

**THE CENTRE REPORTER.**

THURSDAY, AUGUST 19, 1915

**LOCALS**

Mr. W. W. Kerlin of Cincinnati, Ohio, who is visiting relatives in Centre county, spent a few days last week at the A. E. Kerlin home.

Mrs. Charles Sheffer and two children of Dewart were guests for a few days last week at the home of Mrs. Sheffer's cousin, Mrs. Mary Rearick.

Miss Vera Emerick who is keeping house for her uncle, Benjamin Emerick, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Emerick, near Penn Hall.

The Lutheran congregation at Phillipsburg purchased a pipe organ last Friday and it will be installed about December 1st. The Carnegie Corporation contributed \$825 toward the \$1550 cost of the organ.

The local W. C. T. U. has made arrangements for the appearance of J. Mitchell Bennetts, a speaker of national reputation, at Centre Hall, Friday of next week. A more definite announcement will appear next week.

Casper Fielding and daughter, Mrs. Thomas Wehlan and children, Victoris, Dorothy and Thomas, of Pittsburgh, returned to their home Saturday afternoon after a month's visit at the home of the former's brother, John Fielding, at Linden Hall.

Mrs. P. H. Luse and son Fred will leave for Lewisburg this (Thursday) morning and for a few days will be the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Charles Grenoble. Mr. Luse will make the run to Lewisburg in his car on Sunday and bring his family home.

Michael Shaffer, who makes his home with his son, Bigler Shaffer, near Millheim, passed the ninety-first milestone in life on Monday. Wednesday of last week he attended the Lutheran reunion at Centre Hall and was greeted by a number of his friends. He appeared to be in fairly good health but on Saturday was taken suddenly ill at his home and Dr. C. E. Musser of Aaronsburg was called. Stomach trouble was the cause of his illness.

Prof. and Mrs. G. W. Stevens of Alva, Oklahoma, spent a week at the home of Prof. and Mrs. C. R. Neff, near Centre Hall. Mrs. Stevens is better known as Miss Anna Ruble and is a cousin of Prof. Neff. Both Mr. and Mrs. Stevens teach in the State University of Oklahoma and last year were granted a two years' leave of absence. Prof. Stevens is a naturalist and has made a wonderful collection of plant life, specimens of which he has sent to all parts of the world. Their two years vacation is being devoted to travel and study and this, their second year, is being spent at Cambridge, Massachusetts, where Mrs. Stevens will teach while her husband takes special work in the Harvard University.

Merchant G. O. Benner suffered severe burns on his left hand besides superficial burns on his face Thursday afternoon of last week when he endeavored to lift a pot from an oil stove which had flamed up in the absence of the mistress of the house. Mrs. Benner had placed a pot containing a ham bone on a coal oil cook stove and left the house to attend a meeting of a missionary class up town. Staying longer than she had expected she telephoned Mr. Benner to look after the meat and if necessary put water on it. As he entered his home Mr. Benner was confronted with a house full of smoke, and making his way to the kitchen found everything black with soot. He hurriedly grasped a cloth to lift the burning pot off the stove but it was so hot that his hand was severely burned before he could let go. With both pot and ham bone on the floor Mr. Benner did some supple acting in getting rid of the undesirable stuff, and kicked it out of the house. Dr. A. G. Lieb dressed the burns and the merchant is now carrying his hand in bandages.

**CENTRE MILLS**

One of Mr. Beckenboth's cows bloated and died last week.

Charles Smull has been elected to teach the Hartner school.

Roy Held was the lucky man who caught the greased pig at the union picnic, held at Millheim, last week.

Miss Helen Treaster of Millheim spent several days last week as the guest of Mrs. Corman.

Mrs. J. A. Kline and Mr. Arthur Cummings visited friends at Colyer several days last week.

Miss Mary Vonada of Hublersburg was the guest of Miss Verna Reish the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Best and Mr. and Mrs. Reish visited friends at Hublersburg last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Stump visited Mrs. Stump and family at Centre Hall last Sunday.

