

**ENCAMPMENT AND GRANGE FAIR  
IN FULL SWING; THE WEATHER FINE**

**300 Automobiles on the Park Sunday, But This is Doubled on Wednesday.—Exhibits Truly Grand.—Grange Heads Speak to Thousands of Farmers.**

As the Reporter goes to press, Wednesday noon, the 42nd Encampment and Grange Fair is slowly reaching its zenith. Perfect weather conditions are bringing thousands from far and near and Thursday promises to be the biggest day of the week, numerically speaking.

The display of farm and garden products in the big four-wing exhibition building is one of the largest and finest of quality in many years. All day Monday meritorious articles were being put on display and it was a busy day for those who had the arranging and listing to do. The live stock display, too, is better than in years and is due no doubt, to the better accommodations recently supplied by the Grange Association for this purpose. Sunday was a day of rest on the Park, nevertheless there was much traveling, mostly in auto, to and from a farmer along the pike toward Spring Mills, with a statistical turn of mind, counted 194 automobiles on Sunday passing his place, the greater number of which found Grange Park. An equal number from the other direction also carried a full quota of pleasure seekers. It is not an exaggeration to say that at two o'clock Sunday afternoon three hundred autos were standing on the Park.

While dealing with big figures it might be well to give O. D. Sol credit with scoring high. From the opening day of the Encampment he daily blew his hot breath on the crowds but with little or no discomfort to the campers who are so comfortably quartered. Ninety degrees in the shade was the highest point reached and the indications are that the hot weather will continue to the end.

The speakers on the park this year are mostly prominent Grange heads, including Master of the State Grange McSparran and Hor. W. T. Creasy. The woman's suffrage cause is receiving impetus this week and no less a champion than Mrs. Parcel, of Philadelphia, addressed an open air gathering of both sexes on Monday evening.

The candidates, too, are here getting in their last licks before the Primary Election which is less than a week distant. A list of the exhibitors will appear in next week's issue.

**Veterans Present at Meeting.**

At the annual meeting of the Centre County Veteran's Club held at Bellefonte Saturday, the following comrades were present: John Hamilton, D. F. Fortney, J. R. Pheasant, John Stover, J. D. Halter, J. A. Snyder, H. K. Miller, A. V. Miller, Joseph Mowery, Philip Metz, W. H. Bartholomew, G. W. Funster, D. W. Miller, Thomas Quick, E. M. Spangler, George Cook, D. E. Weaver, John Hook, Joseph Hettlinger, J. C. Cormar, J. E. Carson, J. C. Young, Mor. Gilbert, Philip Dale, C. H. Martz, A. Roberts, John Freser, James Thompson, John Bryan, William Flach, S. B. Miller, P. D. Brisble, William Garbrick, W. B. Muser, J. F. Sweeney, H. Montgomery, Edward Spear, Joseph Abt, G. M. Bost, W. H. Taylor, Emanuel Noll, C. A. Glenn, J. A. Whitman, A. C. Barnett, Samuel Shirk, H. L. McMuller, Henry Meyer, Ira Hill, H. Schlier, Philip Wertz, Israel Young. The following died since the last meeting: Isaac Thoms, John Reed, George Kuhr, Henry Twitmir, Samuel Shaffer, Joseph Fullmer, James Krebs, Joshua Folk.

**Potters Mills**

Mrs. Armstrong is on the sick list. Miss Ethel Colyer of Pittsburgh is visiting friends at this place. Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Thomas went to New York to spend a week or ten days. Michael Smith has returned from the Wills Eye hospital, Philadelphia, and shows very little improvement. Mr. John Jordan of Lewistown is visiting friends and relatives at this place. Miss Mary Evans and little nephew of Williamsport are visiting at the home of J. F. Miller and W. W. McCormick.

**Georges Valley**

Mrs. Dolan Decker spent Monday with her parents at the Red Mill. Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Lingle spent Sunday at the George Zerby home near Tusseyville. Mr. B. F. Confer and Mrs. William Gierlich spent a day with Mr. E. E. Goble. Mr. and Mrs. George Gantzell of Spring Mills spent Sunday afternoon at the home of H. M. Lingle.

