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Political Announcements.

FOR NATIONAL DELEGATE.

We are authorized to announce that John P. Short is a candidate for Delegate to the National Democratic Convention from the 23rd Congressional District. Subject to the primary election laws of Pennsylvania and the Rules of the Democratic party in the State and District.

Mr. and Mrs. North Guests at Chinese Mission Home.

China Inland Mission Home, Ichang, China, Wednesday, Oct. 31, 1923.

Dear Home Folks:

We are now in Ichang, where we change boats the last time before we reach Chungking. We anchored several miles below Ichang last night, because the captain of our boat, a nice fellow in many ways, wanted us to have a quiet night and if we had come on up to Ichang there would have been so many small boats around our boat all night that we wouldn't have gotten a minute's sleep.

We were up but not dressed this morning when Mr. Squire, of this Mission Home, came on board and told us they were expecting us to come ashore for breakfast. We had intended to have breakfast on boat and so were not hurrying any, but we rushed around and managed to get here a little after eight. The ships do not come up to shore here. They anchor a little distance out, then you have to transfer to a native boat or "sampan" and come ashore in that. The C. I. M. have their own boat and boatmen so we were well taken care of. Nobody coming through Ichang likes to have to stay over here, but this mission home is a God-send when you have to stay. We will have to stay till Friday, anyway, and we may not get out before Saturday. We have engaged passage on the Robert Dollar boat, an American company; (the first American boat we will have been on since we left home). The Robert Dollar is supposed to be here now, but it is being held up at Wansien, a place that has been taken by a Chinese General who recognizes no government, not even the Chinese government. They are holding two Japanese men prisoners now and are asking a million dollars ransom. The Japanese gunboats are up there and can't do a thing. There are also American and British gunboats there. The reason the Robert Dollar hasn't gotten down is because this General and his army have built a pontoon bridge across the river.

We are having the only really gloomy, bad day today that we've had since we arrived in China. Just now it is raining hard, a steady downpour, and it's damp and chilly, the kind of chilly that goes clear into your bones. You should see the Chinese streets in this kind of weather. Bill has been out this afternoon and his trousers are mud almost to the knees. In the short time that he was out he got his feet soaking wet. Fortunately he has a change of shoes and socks, but he has no other suit to put on. We brought only hand baggage up to the house with us.

I had a very interesting experience this afternoon. Right after I had finished tea, I walked out onto the porch and there were three Chinese ladies and a little boy. They were dressed beautifully in silk jackets and foreign skirts and shoes. They began to chatter away in Chinese and I know just enough to be able to say "bu-dong," which means "I don't understand." I called Mrs. Squire, the lady of the house, and while she finished serving tea, she left me stranded in the parlor with those three ladies. It seemed ages that I sat there and couldn't say a thing. The Chinese ladies looked me over and pointed to my feet and talked about them. I suppose they were remarking about the size. After Mrs. Squire came back, we had a lovely time because she acted as interpreter. It turned out that the Chinese ladies know a little English but were afraid to use it, and they were thinking that I could speak Chinese but wouldn't use it. These ladies were all officials wives, one being the wife of a General, another a Major's wife, and I don't remember what position the third woman's husband has.

We are having our first experience with oil lamps in China. We realize now that we really are in China. The old thing smells and the wick isn't trimmed evenly. I almost wish I were back in the States.

I must close now. You'll be tired out by the time you peruse all these epistles. We are hoping that we'll find some home mail for us at Chungking. Do write often. You can't imagine how we hunger for mail from home.

SARAH.

STRUBLE.—A notable career in professional nursing was terminated last Friday afternoon by the sudden death from acute dilatation of the heart of Mary Belle Struble, at the home of her cousin, Olive B. Mitchell, with whom she has lived the past nine months.

About four years ago, while nursing in Washington, D. C., she suffered a nervous breakdown but, after a year's vacation, resumed work under the U. S. Veteran's Bureau, being assigned field duty covering five counties, with headquarters in Erie, Pa. This position proved too strenuous and last May she had a serious heart collapse and came home to rest, hopeful of ultimate recovery.

A daughter of the late Conrad and Sarah Mitchell Struble, she was born and grew to womanhood at Struble's Station within sight of The Pennsylvania State College, where she was later a student for four years, a member of the class of '91. At the end of her Sophomore year she left Penn State to enter the nurses training school of the Woman's hospital in Philadelphia from which she was graduated three years later. From that time she has nursed continuously until her recent illness, having been for many years a special nurse of the late Dr. Roland Curtin, in Philadelphia and through his interest made superintendent of nurses in the George Washington University hospital, Washington, D. C., where she remained five years, then resigned to be superintendent of the Hebrew hospital in Baltimore, but finally returned to private nursing in Washington.

