

# A BATCH OF BREEZY LETTERS

### Gathered by a Corps of Alert Correspondents.

## FROM ALL OVER THE COUNTY

#### What is Going on Outside of Bellefonte—Happenings in Other Communities—Favorable Crop Reports—Other Interesting Items.

### PLEASANT GAP.

#### An Unusually Spicy Letter From our Alert Correspondent.

#### BRAND NEW:—Geo. P. Thomas will have to make room for his latest arrival—a little girl.

#### Harry Emerick spent Saturday and Sunday at his home, Spring Mills.

#### SHIP APPLES:—Messrs W. H. Noll, Jr. and Bro. expect to make a shipment of apples and potatoes to the eastern markets soon.

#### NO INTEREST:—Election time is fast approaching, but little interest has been manifested so far.

#### Rev. J. C. Young, who had been visiting his mother in Clearfield county for the last week or more, returned home Saturday.

#### Abe Armstrong Sundayed here at the Gap. Abe occupied part of C. C. Taylors house which was destroyed by fire last Friday.

#### ARM BROKEN:—While picking apples at Perry Getzel's, Monday morning, Josiah Zeigler of this place fell from one of the trees and the result was a broken arm. It is a very sad misfortune to Mr. Zeigler.

#### SHEEP KILLED:—The other night dogs got among Chas. Rimmey's sheep, and left out one of his entire stock.

#### Deputy Collector Buckingham stopped long enough Monday to look after the interest of the distillery.

#### PORK PLENTY:—The amount of pork in this part of the county that will soon be ready for the market is unprecedented. The price of pork this fall will no doubt be remarkable.

#### GOT IT BAD:—It is reported that one of our young school teachers recently became so stuck on a lady from Tyrone that he is contemplating a trip to that city, soon.

#### Harry Taylor, of Bellefonte, paid our town a visit last week.

#### SORE THROAT:—Mrs. W. H. Noll has been suffering with quite a severe attack of sore throat for the past couple weeks or more.

of Miss Blanche Welty a few days last week.

A saw and knife is wanted at the meat market here.

While Wm. Bilger was looking for his girl the other night his hat got away from him; however his wife was not far away, and Mr. Bilger was soon reconciled to the fact.

Some of our farmers are through husking corn while others have only begun.

A trio of jolly young ladies from Tyrone, stopped for a few days at the home of Mr. Hartsock, they were Misses Murray, Weaver and Eger.

The funeral of Mrs. Baulich last Thursday was largely attended, as the deceased was well known throughout this neighborhood.

Has a PAIR:—While in attendance at a picnic recently a child accompanied by its mother from this place, lost one of its shoes. A gentleman also from this place found the shoe, the lady on hearing this sent the gentleman word that the property was hers, but he evidently thought that he might have some future use for the shoe refused to surrender it. The lady immediately sent the other shoe to the gentleman and when needed "Dell" will have a pair a small shoes.

OUR GOSSIP:—This place can hold a distinction above some other places of its size for the many eminent men and women it has turned out, such as doctors, lawyers, ministers and persons to fill the very highest ranks. The most debased class of people here are our gossips—persons (women principally) who delight in circulating falsehoods through the community to injure young men and women morally. Such people ought to be tarred and feathered.

Geo. Stewart spent Sunday with his many friends about the Gap.

Charles says he would rather be repulsed on a battlefield, than at the church door.

Misses Ida Bell and Cora Twitmyer were delegates from this place to the conference convention at Huntingdon.

DISSOLVED:—The firm that has been known here as Kerstetter & Gettig, butcher, has dissolved partnership and in the future Mr. Kerstetter will do business here at the Gap, while Mr. Gettig expects to buy the meat market of Sechler & Co. and in the near future will do business at that stand. He also expects to locate his family in Bellefonte.

Some of the boys from Potters Mills, were not in it, as deep as they anticipated last Sunday evening.