Miss Eva Bailey returned to her grandparents after spending a week very pleasantly with Centre Hall friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Shultz called on Mr. Wance, who had the misfortune last week to have his foot cut off in a mowing machine, and who is now in the Bellefonte hospital. The journey was made in their new auto.

**The Lutheran Reunion.**

Wednesday of last week shone bright and clear and consequently a large number of Lutherans and others were present on Grange Park at the annual reunion of the Penna Valley Lutheran charge. Each one of the five appointments on the charge was well represented. Only one former pastor, Rev. Fred W. Barry, of Cumberland, Maryland, was present. Rev. Shultz of Snyderstown was a visiting Lutheran minister. The Loysville orphan band was the guest of the charge for the day and this feature of the occasion was enjoyed by all. Twenty-eight boys, ranging in years from ten to sixteen, comprise the band and their playing elicited much praise from the crowds that gathered about them during the concerts which they gave in the evening on the lawn of the church. Dinner and supper was taken on the ground.

**REBERSBURG**

Duck's threshing outfit is busy threshing grain in this vicinity.

Mr. Parks of Sunbury spent a few days the past week at this place.

Don't forget to attend the Union Sunday school picnic to be held in Smull's woods on the 27th of August.

Within the past ten days the potato patches in this vicinity received coats of blight. Some of the tubers are beginning to rot.

Prof. E. E. Stover and family of Bloomfield, N. J., spent the past week at this place at the home of Prof. Stover's parents.

Rev. Solly and family of Greensburg are spending their vacation at this place at the home of Mrs. Solly's parents.

On Sunday morning William Hackman lost two cows by death. The cows were pasturing in a clover field and bloated.

After a few months' vacation the oil prospectors have again resumed their work and are busy pounding away on solid rock at a depth of 800 feet.

Farmers are busy storing away their oats crop which is the heaviest that has been harvested in this section for quite a number of years.

Elmer Bierly is making preparations to pulverize the solid limestone which is to be used as a fertilizer. Mr. Bierly has just placed a high grade machine for that purpose.

For the second time this summer a thief or thieves visited the Hiram Wert home. The first visit was made several months ago when they stole one ham and half can of lard, and last week they again called on Mr. Wert's larder and took a half ham and a fitch and also some flour. Last summer Mr. Wert was also relieved of some of his meat by unknown parties.

Quite recently your correspondent received a card from Rev. G. A. Stauffer who, accompanied by his wife, left a month ago to take in the sights at the Panama-Pacific exposition. The following is his message: "We arrived at Los Angeles Cal., on Tuesday, August 3. Have been to Denver, Colorado Springs, Salt Lake City, Yellowstone Park, and Pasadena. California is a wonderland of luscious fruits and beautiful flowers. We visited the famous ostrich and alligator farms. We are enjoying every inch of the trip. We have taken numerous side trips."

**Potters Mills**

Miss Anna Wilkinson of Chicago is visiting her parents.

Roy Smith made a business trip to Milroy.

Frank Carson took a trip to State College on Sunday evening.

Frank Enlist left for Barnham to work at the Logan Steel works.

Mrs. Abbridge Thomas is visiting at this place for a week.

Mr. Frank Enlist is visiting at Yeagertown.

Earl Smith and family of State College are visiting the former's father, Emanuel Smith.

Frank Enlist is the champion ground hog catcher. He killed four in one day.

Jesse McClenahan reached home safe with his girls and all reported a fine time.

Mr. Weber and daughter of Lewistown returned home after a short visit at the C. F. Thomas home.

Ammon Bubb of Reedsville came for his wife and children who visited at this place.

Quite a number of people of this place attended the tabernacle meeting on Friday evening.

The stork visited Blane Palmer's home and left them a baby girl. Both mother and babe are getting along fine.

There was quite an interesting program at the Epworth League at the Sprucetown M. E. church on Sunday evening.

**Transfers of Real Estate.**

Milton J. Yearick to George W. Smith, tract of land in Haines twp. \$2,400.

