

Country Correspondence

PLEASANT GAP.

Reeder Jodon had a radio installed in his home last week.

John Kelley and family are moving to Fillmore on April first.

Mrs. Fred Roush, of Altoona, is a welcome visitor with her parents.

Hale Thomas, of Howard, is circulating among old-time friends at the Gap and vicinity.

Mrs. Clarence Corl and little son, of State College, are visiting her sister, Mrs. Harry Bilger.

A Johnson family, from Pine Grove Mills, moved into the apartments in Noll's hotel last Thursday.

Mrs. Joe Smoyer was called to Pittsburgh, last week, on account of the serious illness of her daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. David Crum, of Sinesville, are visiting with Mrs. Crum's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Kerstetter.

Miss Mabel Gearhart, of State College, was a caller at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Horner a few days ago.

John Wilson and family, also John Millward, of Ocoela Mills, were weekend visitors at the Frank Millward home.

Mr. and Mrs. Baird, who recently purchased the classical Switzerland premises, have established a first-class up-to-date in every detail, tea room.

Earl Rimmey, who was among the unfortunates who were recently laid off at Rockview, has been reinstated. Good, dependable men are never long idle. There is a premium on men who are always on time.

Harry Acheson purchased a five passenger touring car last week and now goes to his work at Rockview in his own car each morning. He says riding to work in his car beats walking to a frazzle.

A year ago Whitecock was hustling studiously to secure orders for their varied products—today they are working to "beat the band" to fill their incoming orders and satisfy their patrons; hence the stockholders are happy.

It is utterly impossible that persons of a dejected mind should enjoy health; those who would live to a good old age must be good-humored and cheerful. Misfortunes are the attendant consequences of life, therefore, it is our duty to our Heavenly Father, to submit and bear them with fortitude and resignation to his will.

Human nature manifests no less contrariness than does the face of nature itself, and is, therefore, just as inexhaustible in interest, aye, more so, for the face of nature only changes with the seasons, whereas, some people are an ever interesting and therefore a never ceasing enigma of changeability.

The John Larimer family motored over the mountain to the Walker farm above Centre Hall, to join many friends who gathered there to hold a farewell party, since the Walkers are retiring from farming and will, after April first, reside in Centre Hall. Many of the neighboring farmers and friends were present, adding much to the gaiety of the event. The attendance was quite large and was highly appreciated by all present.

There are men who will sit an entire day without saying one word of affection to their wives. This is wrong. You should converse freely, be cheerful, gay and good-humored with those who look to you for happiness and comfort. Remember the bark of matrimony is launched on the uncertain ocean of experiment, amid kind wishes and rejoicings. Don't forget a woman's heart is peculiarly formed for tenderness, and every kind word from the man she loves is flattering and soothing to her feelings.

When the good and the lovely, and those on whom the heart has rested with idolizing fondness, die, the memory of their good deeds, like the moonbeams on the stormy sea, lights up our darkened hearts and lends to the surrounding gloom a beauty so sad, so sweet, that we would not, if we could, dispel the darkness that environs them. It is then that death comes to us in its most welcome form. Not to become familiar with death, is to endure much unnecessary fear, and add to the myriads of other imaginary woes of human life.

A birthday party was given Mrs. Henry Noll, last Thursday evening. Those present were Mrs. James Bil-

HAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS

KUNL BOB SAY, JEDGIN' FUM WHUT DEM NIGGUHS DOWN ON DE LAKE ALLUZ TELLS 'IM, DE ONLIES' TIME DEM FISH DOWN DAH EVUH BITES IS DAY-FO-YISTIDDY!!



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ger, Mrs. Frank Irwin, Mrs. Harry Showers, Mrs. John T. Noll, Belle Sampsel, Mrs. Ralph Noll, Mrs. Viola Dunkleberger, Mrs. Austin Gough, Ruth Noll, Mrs. Fred Reish, Marion Götting, Bertha Rimmey, Mary Hile, Mrs. Ray Melroy, Helen Noll, Mrs. Abner Noll, Mrs. Russell Evey, Mrs. Wade Evey, Mrs. Edward Mullinger, Nell Gheen and Mrs. Blaine Mabius. The affair proved one of the leading events of the season. An elaborate luncheon was served and hugely appreciated by all. After the repast all returned to their homes delighted with the agreeable entertainment.