COMING EVENT:—The next attraction at the Gap will be a wedding and it is reported to be not far in the future.

### HOWARD PERSONALS.

B. Polson and family started to Virginia, to be gone a few weeks, visiting one of his brothers.

Our friend, J. L. DeHaas, is again able to be about.

Miss Sallie Lucas and her brother Clyde, arrived home last Thursday. They report having had quite a nice visit.

Mrs. Edward Shope is again able to be about and is reported a great deal better.

AFTER CHESTNUTS:—Mr. Hunter, Thomas, W. P. Mitchell, Arthur Comerford, Peter Daughenbaugh and Oscar Lucas started last Friday for chestnuts. In the first place they stopped at a farm house, got one gallon of milk and a pumpkin pie. They put in the day, arrived home about dusk and got about four quarts of nuts apiece. Now if any of our boys can beat this, turn out.

A. A. Shenck will go to housekeeping in a few weeks. He expects to occupy the Shutt house on Tipton street.

Lew Bolapew, son-in-law of Mrs. Pifer, of Kansas, is visiting here. Lew thinks a man who has a good home in Pennsylvania had better stay here.

H. C. Quigley passed through here on Monday, looking after his interests for district attorney.

### COBURN HAPPENINGS.

Singing Class Organized—Men Wanted—Creamery Improvements

Hickory nuts are plenty.

Joseph Meyer, of Centre Mills was a caller to our town on Saturday.

SINGING CLASS:—Prof. James Harter has succeeded in organizing a singing class here in Coburn. The class we think will number at least thirty or forty.

The young people's meeting at this place is well attended. It is a worthy society and all should join. Meets every Sunday evening at 6 o'clock.

WANTED:—Some good looking young man to court some of our girls twice a week. No one need apply that can not go two nights in a week. They must be well dressed, in latest style, and have 50 cents worth of gum in their pockets. Boys, now is your time.

We are informed that Adam Bartges, of Haines, will be a candidate for sheriff.

E. L. Auman, of Centre Mills, was seen in town on Sunday. Come again and stay longer.

Andrew Meyer and wife, of Woodward, Sundayed at Coburn.

Joseph Shaffer, of Nittany, was seen in our town Saturday.

Luther Guiswite is improving his creamery by building a part to it. Coburn should have some more men like Mr. Guiswite. All that is wrong, he

should be a good democrat.

Jacob Meyer has been improving his planing mill last week by giving it a coat of paint.

### FROM NITTANY.

#### How Arbor Day was Observed by the Pupils of the Schools.

Editor DEMOCRAT:—Thinking a little sketch of how Arbor day was observed at Snyder town school, in Walker township, Grace Beck, teacher, might prove interesting and induce others to send accounts of how the day was observed by them, we send this:

The teacher, several days previous, requested several of the older boys to bring trees on Friday, and part of the afternoon would be devoted to planting them. She also gave each boy who brought a tree the privilege of naming it after his favorite hero. Three boys, all under fourteen years of age, brought fine maples. Each boy was requested to write a short essay on the life and character of his favorite, to be read after planting the tree. Harry Lutz selected Christopher Columbus as his favorite; George Keins thought George Washington the grandest character in history, although he cut down the cherry tree; and Charlie Decker named his tree Bismark as his ideal hero, and devoted his paper to his honor. After short lessons in the afternoon the school adjourned to the grounds where each tree was carefully planted and the papers read. After the trees were planted the teacher gave a little talk on Arbor day, stating by whom first instituted, and why we should plant and care for trees, and asking the school to notice how much trees added to the appearance of home grounds as well as to the landscape. The exercises were much enjoyed. X

### GATESBURG GOSSIP.

New Store Erected—Quite Sick—Hunting Party.

Some of the farmers are through husking corn.

NEW STORE:—Mr. Levi Garber, of this place, has purchased a lot on Main street, and is erecting a building for a new store. He intends to carry a full line of dry goods and groceries and all things that should be kept in a country store, and take in exchange all kinds of produce. We wish him success in his undertaking.

