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## Lynn Smith, 10, Potter Township Youth, Is Victim of Lockjaw

Lynn Thomas, young son of Adam B. and Catharine Leister Smith, died Saturday night in the Centre County hospital, to which institution he was admitted on Friday, suffering from tetanus, commonly called lock-jaw. A few days prior to being taken to the hospital the boy was shelling corn with a hand machine and lightly struck his hand against the wooden part of it. A small splinter penetrated the right thumb at the base of the nail. It was removed and little was thought of the injury. Later pain developed, and the jaw became stiff. A physician recommended local applications, and when these failed Dr. Morrow was called for the first. In consultation with Dr. Hoffman the case was diagnosed as one of tetanus. Treatment at the hospital failed to bring favorable results, death coming to the lad's relief at the time stated.

The body was brought to the morgue at the Goodhart undertaking establishment, where it was prepared for burial and then taken to the home on the Charles B. Neff farm, west of Old Fort. Funeral services were held from the home Tuesday afternoon, with burial at Centre Hall, Rev. D. R. Keener, pastor of the Reformed church, was the officiating minister.

Lynn Thomas was next to the youngest of the Smith children. The surviving brothers and sisters are Bruce, Hazel, Phillip and Bryce. He was aged nine years, eight months and twenty-eight days. He was an exceptionally well developed youth in body and mind, and fine appearing.

## HOSPITAL BOND SALES

### PROVING SATISFACTORY

At a recent meeting of the trustees of the Centre County hospital, great satisfaction was shown in the progress of the sale of the bonds; a survey of the type of investors interested in the bonds shows that no large amount has been bought by any single investor, a great number of the \$100.00 bonds having been sold.

One hundred dollars invested in a Hospital Bond, interest at 6 per cent, payable semi-annually, October 1 and April 1 of each year, will have earned for the investor \$129.00 at maturity.

Those interested in the purchase of these bonds can get all information from their banker or the following committee: J. R. Doty, State College; Geo. C. Bingham, Bellefonte; Ray C. Noll, Pleasant Gap; E. V. Goodhart, Centre Hall; W. H. Brown, Bellefonte.

## THE OPPOSED PLANK IN

### THE REPUBLICAN PLATFORM

The original plank with regard to the disposition of the liquor question, in the Republican platform adopted by the National convention is reprinted below. The part wet is in capitals, and the part dry in blackface:

"WE THEREFORE BELIEVE THAT THE PEOPLE SHOULD HAVE AN OPPORTUNITY TO PASS UPON A PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE PROVISION OF WHICH, WHILE RETAINING IN THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT POWER TO PRESERVE THE GAINS ALREADY MADE IN DEALING WITH THE EVILS INHERENT IN THE LIQUOR TRAFFIC, SHALL ALLOW STATES TO DEAL WITH THE PROBLEM AS THEIR CITIZENS MAY DETERMINE, BUT SUBJECT ALWAYS TO THE POWER OF THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT TO PROTECT THOSE STATES WHERE PROHIBITION MAY EXIST AND SAFEGUARD OUR CITIZENS EVERYWHERE FROM THE RETURN OF THE SALOON AND ATTENDANT ABUSES."

**Proposed Repealer.**  
The resolution offered by Senator Bingham, which received the support of forty per cent of the delegates, is quoted in full below:

"We recommend that the congress of the United States immediately propose an amendment to the federal constitution repealing the 18th amendment thereto; to be submitted to conventions of the people and of the several states called for that sole purpose in accordance with the provisions of Article V of the Constitution of the United States.

"Should the 18th amendment be repealed we pledge our best efforts toward enactment of such measures in the several states as will actually promote temperance, effectively abolish the saloon, whether open or concealed, and bring the liquor traffic itself under complete public supervision and control with revenues properly drawn for the relief of the burdened taxpayers."

If the Democrats can't create more interest among the rank and file of the party than did the Republicans at their convention last week, what is the use of having such a big hall. And then, whoever made the claim before it appeared in the Republican platform that "gains were made in dealing with the evils inherent in liquor traffic worth preserving?"

In years gone by when there were more flies in Pennsylvania than State officials, a man holding a State elective office or even an appointee of the Governor, was, at least in some measure, looked up to. Today both flies and appointees are pests, and were we privileged to do the latter as to the former, "inches" administration cost would be severely cut by October, and every undertaker would need two hearses.

