

LOCALS

Mrs. Clyde Bradford visited relatives in Boalsburg one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ailman of Houersville were guests of Dr. and Mrs. H. F. Bitner, Friday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Small of Altoona is visiting at the home of her cousin, Mr. James Smetzler, in Centre Hall.

D. J. Nieman, Milheim's clothing merchant, and his assistant, Harry Mensch, were in Centre Hall on business, Monday.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Goodhart, at Centre Hill, Saturday morning. The mother and babe are doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Smith, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Bradford, attended the Reformed picnic at Hecla Park, Tuesday.

Evangelist Paul Brown, Mrs. Brown, and three children, have taken up their abode at the home of Mrs. Emma Breen during the period of the evangelistic work.

Mrs. F. O. Bairfoot and W. J. Smith on Monday made an automobile trip through the Kishacoquillas valley in Mifflin county and on to Huntingdon, returning home via Tyrone.

Mr. E. L. Bartholomew, of Altoona, who for the past few weeks has been at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. A. Kennedy, has been under the doctor's care for a week or more, but at present is much improved.

Mr. D. Milton Bradford underwent an operation for appendicitis at her home, on Tuesday morning. The operating physician was Dr. H. H. Longwell. The operation was a success and Mrs. Bradford is recovering splendidly.

About two miles of State road, leading from Penn Hall westward, are being treated with road oil. The Atlantic Refining Company has the contract from the State for the work and has shipped a large tank to the depot at Rising Springs.

Mr. Hanna Smith is lying seriously ill at the home of her son, Robert I. Smith, and her friends fear for her recovery. A short time ago she suffered a light paralytic stroke which started her decline. Mr. Smith is past eighty-one years of age.

The Centre Reporter has extended free to the tabernacle management the use of a reasonable amount of space for advertising purposes. The articles appearing each week marked with asterisks are contributed and do not necessarily represent the views of the editor.

Prof. John G. Rossmar, for a number of years the head of the Stuttgart (Arkansas) school, is taking a special course in Columbia University, New York City. He is a son of merchant H. F. Rossmar of Spring Mills, and is one of the young men of whom Gregg township is proud of having produced.

Yesterday (Wednesday) was the birthday anniversary of Hor. Leonard Rhoad, and in company with a few of his friends, he observed the day in a quiet but pleasing manner on his farm at Rhoneymeder, tenanted by Cloyd Brooks. Mr. Rhoad is seventy-seven years of age and is enjoying the best of health.

Harry M. Bitner, managing editor of the Pittsburgh Press, his wife and two children, and Mr. Bitner's sister, Miss Jeanette Hann, were arrivals Wednesday afternoon and will spend a week at the home of Mr. Bitner's father, Dr. H. F. Bitner. Mr. Bitner only a few months ago received the merited promotion to the position he now holds on one of Pittsburgh's leading papers.

Miss Mary Kennedy will leave this (Thursday) morning for Cherokee, Iowa, where she will spend several weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Lingle. She will be accompanied by Mrs. (Dr.) Hillie, of Juniata, and enroute the two ladies will stop for a short time with relatives at Altoona, Fort Wagner, Lafayette, Ind. At the last named place they will be joined by Mrs. George Knof, sister-in-law of Mrs. Hillie, and the three will make the journey to Iowa together.

Georgos Valley.

Fred Ripka of Pleasant Gap spent Sunday with friends at this place.

Mr. F. M. Ackerman spent Sunday with Mrs. J. K. Confer.

Mr. and Mrs. John Detwiler spent Friday at the home of H. A. Haugh.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving of Altoona are spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Decker.

Mrs. Charles Ripka spent Thursday at Sober with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Lingle.

T. J. Decker and family of Spring Mills visited at the Dolen Decker home on Sunday.

Mr. V. A. Auman of Centre Hall spent a few days last week with her sister, Miss Bertha Jamison.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Lingle were Sunday visitors at Tusseyville with the latter's sister, Mrs. William Lingle.

Mrs. Nora Zetby, who is employed at Jacob McCool's, was thrown from a buggy last Saturday evening and the result was a broken arm.

Linden Hall

Miss Helen Lemon of Morgantown, West Virginia, is spending part of her vacation with Centre county relatives.

