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POTTER TWP.

J. H. Bitner, who last year taught the Centre Hall High School, holds a clerkship in the offices of the Carnegie steel works at Duquesne.

Mrs. Boyer, wife of C. A. Boyer, station agent at Milton, is at the home of her sister, Mrs. James C. Goodhart, near Centre Hall. While in the valley, Mrs. Boyer will also visit other relatives and friends.

George Barner has concluded to move to Nittany Valley instead of remaining on the McClintic farm recently purchased by I. J. Zubler in Gregg twp. Mr. Barner has leased the first farm, near Salona, for a period of five years.

Dr. W. A. Alexander, having been temporarily located at Potters Mills, will return to Lewistown on the 5th of Nov.

Lyman L. Smith, the grain and coal dealer, is on his pins again.

D. R. Sweetwood, of Potters Mills, has concluded to move to the west to be nearer several of his sons.

James B. Horner, of Potter twp., will have sale on Nov. 17th.

J. E. Kline, of Colyer, has seventy-eight turkeys, seventy-three young ones from this year, and five old ones from last year.

COLYER

David Bohn, wife and family, from Spruettown, spent Sunday at the home of Jacob Royer.

Clair Stem, wife and son Roy, spent Sunday at the home of Harvey Horner.

Mrs. Peter Boal and daughter Katie spent Sunday at the home of the former's son Jonas at Potters Mills.

Bruce Weaver spent Sunday with his friend Raymond Smith.

Quite a number of people of this place took a view of the state capitol at Harrisburg, Saturday.

J. H. Moyer, wife and son Cyrus, spent Sunday afternoon at the home of Frank Brown, who is ill.

On Saturday night two fine young heads of cattle, owned by Samuel Klina, felter, were killed by part of a straw stack falling on them.

John Bitner, of Philadelphia, is paying his parents a visit.

Morris Runkle and wife, of Fillmore, spent Sunday at the home of John S. Runkle.

EARLEYSTOWN.

Corn husking is all the go around here; some of the farmers are done.

Among those that took in the excursion to Harrisburg were Sam Durst and wife, D. Bradford and wife, Charley Coldren and Andrew Smith; all report having a nice time.

The Old Fort hotel is the place for the people: Wednesday, for breakfast 10c, and dinner 16c, supper 43c; they say that is the place to go for good meals.

Miss Abby Moyer helped Mrs. Bartiges clean house last week—that is right, help your neighbors.

Mrs. Reiber, from Colyer, spent a day at Cloverdale very pleasantly, and then went with her son to Johnstown.

MOSHANNON.

The Misses Sarah Ward and Bridgie Smith, have returned to their homes from the funeral of former's mother.

Mr. Clearance has returned from a few days' visit in Howard.

C. B. Hoover, of Pleasant Gap, transacted business here the other day.

Mrs. A. A. Groe returned from a few months' touring thro' the states of Washington, California and Nevada. She alleges the west is all to the good.

Albert Lucas returned to Yarnell after a visit to his parents here.

GORTON.

Mrs. C. Sarvey and Miss Della Sarvey were Snowshoe visitors Saturday.

Mrs. F. Poorman visited at Vieduct on Saturday.

J. W. Wiggins was to Peale Saturday. Misses Sara Wiggins and Della Sarvey visited Margaret Gleason at Moshannon. Ed. Sheehy is night operator here.

Albert Lucas of Moshannon was a visitor here Thursday.

T. M. Wiggins, of Phillipsburg, spent Tuesday at his home.

A new Presbyterian congregation has been organized at South Altoona with Rev. W. P. Benedict as pastor. The congregation will be a part of the Huntington Presbytery, and consists of fifty members.

In Pennsylvania the democrats elected five congressmen, a gain of 4.

UNIONVILLE.

The following kids came home to vote: Oliver Underwood, Chas. Rowan, Raymond Comley, Charles and Don McEwen, William and Chesney Morrison, Blair Holzworth, John McDonnell, Howard and Harry Musser, Howard Peters, and Clayton Stover.

