

Correspondents' Department

The news in condensed form from all parts of Centre County

SPRING MILLS.

Subscribe for the Centre Democrat for a Christmas present for some of your friends...

The Thanksgiving is not everywhere considered as a legal holiday, yet our teachers observed it and ate the national feast under parental roofs.

Miss Myrtle Wolf, one of our young ladies who is an honor to our town and has employment at Bellefonte, was at home during last week but will again resume her work.

Pork is high in price and seems real scarce through here.

Thanksgiving services were held in the Methodist church.

When a laboring man has to work all day long for five pounds of butter it indicates there is something wrong—with the cows.

Mrs. Irvin Beatty has returned home from Oak Grove, where she visited her mother who is ill from catarrh of the stomach.

The roads leading into town are very rough.

Dr. Braucht also his wife are still sick. They are attended by Dr. Allison from Centre Hall.

When the Panama Canal is dug and the North pole is discovered, then we'll be prepared for most anything.

Miss Sarah Ulrich, who is engaged at sewing in Bellefonte, was home for a sumptuous Thanksgiving feast at the beautiful home of her father, Samuel Ulrich.

One by one the old settlers are passing away. The past few years have removed quite a number of the old-timers who will be missed for many years.

C. E. Allison, the bright, energetic son of Hon. Wm. Allison, is home for a short stay. He brightens the town with his pleasant countenance.

Several families below town are quarantined for scarlet fever.

Charles Daley was in our town on Sunday. He just came home from hunting camp where he spent deer hunting season. During the different seasons that he has been hunting he shot twelve fine deer. This year he shot a three hundred pound bear.

Miss Esta Long has finished a course in dressmaking and millinery, and succeeded finely, and can now do work of the finest. She learned under the instruction of Mrs. Sadie Wolf, of our town.

Last Thursday evening Miss Amy Ruhl gave a party to some of her young friends at her home. Fine refreshments were served and all had an enjoyable time.

Miss Josie Condo, of Howard, is visiting relatives here and also lends a helping hand to her sick aunt.

RUNVILLE No. 2.

Claude Lucas of Snowshoe, spent last week here, and did some hunting.

James Lucas and wife, after visiting in Altoona and Johnstown, returned to their home here, and Mrs. Lucas is greatly improved in health.

We are glad to report the success of our young friend Ode Kelly of Fairview, whose experience in hunting has been "very" limited. While he and Charles Dale were out for a chase, each took a different course, when Ode suddenly came upon a large bear, snugly nestled in his winter quarters. Bruin raised his head and the piercing eyes and ivory tusks met those of our young friend Kelly, when Ode exclaimed, "Land, a bear." But quick as thought, raised the gun to his shoulder, aimed and fired, emptying the full contents in bruin's head, which was only No. 6 shot, sufficient to make puzzy "his" captiver; his companion being some distance away, was soon upon the scene and with his help and that of Edward Poorman and G. M. Fetzer, had a hard tug to get the 350 lbs. to camp. Ode's exclamation was, "The next time I run against bruin so far from camp, probably I will let him go." But we feel sure Ode has the sand to lay any game low that comes in his way. His many friends wish he may have similar luck in the future.

The Runville Hunting Club, composed of Edward Poorman, Wm. Walker, G. M. Fetzer, Claude Lucas, James Fetzer, and Iritkan, has returned from their hunting expedition, encamped on Big Run. Success was greatly impeded by some being called home while another jumped on a snag piercing his foot so badly as to disable him for any further work during the season. But we can say one of the champion hunters shot a fine deer, that being Claude Lucas. Good for you! again!

Jacob Alexander shot four wild turkeys this season; just to the limit.

WINGATE.

Butchering is all the go here. Sarah and Helen Davidson, of Altoona, spent Thanksgiving with parents here.

G. B. and O. P. Woodring, how many deer did you get when out hunting in the Alleghenies?

Edith Way and Dora Stere are visiting at Dix Run.

Our teacher, Miss Spangler, spent Sunday with parents at Bellefonte.

