

Spring Mills

A COLLECTION OF NEWSY HAPPENINGS AND PERSONALS FROM GREGG TWP.'S METROPOLIS.

Blaine Bitner Rushed to Hospital—Blaine Bitner, rural mail carrier from the Spring Mills post office, was rushed to the Lewisburg hospital on Thursday morning of last week and immediately underwent an operation performed by Dr. Cassidy for the removal of a tumor of the stomach. At about 4:00 o'clock a. m. on the day named Mr. Bitner was seized with excruciating pains. Dr. Frank was called and after examination advised immediate hospital attention. He was taken to the institution by his brother, Bright Bitner, accompanied by the wife of the patient. When the Bitners arrived everything was in readiness, and the operation was begun without going through many of the formalities generally required. The operation proved to be a very serious and difficult one.

Paul Swabb recently became the attendant at the fire tower on Poe Mountain, near the Poe Valley CCC camp. Henry Zerby was a former observer on the tower.

Resben Winters and family moved from the home owned by Al Duck to the farm John McCool vacated and Nathaniel Ziegler and family have moved into their new home purchased some time ago. Likewise have Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Hettinger and children become residents of Spring Mills and now occupy the home acquired a few months ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Condo, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Shook, Mrs. Gross Shook and Mrs. Annie Detwiler attended the funeral of James Roush, Aaronsburg on Wednesday. Mr. Roush was a brother of Mrs. Detwiler.

Mrs. Fetterolf Improving—Although gradually improving following treatment at the Geisinger hospital, Danville, Mrs. Homer W. Fetterolf is not able to perform her work as instructor in music, Latin and English in the Vocational school, but expects to do so in the near future.

Others about Spring Mills who have been noted heretofore as being sick are Mrs. A. C. Confer and Mrs. Clyde Confer, both patients in the Lewisburg hospital, their condition may be termed as slightly improved. The same may be said of Mrs. S. L. Condo, who at times is now able to sit up. Children who became ill recently are Lois Kerstetter, young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Kerstetter, and Lois, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Miles Johnson.

Miss Gladys Ziegler, employed at the Laurelton State Village was at her home here over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller Jamison of Conneaut, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Jamison prior to the sale of the household effects of the late E. T. Jamison. The Jamison home was not offered for sale, but it is understood the administrators have a very fair offer for the place.

Social Affairs—Those from Spring Mills who attended the Senior dance in the Centre Hall-Potter high school auditorium, on Friday night, included Mr. and Mrs. Carl Myers, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Corman, Misses Bernice Smith, Josephine Stover and Bernice Barger, Messrs. Spurgeon Condo, Wayne Bitting and Dean Hettinger. All speak in a most flattering manner of the dance, music and the manner in which the social affair was conducted.

Gregg to Play in Baseball League—The boys of G. T. V. S. will play in the eastern division of the Centre County High School Baseball League again this year. The local team, it will be recalled, won the title in the eastern division last season losing to Port Matilda in the county playoff. The eastern division this year is composed of Gregg township, Hubersburg, Loganton, and Howard; Hubersburg and Mill Hill failing to enter this season. The western division includes Centre Hall, Boalsburg, Snow Shoe, Port Matilda and Pleasant Gap. The schedule will open about the middle of April.

A regular meeting of the Eastern Star, at Centre Hall, Monday evening was attended by members of that fraternal organization from Spring Mills.

Grading on the new road will be completed by the end of this week. The grading in Penn Hall is now being done. Next week base tone will be laid commencing Monday, until completed. Base stone were laid during the early winter as far west as the Decker saw mill, and it is at that point the work will begin.

"The Ghost Parade"—The senior class is making preparations to present their class play, "The Ghost Parade," in the high school auditorium at Spring Mills on the evening of Friday, April 16. The play has been selected from a large number of possibilities and promises to present entertainment of a highly enjoyable nature. Tickets will be sold by high school students within the next week for 15 and 25 cents.

Coleman Wingard is substituting for Blaine Bitner on rural mail route No. 2. He will do so until Mr. Bitner recovers from an operation he underwent last Thursday morning.

Albert Grenoble, of Smulton, visited his sister, Mrs. Bruce Bailey. It will not be revealing a too confidential affair to say that Miss Confer, a domestic at the Bailey home, is also from Smulton.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl C. Weber, newlyweds, began housekeeping immediately on their return from a honeymoon trip, at Smulton.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Reformed church will meet at the home of Mrs. Lee Brooks on Wednesday evening, 14th inst.

