

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

November 3rd—Alfred Hosterman, farmer near this place, while threshing a few days ago, was caught by the tumbling shaft which undressed him in short order. He sustained no injuries from the unpleasant and most always fatal grasp of the shaft.

Reports from all parts of the valley are to the effect that fly is doing much damage to the grain fields. In some fields there is almost total destruction by this pest.

November 10th—Mr. Sandoe, the tailor, has arrived and is now ready for work in the bank building, 2nd floor.

The dwelling house of James Evans, near Spring Mills, was destroyed by fire on last Tuesday night. The fire was only discovered about midnight after it had gained too much headway to save the building. The building was insured in the Centre Hall company.

FRUITTOWN.

Mrs. Alfred Reiber and four children of Johnstown are paying a short visit at the William Reiber home.

Helen Bodtort of Milroy is spending her vacation with her parents and friends at this place.

Fred Klinefelter and Harris Bubb, who are employed at Milroy, spent Sunday with their parents.

Miss Anna Fohringer left Sunday to visit friends and relatives in Millin county.

Miss Orpha Fleisher left Tuesday to make a short visit among friends at Herndon and other points.

Rush Dippery and William Bubb spent last week with friends in Reedsville.

W. A. Fleisher, wife and daughter Sara of Yeagerstown on Sunday autoed to the home of the former's father, T. J. Fleisher, where the day was spent very pleasantly.

How to Get Rid of Ground Hogs.

This is a question many Penns Valley farmers are as anxious to have answered as the professor in Gettysburg College who last week asked State Zoologist E. A. Surface, saying, "Please give me some suggestions for getting rid of ground hogs. They are biting my young apple trees, and in some cases have torn the bark half way around. I have trimmed the ragged bark, and have painted the wound with white lead and linseed oil. Is this right?" The reply he received will be helpful in reducing the damage of ground hogs and woodchucks in other parts of the State. It is as follows:

"You will have no trouble whatever in getting rid of ground hogs if you follow the directions given below. Purchase twice as many pounds of the liquid known as carbon sulphide as there are holes to treat. At each hole wrap a bundle of rags, waste, or any other absorbent material around the end of a stick. Then pour over it a half pound of the carbon sulphide, or as large a portion of a half pound as it will absorb. Thrust it into the hole as far as possible, and close the opening with damp earth tramped in compactly. If there is a branch hole or opening it is not necessary to treat it, but simply close it up. If, however, there are two ends to the hole, or two distinct openings, and the ends some little distance apart, it will be best to treat them both.

"The fumes of carbon bisulphide are very foul-smelling, and are explosive. Therefore, fire should be kept away from them. They will not cause instant death, but may cause headache to breathe them. They are heavier than air, and, therefore, will tend to sink into the holes and remain there. As soon as Mr. Woodchuck comes up, and commences to make his way out of the hole, he breathes these poisonous fumes and is suffocated, and you may be sure that after a nest is thus once treated it will never be opened again from the inside.

"Ground hogs or woodchucks are among the serious enemies of the farmer, and effect great destruction, for which there is but slight compensation in the way of beneficial returns. On the other hand, skunks are so very beneficial that one should be careful in putting carbon bisulphide into supposed ground hog or woodchuck holes as he may kill one of the farmer's best friends, the skunk.

"Where the trees are injured by ground hogs, the best thing to do is to paint them with melted grafting wax or pure white lead and raw linseed oil, and let them have a chance to heal, as you have done."

The Reporter force enjoyed a rare treat Monday afternoon through the generosity of Equire Cyrus Brungart who handed in a very liberal amount of choice peaches which he gathered from his young orchard within the borough limits. As was stated in these columns a short time ago Mr. Brungart will gather over a hundred bushels of the luscious fruit.

At the regular monthly meeting of the Millheim school board last week the tuition for non-resident pupils was fixed as follows: High school, \$3 per month; grammar, \$2; intermediate and primary, \$1.

AARONSBURG.

Mrs. Edward Wolfe and son, Jason, of Wolfe Store, spent Sunday in town. Mrs. Eva Bell of Bellefonte and daughter, Mrs. L. Brooke, of the west, are visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hull.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hosterman and two bright little girls from Millheim, spent Sunday with the former's sister, Mrs. John Hains, who is getting along nicely.

