

County Correspondence

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

ORVISTON.

Mrs. William A. Walker is very ill with tonsillitis. Mrs. Gilbert Gillespie is able to be about again, but is still far from strong.

Harry Singer is very ill. He had a severe dose of ivy poisoning and has since contracted a heavy cold.

Edward Yeager and family moved from Orviston to Clearfield, recently. His friends here wish him success in his new home.

James Moody Sr., of Snow Shoe, was visiting old friends here on Saturday. Come again, James, we were all glad to see you.

George Page, of Blanchard, was renewing old friendships last week. He looks well and hearty. All were pleased to see him.

Mrs. Curtis Walker, of Monument, is very ill with Spanish influenza, and all are sorry, as she is well and favorably known here, as relatives of both herself and husband reside here.

George Shearer, who has been cooking at Tom Johnson's boarding house, at Back camp, took his little son Archie home to Lock Haven, Thursday, as he was very ill. Membranous croup developed and the little chap was very ill at last reports. He is a bright little boy and the friends of Mr. and Mrs. Shearer are hoping he may recover soon.

Mrs. William Jones writes from Wilkes-Barre that her husband was stricken with Spanish influenza shortly after reaching his parents' home. He was so ill that for a time he was not expected to recover, but was some better at last accounts. Mrs. Jones has the sympathy of her friends, as she was just recovering from an illness when Mr. Jones took her and baby Bill away, thinking to give them both a change and rest. We are all hoping for the best.

The young friends of Delbert P. Barnhart gave him a pleasant surprise on Saturday evening, October 12th, in honor of his 18th birthday. Because of a recent bereavement in our neighborhood the spontaneous joy and play were missing, nevertheless an extremely pleasant evening was spent. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Ola Cypert, at whose home the reception was held; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Young, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton B. Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bartlow, Mrs. Amelia Rickard, Mrs. William Lucas, Mrs. John Hume, the Misses Charlotte and Abbie Herr, Bessie and Verna Shank, Mae Lomison, Margaret Mack, Alemeta Bixel, Gladys Marshall, Ira Holter, Margaret Haines, Josephine Poorman, Beatrice Stere and Virginia Walker. Messrs. Guy Powell, Walter Shank, Alexander Hume, Sherman Conker, Willis and Chester Thompson, Ben, Clair and Alton Poorman, Arthur Cashner, John Flack, William Barnhart and Delbert Barnhart; also the following juniors were there: Celia and Georgia Lucas, Sam Leathers, Roy and Billy Cypert and Charles Young Jr., who enjoyed themselves immensely. A few games were played, interspersed with several piano selections by the Misses Herr, Miss Poorman, Miss Bixel and Mrs. Hume. A dainty lunch was served which all enjoyed. Delbert received quite a few useful gifts and the guests departed wishing him many happy returns of the pleasant occasion.

AARONSBURG.

Arthur Weaver is now the happy owner of a Ford car.

Miss Grace Hosterman, of near Coburn, spent Sunday with Mrs. Fred Rachau.

Mrs. A. L. Keller returned home on Saturday evening from a two week's visit with her sisters in and about Bellefonte.

Mrs. Ray Borland and two children, of Pittsburgh, are visiting Mrs. Borland's sister, Mrs. Stricker, and father, Henry Mowery.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Leitzell, son John and daughter Marian, after spending four weeks with relatives in Centre county, on Monday left for their home in Plainfield, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Eby, of New York city, passed through town on Saturday morning on their way to Woodward. Mrs. Eby returned the same day and spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Mayes.

John Winklebeck, who has had typhoid fever, we are pleased to note is improving rapidly. Master Bright Orwig, who has also been very ill for several weeks, is improving and we hope soon to see his happy little face on our streets again.

BOALSBURG.

J. J. Tressler, of Cedar Creek, was in town on Tuesday.

Miss Reish, of Altoona, is the guest of the Misses Mary Reish and Nora Miller.

Col. Roberts, of Washington, D. C., spent a few days at the home of Samuel Roberts last week.

Sergeant Baker, of Camp Oglethorpe, Ga., was a guest at the home of his sister, Mrs. John W. Keller, last week.

Messrs. C. C. Shuey and John Blanchard Esq., of Bellefonte, were in town Friday evening in the interest of the Liberty loan.

R. B. Harrison, who is employed at Jersey Shore, spent several days in town and on his return was accompanied by Mrs. Harrison and daughter, Miss Rhoda.

Orie Rupp came down from Altoona Saturday for a visit with his parents before leaving in company with Wayne Keller and Ed. Bohn for the U. S. service at a training school at Pittsburgh.

LEMONT.

Apple butter boiling and corn husking are all the go at this season.

