

Democratic Watchman

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To Correspondents.—No communications published unless accompanied by the real name of the writer. Terms of Subscription.—Until further notice this paper will be furnished to subscribers at the following rates:

PLEASE BE CURIOUS ENOUGH TO READ THIS PARAGRAPH. YOU WON'T REGRET IT.

What better wish could you send any one than "Healthy New Year?" And when it is so attractively offered in the tuberculosis Christmas Seal why not be sure that all your mail carries this gay little stamp?

Seals can be purchased for one cent at Miss Hoover's, the "Watchman" office, Runkle's drug store, Hazel's, Clevenstine's, Schlow's, from Mrs. Ed Struble, Miss Emma Waite, Mrs. Schloss, Miss Daise Keichline, Mrs. Robert Walker, Mrs. John Shugert, Miss Deborah Lyon, Miss Katherine Love, Miss Jane Daggett, Mrs. J. C. Harper, Miss Helene Williams, Miss Overton. And surely you cannot now say you didn't know where to buy them, can you?

Few ladies' and junior coats that we are closing out on Saturday at \$2.98. Come early.—Cohen & Co. 49-1t

Endorses Location for State Fair.

Altoona, Williamsport and Harrisburg were named in order as the choice for the permanent location at the proposed Pennsylvania State Agricultural and Industrial Exposition, in a resolution supporting the State fair plan passed at the annual business meeting and social gathering of the Centre county Farmers' Co-operative Association at State College last night.

Children's fur top mittens, 79c.—Cohen & Co. 49-1t

If you wonder what becomes of the money from the sale of tuberculosis Christmas Seals why didn't you go to the Parent-Teachers meeting on Monday night? You would have had the full worth of all the money you spend on seals even without that Funny Loo.

Boy's good, all solid school shoes, \$3.00 at Yeager's. 49-1t

W. C. Holt, a farmer of Huston township, was struck by a freight train as it was pulling into the side track at Julian, on Saturday evening, and injured to that extent that he was placed on the passenger train and brought to the Bellefonte hospital.

Boy's dress shoes, \$3.00 at Yeager's. 49-1t

MILLER.—Wallace G. Miller, a native of Centre county, but who had made his home at Glenside, near Philadelphia, the past twenty-five years or longer, died at St. Luke's hospital, Philadelphia, last Friday evening.

Mr. Miller was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Miller, and was born at Rebersburg about fifty-two years ago. When a young man he went to Philadelphia and during the past twenty-five years has been connected with the Horn and Hardart Baking company, which not only conducts a large bakery but operates a chain of restaurants.

He was twice married, his first wife being a Philadelphia girl who died a number of years ago. Four years ago he married Miss Virginia Geiss, a daughter of David K. Geiss, formerly of Centre Hall, who survives. He also leaves an adopted daughter, Mrs. Vernon Hupp, of Jefferson, Iowa, and a daughter, Miss Genevieve Miller, at home, as well as his father, living at Rebersburg.

Funeral services were held at his late home at Glenside on Monday evening and on Tuesday the remains were brought to Centre Hall and taken direct from the train to the cemetery and burial made in the Geiss lot.

GRIFFIN.—Albert Griffin, farmer on the Meek farm in Buffalo Run valley, died on Saturday night as the result of a complication of diseases dating back to an attack of influenza he suffered two years ago.

He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Griffin and was born in Patton township fifty-one years ago. Practically all his life was spent on the farms in that vicinity.

Rev. Reeder, of the Methodist church at Stormstown, had charge of the funeral which was held at ten o'clock on Tuesday morning, burial being made in Gray's cemetery.

WALKER.—Joel Maynard Walker, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Ford Walker, of Runville, passed away on Sunday following a brief illness. He was born on March 10th, 1920, hence was 1 year, 9 months and 1 day old.

DEPLER.—James A. Depler died at his home in Pittsburgh on Monday evening as the result of a stroke of paralysis sustained the Saturday previous. He was a native of Fort Wayne, Ind., and was in the employ of the Pennsylvania Railroad company.

HOOVER.—Mrs. Harriet Hoover passed away at the Methodist Home for the Aged in Tyrone on Tuesday evening as the result of an attack of acute indigestion. She was born in Lewistown a little over sixty-six years ago.

MEYERS.—Mildred Meyers, the ten year old daughter of Mrs. Samuel Tate, of State College, died on Wednesday night after twenty-four hours' illness as the result of an attack of nervous influenza.

County Treasurer Receives Dog Licenses.

Centre county's supply of dog license tags and blanks for 1922 have been received by county treasurer L. Frank Mayes and the license fees can be paid at the treasurer's office and the new license tags secured any time.

Under the provisions of the "Dog Law of 1921" every owner or keeper of a dog six months old or over must secure a dog license on or before January 15th, 1922.

Effort has been made by the Chapter to secure the traveling dental clinic maintained by the State Department of Health and Red Cross headquarters.

Miss Shipp's Has Left State College.

