

# Correspondents' Department

THE NEWS IN CONDENSED FORM FROM ALL PARTS OF THE COUNTY

## YARNELL.

The sick of our community are not convalescing very rapidly. Cynthia and Marcella Boyer spent Sunday at Pleasantvalley. Ella Brickley has returned to her home in Romola after a two weeks' visit with her uncle Jerome Confer. A number of our village young people spent Saturday evening at the hospitable home of A. M. Shanks. John Shawley spent Sunday at the Will Cox home. Ira Confer and wife were visitors at the home of Augustus Witherite at Chestnut Grove, Saturday. Ed. Heaton and family, of Windy Hill, passed through here on Sunday. Oscar Packer, of Pleasantvalley, was to the county seat on Saturday. J. A. Confer spent Sunday at Romola. Meda and Samantha Powell were Bellefonte visitors on Saturday. Willie Walker, wife and May Walker were out of town visitors one day last week. Lizzie Reiter, of Keewaydin, and Susan Daugherty, of Pine Glenn, who are attending summer normal at Blanchard, spent Saturday and Sunday with their friend Anna Shank. Cora Fetzer has gone to Williamsport where she expects to spend the summer. Mrs. Geo. Confer and Margaret Nyman spent Tuesday evening at J. A. Confer's. Chester Weller, Sundayed with his chum Brisley Boyer. Maud Daley, of Romola, was a recent visitor at the Kline home. Jonathan Packer and wife spent Saturday afternoon at Divide. The venerable A. G. Walker was so unlucky as to lose a ten dollar bill on Saturday.

## MILESBURG.

Ed Quick is again papa. The stork made a visit to his place last week, leaving a young son for his care and protection. The stork also visited Emanuel Noll's residence last week, presenting him with a young daughter. Florence Leathers, of Mount Eagle, was a visitor here last week. O. E. Miles and son Mahlin made a flying visit to Williamsport last week. Prof. Samuel M. Robb and the '10 class spent Wednesday afternoon of last week gathering botany specimens. The members of the class are Bessie Bryan, Margaret Zimmerman, Margaret Baird, Bessie Spicer, Mildred Shops, Olive Smith, Charles Zimmerman, Claude McCullough, Roy Jones, Frank Barnhart, and Frank Knarr. They are an industrious class, and are working hard to prepare themselves for their graduation, and are now attending the summer normal for that purpose, wishing to graduate with honors. A number of the Milesburg people attended the home talent play at the Garman opera house, Bellefonte, Friday, and reported a good entertainment. The 3rd regiment corps will go to Lock Haven on Saturday to the unveiling of the monument.

## STORMSTOWN.

The Epworth league, of this place, will hold an ice cream, and cake social in the I. O. O. F. Hall, Saturday evening, May 29, 1909. All are invited. Mrs. I. G. Burkett and daughter spent a day in Tyrone last week. Mrs. L. S. Way, and two children, of Wingate, are visiting her parents Mr. Sylvius and wife, here. G. W. Loner has put a roof on his front porch. Mrs. Capp and two children, of State College, spent a few days with Mrs. Dr. Coons. Some of our sports go to Port Matilda so often; what is the attraction boys. J. M. Rider is building a new stable. It is hard for some to believe that this world will go on just the same after they are dead; but some folks say it will. Farmers have finished planting their corn. The cemetery is being cleaned up and furnished in preparation for Memorial day. The service will be held on Monday, May 31st. Rev. A. L. Frank, pastor, is expected to speak.

## MADISONBURG.

Prof. R. U. Wasson and wife, of Aaronsburg, were visiting at E. H. Zeigler's on Sunday. James Gramley is making repairs on his farm buildings. The carpenters have commenced to rebuild Philip Caris' barn. Jacob Smith went to Bellefonte during court week. Dr. P. A. Smith, who was expected to vacate the Bierly house before this time, still holds the fort. Do not be alarmed, the victory is yours, and to the victor belong the spoils. Mary Detrick, a musical student at Lewisburg, with some of her lady friends, is expected to visit her parents this week, then Boyd will wear a smile. Benjamin Jackson went to Sugar valley and brought a girl home with him. His son George took her to Spring Mills and married her. This is what we call a novel wedding.

