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ROOSEVELT'S COURT MOVE MAKES DEMOCRACY EFFECTIVE AND PRESERVES CAPITALISM

General Hugh S. Johnson declared that President Roosevelt, in proposing reform of the Federal judiciary, was "doing what he was elected to do"—acting to preserve democracy and capitalism.

Describing the President's recommendations as a constitutional effort to "rejuvenate a reactionary court," the former N. R. A. chief said the opposition attacks were "the anguished beatings of Old Deal tom-toms by gentlemen who didn't want to see the President elected."

"The opponents of the President have presented his proposals melodramatically, as the death of the Constitution—just as supporters of the lamented Mr. Landon talked about the end of the American way of life. That was bunk so blatant that it got what was coming to it—the worst electoral rebuke in our history.

"Today's bunk is just as blatant. The vote told Mr. Roosevelt to make democracy effective. One reason he couldn't do it before was an inflexible antiquity in the judicial system. He proposes to modernize it. What we here is a man doing what he was elected to do.

"He promised to do it within the Constitution. Is he doing that? On nine-tenths of his astonishing message I won't waste your time. It was a searchlight into the cobwebs of legalistic medieval dungeons. The President's worst enemies have only praise for that.

"It was a giant's stroke at the insistence of office and the law's delay. It killed the absurdity of letting district and circuit judges in one part of the country suspend Federal laws, while judges in other parts sustained them. It smashed abuses of the injunctive power which gives judges some of the authority of Oriental despots. It opened the Federal courts to the petitions of the poor and proposed an efficient organization of our former judiciary.

"Mr. Roosevelt's simple and courageous proposals to end all this old abuse have reaped universal praise. If an ordinary President in the white ruffled no more than this, he would for that alone, go down in history as commander of the faithful and protector of the poor."

WINGATE MAN STRUCK BY CAR DIES ON WAY TO HOSPITAL

Walking across the road at the Peters Service Station, James Walker, 55, was struck by a car operated by Cess R. Sunstine, and suffered injuries which proved fatal before the Centre County hospital could be reached. The accident occurred Friday evening.

A coroner's jury on Saturday exonerated Sunstine, largely on the evidence of Donald McMillan, nephew of Walker, who said his uncle walked across the street without looking either way, and that Sunstine had no opportunity to avoid the accident.

Walker was unmarried, and was a son of Henry Walker.

Funeral services were held Monday morning, and burial made in the Ad-vent cemetery.

SUNDAY FISHING BLAMED ON COMMERCIAL INTERESTS

It is now believed that some sort of a law permitting fishing on Sunday will be passed at this session of the legislature, and if it does, senators and representatives have planned to blame it on commercial interests—dealers in angling equipment. To say the least, that is a thin shield.

Sunday fishing bills before the legislature were introduced by Representatives Frank J. Falkenstein of Philadelphia; Mahlon F. Larue, of Berks; J. P. Moran, Al K. Robinson, and John L. Powers, Allegheny.

The Powers bill would repeal the 1925 fish law and require an extra license for Sunday fishing in waters designated by the fish commission. The license would be sold by the revenue department for \$1 and by county treasurers for \$1.10, counties to keep the extra charge, to holders of regular fishing licenses.

The Moran, Larue and Robinson bills required permission of landowners for Sunday fishing.

Sportmen's organizations throughout the State are opposed to all of the bills providing for Sunday fishing. They sense the attitude land-owners will take—general posting of lands through which small streams flow. This would bar the fisherman weekdays as well as Sundays.

SCHOOL AGE 5 TO 15 YEARS IN BILL BY THOMPSON

A measure requiring that all children between the ages of eight and 15 years attend school was introduced in the Pennsylvania Senate at Harrisburg on Tuesday by Sen. E. J. Thompson.

The present requirement is from six to 15 years. The limit would become effective after the 1938-39 term. Sen. Thompson's bill also would provide transportation for any physically or mentally handicapped.

Three other bills were introduced by the Phillipsburg Senator. They are: A bill providing for the licensing of automobile financing companies by the department of banking.

A bill to prohibit state and state-aided institutions from selling goods and merchandise on the open market in competition with business.

A bill to provide that all applicants eligible for old age pensions be en-rolled to assistance and prevent dis-

MRS. HOWARD STUART BUYS WILL MAYES' HERD OF 67 REG. GUERNSEYS

Centre county dairy industry recorded one of the most important sales to be transacted in the county for many years last week when J. Will Mayes, of Howard, owner of Pride Home Farm, sold his entire herd of sixty-seven registered Guernsey cattle to Mrs. Howard L. Stuart, of State College.

