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EDITORIAL.

By THE UNFAITHFULNESS of four democrats in the Kentucky legislature, a republican U. S. Senator was elected, a few days ago.

MR. TAFT says it will take us about ten years to get ready for war. Then congress should pass an act that no foreign army be allowed to invade this county until the "ten years" are up.

EVERY EFFORT has been made, and no stone has been left unturned, to free the capitol looters. There is a desire among party men, winkers at the great steal, that the monstrous theft shall go unpunished and great would be their rejoicing thereat. Many of the G. O. P. organs have been lukewarm in reference to this robbery, simply because the guilty ones are contributors to campaign funds to carry elections.

THE PENNSYLVANIA Railroad Company does not allow its employes to swear. Last Thursday a new set of rules were posted in the shops in Wilmington, Del., declaring that profane language shall not be used by the men while at work. No specific penalty is set forth, but it is understood that violations will be punished by enforced vacation. The same rules are being posted throughout the Pennsylvania system.

GREGG TWP.

MURRAYVILLE. Logan school, taught by Theresa Rachau, spent last Friday afternoon with Murray school. The afternoon was spent very pleasantly in spelling and entertainment. Carl Rossman furnished the music with his phonograph.

Several of the young people spent Monday evening at T. H. Dooty's. Wednesday evening Mr. Fye took a sled load of friends and neighbors to Jacob Musser's.

Friday evening a sled load of Murrayville's jolliest young people spent the evening very pleasantly at M. H. Bailey's in Pennsylvania. Those present were Maud Eungard, Blanch Limbert, Verna and Kathryn Rachau, Mame Zerby, Mame Wert, Cecelia Mark, Margaret Bailey, Charles Eungard, Bruce McCormick, Carl Rossman, John Wert, Samuel Beck, Elmer and Abner Rossman, Chas. and Edward Zerby and Allen Mark. All enjoyed the evening very much, especially when refreshments were served; returning to their homes in the wee small hours of the morning.

Decker Bros. saw mill has been running half time during the bad weather. Four teams are employed to haul the lumber to the railroad.

C. W. Kleckner's mill has also been in operation the past week. Kathryn and Verna Rachau and Mame Zerby spent Saturday afternoon at Jacob Musser's.

COBURN

Samuel Ard and Mrs. John Braucht, are confined with sickness. Paul Kerstetter went to North Bend, where he is employed in the P. R. R. station.

Bessie Meyer is at present visiting her brother Orvis and family, in Philadelphia. Mrs. J. W. Kerstetter, who spent several weeks with her daughter, Mrs. O. E. Meyer, in Philadelphia, returned to her home on Monday and reported that her daughter had fully recovered. Mrs. Anna Brandt and son Ralph are visiting relatives at Lemont.

On Tuesday Ralph Kerstetter had a large patch of epidermis scraped from his face—the result of coasting on the face in place of the handsled, which balked in coasting down a steep hillside.

Talk about children being the only persons who can be persuaded to become Christians, why, since the great revival at Woodward, persons of all ages are accepting Christ and last week Rev. C. F. Garrett admitted into church membership two believers, age respectively 86 and 87. The days of miracles is not yet past.

FIEDLER

Wm. Winegardner and wife, of Juniata county and John Eby and wife of Dunlo, visited relatives here and also attended the sale of J. L. Winegardner last week.

J. J. Lenig, wife and son of Millmont, visited at E. Z. Hind's, on Saturday. Frank Richard will move to Centre Hill, March 10th and David Dorman will occupy his own home.

A. O. Hosterman and family, who lived at Hosterman, W. Va., about six years, have returned and will begin farming on Henry T. Zerby's farm.

The Lutherans had a week of prayer at St. Paul, last week. F. S. Tomlinson and Thos. Weaver each bought a fine horse at Winegardner's sale.

Little Harry, son of John Brindle, who had been critically ill is improving. George Breen, of Georgesbreast, visited his sister, Mrs. J. D. Stover.

The sale of Mr. Winegardner was attended by more than a thousand people from all around, including nearly all the school children in the township. One of the schools had no scholars there.

Davis Fraize, of Abdera, and Ben. Yearick, of Nittany Valley, circulated in this vicinity last Monday.

OVER THE COUNTY.

Mrs. Frank Crosthwaite, of State College, left Friday for Williamsport, to spend a few days with friends in that city.

