

CORRESPONDENTS DEPARTMENT

The News Gathered From Various Sections

HAPPENINGS IN CENTRE CO

What our Army of Alert Correspondents see and observe worthy of note—The local Happenings of every community will be gladly published—Send the news, we will Publish it.

OAK HALL.

Why can't the dutchman have a beau. Edward Rupp is nursing a very un-welcome bet.

Geo. Resides visited among friends of this place recently.

Butchering has begun in this place. Now for big stories.

M. C. Gephart, of Millheim, transacted business in this place.

Agents strike this town quite often, but find it a bad place.

Mrs. Jno. Tressler made a flying trip to Bellefonte, last week.

Wm. Knoff expects to move from this place, in the near future.

Master Wm. Sellers and sister visited at Linden Hall, last week.

W. T. Sellers sojourned at the home of his son, Edward, last week.

Dentist Hosterman and wife, of Centre Hall, visited in this place Monday.

Mr. Samuel Zettle visited among his many friends recently. Call again.

Messrs. Sinas and Barrie Stamm visited at the former's home, last Sunday.

Henry Homian received a car load of coal, with which he reports to burn lime.

F. C. Stoughton, of Lewisburg, a railroad official, transacted business in this place last Monday.

E. B. Peters, one of our crack marksmen, succeeded in killing a deer, while out on their annual hunt.

Prosperity struck our town recently Thos. Gramley is engaging in the store business. Success to you.

Miss Bessie Seaton, one of Linden Hall's young ladies, circulated among her many friends last week.

Jas. Peters called at the home of his parents, recently. Jas. is one of Shingletown's prosperous young farmers.

Sam'l Glenn, supervisor of College township was around last week examining our roads, which are badly in need of repairs.

Ira Korman has a full line of cornshellers, iron kettles, etc., which he is prepared to sell at hard-time prices. Give him a call before purchasing.

The Lemont boys were right "in it" Sunday evening. Who the "lucky" fellow was, we do not like to say, for he "set 'em up," if we wouldn't tell. She said you should call again.

CARS WRECKED.—The mail train was delayed several hours at this place, Monday noon, by several freight cars running off the track. The cars were heavily loaded with ballast. After several hours of hard work the trains moved.

The hack driver became quite patriotic on last Monday. He was coming from the wreck when he got down on the ties and tried to break the track, and from the looks of him he must have struck a young cyclone. Even his watch was asbamed of itself, for when he took it from his pocket it had its hands over its face.

No-To-Bac for Fifty Cents. Guaranteed tobacco habit cure, makes weak men strong, blood pure. 50c. H. H. Curd, druggists.

NITTANY ITEMS.

We have been having a variety of weather, the past week.

Butchering and "how much did your hogs weigh" is the talk of the day.

Mr. L. W. Rossman and family, of Lamar, spent Sunday with Mrs. B. Rossman.

Mr. H. Zerby and family spent Sunday visiting friends down along Fishing creek.

Mrs. W. Emerick was to Lockport one day last week to see her daughter, Mrs. Propst.

Harris and Ellwood Winkleman were to Locke Haven, on Saturday to attend market.

Mrs. Heller, of Loganton, has been staying with her daughter Ida the past two weeks.

We are patiently waiting to see the portraits of Miss Ida Showers and Miss Violetta Wolf.

Miss Minnie Winkleman, of Locke Haven hospital, spent Saturday with her sister at this place.

Mr. W. Weber, of this place, killed three hogs that dressed twelve hundred and twelve pounds.

Mr. Lew. Sheaffer and family, of Bellefonte, Sunday with his parents B. F. Sheaffer, of this place.

Mr. Joseph Deihl, of Howard, loaded a car with apples at Hoston station, last week. Apples are not very plenty here.

We are sorry to note that Mrs. B. F. Sheaffer has been ill for the past few days. We hope it wont prove serious.

Mrs. W. Zimmerman and family, of Hecla, were spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. A. Robb of this place.

We are sorry to hear that one of our post master's daughters, Miss Ellie Tate, is leaving on Tuesday for Louisiana, to visit friends. Ellie we dont want you to stay too long, for you will be missed.

