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BOGGS TWP.

HOLDS HOLLOW.

Charles Lucas and wife are spending a few days with John Burd.

Mandela Poorman spent a few days with her friend Blanche Irvin, of Mill Hill, last week.

Lucy Kline, of Yarnell, spent Thanksgiving with her friend Mandella Poorman.

Cameron Lucas, wife and family, are spending sometime at the home of Fleming Poorman.

Quite a few of our young people are attending protracted meeting at Yarnell this week.

Toner Peltzer, of Yarnell, was a visitor in our town on Wednesday evening.

W. H. Wessel spent Saturday evening and part of Sunday in Milesburg.

Orrin Poorman of Runville, called at Fleming Poorman's, Monday night.

Thanksgiving day was observed by our teachers by having recitations, compositions and songs.

Butcherings are now all the go in this neighborhood.

Harry Johnston transacted business in Milesburg on Saturday.

S. K. Miller and wife, of Coleville, are visiting at the home of their son Samuel Miller here.

Malcolm Poorman is home from Altoona and is recovering from a severe attack of rheumatism.

Mrs. Wm. Walker, of Milesburg, visited at her brother's home, John Watson's here.

HOUSEVILLE.

Prof. J. E. Wagner and wife, of Bellefonte spent Thanksgiving under the parental roof.

Dreese & Keller have closed their operations at woolen mill for this season; they are still prepared to supply their customers with their line of goods.

William Tibbens and wife assisted in consuming the big turkey at the Meckley butchery on Friday of last week.

A new chandelier has been installed in the U. B. church, which affords a brilliant light.

J. D. Keller has returned from State College where he was employed for some time.

W. O. Dale is enjoying a well earned vacation, being employed by the P. R. R. as freight agent at Lemont.

Geo. Scholl transacted business in Bellefonte on Monday.

Mrs. Clarence Passmore, of Harrisburg, and Mrs. Wm. Smith, of P. S. C. are guests at the home of G. S. Keller.

LINDEN HALL.

Hunting season being over the talk of the stores, in the evening, is the killing of the game a second time.

You can hear the crack of the rifle and the squeal of the pigs most any morning these days.

Most all of the farmers are through husking corn, some of the corn was growing in the shock.

The snow is here a little too late for rabbit hunting but is still in time for bear.

Catherman's boys, Roy and Carl, are the champion muskrat trappers. They have already trapped 50.

Our teacher, H. H. Loubarger, received his Thanksgiving dinner from his parents in Virginia. It consisted of duck, sweet potatoes, corn, celery, a roll of butter, and everything that goes to the making up of a fine dinner.

GREGG TWP.

CHESTNUT GROVE.

Miss Jenny Shirk is spending a few days with her parents, George Shirk's.

Alfred Poorman, of Clarence, spent a few days with Jacob McClincy.

Clara McClincy has returned home from Pleasant Gap.

James Shirk spent Sunday with his parents here.

J. O. McClincy killed two of the finest hogs in this vicinity, for their age—being March pigs, they weighed almost 300 each.

Ebenezer Resides was a pleasant caller at the McClincy home.

Hog Cholera.

The greatest drawback to the hog industry which breeders in this country have to contend with is what is known as "hog cholera" and "swine plague."

Hog cholera is a highly contagious disease and unless checked is liable to carry off a great number of hogs in a very short time.

Mr. A. P. Williams, of Barnetts Creek, Ind., tells of an experience which he had with some hogs that had the cholera.

"Five years ago," says Mr. Williams, "I was in the employ of Mr. J. D. Richardson, of Lafayette, Ind., as his barn foreman. I was feeding some hogs that I was feeding took the cholera. I gave them Sloan's Liniment and did not lose a hog. Some went to bed they would not drink sweet milk, and I was compelled to dress them. I had tried it at every opportunity since and always with a R. O. K."

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UNIONVILLE.

Rev. R. H. Stine, a former Buffalo Run boy, but now pastor of the 1st Methodist Episcopal church at Huntington, is assisting the Rev. Dr. Piper in his protracted meetings at this place.

The season for taking fish and eels from the streams with a basket closed on Dec. 1st, and Centre county is the banner county, there having been 58 licenses issued. Huntingdon county is a close second, with 46 licenses to her credit.

