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To Our Correspondents.

Of late many letters from regular correspondents do not reach our office until Wednesday forenoon, and that does not give us ample time to handle all. In consequence every week we are compelled to omit several as we are unable to get everything in type by evening when the paper is made up. We would like to have correspondence by Monday and not later than Tuesday. Try and oblige us in this.

CENTRE LINE.

Nancy Heberling is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. D. J. Beck.

The farmers are busily engaged in plowing at present.

Erma and Minnie Bransteter spent Sunday with their friends Helen and Mabel Ebbe.

James K. Morrison attended the Commencement exercises of the Blanchard high school last week.

We will likely hear the wedding bells in the near future.

Harry Fisher and sister Edith visited at the home of Mrs. George Wilson's on Sunday and reports having a very nice time.

Ruth Powley, who is employed at D. J. Beck's, has been spending a week at her home.

Communion services will be held in the Lutheran church in four weeks, which is May 10; preparatory services Saturday evening previous.

Carrie Hoffman spent Sunday at the home of her uncle, James Fisher.

Mrs. K. O. Way, who has been sick for some time, is not improving very fast.

John M. Morrison and family, also their little grand-daughter Marie, Sundayed at the home of Wm. Taylor.

BALD EAGLE.

Arch Irwin and wife were visiting friends and relatives in Port Matilda, last Sunday.

Elmer Watson, of Altoona, was the guest of Arch Irwin last Sunday.

H. Somers wife and family, of Clearfield, were visiting the latter's parents, Joseph Woomer, last week.

H. E. Murphy was a short but pleasant caller at the home of Henry Lewis last Sunday.

George Shipley, of Port Matilda, transacted business at Henry Lewis on Thursday.

David Beck made a business trip to Tyrone on Wednesday.

Mrs. Wilfred Johnson, of Tyrone, was the guest of Mrs. Scott Johnson last week.

Easter services at Bald Eagle on Sunday, April 19, at 7:30 in the evening.

Rev. Bierly delivered a fine sermon at Bald Eagle last Sunday morning. Rev. Bierly is a fine speaker.

Jesse D. White made a business trip to State College on Monday.

Wm. Garland, of Sinking Valley, and brother Calvin of Pitsburg, were guests at the home of their father, who is critically ill at his home here.

UNION TWP.

BELLE GROVE.

Well, everybody is finding something to do now; since the snow has all left the mountain sides the farmers are busy preparing the ground for their spring crops.

Alfrite Champ, of Forest Hill, Union Co., is visiting at the home of Alfred Spotts; he can eat just as many buckwheat cakes as ever.

John Lucas is running quite an extensive lumber job, back in the Alleghenies, for the Wallace Run Lumber Co. We wish him all the success going for John is a hustler.

James Flick disposed of his fine team of Hambletonians; the buyer was John Walker, of WINGATE. James has secured a position from V. L. Wagner, the prop man.

We had a very quiet wedding in our grove the other day. The parties interested were Lloyd Spotts and Miss Julia Hall. The young folks gave them a good lively belling in the evening. They treated the boys with some choice eatables, after which they retired to their homes.

COBURN.

On Sunday the following officers were elected in the Reformed Sunday school: Supt., T. A. Meyer; asst. supt., Z. A. Weaver; sec., W. T. Korman; treas., A. J. Stover; organists, I. A. Meyer and Est. Rishel; lib., Calvin Hartges and Maurice Krader.

Bright Barker, a son of Dr. F. P. Barker, at Ingleby, is sick with pneumonia, for three weeks he was in the hospital at Sunbury, then taken to the home of his father and is still unable to leave his bed.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Voneida and daughter, Alma, of Reading, and Mrs. J. F. Garthoff, of Bellefonte, attended A. Harter's funeral.

Mrs. Allison Schell and Mrs. Calvin Brees, of Millheim, were welcome visitors one day at the home of the former's sister Mrs. A. C. Emig.

UNIONVILLE.

Mr. and Mrs. Bosworth, of Buffalo, after a week's visit to the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Buck, have returned to their home.

Clara Zahnizer and Stella Bruss attended school every day during the entire winter term.

David Pratt and family and Howard Pratt and wife came home on Saturday for a brief visit to their invalid parents, Riley Pratt's.

Maria Taylor, of Fillmore, she is a sister to Dan Taylor, the fellow who picked ten quarts of huckleberries some time before Christmas and brought them over to "Bud" Griest's store, couldn't think of keeping house without the Centre Democrat—so she plunked down another year's subscription and now she is correspondingly happy.

We received a very neat little 8-page paper from Stevenson county, Washington, called the Searchlight, of which Ralph VanValin is one of the editors and Raymond VanValin is business manager. It is published in the interest of reform and temperance. The VanValin boys were formerly of this place and are enterprising fellows.

Dr. Constance Cambridge, of —, brother of Professor Bob and Margaret Cambridge, arrived home on Saturday, after an absence of 22 years. "Con" has not changed so much in general appearance as the years' absence might indicate.