Entering the nursing profession when there were few compared to the present time, she knew no limit of hours nor devotion to duty, always giving unstintingly to her patients, rich or poor. The writer has known her, when superintendent of nurses, to spend entire nights by the bed of a patient unable to afford a special nurse, and whose life depended upon her service. A list of her patients would include women and men distinguished in the social, professional and political world. Few nurses are richly endowed as was she with the qualities essential for success in the profession—of commanding presence, with a sweet and pleasingly modulated voice, gentle, sympathetic and a heart full of sympathy and love for all afflicted ones it is slight wonder that she was beloved by patients wherever she served.

She was a member of the Bellefonte Chapter D. A. R. through one of her maternal ancestors after whom Ferguson township was named; her Mitchell ancestry in this county dating back to 1812 when David Mitchell came here from Milroy.

Two half-brothers, Andrew and Clayton Struble, of State College, are her only surviving near relatives.

After funeral services conducted by the Rev. DePui Maynard of the Episcopal church of which she has been a devoted member for thirty years, interment was made Tuesday afternoon in the Pine Grove Mills cemetery, where members of her family are laid within sight of the old Mitchell home. "Sleep after toil, port after stormy seas, Ease after war, death after life, does greatly please."

LEWIS.—Mrs. Myrtle Irene Lewis, wife of Clair Lewis, died at her home in Tyrone on Sunday evening following a brief illness with lobar pneumonia.

She was a daughter of W. J. and Rachel Hamler Wiser and was born at Port Matilda on November 17th, 1886, living there until her marriage to Mr. Lewis in 1912. Practically all her married life had been spent in Tyrone. She was a member of the Baptist church, of Tyrone, and always a faithful attendant. She is survived by her husband and four children, all at home; her mother, seven brothers and sisters and three half-brothers, Mrs. Pearl E. Harris, W. E. and Clair Wiser and W. T. Patton, all being residents of Port Matilda.

The remains were taken to Port Matilda where funeral services were held in the Baptist church at two o'clock on Wednesday afternoon by Rev. King, of Tyrone, and Rev. Parsons, of Port Matilda. Burial was made in the Presbyterian cemetery at Port Matilda.

KANE.—Miss Margaret Kane, for many years a resident of Bellefonte, died on Tuesday morning at the home of her nephew, John Brown, at Oil City, Pa., as the result of a broken hip sustained in a fall seven weeks previous. She was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kane and was born at Hecla Park eighty-one years ago. When a child she came to Bellefonte and was a familiar resident on Quaker Hill until leaving here in 1910 for Oil City to make her home with her nephew, Daniel Kane, of New Kensington, Pa., is her only surviving brother. She was a lifelong member of the Catholic church and funeral mass was held over her remains yesterday morning, burial being made at Oil City. Her nieces and nephews here were unable to attend the funeral for the reason that their mother, Mrs. James Kane, is so seriously ill at her home on Lamb street that little hope of her recovery is entertained.

SUNDAY.—George H. Sunday, of Bellwood, died at the Mercy hospital, Altoona, on Monday afternoon, following a prolonged illness with cancer of the liver. He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Sunday and was born at Tusseyville, Centre county, over sixty-six years ago. He is survived by one daughter, two sons, three brothers and two sisters. Burial was made in the Logan Valley cemetery on Wednesday afternoon.

DALE.—Clement Dale, nestor of the Centre county bar, passed away at his home on north Allegheny street shortly after two o'clock on Wednesday afternoon, following several months' illness with pernicious anemia. Mr. Dale's death follows close upon that of his brother, A. A. Dale, Esq., who passed away on January 19th.

A son of Christian and Eliza Neff Dale he was born on his father's farm at Oak Hall on February 25th, 1851, hence had reached the age of 73 years, 1 month and 1 day. His boyhood days were not unlike those of all farmer's sons, going to the public school in winter time and doing the chores on the farm during the summer holidays. After he reached the age of twelve years he attended a private school taught by the Rev. Dr. Hamill, at Oak Hall, and at the age of sixteen years he entered the Boalsburg Academy and prepared for college under the tutorage of G. W. Leisher. In 1870 he matriculated as a Freshman at Pennsylvania College (now Gettysburg College) where he graduated in the classical course in 1874. Immediately following his graduation he came to Bellefonte and entered the office of A. O. Furst, Esq., where he got his legal training, being admitted to the Centre county bar for the practice of law on August 29th, 1876. Mr. Dale entered upon his life's work with such enthusiasm and energy that one year later he was made the choice of the Republican party for district attorney but was defeated by his Democratic opponent.