Margaret Cambridge will leave on Saturday for an extensive visit to friends in Baltimore and Washington, D. C.

John P. Brugger, the Heintz pickle man of Johnstown, came in off Tannery Hill, on the morning before Thanksgiving day, with a fine fat 9-lb. turkey.

Our venerable friend, Wm. Iddings, while on a visit to his daughter, Mrs. Fry, at Williamsport recently, was treated to a moose steak dinner which his grand son, Harry Fry, had brought from the forests of Maine.

Frank Smith and family arrived home on Saturday evening from the State of Washington.

Mrs. John Emerick, after several weeks' visit to friends in Pittsburgh, arrived home on Saturday. Sade's general health is much improved, and she says the only cause she has to complain of is that her organ of speech sometimes gets tired.

Ed. Hall shot and killed a 300 pound bear on the Allegheny last week. There were three others in his party of whom Dr. H. E. Fry, of Williamsport, was one, who took bruin's hide with him and will have it mounted and placed in his drug store.

Daniel Deeble, of Shifton, Schuylkill county, after a week's visit to his brother-in-law, Nathaniel Lindenmuth, left for his home on Tuesday morning taking with him two raccoons and a quantity of bear meat as a trophy of his hunting exploits while here. Mr. Deeble is a reader of the Centre Democrat. This makes one million and one readers of the items. I hadn't known of him before.

Bellefonte has not within its limits, two brighter, womanly or lady-like young girls, than Misses Catharine and Margaret Conroy, of East High street. They were the guests of our own bright little lady, Miss Margaret McDonnell, at the home of the latter's parents Mr. and Mrs. P. J. McDonnell, on Thanksgiving day.

Bud Bruss and Michael Hearty, a pair of Tyrone's sports, came down to our town on a hunting expedition but we have been informed they did not get out of the boro line; as it was their first offense, we'll not give the girls away.

If there's any person, or persons, in this town, that have good reasons for giving thanks and having a general rejoicing on Thanksgiving day, it is landlord Will Peters and his good wife, Sarah. Incidentally, I dropped in to make a short call and, Gee! there was their extension table stretched out its entire length, and loaded down with the good things of the earth, eatable; and Sallie was just taking out of the oven a fine fat, well roasted 12 lb. turkey, that capped the climax. Glancing around I soon discovered the cause of all this "fuss and feathers." There were three of his son-in-laws, J. W. Hoover, E. D. Dell and Elmer Taylor, with their respective wives, and four of his pretty, attractive grandchildren, progeny of Mr. and Mrs. Hoover, all of Altoona.

The Dell's and Taylor's locked their children in a closet, before they left home telling them they would be home in a week or so. Besides this, Billy discharged his crutches and now limps around without them. Before leaving for home Mrs. Dell handed the writer a great big white wheel on which was inscribed, "In God we Trust" and said "please have the Centre Democrat sent to my address; everybody else is getting it and I want to be happy too." So you see, Billy and Sallie had great cause for giving thanks.

RECENT DEATHS.

RAYMOND CONDO.—The 11 year old son of J. F. Condo, of Howard, died Friday morning in the Lock Haven hospital, of gangrene. The remains were prepared for burial and interment made in Howard.

LEWIS FANSLER.—A charge of Penn township, died Saturday night, Nov. 23, aged 72 years, 10 months and 1 day. Deceased was a son of Adam Fansler and was the last of a family of nine children. Funeral services were held Tuesday morning; interment was made in the Reformed cemetery at Aaronsburg.

Mrs. HARRIET MOORE.—of Boalsburg, passed away Saturday morning at 3 o'clock. She was an exemplary christian lady and had hosts of friends who mourn her death. She was 66 years of age. She leaves the following children: Harry Gilmore, of Gregg township and Mrs. Wesley Miller, of Boalsburg. The funeral took place Monday morning at 10 o'clock.

RAY CONDO.—son of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Condo, of Howard, died in the Lock Haven hospital on Friday morning. He was about 12 years of age, and on election day had been playing "Shimmy" with a number of his companions, when he was struck on the hand. The wound instead of getting better grew worse until blood poison set in. His remains were taken to Spring Mills for interment.

