

County Correspondence

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

REBERSBURG.

The Forest Ocker mansion has now put on a carmine color.

Your road taxes may be high but lower by paying before June 1st.

For altitudinous alliteration the WATCHMAN'S poet "Priscilla" puts Poe in the pickle!

The "ice box" in the calendar came within one of it. The frost came on Saturday instead of Friday?

Robert Meyer, the horticulturist, has accepted a paying position in the Chemung valley, near Corning, N. Y.

It is a convenience that Sam. Gephart has inaugurated—keeping plow shares and pieces for farmers. Sam. will order anything you want.

Miss Martha Doucy returned from Avis on Saturday and is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Harbaugh. Ruth carries with her sister at Avis.

C. O. Mallory and Stanley burned about one hundred piles of brush this spring and are looking forward to a good yield of corn and potatoes.

The Singing Brook clearing has been sown with California millet. The owner has added the Aily Breon tract to keep the pines waving on the northwest, to protect his fruit trees.

Speaking of the shortage of hay, a practical farmer asks: "Why do not our people turn down the weeds and unpromising ground and raise alfalfa, millet or vetch? It is time now."

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Mallory, of Shady Side, on Sunday entertained Mr. Mallory's niece, Jennie Eisenhower, nee Snyder, who with her husband are visitors with their relatives here.

Those who fly through town with an auto at a high speed should be reminded that if a person is run down and killed, the crime is murder under the criminal code and manslaughter under the criminal code. Timely warning!

Although the oil and gas prospectors have struck the "Bradford sands" no oil or gas has yet oozed through. The Dane in charge is waiting for necessary receptacles to catch it and impound it when it comes bubbling forth from Pluto's preserves.

A tax payer said the other day that Miles township is \$1,000 in debt for useless new fangled road machinery, and only loose stones are picked out of the roads to please the tiresome speeders. The stone crusher ascended the mountain on Saturday to chew up sand-stone.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Eisenhower, of Jersey Shore, were guests of Mrs. Belle Cole (aunt to Jennie, who was a Snyder) this week, and Mr. Eisenhower went to State College to tune some pianos there which needed a master hand. He expects to return and straighten out some rollers which are askew.

Rev. Noah Fehl, a native of Brush valley, son of Amos Fehl, visited his aged parents over Sunday and on Sunday evening preached a sermon in the United Evangelical church to an interested audience, choosing for his subject the short and awkward coverlets mentioned by Isaiah for the Jews.

Soon the summery city folks will hie themselves away from their fashionable homes and the Nicklelites, to fatten up on their country dad's pantry and combat the flies and other relics of Egypt which will punish them for their fashionable foibles and extract some of the city sins from their veins.

On Sunday morning the Lutheran congregation held Mothers' Day services which were deeply interesting. Pastor Metzger preached an able sermon and the song services were especially elevating. Paul Detweiler appeared in the role of soloist very creditably and promises to be a boy chorister of rare qualities of voice.

"The Good Roads Day," like everything else our "Singing-brook" Governor does, is copied. The idea originated with the Governor of Missouri, a place where every one must show up and be shown. But in Missouri the people instead of the sporting trust own the roads, and the Governor of Missouri led the hosts himself with a shovel. No such thing in Pennsylvania!

The Reformed church people celebrated Mothers' Day on Sunday evening with becoming eclat, recognizing the fact fully that the mother is the real nursery of human life and activity and that old Adam was merely an accessory and a big booby who excused himself by slandering Eve and trying to put all the blame upon her! The attendance was highly creditable and the services were edifying.

AARONSBURG.

At this writing Mrs. M. J. Deshler is not improving as rapidly as her many friends and neighbors wish.

George Stahl, of Milton, is the guest of his sister, Miss Mary Stahl, at the home of their aunt, Mrs. Deshler.

Mrs. Emma Beaver and daughter Belva, of Millheim, called on a number of their friends in town on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Crouse took advantage of the excursion to Washington, D. C., Sunday, taking in the many places of interest.

The stork visited the home of Amos Koch and left their daughter, Mrs. Motherbaugh, a twelve pound boy. Both are getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Haines, their son William Haines and wife, autoed to Burnham on Sunday to visit their son and brother Harry, whose wife is in a critical condition.

Charles Wolfe and wife, J. W. Bower, wife and daughter Helen, and Mr. and Mrs. Crouse were at Sunbury Saturday to the show, all having autoed there in their cars.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Krape and children went to Sunbury on Friday to take in the show there on Saturday. While

in Sunbury they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hain.

On Sunday the United Evangelical Sunday school decided to have their Children's day exercises on June 6th, unless something should interfere to render a change of date necessary.

WOLF'S STORE.

Was mer net wase maucht em net hase.

Harry C. Zeigler razed his wood house last week.

Most of our seed corn is in a position to help itself.

Clyde Waite has left our midst in search of employment.

