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PERSONAL AND SPECIAL CHAT

The News Collected by the "Centre Democrat's" Alert Corps of Correspondents—Timely Topics Discussed—Breezy Communications—News, Fun and Fancy—Is Your Community Represented—If Not, Why Not.

MADISONBURG ITEMS.

**FIREWORKS**—The fireworks on Saturday evening were quite nice. Although a week late, it still reminded the people of 1776.

James Smith rode his bicycle from Williamsport to this place, to visit his brother and parents, on Sunday last.

Geo. Kidder, who has been working in Pittsburg for several years, is at present visiting in our town.

**SNAKE STORY**—About a week ago while Mrs. B. W. Shaffer was removing some dried fruit from the bake oven she discovered a large snake in the oven. His snakeship was quickly dispatched, and the fruit thrown away. How the snake got in the oven is not known.

Mr. E. H. Zeigler is the happiest man in the community. It is a bouncing boy. E. H. will not need a hiring now, anymore.

Miss Mary Wesner, who has been in Philadelphia for some time has come home to spend her vacation.

A Mrs. Wolfe and several children of Philadelphia, have accompanied Miss Wesner. Mrs. Wolfe is a sickly lady and came to Brush Valley for the benefit of her health. The children are enjoying this first visit to the country, having never been out of the city before.

Hurrah for Bryan and Sewal and free silver!

**MAD DOG**—There has been quite a scare about a mad dog in this vicinity for some time. About ten days ago a large yellow shepherd made his appearance at Geo. Yearick's where it is reported he bit a hog and had a fight with his dog. He was next seen at W. G. Hazel's where he wanted to enter the summer house when Mrs. Hazel chased, he growled at her and then ran away. He was next seen at Henry Vonada's from there he went to Cal. Kishel's where he lay in the wagon shed for a while. The boys thinking it was some run away dog. He afterwards bit a hog. He next went to Isaac Longs where he entered the pig pen and bit five hogs. He now went to John Long's where he had a fight with the dog. When Mrs. Long tried to part the dogs he snapped at her and almost bit her. He also stopped at Adam Bierly's and Harvey Haugh's and bit several hogs. About this time several men followed him with guns but it got dark too quickly and he escaped. The hogs that were bitten got sick almost immediately but none have developed hydrophobia yet. But it is almost to quick yet, as most cases take from twenty days to three months to develop.

WOLFS STORE.

East end is "Bully." Huckleberries are plenty and sell for four cents a quart. Thomas Slutterbeck will take one thousand quarts to Milton next week to dispose of them.

Alfred Brungart and Geo. Adams have each recently lost a valuable horse.

Mrs. Lydia Zeigler and Mrs. Gettig, from Linden Hall, were down here last week visiting their brother, Henry W. Wolfe.

Mrs. Mary Kleckner, from the West, is here on a visit. She was a guest at Benj. Beck's.

Making hay and harvesting is what the farmers are doing.

Apple-pie, sass and dumplings are the go now.

Mr. and Mrs. Mackey, of Williamsport, were guests at the lady's parents last week, Daniel Harter's.

C. D. Weaver returned home from Williamsport after spending a few days visiting.

D. B. Weaver was getting ready last week to make cider. He will again make cider under the mill and invites all to bring their apples.

HOWARD NOTES.

A festival was held at Schenck's cemetery on last Saturday, for the benefit of the United Evangelical church, which netted them quite a nice sum.

Samuel Brickley, one of Howard's oldest citizens, is in very poor health at present.

A select picnic will be held in Butler's grove on Friday, July 17. Printed invitations are out for the occasion.

Jenkins Bros. & Lingie are doing some repairing at their mill.

B. Poulson expects to move from Howard to Centre Hall in the near future. He has rented his property at this place, but the party who will occupy it is not known yet.

Surge Pletcher, of Washington, D. C., is home on a visit. George Wister, of the same place, is also visiting his family here.

Miss Alice Askey, of Williamsport, is visiting her parents.

