

CORRESPONDENTS' DEPARTMENT

Happenings About Centre County Briefly Told by

A CORPS OF ABLE WRITERS

Our Alert Correspondents Note Many Important Events in Different Localities—What is Transpiring—Is Your Section Represented?

Milesburg.

J. M. Smith had a light stroke a few days ago on left side.
Miss Lida Kellerman died on Saturday morning of complicated affliction, buried on Monday in the Messiah cemetery.
Miss Julia Grove is at present writing visiting in Philipsburg, it is also said will visit Altoona, Pittsburg and other noted cities before returning home.
The fire on Wednesday morning called out a portion of the fire company, with a few citizens did noble work. W. C. Kreamer, we may say, saved the lives of Miss Nellie and Miss Eva Adams, by running up stairs, grabbing Nellie from her bed at the same time calling Eva. Eva jumped from her bed grabbing what clothing she could, the fire chasing her out, everything left was burned.
A birthday party at George Zimmerman's on Saturday night, in honor of Miss Sadie Zimmerman did not learn her age, quite a number of her friends joined in the social and had an excellent time together.
Ed. Baird our burgess is at this writing threatened with the grip.
As the general news of the week is scarce will write a few verses on the general knowledge of the outward and inward skin:
There's a skin without and a skin within,
A covering skin and a lining skin;
But the skin within is the skin without,
Doubled inwards, and carried complete throughout.
The palate, the nostrils, the windpipe, and throat,
Are all of them lined with this inner coat,
Which through every part is made to extend—
Lungs, liver, and bowels, from end to end.
The outside skin is a marvelous plan,
For excluding the drugs of the flesh of man;
While the inner extracts from the food and the air,
What is needed the waste in his flesh to repair.
While it goes well with the outside skin,
You may feel pretty sure all's right within;
For if anything puts the inner skin out of order,
It troubles the skin without.
The doctor, you know, examines your tongue
To see if your stomach or bowels are wrong;
If he feels that your hand is hot and dry,
He is able to tell you the reason why.
To much brandy, whisky or gin
Is apt to disorder the skin within;
While, if dirty or dry, the skin without
Refuses to let the sweat come out.
Good people all! have a care of your skin,
Both that without and that within;
To the first give plenty of water and soap,
To the last little else b-side water, we'll hope,
But always be very particular where
You get your water, your food and your air;
For if these be tainted or rendered impure,
It will have its effect on your blood—be sure!
The food which will ever for you be the best
Is that you like most, and can soonest digest;
All unripe fruit and decaying flesh
Beware of fish that is not very fresh.
Your water, transparent and pure as you think it,
Had better be filtered and boiled ere you drink it,
Unless you know surely that nothing unclean
Can have got to it over or under the ground.
But of all things I would have you beware
Of breathing the poison of a nose-breathed air;
When to bed, whether out or at home you may be,
Always open windows, and let air go free.
With clothing and exercise keep yourself warm
And change your clothes quickly drenched in a storm;
For a cold caught by chilling the out side skin
Flies at once to the delicate lining within.
All you who thus kindly take care of your skin,
And attend to its wants without and within,
Need never of cholera feel any fears
And your skin may last you a hundred years.
What can be more foolish than to think that all
This rare fabric of heaven and earth could come
By chance, when all the skill of art is not
Able to make an oyster.

Walker.

Mr. Thompson and family of Howard visited on Sunday at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. David Orr.
Jacob Shank of Mt Eagle was the guest of J. C. Orndorff last week.
David Haster, Mrs. Calvin Harter and Nevin Harter have been on the sick list during the past week.
Nathaniel Yearick and son Chas, have been on the sick list since last week.
Rev. Crow held a series of meetings in the Reformed church at this place.
Misses Emma Smith, Laura Smith and Calvin King were enjoying a sleigh ride on Sunday.
On Friday evening Feb. 8 a sled load of people from Blanchard, laden with abundance of the good things of life wended their way to the home Mrs. Barbara Condon near Jacksonville, to spend a pleasant evening, after partaking of a grand supper, they departed for their homes later in the evening.
The members of the United Evangelical church of Jacksonville held donation for their pastor Rev. Bair of Howard.
All of Chas Ghast's family are on the sick list but Mr. Ghast.
Dozens of loads of lime stone are being hauled to Bald Eagle valley from the several lime stone quarries at this place.
To Cure a Cold in One Day.
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.
Human nature needs an uplifting hand then, again, it needs to be set down hard

Mingoville.