## MILLHEIM.

Nana Housman returned home after a two weeks' visit with her sister at Spring Mills. Mrs. Florence Stover is spending several days with E. L. Stovers', at Aaronsburg. Geo. Ulrich is on the sick list, Chas. Langley and family, of Feidter, spent Sunday with Wm. Muehich here. Ida Boob, of Rochester, N. Y., came home to keep house for her father, Nathaniel Boob. Simon King, wife and daughter, spent Sunday at Aaronsburg. Born to Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Meyer, a little daughter; mother and child are both doing finely.

## POTTER TWP.

Harry Faust was to the Red Mill fishing, on Thursday and brought a nice bunch of fish home. Cora Frazier spent Saturday evening and Sunday at Centre Hall. Mrs. D. L. Bartiges and granddaughter, Ruth will go to Johnstown this week, to visit Mr. and Mrs. Reiber, for a few weeks. We have had plenty of rain and crops are looking well; most all the corn is planted in this part of the county.

## NITTANY.

Pearl Webner returned home from Windber and was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Robert Dietz and little daughter Madge. Clay Rodgers, of Pittsburg, arrived here, on Saturday. Boyd Yearick visited his brother Harry, over Sunday. Lew Robb, of Altoona, called on some of his many friends here one day last week, and went after lunch while here; we were told he had good luck. Lew is a jolly good fellow and has many friends here. Mrs. B. F. Shaffer had been very sick several days last week, but we are glad to say that she is some better. William Shaffer, of Millinburg, and Lew Shaffer, of Bellefonte, were arrivals here on the Saturday afternoon train, to see their sick mother. The Misses Verna and Mary Allison who attend the Leets Haven Normal, are home to see their grandma Shaffer, who is quite ill. Mrs. Alice Lockard and Mrs. William Fleisher, of Lamar, took dinner with Mrs. Tate one day last week. H. P. Zerby and daughter Mayme, and G. W. Young and P. S. Rossman, were to Bellefonte one day last week attending a law suit. W. B. Treaster visited friends at Snyderstown, on Sunday. Ellis Rodgers, of DuBois, is here on business and looking after his farm. Thomas Williams left on Thursday morning for Los Gatos, California. Bert Beck and sister May, of Snydertown, were callers to our town, on Sunday. Esta Winkleman and gentleman friend, of Flemington, were visitors to our town, over Sunday. We noticed Harry Dorman, of Hubersburg, in church here, on Sunday night. Peter Knecht and wife, Arthur, Walter, Stanley, Adelaide and Ester Knecht, of Parvint, Edwin Knecht, wife and baby, of New Brunswick, Ga.; and Harry Knecht, of Lock Haven, spent Sunday with James Nolan and family, it being thirty years since Mr. Knecht and Mr. Nolan came from Florida. Mr. Tate, of near Bellefonte, spent Sunday at the home of James Nolan. Julia Butler, of Mt. Eagle visited friends here, over Sunday. William Fisher, wife and two children, of Salona, visited the former's parents, Ben. Fisher's, on Sunday. Elmer Stover, wife and two children, visited friends at Snydertown, on Sunday. Rev. Bingham preached a very able sermon to a well filled house, on Sunday night. Tweedy went up the line Saturday night, wonder why.

## SMULLTON.

Mrs. John Meyers and son, John Andrew, spent last Friday at Boalsburg. S. A. Walizer, who was taken to the Bellefonte hospital some time ago, we are glad to state, is improving. Mrs. Smull had her house painted one day last week. We are sorry to state that Mrs. Robert Hackenbush is seriously ill. H. H. Stover has converted part of his printing house into an ice cream parlor, and is now ready to supply the people with cream every Saturday night. Geo. Crouse has improved the looks of his home, by building a new fence in front of his house. Emma Walizer, who is staying near Spring Mills, is at present spending some time at home. J. W. Brumgart and family, Mrs. Newton Brungart and Maud Fiedler, were the guests of the latter's parents, N. A. Fiedler, of Madisonburg, over Sunday. Serene Harry made a business trip to Bellefonte, one day last week. John Meyers and wife, spent last Sunday at Rebersburg with his wife's mother, Mrs. J. C. Morris, who intends to make an extended visit to the South, in the near future. On the sick list are Rose Waite, Mrs. Hackenbush and Mrs. Harry Lambert. Ascension day passed very quietly; the young folks being away fishing. Newton Brungart and family spent last Thursday, at Aaronsburg.

