

Democratic Watchman

Bellefonte, Pa., June 14, 1918.

County Correspondence

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

PINE GROVE MENTION.

One of J. H. Bailey's young horses died on Saturday.

Meek's church is being re-roofed with cedar shingles.

Mrs. Sadie Gardner has opened up her summer quarters in the Glades. Alfred Reed came over from Winburne for a short visit among friends in town.

Children's day services will be observed in the Presbyterian church on Sunday evening.

Lloyd Grubb, of Bellefonte, is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. William Henry, near town.

Mrs. Emma Meek is having some concrete paving put down on her farm home at Fairbrook.

Walter Dreiblebis has returned from the Bellefonte hospital much improved in health.

Francis Miller and J. F. Kimpfort motored to Altoona on Thursday, mixing business with pleasure.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Dutrow, of Centre Hall, spent the Sabbath at the C. H. Meyers home at Fairbrook.

G. W. Ward, of Pittsburgh, is making his annual visit here now, and looking after some business affairs.

Cummings and Tussey, the well known drovers are here this week hunting cattle for the eastern market.

Miss Sara McWilliams went out to Johnstown on Monday morning to spend a week with her two brothers.

Rev. D. F. Kapp, of State College, administered the Lord's Supper in the M. E. church here on Sunday evening.

Lee Markle and wife and George Markle, of Walnut Grove, were Sunday visitors at the A. J. Fortney home here.

Samuel M. Hess captured a party of fishermen to Stone creek the other day who got their limit of speckled beauties.

Jasper Rishel and family of Oak Hall, and Mrs. Sue Peters spent Sunday at the Luther Peters home at Fairbrook.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Bierley and Mr. and Mrs. William Yocum were over Sunday visitors with friends at Bloomsburg.

LeRoy Trostle was here a few days last week and upon his return home to Winburne was accompanied by his sister Clara.

W. Hamill Glenn left on Monday morning for Milesburg to assume his new duties as oil inspector on the state highway.

Miss Elsie Stamm, of Altoona, is spending her vacation at Rock Springs with her sister, Mrs. W. A. Lytle and family.

Pennsylvania Lodge No. 276, I. O. O. F., will hold Memorial services at 6:30 o'clock tomorrow evening. A full turnout is requested.

James Gilliland and mother and David Campbell, of Oak Hall, spent Friday evening at the J. H. Williams home on east Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Meyer and Mr. and Mrs. Nevin Meyer are making a cross country tour to Harrisburg and other places in the central part of the State.

Mrs. T. D. Gray, of Bloomsburg, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Bowersox. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Rockey and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bowersox, of State College, also spent Sunday at the Bowersox home.

Dr. C. E. Orndorf, a former Pine Grove Mills boy, and who has made good in the dental profession at Johnstown, paid a brief visit to our town last week. He is one of the old Academy students and after he graduated in dentistry spent several years practicing at Chattanooga, Tenn., but not liking the southern climate returned to Johnstown.

EAST BRUSH VALLEY.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Vonada visited with relatives at Woodward last Saturday.

Miss Lizzie Walker, of Rebersburg, is visiting friends and relatives at Pittsburgh.

Several severe thunder showers visited this valley the fore part of the week, doing much damage.

Charles McCool and family, of Spring Mills, visited at the home of Harry McCool over Sunday.

Miss Mildred Brungard is making an extended visit with her uncle, Joseph Brungard, near Mackeyville.

Ira Brungard and son Wilbur and Raymond Wartz attended the Ringling Bros. circus at Sunbury last Friday.

Ray E. Weber and family, of Mackeyville, and A. W. Weber, of Nittany, visited at the parental home at Smulton last week.

Mrs. T. W. Walker and son Orvis, of Pittsburgh, arrived here on Monday to attend the funeral of Mrs. George Haines.

Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Stover returned on Monday afternoon from a three day's visit with friends and relatives at Osceola Mills and Philipsburg.

Not knowing the origin of the destructive fire at Rebersburg last Monday afternoon, we can form no conclusion; but with sufficient evidence some of the smoked and burnt remains were demanded which were picked up by skilled schemers.

OAK HALL.

Frank Homan, of State College, is roofing his barn at this place.

William Ferre made a business trip to Hecla park on Wednesday.

William Raymond was a week-end visitor with his brother at Sunbury.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Eetters and son George were Sunday visitors with friends in Tyrone.