The roads are almost drifted shut at this writing.
Mr. Emerick and Mr. Spayd are both sick in bed.
The little daughter of Thos. Barner died last Wednesday afternoon with the croup.
William Harshbarger, from the state of Illinois, is home at his father's near Hublersburg.
Jerry Alters, the ticket agent at Hecla, is laid up with quinsy.
The railroad company is busy cutting ice again. They shipped already between ninety and a hundred loads of ice.
J. H. White, one of our ice cutters at Hecla, cut ten loads of ice in one day. Who can beat that?
Our supervisor was out last week shoveling roads open.
Jerry Weaver is still laid up with the grip.
Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Wagner, of New Lancaster, are here visiting their son, Mr. Wagner, and daughter, Mrs. Weaver.
Muthersbaugh & Wagner have their stove mill about ready for operation. A. K. Boop, from Potters Mills, was here to help place the machinery. He is well skilled in the stove business. The water is about all that is needed to start. They are drilling a well and are two hundred and twenty five feet deep, with a fair prospect of water. Mr. Kape, from Centre Hall, thinks he will have to go fifteen or twenty feet deeper to get a good stream.
B. F. Fisher says if he had a sleigh he would take a sleigh ride, providing the weather was warm enough.
There will be quite a stir among the people in our neighborhood about the first of April. J. C. Snook is leaving Mingoville this coming spring. J. J. Johnsonbaugh is going to move to Mill Hall. John Guiser has bought the Johnsonbaugh farm and intends to move on it. His son, Harvey, will farm the one his father vacated. W. G. you had better start earlier for Shanty town then you will not be so likely to stick in the snow drift.
Mr. Wagner has a fine driving horse for sale; he is a dandy.
Boys the next time you want chicken, be sure to commence in time so that you will get through before the old folks get home.
Hurrah boys and get ready for the good dinners for the sales will begin next week.
Potter Shamp will have sale on the 28th; he intends to move to Altoona.
Johnny, the next time you want to have a debate select another crew of boys that won't tell you on.
Samuel Sproul and family, were visiting at Mr. Johnsonbaugh's, on Sunday.
The Hecla school will have an entertainment on Washington's birthday; let everybody turn out.
John N. Deitrich and son, from Bellefonte, moved into H. M. Deitrich's tenement house for a while; no look out for the spooks Johnny.
J. J. Gramley, Mrs. Adda Yocum and Viola Falton, are still down with the grip.
The eldest daughter of Thomas Barner died last week, with the croup.

Nittany.

Hello there, what is the matter with you? oh we have got the gripp.
There have been quite a number down with lagripp the past week. Some are better while others are not.
Grandma Kreamer returned to her home at Milesburg, after spending four weeks with her son Robt., at this place.
Mrs. McCaley and son Claud, of Milesburg, spent several days of last week at the home of her brother, Mr. Kreamer.
We are glad to say that Mrs. Martin, who was so seriously ill last week, is getting better.
Running into snow drifts and upsetting is nothing new of late.
On last Friday the news of the death of old John Delaney at Bellefonte, reached this place. Mr. Delaney was for a number of years a resident of this place.
Miss Sadie Consaul, of Baldeagle valley, has returned home after spending several weeks with her cousins, Mary and Ode Consaul. She seemed to enjoy herself very much.
Last Wednesday evening there was a party of Lamar and Clintondale young people drove to the hospitable home of Robt. Kreamer. They spent the evening playing games and making taffy.
Any one wanting to hear good singing among children can do so by visiting the school taught by A. A. Pletcher. On last Friday afternoon there were some thirty visitors there. Miss Bell Shaffer and part of the crossroad school and Miss Nancy Pletcher and part of her school of Lamar station, besides a number of the parents of this place, and they were all royally entertained with songs and recitations by the scholars.
The members of the Church of Christ are going to hold a series of meetings in the chapel, commencing on the 23.