In every normal household there enters once a week a common day called Sunday. It may be the dullest of days, or it may answer fairly well to its name and be the shiniest of them all. Of what sort it shall be depends in large measure on the father. On Sunday morning it is the father's business to go to church, taking his wife and children with him. Long ago the family pew was a domestic chamber within four walls, furnished with chairs and a table and foot stoves for cold feet, into which the family entered and shut the door behind them. Then the square pew became a long bench, still retaining its high back and its door; the giving way of the seat that was owned to the seat that was rented, and then the making of all seats free, represent not only an architectural but a social change. It means that the constituency of the church is counted now not in terms of family, but in terms of individuals. It is an endeavor to meet an existing situation. It takes into account the presence in the community of a number of unattached persons, without any family tie; and it recognizes in the family itself a certain exercise of private judgment in the matter of church-going. Under these conditions brothers are more likely to love their sisters, and children their parents. Out of such a home boys and girls are more likely to become helpful in manhood and womanhood.

PINE GROVE MILLS.

J. G. Strayer and Ira Harpster transacted business in town on Friday.

G. Mac Fry, who has been housed up with a heavy cold, is now much improved.

W. P. Gates, of Baileyville, is manipulating the wheel on a new Buick sedan.

Hugh C. Dale spent the early part of the week among his friends in the Mountain city.

J. M. Campbell is buying potatoes and carting them to Huntingdon for 85 cents a bushel.

Mrs. Norah Gates, of Bellwood, spent the early part of the week with friends at Gatesburg.

Morris Smith motored down from Altoona and spent Sunday with his parents on east Main street.

Miss Thressa Reish, of Altoona, was an over Sunday visitor at her parental home at Baileyville.

S. E. Ward and wife, A. B. Ward and Miss Athalia were callers at the Mack Fry home on Thursday.

That famous bird, the Stork, made its fifth visit to the John Keller home last Tuesday and left a big boy.

J. D. Rossman, of Franklin, Pa., spent the early part of the week among relatives in this section.

John Turner and wife, of Huntingdon, are spending the week at the J. C. McCool home at Rock Springs.

Mrs. Joe Gilliland returned home on Tuesday from Bellefonte where she was under medical treatment.

The play given here by the Millheim High school, on Saturday evening, drew a big house and was well received.

Arthur Ellenberger, Joe Stiver and William Sills, of Marengo, were callers on friends at Rock Springs on Thursday.

J. B. McCallister has succeeded Mr. Ewing as carrier on the mail route between Pennsylvania Furnace and Spruce Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lytle and Miss Edna Ward, of Altoona, spent the latter end of the week among relatives here and at Pine Hall.

Blair Miller, of Hollidaysburg, spent Monday at his old home in the Glades, where Misses Gertrude and Maude Miller are keeping the home fires burning.

After April first Cecil Frank will till the broad and fertile acres on the Mrs. Olive farm on the Branch, one of the most productive farms in the valley.

James Oliver and R. B. Wigton spent last week in Lawrence county in quest of dairy stock, returning on Monday with a fine herd of Ayrshire cows.

The Scott Judy sale on Wednesday was well attended. A span of mules brought \$350. The high horse went for \$60; cows, \$38 to \$60; sheep at \$18.50, and the sale totalled \$2500.

Davy George Reed is breaking ground for a new house on north Water street. The building will be rushed to completion as fast as possible as soon as the weather settles in the spring.

Rev. Mr. Morris, pastor of the Methodist church, will attend the annual conference at Chambersburg next week. G. W. Rossman will be the lay member and he and the pastor will make the trip in the latter's car.

Mrs. Nannie Bailey, Inie Bailey and Mary Glenn visited friends at Centre Hall on Tuesday while the men folks were bidders at the Guernsey stock sale at Spring Mills. J. H. Bailey was lucky enough to get a fine Guernsey calf.

Dr. G. H. Woods presided at a congregational meeting held in the lecture room of the Presbyterian church, on Monday evening. The report of treasurer Barr was read which showed the church in a good financial condition. W. H. Glenn was re-elected trustee for a term of three years. The trustees were authorized to offer at public sale the parsonage, the highest bidder to be the buyer. Possession will be given next fall.

RUNVILLE.

Jacob McClincy visited on Sunday at Milesburg and Wingate.