Mrs. Lewis and little daughter Rachel, spent Sunday at James Davidson's.

Blair, those people calling and waiting for you Thursday night, asleep, and got no answer.

Earleystown No. 2.

Butchering is all the go here. Harry Confer and wife are proud of being grand parents in Millheim.

Wonder what draws Elmer Hershbarger to Centrehill.

The hunters said good bye to the hunting season, Saturday.

Mrs. Josiah Long received valuable presents on Saturday, from her daughters Miss Rosetta and Mrs. Ida Michael.

When a man gets to Heaven there will be somebody to say: "It's just his luck."

NIT TANY.

James Gunsallus and wife gave a fine dinner for all their children on Thanksgiving day; present were from a distance Luther Stover and wife, from Ridgeway; Mrs. Cassidy and two sons, of Lock Haven; Mrs. Henry McCloskey and son, of East End; Mr. and Mrs. Gunsallus children were all at home but George Gunsallus of Snyderstown and William of Beech Creek. All enjoyed themselves very much. When the turkey and good things were passed around, especially. The day was spent in singing choice selections; fine music was furnished by Mr. Stover and wife. The children all wish to spend many more such Thanksgiving days with their parents.

Preaching Sunday 10:30 a. m., in the Ev. church.

Thursday, Nov. 27, Ex-sheriff Shaffer butchered and all his children were in attendance, except L. E. Shaeffer of Bellefonte. All were very much surprised when W. E. Shaffer of Millburg, drove there just before dinner. All enjoyed the day very much.

On Dec. 15, the ladies of the Evan. church will hold a chicken and waffle supper at the home of H. P. Zerby's; all cordially invited.

Mother Gunsallus is nursing her son George of Snyderstown, who is very ill.

Mittie Winkelman has gone to Lock Haven to spend the winter.

Harry Reacker and Miss Murilla Williams of Bellefonte, were pleasant callers at the Winkelman home, on Thanksgiving evening.

Miss Hannah Beck of Bellefonte, spent several days here last week and helped her folks to butcher; they had a big time on that day. Just ask the girls if they were blackened.

Robert Billit and family of Bellefonte, were visiting his parents here and her parents at Clintondale, last week.

Wm. Kaugleman and wife of near Abdera, visited Wm. Sheats on Sunday.

Mrs. E. J. Peck and children spent Sunday with friends at Jacksonsville.

Miss Annie Minnick returned home after spending a time in Millhall.

John Dorman and family visited friends in Snyderstown, Sunday.

Mrs. Wm. Brant visited her parents in Lemont last week.

Chicken and waffle supper at H. P. Zerby's, Dec. 15. All invited.

YARNELL.

Miss Viola Kline, of Bellefonte, visited her parents at this place the past week.

T. H. Malone left on Saturday for Pitcairn where he has secured employment.

Mrs. Mary Dukeman returned to her home at Roland, after a pleasant visit with Mrs. Annie Brown.

Mrs. Isaiiah Poorman, of Clearfield, is a guest at the home of her father A. G. Walker and family.

John Woormer recently killed a porker that dressed 524 lbs. We think this the largest of this season's report. Would like to know or hear of a larger.

L. Walker, of Howard, spent Saturday night at H. O. Miller's.

Taylor Walker, of Avis, was a recent visitor at the home of his sister, Mrs. J. A. Confer and his aged mother, Mrs. Rachel Walker.

Spelling School held at this place last Thursday night was well attended.

Joseph Witherite, of Runville, was a caller at the Pownell home one evening last week.

Miss Mildred Ogden and Albert Lucas, teachers at this place, spent Sunday at their respective homes.

Adj. Wm. Wealthall, of Altoona, is a guest at the home of J. A. Confer and family.

Potter and Edw. Walker, of Cato, were recent visitors with their aged mother at this place.

GORTON.

Miss Sadie Wiggins returned home after visit to Philipsburg to her brother Merrill and family.

