Country Correspondence

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

PINE GROVE MENTION.

The Petersburg ball team will play our champions tomorrow afternoon. Our high constable, H. M. Walker, recently invested in a Star automobile. Dr. C. T. Aikens, of Selinsgrove, was a guest over Sunday at the E. C.

Just 1683 automobiles and 43 motorcycles passed through town on Sun-

Edgar C. Bowersox, of Philadelphia, spent several days in the valley the latter part of the week. Mr. and Mrs. C. M. McCormick, of

Circleville, were recent callers at the Elmer C. Musser home.

W. E. Johnson is having a concrete pavement put down in front of his residence on east Main street. Oscar B. Krebs and wife and H. M.

Krebs and wife, of Altoona, spent Sunday among friends here. Elizabeth Archey, who has been af-flicted with an attack of diphtheria, is

now regarded as out of danger.

Fred Wagner has been given the contract to paint the buildings on the

Mrs. Olewine farm on the Branch. W. H. Cramer, of East Altoona, and Collins Grove, of Pleasant Gap, greeted their old chums here on Monday.

Miss Lizzie Thompson, of State College, is spending this week at the home of her brother, W. F. Thompson. Mr. and Mrs. George Johnston-

baugh, daughter and son-in-law, were visitors at the W. A. Collins home on Sunday. Miss Mary Gardner, of the Glades, accompanied her brother, Robert Gardner and wife, to their home in

Pittsburgh. John Quinn had the misfortune to lose one of his best horses, last Thursday night, as the result of an attack

of the colic. Mrs. Emma Moore, of State College, was here for the installation of Rev. John S. English, as pastor of the

Lutheran church. Farmer Joseph T. Fleming underwent an operation, in the Huntingdon hospital, last Thursday evening, and is now recovering.

The Methodist congregation is planning some improvements to their church property, which will include a coat of fresh paint.

John C. Dunlap, of Cherrytree, was an over Sunday visitor with his moth-er, Mrs. S. A. Dunlap. He was ac-companied by his wife.

Mr. and Mrs. John Quinn were summoned to Lewistown this week owing moned to Lewistown this week owing to the serious illness of their daugh-in this valley and lived here until

farming next spring and Miss Olive Mitchell is offering her farm for sale. The Johnson string band gave a

concert on Monday evening and the following evening the Citizens band gave us some of their delightful mu-

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Little and baby daughter Helen, of Tyrone, motored down on Sunday and were guests for supper at the Fred Fry home at Fair-

W. S. Ward, of Baileyville, went to Harrisburg on Tuesday to be present at the funeral on Wednesday of his cousin, Mr. Paulsbury, a retired railroader

J. C. McClosky and two sons, of Clearfield, were callers at the home of the Ward sisters last Friday, taking home with them Mr. McCloskey's mother for a several week's visit. The public is asked to keep in mind

the harvest home picnic to be held at Pine Hall on August 11th, under the auspices of the Lutheran church. The Citizens band will furnish the music.

Dr. DeVoe Meade, head of the animal husbandry department at the Maryland Agricultural College, with his wife and two sons, are guests at the Kepler home. The doctor will also visit his alma mater, Cornell University, at Ithaca, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Mayer and Mr. and Mrs. Schover, of Chester, Pa., spent a day at the St. Elmo the early part of

HAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS

AH HEAH TELL BOUT FOLKS WHUT DONE MAKE SO MUCH MONEY DEY KIN SET BACK EN RES' BUT SHUCKS! AH KIN DO DAT WID A GOOD RIPE WATEH -MILYUN!

the week. Leaving on Tuesday morning they went to the D. W. Miller camp at Old Monroe furnace, where they spent a jolly day or two before returning home.

The official installation of Rev. John S. English, as pastor of the Lutheran church, took place at 10:30 o'clock last Sunday. Dr. Charles T. Aikens preached the sermon and delivered the charge to the pastor. In the evening Rev. Wilson Potter Ard preached and delivered the charge to the congrega-

Russell Miller, of Wooster, Ohio, is spending his vacation at the home of his uncle, J. G. Miller. The young man graduated at State College in 1922 in the agricultural chemistry course, and during the past year has held a position at Wooster. He will go from here to Ithaca, N. Y., to accept a position in Cornell University.