Tylersville.

John Bierly has the carpenters at work tearing down his house at this place, which he intends to move to Howard.
The youngest child of A. Greninger was ill last week with pneumonia.
Revival services are still in progress in the United Evangelical church at this place.
A little girl arrived at the home of Wm. Smith last week and intends to stay.
A good many persons are suffering from an attack of the grip.
Everybody seemed to take advantage of the fine weather on Sunday, to have a sleigh ride.
Another meeting was held on Saturday evening for the purpose of organizing a P. O. S. of A. at this place when the principal officers were elected. They expect to be fully organized in the near future.
Notice to Farmers.
On and after December 15th we will not take any kind of grain on store at our mill. We will, however, be in the market for cash grain constantly and will pay the highest prices.
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Hublersburg.

The ground hog has been springing up his bristles pretty well for the past three weeks, with zero weather. The drifts are still piling up. The roads are impassable in some portions of the township.
A sledding party of young people, from Lamar and vicinity, were pleasantly entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Rumbarger's one night last week.
J. P. Correll, of Easton, Pa., and Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Glossner, of Flemington, and Mrs. S. W. Sigmund, of Salona, made a flying trip to Hublersburg on Tuesday of last week, visiting friends.
Mrs. Christ Robb, of Blanchard, has been at this place last week taking care of Mrs. Brown who has been on the sick list for the last few weeks.
Rev. W. K. Deihl and wife were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rumbarger, on Thursday of last week.
Any one wanting patent clothes racks will do well by calling on E. L. Bergstreser, of this place.
Parties suffering from weak and failing sight will do well by calling on J. L. Walkey and have their eyes correctly fitted. Every pair of glasses warranted to give satisfaction. Eyes examined free of charge.
On Monday evening, the 11th, a sled load of young folks of this place were to a party at Parvin and came home the next morning.
FITTINGS—Geo. Harpster, who has been living in Willowter property, at the ridge, has moved into Wm. Decker's new house on Tuesday of last week.
Mr. Ripka, of Nittany, moved into our vicinity one day last week.
Some of the farmers are still busy hauling ice.
A great many of our people are laid up with lagripp at this writing.
L. H. McCauley, who has been firing for the Pennsylvania Railroad Co., is at home at present on account of a slight injury in his back, and expects to go back again when he gets all right.
Mrs. J. H. Sharp, who had been away visiting friends for the last few weeks, is at home again.
S. P. Hockman, of Mingoville, was in our town on Friday of last week.
Daniel Dorman and family, of this place, were to attend the funeral of his brother John, of Clintondale, on Friday of last week.
Some of our citizens of this place visited the school one day last week. Several of them made very good speeches.
Dr. S. S. McCormick is kept busy at this writing.
Hello! here they are again! a big four horse sled load of folks from Mackeyville were in our town on Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. McKibben where they spent part of the night with their amusements.
Judge and Deit were out sleighing on Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. McCaleb were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. McKibben on Sunday afternoon.
There must be some attraction for our school marm that she goes home to Lock Haven every Friday night.

Coilyer.

