

County Correspondence

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

PINE GROVE MENTION.

M. P. Corl has his order in for a new Buick car.

A. Fred Fry is housed up with pulmonary trouble.

Many farmers are replanting their corn, owing to the poor seed.

Mrs. Samuel Grove is recovering from a brief spell of sickness.

George Markle, of Pittsburgh, is here for a few weeks' sojourn.

Mrs. Ada Krebs is plying her needle at the H. H. Goss home on the Branch.

Union services were held in the Lutheran church last evening, Memorial day.

M. Griffin, of Tyrone, was here on Tuesday in quest of men to work on the railroad.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Johnson, of Boalsburg, visited friends in town the early part of the week.

J. H. Williams is building an addition to his barn in anticipation of bumper crops this year.

A family gathering, with a big turkey dinner, was held at the William K. Corl home last Thursday.

Norman Dale, son of John S. Dale, departed for Dallas, Tex., last week to enter the aviation service.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Fry came down from Altoona Sunday for a short visit among friends in the valley.

Charles M. Ross is taking out timber for a large implement shed. Frank Hunsinger has the job.

J. A. Fortney and family motored to Boalsburg on Saturday evening to visit old neighbors and friends.

Hugh C. and William B. Fry are visiting friends in Altoona and Tyrone, taking part in the Memorial day exercises.

Fred Roush, employed with the Pennsylvania railroad company at Altoona, was home the early part of the week.

Mrs. Clyde Collins, of Pitcairn, with her two interesting daughters, Mabel and Mildred, are visiting the W. C. Collins home in this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Wagner, with their daughter Helen and a friend, came down from Altoona for Memorial day services in the valley.

John Watt, of the Sucker State, his sister, Mrs. John Garner, of Kishacoquillas valley, and Cad Taylor and sister visited old friends in the valley last week.

Miss Beulah Fortney and mother, of Boalsburg, spent Sunday afternoon at the Dannie home on east Main street. Mrs. Dannie's condition, by the way, is about the same.

William Gates circulated among the farmers last week for the purpose of taking over W. C. Frank's threshing route. Mr. Frank has given up threshing and gone into the lumbering business.

Morris and George Smith, who swing the brush in the Altoona paint shops of the Pennsylvania railroad, spent Tuesday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Smith, on east Main street.

Joseph Hilsher, lumber inspector for a Williamsport firm, was here this week looking over the lumber at the Bierly mill at Erbtown. Mr. Hilsher is an old Civil war veteran, having served in Company B, Seventy-sixth regiment.

Ralph Dunlap's parents have received a card announcing his safe arrival in France. The trunk of Will Royer, a member of the 109th field artillery which trained at Fort Miller, N. Y., was received here this week, which indicates that he either has sailed or will sail in the near future for France.

OAK HALL.

Mr. Alam Bloom spent Sunday at his home at State College.

Mrs. Charles Whitehill, who has been ill for a week, is improving as well as can be expected.

Mrs. Clyde Rossman visited her home at Tyrone a few weeks, and returned to this place Friday.

Lloyd Tate and children and Charles LeMay attended the Memorial day service at Buffalo Run, Sunday.

Grandmother Snyder, who has been spending the past winter at Milroy, returned to her home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Radel and two daughters, Ada and Trophena, of Likens, are visiting their son, Claude Radel.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Korman and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reish and family were recent visitors at State College.

Mrs. Joseph LeMay and son Chas., of Levistown, were over Sunday visitors at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Floyd Tate.

Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Dale and Grant Houser and daughter Mae attended the funeral of Abraham Houser at Pleasant Gap, on Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Clayton Ethers, who has been in the Pierce institute at Buffalo, for the past eight weeks, returned home Saturday and is getting along nicely.

PLEASANT GAP ITEMS.

Margaret Bauer, of Bellefonte, spent Sunday with Helen Noll.

George Fultz, of Woolrich, moved his family to our town last week.

Miss Mary Corl, of Boalsburg, spent the week-end with relatives in this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Barnard, of Mill Hall, spent Sunday at the home of Frank Millward.

Miss Mary Twitmore, of Vandergrift, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Twitmore, of Pitcairn, were called home

by the sudden death of their sister, Mrs. Ward Showers.

John Herman and Freda Weaver motored to Altoona Saturday where they visited several days with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Keller.

SPRING MILLS.

Next week, beginning Sunday, will be "Smileage Book Week" for the Spring Mills district.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Rossman, of Boalsburg, with their daughter Margaret, visited friends in Spring Mills last Thursday.

Harry Finkle, a time-keeper at Chester, returned home last week to attend the funeral of his grand-father, Mr. Samuel Harter.

The heavy rains of the past week played havoc with most of the plowed fields around Spring Mills. The newly planted corn fields, especially on the hills, suffered.

The stores will close every Tuesday and Friday evening at six o'clock. This is the notice that one may read in every general store in Spring Mills and every store in Pennsylvania east of Linden Hall and throughout Brush-valley.

