County Correspondence

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

PLEASANT GAP ITEMS.

Miss Almeda Pownell spent Sunday with her parents at Yarnell. Mr. J. P. Eckel has moved into his new meat market at the lower end of

Samuel Poorman and wife have elated over the whereabouts of his shepherd dog. This being the fifth

home over the Poorman garage. Harry Noll, who for the past year has been employed in Philadelphia, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs.

James Noll. Mrs. J. T. Noll left last Thursday for Woodlawn to visit her son Leslie, and also for a visit in Pittsburgh with Mrs. Hunter and the D. M. Dunkle family. While in the Smoky city she

will do her spring shopping and consult a specialist regarding her health. If the say-so of our oldest inhabitants count for anything we experienced more moving among our citizens this first of April than ever before. Some years ago we never counted on having more than one or two movings, while this year more than a dozen changes were made in our little vil-lage. While the moving season is just about over a more serious mania is just about due, that of house cleaning, and quite a number of our women are ready to begin business. They have everything before them and they know just what is to be done. With torn and bleeding fingers, knees sore and stiff from crawling over carpets, and shuffling step caused by ill-fitting shoes, they rush in. About the only indication that heaven has a hand in the affair is that the women have everything torn up from cellar to garret. Like Noah's dove, they have no where to set a foot. The bridges are burned behind them and they must fight their engagement to a successful end. The result is that housecleaning is over in a week, whereas if it were done a room at a time it would last all summer. Men usually object to having the house all torn up, but it is clear that they do not take a philosophical view of the situation. "The fiercer the storm the sooner it is over," applies beautifully to house-cleaning, therefore it is better to let it rage and spend its fury. There is a great deal of nonsense about spring housecleaning; also a great deal more fuss made over it than there is any necessity for. Women get excited and work themselves sick, men get nervous and bilious, while children feel at liberty to do as they please. In a majority of instances there is probably more form done then good. bly more harm done than good. A clean house is a good thing, but not good enough for what it often costs. If houses were kept as clean as they should be, they would not need a special cleaning in the spring. Besides that, the early spring is not the best badly frightene

casion to go away from home that would be a capital time to clean house, and when it is all over what a relief to the woman. Like the birds they

ing in contracting cold with the re-

begin singing earlier in the mornings than usual, and are as fretful as porcupines. Carpets, wall paper and window washing are the chief topics of conversation. A cobweb in the corner annoys them dreadfully, and a dirty window renders them nervous and ugly. Men should remember that house-cleaning is a sort of mania with some women and the best way to get Squire along is to humor them, and make them think that they are the "whole

cheese." Men might also take a hand in the picnic. Not that they are likely to do a great deal of good in the way of cleaning but for the favorable impression they will make on their mixes. It would be a judicious thing wives. It would be a judicious thing for men to hang their hammocks high

this week

when house-cleaning is in progress. VALLEY VIEW. A. I. Garbrick is some worse at this

Garden making here shows itself to be the chief labor at the present time. The Misses Pearl Kelley, Hazel and Hilda Corman and Lena Eckley made

a trip to Bellefonte last Saturday. On Tuesday of last week the quarantine was lifted from the Edward

Houser home. R. Cole, the Davis sewing machine

agent, has been giving demonstrations in this community. The protracted meeting being held at this place is still in progress and is having considerable success.

Mrs. Foster Housel, of Coleville, was a visitor at the home of Mrs. George Robb on Friday of last week.

Mrs. Showers, of Bellefonte, and Mrs. Reeser, of Snow Shoe, spent Sunday with their sister, Mrs. Adam I Garbrick, of this place. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Breon motored

to near Jacksonville, on Sunday, where they spent the day with Mr. Breon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Noah

Misses Marie Johnson and Jeanette Miller, two of Bellefonte's affectionate young ladies, hiked it to this place on Sunday morning and spent the day very pleasantly with Mrs. J. W. Evey.

On Sunday Charles Houser and Robert Kelley motored to Central City to view the place where James Witmer met with a frightful accident on the railroad crossing Saturday evening, when his team was killed and he was badly injured.