While out in the foothills of Tussey mountain, a few days ago, on the hunt for woodchucks, George Burwell shot a big rattlesnake. He then looked around for its mate, which he had little trouble in finding, but instead of killing it he captured it alive and brought it home. The snake, which is on exhibition in the window of Reed's restaurant, is over three feet long and has ten rattles and a button.

AARONSBURG.

William Stover, of Howard, made a brief call on his friend, Thomas Hull.

Mrs. Ella Irey and grandson, Sumner Irey, of Danville, are guests of Mrs. Irey's brother, Dr. C. S. Musser. Mrs. Walter C. Orwig and daughter Olive, of Northumberland, are guests A farewell dance was given on Monday evening for Mr. and Mrs. Coxey, who are moving to State College.

Mrs. Walter C. Orwig and daughter Olive, of Northumberland, are guests of Mrs. Orwig's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Bright.

Mr. and Mrs. James Roush and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wolfe have as guests Mr. and Mrs. Tobias and daughter, of Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Guerney Wert and four children, of Philadelphia, have been guests of Mr. Wert's mother, Mrs. J. J. Fiedler, on Front street.

Mr. and Mrs. George S. Cunningham spent the week-end in Riverside, where they attended the sale of household goods and house, at Mrs. Cunningham's home.

In last week's locals we forgot to mention that Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Mensch and children, of Altoona, spent Sunday at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Mensch, and Mr. and Mrs. Stover, in Millheim.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Stover have as guests their daughters, Mrs. William C. Mingle and daughter Ruth, and Miss Mae Stover, of Akron, Ohio; Mrs. Henry Mingle and two small sons, also of Akron, are guests of Mr. Mingle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Mingle.

Visitors at the Reformed parsonage on Sunday were, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Hollenbach, Clyde and Roy Hollenbach, of Middleburg, R. D.; Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Hollenbach, Carrie Hollenbach, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Knause and Ray Knause, of Kratzerville. They attended the services at Aaronsburg on Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Burd, of Akron, Ohio, after spending ten days with Mr. Burd's brother Sumner and famiv at their home east of town. Mr. and Mrs. Homer Decker with their daughter and husband, motored up from Spring township and spent Sunday with grandmother O'Bryan.

Owing to the scarcity of farm help Frank Swabb has decided to quit farming next spring and Miss Olive formula for the spring and Miss Olive formula for the formula formula formula for the formula for family also spent some time, Mr. Burd being a nephew of the Holloways.

RUNVILLE.

Thomas Poorman has bought a new

W. T. Kunes, of Mill Hall, spent Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs.

Quite a number of people from this place attended the funeral of Mrs. George Holt on Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Claude Poorman and

two children, of Bellefonte, spent Sunday afternoon at the home of D. F. Mrs. Bruce Price and son Carl, of Mount Union, and Mrs. Edwin Swank,

of New Millport, visited their sister, Mrs. G. A. Sparks, last week. Mr. and Mrs. James McClincy and two daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Budd Walker and two children, Mr. and Mrs. Toner Furl and daughter, and Jacob McClincy autoed to Winburne on Sunday and visited at the home of

Mrs. Sallie Holt. ton, of Clearfield; Mrs. Ellis Resides and two children, of Milesburg, and Mrs. G. W. Heaton and daughter, of Altoona, visited on Sunday at the home of L. J. Heaton.

JACKSONVILLE.

Willard Weaver spent Sunday with friends in Lock Haven.

Carl Martin and father, of State College, were callers among friends here on Sunday. Miss Hazel Dietz, of Blanchard,

was an over Sunday guest at the home of her friend, Pearl Weaver. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Keifer and son Leslie, of Flemington, were Saturday callers at the William Weaver home. Mrs. Mabel Peck and daughter Fre-

da were over Sunday guests at the home of Mrs. Peck's sister, Mrs. Har-Mr. and Mrs. Russell Stamm and daughter, Mary Catherine, of Altoo-

na, were brief visitors among friends in this place last week. Mr. and Mrs. Homer Yearick, of Williamsport, were over Sunday visit-ors at the George Ertley home, and visited other friends while in town.

Visitors at the George Ertley home on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Daily and a lady friend, of Altoona; Miss Jeannette Winkleman, and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Yearick, of Williamsport, and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Kling,

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OAK HALL.

Miss Dorothy Lowder is spending her vacation with relatives in Altoona. Grant Kline is a victim of blood poisoning, but at this writing is slow-

ly improving. Mr. and Mrs. John Gramley, of Aloona, were week-end guests at the R. C. Lowder home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Peters and family were callers among friends at Pine Grove Mills on Sunday.

