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Correspondents' Department

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CORRESPONDENTS WANTED.

There are a few postoffices in this county where there has been no regular correspondent to this paper during the past year. We mention Benore, Boalsburg, Clarence, Linden Hall, Martha, Mingoville, Mt. Eagle, Penn Hall, Pine Grove Mills, Pleasant Gap, Rebersburg, Snow Shoe, State College, Stormstown, Waddle, Wolf's Store, Livonia and Hannah while some others are very irregular. A regular correspondent is desired at once from each of the above points. Who will volunteer? We hope our readers at these places will interest themselves in this matter. Have your town represented. We will print the news, if sent to us.

NITTANY.

Miss Rosa Sheats has gone to Mill Hall where she will be employed for some time. She is missed very much by her host of young friends. Miss Marie Holmes and gentleman friend, of Howard, were visitors at this place Sunday. Miss Annie Weaver, of Hubersburg, was a caller to our town one evening the past week. James Rossman and son Tom, of Logan, Ohio, and Henry Colby, of Canton, Ohio, attended the funeral of Mrs. Rachel Rossman, at this place last week. This community was very much shocked on Saturday to hear the sad news of Mrs. Ella Boarders death, who resided in Altoona; the remains were brought to this place for interment at the Lutheran cemetery at St. Pauls. Mrs. Wm. Garbrick, Wm. Garbrick, Jr., and wife, Wilson Ammerman and J. W. Tolbert were Lock Haven visitors recently. The hunters from this place have returned home, but failed to bring any large game with them. James Rossman and son Tom, of Logan, Ohio, who visited here for some time, have returned to their home in Ohio. Mrs. Wm. Rossman, of Howard, who visited here and at Clintondale the past week, have returned home. Clarence Rossman, of Clintondale, stepped off here Monday night while on his way home from Howard. Joe Weaver, of Hubersburg, spent Sunday with his wife and baby at this place. Charley Emerick and family, of Lamar, spent Sunday with friends at this place.

HOUSERVILLE.

Jacob Shuey returned from a ten days' hunting trip; he reports a pleasant time but a scarcity of game. Mrs. D. Bottori is recovering from her recent illness. John Meckley is attending court this week. Mr. and Mrs. Michael Hess, of Bellefonte, were visiting friends in town last week. Mrs. Margaret Houtz, of Selingsgrove, spent the past week with her sister, Mrs. G. S. Keller. Mrs. Emma Dale and son Edward transacted business in Bellefonte on Saturday. Prof. Geo. Bible, of Philadelphia, spent several days with his mother, Mrs. Wm. Coble. Harry Shirk, of Boalsburg, was in this section last week with his cornhusker. G. W. Scholl and wife spent Friday in Bellefonte.

GORTON HEIGHTS.

J. W. Wiggins made a business trip to Clearfield and Indiana last week. Mrs. W. Poorman, of Castanea, visited her son Lyons at this place, Thursday. Claude Watkin, of Fairview, is working here. Susan Pletcher Sundayed at Snow Shoe. Mrs. I. Heaton spent Sunday at Viaduct. Miss Olive Wiggins visited at Moshannon Sunday. Mary Croft visited at Viaduct, Friday.

HOWARD.

Mrs. Comerford and sister Carrie visited a few days at their summer home, after attending the funeral of Cameron Burnside. Prof. Zeigler, principal of our public schools, spent Sunday with his parents at Linden Hall. John S. Holter, of Johnsonburg, attended the funeral of J. L. DeHaas, also visited his parents a few days. Jesse Leathers and his room mate, at the Seminary, Williamsport, married a few days at Jesse's home on Church st. Mrs. C. C. Lucas and daughter Miriam, were Lock Haven visitors last week. Wm. Weber spent part of the week in Philadelphia. John Smith and his fellow hunters killed two deer while out on the Allegheny mountains. Now would be a good time to visit them. Maybe we would get to taste the venison. Teachers are not allowed to have school on Thanksgiving, yet some of these very people who are opposed to them teaching are working all the time. They had better set a good example for the young people of our town. Anna McCallion, of Renova, is home for some time. Mr. Burgen brought his only daughter to Howard for interment on Saturday. Not long ago he buried his wife, May Belle Riddle Burgen. J. L. DeHaas, landlord of the Syracuse House, was buried on Saturday. He was well thought of by all who knew him. His many acquaintances and friends will miss him. Mrs. Ira Johnson was called to Mill Hall on account of the sickness of her father Mr. Shaffer. We are very sorry to say A. A. Pletcher is not improving as we hoped he would. He has a very severe attack of lumbago. He may be able to return to his school by another week, which we hope he may be able to do. Mr. Kunes and wife, of Renova, are visiting Ward Thompson's. Mr. Naginay, of Bellefonte, was a visitor in our town Saturday. Miss Alice Pletcher has been on the sick list for some time. John D. Hall, wife and daughter, were in from the farm one day this week. Pearl Gates and Flo. Leathers spent a day in our village. Mrs. Jones, of Beech Creek, and Mrs. Johnson, of Pittsburg, spent part of Sunday at the home of Mrs. Shuman Pletcher. Mrs. Jones expects to start for West Virginia to visit Mr. and Mrs. Mann. Mrs. Mann was formerly Miss Mabel Pletcher. Mrs. Pletcher, of Mill Hall, visited Wm. Pletcher this week. Miss Marie Reese, of Bellefonte, spent her vacation with her grandma, Mrs. Mary J. Holter. Ronald Welch was a Bellefonte visitor on Saturday.