A festival will be held in the school house yard on Saturday evening, July 18; proceeds for the United Evangelical church.

SNOW SHOE AGAIN.

A lively letter from our correspondent at the Mountain City.

Mr. M. F. O'Connell and Chas. Shope have each purchased a new bicycle.

Miss Maud Schwer, of Peale, is visiting her friend Miss Agnes Healy of this place.

Who said McGinty was not a silver man?

Miss Lizzie Haddock, of Philipsburg, is visiting her parents of this place.

Chas. what's the difficulty? Don't go behind the barn to learn riding your bike.

Mrs. Jas Redding, Jr., of Oshanter, and Bridget Smith, of Karthaus, spent Sunday with their many friends of this place.

Michael Fahay, Jr., formerly of this place, but now employed in the P. R. R. shops at Tyrone, visited his parents this week.

Robert C. Gilliland and family of this place, are taking in sights, at Karthaus, this week.

**SCHOOL TEACHERS**—The following teachers were elected for the public school of this township:—Snow Shoe Grammar, A. C. Thompson; Intermediate Miss Annie Healy; primary vacant, Star, E. A. Humpton; Fountain, Wm. G. Lucas; Sugar Camp, Miss Zoe Meek; Cato, Mr. Wm. Harrison; Moshannon grammar, Wm. Johnston; primary, J. B. Miller; Gordon Heights, Miss Bock.

**A PICNIC**—Mr. Wm Sickee, M. J. Kelley Martin McLaughlin, John Healy, A. M. Reeser, Thomas Kelly Miss Minnie Resser, Joe Regan, Annie, Agnes and Mary Healy, of this place and Maud Schwer, of Peale, held a picnic a Moshannon, bridge on Sunday. Everyone reports having a very enjoyable time. The most note worthy feature was the closing address delivered by orator M. J. Kelley. It was next to that of our NEXT PRESIDENT Wm. J. Bryan's address at Chicago Mr. McLaughlin also deserves much praise for his opening address.

Those who wish to get good Democratic news buy the Pittsburg post, for sale by Thomas McLaughlin.

—WANTED: 50,000 pounds of wool by 31 LYON & Co., Bellefonte, Pa. AARONSBURG.

The Misses Catharine Limbert, of Lock Haven, and Annie, of Rebersburg, both Sundayed with their parents on E. Main street.

Mrs. Sparr, of Boalsburg, and Mrs. Whitmer, of Cal., tarried a few days at the residence of Thos. Harper's.

The United Evangelicals will hold a festival on Saturday evening. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Miss Belle Stahl, of Milton, is the guest of Mrs. Dr. Deshler.

The Ref. Missionary society held its annual election, the following are the elected officers: Clymer Stover, pres.; S. Maggie Weaver, vice pres.; Lizzie Yarger, secretary; C. E. Stover, treasurer.

Miss Sadie Kline and Miss Annie Stephentwo jovial girls of State College, are spending a week with their friend Tammie Stover.

Mr. Andrew and Coke Bell, of Bellefonte, Sundayed with their sister, Mrs. Thos. Hull.

Miss Mary Wolfe, of Wolfs Store, is home on a vacation from State College. Since home she spent a day with her many friends in Aaronsburg.

Mrs. Levi Stover on 2nd street, is very low at this writing.

—A great reduction in prices of summer dry goods, trimmings, hosiery, and clothing and shoes at Lyons & Co.s.

COBURN EVENTS.

We have some gold and silver bugs in our town.

**LARGE CROPS**—The raspberry and huckleberry crops, both promise to be large.

Miss Blanch Bowersox and Miss Heller, of Williamsport, made a visit to Sugar-valley, last week.

Miss Maggie Sheriff, of Watsontown, made a two weeks visit with friends at this place.

Mrs. Maggie Garthoff and daughter, of this place, made a visit at Rebersburg, a few days this week.

Mr. Andrew Harter, of this place, son of Jacob Harter, left for Illinois on Wednesday morning.

Miss Ida Boob left for Centre Hall Tuesday morning; we are sorry to see you go.

