

ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST

Farmers have had three ideal days—Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday—for farm work.

Miss Ella Bottorf of Lemont and Mrs. Ray Gilliland of Harrisburg were guests at the Jacobs home on Sunday.

A Magnolia tree on the Kerlin lawn is in full bloom and is exceptionally pretty with a great profusion of white flowers.

Mrs. Kryder Frank entertained the Senior Service class in the Lutheran Sunday school on Wednesday evening of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Wert, Jr., and daughter Joanne, and Mrs. C. A. Spyster and daughter Ruth, motored to Marklesburg on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Mitterling of town and Mrs. John Homan of Lewistown attended the funeral of Rev. Fred W. Barry, on Tuesday.

Miss Anna Stover, a nurse in the U. S. Government hospital at Aspinwall in the Pittsburgh district, visited her sister, Mrs. Wm. McClanahan, and other relatives about here over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Burkholder, with Miss Geraldine Hoover and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Foust as guests, motored to Altoona on Sunday where they were guests of Miss Hoover's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Hoover.

Miss Jean Musser is expecting to be discharged from the Eye and Ear hospital, Pittsburgh, where she is a patient, within a few days. A tumor was removed from back of the right eye as large as the eye itself. Her condition is most excellent.

Mrs. George Mackle and granddaughter, Christine Ann of Richmond, Va., arrived here on Tuesday of last week, remaining with the former's daughter, Mrs. Robert Breon, and Mr. Breon until Thursday. Christena Ann will remain with her mother, Mrs. Breon, for the present.

Robert Parnell of State College has been named by the Centre County Commissioners, acting as the County Institution District, to the position of investigator for the district, in the post made vacant by I. R. Baumgardner of Zion, who received a State job at Rockview penitentiary.

Farmer Charles S. Stoner of near Tusseyville had the misfortune to lose two cows through death. The animals broke from their stalls and going to another part of the barn found chicken mash stored there. Both of them ate large quantities of the poultry feed with the above noted results.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Stover of Altoona were guests of the former's sister, Mrs. John H. Durst, and family, on Sunday. Mr. Stover on returning from a man on a P. R. R. train as fireman from Altoona to Harrisburg, and back, decided to motor to his boyhood day surroundings.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. Vogt and sons Bernard and Floyd; Mr. and Mrs. George Kern of Madisonburg, on Sunday, motored to Towanda where the Kerns visited with their son, Samuel. The Vogts went on to Lacoyville where Mr. Vogt's nephew and niece live. The trip totaled 400 miles.

The fact that the State Highway Department at Harrisburg forwarded complete blue prints for the rebuilding of the Old Fort-Potters Mills road, a part of Route 53, to officials in the borough and in Potter township, indicates the department contemplates carrying the project through. There is no information available.

Robert H. Peacock of Monroe, N. Y., district land and tax agent Land and Tax Department of the Erie Railroad Company, was in the valley over the week-end in the interest of the Peacock farms at Centre Hill and Penn Hall. The buildings on the Centre Hill farm will be wired for lighting with electricity.

John Spyster, assistant manager of the electrica department of the Carera company in York, was at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Spyster, in Centre Hall, over the week-end. Other guests at the Spyster home were Gordon Swank and Eugene DeDinco, room-mates of Fred Spyster, a senior at Penn State.

A forest fire raged in the Barrens section above State College and threatened the Woolycress village section on Monday. The fire is believed to have originated in the vicinity of the Scotia mine site at about 10:00 o'clock Monday morning. The flames spread over a large area, but by midnight the fire was under control.

Rev. J. W. Zang, a former pastor of the local Evangelical church and located at State College at the present time, was in town on Wednesday morning. Miss Ruth Zang, a school girl when the family lived in Centre Hall, is at present employed in Moses Taylor hospital, Scranton, in the capacity of technician.

Mrs. Elizabeth Mitterling, who last September went to West Palm Beach, Florida, arrived in Lewistown on Wednesday where she will remain with a daughter, Mrs. John Homan, for a short time before coming to Centre Hall. On her way north, Mrs. Mitterling visited with her youngest daughter, Mrs. William Ashley, at Chattanooga, Tenn.

In another article in this issue of the Reporter an account is given of a stray bullet from a rifle crashing through a window light in the office of the Kerlin Poultry Farm. On making a more complete investigation on the outside, Mr. Kerlin was surprised to find a second bullet hole about three inches above where the missile of a few days ago entered. The opening made by the first bullet was through the sash at an angle that imbedded the bullet in the window frame. If the promiscuous firing of rifles, large or small, continues in that quarter the danger to limb and life will be much too much for pleasure.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Strunk had been ill, but the latter has recovered. Mr. Strunk, however, is confined to bed for part of the time.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Smith and daughter, Barbara Ann, Cameron Long and Harriet Smith drove to Wilkes-Barre to visit relatives of Mrs. Smith, on Sunday.

The Milk Control Commissioner will hold a hearing on Friday to receive evidence upon conditions of milk production in Centre county, at the Penn Alto hotel, Altoona, at 10:30 o'clock.

J. O. Brewer, Bellefonte coal dealer, last week purchased the Edgefonte filling station property near Axemann from Mrs. Austin Johnson, who has gone to State College to make her future home.

Prof. L. O. Packer, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Brooks, and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Packer, on Friday, attended the funeral of the former's sister, Mrs. Alma Schoff at Aimesville, Clearfield county.

Local churches, the Grange, and fraternal organizations are asked to appoint committees to arrange for the annual Memorial Day plans, to meet in the P. O. S. of A. hall at 8 o'clock on Friday evening of this week.

Mrs. W. W. Kerlin, with William, Jr., at the wheel, on Saturday, on a run to Altoona had as a guest Miss Jennie Thomas, who remained in the city with a cousin, Mrs. Carrie Hunsinger, a daughter of the senior William Wiltmer.

