

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Mrs. Frank E. Arney is visiting relatives in Altoona.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Weaver on Wednesday night.

A. Kessler left for New York and Philadelphia to buy Fall merchandise.

Spring Mills has a community picnic planned for Thursday, August 25th.

Rev. D. J. Mitterling returned to his home in Madison, S. Dak., on Wednesday.

Miss Minnie Kline, of Centre Mills, is in a critical condition at her home, and her recovery is doubtful.

William Arney, clerk in the Millinburg railroad station, spent a few days last week at home.

Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Longwell and son Robert, are on a week's motor trip to the eastern part of the state.

Mrs. J. G. King has been very ill during the past week. Her sister, Mrs. Furey, of Bellefonte, has been caring for her.

The Potters Mills orchestra will play at the G. R. Meiss store, at Colyer, Saturday evening. All are invited to come.

Miss Edith Sankey, of Middleburg, came to Centre Hall this week and will remain until after the Encampment and Fair.

From a few scattered cases a week or so ago, measles has taken on the form of an epidemic in and about Centre Hall.

Rev. and Mrs. E. Roy Corman motored to Centre Hall from Cressona, last week, and are spending a few days at the F. M. Fisher home.

Mrs. William Bower, of near Potters Mills, on Monday, returned from a week's visit to her daughter, Mrs. Harry Harsbarger, of Altoona.

There will be no preaching service in the Presbyterian church for the next two weeks, the pastor, Rev. J. M. Kirkpatrick, having been granted a vacation.

Painters have been busy on Grange Park for some time past, going over all the buildings. As a result the fair grounds have a very neat and tidy appearance.

Miss Gertrude Spangler expects to leave Centre Hall next week for Bunker Hill, Kansas, where she will spend the winter with her aunt, Mrs. M. E. Bollinger.

Mr. and Mrs. John Shortess, of Wilkes-Barre, stopped at Centre Hall for a short time, last Thursday, while on a motor trip. Mrs. Shortess was formerly Miss Anna Reynolds, of Reedsville.

John F. Mullen, of Pittsburgh, is visiting relatives here and at Millheim. Mrs. Mullen and her son, Dr. James Mullen, are enjoying a motor trip at this time to Asbury Park, Atlantic City, and Washington, D. C.

Bradford & Co., the local millers, have been running their plant day and night for the past week or more, on an order for a carload of their new brand flour, "White Squaw." The consignment goes to New York.

Rev. M. C. Drumm, Lutheran pastor, who is enjoying a four weeks' vacation with relatives near Sunbury, motored to Centre Hall on Monday, on a business errand, returning in the evening. Rev. Drumm was accompanied by his sister-in-law, Miss Mary Hess.

Rev. and Mrs. W. W. Lane and daughter Roberts, of Clyde, N. Y., visited in town several days last week. Rev. Lane is pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church at Clyde. He is a son of Mrs. Martha Lane, who was a sister of the late Wm. H. Stiver, of Centre Hall.

George E. Meyer, tax collector for Harris township, and music dealer of Boalsburg, was in town last Thursday and visited the Reporter on a business errand. Mr. Meyer will again be found at his accustomed place on Grange Park during the Encampment and Fair. If you're musically inclined, look him up. He will have a good exhibit.

Miss Pearl McKinney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McKinney, of Potters Mills, is at her home at the State Forest house. She is now living in Altoona. On coming to the mountain she brought with her two little girls—Grace Fullerton and Elizabeth Enders—of Altoona, who are enjoying to the fullest extent the hospitality of Forester McKinney.

Two Missing Clearfield Boys Were Drowned.

The search for Victor and Samuel Aldrighttelli, of Clearfield, who disappeared several days ago after leaving milk for their aged mother, ended when their bodies were found in the Chess creek mill dam, on Tuesday. The boys were aged ten and eight years, respectively.

Radium Found in England.

The discovery of a considerable body of pitchblende—the ore of radium—is reported from the village of Hampstead, on the borders of Dartmoor, England. Samples were submitted to the mineral resources development department of the ministry of munitions, whose experts said it was pitchblende with an oxide content of 26 per cent, somewhat richer than the ore imported from America.