Mr. Rupp, boss carpenter, of State College, and John Bright, one of his employees, of Rebersburg, are getting along splendidly with the construction of the new school house.

Blain Bitner spent Sunday at the home of his son, Alice Bright.

Ada Keen of Millheim spent Sunday at the home of Florence Mensch.

Mr. and Mrs. O. and little son of Allentown, are being entertained by J. W. Forster.

Mr. and Mrs. Cole of Plymouth spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. John Haines.

Miss Fay Stover of State College is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Charles Limbert.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Musser from Akron, Ohio, are spending a short time at the home of the former's brother, Dr. C. F. Musser.

Mrs. Mary Boon and granddaughter, Francis Eisenberg, from Osceola Mills, are the guests of the former lady's niece, Mrs. J. J. Feldler.

Mrs. George Stahl of Milton was here for a few days to assist her sister-in-law in taking care of Mrs. Maria Deshler, who is not improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Detweiler from Tusseyville were the guests of the former's uncle, Frank, and cousin, Warren Winkelsch.

Mary Jane Stover of Lewistown visited her uncle, George Weaver. Six years ago she and her parents moved from this place.

Mr. Harry Sowers and little son Jack of State College, and Mrs. Herbert Smull of Rebersburg visited at the James Wert home on Saturday.

Mr. George Shaffer of State College paid her annual visit to the home of her cousin, Mrs. Eisenhower and Mr. Eitelmar, who has been confined to bed for the past five years.

Rev. and Mrs. W. D. Donat and seven-year-old son, Nevir, left on Friday morning for Lebanon county to spend their vacation with Mrs. Donat's parents.

Among those who are being entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Stover are their daughter, Mrs. Homer Zerby, and husband, from Youngstown, and Mr. Frank Haugh from Lock Haven.

A QUIET WEDDING.

There was a quiet wedding at the Reformed parsonage Wednesday morning. The contracting parties were Warren Boob of Millinburg and Miss Ada Corman of Ceburr.

HAS FOOT NEARLY CUT OFF. Summer Wance met with a serious accident while assisting Farmer Gule-wite in cutting grain one day last week. A balky horse required the attention of Mr. Wance and when he attempted to start the animal by taking its head the horse suddenly leaped forward and struck Mr. Wance's foot, almost cutting it off. He is now in the Bellefonte hospital where he is getting along nicely.

The twelfth annual reunion of the Yearick and Hoy families will be held at Hecla Park, on Tuesday of next week. An excellent program has been prepared.

Don't forget the festival by the Ladies' Temple, on Saturday evening.

COBURN.

Chas. Meek is spending a few days with his mother at Harrisburg this week.

Mrs. J. B. Rishel spent a few days at Millinburg with her daughter, Mrs. Edward Shively.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Anderson spent Sunday at Tylersville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Harter, Miss Chestie Stover and Chas. Meek, attended the Lutheran Sunday-school picnic at Hecla Park last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stover and daughter, Dorothy, Mr. and Mrs. William Whitmeyer, all of Bellefonte, visited among friends at this place on Sunday.

James Whitmeyer and family from Loganton spent Sunday with his brother, John Whitmeyer, and family.

W. C. Krader has ordered another carload of Maxwell touring cars.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Harter spent Sunday at the home of James Wert.

Mrs. John Eby and Mrs. Fred Hosterman of Millheim, spent a day at the home of their sister, Mrs. Fred Malone.

Potters Mills

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carson spent Sunday evening at the C. S. Thomas home.

Mrs. Ammon Bubb and two daughters of Reedsville are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Wilkinsor.

Mrs. Harry Weber of Lewistown and daughter are visiting at the C. S. Thomas home.

Miss Christena Curry and sister are spending a week at the hotel.

Samuel Bible and son Flora of Oak Hill spent Sunday at the home of Joseph Carson.

Quite a few of the young people of this place attended the festival in Georges Valley.

Mrs. George Boal visited her uncle, James Foust, in Georges Valley.

Jesse McJenshan took the Misses Curry to Bellefonte on Saturday.

Quite a few people greeted the Woman's Liberty Bell at this place.

Joseph Carson and crew are busy working on the road, getting them ready for Grangers Picnic.

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