Mrs. MARTHA HAINES.—of Graysville, Huntingdon county, about one month ago, went to visit her son, Upton Haines, who resides on Brush Mountain, a short distance from the watering trough on the wagon road that crosses the mountain from Bellwood to Sinking valley. At 12 o'clock noon Saturday Mrs. Haines died of heart trouble, aged 72 years, 8 months and 18 days. Her husband had been dead for nine years. Three sons and three daughters survive her. The funeral services were held at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon. Interment in Logan Valley cemetery.

MISS ELIZABETH BARNHART.—died on Friday morning, at 9:30 o'clock, at her home on East Howard street. She was a highly respected lady, who spent all her life in this vicinity. She was 77 years of age and ever since the recent death of her sister, Sarah, and brother Philip, she had been in feeble health. Wednesday she suffered a stroke of paralysis which tended to hasten her death. Miss Barnhart was an earnest christian lady, and for years has been a member of the Methodist Episcopal church of Bellefonte. Funeral took place Sunday afternoon.

CLINE G. FURST, Esq.—died at his residence in Lock Haven, on Thursday night. He was past 82 years of age. He is survived by his wife, two sons and two daughters as follows: Sidney D. Furst, Esq., Dean B. Misses Mabel and Edith all of Lock Haven, also by one brother Joseph B. Furst, of Flemington. The deceased was born in Clinton county, on his father's farm in the east end of Nittany valley, where he grew to young manhood. At the time of his death he was the oldest practitioner at the Lock Haven bar in point of admission to that bar, although for the past two years he has done but little at his profession, his health not having been good for some time. He was a brother of the late A. O. Furst, of Bellefonte.

Mrs. ELLEN MOORE.—formerly of Lemont, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Jas. G. Miller, of Merersburg, Nov. 22. Mrs. Moore was the widow of the late John Potter Moore, and was born at Pleasant Gap Sept. 10, 1832. She spent the greater part of her life near Lemont. For some time previous to her death she was an invalid, as the result of paralysis. She spent the last three years of her life with her daughter, Mrs. Miller. She is survived by five children: Archie, of Juniata; John, of Philipsburg; Mrs. Alice Johnsonbangh, of State College; Mrs. James D. McKee, of Wilkinsburg; and Mrs. James G. Miller, of Merersburg. The funeral services were held in the Lemont Presbyterian church, Monday, Nov. 25.

MISS BETTIE SHIBERT.—one of Bellefonte's brightest and best young ladies, has joined the great majority of those who have passed to that bourne from which no traveler has returned. The summons came at 3 o'clock Friday morning, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Seibert, on Pine street, her departure was just as calm as the breaking of day; a few days prior to her demise she was noticed on the street, thus the news of her departure caused a general feeling of regret. On the 21st of September she was 16 years of age, and although young was a victim of the terrible disease, diabetes. She was a young lady possessing many excellent qualities, loved and respected by her hosts of friends; she was one of the brightest students in the Bellefonte High school, and was looking forward with a good deal of interest and pride until next

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June when she would have graduated. She was a member of the Methodist church and was active in all its work. Another sad feature about her death was that she was an only daughter, who always brought sunshine and happiness into the household. The funeral took place Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock and was largely attended. Interment in Union cemetery.

ELIAS TAYLOR.—of Juniata, a brakeman of the middle division, met an untimely death Saturday morning at the siding of the Pennsylvania Glass Sand company at Granville, a short distance west of Lewistown. He was jolted or fell from his train and was mangled and crushed to death under the wheels. Taylor was born in Centre county, April 25, 1875. He is survived by his wife and three children, also three brothers at Juniata.

Mrs. DAVID CRAFT.—a well known and highly esteemed resident of Philipsburg, died Thursday morning at 2:30 at her home of consumption, with which she had been ailing for about two years. She had been bedfast only about two weeks. Her age was 55 years and 28 days. Since childhood she had been a member of the Methodist church. She is survived by a husband and the following sons and daughters: John, Altoona; Charles, Mrs. Harry Dickson, Mrs. Wm. Morris, Mrs. Herschel Parker, Mrs. Jos. Swires and Harry, all of Philipsburg. She also leaves two sisters and three brothers: Mrs. Wm. Lucas, Philipsburg; Mrs. Sarah Snyder, Milesburg; Retben Askey, Altoona; John Askey, Allegheny; and James Askey, of New Kensington. The funeral took place Saturday.

