

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. W. L. Wilson and son Warren, of Markleburg, are visiting at the C. A. Spiker home.

Master "Jack" Kirkpatrick, son of Rev. and Mrs. J. M. Kirkpatrick, is ill with chickenpox.

William Frazier, at the Centre Hall hotel, who had been ill for a week or two, is again able to be out on the street again.

Mrs. George Robertson, on Monday, left here by train for Florida, but will stop on the way to visit among friends for a short while.

A birthday party was given to John Knarr, son of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Knarr, on Monday evening. The little people had a most delightful evening of it.

The fourth car to be ransacked on Sunday evening at the Lutheran church was that of Harold Durst. A pair of gloves and a flash light were taken from it.

C. E. Sunday, farmer living at Pleasant Gap, died a few days ago. He was son of the late Lewis Sunday, who lived near town at the time of his death some years ago.

A meeting of the joint council of the Penns Valley Lutheran church will be held in the Lutheran church at Centre Hall, Saturday afternoon of this week at 2 o'clock.

Harry Burris, who is farming the Bearfoot and Gooding farms, west of town, last week sold forty-five tons of straw and hay, and shipped the same from the Centre Hall railroad station.

Constable W. E. Smith, of Gregg township, and R. V. Miller, also of that district, were called here last week. Mr. Miller advertises sale of some farm stock and implements to take place this month.

The Ford coupe belonging to Claude Dutrow, on Sunday night was visited by sneak thieves while parked in the front of the Lutheran church. Several packs of cigarettes was all that was taken from it.

All members of the Lady of the Valley Rebekah Lodge are especially urged to be present at the next meeting of the lodge, on January 11th, as a turn social will be held at the close of the business session.

The Women's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church of Centre Hall will meet at the home of Mrs. John A. Heckman, at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon. All women desiring to visit are cordially invited to attend.

A birthday party was given by Mr. and Mrs. Roy Schaeffer, at Old Fort, on Monday evening for their son, Gerwin. The affair was attended by a large number of the young man's associates among both sexes.

Of the seven pens of lambs from Centre county to be taken to the State Farm Products Show, in Harrisburg, two are from near town, and were fed by Fred Luse and Alice Foust, the latter a daughter of Charles Foust, who are members of the Centre County Lamb Club.

The 200-acre farm, one and one-half mile south of Millheim advertised for rent by the Bethlehem Steel Realty Company, E. R. Walsh, Miro, manager, and L. W. Stover, local agent, was leased on Monday to Dayton Lansberry, now living on the Dr. A. G. Lieb farm, east of town.

Attorney Roland M. Morgan, of Pittsburgh, located in Phillipsburg, and has taken over the law practice of Judge Fleming. He has been made borough attorney for Phillipsburg. Mr. Morgan is a Dickinson law school graduate, and a bachelor of 21 years, and of course, a Republican in politics.

Miss Grace Vonada, daughter of Mrs. John H. Burkholder, of Centre Hill, by a former marriage, became seriously ill last week from an attack of acute tonsillitis. She has been living in Williamsport for a year or more, but was brought to the home of her grandfather, Albert Schaeffer, at Zion, where she is now recovering nicely.

Frank Phillips, the Potters Mills garage man, has taken the agency for the sale of the Metro radio and has already made sales. Mr. Phillips decided to continue operating the garage and will lease the property purchased by him some time ago. L. W. Jacobs, who now occupies the place, it is understood, will remain as tenant.

The story circulated that a Potter township school teacher and his fiancée had gone beyond the southern border of the State, the latter part of last week, to join hands as they never did before, proves to be incorrect. Rumors of this nature are seldom noted in these columns, but because of the well-known characters involved, the exception is made.

As a manufacturer of pure elder vinegar William H. Homan counts himself an absolute failure, and has decided to try but once more. A year ago he rolled up a barrel of apple juice in a convenient corner in his barn here and expected nature to do the rest, but when the racking time came the barrel was empty. Last fall a small keg of elder was hidden more securely, according to Mr. Homan's way of hiding, and yet a few days ago keg and all had disappeared.

Among others from a distance who attended the funeral of Edward Royer, on Sunday afternoon, were his son, Sidney Royer, wife and son, of York; Charles Royer, wife and daughter, of Akron, Ohio; William Royer and daughter, Altoona; and Mr. Royer's sister, Lottie, and daughter of Lock Haven, and Mr. May, a friend, from York. In this connection Mrs. Royer asks the Reporter to thank all who so kindly gave assistance during the time her husband lay a corpse and at the time of burial.

Dr. C. P. Bishop, of Sunbury, representing the Bureau of Animal Industry in this district, was in town on Tuesday and called at this office to have a legal notice inserted relative to the quarantine of Harris township against the admission of cattle not tested for bovine tuberculosis. This is a regulation posted and advertised in all approved districts. Dr. Bishop was found to be a very agreeable gentleman, one whom anyone would be pleased to come in contact with. The advertising referred to above will appear in next week's issue of this paper.

