

County Correspondence

PLEASANT GAP.

Walter Houtz had a radio installed in his home recently.

There is some talk of a second barber shop for our growing village.

Mrs. Jack Mulfinger, of Spring Mills, was a visitor in our town last week.

Mr. Adams, of Uniontown, was a week-end visitor at the H. V. Hill home.

Miss Josephine Paul, of Lock Haven, spent the week-end with Miss Mary Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith, of Milton, spent Sunday at the Harry Griffith home.

Stephen Zelezenick, who is employed in Altoona, visited here a few days this week.

Mrs. Kate Hunter, of Pittsburgh, was a visitor here last week, at the John Larimer home.

John Griffith returned home on Sunday, after a week's visit with relatives in Williamsport.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Zong moved into their newly furnished apartment, at State College, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Showers motored to Sunbury, last Thursday, and spent the day among relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Kreamer, of Jersey Shore, visited over the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Noll.

Mrs. Harry Armstrong and daughter are visiting this week in Lewisport, at the home of her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gettig were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Page, at their bungalow along Cherry Run.

As usual Pleasant Gap is having a turkey raffle. The winners, no doubt, will be elated, as turkeys are very scarce.

Mrs. Powell and baby daughter, of Harrisburg, are spending some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Knoffsinger.

Henry Noll's handsome new house is nearing completion. It is a beauty, possessed of all conveniences. Henry has nearly a dozen of rent applications awaiting his decision.

Levi A. Miller's public sale on November 6th was very liberally patronized. Most every article offered brought the limit in price, hence it is that Levi is delighted with the results.

Contractor Otis Hile has completed the brick house under course of erection by the Whitecock corporation. It is a brick building and will make a very comfortable home for Mr. Baird, who recently lost both eyes by a premature explosion. It must be said that Whitecock keeps in close touch with its unfortunate victims.

J. Claude Showers is very busily engaged in getting things in shape preparatory to moving into his new home here recently purchased by him.

Oscar Lonebarger expects to move into his new home within ten days. He sold the old structure to a penitentiary guard, who will occupy the same when Oscar moves into his new premises.

Harry Atcherson and wife have moved into the new William Kerstetter home, which by the way is one of the most complete and up-to-date residences at Pleasant Gap. The model structure is equipped with a furnace, bath-room and electric light, being first-class in every detail. L. A. Miller makes his home with the Atcherson family for the time being.

AARONSBURG.

Mrs. William Haffley and children, of Coburn, spent Sunday as a guest of her father, Benjamin Stover.

Mrs. Jacob Harter and daughter, Miss Lydian, and Mr. and Mrs. George Stover motored to Woodward Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Smith spent Monday in Belleville, Mr. Smith transacting business and Mrs. Smith visiting the shops.

Charles Summers, of Williamsport, has returned to his employment after a visit with his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. John Wolf.

Rev. and Mrs. E. E. Haney of Grove Park, came down last week and have been guests of their son, J. R. Haney and wife, on Main street.

Ammon Stiffen came in from Belleville, Ohio, to remain for an indefinite time with his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Armagast.

Mrs. H. S. Winkleblech was brought home from the Williamsport hospital, Saturday, where she was a surgical patient. Her condition is very encouraging and her friends wish her a speedy and full recovery to health.

Mrs. Geo. E. Stover was called to Woodward, on Monday, by the illness of her aged uncle, Andrew Moyer, who figured in an automobile accident Saturday, having been struck by a passing car while crossing the road. From late reports he is in a serious condition. The accident was seemingly unavoidable.

Recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hull were C. Earl Bell, Mrs. C. C. Bell and Mrs. Frank B. Patton, all of Huntingdon. They were accompanied by Miss Jennie Hull, who had been their guest for three weeks. Walter Scott was along to accompany Mr. Bell while hunting for a few days.

Mrs. C. W. Wolf returned to her home in this place from a short visit with her son, Earl Cummings, and Mrs. Leslie Miller, of Woodlawn, and her elder son, Lester Cummings, in Pittsburgh. Mrs. Wolf will close her house in the near future and spend the winter with her children in the western part of the State.

BOALSBURG.

A son was born to Prof. and Mrs. Knott recently.

Rev. and Mrs. Hall, Friday morning, returned to their home in Wilmington, Del.

Miss Anna Sweeney spent several days with her aunt, Mrs. Elizabeth Jacobs, in Centre Hall.

Wm. Sweet, of C. S. N. S., spent the week-end with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Meyer.

