

THE CENTRE REPORTER.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 26, 1915

LOCALS

John Brown of Millheim spent a few days last week at the home of his uncle, Ed. Brown.

Mr. P. H. Meyer is visiting her brother, Rev. Foster Fetterolf, at Selinsgrove, this week.

William A. Magee of Wiconah, New Jersey, is spending a few days with his family at the Huyett home.

Mr. Mary Ross, who was confined to bed for a few days on account of sickness, is much improved.

Misses Ottilie and Ivy Harter of Coburn spent a few days last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Miller.

Miss Carrie Stover of Millheim spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Stover, in this place.

Mr. R. R. Jones, Mrs. F. W. Smith, and Mrs. J. M. Cordon attended the Sunday-school convention at Aaronburg, Thursday of last week.

In this issue Jeremiah Smith, executor, advertises at private sale the property of his mother, the late Hannah Smith, deceased, in Black Hawk.

Rev. R. R. Jones of Centre Hall and Rev. S. C. Stover of Boalsburg attended a special meeting of the West Susquehanna Classis, at Millifinburg, on Tuesday.

Mr. Rebecca Dunkle of Pittsburgh and Mrs. George Emert of Salons spent a few days this week with their niece, Mr. John Durst and Mrs. William McClenahan.

Miss Rosalie Smith, a Bell telephone operator in the Millheim exchange, worked at the switchboard in the local exchange during the vacation of Miss Edna Murray, chief operator.

Miss Margaret Jacob, chief operator in the local commercial exchange, is on her vacation and is spending the time with friends at Williamsport, Lock Haven, and other points.

S. J. Rowe left for Millville, New Jersey, Monday morning, where he will assist in the construction of a new crusher plant for the Standard Lime and Stone Company, of Baltimore.

Wilber Stine, aged fourteen years, residing at Unionville, narrowly escaped severing his right foot Thursday when an axe he was using slipped. He was taken to the Altoona hospital and was very weak from loss of blood when received.

Dr. G. W. Hoeterman, last week, trimmed the shade trees to the front and side of his residence, to a height that will permit of the tallest pedestrian passing under without worrying about his hat. A good act, and should be emulated.

D. K. Geiss of Philadelphia spent a few days in Centre Hall last week, visiting his many friends, and at present is at the home of his son, D. Wagner Geiss, in Bellefonte, where he will remain for some time. Mr. Geiss is in excellent health and still enjoys discussing the numerous important topics of the day.

A slip of the knife caused Charles Stump to receive a bad gash on the back of the left hand, Friday morning, while cutting a board to replace a broken fan in Strunk's threshing machine. The accident happened at the Stover farm adjoining town. Dr. J. B. G. Allison dressed the injured hand.

From the Millheim Journal.

George E. Homan, the horse buyer, on Tuesday shipped another express load of horses to the eastern markets.

There is a petition being signed to change the polling place for the central precinct of Miles township from the Rebersburg hotel to another place, probably the old postoffice building in that town.

The real estate of Francis Long, deceased, was sold at public sale at the late residence of the decedent, near Coburn, Saturday afternoon of last week. The farm, located in Haines township and containing 71 acres and 45 perches was purchased by Alfred Long, the present tenant, at \$82 per acre. A tract of timberland in the same township, containing 35 acres, was also purchased by Alfred Long at \$13 per acre. The homestead at Frog-town and two adjoining tracts, containing in all about seventeen acres, were purchased by William H. Long for \$3,010. A ten acre tract of timberland in Penn township was purchased by J. W. Meyer at \$27.50 per acre, and a three-acre tract in the same township was sold to William H. Long at \$40 per acre.

CENTRAL STATE NORMAL SCHOOL.

Charles Loss, Principal. Lock Haven, the seat of the school, is easy of access. The word "central" in the title has a real significance. Four railroads pass this point, and numerous trains enter and leave the city daily. The city has many well stocked stores; these are of value to the students in an economic way. Besides the regular academic work of the school, the requirements in the course of pedagogy are supplemented by much practical work on school management, organization, etc. Send for a catalogue. Lock Haven, Pa.

Penna Cave Legend in Verse.