Mrs. Stuart feels she is fortunate in being able to purchase this herd of Guernsey cattle that represents twenty years of breeding and development. As retiring president and a charter member of the Pennsylvania Guernsey Breeders' Association, Mr. Mayes has had contact with some of the outstanding Guernsey breeders of the eastern United States. As a result, it has been possible for him to secure some of the outstanding blood lines of the breed.

At the present time, there are 53 females in the herd. There are ten 2-year old daughters of Flying Hill Harvester No. 192259, a son of Hester of Flying Hill No. 225617, with an advanced registry record of 15,036 lbs. milk and 811 lbs. fat. Also seven daughters of Riverdale Buttercup's Invader No. 212501, who is a son of Buttercup of Riverdale No. 128521, the grand old cow shown in the Guernsey booth at the recent Farm Show at Harrisburg, who at sixteen years of age has produced 123,000 lbs. of milk and 5,693 lbs. of fat.

These heifers will undoubtedly make future Guernsey history in Centre county under Mrs. Stuart's ownership.

One of the recent additions to the herd is the sire Ward Acres King the Second No. 226256, a son of Abba Milkweed No. 231892, who has an advanced registry record of 15,721 lbs. of milk and 695.4 lbs. of fat.

Mrs. Stuart states that these cattle will be housed on her farm located just east of Houtsburg on the Lakes-to-Sea highway.

Due to limited facilities, she will dispose of at private sale a few cows and several young bull calves, some of which are of serviceable age.

At the present time she is making plans to renovate and modernize the barns and until this is complete, the herd will be retained by Mr. Mayes at Howard where it will furnish milk for his established milk route.

Mr. Mayes states that Pride Home Farm has been leased to E. N. Trostle, of Penna. Furnace, who will continue to supply Pride Home Farm customers in Howard borough with high quality Guernsey milk.

ENGAGEMENT OF PEARL GUFFY AND W. R. COLYER ANNOUNCED

From a Williamsport newspaper is gleaned the announcement of an engagement to marry in which many of the Reporter's readers are interested. The announcement follows:

A Valentine party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Guffy, 1222 West Third Street, Wednesday at which time the engagement of their daughter, Pearl Guffy, to William Russell Colyer, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Colyer, of Centre Hall, was announced. The room was decorated in red and white valentines with a centerpiece of red and white roses on the table.

Miss Guffy is a graduate of the Williamsport Senior High school and of the State Beauty School of this city. At the present time she is in charge of the Vogue Beauty Salon.

Mr. Colyer is a graduate of Centre Hall high school and of Williamsport Commercial College. He is now employed at the Aviation Manufacturing Corporation in this city.

REPORT OF C. H. H. S. ALUMNI ASSOCIATION AUDIT

Bal. in treasury Jan. 1, 1936, \$ 21.90
From banquet, 1935 42.85
From banquet, 1936 75.09
Curtain fund 312.72
Dues 20.75
Assessment for reception 5.30

Total \$489.52
Expenses banquet, 1935 \$ 44.00
Expenses banquet, 1936 72.40
Reception 8.24
School Board, curtain fund, 310.00
Curtain Comm. expenses 2.15

Total \$436.79
Balance in treas. Jan. 11, 1937, \$ 52.73
(Signed) Committee

2 Houses Burn Near Bellefonte

Fire of unknown origin destroyed one house and damaged another in Coleville, Sunday. The frame building owned by Walter Cetchart was burned to the ground, and one side of the house occupied by Peter Hilliard was partially burned.

Neighboring homes were protected by apparatus from both Bellefonte fire companies which responded to a general alarm.

DR. PARRISH APPOINTED COUNTY MEDICAL DIRECTOR

Dr. Joseph Parrish has been named Centre county medical director to fill the position made vacant by the death of Dr. J. L. Seibert, who long filled the position. Dr. Parrish spent a part of last week in Harrisburg conferring with Dr. Ethel McBride Dexter, director of the State Department of Health. The appointment is meeting general approval.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT BIRTHDAY BALL FOR PREST

A complete record of persons attending the Birthday Ball for the President, January 29, shows 551 admission tickets sold at fifty cents each. The goal was 500, the attendance was ten per cent over. The net return to the community is \$147.10; to the National Committee, \$56.15.