In 1880 he was elected chief burgess of Bellefonte, and served one term very creditably. For ten years he served as borough solicitor for the town council. An enthusiastic Republican he was always willing to do any work assigned him in the interest of the party and its candidates. As a young man he became a member of the Lutheran church and on two occasions sat as a delegate in the General Synod of the church in the United States. He was for years a member of the board of trustees of the Bellefonte Academy and a director of the Theological Seminary at Gettysburg. He was a charter member of the Bellefonte Camp P. O. S. of A., and always took a prominent part in all its activities, having on several occasions gone to the State convention as a delegate from the local camp.

On May 15th, 1884, he married Miss Sarah Davis Wilt, of Philadelphia, who survives with two children, Arthur C. Dale, district attorney of Centre county, and Miss Marion Ethel. He also leaves one brother, Austin W. Dale, of Boalsburg, and a half-brother, Philip Dale, of State College. The funeral will be private, burial to be made in the Dale lot in the Union cemetery.

ALLISON.—Dr. J. R. G. Allison, a well known resident of Millheim, died quite suddenly last Friday morning as the result of an attack of acute indigestion.

He was a son of Archibald and Jane Allison and was born at Clintondale, in Nittany valley, on April 2nd, 1856, hence was almost sixty-eight years old. He was educated in the public schools of Nittany valley, at the Kish-acquillas Academy and the Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia. Following his graduation he began the practice of medicine at Northumberland, going from there to Canton, Bradford county, where he remained until about twenty years ago when he came to Centre county and located at Centre Hall. In April, 1916, he moved to Millheim and became landlord of the hotel at that place, retiring from the active practice of medicine. A year or so ago he quit the hotel business and moved into a comfortable home in Millheim. He was a member of the Presbyterian church, the Centre County Medical society and the Centre Hall Lodge of Masons.

He married Miss Anna Runkle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James M. Runkle, of Centre Hall, who survives with one son, Gross Allison, a civil engineer located in New Castle, Ky. He also leaves two brothers and two sisters, Harry Allison, Mrs. H. S. Braucht and Mrs. C. P. Long, of Spring Mills, and Merrill Allison, of Chicago.

Funeral services were held at his late home at Millheim at 1:30 o'clock on Tuesday afternoon by Rev. J. Max Kirkpatrick, of the Presbyterian church, assisted by Rev. C. B. Snyder, of the Evangelical church, interment at Centre Hall being in charge of the Masonic order.

WESTON.—Mrs. Sarah Louise Weston, wife of Thomas Weston, of Rush township, died at the Cottage State hospital, Philipsburg, last Thursday, following a serious operation. She was a daughter of Jonathan and Martha Forshey and was born in Philipsburg forty years ago. Surviving here are her husband, four children and seven brothers and sisters. She was a lifelong member of the Baptist church and Rev. Charles Kulp had charge of the funeral which was held on Saturday afternoon, burial being made in the Philipsburg cemetery.

DOWNING.—M. Ellen Downing died at the home of her brother, Thomas W. Downing, in East Downingtown, on Tuesday, March 25th, at the age of eighty-five years. She was a daughter of Miller and Sara Downing and was born at Cain, Chester county. Deceased was a sister of the late Mrs. Jacob Valentine, of this place, and became well known here through frequent visits to the Valentine home. Interment will be made in the Friends burying ground in Downingtown today.

DOWNING.—Delbert O. Downing, a native of Centre county, died at his home in Altoona last Thursday night, following a prolonged illness with a complication of diseases.

He was a son of Robert W. and Lavina B. Downing and was born on the old Downing farm near Loveville, in Halfmoon township, on June 18th, 1870, hence was in his fifty-second year. His boyhood life was spent on the home farm but later he engaged in the lumbering business in upper Bald Eagle valley. In 1911 he took a chance in the political arena by becoming a candidate for sheriff on the Republican ticket but received less than seven hundred votes. In 1918 he located in Altoona and for a number of years was employed as an orderly at the Mercy hospital.

