

ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST.

Snow flurries on Saturday, the first of the season.

The period for the 1930 car inspection closes on Saturday.

Wednesday weather conditions were very much like we have had during most of the month—mighty fine.

State College is making an effort to extend its borough limits well to the south. Much of the section to be included is not improved.

The Millheim Journal reported a mild case of scarlet fever in that town. The patient was Gene Frankenberger, little son of Bland Frankenberger.

An unsuccessful attempt to capture beaver in Phillips creek, above the reservoir supplying Millheim with water, was made by State Trooper Hassinger, of Milroy.

A son was born Friday evening to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Vogt, in town. The little sister said the young man had not yet been named, but that he would get a nice name.

The John W. Stuart farm of sixty acres was sold at public sale to Prof. M. S. McDowell at his bid of \$200 per acre. The farm is located near State College on the Bouslog road.

The Centre Hall High school girls' dodge ball team won by a score of 13 to 0 from the East Penna Valley High school in a game played here on Wednesday evening of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kryder, of Juda, Wisconsin, spent the week-end with their cousins Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Kryder, in Centre Hall, and are also visiting other relatives in the East.

There is little left for the first severe frost to do. The drought, in the absence of a frost, gave the mountains their present beautiful colors, ripened the corn and browned the meadows.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Kryder, of town, and the former's brother, T. C. Kryder, of Mill Hall, on Tuesday morning departed by auto for Freeport, Illinois, where they will spend a week or two visiting relatives.

Automobile owners during the past week received blanks from the State Highway Department, which when properly filled in and with a check is sent to Harrisburg, will bring them their 1931 automobile license plates.

Flies have not been as much of pests during the past summer as they often have been. The limited number buzzing about at the present time, however are very determined to sit where they have a mind to, even at the risk of being swatted.

Rev. G. W. McIlroy, of Millheimburg, was a recent passenger on the Lewistown-State College bus. During the stop at the local post office, the former Methodist minister here chatted with old-time friends. He looked to be in the pink of condition physically.

All the public schools in the county are closed this week because of the teachers' institute. The pupils are having a good time out of school, while the teachers are listening to a lot of talk that will be forgotten before they get back to the school rooms on Monday morning.

John Nale, son of Brown Nale, of Siglerville, and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Zettle, of town, for the second consecutive year has taken first prize in the Mifflin county 4-H Potato Club. The yield was at the rate of 205 bushels per acre and scored 100 points. In 1929 the yield was 325 bushels, with a score of 98.5 points. The youth is sixteen years old.

The bullet from a .22-calibre revolver passed through the palm of the left hand of Frank Rines living on the outskirts of town. The young man was reloading the revolver in his home and nearby were standing the Snyder brothers, companions, when the revolver was accidentally discharged, but fortunately only Rines was hit. The wound was dressed by Dr. Morrow.

The cold weather experienced throughout the entire United States, except along the Pacific Coast, is premature. In nearly every report turned in the record is a low or near low for this time of the year. Temperatures ranged from 12 above in Montana to 41 at Washington. At Centre Hall, on Sunday night, a government thermometer registered 22 above zero, an in-between range of temperatures.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. McCool, of Spring Mills, were in town last Thursday evening, visiting friends. Mr. McCool is a valued employee of the Sheffield Farms Company at Spring Mills. He has served three different milk companies during his nineteen years of employment, first, the Continental, they the Breyer, and now the Sheffield Farms. Of course, the Sheffield is the successor of the other two companies named.

Harry Hosterman, seven-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hosterman, of Millheim, states the Journal, was struck by a car Saturday afternoon about 5 o'clock and severely injured. The car was being driven on West Main street by Carl Glasgow, of Coburn, and the lad had darted out onto the street before he noticed the approaching vehicle. He was knocked down and suffered severe bruises. It was necessary to lift the vehicle off the child's arm.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. L. Moore, last Saturday, drove to Hershey where they spent some time with their daughter, Miss Miriam Moore. Later, in company with their daughter and Miss Bernice Hull, of Shamokin, who was spending the week-end with her cousin at the Hershey Apartments, they drove to the Children's Home at Mechanicsburg, where the "Booth Festival" of the Harrisburg District of the Methodist church was held. In the evening they accompanied their son, Rev. Frederic Moore, and wife, to their home in Mercersburg, returning home Monday morning.

DEATHS

McCLENAHAN.—Lot W. McClenahan, an electric worker, died in St. John's Hospital, Pittsburgh, where he entered as a patient suffering from a tumor on the brain. He was aged 54 years. Interment was made in Pittsburgh.