## S. S. CAMPS OPEN.

Camp Kanastake, on Spruce creek, is open on Monday for the second week, and the Newton-Hamilton M. E. Training Camp opens today (Thursday). Girls from this section in the former camp are Alice Spzyker, Centre Hall, and Dorothy Haines, of Millheim. Roberta Smith and Mildred Meyer, both of town, yesterday (Wednesday) went to the Methodist training camp for ten days' instruction, and July 1st Cheryl Jodon and Marian Smith will become students there.

The expense of the latter four is being taken care of by the "Sparklers," a class of young girls in the Methodist Sunday school taught by Mrs. C. A. Spzyker. The class was organized on a Fourth of July, and that date suggested the adoption of the very appropriate name it carries.

Doris Moltz will also be a camper at the M. E. training camp the same time the second group of girls named above will be there. Although a member of the M. E. S. S. and a "Sparkler," her expenses are being provided by C. D. Bartholomew of whose family she has been one since a small child.

## EPLEY WHITE FARM BUILDINGS DESTROYED BY FIRE

All of the farm buildings, except a hay shed, on the Epley White farm, near Axe Mann, were destroyed by fire early Saturday morning. The fire apparently broke out about three o'clock, and when discovered by Mr. White, who with a hired man, were the only occupants of the home that night, the flames had gained such headway that he escaped with difficulty.

The large barn stood near to the dwelling house and was soon ignited from embers blown by a wind in its direction. Fortunately, however, the horses were removed from the burning structure, the only loss in livestock being a small calf. The cows were not in the barn.

The farm buildings as well as the surroundings were in perfect condition. The interior of the dwelling house was in process of repainting and had almost been completed.

It is presumed the fire was a result of a defective flue, although there had been no fire in the stove since early in the afternoon previous to the fire.

Mr. White had a total of \$7770 insurance on the property, but this will not replace the loss by several thousand dollars. There was \$4000 insurance on the barn, \$1700 on the house, and \$2000 on the contents of both. The insurance was carried by the Farmers, Mutual, Sugar Valley and Countryman's companies.

## NEW THREE-CENT STAMP CARRIES WASHINGTON PORTRAIT

The first order for three-cent stamps to be used for letter postage was for 900,000,000 and will be furnished by the Bureau of Engraving.

The new stamps will bear the portrait of Washington and will be identical in size and design with the two-cent stamp of the Washington bicentennial series except for changes of denomination and numerals and the omission of dates.

The postal card rates will remain the same one cent for each card.

## TAX INCREASES TO RAISE \$1,000,000,000 REVENUE

The tax increases and additions payable under the revenue bill recently passed by congress are noted below:

Income—four per cent. on the first \$4,000, eight per cent on the next \$4,000, and surtaxes up to 55 per cent on incomes over \$1,000,000—will be levied for the calendar year 1932.

Letter postage, 4 cents.  
Lubricating oil, 3 cents a gallon.  
Wort, 5 cents a gallon; malt syrup, 2 cents a pound; grape concentrates, 20 cents a gallon.

Tires and tubes, 2½ and 4 cents a pound.  
Toilet preparations, 10 per cent; dentifrices, 5 per cent.  
Furs, 10 per cent.  
Jewelry, 10 per cent (\$3 exemption).  
Automobiles, 3 per cent; trucks and accessories, 2 per cent.

Radio and phonograph equipment, 5 per cent.  
Mechanical refrigerators, 5 per cent.  
Safe deposit boxes, 10 per cent.  
Firearms and shells, 10 per cent.  
Matches: wood, 2 cents per 1,000; paper, ½ cent per 1,000.

Candy, 2 per cent.  
Chewing gum, 2 per cent.  
Soft drinks, various rates.

Electrical energy, 3 per cent on sales for domestic and commercial purposes (to be collected by power company).  
Gasoline, 1 cent per gallon.

Telephone messages, 10¢ between 50¢ and \$1; 15¢ to \$2; 20¢ over \$2.00; telegraph messages, 5 per cent; cable and radio messages, 10¢; leased wire, 5 per cent.

Admissions, 1 per cent. per 10¢ on all over 40¢.  
Oil pipe line charges, 4 per cent.  
Safe deposit boxes, 10 per cent.  
Bank checks, 2¢ each.

Issues of bonds and capital stock, 10¢ per \$100.  
Stock transfers, 4 and 5¢ per share.  
Bond transfers, 4¢ per \$100 par value.

Conveyances, 50¢ on \$100 to \$500; 50¢ per \$500 in excess.  
Produce sales for future delivery, 5¢ per \$100.