The detailed financial account forwarded to the National Committee follows:

RECEIPTS	
531 admission tickets at 50 cents each	\$265.50
Refreshments sold	68.45
Telegrams—91 at 25c each	22.75
Check room	16.70
Contributions, cash	5.00
Contribution, printing	6.00
Total	\$384.40
EXPENSES	
Refreshments	\$ 37.10
Telegrams	22.75
Orchestra	90.00
Quartette	20.00
Square dance caller	4.00
Printing	6.00
Rental of building	10.00
Decorating	7.40
Total	\$197.25
Balance (profit)	\$187.15

30% of \$187.15 forwarded to National Committee \$ 56.15
Retained by local committee \$131.00
Refunded, 70% of telegrams 16.10
Total \$147.10

Amt. in treasury, 1935 bal. 150.00
Net from 1937 Ball 147.10
Total cash on hand \$297.16
D. S. Daup, R. S. Jamison,
Custodian Funds, General Ch.

RALPH NEFF BUYS PETERS FARM, OAK HALL, FOR \$6500

The Peters farm, property of the estate of Emanuel Peters, late of College township, was purchased at public sale on Friday by Ralph Neff for \$6500. The property has been appraised at \$7100. The farm is in two tracts, the combined acreage being 138 acres and 99 perches. The buildings are located near the Eiders grist mill.

It is understood Mr. Neff will occupy the place himself, although unmarried at this time. He is a graduate of Penn State College. During the past year or more he had been living with his mother, Mrs. C. R. Neff, west of Old Fort.

DAY OF PRAYER SERVICE M. E. CHURCH, FRIDAY EVE'

The World Day of Prayer service held annually in the Centre Hall community will be observed in the M. E. church Friday, February 12, at 7:30 p. m. This service is part of a worldwide day of prayer originated and sponsored by an interdenominational organization of women. The service this year in Centre Hall will be presided over by Mrs. Edith Campbell, Rev. Seth Russell will deliver the message. The public is urged to participate in this service of worship and prayer.

CENTRE WINS OVER LOCK HAVEN, 39-31

Lock Haven and the Centre Hall Independents met on the local high school basketball floor, Monday evening. The game was hard fought, the locals however leading in the score from the beginning, and ending at 39-31. The line-up:

Independents—Homer, f (9); Rossman, f (8); McCool, c (20); Frank 2 (2); Breon, Thompson, Knarr, c (9). Lock Haven—W. Hoy, f (6); D. Hoy, f (2); Livingston, c (14); Nevins, c (2); Wintrey, c (6); Zeigler, c (7).

ONE DEAD, TWO INJURED IN AUTO CRASH IN LEWISTOWN

An automobile crashed into a parked truck in Lewistown, on Sunday killing Mrs. George Harlan, 43, and injuring three other passengers of the car.

Mrs. Harlan's husband and Russell White, driver of the car, were taken to the hospital, seriously injured. Miss Ruth Yocum was slightly hurt. All are in Lewistown.

Coroner Ralph Barchus said Alvin Albaugh, of Johnstown, driver of the truck, had parked it about a foot from the curb. He released Albaugh in \$1,000 bail for a hearing.

"NEW FACTS"

Last year the Pennsylvania Supreme Court held unconstitutional the State Authority Act, authorizing the commonwealth to engage in a \$60,000,000 program of construction and repair of public buildings, part of the money to be raised by a bond issue, the rest to be covered by federal grants. On Thursday the court, by unanimous opinion, reversed itself, declaring the act permitted by the constitution. In changing its opinion the court was influenced by "new facts" presented by Attorney General Margiotti.

To the layman, it appears, the "new facts" was the discovery by the Supreme Court itself that the New Deal won in Pennsylvania by a majority of 650,000.

The Bellefonte lodge of Moose have a force of carpenters at work remodeling the stone house, on Spring street, lately occupied by C. R. Miller and family, which the lodge has purchased as a permanent home.

RED CROSS CONTRIBUTIONS, CENTRE HALL, VICINITY, WILL REACH OVER \$400.00

To the cry of the flood sufferers, "Come over and help us," Centre Hall and vicinity, together with thousands of other cities and towns in the United States, responded most nobly, as was briefly stated last week.

While solicitations are yet incomplete, yet up to Monday approximately \$375.00 were in the hands of Miss Grace Smith, chairman, who is conducting the canvass. When the solicitations in the rural districts under T. F. Delaney and assistants come in, the sum will undoubtedly be boosted to over \$400.00.

