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**Correspondents' Department**

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**WOODWARD.**

I was silent last week so the Journal scribe might but in he failed to do so. So I must take my old stand.

Samuel Orndorf, of Loganton, visited his brother and other friends on Thursday.

Misses Emma Eberhart and Mabelle Wolf visited in Lock Haven last week.

Cleveland Vonada after being employed in Yeagerstown for some time, returned home on Friday.

Wesley Hosterman and wife visited at C. W. Hosterman's last week.

Jim Heck visited at Aaron Stover's on Saturday.

Quite a few people attended the festival at Aaronsburg on Saturday night.

Mrs. Chas. Feurich, of Baltimore, Md., is visiting friends and relatives in this place and surroundings.

Emanuel Vonada, of Coburn, visited at Wm. Matter's on Sunday.

B. J. Cohen got a new carriage and now he is ready to attend to all orders.

Samuel Kitner and family visited his parents in this place on Sunday.

The P. O. S. of A. held Decoration services in honor of their dead in this community.

Wm. Glantz, Frank Guisewitz, Wm. Stover and Mrs. Wm. Glantz visited at Yeagerstown last week.

The members of the Evangelical Sunday school propose holding a children's day service on Sunday night, June 4th.

**COBURN.**

Lumbering is still an active industry in this section—much lumber and bark is shipped from this station at present.

Do not forget the festival on Saturday evening. The usual refreshments will be served and the Coburn band will furnish the music.

Henry Fryer and family spent Sunday with his son William east of this place. Henry used to be a great fisherman but his advanced age keeps him from extensively carrying on that occupation.

Mrs. Lizzie Stover visited at David Cornan's on Sunday and on Monday went to Sunbury to make a short visit to her daughter Annie.

Mrs. Lewis D. Orndorf, of Woodward, spent a day last week at A. B. Meyer's.

W. H. Grove has a crew of men peeling bark on his timber tract at Sober.

Ben Edmunds moved into Frank Hackenberg's house along R. R. street recently.

T. B. Everett, of Madisonburg, who formerly was in the mercantile business at this place was seen here on Monday.

Misses Ella and Melville Snyder, of White Deer, are visiting at the home of their brother Harry.

**TUSSEYVILLE.**

Mr. Sternbaugh and Mrs. High are the guests of Jas. Runkle's.

Where do you expect to spend Decoration was all the say.

Quite an excitement was caused last week, as Calvin Runkle was picking stones his team took fright and ran away; he lost one wheel and all the boards of the wagon; the team was stopped by John Auman.

Preaching was well attended on Sunday night.

Children's service will be held in the brick church at Tusseyville Sunday June 4th.

James Wert and Clem Portney were elected delegates from this place for the Sunday school convention to be held at Milheim this week.

**ROMOLA.**

H. S. Brickley, of Alamogords, New Mexico, was visiting his aged mother, Mrs. Hannah Brickley, the past week, returned on Sunday.

Leroy DeLong and his bride, H. E. Rodman, wife and children, have been visiting the past week at the home of their father, H. S. DeLong.

Sara C. Brickley is no better at this writing.

James Gallagher, one of Bellefonte's young sports, visited over Sunday at the home of his friend Miss Mary Uhl.

Misses Clara and Anna Bell Bickel visited at the home of their sister, Mrs. E. B. Roob last week.

The vegetarian actor is not the only one who doesn't care for a roast.

**POTTER TWP.**

**EARLYSTOWN.**

A number of young folks attended the dance on Nittany Mountain Wednesday evening.

John Curry spent Sunday at his home at Potters Mills.

D. A. Grove, candidate for commissioner, of College twp., took dinner at Cloverdale, Monday.

Mrs. Lydia Shaffer, who is making her home with her daughter, Mrs. Anna Bartges, has been quite ill for the past two weeks and at this writing is not improving.

Abner Stover, who is employed at Burnham, is spending several days with his parents at this place.

Among the callers at D. Bartges' the past week were: Mrs. Samuel Durst and Master Ray, Ex-sheriff Brungart, Harry Jackson, candidate for register, of Bellefonte, James Lytle, Chester Conway, Archie Moyer, Samuel Burris and Mr. Grossman.

Ros Stover is a frequent visitor at Oak Hall. What is the attraction? Rumor of a wedding at this place in the near future.

Now girls, set your caps, Elmer S. purchased a new horse and goes driving through Earlystown so fast that you can't recognize him for half a mile or more.

Rosa Taylor and friend attended the John Robinson show in Bellefonte.

Two automobiles passed through this place on Sunday.

**COVLER.**

Geiss Wagner, wife and daughters spent Sunday at the home of Wm. Bitter.