**THE CROPS**—Farmers are about done cutting wheat. Some fields proved better than was expected, while others were not worth cutting. Corn and oats look well. Hay will be decidedly off, apples and potatoes promise a large yield.

Spoons Free to all.

I read in the Christian Standard that Miss A. M. Fritz, Station A, St. Louis, Mo., would give an elegant plated hook spoon to any one sending her ten 2-cent stamps. I sent for one and found it so useful that I showed it to my friends, and made \$13 in two hours, taking orders for the spoon. The hook spoon is a household necessity. It cannot slip into the dish or cooking vessel, being held in the place by a hook on the back. The spoon is something housekeepers have needed ever since spoons were first invented. Any one can get a sample spoon by sending ten 2-cent stamps to Miss Fritz. This is a splendid way to make money around home. Very truly,

Oct. 1 JUANNETTE S.

Philadelphia Branch.

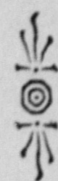
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SUMMER REDUCTION:

TEMPLE COURT CLOTHING EMPORIUM.

In order to close out our stock of Spring and Summer goods a general clearance sale has been declared. The object is to close out these goods to make room for Fall and Winter supplies.



This is a rare opportunity for bargains. We believe in keeping our goods moving, and will not carry over goods from one season to another. We are in business to sell clothing, and they must go at any price.

...A FEW SPECIAL DRIVES...



Unexpected.

It's the unexpected that's always happening. Accidentally our New York buyer stumbled upon one of the greatest clothing bargains of the decade—a large manufacturer had to have ready money and all that sort of thing. We intend to give our patrons a portion of the benefit of our good fortune by marking these down to the following prices.

SERGE SUITS

An extraordinary line of Fine Serge Suits, just the thing for comfort and ease during the warm Summer season. In Brown, Blue and Black—from \$8.50 to \$9.75.

WORSTED GOODS

We are proud of this beautiful assortment, never saw their equal, handsomely made, latest styles in black and blue. From \$8.50 to 9.50. Our special clays at \$9.50 are record breakers.

EYE OPENERS

That is what we have in the line of Boys suits. See them—all shades, wool, 4.50, \$5 and 6.50. Childrens suits, a great variety from from \$1.50 to \$5

REMEMBER—We can dress you out from head to foot, from hat to shoes; also throw in a trunk or valise.

BARGAINS OF THE SEASON

SUMMER STYLES.

SAMUEL LEWIN, Manager. PHILADELPHIA BRANCH.

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PINE GROVE MILLS.

**APPROVAL**—The platform adopted by the democratic convention, at Chicago, meets the approval of all democrats here, as do also the nominees. Some life-long republicans are talking "silver" with energy, while others are on the fence, so to speak, with an inclination towards the democratic side. All that is needed is a little enlightenment on the silver question and everything will be lovely for the democrats in November.

**CEMETERY CLOSED**—A great deal of dissatisfaction exists in our midst in regard to the closing of the old union cemetery by the state board of health. A belief exists that facts were somewhat strained to the members of that board, especially that no grave could be dug without disturbing the dead. A statement which if made, cannot be proven, as any can see by paying a visit to the old cemetery, where ground still lies vacant sufficient to give internment to many corpses.

Mr. John Smith, Spring Mills furniture dealer accompanied by his daughter May, Sundayed with Mr. Smith's father on Main street.

George Weaver, for some time a native of Pittsburg, is home again looking natural and at present is helping to take care of his father's store.

**WIDOWS CELEBRATE**—On Tuesday, the home of Mrs. Rumbarger was invaded by neighbors and friends, it being the anniversary of her birth. She being a widow, none but widows were invited, and as our town possesses over twenty no doubt they had a pleasant time together. That would have been a good time for bachelors and widowers to have called.

A Chance to Make Money.