The grip cases are many and very serious.
J. J. Jordan and lady, Miss Emma Swartz, attended the entertainment in the Grange Arcadia, Friday evening.
Nulvin Treaster took a sled load of young folks to Centre Hall, on Friday evening, to the entertainment, among them were: Misses Ella Phillips, Katie Boal and Cora Houz. Messrs. Jonas Boal and William Fisher. They all report having a good time.
John Zerby, from Spring Mills, was home with his parents and friends, on Sunday. John sports a dandy horse and sleigh. Girls set your caps.
Katie did, Katie didn't? Yes, but Katie did, lift the sleigh until she saw the stars fly.
Miss Mary Moyer spent Saturday afternoon with her friend, Miss Blanch Homan.
David Boha and brother Dan, spent several days visiting at Millheim.
Jake had quite a tussel and a struggle with Buck and Keffer. D. C. Boha had told Jake to take care of his sister while he was at Millheim last Saturday evening, and Buck and Keffer went there, broke the door open and took Jake and led him down to the bridge then let him go. Poor Jake.
The young ladies who dress in men's clothing and promenade the streets of P. C. city in the evenings beware. You are being watched.
A. B. Lee cut his finger very badly. No wonder, he had to go out in the cold to cut kindling in the morning before he could make fire. This should teach Arthur a lesson, to get his kindling in the evening.
A. J. Weaver had quite an accident, on Saturday evening. He went to Centre Hall to William Coilyer, on business and there he fell down, over their porch about seven feet. He at once went up to Murrys drug store and had his wounds dressed, then on his way home he upset and his horse ran off dragging Mr. Weaver for quite a distance. He was injured some, but not seriously.
DIED—David C. Young, an old and respected citizen, of Coilyer, dropped over dead on his porch, after partaking of a hearty breakfast, on Tuesday morning. His age was 78 years, 4 months and 4 days. He is survived by six children, three in the west and three in our vicinity. The deceased was a faithful and lifelong member of the Evangelical association. Funeral services took place on Friday morning, being conducted by Rev. J. S. Hooman, as requested of the deceased.
The lumber teams from Centre Hall, which have been hauling logs to the station for Wm. Coilyer during the past few weeks, have about finished their job, as the roads had been drifted so badly it was very unpleasant for them to haul logs; but they have some of the very best of horses and got through alright.
J. E. Kiene is more of a Bryan man now than he ever was.
We always thought Perry's Victory was fought and won at Lake Erie. But we learn that of late it was fought and won, in a snow drift, near John Lee's.
Inconsistency is often necessary; a last year's time table may not fit this year's needs.

A Clear Head.

The successful outcome of any enterprise or the accomplishment of any labor, depends, first of all upon the possession of a clear head. The head that is dull, dizzy, nervous, fretful, melancholy, easily confused, or that throbs, aches and pains, is not fit for service. Not only is such a head lacking in mental capacity, but it actually weakens and destroys the nerve forces and lowers the vitality of every organ of the body.

"A long illness following an attack of congestion of the brain brought on nervous prostration. The trouble was so severe that at times I would fall suddenly and unconsciously to the floor. Preaching, reading or writing were impossible. I was confined to my room and lost weight and strength. Dr. Miles' Nervine was the only thing that helped me to recover my health and vigor." REV. A. H. LONG, Mount Joy, Pa.

Dr. Miles' Nervine

Relieves every form of head trouble and gives to the entire system that vigor, energy and snap that make clear-headedness. Try a bottle for yourself.
Sold by all druggists on a guarantee. Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

Boalsburg.

Quite a few of our young people attended the musical convention at Linden Hall and all report it as a success.
Jacob Straw, of Pitscain, Pa., was visiting with his father-in-law and many friends of this place. Mr. Straw is employed as carpenter in the car shops of the above place.
Owing to the wreck on the L. and T. we were without daily papers and any news for almost two days.
Last week a party of young people from Boalsburg and vicinity gathered at the home of L. Owen Mothersbaugh's for a good time; about 48 were present, those from the distance were Frank Mayes and lady and Harry Tresler and lady of Houseville, they passed the evening very pleasantly playing the latest games. Mr. Glenn operated the magic lantern very nicely explaining the many views of the late war, one would think from the explanation that he was right there and saw it all; there also were a few recitations by Messrs. John Bricker, James Glenn and Misses Dora Meyer, Marion Murray and Benlah Fortney. Music was furnished by the Boalsburg glee club. During the evening refreshments were served consisting of ice cream, oranges, bananas, cake and coffee, all left for home at the early hour of one o'clock.
Ephriam Keller and wife of Pleasant Gap, spent Wednesday at the home of Mr. Keller's father, David Keller of this place.
Thursday evening Mr. Rudy of P. S. C. brought a party of young folks over to our town and they spent the evening very pleasantly at the home of Michael Segnar.
Mrs. P. H. Meyer accompanied by Mrs. Fisher spent Saturday at the home of A. W. Dale of Oak Hall.
Messrs. Harry Goeben and Samuel McWilliams spent Saturday afternoon with S. H. Bailey and family.
Hamil Goeben and sister, Anna Mary spent several days last week at the home of their uncle Wm. Goeben.
The school board met on Saturday afternoon and paid the teachers for the 5 months and transacted such other business as came before the board.
Don't forget to come and hear the ladies aid society of the Presbyterian church play "Down in Dixie" in the town hall Feb. 23, 1901.
Joseph Meyers and family of Rock View spent Sunday with Mr. Meyers' mother of this place.

