

THE CENTRE REPORTER.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 11, 1917

REBERSBURG

Monna Gilbert spent Saturday at Aaronsburg with his brother Henry. Mrs. Hagan, of Unionville, is visiting at the home of Sidney Krumrine.

Pauline Gephart, daughter of Merchant S. L. Gephart, is seriously ill at this writing.

After five weeks good sledding the snow and ice has disappeared and wheels are again in use.

Mrs. Jessie Snyder moved from near Madisonburg to Smulton, on Friday, occupying the Burd house.

There are now twenty-two auto owners in Rebersburg and a number possessed with the fever. Gee, won't the town buzz next summer.

Edwin Weaver, of Lewisburg, made his annual visit to this place on Saturday. There's some strong force that draws Eddie this way.

Clarence Long recently bought the Jessie Long farm, at Rockville, which the heirs had advertised for sale. The price paid was \$4500. Mr. Long will stock the farm and hire a man to till the soil.

A meeting has been called by the local water company to be held in the school building on Thursday evening, January 18th, for the purpose of reducing the tax on horses, cattle, etc., from 50 cents a head to 25 cents a head. A step in the right direction.

Clark Gramley quite recently sold the old foundry and machine shop, situated at the extreme east end of town, to William Crader, of Coburn, who is having the building torn down and the lumber hauled to Coburn where he will use it in building a garage.

Georges Valley

Mrs. Susan Davis spent Saturday at the home of J. B. Ripka.

Mrs. Lydia Bradford, of Spring Bank, is keeping house for P. A. Auman.

Mr. and Mrs. George Breon spent Sunday at the home of their daughter, Mrs. John C. Auman.

Mrs. Ulrich, of Bruus Valley, is visiting her granddaughter, Mrs. D. D. Decker.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Decker spent Sunday in Decker Valley at the home of the former's father, John D. Decker.

Miss Elizabeth Hennigh is spending a few weeks with friends in Williamsport.

From last week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Decker spent Monday with friends in Millheim.

Robert Barger has gone to Burham to work.

Mrs. Lydia Lingle is spending this week with friends in Look Haven.

Mrs. W. W. Jamison, of Youngstown, Ohio is spending some time with her many friends at this place.

The stork visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Auman on Saturday and left a baby boy.

Mrs. George Wingard and son Clare returned to their home in Union county after spending a week with her mother, Mrs. Susan Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Davis and little daughter, Mae Elizabeth, left for their home in Curwensville on Monday after spending Christmas week with Mrs. Susan Davis.

STATE AGRICULTURAL NOTES.

It is estimated that the pear crop of the State the past year amounted to 494,000 bushels.

The average production of the cereal crops of Pennsylvania is far ahead of the general average for the United States, during the past year.

Pennsylvania tied the United States average production of hay to an acre at 1.64 tons but fell ten bushels short of the average in potato yield.

The average price of wheat throughout the State was exceptionally uniform ranging from \$1.35 to \$1.56 a bushel, with the State average \$1.46.

The average price of corn was 92 cents a bushel for the State but the various sections showed a range of from 76 cents to \$1.15 a bushel.

The average price of hay in the State is \$14.50 a ton but the averages in some counties range from \$9.90 to \$18.50 a ton.

The average price per hundred pounds of milk in the State has increased during the past year from \$1.76 to \$1.95.

Farmers along the northern tier counties are reported to be ready to make an effort to grow more grain corn next year.

The acreage in trucking in Philadelphia was reduced to about eighty per cent. of normal account of the lack of help.

A farmer in Somerset county with a statistical trend has estimated that up to December 1 this fall there were in his community thirty-one frosts and that snow had fallen on eight days.

Farmers who have an extra supply of produce on hand and to find markets for the same can write to the Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture the matter will be taken up by the men engaged in helping to market the farmer's crops.

Centre County Y. W. C. A. Notes.

The annual meeting of the Centre County Young Women's Christian Association will be held in the Presbyterian Chapel at Bellefonte on Saturday afternoon, January 13th, at 2 o'clock.

All members of the Association and everyone else are invited to attend this meeting and learn of the work of the Association in this county, and elsewhere.

Miss Esther Hawes, of Philadelphia, Executive Secretary for the East Central Field, will give an address. Business of interest will be transacted.

The first Leaders' Council will be held Friday evening, January 12th, and Saturday morning, January 13th, in Bellefonte.

All Y. W. C. A. Club Leaders throughout the county are invited to attend. Miss Hawes will have charge of both meetings, and an Informal Round Table will be held on Saturday with an opportunity for discussion on any questions of particular interest to the leaders.

All County Board members are urged to be present at the regular Board meeting held at 9:45 Saturday morning in the Presbyterian Chapel.

The Dolly Dimple Club at Oak Hill sent a set of fine looking scrap-books to the children in a Philadelphia Hospital at Christmas time.