Ellis Resides of Milesburg, called on friends at this place on Friday.

Miss Edna Mayes and Miss Vivian Poorman visited over Sunday with friends at Snow Shoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy McKinley were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Johnson, on Sunday.

Miss Beryl Walker, of Snow Shoe, was a pleasant caller among friends at this place the fore part of the week.

Last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kauffman entertained Mr. and Mrs. John Fisher, Bert Waters, of Hornell, N. Y., also the latter's sister, Miss Lauretta Waters, of Olean, N. Y.

Mrs. Claude Lucas, Miss Gladys Walker and Silas Emehizer, of Snow Shoe; E. R. Lucas, of Altoona, and W. T. Kunes, of Mill Hall, called at the L. J. Heaton home on Saturday.

Those who spent Sunday at J. O. McClincy's were Mrs. Lewis Davidson, of Milesburg; Miss Hilma Watson, of Moose Run; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hoover, and two children, of Dale Summit.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Poorman and son, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Poorman and daughter, of State College; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Heaton and daughter Alice, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Heaton, of Moose Run, were Sunday visitors at the home of D. F. Poorman.

Sunday, March 8th, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Watson celebrated their silver wedding anniversary. The guests who enjoyed the day with them were Mr. and Mrs. James Watson, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Walker, Mrs. E. D. Rowe and son David, Harris Watson and daughter, of Snow Shoe; Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Watson and two children, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Reese and son, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Shirk, Mr. and Mrs. John Shawley, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Witherite and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Watson and family, Clair and Jake Witherite, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Watson and family. Mr. and Mrs. Watson received many lovely presents.

OAK HALL.

Misses Lavin and Margaret Ferree spent Sunday at Salona.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Williams, of Pine Grove Mills, visited with their son Ray, on Sunday.

Miss Mae Hauser was a guest at the Mrs. Sadie Burwell home, at Pine Grove Mills, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Peters, of Fairbrook, were callers at the Wayne Rishel home on Sunday.

Thomas Fishel and family moved from the Clayton Eiters house to the Philip Dale home, recently.

Mrs. Hale Ross and Mrs. Robert Gearheart and children were recent callers at the Ferree home.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Reish and family were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. Reish's sister, Mrs. George Sharer.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sunday and Mrs. Annie Sunday, all of Tadpole, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Homan on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Houtz moved onto the Jesse Klingner farm, Monday, where they will take first lessons in housekeeping.

Glenn Zong has quit work at the Whitecock quarries, at Pleasant Gap, and has accepted a job at the Bellefonte silk mill.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Whitehill and son were arrivals home Monday, from Freeport, Illinois, where they have made their home for the past two years.

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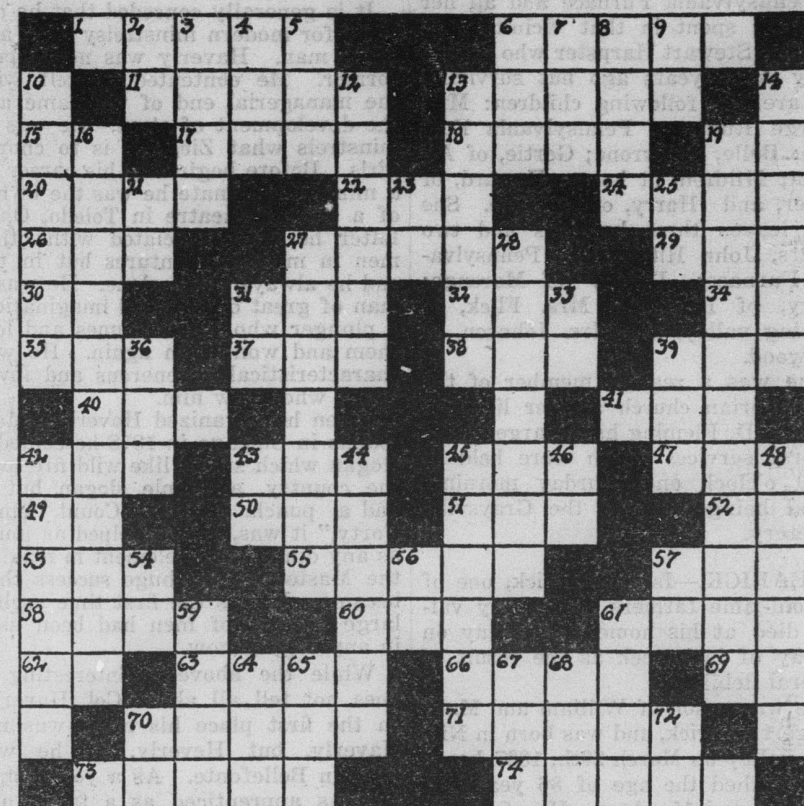
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HOW TO SOLVE A CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