About half past nine o'clock on Monday evening, the citizens of our town were startled by the sad news that went from mouth to mouth, that Clifford Calhoun had just died. He took sick on Friday but was not thought to be seriously ill till Sunday morning, when Dr. Russell was sent for, and the facts were learned that he had taken an overdose of calomel and castor oil, he having taken 8 grains of calomel from the effects of which he died on Monday night, as before stated. He was ranked with the young men of our town, although 35 years of age on the day he died, and was a man of most exemplary character; a consistent member of the Methodist church, without a known enemy, loving and loved by every body who knew him. He was very precise in his personal appearance, always looking like a "new pin" as the saying goes. He was an expert florist and every summer his parents' front yard was a perfect labyrinth of flowers of superb beauty. I know of no young man in this vicinity that will be more missed than Clifford Calhoun. He leaves to survive him, his father, mother, and two brothers, Geo. of Pittsburg, and Roy at home. His funeral will take place today, Thursday, at 10 o'clock from the M. E. church and services will be conducted by the Rev. Dr. Piper.

GREGG TWP.

EGG HILL.

Rain was all the go.

Mrs. Tressler and daughter, Irene, spent a day last week with her son, Thurman Tressler, at Spring Mills.

Jerry Confer and wife took a trip to Millheim one day last week.

May Confer spent last Sunday with her sister, Mrs. F. P. Ripka, at Spring Mills.

Maurie Auman spent last Sunday with his friends.

Harry Miller, of Penn Hall, spent several days with his brother, M. N. Miller.

John Homan and two sisters, Vera and Lulu, spent Sunday at J. W. Tressler's.

George Hettinger, of Boalsburg, spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Hettinger.

Mr. Slawthrop left for his home at Harrisburg, after spending some time with his mother-in-law, Mrs. Hettinger.

Lottie Hettinger spent Sunday at home with her mother.

Jacob Zong, wife and son from Linden Hall, spent Sunday at J. W. Tressler's.

James Lingie, of Centre Hall, was a caller at Jerry Confer's Sunday.

Mrs. Ripka and sister, Mrs. Tressler, of Spring Mills, spent several days with Mr. and Mrs. Confer, last week.

J. W. Tressler on Saturday just finished hatching his last year's corn. Hello J. W. what have you been doing?

BOGGS TWP.

HOLTS HOLLOW.

Mr. Samuel Miller, wife and family, spent Sunday afternoon at the home of George Degarmo.

Mr. Edward Burd, of Divide, spent Sunday and Monday with his parents of this place.

Mrs. Keifer Kline spent Sunday at James Shopes.

Green Shope and wife, of Mt. Eagle, Sundayed with Mrs. Calvin Russel, of this place.

BOGGS TWP.

HOLTS HOLLOW.

Mrs. G. C. Yarnell, of Altoona, is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Fetzer.

D. D. Poorman and wife, of Runville, W. T. Fetzer and G. C. Yarnell, of Yarnell, called at Fleming Poorman's, Saturday.

Keifer/Kline moved to Snow Shoe Intersection, Monday.

Augustus Witherite and wife, of Chestnut Grove, and Howard Watson, of Runville, spent Sunday at Fleming Poorman's.

Maudella Poorman visited Rosie Heaton, of Yarnell, on Thursday.

Clayton Yarnell and brother were pleasant callers at this place, Wednesday.

Those who transacted business in town on Saturday where John Spicer, Frank Young, Geo. Spicer, Harry Johnson, John Burd, Samuel Miller, Fleming Poorman and Calvin Russel.

Florence Leathers, Almada and Samuel Powell, also Ellis Powell, Toner Fetzer and Harry Shawly, all of Yarnell, composed a jolly crowd that spent Thursday evening at the home of Fleming Poorman.

A few men of this place attended the raising at Augustus Witherite's, at Chestnut Grove, Monday.

Boys, get your fishing tackle in shape for Wednesday and we will have fish for breakfast.

A meeting of the officers of the Poorman reunion was held at Fleming Poorman's on Saturday evening and appointed several committees for the purpose of making this the most pleasing and most interesting reunion that has ever been held. The reunion will be held on Saturday, August the 22nd, 1908, probably in Kohlbeckers Grove near the Milesburg depot. Anyone wishing more information can get it by writing to D. C. Poorman, Mill Hall; Miss Maudella Poorman, Curtin, R. F. D.; and G. C. Yarnell, 414 Walnut Avenue, Altoona, who are corresponding secretaries.

GREGG TWP.

FARMERS MILLS.

Rev. Bieber preached a very fine sermon on Sunday.

Sunday school was opened on Sunday afternoon with a large attendance.

Preaching was well attended at the Union church; there were nine parties from near, that joined the church.

George Ream, one of our highly respected citizens, passed to the world beyond. He is survived by three sons, Daniel, John and Harry.

Don't forget the sale of Jacob Neese dec'd on Saturday, April 18, in the afternoon.

Emanuel Eungard made a trip to Burnham last week.

Mrs. Fredericks is able to be around again.