**DEATHS.**

Mr. Anna Breor, widow of John Breor, died at her home in Rebersburg, early Tuesday morning, after an illness of four months with heart trouble and dropsy, aged sixty-five years and eight months. Funeral services will be held Friday morning in the Reformed church, interment to be at Rebersburg, Rev. A. G. Stauffer officiating. Mrs. Breor was Miss Anna Hartman and was born in Millheim. She was twice married, first to Willis J. Weber and later to John Breor. Both preceded her to the grave. To the first union eight children survive, namely, Clayton H. Weber, Lock Haven; Mrs. Elmer Miller, Mrs. Ada Bierly, Mrs. W. F. Bierly, Roy Weber, Rebersburg; Mrs. F. V. Kuhr, Maplewood; C. F. Weber, Philadelphia; C. R. Weber, Lewistown. Also by two brothers and two sisters, as follows: William Hartman, Ocala Mills; Wesley Hartman, Mr. Philip Leitzi, Millheim; Mrs. Minnie Harter, Altoona.

James E. Schuyler died in the Moses Taylor Hospital, Scranton, Monday night, following an operation for throat trouble Saturday previous. Funeral services will be held today (Thursday) at his late home in Bloomsburg. Surviving him are his wife, two sisters and a brother, namely, Rev. W. H. Schuyler, Ph. D., Mr. T. W. Simpkins, Mrs. Elizabeth Schuyler, Centre Hall. Mr. Schuyler was engaged in the hardware business in Bloomsburg for a number of years.

**Opposed to Woman Suffrage.**

The suffragists of today are not without opposition in their own ranks. Not all women are of the same mind, so men have learned long ago. On Grange Park Heleu Markeon of Columbus, Ohio, and Esther Undercoffer of Bellefonte, representing the Pennsylvania Association Opposed to Woman Suffrage, whose headquarters are at 216 South Fifteenth Street, are distributing literature. During a bit of a demonstration to the front of "anti" headquarters on the part of the suffragists, not to their credit, the young ladies became the heroes of the night by an exhibition of womanly behavior.

**Marriage Licenses.**

Loretto P. Chilcos, Bellefonte  
Pearl P. Wertz, Bellefonte  
James V. Stover, Spring Mills  
Minnie R. Ebert, Spring Mills  
Omer R. Miller, Blanchard  
Mary G. Stul, Blanchard  
Henry C. Rocky, Bellefonte  
Mary C. Foor, Bellefonte

The only accident among the hundreds of buggies and autos using the road during this week occurred Tuesday afternoon on the main street in front of the D. L. Bartges home, where Edward Stover on his way up town in a new buggy, was struck by a Ford car owned by P. F. Luse. Both front wheels were completely wrecked and the buggy badly damaged in general. Mr. Luse was attempting to pass between the buggy and another car when he struck the former. Stover was thrown to the ground and sustained a bruised back.

Dr. J. V. Foster of State College returned on Sunday from Philadelphia where he attended the clinics at the Wills Eye Hospital, of which Dr. J. McCluney Radcliffe is the head.

**A Substitute for Kissing.**

The president of the board of health of Huntingtor, West Virginia, acquires a little fleeting notoriety by authorizing the kiss and recommending in its stead a system of cheek patting which seems to be quite satisfactory to him—theoretically. Some persons who have lived a long time in this world but who continue to relish the kiss as an expression of affection have been laughing at the West Virginian's proposed substitute and a few have been wicked enough to doubt his sincerity. Anyhow, they will have nothing to do with it. They think some folks are veritably microbes and bacilli mad. They are willing to run the risks encountered and overcome by the pioneers of the race, not only because the pioneers survived, but also because a genuine kiss is worth all the risks following in its train.

**PENN HALL**

Miss Mary Fisher attended the funeral of Mr. Fisher, at Valley Forge. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fisher made a trip to Bellefonte on Monday. Charles Bartges took charge of the store. Mr. Robert Bartges is running the boarding house on Grange Park this week. Mr. Guyer from Millinburg is staying with Carolina Knarr. Samuel Hoeterman is spending his vacation at home.