Did Gregg township fill its quota for the Red Cross? One might answer and say that almost fifty per cent. more than the quota was given. The quota was three hundred dollars and about four hundred and forty dollars was the total amount.

Some Spring Mills people attended the surprise party at the Foster Frazier home last Tuesday evening. The party was the celebration of Mr. Frazier's birthday. All present spent a very enjoyable evening. The guests numbered about one hundred.

The play, "A College Town," given by the Freshman class of the Gregg township vocational school on Saturday night, in the Grange hall, was a decided success and all present were well repaid. The attendance was large considering the inclemency of the weather. The proceeds were given to the Red Cross.

BOALSBURG.

John Derner spent Sunday at State College.

Mrs. Frank Ream and son recently visited friends at Spring Mills.

Irvin Johnson, of Crafton, is visiting at the home of Mrs. M. A. Woods.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Sellers, of Linden Hall, were in town on Tuesday.

A number of people from this vicinity spent last Thursday in Bellefonte.

Mrs. Lawrence Woerner and little daughter have returned from State College.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Zeigler, of State College, spent Sunday at the home of Charles Corl.

Mr. and Mrs. Lenker and son, of Herndon, were guests of Mrs. Lenker's sister, Mrs. Henry Reitz, on Saturday until Tuesday.

Mrs. John Jacobs, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Coxey and daughter Eleanor accompanied Mrs. Kidder and daughter Mary on a motor trip to Altoona on Thursday, returning home Friday.

John S. Dale and son Norman, of State College, were in town a few hours on Sunday, the latter leaving Monday morning for Dallas, Texas, to enter training in the U. S. signal service.

LEMONT.

Miss Louise Thomas has been quite ill of late.

John Stamm and wife spent a few days here recently.

The corn is coming up much better than the farmers had expected.

Dr. W. H. Fry was a pleasant caller in our town Monday and Friday.

Mrs. Clyde Rossman and children came home from Tyrone on Friday.

Scott Houser and family came in from DuBois for a few weeks' stay among friends in these parts.

A bunch of boys came up from Philadelphia Monday, to take a ten day's course in farming at State College.

Saturday evening we had one of the worst electrical storms that has passed over these parts in years, but it did no harm here.

Rev. Barber, who has been quite ill, came back to town and is able to attend to his duties as pastor of the Presbyterian church.

The following old veterans attended the Memorial services Sunday: John I. Williams, P. S. Dale, George C. Williams, Benjamin Hoy, Ira Lyle, William Tate, William Hoy, George Martz, Henry Sowers and Lemuel Osman. The P. O. S. of A. Camp and a bunch of children formed an escort for the boys of 61, and Rev. Piper preached a fine sermon.

War-time Footwear in Holland.

The manufacture of slippers with wooden soles and cloth tops is a war-time industry which has sprung up in Holland, reports the United States Department of Commerce. The upper and inner parts of the slippers are formed of twill, corduroy, and woolen stuffs. All these materials are relatively cheap and yet make comfortable and durable slippers. The cloth parts are made by hand and the wooden soles by machinery.

In view of the mounting prices of leather footwear, these combination slippers, which retail for the equivalent of \$1 a pair for the best quality, are selling rapidly. It is claimed that they are entirely satisfactory for wear in the home and are practicable for women engaged in indoor occupations.

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CENTRE HALL.

Miss Ruth Smith visited friends at Bloomsburg.

Mrs. Samuel Barr, of Tyrone, is a guest at the William Stiver home.

Frank McClellan has been ill, suffering with congestion of the lungs.

Mrs. F. P. Geary and daughter Agnes visited friends in Williamsport.

Mr. and Mrs. John Breen left on Saturday for a visit with their son Edwin, at Akron, Ohio.

Miss Delinda Potter, a teacher in the Dalton schools, came home on Saturday to spend her vacation.

Mrs. Charles Geary and baby, of Newport, are guests of Mrs. Geary's mother, Mrs. Wesley Whitman.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Stahl, of Altoona, were week-end visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Stahl, west of town.

Capt. George Boal returned from a visit to his daughters, Mrs. W. Gross Mingle, of Philadelphia, and Mrs. Charles Meyer, of Reedsville.

Franklin Heckman and Harold Keller left last Wednesday for Hershey, Pa., where they expect to be employed in the Hershey chocolate factory.

Mrs. Boone and Mrs. George Robertson are visiting their father, B. D. Brisbin, having driven Mr. Brisbin's car from Hartford, Conn., to this place.

Miss Sara Fisher returned to Lansdale on Sunday to finish her term of school, after a week's visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fisher.

Mrs. Getchell and son Wendell, of Greensburg, and Mrs. Keefer and daughter Agnes, of Youngwood, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Brunard, parents of the two women.

An Example of Red Tape.