The deceased was a son of John Andrew and Anna (Dreer) McClenahan and was reared about Potters Mills. He was unmarried, but is survived by the following brothers and sisters: Jesse C. Hollidaysburg; Mrs. John B. McNitt, Milroy; Harry, California; John, North Dakota; Mrs. Frank Paulin, Pittsburgh; and Mrs. Orvis L. Horner, Centre Hall, R. D. 1.

He was a member of the fraternal orders of Odd Fellows and Masons.

MILLER.—George W. Miller, well known carpenter and wood worker of Millburg, died at his home following an illness of pneumonia, aged 84 years. Mr. Miller was born at Aaronburg on May 7, 1847, and was a son of George P. and Mary Miller. His wife, Ellen Sunday, died eight years ago, leaving three children who now mourn the passing of the father: Mrs. Mary Shuey, Lemont; Robert A. Miller, Tyrone; George Miller, Scottsdale. The deceased was the last member of his family. He was a member of the Methodist church and funeral services were held at the Axemann church by Rev. C. C. Shuey and Rev. C. A. Metzgar. Mr. Miller had been employed at the Sutton Engineering Co. for the past eight years and had been working up to a week before his death.

DORMAN.—William P. Dorman, one of the best-known residents of Clinton county, died at his home at Avis after an illness of several years with diabetes. He was a charter member of the Trinity Evangelical church at Avis, and was also active in the I. O. O. F. lodge of Avis. He had conducted a general store for many years. Surviving him are his wife, two brothers and two sisters: Newton, of Yeagertown; Harry, of State College; Mrs. Addison Yocum, of Lock Haven; and Mrs. Andrew Geiger, of Madisonburg.

Fall and Winter Millinery. Beautiful new fall and winter hats at Mrs. Burd's Hat Shop, Millheim, Pa. 3t,045

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Wheat seeding in the valley has not been completed on all farms. Considerable rye will also be sown between now and opening of winter.

Word comes from Lewistown that G. O. Benner came through the operation for hernia, on Tuesday, in good form. He was taken to the hospital by H. L. Ebricht, accompanied by Mrs. Benner and Mrs. Ebricht.

John H. Stover, of Berryburg, a merchant in that town, was one of an auto party to stop in Centre Hall for a few minutes on passing through on Sunday. Mr. Stover grew to manhood close to the southern borough boundary line. Since leaving here his visits here have been rather few.

Prof. O. R. Myers, long connected with Juniata College, Huntingdon, filled the appointments in the Lutheran churches at Centre Hall, Spring Mills and Tusseyville. His audiences at all points gladly received him. He spoke as one man to another and convinced his hearers of the truth of his assertions and the sound logic of judgment in his pleadings.

OPPOSES TREND TOWARD CENTRALIZED BUREAUCRY

Pinchot's 1922 Promise to Check Centralization of Power Violated in Passing Administrative Code.

John M. Hemphill, in an address at Bradford, on Monday, flayed Pinchot for violating his promises made in his 1922 campaign, in this way:

The Democratic party consistently and vigorously opposes the trend toward centralized bureaucracy within the State and emphasizes the value in both tax relief and economy, as well as true representative government in maintaining the maximum government within the provinces of the local officials, such as school directors, township supervisors and county commissioners. What has Mr. Pinchot's record upon this subject been from 1922, when he ran for office for the first time after his coming to Pennsylvania? He offered a plank in his then platform, of promises to "check centralization and give more home rule to cities, counties, townships and school districts." He was faithless to this promise for we never had more of a bureaucrat in Pennsylvania than Mr. Pinchot, who, pursuant to his notion that no one else could be trusted with responsibilities and no other public servants were really dependable, forced through the legislature his administrative code and in many other ways built up about the office of Governor an autocracy.

His record was so bad on the subject of centralization that he did not dare to repeat this promise in 1930 when he was casting about to produce all real and imaginary things to include in his prodigious and promiscuous program of promises. By reason of Mr. Pinchot's faithlessness to his promise of 1922 to check centralization it has become a very vital issue in this campaign and it is straightforwardly being met by the Democratic Party.

In Mr. Pinchot's administrative code centralization about an autocratic Governor had been built up to such an extent that Senator Schantz, President pro tem of the Senate, in a speech in Philadelphia declared: "The members of the Senate and the House of Pennsylvania are now ninety-eight per cent page boys and two per cent legislators."

