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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 Reprinted—If Not, Why Not.

MILESBERG MENTION.

Three young men from Altoona came to this place on their bikes one day last week, dined with J. C. P. Jones, and expected to reach Williamsport by supper time, making about a 96-mile run.

Thomas Crowley and family have returned to Philadelphia. Mrs. John Shields of Houston was a guest of her brother, Hiram Campbell, recently.

Miss Bidport left for Philadelphia, after spending the summer with Curtin Stonerode and family. SMASHED FLAT—Tuesday, 1st inst., Willard, son of Elijah Fisher, was working a colt in a plow. For some cause the colt kicked, hitting Willard on the left cheek bone, smashing it flat.

Joseph Baird was robbed of his butter and meat Sunday night 30th ult. Miss Catharine Stoner of Salona visited Miss Edith Elise recently.

GOOD TIME—A young man from Williamsport left that place at noon, arriving at A. T. Boggs' store at 5 o'clock Tuesday last, inst., on his bicycle. Robert Wilson and family of Curwensville arrived home for a short season with his mother and sister.

Joseph Ammerman of Tyrone was in the burg Thursday 3rd inst. FALSE ALARM—Thursday, 3rd inst., the Christian Endeavors' county convention called a prayer meeting for 6 p. m. The bell rang at 5 and also at 5.30 p. m. The object was not generally known and the ringing of the bell called out many who thought a fire was on hand. The convention attracted many strangers to the burg. Following was the program:

Wednesday, Sept. 2—Evening. Praise Service..... By Jessie Scott Address of Welcome..... Rev. W. O. Wright Response..... J. C. Weaver Thursday, Sept. 3—Morning. Sunrise Prayer Meeting—"I am the Light of the World," John 8:12..... By Elizabeth J. Stroop Praise Service..... Miss Mary Wright Prayer. Open Parliament—"County Work"..... A. T. Blackburn Convention Address..... Rev. H. E. Stiles, Altoona Address—"Power of Prayer,"..... Rev. J. O. Denniston, State College Address—"Good Citizenship"..... Rev. D. J. Jones, Bellefonte Afternoon. Praise Service..... Rosa Levy Address—"Our Pledge,"..... Rev. G. W. Lesh, Lebanon Address—"Social Party,"..... Mr. F. H. Coia Open Parliament—"The Ideal Endeavorer,"..... G. H. Lichtenhaier Evening. Praise Service..... Charles Peters Address—"Historical,"..... Rev. Emil Levy, Altoona Address..... By Hugh Weaver Consecration..... B. H. Irvin

The exercises were interspersed by inspiring music and were highly enjoyed by those present. This was the 4th annual convention, held in the Presbyterian church, and was well attended, the auditorium being filled at every session.

Willis Weaver and family have moved to Kyrletown, where he proposes engaging in the butcher business. A festival will be held in the O. U. A. M. hall on the 11th and 12th for the benefit of the Evangelical church of this place.

Clyde Boggs was out twice for squirrels, capturing five—four grays and one "pinkie." Joe Shope has captured three since the season came in. A brand new son recently came to the home of David Wyland.

PAIR OF TWINS—Clarence Taylor is the happiest young man we now have about here. His wife presented him with a pair of twins, son and daughter, Friday 4th inst.

James Gingham of Berwick, now deceased, was not a nephew, but an uncle, of Harry Gingham, as was stated in the GAZETTE's last issue.

Rev. Miller of the Bellefonte U. B. church preached in the Baptist church Sunday 6th inst. from 1 Cor., 1st chapter, 27-28. It was a very plain and practical sermon.

Rev. King preached from the 73rd Psalm, 24th verse. He brought out some very good points.

WOLFS STORE.

Since our last, your correspondent has been very busy and news has been scarce for the past few weeks.

Some of our early farmers are cutting cornfodder, the crop being a fair one. GOOD RAIN—A nice soaking rain visited east Brushvalley last Saturday which was indeed in favor of those of our farmers who are not done plowing yet.

CIDER AND APPLES—Cider and apples are very plenty, and hardly so sale for them at all. They can almost be had for the asking.