A little son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Horner on Monday evening. This is the fifth child and the second son in the family.

J. E. Ross and family motored to Altoona Sunday morning and spent the day with their daughter, Miss Ruth, who is a nurse in training in the hospital there.

Miss Mildred Wieland, who has been visiting her grandfather, spent a few days with Miss Mildred Campbell at Fairbrook, before returning home.

Miss Maud Miller, who has been visiting friends in Lebanon for three weeks, returned home on Monday, stopping for a short time with her sister here.

Mr. D. M. Campbell is seriously ill suffering from a nervous breakdown. Her niece, Mary Campbell, a nurse from one of the Philadelphia hospitals, is caring for her.

Mr. R. M. Wolfe, after spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. J. W. Keller, left on Monday for State College where she will visit for some time with her sister, Mrs. J. H. Williams, and later go to Rock Springs to spend a few days with her brother, J. H. Miller, and family.

Saturday a motor party, consisting of eight automobiles, headed by Dr. James Smith and Mrs. Smith, came from Altoona and held a picnic in McFarlane's grove. They were joined there by James M. Ross and family, Dr. Kidder and family, Mr. and Mrs. McFarlane, F. E. Wieland and family, Miss Phoebe Potter, and Rev. and Mrs. Stover and son Elwood.

Tusseyville

John Keene, who for the past few months has been visiting his sisters in Centre Valley and other relatives throughout the state, returned to his home in Edwardsburg, Michigan, Wednesday morning.

W. G. Runkle, Esq., of Bellefonte, and Miss Laura Runkle, of Centre Hall, were Sunday visitors at the home of the former's brother, James Runkle.

Mr. and Mrs. George Strook, daughter Irma, and sons, James, Charles and Christ, spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Strook's sister, Mrs. J. H. Horner.

A medicine show has pitched its tent near here and is drawing large crowds every evening.

Where the State's Wealth Lies.

Pennsylvania is known throughout the nation as a manufacturing state, some taking little account of her vast agricultural resources, for her farms, truck gardens, dairy products and stock breeding are of great importance and the total amount of revenue derived from these sources is considerable. Great interest is being manifested these days in the products of the farm and dairy. This is seen on every side and especially in the number of boys who are taking up the various courses in agriculture offered by the Pennsylvania State College. The enrollment in this department alone was over 1,200 last school year, 600 more than the entire college enrollment eight years ago.

The vocation is calling the best men as it has been found to be not only the healthiest but the most remunerative occupation for the average man. It was not in the great long ago when a farmer was a "hayseed" and the business of farming as being very poor.

That day has passed and all on account of the extraordinary opportunities offered the thoughtful and far-sighted individual by the agricultural school. Today the gardener and general farmer are numbered among the most prosperous in this state. The farm or dairy is an educational institution and the man who invests his earnings in productive land need have no fear that it will fade away or that his hard earned dollars will take wings and fly to parts unknown or line the pockets of those who delight to prey upon their unsuspecting dupes.

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The world famous Ben Greet players will present two of Shakespeare's plays in the open air theatre, on the front campus, at State College, Saturday, July 31st. At the matinee in the afternoon "Taming of the Shrew" will be presented, and in the evening "Twelfth Night." In case of rain the performance will be given in the Auditorium. Prices 50c and 75c.

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NEWS OF 1881.

Notes Taken From Files of The Centre Reporter of Thirty-four Years Ago.

September 22nd—Potatoes are selling at \$1 to \$1.25. The crop will be less than ever known in this county.

On Tuesday night of last week, about nine o'clock, a brilliant meteor was noticed passing north-westward over our country and some say they noticed its explosion. A rumbling noise was heard some minutes after it was seen. The meteor was "as big as a pot" and lit up all around. It was seen at Centre Hall, Aaronsburg and Bellefonte.

Daniel Keller of Norr, II., called in to see the Reporter the other day. Mr. Keller formerly lived in this neighborhood and attended school in the old school house on the lot where the Centre Hall hotel now stands. He is an uncle of our townsman and candidate for county treasurer, D. C. Keller. Mr. Keller left Centre county in 1847.

The Granger's picnic on the mountain near Centre Hall, on Thursday, 15th, was a success. Streams of wagons and buggies kept pouring in our town from morning until noon. The crowd on the mountain may have been from 5,000 to 8,000. Three brass bands were present, from Zion, Leont and Pine Hall.

