed, but was scarce, and hunters returned home empty handed, much oftener than with a prize.

Commercial agents stopping off in the village report business on the road not very satisfactory, orders being of a trifling character and few of them, possibly this is Republican prosperity.

J. H. Baum, of Altoona, is here visiting relatives and friends.

#### Will Keep Fair Open.

St. Louis, Nov. 29.—For some time at least the post-exposition period will continue to be a sort of continuation of the fair, minus some of its features. Secretary Stevens said that it was contemplated to charge a 50-cent admission fee into the grounds after the last day of the fair and to keep it open on Sundays, as in the pre-exposition period.

#### They Provoke Thought.

From the Springfield Republican.

Does it pay for banks to advertise? Five years ago some banks in Pittsburg, Pa., began to advertise, and recently they measured the result by comparing their business with that of banks that did not advertise. In the five years the banks that sought new business through printer's ink gained 38 per cent in assets and 85 per cent in deposits; the other banks gained 27 per cent in assets and 11 per cent in deposits. During the past year the former gained 22 per cent, and the latter lost 7 per cent in deposits. The question whether it pays to advertise may not be entirely answered by such figures but they are calculated to provoke thought.

#### A Week's News Condensed.

Friday, November 25.

Girard De Paille, French minister to Chile, is dead at Santiago.

Fire destroyed a five-story building of the Tabor Glove company at Milwaukee, Wis. Loss, \$50,000.

In a 12-round bout at Webster, Mass., Sam Longford bested Andy Watson. Both men are from Boston.

Milt Shaw, a prominent lawyer of Hickman, Ky., shot and killed his uncle, Robert Buck. His plea is self-defense.

Colonel William Norris, once prominent in Tennessee politics, is dead at his home in Nashville, aged 74 years.

Saturday, November 26.

Charles Scott, a retired Philadelphia business man, is dead, aged 76 years.

At Oak Hill, Ga., W. J. Blankinship was shot and killed by J. A. Scott, his landlord, in a dispute over a division of crops.

President Roosevelt has been invited by the Nashville chamber of commerce to visit that city on his southern trip.

By the overturning of a patrol wagon in New York city James Divins, the driver, received injuries from which he died in a hospital.

Robert Williams, general superintendent of the Toledo, St. Louis and Western Railroad (Clover Leaf), has resigned. His successor has not yet been announced.

Monday, November 28.

The canals of New York state have been closed to navigation and the water drawn off.

Shot in the back by a hunting companion, Henry Rudnoski died in the Wilkesbarre, Pa., hospital from his wounds.

While playing on the railroad at Manayunk, Pa., Alfred Buckley, aged 8 years, was struck by a Pennsylvania train and his body cut in two.

While shredding corn fodder near Altoona, Pa., George Hamman was fatally injured by having his arm torn from the socket by the revolving machinery.

The United Presbyterian church has decided that the General Assembly's appropriation for educational work shall be equally divided among its seven institutions.

Tuesday, November 29.

The Cuban congress passed a bill prohibiting religious processions in the streets of cities in Cuba.

General Alfred C. Barnes, president of the Astor Place Bank, New York, died of pneumonia, aged 62 years.

Thieves entered the residence of Miss M. L. Winslow, at Morristown, N. J., and got away with jewels said to be worth \$10,000.

Raymond Wilsey, of Albany, N. Y., a prominent hotel man, was accidentally shot and killed by his brother Emil while out hunting.

Mrs. Elizabeth McComas, wife of L. R. McComas, of the postoffice department, committed suicide in Washington by cutting her throat.

Wednesday, November 30.

John G. Leishman, American minister to Turkey, has arrived in New York on a visit to relatives.

J. W. Hendricks, the oldest and one of the best-known men in Louisville, Ky., died at the age of 101 years.

#### Real Estate Transfers.

The following real estate transfers were recorded during the past week by Recorder J. C. Rowe.

Linden Hall Lumber Co., to Commonwealth of Penna., Nov. 4, 1904, land in Harris Twp., consideration \$1.

Wm. Whitmer & Sons Co., et al, to Com. of Pa., Oct. 31, 1904, 7000 acres in Centre and Huntingdon counties. Consideration \$7,667 43.

Mary Bean to John Varks July 29th, 1898, tract 1 acre and 21 perches in Taylor Twp. Consideration \$15.

Mary L. Knepp, et bar, to John C. Marks March 15, 1903, tract in Taylor Twp. Consideration \$40.

John W. Mitterling et ux, to Elmer R. McClellan, June 7, 1904, 2 tracts in Potter Twp. Consideration \$3,000.

M. D. Copelin et al, to Mirian Copelin June 23, 1904, 2 tracts in Phillipsburg. Consideration \$1.

Lawrence W. Nuttall et ux, to Caleb E. Long, May 28, 1904, house and lot in Phillipsburg. Consideration \$1600.

J. H. Belfmyer to Chas. E. McClellan March 25, 1904, lot 35 and 1/2 of No. 34 in Millheim. Consideration \$700.

Wm. Witmer & Sons' Co., to Com. of Penna., Sept. 15, 1904, 1,020 acres & 93 perches in Haines and Penn Twp. Consideration \$3,061 73.