Miss Mary Struble returned to Bellefonte, after having spent a few days at the Gilliland home. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rishel, of

Wilkes-Barre, motored through town Sunday, stopping a short time to greet Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Wagner and son, of Cleveland, Ohio, are visiting for some time at Mr. Wagner's paren-

tal home at this place. Alvin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Reitz, had the misfortune to fall on a sharp stone while playing, and received a deep cut on his leg.

their many friends. Mr. Rishell was a former resident of this place, leaving here several years ago for Wilkes-Bar-re, where he is holding down a good position.

William Bohn returned home Saturday, after having spent a week at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Russell Mayes, at Lock Haven. Mr. Bohn's health is little improved.

Mr. and Mrs. William Houser and son William, accompanied by George Markle and Mrs. Mae Baylets, motored to Womelsdorf and visited Mrs. Bayletts' two small sons, who are in the orphans' home at that place.

Mrs. W. E. Homan and son Paul departed on Friday for Akron, Ohio, where they will be guests of her sister, Mrs. John Drighton, for a short time. During her absence her mother, Mrs. Sunday, is assisting at the Ho-

50 PER CENT OF OUR SOLDIERS DECLARED KILLED UNNECES-ESSARILY.

Ignorance of "open warfare" tactics, lack of training in scout and Indian methods of fighting, for which American soldiers were supposed to be fa-mous, resulted in the death of 50 per cent. of the American soldiers killed in the great war. This announcement is credited to Major-General George H. Harriers, at a banquet recently in

light the time was taken assigning the half-taked newcomers to rifles, machine gun and mopping-up units. With the morning came the advance. After two days of hard fighting it was found to complete the complete of the compl that 81 per cent. of the regiment's killed and wounded were of the 400 replacements-which was a needless waste of human lives.

The French soldiers were aghast at the American casualty list. The British commented quietly and regretfully. General Harriers stated that many enemy officers praised the energy and aggressiveness of the American attack but all asked: "Where was the indi-vidual technique? Great numbers of your soldiers perished because their unbridled spirit took them into situations where they could only be defeated. Mass formation-group attacksin the face of machine gun fire could not possibly succeed." Not only in the enlisted personnel were the huge cas-ualties but also many capable officers "went west" while trying to correct the errors of the untried who were facing the enemy for the first time. Untrained officers went the same way because they had little more than the

book-learning. With the American army there was fine spirit in abun-dance, but courage could not substitute for severe and prolonged instruc-tion. The Americans, filled with confidence, aggressiveness-and with super-courage were flung raw from the streets of our cities and towns into the battle against an enemy who makes every young man take two years' military training.

The lesson taught goes well toward forming an argument for compulsory training for the American youth. It would seem that peace lies only in the preparation for war. It has been said no one slaps Jack Dempsey on the face because he is prepared and it could be applied equally as well to this country were we to follow the course prescribed by well known army officers who know from actual experience.

FAMILY PETS AND CANCER.

Late news about concer may do much good, if it turns out to be true. The world has been puzzled by the spread and origin of cancer, rapidly taking first place among diseases that kill human beings. Now Dr. Bazvin, a French scientist, declares that fleas, jumping from dogs and cats, transmit the cancer germ to human beings. It has long been known that children's diseases are spread by dogs and cats —cats especially. As long as cats are children's playthings, say the doctors, it will be impossible to wipe out diphtheria, scarlet fever and other child diseases. That has not had much effect on those who admire the dog and cat. But cancer is a terrible disease, it kills with slow torture, and is hopeless when beyond the reach of surgery, and it kills adults. If men and women believed that the pet may be carrying fleas perhaps borrowed from other cats and dogs, and ready to transmit cancer, the pet will seem less desirable and common sense will gain. -Exchange.

-"You're managing to wake up

earlier these mornings."
"Yes. I've just bought a parrot."
"Instead of an alarm clock?"

"Instead of an alarm clock,"
"I already had an alarm clock, but
I got so I didn't pay any attention to
it. Now I hang the parrot's cage in
my room and put the alarm clock under it. When the alarm goes off it -The "Watchman" gives all the startles the parrot, and what the bird says is enough to wake anybody.'

BIG SHOWING IN SIX MONTHS.

Detroit, Mich., July 30 .- A total of 1,050,185 automotive products were built by the various divisions of the Ford Motor company during the first six months of the present year, according to figures just compiled.