## GENERAL SYNOD REF. CHURCH

### IN SESSION AT AKRON, OHIO

The 24th triennial session of the General Synod of the Reformed Church in the U. S. convened in Grace Reformed church, Akron, Ohio, Rev. Orris W. Haulman, pastor, on Tuesday, and continues in session for one week.

Matters of importance awaiting action by the General Synod are: church administration; faith and order; overlapping of boundaries; new orders of business; marriage; divorce and remarriage; spiritual resources; Home and Foreign Missions; Christian Education; Ministerial Relief; the budgets; church union with the Evangelical Synod of N. A.; prohibition; crime; unemployment; world peace.

The Reformed Church in the U. S. is one of the oldest bodies of evangelical churches, established in Switzerland in 1516 and founded in the U. S. near Philadelphia, in 1725. It has a membership of approximately 350,000, a Sunday school enrollment of 342,000 and a constituency of over 1,000,000 people.

Delegates to the Synod from West Susquehanna Classis are: Ministerial, Rev. C. A. F. Griesing, Millheim; Rev. L. S. Ditzler, New Berlin; Rev. W. C. Rittenhouse, Williamsport; Lay, Prof. J. F. Wetzel, Centre Hall; Prof. John H. Eisenhauer, Lewisburg, and E. E. Ardery, Bellefonte.

## CENTER COUNTY GIRL SHOT IN ACCIDENT

Eleanor L. Hull, aged 12 years, was seriously injured Friday afternoon by the accidental explosion of a gun, the long 22 calibre bullet entering her side and penetrating the abdomen.

The girl makes her home with a family by the name of Watson, in Bener township, her parents being dead. She was in a room of the home when the accident happened, as boys of the family, who had been shooting rats, were setting up their guns. The bullet from the exploding gun went through the window of the room.

## AUTO SKIDDING RESULTS

### IN INJURY OF TWO

Mrs. Helen Behrens, widow of P. W. Behrens, late superintendent of the Williamsport hospital, was injured in an automobile accident at Zion, Friday morning while on her way to Williamsport after a brief visit at the home of her mother, Mrs. G. O. Smith, of Buckhannon, West Virginia.

The driver of the car, John Hillary, brother-in-law of Mrs. Behrens, suffered several broken ribs, but Mrs. Hillary, the only other occupant of the car, was uninjured.

The injured were taken to the Centre County hospital, but the driver continued to Williamsport.

A slippery highway was given as the cause of the accident.

The wheels of the car skidded on the highway and the machine turned over twice before it came to rest in the opposite direction from which it was traveling.

Mrs. Behrens was taken into the home of Epley Gentzel, near the scene of the accident, and given first-aid treatment until arrival of the ambulance.

## FESTIVALS.

On the evening of Saturday, July 2nd, the Pottery Mills baseball club will hold a festival on their ball diamond. The Spring Mills band will be present. Wrestling and boxing are added attractions.

The Centre Hall baseball club plans to hold a 2-day festival on the evenings of July 2nd and 4th. The I. O. O. F. band of Bellefonte has been engaged to furnish music. On the afternoon of the 4th, the local club will have as opponents on the field the Coburn team of the county league.

## Shorter Season for Shooting Bear.

Fifteen days has been knocked off the open season for killing bear, this year, according to an announcement made by the Game Commission. The season will be November 10th to 30th, inclusive. Instead of November 10th to December 15th. And hunting camps will be limited to three bear instead of four, as in former years. This further protection is thrown around bear because they appear to be growing scarcer in the State.

Buck deer will be the only kind of that species of game animal legal shooting this year. The season and limit has not been changed.

The season on wild turkeys, ring-necked pheasants, ruffed grouse, and bobwhite quail will extend from November 1 to November 26, inclusive, with hunting permitted only on Tuesday and Wednesday of the first week; Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday of the second week, and Thursday, Friday and Saturday of the third and fourth weeks.

The season on squirrels, rabbits and hares will extend from November 1 to November 30, inclusive, with the customary six-day-a-week hunting.

There will be no season on either Huntington partridges or Reeves pheasants.

The season on fur-bearing animals, including mink, opossum, skunk, and others remains unchanged and will extend from November 1 to February 25, 1933, inclusive.

Hoover is said to be on an eighteen-hour day, which may be true, but fifteen of the eighteen hours are given to advance his political fortunes, and that's bad.