Wm. Laird to Elsworth Vaughn, Sept. 1, 1903, tract in Taylor Twp. Consideration \$20.

#### Reduced Rates to Erie.

For the benefit of those desiring to attend the meeting of the Pennsylvania State Grange Patrons of Husbandry, to be held at Erie, December 13 to 16, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell round-trip tickets to Erie from all stations on its lines in the State of Pennsylvania, December 12 to 15, good to return until December 17, inclusive, at reduced rates (minimum rate, 25 cents.) 49-47-2t.

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The December *Delimitator*, with its message of good cheer and helpfulness, will be welcomed in every home. The fashion pages are unusually attractive, illustrating and describing the very latest modes in a way to make their construction during the busy festive season a pleasure instead of a task, and the literary and pictorial features are of rare excellence. A selection of Love Songs from the Wagner Operas, rendered into English by Richard de Gallienne and beautifully illustrated in colors by J. C. Leyendecker, occupies a prominent place, and a chapter in the Composers' Series, relating the Romance of Wagner and Cosima, is an interesting supplement to the lyrics. A very clever paper entitled "The Court Circles of the Republic," describing some unique phases of Washington social life from an unnamed contributor, who is said to write from the inner circles of society. There are short stories from the pens of F. Hopkinson Smith, Robert Grant, Alice Brown, Mary Stewart Cutting and Elmore Elliott Peake, and such interesting writers as Julia Magruder, L. Frank Baum, and Grace MacGowan Cooke hold the attention of the children. Many Christmas suggestions are given in needful work and the Cookery pages are replete with the Christmas feast. In addition there are the regular departments of the magazine, with many special articles on topics relating to woman's interests within and without the home.

*McClure's Magazine* for December fairly radiates the spirit of Christmas. There is good cheer, pleasant entertainment, the beauty and joy of life shining out of its pages; and underlying all this there is compelling seriousness and importance. The magazine seems to grow constantly richer, more varied, more brilliant, more authoritative—all qualities well reflected in this number. That rare combination of illuminating article and absorbing story is effected by Ray Stannard Baker in his story of the Garment Workers' strike, "The Rise of the Tailors." Mr. Baker discusses the whole question of the "open shop," the very crux of the labor problem, with discriminating analysis, while he recites the dramatic narrative of "democracy on its way up" in New York's East Side. What will be a revelation of tremendous significance to most readers are the hard facts, sustained by incontrovertible figures and comment, found in an article on "The Increase of Lawlessness in the United States," by S. S. McClure. Mr. McClure sees the worst, but hopes for the best.

The position of distinction held by *McClure's* in story as well as article is well sustained by the fiction of the number. There are many stories that appeal to our primal sense of what is beautiful and tender, to our better instincts and tastes, with a moving force, and a long list of most entertaining articles on interesting subjects which round out to completeness this most attractive magazine.

#### New Advertisements.

NOTICE.—Transfer of wholesale beer license.—Notice is hereby given that the petition of Charles Moerschbacher was this day filed in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Quarter Sessions, asking the Court that the wholesale beer license of Jesse Cox, of Bellefonte borough, be transferred to him.  
M. L. GARDNER,  
Clerk.

FOR RENT.—A 250 acre lime stone farm, situated near Yellow Springs, Blair county, Pa. One of the best producing farms in Blair county. For particulars inquire of Sidney T. Iselt, Spruce Creek, Pa. 49-47-4t

NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has made application for the rewriting of Perpetual policy No. 6806, Insurance Co., of North America; the same having been lost or mislaid.  
LOUISA V. HARRIS.

FRESH COW FOR SALE.—Apply to Wm. F. Ross, near Pleasant Gap, or to Geo. Valentine, Jr., Bellefonte. 49-46-4t

PIGS FOR SALE.—A lot of fine pigs Poland China, full and half breed, also fat hogs, weighing about 100 lbs. Apply to Wm. F. Ross, near Pleasant Gap or to Geo. Valentine, Jr., Bellefonte, Pa. 49-46-4f

FOR SALE.—The Burnside residence, corner of Curtin and Spring streets. Inquire of WILLIAM BURNBIDE, Bellefonte, Pa. 49-43-4t

FOR RENT.—Office recently occupied by M. J. Locke, on Brew property, north Spring street, Bellefonte, Pa. Apply to T. H. BREW, Hazleton, Pa. 49-18

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Estate of Edmund J. Pruner. Lett of testamentary upon the estate of Edmund J. Pruner, deceased, have been granted to the Fidelity Trust Company, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims against the same to present them, without delay, at the office of the said company, Nos. 325-327 Chestnut street, Philadelphia. 49-11-6t R. ELLIS, President.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that the undersigned an auditor appointed by the orphans court of Centre county to hear and pass upon exceptions filed to the account of Ellen E. Bower and John J. Bower, administrators of the estate of G. M. Bower, late of the Borough of Bellefonte, Dec'd, and to make distribution of any balance in their hands to and among those legally entitled to receive the same, will attend to the duties of the appointment, at his office in Temple court, Bellefonte, Pa., Tuesday, Dec. 13, 1904, at 10 o'clock a. m., when and where all parties in interest should appear or be fore debarred from participating in said accounting.  
HARRY KELLER,  
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