Mrs. John Dietzell is spending several weeks with her grandson, Gilbert Dietzell, of Centre Hall.

Wm. Moyer, wife and children and Geo. Lee, wife and son John, spent Sunday at Lewistown.

James Wagner, wife and children, of Mifflinburg, in company with Harry McClellan wife and children spent Sunday evening very pleasantly at the home of Thomas Fleisher's.

Mrs. Mary Long is ill with pneumonia. Children's day will be held in the Emanuel church at Tusseyville on Sunday evening, June 4th.

Jonas Boal and wife, of Potters Mills, spent Sunday at the home of P. S. Boal.

James Runkle is all smiles since a little boy came to his home to stay.

**GREGG TWP.**

**SPAYDS GAP.**

B. F. Jackson and wife spent one day last week at Spring Mills.

Calvin and Harvey Grenoble spent Saturday at Spring Mills.

The Douty Lumber Co. added one horse to their stable.

Miss Kathryn Jackson spent a few days in Nittany valley with her brother who a short time ago broke his shoulder but is improving at this writing.

Geo. Gingerich is improving now.

Miss Della Spayd is again a student at Hosterman's Academy at Spring Mills, after spending a week at home on account of sickness.

A few of L. E. Miller's sheep died from eating too much clover.

Lloyd Crebs and sister Blanch spent Saturday and Sunday at B. F. Jackson's.

Rev. S. A. Snyder preached an elegant sermon in St. Paul's church on Sunday forenoon. There will be communion services at that place next Sunday forenoon at 10:30.

Rev. Haas will have preaching at the East Bethesda church on Sunday forenoon.

**PENN CAVE.**

Some of the farmers around Penn Cave are working at their corn.

Harry Haugh says he is getting a good peach crop.

Ham Schreckengast who is working at Altoona, was home on a short visit.

The singing at the Union was well attended on Sunday evening.

Bruce Rossman, of Spring Mills, was over to Brushvalley to see his grand father Rossman who is on the sick list.

The road master of Gregg twp., is very saving, he got a stone crusher and is crushing stones at Linden creek.

**HAINES TWP.**

**WOLFE'S CHAPEL.**

D. Breen and family and Miss Gertie Musser spent Sunday with the former's parents at Sober. On their return they were accompanied by his sister Miss Sadie who will spend some time here.

George Winkleblech and daughter Catharine, spent Sunday with his daughter Mrs. Chas. Lingle west of Milheim; Mrs. Lingle is ill at this writing.

On Saturday some fellows played havoc on one of our young boys; better not try it too often boys.

Mrs. Wm. Wolfe and daughter Annie of Fiedler spent Sunday afternoon at the home of R. B. Hosterman.

H. S. Winkleblech and Mrs. George Hosterman were to Green Briar, Sunday afternoon.

Harry Stover made a flying trip to Brush valley Saturday evening.

R. B. Hosterman and wife visited at the home of W. K. Stover, Sunday evening.

Daisy Stover, of Aaronsburg and Mrs. Elmer Bartly, of Nittany, spent Sunday with their parents Harvey Stover's at this place.

**PORT MATILDA.**

Memorial services were as usual observed in and near Port Matilda; it is a sad duty we owe our fallen comrades and many of them in cemeteries in this vicinity await the bugle call to report for final duty. Glory crowns their noble work and suffering in camp and on the field of battle, and love of freedom by the rising generation should never die out by the neglect to pay due honor and respect to the boys in blue for services rendered once in behalf of freedom and a happy home.

The ladies aid society of the U. B. church, of Black Oak, gave a showing of their christian work by holding a social on Saturday evening last at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Frantz, near Flat Rock. They had on sale a full line of confectioneries with a full supply of ice cream and cakes, all of which was donated.

A birthday surprise was given Charley Richard's on May 16, his birthday, on which occasion plenty of ice cream, cake etc, was sufficient and a general good time was had.

**ADJOINING COUNTIES.**

John Attig, of Tyrone, the brakeman who was injured at Bald Eagle, last week had his left leg amputated died at the Altoona hospital.

Bishop Garvey, who sailed for Italy recently will present Pope Pius X, a draft for \$3,471. 41, as an offering from his spiritual children of the Altoona Catholic diocese.

Brigadier General John A. Wiley has announced that the Second Brigade encampment at Erie July 15-22, would be known as "Camp C. S. W. Jones," in honor of the late Captain of Sheridan Troop.

Philip H. Walker, of Flemington, while attending the Memorial exercises at Lock Haven, on Tuesday, accidentally fell from his wagon, striking on his head and died soon after. He was a lieutenant of Co. D, 1st regiment.

The wedding invitations of Miss Mary Carman Ryan and Frank Derland Houck, youngest son of Rev. W. A. Houck, have been issued. The wedding will take in the First Presbyterian church, Williamsport, on the 7th of June.