Miss Ruth Williams, of Millbrook,

spent a few days last week with relatives in this place.

Mrs. Ernest Wagner and son Harold, of Bellefonte, are spending a few months with Harry Wagners, at this place.

Edward Zong and Harry Markle, of this place, and David Yoder, of Pleasant Gap, spent Sunday in the Bear Meadows.

RUNVILLE.

Miss Marie Williams spent Sunday at Bellefonte.

Miss Madge Poorman returned to her home in this place after spending two weeks at State College.

Claude Johnson and wife and Mrs. James Huston, of Winburne, spent Thursday afternoon at the home of L. J. Heaton.

Miss Hazel House, R. N., of Wilkensburg, called at the U. B. parsonage last Sunday to see her sister, Mrs. A. J. Orledge, before leaving for Camp Johnson, Fla., where she will serve as a Red Cross nurse.

Runville charge, U. B. church, A. J. Orledge pastor: Friday evening, C. E. business meeting, Yarnell, 8:00. Saturday evening, preaching at Pleasant Valley, 8:00 o'clock. Sunday a. m., preaching at Fairview, 10:30. Sunday a. m., Yarnell, 2:30; Runville, 8:00 p. m. All are invited.

U. B. Church Dedicated.—The Pleasant Valley United Brethren church on Marsh Creek, Boggs township, was reopened on Sunday, June 2nd, by Rev. J. S. Fulton, D. D., conference superintendent of the Allegheny district of that denomination. The day proved to be a home-coming for many former Centre countians.

In the morning Dr. Fulton preached an inspiring and helpful sermon from the 91st Psalm. In the afternoon Rev. G. W. Emehizer, a former pastor of the Bellefonte church, gave a helpful address and officiated at the unfurling of a service flag. Mrs. Rebecca Wooster, aged 86 years, who is grandmother of two of the young men from that church, who are in the U. S. service, unfurled the flag. Dr. J. S. Fulton also delivered a forceful address.

Communion service was held in the evening and Rev. G. W. Emehizer, who organized the class forty-three years ago, preached the sermon and officiated at the Communion service. The church was crowded all day and special music was rendered by a large choir and a male quartette.

The cost of the improvements amounted to \$1105.17, all being paid beforehand but about \$500.00. Dr. Fulton asked for money at the morning service, and \$573.00 was raised, with \$55.00 in the afternoon, making a total of \$628.00 for the day.

Rev. A. J. Orledge, of Runville, the pastor, presided at all the services.

BOALSBURG.

Mrs. Mildred Coble spent Sunday at her home at Houserville.

Miss Hazel Lucas visited friends at Pine Grove Mills last week.

John Grove, of Lemont, transacted business in town on Tuesday.

Mrs. Caroline Geary, of Centre Hall, spent the week-end with friends in town.

Miss Margaretta Goheen spent the week-end with Mrs. Ray Gilliland, at State College.

Owen Johnson with his family arrived in town last week and will spend the summer at the Boal place west of town.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bohn, of Lemont, and Newton Yarnell, who is employed at Troxleville, spent Sunday at the Yarnell home.

Mrs. George Mothersbaugh accompanied a party of friends on a motor trip to East Stroudsburg, where they were guests of Dr. and Mrs. Gearhart.

Mr. and Mrs. Israel Reitz, of State College, and Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Reitz and son, of Snow Shoe, were visitors at the home of Henry Reitz recently.

John Patterson left for the Pittsburgh district on Saturday, where he expects to secure employment. His sister Frances accompanied him to Altoona for a short visit.

Mr. L. Mothersbaugh, Mrs. Reuben Stuart and daughter, and William Mothersbaugh and family motored to Heppburnville on Saturday, where they visited D. K. Mothersbaugh and family until Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nevin Meyer and daughter Roselle M., accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Meyer, of the Branch, motored to Dauphin county on Saturday where, for a few days, they visited among friends.

AARONSBURG.

Calvin Moyer, of Freeburg, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Phillips.

Mrs. George Weaver spent last Thursday in Yeagertown with her sister, Mrs. John Grenoble.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Adams, of Huntingdon, were guests at the home of Mrs. Adams' brother, Thomas Hull.

The ladies of the Reformed church will hold a festival, serving ice cream, cake, etc., June 22nd, in Mensch's hall.