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Garman A. Matter, Centre Hall
 Renna M. Heckman, Spring Mills
 Abraham C. Barger, Coburn
 Lillian R. Lose, State College
 George A. Miller, Kunball, Ohio
 Grace I. Gilbert, Kunball, Ohio
 Alexander Brunton, Akron, Ohio
 Elizabeth Dratshall, Clarence
 Forrest H. Showel, State College
 Sarah E. Craig, State College
 Rena E. Fitzgerald, Pa. Furnace
 Ruth Judy, Pa. Furnace
 Leslie L. Confer, State College
 Mary Emma Tressler, State College

A. MITCHELL PALMER
 INDORSES HEMPHILL

A. Mitchell Palmer, for eight years the Democratic National Committeeman from Pennsylvania, and Attorney General in President Wilson's cabinet, indorses Hemphill in this way:

I am very earnestly supporting the entire Democratic ticket.

I have known Sedgwick Kistler, the Democratic nominee for Senator, and Captain John M. Hemphill, the nominee for Governor, for a great many years. They are men of high character and splendid abilities.

I cannot see how any Democrat can support Pinchot unless he be a fanatical "dry," holding his prohibition views of more importance than his adherence to the time honored principles of Democracy. Pinchot's demagogic utterances in the campaign are sufficient to condemn him in the minds of right thinking people. To get votes he is making promises which he knows he cannot perform. He impugns the motives of everybody who is honestly opposed to him, and the hatred which he has engendered within his own party will condemn his administration to failure before he starts.

The present situation presents the best hope of victory to the Democratic cause that I have ever known in Pennsylvania, and in the face of this prospective victory, I am extremely hopeful that no Democrat will desert the cause.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

R. L. Hook, tenant on the John H. Detwiler farm, east of Old Fort, is posting woods and farm lands against hunters. The action is due to the depredations committed by ground-hog hunters some time ago.

All Grangers and their families are invited to attend the annual Halloween party given by Progress Grange in the Grange Arcadia, Tuesday evening, October 28th. Sandwiches, pickles, apple pie and gingerbread will be served as refreshments.

The springs supplying the borough water works are very perceptibly

weaker than a few weeks ago, while the flow from the well has diminished but little. The depth of water in the reservoir has not materially lessened during the past month. We are well favored, considering conditions generally. We have had no rains of any consequence since the middle of the summer.

The rope for the opening of the final link for the convergence of the William Penn and Lincoln Highways at Imperial Junction, Monday, was cut by Miss Frances Jacobs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guy W. Jacobs, of Steubenville, Ohio. The governors of Pennsylvania, West Virginia and Ohio participated in the affair.

The station agents on the Williamsport division of the P. R. R. were called together on Wednesday and met in Sunbury. Agents P. C. Bradford, Lemont; W. F. Bradford, Centre Hall; Jacob C. Lee, Spring Mills, and Roy Witmer, Coburn, were in attendance. Their respective stations were taken care of by Carl Bradford, L. H. Pfeegor, Wm. Deffenbacher, and Ralph Brant.

FOR SALE—Chevrolet Landau Sedan, run only 13,000 miles, in A1 condition.—Herbert Auman, 417 N. Spring St., Bellefonte.

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VOTE for KEISER.

To the Voters of the 34th Senatorial District, Comprising Clearfield and Centre Counties:

The Reed Act or New Tax Law that went into effect on January 1st, 1930 was one of the most obnoxious laws ever imposed on the taxpayers of our Commonwealth. Recently the Clearfield and Centre County Courts declared the law *Unconstitutional!*



Senator Scott voted for the tax bill and recently in an open letter to the voters of the district he writes that I have already consulted the Legislative Reference Bureau, with reference to the Constitutionality of the bill, and other phases of it, and have a tentative bill drafted, changing the interest rate from one percent per month to one half of one percent per month, or the legal rate with more time to pay.

Taxpayers, this law has been declared unconstitutional. Senator Scott according to the open letter and the folder that he and his associates have spread over the district still wants to introduce a bill penalizing the taxpayers who are unable to pay their taxes on account of sickness, unemployment or any other circumstances the legal rate of interest with more time to pay.

Keiser was and is now for the repeal of the Reed Act in its entirety. Keiser is a Veteran of the World War. Served with the 79th Division--11 months in France for the preservation of the American Home. Let's all fight now for Keiser.

Keiser has the endorsement of several labor organizations. He is the friend of the COMMON PEOPLE. KEISER is an INDEPENDENT candidate for the office of State Senator on the American Farmer Labor Ticket. No matter what your party affiliations may be, lay them aside this time and place an X in the little square opposite KEISER'S name.

VOTE FOR KEISER.