

LOCALS

H. F. Roseman's ad. is new in this issue.

Mrs. Rose De Woodie was critically ill for several days the past week.

Robert Meyer, of Altoona, was home for a day beginning of the week.

John H. Knarr added another snake to his list of killings, on Monday, this time a copperhead being the victim.

Milton Kline, of Tusseyville, paid this office a call for the express purpose of boosting his subscription to 1918.

Charles Geary, of Newport, spent several days beginning of the week with his brother, F. P. Geary, and family.

The C. E. Society at Linden Hall will hold a festival on Saturday, August 4, for the benefit of the mission fund.

Mrs. Lizzie Jacobs and Mrs. Mary Shoop last week were guests of the former's sister, Mrs. Ellen Stuart, at State College.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Clayburn Brown, at the home of the mother's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William J. Mitterling, on Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Wagner, of Lock Haven, spent the past week at Potters Mills, the former with his father, J. H. Wagner, and the latter with her brother, Edwin Brown.

Morris J. Decker, of Cleveland, Ohio, is spending some time with his brother, James L. and Frank W. Decker, east of Centre Hall, and is assisting the latter during the haying period.

Vergie Young, of York, was visiting at the home of Harry McClenahan. On Monday she returned to York, accompanied by Dorothy McClenahan, little daughter of Harry McClenahan.

Wiring for electric light in the Lutheran church in this place was begun by Messrs. Edgar Sommers and C. W. Bozzer, on Tuesday. The new light will displace the blagass system which has been in use for several years.

T. E. Jamison, justice of the peace at Spring Mills, was a business caller at this office on Monday. Despite his seventy-seven years Mr. Jamison is hale and hearty, his only handicap being a slight impairment in his sense of hearing.

Mrs. G. O. Benner, of Centre Hall, and sister, Mrs. O. D. Eberts, of Martha, departed last week for a two weeks' visit with the John Miles and Chester Chronister families at Wilkesburg, and the A. S. Smith family at Pittsburg.

The real estate and personal property of John D. Lucas and E. E. Zettle, which has been assigned to Cyrus Brungart for the creditors, is advertised at public sale in another column. The sale will be held Tuesday and Wednesday, August 14 and 15th.

B. D. Brisbin, Misses Tillie Keller and Elsie Moore attended the annual meeting of directors of the Orphans' home, at Sunbury, under the management of the L. O. O. F. The former is a director in the institution, and the latter represented the Lodge of Rebecca in this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McCummon and Miss Verna Banks, of Altoona, arrived at the home of Mrs. McCummon's sister, Mrs. V. A. Auman, on Saturday, for a short vacation. Mrs. McCummon and Miss Banks returned to Altoona on Monday, but Mr. McCummon will remain for a week or more in the country.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph C. Bozzer, their two children, and nurse, after a month's stay at the parental home in this place, left for Chicago on Monday, in their big Premier car. George Bozzer accompanied the party and until the opening of the college year will be employed in the Windy City.

Dr. W. E. Park, of New Milford, enlisted as a surgeon in the U. S. Army. He will have the rank of First Lieutenant. At last reports Lieutenant Park had not yet been assigned to a particular division. He was formerly a resident of Centre Hall, where he practiced his profession, and is a son-in-law of Capt G. M. Boal.

Merchant and Mrs. C. M. Smith and two children started on an auto trip to New Berlin on Sunday morning in 'Equire Cyrus Brungart's Allen car, with Mr. Brungart at the wheel. In changing gears while ascending a steep hill in Millheim the front axle of the car snapped off, putting the machine out of commission. The Smith family reached their destination with another car. Word was sent to Centre Hall calling Cleve S. Brungart to bring the party home in the evening. Mr. Brungart has secured a new axle and will bring the car home this week.

Misses Susan and Alice Rearick, Messrs. Walter and Paul Rearick, children of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Rearick, of Williamsburg, motored to Centre Hall on Tuesday, and for an hour visited friends here. Walter is in the U. S. service, having joined an ambulance corps and is located at Allentown. Miss Alice is attending summer school at Penn State, and Miss Susan is housekeeper while her mother is in Missouri, the guest of her daughter, Jodie, who with her husband and family have been living in that state since their marriage.

