

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

The second day of spring wasn't up to the standard of seasonable weather set by the first.

Last year, farmers and poultrymen in this country bought at least 500,000,000 chicks from commercial hatcheries alone.

Subscribers changing their place of residence this spring should notify us at once, giving the old as well as new address.

Forty miles of State highway will be let in counties on Friday and Saturday. Centre nor counties adjoining it are among the number favored.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Campbell and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Spyer attended the sessions of the Methodist conference in Lock Haven on Saturday.

Monday, March 21st, was the first day of spring, and the day was truly characteristic of the season it opened. Warm rains fell at various periods of the day.

Friday came along with sunshine and showers that obliged one to look at the calendar to be sure April and not March was the month we were living in.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Keelin, Mrs. F. V. Goodhart, and C. H. Homan, traveling in the Kerlin Packard sedan, made a pleasure trip to Williamsport last Friday.

Perry H. Luse and A. S. Allen attended sale of registered stock in Mifflin county last week. The cattle were the Shorthorn breed. Cows sold as high as \$270.

A number of senior classes in High schools throughout the State are planning a trip to Washington, the National capital, as a fitting climax to their school work.

The alley between the J. C. Goodhart and Fred Bender homes has been improved. Stones from the excavations for the Charles Miller house were used for the foundation.

Miss Eva Bailey, who is teaching English and mathematics in the Morris township High school at Morrisdale, was at her home in Centre Hall over Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Susan Lutz, of Centre Hall, was in Lock Haven last week, a guest of her sister, Mrs. Ellen Pringle. Of course, when possible, she attended the sessions of the Methodist conference.

A group of surveyors are working on the State highway between the Centre-Union county line and Old Fort, the terminus of the route. They are now on the eastern section of the road, working westward.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kittleberger and daughter, Miss Louise, of Curwensville, were guests of the C. D. Bartholomew family on Sunday. Miss Louise holds a position in the offices of a company operating a stone quarry.

At the Methodist conference at Lock Haven, last week, two young men from Centre county, namely, J. Fredric Moore, of Centre Hall, and Joseph G. Rigby, of Pine Grove Mills, were admitted to the ministry.

George R. Meiss, who is about to move from Colyer to Spring Mills, where he will open a general store, had the misfortune to have a nail penetrate his left hand, and since has suffered considerable pain. On Tuesday he made a trip to Bellefonte.

In this issue will be found the announcement of John W. Yearick, of Marion township, as a candidate for county commissioner. Mr. Yearick served as commissioner by appointment, filling the unexpired term of Mr. Harter, a minority party representative on the board.

W. F. McKinney, forest ranger in Seven Mountains, is making preparations for the usual spring work. Mr. McKinney is very much interested in his work and has acquired a thorough knowledge of it. He is as well acquainted of every mountain ridge, gap and stream on his range as the average man is with the back yard of his home.

Harry Durst made public sale of a surplus of live stock, on Tuesday. He has been farming in Mifflin county for some time on a rented farm near Lewistown. He recently purchased a farm and will move onto it about April first. He is a son of James Durst, formerly a resident of Potter township, and a brother of Mrs. Harry Harper, of Centre Hall.

A note from Dr. W. E. Fischer, of Shamokin, states that he is somewhat alarmed concerning the safety of his daughter, Mrs. Marion Keene, in China. She expects to return to the States by June and contemplates remaining here, and will be engaged in some work at Temple University, Philadelphia. Mrs. Keene's son is now a student there, and by fall will enter Princeton.

Marcellus Royer, son of Jacob Royer, of Colyer, was taken to the Centre County Hospital late Friday night by W. W. Kerlin, whose Packard sedan was pressed into ambulance service. Two months ago his illness began with scarlet fever, and after recovering from this rheumatism developed, and recently complications developed, necessitating hospital treatment. The young man had been hale and hearty all his life. A year ago he graduated from the local High school.

The road between Old Fort and Spring Mills is getting very ragged. Up to a short time ago it held up well, but since the frost is out of the ground and rains have come, the wearing surface is breaking at many places. This road is not on the 1927 program for oiling and chipping. Due to the fact that engineers are now surveying on the eastern section of the road, a feeling is growing that the route between the Centre-Union county line and Old Fort will be one of the first of the Centre county roads to be permanently improved. If this is a fact we can endure bumps and water ponds with better grace.

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W. E. Shultz, of Spring Mills, recently moved to Coburn.

All of the McAdams streets in State College are to have a coat of chips and oil this spring.

A Star half-ton truck was sold by Frank Phillips, of Potters Mills, to Robert Fultz, of Milroy. Mr. Phillips is a sub-dealer under J. I. Fetterolf.

E. M. Smith, the auctioneer, is gaining a reputation for getting through with farm stock sales on record time. At the J. R. Winn sale, near Milesburg on Tuesday, some high prices were obtained. Lard by the can sold at 26 cents per pound; five Black Giant roosters, \$4.50 each; and 29 hens of the same breed at \$2.40 each.