## UNION TWP.

Sarah H. Resides has returned home again after spending some time with her uncle, Will Caldwell's at Mt. Rock. Walter Spotts was a pleasant visitor at the home of Guy Potter. Verna Watson has returned home from Bellefonte where she had been employed. Roy Fetzer and his mother Sundayed here. Ira Brown was a caller at the home of C. M. Resides on Sunday; what is the attraction? Lawrence Eckley has gone to Bellefonte where he will be employed. Harry Fetzer, sister Bessie, Roy and Elsie Peters, of Dixrus, were pleasant visitors at the home of Mrs. Mary Eckley, Sunday.

## BENNER TWP.

We are sorry to say Mrs. J. F. Stover is on the sick list. Mrs. H. C. Noll spent Saturday with her daughter, Mrs. George Miller at Axe Mann. Most of the farmers are done planting corn. Charles Houser is having his buggy shed repaired. Lewis Peters purchased a motor cycle from Lloyd Sampel. The gypsies camped on the out skirts of town a few days last week. Jake Markle made a few improvements on his property. R. K. Noll was hauling lumber a few days last week. E. M. Noll and wife spent Sunday afternoon with his parents, H. C. Noll's.

## TYLERSVILLE.

Farmers are nearly all done with their summer crop now, around here; and it looks as though there would be a good hay crop. Erwin Shreckengast has moved his saw mill to the west end of Tylersville. Our P. O. S. of A. boys intend to go to Lock Haven on decoration day. Geo. Miller who is working at Salona, returned home over Sunday. Mrs. Martha Shreckengast, of Johnstown, is visiting at P. P. Shreckengast's.

## LEMONT.

The rain that fell the last part of last week was needed to bring the oats and any corn up, as the ground has gotten very dry. The students, of the forestry department of State College, who under the test walk, passed through town Friday morning, in high spirits, even though it was raining. William H. Rishel is on the sick list, and it is feared that he is taking fever. Mrs. Dr. Shaffer, of Altoona, is visiting at the home of John I. Thompson. Isaac Armstrong is confined to his home, but trust he will soon be out again.

The people of this community turned in and helped Grant Coble's with furniture, food and clothing, to make up for his loss, by the fire that he had last week. Mrs. Carrie Houtz had the misfortune to fall down the cellar stairs last week, and hurt herself, but is slowly getting better. Budd O'Neil, who has been enjoying a week's visit in these parts, returned to Altoona Saturday afternoon.

Frank Mayes is quite busy at present setting monumental work. Miles Barr and wife, of Pittsburg, are visiting at the home of E. M. Houser. Rev. Newton Bailey circulated among the people of this community last week.

The woods are getting green and seem to be saying, come to my cool shades and drink of the cold water brooks, if you can't enjoy nature. Mrs. Emma Kerns, is slowly getting better. The new house Elmer C. Ross is having built, is nearing completion now, and it will be a good substantial dwelling. Willis Grove and family visited at the home of W. E. Grove last Sunday. Last week was warm and beautiful, which caused the wheat and grass to spring up beautifully.

The farmers were busy last week sowing oats and planting corn, but the ground is getting dry. Last Wednesday morning we had a heavy frost but did no damage. By appearances the fruit crop will be fair to good this year. James C. and M. A. Williams and bands, are busy plastering now, and by the outlook, work in their line will be plentiful this season.

