

Correspondents' Department

The news in condensed form from all parts of Centre County

MILESBURG.

James Campbell is papa again; a large boy was presented to him on Friday. Verna McMonigal, of Houtzdale, is a guest of her aunt, Mrs. Sarah Crain and family. Benj. Fisher and wife, Estella Austin of Lancaster, were recent guests of Harry Austin and wife. Fred Evans and son of Pittsburg, were recent guests of his aunt, Mrs. Thomas Taylor. Edna Mills, of Tyrone, after a pleasant visit with Hilda Broome, returned home. On the evening of Orin Heaton's wedding, (he being a baptist,) took on himself to get a keg of Baptists' beer for the boys, and gave it in charge of A. C. Swires and others to deal it out at the proper time. Curt told three of his chums where to find it telling them to steal it and take it down to the school house; at the same time he would go after a spigot and tin cups; instead of returning as agreed he went home, to his bed, and the boys getting very dry, thought they would sample the beer--lo! and behold, a keg of rain water and not beer they had for their trouble. Mrs. Neff, of Central City, died on Friday morning and was buried on Monday afternoon in the Advent cemetery. Isaac Murray on Thursday acted clown in the fremen's parade in Bellefonte. Isaac with a little training would make a good clown for a large circus, his whole mind runs in that channel. Remember the Ev. festival on Saturday, in Crider's building; your help will be appreciated; all are invited to help it along. C. W. Fulton, of McKees Rocks, returned home, after visiting his parents. He was recently promoted from fireman to engineer on the Lake Shore R. R.

AARONSBURG.

Earl Bell and wife, of Huntingdon, are visiting Earl's relatives in this, his birthplace. J. Eberly, of Freeport, Ill., is the guest of his sister, Mrs. Weaver Edmunds. Ruth Swabb is the guest of Ezra Burd's at Coburn, for a few days. B. W. Wyle took Harry Wyle to Lewistown where he secured employment. Bright Bitner, of Spring Mills, and Miss Kossman, of Penn Hall, were seen in town on Saturday evening. Levi Stump and wife, of Centre Hall, Sundayed at Edward Stump's here. Sara Hafley, of Bellefonte, is visiting her parents here. Rollin Kreamer returned from a few weeks stay at Butler, Pa. Clyde Boob, who is employed at Vintondale, is home for a few weeks to help pick peaches. John Bower and family, of Coburn, Sundayed with friends in town. Elsie Phillips, of Philadelphia, is the guest of her parents at this place. Clarence Isenhawer has gone to Lewistown where he has secured a job. Mr. Eberly, of Freeport, Ill., was the guest of Kathryn Smull over Sunday.

JACKSONVILLE.

Mrs. Margaret Diehl is very ill, also Mrs. Catharine Hoy. Both are aged ladies. Mrs. Resa Heverly and Miss Sadie Ghast, of State College, are visiting relatives in this section. Mr. and Mrs. Glossner, of Lock Haven, spent Friday at Harry Rockey's. Mrs. Nathaniel Yearick is visiting her son Harry, of Niagara Falls, N. Y. Mrs. Geo. Glossner, of Pittsburg, and her three children, are visiting relatives here. Kate Martin, of State College, is visiting friends here. Mrs. Frank Love and children are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Smith, Sr. Harvest Home services in the Reformed church on Sunday evening were largely attended. A number of relatives from this place attended the funeral of John Yearick, of Fox hollow, on Monday. The members of the Reformed church have laid a new stone walk in front of their church building.

SOBER.

Willie Breen went to Hyner to work. Albert Barges, also Mary Barger, of Milroy, paid a visit to their sister, Mrs. H. V. Gentzel, over Sunday. Mrs. Mary Zerby spent Sunday at U. G. Auman's. Mrs. Wm. Vonada and son Milton, also her little daughter Grace, visited Mrs. Sarah Jamison. Sadie Breen, who had been staying with her brother, at Coburn, returned home. Mrs. Mary Emerick and granddaughter Florence Baney, of Millheim, were callers at John and Daniel Heckman's. John Wolf and Alice DeLong and two of Mr. Wolf's children, went on a business trip. Lizzie Wolf spent Sunday with her grandmother, Mrs. Breen. Nora Wolf, who is employed at Robert Finkle's in Georges valley, spent Sunday at home. Lizzie Wolf and sister Furl, spent Saturday at W. W. Vonada's.

