

County Correspondence

Items of Interest Dished Up for the Delicacy of "Watchman" Readers by a Corps of Gifted Correspondents.

MILLHEIM.

T. F. Meyer purchased a Reo touring car from the Breen agency during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. O. Housman spent over Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Winters, at State College.

The 38 machines which were sold to the Noll Bros. at Pleasant Gap were moved last Thursday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Hartman and two children, of State College, were guests of home friends during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Kurzenknebe and son Charles E. J., of Harrisburg, were visitors in Millheim during the past week.

Miss Mae Musser left last week for State College, where she will spend several weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Breneman.

L. E. Stover on Monday last accompanied his son, Albert, to Philadelphia, where the younger Mr. Stover will enter the Pierce Business college as a student.

Miss Mary Gutelius, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. F. E. Gutelius, last Monday went to Lock Haven, where she enrolled as a student in the Lock Haven Normal school.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. Reitsnyder one day last week. A baby boy was a recent arrival at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Keen, of North street.

On Easter Sunday morning at 8.30 o'clock at the United Evangelical parsonage in Millheim, Fred C. Colyer, of Millheim, and Gertrude E. Ream, of Spring Mills, were united in marriage by the Rev. W. H. Brown. They will start house keeping the 1st of May in the Leitzell home on Penn Street.

The graduation exercises of the Millheim High school will be held in the Reformed church on Thursday evening, April 29. The class consists of five members as follows: Miss Adah Smith, Miss Martha Smith, and Jacob Kessler, of Millheim, and Miss Meda Bower and Fred Wolfe, of Aaronsburg.

"The Cuban Spy," by Zellers & Gutehling Comedy Co., of Millheim, will be played in the town hall, Millheim, on Saturday evening, April 17th. They rendered the same entertainment at Spring Mills several weeks ago and had their audience in an uproar from the very beginning. Good music, orchestra and vocal, and two of the funniest comedians you ever saw.

COBURN.

Miss Marion Kerstetter visited at Millfinburg over Sunday.

Mr. Bryan, a new man in town, is working in the station.

Some of our farmers are through plowing and have their oats sowed.

John Whitmyer and family attended the funeral of his father on Sunday, at Tyersville.

Cyrus Meyer is making preparations to rebuild his barn, which was recently destroyed by fire.

The contractors are busy working at the United Evangelical church. They intend to finish it in about a week, if weather permits.

If you wish to hear some classic music call on William Harter, as he recently purchased a new player piano and has some of the best selections that can be had.

On Friday evening Andrew Vonado had the misfortune to get his hand caught in the planer, which resulted in the loss of his three first fingers. The operation was performed at the Bellefonte hospital on Saturday. He returned home on Tuesday and is getting along real well.

A very beautiful program was rendered by the primary school of this place on Friday evening. It consisted of songs, recitations and a play. The children deserve much credit for the way in which they rendered their parts. The teacher also deserves much credit for the way he had them drilled.

Our liveryman, commonly known as "Yunie," is kept very busy and sometimes cannot supply all his customers with rigs. He is looking for several good horses to add to his number and intends to put an addition to his livery stable. When you get a rig from him he likes to put something in the shafts that can go.

LEMONT.

A few of the farmers are sowing oats. Most of the early garden has been made.

Sunday brought a good rain, which was needed.

Wade Herman lost a valuable cow this last week.

The wheat is looking fair at present, and seems to be growing.

Harry Grove's eldest son is confined to his home with typhoid fever.

A number of people from town attended the funeral of Mrs. Alfred Rishel, on Tuesday.

College township has a crew of men crushing stones, which will be put on the roads later on.

The farmers are busy turning the sod and getting ready to put in oats, but the weather has been too cool.

Mrs. James Longwell has been quite ill the past week with inflammatory rheumatism, and at this writing has not improved much.

Raymond Shope is taking the rest of his lumber from the Dale woods, and taking up the track leading to the railroad at Dale's Summit.

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PINE GROVE MENTION.

Some oats are being sowed. S. D. Neidigh is housed up with an attack of tonsillitis.