## MAY HOSPITAL REPORT.

At the monthly meeting of the Board of Trustees, held at the Centre County hospital, Tuesday of last week, the following report was submitted and approved:

Number patients in hospital May 1 56  
Number patients admitted during month 76  
Number births during month 8

Total number patients 140  
Number private and semi-private patients, 56; no. patient days 375  
Number ward patients, 90; number of patient days 853

Total number patients, 140; total number patient days 1258  
Number patients discharged during month 109  
Number deaths during month 7

Number patients remaining under treatment June 1 33  
Greatest number patients any day in hospital 56  
Least number patients any day in hospital 27

Total number patient days 1258  
Average number patients per day 40  
Average number days per patient 9

Cash Receipts—  
Hospital Membership Fund \$600.00  
Miss Mary McQuiston (upkeep of room) 50.00  
Hospital Auxiliary 81.35  
State Appropriation 3625.00  
Receipts from patients 2342.55

Total receipts \$698.90  
Respectfully submitted,  
WM. H. BROWN, Mgr.

## WALTER PALMER, 9, HIT BY CAR AT POTTERS MILLS, IMPROVING IN HOSPITAL

Walter Palmer, nine years old, who was struck by an automobile while crossing the road at his home in Pottery Mills, Friday evening, is expected to recover from the skull fracture over the eye he received. The boy is a mute with an unusually well developed body which in this instance served him well. When picked up, the lad was unconscious, and remained in that condition for many hours. On regaining consciousness an examination at the Centre County Hospital revealed no broken bones, other than the fracture referred to.

The driver of the car was a salesman, Donald Cutshall, 116 McKinley Ave., Johnstown. The youth ran into the side of the car, and it is thought the handle of the car door struck him on the head. Cutshall was placed under arrest and held for twenty-four hours.

The boy is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Palmer, of Pottery Mills.

## P. O. S. of A. ELECT OFFICERS.

The local Camp, P. O. S. of A. No. 889, elected officers for the ensuing term at their regular meeting Friday night. The officers are:

President, Eugene W. Burckholder;  
Vice President, Frank McClellan;  
Master of Forms, W. H. Bland;  
Conductor, Bud Ralston;  
Inspector, Dean Ripka;  
Guard, Ervin Zettle.

The officers will be installed at a meeting to be held July 1.

A number of members of the order from Woodford Camp attended the meeting. Among them was A. M. Martin, a man of 84 years and a former school teacher in Haines township. Mr. Martin taught school for over 45 years, retiring when he was sixty-four years old. He gave a very interesting and timely talk on "As we find things today." In speaking of Congress and our State Legislature, he said, "If we could have more statesmen and fewer politicians, we would, in general, be in a much better condition." In describing the two kinds of public leaders he said, "A statesman is a person who serves the best interests of his country to the best of his ability, whereas a politician, like many that we have today, serves himself first and his country last."

During the social hour, at the close of the meeting, refreshments were served.

## S. S. ASS'N AND CONVENTION OFFICERS IN CENTRE CO.

The Centre County Sabbath School Association at its sixty-third annual convention held in Millheim, last week, re-elected all the former officers except the secretary, Clarence Stine, of Bellefonte, who is followed by Miss Eva Bailey, of Centre Hall. The other officers of the Association, having filled their respective places for several years, are: President, C. C. Shuey, Bellefonte; vice-president, S. Ward Gramley, Millheim; treasurer, H. L. Ebricht, Centre Hall.

The district convention, at its meeting at Tusseyville, elected all new officers except that of treasurer. The officers now are Henry Zerby, president; A. M. Reigel, vice president; Mrs. R. S. Hagan, secretary, and Ellis Hennigh, treasurer. The address of Mr. Hennigh is Spring Mills, while that of the others is Centre Hall.

The presidents of the respective districts have not yet appointed the departmental superintendents. The place of holding the next convention is also fixed by the officers, who do not set a time or name a place far in advance of holding the conventions.

The Adam B. Smith family in this manner desire to express appreciation of kindnesses bestowed by friends and neighbors during their recent bereavement due to the death of a member.

