

County Correspondence

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

PINE GROVE MENTION.

J. H. Neidigh has the auto fever. S. M. Hess is laid up with a colony of Job's comforters.

Mrs. J. K. From, of State College, is spending a week among friends in town.

The public schools of Ferguson township will not open until September 18th.

J. D. Neidigh loaded a car of \$1.40 wheat at Pennsylvania Furnace on Tuesday.

On account of a back fire on his auto D. B. Thomas is nursing a very sore arm.

Mr. and Mrs. John Eves were over Sunday visitors at the Dent Peterson home at Baileyville.

On going to the barn on Friday morning Ed Mayes found one of his horses dead in its stall.

Mrs. Wilbur Sunday and two children visited the grandpa Everts home on Water street last week.

Alvin Corl is having his large barn re-roofed with corrugated iron. The Ward brothers have the job.

J. B. Tussey was among the farmers in this section last week and bought a fine herd of fresh cows.

Henry Rocky, Charles Briggs and Will Wertz each had a good horse die from the effects of the heat last Tuesday.

George Bell and wife and Mr. Bell's mother auted up from Spruce Creek and spent the Sabbath with friends in town.

Grover C. Corl is off duty on account of a mashed finger, received in the gearing of a steam thresher on Saturday.

Robert G. Goheen and wife went out to Pittsburgh on Wednesday to attend the funeral of the late Mrs. D. M. Clemson.

First Lieut. George Boal Thompson transacted business in town on Saturday, prior to leaving to join his comrades at Mt. Gettysburg.

The long-looked for rain came on Sunday night and revived all kinds of vegetation, though the early potatoes are past redemption.

Mrs. Sarah Rhoads and John McElwaine are among the sick, the former suffering from a stroke of paralysis and the latter with kidney trouble.

Alexander Everhart, of Altoona, has been visiting the scenes of his boyhood days in this section, before making a tour of eastern cities and the sea shore.

The Bell telephone people were here last week to secure the right-of-way for a pole line west from Pine Grove Mills. How they made out has not yet been learned.

Mrs. Anna Campbell, of Ohio, and Mrs. Susan Adair, of Indiana, Pa., are visitors at the McCracken home in the Glades. Mrs. McCracken, by the way, is much improved in health.

Will Grove, wife and five children came down from Altoona for their annual summer outing among relatives in town, and the youngsters are having a rollicking, good time.

Jolly Jim Watt spent Monday viewing his broad and fertile acres in the Glades and taking an inventory of his last year's wheat crop, which he thinks of dumping on the market at the \$1.40 mark.

Levi Bathurst, William Archey, Charles Collobine, W. T. Lytle and George Steale left on Wednesday in Mr. Bathurst's car to spend the balance of the week at the Granger's picnic at Williams Grove.

BOALSBURG.

A. J. Hazel and family attended the Hazel reunion at Madisonburg on Thursday.

The community picnic billed for September 2nd has been postponed indefinitely.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stuart, of Bellevue are visiting their mother, Mrs. Emma Stuart.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Coxey and little daughter spent several days with friends at Port Matilda.

Mr. and Mrs. James Poorman, Mrs. Charles Mothersbaugh and Charles Jr. spent Thursday at State College.

The Kidder and Houtz garage and postoffice were beautified by a coat of paint. Charles Segner doing the work.

Mrs. Sophie Hall, of Wilmington, Del., is visiting her sister, Miss Sara Keller, and other friends in this vicinity.

Miss Margaretta Goheen accompanied Frank Weiland and family to Huntingdon on Sunday, and remained for a week's visit among friends.

Dr. and Mrs. James Smith, of Altoona, and Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Harter, of State College, were guests at the home of James M. Ross on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rupp returned Friday from a six week's visit with their son Alfred and family, near Mercersburg. Paul Rupp, of Pittsboro, and Oris Rupp, of Bellefonte, visited their parents on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Houtz and daughter Maude took Mr. and Mrs. Mm. Kuhn to their home in Williamsport on Sunday. Mrs. George Houtz and baby accompanied them and will spend some time with her parents.

Dr. and Mrs. Kidder and daughter, with L. E. and Mrs. Geo. B. Thompson and Mrs. Benton Heberling, of State College; Cyril Zechman, John Charles, Howard Bricker, Harry Kuhn and Russel Ishler motored to Mt. Gettysburg and Williams Grove on Tuesday.

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LANGUAGES THAT HAVE DIED

Archeologists Can Tell Us Little of Tongues Which for Ages Have Been Forgotten.

The oldest languages known at the present time are the Sumerian, Babylonian (or Accadian) and the Egyptian. The earliest known inscriptions belong to about the fifth millennium B. C., but it is reasonable to assume that these were antedated by many different languages which had a great antiquity.