When the correct letters are placed in the white spaces this puzzle will spell words both vertically and horizontally. The first letter in each word is indicated by a number, which refers to the definition listed below the puzzle. Thus No. 1 under the column headed "horizontal" defines a word which will fill the white spaces up to the first black square to the right, and a number under "vertical" defines a word which will fill the white squares to the next black one below. No letters go in the black spaces. All words used are dictionary words, except proper names. Abbreviations, slang, initials, technical terms and obsolete forms are indicated in the definitions.

CROSS-WORD PUZZLE No. 3.

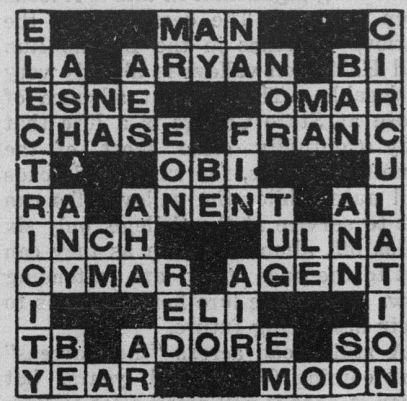


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| Horizontal. | Vertical. |
| 1—Old maidish person (slang) | 2—Rapid fire (abbr.) |
| 3—Not considered necessary to modern poetry | 3—European mountain range |
| 4—Interlocking | 4—Companion |
| 5—Monk | 5—Clergyman's title (abbr.) |
| 6—Disorderly merriment (obs.) | 7—Holy Roman Empire (abbr.) |
| 7—Month of Hebrew calendar | 8—Spun wool |
| 8—Pin on which a wheel revolves | 9—Possessive pronoun |
| 9—Always | 10—Tropical Amer. evergreen tree |
| 10—Land measure | 11—Think out logically |
| 11—Head | 12—Hinder progress of |
| 12—Do | 13—Scoop out |
| 13—Naked | 14—French shopkeeping class |
| 14—Not at home | 15—Youth |
| 15—Mohammedanism | 16—Army officer (abbr.) |
| 16—Cross | 17—Clergyman (abbr.) |
| 17—Initials of a U. S. president | 18—We |
| 18—Fuss | 19—To adore to excess |
| 19—First name of man prominent in World war; last name Beth | 20—Stone part of a building |
| 20—Beach attendant (abbr.) | 21—Preposition |
| 21—Period of time | 22—Point of compass |
| 22—Male heir | 23—Measure of cloth |
| 23—State of Australia (abbr.) | 24—Serpent |
| 24—Insect | 25—Workshop of a blacksmith |
| 25—Male deer | 26—Jumbled type |
| 26—East Indian measure of distance | 27—Sex |
| 27—The sun | 28—Any of a genus of convolvulaceous plants having showy flowers |
| 28—Tavern | 29—Eastern city (abbr.) |
| 29—Highest card of suit in some games | 30—Outdo |
| 30—Note of musical scale | 31—Title of respect (man.) |
| 31—Suffix meaning make into | 32—Southern state (abbr.) |
| 32—To peer | 33—Middle western state (abbr.) |
| 33—Prefix meaning out of | 34—Ireland |
| 34—Doctrine | 35—Funeral pile |
| 35—Ambassador | 36—Conjunction |
| 36—Legally established (abbr.) | 37—Code |
| 37—To fatigue | 38—Science (abbr.) |
| 38—Steer | 39—Vessel |
| 39—Stride | 40—Mother |
| 40—Personal pronoun | 41—Southwestern state (abbr.) |
| 41—Forked tool | |
| 42—Discover | |
| 43—Early English (abbr.) | |
| 44—Underground worker | |
| 45—Fruit of oak tree | |
| 46—Confection | |
| 47—Notations | |

Solution will appear in next issue.

Solution to Cross-Word Puzzle No. 2.



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