September 29th—Brush Valley has an abundance of apples.

The corner stone of the new Lutheran church at Millheim will be laid on Sunday, October 16th, with appropriate ceremonies.

Our landlord Meyer and wife, have gone on a few weeks' visit to the western part of the state. The hotel, however, was left in good hands and goes on.

FRUITTOWN.

Miss Orpha Fleisher spent Sunday at the H. A. McOlellan home. Quite a number from this place are attending the tabernacle meetings at Centre Hall.

Mrs. Nevel is spending some time at the home of her brother, Samuel Klinefelter.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ramer of Millroy spent Sunday at the home of S. E. Jordan.

Mrs. Emma Fohringer returned to State College Monday after spending a week with her son, D. C. Fohringer. Misses Delia and Lettie Klinefelter

are spending several weeks with friends at State College.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bitner and daughter Ethel spent Sunday in Millroy.

W. A. Reiber and family spent Saturday very pleasantly with friends at "Ouburr." The trip was made in Frank Philip's car.

Miss Anna Fohringer, who for many years was employed at Northumberland, arrived Wednesday at the home of her brother, Daniel, where she intends to make her future home.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

STOCKHOLDERS MEETING.—

A special meeting of the stockholders of the State College Transportation Co. is called for July 31st, 1915, at 7:30 P. M. in the Alpha Fire Company Building, in the Borough of State College, Centre County, Pennsylvania, to vote upon the following resolutions:

- 1. Be it resolved that the bonded and mortgaged indebtedness be increased from \$200,000 to \$400,000 and.
2. Be it further resolved that the Board of Directors be and are hereby authorized to sell the property of the Company, under such conditions as they may deem best, and in the event of such sale, to pay the debts of the Company, distribute the balance, if any, as the interests of the several stockholders may appear, and apply for the dissolution of the corporation.

S. K. HOSTETTER, Secretary.

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SATURDAY, JULY 31, AT 2 P. M.

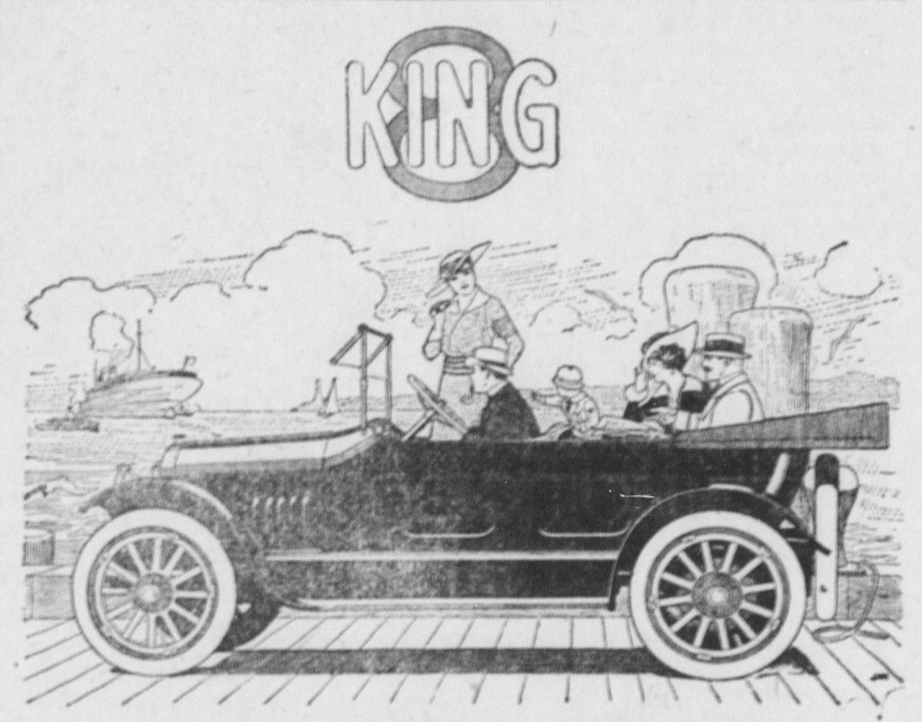
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