PHILIP EMEL.—died at the home of C. W. Dick, at Gilttown, Nov. 27th, after nine days illness with pneumonia. Deceased was born in Centre county, Feb. 17, 1843, age 64 years, nine months and 28 days; he was united in marriage Sept. 15, 1867, to Jane Mies. During the Civil War he was a private in Co. H 149th Pa. Vol. Inf. In 1876 he moved to Missouri and returned to Centre county in 1889 where he since resided. Interment in the Advent cemetery. He is survived by his wife and the following children: H. S. Emel, John Emel, Mrs. Calvin Lambert, Mrs. Geo. Keller, of Bellefonte; and Mrs. Chas. Mulberger, State College; and the following brothers and sisters: Andrew and Jonas, Mrs. John Martin, Mrs. Samuel Fetters, of Bellefonte; Mrs. August Newman, Milesburg; and Mrs. John Croft, Yarnell.

THOMAS G. W. EDMUNDS.—died at his home, Nov. 21st, at Aaronsburg, of brain diseases, incident to old age. Deceased was a son of John A. and Elizabeth Edmunds and was born in Lebanon on the 4th day of February, 1834, making his age at the time of his death 73 years, 9 months and 17 days. Deceased was a veteran of the civil war and was a member of Company D, 67th Reg. Pennsylvania volunteers, and served four years. He was a prisoner on Belle Isle for three months. He was one of a family of seventeen children, and he, with eight brothers, served in the Union army. He leaves to survive a widow and five children: Clement, of Freehold, Pa., Benj., of near Coburn; Mrs. C. A. Weaver, of Coburn; Mrs. Shaffer, of Williamsport; and Lizzie, of Hazelton. Funeral services were held Monday. Interment was made in the Reformed cemetery at Aaronsburg.

WEDDINGS.

FETERS—WALKER.
Edward M. Peters, of Snow Shoe, and Bessie O. Walker, of Bellefonte, were married Saturday at the parsonage of the First Baptist church, Lock Haven, by Rev. C. P. Warner.

REESMAN—GIBBS.
The marriage of Clay W. Reesman, of Centre Hall, and Miss Alice Wyne Gibbs, daughter of Robert E. Gibbs, of Thoroughtfare, near Woodbury, New Jersey, took place Tuesday afternoon, of last week.

BURROWS—WOLFE.
Fred A. Burrows, of York, and Miss Myrtle M. Wolfe, of Spring Mills, were married by Rev. Daniel Gress, at the Reformed parsonage, Tuesday evening of last week. The newly married couple will reside in York.

NOLL—KELLER.
Ralph W. Noll and Miss Edna M. Keller, of Pleasant Gap, were united in marriage at St. Luke's Reformed parsonage in Lock Haven, by Rev. Samuel Stein, on Wednesday afternoon, Nov. 27. Both parties are well known in Bellefonte, where the groom holds a responsible clerical position in the office of the White Rock Lime Co. located in Temple Court. The groom is a son of merchant Wm. Noll, of Pleasant Gap, and his bride will make their home in Bellefonte.

ANDERSON—MILLER.
At 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, at the home of the bride's parents at Millheim, Miss Mayne E. Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Miller, was united in marriage to Wm. R. Anderson, of Shick-shinny, Pa. Only the relatives and immediate friends of the bride and groom were present at the wedding. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. D. Donat, pastor of the Reformed church of that place, of which the bride is a member. The bride is a popular and well-known young lady of Millheim. The groom is a successful young business man of Shick-shinny. After the wedding the young couple took a wedding trip to the eastern cities. They will make their future home at Shick-shinny.