Rev. D. R. Keener, during the beginning of this week entered the Mary Packer hospital, Sunbury, to undergo a tonsilectomy. Dr. Wentzel, surgeon. This accounts for the announcement of his absence from the pulpit on Sunday.

J. W. Evans of Spring Mills, R. D., was a pleasant caller at the Reporter office on Saturday. Mr. Evans keeps abreast of the times, is progressive, and has an abiding faith in the good American principles that will keep America going along its natural course.

Mr. and Mrs. William Herman and children of Hollidaysburg and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hartsweck and children of State College were guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Archie A. Moyer in Centre Hall. Mr. Herman is in charge of visual aids on the WPA Adult Education and Recreation program in Blair county.

Shortly after the close of the local high school, Mr. and Mrs. David I. Graybill will go to Troxleville to remain during the summer vacation. Mr. Graybill, a member of the Centre Hall-Potter faculty, will take a course at Susquehanna University at Selinsgrove to further fit himself for the position he holds.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Boozer and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Snyder, the latter of State College, made a motor trip thru Virginia to Baltimore and Washington, leaving here on Friday and returning home on Sunday. The northern half of the Skyline Drive in Virginia was covered before turning toward the National Capital and Baltimore.

Dr. J. M. Runkle, of Williamsport, formerly of Altoona, will fill the pulpit appointments on Sunday morning for Rev. D. R. Keener at Centre Hall and Tusseyville. Dr. Runkle is a native of Potter township and is one of the foremost ministers in the Reformed-Evangelical Synod of which this section is a part.

Charles F. Bartges of Washington, D. C., spent the week-end with his father, Ivy Bartges, at Spring Mills, and also visited his cousin, Mrs. Blanche Mullinger, who will enter the Lewistown hospital next week for observation. Mr. Bartges was in Centre Hall on business on Saturday evening.

Mrs. Harry W. Potter and daughter Barbara were motor guests of Miss Grace Wible, an art teacher in the State College borough schools, to New York City, where she attended the Eastern Arts Association meeting. In the meantime Mrs. Potter visited with a cousin of the former, Mrs. Gordon Avison, whose husband is a missionary to Korea, but on furlough and living in New York at this time. The trio left here during last week and returned home Sunday evening.

FARM CALENDAR

Feeding Calves on Pasture—It is a good plan to feed some grain to calves on pasture to keep them growing and developing normally, believe dairy extension specialists with the Pennsylvania State College. Equal parts of corn and oats are suggested. Add a little bran and soybean meal if the pasture becomes short and dry.

Raising Pullets—Keep the pullets healthy and growing if you expect to place good pullets in the laying house next fall, Penn State poultry extension specialists recommend. Sturdy, disease-free chicks lessen the danger from disease.

Caring for Trees—Unless tree injuries are treated promptly, the entire tree will be destroyed gradually, claim extension specialists at the Pennsylvania State College. Every broken limb or other external injury that penetrates to the inner bark is a source of future trouble.

Providing Supplemental Summer Feed—When pastures become short in summer, dairymen will find soybeans and sudan grass an excellent source of additional feed, say Penn State dairy extension specialists.

Repairing the Home Lawn—Don't rake the lawn in the spring, warn turf specialists at Penn State. It simply improves conditions for the germination of weed seeds and does not help the desired grasses. Raking is particularly beneficial to crabgrass, a lawn weed.

Light Seeding of Oats—Sowing more than two bushels of Patterson or Cornellian oats per acre may result in a thick stand having fine, soft straw that lodges easily, report Penn State extension agronomists. The straw in thin stands is usually coarse and stronger.

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REGISTER'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested that the following inventories of the goods and chattels set apart to widows in accordance with the provisions of the Fiduciaries Act of 1917 have been confirmed by the Court and if no exceptions are filed on or about the first day of next term the same will be confirmed absolute:

1. The inventory and appraisal of the personal property of Mahlon B. Beck, late of Half Moon Township, deceased, was set apart to his widow, Florence M. Beck.
2. The inventory and appraisal of the personal property of William N. Fishburn, late of Benner Township, deceased, was set apart to his widow, Margaret I. Fishburn.
3. The inventory and appraisal of the personal property of George B. Jackson, late of State College Boro, deceased, was set apart to his widow, Bessie Jackson.
4. The inventory and appraisal of the personal property of C. N. Kryder late of Centre Hall Borough, was set apart to his widow, Savilla B. Kryder.
5. The inventory and appraisal of the personal property of Robert G. McClellan, late of Harris Township, deceased, was set apart to his widow, Ida E. McClellan.
6. The inventory and appraisal of the personal property of Oliver F. Stover, late of Miles Township, deceased, was set apart to his widow, Annie M. Stover.
7. The inventory and appraisal of the personal property of William F. Stover, late of Miles Township, deceased, was set apart to his widow, Minnie Stover.

JOHN L. WETZLER,
Register of Wills of Centre County

PENNY-A-WORD COLUMN.

PUBLIC SALE—Mabel M. Immel, 2 miles northwest of Spring Mills, will make sale of household goods on Saturday, May 6, at 12 o'clock noon. George Wise, auct.

NOTICE TO FARMERS—Highest prices paid for wool, or trade on blankets and hap wool, at Gibboney Woolen Mills located 2 miles west of Reedsville, Pa., on Route 75. (No wool accepted tied with binder twine.) X17

FOR SALE—A lot of good locust fence posts for sale.—E. R. McClellan, Centre Hall, Pa., R. D. X18

WANTED—Summer pasture for five yearling, blood-tested heifers.—B. W. Ripka, Spring Mills, Pa.; phone 30-R-11 Centre Hall.

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