

**LOCAL AND PERSONAL.**

The community Christmas tree idea is being considered in Centre Hall.

The late William Stump carried \$500.00 insurance in the railroad relief.

Nevin W. Meyer, of Boalsburg, was a business caller at this office on Tuesday.

Fine grade of oysters on sale all week.—William McClenahan, Centre Hall, adv.

Sunday was a delightful day—a May day in December. Meacury climbed close to the 70 mark.

Miss Olive Way is back to the school room after having spent a week caring for her mother at her home near Port Matilda.

Mrs. Susan Goodhart expects to leave for Bellefonte soon where she will spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. D. Wagner Geiss.

Undertaker F. V. Goodhart conveyed the body of the late Charles E. Decker, on Thursday, from State College to Centre Hall, for burial.

Lazar Zec, of Beaver county, was electrocuted Monday morning at Rockview penitentiary for the murder of a fellow-countryman.

No less than a dozen hunters from Centre Hall and vicinity took sick while in camp in the Seven Mountains, last week, and were obliged to return home.

Mrs. James F. High returned to her home in Lock Haven, on Saturday, after assisting in caring for the sick at the home of her brother, Hugh Runkle, at Tusseyville, for a week.

For Sale.—Fresh hams and quarters of choice beef, in any quantity, at any weight, and may be had at any time.—A. M. Riegel, Salona, Pa. Commercial phone, Mill Hill exchange, 0.3pd.

Carl A. Auman is home on a thirty-day furlough from Charleston, South Carolina, where he has been for several months in the service of Uncle Sam as a member of the aviation section of the navy.

Next Monday evening (Dec. 16th) between the hours of 6 and 8, some member of the Christmas Roll Call committee will call upon you to join the Red Cross. All you need is a heart and a dollar.

M. H. Hendricson, of Youngsville, joined the Colyer hunting club, last Saturday, for a few days deer hunting. He was fortunate enough to kill a fine buck deer in a party chase on Monday. Mr. Hendricson is the husband of Miss Myra Horner, a daughter of the late Rev. A. J. Horner.

State College residents have hopes of seeing work soon started on the new post office building on the site purchased several years ago by the government on the corner of Beaver avenue and Allen street. The treasury department is now advertising for bids for the construction of the building.

Messrs. J. H. Runkle, H. F. Musser and J. H. Weiser, auditors of Potter township, have examined the accounts of the various township officials and have prepared the statement of the year's receipts and expenditures, which has been placed in the hands of the printer. The same will appear in an early issue.

Workmen have been engaged during the week tearing down the walls of the Engineering Building destroyed by fire recently. There seems to have been an enormous amount of brick used in its construction and also some very good mortar, judging by the heavy explosions that shake our office occasionally, says the State College Times.

Chairman Walker's report this week shows that a per capita sale of 74 cents the past week has brought the total in W. S. S. in Centre county up to \$19.19, the county needing only 81 cents per capita, or approximately \$36,500, in order to reach the goal. It would be a pity if Centre would lose out in the last weeks of the campaign.

The drive for the Red Cross membership will have been pretty nearly finished by the time this issue of the Reporter reaches you, but it will yet be time to enlist in the cause if you have not already done so. No matter where you are located, make it your business to become a member of the great organization, for the year 1919.

Although the student's army training corps will be demobilized at the Pennsylvania State college on Dec. 21, in accordance with the war department's orders, military training will be continued at the institution through the reinstatement of the reserve officers' training corps, beginning Jan. 1. This announcement was made on Monday by Dr. Edwin E. Sparks, the college executive.

The Slack party, encamped on the Stone creek, were compelled to break camp last Friday owing to the fact that the "flu" was playing havoc with the party. More than half their number were taken with the sickness while in the camp. During the four days' hunting the Slacks killed three nice deer, Jerry Smith being one of the lucky shots. The camp's cook also killed a buck in close proximity to the camp.

The boys and girls—and grown-ups too—will take special delight in reading "Lost Island" beginning next Sunday in "The Philadelphia Record". It is a thrilling story of adventure, with the lure of sunken treasure and the tang of the sea, recalling the fascination of "Treasure Island". The fiction now being published in the special magazine section of the "The Record" is some of the best that has ever been published by a newspaper.