HARRITY—OLEARY.
A pretty wedding took place Thursday morning at nine o'clock in St. Peter's Roman Catholic church, Allegheny, the Rev. Father John O'Connell officiating. The contracting parties were Miss Mary O'Leary, one of Bellefonte's most popular young ladies and Michael P. Harrity, of Pittsburgh. Lawrence O'Leary, a brother of the bride, acted as groomsmen, while Miss Winifred Harrity, a sister of the groom, was bridesmaid. The bride was attired in a handsome white costume with hat to match. Miss Harrity also wore white. The bride is a daughter of Mrs. Lawrence O'Leary, of this place, and a sister of Mrs. Joseph Wise, Lawrence and Daniel O'Leary. Mr. and Mrs. Harrity will make Pittsburgh their future home.

John F. Trowbridge died at Seattle, Washington. The older residents of Lamar township Clinton county, will remember Mr. Trowbridge as a young man. His mother was a sister of Joseph B. Furst. His father William Trowbridge and family cultivated the "Furst homestead" farm in east Nittany Valley for a few years back in the 70's. Later they moved to Iowa where the boys of the family grew to manhood.

WEDDINGS.

Mrs. G. W. FRIEZE.—died at her home in Mill Hill, Saturday evening at 8 o'clock of a complication of diseases, aged 64 years, 2 months and 14 days. She is survived by her husband and five sons.

ISAAC B. HUGHES.—one of Altoona's leading citizens, died suddenly of apoplexy. Mr. Hughes was born in Pennsylvania Furnace March 29, 1852. He was a son of John D. and Hannah Hughes, both deceased, and when a young man learned the trade of blacksmith. He married Miss Eliza Gates, of Warriorsmark.

IRVIN KLINE.—Who for a year or more had been an invalid from paralysis, died Wednesday morning at the borough alms house. His age was 48 years and 4 months. He is survived by a wife, mother, three brothers and three sisters. The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at 1 o'clock. Interment at Curtins.

EDWARD T. JOHNSON.—News has been received by relatives in Beech Creek, of the accidental death of Edward T. Johnson at Tickpaw, La., where he was employed on a lumber job. No particulars were given in the telegram other than that Johnson was accidentally shot while out hunting. The remains will probably be brought to Beech Creek, deceased's former home, for burial.

MISS AMANDA BARNHART.—died at one o'clock Wednesday morning at the home of her sister, Mrs. H. G. Hurd, at Howard, of paralysis. She had not been well for some time, and three weeks ago was stricken suddenly; from that time she gradually failed until the end. She was the third daughter of P. S. and Rebecca Barnhart, deceased, of Curtin, where she was born and raised. She was a consistent member of the M. E. church from childhood, and made many warm friends who will miss her sadly. Surviving her are the following brothers and sisters: Mrs. J. C. Weaver, of Philadelphia; Mrs. H. G. Hurd, Howard; Joseph Barnhart, Renova; Harry O. Whittier, Cal.; and James K. Barnhart, Bellefonte. Funeral Friday afternoon; burial at Curtin.

SHINGLETOWN.
Ira Hess and family, of Altoona, are visiting friends and relatives here.

Charles Mothersbaugh took dinner with his friend, Nannie Leech, Thursday.

E. W. Hess and wife transacted business in Bellefonte, Monday.

Mrs. Margaret Burchfield and Mrs. John Leech took supper at the home of John Jacobs, Friday evening.

John Wagner and wife are spending a few days at the home of E. W. Hess.

Quite a few of the people attended church at Boalsburg on Sunday evening.

Mrs. Passmore, of Harrisburg, is visiting with friends and relatives here.

Robert Leech took supper at the home of J. F. Lohr's, Sunday eve.

"When I was in congress," said William Jennings Bryan, "I was asked to speak in Ohio in one of the campaigns. I went out loaded with a long address. The meeting was a big one. I was fourth on the list of speakers. The chairman looked me over as the third man was finishing. Apparently he was in doubt about something, for he tipped over to my chair and asked in a whisper, 'Excuse me, Mr. Bryan, but do you speak or sing?'"

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Large Macaroni..... 10c	12 1/2c
3 cans Baked Beans..... 25c	
Box Old Dutch Cleanser..... 9c	10c
Chocolate..... 21c	25c
25 lbs Dairy Salt..... 20c	25c
Vinegar per gal..... 18c	25c
Loose Coffee, 2 lbs for..... 25c	16 lb
Vermicelli..... 8c	15c
Pickles per doz..... 7c	10c
Tea per lb..... 30c	40c
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