DEATHS

John F. Miller Dies of Injuries.

Death came to John Franklin Miller at his home in Potters Mills, Wednesday morning at three o'clock, as a result of the internal injuries he received in the railroad crossing accident, at the Centre Hall station, Monday a week ago, an account of which appeared in detail in last week's issue of the Reporter. From the beginning it was apparent that he could not survive his injuries, his advanced age standing in the way of his recovery.

Mr. Miller was aged sixty-seven years and in his younger years taught school in Potter township, holding a permanent certificate. For the past three years he had been employed on State highway work in this section.

He leaves an invalid wife, who was Mary Ellen McClaskey. No children were born to their union.

Funeral services will be held on Friday morning at 9:30 o'clock and burial made in the Sprucecreek cemetery, Rev. W. H. Williams to officiate. Mr. Miller held a number of offices in the Methodist church and was a man of Christian character.

Aaron Phillip Zerby died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. N. A. Foust, at Maple Park, Illinois, on Saturday night, after a lengthy illness with cancer of the stomach. For the past ten years, with the exception of the ten weeks preceding his death, he made his home with his son, W. D. Zerby, Esq., in Bellefonte.

The deceased was born in Penn township, near Millheim, April 25, 1845, hence was past seventy-two years. His parents were Adam Zerby and Catharine Snavely Zerby. For many years he was engaged in the lumber business.

Surviving him are three children: Mrs. N. A. Foust, of Maple Park, Ill., Emory P. Zerby, of Union, Ill., and W. D. Zerby, of Bellefonte. Also two brothers: Henry T., of Aronsburg, and David L., of Millheim.

The body was shipped to Coburn on Tuesday and burial was made in the Paradise cemetery, west of Coburn, on Tuesday afternoon, Rev. W. H. Brown and Rev. Miller officiating. The deceased was a consistent member of the United Evangelical church.

Mrs. Ida (Mayes) Koch, wife of George Koch, died at her home in Pine Grove Mills on Monday night, of diabetes. A few-days-old infant preceded the mother in death. Deceased was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Keller, and was aged thirty-three years. The husband, one son and five small daughters survive; also four brothers and one sister. Burial will be made this (Thursday) morning in the Pine Grove cemetery, Rev. L. N. Fleck of the Lutheran church to officiate.

After a somewhat protracted illness which developed into acute dropsy, Mrs. Catharine Hutchinson died Sunday morning, July 31st, at her home in Milroy, aged sixty-six years and eleven months.

Mrs. Hutchinson, whose maiden name was Taylor, was born in Aronsburg.

Forty-four years ago she married Rev. J. W. Hutchinson, minister of the Lutheran church, who survives her. She is also survived by two daughters, Mrs. John C. Donges, of Pittsburg, and Mrs. Charles E. Lyons, of Milroy.

The funeral services were held at her late home in Milroy Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock. Rev. A. H. Spangler, D. D., preached the sermon and there were also present and took part in the service, Rev. Harry J. Deiss, Congregational church, Milroy; Rev. Frank T. Bell, Methodist Episcopal church, Milroy; Rev. R. L. Lubold, Lutheran church, Milroy, and Rev. Harry Ulrich, of the Presbyterian church, Milroy.

Samuel G. Moyer, a farmer of Clinton county, died on Thursday, July 5, aged forty-eight years, ten months, and twenty-one days.

Mr. Moyer was born in Penn township, near Millheim. He is survived by his wife and one son, and two brothers and five sisters: Frank Moyer, of Centre Hall; William, of near Loganton; Mrs. Nathaniel Boob, of Millheim; Mrs. C. W. Wolf, of Aronsburg; Mrs. William Wolf, of near Jersey Shore; Mrs. John Kemmerer, of near Loganton; and Mrs. John Page, of near Rebersburg.

Funeral services were held on Sunday forenoon, conducted by Rev. John Reish, and interment was made in the Lutheran cemetery at Loganton.

Mrs. Sarah Elizabeth Alexander, widow of Hon. William K. Alexander, died at her home in Millheim, Saturday, July 7, aged almost seventy-seven years.