Aaronsburg.

Miss Maggie Weaver left for Huntingdon last Tuesday where she expects to spend several weeks visiting her sister, Mrs. C. C. Bell, whose husband is instructor in building arts in the Reformatory at that place.
Merchant W. N. Phillips sold his store last week to Thomas Meyer, of Coburn, who will take charge of the same on April 1st. Phillips has been in business in our town for many years and by his shrewd business tact and accommodating disposition has succeeded in building up an extensive trade. We understand he will remain in town.
Miss Julia Reamer, who for some time had been on the sick list, is able to do her own work again.
The photograph and projectoscope entertainment held in the United Evangelical church of our town one night last week was fairly well attended.
William Harter and wife, of Hartleton, were up last week to see the gentleman's aged mother at Lewis Mensch's, who has been on the sick list for some time. We are glad to say, however, that the lady is no worse.
Mrs. Lewis Mensch and James Weaver are both confined to the house with grip. Mr. Weaver's condition at this writing is not very encouraging, while Mrs. Mensch's condition is not serious. Mrs. Fred Lambert also had an attack and has been quite ill.
Mary Meyer and Nettie Small returned to their homes at Rebersburg, after spending a few days in town.
Miss Agnes Spangler, of Wolfs Store, visited her uncle, Wm. Condo, in our town a few days last week.
Willie — said he would not take the grip, but lo! and behold he is down with it since last week and is quite sick.
The public school entertainment held in the Academy building on Tuesday evening of last week drew a large crowd notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather, and was pronounced one of the best ever held in town. All who took part acquitted themselves nobly and much of the success is due Prof. Weber, who worked zealously to make it a success. A snug little sum was realized, which will be used to pay the new organ recently purchased.
We still have plenty of snow and an abundance of grip—in fact more of the latter than we care about having.

Port Matilda.

Mrs. Harry Rook and sister, of Bradford, Pa., are visiting at the home of Prof. H. M. Miles.
Rev. G. W. Downing, of this place, last Sunday afternoon. Quite a large crowd attended the service.
Rev. E. S. Lathaw of the Methodist church is holding a series of meetings here. May much good be accomplished.
H. F. Chaney, our general merchant, attended court at Bedford last week, during his absence, his family visited the home of Samuel Hoover, of Hannah.
A crowd of young people from Unionville enjoyed a chicken and waffle supper at the hotel in this place last Friday evening. Come again.
Our obliging postmaster, H. H. Osman, has refitted his office, and it is now a credit to our town. The old "box" had seen service for 30 years or more and was sort of an eye sore to our postmaster and every patron of the office.
We do not believe in Monopolies or Trusts, but right here in our little village of Port Matilda, one as large as Muncy mountains stares us in the face. George the proprietor of our hotel, with a lively attached consisting of two fine driving horses, a cot, old colic and a cow has joined fortunes with John M. who owns and controls the large milling interests here. John is a hustler, and it is said that he can grind buck-wheat flour out of spring wheat when the water is low. Not satisfied with this they now have assumed a controlling interest in the largest mercantile establishment here. We do not know how to remedy this, but will keep the people informed on the subject so that they can be prepared for the last scene.
A crowd of married people, single people, and those who expect to be married soon visited the home of R. C. Thompson, of near this place, on last Thursday night, and report having a nice time. One of their number told the writer the following: It being a very cold night, and having trouble to keep warm, umpire Thompson decided on having a foot ball match. One side he called the "Ins" and the other the "Outs," at a given signal, i. e. when they started home, play began, and sometimes the advantage seemed to be on the side of the "Outs," at other times the "Ins" had the advantage. This continued for about 15 minutes when the "Outs" made a desperate stand and succeeded in taking the "Ins" from their feet and landing them in the snow. Just before umpire Thompson shouted time, "the professor" describing a parabola, one of his favorite figures" landed in a snow bank scoring the first touch down. No serious results, several arms were put out of place, but after everything was straightened out they were put back again and it did not seem to be such a painful affair—rather pleasant. Am I right, Bob?

