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MOSHANNON.

Nellie Fye has gone to Marsh Creek where she is spending some time with friends and relatives, at that place.

Brady Lucas has returned to his home, after having spent the past few days in Altoona.

A number of Pine Glenn's most popular young people took advantage of the fine sleighing, on last Friday evening, and attended Literary Society.

John Hazzard, of Tyrone, was a visitor over Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Simon Hazzard.

Mrs. P. J. Yeager was a business visitor in Snow Shoe Monday.

Laura Williams, of Gorton, and Rhoda Weaver, of Cato, and Mike Kerin's, of Viaduct, spent Sunday at their respective homes.

Edward Shannon made a business trip to Bellefonte, on Saturday.

A number of our young folks attended the stag supper, in Snow Shoe, on last Saturday evening.

Mary Tubridy, of Windyhill, was circulating among her friends, on last Saturday afternoon.

Those on the sick list are as follows: A. A. Grove, Mrs. Sarah Viehofer, Agnes Lucas; we hope for their speedy recovery.

The Modern Literary Society held its usual Friday evening entertainment. The society was favored by a well prepared recitation of F. E. Snyder, entitled, "Just for the sake of dear old Yale." The paper edited by Helen McGovern was very good. The question for discussion, "Resolved: That the wonders of the Old world are greater than those of the New," was decided in favor of the affirmative. All are invited to attend our meeting on next Friday evening.

HOWARD.

Rain and snow has been fulland plenty, and the roads are in very bad shape.

Charles Miller, of Orvis, is frequently seen on our streets. There must be some attraction, how about it, "Dutchy."

Joseph Poorman, of Gorton, was home over Sunday with his family.

Mame Poorman, of Orvis, spent Sunday with her father, R. A. Poorman, of Runville.

W. J. Way, who has been mining at Gorton, came home on Saturday.

R. A. Poorman, who has been foreman for the Hayes Run Fire Brick Co., has resigned his position.

The people of Howard must have feasted too long during the holidays for we have had five different mail carriers in the last two weeks, and every one half hour late.

Wish "Domino" would come to our town, we could give him some pointers on fast riding.

The grammar school is preparing for an entertainment for the first of February.

Those who were on the sick list are slowly improving.

George Quay, who has been in Wheeling, West Virginia, has come home. He reports that country very unhealthy.

Clara Uhl, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Loyd Bachel, of Clarence, has returned home on Monday.

Sylvester Confer is home from the lumber woods again.

The writer is anxious to know where D. W. McCloskey is located, for he thinks the rattle snakes will be plenty this year.

The body of Mrs. Fred Bartly was raised and taken to Hublersburg for interment.

WINGATE.

Cyrus Watson and family, also Laning Irvin and wife, spent Sunday at W. L. Lannen's.

Married: Allison Frieze and Edith Wagner, formerly of here, were married on evening of 16th at the groom's parents, near Milesburg. They left Sunday evening for Pittsburg, where will make their future home; we wish them a long and happy life.

Arvilla Walker spent Sunday in Bellefonte. Glad those who were on the sick list are improving. Mrs. Harsh is suffering with la grippe.

A. P. Woodring spent Sunday at his home in Port Matilda.

Miss Rachel Hoover spent a few days with relatives in Unionville.

HAINES TWP.

BOWER HOLLOW.

We are having more snow in the hollow, and prospects for sleighing.

Sam'l Mowery is lumbering on the D. F. Bowers tract.

M. M. Bower says, boys, it pays to have a separator.

Stover Bros. are sawing wood for Warren Bower. Mr. Bower also made an improvement on his property by running the water in his house, and having a bath tub put in.

Mrs. Wance spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. Bower.

The boys had a surprise party in honor of Mrs. Wance. D. M. Musser says it pays to send for your own poultry food.

A model husband is merely one who lets his wife have her own way.

GREGG TWP.

FARMERS MILLS.

Harry Hagan, from Shamokin, spent a few hours with his parents here.

Rena Rishel is still on the sick list.

The dance at George Barner's was well attended; all report having a good time; there were a few of the boys left.

How about it S. and C.

David Vonada and wife spent Sunday at the home of Harvey Rote.

FARMERS MILLS.

Some of our people made use of the sleighing last Friday.

The dance, held by Geo. Barner, last Wednesday night, was well attended and all report having a fine time especially Mr. Rice and Mr. Leitzel, as they had a very nice time by themselves.

Now boys don't let the girls play the slip on you again.

Grandmother Houtz and M. L. Rishel are improving.

Rena Rishel is on the sick list suffering from grippe.

