

### LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

L. L. Smith is building a garage. A half-inch of rain fell Sunday and Sunday night.

Roy White, of Lewistown, visited friends in Centre Hall on Tuesday.

Mrs. Archie Confer, of Spring Mills visited at the W. A. Krise home last week.

Two murderers paid the death penalty at the Rockview death house Monday morning.

The first half of November has been most delightful so far as weather has had any influence.

Miss Phoebe Potter, of Linden Hall, visited at the home of Mrs. Lizzie Jacobs for several days.

Ice cream and oysters, Saturday evening, at parlors of Wm. McClenahan, Centre Hall, Pa. adv.

With coal steadily advancing in price we are mighty glad for the very moderate fall weather we enjoyed to date.

Dr. and Mrs. G. H. Widder motored up from Harrisburg, last week, and spent a few days at the J. J. Arney home.

Miss Elsie Slick attended the funeral of her cousin, Miss Ruth Krise, at Johnstown, yesterday (Wednesday) afternoon.

Let us hope the publishers, now that the war is over, will be permitted to print as large a paper as they want and as often, too.

Look at your label this week. Does it come up to the government's requirements? Is your subscription back more than three months?

C. M. Smith motored to Altoona on Sunday, returning with Mrs. Smith and daughter Catherine, who had spent a week with relatives in the Mountain City.

Guy S. Brooks killed a fourteen-pound gobbler on Saturday and on Monday found a dead turkey which some hunter had hit and which escaped, only to die later.

The local Red Cross auxiliary will meet next Tuesday evening at 7:30 in the P. O. S. of A. room for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year.—Mrs. Clyde Smith, chairman.

Prof. W. P. Trostle, now in charge of the public schools of Houtzdale, is the new Superintendent of Public Instruction in Clearfield county, succeeding Prof. C. A. Weisgarber, who recently died of influenza.

G. R. Meiss, the Colyer merchant, last week finished the remodeling of his store. A number of decided improvements were made and Mr. Meiss' customers are complementing him on the store's appearance.

Your attention is called to the good standing of the local post office in the sale of War Saving Stamps for the month of October published elsewhere in this issue. Those who have made pledges are reminded that their obligation to fulfill them is just as great as though the war now being prosecuted.

A complete canvass was made in the borough by the Y. W. C. A. in the interest of the War Work campaign last week. All heads of families were solicited so if familiar names are missing there is a reason other than not having had an opportunity to give. And we went over the top without any one making a semblance of a sacrifice.

The following is the report of work done by the Millheim-Coburn Red Cross auxiliary for the month of October: 100 water-proof comfort cases were made, 30 by the Coburn ladies and 70 by the Millheim ladies; Coburn ladies knitted 3 sweaters and Millheim ladies knitted 7 sweaters and 6 pairs of socks.

Dr. and Mrs. W. W. Weaver and A. L. Bulmer, of Philadelphia, were visitors of the former's cousin, Mrs. Flora O. Bairfoot, Tuesday night. The gentlemen were both members of the examining board of the 4th ward of Philadelphia and were taking a well-earned outing, making the trip in the former's auto.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Keefe and daughter Agnes, of Youngwood, arrived in Centre Hall the latter part of last week for a short visit at the Cyrus Brangert home. Mr. Keefe went in search of wild turkeys on Nittany mountain, and while he was successful in seeing a number of birds he failed to get within good shooting distance.

Twenty-five hotel licenses in Centre county are being asked according to the advertisement for licenses published in this issue. The Old Port applicant is John Koarr and at Potters Mills James M. Moyer again applies for the privilege. Whether or not Centre county's extremely large majority for a dry member of the house of representatives will have any influence in determining the granting of licenses is being discussed in local circles.

When the boys come home from "over there" and the camps, they will ask who supported the Red Cross, Y. M. C. A., Y. W. C. A., War Council K. of C., Jewish Welfare Board, War Camp Community, American Library Association and the Salvation Army. They will want to know who provided them with the comforts to which a soldier is entitled. Locally the question can be fully answered by referring to the list of subscribers to these funds printed in this issue. In fact, most of the boys will have the names of the supporters of these institutions before them ere they come home. The list will be closely studied by every reader of the Reporter.

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Charles Arney shot a wild turkey on Tuesday.

500 or more bushels well-matured corn for sale.—S. W. Smith, Centre Hall, Pa.

Red Cross headquarters urges that the saving of fruit stones and nut shells be continued.