Mrs. Wm. Heaton spent Tuesday at Jacob Heaton's, butchering.

Miss Laura Williams spent Sunday with parents at Moshannon.

F. Poorman, wife and children, visited the later's sister, Mrs. H. G. Manser, of Clintondale, Thanksgiving.

Mrs. J. F. Heaton and daughter Velma returned home, after a three weeks' visit at Yarnell.

J. W. Wiggins is employed at Snowshoe, as fireman of coke ovens.

Roger Poorman spent Friday evening at Viaduct.

MADISONBURG.

Miss Sarah Beeky left for Millburg on Monday, after a few weeks' with her aunt, Mrs. F. F. Wolbe. What will Charley do now?

Paul Beck spent a few days with Mrs. R. A. Douty last week.

There are some boys in our town that better watch out where they shoot.

Miss Mary Detric and her sister Alma spent a few days with their parents and left on Monday for Lewisburg, where they go to school.

Pet and Johnnie shot at a wild animal last week, and when they came to pick it up they found it was a tame cat; after this look before you shoot.

HARRIS.

SHINGLETOWN.

Alexander Miller died at his home in Shingletown on Friday of neuralgia of the heart.

Mrs. Michael Hess, of Bellefonte, is the guest of E. W. Hess.

Mrs. E. W. Hess and son Rob't spent Tuesday with Mrs. D. B. Thomas.

Mrs. Melvin Smith and daughter Mable have returned home after visiting a few days at Mt. Eagle and Youngdale.

John Smith and son Melvin have returned home after hunting a few weeks in the Alleghenies.

WOODWARD.

Butchering season is pretty well closed with lots of "pon hoss and liver wurst." Harris Stover killed the boss pig in this community, at 414 lbs.

Among the hunters from a distance during deer season: L. M. Meyers, H. K. Forey and J. H. Aker from Siddonsburg; C. C. Hummel from Halifax; John Lipter and Harry Gilbert from Millersburg; Chas. Smedley from the Fulton House; Thomas Weirick from Liverpool; Chester Wiley from Peter's Creek and Calvin F. Herr from Pleasant Grove. But it seemed that the party had bud luck, as they had to return home with out any venison.

W. H. Fultz is the boss wing shot in our town as he has 22 pheasants to his credit.

The hunting parties of our community were successful in killing three deer, two fawns and one buck. The fawns were shot by John Musser and M. O. Stover and the buck by L. L. Weaver. The buck was a fine prong and weighed 171 lbs. dressed.

A. M. Yearick is all smiles since the arrival of a young son.

Mrs. Samuel Kreamer is on the sick list.

L. H. Miller spent Sunday with his brother Frank at Millheim.

James Smith employed at Burnham, returned home.

Rev. Garrett, of the United Evan. church, started revival services on Sunday night.

That there is a certain young lady in our town so much stuck on herself that she has to communicate to her friend at a distance that she is "The belle of the town."

Maud said, "She only wished that Thomas would return next fall."

John Eby, of Dunlo, spent a few days under the parental roof.

It looked pretty hard when one of our school teachers was invited to a butcher dinner and ate so much that his scholars had to haul him to school on a hand wagon.

JACKSONVILLE.

Mrs. Joel Kling is able to be up again, under the skillful treatment of Dr. McCormick.

Miss Nannie Gast of State College, visited her aunt, Mrs. Reub. Glossner.

John Butler visited his daughters, Ada and Amelia, in Lock Haven.

A series of meetings is being held in the U. Ev. church, by Rev. Shultz.

Harry Fravel has returned from the Bellefonte hospital, getting along fine.

Nathaniel Yearick and wife spent Sunday at Henry Philips' at Aaronsburg.

Bond Mattern, of Scotia, visited grandma Kling.

Wm. Lucas, of Howard, spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. John Confer.

Mrs. Reuben Glossner and two daughters spent Tuesday, last week at Bellefonte.

Jacob Orndorf has recovered sufficiently to be able to walk out some.

Mr. Woodring, and wife of Bellefonte, transacted business here, Monday.

