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TERMS.—The terms of subscription to the Reporter are one dollar per year in advance.

CHURCH APPOINTMENTS.—Reformed—Union, morning; Spring Mills, afternoon; Centre Hall, evening.

FOR SALE.—Red Cross Oak heater for wood or coal; used but two seasons; good as new.

HORSE FOR SALE.—The undersigned offers for sale a five year old horse, weight 12 to 13 hundred, all correct.

LOCALS.

Miss Alice Thompson, of Bellefonte, is taking care of the sick at B. Gardner Grove's, east of Centre Hall.

National Chairman Kern's idea of a state chairman is that he should not be a Guffy man, a Kern man, or any other man's man.

Miss Katherine Lukenbach, of Tyrone, has been enjoying the good country air of Centre Hall for the past week as the guest of her aunt, Mrs. D. J. Meyer.

William Keller, of Centre Hall, had one of his toes amputated a few days ago. It will only require a short time, it is thought, until he will be able to continue his work.

R. P. Miller, of Bellefonte, Monday received word that his brother Christ died from injuries received on the railroad in the southern part of Pennsylvania.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank K. Lukenbach, of Tyrone, and Mr. and Mrs. A. Lukenbach, of Bellefonte, spent a few days this week with the family of D. J. Meyer.

With all the repairing and remodeling of homes in Centre Hall this summer, one would think there would be nothing left to be done for 1909, but when the time comes the improvements will no doubt be as numerous as ever.

The mountains are bearing a most bountiful crop of huckleberries, and huckleberry parties are also plentiful. Hundreds of bushels of these berries will be shipped from Pottery Mills, Spring Mills and Coburn before the season closes.

Rev. and Mrs. S. H. Deitzell, of Maytown, are at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Durst. Rev. Deitzell is serving a Reformed charge in Lancaster county, but always spends the vacation months in old Centre.

One day last week Harry Lewis was hitching his team to a harvesting machine at his farm, near Dix station, when one of the horses kicked him on the left hand, completely severing the ends of the first and second fingers and cutting the palm of the hand.

Jacob Campbell, who resides in the upper part of Clinton county, was bitten by a rattlesnake the other day and immediately sat down and with his pocket knife cut the flesh away from the wound and vigorously sucked the blood from the affected part.

Mrs. Ward K. Shultz, of Mexico, Juniata county, accompanied by her two daughters, is at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Keller. Rev. Shultz is recovering from the operation which he underwent for appendicitis, and is now with relatives in New Berry.

The August number of the Ladies' World is given up chiefly to fiction—and excellent fiction it is, so good, in fact, as to restore our belief in the short story. There is variety enough to suit every taste, but all have that touch of human nature that makes them attractive to everyone who reads.

A. A. Allison, the plumber, and John I. Olewine, the hardware man, of Bellefonte, were storm stayed at Centre Hall Tuesday night. They were traveling in the latter's steamer, but concluded that it would be the part of wisdom to remain among friends rather than climb the slippery roads across Nittany Mountain.

Mrs. Joseph T. Irvin, of Denison, Texas, beginning of this week was entertained by Ex-Sheriff Brungart, and from here went to Rebersburg, the former home of her parents. She is the daughter of Lieut. Simon Spangler, now a resident of Newton, Kansas, and came east with her husband, a real estate agent, who is spending the time at Altoona, his native town.

The following persons were to see little's Russel Grove, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gardner Grove, who is seriously ill of typhoid pneumonia, Saturday: John Hockman and brother Frank, a nephew of Mrs. Grove, Mabel and Minnie Garbrick, Grace Shearer, of Zion; Mr. Kerstetter, of Pleasant Gap; Miss Hoy, of Hubersburg. They also went to Penna. Cave, to see the improvements made there.

Horse Lost in Mountains Recovered.

After wandering in the mountains for eleven days, the horse belonging to Noah Brungart of Rebersburg, was found on a high, rocky peak about seven miles east of Livonia. The horse broke loose while Mr. Brungart was out huckleberrying, and no trace could be found of it, until discovered on the rocky mountain where one would not expect a horse to venture. It is supposed the animal had had no water during the eleven days of its wandering, and when found was standing quietly. By careful nursing it is thought the brute may again become useful.

Business Men's Picnic Privileges.