The following is taken from the State College Times and was written by Miss Dorothy Crane, daughter of Dr. W. R. Crane, dean of the School of Mines at Pennsylvania State College. The verse is formed from Shonemaker's "Legend of Penna Cave."

In an old-time Indian legend We are told much of a Frenchman, Malachi, a Frenchman, a trapper Seeking out the wilds of nature. Learning all the red men's secrets, In his wanderings through the forest, Through the deep and darksome forest, Chanced he once to meet a maiden And he loved her at that moment, Loved her more each time he saw her, But he feared he could not win her, Seven brothers had this maiden, All who guarded and watched o'er her, And she also had a father, Had a father, old O-ko-cho, Proud of her was this fond father, Many suitors had this maiden, But they all were far below her, So she waited for her father To find one that would best her, Lon: had she, this maiden, waited, Waited through the long dark winter, Waited through the lovely springtime, Then he came, the bold, young trapper, Came he o'er the blooming mountains, Came he to the Indian tape, Won he then the heart of Nita, Won the heart of Nita-nee.

One dark night the fearless Malachi, Took with him his dusky sweetheart, Stealthily they crossed the hollow, Crossed the mountains and the valleys, Crossed the torrents and the rivers, Hand in hand they crossed the torrents, Hand in hand they went together, And when night had passed before them Sat they down to rest and break the fast, Sat they down upon the mosses, In the darkness of the forest, Eating now dried meat, and berries Which they gathered from the bushes. As they sat there thus conversing, Seven all figures like the pine trees, Crept upon them from the shadows, From the shadow of the forest, Quickly seizing Nita-nee, Gallant Malachi fought the brothers, And he stabbed the boldest, Humili, Who sank down without a murmur, But the others seized Malachi, Dragging him far o'er the mountain, Leaving one with sobbing Nita, To return her to her father, To her father, old O-ko-cho, Who when Nita-nee was missing, Sent his seven sons to find her.

Then the five revengeful brothers, Dragged the trapper o'er the mountain, Dragged him to a deep, dark cavern, Which was filled with limestone water, Deep into the cave they threw him, But he rose soon to the surface, And he started swimming quickly To the opening of the cavern, But the five revengeful brothers, Beat him back each time he neared it, And for seven days he tried it, But each time the brothers guarded, So he could not even reach it, Starvation finally overcame him, But he vowed the watchful brothers Should not see him die from hunger, And so creeping deep and deeper, Far into the cavern darkness, There at last the brave, young trapper, Gave his soul to the Almighty, After waiting two days longer, Did the five remaining brothers Creep into the deep, dark cavern, Hunting for the trapper's body, Finding it they sank his body, Sank it deep into the water, Endeth thus the Indian legend, Legend of the Indian maiden And her lover, the bold Frenchman.

Even now, still summer evenings People say they hear an echo, From the darkness of the cavern, From the stillness of the water, And the echo calling softly, Calls the dark-eyed Indian maiden, Calls for Nita, Nita-nee.

Aaronburg.

Mrs. Wallace Kerstetter and three sons of State College visited the former's uncle, Z. D. Thomas, last week.

Merchant J. F. Krape and family are spending their vacation at Sunbury with the lady's cousin, Leo Haines.

Mr. Lula Hare and son from Altoona, Mr. Glover and Mrs. Winner of Millifinburg, were guests on Friday of Mr. L. K. Lenker.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Musser returned to their home in Akron, Ohio, after having spent a few weeks with the former's brother, Dr. C. S. Musser.

Mr. W. C. Mingle of Akron, Ohio, is spending an indefinite time at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Stover.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Vonada and son Harry are spending this week in Lock Haven with the lady's uncle, Mr. Campbell, and her aged grandmother, Mrs. W. D. McClintock.

Mr. Clark Herman of State College returned to her home after spending some time with her brother, A. F. Stover.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Peiray, who spent a month with the latter's mother, Mrs. Caroline Maz, returned to their home in New York City.

Mr. and Mrs. William Harter from Pine Creek and their three children were guests at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Harter.

Dr. J. J. Deshler, formerly of this place and now of Glidden, Iowa, came to this place last week to help care for his aged mother whose health has been very poor for some time.

Rev. and Mrs. Brown, daughter Minnie, and son Gerald, of Millheim, Miss Jennie Hull and Mrs. Jennie Syllvis all enjoyed a chicken and waffle supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Archie King.

