

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

The Lewistown fair association boosted the prizes offered for horse racing.

Rev. N. J. Dubbs, who served an Evangelical charge at Mifflinburg for a number of years, is now located near Northumberland.

D. K. Keller publishes letters testamentary in the estate of Aaron Thomas, late of Centre Hall borough, deceased, in this issue.

Pictures of the President's father being laid to rest amid snow of his countryside will be shown in Instructional Newsreel at the Richelieu Theatre, on Thursday of this week.

Sheriff E. R. Taylor made a trip to Corning, New York, beginning of this week and brought back with him J. F. Miller, a State College resident, charged with forgery of one or more checks.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Lohr, of Philadelphia, and the latter's sister, Mrs. Ella Pringle, of Lock Haven, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Bartholomew. They also visited with Miss Anna Lohr, in Boalsburg.

Judge Harry Keller issued his precept for the holding of a special term of court, opening the fourth Monday in April, being the 26th day of that month, and Sheriff E. R. Taylor caused to be published the proclamation in this issue of the Reporter.

The Edwards-Dunn company, Inc., of Greensburg, were awarded the contract to finish 42,018 feet of grading and drainage in Snow Shoe township, Centre county, and Cooper township, Clearfield, by the State Highway Department. Their bid was \$116,747.12.

W. H. Lane, who for some time had charge of the milk station here under the Dewart Milk Products Company and since it closed has been in the new Sheffield Farms plant, today (Thursday) goes to Dewart where he again will enter the services of his former employers.

W. H. Strohecker, who some time ago purchased and is now occupying the D. J. Meyer property in Centre Hall, is making preparations to improve it by laying hard-wood floors in some portions of it. Mr. and Mrs. Strohecker are very much pleased with their new home.

William D. Reiber is in the aviation service of the U. S. Government, a member of the 63rd Service Squadron, stationed at France Field, Panama. In writing to home folks in Centre Hall, he says he likes that branch of the service and will soon be a full-fledged aviator.

Jasper A. Wagner, rural mail carrier at Spring Mills, was in town on Tuesday. Mr. Wagner had the misfortune to have his home destroyed by fire, but since all his personal property was saved, he thought he had good reason for being thankful. Mr. Wagner is considering rebuilding, but has not decided as to location.

Local baseball fanatics are taking an interest in Myles Thomas' work with the New York Yankees on their southern training trip. Thomas, as a callow ball tosser, got some of his early training on the ball-diamond on Grange park. He later went to Penn State where he distinguished himself on the mound. After a few years' seasoning in the International League he appears to be ready for a regular berth with the Yankees. Sport writers praise him to the skies in their estimate of his ability. Let's hope he makes good.

R. Lynn Emerick, of Scranton, district forester in the Lackawanna district, will have charge of the bureau of information in the department of forests and waters during the absence of Prof. Joseph S. Illick, this spring and summer. The latter will have charge of a group of students from the state forest school at Mont Alto, who will make a European trip. Mr. Emerick is a native of Brush Valley and for a number of years before entering the Mont Alto forest school was teacher in the Millheim grammar room.

Ernest L. Adams and family moved from Centre Hall to Mifflinburg, on Thursday of last week. He will be located at that place permanently and will have supervision of the Sheffield Farms Company's plants at that place, Lewisburg, Centre Hall and Middleburg. The plant at Middleburg is now under construction. It is generally regretted that the Adams family removed from here. Although their residence here was but for a short time, every member of the family was highly thought of and won the friendship of many of their acquaintances.

C. E. Zortman, of Williamsport, superintendent of the L. & T. railroad, passed over the local line on Thursday of last week. His attention had been called to the bad condition of the crossing over the State highway and along the track over which passengers are obliged to pass on going to and from the train. A marked copy of the Reporter, making reference to it also reached his desk. The superintendent gave assurances that measures would be taken to correct the very undesirable conditions, for all of which everyone patronizing the Penn's branch and those passing over the crossing by auto will give a sigh of relief.