Mrs. Thomas Glenn, of Bradford, visited her mother, Mrs. M. A. Woods, from Friday until Sunday.

Ether Reitz celebrated her fourth birthday anniversary, Monday, by entertaining a number of her little friends with a party.

A surprise birthday party was given E. W. Hess, at his Main street home, on Thursday evening. About forty friends and neighbors were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Homan and daughters, Mayone and Jean, motored to Northumberland, Saturday, for a week-end visit with Rufus Raymond and family.

Dr. L. E. Kidder was in town, Tuesday. The doctor and Mrs. Kidder left on Wednesday morning to drive to St. Augustine, Fla., to visit their daughter, Mrs. Stewart.

The Women's Missionary society of the Lutheran church will appreciate the patronage of the public at their annual Thanksgiving bake sale at the parsonage, Wednesday afternoon, November 24th.

Misses Mildred and Margaret Gingrich and Miss Elizabeth Mothersbaugh were appointed to represent the Reformed Sunday school at the Sunday School Conference to be held in Belleville Saturday, November 20th.

JACKSONVILLE.

Mrs. George Ertley is visiting friends at Altoona.

Conrad Miller, of Belleville, called on friends here on Sunday.

G. G. Ertley spent the week-end with friends at Rochester, N. Y.

Hogan Long and Harold Betz made a business trip to Harrisburg last week.

Miss Kathryn Hoy and friend were week-end callers at the Luther Fisher home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hoy visited at the John Hoy home, at Blanchard, on Sunday.

Eggs are fifty cents a dozen and chickens twenty cents a pound in this vicinity.

Clyde Yearick and Harry Hoy, of this township, are on the list of jurors for December court.

Home mission services will be held in the Reformed church next Sunday, November 21st, at 10.30.

Oyler brothers moved part of the barn timbers to their farm last week and will start building soon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Beck and daughter, of Lock Haven, and Miss Jane Yearick spent Sunday at the C. N. Yearick home.

The tractor Hogan Long used for threshing caught fire and burned up last week. He has now ordered a whole new outfit.

The Ladies Aid society met at the home of Mrs. Fern Dunkle, last Thursday, and sewed all day. They will have a stand of eats, etc., at the sale of Mrs. Matilda Ertley today.

Miss Florence Garrett, while working in the shirt factory at Howard, had the misfortune to run a machine needle through her finger which, although very painful, is not serious.

RUNVILLE.

Mrs. John Furl spent the week-end at Williamsport visiting her son, Toner Furl.

Thanksgiving services will be held in the U. B. church here on Thanksgiving evening.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Lucas, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Wagner and Walter Lucas, of Altoona, motored down on Sunday and spent the day at the L. J. Heaton home.

Kauffman.—Boyd Kauffman, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kauffman, died last Tuesday evening, aged 9 months and 13 days. Rev. Barnett had charge of the funeral services which were held on Sunday afternoon, burial being made in the Advent cemetery. Those who were here for the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. William Kauffman, George and two daughters, and Melvin, George and Elmer Kauffman, of Newton Hamilton; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Marks and family, of Huntingdon; Roy Kauffman, of Ryde; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Poorman, Mrs. E. E. Walker and son, of Mineral Point; Mrs. Alice Young, of Williamsport; Willis Poorman and son John and wife, of State College, and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Poorman, of Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. Kauffman extend thanks to those who so kindly aided them during their bereavement.

CENTRE HALL.

The annual Thank Offering services were held in the Centre Hall Presbyterian church on Sabbath evening at 7.30. The program consisted of five instrumental numbers, three of which were solos, one duet, and one trio. Those taking part in the instrumental part of the program were Misses Luella and Florence Rearick, Myla Spyrker, and Mrs. Kirkpatrick.

The vocal music consisted of hymns by the choir and a duet by Mrs. F. V. Goodhart and Mrs. Harry Potter.

Two plays were presented, "The Honor Roll" by Misses Loraine and Thelma Brungart, Kathrine Goodhart, and Grace Weible. The second play was given by Misses Evelyn Bradford, Margaret Delaney, Helen Odenkirk, Isobel Bradford, and Sara, Florence and Luella Rearick. The girls all knew their parts well and are to be commended for their presentation of two such vital factors of Christianity, "Thanksgiving and Missions." Both scenes were touching and the climax was reached as Isobel Bradford marched to the stage singing, "I Am Coming to the Cross." She finished

singing as she reached the cross. The program committee and the trainers, Miss Boal and Mrs. Kirkpatrick, wish to thank all who were so kind in giving assistance on this program. The thank offering amounted to \$34, with other envelopes still not yet returned.