The deceased was a daughter of Jesse and Catherine Mauck and was born in Millheim. Her husband died about sixteen years ago, and a brother James Mauck, of Rote, is the only survivor.

Burial was made at Millheim Monday following her death. Rev. W. H. Williams officiating.

LOCALS

Mrs. W. W. Beltz, of Mercer, is visiting her mother and sister in this place.

Miss Anna Stover, of Altoona, is visiting relatives in Centre Hall this week.

Mrs. Ed. L. Bartholomew and daughter, Mary Ellen, of Altoona, are home for a week's vacation.

Rev. and Mrs. J. J. Glen and three children, of Carlisle, motored to Centre Hall on Tuesday for a short stay with Mrs. Glenn's mother, Mrs. Mary Goodhart.

Misses Nellie and Mabel Lohr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lohr, of Rutledge, were arrivals Wednesday afternoon in Centre Hall for a short visit among relatives.

Messrs. William and George Swartz are enjoying a three-day furlough from the ambulance training quarters, at Allentown, with their parents, Merchant and Mrs. C. W. Swartz, at Tusseyville.

The following relatives accompanied the body of the late Aaron Zerby from Maple Park, Ill., to Coburn, for burial on Tuesday: Emory P. Zerby and son, of Union, Ill., Mrs. N. A. Foust, of Maple Park, Ill., and G. A. Zerby, of Kaneville, Ill.

Farmers have experienced much difficulty in curing hay this season. Grass cut on the 7th, at which time hundreds of acres were mown in Penns Valley, was not stored until just one week later, and much of it lay over the Sunday. The shower at about 2:30 p. m. Monday again interfered.

William J. Mitterling has been suffering the past week with blood poisoning in his right hand. A tiny thorn from a rose bush which fastened itself on a finger of his right hand several weeks ago, is responsible for all the trouble. For several days last week Mr. Mitterling endured intense suffering, resulting in loss of sleep and appetite. His condition has improved somewhat and his many friends trust that his complete recovery may come about soon.

Spring Mills.

Miss Anna Grace Corner, who spent the past year in Yonkers, Ohio, is visiting her parents here.

Mrs. Michael Smith, of Potters Mills, spent Sunday with her son, Lloyd, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. William Mueser and little daughter, of Altoona, spent Sunday at the R. D. Mueser home.

Rev. J. Victor Royer and family, of Millburg, are spending their vacation with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Royer.

Luther Smith, of Johnstown, was a visitor at the homes of his brother, John and William Smith, for a few days.

Mrs. H. S. Braucht, son Dean, Harry Allison, Mrs. C. P. Long and Mrs. Robert Mueser attended the funeral of their cousin, Mrs. Trood Parker, at Cedar Hill cemetery, on Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Helen Nixon Parker died in the Clarified hospital Wednesday of last week, of peritonitis, following an operation. Her husband, Trood Parker, and a ten months old son, survive; also her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward (Nixon), of Clintondale, three brothers and one sister. A host of friends mourn her untimely death.

New Minimum Height and Weight for Enlistment.

Secretary of war Baker has established a new minimum height and weight requirement for applicants for enlistment in the Army. It is now five feet one inch, and 110 pounds, height and weight respectively. Capt. W. O. Bowman, in charge of this recruiting district, expects thousands of patriots, kept out of the Army because they were a few pounds under weight or a few inches under height, will now apply for service with the colors.

Volunteer! Thousands are needed now for vacancies in the Infantry and hospital corps. There are also about a thousand vacancies in the signal corps for cable, telegraph and radio operators; wiremen; electricians; machinists; photographers and men familiar with construction and maintenance of telephone systems. 1700 bakers and 500 cooks are needed at once for the quartermaster department. Men willing to be trained as bakers and cooks will be given expert instructions in special schools established for this purpose. The pay for bakers and cooks is \$38 per month, including lodging, board, clothing and medical attention; the pay starts from the moment of enlistment.

Every man between the age of 18 and 40 is eligible for voluntary enlistment in the U. S. Army and those who volunteer may choose the branch of service in which they desire to serve. Once a man's name has been drawn from the list of those registered on June 5 he will not be allowed to volunteer and consequently may not be able to choose his desired branch of the Army.