Dr. G. S. Kaup is making his rounds among the farmers.

Claude Williams has gone to aid Milo Campbell on the farm.

J. B. Rockey and wife spent Sunday at the Frank Bowersox home.

M. A. Dreiblebis is manipulating a new Overland five passenger car.

H. B. Harrison is sporting a new driving horse, he bought of Earle Ripka.

Farmer Mills Alexander was obliged to kill one of his brood mares Saturday.

F. W. Fishburn and wife were Sunday visitors at the Reed home on Main street.

H. L. Dale has hired with Curt Meyers for the season, as right hand man on the farm.

Mrs. Frank Bowersox, Mrs. Reed and Mrs. W. H. Goss are among the sick this week.

Farmer Charles Lykens, of Scotia, lost one of his best horses, that died quite suddenly.

J. B. Whitmer and family autoed down Nittany valley, where they spent Sunday with friends.

Paul Farber, the hustling young salesman, spent the Sabbath with his parents, at Enone.

Mrs. George Kustaborder, of Warriors-mark, has been visiting her parents, the Houck family, at Fairbrook.

P. E. Hicks, the genial and obliging ticket agent at Scotia, transacted business here on Tuesday afternoon.

Elmer Hoy, pressman in the College Times office, was taken to the University hospital at Philadelphia for treatment last week.

Clark Herman is nursing a badly burned hand he got during the fire last week that nearly sent his house up in smoke.

John Gingerich, of Weiland & Gingerich, spent several days about Sautsburg in the early part of the week on a buggy deal.

W. C. Collins accompanied his son Will to Pitcairn last week to see that he got started properly on a good job as bookkeeper.

Miss Lottie Duffard and Miss Catherine Langanman, of Philadelphia, were over Sunday visitors at uncle George W. Grimes' home.

Mr. and Mrs. James Poorman, after an all winter visit among friends in the middle west, returned home last week delighted with the jaunt.

George W. Grimes is having his home remodeled, both the interior and exterior, and when completed it will present a very neat and cosy appearance.

Mrs. Ray D. Gilliland, in her new Ford car, took a spin to the Lumber city on a shopping expedition last Saturday, accompanied by Master John Stewart and Mrs. Stewart.

Our old friend and comrade, David P. Henderson, hob-nobbed about the executive mansion at Harrisburg recently. He and the Governor are old-time friends and neighbors.

Dr. J. E. Ward, of Bellefonte; G. W. Ward, of Pittsburgh; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Sausserman; J. F., and Mrs. Sausserman, of Altoona, were among the visitors in town last week.

At a regular meeting of Pennsvalley Lodge No. 276 I. O. O. F., held last Saturday evening the newly elected officers were installed by district deputy grand master T. M. Gramley. They are as follows: Noble grand, J. E. McWilliams; vice grand, Ralph Walker; financial secretary, L. S. Spangler; treasurer, E. C. Musser; chaplain, R. M. Krebs; inside guard, A. S. Bailey; outside guard, S. Y. Elder; warden, J. W. Sunday; conductor, J. H. Bailey. The installation was followed by a royal feast and smoker.

The Lutheran church was filled to standing room last Sunday evening to hear that popular young divine, Rev. L. S. Spangler, preach the baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class of the Pine Grove Mills High school. He said that educators of today should bestir themselves as the needs of the schools were becoming greater every day. To the students he emphasized four things, goodness, fidelity, wisdom and character. There is too much stress laid on show these days and not enough on worth. There are too many people who would rather have a fat wallet than a good character, though with the latter everything is possible and without it nothing is desirable. Close attention was paid to the entire sermon.

Have your Job Work done here.

SPRING MILLS.

J. A. Fravell, of Lewisburg, was a Sunday visitor at the home of S. L. Condo.

Miss Ella S. Cummings, after a three week's visit in Lewisburg and Sunbury, returned home on Friday last.

The commencement exercises of the graduates of our Academy will be held on Friday evening, the 23rd inst.