**CALLED LOW CLASS OF ART**

**Sweeping Indictment of Music to Which Song "Home, Sweet Home" Has Been Set.**

Though the oldest piece of English music in existence, "Summer is Icomen in" is quite modern in comparison with a score of the "Orestes" of Euripides, dating from the fourth century B. C., which was exhibited at the international exhibition of music at Vienna some years ago. Even more ancient is the chant "The Blessing of the Priest," which was sung in the temple of Jerusalem before the captivity, and is still in use in the Jewish synagogues in Spain and Portugal. "Home, Sweet Home"—the song of a homeless American—once moved Robert Louis Stevenson to an outburst of passionate protest. But it was the music rather than the words that roused his indignation. You will find the passage in "Across the Plains": I have no idea whether musically this air is to be considered good or bad; but it belongs to that class of art which may best be described as a brutal assault upon the feelings. Pathos must be relieved by dignity of treatment, declares an English writer. If you wallow naked in the pathetic, like the author of "Home, Sweet Home," you make your hearers weep in an unmanly fashion, and even yet while they are moved they despise themselves and hate the occasion of their weakness.

**PREPARE MEAT FOR SHIPMENT**

South American Frigorificos Will Soon Be Turning Out an Immense Supply of Food.

A frigorifico is a freezing plant in South America. It is a plant that freezes fat cattle or sheep or lambs and sends them in refrigerated ships northward to Europe. Perhaps later they will send them to the United States.

On the Island of Tierra del Fuego, far south to the jumping off place, sheep get very fat on the good grass. Incredible as it may seem, a short time ago fine fat sheep were boiled down for their tallow. Now a modern frigorifico is prepared to kill them and send them north of the equator. There is another of these newly erected frigorificos at Rio Gallegos, another a little way up the coast at San Julian and other new ones are at Bahia Blanca.

These frigorificos make possible the directing of a great stream of good lamb and mature mutton northward, and we here may expect to see it come, sooner or later. Cattle are not killed at these southern frigorificos, but farther north, near Buenos Aires and in Uruguay are great establishments that kill chiefly cattle. To facilitate the getting of sheep to the frigorificos the government is building the Patagonia state railway, leading to the Interior.—Breder's Gazette.

**Ownership of Land Accretion.**

The title of an owner of land by accretions to the land was the question presented to the supreme court of appeals of Virginia in Eggborn vs. Smith, in which interesting decisions on the point involved are cited. In the Virginia case the plaintiff's husband for a consideration permitted a railroad company to deposit rock and earth on land owned by him during double-tracking work, under contract that all such material not removed before the work was completed should remain permanently. The owner executed a deed of trust of the land without serving the material so deposited, but on the day the property was sold under foreclosure of the trust deed he attempted to convey the material as personalty to the complainant. The court found that the complainant had made no claim to the property until five years after its deposit, when it was overgrown with vegetation, and held that "the material was realty and not personal property, and passed to the purchaser on foreclosure of the trust deed."

**Honor Man Struck by Lightning.**

To be struck by lightning is still a most lucky thing for the Greek peasant—if he is not killed. Such a man, says J. C. Lawson, "may indulge a taste for idleness for the rest of his life—his neighbors will support him—and enjoy at the same time the reputation of being something more than human." This is an inheritance from ancient days. Artemidorus, an authority on occult matters who flourished in the time of Marcus Aurelius, commented on the fact that while a place was struck by lightning had an altar erected upon it, and was thenceforth both honored and avoided, "no one who has been struck by lightning is excluded from citizenship; indeed, such a one is honored even as a god." The election of Quintus Julius Eburnus to the consulship in 116 B. C. is attributed to his having been favored thus by the gods.

**Long-Lived Mines and Profits.**

Are long-lived mines more profitable than short-lived ones? The average investor would consider this a foolish question, assuming naturally that the longer a mine lasts the greater the accumulated profits. Just about the contrary is the case. The figures supplied by the mines department of Johannesburg, where the regularity of deposits on the Rand makes it possible to gauge the lives of mines with accuracy, should convince the skeptic that owing to compound interest a long life does not add to the value of a mine to the extent commonly assumed.—Engineering and Mining Journal.

**ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.**

Letters of administration on the estate of Peter Smith, late of Foster Township, deceased. Letters of administration on the above estate having been duly granted to the undersigned, they 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.

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