Several branches of the Army are already filled up and those wishing to volunteer to serve with colors should not delay applying for enlistment at the nearest recruiting station. Recruiting stations are located in Scranton, Wilkesbarr, Erie, Williamsport, South Bethlehem, Shamokin, Sayre, DuBoise, Hazleton and Mauch Chunk.

GET AFTER "COLD" QUICKLY

Disagreeable, Dangerous Malady Has Many Preliminary Symptoms That Give Warning.

Colds can easily be prevented if care is taken to avoid those things which lower the resistance of the body and if one pays special attention to building up the resistance of the body. How important this is may be seen in the fact that athletes in training seldom, if ever, contract colds, Good Health observes.

How, then, are we to know that a cold is impending? First of all, in most cases, there is a feeling of chilliness and slight feverishness. The head also feels stuffy and full; the mucous linings of the nose and throat feel dry and parched, due to congestion at these points. Frequently there is a feeling of languor and an "aching" of the bones, especially at the joints. Headache is also often present, and lack of appetite. Bad breath and coated tongue are almost invariably present. The victim is usually constipated.

The "nipping" process consists, first of all, in getting the blood away from the head and chest into the lower extremities. The best means to this end is a hot foot bath—as hot as can be borne. A bucket of any kind will serve the purpose; especially good is a bucket that will allow the water to reach as near the knees as possible. Take particular pains to see that the room in which this treatment is given is warm and free from drafts.

IN THE "THIEVES' MARKET"

Remarkable Institution in Small Mexican City That Has Sphere of Usefulness.

The so-called "thieves' market" in San Luis Potosi is one of the most curious and characteristic institutions of the little Mexican city. Here are found tools and implements, knives and pistols, bottles, hinges, valves, chains, bridges, razors, religious books from the old European press, cheap jewelry, doorknobs, and, in fact, any sort of non-perishable merchandise. The name of the market is not discernible to either the proprietors of the various stalls nor their customers, but it is probably correct in its implication that thieves sell here their small plunder.

It is said that some of the proprietors deal in more valuable goods, such as antique pieces of brasswork, china and silver, precious stones and metals, but these are not offered to the public. The pawnshops turn over to this market cheap articles in hardware and jewelry, and American goods are often seen, particularly cheap watches, buttons and safety razors. The market prevents waste in that every sort of second-hand article may be bought and used again.

Teaching Children to Think.

Miss Margaret Maguire, principal of the Washington school of Philadelphia, who has gained a deserved reputation for her work among the children of immigrants, scored a point in her address at the summer school of State college when she insisted that the great need of the day was to teach children to think rather than to fill their little minds with a mass of unrelated information. She held up Louis Pasteur as a model to her one thousand teacher-auditors and said that he was taught to think and to digest information in his youth.

It would be a great gain for humanity if this truth could be brought home to all educators, and especially to those who have charge of the elementary schools. The tendency of the day is to "cover ground." The teacher who graduates the largest class gains the most distinction. The idea is all wrong. The shy pupil who fails in his recitations may mean more to the world than the one who glibly memorizes whole chapters of lessons.

Lightning Hit His Ring.

Hope Bealm's finger ring is in the jeweler's shop because the ruby setting was loosened by lightning. Also he is alive and well after one of the most exciting experiences of his life, having faced death in an instant's time when a bolt of lightning struck in the concrete midway between the Deaderick and Empire buildings.

Beam was shocked severely, the electricity following the wiring into the office where he was working. Several women in the office of a physician next where the lightning struck were also shocked.—Winchester (Va.) Dispatch Norfolk Virginian-Post.

Dog Attacked Fur-Top Boots.

A Cleveland woman was walking down a street, wearing a pair of these new fur-top shoes. A dog saw the fur and made an energetic attack, divesting one of the shoes of its trimming.

All of which is interesting. For the dog may have thought that he recognized in that fur an old-time foe—the neighbor's cat. But even if he did, women have cause to be thankful, for in that event, women who wear fur-trimmed shoes may feel sure that mice, woman's old enemy, will give them a wide path.