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Bruce Arney is assisting Undertaker F. V. Goodhart in his work this week.

From forty to fifty cases of "flu" have been reported in the vicinity of Aaronsburg and Woodward. Schools have been closed.

**SPRING MILLS.**

Thomas Shaffer was called home on account of the illness of his wife.

Mr. Catherman, of Union county, helped Miles Johnson to butcher on Tuesday.

Mr. Wasson, of Howard, is spending some time with his daughter, Mrs. Charles Zerby.

Mr. Allison, of Howard, visited Dr. Braucht and other relatives over Sunday.

Some one broke the lock on the Beaver Dam school house and stole tablets, lead pencils, and a lot of books belonging to the scholars. There is considerable thieving going on in this community. Several parties are being watched.

Samuel Ulrich was injured on Saturday when his four-horse team frightened at a motorcycle. Mr. Ulrich had stopped to talk to Daniel Runkle when the team took fright and turned, striking him with the coupling pole and injuring him severely.

**AARONSBURG.**

Both Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bower had influenza in its worst form.

Private Frank Stover from Camp Lee, returned last Tuesday with an honorable discharge.

Miss Lydia Walter, of Coburn, is housekeeper for her brother-in-law, Allen Reener.

One of Mrs. Amanda Musser's fattening hogs died Monday morning, which means a heavy loss to her.

Allen Keener received word on Sunday that his wife, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Harry Call, at State College, suffered a paralytic stroke. Her age is eighty-four years.

Our hunting party came home Saturday evening, and such rattling good stories! They shot two deer and one bear. W. A. Guisewite killed Bruin. Willard and Elmer Will left Monday morning for their Franklin home, well pleased with their outing, as was W. R. Maize, from New York City.

From last week. Mrs. Leo Haines, of Sunbury, visited her parents for a few days.

Harry Crouse, a student at Selinsgrove, spent a day at the parental home. C. G. Bright sold his farm last week to ex-sheriff J. P. Condo.

Mrs. John Houtz has returned home from State College.

Mrs. Boyd Vonada and son, of Sunbury, are expected home in a few days.

Misses Lodia and Lydia Harter, who have been employed at State College, returned to their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. James Miller, of Lewisburg, visited at the W. A. Guisewite home for a day.

Mrs. Lottie Jakel, of Buffalo, N. Y., and sister-in-law, Mrs. Charles Huber, of Lock Haven, spent a few days at the Dr. Bowersox home.

Misses Amanda and Cora Haines, after a few months stay at State College, returned to their home here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Barner and two children, of Flemington, autoed to the home of the latter's sister, Mrs. Warren Winkleblech.

Mrs. Horace Stover and two bright children, of Youngstown, Ohio, are being entertained by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Bower.

A party of Aaronsburg hunters left for Ingleby camp on Monday morning to hunt for deer, with John Wolf as chief cook.

Mrs. King, who came here from Massachusetts to care for her sister, Mrs. Loose, who subsequently died, is busy getting things in shape for sale, following which she will leave for her home.

**Letter from France.**

(From Willis Best, of near Millheim, to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Best.)  
Somewhere in France,  
October 26, 1918.

Dear parents and all,  
Will write a brief letter, do not know how soon it will reach you.

We arrived safe and in good health. The country looks fine over here. We were on the water thirteen days. I enjoyed the trip and so did the rest of the boys that came from home. We all felt extra good when we saw land. I do not know what our address will be. I will write later after I find out for sure, but I think as far as I know 92 Co. Inf. I think we will all like it over here better than at Camp Lee. The country looks fine; everything looks fine; every thing is nice and green. The climate seems nice and mild.

Will close for this time,  
Your son,  
WILLIS.

**Reduction Sale on Ladies', Misses and Children's Hats.**

Friday and Saturday, December 13th and 14th, I will hold a Special Reduction Sale on all the hats in my store. Ladies' and misses' hats that formerly sold for from \$3.50 to \$5.00 are now \$2 to \$4.75. No two hats are alike.