Route of the Franklin Highway.

The Benjamin Franklin Highway is made by linking together the State Highways that have already been established in the several States; thus forming a great transcontinental highway which will relieve the other highways that have been established of their congestion enabling the traveling public, whether commercial or tourist, to travel with ease and comfort, as the Benjamin Franklin Highway avoids the congestion of the large cities, and follows the water grade, especially avoiding the mountain hindrances in the east, by crossing the Allegheny mountains at Summit, Pa.; and with a steady grade up and down, and without its dangerous curves. The numbers now are as follows:

No. 1. From Atlantic City across the State of New Jersey to Philadelphia; No. 13 from Philadelphia to Harrisburg, Pa.; No. 3 from Harrisburg to Ebensburg, Pa.; No. 33 from Ebensburg through Indiana, Kittanning, and Butler to Newcastle, Pa.; west from Newcastle through to the State line of Ohio, where you take Ohio's No. 17 to Tiffin, Ohio; from Tiffin to Findlay, Ohio, No. 106; from Findlay to Ottawa, Ohio, No. 22; from Ottawa through Van Wert to the State line of Indiana No. 109.

The State Highway Commission of Ohio, has given this route its entire distance through Ohio the Ohio State Route No. 17, but the changes will not be made in the numbers on the highways until next year.

At the State line of Indiana you take an unnumbered highway through Decatur to Huntington. It is marked on the telephone poles MCH. This strip of road has not been numbered on the State Highway System of Indiana, but it is understood that it will be soon put on that system.

From Huntington you take No. 7 through Wabash, Peru, Logansport, Monticello and Kentland to the State line of Illinois. Here you take Illinois State route No. 8 through Wetseka, Gilman, Fairbury, Gridley, El Paso, Washington, Peoria, Elmwood and Gibson to Burlington, Iowa; there you take No. 8 across that State to Omaha, Nebraska, where you meet a U. S. numbered highway known as No. 30 to Salt Lake City, and from there you take U. S. numbered highway known as No. 40 to San Francisco.

This road as outlined above is a Federal Aid road its entire distance except a few miles between Van Wert and Ottawa, Ohio, and the few miles between Findlay and Tiffin, Ohio, and a short distance in Indiana County, Pa. It is the hope that this will be put on the Federal Aid system so that its entire distance will be aided in construction by the Federal Government.

Real Estate Transfers.

Levi R. Miller to James C. Showers, et ux, tract in Spring Twp.; \$2,500.

Thomas J. Fleisher, et al, to Mt. Carmel Gun Club, tract in Potter Twp.; \$1,000.

Merle Conley, et ux, to Joseph Shields, et ux, tract in Philipsburg; \$2,500.

J. I. Shaffer, et ux, to Rhoda Dillon, tract in State College; \$9,000.

Carrie S. Wallace, et ux, to Ella E. Wagner, tract in Boggs Twp.; \$1.

May Harter, et al, to Ella E. Wagner, tract in Boggs Twp.; \$1.

John C. Wagner, et al, to Ella E. Wagner, tract in Boggs Twp.; \$1.

Mark W. Williams, et al, to Ella E. Wagner, tract in Boggs Twp.; \$1.

J. Fred Weaver, et al, to Ella E. Wagner, tract in Boggs Twp.; \$1.

Sarah L. Keichline, et al, to Ella E. Wagner, tract in Boggs Twp.; \$1.

Jennie S. Keichline, et al, to Ella E. Wagner, tract in Boggs Twp.; \$1.

Charles A. Faulkner, et al, to Carl Erickson, tract in Philipsburg; \$3,250.

George R. Meek, et al, Exec., to William B. Beck, tract in Patton Twp.; \$3,000.

H. D. Meek, et al, to William B. Beck, tract in Patton Twp.; \$3,000.

Thomas B. Beaver, et ux, to Edward R. Owens, tract in Spring Twp.; \$1,200.

H. C. Robinson, et ux, to Harry D. Weaver, tract in Milesburg; \$100.

George L. Baumgardner, et al, to Mary C. Baumgardner, tract in Spring Twp.; \$1,875.

Claude G. Aikens, et ux, to Alvin J. Zimmerman, tract in State College; \$4,750.

W. H. Noll, et al, to Pleasant Gap Fire Company, tract in Spring Twp.; \$1.

Belleville Trust company, Adm. to Jacob Behrer, tract in Patton Twp.; \$600.