To Cure Constipation Forever. Take Cascara Candy Cathartic. 10c or 25c. If C. C. C. fail to cure, druggists refund money.

WALNUT GROVE.

Dear Sir—In last week's columns of the Democrat, I noticed, in the Wolfs Store Items, of some big corn husking. It says that Jeremiah Brungart can roll them out at the rate of 30 per minute. That would be at the rate of 1800 per hour. It takes 83 ears to make a bushel. That would be a little over 20 bushels an hour. That would be a pretty fast day's husking. Now if the Wolfs Store men can do the work, a Pennsylvania boy can count a little too for himself; if they can do that, they can wear the belt.

A Boy.

Educate Your Bowels with Cascarets. Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever. 10c, 25c. If C. C. C. fail, druggists refund money.

PLEASANT GAP.

Sing a song of rainy days, This town is full of slop. Wonder if this tramp is never going to stop.

Rabbit gunning will soon be done for. Mrs. Noll is recovering from a protracted sickness.

James Dearmont, of Tyrone, visited friends in this place last week.

Rev. McClain has closed his protracted meeting, at Weaver's church.

V. Miller has made arrangements to move back on his farm next Spring.

Noll brothers have been buying chickens and turkeys for their Thanksgiving trade.

The band has received some excellent new music, together with a lot of new instruments.

Tommy Williams and Walter Carson, have invented a machine to separate wind from gas.

Riddle says the man is not necessarily mean who will jump on a feather bed, when it is down.

Two days of Indian summer, and one day of Indian paint, recently, is all we have had so far.

The Methodist Sunday school have already begun practicing for a Christmas entertainment.

Harry Griffith has sold out his interest in the meat market at Sunbury and will return home again.

A large number of our carpenters have found employment on the new barn, at the College.

The Gettig brothers completed their contract of sawing the Miller Rishel timberland, this week.

Jennie and Cora have made out that they are not soldiers, but they can bear arms all the same.

Sam Wasson has accepted the contract of carrying the mail from Houserville to Lemont, and vice versa.

Albert Smeltzer has purchased the Gordon farm near this place, and will take possession in the spring.

Charles Remmey will vacate the Miller farm in the spring. He expects to farm on a larger scale near Fillmore.

The people, of this place have lost confidence in "Decker" the butcher and Pete Brock, since they were afraid to ride the goat, the other Friday evening.

A large number of our progressive people are bound not to be behind the times, and are laying sidewalks, for which our people should feel grateful.

LEAPS—Virgie says she has heard of pedal leaps and circus leaps and so on, but she is certainly sorry she did not take a leap—leap year. Too late now, Virgie.

Major Johnson claims to have killed the largest hogs this year in the vicinity. The largest weighed between 50 and 1000 pounds. "Barney" Bilger has some nice porkers.

The new houses built along Pike street, recently, have fine appearance and will soon be ready for occupancy. We expect when spring comes and the mud goes that the building boom will boom more than ever.

Mr. Mulfinger claims the Boys are using his water bucket for carrying cider. It disappears very mysteriously, so John says. No doubt some one's cider is disappearing in the same manner. These boys are all right. They will pay for it, but demand a receipt.

"Reddy" CAGHRT—There was a great demand for game around here last Saturday. "Reddy" Smith was buying it up at any price. You should have seen "Reddy" walk through Bellefonte Saturday evening. He had a nice string and was carrying a gun too.

Thanksgiving services will be held Thursday morning in the M. E. church. Rev. McClain will officiate in the pulpit. The Lutheran congregation will give a literary entertainment in their church in the evening. A small admission will be charged which will entitle all to refreshments, after exercises.

In almost every community there is a class of people opposed to every improvement. They constitute what might be called a "Don't Committee" and what they lack in enterprise they make up in obstinacy. The main purpose of a few of these fellows is to prevent a town from attaining its proper development. We believe that these people are in the minority.

ONE OF CURLY—Another case of could not tell chicken from turkey has developed here. The other day Curly Cori ate six pieces of chicken and the other occupants of the table really made Curly believe he was eating turkey. Moral: "Curly" is fattening all his chickens and is waiting on the man to come around who could not tell chicken from turkey. He will sell it him.