Following are the names of contributors and the amounts paid by each:

CENTRE HALL
Solicitors—Mrs. J. F. Wetzel, Mrs. F. V. Goodhart, Mrs. W. A. Alexander, Mrs. Wilbur Henney, Harvey W. Flink, Mrs. J. Lavan Smith, Grace C. Smith.
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\$20.00 Contributions—Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Forster, Aaronsburg.
\$10.00 Contributions—Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Hagan, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Fisher.
\$9.20 Contribution—Independent basketball team.
\$7.00 Contribution—Rev. and Mrs. J. M. Kirkpatrick and Jack.
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\$1.50 Contributions—Martha Yearling.
\$.35 Contribution—Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Coffey.
\$.100 Contributions—P. K. Frank, Mary Delinda Potter, Daniel Daup Sr.; S. C. Brungart, G. K. Schaffer, Mrs. A. G. Lieb, Miss Martha Boal, Curtis Reiber, W. B. Fiedler, W. H. Potter, Effie Confer, John H. Knarr, Samuel Gingerich, W. F. Keller, Mrs. Katherine Sommers, Wm. McCormick, Edwin Ritter, T. A. Hosterman, Reuben Rickett, Mary Kling, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Thoman, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Bradford, D. W. Bradford, Paul Meyers, Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Zettle, Mrs. Milford Luse, Mrs. George Benner, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Goodhart, Mrs. W. H. Strober, Edward Durt, A. H. Spayd, C. D. Bartholomew, Elizabeth Bartholomew, R. Stanley Brooks, Miss Laura Runkle, C. D. Cannon, Mabel Arney, Mrs. T. A. Hosterman.

\$.100 Contributions—Mr. and Mrs. George Seaton, Mr. and Mrs. James Seaton, Mrs. D. A. Bozner, D. S. Daup, H. L. Ehrhart, Paul Pettefort, J. E. Royer, Fred Luse, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Puff, Miss Rebecca Dertine, Rev. D. R. Keener, Miss Sara and I. C. McClenahan, Mrs. Wallace Runkle, Mrs. J. Lavan Smith, Miss Grace Smith, Mrs. B. G. Grove, J. I. Fetters, W. I. Emery, T. L. Moore Stella Hosterman, Marion Smith, Ralph Whitman, Mrs. Roy S. Jamison, Margaret Jacobs, Paul Lingie, Wm. Hanna, Genevieve Ruble, Mrs. Archie Meyer, J. L. Tressler, Mrs. Kuhn, Mrs. Agnes Luse, Mrs. Mazie Lee, Mrs. John Coldron, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Bohn, Mrs. Grace Henney, Wilbur Henney, Mrs. Lucy Henney, Helton White, Mr. and Mrs. Henry White, Mrs. Celesta Strohmeier, Richard Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Bradford, D. K. Keller, Howard E. Emery, W. D. Shoop, Lila Brooks, Ruth Ruchan, Mrs. Emma Ruchan, R. N. Ziegler, Mary Garver, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Vogt, Laura Breon, J. Cloyd Brooks, Mrs. J. Cloyd Brooks, Florence Brooks, Mrs. Sidney Hiesel.
75c Contributions—Harry M. Thompson, Mrs. D. M. Bradford, B. H. Knarr.
50c Contributions—Mrs. Laura Lee, Ernest Wagner, "Cash," Mrs. Lester Garbrick, Mrs. Robert Neff, Mrs. H. H. Mark, Perry Luse, Mrs. Clyde Bradford, Mrs. David Stoner, Joe Hartley, Verne Garbrick, Miss Anna Sweeney, Mrs. Marcell Confer, Mrs. Frank Ishler, D. T. Zweifel, Harvey W. Flink, Mrs. M. C. Flink, Mrs. George Vogt, Miss Bessie Coldron, Carrie Belle Emrick, C. A. Spyster, Mrs. Carl Burkholder, Topsy Toe Girls Sewing Club.
25c Contributions—Merle Decker, Miss Jane Foreman, Mrs. Lynn Breon, Mrs. R. P. Williams.
Additional contributions of various amounts are:
Mrs. Mary Neff, \$3.00; George Lutz, Roy Dutrow, 50 cents each; C. P. Noll, 25 cents.

POTTERS MILLS
Solicitor—Mrs. George H. McCormick.
\$.50 Contributions—Sprucetown M. E. Sunday school, H. E. Hennigh.
\$.100 Contributions—H. E. Foust, E. C. Wagner, C. T. Miller, J. F. Meek.