## LEMONT NO. 2.

Mrs. Lavina Lenker and daughter Sue, of Aaronsburg, spent a few days at the home of J. E. Lenker. Mrs. Tabitha Brisbin is visiting friends in Unionville. Mrs. Ira Benner, of Rockview, spent Wednesday at the home of Wm. Hoy. Isaac Armstrong, who has been seriously ill, is some better. George Kover and family enjoyed a drive to the gypsy camp on Sunday. Geo. B. Thompson and family spent Sunday at the home of John I. Thompson.

## WINGATE.

George Hoover and son Charles started Wednesday for employment in the works east of Williamsport. Mrs. Rose Rowan, of Snow Shoe, spent Monday with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Warner here. George Kover and family, after an enjoyable visit at the home of her parents here have returned to their home at Altoona. Joseph Brouse and wife attended court at Bellefonte last week. Mrs. L. S. Way and family left Tuesday to visit parents and relatives at Stormstown. Daniel Boob transacted business in Bellefonte, Thursday. Jane Warner, of Bellefonte, is spending a few days with her parents here. Susan McLaughlin left to attend the Sunday school convention at Middleburg. Burns Estright has secured a position as laborer for Ellis Way. Willis Hoover and family, of Altoona, have moved in with Ezra Fisher for the summer. Viola Summer, of Tyrone, is visiting parents here. Wm. Fisher has begun to improve his house; when completed will look like a mansion.

On account of the dark nights some of our young men have been carrying a lantern to escort their lady friends home. This is a bad practice. Irwin Lucas, of Marsh Creek, is spending a couple days with his lady friend, Viola Summers. One of our young men last Saturday while accepting a challenge to jump a morning train, was thrown, tearing his clothes and badly bruising him up. Now boys, take warning and stop this practice at once. Cyrus Stere, Ralph McLaughlin, Thos. Summers and L. S. Way took in the show at Bellefonte last Friday night. Mrs. Eli Stere spent Sunday afternoon at the home of Ezra Fisher here. The confusion in our little village last Friday turned out to be over the arrival of a baby girl at the home of Linden Bumgardner. Mrs. John Estright, of Bellefonte, spent Sunday with her sister-in-law, Mabel Estright. The reunion held at Kercher last Sunday was attended by Thos. Summers, Charley Way and Bunt Estright.

## GREGG TWP.

H. D. Rossman lost a valuable horse which he just bought a few weeks ago at the Millheim horse sale. Lizzie Wert and Katie Rider spent Sunday at the home of R. E. Wert. Clarence Phillips is improving slowly. Don't forget the festival at Hoy's school on Saturday evening, May 29th. The Telephone Company has added four more new phones. The supervisor has not picked the loose stones off the road yet, which he should have done a month ago. G. F. Weaver, our justice of the peace, made a trip to Spring Mills. This was the first time he was away from home since the 8th of March on account of his rheumatism.

## LIVONIA.

Thos. Adams and wife, of Pittsburg, spent a week among friends here. A band of very interesting gypsies are camping in DeLong's woods; among their number is an accomplished violinist. Garfield Adams and baby Gordon, of Greenburr, visited us last week. The new telephone service introduced in this section is giving excellent satisfaction. A party of our young people spent last Thursday fishing in the Narrows. There is a fortune awaiting the inventor of a camera that will flatter.

## SANDY RIDGE.

Isaiah Woodle purchased a fine Jersey cow from Dennis Reese one day last week. H. S. Stuart has had his property improved with a fence this spring. Mrs. William Knepp, of Woodland, who has been in poor health for some time, has been spending a few weeks with her daughter, is being treated by Dr. Stonebraker and is much improved in health. Mrs. Chas. Conrad and little daughter Mary, of Tyrone, visited at the home of Elwood Casher last week and were accompanied home by Master Lawn Casher and his grandmother, Mrs. Knepp. Christ Sharer is prospecting on the mountain near this place for fine clay. The Garland brothers visited their parents, graves in the Woomer cemetery one day and made some needed repairs.

A. O. Cowher visited relatives in Reese Hollow, near Port Matilda, last Sunday. Mrs. A. H. Hoover, of Fillmore; Mrs. H. A. Mark and little son Philip, of Graham visited relatives here lately. Nora Hamer, of Port Matilda, one of Centre Co. school teachers, is spending part of her vacation with her aunt, Mrs. Huey Moore near here. Lloyd Patton and bride visited the latter's brother, H. G. Reese, last Sunday.