The output for the half year was as

follows: Ford cars and trucks, domestic and foreign, 941,245; Canada 46,871, Ford-son tractors, 58,557 and Lincoln cars

A new monthly record for produc-tion was established by the Domestic assembly plants in June with a total of 175,040 Ford cars and trucks, exceeding the output of May by nearly

New production marks have been set up almost daily since January, but there hasn't been a time when manufacture even approximated the de-

With production increasing in an endeavor to meet the demand, it is expected that the company will finish the year with a total approximating the year with a total approximating chased a hundred cents in value. 1,800,000 Ford cars and trucks for domestic use alone.

This is the opinion expressed by officials in view of the present prosperous conditions, the increasing number of orders and the outlook for even better times prevailing during the com-

ing months.

In bringing up production, efforts all along have been devoted to building better. As a result many improvements have been made and though Ford cars and trucks are today at the lowest price level in the history of the company they are of higher quality and present a greater value to

the purchaser than ever before.

The demand for Ford trucks and Light Delivery cars is particularly optimistic since it reflects the attitude of business men, as well as farmers, toward expansion and greater efficiency. Sales of Ford trucks are more than double those of last year, which indicates the extent of the general

prosperity.
For months Ford dealers have had no stocks on hand, buyers absorbing the cars and trucks as rapidly as they are turned out of assembly plants With this condition continuing production is certain to remain at capacity to aid dealers in making deliveries as quickly as possible.

Penn State Graduate School Crowded

H. Harriers, at a banquet recent, the west. Harriers is at present commander in chief of the Military Order Pennsylvania State College this summer, taking courses leading to advance mer, taking courses leading to information A total if 64 men and women are ed degrees according to information mation from officers of all the allied nations taking part in the war. He of this number, 47 are men and 17 quoted one case where a regiment in the Argonne which received 400 replacements to fill the ranks to war strength of about 3,700. This was at 9 o'clock the night before an advance in Pennsylvania. The graduate school in Pennsylvania. The graduate school in Pennsylvania. was to be made. From then until day- was established about a year ago and

Year.

ment of Highways will complete its oiling schedule in June, rather than in July, is contained in a letter to Dehim something to make him sick and the self of you, what would give him something to make him sick and the self of you, what would give him something to make him sick and the self of you, what would give him something to make him sick and the self of you, what would give him something to make him sick and the self of you, what would give him something to make him sick and the self of you, what would give him something to make him sick and the self of you, what would give him something to make him sick and the self of you, what we would give him something to make him sick and the self of you, what we would give him something to make him sick and the self of you what we would give him something to make him sick and the self of you what we would give him something to make him sick and the self of you what we would give him something to make him sick and the self of you what we will be self of you what we will be self of your white which we will be self of your white white which we will be self of your white white white white white white white white white whith white w partment engineers from William H. then administer an antidote."

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Connell, deputy secretary of high-

Mr. Connell early this season directed the Department's maintenance forces to complete the oiling schedule by July 1, declaring he saw no reason why the traveling public should be inconvenienced throughout the entire summer and fall by the presence on the roads of distributing crews. The Department by July 1 completed 500 more miles of oil than was originally intended.

THE FARMER'S DOLLAR.

From Department of Agriculture report covering a period of thirty years, as compiled by the Secretary, Henry C.

Wallace. The statement is very significant. During the past thirty years the Republican party has been in control of our national affairs, a greater part of

1893	87—Democratic	
1894	85—Democratic	
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1912	101—Republican	
1913	100—Democratic	
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1915	103—Democratic	
1916	97—Democratic	
1917	107—Democratic	
1918	112—Democratic	
1919	112—Democratic	
1920	96—Democratic	
1921	84—Republican	
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1922 89—Republican (The report includes food and farm products, with all other products). Remember that at present, the farmer's dollar, measured in other than farm products, is only 59.9 cents.

Matches and Toothpicks Made of Airplane Lumber.

The vast lumber piles of white pine, hemlock and spruce airplane stock cut and seasoned during the war but which was not used, is now being turned into toothpicks and matches.

This valuable wood, famous for its straight, tough fiber, has suddenly leaped into demand, and eleven match factories have been established in the northwest the last six months. Two mills are working the easy-splitting hemlock into polished toothpicks.

--- "Now," said the professor in the medical college, "if a person in good health, but who imagined himself Intimation that in 1924 the Depart- sick, should send for you, what would

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