

# Democratic Watchman.

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## Country Correspondence

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

### PINE GROVE MENTION.

Charles M. Dale motored to Bellefonte last Friday.

J. I. Reed is having his residence wired for electric light.

E. H. Bierly is suffering with an attack of that much dreaded disease, pneumonia.

Mrs. Maude Goss, of Manor Hill, spent Saturday with friends here and at State College.

Most of our public schools celebrated Washington's birthday in a very appropriate manner.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon E. Ward motored to State College Saturday afternoon on a shopping tour.

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Rev. Kirkpatrick very ably filled the pulpit in the Presbyterian church on Sunday evening and pleased the congregation.

Chester A. Johnson has quit his job at Bellefonte and will occupy the George Ishler farm near Madisonburg after April first.

Albert Keith, boss farmer on the J. G. Miller farm, has resigned his job and will take charge of the Kline farm near Houseville.

The two Mrs. Baker, of Milroy, spent last week visiting their former neighbors, Mr. and Mrs. John Bowerman, near Baileyville.

Miss Catherine Kepler, who has held down a good position in Washington the past two years, is home on a fortnight's vacation.

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Tuesday they celebrated the event at their cosy home at Pennsylvania Furnace. Mr. and Mrs. Gates have four children, two boys and two girls, and many friends extended congratulations on their anniversary.

### ORVISTON.

Miss Hazel Walker, of Port Matilda, is helping Mrs. Newton Cameron through the winter months. Miss Walker was a former Orviston girl, and her many friends are glad to have her back again.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Deitz, of the upper works, accompanied by their little daughter Lulu and sons, Walter and Korman, were visitors at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Elmer Packer, of Beech Creek. They report a very enjoyable time.

J. W. Neibling, of the Garlock Packing Co., of Palmyra, N. Y., paid a visit to his mother, Mrs. M. A. Neibling, and his sister, Mrs. John Hume Sr., of Orviston. His stay was short, as he could only be absent from his work for a limited time.

Mrs. George McCracken is the proud and happy mamma of a splendid little son. Mr. McCracken, whose work calls him from his little family, has not as yet seen his wee treasure. We are sure he will be very much pleased with him, however, when he does arrive home.

Mrs. John Hume Sr. visited her son, Louis N. Hume, proprietor of the Exchange cafe, at Renovo. She found him feeling rather under the weather, as he is short of help, and trade is beginning to be very brisk, so Mr. Hume finds that playing chef and kitchen help at the same time, besides doing all the booking, is a little too much for one young man, and he needs the help.

Mrs. Sarah Moffit, of Philipsburg, and Mrs. Ella Thomas, of Clearfield, visited their aunt, Mrs. Rebecca Wommer, and their cousin, Mrs. Amelia Rickard. They had just returned from a trip to Florida and brought a treat to their aunt in the shape of some fine grape fruit. Mrs. Wommer still remains in about the same condition, although somewhat weaker. But she is unfailingly cheerful.

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Miss Mildred R. Beck was a State College visitor several days last week.

It is reported that Mr. J. L. Rachau has sold his mill at Clintondale which was partially destroyed by fire some months ago, to a Jersey Shore party, who expects to rebuild at once.

We are glad to report that Mr. B. W. Rumberger's health is improving and his many friends hope that he may soon regain his normal strength and activity. He is a good citizen and the kind of a man that is needed in the valley.

Mr. C. Y. Wagner was down the valley one day last week looking up prospective business for his new mill at Bellefonte. He had quite a trade from this section when he operated the old Brockenhoff mill at Roopsburgh and is always a welcome visitor in this section.

Dean Louis E. Reber, of the University of Wisconsin, was a welcome visitor at the J. H. Beck home the early part of the week. He is a brother of Mrs. Beck and is in charge of the extension department at the Wisconsin University. He was on his way to Philadelphia in the interest of his work.

And on Saturday night it snowed. The result, Sunday was a quiet day down the valley. The Emerick bus did not make any morning trip but got through in the afternoon and evening. There was little travel on the state road all day, but fortunately there was little wind and no drifting of the snow.

Messrs. James Nolan, Charles E. Emerick, Forest Harter and others of our progressive farmers went to State College one evening last week and attended a meeting of the Farm Cooperative League. They report a very interesting meeting. A large amount of feed, fertilizer, seeds, etc., have been ordered at a material reduction in price, which should help to reduce the high cost of producing farm crops.