LADIES MEN—A little tale of love, disappointment and probably unpleasant thoughts has been enacted and the participants doubtless feel that it is better to have loved than lost, than to have never loved at all. With hearts so gay and light our friends "Buck" and "Pug" tell the tale of "No". In the third part of our story we see them leaving the church, and were consoling themselves with the thought that the young lady did not understand their interrogative and as they thought the people had taken kindly to them they would venture back again. But the boys became greatly surprised when they found they were even attracting the cats and the farther they went the more perplexed the problem became as to where the cat might be and so they resolved to investigate, and to their great amazement, they found that the people of Zion had presented them with a cat for which they were no doubt thankful. We understand the boys have decided to take the cat back and avert all trouble.

Everybody says So.

Cascarets Candy Cathartic, the most wonderful medical discovery of the age, pleasant and refreshing to the taste, act gently and positively on kidneys, liver and bowels, cleansing the entire system, dispel colds, cure headache, fever, habitual constipation and biliousness. Please buy and try a box of C. C. C. to-day; 10c, 25c. Sold and guaranteed to cure by all druggists.

SOBER ITEMS.

Mr. L. P. Smith has completed the new porch to his house.

Mr. Oscar Wolfe is improving his house by giving it a coat of paint.

Mr. Baker, our well known medicine peddler, from Coburn, was seen in town.

Mrs. N. Smith was to Bellefonte, last week, to visit her son William Smith.

We are glad to report that Sarah Yaze is getting better from her spell of typhoid fever.

Rabbit hunters are plenty. You can see the fellows going in droves, as high as five or six.

Young people, don't buy your dishes till you are married, or you may get left. Des is for ichu.

Boys hunt up your bells and sea shells. Soon we will have another happy time when the marriage takes place.

Sam Lingle butchered a hog that weighed 522 pounds, on last Tuesday. Beat that for a country farmer. Butchering is the occupation of the farmers just now.

WANTED—TRUSTWORTHY AND ACTIVE gentlemen or ladies to travel for responsible, established house in Pennsylvania. Monthly \$65.00 and expenses. Position steady. Reference. Enclose self-addressed stamped envelope. The Dominion Company, Dept. Y, Chicago.

DIRECTORS AND TEACHERS OF CENTRE COUNTY--1897-8.

The first Director named in each District is President of the School Board; the second the Secretary

Table listing Directors and Teachers for various districts in Centre County, 1897-8. Includes names like H M Way, J F Way, Isiah Beck, etc.

HE BROUGHT IT FROM THE WORLD'S FAIR.

And kept it two years.

The great World's Fair, at Chicago, in 1893, while it gave pleasure to many, gave pain to not a few as an indirect result of their visit to the White City. People were lured along the miles of wonderful exhibits by the new marvels that met the gaze at every step, and did not realize their exhaustion until they dropped into a chair in some breezy corner by the lake, and "cooled off." That's what began the trouble, in many cases. Of one such case, Mrs. L. W. Stevens, Fort Fairfield, Me., writes:

"My husband took a severe cold and cough two years ago last October—time of the World's Fair, which we attended. This cough lasted over two years, was accompanied by spitting of blood, and nothing could be found to help him, although various remedies were tried. Several doctors were consulted, but their prescriptions afforded no relief. Finally, I saw an advertisement of Dr. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral in my paper and prevailed upon my husband to get a bottle and try it. The very first dose helped him and he was completely cured in a short time. We feel

very grateful for what Dr. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral has done for us, and shall keep it constantly on hand in the house."—Mrs. L. W. Stevens, Fort Fairfield, Me.