E. E. Erhart anticipates moving his family to Trafford, Pa., in the near future.

Wm. A. Peters killed the biggest hog that has been killed in this town this season. It weighed 308 lbs. It was the first that was butchered. Later—Ed Morrison killed two on election day weighing 411 and 418 respectively.

Mrs. Cora Kreps, after several weeks visit to friends in Altoona, Irvoona and other points, returned home on Saturday to see that the election was properly conducted.

Masters Ralph S. and Earl H. Peck, two bright Nittany boys, grand-sons of Solomon Peck, came to Bellefonte a few days ago and wanted to have Domino arrested for reporting that their grand-pa put the largest apples on the top of the barrel. They both declared that he only put the smallest ones in the bottom.

DOMINO'S FOURTH TOUR.

Russel Blair not only made a first class job of repairing the broken hair spring of my automobile but he added to it an ingenious arrangement which he calls an indicator. It consists of a dial with a pointer like the hand of a clock. The functions of this piece of ingenuity is to point out any desirable place to stop for a square meal. Well, I gave Russel my due bill for expenses incurred and started for Millheim, by way of Pleasant Gap and Centre Hall. I hadn't more than got started before the indicator pointed to the Brockerhoff House, but I put on more steam and when I got to Bishop street, the indicator turned half around and pointed to the Brant House, but I pushed on down Bishop street, and as I sped along the pointer began to whirl around as much as to say "any house on this street is good for a square meal." When I came to Pleasant Gap the indicator again became restless. It pointed to the residences of Wm. Cori, to John Mulingier, to Wm. H. Noll; in fact the measly thing wanted me to stop at every house for a square meal but my time was limited. I pushed on over the mountain, arrived at Centre Hall at 9.30 a. m. and gave an exhibition of speed by going through the principal street. Gee! the indicator almost went crazy. It wanted me to stop at David Boozers, ex-sheriff Spanglers, ex-sheriff Cyrus Bruungars, John T. Lee's and every other place in town. When I pulled up to the hotel, kept by J. W. Runkle, the pointer almost raised on its end, but I must make Millheim by noon. So bid good by to the large crowd that had gathered to see my wonderful machine. I struck for Millheim. At every farm house the indicator wanted me to stop. At Madisonburg I stopped at Hazel Brothers store and got some cheese and crackers which seemed to appease the fretfulness of the pointer, but when I came to within a mile of my destination I was again impuned to stop for a square meal. As it was near noon time, I halted in front of a fine residence, it was the palatial home of ex-Prothonotary William F. Smith. Bill was out in the corn field un-dressing the corn ears. When he saw me pull up to the house he thought it was Ben Gentzel, and that he had another car load of cattle for him to sell. So he hurried home and, do you know, I never saw anybody so glad to see me; and his good wife! why goodness me! I never felt so welcome in my life as these good people made me feel. Of course I had to stay for dinner and such a dinner! Gracious! I shall never forget it. Such apple dumplings, such ham, such pumpkin pie! such cookies and such everything. I can tell you, the patent indicator made no mistake that time. We talked and ate, and ate and ate and talked till nearly one o'clock. William is a great farmer. He has the finest corn I have seen for many years. It only took 117 ears to fill a half bushel. After dinner I asked him to go with me to Millheim. On our way, I let him take hold of the balance wheel and lever and he guided the machine as well as an old chauffeur, which greatly elated him. "My! oh, my! this lever just looks like a billiard cue," he said. We arrived at Millheim and by the advice of the indicator we stopped at the Musser house, kept by Andy Keeser, where we soon attracted a large crowd of curious citizens who were greatly interested. When I explained to them the antics of Russell, Blair's patent indicator. We saw a crowd of people going into "Squire Musser's office and on inquiry I learned that there was a law suit in progress. So I proposed to Bill that we go down and hear it. It was a breach of promise case. The defendant was a tall, giant individual with a Far-a-way-Moses look. The plaintiff was a widow of anything but a prepossessing appearance. I promised the reader the plaintiff to give full proceedings of the trial, but it was half over before we got there, but what I did hear was rich and spicy. Billy G. Runkle was attorney for plaintiff and Tommy Sexton, for defendant. Chief Justice Musser, in summoning up the case said "According to Billy Runkle's argument, who is District Attorney, the defendant is guilty in manner and form as indicted, I therefore—" "Hold on there Judge," cried Tommy Sexton, "I proved by a number of reliable witnesses, such as ex-Commissioner Michael Fiedler, William E. Keen, George Mensch, E. L. Mauck, A. A. Frank, Prof. C. M. Gramley, Henry Meyer and others, that the defendant has been married over a year, and that he has a son three months old, and that he was at his home the night of the shooting. The defendant promised to marry her, and therefore I proved a lullaby most conclusively—" "Be seated sir! or I'll fine you for contempt of Court." (To the defendant) "The sentence of the Court is that you pay a fine of \$1 costs of this suit, especially the costs, and you stand committed till the sentence is complied with. Court adjourned."