ZION.

Our efficient postmaster, J. I. Royer, is at present on the sick list. C. M. Fisher who was formerly employed at Jersey Shore, has returned home. L. Fryberger, of Altoona, is spending a few days with his uncle, Dr. P. S. Fisher of this place. Thanksgiving services will be held in the Lutheran church on Thanksgiving evening. Rev. Schmidt of the Reformed church of Bellefonte, expects to assist Rev. Fleck, the officiating pastor. All are invited. Dr. Fisher and son Charles, with Guy Fryberger, spent a few days last week on the Alleghenies hunting for deer. James Kane, of this place, spent Sunday at his home at Howard. Our boys expect to have a game of base ball next Saturday afternoon at Zion. Rev. L. N. Fleck preached a very interesting temperance sermon on Sunday. John Cole says they made liver-wurst on Monday, but Joel ate the liver now they have the worst left. Wm. says he is not afraid to travel at night.

AARONSBURG.

A. S. Stover and wife returned from a pleasant visit to Milroy where they were entertained by John Beaver's. Harry Sauers and Hettie Small, of State College, were down to Jesse Wert's helping them to butcher. Col. Decker and bride, of Madisonburg, spent the Sabbath at Frederick Limberts. Mrs. D. H. Lenker and daughter were visiting friends at Mifflinburg a few days this week. Mrs. Harry Musser and son Philip, of Akron, O., are the guests of Col. J. P. Coburn's and Dr. C. S. Musser. Thadus Stover and daughter, Mrs. Katie Burd, of Smulton, were seen at Polly Stover's on Monday. Geo. Weaver and wife spent one day last week at the home of Oliver Wolfe's at Wolfes Store. Carl Sylvis and family, of Milton, are the guests of H. D. Kremer at this writing. Milton Stover and Mrs. Gilbert sent household goods to New Berlin where they expect to make their home.

HAINES TWP.

Butchering is all the go in our vicinity. Hol Herring, of Spring Mills, was in our vicinity surveying timber land, Monday. F. S. Tomlinson's lumber job is in operation now. Edward Bressler is teamster. Eimer Boob and wife returned home from a few weeks' visit with relatives and friends in South Dakota. The holes are dug for the telephone line from Aaronsburg to the farm of Dr. D. F. Bowersox. Thomas Smith and wife were Sunday visitors at H. S. Winkelbiech's. Mrs. J. D. Stover who was taken suddenly ill three weeks ago, is slowly improving at this writing. John Keen and wife, of Millheim, visited the latter's niece, Mrs. J. D. Stover, on Sunday. —For a cough or cold take Krumrine's Compound Syrup of Tar—cures in one day.

ROLAND.

Mrs. Shope, of State College, is visiting friends at this place. Quite a number of the farmers have gone on their annual hunting trip. Hunter Dukeman shot a large wild turkey last week. Ben Neff is shaking hands with his many friends at this place. Miss Sue Holter and Mrs. V. E. Curtin spent a day visiting friends at Howard. Mrs. McMean is quite ill at her home. We hope for her speedy recovery. It is reported that there will be a wedding at Mt. Pisgah, on Thursday. Miss Velta Williams was visiting friends at Tyrone last week. Wm. Barger is working in Bellefonte. Kathryn Parker is spending a few days with her sister Mrs. Jerry Glenn. The schools of this place are having a Thanksgiving entertainment for the parents. Mrs. Tibbens, of Philadelphia, Mr. Princes sister is visiting friends here. A very interesting meeting of the Epworth League was held on Sabbath night, led by Mrs. Curtin; the Juniors taking part added much interest to the meeting. Rev. Aller administered the Sacrament and preached a very fine sermon on Sunday night, and announced the revival meeting to be held at Kennedy in two weeks. Mollie Prince spent Sunday with her parents at this place.

MOSHANNON.