Two years of doctoring for a cough, two years of "remedies" that gave no help, of prescriptions that profited only the men who wrote them, and then a trial of Dr. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, which helped from the very first dose and effected a complete cure in a short time. The difference between Dr. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral and all other cough medicines could not be better stated than in this comparison of results. It is a specific for croup and whooping cough. It cures all coughs and colds and all affections of the throat and lungs promptly and effectively. In response to numerous demands Dr. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is put up in half size bottles—sold at half price—50 cents. More about cures effected by Pectoral in Dr. Ayer's Care, write for a copy. Sent free on request, by the J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

TEMPLE COURT CLOTHING HOUSE advertisement. The white frosts and chill blasts are timely warnings that Summer again is past and Winter close at hand. That is a reminder that a change in mode of living is necessary, and your waring apparel needs attention for the coming season. With this idea in view, we take the liberty of calling your attention, at this time, to our extensive and elegant assortment of CLOTHING. It is the largest we ever handled, the best selected stock ever purchased, and the lowest in price we ever offered to the public; having been purchased early in the season the tariff prices do not prevail with us. When we can sell you Cheviot Suits for SIX DOLLARS and Clay Woosters for \$7.50, it should convince you that it will be to your advantage to visit our store and inspect the stock. With due appreciation for former patronage, we hereby extend a special invitation to you to pay us a visit, as we hope to merit patronage and retain confidence in the future. PHILAD. BRANCH, S. LEWIN, Manager, Temple Court, BELLEFONTE, PENNA.

HUMPHREYS' WITCH HAZEL OIL advertisement. THE FILE OINTMENT. For Piles—External or Internal, Blind or Bleeding; Fistula in Ano; Itching or Bleeding of the Rectum. The relief is immediate—the cure certain. PRICE, 50 CTS. TRIAL SIZE, 25 CTS. Sold by Druggists, or sent postpaid on receipt of price. HUMPHREYS' MED. CO., 1114 112 WILSON ST., NEW YORK.

ORPHAN'S COURT SALE. Estate of J. W. Bean dec'd, late of Taylor Twp. By virtue of an order of the Orphan's Court of Centre county, there will be exposed at public sale on the premises, in Taylor Twp., on SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 27, '97, at 12 o'clock, p.m. the following real estate: A fine farm, the J. W. Bean homestead along the plank road in Taylor township, adjoining properties of D. H. Bean, T. M. Way, V. J. Wisner, and others containing 27.5 ACRES 35 PERCHES. in a fine state of cultivation. Thereon erected a good frame dwelling house, barn, outbuildings and other improvements. The property is desirably located to churches, schools and public markets and would be a good investment or home. TERMS—ten per cent cash on day of sale; balance, 1/3 of purchase money on confirmation of sale; 1/3 in one year and 1/3 in two years. The deferred payments to be secured by bond and mortgage on the premises. S. L. STRICKER, adm'r., Orris, Bower & Orvis, att'ys, Petersburg Pa. Bellefonte, Pa.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. Letters testamentary on the estate of the late George W. Jackson, of Bellefonte, having been granted, the undersigned all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make immediate settlement of the same and those having claims to present the same, properly authenticated, for payment. GEO. T. BREW, GEO. L. JACKSON, Administrators.

BIDS FOR REPAIRING BRIDGE. Bids for repairing and repainting of the iron bridge known as the Nail Works Bridge, in Spring township, Centre county, situated about one-half mile north of Bellefonte borough will be received by the Supervisors of Spring township at the office of J. W. Alexander, Attorney at Law in Bellefonte, until 12 o'clock noon of Saturday, Nov. 27th, 1897. Bids to be sealed and delivered to the supervisors or said attorney on or before above date. The supervisors reserve the right to reject any or all bids. J. S. YEARICK, HOUSTON HACKETT, Supervisors of Spring Twp. J. W. ALEXANDER ATT'Y.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. Estate of David D. Smith, dec'd, late of Gregg township. Letters of administration on said estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted thereto are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them to the undersigned, without delay for settlement, to the undersigned. L. P. SMITH, administrator, Sober, Pa.

FOR SALE. A ten-horse power portable engine and boiler, in good condition, will be sold at a bargain, address JOEL B. FITTINGER, Milton, Pa.

WANTED—10,000 bushels of hand-picked apples at John Sourbeck's, No. 107 High St., Bellefonte, Pa.

FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN. Two fine farms situated four or five miles northwest of Howard, Buildings in fine condition. Fine fruit and good water on the premises. Address J. H. TIPTON, Howard, Pa. 11-18-97.

—You can't do better—THE CENTRE DEMOCRAT and the weekly Pittsburg Post both one year for \$1.50.