It is reported that the charges against the proprietor of the Spring Mills hotel would be, or have been, withdrawn.

Considerable garden making has been done in our neighborhood, and planting of onions by everybody. Now for the onion snow.

The fore part of the week was decidedly cool in this valley, anything but spring-like. Fortunately these cool snaps will soon be over.

All our little people are waiting patiently for the wind-up of the present session of school. No doubt some of the larger ones are in the same boat.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Baum, of Centerville, Pa., were here several days last week, visiting relatives and friends in the valley, guests of O. T. Corman.

Mrs. W. S. Diehl, of Millfinburg, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Dunlap, and will remain with them until her husband returns from a western trip.

The entertainment at the Grange hall on Saturday evening last, for the benefit of the Reformed church, owing to the threatening state of the weather, was not very largely attended.

TYLERSVILLE.

Spring is here at last. Roy Grub is home, being busy helping his father with the spring work.

Miss Alma Mectley spent her Easter vacation under the parental roof.

At this writing Roger Shaffer is very sick, suffering from a severe cold.

Mrs. John Herlachner is still on the sick list. We hope for her speedy recovery.

Mrs. Claire Weaver expects to soon move into her new residence at Greenburr.

The Tyersville boys crossed bats with the Logan Mill's boys, Friday of last week.

Samuel Smith is with us again for a short time, having completed his term of school at Avis.

Miss Hazel Shreckengast is very busy reading Emerson's Poems, since the closing of school.

The primary school closed its term Wednesday, April 7th. The grammar closed Thursday, April 8th.

The debate of Wednesday afternoon, April 7th, in the grammar grade was ably discussed. The boys, proving to the girls, that "Suffrage should not be granted to Women."

J. I. Shaffer is running his saw mill full blast cutting out his large stock. Anybody desiring to build a house should consult him, as furnishing house bills or barn bills is a specialty. Mr. Shaffer has a very fine variety of logs this year.

TYLERSVILLE NO. 2.

J. I. Shaffer's mill is running in full blast.

Making garden is all the go around here; also plowing.

We had warm weather last week and hope it will continue.

Mrs. Abbie Vance is getting some repairing done at her home.

Slay Bartley, of Spring Mills, is visiting at the home of Samuel Vance.

William Barner purchased a new horse at the horse sale at Centre Hall.

It is time the Tyersville scribe is getting awake, so hurry up and get around.

They took Mrs. John Hecherer to the Lock Haven hospital on Sunday. We hope for her recovery.

WOODWARD.

Walter Orwig and family spent Sunday at C. M. Fiedlers.

The carpenters are busy roofing the home of Mrs. Phoebe Wise.

Luther Weaver and wife spent a few hours at Millheim Saturday evening.

The lumber inspectors were here last week at the Weaver & Reish saw mill.

Miss Florence Geisewitz, of Fiedler, spent Sunday with her girl friends here.

R. W. Foster, of Lewisburg, was here among the farmers spraying the orchards.

Mr. and Mrs. James Winkleblech, of Fiedler, spent Sunday at Allen Yearick's.

James Fultz and wife spent a few days with the lady's parents at Northumberland.

James Weaver and sister, Mrs. Lewis Orndorf, were shoppers at Millheim Saturday.

Mr. Dan Benner, wife and daughter Florence were shoppers at Millheim Wednesday.

Oscar Meyer and wife, of Coburn, spent a short time with the latter's mother, Mrs. J. Weaver, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Blanche Hazel, after spending a few months with her grandma, returned to her home at Cincinnati, Ohio, on Saturday.

Teak in Great Demand. The fact that teakwood is coarse-grained, greasy to the touch, and possesses an offensive odor kept it in disrepute with English shipbuilders until 1897, when British shipbuilding and railway interests began to recognize the value of Indian teak. During the next seven years all the shipbuilding countries in the world joined in an ever-increasing demand for this timber until its prices were forced up to a figure much beyond their normal rates. It has practically become a staple of the local wood industry for the greater part of the entire Indian continent. Teak is being freely planted by the Indian forestry service in the important civil stations all over India, even as far north as Saharanpur, Dehra Dun and Lahore.