Miss Verna Hettinger, daughter of Robert Hettinger, is employed in a home north of Mifflintown where she is taking care of an aged lady, partially invalid.

Class Scholarship Standing in Vocational—Class scholarship standings for the fourth period are as follows: Sen-

ior, 1.70; Sophomore, 1.38; Junior, 1.31; Freshman, 1.13. School 1.13.

The following high school students had grade point averages of 2.6 or better for the fourth period and for that reason are named on the scholastic honor roll: Cora McCool, Betty Lee, Frances Frazier, Isabel Musser, John Shook, Betty Auman, Marie Long and Jean Watts.

Percent of attendance for the fourth period by classes: Senior, 95.5 per cent; Junior, 95.3 per cent; Freshman, 90.8 per cent, and Sophomore, 89.5 per cent.

The following high school students have had perfect attendance records up to the close of the fourth period: Spurgeon Condo, Bernice Barger, Dorothy Duck, Gladys Groves, Kathryn Frazier, Catherine Barger, John Shook, Isabel Musser, Frances Harter, Mildred Stover, Joseph Myers, Walter Snively and Jean Watts.

BOALSBURG

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Hess and daughters, Misses Anna Mary and Virginia, drove to Greensburg Friday evening, remaining until Sunday as guests of the Paul Coxy family.

Mrs. Effie M. Jacobs returned home Friday after spending several months with friends in Altoona.

James Swank, Jr., of Endicott, N. Y., is spending some time at the home of his grandparents, Dr. and Mrs. P. L. Swank.

The degree team of the local Rebekah lodge drove to Millheim Monday evening to participate in a meeting of the Millheim lodge.

Class No. 3 of the Lutheran S. S. will meet at the home of Mrs. Edna Musser, State College, on Thursday evening.

Miss Eleanor Smith will meet the class in Home Economics on Friday April 9, at the home of Mrs. J. D. Patterson. This will be the last one of the series.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Stover, of Yeagertown, attended Communion services in the local Reformed church on Sunday and were also guests of Misses Mary Reish and Nora Miller. Miss Reish, who has been ill for some time was able to attend the church services.

Mrs. Jennie Fortney and daughter Miss Beulah are among those who are ill. Mr. and Mrs. Yingling and Mr. and Mrs. White were Sunday visitors at the Fortney home.

TUSSEYVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cummings of Rebersburg, were dinner guests on Tuesday at the Mrs. C. S. Bodorf home.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Smith, of Rebersburg, were dinner guests on Tuesday at the W. S. Marts home.

Mrs. Mary Glasgow, from Penn Hall spent Friday at the Charley Slater-beck home.

Fred Perry, of Punxsutawney, and Roy Dowdell and son, of Bellefonte, called at the Fortney home on Sunday.

Miss Mary Fortney accompanied Fred Perry to Punxsutawney on Sunday.

POTTERS MILLS

Mrs. Myrtle Diffenderfer and grandson, of Lewisburg, visited over the week-end at the home of her brother, Frank Ennist.

The sale of the late Joseph Parker was well attended and everything brought good prices. The home was sold to John Meeker for \$775.

Mrs. Ed. Sweetwood has been confined to her bed with an attack of the grippe.

Mrs. F. F. Palmer, Miss Caroline McClaskey, Mrs. J. G. Boal, Mrs. Laura McCormick, Mrs. H. E. Foust and Mrs. G. H. McCormick attended a quilting at the Earl Frazier home on Tuesday.

The movings that have taken place

in our village over the first of April were: Chester Knapp and family, of near Coburn, into the home he purchased from Frank Phillips; Edward Bressler and family to Bellefonte; Wilbur Confer from the Joseph Confer house to the one vacated by Bressler; John Fohringer and family from the Allison farm to the farm he bought near Colyer; Charles Workinger from Milroy to the farm vacated by Fohringer.

Miss Orpha Fleisher, who had been employed at State College, is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. H. E. Foust.

E. E. McMeen, head of Lewisburg's leading department store, whose death occurred recently, established the store in 1900, coming to Lewisburg from Mifflintown. In 1926 he sold the Mifflintown store and moved his family to Lewisburg. An only son, A. Ralph McMeen, survives, with five grandchildren. The son is associated with the E. E. McMeen Company.



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