RECORDS MADE BY GAME HUNTERS IN STATE IN 1927

More Elk and Deer Shot Than Ever Before, But Fewer Bear Are Taken—New Head for Commission.

Twenty-five elk were shot in Pennsylvania during the past hunting season, more elk than were killed at any time in 100 years. There were 14,500 deer taken by hunters during the big game season, also setting a new high record.

The rabbit kill during the shooting season of 1927 was more than 3,300,000. There were 1,250,000 squirrels bagged and at least 200,000 ringnecks, the greatest number of the latter ever shot in this State. About 50,000 woodcock were bagged. These figures were given out at the annual meeting of the State Game Commission.

The meeting was important because of a change in the head of the commission. Ross Leffler, of McKeesport, was elected president, succeeding Dr. H. J. Donaldson, of Williamsport, who has served several terms as presiding officer.

An idea of the extent of the hunting activities of Pennsylvania was given in the announcement that the receipts in 1927 from licenses will pass the \$1,000,000 mark. This money is used in the purchase of hunting lands, buying game for restocking, the payment of bounties on foxes, wildcats and other vermin and in the care and protection of game.

There was a drop in the number of bears killed from 669 in 1926 to 309 in 1927. There was a great increase in the kill of wild turkeys, the total reaching 9500.

There were 67 human beings killed during the hunting season and nearly 4000 hunters wounded. Nearly all of these accidents took place during the small game season, the casualties of the big game season being comparatively light.

No action was taken on the regulating of the hunting seasons for 1928. It is likely that they will be fixed at the July meeting. At that time it is probable that a decision will be reached on the proposition for an open doe season in certain counties.

BOALSBURG ITEMS.

Mrs. Katharine Keller and daughter, Mrs. Wm. Smith, of State College, were visitors in town on Saturday.

Mrs. E. E. Brown, one of our aged citizens, met with an accident Sunday evening while preparing to attend church services. She fell fracturing her hip bone.

Wm. Sweet, of Lock Haven, was a week-end visitor in town.

Mrs. A. J. Hazel and daughter Jane were among the bargain seekers at the Katz sub on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mothersbaugh visited friends at Linden Hall on Monday.

Communion services will be held in the Lutheran church on Sunday at 10:30; preparatory services Friday evening at 7:30.

The Pink Label appears this week.

Bell Telephone Co. of Penna. To Spend \$25,573,000 In 1928

Money To Be Used for Expanding Telephone Plant Throughout the State. Almost 6 Million Dollars for Lines in Storm Proof Cable

A total of \$25,573,000 is to be spent by The Bell Telephone Company of Pennsylvania this year for expanding the telephone plant throughout the state, according to the recently approved budget figures for that organization announced today by Leonard H. Kinnard, President. Practically all portions of the Commonwealth where the Bell Company operates will come in for a share of the expenditures in prospect.

Although a large portion of the expenditures will be used for central office equipment more than one-third of the total amount of money to be spent is for "outside plant." This is the equipment and apparatus outside of the central offices and includes such items as poles, crossarms, overhead and underground cables and similar material. In round figures this expenditure amounts to \$10,000,000 for the state.

Approximately \$6,000,000 of this amount will be spent for storm-proof cable construction in underground ducts and on pole lines. The total wire in these cables will amount to 375,000 miles, or enough to loop the earth fifteen times at the equator. About ninety-five per cent of all Bell telephone wire in the state is now enclosed in cable, and wires thus protected are not likely to be damaged and cause service interruptions due to storms. It is the policy of the Bell System to extend the use of storm-proof cables wherever the volume of business makes their installation economical.

Some of the outstanding storm-proof cable jobs that will be added to the system during 1928 include the erection of a line between Pottsville and Frackville, continuation of the work on the Pittsburgh-Charleroi cable, new cable from Hays Station to McKeesport and the installation of a section of conduit for accommodating additions to the toll cable that stretches between Philadelphia and New York City.

About \$2,500,000 is to be spent for new building construction. This will include major additions to several existing offices and the construction of certain new offices. "Radcliff" and a central office for the downtown district are to be built in Philadelphia, and "Franklin" and another office, the location of which has not been de-

JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE Still On AT NIEMAN'S DEPARTMENT STORE Where the Dollars Go the Farthest MILLHEIM

WEEK-END PROGRAM OF PHOTO-PLAYS AT The "Scenic" Theatre Where the BETTER Pictures are Shown BELLEFONTE

WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY (This Week) "ROSE OF THE GOLDEN WEST" With MARY ASTOR, GILBERT ROLAND, MONTAGUE LOVE. The breathless beauty of Mary Astor, the fire of Gilbert Roland, the intrigue of California and Old Spain. As thrilling as a full blown rose, as colorful as a New World Senorita, as glorious as the Golden West. We personally recommend this attraction to all scenic patrons, and wish to say it is a 100 production from very angle. Also a clever two-reel Comedy and Fox News Reel. 35c; Children, 15c.