The people of State College and that part of Centre county, particularly the school kiddies, will regret to hear of the departure of Miss Helen Shipp, special Red Cross representative attached to the State College Chapter since last February.

Each succeeding year finds an increasing tendency to choose X-mas gifts with an eye to utility and lasting pleasure. It is this tendency that is making beautifully designed furniture extremely suitable for gift purposes.

W. R. BRACHBILL.

You get so much for your money by purchasing a tuberculosis Christmas Seal for one cent!

Ladies' dark tan shoes, low heels, \$3.00 at Yeager's. 49-1t

At a regular meeting of the Brooks-Doll Post, American Legion, on Tuesday evening the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Commander, John B. Payne; adjutant, Robert T. Willard; chaplain, Rev. W. P. Ard.

The Penn State football team arrived home at noon on Saturday from its trip to the Pacific coast, with the men all in good shape.

Dr. Edwin Erle Sparks, of State College, gave a half hour's talk before the students of the Bellefonte Academy yesterday morning on the subject, "If I were a Freshman."

Ladies' silk and wool hose, \$1.75 at Yeager's. 49-1t

Dental Clinics for School Children.

The first Red Cross dental clinic to be scheduled by the State College Chapter was held in the Spring Mills vocational school last Saturday, with Dr. F. A. Robinson, of State College, in charge.

Prof. Gehr, principal of the vocational school, is enthusiastic about the usefulness of the clinics, both for the actual service given the children, and for their educational value.

The appreciation of the school is best shown by the fact that professor Gehr asked the Chapter to try to secure a dentist for a third day of the clinic and said they would be glad to pay him something.

Two-day clinics are scheduled in three other schools as follows:

State College, January 17 and 19, Dr. J. J. Kilpatrick and Dr. E. S. Maloy, of Bellefonte. Centre Hall, February 11 and a half day of February 25, Dr. Musser, of Centre Hall.

Additional Pine Grove Mentions.

Mrs. Koch, of Millheim, accompanied by three daughters and Mrs. Miller, a neighbor woman, were entertained on Sunday at the G. W. Koch home on south Water street.

John C. Dunlap, who is fast developing into the John Wanamaker of Cherrytree, was here for his annual hunt with the Fleetfoot club and visiting his mother, Mrs. S. A. Dunlap.

It is interesting to note that a number of the children treated at the Stull clinics have totally recovered from their deformations, and many others have been wonderfully helped.

Tomato Plant Rivals Giant Killer's Bean Stalk.

If the youngsters who live in the vicinity of the Osmer flats, 19 south Daisy avenue, ever decide to start out on a giant hunting expedition as did Jack the Giant Killer in the famed fable, they needn't look far for their conveyance.

On the south side of the flats is growing a big tomato vine, declared to be one of the largest in Southern California. It was planted there in May by Mrs. J. J. Osmer and it has been reaching with greedy fingers for the sky ever since.

There are at least fifteen tomatoes growing on the vine at present. Several were cut off yesterday. The Osmer household, due to the generosity of the climber, has not purchased any tomatoes from the corner grocer for so long.

The Mrs. Osmer referred to above is the wife of J. J. Osmer, brother of Mrs. A. Hibler, of Bellefonte. It is quite interesting to note that at the time the above item was published vegetation was all dead here and the weather was then bordering on winter.

All kinds of lumbermen's gams \$4.00 at Yeager's. 49-1t

December Session of Court.

The December session of court, which convened on Monday morning, was one of the shortest held in years, as all the business was concluded in two days.

The first case called was that of The Potter-Hoy Hardware Co. vs. George M. McDevitt, Mary K. McDevitt and H. W. Tate, being an action in assumption.

Commonwealth vs. George H. Newman, indicted for larceny. Prosecutor Ralph A. Smith. Defendant pleaded guilty, sentence suspended upon the payment of costs within four months.

Commonwealth vs. Steve Yakoski, larceny. Faeled for one year upon payment of costs.

Commonwealth vs. Edward Dunkle, assault and battery. Prosecutor, Ralph A. Smith. Defendant pleaded guilty and sentence was suspended upon payment of costs.

Commonwealth vs. James Kind, assault and battery. Prosecutor, Edward Gates. Defendant pleaded guilty and was sentenced to pay a fine of \$200.00 and costs.

Commonwealth vs. Elmer Frank, assault and battery. Prosecutor, George Rupe. The jury returned a verdict of not guilty and the costs were divided between the prosecutor and defendant.

Commonwealth vs. Charles C. James, assault and battery. Prosecutor Hazel James. The jury returned a verdict of guilty and after reprimanding the defendant the court suspended sentence temporarily upon the payment of costs.

Commonwealth vs. Edgar Miller, charged with wantonly pointing and discharging firearms. Prosecutors, Samuel Irvin and Samuel Gordon. Verdict of not guilty and prosecutors to pay one-third of the costs and defendants two-thirds.

The grand jury made its final report Tuesday morning in which they recommended some minor repairs to the jail.