## HARRIS TOWNSHIP VOCATIONAL GRADUATES FOURTEEN

At the commencement exercises of the Harris Township Vocational school in Boalsburg, a class of fourteen was graduated. The exercises were largely attended, and were highly interesting. The program follows:

Processional...Boalsburg Banjo Band  
Invocation...Rev. Howard L. Wink  
Salutation...Boalsburg Banjo Band  
Valedictorian...Grace Whitehead  
Allan's Holiday...Louise Shuey  
Glow Worm...Girls' Glee Club  
Commencement Address...  
Presentation of Anna Snow Fitts  
Good Citizenship Prize.  
Civic Awards to Grade Pupils.  
Awarding of Diplomas...O. P. Smith,  
President of Board

Alma Mater...School  
Benediction...Rev. H. L. Wink  
Selection...Boalsburg Banjo Band

ALMA MATER  
1. Just below Old Bald Knob Mountain,  
With its wondrous view  
Stands our noble Alma Mater  
Glorious to view.

Chorus:  
Boalsburg, Boalsburg, Boalsburg High School,  
May its memories thrill,  
Years to come shall find us ever  
True to Boalsburg still.

2. From the top of high Mt. Nittany  
O'er Penna Valley wide,  
You can see the town of Boalsburg,  
From the mountain side.

3. At the head of Old Penna Valley,  
Where the skies are blue,  
Stands our dear Old Boalsburg High School  
With its students true.

The class roll:  
Harry Addleman Robert Ross  
Wert Bohm William Ross  
Grace Hubler LeRoy Shearer  
Eleanor Ishler Louise Shuey  
Fred Koch Susann Wagner  
Bernadine Korman Grace Whitehead  
Alice Reitz Charles Wright

The Anna Snow Fitts Good Citizen prize went to two of the senior class—Eleanor Ishler and LeRoy Shearer.

Following the commencement the members of the senior class, accompanied by Miss Catharine Rishel, a member of the faculty, made a three-day trip to Washington, D. C. While in the capital city the group lived at the Hotel Roosevelt. The entire trip was most interesting and very educational and thoroughly enjoyed by each one.

During the summer months E. H. Dale, superintendent of agriculture, and Miss Rishel, will carry on the home project work of the school.

## WIELAND FAMILY REUNION

### GRANGE PARK, JULY 4

The descendants of Michael Wieland, four or five generations of whom are living, many throughout the middle west, will hold their first annual reunion at Grange Park, Centre Hall, on Monday, July 4th, in the form of a basket picnic. The Wielands in Centre county are descendants of Daniel Wieland, one of ten children of Michael Wieland, who settled on the well-known Wieland farm at Linden Hall.

"UNDER THE OPEN SKY,"  
PAGEANT BY REFORMED S. S.

The Children's Day pageant which was presented Sunday night by the members of the Reformed church school, was entitled "Under the Open Sky." The time of the pageant was any two glorious summer days from sunrise to sunrise of the following day; and illustrating how flowers and all nature add to the beauty of the earth. The outdoor scene represented morning, noon and night.

The characters were as follows:  
Prologue—Adeline Dinges.  
Sun—Sara Odenkirk.  
Wood Nymph—Anna May Martz.  
Morning Zephyr—Jean Dinges.  
Night Wind—Ardis May Ishler.  
Rain—Ralph Packer, Bob Wetzel, John Thomas Delaney, Woodrow Bradford.  
Evening Star—Sara Slack.  
Moon—Dorothy Blazier.  
Owl—Russell Reish.  
Birds—Ray Delaney, Bobby Dinges, Dean Bradford, David Devine, Jack Reigel, George Martz.  
China Aster—Geraldine Bradford.  
Iris—Jean Slack.  
Poppy—Lola Reese.  
Bitter-Sweet—Billy Reese.  
Cow-slip—Vinton Lingie.  
Cocks-Comb—Glen Ishler.  
Daffodil—Gloria Brooks.  
Nasturtium—Miriam Slack.  
Violet—Clara Lou Wetzel.  
Four-leaf Clover—Buddy Bradford.  
Butter-cup—Esther Blazier.  
Pansy—David Booser.  
Bluebell—Rex Seanson.  
Peony—Reginald Bradford.  
Golden-Rod—Beryle Shaeffer.  
Forget-me-not—Marie Emerick.  
Butterfly—Patricia Booser.  
Roses—Agnes Delaney, Patricia Booser, Miriam Blazier, Ethel Martz, Betty Runkle, Nellie Jane Knarr, Mary Delaney, Joyce Bradford, Ellen Bradford, Martha Lingie, Alice Slack, Betty Seanson, Eunice Blazier, Betty Slack.

Twilight—Geraldine Bohn.  
Fire-flies—Billy Booser, Bob Blazier, Lynn Blazier, George Devine, Teddy Bradford.