C. E. ROSSMAN, NITTANY VALLEY MAN, A SUICIDE

Firing a revolver shot into his temple, while members of his family sought to wrest the weapon from him as they struggled in the kitchen of their home Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, Clarence E. Rossman, 50, died before the arrival of Dr. J. M. Dummar, Mackeyville. Coroner W. J. Shuman pronounced his death due to suicide and decided that an inquest would be unnecessary.

Mr. Rossman, who resides in Nittany Valley near Parvin, was said to have become despondent. Born at Lamar, he was a lifelong resident of Nittany Valley, and was a laborer. Survivors are his wife, a son, Clair Diez, Jacksonville; also two brothers, John E., Mill Hall, R. D., and Wm. A., of the Veterans Hospital Sharpburg, and a sister, Mrs. Belle Enert, of Lock Haven.

I. O. O. F. BANQUET

The annual I. O. O. F. banquet held in Grange Arcade, Friday night, was attended by 79 persons. Entertainment was furnished by Prof. Albert Hobbs in singing and rendering instrumental numbers. He also furnished music for square dances in which a number of the banqueters engaged.

A play was also staged by the Charles Frazer and Earl White families. The remainder of the time was taken up playing bingo.

Prof. Hobbs was a room-mate of Russel Bohn while in teachers college. The audience gave liberal expression of Mr. Hobbs' musical talent.

P. S. C. ASSISTS GRADE SCHOOL NUTRITION STUDY

A nutrition study to determine how much benefit school children derive from the feeding of vitamin concentrates or of foods high in protein and vitamin content is being conducted as a joint project by the State Department of Health and the Pennsylvania State College.

Dr. A. B. Bauman, of the Department of Health, and Dr. Pauline B. Mack, director of home economics research at the college, are cooperating in measuring 500 grade children in Altoona for protein, mineral, and various vitamin deficiencies.

Children found to be nutritionally deficient will receive vitamin and minerals under the auspices of the Department of Health. The children will be tested again after three months to find what progress they are making.

By an act of the Legislature in 1925 the Department of Health was authorized to provide vitamin products to undernourished children in the public schools of Pennsylvania. Vitamins and calcium phosphate are now being selected on the basis of need.

PENN TWP. FARMER DIES FROM PARALYSIS, WED. NIGHT

A coroner's jury on Friday declared John W. Confer, Penn township, died following a paralytic stroke Wednesday night. He was found Thursday morning under hay and fodder in an entry in a barn, where it is presumed he had fallen during the process of getting fodder from a mow.

Mrs. Confer retired at night under the impression her husband had gone to Millheim, a short distance east of their home. Awakening during the night she discovered the absence of Mr. Confer and at once aroused the neighborhood. The search proved fruitless until morning.

The deceased was a son of Peter Confer, and was born in Union county. He was aged 77 years and 18 days. He is survived by a wife, Lydia. The following children are also survivors of the deceased: Mrs. Catherine Foot, Millheim; Mrs. Ammon Stover, and Mrs. Hannah Auman, both of Milton; and Herman F. Confer, Harrisburg; two brothers, Emanuel, Millheim, R. D., and Edward, Chicago.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. A. C. Paulhamus, pastor of the Evangelical church, on Monday forenoon, and burial made at Millheim.

Through the efforts of Congressman Don Gingerich the postoffice at Martha will be kept open until such time as a plan for adequate and satisfactory rural delivery service can be worked out for that section.

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er, George H. McCormick.
25c Contribution—Miss Caroline McCloskey.

TUSSEYVILLE
Solicitor—Mrs. Thos. S. Swartz.
\$.80 Contribution—Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wert and Ann Wert.
\$.300 Contribution—Calvin G. Weaver.
\$.100 Contributions—Wm. Lingie, Guy Shunk, Mrs. Anna Rossman, Mrs. Claude Wert, Claude Wert, Mrs. John B. Wert Jr., Charles Slaterbeck, A. W. Holderman, Mary Swartz, Mrs. P. Kamer, L. M. Barger.
50c Contributions—Marcellus McClellan.

Rural District Canvass
Rural districts are being solicited by M. A. Burkholder, Earl Delaney, John Meeker and J. M. Carson, working under the direction of T. F. Delaney, chairman. Their report will appear next week.

If the name of any contributor has been omitted, or the amount not properly stated, the error should be reported to Miss Grace Smith.

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TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

HAPPENINGS OF LOCAL INTEREST FROM ALL PARTS

About two inches of snow fell during Thursday night.