SMULLTON.

On Monday evening while Della Haugh was walking up the street she saw something on mother Detwiler's porch, which was not always there. So she went in to see and we are sorry to say it was mother; it is supposed that she had a paralytic stroke and just fell over there. Soon some men came who carried her to her bed. We are glad to hear she is improving. Herbert Smull is again on the sick list. Mrs. C. C. Smull, daughter and son, Emma and Earl, spent Sunday at New Berlin.

NITTANY.

The Misses Stella and Georgie Funk, of McKeesport, are spending their vacation with their grandparents, George Young and family. Minerva Smith, of Millheim, is visiting her uncle, W. J. Mauck and family. The Ev. Sunday school of this place, will join with the Clintondale Sunday school, on Saturday, Sept. 1, to picnic at Hecla park. Everybody cordially invited to go along and have a good time. Frank Robb and son Merrill, spent Sunday at their home here. They are employed on the telephone line. The Misses Florence and Helen Rossmann, of Clintondale, spent Saturday and Sunday with their aunt, Mrs. G. W. Tolbert. They took in the festival here on Saturday night, held by the band. Quite a number of our people attended camp meeting at Boonville on Sunday and report a good time. Miss Murilla Williams, of Bellefonte, visited her friend, Mittie Winkleman, several days during last and this week. Ethel Winkleman, of Flemington, visited her friend Pearl Winkleman several days the past week. John Hazzard, of Bellefonte, was the guest of Wm. Garbrick and family over Sunday. Marie Dorman, of Avis, is visiting her aunt at this place. H. G. Rogers is having his house papered and painted which will add greatly to the appearance. Wm. Zimmerman and son Earl, of Hecla park, are doing the work. The band boys realized a nice sum of money at their festival on Saturday night. They will play for the festival at Huhlersburg on Saturday night, Sept. 1. Noah Yearick, of Lock Haven, spent a day with his parents here last week. Mrs. Wm. Garbrick is very sick at this writing; we hope for her speedy recovery. Some of our people attended the firemen's convention, at Bellefonte, last week. Dan Diehl, while crossing the bridge near the school house, with his thrasher and engine, broke one of the sleepers, which was an old one that had been left in when the bridge was built. The bridge is all right, as it has been fixed by our supervisor.

MOSHANNON.

James Weaver spent several days in Clearfield last week. C. S. Walker and daughter Della, of Jersey Shore, spent Sunday with the former's father, J. W. Howard. Sophia Thompson has returned to her home in State College. Mrs. John McGowan and daughter Minnie spent several days in Mt. Carmel last week. Edith Lucas has returned to her home on Spring street, after several days visit in Howard. Madeline Ritter spent Sunday in Snow Shoe with her friend, Miss Poorman. Mrs. A. R. Stam, of Patton, is spending some time at her parental home on Willow street. Mrs. Grace Stryker, of Vilas, was a guest at the Howard home on Sunday. Mary Lomison attended the firemen's convention in Bellefonte last week. Thos. Gleason purchased a new engine to run his thrashing machine with, from Mr. Gentzel in Howard. A number of our young people attended the festival in Pine Glenn, on Saturday. We are glad to note that Maud Cramer, who has been seriously ill the past few days, is improving. F. Culver and wife, of State College, have returned home, after several months' visit at that place. Camp "Comango" was closed, Saturday, register has 23 names enrolled. Clarence Lucas made a business trip to Winburne on Wednesday. Miss Clemetine Cramer spent Saturday in Pine Glenn. Mrs. G. A. Ritter and Miss Bierly, spent Sunday afternoon in Snow Shoe. B. A. Beightol and wife, of Lodebar, spent Sunday in our town.