The music was under the direction of Mrs. D. R. Kener with Miss Ruth Reiber assisting on the piano.

## TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS.

### HAPPENINGS OF LOCAL INTEREST FROM ALL PARTS

We are now in the longest days of 1932.

The Grove family reunion will be held on Grange Park, Saturday.

T. A. Hosterman is installing an off burner for heating his residence and the Clover Farm store, both of which are in one building.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ishler, Millheim, in the Centre County Hospital, and has been named June Marie.

Mrs. Terresta Smith, of Millheim is at present at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Sankey near Hollidaysburg, where she expects to remain for a few weeks.

Miss Mary Reiber, student nurse in Dr. Sanford's private hospital, Jersey Shore, is on her vacation, which extends to July 1st and is spending the time at her home here.

Mrs. H. J. Kittelberger, of Curwensville, recently underwent two minor operations at the Clearfield hospital. Her condition at present, the Reporter is pleased to state, is such as to indicate complete recovery.

Miss Isabel Snyder, of Millifinburg, who beginning of June completed teaching in the Port Matilda High school, will accompany Dr. and Mrs. Miller and family, also of Millifinburg, to Vermont, as governess during the summer months.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Ebricht and daughter, Miss Bettie, on Sunday attended the rededicator services of the Lutheran church in Millifinburg. The edifice was materially improved. The church is one in the pastorate served by Rev. J. M. Rearick, on retiring from the ministry.

The Misses Gladys Zeigler and Josephine Stover were delegates of the M. E. and Reformed Sunday school, at Spring Mills, to the county S. S. convention held at Millheim Mrs. H. F. Erdley and Mrs. Guy Corman also attended the gathering and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Gramley.

Mrs. Richard Brooks, on Friday evening, entertained the Senior Service class in the Lutheran church at her home. Aside from the regular program, the members had a most delightful evening. The refreshments were more elaborate than is the general custom of the class members to serve at their monthly gatherings.

Prof. J. F. Wetzel and Rev. G. F. Griesing, both delegates to the Reformed Synod in session in Akron, O., left here for that city by auto Monday morning. They took with them Miss Laurabelle McCormick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. McCormick, of Pottery Mills, who while in Akron will be a guest of an uncle, Henry Mingle.

William Meyer, long a resident of Boalsburg, is in a rather serious physical condition brought about by an injury received when holding on to a rope intended to control the fall of a tree being cut down. It appears the eighty years old assistant received an inward injury. Mr. Meyer is an uncle of H. E. Fye, of town, and he and Mrs. Fye recently paid him a visit.

Among the Centre county tourists to visit St. Petersburg last season were Miss Helen A. Williams, of Bellefonte; Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Kerlin, of Centre Hall; Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Mauck, of Nittany; Mrs. Elizabeth Kephart and Miss Gertrude Kephart, of Philipsburg; Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Kaufman, Mr. and Mrs. M. S. McDowell and Professor Walter Thomas of State College.

Through the courtesy of W. W. Kerlin, a number of baseball fans witnessed a game of night ball at Williamsport between the Harrisburg and Williamsport teams of the N. Y.-Penna. League, Friday night. Williamsport has only recently inaugurated night baseball, and it is proving popular with the fans. The powerful flood lights stationed about the playing field make day out of night. Those in the party were F. V. Goodhart, R. S. Jamison, J. L. Tressler, H. L. Ebricht, W. W. Kerlin, S. W. Smith and E. E. Bailey.

Seventy-five to one hundred men gathered at Pine Grove Mills on Monday afternoon with the hope of securing work on the Pine Grove-McAlevy's Fort road. The contractor, Joseph Cucone, of Philadelphia, was due in Pine Grove at noon, but had not shown up at 4:00 o'clock. The village street was parked full of cars on both sides. The probability is that as many more men willing to help build the road were waiting at the other end of the line, 9.4 miles to the south. The contract price is \$178,847, for a macadam type of road.

Paul Zimmerman, of Aaronsburg, who resigned his clerk position with the Farmers National Bank & Trust Co., Millheim, a few days later started south by motor, accompanied by Paul Haines and Miss Sara Haines, son and daughter of Mrs. Alma Haines, of Millheim. They all intend to enroll in the six weeks' summer teacher training course offered at Durham University, South Carolina. Mr. Zimmerman will probably again enter the teaching profession, having been an instructor in the Haines township schools prior to his entering the bank.

Mr. and Miss Haines are graduates of Susquehanna University and have been teaching for the last year.