Smithy and I went back to the hotel and found the Millheim band out in full force and uniformed. When I got onto my roustabout some bad boys had tampered with it and she wouldn't move an inch. The band struck up "Hail to the Chief" while I fixed my machine. I thanked the band and handed the leader a \$10 bill; but just as I was going to pull out for home an awful pretty girl asked me if I wouldn't contribute a trifle to their Sunday school. I put my name down for \$5. I hadn't gone more than a few rods when another real nice looking lady motioned for me to stop. She handed me a little booklet, she said their church was in debt. I gave her \$2.00. Then a pleasant old man came up, before I got started, and asked me for a

contribution—they want to repair their cemetery, he said: "Great Scott," said I, "do you take me for a millionaire or a candidate?—here is my purse, take out what you please," and he took out my last dollar. I then went down to my bank, drew my check for \$10.20, D. L. Zerby, the teller, handed me \$20.10—the read the figures backwards). I left for home with \$11.10 ahead. I want to say, in conclusion, that I enjoyed my trip to Millheim very much. I was well received by the citizens, especially by the editorial staff of the Journal.

On our way home I stopped at the Centre Reporter office at Centre Hall; gave "Wees" Smith a few pointers how to run a newspaper, and when I came opposite one of the finest residences in town, my square meal indicator became so agitated that it actually stopped the machine. I looked in the direction the pointer indicated and a sign was on the door "Chicken and Waffle supper." I have a weakness for chicken and waffles, so I left my motor car stand, and went in, and to my joyful surprise it was the residence of George L. Goodheart. Well, if we didn't have a jolly time my name ain't "Domino."

I arrived home in pretty good condition, considering the suffering I had to undergo, and will stay in conclusion, owing to the fact that my trips are getting somewhat chestnut, and the time it requires to make them, as well as the much valuable space it requires in the Centre Democrat, I have concluded to abandon the project and will remain at home at least for a few weeks. Should I conclude to take another ride, I will go 1-2 Moon valley, Stormstown, Port Matilda and Julian. Thanking one and all for the courtesy shown me everywhere, I am,

DOMINO.

GREGG TWP.

MT. UNION.

Wm. Messmer, wife and son Elmer, of Greenburr, visited former's father Lenoard Messmer, on Sunday.

Miss Rose Kritzer, of this place, spent Sunday at the Old Fort hotel, and entertained the crowd with choice music with the phonograph.

Howard Bickel, who was employed at Lewistown, arrived home; all glad to see him back again.

Messers Allan Burrell and George Shook, who had been in the West, arrived home on Friday.

YANKEETOWN.

John Hoover and family spent Saturday evening at Spring Mills.

Peter Breen, our up-to-date corn husker, was helping Harvey Bailey husk corn last week.

We feel very sorry for Dubs because he was so disappointed on Saturday night we wish you good luck the next time.

William Lingle and wife spent Sunday at the home of John Hoover.

Harry Weaver and wife visited at the home of Charles Frankingberger.

Reuben Vonada, and family were out of town visitors on Sunday.