Harry D. Weaver, et ux, to Samuel Etridge, et al, tract in Milesburg; \$1,200.

Marriage Licenses.

Lloyd R. Vonada and Catherine S. Confer, both of Spring Mills.

William C. Whitehead, of Osceola Mills, and Violet Susan Voyzey, of Philipsburg.

Harry W. Barner and Mary E. Baldwin, both of Belleville.

RHEUMATISM

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PILGRIMS DID NOT LIKE THE TURKEY.

In spite of the statements of popular historians roasted turkey with giblet gravy and with cranberry or apple sauce was a very popular Sunday and holiday dish in many places many years before turkey became standardized as the central dish of the Thanksgiving day dinner in Plymouth Colony and among the Puritans and their descendants settled along Boston bay and the north shore of Massachusetts.

The story that turkey was the mainstay of the Thanksgiving day dinner of the early colonists of New England seems to have come from the pen of a visiting Englishman at Plymouth, who described his travels in a book published in London just after the great fire.

He also told the absurd story of the starving condition of the pilgrims and of their being reduced at one time to a dinner of three grains of corn. The fact was that none of the early or late colonists could have starved at Plymouth or elsewhere along the north or the south shore, as the sea teemed with fish and shellfish and the woods were alive with game. As late as thirty years ago Brant Rock and Marshfield, near Plymouth, Mass., were resorted to by hundreds of hunters of wild birds, and to this hour deer and wild bird shooting is good in Plymouth county.

What the pilgrims and the Puritans craved in the early years of their settlements were roast beef and mutton, pork, wheat, oatmeal and barley bread, venison pasties made from the red deer stock, native to England; jams and jellies from English fruits preserved with brown sugar from the orient and English mead, ales and Holland spirits. Most of them disliked Indian corn in all forms of products for human consumption, and they disliked oysters, clams, lobsters, mussels, scallops, turkeys and native venison. It was only when marriages of the early English settlers and their descendants in New England with Indians brought about many persons of mixed blood that the English prejudices against certain native American food products passed away. To this day English travelers find some of our foods which we consider delicious strange to their palates. Matthew Arnold, traveling in America, was asked to taste griddlecakes. "Try them, my dear," he said to his wife; "they're not nearly so nasty as they look!"

As lately as fifty years ago many families in New England of undoubted descent from the pilgrims and Puritans regarded roasted or baked turkey as an Indian dish and would have none of it at any time, preferring for Thanksgiving day dinner roast beef, a saddle of mutton, pork spareribs, roast goose with apple sauce or farm raised ducks with barbery sauce. The wild turkey was saved from extinction in New England only because the farmers noticed that those birds and the partridges served well in ridding the farm lands of insects and weeds.

—Subscribe for the "Watchman."

Severe Winter, With Cold Summer in 1927, is Forecast.

Late spring frosts, a snow storm in June and frost during July. Previous to that one of the most severe winters ever experienced.

These are the forecasts for the coming winter and summer as made by Herbert J. Brown, long range weather forecaster, of Washington, D. C., in speaking before a session of the Lancaster Chamber of Commerce recently.

They apply, according to Brown, to the United States as a whole, but especially to this section of the country. The year 1927, he declared, will be a repetition of the summerless year of 1916.

—Poolscap was originally so called because the watermark in the paper was a jester's cap and bells.

Disturbed Sleep.

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One day we might forget our cares. The selfish needs that fill our prayers, And turn our pleading into praise, Acknowledging God's gracious ways. We have had home and daily bread, And thank Thee for full tables spread.

If death has claimed our very best, We thank Thee for a loved one's rest; And praise that Providence can bring Sweet water from each bitter spring. For things we have not understood We thank Thee, Giver of all good.

For leading nations through their strife Into a larger, better life We thank Thee, knowing war will cease Before the coming Prince of peace; And for the care that broods above Each soul we thank Thee, God of love.

—By Myra Goodwin Plantz.

—Subscribe for the Watchman.

Twenty-Three Accidents Every Minute in the Day.

One person in every nine in the United States meets with an accident every year, and one out of every ten deaths is chargeable to accidental causes, according to a newly completed survey just made public. The survey figures show that there are upwards of 12,000,000 accidents every year in this country, 23 every minute and 1,380 every hour.

Annually more than 100,000 persons lose arms, feet or hands as the result of accidents. In New York City alone there are some 36,000 cripples—half of them under sixteen years of age.

The annual economic loss to the United States is estimated at more than five billions of dollars.

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