The script of the Sumerian, Babylonian (or Accadian) and Assyrian was the cuneiform. Chaldean, the language used generally as the diplomatic language about the time of Belshazzar, is what we now know as the Aramaic language. Archeology has thrown no light on the subject of the confusion of tongues. Abraham very probably spoke the Aramaic, the language of Aram. In Canaan his descendants apparently used the language of the land, which was that of the Ammonites. This is what we now know as Hebrew. It would seem that the Israelites retained while in Egypt the language familiar to them.

Nothing has been discovered which can be determined as antediluvian. Babylonian legends mention several cities as existing before the flood, and Arabic tradition says Haran was the first city that was rebuilt after the deluge, but archeology has offered no certain data on the subject.

HAD NO USE FOR MAHOGANY

When First Introduced Into England Workmen Complained of the Hardness of the Wood.

Like the use of a great many of the factors connected with the arts and the sciences, the discovery of the beauty of the grain of mahogany for furniture was accidental, says a London contemporary. The story goes that a certain West Indian captain who had brought back to England some planks of mahogany as ballast, decided to give the wood to his brother, a Doctor Gibbons, then building a house on King street, Covent Garden. But the planks were so hard that the carpenters objected, and the plan for using them fell through.

Some time later Mrs. Gibbons wanted a small box made, and the doctor sent the mahogany to a cabinetmaker. In his turn the cabinetmaker objected to the hardness of the wood, but the doctor persisted so much in his request that the order was finally executed.

The finished box polished so nicely that the doctor ordered a bureau made of the same wood. The cabinetmaker displayed that in his shop window before delivering it. The duchess of Buckingham saw it and begged enough wood from the doctor to have it duplicated, and mahogany furniture soon after came into favor.—Building Age.

Interned Soldiers Gain in Health.

The rapid recovery of patients who are prisoners of war in Switzerland is due to the good air, excellent nursing, and abundant nourishing food furnished them. At a conference of Swiss health officials held at Olten it was stated that the general health conditions of the 12,000 interned British, Belgian, French and German soldiers had so improved that it would be necessary to deal with the question of finding them some occupation. For surgical and orthopedic cases a sanatorium is being fitted up at Lucerne, where men of each nationality will be brought for treatment. The only other exception will be at Leysin, where 800 French and 100 British tuberculous patients are being treated. For students among the interned, courses of study are being arranged, and later they will be permitted to enter Swiss universities.

New South African Industry.

A new industry for South Africa is now in prospect. An exhibition and sale of locally made toys was recently held in Johannesburg and aroused so much interest that it was felt there was an excellent opportunity for manufacturing this class of goods; it has, therefore, been definitely decided to proceed with the work under the aegis of the national service fund. It is proposed to hold monthly toy competitions, and a shop is to be opened in a central position in Johannesburg. Toys are already coming forward from all parts of the Union.

Generosity in Installments.

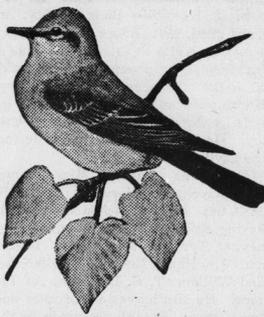
A certain Scotch singing comedian, who is notoriously thrifty, played a week's engagement to enormous business in Chicago last year. Desiring to show his appreciation of the theater manager's kindness to him during the week, he called that gentleman into his dressing room on Saturday night. "I want to thank you, sir," he said, "for your courtesy to me this week and for the fine crowds you've helped to bring in to hear me. Here's a photograph of myself for you; and if business is as good next year when I come back I'll put my name on it for you then!"—Saturday Evening Post.

Protection for Children.

Child labor is becoming such a feature in the work of the nation that certain evils have arisen and called forth protests. At the co-operative congress a resolution was passed, with only three dissentients, protesting against the employment of schoolchildren in agricultural and industrial districts, and demanding the raising of the school age to fourteen for all children, with free secondary education.

ARKANSAS KINGBIRD

Tyrannus verticalis



Length, nine inches. The white edge of the feather on each side of the tail distinguishes this from all other flycatchers except the gray and salmon-colored scissortail of Texas.

Range: Breeds from Minnesota, Kansas, and Texas to the Pacific ocean and from northern Mexico to southern Canada; winters from Mexico to Guatemala.