### BOALSBURG.

Miss Anna Dale spent Thursday in Bellefonte.

D. W. Meyer is able to be out after a short illness.

Frank Fisher, of Altoona, spent several days with his mother, Mrs. A. E. Fisher.

The Knights of Malta entertained their friends at a banquet on Tuesday evening.

Rev. Kirkpatrick will preach in the Presbyterian church on Sunday at 2:30 p.m.

George Fisher and James M. Ross went to Altoona on Tuesday in the former's new Ford.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther K. Dale and son Frederic, of Oak Hall, were visitors in town on Tuesday.

Miss Anna Sweeney returned home Saturday from a three week's visit among friends in Altoona.

The entertainment given by the Shiloh people on Friday evening was well attended; the collection amounting to thirty dollars, was given to the Near East relief. Dr. W. K. McKinney, of Boalsburg, gave a short address. Mr. James H. Potter accompanied Dr. McKinney.

### OAK HALL.

Mrs. Sarah Etters, of Lemont, spent Monday at the L. K. Dale home.

Miss Margaret Ferree visited with friends at Bloomsburg during the week.

Miss Grace Gramley, of Altoona, visited from Thursday until Sunday at the home of her sister, Mrs. R. C. Lowder.

Quite a number of people of this place attended the play given by the Shiloh Sunday school, held at Boalsburg, Friday evening.

George Lowder, of Crafton; John Lowder, of Union Furnace, and Mrs. Mary Rothrock, of Reedsville, attended the funeral of their brother, Daniel Lowder, which was held on Monday.

The College township supervisors were busy recently putting crushed stone on the Houserville road.

Tuesday of last week the mercury rose to 75 degrees and Monday of this week it fell to 10 degrees below zero, and we now have snow about 12 to 14 inches deep.

Mr. George McCurdy had the misfortune to fall down stairs one day last week and break one of her hips, and it is feared that she will never be able to walk again.

### RUNVILLE.

Miss Sarah Biery spent Sunday at her home at Milesburg.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Lucas, of Altoona, spent last week at the home of L. Heaton.

Mrs. Lulu Davis, of Tyrone, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Lucas, last Friday.

Miss Edna Rodgers went to Snow Shoe last Monday and will teach school at Clarence.

Mrs. Sarah Eckley, of Williamsport, is visiting among her many friends in this place.

Quite a number of our young folks attended the entertainment at Yarnell last Saturday evening.

Miss Madge Poorman returned home last Sunday, after spending a month at State College.

Forden Walker visited at Altoona over Sunday, at the home of his sister, Mrs. George Heaton.

Elias Hancock, of Flemington, spent last Thursday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. John Furl.

The Stork visited our community on Thursday and left a baby girl at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence St. Clair. Mother and babe are getting along nicely.

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### YANKEES Plan Park to Seat 80,000 Fans.

Crowds to the huge proportions that look in on football in England and America will be watching baseball before many seasons, if the plans of the New York club owners are carried out.

The Yankees, who have been sharing the Polo grounds with the Giants for several seasons are about to build a home of their own. Last season the National League told Colonels Rupert and Huston that they weren't particularly keen about continuing the present arrangement.

The decision, however, merely hastens the plans American League magnates had been entertaining, to get a big yard of their own.

The plans for the stadium are being drawn with the idea of providing a seating capacity of 80,000 spectators and construction of the sort that will make additions possible if necessary.

The Polo grounds also are to be enlarged to seat about the same number. The Giant owners are not as near to the completion of their plans, however, as the Yankee bosses, who probably will have the construction work started this summer to have the plant ready for next season if possible.

Baseball crowds long ago outgrew the capacity of the Polo grounds but the cost of material and labor has been so high in the past few seasons, that the club owners could not carry out any plans for improvements. Since the grounds are becoming more popular as the battlefield for the big eastern football teams, the need was also felt for a greater seating capacity.

### CENTRE HALL.

W. A. Odenkirk made a flying trip to Philadelphia, leaving here on Tuesday.

E. L. Bartholomew and family, of Altoona, visited with relatives over Sunday.

Mrs. L. L. Smith is now recovering rapidly, and her nurse was discharged on Tuesday.