—ON THE WAY— KING OF KINGS. OLD IRON-SIDES. COBENS & KELLYS IN PARIS. THE GARDEN OF EDEN. "BEAU SABIEUR" GENTLEMEN PREFER BLONDS.

JANUARY is a good time to Shop In ALTOONA BOOSTER STORES

THIS IS THE MONTH WHEN SPECIAL PRICES ARE MADE ON MANY LOTS OF GOODS FOR THE HOME AND PERSONAL WEAR IN ORDER TO CLEAR STOCKS OF BROKEN ASSORTMENTS. THESE GOODS ARE JUST AS USEFUL TO THE INDIVIDUAL AS THOUGH THEY WERE OFFERED IN FULL ASSORTMENTS.

MANY STORES ARE ALSO RUNNING SPECIAL JANUARY SALES IN WHICH UNUSUAL VALUES ARE OFFERED. If your local merchant cannot supply all your needs

COME TO ALTOONA AND SHOP IN BOOSTER STORES

WHERE YOU HAVE UNLIMITED VARIETY FOR CHOICE IN DEPENDABLE MERCHANDISE AT MODEST PRICES.

Booster Stores can supply everything needed for Personal Wear for the entire family as well as all Home Needs. Arrange to spend the entire day in visiting Booster Stores. You can lunch in a Booster Restaurant and a Booster Theatre will provide first-class entertainment.

EVERY WEDNESDAY IS SUBURBAN DAY IN ALTOONA BOOSTER STORES.

Plan to shop in Altoona on Suburban Day and take advantage of Booster Store offerings.

BOOSTER STORE HOURS 8:30 A. M. to 5:30 P. M. "GOOD ROADS LEAD TO ALTOONA"

ALTOONA BOOSTER ASSOCIATION

STRAND THEATRE Altoona, Pa.

WEEK STARTING SATURDAY, JANUARY 14th: GEORGE BANCROFT in "UNDERWORLD" Comedy, Cartoon, News Reel 10 Piece Orchestra

Subscription List Corrected. The Reporter's subscription list was corrected the past week, and if you paid your subscription recently, take a look at your label this week and see if you were given proper credit.

Hotel at Cross Forks Burned. Monday night the hotel at Cross Forks, near Renovo, was burned, and the proprietor, Edward Wensel, his wife and three children, and twelve workmen employed in building a bridge, narrowly escaped with their lives. They were obliged to leave the hotel in their night clothes. The fire loss was \$4000.

THE RICHELIEU THEATRE BELLEFONTE'S LARGEST AND MOST BEAUTIFUL THEATRE adults, 25c. Children, 10c Showing at "The Ritz" WED. and THURS. (This Week) Fred Humes and Dorothy Gulliver in "ONE GLORIOUS SCRAP" A First Run Comedy Thriller of the West. ALWAYS THE BEST OF SHORT SUBJECTS.

Insurance and Real Estate Want to Buy or Sell? SEE US FIRST Chas. D. Bartholomew CENTRE HALL, PA. Look at your label this week. If you paid money on subscription you are entitled to a change in the figures opposite your name. If there is an error report at once.

PUBLIC SALE of CARLOAD Union County Cows Fresh and Close Springers. All T. B. Tested At Adam Krumrine Barn, State College SAT., JANUARY 14th, 1 P. M. L. F. MAYES, Auctioneer. C. D. Bartholomew, Clerk. C. M. LONG

A BRIEF HISTORY OF A GREAT ACHIEVEMENT

TWO years ago Dodge Brothers embarked upon a program designed to place it and its Dealer Organization in a position on January 1, 1928, second to none in the industry.

The astonishing results of this great achievement are now known to the world.

It is doubtful if industrial annals can cite, over a similar period, an achievement so outstanding.

A smart, swift, low-priced and immensely popular quality Four has replaced its famous predecessor.

The Senior Six, outstanding in performance, quality and luxurious appointment, has been created.

Graham Brothers Trucks and Motor Coaches (formerly exclusively Fours) have been supplemented by sixes. Fifty new types have been added. The capacities are broadened to range from one-half ton to two-ton, all resulting in the most complete and capable line of work cars known, and with prices ranging from \$670 to \$4290.

Then Thursday came The Victory—a Six for \$1045 and up—the most spectacular engineering achievement of the decade.

These accomplishments, one following the other in steady progression, have now provided Dodge Brothers Dealers throughout the world with the most diversified and comprehensive line of passenger and commercial vehicles ever manufactured and sold by a single organization.

For every need and purse there is now a Dodge Brothers vehicle built dependably and in full recognition of the progressive ideals of today and tomorrow.

Table with 2 columns: Model Name and Price. Includes THE VICTORY SIX, THE SENIOR SIX, AMERICA'S FASTEST FOUR, and GRAHAM BROTHERS TRUCKS AND MOTOR COACHES.

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