Geo. Aley, of Niagara, is visiting his grandfather Sam'l Aley.

W. W. Orndorf and wife visited at Howard last week.

G. M. Betz and wife are visiting their son-in-law, Wm. Weaver of Zion.

OAK HALL.

Mrs. N. B. Miller returned to her home in Altoona, after spending a few weeks with her parents at this place.

Sorry to note that Samuel Coble and wife have left our vicinity and gone to his home at Black Hawk.

A young son arrived at the Bennett home recently.

Mrs. H. A. Wagner visited her aunt Mrs. Riddle at Pleasant Gap over Sunday.

Mrs. Smith and son have gone to live with her parents at Shiloh.

Mr. and Mrs. James Peters and daughter, of Rock Springs, visited his mother, Sunday.

Miss Mabelle Kline of Fillmore visited her sister Mrs. Elmer Lowder on Thanksgiving.

Mrs. Fhos. Gramly, of Altoona, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. R. C. Lowder.

B. F. Homan is on the sick list.

Dale Musser spent Thanksgiving at Millheim.

MT. UNION.

Miss Rosa Kritzer visited her sister, Mrs. Miles Bagley, at the home of Harry Confer on Sunday.

John Messner and wife spent Monday in Georges valley at Samuel Estel's.

Joe Messner, wife and two sons John and Charley, spent Sunday evening at Henry Wagner's.

Monday night of last week the large barn owned by William James at Eagleville station took fire and was burned to the ground. The building was a good one but had nothing in it. The loss is about \$1,000.

AARONSBURG.

Mrs. Nellie Brown and baby, of Salona, are the guests of Mrs. B's father, James Weaver.

Rev. Donat, of Jonestown, will preach a trial sermon in the Reformed church on Saturday evening.

Mrs. Hettie Sauers, of State College, and Mrs. Kathryn Merkley, of Milton, were the welcome guests of their many friends and helped their mother, Mrs. Chestie Wert, butcher. They say the Centre Democrat is their most welcome guest every week.

Mrs. Henry Beaver, of Millheim, attended the Holy communion services in the Reformed church on Sunday forenoon. Mrs. Beaver was one of our faithful workers when living here.

Aaron Bower and wife, of Renova, are visiting Mr. Bower's aged father.

Mrs. Mary Conley, nee Yearick, of Lock Haven, is visiting at her old home, E. Stump's.

Paul Swabb and family spent Saturday night with Mrs. Kizzie Swabb.

Rev. Haas, of Rebersburg, took supper with grandmother Stambach Thursday eve.

Mr. Durst, of Potter Mills, accompanied by W. C. Mingle, teacher of the grammar grade, at that place, came down on Saturday eve and went back again on Sunday eve.

E. R. Wolfe spent an evening with his sister, Mrs. Mary Meyers, who is now living in Millheim.

BOGGS TWP.

FAIRVIEW.

Some of our young people attended the spelling school held at Yarnell on Thursday evening.

The stork left a little girl at the home of Jesse Confer and also at Alfred Shawley's.

Ezekiel Confer and wife visited friends at Snowshoe last week.

Charles Shawley of Milesburg Sunday-visited with his parents.

Ira Confer, of Yarnell, attended preaching services at this place on Sunday.

John Davy has moved to Bellefonte.

Wm. and Raymond Lucas, of Holts Hollow, and Carl Lucas of Snowshoe, spent Sunday evening with Erie Nyman.

Rev. Bingham will begin protracted meeting here Monday evening Dec. 3.

JOHN P. BYERS:—the unfortunate victim of the recent electric light plant explosion in Clearfield is dead. His injuries proved of more serious character than was at first conceived, and finally resulted fatally. He was 33 years of age, and is survived by his wife and three children.

A bear invaded the premises of J. C. Newcomer at Bell's Landing, Clearfield county, one night recently and destroyed eleven colonies of bees.

PINE GLENN.

Hunting season is over, we wish some of our friends who go hunting in February for deer would bear this in mind and abide with the law of our land.