The PINK label this week means credit on subscription is shown for the first time. Examine yours and if there is an error, report it at once.

Mrs. Orvis Horner, of Colyer, is the proud owner of a beautiful set of fox furs which was made from two big grey foxes captured by Mr. Horner last winter.

James R. Irwin, tenant on the Geiss farm, now owned by Lieutenant Theodore Davis Boal, advertises his farm stock and implements at public sale March 6th.

The underground wires for the six boulevard lights and the iron posts were installed last week east and west of the diamond, in Millheim. The State-Centre company is experiencing trouble in having the shipment of the brackets necessary for the installation of the street lights for the borough, and is a problem when the streets will be lighted.

### Marriage Licenses.

John B. Wert, Miles Twp.  
Mary E. Weber, Smulton  
Jasper A. Lingle, Spring Mills  
Carrie M. Stover, Centre Hall  
Wm. M. Botts, Bellefonte  
Margaret M. Smith, Bellefonte.

### Free Lecture.

Captain Ingram will give a free Red Cross lecture, with moving pictures, on Saturday night, Nov. 23, at seven-thirty o'clock, in the College Auditorium, at State College. All are urged to attend.

### The Philadelphia Record.

Newspaper readers who have been accustomed to finding in the fiction supplements of Sunday papers only the reprints of out-of-date novels have a pleasant surprise in store for them in the new tabloid fiction magazine section of "The Philadelphia Record".

On next Sunday, November 24th, E. Philips Oppenheim's great German spy story, "The Zeppelin's Passenger," will begin in "The Record". The story is a masterpiece of diplomatic intrigue, mystery and swift-moving events, crowded with thrills of danger, daring and suspense. The plot is ingenious and baffling and on the face of it is inherently improbable, but plausible enough when you are furnished at last with the clues which govern its action.

The story is laid in a sleepy little English coast town, where the Zepp lands its "passenger" unknown to the villagers—but they find a derby hat. There the wonderful story starts. In "The Zeppelin's Passenger" Oppenheim is at his best—which means that all who begin the story next Sunday in "The Record" will see it through to the finish.

### ROMANS USED SAFETY PINS

That Many Familiar Articles Are of Ancient Origin Has Been Proved by Finds Made.

Pins fashioned exactly like those of today called by us "safety pins," have been found in Roman and Etruscan tombs, some being referred to a period prior to the birth of Christ.

The safety pin, it seems, was an article of common use in Italy long before the Roman empire attained the height of its glory. The material of which they were made, however, seems always to have been bronze.

The collar stud is another ancient invention. While it is true the old Romans did not make use of buttons for the purpose of fastening their garments, and they wore no collars, yet they possessed a sort of collar stud, which was used in conjunction with the safety pin in a number of ways.

Who would imagine that the little paper fastener, with which we are familiar, the brass device that holds a number of loose sheets of paper together, was more than two thousand years old? Yet such is the fact, since such a device was employed by the Roman soldiers of that era as an incidental of their costumes or uniform.

The belt of thin copper worn by the old legions was fastened to a strip of cloth, serving as a lining, with a series of little bronze clamps precisely like the paper fastener in principle.

Thimbles are ancient. Some specimens are known to be 2,500 years old. They are of bronze, and their outer surfaces show the familiar indentations for engaging the head of the needle. These thimbles are precisely like our modern ones, except that they have no tops to cover the end of the finger.

### New Use for Beggars.

A hotelkeeper in the suburbs of Paris, having been much troubled with mendicants, put a wheel near the entrance to the building, and above it was placed a sign reading: "Charity degrades both him who gives and him who takes. Turn this wheel one hundred times and get half a franc."

Numerous beggars applied for leave to turn the wheel, until the discovery was made that the force employed was utilized to draw water from a well which served a practical purpose in a nearby orchard and hostelry. Then, according to the story, no beggars were seen in the vicinity.—Harper's Weekly.

### MODERN DINNER ALL RIGHT

Physician Declares That Appurtenances and Menu All Tend to Promote the Digestion.

Dinner as a social institution has been so sedulously attacked by gastronomic experts in recent years that the banquet has been held responsible for many untimely deaths of public men. One of the most conspicuous statements in America was said to have been killed by dining out. The consumption of course after course upon a menu is held by various authorities to be inconsistent with long life and even with continued health.