J. H. Rishel, our prominent merchant, has a number of men quarrying stone for his new store and dwelling house at Spring Mills, which when completed will be a fine structure. Mr. Rishel contemplates having everything ready to move in by the 1st of April.

Harry Hagan, after an absence of about five months, spent a day under the old parental roof. Mr. Hagan very ably held a position at Weigh Scales, for the last year or more, but lately accepted a promotion as night operator at Pottsville.

W. F. Rishel, our up-to-date school director and farmer, has been scouring the country for a hireling, without success. The writer would suggest that he might get our vaccinated school teacher, as he prefers a vaccinated person.

Calvin Wohlford, of Wolfs Store, has been spending the past week with his friend, Laura Barner.

YANKEETOWN.

H. H. and A. F. Mark made a business trip to Nittany valley one day last week.

Mrs. E. E. Smith is still on the sick list.

Harry Weaver expects to move his sawmill to Wolf's store, the latter part of January.

The rural route, No. 2, has been changed; now the people through our town get their mail at 10.30 a. m. instead of 2 p. m.

Miss Mayme Zerby visited her uncle, Eliza Zerby, over Sunday.

It is reported S. O. Boney's family is afflicted with scarlet fever.

Mrs. J. S. Meyer and daughter, Katherine, visited E. E. Smiths, on Sunday.

Messrs. Foster Walker and Roy Hoover spent Wednesday afternoon at the home of Henry Marks.

J. H. Hoover received a fine selection of records for his graphophone which now cheers the whole town.

James McCool and Chas. Smith passed through town Sunday afternoon.

UNION TWP.

Next Sunday, Jan. 26, Rev. Zigler will preach in Bush's church.

On Friday our neighbor and friend, James Resides, was buried. One year ago, last Nov., he was moved from here to Tyrone, a sufferer for five months, which closed with death. The widow has our sympathy.

Thursday a week ago Harry Kunes was going to assist Nelson Wolford kill a calf and a freight train came up behind his horse frightened, and Kunes jumped out to hold it; the horse was so badly scared that it jumped toward the train, and pushed Kunes through the wire fence; when he landed he was at the end of the ties, as the train was going by. His clothing was badly torn, the buggy caught fast on a post and the horse became unharnessed, ran off and was caught down at the siding at Dix Run. The horse had one bad gash in its breast that required several stitches to close.

W. S. Miller, of Julian, butchered on 21. Hurry up, William, or you will be in a time for next year.

The Free Methodists of Unionville and Bush Hollow commenced a revival meeting on Feb. 4; meetings will be conducted by Rev. Rifer and other helps. They have our best wishes and hope there will be some souls saved.

Robert Flick is home from Bellwood where he is employed in a store, on account of the illness of his daughter who took a dose of carbolic acid in a mistake for medicine.

BENNER TWP.

ROCK VIEW.

Miss Pearl Hoy, of this place, left for Pittsburg on Sunday where she will visit her aunt, Mrs. Pifer.

George Grove spent Sunday with his grandparents.

On Monday morning, when Mabel I. was coming to school, she heard some one call her to wait a minute, until he would catch up; her friend said, "what is the reason you are in so good a humor this morning?" the reply was, "don't you see pop got me a new pair of rubbers."

On the sick list are Anna Bows and Lewis Peters.

Oscey Fishburn was a pleasant caller at the High school one day last week.

Quite an excitement was caused the other evening when some of the girls and boys thought Anna was married; all was in vain. But just wait, Mabel, I will walk 30 miles to serenade you.

All the girls and boys of our view attended the serenading on Thursday evening, and were treated up-to-date. Ladies received chewing gum and cider; boys cigars and also cider.

MILES TWP.

CENTRAL BRUSH VALLEY.

Sunday was a stormy day.

Elva Lambert spent Sunday with her friend, Mayme Wert.

Mrs. Daniel Weaver and daughter, Cora, are on the sick list.

Rev. Harvey, wife and son Victor, spent Sunday at James Wert's.

Herman Lambert made a business trip to Lock Haven.

Reuben Wert spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents.

There is a person in this neighborhood that expects to get married before long; he carries his license in his pocket and shows it to everybody.

John Wert spent Sunday at Harvey Wert's.

A crusade against swearing on the streets and in public places has been started in Jersey Shore, and Chief of Police Green is determined to enforce the law in every instance. One offender was arrested Saturday night and was fined \$1.25 for refusing to desist in the use of profane language, when requested to do so.

UNIONVILLE.

Two of the brightest boys of Hublersburg, W. J. Noll and Charles D. Noll, sons of H. H. Noll, came to Bellefonte a few days ago to see the sights. Charley wanted to buy our adding machine to take school with him to help in his arithmetic lessons.