Calvin Harper and wife, of Bellefonte, were pleasant callers at S. P. Irvin's last week, and also calling on good democrats in this section. Cal is a good, clever fellow and all enjoy to see him come.

There are a great many chestnuts on the ridges this fall.

QUITE SICK:—Mr. Rudolph Strayer, of this place, is quite ill at present. The disease is the enlargement of the palate

Dr. Houser, of Penna. Furnace, was summoned and prescribed. The last we heard he was recovering slowly.

Mrs. Elizabeth Harpster, of this place, has shut up her house for the winter, and gone to stay with her son Daniel, who is living four miles below Stormstown.

HUNTING:—Isaac Rider, the correspondent for the Gazette, is going to leave with a party of nimrods for the mountains. We hope they may bring home a fine lot of game to repay them for their trouble. Do not know who will correspond till he returns, does not matter much, either.

THAT CONCERT:—A few weeks ago a couple of our young men gave a concert on the organ and violin. The same party had to tell how fine the music was. We heard it was exceedingly fine as many of the chickens tumbled for their perches before it was over. We like egotism, but that is too much.

TURN OUT:—All should turn out to the election and poll a big vote.

### REBERSBURG JOTTINGS.

Wheel Taken Off—Musical Convention—Real Estate Sold.

WHEEL TAKEN:—On Saturday evening, while Mr. Will Bierly and Miss were to Tylersville, some one was mean enough to take one of his buggy wheels. The wheel has been returned, but Will says he is going to bring the intruder to justice.

Mr. Chas. Lonacre, better half and sister, were the guests of Mr. Geo. Krumpine over Sunday.

J. M. Moyer and family made a flying trip to Centre Hall on Saturday.

Merchant Miller's mother and sister, (Mrs. Rob Wolfe) are visiting him at present. The aged lady expects to remain a short time.

COLLAPSED:—The telegraph company has collapsed. The posts and wire have been removed.

A VISIT:—William J. Singer, candidate for District Attorney, made a flying trip through our valley last Thursday. Every democrat should be out on election day and give Singer his hearty support.

MUSICAL CONVENTION:—It is rumored that a musical convention will be held in our town this winter. Let it be so, and revive old times.

The Coburn creamery, which runs a wagon into Kremersville territory, is not meeting with success. The old "original" is good enough for us.

A number of Jews from Lock Haven, have been buying up old iron through our valley.

Our new landlord will take possession on the 1st of Nov.

Mr.—from Bellefonte was a welcome

guest at Jerry Walkers several days last week. Lizzie how is it?

MARRIED:—Miss Ada Kreamer and Mr. Brown, from Chicago, will be married in the Reformed church, Thursday evening, of which there will be a more full account next week.

REAL ESTATE SOLD:—The sale on last Friday of Meador Bierly (deceased) resulted as follows: John Harter bought all the land, 20 acres lying along the Kremersville road, consideration \$1570 but has since sold some of it to James P. Frank, and part to Harvey Miller. That north-east of town was bought, by Sam'l Strohecker and Reuben Bierly, consideration \$99 per acre. House and blacksmith shop by Chas. Bierly Sr. consideration \$849.

### PINE GROVE MILLS ITEMS.

Clover seed Plenty—Shot Two Turkeys and Other News.

GOOD YIELD:—From 14 acres J. M. Kepler has taken 2,000 bushels of corn.

CLOVER SEED:—The yield of clover seed in this section is the largest ever known and the seed being of excellent quality. Some farmers have as much as 75 bushels.

MARRIED:—Mr. Edgar Bowersox and Miss Olic McWilliams were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents, on the 16th inst. Mr. Bowersox is a graduate of Williamsport Commercial College and is now filling a position in Altoona as clerk for the P. R. R. Co. They will begin house-keeping at once, in Altoona, where Ed. has purchased a house already furnished. We wish them a happy voyage over the billowy sea of life.