Jacob Krider, whose death occurred recently in Tyrone, was a native of Gatesburg, this county. He was 75 years of age.

Mrs. Eliza DeLong and son, of Winterburn, will move to Blanchard in the spring, where they expect to make their future home.

Mrs. David Rothrock and daughter, Miss Mattie, of Buffalo Run, who had been quite ill for a week or more, are much improved.

The contract for the erection of the Presbyterian church at Philipsburg has been let to the Steinbach-Billmeyer Company, Lewistown.

A profitable teachers' meeting was held at the Boggs township school house on Saturday afternoon. The attendance was fairly large.

Lola Lehman, of Austin, Pa. arrived in Moshannon on Saturday, and will remain some time with her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Shannon.

Recently Mrs. C. M. Muffy had the misfortune of running a nail into her foot. At first it gave her considerable anxiety and pain but she has about recovered.

John Hazard, one of Moshannon's prominent young men who was recently married, has gone to housekeeping at Clarence, where he is engaged in the coal business.

James Runkle, at Tusseyville, has been confined to bed during the past week. It is "grip" that has him, and being some eighty years of age his illness is looked upon as serious.

L. C. Bullock, of Milesburg, seems to have a monopoly on the Acetylene plant business in this section of the State as he gives almost steady work to a force of men installing them in various towns throughout Center and adjoining counties.

The other day David Gingerich, of Hannah Furnace, took a needle and picked a pimple open on his hand. The result was that the hand became sore and it was threatened with blood poisoning. There for a while he was pretty badly frightened.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Rossman, of York, are at present at the home of Mrs. Rossman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Bible, at Centre Hill. Mr. Rossman sold his home at York, and their future home has not been fully decided upon.

The Howard Orchestra consisting of Miss Lulu Diets as a pianist, Dave and Philip Holter, Howard Neff, Donald Welch, Harry Bechdel, Will Bland and Adam Kline, Laura Williams and Bert Pletcher is becoming quite popular in that vicinity. The music is up to the scratch.

Charles Miller gave good bye to his mother and sister at Linden Hall, then started for his home in Iowa. He was accompanied by his brother J. H. Miller, to Holidaysburg, where they will visit a nephew, G. Blair Miller. From there they will go to West Virginia, to stay for a short time.

Orville Merryman, of Philipsburg, who was badly injured in a mine near Janesville recently, was taken to the Cottage hospital, in that place. He was caught under a fall of rock, resulting in the breaking of his collar bone and arm, in addition to receiving other injuries.

The dedicatory services of the United Evangelical church at Centre Hall were held Saturday evening and on Sunday. Rev. W. H. Foukes, of Harrisburg, had charge of the services while among the other ministers who were present were Rev. W. W. Rhoads, of Howard, a former pastor of the Centre Hall church.

With the first of April the firm of Hensch & Co., of Harrisburg, will retire from the wholesale notion business. This is the firm with which Wilber F. Harris is associated and, though he will thus lose his present position he has several offers of very good places but has not yet decided which one he will accept.

In walking around the stove the apron worn by Vera Homan, the second daughter of H. E. Homan, east of Centre Hall, caught the spout of the coffee pot and upset the boiling contents of the pot on her body from the waist down. The scalds were severe and caused much pain, but at present the young girl is about again and no serious results are anticipated.

Rev. John A. Bright, formerly of Aaronsburg, but who resided in Topeka Kan., for almost eighteen years, has moved to Campus, Grove county in the same state. Campus is a small village on the main line of the Union Pacific railroad and is in a rich farming community. Rev. Bright has organized a Lutheran congregation at Campus and has become their permanent pastor.

The smoke house on the premises of E. W. Sweeney, in Harris township, caught fire the other morning and had it not been discovered by J. A. Portney the consequences would have been serious, as the wind was driving the flames in the direction of the Sweeney farm house. The use of hose and an abundant supply of water soon extinguished the fire. The meat is not supposed to be entirely ruined.

For the last fifteen years Thompson & Watson have been conducting a general store at Snow Shoe, and were considered one of the most substantial firms in Centre county. To the surprise of the business public they have failed with liabilities amounting close onto five thousand dollars and assets estimated less than one thousand. One of the biggest creditors is Gamble, Gheen & Co., of this place, whose claim is in the neighborhood of one thousand dollars. Thompson & Watson have always been considered perfectly solvent and good for any bill contracted.

