

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

A letter for Oscar A. Horner remains unclaimed in the Centre Hall postoffice.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Puff, newlyweds, started housekeeping this week in the Stiver house at the station.

Misses Isabelle and Verna Rowe visited friends and relatives in Harrisburg the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Reish, of State College, spent a few days with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry E. Homan.

Miss Emma Homan, of Lewistown, spent a week with her grandparents, at Farmers Mills, and returned home on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayburn Breon and children, of Lock Haven, spent a few days at the home of Mrs. Breon's brother, Cleveland Mitterling.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Meeker, of Johnstown, are visiting with Mr. Meeker's relatives for a week or more, Mr. Meeker having come to do some deer hunting.

About sixty dollars were raised at the Centre Hall, Tusseyville and Spring Mills Lutheran churches on Sunday for the Anti-Saloon League, following Dr. Taylor's addresses.

Misses Clair Homan and Pauline Reed, both of Lewistown, spent the week of Thanksgiving with the former's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James Scholl, at Farmers Mills.

Korman Spicher came up from Philadelphia to join the Bradford hunting party, in the Seven Mts. Mr. Spicher hopes to be as fortunate this year as last, when he killed the largest buck in the lot.

When the members of the Metz camp went to their cabin at the foot of Tussey Mountain, near Barree, they found it had been dynamited. One end of the stone structure had been completely demolished by the explosion. The damaged portion has been rebuilt, and the club members have offered a reward of \$150.00 for information that will lead to the arrest and conviction of the guilty persons.

Carrie Walker, aged about eleven years, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Merrill J. Walker, of Farmers Mills, while at school stepped from a slightly elevated platform, and in so doing so injured one of her limbs that it became necessary to take her to the Bellefonte hospital. At this writing it is not known, owing to the greatly swollen limb, whether a bone is broken, a ligament torn or sprained.

The action of the joint consistory of the Reformed church in requesting Rev. R. R. Jones to reconsider his resignation as pastor of this charge, and the minister's decision to do so, is gratifying not only to the great majority of his parishioners but to the people of Centre Hall generally. During his nine years of service here Rev. Jones has proved himself not only a good pastor but a good citizen as well, taking an active interest in all things for the general good.

Killed Big Bear in Clearfield County.

A fine, big bear, weighing 372 pounds, was killed at Pottersdale, Clearfield county, on Friday afternoon, by J. H. Quinn, of Harrisburg. Deputy Game Protector Clair Kelly, of Clearfield, and David Woolster, of Pottersdale, assisted in the killing.

Tragic Hold-Up Near Clearfield.

Peter Desewka, Austrian laborer, was shot and killed in a hold-up at a boarding house near Clearfield on Thanksgiving night by four masked men. Another Austrian named Andy Gurlock, about 40 years, is in the Clearfield hospital with a bullet hole in his lung.

DuBois officers searching for the law-breakers, later in the night, shot and wounded Felix Hanasson, 22 years old, believed to be one of the hold-up men. He is wounded in the hip.

The four masked men had entered the boarding shack and compelled the occupants of the room to put up their hands. Desewka innocently entered the room and was shot through the heart. Gurlock dropped his hands and was shot through the lung.

An Example of the Good in the Compulsory School Law.

The following is an excuse from the parent to a teacher of Delaware Township, Northumberland county, schools, on the absence of a pupil—

"We know we need our children at home, or not we have work for them to do with out taken up the time to set an right excuse. A person has even boss of their one famley excuse bisnec is out of reason, little culing they loss in the fall, they hant going to Miss wen the ware was gonig on wen they though, they could get a little money then they could stay at home. All winter if they hant wanted at school I can us them at home."

This is an actual excuse sent in by the teacher for publication.

Transfers of Real Estate.

Sarah M. Bright, et ux, to W. E. Bair, tract in Miles Twp.; \$500.

James E. Holloway, et ux, to H. E. Bower, tract in Haines Twp.; \$1,225.

Mary J. Goodhart to Frank V. Goodhart, tract in Centre Hall; \$1,500.

A. P. Luse et ux, to Mary J. Goodhart, tract in Centre Hall; \$1500.

When a man starts on the down grade he always expects his brakes to work.

THE RED CROSS IN PENNSYLVANIA

Almost half a million residents of the state of Pennsylvania assisted in some manner during the past year is the proud record of the American Red Cross of the Pennsylvania-Delaware Division. It is on this record that the organization is asking the endorsement of the people of the two states in the Roll Call and on this record the endorsement should be forthcoming in full measure.