Miss Alma Beightol visited friends in Philipsburg this week. Miss Louise Burrell, who has been keeping house for Squire Weaver, has gone to Spring Mills to visit her parents. Lucy Fleming accompanied her sister Mrs. Bowes to Grant, Pa. Mrs. Jennie Vail has removed from this place to Punxsutawney where she will be with her son Oliver. F. L. Zimmerman is off on a hunting trip. J. T. Lucas spent several days in Bellefonte. Mrs. Anna Petzer has returned to her home in Clearfield, after a visit with her brother T. D. Weaver of this place. Rita Lucas visited her friend Lola French in Munson. Milford Martin and wife went to house keeping on Water street. Rev. R. G. Williams preached at Bigler on Sunday. Miss Elizabeth Fleming is boarding with John McGowan's since her sister moved away. Moshannon scribe No. 2 would like to inquire of No. 1, what was meant by the "Post." Is it a hitching post?

PENN TWP.

Butchering is all the go now. Miss Elsie Rider and Clayton Pressler visited at the home of Adam Jordan, Sunday. Peter Kessler visited at the home of Peter Breon, Thursday. Some of the young folks of this vicinity attended the entertainment held at Millheim, Sunday evening, which was a success. Rev. Lauffer visited at the home of Peter Breon on Monday also John Clinfelter and Mr. Miller, from Jersey Shore, spent Sunday there. The funeral of Henry Keen was largely attended on Sunday. The Salem Reformed Sunday school intend to have a Christmas entertainment again. SOBER. Miss Dora Gentzel went to work for Daniel Shook a few weeks. The Misses Blanche Wolf and Carrie Snavey were callers at U. G. Auman, Saturday evening. The sale of C. V. Gentzel was well attended. Miss Irene Nitmer visited her grandmother Mrs. David Neese. Myles Barger, of Mifflin county, was a visitor at C. V. Gentzel's. Miss Bess Meyer and Mariam Kerstetter, of Coburn, also Loyd Barges, were pleasant callers with Miss Clara Eckert last Sunday.

POTTER TWP.

EARLYTOWN. Geo. Stover died Saturday and was buried on Tuesday forenoon; the entire community expresses their sympathy to the bereaved mother and family. Mr. Stover is the father of 14 children all living, 8 boys and 6 girls. On Tuesday Mr. Reiber and wife were the guests of Mrs. D. L. Barges; they were on the way to Centre Hall with 150 lbs. of honey to ship to Johnstown, to their son W. A. Reiber. The Grangers of Centre Hall are having chicken and waffles supper on Thanksgiving eve, good full plates for 25cts. All are invited to come and have a good time. FOSSUM RIDGE. Blaine Palmer and wife, of Yeagerstown, are visiting at the latter's parent's. Our expert marksman would better practice on a rifle a little more before he tries to shoot hogs, then he will be sure of hitting them.

Hint to our Merchants.

At the meeting of the Tyrone Business Men's Association held last Friday evening the following motion was unanimously adopted: "We agree to use only newspapers, our own bills, circulars, catalogues and wrappers for advertising and not to use programs, booklets, hotel registers, premium lists or any such schemes which are worthless and not legitimate methods of advertising, and we agree to not donate merchandise, prizes or premiums for fairs, shows or entertainments." There are too many fake advertising schemes worked on this community and business men should sit down, hard, on all of them. Big storm on the great lakes beginning of the week and 26 lives lost with several vessels wrecked. It is reported the severest storm on the lakes for many years.

SECRET OF CHARM.

Cultivate the Ability to Appear Unconscious of Self. One must be unconscious of self in order to be called charming. Following the Golden Rule entitles a woman to be called charming. She must be good or she cannot be charming, not on a long acquaintance—that is, where there is a lack of sincerity it is easily discovered, perhaps not in the course of a few visits, but later on. There is a difference in the true and false ring of a coin. Think not to deceive. It is impossible. All exert an influence for good or evil upon those they come in contact with. Why not let it be the former? It is much the happier way. A pleasant impression never works harm to any one and lingers in the mind as long as the memory of the person lasts, says Woman's Life. A charming woman takes a broad view of life. She cannot be narrow. She wounds not her friends with unkind words. If she chides, it is with a gentle manner. To deserve to be called a charming woman, one must be charming to women as well as to men, otherwise the charm would be a very one sided thing, so to speak. It is easy to charm a man in many cases, not so easy a woman. Is there a woman so unfortunate as not to be charming to some one?

CURRIED CHICKEN.

A Good Recipe For Preparing This Delightful Dish. Curries are easily made if the experimenter is content to begin with simple recipes. Almost any meat or vegetable, not to speak of fish and fowl, may be curried, and experience lets the light in on a number of delightful combinations. Curried chicken is perhaps the best thing to begin with. Cut up the chicken as for stewing. Fry an onion, half a tart apple and, if there is no prejudice against the fragrant herb, two cloves or garlic, all cut up fine, in butter until of a golden color. Put the chicken in this and fry until slightly brown. The object is to sear the outside of the fowl. Now season with salt, white or red pepper and two heaping teaspoonfuls of best curry powder. Turn the pieces over and over to distribute the seasoning. Just cover with hot water, cover tightly and cook slowly for three hours. Before covering add half a cupful of grated fresh coconut, not the desiccated coconut. Just before serving squeeze in the juice of half a lemon, taste and add extra flavoring if desired. Sometimes a few drops of kitchen bouquet greatly improves the flavor. Serve perfectly boiled rice in a border and put plenty of gravy on each plate. (Cutney should always be on the table.)