The World's Signal Co., of Philipsburg, recently chartered, with a capital stock of \$1,000,000, held its organization meeting at the office of Geo. W. Zeigler, Esq., on Thursday. The Board of Directors chosen consisted of C. H. Rowland, John Dimeling, James Passmore, Lawshe Baird and Charles Seymourt. The officers elected were as follows: President, John Dimeling, Clearfield; vice president, James Passmore, Philipsburg; treasurer, Lawshe Baird, Osceola; secretary, Geo. W. Zeigler. Action was taken at this meeting to at once enter upon the promotion of the company's patent signals, and funds were raised sufficient to thoroughly demonstrate to the railroad companies the value of these signals over any others now in use, and to get them on the market as soon as possible.

BOALSBURG.

Quite a number of the young people of this place attended the festival at Pine Grove.

Oscar Gillmore, of near Rebersburg, who was visiting his uncle, J. W. Miller, returned home, Tuesday.

Irene Segner is spending some time with her sister, Mrs. Ed. Zong, at Oak Hill.

Mrs. Frank Loch spent a few days last week with her sister, Mrs. David Tressler, who is ill at her home near State College.

Rev. Black and wife entertained Rev. Hart, of Harrisburg, Friday.

Arthur Kimport, of Bellefonte, was a visitor in town one day last week.

Prof. P. H. Meyer and wife, of Centre Hall, were calling on friends here recently.

Lee Segner and wife, of State College, were at his home here, Thursday.

Quite a large number of Odd Fellows from State College, attended the Odd Fellows' services Friday night, after which they took supper at the hotel.

Wm. Stover spent a few days with his family at Pleasant Gap.

Wm. Corl and wife, of Pleasant Gap, spent Thursday here at the Corl home.

Mrs. Stoneycipher and Mrs. Charles, spent a few days visiting their friends at Hartleton.

Martha Boal and sister, and Miss Goodhart, of Centre Hall, were here over Sunday with their friend Margaret Mothersbaugh.

Grant Charles returned to Bellefonte after spending some time at his home.

Geo. Mothersbaugh, wife and little son, of Pleasant Gap, were visiting at the Mothersbaugh home.

Quite a large number of people from here, attended the funeral of Mrs. J. I. Thompson, of Lemont, last week.

Mae Stover came home from State College, while here she is nursing a sore arm.

J. W. Miller and wife enjoyed a sleigh ride to the College, Saturday, where they spent a day with their daughter, Mrs. Woerner.

Clarence McCormick, of State College, was a pleasant caller in town Sunday.

Charles Moore's sale, Friday, all come and buy yourselves rich.

A concert will be given in the Boal hall, Boalsburg, by the Glee club, of Millifield, Friday evening, March 13. An invitation is extended to all. Admission 10 and 20 cents.

LINDEN HALL

Mrs. Wm. Brooks is slowly recovering from her long illness.

The school engaged in a spelling match on Friday. The boys spelling against the girls. The girls winning out.

F. Wieland left for Altoona where he expects to spend a few days.

Bertha Tressler spent a few days at Millheim.

A number of people spent Saturday evening at the home of Wm. Brooks.

The latest fad is, when the boys wink at you, is to make a snoot at them.

The teacher spent a very pleasant evening last week at the home of F. Wieland.

Mr. Brooks butchered to fine hogs on Monday.

The scholars enjoy coasting on the crust in the fields, for when the sled sits on the ice, it does not stop, but glides along at lightning speed over the smooth surface, until he comes up to a tree or stump where he stops with a lot skin peeled from his body. Such was the case with some of the scholars.

MT. EAGLE.

The chicken and waffle supper held at the home of J. R. Pheasant, was a success, and all had a good time.

Mrs. John Kunes, of Altoona, spent a few days at the home of her father J. A. Pheasant, here.

Maudie Diets spent Saturday evening in Bellefonte.

Helen Bryant, of Curtin, visited at the home of Theo. Leathers.

Mrs. Gaye, of Runville, visited at the home of A. C. Bathurst.

Tessie Smoyer, who has been ill for some time, is able to be out among her friends again.

Eliza Barger, Beulah Bryan, Myrtle Barthurst, also Helen Bryan, attended the waffle supper on Saturday evening.

Cor and Florence Leathers spent Sunday with their mother.

Jacob Bickel's sale on Saturday was largely attended.