EAST BRUSH VALLEY.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Mowery were Sunday visitors at Loganton.

The automobilists took advantage of the spring weather over Sunday. John Day Esq., purchased a fine draft horse at Millheim on Monday. George Day Jr. and W. A. Winters transacted business in Centre Hall

last week. W. E. Bair recently purchased the large farm near Wolf's Store from W. F Bowersox. W. H. Zeigler moved his household

goods and farming implements to Rebersburg on Monday. Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Brungard, of Smullton, spent Sunday afternoon very pleasantly at the home of W. D.

Brungard.

victim meeting such a fate, suspicion

rests near the Center. On Tuesday evening a jolly bunch gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Meyer and experienced a most H. A. Meyer and experienced a most enjoyable time. The most important feature of the program was the solo entitled "Billy Piper," sung by Mr. Stuart Hosterman, of Coburn. The following answered the roll call: Sarac Corman, Berenice Crouse, Emma Moyer, Anona Yearick, Margaret Kirk, Kathryn Ocker, Ruth Douty, Gladys Hackenberg, Helen Gephart, Emma Smull, Geraldine Hackenberg, and Naomi Hunsicker. Willim Mcand Naomi Hunsicker. Willim Mc-Mullen, Edwin Weaver, Stuart Hos-terman, Norman Bierly, Russell terman,

At a reasonable hour oysters were served and all adjourned leaving congratulations and best wishes to the Meyer family for the nice time shown

LEMONT.

Irvin Dreese has been quite ill this Sunday was quite warm for the first of April.

Miss Hazel Hartsock spent Sunday at John Grove's. George Dunklebarger has been on

the sick list of late. J. C. Etters has returned home from his trip to West Virginia. Floyd Palmer moved his family

from town to Watsontown. Eva Grove was home from Selinsgrove for a few days last week. Clyde Stamm moved from John Bathgate's to the Loop, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker, of Burnham, passed through town on Sunday on their way home. James Houser, John Houser and Andrew Tate painted and papered the

Houserville U. B. church. Mrs. Morris Martz came home from the Bellefonte hospital, Saturday, and her health has improved some and it is hoped that she will soon be well

time for renovating and cleaning rooms. The anr is too damp and chilly for good health, the danger bethat they had a flat tire and while looking they had the misfortune to run their car into the gutter. They sultant grip, pleurisy, pneumonia or rheumatism, the suffering from which were all thrown out and James was will in no way be compensated for by the improved appearance of the place. Should the man of the house have oc-

AARONSBURG.

Mrs. William Houser, of Bellefonte, spent several days with her mother, Mrs. Lenker Mrs. L. J. Bartlett returned home,

after spending several weeks at State College and Milroy. Mr. and Mrs. George Whitmer, of Salem, Snyder county, spent a few

days with Mrs. Whitmer's sister, Mrs. 'Squire A. S. Stover, who has been

housed up with rheumatism, is somewhat improved at this writing. It is hoped he may soon be able to resume his regular pursuits.

Miss Margaret Whitmyer has gone to the Bellefonte hospital where she entered training as a nurse. It is the wish of her many friends that success may attend her efforts.

John F. Krape, who for several weeks has been a patient in the American hospital, Philadelphia, is expected home on Thought. While in the ed home on Tuesday. While in the hospital he has been taking treatment James Rowan is on the sick list for stomach trouble. Thus far he has been greatly benefitted and his many friends hope that he may continue to improve and soon be quite well again.

They are all good enough, but the "Watchman" is always the best.

Caliber of a Gun.

Confusion as to the meaning of the term caliber arises chiefly from its use as an adjective to indicate length, as when we say, "a 50 caliber six inch gun." The word caliber as applied to artillery signifies the diameter of the bore of a gun measured diametrically from face to face of the bore, of course somewhat larger.

A gun, then, of six inch caliber is a gun whose bore is just six inches. For convenience and because the power of a gun when once its bore has been decided upon depends so greatly upon its length artillerists are in the habit of defining the length of the gun in

terms of the caliber.