Alaman Burrell and George Shook returned from Illinois last Friday where they spent the summer.

Carrie and Esther seem to have grown two feet since George and Albert arrived.

Miss Loeda Mark is staying at the home of her brother H. H. Mark.

Mrs. William Burrell and daughter spent Saturday in Harrisburg.

John Bair and daughter Mary spent Sunday at Tusseyville.

Rumor says there will be a wedding in the future; at least if signs come true. How about it Gertie.

PORT MATILDA.

S. S. Osman spent Sunday at Curtin.

M. T. Weaver has completed his house and says that he is ready for the cold wind to blow.

Our town was turned up side down on Thursday morning. Who did it boys?

The carpenters have completed Dr. Thompson's house and he expects to move into it soon.

Wm. Bennett & Son have closed their cider press for the season, as the weather is getting too cold for that line of business.

Miss Mildred Williams returned home Saturday from Grampan where she had been visiting for the past few weeks with her uncle, W. L. Williams.

W. C. Crain got his foot pinched while helping to build a small bridge across Bald Eagle creek.

Chester Young killed a nice black squirrel on Monday, but when they come to examine it they found that it was blind.

Alfred Meguire has moved into the property which he purchased recently.

Chaney & Thompson have started their saw mill again with the same crew as before.

A. P. Woodring, Telegraph Operator at Snow Shoe, Int., was home on Tuesday to vote.

WOLF'S CHAPEL.

Still some corn to husk.

Thomas E. Smith, of Fiedler, is the champion corn husker; he husked 162.1-2 bushels in 10 hours.

Quite a few of our people took the Harrisburg excursion to see the capitol.

J. D. Durst, wife and son Stover, went to Millinburg on Saturday.

Martin Gilbert and son Calvin are at home for a few weeks.

F. S. Tomlinson spent several days here on business.

David Burd and wife and R. B. Hosterman and family spent Sunday at Fiedler to see Mrs. Hosterman's mother, who is very ill at the home of her son William.

Miss Bertha Mowery, of State College, spent Sunday with her parents.

D. H. Musser and family spent Sunday at the home of Forest Stover.

D. F. Bowersox sold his black team to Luther Stover of Aaronsburg.

Bessie Hosterman, who spent several weeks with her sister at Millheim, returned home Saturday.

Roll Andrew, the 13-year-old-son of Andrew and Sarah Larson, of O'Shanter Clearfield county, was accidentally shot last Saturday afternoon and died the same night. The boy had gone into the woods to gather leaves for bedding for a cow when a young man Harry Wiles 18 years of age, who was out hunting squirrels, discharged his gun and the shot penetrated the head of young Larson. A coroner's jury exonerated Wiles on the ground that the shooting was accidental.

RECENT DEATHS.

MICHAEL MILLER—died suddenly of heart failure at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Reuben Vonada, at Green-burr, Centre county, on Oct. 31, aged 69 years. Interment was made in the Union cemetery at Madisonburg.

DANIEL SPRANKLE—One of the oldest residents of Ferguson township, died on Wednesday of bronchial trouble, after an extended illness. He was aged eighty years and is survived by a wife and one son. Interment at Gatesburg last Friday.

ETHEL LEE—the four-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arney Lee, of Pittsburg, died Sunday morning, Oct. 29th, at their home in that city, from diphtheria. Two weeks prior to her death she had been visiting her grandparents at Centre Hall.

MRS. E. P. TROUT—Died at her home in Hayes Centre, Hayes county, Neb., Oct. 18, Annie, wife of E. H. Trout in her 64th year. Mrs. Trout, whose maiden name was Ray, was raised at Gatesburg, Centre county, and was first married to Harry Lewis, who died leaving her with four children, two of whom preceded their mother to the grave.

MRS. ANNIE HOUTZ—wife of Henry Houtz, died Wednesday 24, at the home of Miss Barbara Colby, in Penn township, after a lingering illness of consumption. Deceased was a daughter of Daniel and Phoebe Keen, both dead, and a sister of James A. Keen, of Edwardsburg, Mich., and Thomas Keen, of Potters Mills. Interment in Paradise cemetery.