William H. Robinson et ux to Emma C. Hurley, tract of land in Phillipsburg boro. \$2,500.

F. A. Yearick et ux to Jennie E. Feidler, tract of land in Gregg twp. \$450.

Mary E. Kunes et bar to Mertie Heverly, tract of land in Liberty twp. \$150.

Helen R. Smithgall et bar to Jackson L. Spangler, tract of land in Centre Hall boro. \$650.

**NEWS OF 1881.**

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

November 17th—John Eby, an old citizen of Haines township, fell over dead last Wednesday as he was passing through the yard to the house. He was eighty years old.

The new Lutheran church at Millheim will soon be under roof. The cost of the edifice is estimated at about \$5,500.

Three new families were added to our town last week, namely, the families of Messrs. Sandoe, O'Kief and Van Pelt.

One night last week some fellow gained entrance to Meyer's bar-room in this place and marks upon the money drawer showed an attempt was made to force it. Mr. Meyer hearing a noise called down from his bedroom, which scared the thief so that he took a hasty departure.

November 24th—Mr. Rhone of this place, Master of the State Grange, is at Washington, in attendance at the meeting of the National Grange.

W. R. From of Potters Mills will take charge of the Spring Mills grist mill, next February.

Rev. Zimmerman of Snyder county has become pastor of the Rebersburg Lutheran charge.

The newly erected Evangelical church at Aaronsburg was dedicated on Sunday. Rev. Irvine, of the Nittany Valley circuit, officiated and preached two sermons. The debt resting on the building was provided for in cash and subscriptions without much trouble.

**Spring Mills.**

From last week.

E. G. Kennelly, who is employed at Snow Shoe came home to attend the picnic at Centre Hall.

Ammon Decker and family spent Sunday at the Allan Burrell home at Millheim.

Miss Carrie Dunlap spent a week with her sister, Mrs. Diehl, at Millheim.

Mrs. Bruce McCormick is keeping house for Robert Smith while Miss Ruth is visiting her sister in Altoona.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Meyer, the latter nee Belle McCormick, are spending some time with friends.

Quite a number attended the Lutheran picnic at Centre Hall, on Wednesday.

Miss Rae Hoult of State College is spending some time at the Frank McClellan home.

William Fleisher and family of Yeagertown spent Sunday at the Bright Bitter home.

Truman Clark and sisters of Williamsport spent Sunday with Miriam Long.

**COBURN.**

Harry Barker is spending a few days at State College.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Radel of Lyons spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Harter.

Miss Carmen Dodge of Northumberland is spending a few days among friends at this place.

James E. Harter and W. C. Krader made a business trip to Phillipsburg one day this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fryer of Surbury are spending some time with Mr. Fryer's brother, at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. William Meyer from Centre Hall spent one day last week at the home of Daniel Krader.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Shively from Millheim spent Sunday at the home of J. B. Rishel.

W. C. Krader has finished his walk in front of his residence; it is quite an

improvement.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hosterman spent a day last week in Brush Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. James E. Harter, Prof. and Mrs. Wassor, and A. L. Aumar, all of this place, autoed to Bellefonte one day last week.

**To Liberate Game.**

From 1,000 to 1,200 deer and hundreds of wild turkeys will be liberated in the game preserves and woods of Pennsylvania under the plans of the State Game Commission this fall and winter.

Negotiations are under way for the purchase of deer in Michigan and other states, where they are to be taken in a wild state and they will be shipped in when conditions are favorable.

These deer will be placed in the game preserves for breeding purposes in the counties which have been closed to deer hunting for a term of years under recent acts.

There are now a dozen counties in which the deer may not be killed.

The funds for the purpose of the deer and the turkeys are being taken from the hunters' license revenue. The turkeys will be liberated in communities where natural conditions are suitable.

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**EXECUTOR'S NOTICE**

Letters testamentary on the estate of Hannah Smith, late of Centre Hall borough, deceased. Letters testamentary on the above estate having been duly granted to the undersigned, he would respectfully request any 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. JEREMIAH SMITH, Executor. \$1 0.36 p'd.

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