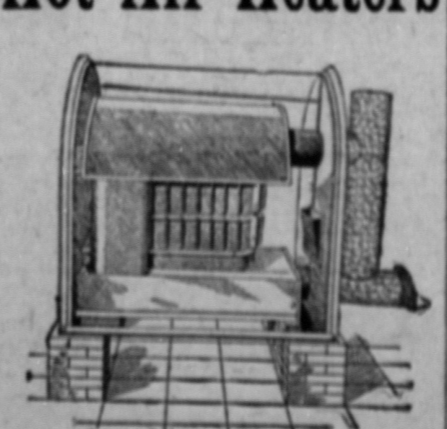
A. R. Stricklen and wife were callers in Bellefonte, Saturday.

Kerr's Appointment. Hon. Jere S. Black, president of the Bryan Democratic league of Pennsylvania, has appointed Hon. James Kerr member of the executive committee from this, the Twenty-first congressional district. The Bryan league has but one purpose and that is to have delegates who are pledged to support Mr. Bryan and the cause for which Mr. Bryan stands, at Denver.

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Nearly Killed By a Catamount.

The extreme cold and deep snows have caused the more ferocious of the wild animals in Huntingdon county to become exceedingly dangerous. Bears, wildcats and catamounts, driven down from the mountains, are devastating the farmers' fields and in several instances have attacked pedestrians on the public roads.

Thursday night Sergeant Russell K. Henry, a veteran of the civil war who resides about five miles from Huntingdon, left Huntingdon for his home on route being along the base of Terrace mountain. Within a mile of his destination he was savagely attacked by a wild catamount, which sprang upon him from an overhanging rock after dogging his footsteps for more than a mile.

Mr. Henry, who is 65 years old, was borne to the ground by the shock and rendered insensible. A fox hound which accompanied him gave battle to the catamount until Henry recovered, when he succeeded in drawing his pocket knife. A furious battle between the man and dog and starving beast followed. The dog was killed and Henry received serious wounds on his face and hands. A neighbor soon after the encounter found him unconscious from loss of blood and conveyed him to his home, where he is receiving medical attention. Friday the body of the catamount was found about 200 yards from the scenes of the struggle. It measured four feet, three inches and had died from loss of blood.

The dyspeptic who insists upon eating sausage is his own worst enemy.

NOTICE TO VOTERS.

In compliance with Section 3 of the Act of February 17, 1908, known as the "Uniform Primary Act," relating to the election and nomination of certain party and public officers, you are hereby notified that the following party officers under their respective heads will be voted for at the Spring Primary, April 11th, 1908, and nominations will be made for the following public offices at the said Primary, as provided in said Act:

STATE OFFICERS TO BE NOMINATED. (As certified by the Secretary of the Commonwealth.) One Representative in Congress. One Representative in the General Assembly.

COUNTY OFFICERS TO BE NOMINATED. (As certified by the Republican and Democratic County Chairmen.) One person for the office of Sheriff. One person for the office of County Treasurer. One person for the office of Recorder of Deeds. One person for the office of Register of Wills and Clerk of the Orphans Court. One person for the office of Coroner. Two persons for the office of County Commissioners.

REPUBLICAN PARTY OFFICERS TO BE ELECTED. (As certified by Republican State and County Chairmen.) Three Delegates to the Republican State Convention. Two Delegates to the Republican National Convention. Two Alternates to the Republican National Convention. One person for the office of Republican County Chairman.

DEMOCRATIC PARTY OFFICERS TO BE ELECTED. (As certified by the Democratic State Chairman.) Three Delegates to the Democratic State Convention. Two Delegates to the Democratic National Convention. Two Alternates to the Democratic National Convention.

PROHIBITION PARTY OFFICERS TO BE NOMINATED. (As certified by the Prohibition State Chairman.) Four Delegates to the Prohibition State Convention. One Delegate to the Prohibition National Convention.

We the Commissioners of Centre County, do hereby certify that the above is a correct list of the Party officers to be filled by their parties, as filed by the State and County Chairmen respectively, and the Secretary of the Commonwealth, and that the public offices as above set forth, are true and correct as we verily believe.

C. A. WEAVER, JOHN G. HAILEY, Commissioners.

Attest: JAMES H. GOHL, Clerk, Commissioners Office, Bellefonte, Penna., Feb. 12th, 1908.

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