Mrs. Albert Hazel, with her little daughter Helen, went to Pittsburg on last Sunday to bring home her son Roy, who has been in a hospital for the last five weeks with a serious attack of typhoid fever, but who has so far recovered as to be able to come home without danger of transmitting the dread disease.

Miss Sallie McGarvey has been quite ill with grip, but is convalescing.

Martin Hogan, our venerable friend and neighbor, is also down with a very severe attack of the grippe.

We are pleased to report that Mrs. Riley Pratt, who was so very low, and who it was thought could not possibly recover, has rallied, and is now convalescing nicely.

Martin Broer, a former resident of Union township, but now of Hawk Run, passed through town recently and got off the train long enough to say "How de?" and "Good-bye."

James Andrews, of North Philipsburg, climbed on the cowcatcher of the progress train and subscribed for the Centre Democrat. Jim saw a copy of the Democrat and it was a case of love at first sight.

One of our young men, on last Saturday night went to Dick's Run to see his best girl. The night being very dark he borrowed a lantern to dispel any spooks that might be lurking along the way. He hid the lantern among some piles of railroad ties and next morning somebody found it and carried it off, and now Boyd Stere is offering a reward for the stolen lantern. Ah there! Boyd! I didn't in to give you away.

A nice brick pavement in front of one's residence will enhance its value four times as much as it will cost, saying nothing of the comfort and satisfaction it affords the owner as well as all the citizens of the town. I would refer all advocates of the mud pavements to the beautiful brick pavement in front of Martin Hogan's residence which was laid by John Wolislaque, a man who knows his business. Why, if it were not for the strenuous life I am leading, I would consider it a pleasure just to spend an hour every day in walking back and forth on that pretty pavement. It's cheap and will last 50 years—and then some.

Say, No. 2—Your verse in last week's Democrat was sadly out of metre. The first line had only 2 1/2 feet, the second line had 3 feet, the third had 3 1/2 and the 4th had 4 feet. You should take another lesson in rhythms before you write any more poetry. In the meantime we shall continue to advocate brick pavements. Read what my machine says about it:

A man whose name was Urigher,
Fell up to his knees in the migher,
For the mud was quite deep and thick
Said he, "You may call me a higher
If I don't dry up like thick migher."
By covering it or with hard brick.

But another man scratched his old night
And said, "That shall ne'er be my night,
Tho' the mud gets thicker pienty and tuff,
For one or two loads of soft slat,
Spread o'er it as some later daigt,
For me, will be lots gooder smat."

A delightful surprise party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Moran, on Tuesday night. It was in honor of their oldest son, George's 17th birthday. Master George made his debut into society and of course he dare not look with one eye at the fair sex. Time and space forbid a more extended notice.

COBURN.

On Sunday evening, when our people were thinking of retiring for the night, they were aroused by the heavy and rapid tread of a horse hitched to a buggy and heading toward Millheim, where preachers and doctors live, as none of them reside here, although we greatly need them both.

Some said it's some one going for the doctor, but they were mistaken. The buggy had for its occupants two happy young persons from Sober who were on their way to the marriage altar. Rev. C. F. Garrett performed the ceremony at the parsonage and Milton Vonada, son of W. W. Vonada, and Miss Dora Gentzel, only daughter of J. J. Gentzel, proceeded on their way home a happy man and a cheerful wife. On Monday, the happy couple started for Buffalo where they will spend their honeymoon. We wish them godspeed in ever undertaking during their married life.

Eugene C. Radel, employed as clerk in the freight station at Milton, visited his parents several days.

G. B. Shaffer has gone to Juniata to seek employment.

Some of our people attended revival services at Millheim on Sunday evening.

Barbara Wooster, who burned to death at her home was buried in the Paradise Cemetery on Thursday afternoon. Services were conducted in the Evan. church by Rev. C. F. Garrett.

H. R. Treaster, our blacksmith is now engaged by the Howard Creamery Co. to gather cream for their Creamery at this place. He will however have his shop open on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday of each week to work at his trade.

Mrs. M. Musser, of Zion, visited her daughter, Mrs. J. R. Corman, last Sunday.

Henry Bpahn transacted business at Bellefonte this week.

GREENBURR.

On account of sickness Rev. Wetzel was unable to hold his services last week, and communion services on Sunday.

The primary election was not attended very well on Saturday.

Martha Snyder, of Logan Mills, spent Sunday with friends in our burys.

Frank Snyder went to Brushvalley to help Thomas Brungart get ready for his public sale on March 19th.

Sarah Confer left for Rebersburg last Thursday, where she will remain for several weeks to assist her former mistress, who is ill.

MURRYVILLE.

Sunday was a pleasant day.