Children's hats reduced to 75c to \$1.50. Remember the dates—December 13th and 14th.

MYRA KIMPORT,  
Centre Hall, Pa.  
advdt



**Merry Christmas**

**SUGGESTIONS**

... For Appropriate ...

**Christmas Gifts**

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|--------------------|---|------------------------|
| Neckwear           | Spaulding <sup>SPORT-ING</sup> Goods      | Night Robes            |
| Hosiery            | Skates                                    | Umbrellas              |
| Handkerchiefs      | Children's <sup>KNIT ROMPER</sup> Suits   | Gloves                 |
| Suspenders         | Men's Suits                               | Underwear              |
| Mufflers           | Men's Overcoats                           | Canes                  |
| Belts              | Children's Overcoats                      | Hats                   |
| Watch Chains       | <sup>CHILDREN'S AND MEN'S</sup> Raincoats | Silk Hose (men)        |
| Tie Pins           | Fur Caps                                  | Silk Stockings (women) |
| Caps               | Collars                                   | Children's Suits       |
| Full Dress Jewelry | Silk Garters                              | Traveling Bags         |
| Dress Shirts       | Cuff Links                                | Trunks                 |
| Automobile Gloves  | Tie Clasps                                | Smoking Jackets        |
| Automobile Robes   | Madras Shirts                             | Silk Mufflers          |
| Bath Robes         | Pajamas                                   | Sweaters               |

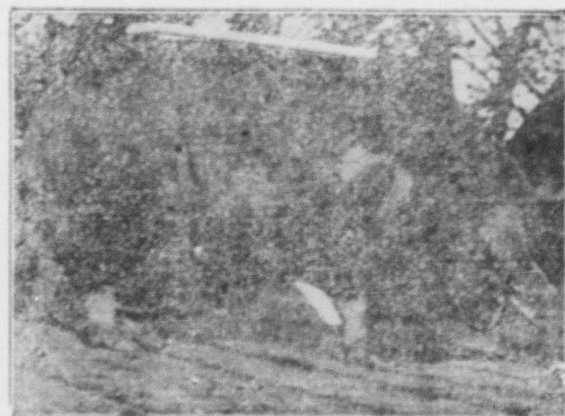
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is at the Head of the Herd on the  
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The herd boar is The Master, the dominating head of the herd. Hence, the necessity of crowning your herd with the best boar you can get. You should act with the feeling that the very best is none too good. We invite your inspection.

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**Pure-Bred Big-Type Poland China Hogs**

W. F. Colyer, Proprietor

**Medical Fees in Bygone Days.**

At the beginning of the eighteenth century the usual fees to physicians and surgeons in England were "to a graduate in physick, his due is about 10 shillings, though he commonly expects or demands 20. Those that are only licensed physicians, their due is no more than 6 shillings and 8 pence, though they commonly demand 10 shillings.

"A süfgoon's fee is 12 pence a mile, be his journey near or far, 10 groats to set a bone broken or out of joint, and for letting blood 1 shilling; the cutting or amputation on any limb, 6 pounds, but there is no settled fee for the cure." The system of regulating the fee according to the pocket of the patient, remarks the Westminster Gazette, is almost as old as history.

**CYRUS BRUNGAR?**

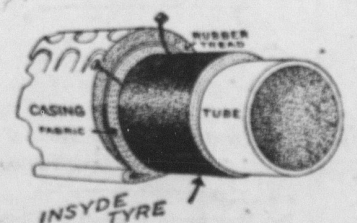
JUSTICE OF THE PEACE

CENTRE HALL, PA.

Special attention given to collecting legal writings of all classes, including deeds, mortgages, agreements, etc.; marriage licenses as old hunter's census records, and all matters pertaining to the due attention to promptly.

Do you enjoy hot lemonade and a blistering foot-bath? Better results are obtained by taking, before bed-time, Lane's cold and grip Tablets. They are pleasant to take, and you will wake up in the morning surprised at the amount of relief obtained. Thousands use them and they are guaranteed. Sold by druggists everywhere.

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