Every resident of the two states should become a member of the Red Cross, for no organization in the country is doing the amount of good in so many different and vital ways. It stands as "the greatest mother in the world" as it has been well named, ready to assist those who need aid, whether in huge numbers as in the case of disaster or in individual cases. No case requiring relief and assistance is too large for the Red Cross to handle and there is none so obscure that the Great Mother will not hear the call and speed to the rescue.

The transition from the immense activities of war in which the American Red Cross made the most wonderful record of any humanitarian organization of all time, to the even more important but less spectacular activities of peace has been accomplished, although in the states of Pennsylvania and Delaware the Red Cross is still caring for thousands of ex-service men and their families. But the Red Cross of Peace is as essential as was that of war. Let every Pennsylvanian and Delawarean join and hold up the hands of the Greatest Mother in the World.

THE RED CROSS ROLL CALL

Of all the institutions which appeal for support to the American people, the Red Cross is the one to which the most generous response is made. There is a substantial reason for this and this reason lies in the marvelous past record of the organization, in the work which it is doing now and in the comprehensive plans which have been made to be carried out in the future.

The great work of the Red Cross today is concerned with the public health. It is actively engaged in educating the American people to the necessity of good health, a work which was shown to be vitally required when one-third of the American boys in the draft were rejected for physical disability. No greater work or one more important to the welfare of our people can be imagined.

But this is one of the many ways in which the Red Cross works for the good of the nation. It has many other activities, each of which are just as important as the matter of the public health. Among these are the disaster relief, the care of the ex-service men and their families, the home service work, the mobilizing of the nation's nursing resources and the public health nursing.

Surely this great organization deserves the support of the American people. By far the largest part of the money raised is spent right in the community where it is raised. Every American citizen should join the Red Cross during the present Roll Call.

Wetting the Block.

In many villages in Berkshire and Hampshire, England, the ancient custom of "Wetting the Block" is still kept up. The Crispins of these two counties used to meet together on the evening of the first Monday in March, and celebrate the fact that they had ceased working by candle-light.

There was sometimes a supper, provided by the employer, on these occasions; there was always a little to drink. After the meal was ended, the block candlestick was placed in the middle of the room, the shop candle was lighted, and when all glasses were filled, the oldest hand poured the contents of his glass over the candle to extinguish it.

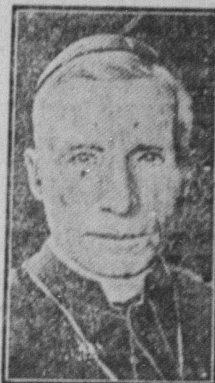
THREE MILLIONS AIDED IN FRANCE

The American Red Cross expended \$51,000,000 during the last fiscal year in finishing up such relief activities in Europe as could be consistently discontinued.

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Cardinal Gibbons Asks Aid For Starving Armenians



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This is the message from James (Cardinal) Gibbons read at the big meeting in Washington in aid of the Near East Relief. The venerable primate of the Catholic Church in America is intensely interested in the appeal which the Near East Relief will make to the country in February for funds to support its work among the starving peoples of that stricken land. To the Washington meeting he wrote:

"Advice and information coming from the Near East cannot be doubted. There is great actual suffering and famine. These people, recently become independent and released from bitter thralldom, cannot support themselves. And the Christian and common instincts of humanity which have prompted the people of the United States during the last two years to relieve the distress and needs, especially of the Near East, must not be allowed to grow cold and be diminished.

"I hope we shall all unite in this present emergency and be able to collect sufficient funds to enable these peoples to live and work until next summer brings them permanent relief and subsistence. I call upon all to respond generously to the appeal now being made and trust that the committee will be gratified with the results."

JAMES W. SWABB

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- Women's Dress Shoes—in Black, Tan and Gray - from 2.50 UP
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- Men's Wool Dress Hose, former price 75c, now - 39c
- Men's Fine Cotton Half-Hose, former price 35c, now - 19c
- Men's Extra Heavy Working Sox, now priced at - 19c
- Women's Silk Hose that sold for 75c a pair, are now - 45c
- Women's Silk Hose, former price \$1.50, are now selling for - 98c
- Women's Black Cotton Hose, former price 35c, are now - 19c
- Men's Canvas Gloves, former price 35c, are now - 19c
- Men's Heavy Fleece High Rocks, former price \$1.50, now - 1.19
- Men's Good Working Shirts - now 1.19
- Women's Flannel Nightgowns, formerly \$2.00, - now 1.45

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