A Woman Wrote The Canby News, Minn., December 10, as Follows:

"Many subscribers ask what you think of Rat-Snap, tell them it's the best rat exterminator I know. Rats were taking our eggs, oats, corn, had full swing in our cellar. I used Rat-Snap for two days and rats have cleared out completely." Three sizes: 35c, 65c, \$1.25. Sold and guaranteed by C. M. Smith, Mable Arney, Centre Hall; C. P. Long Co., W. C. Meyer, Spring Mills; Louder's Store, Oak Hall.

WEDDED AT GRAVE'S EDGE

Remarkable Ceremony by Which Philadelphia Jews Hoped to Stop Ravages of Influenza.

With the hope of protecting the orthodox Russian Jews in Philadelphia from further ravages of the influenza epidemic two Hebrews were married at the first line of graves in the Jewish cemetery a few months ago. More than 1,200 Russian Jews watched the rabbi perform the wedding ceremony.

When the couple were pronounced man and wife, the orthodox among the spectators filed solemnly past the couple and made them presents of money in sums ranging from ten cents to a hundred dollars, according to the means and circumstances of the donor, until more than \$1,000 had been given.

After the fast offering the bride and bridegroom walked to the greensward farther from the graves, where a wedding feast was quickly spread from the two truckloads of food that others of the faithful had provided.

The marriage in a cemetery, with the idea of warding off the ravages of an epidemic, is a revival of a custom that has prevailed for hundreds of years among the Jews in the heart of Russia. When Russia was swept by cholera several centuries ago Jews died by the hundreds. Panic seized them, and they called a council of elders and rabbis, who decided that the attention of God should be called to the affliction of their fellows if the most humble man and woman among them should join in marriage in the presence of the dead.

So they asked a young man and a woman, who were unknown to each other and who were without wealth, to marry in order to save their fellows from the cholera scourge. The young people agreed, and the ceremony was performed. According to the tradition, the ravages of the cholera subsided within three days.—Youth's Companion.

Profit in Perfume Hunting.

There seems to be no good reason why in this country the gathering of sweet-smelling herbs and flowers for the perfumery trade might not be found profitable. It has recently become a considerable industry in rural parts of England, a great many women and children having taken it up.

In April the picking of cowslips begins, those flowers being in demand as a cure for sleeplessness, and also for "potpourri" and sachets. Broom and elder flowers follow. Mullein and mal-low, bergamot, peony petals, rose petals and red poppy petals bring good prices; likewise raspberry leaves, sage, mint, balm and thyme.

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MEN'S FURNISHINGS DEPARTMENT		8.00 " " "	4.98
\$1.00 Work Shirts, reduced to	69c	5.00 " " "	2.98
25c Heavy Sox, " " "	14c	4.00 " " "	2.49
25c Canvas Gloves " " "	14c	3 50 " " "	1.98
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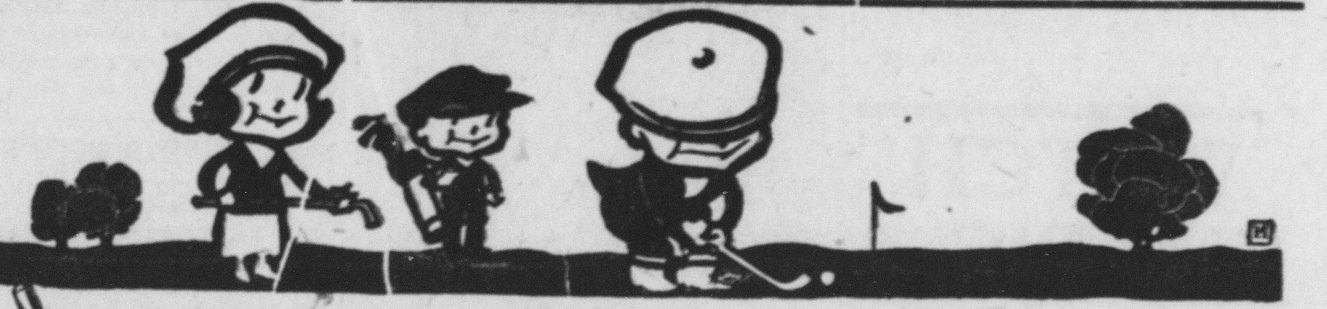
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