The Passenger Department of the Central Railroad of Pennsylvania has announced that bids for the various stand privileges at Hecla Park, Tuesday, August 18th, account of the Centre-Clinton County Business Men's Picnic will be received up to noon of August 4th. Those desiring privileges should get their bids in before that time. Sale will be made to the highest responsible bidder reserving the right to reject any and all bids.

Old Fort Wins.

Old Fort and Colyer met on the diamond at Tussey's Saturday afternoon and played an interesting game. Both teams were pick-ups from their respective sections. The game was witnessed by a goodly number of spectators, who were well rewarded from a sporting standpoint for the time spent on the bleachers. The score was 19 to 4 in favor of Old Fort, but the playing by the losers was very much better than one would judge from the score.

Marriage Licenses.

Oran J. Allison, Howard. Ida M. Rothrock, Howard. Harry E. Weber, Philipsburg. Caroline A. Hull, Philipsburg. Jacob S. Walk, Sandy Ridge. Lydia Weaver, Port Matilda.

Prompt Payment of Life Insurance.

Centre Hall, Pa., June 6th, 1908.

W. H. BARTHOLOMEW, Agent, Mutual Benefit Life Ins. Co., Centre Hall, Pa.

DEAR SIR:

Allow me to thank you for the liberal settlement of a policy on the life of my husband, Mr. John H. Snyder, who died on the 21st of May, 1908, and had only made five annual payments, using his dividends to reduce the premiums, and the Company's check was for more than the face of the policy. I shall always speak in the highest terms of your good Company. Gratefully yours, MRS. MARY A. SNYDER.

Success.

J. D. Murray the enterprising druggist rather than await the ordinary methods of introduction, urged the Dr. Howard Co. to secure a quick sale for their celebrated specific for the cure of constipation and dyspepsia by offering the regular 50c bottle at half-price. So much talk has been caused by this offer, and so many new friends have been made for the specific that the Dr. Howard Co. have authorized druggist J. D. Murray to continue this special half-price sale for a limited time longer.

In addition to selling a 50c bottle of Dr. Howard's specific for 25c Mr. Murray has so much faith in the remedy that he will refund the money to anyone whom it does not cure.

When your head aches, your stomach does not digest food easily and naturally when there is constipation, specks before the eyes, tired feelings, giddiness, bad taste in the mouth, coated tongue, heart burn, sour stomach, roaring or ringing in the ears, melancholy and liver troubles Dr. Howard's specific will cure you. If it does not it will not cost you a cent.

The Reporter's Register.

- A. A. Lee, Pittsburg. Nettie Bair, Bellefonte. Mrs. Fred Camp, St. Paul, Minnesota. Mrs. Wallace Wilson, Alexandria. Sue Walker, Alexandria. Mary Walker, Alexandria. Maude McEwain, Huntingdon. Wallace Wilson, Alexandria. George Wilson, Tyrone. Ruth McCool, Spring Mills. Lottie McCool, Spring Mills. M. S. Destine, Chatham Run. Alice E. Weber, Huntingdon. Bess S. Weber, Centre Hall. Mrs. Joseph Lutz, Centre Hall. George H. Fulmer, Williamsport. W. H. Mallalieu, Bellefonte. Chas. A. Donachy, Bellefonte. K. C. Rupp, Williamsport. Wm. D. Strunk, Centre Hill. R. J. Bartow, Philadelphia. John Kramer, Centre Hall. Arthur B. Hoover, Philadelphia. R. B. Spangler, Barnesboro. D. L. Kerr, Centre Hall. Sue Reeder, New Berry. Mabel F. Arney, Centre Hall. Anna M. Stover, Centre Hall. R. C. McKee, Tyroneville. Frank E. Lukenbach, Tyrone. Anna and Ruth Barigos, Centre Hill. Mrs. Ellen Frasier, Centre Hall. A. Lukenbach, Bellefonte. Rebecca Kreamer, Centre Hall. Catharine Lukenbach, Tyrone. George Fetteroll, Centre Hall. Mrs. Cyrus Brungart, Centre Hall. Mrs. Verma Irvin, Denison, Texas. Cora Brungart, Centre Hall. A. A. Allison, Bellefonte. John I. Olewine, Bellefonte. Mrs. E. J. Lucas, Philadelphia. B. K. Lucas, Philadelphia. Mrs. Mary J. Odenkirk, Centre Hall.

