

SHOOTING SHROUDED IN MYSTERY.

Mrs. Wallace Walker Shot in Hand While Feeding Chickens—Joseph Corman Arrested—Peculiar Circumstances in Case.

On Monday morning the residents of Brushvalley were aroused over what appeared to have been an attempt to take the life of Mrs. Wallace Walker who was shot in the hand while in the yard feeding the chickens. The same day Mr. Walker caused the arrest of Joseph Corman, a neighbor, who waived a hearing and was placed under \$1000 bail by 'quire J. P. Musser, of Millheim, for appearance at September court.

It appears that "bad blood" has existed for some time between the Walkers and Cormans, who live at the cross roads, two miles west of Rebersburg. The story as told by Miss Irene Boob, who is employed as a domestic in the Walker home, in substance is as follows: On Monday she (Miss Boob) and Mr. Walker left the house to feed the chickens. Mrs. Walker carrying a wash basin which contained the feed. While in the act of throwing feed to the fowls a shot was heard, the bullet whizzing overhead. Neither lady thought anything of the matter but a second shot proved more alarming when it narrowly missed hitting Miss Boob, the bullet passing through her hat, striking the basin which Mrs. Walker held and passing through it and also through the fleshy part of the left hand which held the receptacle. With a scream Mrs. Walker fell to the ground in a faint, and to make the deed more dastardly, a third shot was fired which passed over the prostrate form of the woman. Hearing the screams emitted by the woman, two boys—hirelings on the place—started in the direction of the shooting and claim they saw Corman pass by on the way to his home, holding his hand close by his side as if attempting to conceal something. On the strength of the boys' observations Mr. Walker caused the arrest of Corman.

A mysterious feature of the shooting is that the parties who figured so prominently claim that the distance from where Corman is said to have been standing to where Mr. Walker fell is a distance of twenty-six steps, while an examination of Mrs. Walker reveals the fact that she is powder burnt, which could not be possible at so great a distance.

Mr. Corman denies all knowledge of the shooting and stated that he has not had a gun in his hands for several months. He is a man held in high esteem in his locality and there are many who place no credence in the story as it is given. The case is a puzzling one.

The W. C. T. U. Convention.

The most enthusiastic county W. C. T. U. convention held in a long while adjourned after holding its fourth session Wednesday morning at Hubbersburg. There were present a large number of delegates from all sections of the county, whose reports from the societies they represented were most flattering. The additions of members during the past six months was unusually large, and the county treasury is well filled for future work.

The portions of the program filled by the young people in the Hubbersburg community were most delightful. The singing and the speaking was thoroughly enjoyed by every one in the large audience. Their performance pointed directly to benefit obtained from instruction in a handsome brick building down the way a block.

The principal speaker was Mrs. Addie P. Parcells whose address on Tuesday evening was of such importance that it is regretted that every word of it could not be printed here.

Reed-Dunkleberger.

J. C. Reed and Miss Katharine Dunkleberger were united in the holy bonds of matrimony at the Presbyterian Manse, by Rev. Dr. W. H. Schuyler, Thursday afternoon of last week. Mr. Reed owns a fine productive farm which is located on the road leading from Bobsburg to Oak Hall. The place contains all new buildings, and the home is an ideal place being of the "cottage" style of architecture and surrounded by fine growing fruit trees. Miss Dunkleberger is from Pleasant Gap and for several years has been keeping house for Mr. Reed. The best wishes of the community go with them.

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Community Picnic.

The various committees having in charge the arrangements for the Sunday school and community picnic have nearly completed their work, and the full program will be published next week. In the meantime preparations will continue to make June 17th the day for our largest and most successful community celebration.—Committee.

KEEPER-BRUNGART NUPTIALS.

Event Solemnized at Home of Bride's Parents in Centre Hall, Wednesday Morning.