During the illness of C. F. Emery, Miss Alice Spyster clerked in the Emery general store.

C. F. Emery, merchant, became ill Saturday and has since been confined to bed from an attack of flu.

Millfinburg is planning to construct a \$10,000 swimming pool, provided the o. k. of the PWA is secured.

Grant Gingerich, of Clearfield, is a guest of his brother, Samuel Gingerich, and sister, Mrs. Sommers, in town.

A 300-acre tract of timberland on the Harry E. Fye farm, in Brush Valley, as being cut. Oak and pine are the principal trees being felled.

The missionary society connected with the Presbyterian church held an all-day meeting at the Manse, Wednesday of last week. A tureen dinner was served.

Veterans' Administration expenditures in Pennsylvania during the fiscal year of 1936 amounted to \$37,033,945. Six hundred and thirty-eight Civil war veterans got \$812,667.

The annual Masonic banquet will be served in the high school building by one of several church organizations being contacted at this time, on Thursday evening, March 11.

Mr. and Mrs. F. V. Jodon gave a birthday dinner for their granddaughter, Arlene Corman, who became 7, on Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Corman and Cherry Yvonne were also guests.

Miss Isabel Bradford, who is at her home here over the week-end. She is in training in the school for nurses in the Geisinger hospital, Danville, and reports the hospital crowded with patients.

Mrs. Nancy Bradford, who is now at the home of a son, William Bradford, in Phoenixville, attained her 86th year during last month. She continues in comparatively good health, is quite active and enjoys life.

Kenneth Frank, of Centre Hall, was one of 53 students who took the short course in ice cream making given this winter by the Pennsylvania State College. Students from six states were enrolled in the course.

Mr. and Mrs. Ammon Bubb and daughter, Beatrice, of Yeagertown, on Sunday visited with Mrs. Catharine Carson and Mrs. Ella Wilkinson, at Potters Mills. Mrs. Carson is a sister and Mrs. Wilkinson the mother of Mrs. Bubb.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Whitehill entertained at their home at Woodcrest, north of State College, on Monday evening, Capt. Louis Ritzke, Alex Sophehak, Nestor Kocenbinsky, three of Penn State's Varsity boxers. A fine chicken dinner was served.

Both Clayton Wagner and son, Chester Wagner, of Potters Mills, were confined to bed during last week from colds, but by Monday they were about in the house. The younger Mr. Wagner is employed at the Kerlin poultry plant. J. E. Rishel is another employe at the plant to go down with gripe.

David Baird, of Phillipsburg, has been admitted to practice law at the Centre county bar. He is associated with Hon. E. J. Thompson, William Litke, who was formerly connected with the legal firm of Thompson and Litke, has gone to Erie, where he has become associated with the law firm of Brooks, Kurtze and Sillis.

John Wells, who for a few years farmed the Eungard farm at Farmers Mills, will be employed by John Rimmey after April 1st, and will occupy the dwelling on the former Herman farm, east of Centre Hall. With the assistance of the energetic young man, Mr. Rimmey will operate the Herman farm and the one he lives on, both Keller farms.

Mrs. Harry Barrett, Mrs. Pauline Reigby, of Buffalo, N. Y., and Miss Thelma Baker, of Trout Run, were week-end guests at the Henry White home. The former is a niece of Mrs. White and was accompanied by her girl friend. The latter was a school chum of Miss Helen White, while attending Lock Haven State Teachers College several years ago.

Owing to the inability of Rev. D. R. Keeper to fill Sunday's worship appointments in the Reformed church, the Rev. A. S. Asendorf, pastor of Faith Reformed church, State College, was in charge of the service at Centre Hall, and the Rev. R. H. Dotterer, Ph. D., of the Dept. of Philosophy, Pennsylvania State College, was in charge of the service at Tusseyville.

Messrs. Clair Teeter and H. L. King, of New Enterprise, Bedford county, on a business trip through Centre county, on Thursday, called at the Reporter office. Mr. Tee-on is a garage man, and Mr. King one of the progressive farmers in Morris Cove Valley, which section the latter declares unsurpassed from a standpoint of soil productivity anywhere in the state. He makes dairying a specialty.

Union county commissioners have definitely decided to build a \$85,000 prison. Work on the structure will begin next spring. The building will have accommodations for the sheriff and family, twenty-two cells and several extra rooms to be occupied by county agencies. The outer walls will be constructed of native sand stone. The location is on St. Louis street, between the court house and the Lutheran church, but will stand thirty feet back from the building line.