There have been very few cases of influenza in this town up to this writing.

Claude Hoy is bragging about the big daughter that came to their home lately, and he says they now have a boy and a girl to help farm.

The heavy frosts that we have had are ripening the nuts. The chestnut crop is the heaviest that we have had in these parts in many years.

Luella Dale and her mother, who have been very ill with influenza the past two weeks, are on the mend and it is hoped that they will soon be well.

Verna Fogleman, who has been attending a commercial school at Williamsport, is home, owing to the closing of the school on account of influenza.

All schools and churches are closed and the people who have been regular attendants at all church services hardly know how to spend the Sabbath day.

Do not think that we have any slackers in these parts. The people try to please the government by not taking their automobiles out on Sunday, excepting for very urgent reasons.

Rev. McHenry moved his family into the United Brethren parsonage, at Houserville, on Monday, he having been sent here by the annual conference, for the ensuing year. We wish him a very pleasant and profitable time here on this change.

OAK HALL.

J. J. Tressler, of this place, transacted business at Bellefonte on Monday.

Mrs. G. W. R. Williams and son, T. Guy, of Nittany valley, were recent visitors in this vicinity.

Harold Wagner, who has been at Philadelphia the past few weeks, is home on a few day's visit.

Miss Esther Raymond and cousin Rufus spent the Sabbath day at the Johnstonsbaugh home below Boalsburg.

William Folk, who has been working at Ebensburg, was called home Thursday on account of the serious illness of his wife.

Maurice Whitehill, who has been employed at Philipsburg the past month, spent the week-end with his parents at this place.

Miss Zora Kupp left on Friday morning for near Philadelphia, to nurse Mrs. Orin Rupp and children, who are ill with pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lemay and children, of Lewistown, motored to the Lloyd E. Tate home on Sunday and spent the day very pleasantly.

A. W. Dale and daughters, Kathryn and Ellen, of Boalsburg, and Mrs. Clement Dale, of Houserville, were Sunday visitors at the L. K. Dale home.

Miss Iva Weaver, who has been assisting Mrs. Clayton Ebers the past few months, was a week-end visitor with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Weaver, of Baileyville.

RUNVILLE.

Ellery Lucas, of Snow Shoe, called on his parents last Sunday.

Harry Watkins, of Orviston, spent Sunday at the home of Ford Walker.

Reuben Lucas, of Philipsburg, spent Saturday night at the home of Martin Brower.

Miss Eunice Lucas, of Snow Shoe, is visiting at the home of her grandmother Witmer.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Aukerman, of Altoona, spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Heaton.

Mrs. William Watson and son Victor, with Eddie Gross, spent last Sunday at the home of Claude Poorman.

Willis Poorman and Frank Krumrine, of State College, were Sunday callers at the home of D. F. Poorman.

Mrs. Della Rine, of Bellefonte, was an over Sunday visitor at the home of her brother, Charles Smoyer, at this place.

Mrs. Effie Igar and two sons, William and Joseph, of Elmora, Pa., are spending a few days at her farm at this place.

Mrs. Harry Geist and grandson, Malcolm Poorman, of Bush Hollow, called at the home of Mrs. Ida Witmer last Sunday.

PLEASANT GAP ITEMS.

Postmaster J. A. Noll and wife left Sunday for a month's visit to Chicago.

Carrie Gettig spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James Summers, at Axe Mann.

Claire Hazel, of Greensburg, spent the week-end with his sister, Mrs. Clyde Ripka.

Charles Saul, who is in the naval submarine service, is visiting with his sister, Mrs. Fink.

Mr. and Mrs. William Rimey, of Jersey Shore, is visiting with relatives at the Gap.

Discrimination.

President Wilson is fond of telling a story about an old teamster. This old fellow said to the treasurer of the concern one day:

"Me and that off-horse has been workin' for the company seventeen years, sir."

"Jus so, Winterbottom, jus so," said the treasurer, and he cleared his throat and added: "Both treated well, I hope?"

The old teamster looked dubious. "Well," he said, "we was both took down sick last month and they got a doctor for the boss, while they docked my pay."—Pittsburgh Sun.

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A CALL FOR HELP.

To the Citizens of Pennsylvania.

The epidemic of influenza now sweeping through Pennsylvania has reached such alarming proportions and is increasing so rapidly that we feel it our duty to call public attention to the danger which threatens the entire Commonwealth, and to appeal for aid to all citizens, both men and women.

Up to the present time approximately two hundred and seventy-five thousand persons have sickened and each day records a higher number of new cases than the day before.

In Massachusetts where the epidemic started earlier than here, ten per cent. of the whole population has been affected and a death rate of five per cent. of the cases has been reported. The Commissioner of Health of that Commonwealth advises us that except in Boston and vicinity where the disease first broke out the number of new cases continues to equal the high water mark.