Marriage Licenses.

Walter E. Ray, Bellefonte, and Pearl G. Ruble, Centre Hall. Eugene H. Meyers, Mill Hall, and Betty Delaney, Nittany.

Academy Road Improvement Fund.

Amount previously acknowledged, \$1079.00. McCalumet & Co., Bellefonte, 10.00. Ottavio Berardis, Bellefonte, 10.00. \$1099.00.

Ladies' black and blue velour coats with plush collar.

Full lined. Special for Saturday, Dec. 17—\$10.00 each.—Cohen & Co. 49-1t

Real Estate Transfers.

J. L. Hollock, et ux, to Ella May Sheriff, tract in Phillipsburg; \$1,700. Pernelia Mesmer, et bar, to Henry Woomeer, tract in College township; \$500.

H. P. Griffith, et ux, to Anna R. Fackenthal, tract in State College; \$1.

FOUR POWERS ALLIANCE.

Quadruple Combination Formed at the Armament Conference.

To the scrap-heap where capital ships are soon to be consigned the Anglo-Japanese Alliance preceded them on Saturday. From its ashes there arose, phoenix-like, a new and greater edifice dedicated to the cause of peace in the Pacific.

The United States of America, the British Empire, France and Japan, with a view to the preservation of the general peace and the maintenance of their rights in relation to their insular dominions in the regions of the Pacific Ocean, have determined to conclude a treaty to this effect and have appointed as their plenipotentiaries:

His Majesty, the King of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British dominions beyond the seas, Emperor of India. And for the Dominion of Canada. For the Commonwealth of Australia.

His Majesty, the Emperor of Japan. Who having communicated their full powers, found in good and due form, have agreed as follows:

Article I.—The high contracting parties agree as between themselves to respect their rights in relation to their insular possessions and insular dominions in the regions of the Pacific Ocean.

Article II.—If the said rights are threatened by the aggressive action of any other Power, the high contracting parties shall communicate with one another fully and frankly in order to arrive at an understanding as to the most efficient measures to be taken, jointly and separately, to meet the exigencies of the particular situation.

Article III.—This agreement shall remain in force for ten years from the time it shall take effect, and after the expiration of said period it shall be enforced subject to the right of any of the high contracting parties to terminate it upon twelve months' notice.

Article IV.—This agreement shall be ratified as soon as possible in accordance with the constitutional methods of the high contracting parties and shall take effect on the date of ratifications which shall take place at Washington, and thereupon the agreement between Great Britain and Japan, which was concluded at London on July 13th, 1911, shall terminate.

BIRTHS.

Dean—On October 15, to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dean, of Bellefonte, a son. Smith—On October 15, to Mr. and Mrs. William Smith, of Bellefonte, a son.

Rhoads—On October 23, to Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Rhoads, of Bellefonte, a son. George Wilbur.

Billett—On October 24, to Mr. and Mrs. Chester Billett, of Bellefonte, a son, Paul Elwood.

McKinley—On November 13, to Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert R. McKinley, of Bellefonte, a son, Norman Lee.

Corman—On October 9, to Mr. and Mrs. John M. Corman, of Zion, a son, J. Neal.

Rodgers—On October 20, to Mr. and Mrs. George Rodgers, of Nittany, a son, John Irvin.

Smith—On October 23, to Mr. and Mrs. Whitmer Smith, of Nittany, a daughter, Esther Louise.

Deitrick—On November 6, to Mr. and Mrs. John Deitrick, of Mingoville, a son, George Henry.

Smith—On November 11, to Mr. and Mrs. Paul V. Smith, of Bellefonte, a son, Paul Francis.

Howard—On November 3, to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Howard, of Bellefonte, a daughter, Mary Louise.

Ishler—On November 12, to Mr. and Mrs. William J. Ishler, of Benner township, a son, Crider Richard.

Kelly—On November 15, to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Ross Kelly, of Millheim, a daughter, Abbie Jeanette.

Rose—On November 12, to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rose, of Bellefonte, a son, John Antoni.

Emel—On November 21, to Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Emel, of Spring township, a son, Walter Andrew.

Miller—On November 23, to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph F. Miller, of State College, a son.

Lose—On November 24, to Mr. and Mrs. Samuel F. Lose, of Pleasant Gap, a son, William Cornell.

Hazle—On November 7, to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hazle, of Bellefonte, a son, Harold Herbert.

Rose—On November 10, to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rose, of Spring township, a daughter, Catherine Elizabeth.

Van Ingen—On November 15, to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Van Ingen, of Spring township, a son, Warren Duncan.

Peters—On November 17, to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Peters, of Bellefonte, a son, Glenn Charles.

Moerschbacher—On November 28, to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph C. Moerschbacher, a son.

Lyon—On November 20, to Mr. and Mrs. Guy W. Lyon, of Bellefonte, a son, Guy Waverly, Jr.

Rose—On November 24, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rose, of Bellefonte, a son.