HUBLERSBURG.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dunkle, of Union County, who were visiting relatives here have returned home. H. H. Noll, who was to Madisonburg visiting her sister, Mrs. Daniel Kerns, the last week has returned to her home at Altoona. Married--Boyd Kreamer and Miss Annie Weaver, were married on Monday evening Aug. 20, at the parsonage at Clintondale, by Rev. Snook. We wish them a happy journey through life-together. The United Evangelicals will hold a festival on Saturday evening Sept. 1, to raise funds to repair their church. Nittany Band is expected to furnish music. Everybody is invited to attend. Wanted--All persons who have any sewing machines or furniture to repair to make it known to Mr. Saxou. He calls repairs and delivers the goods for a very moderate price. Geo. C. Kerns, wife, and daughter Edna and Mr. and Mrs. Heisler and little daughter, who had been visiting with the formers parents, have returned to their home at Pittsburg. The following teachers have been elected for the Walker twp. schools: Crawford, Mary Nolan; Franklin, Wm. H. Markie; Snyderstown, L. H. Vocum; Huhlersburg, Grammar, Wm. H. Minnich; Primary, Lila Deitrich; Centre, Mary Deitrich; Hecla, Alma Stein; Zion, Joel Stover; Forest, C. F. Hoy; High School, Prof. Ullsh. Schools will open on Sept. 10th. It's a positive piece of foolishness to go suffering from biliousness and constipation while Vin-te-na Liver Pills can be pat at your druggist's for the trifling sum had cts. These pills save doctors' bills of 25 cure with certainty, and promptly.

PORT MATILDA.

Walter Harshberger left on Tuesday for a few weeks with friends at Stewart, Pa. M. T. Weaver is improving the looks of his house by building an end to the same. Mr. Eller and wife are back from Atlantic City and report having had a good time. Mrs. Orvis Williams and two little girls spent a few days last week at the home of her father, W. S. Williams, of Martha. H. W. Raybert transacted business in Altoona, Saturday. W. T. Hoover, the hardware man, now has on hand all kinds of fall seeds. Mrs. McClellen is visiting friends at Gallitzin. Cora Geyer, of Florin, Lancaster Co., is visiting at the home of Rev. G. W. Shires at the U. B. parsonage. Ruth Williams spent Sunday with relatives at Martha. Col. Bennett, who has been employed at Stewart for the past six months, is at home, and expects to stay 'til after the Williams reunion. Mary Hoover, of Williamsport, is visiting at the home of A. W. Reese's. Porter Weaver, who is employed at the express office at Tyrone, spent Sunday at home. G. C. Woodring, of Gorton, Pa., spent Sunday with Kathryn Reese. Alfred Eves, wife and two children, of Tyrone, spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Rachael Funk. W. T. Patton is having a brick walk laid in front of his house. Mrs. Doll Denninger met with a painful accident on Saturday, while fixing the fire, in some way her hand slipped and came in contact with the hot grille burning it severely, but is getting along nicely. Edgar Williams, of Bald Eagle, spent Sunday at home. It would be a good idea for some of our citizens to repair the walks in front of their homes. Mays' face is all smiles since the arrival of a boy at his home. Those attending court this week from our town are, Martin Cowher, constable, W. H. Williams as jurymen. Williams & Pringle started out one dark night last week with their imported coon dog to see what was in him. After they had got in to the back woods pretty well, Prof. says now Dutch keep your eye open and we will see some fun, and before long Dutch said, Prof. he has got one treed; Prof. says wait 'till I get a good view of him and I will shoot him, Dutch says, no I will crawl up and knock him off with a club so that the dog can get at him; Prof. said done and up went Dutch club in hand to do Mr. Coon; at last Dutch saw him crouched to a limb and hit him a crack and with a few growls and snarls down came Mr. Coon, then Dutch got all excited and commenced hollering at Prof. to let the dog loose; Prof. with his Daniel Boone hunting knife, soon severed the rope that held the dog, and with one bound the dog was upon him; Prof. said, sik 'em Touser; well, Touser did sik 'em, and Prof. says from the time the dog colored the coon 'till he was dead was 2-3-4 seconds. Dutch says that he knows that he is the best coon dog in Penn. Prof. says yes we have had good luck for tonight we will go home and see what he weighs; he weighed 35 lbs., and Prof. has been strolling around with one of the coon's paws pinned on his coat and telling of the wonderful adventure with the coon.