Snow Shoe.

Snow Shoe's appearance is much deplored by the recent loss of one of the most prominent and useful business blocks in the central city.
Teachers' local institute for Dist. No. 6, was held at Philipsburg this year. A number of our educationalists attended, but it is not known exactly how much has been gained intellectually, as no inventory has been taken.
Snow Shoe should have some form of fire apparatus. A couple of large water squirters could have been used effectually the other night, or a common fruit spraying machine, with a straight nozzle, would have saved a good deal of trouble.
Will the gentleman, who took away that box of Arbucks coffee, please bring back the "signatures," when the coffee is all used?
Rev. Carson, of Milesburg, was regularly installed pastor of Presbyterian church, at Snow Shoe, last Tuesday.
The so called cold wave that has slid down here from Greenland, or thereabouts, more nearly resembles a cold water tide, in the slowness with which it recedes.
The person who can invent a method by which differences between summer and winter temperatures could be adjusted could outwit insurance adjusters and equal Edison or Christopher Columbus as a benefactor to mankind.
A party of young people drove to Mo-shannon a week or so ago. These are fine evenings to go sleighing.
The barber shop is now located in Benie Hall's pool room. Hair cut and shaved while you play.
The man who has been boarding on the canned goods and other pick-me-ups which might be dug out of the ruins of the grocery department of the burned store is beginning to find it pretty hard scratching to get a meal now, as the clam bed is getting less fruitful as the days pass.

Woodward.

The storm has at last calmed and ceased to roar in its powerful velocity, but has left its marks in the crossroads to show that it had been here, and with some force too.
The protracted meeting at this place is still in progress, but may suspend before this notice gets in print. Conversions were but few.
I will recall the stated time of L. D. Orndorff's starting on his official trip from last week to this week, the storm being the cause.
Mrs. Phoebe Wise was taken sick suddenly on Sunday last. Prostration of the nerves and trouble of some kind is claimed to be the cause.
Doc. Frank, of Millheim, having the misfortune to upset in a snow drift, breaking both shafts of his sleigh, necessarily he had to return to Woodward for repairs. Luckily just in time to save the life of Phoebe Wise. Had it not been for Doc's bad luck Mrs. Wise would possibly not have recovered. Bad luck for one, seems to be good luck for another.
I hear rumors that the string band of this place will again be reorganized; may rumors be turned into facts, then we may again hear the strains of sweet music vibrating through the air. We read somewhere in the Bible where David praised the Lord with all kinds of strined instruments. So be encouraged boys.
Our general clerk, in J. C. F. Motz's store, seems to be improving.
John Hosterman, residing 2 miles north of this place, who intends moving to near Penn Hall in the spring, is already hauling some of his implements, etc., to the above named place. We are sorry to see you go John.
La Grippe Quickly Cured.
"In the winter of 1898 and 1899 I was taken down with a severe attack of what is called La Grippe" says F. L. Hewitt, a prominent druggist of Winfield, Ill. "The only medicine I used was two bottles of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It broke up the cold and stopped the coughing like magic, and I have never since been troubled with Grippe." Chamberlain's Cough Remedy can always be depended upon to break up a severe cold and ward off any threatened attack of pneumonia. It is pleasant to take, too, which makes it the most desirable and one of the most popular preparations in use for these ailments. For sale by Greens' Pharmacy.

That Cough Hangs On

You have used all sorts of cough remedies but it does not yield; it is too deep seated. It may wear itself out in time, but it is more liable to produce la grippe, pneumonia or a serious throat affection. You need something that will give you strength and build up the body.

SCOTT'S EMULSION

will do this when everything else fails. There is no doubt about it. It nourishes, strengthens, builds up and makes the body strong and healthy, not only to throw off this hard cough, but to fortify the system against further attacks. If you are run down or emaciated you should certainly take this nourishing food medicine.