Frank Yesick and wife spent Sunday at Farmers Mills.

On the sick list are Mrs. Daniel Weaver, Lizzie Phillips and Samuel Beck.

Thomas Douthy and family spent Sunday at Madisonburg.

Miss Mamy Zerby spent Saturday and Sunday with her uncle, Elias Zerby.

Rev. N. J. Dabbs had preaching in St. Pauls church on Monday evening.

LOVEVILLE.

We have been having a great deal of rain for quite a while but it looks like we will have some sleighing now, besides it's almost down to Jericho.

Mrs. J. M. Morrison, and little daughter, Dorothy, started on Saturday for Eagleville where she expects to spend a few days with her son.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Beck's little daughter, Mary, had been sick during last week but we are glad to note of her speedy recovery.

Miss Helen Ebbs spent Sunday with her friend, Edith Fisher.

Some of our people have the grippe which seems to be going around every place.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Fowley, and two little boys, spent Sunday at the home of Wm. Cupps.

Bird Wrye and wife are still at the home of his mother since returning from his wedding tour.

Some of our farmers have a great deal of trouble in getting their cattle gathered in from the mount-ins, some of them have not got them all home yet.

Maud Fisher Sundayed with her friend Mabel Ebbs.

I wonder what has become of the Centre Line scribe?

Quite a good many of our people attended the sale of Martin Smith's, at Marengo, on Saturday.

PORT MATILDA.

Wm. Seigel who was on the sick list is able to be around again.

Miss Gertrude Woodring, who was spending a few weeks at Trafford City, has returned home.

The Methodists are holding revival services.

Dr. and Mrs. James Thompson entertained at dinner on Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Raybert, Budd Thompson, of Martha; Miss Wigton, of Spruce Creek; Mr. and Mrs. Frank McFarland, of Boalsburg; Mrs. Stewart, of Bellefonte; Mrs. Henry, of Martha; and Mr. and Mrs. Thompson, of Lemont, were among the guests.

The I. O. O. F. will give an oyster supper to their members on Saturday night, Feb. 2nd, in their hall.

Mrs. H. W. Raybert is spending a few days among friends, in Clearfield.

A. C. Johnson and wife are spending some time in Philipsburg.

Mrs. Lingenfeiter spent Sunday with her parents.

Wednesday the thermometer dropped to 20 below zero.

POTTER TWP.

EARLYTOWN.

Josiah Long has a job of cutting cord wood; too much for a man 60 years of age.

If you have the grippe you are in style.

We are glad to hear that Mrs. Cory Bradford and her father, Mr. Saylor, are getting better.

Mrs. George Michael will spend a day in Millheim, with her father and mother.

The weather is pretty cold now.

Rainy Days.

"There seems to be rainy hoodoo about the new Capitol. In any event rain seems to accompany everything connected with the celebrations in which the building takes part. When the old building was burned on February 2, 1897, there was a terrific rain and all kinds of slush. When the cornerstone of the building was laid in August, 1898, there was rain of the heaviest kind during the ceremony, and Governor Hastings and others who took part were drenched. When Architect Huston broke ground in 1901 for the first work under Payne contract, on the site of the north wing rain fell, although it did not interfere with that preliminary. Everyone remembers dedication day, how it rained and rained, stopping only when the President spoke. When Gov. Stuart was inaugurated it rained.

Important Road Decision.

In an opinion and decree handed down at Bedford, Monday, by President Judge J. M. Woods, he held that the act of Assembly requiring the county through which vacated turnpikes run to keep the same in order is unconstitutional, because it is class legislation. Suit had been brought by East Providence township to compel the County Commissioners to repair the vacated Bedford-Chambersburg turnpike. This decision of the court, unless reversed, will relieve the county of the expense and place the same on the township.

Primary Liquor Law Unconstitutional.

At a meeting of lawyers representing the Lancaster hotelkeepers it was decided that their clients should keep their barrooms open Saturday last, primary election day, notwithstanding the act which requires closing from 1 to 9 p. m.

It is held that this feature of the act is unconstitutional, as no mention of saloons is made in the title.

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5 gallons Oil75

Soup Beans, 3 qts.25

Dried Peaches16

Buckwheat, per sack35

Our 2c Coffee18c

Noodles, per package08

Mixed Nuts15

Baking Powder, 3 boxes20

Raisins11

Tomatoes09

Prunes, 3 lbs for25

Rice per lb.06

Table Syrup35

Table Salt, 28 lbs for25

6 cakes of Laundry Soap25

Baker's Chocolate15

Tea30

Banner Lye, 3 boxes for25

Highest Prices paid for Produce:

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BUTTER28c PER LB

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