W. A. Winters disposed of a team of gray horses recently.

Uriah Slaterbeck, of Greenburr, was seen at this place last week.

Fred Confer is assisting Henry Strahn in general agriculture and fishing.

Rev. Kessler and wife took their Sunday dinner with Mrs. J. C. Auman.

Mumps cannot keep the "regulars" from the store on Saturday evenings.

Miss Emma Smull, of Smulton, paid a visit to her friend, Miss Mary Wolfe.

James Hanselman and lady friend visited Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Beyers, Sunday.

Allen Geisewite and family, of Smulton, spent Lord's day with Adam Brunhart.

Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Auman took dinner with their son, Calvin Auman, on Sunday.

Miss Mildred Wolfe, of Loganton, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. E. R. Wolfe, for some time.

The lowing cattle are beginning to crop the grass and increasing their returns to their owners.

Last Monday and Tuesday were general clean-up days at the store room of G. H. Showers.

Mother's Day will be observed at Brungart's on Sunday, May 23rd, at 10.30 a. m. Remember the time.

Mr. and Mrs. James Wert and daughter, Mrs. Burrell, visited M. W. Wert over Saturday and Sunday.

During the recent rainy weather many were the catchers eager to catch, but few were the catchers that caught.

Mrs. H. E. Hanselman entertained her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mark, of Loganton, over Saturday and Sunday.

Ammon Showers and family, of Sugar valley, spent Sunday with his parents and brother George at this place.

There must be some special attraction in the direction of Livonia for some of our young men. What is it, boys?

Enjoy reading a good county newspaper by handing your subscription to the WATCHMAN to Norman Doucy, of Rebersburg.

Ralph Wert, of West Brushvalley, spent the last week with his brother, M. W. Wert, on the George Haines farm, in fishing, driving cows, riding horses, etc.

A. B. Wolfe and party returned from Dunlo, Cambria county, on Sunday. They made the trip in Mr. Wolfe's Ford car. They reported having a fine time and leaving his daughter, Mrs. A. D. Mingle, in the best of health.

The dormant trees of last winter are showing their appreciation of spring by covering themselves with foliage and buds, which we trust will escape the pranks of Mr. Jack Frost, and thus prepare to show their utility to man.

SPRING MILLS.

This week nearly everybody was busy planting potatoes.

Owing to a scarcity of carpenters the garage building will be at a stand still for a week or more.

Frank Crawford and Mr. Potter, of Bellefonte, made a business trip to our town on Tuesday last.

J. B. Cameron, of Selingsgrove, and L. B. Koons, of New Berlin, were here on a visit for a few days last week.

H. H. Rachau, the nursery agent, says that this season he has disposed of an unusually large number of fruit trees and lots of shrubby plants. He is just about through delivering them.

Our people were simply horrified on learning of the wanton destruction of the Lusitania, and the loss of so many women and children, and now think, and not without reason, that Germany is only another name for infamy and crime.

A meeting of citizens was held at the store of C. A. Krape on Saturday evening last to make arrangements for Memorial day. Committees were duly appointed to obtain speakers, and for other duties. The meeting was largely attended.

Our new postmaster, Tibbens Zuber, is winning golden opinions from all sorts of people by his obliging and pleasing manner at the office. Nothing is too much trouble for him. The delivery of mail matter is prompt and rapid, and the business of the department runs along just like clock work.

SPRING MILLS NO. 2.

Mrs. Adam Finkle is on the sick list at present.

A son came to brighten the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hartley.

Miss Helen Rishel, of Farmers Mills, is attending school at the Academy.

The state highway machinery was moved from here to Pine Grove Mills last week.

Mr. Sutherland, of State College, spent Sunday with Miss Jane Huss, of this place.

Quite a number of people took advantage of the excursion to Washington on Sunday.

Services of unusual interest were held in the Reformed church Sunday morning, observing Mother's Day.

Miss Gertrude Musser, entered the Lock Haven Normal, Monday, where she will take a special course for teachers.

An automobile party consisting of the following young ladies and gentlemen at Millheim: Misses Jane Huss, Ruth and Gertrude Musser, Messrs. Harold Allison and Christie Musser.

PINE GROVE MENTION.

Chas. Homan and family spent Sunday at the J. M. Corl home.

S. I. and Peter Corl transacted business at Oak Hall Monday.

Mrs. Mabelle Mothersbaugh is the mother of a big baby boy.

John H. Strouse is manipulating a new five passenger Overland car.

Major J. N. Everts transacted business at the county capital Tuesday.

J. W. Miller, John and Will Stover autoed to Potters Mills Sunday.

Lawrence Harpster attended his aunt's funeral at Tyrone on Monday.

A. O. and J. W. Corl attended the Mrs. Samuel Cramer funeral Monday.

J. W. Fry and W. C. Collins transacted business at State College Saturday.

Mrs. J. S. Miller and two children visited her parental home at Struble.

