

Democratic Watchman

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County Correspondence

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

PINE GROVE MENTION.

Curt H. Meyers has a 3000 bushel lime pit smoking.

John B. Rockey spent Thursday on the old home farm.

R. G. Goheen, the butcher, is sporting a new Ford car.

Miss Isabel McWilliams is suffering a nervous break down.

Dr. L. M. Houser was a Tyrone visitor the early part of the week.

A. L. Bowersox went to Philadelphia Monday to consult a specialist.

W. E. McWilliams is building a new barn. Ralph Musser has the job.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Wasson, of Le-mont, visited the Lytle sisters on Friday.

Peter Corl returned to the German hospital on Monday for further treatment.

Harry Behrer, of State College, spent Tuesday on a business mission at Fairbrook.

Our young friend, Boyd Gardner, is fast in bed, suffering with an attack of sciatica.

Ed Irvin, the efficient and obliging R. F. D. agent, spent Saturday among friends in town.

N. C. Neidigh and wife visited the D. P. Henderson home at Spruce Creek, last Friday and Saturday.

Dr. C. T. Aikens and son Claude, with several friends, passed through town on Monday, westward bound.

Mrs. Susan Comfort, of State College, spent Sunday with her old friend, Mrs. Sallie Bloom, at Bloomsdorf.

Comrade Henry Sowers, a battle scarred veteran, is suffering a paralytic stroke and is in a serious condition.

J. W. Miller and wife and John Mong and wife, in the former's Buick car, autoed to Altoona and spent Sunday.

Fred Musser, with a party of chums, autoed up from the county capital and spent Sunday at the Kepler hotel.

Luther and Austin Dale took a spin in the former's car to Millfin county and Kishacoquillas Valley, last Thursday.

M. A. Dreibleis and family autoed over the Seven mountains Wednesday, and visited the J. M. Ewing family at Lewistown.

J. Cal Gates was obliged to send one of his young horses to horse heaven via the bullet route, Sunday evening, on account of tetanus.

Mrs. John Fortney and Mrs. George Fortney, of Boalsburg, were visitors at the Dannelly home recently, and found their mother improving.

Carl Houser, who graduated at Franklin and Marshall College, is packing his suitcase for a trip to Arizona, where a good position as teacher is awaiting his coming.

Daniel Irvin is shy a good young mare that drowned in an old ore hole in the pasture field. The animal had evidently gone for a drink and sank in the mire and died.

J. H. Nedigh and daughter Minnie and N. E. Hoy and wife attended the House-man family reunion at Lakemont Park, Altoona, Saturday. Over one hundred of the clan were present.

Master Joseph McCracken came over from Johnstown to lend a helping hand at hay making and harvesting with his Uncle Harry, at the old home farm. His parents will come later on.

J. B. Griffin, of Guyer, was out driving on Saturday when his horse ran away, smashing the buggy into kindling wood and wrecking the harness. Griffin escaped with a few scratches.

F. W. Archey, dealer in coal and farm implements, is a busy man of affairs at Penna. Furnace. He is building a new coal shed 12x100 feet with concrete floor. The McElwain Bros. have the job.

Sunday, the 20th, Capt. John A. Hunter reached his 95th milestone in life, and barring a weakness in his limbs, is enjoying excellent health. On that day a number of old neighbors called to greet him upon his natal day.

Squire W. H. Musser and wife are up from Bellefonte for a brief outing at the Dr. Woods home, where the old soldier is making a rapid recovery and will soon be able to be at his desk dispensing justice as usual. In the meantime he has his political eye on a renomination.

LEMONT.

Norris Martz had a new iron roof put on the residence occupied by George Lee.

William Hoy had a concrete walk put down in front of his residence on Main street.

Orin Grove and family came up from Red Hill last week to attend the Grove reunion.

The venerable G. R. Roan's sight is still improving, and he is able to read some again.

Alfred Johnstonbaugh and wife came up from Avis for a few day's sojourn at the home of B. F. Hoy.

The Children's day services held in the United Evangelical church, Sunday evening, were well attended.

L. F. Mayes is putting up a white brick structure, which will be used as a postoffice building for the town.

The new iron fence put in front of the property occupied by P. C. Bradford is quite an improvement to the appearance of the town.

The following persons came in from Philipsburg the latter part of last week: Robert Herman and family, Mrs. Etta Wynn and son and Mrs. Sallie Moore.

Very Different Matter.