Those who were pleasantly entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Bower over Sunday were their son, Ebor, and wife, Register J. Frank Smith and daughter, Miss Nellie Smith, of Bellefonte.

Lock Haven is celebrating Old Home week this week.

DIXON'S HEALTH TALK.

"Ancient Wisdom and Modern Foolishness" by SAMUEL DIXON, Commissioner of Health.

In every age, in every Nation there has been a class of individuals who objected to all innovations solely on the ground that they were new. Everybody numbers one or more of these objections among his acquaintances.

Preventive medicine is referred to these days as a new science and so it is but many of the measures used today are hoary with age and have been sanctioned by sanitarians of the dim centuries. The Scriptures hold evidence of this and now again the historian may mark a passage which adds confirmation.

The care of water supplies is one of the things which the opponents of modern sanitation most frequently belittle and which the public health officials continually recommend. To those bold objectors who blazonously proclaim their superiority to precautionary measures it is interesting to quote from Herodotus "the Father of history," who wrote some twenty-three odd centuries ago of Cyrus the Persian king:

"Cyrus made war against the son of this queer, who bore the name of his father, Labynetus, and had the Empire of Assyria. Now when the great King leads his army in person, he carries with him from home provisions well prepared and cattle; and he takes with him water from the River Choasper, which flows past Susa, of which alone, and no other the King drinks. A great number of four wheel carriages, drawn by mules, carry the water of this River, after it has been boiled in silver vessels, and follow him from place to place wherever he marches."

Fortunately the majority of people heed the warnings given when it becomes necessary to boil water from private or public supplies or take other steps to insure its safety. So long however as the dissenters continue their senseless opposition we shall continue to have an unnecessary amount of typhoid. Not alone among the individuals who set themselves above the acquired knowledge of scientific investigators but also among the unfortunate people who permit their better judgment to be wayed by the positive assertions of the ignorant.

Woodward.

Mr. William Fullz and Mrs. L. L. Haines are attending the Sugar Valley camp meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Stover and son Allen returned to their home in Henry, W. Va., this week.

Mrs. Masie Catherman from Jersey City visited at the home of A. M. Yearick last week.

Mrs. Ernest Kuhlman from Corcoran is spending some time with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. P. Ard.

Mrs. Charles Grimm from Millifinburg spent several days last week with friends in town.

Prof. Stover, wife and daughter, Miss Grace, returned to their home in Bloomfield this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Hess and children from Yeagertown, spent Sunday with the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Eby.

Miss Charlotte Guisewite from Philadelphia spent several days last week with her mother, Mrs. Emanuel Vonada.

After spending three weeks with her parents, Miss Beattie Vonada returned to her home in Reading, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Vonada and daughter from Laurelton and Mr. and Mrs. John Miller and grandson from Sunbury were Sunday visitors at the home of Mrs. Mary Motz.

CENTRE MILLS

Arthur Cummings entertained his brother, William Cummings, of near Centre Hall, on Sunday.

Mrs. Neese of New York state has been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elias Breor, the past week.

Farmers in this section are busy raising their potatoes in order to keep them from rotting.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kline of Lycoming county visited the former's parents, from Saturday until Monday. Grandfather Schaffer, who just recently passed his ninety-first birthday, has been suffering from a growth on his face.

Among those who attended the Sugar Valley camp meeting on Sunday were Frank Bailey, Wilmer Confer, Oran Reist, Paul Schaffer, Miss Ida Rachau, Paul Hackmar, Miss Verns Reist, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Reist and Mrs. Godshall.

Tusseyville

The farm buildings on the Hosterman farm, tenanted by Arthur Sturtebeck, were recently much improved by the application of paint.

A colt belonging to John H. Horner became tangled up in a barb wire fence carrying a half dozen or more strands, Friday evening, and it was with great difficulty that the colt was extricated. It required a pair of plyers to cut the wire that were deeply imbedded in the flesh of the animal.

The Centre Reporter \$1.50 per year strictly in advance.

NOVELTY FOR NEW YORKERS

Surprised Man Discovers Place Where Diners Are Not Ashamed to Be Heard at Prayer.