A PEDDLER'S JOKE.

Had a Sharp Turn That Took All the Fun Out of It.

One day a peddler of tinware stopped at a country house in New England and, leaving his horse and wagon at the gate, went to the door, where a big woman with a rather pleasant face met him. He told her what he had for sale and succeeded in disposing of half a dozen articles to her. Then she said that she had not money enough to buy more.

"Well, ma'am," said the peddler, "I'll take rags if you have any."

"I have none to sell," answered the woman. The peddler saw at least a dozen children, all small, about the house and the yard, and he suddenly thought of a joke that he might play on the woman.

"You seem to have plenty of children," he said. "Maybe you might sell me one of them and take the pay in tinware."

"What will you give?" said the woman.

"I'll give \$10," said the man. "All in the best tinware."

"Well, sir," said the woman. "It's a bargain; take your pick of the lot."

The peddler was surprised that his joke was working so well, but he kept a very serious face, and, selecting a very bright looking little fellow of six years, he took him up and put him on the seat of the wagon and then gave the woman \$10 worth of such articles as she wanted.

Never doubting that the mother would repent of her bargain and give him, to redeem the boy, \$10 in money the minute she saw him starting off, he climbed up on the seat, touched up his horse and drove off. He drove very slowly, however, for he expected every second to hear the woman call him back, for how could he think for a moment that a mother would sell her child for a lot of tinware?

But she did not call him back, much to his amazement, while, as for the boy, he was in high glee, for he was going to have a drive. Presently the peddler, fearing that the joke had been turned on him, drove back to the gate. Lifting the disappointed little fellow down from the wagon, he went with him to the door, where he found that the woman had just finished arranging her new tins nicely on her shelves.

"I think the boy will not do, after all," said the peddler, "and you had better take him back and let me have my tins."

"No, sir," cried the woman. "A bargain's a bargain, and you must stick to it."

"Why, ma'am," said the man; "surely you wouldn't sell your little son for a lot of tinware?"

"Oh," answered the woman, "I have no children, mister. The boys and girls you see here are pauper children, and as you seem to be a good sort of man I'll sell you as many of 'em as you want for \$10 apiece."

The peddler stared at her for a minute in speechless amazement, and then, turning suddenly toward his wagon, he drove away as fast as his horse could take him.

But he left his tins behind him.—Pittsburg Press.

His Modest Request.

Your regular "professional" tramp has a sharp tongue and is not slow to use it when occasion arises. A farmer's wife had curtly refused the usual request for a night's lodging from a gentleman of this fraternity.

"Well, then, ma'am," said the tramp, "would you mind if I slept in that big meadow there behind your barn?"

"No," said the woman in a magnanimous tone, "you may sleep there if you like."

"One thing more, ma'am," said the tramp, "before I say good night. Will you please have me called at 4 sharp? I want to catch the cattle train to market."—San Francisco Chronicle.

Lacked Relish.

A good many of the Sac and Fox Indians do not talk much, and when they are in a store and see something they want they pick it up and pay for it. When Tom Hall was keeping a drug store an Indian woman entered it and picked up a can of varnish and paid for it. A few weeks later the same woman was in again and Tom asked her if she wanted another can. She said no, they couldn't eat the can she had.—Stroud (Okla.) Messenger.

A Golf Outrage.

The Earl of Wemyss who on a life golf course on one occasion accompanied by an old caddy. His lordship got his ball on one occasion so near the hole that to play it was, as it appeared to him, superfluous. So he simply tipped it in with the toe of his boot.

The caddy revolted instantly, threw down the club and looked horrified. "Can he found words to speak it to me to say, 'Hang it, me lord, gowf's gowf!'"

Satin Ashes.

Small Nells read aloud from her Sunday school lesson as follows: "And the king of Nineveh covered himself with sackcloth and sat in ashes."

This was a puzzler, and finally she said, "Mamma, what kind of ashes is satin ashes?"—Chicago News.

Fault Finding.

Nothing is easier than fault finding. No talent, no self denial, no brains, no character is required to set up in the grumbling business, but those who are moved by a genuine desire to do good have little time for murmuring or complaint.