Elmer Hettinger was seen in our little town on Sunday.

Some of the farmers have started plowing; it is soon time, it is getting late for the spring crops.

The supervisors are hauling crushed stone on the roads; well the roads certainly needed it.

WEST BRUSH VALLEY.

C. E. Duck moved to their new home on Tuesday.

Some girls tried to get smart at the party of C. A. Weaver's on Saturday evening—tried to take another girl's fellow.

The Bethesda Sunday school was largely attended on Sunday forenoon.

C. E. Duck, J. M. Grenoble and John Wert started to saw on the Bair tract in Pennsylvania, Monday.

Scott Rachau wears a broad smile since the arrival of that bouncing baby boy.

MARRIAGE LICENSE.

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| Chas. Williams | Rush Twp. |
| Hattie M. Jarrett | " |
| Chas. Rachau | Madisonburg |
| Fietta Vonada | " |
| James O. Heverly | Howard |
| Mable Strunk | " |
| George M. Squires | Philipsburg |
| Mary A. Adams | S. " |
| Lee Derstine | Bellefonte |
| Edna N. Wilson | " |

JULIAN.

Mr. James E. Doris, of Altoona, spent Sunday with his parents.

Mr. Diehl, of Danville, is working second trick at the tower, during the absence of W. G. Tallhelm; Mr. Richard of Port Matilda, is working 3d trick.

Charles Swisher, who died at the Danville Hospital, was brought home on last Friday evening and taken to his brother Roland's home. Funeral services were conducted on Sunday morning at the M. E. Church, by Rev. Bierly. His age was 54 years, 9 mo. and 6 days. Interment in the Julian cemetery.

On last Tuesday afternoon while smoking meat in the wood house of Mr. I. F. Davis fire broke out and set his residence afire. Had it not been for the hard and faithful work of our young men it would have burned to the ground. Loss to the amount of about \$20. Mr. Davis thanks all who helped him in this work.

There will be preaching services in the U. B. church on next Sunday at 7.30 by the pastor Rev. J. K. Miller.

Miss Mary Swope spent last Sunday with her mother at this place. She returned on Monday to Lock Haven, where she is attending Normal school.

G. W. Ballock has broken ground for a dwelling. It will be located on Beaver street, just west of his father's.

The Julian school closed on Tuesday; followed with an entertainment in the evening. It consisted of dialogues, recitations, and songs. It was one of the best ever held in town. The teacher and scholars deserve a great deal of credit for the fine entertainment given the people of Julian, free of charge.

WEDDINGS.

HEVERLY-STRUNK.

At the parsonage of the U. B. church, Bellefonte, Mr. James Orvis Heverly and Miss Mabel Strunk, both of Howard, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony, Saturday evening April 11, 1908, by Rev. J. F. Hower.

PIPER-STOVER.

On Wednesday, April 1st, Walter Piper of Mill Hall, and Miss Maude Stover, of Lamar, came to Bellefonte and went to the United Brethren parsonage where they were united in marriage by the pastor, Rev. D. Barshinger. The happy couple then went on their way rejoicing.

DUFF—MUSSER.

A quiet little wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emmanuel Musser, east of State College, on Saturday morning March 4th, when their youngest daughter, Miss Helen D., became the wife of Mr. Ralph L. Duff, formerly of Pittsburg. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. L. Stonecypher, pastor of the Lutheran church. Immediately after the ceremony a sumptuous wedding breakfast was served and then the newly married couple were taken by carriage to Bellefonte where they boarded an afternoon train for Youngstown, Ohio, at that place Mr. Duff has been employed for two years as a chemist in the Carnegie steel works.

Both bride and groom are graduates of the Pennsylvania State College. They are at home in Youngstown, Ohio. The bride is also a graduate of the Bellefonte High School, and thus her friends here wish for her much happiness.

Announcement.

District quarterly meeting of the Free Methodist church, DuBois District, Oil City Conference, will be held in the court house, Bellefonte, April 29, to May 3rd. The ministers of the district are expected to be present, also Rev. J. P. Brodhead, returned missionary, from Africa, and district Elder Rev. J. J. Zahniser. Seats free, all welcome. Come! x 17.

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Judge Harry Hall, who presides over the courts in Lock Haven and Ridgeway, is not afraid of his shadow when it comes to doing what is right and honorable. At a recent session of court in Ridgeway he refused to swear in two constables because they had the names of liquor dealers as their securities. The

Court held that one of the principal duties of a constable was to enforce the law against liquor faithfully and if they were backed by the liquor dealers themselves they would be sure to be influenced in the performance of their duties.

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7 cakes Star Soap	25c	35c.
Loose Pepper	25c	30c.
Tomatoes	9c	12c.
Canned Corn 3 for	25c	36c.
Oyster Crackers	6c	10c.
Star Naptha, lb.	4c	5c.
Baker's large box		
Cocoa	20c	25c.
P. & G. Best Soap	5c	7c.
Fine table syrup	40c	50c.
Fine green tea	30c	50c.
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