Grandma—"Well, Bobbie, have you had all the dinner you want?" Bobbie—"No; I only had all I can eat."

WOLF'S STORE.

Ray Stover spent Sunday in Penns-valley.

Ideal weather for corn and potatoes. They shoot up as if by magic.

Charles Brungart and family, of Green-burr, spent Sunday under the parental roof.

Cyrus Brungart is making extensive improvements on his recently purchased farm.

Mrs. William Haines, of Aaronsburg, visited her father and sister several days last week.

Automobile hack to tabernacle meet-ings at Millheim, by Adam Brungart. Give him a call.

The lime stacks of H. M. Esterline, W. E. Mining and Edward Bierly are filling the air with gases.

Harry Sheesley, wife and daughter, of Woodward, are staying with her sister, Mrs. George Smith.

William Moyer, of Loganton, a former citizen of this place, was a Sunday visit-or with D. B. Weaver.

G. H. Showers has engaged a new clerk for his store in the person of Charles Corman, of Rebersburg.

That is a beautiful thought about sil-ence being golden, but we never heard very many women rave over it.

Mr. and Mrs. William Breen and daughter, of Pennsvalley, were in our midst on Saturday and Sunday, shaking hands with their many friends.

Late pictures of the Kaiser show him with sunken cheeks. But at that he may not look less plump than many thou-sands of the poor fellows in the trenches.

C. J. Weaver and family are enjoying their annual vacation at present. They are visiting Mrs. Weaver's parents at Or-bisonia, Huntingdon county. During their absence Cecelia Brungart, of Re-bersburg, performs the household duties.

Mrs. W. F. Stover received word from Chicago that her brother, Guy Brungart, had been operated upon for appendicitis. We hope for his speedy recovery, as Guy is loved by all who know him. He is an employee of the National Biscuit com-pany and visits all the large cities from the Atlantic to the Pacific.

May Be New Ceylon Industry. The production in Ceylon, on a suf-ficiently large scale, of acetic acid, if it be successfully accomplished, will be a notable instance of a new in-dustry being born as a result of war. The possibility of turning the "milk" in the cocoanut into acetic acid is now receiving the attention of the authori-ties in Colombo, and this probable ad-ditional source of supply will be wel-comed.

Something Worth Bragging About. One day I decided to visit one of my old friends and to take my little niece, five years old, with me. We were talking about dishes and my friend got one of her highly-prized hand-painted plates and was telling me how much she valued it, when the little girl broke in: "Oh, that's nuffin'. Why, we live in a hand-painted house."—Chicago Tribune.

Looking Far Ahead. The vivid imagination of childhood is as a fairy charm for magnifying possibilities. A small boy, being di-rected to empty his bulging pockets, brought forth among other strange treasures a circular piece of rub-ber. Asked its nature and purpose he made answer: "Well, that a real good washer. I'm going to start an auto-mobile shop with it some day."

Wood Used for Engravings. The better wood engravings are made almost exclusively of boxwood, and the large blocks are made of small pieces glued together. The en-graving is done across the end of the grain. Japanese wood prints, on the other hand, are made on lengthwise sections of cherry wood parallel to the grain.

Wild Beasts in Indian Province. In the province of Sind, India, there are more than three million five hun-dred and thirteen thousand people, and yet there are occasional tigers, panthers, leopards, wolves and hyenas. The gad, or wild sheep, the ibex, the chinkar, the black buck and the hog deer are comparatively common.

Test Turkish Tobacco. American consular officers in Tur-ke recently procured seeds of various kinds of tobacco grown there, and for-warded them to the Philippines and to California for experimental plant-ing.

Average Tobacco Consumption. In the per capita consumption of tobacco Holland leads the world, with Belgium second and the United States third.

Paraguay's Forest Wealth. Paraguay has valuable forest re-sources, the most important of which is quebracho, particularly rich in tannin.

St. Louis the Fur Center. Three-fourths of all furs trapped o-n the North American continent are shipped to St. Louis houses to be sold.

Human Doormats. Some men could be sized up in two words: Human doormats. — Florida Times-Union.

Optimistic Thought. He who can at all times sacrifice pleasure to duty approaches sublimity.

Daily Thought. The finest of all fine arts is the fine art of living.—Henry Drummond.

Surely a Prize Turkey.