Most people who rob Peter to pay Paul forget the last part of the contract.

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Harris Township. Byron Meek, of the Mountain City, visited in Boalsburg for a few days. Mrs. Magee and daughter, Miss May, of West Virginia, are visitors at the home of her brother, John Charles. Miss Elizabeth Harpster with her nephew, George Wilder, of Harrisburg, are being entertained at the home of her sister, Mrs. Homer Barr. Dr. Samuel Woods and family, of South Sharon, are spending a week with his mother, Mrs. M. A. Woods. Rev. A. A. Black took a drive to Huntingdon county where he visited his mother and other relatives. The picnic in McFarlane's grove on Saturday was one of the most social events of the season. Mr. and Mrs. John Stuart and daughter, Miss Margaret, of State College, with their visitors, Mrs. Bigler and daughter, of Clearfield; Miss Miriam Dreese and sister, Mrs. Angeline Bottorf and daughters, Misses Ella and Ruth, of Lemont; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Heberling, of Pine Grove Mills, were among those from a distance who participated in the enjoyments of the day. The next attraction in this place is a festival Saturday evening in the town hall in Boalsburg. Ice cream and cake will be served, and a general good time is expected. Mrs. Julia Williams, of Lemont, is spending the week with friends in Boalsburg. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Fortney spent Sunday with the latter's mother, Mrs. Danley, in Pine Grove Mills. Lee Segner and family, of State College, enjoyed several days with relatives in Boalsburg. W. H. Stuart spent a week in Pittsburg, where he visited his mother. Howard Lukens and family, with their nieces, Vesper and Grace Taubhelm, of Altoona, are guests at the Hoover home in Shingletown. They also visited relatives in Aaronburg. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Felty and daughter Dolly Mae, of Altoona, visited here from Friday until Monday. They made the trip in an auto car, which was purchased by Dr. Kidder. Everybody is expecting a free ride now. George Keller and family, of Houserville, spent a day with his mother, Mrs. Margaret Keller, and at the Adam Felty home. Harry Shugerts and family, of Ferguson township, were also guests at the latter place. Services will be held in the Presbyterian church next Friday evening and Saturday forenoon, and the Holy communion will be administered Sunday morning. Prof. E. H. Meyer and family, of Hazleton, are spending their vacation in Boalsburg. Helen Coxey returned from a three weeks visit with friends at Pleasant Gap. Mrs. Sophie Hall, of Wilmington, Delaware, is the guest of her sister, Miss Sarah J. Keller. Mrs. Dr. Kleckner and son, William of Millinburg, and Miss Grace Everett of Vicksburg, and Miss Veronica Fisher, of Bellefonte, were visitors at the home of Mrs. Emma A. Fisher. Paul Rupp returned on Monday from a four week's stay with his uncle, George Shney, at Shiloh, where he helped at haying and harvesting. Misses Esther and Hattie Kaup spent Friday in Bellefonte, where they visited their sister, Mrs. John Fisher.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD TO Atlantic City, Cape May. Anglesea, Wildwood, Holly Beach, Ocean City, Sea Isle City, Avalon. NEW JERSEY. Thursdays, July 30, August 13 and 27, 1908. \$6.50 Round Trip From Centre Hall. Tickets good returning within Ten Days. STOP-OVER ALLOWED AT PHILADELPHIA. For full information concerning leaving time of trains, consult small hand bills or nearest Ticket Agent.

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Spring Mills. Rev. B. F. Bieber, of Centre Hall, was a guest at the home of David McCool on Sunday. Miss Rosa Smith spent Friday and Saturday at Bellefonte. Archie Allison and family and Frank McCoy and family, of Bellefonte, and Edward Allison, of Pottery Mills, spent Sunday at the home of William Allison. Miss Bertha Stelly and friend, of Sunbury, are the guests of Miss Anna Cummings. Messrs. Philip and James Shook and Cavil Rice are spending a week at Atlantic City. Vilas Long, of Newark, Ohio, is spending his vacation with relatives in this place. Smith's show was well attended on Tuesday night. A large number of people from this place expect to attend the Lutheran picnic at Centre Hall today (Thursday). Estella Wolfe and Miriam Long spent a few days with friends at Howard and Bellefonte. If it is a mighty little word to carry so much weight.

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