Habits and economic status: The Arkansas kingbird is not so domestic as its eastern relative and seems to prefer the hill country with scattered oaks rather than the orchard or the vicinity of ranch buildings, but it sometimes places its rude and conspicuous nest in trees on village streets. The bird's yearly food is composed of 87 per cent animal matter and 13 per cent vegetable. The animal food is composed almost entirely of insects. Like the eastern species, it has been accused of destroying honeybees to a harmful extent, and remains of honeybees were found to constitute five per cent of the food of the individuals examined, but nearly all those eaten were drones. Bees and wasps, in general, are the biggest item of food (38 per cent), grasshoppers and crickets stand next (20 per cent), and beetles, mostly of noxious species, constitute 14 per cent of the food. The vegetable food consists mostly of fruit, such as the elder and other berries, with a few seeds. This bird should be strictly preserved.

Girl Raises Butterflies.

There are very few people in America, probably, aside from scientists, who do not care to tell their business to everybody, who attempt to raise and breed butterfly specimens for the market. Few, for that matter, even know that there is a market for butterflies. Yet there are plenty of moths that sell for a dollar a specimen, and it is perfectly possible for any intelligent boy or girl to raise at least a limited number of "flies" for the market. When a vine or shrub is attacked by caterpillars, the thing to do is to catch the pests, hatch them into specimens and make them pay for their board. That it is possible to earn \$50 a week by this means is proved by the example of a young California girl, the subject of an article announced for the July St. Nicholas, describing how she has cleared \$500 in ten weeks of butterfly-raising, and is at present averaging as much as \$75 a week. The girl in question, Miss Ximena McGlashan, spends only her summers in the work, her outfit being the simplest possible, fruit jars and boxes and barrels covered with gauze to contain the caterpillars, a net and a few cyanide bottles for day work, and a miner's lamp for use at night.

Prefers Boys From Needy Families.

A Cleveland manufacturer who had difficulty in hiring boys for his plant, because, he said, most boys are looking for "white-collar jobs," now solves his difficulty by "catching 'em poor." He explains this by saying that he now employs only those boys whose families are "up against it." This new crop of apprentices, he says, haven't any foolish notions, and he expects to develop most of them into first-class mechanics.

English to Learn Russian.

Sir James Roberts of Saltre, who has just made a gift of \$50,000 to the University of Leeds for the foundation and maintenance of a professorship of Russian language and literature, is the head of a firm which first introduced the coarse Russian wool into English worsted manufacture.

Medical.

Good News

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Faux Pas.

In a little country place the beaux of the town had gone to great trouble to get up their semiannual hop. Refreshments were ordered and the musicians were on hand, when word was brought that one of the leading men of the town had suddenly died.

For a little while consternation banished sorrow as the young men realized that all their arrangements must be canceled.

"Well," remarked one of the number, "I did think the old colonel was too good a sport to die on the eve of a dance!"

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To Tell It By Film.

"It's bound to come."

"What is?"

"The time when the beautiful actress, instead of telling the jury her life story, will have it shown to slow music as a film."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

The newest shape in hats is the bell-crown, this being used in connection with the mushroom brim.

Medical.

What Is Uric Acid?

THE CAUSE OF BACKACHE, RHEUMATISM, GRAVEL AND SUDDEN DEATH.

Ever since the discovery of uric acid in the blood by Scheele, in 1775, and the bad effect it had upon the body, scientists and physicians have striven to rid the tissues and the blood of this poison. Because of its overabundance in the system it causes backache, pains here and there, rheumatism, gout, gravel, neuralgia and sciatica. It was Dr. Pierce who discovered a new agent, called "Anuric," which will throw out and completely eradicate this uric acid from the system. "Anuric" has proved to be 37 times more potent than lithia, and consequently you need no longer fear muscular or articular rheumatism or gout, or many other diseases which are dependent on an accumulation of uric acid within the body. Send to Dr. Pierce, of the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y., for a pamphlet on "Anuric," or send 10 cents for a trial package of "Anuric Tablets."

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Birds of Passage.

The war is having a great influence on the birds throughout Europe, especially on the birds of passage. Last autumn the storks left Russia and Galicia a month earlier than usual; they were noticed in flocks of thirty to a hundred on their way through Austria, where they alighted on the roofs and chimneys of the houses to rest before continuing their journey south.

Other birds of passage have deserted their old routes of flight and have chosen new air roads along less disturbed regions. Both going and returning these birds were observed in places where they were never seen before, and were missed in the localities where battles were raging. In Luxemburg where otherwise millions of birds congregate in the leafy forests, there are now scarcely any to be seen or heard. As an instance how the birds have deserted Luxemburg, a nature lover writes that "whole oat fields have sprung up along the roads and in the market squares of the little towns and villages where the horses have been fed as the cavalry passed through." This would never have been possible in other years, for the birds would soon have picked up every grain that fell to the ground.

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