

Thirty-four Years Ago.

February 15, 1883.—A tramp who was harbored by Philip Durst over Sunday, disappeared on Monday morning, taking along as mementos of Mr. Durst's kindness a coat, pair of fine boots, a handkerchief and bottle of tooth-sache medicine.

February 22, 1883.—Jacob Richard, long a citizen of this town, intends moving to Michigan in the spring.

We still have assurance that our railroad is to be completed in the near future. The fact that a corps of Pennsylvania railroad engineers are now locating the route between Bellefonte and Lemont gives us strong hope that there is reality about the matter at last.

Rev. J. K. Miller, of this place, moved to Logansville, on Tuesday, having accepted the pastorate of the Lutheran charge of that place, consisting of five congregations.

A Successful Farmers' Week.

Eager to learn methods of surpassing even the splendid showing made by their crops last season, more than 800 agriculturists from every part of Pennsylvania attended the twelfth annual Farmers' Week at State College. The sessions this year were held for only four instead of six days, as formerly.

Lectures and demonstrations were given by more than a hundred different speakers who were experts in some line of farm work. They talked on nearly every subject of interest to the farmers and their wives. Eleven important phases of agricultural activity were given prominent places on the program, including soils and farm crops, dairy production, landscape gardening and floriculture, home economics, fruit growing, poultry raising and farm machinery.

REBERSBURG

Elmer Bierly left for Avis where he has found employment.

Harry R yet quite recently installed an electric light plant in his residence.

George Greninger, after less than a week's illness of pneumonia, died at his residence in West Rebersburg. For more extended notice see "Death" column.

Harry Gephart, who was taken to the Bellefonte hospital last Wednesday for treatment for rupture, died at that place while in the operating room. For more extended notice see "Death" column.

Charles Walte, who several weeks ago enlisted on the U. S. army, was sent to Fort Dix, where he was examined. He was found physically unfit and received his discharge, arriving home one day last week.

Jacob Heller, who is employed at Akron, Ohio, after spending the Christmas vacation at this place, left the latter part of last week for Akron. His wife accompanied him and will spend several weeks with her son Charles.

James Gramley recently sold his farm at Emulston to William Hagan. Consideration \$5,500.00. Mr. Gramley will make public sale this coming spring and then will go to Illinois where he will make his home in the future.

Georges Valley

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Gobble spent Christmas day at the home of J. W. Gobble.

C. W. Lingle and family spent Christmas at Penn Hall with Mrs. Lingle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Emerick.

Miss Renna Wagner, of Centre Hall, spent a few days at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Wagner.

Miss Anna Reasick, who is teaching school at Snow Shoe, spent the holiday season at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Reasick.

STATE AGRICULTURAL NOTES.

If you are interested in farm products get ready to attend the Pennsylvania Farm Products Show at Harrisburg, January 21 to 24.

The average price of butter in the State during 1917 was forty-six cents a pound, and the average price of milk wholesale was \$2.75 per hundred pounds and nine cents a quart retail.

The condition of wheat and rye in the ground is about seven per cent. below the average for last year at this time, due to extremely late planting in some parts of the State.

The average price paid for female farm help by the week during the past year has been four dollars a week as compared with \$3.42 last year.

The average price for farm help by the year with board has increased to \$311 this year as compared with \$270 last year.

The total value of the corn, oat, wheat, buckwheat, rye, hay and potato crops grown in Pennsylvania during 1917 was \$340,272,200.35 as compared with \$266,038,118.57 last year.

Saturday, March 23, 10 a. m., D. F. Smith, 1/2 mile east of Centre Hall, on the Brush Valley road, will sell: Farm stock, implements, etc. A clear-up sale.

AUDITORS' STATEMENT--

Of the Receipts and Expenditures of POTTER TOWNSHIP FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1917

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Includes J. B. FORTNEY, COLLECTOR ROAD TAX 1916 DR. To Balance \$591.02-\$591.02 CR.

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Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Includes J. B. FORTNEY, ROAD TAX FOR 1917 DR. Dec 8 Amt of Duplicate \$5038.62.

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Includes J. B. FORTNEY, COLLECTOR OF POOR TAX FOR 1917 DR. Dec 3 To Amt of Duplicate \$1820.91-\$1820.91 CR.

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Includes J. M. MOYER OVERSEER OF POOR DR. 1917 Dec 3 To Balance \$906.00.

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Includes W. C. FARNER, OVERSEER POOR. DR. 1917 Dec 3 To balance \$708.45.

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Includes JOHN KUHN, SUPERVISOR. DR. Repair and maintenance of earth roads, including stakes \$593.55.

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Includes W. A. JORDAN, SUPERVISOR. DR. Repair and maintenance of earth roads, including stakes \$680.65.