An old Scotchwoman had a reputa-tion far and near for her fine fowls, and had often been awarded prizes at the neighboring shows. During the Christmas season a gentleman stay-ing in the neighborhood, hearing her poultry so highly praised, resolved to give her a trial, so sent an order for the finest turkey she had, and after a little delay was delighted to re-ceive as fine a specimen as could be wished for. This delight, however, was short lived, for on trying to carve the bird he found it so tough as to resist all his efforts. Enraged, he sallied forth to find the woman, who he believed had swindled him. After listening to his outburst of wrath she exclaimed: "Hoots, man, why ye canna tell a guld fowl when ye see ane. That bubbly-jock's ta'en th' first prize at th' show for th' last seven years!"

The History of Other Countries. It is not at all the history of our own country which is all-important, overshadowing all the rest, not the his-tory of the times nearest to our own, says Frederic Harrison. . . . If his-tory be the continuous biography of the . . . human race, it may well be that the history of remoter times, which have the least resemblance to our own, may often be the more val-uable to us, as correcting national prej-udices and the narrow ideas bred in us by daily custom. . . . The his-tory of other races, and of different customs, may be of all things the best to correct our . . . vanities, and our conventional prejudices. We have indeed to know the history of our own country, of the latter ages. But the danger is, that we may know little other history.

Insufficiency in Men. It has been said that the ideal man is a perfect "transformer." He acts like a reversible battery; that is to say, that after having acted for dis-charge like an ordinary battery he is regenerated by a nervous current which constitutes the recharging. An increase of the muscular and vaso-motor tonicity may be produced in one part by diminution in another part of the body, which probably has something to do with apathy or partial laziness. The tendency to this laziness has its roots in the physiol-ogical condition. It marks some insufficiency, in various degrees. A person who is "born lazy" has this insufficiency to a maximum degree.

One of Marshall Wilder's Stories. When I was in Japan and China I went through the prisons and the courts. Funny about the Chinese. Every ten miles you strike a new dia-lect. When they arrest a Chinaman it takes three or four interpreters to find out what his offense is. I saw one fellow dragged in by the queue. The judge asked what the charge was. The first interpreter told the second, the second told the third, the third told the fourth, and the fourth told the judge that the fellow had stolen a yellow dog. "Well," said the judge, "I am glad it was not a black-and-tan."

Boy's Game of Marbles. A number of minstrels who were touring the country on the "so much a week and cakes" plan arrived at a small town and were put up at a boarding house. Shortly thereafter they all congregated in the largest room and two sets of crap dice were produced. The landlady heard the rise and fall of voices and the sound of the rolling bones and went upstairs to investigate. She stood in the door-way for a minute, unnoticed, and then broke in with this bit of scorn: "A fine lot of men you are to be playing a kid's game of marbles!"

Russian Villages. Russian villages generally consist of one long, straggling and unpaved street. In North Russia the houses are composed of logs placed horizon-tally, one above the other, the inter-stices being filled with tow and moss. The interior consists of a single room The brick stove is used for heating, cooking and baking, and also as a couch and bed. Every house in town and country has its ikon, with a per-petually burning lamp, before which every Russian crosses himself on en-tering the room.

Descendants of Youthful Unions. A Chicago man recently offered one hundred dollars for the proofs that any great men have been produced by a family practicing early marriages throughout a century. In other words, he claims that three generations to a hundred years are all that there should be to result in vigorous de-scendants as a protest against recent medical opinions in favor of youthful marriages which, if constantly car-ried out from parents to children, would average four generations to a century.

Not the Right House. It had been a hard day for the book agent. Sales were desperately slow, and as a last resort he decided to try a nearby house despite its shabby appearance. "Have you a Charles Dickens in your home?" he asked politely. "No," she snapped. "Or a Robert Louis Stevenson?" "No." "Or a Walter Scott?" "No, we ain't, an' what's more, we don't run a boarding house here, either. If you're looking for them fellows you might try the house across the street. I understand they keep boarders."

Words of Confidence. Trust thyself.—Emerson.

Many a woman has to lie down several times a day because she "feels faint" or has a "spell of dizziness." Perhaps she tries to "do something" for her trouble. The faintness seems to be caused by the heart and the heart is attended to. But the condition grows no better. Women in such a case who have used Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription have wondered to find dizziness and faintness both disappear. Why? "Favorite Prescription" is a medicine for diseases of the womanly organs! Exactly. And it removes headache, dizziness, fainting spells, back-ache, and many other ills, because these are caused by the derangement or dis-ease of the delicate feminine organism. That is why "Favorite Prescription" makes weak women strong and sick women well.

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