Wednesday morning at ten o'clock, at the home of the bride's parents, in Centre Hall, Miss Cora A. Brungart and Thomas M. Keefer were united in marriage by Rev. D. E. Kurtz, pastor of the bride. Only the immediate relatives of the contracting parties witnessed the ceremony. Following the wedding dinner they were conveyed to Bellefonte by L. L. Smith where they boarded the 1:18 train. They will spend their honeymoon period in Washington, D. C., and other points. They will make their home in Youngwood.

The bride is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Brungart and is an accomplished young woman of spotless character and noble purpose, who has a wide circle of admiring friends. The groom is a promising young man who holds a responsible position in the main office of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company at Youngwood.

The Reporter extends hearty congratulations.

LOCALS

Charles Smith of Bellefonte spent Tuesday with friends in Centre Hall.

Prof. W. R. Jones's summer Normal at Spring Mills will close this week after a six weeks' term.

Miss Edna F. Walters of Shamokin spent a few days last week at the home of her cousin, William Stoner.

"Grip, Grit and Gumption" will prove helpful and entertaining. Hear Dr. Holtz in Grange Arcadia tonight (Thursday).

Mr. Mary Wieland left for her home in Collingswood, New Jersey, on Friday morning, where she will spend a few weeks.

Five hundred farmers from Berks and Montgomery counties made a trip to State Monday to inspect the work of the agricultural experiment farms.

One day last week while driving down the lane on his farm, Charles Stoner at Tusseyville aroused a large doe deer which was lying in his grass field.

The State Livestock Sanitary Board has reduced the quarantine area, which took effect June 1, to a portion of Allegheny, Erie, Philadelphia, Schuylkill and Warren counties.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Potter, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Brower, returned last Thursday from an automobile trip to Phoenixville where lives Mr. Potter's son, George F. Potter.

Rev. W. H. Williams of Spring Mills and Evangelist Paul Brown of Hannibal, New York, who is conducting a successful evangelistic campaign in Millheim, favored this office with a call, Monday afternoon.

T. W. Lauver was appointed postmaster of Milroy on Saturday to fill the vacancy caused by the death of M. M. Nagney who was stricken before he could assume his duties. President Wilson named Mr. Lauver by a recess appointment.

Painters George Long and Cleveland Genzel of Spring Mills this week finished painting the exterior of the J. C. Roseman home and next week will paint the house and barn on the Mrs. F. O. Bairfoot farm, tenanted by Lanson Burris.

Mr. Sarah Hind, mother of Ralph Hind, of Aaronsburg, died at her home in Lock Haven, Tuesday of last week, after a short illness with heart trouble. She was aged seventy-six years. The body was taken to Zion where interment was made Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Keller of Ingram arrived in Centre Hall on Monday afternoon and on Tuesday Mr. Keller left for Bedford in the interest of the Globe Soap Company, for which concern he has been a salesman for a number of years. Mrs. Keller remained until Wednesday with friends and before returning home will visit relatives and friends in other places.

BIG CROWDS AT REVIVALS.

1400 People Present Sunday Evening Which Taxed Tabernacle to Its Capacity.—Good Work Being Done.

The meetings during the past have been very well attended in spite of the bad weather. More than 1000 people were present on Friday evening, which was especially recognized as musical night. On Sunday, regardless of the weather, the meetings were well attended. The morning service at 10 o'clock was especially given to that of a consecration service for the Christians. Evangelist Paul Brown made a call for persons who would give their assistance in the meetings as personal workers and a goodly number came forward and offered themselves. These were organized later in the day so that the work will go forward with great dispatch.

In the afternoon an invitation was given and one young man came forward and dedicated his life to Christ. In the evening the tabernacle was full, some even standing. As it is arranged so that approximately 1400 people can be seated it is not an exaggeration to say that many were present. Mrs. Parcells, state worker of the W. C. T. U., gave the first address of the evening and this was followed by a short sermon by the evangelist. Another invitation was given and another person came out on the Lord's side. Everything points to a great gathering of souls for Millheim and the community around about.