Mrs. Rebecca Murray, at McKees Rocks, had a mishap that might have been of a very serious nature. She was suffering from rheumatism and while sitting in front of a fire-place was bathing her limbs with a preparation that proved to be highly inflammable. The liquid exploded and as a result she was badly burned over portions of her limbs. It was the presence and quick aid of other members of the family that prevented more serious results. Shortly after this Mrs. Murray's granddaughter, Emma Rebecca Conroy, was stricken with scarlet fever. She is aged about eight years, and although her illness was fraught with danger, she has now fully recovered and the quarantine from the Conroy home has been removed.

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April 12 to 17 is Be Kind to Animals Week.

Frank M. Fisher is a juror in the Federal court, at Scranton.

Both local banks will be closed tomorrow (Good Friday).

A Firestone tire sign, electrically illuminated, has been erected at the Boozer garage.

Rev. D. R. Keener was unable to fill his appointments on the Reformed charge on Sunday because of illness.

Mattavanna farmers, in Mifflin county, have expressed a willingness to haul the stone for building a mile of State road.

Miss Sarah Zettle, of Spring Mills, a Bell telephone operator, was on duty in the Centre Hall exchange during a portion of last week.

Beginning Saturday, April 10, the First National Bank Centre Hall, will close Saturday afternoons and be open Saturday evenings.

More houses could be rented in Centre Hall if they were available. It has been a long time since a house stood vacant here, except at the pleasure of the owner.

James W. Runkle, whose illness has been noted at various times, continues to grow weaker daily, although there are times when he rallies for a short period of time.

Samuel Hoy, of Howard, has been at the home of his daughter, Mrs. T. P. Delaney, during a part of the time three of the four making up the Delaney family were ill from flu.

Mrs. Clyde E. Bradford spent the greater part of last week in Pittsburgh with her daughter, Mrs. C. A. Bauer. She traveled by train, going out on Tuesday and returning Friday.

Miss Lola Ulrich came up from Philadelphia Monday morning and returned in the afternoon. She is employed in the "Hat Shop," 1609 Chestnut St., and is very much pleased with her work.

W. L. Jacobs and H. E. Shreckengast, both of this place, went by auto to Greensburg where the latter remained with his daughter, Mrs. Richard Gein. Returning home, Mr. Shreckengast was accompanied by his daughter, Miss Mary.

J. H. Mersinger, in writing the Reporter from Sebeka, Minnesota, says among other things: "The weather looks fine at present, if it lasts. We had a wonderfully mild winter this year; not much snow." It made it fine to get around for work, and cattle did fine."

Miss Gertrude Ruble, who just finished a commercial business course in a Williamsport institution, is back to Centre Hall and has again taken a place in the Penna Valley bank where she had been for a number of years prior to pursuing advanced studies in her line of work.

John B. Payne, vocational instructor, was in town on Monday in the interest of his candidacy for the office of county superintendent of schools. The election will take place April 13th, when the school directors in the county will make a selection from among the six candidates in the field.

The Steubenville (Ohio) Herald-Star in a recent issue gave much space to the Inter-City Rotary banquet held at that place, one of the features of which was a minstrel show in which our good friend, Guy W. Jacobs, took the position of interlocutor. Mr. Jacobs is a very active member of the Steubenville Rotary Club.

The government stamp tax on deeds for real estate is no longer necessary according to the provisions of the recent tax reduction legislation. The tax amounted to \$1 for every \$1000 equity in the property transferred. The tax still remains in effect on mortgage bonds and judgments.

Mrs. C. C. Brungart had one of the largest public sales held this season in Sugar Valley. She lived on the Harry Wenzel farm, but will now move to Millheim. Mrs. Brungart's husband was killed in an accident on his farm last summer when he was thrown under the binder while at work in the field, during the harvest season.

An effort is being made to establish non-stop flights between New York and Cleveland by the U. S. Air Mail service by the middle of the coming summer. Should these flights become practicable the importance of the Bellefonte landing fields would be very much lessened, although not discontinued, as they would be used for emergency landings.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. Delaney and Benjamin Gentsel, a boy of twelve and member of the family, have recovered from a severe attack of flu that kept them confined to bed for ten days or more. Mr. Delaney, whose condition was one time critical, got out of bed on Tuesday, and Mrs. Delaney and Benjamin a few days earlier.