LIVONIA.

M. W. Adams lost a valuable work horse on Saturday from spasmodic colic. Mrs. C. H. Schreckengast, of Tyersville, who has been ill for several months, is spending some weeks at the home of her father at this place. The Reformed Sunday school at this place elected Roy Kreider, Herbert Stover and C. A. DeLong as delegates to the S. S. convention at Coburn. Some of our sports attended the ball game at Loganton Saturday, between Rebersburg and Loganton, and, of course, our boys cheered the winning side which was, of course, Rebersburg. W. E. Stover was quite ill last Sunday. Chas. Schreckengast, of Tyersville, Sundayed at this place.

TYLERSVILLE.

Mrs. Catharine Shaffer is very ill. Quite a number of people came home to spend Sunday at camp meeting. Last week a little baby girl came to A. H. Caris's. The teachers are now getting ready for their school, which will commence on the 3rd of Sept.

Vegetable Gluttons.

Sundews, common in English marshes, are sufficiently knowing to distinguish between various substances presented to them. Offer them a nice scrap of tender beef, and in a couple of hours they will have concealed it from sight. Try them with a piece of chalk or a tiny pebble, and they remain stolidly immovable. Wet the chalk and offer it again, and the plant apparently mistakes it for meat, the brittle gradually closing round it; then, discovering the deception, they gradually relax and return the chalk without thanks. These vegetable gluttons will absorb morsels of poached eggs and nutton chops, but cheese turns the leaves quite black and finally kills them.

Saluting the Flag.

Army regulations prescribe in detail what honors shall be paid to the flag, and these regulations are implicitly and gladly observed. No matter how little one may relish the duty of showing the respect due to some military superior, he is always ready and glad to do honor to his flag. Whenever any one in the military service of the United States passes near the unfurled colors or whenever the flag passes before him, he is required to remove his cap in salute, and if sitting he is required to rise and stand at "attention" until the flag has passed.--St. Nicholas. It's impossible to defeat an ignorant man in an argument.

FATE OF THE JUNE BUGS.

Awful Punishment That Was Decried by an Ancient Council. Berne has an official collector of June bugs," writes a correspondent of the Chicago News from Switzerland. "This personage is appointed by the city council when the triennial pest of June bugs occurs, and he is empowered to destroy all the insects that may be brought to him. Each owner of a small estate is obliged to gather five pounds of bugs, and those who happen to be the proprietors of larger pieces of property must collect proportionately more. For each pound that is missing from this obligatory amount a fine of 10 cents is imposed, but if more than the required quota is forthcoming a premium of 2 cents a pound is paid. This remuneration is offered also to others besides the property owners. A landholder who entirely neglects to gather any bugs at all is subject to a fine of from \$5 to \$10. School children receive permission to enter large estates, where they shake the trees and poke long sticks about in their endeavors to dislodge as many bugs as possible. "In times of old, the ancient chroniclers tell us, it was the custom to attempt to rid the country of these unwelcome visitors by citing them into court and by banishing them from the country, but the wily insects failed to obey the summons and continued to fly about in the face of the law, laying eggs promiscuously and contrary to edict. In a certain village it was determined to make a terrible and lasting example of all the insects found within its borders. With considerable expenditure of time and patience quantities of bugs were collected and placed in a huge sack. Deliberation was held as to the fate of these hard backed prisoners. Ordinary death was considered too light a punishment for such offenders. A hideous end must be theirs. "A procession of the inhabitants of the village, advisers and councilors, wise men and children, wended its way slowly toward the place of execution, the summit of a high peak. This was laboriously climbed, an executioner with the bag of buzzing bugs in the lead. With due regard for the responsibility and justice of their act, the wise men approached the edge of the precipice. The bugs were to be ignominiously dashed to pieces on the rocks thousands of feet below. The executioner hung over the crag, the bag, top downward, was opened and the bugs shaken out to their death. But instead of falling like so many lumps of lead, as they ought to have done on such an occasion, the bugs, to the amazement of all, spread their wings and flew away."