SEWING HINTS.

When joining a bias piece of material to a straight piece, always keep the bias piece underneath, as this prevents it from stretching. Half worn sheets should be cut in half lengthways, the selvages seamed together and the newly cut edges hemmed. This considerably lengthens their lease of life. When sewing a thin material, such as chiffon, on the machine, place a piece of paper underneath the material. It will prevent it puckering and can be easily removed afterward. To avoid marking velvet when sewing it, lay another piece face downward to rest your fingers on, and you will find when you have finished sewing that the pile will not be flattened. Buttonholes on shirts should be stitched round with strong cotton just outside the buttonhole stitch while they are new. If this is done they will last almost as long as the shirt itself without tearing away. The Smoothing Irons. The state of the irons has much to do with the success of the ironing. When the irons show a tendency toward rusting or black specks it is time that they are washed in soapuds. Dry them carefully after this washing. Sandpaper is a good thing to have at hand when irons become sticky with starch. Rubbing an iron once or twice across the sandpaper will render it smooth again. If the sandpaper is lacking, dry salt on a piece of paper will answer the same purpose. Flatirons should not be left where the steam of cooking can reach them, as that causes them to rust. Always set the irons away on end rather than flat on the shelf. Those which have once been allowed to grow red hot never retain the heat so well afterward. Removing Stains. Unless attended to at once both tea and coffee stains are very difficult to remove. When fairly fresh they may be soaked in buttermilk and then left to dry in the open air, repeating the process if necessary, after which wash in cold water. Another recipe is to spread the stain over a basin, rub it well with powdered borax, and then pour absolutely boiling water through it. A solution of sanitas is also said to be excellent for removing these stains, but if once sent to the laundry and boiled they become almost ineradicable. Ham Balls With Tomato Sauce. Mix well together two cupfuls of finely chopped ham, a few grains of cayenne pepper, two tablespoonfuls of thick cream, one cupful of grated cheese, two tablespoonfuls of cold boiled rice and one well beaten egg. Shape with a wooden spoon into small balls, roll in crushed cracker crumbs and fry in deep fat to a golden brown. Serve on triangles of hot buttered toast, pouring over half a pint of thick tomato sauce.

PUBLIC SPRAYING FOR SCALE.

Prof. Chas. A. Heiss, representing the Division of Zoology, of the State Department of Agriculture, will give a demonstration of the method of making and applying the best and cheapest remedy for the San Jose Scale, at Rebersburg, Saturday, Dec. 2nd, at 10:30 a. m. All persons interested are invited to attend this demonstration, bring specimens of twigs and fruit for inspection, ask questions, and receive the help that is offered by the State. This demonstration will be given in connection with the Farmers' Institute to be held at Rebersburg, on Thursday and Friday, and is at the request of Prof. Gramley and by special arrangement with Col. John A. Woodward, who is County Chairman of Institutes in Centre county. Prof. H. A. Surface, State Zoologist of Pennsylvania will attend the Institute Friday afternoon and evening, and will speak at each of these two sessions. At one of these meetings he will talk particularly on the San Jose scale, showing the methods of the pest and telling how to suppress it. Prof. Chas. A. Heiss will conduct the demonstration on Saturday morning, and examine twigs brought him and answer questions. This demonstration will be in an orchard at Rebersburg, which will be announced at the Institute and also by posters in con-

spicuous places. Anyone coming to the borough to attend the practical demonstration will have no trouble finding it.

To Provide Locust Ties.

Several hundred thousand trees have been planted by the Pennsylvania railroad this year on plots of ground along its right of way and elsewhere, with the object of preparing for future needs of lumber for ties. In four years, up to October 1st, the company planted 477,295 trees at various points, chiefly on the Philadelphia and Middle divisions. From January 1st to October 1st of this year there were 195,765 trees planted. It is desired to increase this number to 600,000 before next spring. The company requires 3,850,000 ties a year.

Clerical Orders for 1906.

Pursuant to its usual custom, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will issue clerical orders for the year 1906 to ordained clergymen having regular charge as settled pastors of churches located on or near its lines. Clergymen desiring such orders should make individual application for same on blanks furnished by the Company and which can now be obtained from the Ticket Agents. Applications should be sent to the General Office of the Company as soon as possible, in no case later than December 15, so that orders may be mailed by December 30, to all clergy men entitled to receive them.

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