An effort should be made to force the Pennsylvania Railroad company to construct a fit driveway over its road in the borough here. The crossing at the station has not been fit in several years for automobile or slow moving vehicles to pass over. It is an outrage to tolerate such a condition on a highway as prominent as that passing through Centre Hall.

M. A. Burkholder availed himself of a rare opportunity to buy, at the W. H. and R. G. Homan sale, a pure-bred registered Guernsey cow—"Red Bell Purism." She is an exceptional specimen, being of show type, carrying the best of breeding and backed with much A. R. development, and to fully equip himself with a foundation for a herd of pure-bred Guerneys, Mr. Burkholder bought a choice bull from J. H. Detwiler. The produce from this combination of breeding will trace twenty-eight lines to May Rose 2nd and four times to Glenwood Girl. This is the most fashionable combination of Guernsey breeding.

Mrs. J. C. Goodhart entertained a score or more of her friends at her home last Thursday evening. A splendid chicken dinner was served. Those present were the following: Mrs. Frank Mayes, Lemont; Mrs. D. W. Geiss, Bellefonte; Mrs. T. L. Smith, Mrs. T. L. Moore, Mrs. Edw. E. Bailey, Mrs. Margaret Godshall, Mr. and Mrs. John Heckman, Rev. and Mrs. J. M. Kirkpatrick, Mrs. J. B. Wert, Mrs. William Homan, Mrs. Roy Dutrow, Mrs. Harry Potter and daughter Barbara, Mrs. F. V. Goodhart, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Ebricht, Mrs. C. A. Spyer, Mrs. V. A. Auman, Mrs. Charles Cupples, Mrs. William Booser, Mrs. John Puff, Mrs. F. O. Blairfoot, Mrs. Fred Bender, Miss Martha Boal, Louise Smith, Myla Spyer, Grace Wible.

PUBLIC SALE.

At the residence of the undersigned, 1 1/2 miles East of Old Fort along State road leading to Spring Mills, on

FRIDAY, MARCH 25th, 1927, beginning at 10 o'clock A. M., the following personal property, to wit:

HORSES and MULES: Team bay horses, 7 and 8 yrs. old, weight 2700; team mules, 10 yrs. old, weight 2000 lbs.; bay mare, 8 yrs. old, with foal; two 2-yr.-old black colts.

CATTLE: 9 Holstein milk cows, accredited herd, T. B. tested, registered and high grade; 5 will be fresh about time of sale, the rest are fall cows. Three pure-bred heifers, 1 registered bull 1 yr. old, a fine one; 1 registered bull, 5 mos. old. 10 good stock ewes, all have lambs; 1 pure-bred Hampshire Ram.

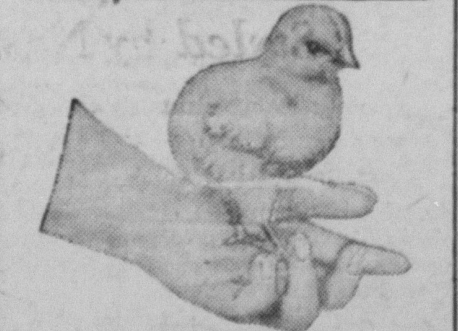
HOGS: 2 Berkshire brood sows, will farrow in April; 4 Chesterwhite brood sows, farrow in April and May; 16 shoats, weigh from 60 to 90 lbs.

FARM IMPLEMENTS: McCormick binder 6 ft. cut, McCormick mower, Keystone hay loader, McCormick side rake and tedder, used one season; Johnstone 8-fork hay tedder, Superior grain drill, Blackhawk corn planter, single disc harrow, Perry harrow, 18 teeth; Albright cultivator, 2 Sprague plows, Oliver 2-way plow, potato plow, grain cradle, 2-horse wagon, 4-in tire; set hay ladders, extension ladder 30 ft. long, single ladder 18 ft. long; 110 ft. hay rope, harpoon and pulleys, platform scales, forks, double and single trees, cable chains, forks and shovels, set tug harness, set chain harness, collars, bridles, 2 pr. check lines.

Household Goods, Etc.: Enterprise sausage stuffer, Enterprise grinder, copper kettle, meat bench, meat barrel, oak side board, Mason and Hamlin organ, bookcase, lamps, good range, Red Cross double heater, brooder stove complete; wood saw and frame, seed potatoes, milk cans, 125 White Leghorn Chickens, bag wagon, saddle horse, hay by the ton; clean-up sale. Free Lunch.

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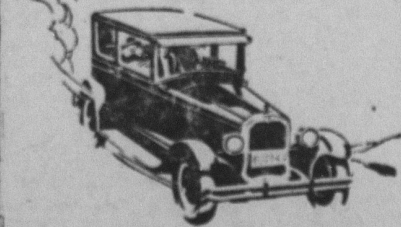


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