Feeding Silkworms. The quality and quantity of silk produced by your silkworms will all depend on how you feed them. Too much food should not be given at once, but they should never be left entirely without at any time during the day or night. You must, therefore, watch carefully to get an idea of their appetite and provide accordingly, says Home Chat. Fresh mulberry leaves are the proper food for silkworms, but if at any time these are not procurable young lettuce leaves are the best substitute, but they are only a stop gap. Silkworms cannot live for a long period without their natural food. A Rich Man. Standards of prosperity vary in different parts of the country, but that of Captain Jack is purely local--to himself. The old man came out of his cottage door one morning and discovered some ne'er-do-well neighbors digging clams in the flat in front of his shore. "Dear me, boys," he quavered in a weak, old voice, "don't dig my clams! There's Abel Wyman over there across the cove; he has ham for breakfast every morning in the year. Go over there and dig his clams, boys."

His Awful Mistake. "Young man," said her father, "do you smoke cigarettes?" "I should say not," declared the youth hastily. "I would consider it if a fellow saved the money he spends on tobacco it might drive him to drink."

AZTEC ARCHITECTURE.

Wonderful Endurance of the Old Mexican Buildings. The Mexicans or the Aztec Indians can give the people of the United States lessons in architecture and in solid construction of buildings. There are buildings standing today in the City of Mexico that have stood for three centuries and are in an excellent state of preservation. There is not a frame building in the city. There are a few adobe, but most all are stone, brick or cement. There is a brick building down in the old part of the town that was erected prior to 1450. It shows that so long ago as that the Indians were experts in the manufacture of bricks. But probably 80 per cent of all the buildings are made of concrete cement. Cement and concrete have been used successfully in Mexico for 500 years, and all the cathedrals and churches are of that material. On the line of the Vera Cruz Pacific can be seen the ruins of Toro Bravo, where there are evidences of a city ruined centuries ago. There are some twenty pyramids of solid cement which must have been erected over 500 years ago. One of these pyramids is 170 feet in height, and on the summit rests a cement ledge thirty feet in diameter. This, as well as others, is of filigree work and carved statuary. Near this stands another of white limestone, built in four terraces, with carvings and ornamentations which would put to shame the modern American sculptor. It has stood all these centuries, yet the limestone is much easier broken than the cement. Think of a town of almost 400,000 persons, and the fire record is three in one year. The inside walls of many of the buildings are as much as six feet through, and all buildings are built around courts. There is no provision in any of them for fires, and at the present time small coal oil stoves are selling in the city for \$20--the same that sell for \$3 in the states. The floors are of stone, the ceilings of filigree cement, the walls of coarse plaster and almost without exception hand painted. The architecture on many buildings in the republic shows that the Indian of centuries ago was ahead of the modern builder of today.--Hobart News-Republican.

COMPARISONS.

As Soon as We Begin to Make Them We Begin to Suffer. We would not have to strive so for courage if what we vaguely call "things" were more evenly distributed among us, for no one's lot would then seem to him an evil one. If we were all humpbacked or lame or blind; if every husband were unfaithful and every child a cross; if we were all poor and no man had any more than another; if nobody's son died in his early strength and nobody was loved while we sat neglected, then who of us would know what sorrows and afflictions were? We would take each of

The Man with the Frozen Frown. Have you ever seen him? The deep wrinkles of worry worn deep in the forehead. Such a man is often called "a crab" "an old snapping turtle," and other equally uncomplimentary names. We should always feel charitable toward sour looking people. They do not frown without cause. In ninety cases out of a hundred the nerves are at fault. The blood is impoverished and unable to supply nutrition to the nerves. Vin-te-na is the one safe and prompt remedy for people whose nerves are weak and unstrung.

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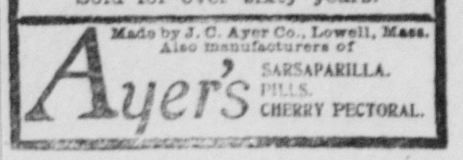
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And Insight. "What happens when people fall in love at first sight?" "Usually marriage and second sight."--Springfield (Ill.) Journal.

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