W. H. Roush is nursing a sore foot, caused by treading on a rusty nail.

Mrs. J. A. Hazel, of Rebersburg, is visiting friends in and about Boalsburg.

Hon. J. W. Kepler autoed a party of sight-seers to Penns Cave on Sunday.

Dr. G. H. Woods attended the county medical meeting at Bellefonte Wednesday.

Mrs. Alice McGirk, of Gallitzin, last week visited friends in and about Boalsburg.

L. D. Fry and wife, of State College, were Sunday visitors at the G. B. Fry home.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Wieland were over Sunday visitors with friends at Warriors-mark.

Ex-sheriff W. E. Hurley has charge of a squad of state road workers at Rock Springs.

Wilson Cummins, the veteran drover of Stonevalley, was here in quest of stock Tuesday.

Little Emma, baby girl of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Sunday, is seriously ill with pneumonia.

Mrs. Frank Reed was a State College visitor at the F. W. Fishburn home on Allen street.

W. K. Corl and two sons, Waldo and Grover, went to Waynesboro on a business trip Thursday.

Dr. S. M. McCormick, of Hublersburg, was entertained at his brother's home at State College recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fisher and Charles Jr., of Danville, are visiting the old home tree at Boalsburg.

Mrs. G. C. Meyers and family Sunday-ayed at her parental home. Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Irvin, at Baileyville.

Col. D. F. Fortney, one of Bellefonte's leading attorneys, transacted business at State College on Wednesday.

After a three weeks visit among Centre county folks, W. E. Stover returned to his job near Pittsburgh Monday.

Ed Meyers, Rev. S. C. Stover and wife and J. W. Miller and wife were entertained at the Frank Miller home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Corl are receiving congratulations over the arrival of a ten pound boy; No. 8 in that happy family.

D. W. Miller is having his down town residence freshened up in a new coat of paint. J. R. Smith and son have the job.

D. B. Thomas, of Loveville, in his new Maxwell car, was here Friday looking up his share of the lightning rod business.

John Porter Lyon autoed up from Bellefonte on the lookout for an automobile victim in the person of George Rossman.

Deer seem plentiful on Tussey mountain, as several have been pasturing in fields of Ferguson township and are quite tame.

Harry Fetzer is grade boss on the new state road at Pine Hall. Wilbur Dick was superceded by Harry Keller as time-keeper.

Chas. C. Harm and wife and H. B. Harm and wife autoed over the Seven mountains and spent the Sabbath in Lewistown.

Robert Campbell and wife and Mrs. George Rossman were royally entertained at the Harry Miller home near Boalsburg Tuesday.

Peter Corl returned to the German hospital, at Philadelphia, to again go under the knife. He was accompanied by his son Samuel.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Corl, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Zeigler and Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Whitmer spent Sunday at the Frank Homan home.

J. S. Dale and sister Lillian departed for a two week's visit at the national capital, Norfolk, Va., and other places of interest in Dixie land.

Ed. Houser and family and Fred B. Tate autoed over from State College and spent Tuesday evening at the A. J. Tate home on Water street.

Mrs. Charles Keichline, of Bellefonte, was royally entertained at the home of her cousin, Miss Gertrude Keichline, at her home on east Main street.

That price of good fellows, Wm. C. Robinson, a busy man of affairs, lumberman and drayman of near Broadtop, was here on business last week.

Mrs. J. W. Kepler was in Pittsburgh last week visiting her brother, Fred B. Goss, who underwent a surgical operation and is in a critical condition.

The Sunday sisters, Harry Keller, James and Wm. Gummo, Guy Rossman and Miss Annie Sunday were among the excursionists to Washington Sunday.

On Saturday, while Chas. Louck halted by the roadside with his motorcycle a passing auto crashed into it, almost making kindling wood out of the machine.

Dr. J. E. Ward, of Bellefonte, was an over Sunday visitor at the Ward home. The doctor is quite enthusiastic over Old Home week, and especially interested in the get-together reunion of the old students of the Pine Grove Mills Academy.

As Memorial day falls on Sunday, exercises will be held on Saturday, the 29th at two o'clock p. m. Rev. Thaub will be the orator of the day. The various civic organizations and Sunday school children, as well as the general public are cordially invited to participate in strewing flowers over the graves of

our fallen heroes, and sacredly observe the day as it should be.

Clyde Smeltzer and family enjoyed an early morning drive from Buffalo Run and spent the day with his son on the D. G. Meek farm.

Our young friend, Alex Miller, while leading a vicious colt on Sunday, was in some way thrown down and tramped upon, causing serious injuries.

Grandmother Elizabeth Myers disposed of her personal effects at public sale Saturday and expects to round out her declining years among her children.

Mrs. Eliza McCracken, in a quiet way, observed her eighty-sixth birthday on Friday, at her home in the Glades. She was the recipient of many congratulatory messages. Barring her eyesight she is quite hale, and grateful that the good Lord gave her good sight for eighty four years.

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