LEWIS BARTO—after a month's illness with typhoid fever, Lewis Barto died at his home in Pine Grove Mills at 5 o'clock. Deceased was a son of Henry Barto and was born near Marengo. He was aged 29 years and ten months. In addition to his wife he is survived by three small children. Four children died in the past four years. Interment was made at Gatesburg.

WILLIAM WAITE—a prominent citizen of Smullton, died Sunday, Oct. 28th. Mr. Waite retired in his usual good health; before getting to bed he recalled that he forgotten to wind the clock; he arose to do so, and while performing the act he took a severe chill, and in a few moments became violently ill. Aid was summoned, but he died before morning. Mr. Waite is survived by a wife and several children. His age was about sixty years.

EDWARD DOWLING—of Renova died Saturday morning. Two weeks ago he was stricken with apoplexy from which he never rallied. He was 65 years of age, and was born at Roland, Centre county. He served through the Civil War and was a most excellent soldier. As a democrat he represented his ward in the Renova council for four years. He is survived by his wife and five children. A brother, James Dowling, of Renova, and a sister, Mrs. T. McCafferty, of Bellefonte, also survive. Funeral services were held in St. Joseph's Catholic church at 9.15 on Tuesday morning.

CHARLES WARD—of Brooklyn, who was well known in Bellefonte, died Monday morning in the hospital at Long Island, N. Y., after an illness of a couple days with pneumonia. He was a son of the late Mrs. Ruth Ward, who for a number of years had been a teacher in the public schools here. His age is 51 years and is survived by his wife and three children, two daughters and one son. He is also survived by one brother John M. Ward the famous base ballist, who is the last of this family. The remains were brought here Monday morning when the funeral took place from the home of W. I. Fleming on Penn street.

Frank B. Whiteman, a state warden, found three unaturalized Italians hunting in the woods five miles from Altoona Thursday and arrested one. The others opened fire on him with their guns. One charge entered his right hip and carried away the calf of his left leg and the third entered his left foot. Shooting after the fleeing men, Whiteman saw one drop, but the others aided in his escape. Whiteman then used his assailants' guns for crutches and made his way two miles through the mountain to a railroad tower, where an engine picked him up and took him to Altoona. He is in a critical condition and if he recovers may lose his leg.

DAVID L. MILLER—of Ferguson township, died at his home at White Hall, Thursday morning, 1st of heart trouble. Deceased was born at Baileyville, January 12th, 1841, thus being in his sixty-sixth year. In August, 1862, he enlisted as a private in Company H, 148th regiment and served until the close of the war. He was one of the leading members of Capt. John O. Campbell Post, No. 272, of Pine Grove Mills. He was twice married and is survived by his second wife and four children to his first wife, as follows: Mrs. James Gardner and Mrs. Matilda Cristine, of Tyrone; Mrs. Cyrus Duck, of State College, and James A. B. Miller, Esq., of Bellefonte. Interment in the new cemetery at Pine Grove Mills, Saturday.

JOHN SHIVERS BARRETT—died Oct. 18, 1906, aged 94 years, 7 months and 16 days. Most of his life was spent in this county, and was engaged in the various departments of lumbering and coaling. He was married to Mary Fetzter, of Boggs township on March 24, 1836, and to this union were born two sons: George M., who died in a southern prison during our late civil war; and Andrew C. G., still living; Mrs. John Spicer, Mrs. C. P. Russell and Mrs. Hannah E. Barney, all whom survive him, with quite a large progeny of grandchildren of whom there were in all twenty-nine living and dead, and seventy-four great-grand children. His remains were interred in Messiah's cemetery on Saturday, Oct. 20, his pastor J. Zeigler officiating.