Miss Ella Miller, of Johnstown, is visiting at the Reformed parsonage, the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. D. Donat.

Mr. and Mrs. James Condo, of Penn Hall, were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. Condo's brother, J. P. Condo and family.

'Squire A. S. Stover has been up in Renovo the past week, business calling him there. He will also visit his niece, Mrs. J. R. Friel and family.

Mrs. G. D. Hetrick and baby Winifred, of Milroy, after spending three weeks as the guest of Mrs. T. J. Bartlett, left for her home last Wednesday.

Mrs. John Tressler and children, of Bellefonte, after spending a week with Mrs. Tressler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Musser, went home on Saturday, taking with them Pauline Musser.

Rev. Weaver and family expect to move into the parsonage during this week. Rev. Weaver has been serving the Lutheran charge since last winter but has been unable to move his family here until now, owing to his college course not being completed, as well as the critical illness of his little daughter, who is now improving, we are pleased to note.

SOIL FERTILITY EITHER BORROWED OR STOLEN.

It Must Be Replaced Sometime.

There's a certain amount of fertility in your soil. If you take some out, you must replace it, just as you would return borrowed money. If you don't pay back what you borrow, you are practically stealing. If you don't repay your friend after the first time you borrow, you are not likely to get much of a loan the second time. When it comes to a bank, if you don't pay your obligations there—well, you will have to some way. In the matter of fertility, the trouble is that our soil is too good a friend. We can borrow, borrow, borrow—not getting so much each time, of course—much more to get from our friend and we are at liberty to move away, if we want, and cultivate another friendship.

This, at least, used to be the case, but there is practically no more virgin land and what we have will have to be taken care of.

ADVANTAGES OF WIDE SPREAD

In buying a spreader at the present time the farmer should see that he selects one with a wide spread attachment. With such an attachment a strip 8 feet wide or better can be covered, extending well outside the wheels on both sides. This has positive advantages over the narrow spreader of years ago. In the first place, the load is thrown off twice as fast and the same amount of ground is covered with just half the driving distance, and on the return it is not necessary to drive so that the wheels tracks lap in order that all ground may receive an even spread. For practically the same price today a wide spread spreader can be bought that will deliver more in service than an old type machine that only spreads the width of the beater. For these reasons the wide spread machine should be thoroughly investigated before a farmer invests his money in a spreader.

A spreader is the most necessary implement on the farm today. It is a crop producer, whereas most other machines are only crop handlers. It encourages the saving of manure and thereby makes the farmer honest with his soil. He borrows his fertility and doesn't steal it.

SPRING MILLS.

John H. Rishel autored to Lewis-ton Monday morning on business.

W. E. Boob lost a valuable colt last week. The cause of its death is unknown.

The sudden death of Mrs. Henry Mark, of Penn Hall, came as a shock to her many friends.

Dean S. Braucht spent the week-end with Walter S. Wolfe, at the Central State Normal school at Lock Haven.

The United States Smilgease books may be purchased at all times, at the postoffice. Other agencies will be established throughout the district.

Today (Friday) is flag day. Let each one celebrate our flag's birthday and pay due respect to its designer and maker by unfurling freedom's standard to the air.

Messrs. Charles and William Allison, of Toronto, Canada, and New York, city, respectively, spent the week-end with their father, Hon. William M. Allison.

The following Children's day services will be rendered in Spring Mills: Evangelical, evening of June 16th; Reformed, evening of June 17th, and Lutheran, evening of June 20th.

George Weaver, who underwent an operation at the Bellefonte hospital a short time ago, was brought to his home last Thursday. Mr. Weaver is improving slowly at this writing.

John Smith and family visited Prof. U. A. Moyer and family at Huntingdon, last Sunday. Professor Moyer, formerly principal of the Spring Mills High school, is now an instructor in the reformatory at Huntingdon.

May and June rains intermingled with the ever welcome sunshine have put a hue on the crops of the fields that is enviable to the painter's brush.

All the crops are, perhaps, the best and largest for several years. The wheat crop, which was thought would be about a one-third yield, is at the present time very promising. War-time conditions produce war-time crops, now the problem is the labor for harvest-time.

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The Ashpile Does.

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Medical.

Stop that Ache?