He married Miss Linnie B. Hoover who survives with six children, Mrs. Anna Walters, Mrs. Ella Rorabaugh, Jennie M., Delbert H., Hayden J. and Clark G. Downing, all of Altoona. He also leaves his mother, two sisters and one brother, Mrs. J. B. Nearfoot and Miss Blanda Downing, of Altoona, and Norton H. Downing, of Hollidaysburg. Funeral services were held on Monday afternoon, burial being made in the Grandview cemetery, Tyrone.

EISENHUTH.—Samuel Eisenhuth, a native of Penn township, died on Tuesday at the home of his son, Sumner E. Eisenhuth, at Mifflinburg, as the result of a stroke of paralysis sustained ten days previous.

He was a son of William and Sarah Eisenhuth and was born near Coburn on August 18th, 1837, making his age 86 years, 7 months and 7 days. In young manhood he learned the trade of a carpenter, an occupation he followed a number of years then engaged in farming. He resided in Centre county until three years ago when he accompanied his son and family to Mifflinburg.

In 1869 he married Miss Susan Everett, who died six years ago, but surviving him are two sons and one daughter, Alvin C. Eisenhuth, of State College; Sumner W., of Mifflinburg, and Mrs. Elizabeth Sheesley, of Jordan Mines, Va. He also leaves one sister, Mrs. Caroline Baker, of Mifflinburg.

The remains were taken to Millheim, where funeral services will be held tomorrow and burial made in the Fairview cemetery.

A varied assortment of rugs from the finest Wilton down to Gold Seal congolesum, all moderately priced, at W. R. Brachbill's. 13-2t

Centre County Track Meet.

Plans are well under way for the fourth annual Centre county track and field meet, which will be held on New Beaver field, State College, on May 10th. Interest and enthusiasm are unusually high for so early in the season. This year's meet is especially important to Bellefonte High school and another victory by the local boys will bring the big cup of Class A to them for the third time, when it will come into their possession permanently. They realize, however, that the competition will be unusually strong this year and have started practice to prepare themselves for a hard fight.

With Bellefonte ripe for all kinds of sensational developments it seems that some people have seized upon a little personal item that appeared in the "Watchman" last week as foundation for a story to the effect that John McCoy has some great industrial enterprise up his sleeve. We announced that he had been in Pittsburgh looking up some business matters that might favorably affect this community. He was there to sell props and lumber and received assurance that ere long he will receive orders sufficient to start up his lumber mill, that has been idle most of the winter, to capacity. Of course this would help, but not in the great way that some people seem to imagine.

New beauty in weave and design in rugs found in the new rug department at W. R. Brachbill's. 13-2t

Edward E. Cain has taken the agency for Josephus Daniels' book, "The Authoritative Life of Woodrow Wilson." It is authoritative because Mr. Daniels served in the late President's cabinet for eight years as Secretary of the Navy. It is written in splendid style because the author is one of the country's ablest journalists. He reveals many incidents hitherto unpublished of the trying war times during which the martyr President served. The volume is one that should be in every home and Mr. Cain will be glad to receive your order.

Twenty-five by fifty inch hit or miss rag rugs Saturday special at 69c. W. R. Brachbill's furniture store. 13-2t

Editor Thomas H. Harter, of Bellefonte, was appointed a member of the State Fish Commission by Governor Pinchot, last Thursday. Tom, of course, took the Pinchot pledge but the disciples of Izaak Walton hereabouts will not be as much interested in that as they will be in the influence he can wield in keeping Centre county streams well stocked with trout; and being an enthusiastic fisherman himself he will likely do his best in this respect.

A marriage license was granted in Cumberland, Md., last week, to Harman Harris Gray, of Milesburg, and Miss Katherine Marcella King, of Bellefonte.

Kiwanians Entertain Guests at Regular Luncheon on Tuesday.

At their weekly luncheon meeting held at the Brockerhoff house on Tuesday the local Kiwanians had as guests superintendent J. O. Stutzman and chaplain C. J. Krahnke, of the western penitentiary at Rockview; Horace Hartranft, W. M. Bortoff and C. D. Casebeer, local business men.

Mr. John Roy reported that the campaign for the big drive for the Bellefonte hospital is moving along smoothly and that the captains for the outlying districts will have their lieutenants selected and ready to announce within a few days.

At this point in the meeting Kiwanian John G. Love rendered the beautiful solo, "Sweet Genevieve."