JACOB SMITH BARNHART—died at his home in Charles City, Iowa, on Sept. 1, of paralysis. Deceased was a native of Centre county, and was born in Nittany valley, near Bellefonte, January 19th, 1825, thus making his age 78 years, 7 months and 13 days. He was the fourth and youngest son of Jacob Barnhart. Early in life he taught in the public schools, engaged in the photographing business, and in the early fifties became the editor and proprietor of the Democratic Watchman, and conducted it until the fall of 1860, when he sold out to the Shugerts', from whom the present proprietor, P. Gray Meek, purchased the plant in 1861. In 1871 he was admitted to the Centre county bar. He practiced his profession here until 1877 when he moved with his family to Charles City, Iowa, where they lived ever since. There he continued the

practice of law. He was united in marriage to Miss Marjorie G. Durst, of Pennsvalley, who survives him with three daughters: Mrs. A. W. Andrews, of Kansas City, Mo.; Mrs. M. J. Reneike, of DuBogue, Iowa, and Mrs. Arthur W. Hunt, of Minneapolis, Minn. He also leaves one brother and three sisters living near Bellefonte.

JOSEPH GILL—On morning of Oct. 29, Jos. Gill, of Madera, was found dead in bed, at the home of his nephew, G. H. Gill at Martha, whom he had been visiting. He had been failing in health for some time. On Sunday eve he was in the best of health; on going to bed he said to the family, "Now let's all get up early." In the morning one went to his room to call him for his breakfast, but he gave no answer. The men then went off to their work not thinking there was death in the house until about 10:30 o'clock, when the two daughters, Emma and Minnie, went to his room and found him lying dead in bed. It is thought death was due to heart trouble. The remains were taken to Madera, Clearfield county, for burial. Joseph Gill was 70 years old; a veteran of the civil war, of the 110 reg, of Ohio. He leaves to mourn his loss, a wife and four sons, viz: Lewis, Charles, Scott and Harris, all of Madera; also one brother and three sis-

ters, viz: Rev. James of Philadelphia, Martha Bloom of Bloomington, Caroline Dickson of Madera, Mrs. Catherine Bumgarner of Dayton, O. He was respected by all who knew him.

"Quincy Adams Sawyer"

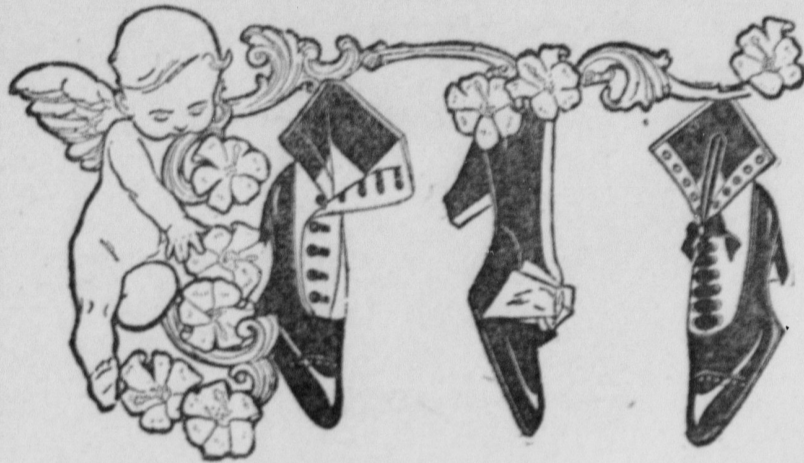
The fame of the New England play, "Quincy Adams Sawyer," has spread all over the country and every where theatre going people are on the qui vive to see it. It is booked to play an engagement here Tuesday, Dec. 18, at Garman's opera house, Bellefonte, and a crowded house will doubtless show its approval of the wholesome story of New England life. The play is built distinctly on comedy lines and there is almost a continuous laugh from beginning to end.

Death of Prominent man.

W. O. Robson, supreme secretary of the Royal Arcanum, and well known to some of the members of the Bellefonte society, died last week at his home in Wellesly Hill, Mass.

Hall Elected.

Harry Alvan Hall, dem., was elected Judge of the Clinton, Cameron and Elk district, over Green, rep., by 300 majority. Elk, Hall's county, gave him 1050 majority. Green's majority in Cameron, is 470 and in Clinton about 300.



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