The girls, (and sometimes the boys helped too) spent much time on these books and the results justified their efforts to make them most attractive.

The True Blue Common Weal Club not only enjoyed a Christmas party, but helped other folks to enjoy the Christmas season by presenting to the Shiloh Church a sum of money to be used toward securing an Individual Communion Set for the Church.

The State College High School Club sent a most fascinating Christmas box containing toys, candy, and other good things to a Settlement House to help make Christmas merry for some "New Americans" in New York.

At the High Girls' Council last summer, the High School Girls recommended that the term "New Americans" be used instead of the customary term—"Foreigners."

During the Union Evangelistic Services conducted by Gypsy Smith in State College, all Y. W. C. A. classes are to be omitted or to close by 7:30.

The poem for this week is a good one to learn now and remember next summer!

"MY GARDEN."

A Garden is a lovely thing, God wot! Fringed pool, Rose plot, Fern'd grove, The Verist school

Of peace; and yet the fool Contends that God is not— Not God! in garden! when the eye is cool! Nay, but I have a sign: 'Tis very sure God walks in mine.

—From the Oxford Book of English Verse.

END OF NELSON'S FINE FLEET

Ships of Great English Admiral Finished Their Careers in More or Less Glorious Manner.

Of the ships which played their part in the great years of Nelson's life one perished before the Battle of Trafalgar, and the others, with the exception of the Victory and the Fouroyant, outlived Nelson by a very few years.

The Minerva was wrecked near Cherbourg in 1803 while chasing a French frigate. It was in her that Nelson fought his brilliant single-ship action with a Spanish frigate in 1796, and it was in her that he cemented his friendship with Hardy by refusing, though in danger of capture, to leave the spot where Hardy had sprung overboard to save a seaman.

Nelson had two flagships in the Baltic—the St. George and the Elephant. The former went ashore off Jutland in a fearful gale on Christmas Eve, 1811, only 12 hands being saved. The latter was broken up in 1817, together with the Vanguard, Nelson's flagship at the Nile. The Agamemnon foundered in Maldonado bay in 1809. Four years later, the Captain, in which Nelson fought at St. Vincent, was destroyed by fire when moored at Devonport.

The last to go was Nelson's flagship in the Mediterranean, the Fouroyant, which went down near Blackpool in 1897—101 years after her baptism of fire.

CONSULT TASTES IN EATING

Writer Decries Custom of Persing Children to Partake of Dishes Which They Dislike.

In thorough accord with the views of certain authorities who believe, with limitations, that people are better off if they eat what they like is the following letter printed in the Woman's Home Companion:

"I am constrained to protest against the advice given mothers to oblige their children to eat food which they dislike. Most grown people have their likes and dislikes, and if it were a punishment to them to eat a despised article, how much more so it is to a child to whom small troubles loom as tragedies! The child's distaste should not be discussed, simply ignored until he has forgotten how much he hated a certain article. There are so many good and nourishing things, that if one is fancied disliked, how much better to substitute something else, thereby avoiding issues and friction, which everyone knows are harmful to a child's nerves and health, and disposition as well. And as for letting a child go without his needed nourishment till next meal if he refuses one article—the injustice of it is too apparent to need comment."

Sale Register.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 20th, at one o'clock, Mrs. Mary Ripka, at Tusseyville, will sell her residence property and stable, also household goods.

THURSDAY, MARCH 1st, at 10 o'clock a. m., 1 mile north of Pottery Mills, Homer E. Treaster will sell farm stock and implements; some household furniture. A clean-up sale. L. F. Mayes, auct.

TUESDAY, MARCH 6th, 10 o'clock a. m., 3 miles west of Centre Hall, on Henry Potter farm, Daniel Callahan will sell: farm stock, implements, etc.; a clean up sale.

FRIDAY, MARCH 9, a 1 day sale, 1-1/2 mile east of Centre Hill, by Treaster and Dauberman: clean up sale of farm stock and implements.

MONDAY, MARCH 5, at one o'clock, G. W. Treaster will sell at his residence, 1 and 1/2 miles east of Penns Cave: Farm stock, implements and household goods.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 7th, at 10 o'clock a. m., J. T. Potter and Jas. Callahan, will sell on the old Potter homestead, four miles west of Centre Hall: Farm stock, implements, etc.; clean up sale of everything.

THURSDAY, MARCH 8th, at 10 o'clock, Martha Wesley, on the Allison farm, 1 1/2 miles North of Spring Mills, will sell farm stock and implements. A clean-up sale.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 14th, at ten o'clock a. m., L. R. Lingle, one-half mile west of Old Fort, on Earlystown road, will sell farm stock and implements. This will be a clean-up sale of everything on the farm.

THURSDAY, MARCH 15th, two miles east of Centre Hall, by Shares & Keller: Clean up sale of farm stock and implements.