We have no grounds to expect an early abatement of the epidemic; on the other hand all reports from afflicted districts indicate that conditions will become worse before they become better.

The great anthracite and bituminous coal fields, the populous industrial and shipbuilding centres teeming as never before with thousands upon thousands of workers, are alike crippled in their output, and the gravity of the menace to our continued output of munitions and ships is very great. We must save Pennsylvania's citizens. We must win the war.

To deal with the situation the State Department of Health has divided the Commonwealth into nineteen districts each under supervising medical and nursing officers reporting to the Acting Commissioner and with the help of all the forces of the Adjutant General of the Commonwealth and the use of all State property under his control has assisted in establishing sixty-four emergency hospitals in those districts most affected. The Department has also enlisted the active co-operation of the Red Cross and the Council of National Defense and the Committee of Public Safety and all other relief organizations, but the demand for workers still far exceeds the supply. One-fourth of Pennsylvania's doctors and one-third of her nurses are serving under the colors, the first call for help from the New England States further diminished the supply and similar conditions in neighboring States render it impossible to give us help.

Notwithstanding all efforts which have been made the sick in some places may lie for days without a physician's attendance. There is a most distressing lack of nursing help for tending the sick in their own homes and the same condition prevails in practically all hospitals, both those long established and those hastily improvised for the emergency. Even the dead in populous centers lie too long unburied and the receiving vaults and morgues are more crowded than the hospitals.

Citizens of Pennsylvania the call for immediate personal service is imperative. The only solution of the problem is by free community service, tending the sick, feeding the hungry and bearing the burdens of the weak.

Both men and women are needed and should report for duty to their local health authorities or Red Cross Chapter.

Disaster to the essential war industries of the nation and calamity to our people can only be averted by united and vigorous action. Each community should as far as possible finance its own relief requirements, calling for aid from the Commonwealth or from State or National relief organizations only when needful, thus equalizing the burden.

We call upon the clergy, the press, educators, teachers and all those moulding public opinion to bring to the hearts and minds of our people the gravity and necessity of this appeal.

This call to service has been issued by the Governor of our Commonwealth, the Hon. Martin G. Brumbaugh. It is supported by B. Franklin Royer, acting commissioner of

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It is needless to say that the situation is critical these men would not be so insistent that every aid possible be lent to suppress the spread of influenza.

Centre county is in district No. 10, with Montour, Northumberland, Union and Clinton and the officers to whom you may both offer and seek help are as follows:

Medical Headquarters.—Physician in charge: Dr. Cameron Shultz, Danville, Pa. Telephone.

Associates.—Dr. C. H. Dimm, Mifflinburg; Dr. R. B. Tule, Milton; Dr. J. L. Seibert, Bellefonte; Dr. R. B. Watson, Lock Haven; Dr. E. L. Jones, Philipsburg; Dr. C. L. Fullmer, Renovo.

Nurse Headquarters.—Nurse in charge: (Acting) Miss Mildred Young, 110 Bloom St., Danville, Pa. Telephone.

Associates.—Miss Carrie Hess, Philipsburg; Miss Emma Kleinsorgen, Altoona; Miss Edith Buttorf, Renovo.

Money in Queues.

The Chinese authorities profess to be somewhat perturbed over the revival of queue growing, and the police in Peking have been instructed to see that all such hirsute appendages are removed. It is generally understood that the queue is a badge of imperialism, an expression of loyalty to the Manchu dynasty, and for that reason is taboo. Other enter into the matter of queue cutting, and these are not altogether disinterested. As a matter of fact, "squeeze" enters into this movement as it does in almost every one in China.

To explain. Human hair is very valuable. Chinese hair more so, because being so thick it can be split and applied to the various uses which have created the demand for human hair. Now a queue is worth roughly \$5 or \$6 Mexican, perhaps more, and if an official with commercial instincts can collect several hundred, he is doing a good stroke of business for himself. Of course, others may have to share in the profits, but still the balance to be credited to his banking account is substantial.

It is not suggested that any particular official plans this scheme, but it is well known that Chinese have been persuaded to remove their "tails" on grounds of hygiene and cleanliness. Men who were actuated solely by the profit to be derived from the sale of the hair. Even foreigners have not been above engaging in this trade, and shippers of coolies and workmen bound for Europe have been induced to part with their locks. It is only fair to say that the bulk of the police who carry out the queue cutting instructions have no other motive than obedience to orders, but, on the other hand, it is just as reasonable to infer that some one is making something out of it. In other words, queue cutting does not always represent anti-Manchianism. Sometimes it represents commercialism.—Peking Correspondence New York Times.

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