"Every day I learn something about this old town," said the New York city salesman. "Yesterday I picked up this item:

"I was invited to luncheon by a young man engaged in evangelistic work. The restaurant he suggested lunching at was several blocks out of our way. As I was in a hurry, I proposed some place nearer at hand, but he insisted upon that particular restaurant, so we went there. It was a nice place, very clean, and the cooking good. The only peculiarity I noticed was a group of clerical looking men in the rear of the room.

"Are those fellows all clergymen?" I asked.

"Yes," said my friend, "they are curates and missionaries who eat here every day. If obliged to lunch out anywhere they try to come here, because this restaurant has the reputation of being the only place in town where a man can ask a blessing without perhaps attracting disagreeable attention.

"The proprietor used to be pretty strong in the preaching line himself, and he encourages the blessing habit. Of course many people eat here who do not say grace, but so many of the patrons do say it that the place has been nicknamed "blessing" restaurant."

"And then before beginning our meal my friend prayed, and as nobody even turned around to look at us I found that the restaurant indeed merited its novel reputation."

WOULD SERVE ITS PURPOSE

Thoughtful Young Wife Had Reason for Economy in Buying Hubby's Birthday Present.

An elderly millionaire, who had married a beautiful young woman, was presented on his birthday with a very handsome watch chain by her.

He was delighted with the gift and beamed upon his charming young wife. "It is perfect," he agreed, "so massive, yet in excellent taste."

"I felt sure you would like it," she replied, "and it was so inexpensive, too. I only paid twelve dollars for it."

"Only twelve dollars!" replied the millionaire in surprise. "Twelve dollars for this solid gold chain?"

"Oh, of course, it isn't solid gold, dear," she replied, "you could never get solid gold for that price. It is gold filled."

"The husband stroked his chin reflectively as he inquired: "Why this sudden streak of economy? Don't you think I can afford a solid gold chain?"

"To be sure you can," she assented, "but this one is guaranteed for ten years, and—"

"Well!" impatiently interrupted the millionaire.

"Well, dear," she continued, with a slight lightening of color, "as that is as long as you are likely to live, I thought it would be foolish extravagance to pay more."

Why Flowers Are Colored.

Of the many substances that are combined to make a flower, what is the particular one to which is due the red, blue or yellow color. Why, for example, are gentians blue and roses red, and why has no one ever seen a red gentian or a blue rose?

The chemist can tell us. Taking the plants that produce really blue—not violet—flowers, he considers which of their constituents is peculiar to them. True blue exists in veronicas, salix, verbenas, basil, solanum, pentstemon, nemophila, convolvulus, borage, hound's tongue and in all the orders allied to the Gentianaceae and Compositae, but never in lupina, vetches, peas, geraniums, hollyhocks, primulas, roses, balsams, flax, etc.

All the blue producing plants just named have a tannin in them which does not exist in the others. This is called caffe-tannin. It is found in coffee, but not in tea. Tea contains another form of tanning which is the same as that which makes camellias red.

How to Test Tea's Purity.

A remarkably simple method of testing the purity of tea for coloring matter is to use an ordinary table knife and a sheet of white paper, upon which a small quantity of the tea to be tested is placed. The tea is then rubbed with the knife. When the leaves have been reduced to a powder the paper is dusted clean with a brush made of common bristles and its surface examined with the naked eye or a microscope. If the tea is artificially colored little spots or streaks of vivid Prussian blue will appear in the fiber of the paper. These stains are so distinct in their coloring that they cannot possibly be confused with any other stain that may be in the paper.

Cows as a Money Standard.

The Chewauro, a race of 7,000 people, in Tiflis, southern Russia, know nothing of the use of money as a medium of exchange. The unit of value among these primitive people is the cow. A horse is valued at three cows and a stallion at six. If a Chewauro becomes enraged and cracks his neighbor's skull, he is obliged to pay 10 cows. If he breaks a bone in his friend's arm or leg, five cows will rehabilitate him in the eyes of society, while a wound in the forehead calls for three cows.

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Birth announcements, deaths, marriages, the visits of your out-of-town relatives and friends, unusual happenings on the farm, big crops and the like, make good news items and are wanted by us. Almost every farmer is in close touch with us through the telephone and it will take but a moment to convey a news message to this office.

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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.

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