Now, all these notions, according to Dr. R. S. Levenson, are based more or less upon delusion. Discoveries in the physiology of digestion during the past dozen years do not discredit the modern dinner, he says. They vindicate it. Man has unconsciously established a routine of courses in the dinner that takes thorough cognizance of the physiological principles upon which digestion is founded. Take, for instance, the elaborate gowns worn by the women and the evening suits by the men, the floral decorations and the music. There is no doubt that each of these items serves the purpose of composing a generally favorable stage setting for digestion. It has been shown in recent years that the moods created by these details have a directly favorable bearing upon the performance of the digestive function.—Current Opinion.

### COURT CALLED IT CRUELTY

Method of Negro Lion Tamer Met With the Decided Disapproval of English Judge.

Lady Helmsley was a witness in an interesting case heard at York, in which a negro lion tamer named Albert Maccomo was summoned for cruelty in terrifying a lioness, and Albert Manders, manager proprietor of Oldham, was summoned for permitting the animal to be terrified, says the London Pall Mall Gazette.

Manders was at the York Martinmas fair, in November, and Lady Helmsley was told by one of the attendants that the lioness had already caused the death of one man and attacked two others, and that Maccomo would at the period of his life enter the cage.

Lady Helmsley described how the animal was frightened by noises and by the insertion into the cage of red-hot bars. She was so disgusted with the performance that she left and reported the matter to the police.

Further evidence was called to show that the man entered the cage for a few moments, firing blank cartridges while he was inside.

Manders was fined 20 shillings and costs, and Maccomo 10 shillings and costs.

### Great Virtue.

There is no greater everyday virtue than cheerfulness. This quality in woman is like sunshine to the day, or gentle renewing moisture to parched herbs. The light of a cheerful face diffuses itself and communicates the happy spirit that inspires it.

The sourest temper must sweeten in the atmosphere of continuous good humor. As well might fog and cloud and vapor hope to cling to sun-illumined landscape as "the blues" and

moroseness to combat jovial speech and exhilarating laughter.

There is no path but will be easier traveled, no load but will be lighter no shadow on heart or brain but will lift sooner in the presence of a determined cheerfulness. It may at times seem difficult for the hapless tempered to keep the countenance of peace and content, but difficulty will vanish when we truly consider that sullen gloom and passionate despair do nothing but multiply thorns and thicken sorrows.

### Strange, but Not Incredible.

Montenegro has a law ordaining that any found valuable shall be placed where the loser can find it. The fact suggests an anecdote told of Ginald's grandfather in Dickens' life of the famous clown. On one of his visits to Leadenhall market with nearly \$2,000 in gold and silver upon him "he found that his shoes had become unbuckled and, taking from his pocket the bag he placed it upon a neighboring post and then proceeded to adjust the buckle." Having afterward to pay for a purchase, he missed his bag of gold and hurried back to the post where he had buckled his shoes. "Although more than three-quarters of an hour had elapsed these items remained safe and untouched on the top of a post in the open street!" That was in eighteenth-century London.

### Proud of Them.

We can no longer think, with Percles, that good report for a woman means a minimum of any kind of report about her, whether for good, or evil, nor with Dr. Johnson that when she speaks in public she is "like a pig standing on its hind legs; it is not that, she does it well, but you are surprised she can do it at all." We are as proud of our famous women as we are of our famous men, and some of the very best speakers in the world today are women.—University Magazine.

### Too Bad.

"What makes Willoughby look so woebegone? Disappointed in love?"  
"Yes."  
"Who got the girl?"  
"He did."

### Boys' and Girls' T. S. and W. S. S. Club.

(Hazel Ripka, Secretary)  
For week ending Nov. 18

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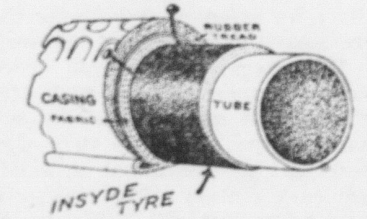
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FOR SALE—Two heifers, 18 months old will make good cows; also top buggy.—S. J. WAGNER, Boalsburg, Pa. Bell phone 3422.

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FOR SALE—Holstein bull, 23 months old, black and white in color—(more white than black). Also six small pigs.—E. BROWN, Centre Hall, R. 1. Bell phone 9614.

## YOUR TIME HAS ARRIVED

With the end of the war in sight, if you have not already made your fortune in munitions stocks, shipping shares or in some one of the industries that have been enjoying profitable war business, you still have left

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