J. W. Griest, general manager of the Retail Merchants' Institute, of Chicago, Ill., was the speaker of the meeting. He gave a very interesting and instructive talk on retail merchandising and its relation to the life and existence of the community. Owing to the limited time Mr. Griest was unable to cover his subject thoroughly and was persuaded to give another talk before the Business Men's association, in the court house, that evening.

Kiwanian W. P. Ard, president of the organization, was presented with a very handsome Kiwanian button by the international headquarters, an insignia worn by all club presidents, and which is passed on from retiring presidents to their successors.

The next meeting of the club will be held on Tuesday evening, April 1st, at seven o'clock, at the Brockerhoff house, and will be known as charter meeting. Every Kiwanian should make a special effort to be present, as the charter will be presented to the Bellefonte club by Mr. Herbert A. Moore, district Kiwanis Governor, of Pennsylvania. It will be received by Kiwanian president Ard. Charles F. Taylor, of DuBois, district secretary, will also be present. The address of welcome to the distinguished guests will be made by Kiwanian Henry C. Quigley.

Nationally advertised lines of rugs of known merit now on sale at W. R. Brachbill's furniture store. 13-2t

Woman's Missionary Society to Meet in Bellefonte.

The forty-ninth annual meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Huntingdon Presbytery will be held in the Presbyterian church, Bellefonte, Tuesday and Wednesday, April 1st and 2nd, beginning at half-past two o'clock on Tuesday. The executive meeting will be held at half-past ten on Tuesday morning. A strong program has been prepared. Mrs. Homer Campbell, who has worked in Arizona and Utah, and Miss Gertrude Schultz, of New York, executive secretary of the "home base" department, will speak at the popular meeting on Tuesday evening at half-past seven. Miss Eva J. Smith, of Lahore, India, who is supported by the Young Women's societies of the Presbytery, will speak at the afternoon meetings. Adjournment on Wednesday will be in time for delegates to leave on the 5:10 p. m. train. Luncheon will be served in the chapel Tuesday noon. On Wednesday at noon, the Women's Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. will serve a luncheon at 60 cents a plate. All interested women in this vicinity are cordially invited to any of these meetings.

Macker is Back.

W. H. Macker, taxi man, who left here last fall with his family to spend the winter and probably the rest of their lives in Florida arrived back in Bellefonte yesterday.

The fact that he made the run all the way from Richmond, Va., to Millheim in one day is evidence that Macker wanted to get back to good old Centre county pretty badly.

As they cannot get possession of their home here now they expect to remain in Millheim for a while.

The annual spring inspection of Troop B, 52nd machine gun squadron, was held last Friday, the inspection officer being Capt. Hoyer, of the U. S. army. On Saturday Troop A, (Boal machine gun troop) of Boalsburg, was inspected and on Sunday Troop C, at Lewistown. The inspecting officer was accompanied to Lewistown by Capt. Russell T. George, instruction officer; Capt. Herbert S. Miller, First Lieut. Gideon C. Payne and Second Lieuts. Ralph T. Smith and Herbert Beezer, all of Troop B, Bellefonte.

Notwithstanding the bad weather the Valentine farm sale, east of Bellefonte, on Wednesday, attracted a great crowd and grossed \$4500.00; the best from the point of returns that has been reported thus far this season. Horses and implements brought only fair prices. It was the registered Jersey cattle that ran the total up. The best price for a cow was \$175.00.

The Rev. M. S. Kitchen, pastor of the Church of Christ, at Howard, has accepted a call to the Northside Church of Christ, in Cincinnati, Ohio, and will leave for that city in the near future. The Northside church is one of the oldest and most influential in Cincinnati, and Rev. Kitchen is to be congratulated on receiving a call to such an important field of labor.

G. Oscar Gray has filed nomination papers for re-election as chairman of the Democratic party in Centre county.

Church Services Next Sunday.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

A special memorial service will be held at 10:45 in loving remembrance of those who passed to their reward last year. It is hoped that all the friends can be present. Juniors 2. The first quarterly conference at 3. The two leagues at 6:30. Sunday school at 9:30. Dr. E. A. Pyles will speak at 7:30.

Class Tuesday night; Wednesday night, April 2nd, the graduation service of the teacher training class.

E. E. McKelvey, Pastor.

ST. JOHN'S REFORMED CHURCH.

Services next Sunday morning at 10:45. Sermon, "True Conservation." Evening service at 7:30. Sermon, "Memories of Galilee." Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. and union C. E. meeting at 6:45 p. m. Services every Wednesday and Friday evening during Lent.