Lawrence E. Runkle, one of Centre Hall's experienced carpenters, is home at present doing odd jobs about his place, but expects to go back to State College and engage in carpenter work again in the near future. During the coming summer he will likely be employed in Lewistown for the greater part of the time, and if present plans work out he and the family will do light housekeeping there to avoid daily traveling over the Seven Mountains.

Miss Mary Reynolds, Home Economics worker for Centre county, will have her headquarters in the Agricultural Extension office at Bellefonte starting April 1st. Her time will be divided between Clearfield, Clinton and Centre counties. Up to this time her headquarters have been at State College. This work is a part of the Agricultural Extension work except the finances which are handled entirely by The State College. As a matter of convenience to those interested in this work in making requests Miss Reynolds will take care of them through the Agricultural Extension office at Bellefonte.

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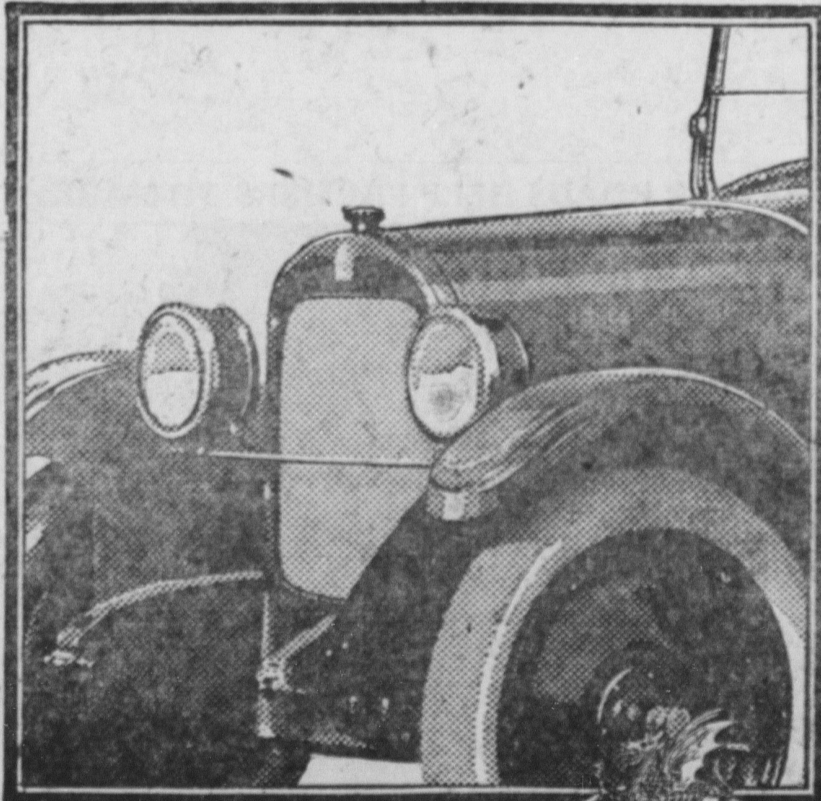
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F. A. Carson is attending State supreme court in Scranton as a juror.

R. M. Smith of Centre Hall, was seen circulating among friends on Sunday.

Those who attended the quilting at the Foster Frazier home at Egg Hill, were: Miss Orpha Fleisher, Miss Caroline McCloskey, Mrs. G. H. McCormick and daughter Laura Bella.

William Klinger and family, from Boalsburg, spent a few hours on Wednesday at the H. E. Foust home.

Miss Helen Palmer, who is staying at the Ray Sharer home below Centre Hall, has returned to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Palmer.

The members of the Sprucetown M. E. church had two Red Cross heaters installed in the main room of the church this week.

Don't forget the Easter bazaar to be held by the Ladies' Aid Society on Saturday, April 3rd, at the school house.

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