Thus the twelve inch United States naval gun, which is forty feet in length, is spoken of as a 40 caliber. twelve inch, the length being just forty times the bore. The six inch rapid fire gun is a trifle under twenty-five feet in length and is therefore known as a 50 caliber gun.

In the case of small arms the caliber is expressed in hundredths of an inch as when we say a 22 caliber revolver we mean one with a bore that has a diameter of twenty-two onehundredths of an inch.-Ex.

-If you find it in the "Watchman" it's true.

Annual Report of the Needlework Guild.

The Bellefonte branch of the Needlework Guild of America presents its report for the year 1916, as fol-

Garments collected, 422. Garments distributed, private cases

Garments distributed, Bellefonte hospital, 67.

Garments in reserve, 174. The regarments are given out through the winter. The officers of the local Guild are

as follows: President-Mrs. R. S. Brouse. Vice President-Mrs. H. C. Valen-

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A Scotch Rebuke.

Many stories are told of a former

Canadian bishop who had passed his

youth in Scotland, but flattered him-

self that not a hint of his origin could be gained from his speech or

manner. One day he met a Scotch-man, to whom he said at last, ab-

"Hoo lang hae ye been here?"

"Hoo lang hae ye been here?"

"About sax years," was the reply.

"Hoot, mon!" said the bishop

sharply, "why hae ye na lost your accent like mysel'?"—Christian Regis-

Medical.

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Miss Mary Hoy.

The Needlework Guild of America
is a national organization with head-

is a national organization with head-quarters in Philadelphia. There are branches in cities, towns and villages in almost every State in the Union. It has a membership of over three hundred thousand. The object of the Guild is to collect and distribute new, plain, suitable garments to meet the great need of hospitals, homes and private charities, and to extend its usefulness by the organization of other branches. The annual contribu-Beckenbaugh, John Ocker, Orien Reish, George Day, Samuel Hubler, Charles Waite and Stanley Zeigler.

Lisefulness by the organization of the organi or a donation of money, constitutes membership in the branch. Any member obtaining two new garments from ten other persons (or the equivalent of 22 garments) becomes a director. The garments are designed for winter

use and should be made of warm ma-Winter underwear, flannel terials. shirts, flannel sacques and wrappers for the sick, stockings, nightgowns, night shirts, sheets, towels, pillow cases, infant clothes and shoes are escases, infant clothes and shoes are especially desirable. For knitters—bed-socks, mittens, hoods, shawls, booties and stockings. Each director has one (or more) money members from whom fifty cents or \$1.00 is collected annually. No fees, fines or dues are imposed upon garment-giving members, directors or officers. ing members, directors or officers. The money collected is used for expenses of the Branch, and for a contribution to the national treasurer for office expenses and establishment of

new branches. The Branch work is very simple.
The directors collect the garments from their members in October of each year. The president sends out the date of the meeting, usually early in Newsbar when all the garments. in November, when all the garments are taken to her house, applications for their distribution received through directors and members, and the packages made up and sent out at once. Garments members may mark their contributions, in case they wish any Monday, when Keller Snyder was on his way to State College, on his motorcycle, he had the misfortune to run down Mrs. Oscar Rishel, but neither one was seriously hurt, though hadly frightened Sunday as John and James Grove were on their way home they thought that they had a flat tire and the grammatical plants are sent there. Branch work is entirely local. The Guild is absolutely non-sectorics. churches, clubs or other charitable organizations, except the American Red Cross, with which it is affiliated in times of war or national disaster. The Bellefonte Branch sent a large box to Davies of the flood. Last Dayton at the time of the flood. Last year the Branch again responded to the call of the Red Cross by making a had very little trouble since."

quantity of surgical dressings which were sent to Europe.
At present the Branch is engaged in the same work, meeting Thursday afternoons in the sewing-room in the High school building. The members have generously donated both money and material, and during the past five weeks have prepared seven hundred bandages and dressings. On account of the grave national crisis the Branch has decided to keep up this war relief indefinitely, hoping that all of its members will continue their hearty co-operation. in the same work, meeting Thursday

hearty co-operation. The members are as follows:

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