Clair Lewis witness quite a singular accident last week; while out hunting a large bear committed suicide by bumping his head on the barrel of his gun. This was an exceptionally large bear, weighing about 400 lbs.

G. F. Daugherty says that during institute he was doing something better than discovering natural gas in Pine Glenn, he made a discovery of the greatest flow of artificial gas that one ever witnessed—This was when he met Francis Speer.

Clyde Holtz, who has been employed by the Spruce Run Park Association, died at Williamsport Hospital, Thursday evening, November 29, he had been suffering for some time from heart trouble.

Omar Ethers, Chester Beightol and sister Mabel, who have been ill with typhoid fever, are able to be out again, and the former has returned to his home in Centre Hall.

The wedding bells are about to ring in our town.

Wm. Hipple, of Baltimore, is visiting his parents here.

A trolley road for the Big Valley is now promised. This line is to extend from Mill Creek to Reedsville, a distance of 27 miles, passing through the villages of Airy Dale, Allensville, Belleville and as far as Kishacoquillas Seminary on or along the public highway and thence along the turnpike to Reedsville, 16 miles of the road will be in Millin county and eleven miles in Huntingdon county. The incorporators are R. W. Jacobs, H. E. Steel, F. Blair Isenberg, George C. Wilson and Wallace W. Wilson.

A boy with an inquisitive turn of mind in the store of MacDonald & Co., in Lock Haven, the other day struck a match to inspect the contents of a mouse trap. A spark flew into some cotton and instantly flames shot up as high as the ceiling. The prompt application of the contents of some chemical tanks prevented a conflagration.

When a man ceases to be a good fellow he has either become very rich or has gone broke.

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MILESBURG.

Miss Ottilie Peace is now able to mingle with the family; she had typhoid fever.

Walter Jones, of Burnham, was a guest of Newton Jones and family.

The Albright gun club, of Altoona, returned home on the 30th, after a weeks' hunting for small game, taking home with them 10 squirrels, 15 pheasants, 76 rabbits; the club consists of 7 men, 4 women, two of the women are experts with the gun; a mother and 6 sons were with the party.

Misses Rose, Betty Haupt, Edna McCullough and Samuel Haupt, are visiting Charles Haupt and family in Cambria county.

Lee Jones has gone to Burnham where he has employment.

The blue Ribbon gun club, of Pittsburg, arrived at the Central Hotel on Friday the 30th, with two fine deer, 37 rabbits, 7 pheasants, 1 porcupine. Hunters were: James Gray, Wm. Faulkner, three brothers, Fred, John, and Olie Scandvol and the lively Hugh Shultz, of Milesburg, all a jolly set of boys.

Henry Kohlbecker entertained the party royally; the boys skinned the porcupine and had a feast of it, and pronounced it fine, delicious meat.

Mrs. Lyda Carter, of Altoona, and Mrs. Ella Rynder, of Erie, were guests of Mrs. Mary Weaver.

Miss Lizzie Weaver spent Monday with Mrs. Sarah Fredericks, of Union township.

Mrs. Geo. Moore, with her children, of Renova, are visiting her parents.

WINGATE.

The weather is very fine now but cold. Misses Dora Stere and Edith Way spent a few days last week among relatives on Dix Run.

A. P. Woodring and William Snyder spent last Saturday in Bellefonte.

Toner Fisher was seen on our streets Sunday.

Norman Kirk spent a short time with Blair Fisher, on Sunday.

Verna Moran Sundayed at G. D. Hoovers.

Mrs. Philip Haines visited among relatives and friends at this place last week.

Mrs. James Haines and little son Earl, of Derry, Pa., is visiting her father at this place.

Christie Page and Harold Packer, of Blanchard, spent a few days at their Uncle Daniel Boobs.

The Nittany Inn at State College has again changed landlords. The new proprietor is Philip Foster, a former successful hotel man, and it is his intention to place the inn on a more substantial basis and cater to the transient trade.

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