Since the arrival of that bouncing "girl baby" at J. A. Minnig's there is rejoicing in the family. Mother and baby are doing well.

Mr. Jacob Moyer and son Oscar, of Coburn, spent a day at Wm. Moyers at this place last week.

Mr. Dr. B. Weaver and wife were to Hecla Park last Saturday to attend the Soldier's Reunion.

Mr. O. A. Zeigler and his "chum" Chas. Lucas, of Milesburg, are at present staying with the former's parents. "Shirley," there must be some attraction down here.

Mr. H. Brumgart and brother Ed. have again gone to the College at Selinsgrove. We wish them abundant success.

Mr. Henry Wolf is building a hen-house on his farm. PLENTY—Squirrels are plenty this fall and A. E. Strayer takes the belt; last Wednesday morning he shot 7 gray ones in 2 1/2 hours time.

W. H. Zeigler is this week out soliciting for the "Democrat."

REBERSBURG NOTES.

The long-looked-for rain came at last. Most of the farmers are done sewing; others waited for rain.

SILVER CLUB—On Friday evening a Bryan and Sewall club was organized. They have a membership of 150. H. E. Bierly was elected President, H. A. Deitwiler, vice president; C. O. Mallory, recording secretary; J. N. Moyer, corresponding secretary and C. S. Crouse, treasurer. An interesting article was read by H. A. Deitwiler, subject, "Free Silver in the United States would kill England." T. A. Auman also read an article on silver from an English standpoint.

INTERESTING SERMON—The Lutheran held their Harvest services, on Sunday morning. Rev. Mumma preached an interesting sermon to an appreciative audience.

Our schools began on Monday, with a fair attendance.

William Romig and wife are visiting George Smull's.

Snyder Miller is making some marked improvements on his house.

L. B. Frank and wife spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Lock Haven.

Clyde Erhard left for the West, recently.

Rev. George preached an excellent sermon on Sunday evening to a large audience.

Some of our young folks attended bush meeting at Logantown, on Sunday.

OAK HALL.

The rain increased the population of our town by two. Jasper Rishel and Grant Halderman are the lucky ones this time. Let it rain.

J. I. Treister made a business trip to Waynesboro, last Wednesday.

Several of our citizens attended the reunion at Hecla park, last Saturday. Clemm reports a pleasant trip.

BURGLARS—On Sunday night our town was aroused by the call for help. Wm. Smithgal who recently moved to this place, works in the mountains on a lumber job and comes home only once a week. Sunday night, about 12 o'clock, some one tried to gain an entrance to the house in which there was quite a sum of money. Mrs. S. heard the noise, and called for help, but before any one got there the would be burglar escaped. Nothing was taken. A coat of tar and feathers would be a suitable thing for the gent, or better yet an ounce of lead.

Some of our farmers are through cutting off corn.

A QUARREL—We are sorry to say that several of our young ladies had a quarrel Sunday night, on their way to church. We hope a reconciliation was brought about after church. Was there girls?

On Saturday evening a certain person made himself very prominent by eating three-fourths of a watermelon in Close's store. Close was busy half the night cleaning out the store. Ellis looked a little bit watery the next day.

AARONSBURG.

Mrs. Sarah Shaffer has gone to Bellefonte to pay her sister a visit.

Frank Sylvius has moved to Madisonburg, where he is carrying on the shoemaker business.

Grandmother Harter, we are sorry to say, is confined to her bed; we wish her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Emma Beaver went to Fleming one day last week to bring her aged mother in. She stood the trip very well.

Miss Carrie Yearick is the guest of W. H. Phillip's.

Mr. and Mrs. Clymer Stover took in the Eagle's picnic, at Hecla, last week.

Miss Harshberger, of Tyrone, is paying her grandma Minnick a visit.

Lewis Boob and Thos. Weaver have joined Prof. Johnson's band and at this writing are in Syracuse, New York.

B. W. Wyle our boss painter has gone to Tylerville, for the past few weeks.

Jacob Reid and Henry Crouse have gone to the Johnstown fair.

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