Connecticut Smoke.

After many years of experiment and the loss of much money, tobacco farmers in the Connecticut valley have succeeded in profitably raising shade-grown tobacco. Most of this is used as wrappers for five-cent cigars. It sells for from \$1.50 to \$2 a pound, whereas the duty alone on imported wrapper leaf is \$1.85 a pound.

Pleasant Gap.

Ree Floray and lady friend spent Sunday at Penna Cave.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Noll spent last week with friends and relatives at Pottsville and Harrisburg.

Mr. and Mr. Barlet, of Sharpsville, are spending a few days with Dr. and Mrs. Barlet.

Mr. and Mrs. Abner Mueser and family, of Pittsburg, are visiting with the former's father at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. William Stump, of Pittsburg, are visiting with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Stump.

Wallace and Clair Horner and wives, of McKeesport, have returned to their homes after spending several weeks with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Horner.

Miss Mary Twitmyer and mother are visiting friends at Pittsburg.

Miss Zerby, who is taking the teacher's course at State College, spent the week end at the home of Michael Spicher.

Miss Nettie Thomas, of Milesburg, is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. George Showers.

The M. E. Sunday-school will hold a festival in Noll's Grove, Saturday evening, July 21st.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Fetterolf, of Bellefonte, spent Sunday with the latter's sister, Mrs. Rachel Noll.

Miss Carrie Gettig spent the week end with her friend, Helen Swartz.

Farmers have been making hay between showers for the past week. Not in years have the weather conditions been so discouraging during the haying period.

Bubble Background of Photos.

Professor Boys of England, experimenting with bubbles, obtained some very large ones, which in the sunshine changed colors so beautifully that he conceived the idea of using them as backgrounds for photographs.

The large bubbles were blown with an ordinary bellows, says the Popular Science Monthly. The soap solution was heated and a large-mouthed funnel was dipped into it. The bellows, connected with the funnel, was then worked very gently. Bubbles with as great a circumference as two and a half feet were easily obtained.

Putting Him Wise.

Her Young Man—I wonder how soon your sister will marry me? Kid Brother—Well, ma said sis wouldn't wait long to nail you if you ever popped.—Judge.

HOMEMADE WASHING MACHINE

Miners in Alaska Construct Ingenious Device to Take the Place of Washboard and Tub.

In parts of Alaska many of the miners do their own housekeeping and laundering. To accomplish the latter they use as a substitute for the washboard and tub a device made of an old barrel-churn mounted on runners so that the miner can take it along to his work.

A cylinder about 30 inches long and of the same diameter as the head of the churn is first constructed of heavy galvanized iron. One end of this cylinder is left open, and the head of the churn is fastened to the open end. The cylinder is then carefully balanced in the churn, and the churn-bearings fastened with rivets and solder to make them water-tight.

Two screens are made of galvanized wire of one-inch mesh. One of them is suspended from the movable head by one-quarter-inch galvanized iron rods, and the other is fastened to the cylinder, so that the two are about ten inches apart in the middle of the cylinder.

The clothes are confined between the two screens. The water surges back and forth through them until they are clean, or as long as the churn is in motion. A large pinwheel attached to the bearings furnishes the turning power.

MOON'S EFFECTS NOT KNOWN

May Be Key to Sleep Walking and Kindred Disorders, Declares Writer in Medical Journal.

All persons in all times have seen an intimate connection between the moon and fruitfulness, both animal and vegetable.

"Even now," says the New York Medical Journal, "the ominous come to our city market owe their excellence to the farmer's careful conjunction of planting time with the phases of the moon."

Such ideas have been so universal that man's unconscious mind still preserves them, though his judgment may scorn them as absurd.

Doctor Sadger of Vienna cites cases of somnambulists who "under the influence of moonlight are recalled to times and scenes of active childish wishes. The moon calls them in deep sleep to act out dream wishes."

The Medical Journal suggests that the key to sleep walking and other kindred disorders of childhood and late life may be found in moon-lore.

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Our entire stock of Ladies' Coats, Suits and Dresses, Reduced to One-Half former price.

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