SATURDAY, MARCH 17, 1 o'clock p. m., to the rear of Reporter office, Centre Hall, one pair of mated mules, two year old at time of sale. These mules will be trained and hitched on tomorrow's sale day. Also a lot of cows, fresh and springing.

TUESDAY, MARCH 20th, 9 o'clock a. m., W. F. Stover, one mile east of Penn Hall, on the road leading to Brush Valley, will sell live stock, farm implements and household goods. W. S. and Huber, auct.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 21st, 10 a. m., about two miles west of Tusseyville, by D. Gies Wagner: Clean up sale of farm stock and implements.

THURSDAY, MARCH 22nd, at 10 o'clock a. m., R. D. Muser, one mile north of Spring Mills, will sell all farm stock, including 30 head of Holstein cattle; also farm implements. A clean-up sale of everything.

FRIDAY, MARCH 23rd, at 10 o'clock a. m., John Swezey, at Spring Mills, will sell lot of farm stock and implements. A clean-up sale. L. F. Mayes, auct.

SATURDAY, MARCH 24, 12 o'clock, at Centre Hill, by Lloyd R. Smith: stock sale, consisting of horse, colts, cows, young cattle, hogs and sheep. Mayes, auct.

CREAM OF GOTHAM "SOCIETY"

Knickerbocker Group the Most Desired and Bought After of Any Coterie in America.

To the true old New York Knickerbocker all the modern world is a sham and a froth. For them there is no United States west of Buffalo; no one of any respectability lives above Fourteenth street; and to have been born poor and dishonest enough to have made a fortune is much less reprehensible than paying money for marrying a title. With them the chief virtue in life is to have been born rich and honest; i. e., in the "set."

These form the most exclusive circle in social New York. They see no one but each other. They have no country relatives, because the family has never been permitted to marry outside the little group. They refuse to recognize the pervers who have come in and are making things hum. In their eyes all American authors are dead and all living authors European; hence they permit themselves no intellectual diversion. Their mental life is one of dead memories and living reproaches. Their social life is one of mediocrity and echoes.

Yet, this group is the most desired and most sought after of any in America. Many a new millionaire would write a substantial check with alacrity to be invited to one of these shabby old downtown homes. Such invitations are sought for, prized and commented on more than any other.

It is comparatively easier to be presented at almost any European court, except the Russian and the Turkish, than to be properly presented to an old Knickerbocker family.

OVERWORK BRINGS OLD AGE

No Human Being Was Meant to Labor on and On Without the Proper Rest.

Industry is a fine thing, but a virtue may easily run to seed and become a fault. And don't work too fast. Don't rush. Take things quietly and steadily. Don't excite yourself over every little trifling. Don't be restless and impatient.

It is the mean and petty traits of character very often that bring lines and wrinkles to the most open face—the small spite, the petty jealousy.

They have a knack of steadily and surely eating up all that is sound and wholesome in the character. And as moral life reacts physically, premature age comes on with all its undesirable signs. Keep your temper under control. A burst of passion often does one incalculable harm. It jars the nerves and upsets the whole constitution. Very hysterical people are frequently quite prostrate for days after an outburst of temper.

Wrinkles are often caused by mental contention—nervousness. Be constantly lifting the eyebrows, when talking, frowning when in thought, twisting the mouth up and that sort of thing. Try to cultivate the reposeful face. It need not be wooden or expressionless. Not a bit of it. But talk with your mouth, not with every muscle of your face.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Why He Needed a Clock. A young man in Washington, who many months ago hung up his shingle as "attorney at law," was not yet been overwhelmed with clients. A friend, entering the office one day, observed on the desk a cheap alarm clock.

"Taking it home, eh?" he observed. "Good thing at this time of the year. Every one is liable to oversleep these mornings."

The lawyer smiled. "I have not purchased that clock for the reasons you mentioned. I keep it here to wake me when it's time to go home."