The Mandolin. The mandolin is of Italian origin, though it is impossible to give the time or place of its first use. From Italy the instrument was gradually introduced into France and Spain, from which countries it made its way to the rest of Europe, reaching this country with the coming of the Spaniards at the beginning of the sixteenth century.

Fragrance of Flowers. Flowers are more fragrant when the sun is not shining on them, according to a French scientist, because the oils that produce the perfume are forced out by the water pressure in the plant cells and this is diminished by sunlight.

Matrimonial. An eastern judge sentenced a man to be married because he drank too much. No, it didn't happen in Massachusetts, where the women so greatly outnumber the men.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Radiance of the Soul. Carry the radiance of your soul in your face; let the world have the benefit of it.—Fox.

Hard Duty for Jurymen. During the hearing of a beer adulteration charge in Berlin, judge, jurymen and counsel each solemnly drank two sips of the suspected liquor.

Training Men.

Many employers make the mistake of never training men themselves, but depend on men hired from their competitors or from other outside sources. No doubt it may be wise at times to go outside and get an "infusion" of new blood. It is sometimes an absolute necessity, for an organization can become hidebound in methods. But on general principles I have no hesitation whatever in saying if you want good men who will fit into your working organization you must be willing to pay the price of training your own men. One of the intangible assets which cannot be set down in the dollars and cents column and added up and yet which determines the figures which will finally appear in the profit and loss account, is the asset of loyalty and good will, and an employer has no right to expect loyalty from his men if, when higher positions of responsibility are to be filled, men from the outside are promoted over the heads of faithful and loyal men who often are more competent than the man who has been brought in from "away over there."—Current Opinion.

The Weakness of Dickens.

In the "Life of Dickens" it is said that the basal weakness of that wonderful man was that for him there was "no city of the mind built against outward ills for inward consolation and shelter." Here lay the tragedy of his days—that he lived from without inward, not from within outward; lived in the open, glittering and noticed, with the curtains of his soul up. More than most men he was dependent on what others said and did. Applause was the stimulant on which he lived and without which his life lost its interest and joy, making him restless and unhappy. Such a manner of life is precarious, for public favor is fickle and uncertain. Life cannot be carried to the highest ends without a spring of strength hidden from the multitude; a place of retreat; a closet of prayer.—Rev. J. F. Newton, Cedar Rapids Liberal Christian church.

Athletes Born, Not Made.

Athletes are largely born, not made and physique in general is the result of heredity and conditions of early life, rather than training. Some of the most vigorous, healthy, and enduring men the world has seen, such as Napoleon, Dickens, Scott, Balzac, Johnson, Brahms, Beethoven, Titian, Michelangelo, Turner, Goethe, Bismarck, Washington, took no special exercises, but seemed to develop bodily through mental force. These men took more or less exercise but they made no special effort along these lines. They maintained by temperate use what was theirs through gift of nature, through whose bestowal, save for slight changes from conscious effort, we are what we are.—New York Medical Journal.

As Pure Air Gauge.

If a housewife really wants a healthful house she ought to keep growing plants in her rooms—not for the pleasure of them only, but because they form a very excellent and practical gauge of the moisture and heat of the house. The reason that most plants will not thrive in the ordinary house is that the ordinary house is full of overheated bad air. This air is just as bad for the family as for the Boston fern, but as children are tougher than ferns the effect is not noticed as far as they are concerned. No wise mother, however, ought to keep her children in rooms where plants cannot grow.—Harper's Bazar.

Toil.

If you want knowledge, you must toil for it, if food, you must toil for it, and if pleasure, you must toil for it. Toil is the law, pleasure comes through toil, and not by self-indulgence and indolence. When a man gets to love work his life is a happy one.—Selected.

Ireland's Fisheries in Bad Way.

Statistics show that Ireland's fisheries continue to decline in amount of fish landed and the number of men and boats engaged. Capitalists are displacing individual fishermen.

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