Ambrose M. Schmidt, D. D., Minister.

UNITED BRETHREN IN CHRIST.

Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Morning worship, 10:30; subject, "Out of the Darkness." C. E. 6:30. Evening service, 7:30; subject, "Into the Light."

Frank B. Hackett, Pastor.

ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

Services for the week beginning March 30th: Mid-Lent Sunday, 8 a. m. Holy Eucharist; 9:45 a. m. church school; 11 a. m. Mattins and sermon, "The Duties of a Christian: III. Obedience;" 2:30 p. m. children's vespers and Catechism; 7:30 p. m. evensong and sermon, "A Soul to Save." Tuesday, 7:30 p. m. Rev. F. T. Cady. Thursday, 7:30 a. m. Friday, 7:30 p. m. Rev. Floyd Appleton, Ph. D. The Bishop will visit the parish to administer confirmation on Sunday, May 4th. Confirmation instructions will be given to children Sunday afternoons at 3:30, to adults Sunday evenings at 6:30. Visitors always welcome.

Rev. M. DeP. Maynard, Rector.

ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH.

"The Friendly Church."

Fourth Sunday in Lent. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Morning worship 10:45, "Barabbas." Fourth sermon in a Lenten series. Following this service a congregational meeting will be held for the purpose of electing church officers. Vesper service with sermon, 7:30. Visitors are always welcome.

Rev. Wilson P. Ard, Minister

The board of viewers appointed to assess damages suffered by Smie H. Hoy by reason of the Keystone Power corporation's high tension line being run through his farm, have awarded him \$4500.

Governor Pinchot has designated April 11th and April 25th as Arbor days and bird days.

PINE GROVE MENTIONS.

R. W. Reed and wife spent Tuesday in Tyrone on a business mission.

Coi. D. W. Miller and W. B. Ward are among the sick at this writing.

H. L. Dale is in Altoona where his son Jack is quite ill with pneumonia.

Fred Corl has gone to Altoona to accept a good job with the Pennsylvania Railroad company.

J. H. Bailey and wife, with Mrs. H. M. Krebs and Mrs. C. S. Corl, spent Saturday and Sunday in Altoona.

Alf Baum, of Bellefonte, shipped a car load of horses and mules from this section to the Philadelphia markets this week.

W. E. McWilliams, our retired mail carrier, and Mrs. Isabelle Mueser, motored to Centre Hall on Tuesday and spent the day at the Frank V. Goodhart home.

Charles L. Homan and son spent Monday in Juniata, bringing home from there a fine team of mated roan horses which he will soon give a try-out in front of the plow.

J. W. Williams, our popular saddler, spent Saturday evening in Bellefonte and while there visited the hospital and chatted with old friends now patients in that institution.

Miss Nellie Shuey, of State College, and who for several years was one of Ferguson township's most efficient school teachers, spent Monday night at the R. S. Musser home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bowersox, of State College, with Prof. and Mrs. A. L. Bowersox and family as driving guests, motored through the valley on Sunday and tarried for a short time with old friends and neighbors at Rock Springs.

G. W. Kossman and wife spent Wednesday at the Rev. McAlarney home assisting the pastor and his wife in their preparations to move to Hollidaysburg, where he was transferred by the Methodist conference. May he meet with wonderful success in his new location.

Ross Gregory, a well known stock dealer of Petersburg, and E. K. Woomer, the successful miller of Graysville, were two jolly fellows among the bidders at the Daniel Wagner sale on Tuesday, where horses sold up to \$125 and cows \$65. The sale amounted to \$1600.

Mrs. C. M. Fry and Mrs. T. A. Malory, of Altoona, spent Saturday afternoon in Bellefonte, visiting Capt. W. H. Fry, at the Bellefonte hospital. The Captain is convalescing in fine shape and looking forward to the day when he can get back onto his old stamping ground.

The Brotherhood of the Graysville Presbyterian church held their third meeting for the season, in the church at that place last Friday evening. The gathering proved a success socially as well as in the interest of the church. Refreshments were served and Judge Bailey, of Huntingdon, delivered a splendid talk.

"Jimmie Johnson's Job," the little playlet given in the I. O. O. F. hall last Friday night as a benefit for our baseball team, drew a crowded house and the treasury was enriched to the extent of \$124. This gives a good nest egg with which to start the season and when the time comes we'll all root to beat the band.