A horrible example of government control of shipbuilding, according to a complaint against red tape made by the manager of a shipbuilding firm, is amusingly summarized by the Spring-Lake Republican in what follows.

Some boats or machines were required which ordinarily "could have been supplied without interference in from six to eight weeks." But they did not show up until seven months had passed. With the government on the job this is what happened:

4th April, 1917—Dept. A orders for urgent work.

8-4-17—Dept. A offers to arrange delivery with Dept. B.

20-4-17—Dept. A is advised that 25 per cent. of the goods ready.

21-4-17—Dept. A states that cannot assist in moving the goods and suggests another department.

24-4-17—Dept. C, we are informed, will give us permits.

25-4-17—Dept. C asks to see original government order.

27-4-17—Dept. C refuses to assist.

17-5-17—Dept. B, after three weeks' delay, states assistance will be given us.

23-5-17—Dept. C wakes up and asked explanations why we secured goods from the market we did.

21-6-17—Dept. A states they must have delivery.

19-7-17—Dept. D has to be written to for further permits.

24-7-17—Dept. E seizes part of the goods because department D has given no permit.

25-7-17—Dept. B refers us to Dept. F over the matter.

27-7-17—Dept. D asks "How dare we?"

1-8-17—Dept. D asked by us to give "permit for balance of order."

2-8-17—Dept. D states further permit must be sanctioned by Dept. G.

24-8-17—Dept. H written to, as instructed by Dept. D.

25-8-17—Dept. H states we should apply to Dept. A.

28-8-17—Dept. D states cannot help us unless Dept. F does.

30-8-17—Dept. D still regrets cannot assist us.

8-9-17—Dept. E seizes goods.

17-9-17—Dept. D sends permit.

5-11-17—Balance of goods received.

After reading this some one will probably say that it was high time Mr. Schwab took hold of our shipbuilding program. It is clear, another will remark, that the shipping board at Washington has made a mess of it. It is a government of incompetence by incompetents that we have, a third will say.

But the delay illustrated in the summary quoted above occurred in England, not in this country. It is British red tape, not ours, that is shown up. It was a Clyde shipbuilder who did the kicking. The truth is, there is no country where they get 100 per cent. efficiency.

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

Medical.

It's Foolish to Suffer WHEN SO MANY BELLEFONTE PEOPLE ARE POINTING THE WAY OUT.

You may be brave enough to stand backache or headache or dizziness. But, if, in addition urination is disordered, look out! If you don't try to fix your sick kidneys, you may fall into the clutches of dangerous disease before you know it. But, if you live more carefully and help your kidneys with Doan's Kidney Pills, you can stop the pains you have and avoid future danger as well. Don't experiment—use the remedy Bellefonte people are publicly endorsing. Read this case:

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To the Young Men of Centre County.

Do you appreciate how much depends upon you? Not only the safety of your country, but civilization itself is struggling for existence.

Your brothers and chums from Centre county are in the trenches of France or on their way. No county in the State has more reason to be proud of her sons. Already more than 800 of our boys are in the service and there is no doubt but what they will right nobly uphold the traditions of our country.

Are you a slacker or are you helping to hold the line? Each one of the fifteen hundred young men in Centre county should be in some service which will help bring victory to our arms. To be idle at present is equal to being a slacker.

Many farmers in Centre county and elsewhere are appealing to you for help. If you are willing to do your part, enroll in the United States Boys' Working Reserve. Every young man between the ages of 16 and 21, enlisting in the agricultural service, will receive from the United States government the enrollment button of the Boys' Working Reserve and also a certificate of membership in the organization. After at least six weeks of agricultural service he will then receive the official bronze badge bearing the great seal of the United States and the inscription "United States Working Reserve," and, at the expiration of the term of enlistment and upon the completion of satisfactory farm service, an honorable discharge signed by the Governor of the State.

When placed by the farm director the wages will be not less than two dollars for the first week and not less than four dollars per week thereafter together with lodging and board. This is no time to argue about wages as the call for your service is as imperative as the call which came to your brothers when they enlisted in the cause of freedom and humanity. It was not a question of wages with them, but a glad response to the call of service and patriotism.

Committee of Public Safety for Centre County.

DEPARTMENT CIVILIAN SERVICE AND LABOR.

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D. F. KAPP, Chairman, State College, Pa.

Address all applications for enrollment cards farm labor, to John L. Holmes, State College, Pa.

Penn State Elects Krall Track Captain for 1919.

Jesse L. Krall, of Harrisburg, has been elected captain of Penn State's track squad for the next season. The captain-elect is regarded as one of the best quarter-milers who ever wore spiked shoes for the Blue and White.

In his preliminary training this spring, Krall covered the 440 in 51 seconds on several occasions. He was scheduled to run against the college record of 50 2-5 seconds, hung up by Mason, '17, during the commencement

athletic carnival, but a heavy rain storm interfered. Captain Krall is registered in The State College agricultural school. He is a member of Alpha Gamma Rho fraternity.

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