In order to test the love of his sweetheart, "Bert" Brown, of Dubois, Clearfield county, wrote a letter to the girl informing her of his death on the railroad and signing it to the name of a rival. With the letter still in his pocket, before he had had time to mail it, Brown suffered the identical death which he had pictured. Brown and John Freidman were walking along the railroad when a train killed both.

Harry Heverly, of Clearfield, a conductor on a New York Central freight, was instantly killed Friday morning. When his train was near Hyner it was struck by a fast freight on the Pennsylvania road. Heverly was warned but did not have time to jump. No one else was injured. Heverly was caught in the wreckage. When found he was still breathing but died before he could be extricated. He is survived by a wife and two children, the smaller a baby a year and a half old.

There is said to exist in Juniata and its neighborhood 18 cases of typhoid fever, a situation which is not one which any town desires to be placed in and which it is the duty of those in authority to obviate if possible. It was ascertained that in seventeen cases the milk used in the families was purchased from one wagon. It is said to be that of F. N. Black, who lives near Gardner's Mills. Mr. Black also gets milk from Solomon Beegle, who lives near 'the big spring, east of the city. The cows were found healthy.

It is estimated that the Harrisburg disaster will cost the Pennsylvania Railroad Company close to \$350,000. Of this amount the equipment destroyed is said to have been worth \$75,000. Most of the claims of those injured have been settled, but solicitors are determined that large amounts shall be paid for the lives that were lost. Every day in the last week lawyers called at the general offices of the railroad company, seeking to effect a settlement. When an immediate adjustment was refused they threatened suit and left the offices, apparently angry.

George Jamison, of Allenwood, Union county, one of the eleven brothers, who have terrorized the county in the vicinity of their homes, one of them some time ago having shot and killed, it is alleged, a constable at Renovo, and who is still at large, has been arrested by Game Warden Berrier for shooting game and insectivorous birds, and has been fined \$20 and costs, which he paid. Jamison is known to be a desperate character, but the warden, with an assistant, captured him at his home without much difficulty, and landed him before the justice of Allenwood.

**BEECH CREEK.**

At the home of W. F. Gunsallus Friday, May the 26, a large party of friends gathered to help celebrate the birthday of his aged mother, Mrs. Martha Gunsallus, it being the 74th birthday. In years ago she used to always have a quilting and invite her friends in on that day; as she is getting old her son Frank and wife have been making the parties for her; two quilts were put in and quilted; dinner was served by Mrs. W. T. Gunsallus assisted by Mrs. Batchlet; all did justice at the tables which were well loaded with many good things that had been prepared for the occasion. In the evening they all wished grandma many more such happy birthdays before starting for their homes. This closed a happy day, long to be remembered by the ones attending.

**SNOW SHOE.**

T. B. Budinger made a business trip to Lock Haven last week.

Miss Rachael Brown, of Clarence, is visiting at the home of Miss Edna Walker.

That Roy sent a lady friend in Moshannon a beautiful present.

Miss Mary Penny, who had an operation performed for appendicitis in Lock Haven hospital, is recovering.

Joe Shope is on the sick list.

**Bitten By Rattlesnake.**

Benjamin Chapman, who resides on Marsh creek, was bitten on the hand Tuesday afternoon by a rattlesnake. The usual home remedies were resorted to, but his condition was such that it was thought best to bring him to the hospital. His condition is not considered serious.—L. H. Express.

A friend in need is all right, if he doesn't need too much.

**SUPERSTITIONS IN PENNSYLVANIA**

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section luck will be good, but if several sections be crossed the hunt will be a failure.

If in strolling two persons go on opposite sides of a tree, one or both of them will meet disappointment before the day is over.

Looking at a new moon for the first time through obstructions, as through a tree top, foretells misfortunes during that moon. To see it over the right shoulder and in a clear space brings good luck.

The rabbit always carries omens of ill fortune. If you meet him on going from home you may look for trouble before you return; if going toward home there will be trouble in your family.

Ashes must not be taken from a fire place in a sick room. The death of the patient would follow. Nor must the bed of a sick person be turned over. It is actually true that this last provision is believed and actually followed in numberless homes where wealth and culture abound.

No one ever saw a negro meet a corpse. The most courageous darky will go out of his way or turn back upon his path rather than encounter such a calamity. It is said that if you meet a corpse your time will come next. If the corpse is stopped on the way to the grave another member of the family will soon follow.

Kraut must be made in the dark of the moon if it is to be sour. It is the height of folly to cut a child's finger nails before it is a year old, for then it will pilfer and steal. The nails must be broken and bitten off.