Don't worry and complain about a bad back. Get rid of that pain and lameness! Use Doan's Kidney Pills. Many Bellefonte people have used them and know how effective they are. Here's a Bellefonte case.

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OLD IRON ON BATTLEFIELDS

Metals That Are Supposed to Accumulate in Great Quantities Being Salvaged and Used Again.

Considerable speculation has been going the rounds as to the amount of scrap iron and steel that is accumulating on the battlefields of Europe, and how it is to be disposed of.

American companies which regularly deal in such old material have for some time been looking forward to the harvest to be reaped from these battlefields after the war, says London Tit-Bits. These hopes have now been rather rudely shocked by observers recently returned from the front, who state that this matter is now being handled by the respective governments.

According to the systems now established in modern warfare, it is stated, a salvage corps is daily going over all the ground near the battle front exposed to fire, and is gathering all the debris discarded by the contending armies. None of the scrap is neglected, with steel worth 1 pence to 1½ pence per pound, and copper and other metals in proportion. All the metals are taken to shops in the rear, and there worked into the various munitions that a modern army uses.

All the lead that is fired is practically lost, as a bullet traveling at a velocity of 2,000 feet or more per second hurries itself so deep into any object it hits as to be lost entirely. Other metals, however, such as tangled steel from wrecked motor cars, large pieces of shells, bits of copper, pieces of aluminum, etc., are carefully collected and later turned into usable condition.

ONE MUTE STORY OF THE WAR

Sunny Nieuport on the Yser, a Little City of 4,000, Among Others Wiped Out of Existence.

Nieuport lies upon the Yser, the tidal stream that stopped the German rush for Calais, writes William Townsend Porter in the Atlantic Monthly. That June before the world went mad, the peaceful town drowned in the sun—the peacetime town down to the sea in their fishing boats, or worked their fields; old women, their lace upon their knees, sat in a match of shade before the door and plied their bobbins; children, with shrill sweet voices, darted about like birds; the creaking wain went to and fro plied high with the harvest.

Four thousand simple folk! Not one remains. Their houses, too, are gone. Their ancient church, their historic tower, are mounds of ruin. And still the hissing shells, hour by hour, day by day, tear down the crumbling walls, adding fresh ruin to a scene most desolate.

The people of the sun are gone. Another race inhabits there. They live in holes beneath the ground. They come not forth except to kill.

The Toll France Has Paid. Four-fifths of the women in France wear mourning, say the correspondents, and we believe them, but we are not among those who credit reports of a France "exhausted" and "bled white," observes a war writer. French women go into mourning on the smallest provocation. Rye shops abound. Every little way is a French city one encounters the sign, "Mourning in 24 hours." When madame puts on black, no one straightway infers the demise of monsieur. Much more likely an uncle by marriage had dropped off, or perhaps some eighth cousin thrice removed. It is always possible that, for one wooden cross on a battlefield, there will be six dozen gowns at the dye shop. No one denies that the French army has suffered terrible casualties. No one feels inclined to understate them, the French least of

all. But only Americans who have never lived in France will imagine that the swarms of black-clad women indicate a proportionate number of dead Pollus. The truth is, Pollus were never so plucky as today, never so efficient, and, despite heartbreaking losses, never so numerous.

Some Inducement.

Christopher Brown walked into the local recruiting station of the United States marine corps at Philadelphia, says the Troy Times, and after announcing that he was from Braintree, said he wanted to enlist. "The idea of enlisting is a good one," said the recruiting sergeant, "but what is Braintree—a breakfast food or an educational institution?" "It is a town in Massachusetts—the only town in the United States that ever produced two presidents," proudly replied Brown. "John Adams was born there, and so was John Quincy Adams. John Hancock was born there, too, as was Col. Charles G. Long, chief of staff of the marine corps. If you take me into the marine corps I may be running the thing in a year or two."

Camera Marks Airplane Hits.

The great aviation school at Toronto has devised a most ingenious scheme for training aviators in the use of the machine gun. Two apprentice flyers are sent up to fight under all the conditions of actual warfare. They make every effort to aim and fire their machine guns at each other, only in place of bullets the gun is fitted with camera lens and film. Every pull of the trigger snaps a picture. If the shot is a "hit" a picture of the "enemy" airplane appears on the film; if a miss, the film is blank. By examining the strip of film afterward it is possible to tell exactly how many hits each man made and how accurately he is "shooting."

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