I have berries, grapes and peaches, a year old, fresh as when picked. I use the California Cold process, do not heat or seal the fruit, just put it up cold, keeps perfectly fresh, and costs almost nothing; can put up a bushel in ten minutes. Last week I sold directions to over 120 families; anyone will pay a dollar for directions, when they see the beautiful samples of fruit. As there are many people poor like myself, I consider it my duty to give my experience to such, and feel confident any one can make one or two hundred dollars round home in a few days. I will mail sample fruit and complete directions, to any of your readers, for 18 two-cent stamps, which is only the actual cost of the sample, postage, etc., to me.

Oct. 1 FRANCIS CASEY, St. Louis, Mo.

—Montgomery & Co., have declared a 25 per cent reduction in the price of clothing.

STATE COLLEGE.

Messrs. Roberts, Fryant, Grieb, Miller, Slagle and some others, went fishing to Beaver Mills. We can expect some reports of large hauls.

Rev. Guyer, Mr. Croyle and Mr. Bartholomew all went fishing over into Huntingdon county on Tuesday. They had a fine time and caught quite a lot of fish.

J. C. Etters and wife, accompanied by the latter's sister, Miss Maud Kennedy, have returned to Canton, Pa., where they are pleasantly located.

Miss Anna A. McDonald has gone to Ithaca, N. Y., for the purpose of taking a course in literary work.

Prof. and Mrs. W. A. Buckhout are visiting friends in Northampton, Mass.

Simon Sellers, of Stormstown, is visiting his son-in-law, T. Wilson Way.

Mrs. Della Henderson is at present visiting her brothers, H. Y. and Cal. Sowers.

Miss Nettie Garner is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. P. Rothrock, of Sparrow Point, Maryland.

Rev. and Mrs. A. Lawaence Miller are visiting W. C. Patterson.

OAK HALL.

Miss Bessie Searson, of Linden Hall, was visiting at the home of E. B. Peters, last week.

Mr. Samuel Gilliland, of Lancaster, is spending his vacation at the home of his parents.

We would like to know what the attraction is here for those Lemoist gents, since we have no Sunday school. Surely it must be—who Rob? "Sweet Marie."

Mrs. James Lytle, of Lemoist, who has been visiting at the home of Mr. Louder has returned.

Mr. Philip Fortney, of Altoona, who has been spending the summer at Henry Homan's departed for home Monday morning.

Mr. Ed Owens and Miss Blanch Kaup, of Axemann, were visiting at the home of Isaac Kaup, last Sunday.

Charlie, of Linden Hall, made a trip to this town Sunday evening. What is the attraction Charlie?

We are sorry to learn that Barnie is carrying a black eye at present. Did you run against a board pile?

Atlantic City Excursions.

The Central Railroad of Pennsylvania, in connection with the Reading's "Royal Route to the Sea," will have two cheap rate excursions during the summer to Atlantic City and other seaside resorts on the New Jersey coast. The dates have not been definitely fixed, but they will probably be July 23rd and August 13th.

Keep Informed.

The year 1896 will be an unusually interesting one in the field of politics. Old party lines are being demolished; new issues are forging to the front. New leaders have been called to the fore, and the great absorbing topic is the silver issue which seems to be recasting and remoulding the two great parties of the day. Therefore, to be well informed upon national and local events you must read. You can get the "Most News for the Least Money" by subscribing for the CENTRE DEMOCRAT and three-times-a-week New York World. These two papers will be sent to you at the following low club rates:

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I read how one of your subscribers made money selling Dishwashers; I ordered one, and my lady friends were charmed, as they hate dish washing. My brother and I commenced selling them, and have made \$1,700 after paying all expenses. We don't canvass any. Our sales are all made at home. People come or send for for them. The Mound City Dish Washer is the best dishwasher on the market. Our business is increasing, and we are going to keep right on, until we make ten thousand dollars. We sell from 5 to 15 machines every day, and some days more. The Dishwasher is lovely, every housekeeper wants one. There is no excuse to be poor when so much money can be made selling Dishwashers. For full particulars address the Mound City Dish Washer Co., St. Louis, Mo. They will start you on the road to success.—A READER.

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