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Includes S. C. BRUNGART, TREASURER BOARD OF SUPERVISORS DR. Dec 3, 1917, To balance \$858.81.

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Includes J. H. RUNKLE, TREASURER AUDIT. DR. 1917 Dec 3, To balance \$312.20-\$312.20 CR.

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EVENTS IN THE TOWN.

Little Talks on Health and Hygiene by Samuel G. Dixon, M. D., LL. D., D. Sc. Commissioner of Health.

The modern method of preparing drugs for family use has its attractions yet it has been the cause of many deaths, often from the fact that so many drugs are put up in form and color to resemble each other.

One of these drugs might be picked up for another in the dark or even in the day time, if the label was not carefully read by the one seeking to take the medicine.

Another great mistake is to change a drug from one bottle to another without altering the label. It is often done in dividing up the contents of a rare drug with a neighbor.

A very short time ago I knew of a generous doctor dividing up a rare drug he had with one of his colleagues, intending to label the bottle kept for himself.

Now this is quite a common mistake and people have been made blind by this carelessness. Drugs that are most useful are, as a rule, most dangerous and should always be kept under lock and key and plainly labeled.

At present we are being robbed enough of the members of our families during the war so that we should have no patience with the killing of the innocent at home by simple carelessness.

"Peck's Bad Boy" at Gorman's. Get away from common worries; go and see "Peck's Bad Boy" at Gorman's opera house, Thursday evening, January 3rd.

A pair of lady's white gloves were left at the Reporter office, where they may be had by the right party.

FOLKS WE ALL KNOW. Papa is having a Rough Time and is Almost Sorry they got the Baby. Most homes have a Baby some time.



Nov 19 Cash from Penna Valley Banking Co. 697 00. Nov 20, Cash from State bonus tax 1186 07.

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We, the undersigned, auditors of Potter township, have examined the above accounts and certify to the correctness of the same.

JOHN H. RUNKLE, H. F. MUSSER, J. H. WEISER, Auditors.

IN STRANGE CITY

Lot of One Transplanted From Small Town Is Hard.

You Can't Tell Whom You Want to Know Until You Know, Which Makes Things Complicated.

It gives you a queer feeling to be suddenly transplanted from the little home town to a crowded city street made up of houses, houses, houses, where you don't know a soul, and never expect to, says a writer in the Indianapolis News.

If by chance we find, from the telephone directory, that the people just back of us wear the very same name we wear, we wonder if they might be some of our long lost kith and kin.

There's the two-year-old baby three houses down the street, who waves her tiny hand and calls "By-by" when we pass.

Gradually you get on speaking terms with the shy baby boy next door, so that when you go out on the back porch he doesn't make a wild dive for his back porch, but stands up in his sand pile, waving his hands excitedly.

That's the trouble in the city. You can't know for certain whom you want to know, until you know—which makes things complicated.

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Many persons overestimate the social and intellectual value of a college education. This notion leads parents to insist upon putting through a literary college boys and girls who ought to be training for usefulness in farm, store or shop.

The sergeant-major was addressing a squad of new arrivals, and noticed one who had his eyes on the ground and his head held downwards in a listening attitude.

"Oh, I see," said the sergeant-major, "you're listening for worms, eh?"

Smoked Glass Why? ATLANTIC Rayolight. Turn it up, turn it down. Smokes just the same! THE ATLANTIC REFINING COMPANY Philadelphia and Pittsburgh. PERFECTION Smokeless Oil Heaters.

Reading a Lecture. to the public is not our intention. It isn't necessary to remind the thrifty of the necessity of laying up that dollar for the rainy day--but the thoughtless and extravagant who spend what they earn as they get it we would like to say a word of caution for their future--save--Save your money by depositing a portion of your weekly salary in The Farmers National Bank.

HOUSE FOR SALE. A six room house located on Hoffer street, at corner of alley and built a few years ago.

Insurance and Real Estate. Want to Buy or Sell? SEE US FIRST. Chas. D. Bartholomew CENTRE HALL, PA.

The Gasoline That Yields Most Miles to the Gallon. Because of its uniform High Quality. Try us on your next need of gas and note the difference. Also High Grade Oil.

William McClenahan WHOLESALE DISTRIBUTOR CENTRE HALL, PA.

CYRUS BRUNGART JUSTICE OF THE PEACE CENTRE HALL, PA. Special attention given to collecting, legal writings of all classes, including deeds, mortgages, etc.

H. F. Rossman Spring Mills. Centre Reporter at \$1.50 per year.

JAMES W. SWABB JUSTICE OF THE PEACE LINDEN HALL, CENTRE CO., PA. Deeds, Mortgages, Wills, etc. written and executed with care.

To All Our Friends and Customers: Thanking you for your trade the past year, we wish you all A Happy and Prosperous New Year.

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