AUDITORS' STATEMENT

Of the Receipts and Expenditures of POTTER TOWNSHIP

For the Year Ending December 31, 1916

JOHN FORTNEY, COLLECTOR OF ROAD TAX

To Balance of 1915..... \$ 842 76-842 76

1916 Dec 2 By cash to S C Brungart..... 273 19

May 9 By cash to S C Brungart..... 152 29

May 25 By cash to S C Brungart..... 77 96

Jun 15 By cash to S C Brungart..... 52 82

Sept 6 By cash to S C Brungart..... 25 52

Oct 4 By cash to S C Brungart..... 61 39

Nov 3 By cash to S C Brungart..... 27 16

Dec 4 By cash to S C Brungart..... 72 79

5 per ct. com. on \$724 18..... 39 11

Exonerations..... 7 72

Rebate for water trough of Street Treaters..... 2 50

Balance..... 50 40-842 76

JOHN FORTNEY, COLLECTOR OF POOR TAX

1915 Dec 6 To Balance..... \$ 547 09

5 per ct. on \$74 55 uncollected..... 13 78-560 87

Feb 5 By cash to Jas M. Moyer..... 258 91

5 per ct. com. on \$72 54..... 13 64

Apr 15 By cash to Jas M. Moyer..... 158 14

Oct 3 By cash to Jas M. Moyer..... 37 14

Nov 3 By cash to Jas M. Moyer..... 7 06

Dec 4 By cash to Jas M. Moyer..... 14 28

5 per ct. com. on \$285 63..... 14 28

Exonerations..... 2 65-560 87

JOHN FORTNEY, COLLECTOR OF ROAD TAX

1916 To amount of duplicate..... \$486 84

5 per ct. on \$704 99 uncollected..... 35 25-492 09

1915 May 25 By cash to S C Brungart..... 42 21

Jun 6 By cash to S C Brungart..... 2474 66

Jun 13 By cash to S C Brungart..... 80 56

5 per ct. abatement on \$199 15..... 9 96

Jun 20 By cash to S C Brungart..... 60 78

Sept 6 By cash to S C Brungart..... 16 31

Oct 4 By cash to S C Brungart..... 29 96

Rebate on water troughs..... 15 60

Printing and Postage..... 8 54

Exonerations..... 9 89

Nov 3 Cash to S C Brungart..... 14 58

Dec 4 Cash to S C Brungart..... 7 46

5 per ct. com. on \$149 22..... 7 46

Balance..... 591 02-492 09

JOHN FORTNEY, COLLECTOR OF POOR TAX

1916 To amount of duplicate..... \$1802 76-1802 76

1915 Oct 3 By cash to Jas M. Moyer..... 945 10

Nov 3 By cash to Jas M. Moyer..... 325 48

2 per ct. com. on \$1296 51..... 25 93

Dec 4 By cash to Jas M. Moyer..... 32 30

5 per ct. com. on \$149 22..... 7 46

Printing and postage..... 1 38

Exonerations..... 5 00

Balance..... 399 42-1802 76

JAMES M. MOYER, OVERSEER OF POOR

1915 Dec 6 Balance..... \$1466 01-1466 01

1916 Dec 4 By support of—

Eliza Jordan..... 128 62

John Jordan..... 2 90

George Shepherd..... 134 48

Harvey Boyer..... 129 25

Salie Lingle..... 131 24

John Weaver & med. expenses for 1915..... 79 80

J R G Allison med. expenses..... 25 00

H A Branch medical expenses..... 5 52

Henry Bowman balance on credit for Mrs. James Norris..... 8 00

Henry Bowman & Emmet Jordan burial expenses of Salie Lingle..... 34 00

Stationary..... 47 85

Services..... 47 50

Balance..... 708 66-1466 01

JAMES M. MOYER, OVERSEER OF POOR

1915 Dec 6 Balance..... \$ 89 90

1916 Dec 23 By cash of John D Miller..... 81 48

1915 Aug 5 By cash of John Fortney..... 258 91

Aug 25 By cash of same..... 150 14

Oct 3 By cash of same..... 98 24

Nov 3 By cash of same..... 292 58

Dec 4 By cash of same..... 156 84-1954 44

By Support of—

John Campbell..... \$ 149 91

John and George Treaster..... 196 48

Mrs. John Clow..... 177 00

Mary Decker..... 12 90

Clayton Crozier and family..... 25 04

Casket for Mary Decker..... 28 00

Dugging grave for Mary Decker..... 5 00

W R Neff, making duplicate..... 5 00

H S Branch, medical services..... 28 00

J R G Allison, same..... 69 25

Geo Lee, same..... 4 65

Services..... 47 47

Cash paid audit..... 25 00

Balance..... 996 00-1954 44

S. C. BRUNGART, TREASURER OF BOARD OF ROAD SUPERVISORS

Dec 5, 1916 DR. Dec 8 1915 Balance..... \$ 713 11

Jan 6 1915 Rec'd from J. B. Keller, crusher hire..... 3 75

Feb 7 1915 Rec'd from J. B. Fortney 1915 tax..... 114 00

Apr 6 1915 Rec'd from J. B. Fortney 1915 tax..... 114 00

Centre Hall boro..... 19 80

May 11 1915 Rec'd from J. B. Fortney 1915 tax..... 152 29

May 26 1915 Rec'd from same..... 77 96

1915 tax..... 428 21

June 1 1915 Rec'd from same..... 2474 66

June 15 1915 Rec'd from same..... 132 40

Aug 2 1915 Rec'd from J. B. Fortney 1915 tax..... 15 00

Sept. 7 1915 Rec'd from J. B. Fortney 1915 tax..... 25 52

Oct 5 1915 Rec'd from same..... 16 31

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