Potatoes and all roots must be planted in the dark of the moon, when it is decreasing or going down in size; likewise crops that grow above ground must be planted in the light, or increase of the moon.

Hogs must be butchered when the moon is increasing, otherwise the meat will shrivel up and fry away in cooking.

A family must never move except in the light or increase, of the moon. This will secure prosperity and increase of possessions. They will grow as the moon grows. This is another superstition that is in almost general practice in all classes of society.

If a child is allowed to look in a mirror before it is a year old teething will be difficult.

If a coffin containing a corpse be placed so that it is reflected in a mirror, there will be another death in that family inside a year.

The tying of a small sack containing the fore feet of a ground mole assures a full set of pretty teeth. If in teething the child's gums are sore it may be cured by rubbing the gums with rabbit brains hot from the head. Both of these remedies are too commonly practiced to excite comment among the people who observe such things.

To remove a wart from the body steal a piece of bacon, rub the wart with it and then bury it under the eaves. Say nothing about this and the wart will soon disappear. The writer removed a number of warts from his own hands when a boy by doing this.

A stray black cat in the back yard foretells good luck.

If a woman is making soap and a man stirs it, all will be well and the soap will be fine, but if a woman comes the soap will spoil in the making.

If you sing in bed you will cry next day. If you sing before breakfast you will cry before night.

If you want a cat to stay at home, rub its paw on the stove.

To keep a new dog, measure his tail with a corn-stalk and bury the latter under the front step.

If you sleep with your feet toward the door you will soon be carried out a corpse.

If an infant is puny and does not grow satisfactorily it must be measured for the "undergrowth." A pow-wow doctor, usually a woman, will strip the child, measure it with a string the same color as its hair, say some "words," bury the string in a secret place and repeat the performance three times. The child will get well. There are dozens of children in a certain Dutch community that were measured in this way and are now pointed to as examples and proof of the efficacy of the method.

In setting out fruit trees a woman must hold the tree while a man sets it and tramps the dirt about the roots. This makes it a sure bearer. This also is practised in numberless communities.

To kill a toad will cause the cow to give bloody milk.

**New Form of Oath.**

Centre county school directors should bear in mind that on June 1st, when the presidents of the different boards take office, they will be obliged to subscribe to an oath different from that of former years. They must take oath that the compulsory attendance law has been complied with; that no teacher has been employed at a salary of less than \$35 per month, and that no teacher has been employed for, or had charge of, any of the schools of the districts during the year who had not at the time a valid certificate. The old form of oath did not compel them to swear that salaries less than \$35 per month were paid.

This greatest honor Philadelphia could bestow upon Is. Durham would be to ride him on a rail through the streets of the city.

**A BIRTHDAY SURPRISE.**

There was big time out in Curtin twp., last Tuesday. The venerable David McCloskey had reached his 87 mile stone and his daughter, Miss Ella McCloskey, had planned for a surprise; it was a real genuine surprise. Her father went out to his back fields in the morning to make fence. Friends gathered early and by 11 o'clock over 50 guests had arrived; a long table was hastily constructed by D. B. DeLong, Davy Confer and others. It was loaded with the choicest viands known to the culinary art, spread out under the shade of apple trees. The dinner bell was rung and uncle Davy came in and was completely overtaken in tears of joy. The dinner was partaken of with a relish; mirth and humor reigned supreme, and Burdine Butler ate several dishes of different flavors of ice cream, till he actually had a superfluity in his stomach; all had a sufficiency except Scott Holter. The presents were numerous and costly. Mr. McCloskey (red Dave) is a remarkable man for his age. He often walked out to the cook house, when he was interested in coal lands, and walked back the same day; the cook house is about 9 miles from his home. What do you "young bloods" who must have a horse and buggy to go to the postoffice only a half a mile away think of a man 87 years old walking 13 and often 20 miles in a day? Mr. McCloskey hunted deer and bear in the Sootac and Beech Creek region long before a stick of timber or a saw log was cut. When deer were plenty it was no uncommon thing to see herds of 50 deer in one drove. Mr. McCloskey takes his annual hunt yet, and no season passes without getting his full share of both venison and bear meat he uses his old muzzle-loader and his aim is deadly. Mr. McCloskey never used whisky or tobacco, was always temperate in his habits and bids fair to live many years yet.

A GUEST.

**Garbrick-Gentzel.**

Harry E. Garbrick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Garbrick, of Spring township, and Miss Clara M. Gentzel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gentzel, were married at 10 o'clock Thursday morning, 25th, at the home of the bride's parents at Zion. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Stonecypher, of Boalsburg, in the presence of a number of invited guests. Mr. and Mrs. Garbrick will make their home in Altoona, where the groom is employed as a machinist.

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