HE GOT THEM:—One day last week D. Krebs, merchant, thought he would like to have a little exercise and took his gun and started for the mountain in search of game, and it wasn't long until he came home with two fine wild turkeys. The one weighed 15 and the other 17½ pounds. Some of the young hunters are now in a fever of excitement, thinking all that is necessary is to secure an old shot gun and go to the mountain and they will find turkeys sitting under every bush. But not so, boys, it requires skill and patience. Clyde is so filled up with turkey that you can hear him gobble most any time in the day.

I. J. Reed and wife are away spending several weeks with friends and relatives in McKean county.

COMMUNION:—The Presbyterians will hold their regular communion services next Sunday. Preparatory services Friday and Saturday evenings previous. The services will be conducted by the Rev. Hepler, of Lemont.

### GORTON HEIGHTS.

Prof. C. J. Granley, made a visit to our schools on last Friday morning.

IMPROVING:—Mrs. M. P. Bock has been very sick for a few days from the grippe. She is mending slowly.

A FARMERS SON:—All those who know Wm. J. Singer can conscientiously say he is the man to fill the office of District Attorney, which he has filled for the last three years. Why not come out at the election and give him a lift? Mr. Singer came from a common family, farmers, and made his start by teaching in our public school; at which he was a success. He is well known throughout the county, and has friends to the same extent.

REPTILES:—The reptiles are still wriggling around, as some few have been captured recently.

DEADLY TRICK:—Last Friday eve Frank Leeder and Frank Miller went to Gilles town to attend a festival. While there, Mr. Miller got separated from Frank and did not find him during the evening. Mr. Leeder found out before he got home that his partner had gone ahead. While driving down the hill, he found several R. R. ties and a large stump in the road which nearly played havoc with his buggy. Be careful where you put your ties toys, that was a dangerous trick.

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Deafness and Catarrh cured by Dr. Salm.  
For a long time I noticed that I became gradually harder and harder of hearing. Ringing noises came in the ear after a while, and I became very much alarmed, so I went to Dr. Salm and put myself under his care, and to day I am grateful to state, and for the benefit of those who may suffer in a like manner, that I without trouble, thanks to Dr. Salm's wonderful treatment, can hear once again as good as ever, and those infernal noises have disappeared, although I am almost 60 years old. Dr. Salm saved all of it was caused by catarrh. R. Duck, Spring Mills, Pa. April 2, '95.

Thought his time had come but cured by Salm.  
For some years I have been suffering very much with various ailments, and once down short time couldn't see anything out of it, total at last. I suffered most excruciating pain from blindness was caused by the hurt. I heard so near to lose all the time. My stomach troubles me, I am grateful to state, and for the benefit of those who may suffer in a like manner, that I without trouble, thanks to Dr. Salm's wonderful treatment, can hear once again as good as ever, and those infernal noises have disappeared, although I am almost 60 years old. Dr. Salm saved all of it was caused by catarrh. R. Duck, Spring Mills, Pa. April 2, '95.

After total blindness made to see.  
About one year ago my brother accidentally cut me in my left eye with a bow gun. I became blind. I was always afraid to eat and the pain in my eye was terrible, but after a course of treatment I feel now once more as if I had never been hurt. I can eat everything again. I am grateful to state, and for the benefit of those who may suffer in a like manner, that I without trouble, thanks to Dr. Salm's wonderful treatment, can hear once again as good as ever, and those infernal noises have disappeared, although I am almost 60 years old. Dr. Salm saved all of it was caused by catarrh. R. Duck, Spring Mills, Pa. April 2, '95.

Granulated lids cured by Dr. Salm.  
For the last 4 years I have been troubled very much with granulated eye lids; it partly blinded me. Doctors here did me no good, it also seemed to affect my general health. Dr. Salm has cured me. I can again see splendidly and feel better than ever. Bessie Thomas, Indiana, Pa.

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