Meeting at 7:30 each evening except Monday evening. Friday evening "Musical Night." On Sunday at 3 p. m., there will be a special meeting for men only. This admits boys over twelve years of age. It is the request of the evangelist that fathers bring their sons and sit beside them during the service. Three services Sunday: 10:30 a. m., 3:30 p. m. and 7:30 p. m. Group prayer-meetings are being held at 10 a. m. in four sections of the town, and a business men's prayer-meeting at 11:50 a. m., lasting ten minutes, in one of the business places of the town.

A great spirit of unity seems to be working among the people and the prospects are bright for a great meeting.

Community Picnic at Spring Mills.

Thursday, June 24th, is the time set for the community picnic at Spring Mills. A more definite announcement will appear next week.

Eleven of May's thirty-one days were wet, and the rainfall for that time was almost four inches.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Houseman and Mrs. McGinnis, of Millheim, spent Sunday at the home of the former's brother-in-law, Clyde Stover.

Miss Pearl Kurtz, a student in the conservatory of music at Syracuse University, New York, is at the home of her parents, Rev. and Mrs. D. E. Kurtz.

Mr. Samuel Gingerich was seized with an attack at the heart while in town Friday evening and was compelled to remain at the home of Dr. H. H. Longwell until the next morning.

Mr. P. B. Glenn and three children of Altoona spent Sunday at the L. L. Smith home, going from there to the home of Mrs. Glenn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Foreman, at State College.

A straight one hundred dollars is what J. C. Goodhart of Centre Hill realized on a fine Holstein bull which he delivered to the butcher last week. The animal was a perfect one and tipped the scales at 1485 lb.

The Kerlin Grand View Poultry Farm shipped eight hundred chicks to the sanitarium at Cressor, Friday of last week. They will be raised for the purpose of providing the main article of diet for the patients next winter.

E. F. Ripka assisted his friend, C. M. Smith, at Coburn, on Thursday, to put the knife in prices on goods in the store which the latter recently purchased. Mr. Smith is determined to "clean house" and is not concerned about prices.

DEATHS.

Francis Long died at his home between Millheim and Coburn on Tuesday noon of blood poisoning resulting from the cutting of a corn. He was aged eighty-seven years and was a retired farmer. Funeral services will be held Friday morning in the Reformed church at Aaronsburg and burial made there. His wife died thirteen years ago, but he is survived by three children, namely, Alfred Long, Haines township; William, at home; Mrs. Ezra Keen, Millheim. Also one brother and one sister—Jesse Long and Mrs. Kate Breon—both of State College.

Mrs. C. E. Emerick, aged fifty-six years, wife of Dr. Emerick, died at her home 2154 North Fifth street, Harrisburg, Thursday morning at 8 o'clock, from cancer. The body was taken to Shireleysburg, Huntingdon county, Saturday morning. The funeral and interment took place Sunday at that place. Dr. Emerick removed to Harrisburg from Centre Hall about twelve years ago.

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ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE.

Letters of administration on the estate of Perry W. Breon, late of Centre Hall borough, deceased.

Letters of administration on the above estate having been duly granted to the undersigned, she would respectfully request all persons knowing themselves indebted to the estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them duly authenticated for settlement.

MRS. EMMA S. BREON, Administratrix, 22-027.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

In the matter of the estate of Henry M. Krebs, late of Ferguson Township, Centre County, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned auditor, duly appointed by the Orphans' Court of Centre County to make distribution of the balance in the hands of the administrators of the above named estate, as shown by accounts filed, and among those entitled to the same, said estate being insolvent, will meet the parties interested at his office in Crider's Exchange building, Bellefonte, Pa., on Monday, the 28th day of June, 1915, at ten o'clock a. m., at which time all parties having claims to present are hereby notified to do so, or be forever debarred from coming in on said funds.

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