Austin Lynn, Jr., of Boliver, who is attending Medical college at Philadelphia, is spending his vacation with his grandmother, Mrs. Austin Lynn. Laura Cowher is attending a summer term of school at Osceola. The cafe vacated by O. T. Rea is now conducted by J. D. White. It is now an up-to-date cafe. We should all patronize him for he is worthy of our patronage. The death angel came to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Warren and bore away their baby boy, aged one month. F. W. Hess lost three hogs recently by some unknown disease. Ed. Vaughn contemplates building a house in the near future; he has already bought a lot and enclosed it with a fence. Thomas Vaughn has put a new roof on his house. W. H. and Amos Garland have cleared two more lots, which add to the appearance of the place. The Sandy Ridge base ball team repaired their diamond, and now it is in first class condition. James Heath, who was appointed road master, has proven that he is the right man in the right place. S. E. Twigg is improving his yard by having it graded.

The stork has been here again—this time at Dave Spillers leaving a thirteen pound boy—at least Dave says that it is weight—and the smile that he wears is in proportion with the size of the boy.

## PORT MATILDA.

On Thursday, May 20, the neighbors and friends of J. B. Williams gave him an agreeable surprise at his home near Port Matilda. About 40 in number congregated at his residence, to their satisfaction found him out in the field planting corn, unconscious of what was transpiring—not even thinking that it was his 68th birthday. But as soon as notified of their presence, he was quickly among the guests to welcome them and to entertain them in his usual agreeable manner. After the excitement subsided somewhat a sumptuous dinner was served by his ever jovial wife, assisted by the many well-filled baskets furnished by the guests, after which a jolly good time was had. Mr. Williams' age did not debar him from giving vent to youthful feelings in merry-making. It is granted that all fully enjoyed themselves and with a wish for his future welfare and happiness, they all returned to their homes closing another social event. The following are the names of those present: Orvis Williams and family, E. R. Williams and children, Harry Marshall and family, Charley Williams and family, Ellen Williams and two children, P. W. Young and wife, Mrs. Maggie Spotts, Mrs. G. W. Harpster and daughter, Mrs. Madora Marks, Mrs. Agatha Heller, R. R. McMonigal, Mrs. George Stevens and child, Miss Lizzie Farnster, A. S. Williams, Miss Jennie Williams, Robert Williams, Mrs. George Williams, William Chusway, J. C. Marks, Mrs. Anna Nearboof. Memorial day is near at hand, turn out, every time, American, and do honor to our fellow comrades; show an appreciation of the noble work they performed in time of great peril; forget not that those who survive that great struggle are no longer the youth of our land with the daily thinning of their ranks, they will soon have answered their final roll, with their places here on earth as once boys in blue, forever vacant. Let the rising generation take up the sad duty and begin it now and assist the few old veterans in honoring the memory of their fellow comrades. Saturday, May 29, is the day set apart for Port Matilda and nearby cemeteries.

## Women's Secrets

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## PINE GROVE MILLS.

Mrs. Amanda Walker, of Boalsburg, was a pleasant visitor at the home of George Keichline, a few days last week. J. W. Kepler made a flying trip to Pittsburg and Braddock, recently. William Ward, of Phillipsburg, is spending a few weeks with his nephew, W. M. Ward. Leoda Decker returned home on Friday after visiting her sisters in Altoona. On Saturday J. G. Heberling and wife were summoned to the bedside of Mrs. J. B. Heberling, of State College, who is in a very critical condition. A jolly crowd of fishermen are spending a week at Stone creek. On Saturday the Methodist conference was held here. Tuesday Mr. Allison and family vacated A. J. Tate's house on water street and occupied David Barr's house below town.

Messrs. Peters and Port transacted business at Bellefonte, on Wednesday. William Dale and Grace Fetteroff spent Saturday at Shiloh. Paul Martz visited his brother at Mackeyville last week. J. W. Sunday is beautifying his home by applying a coat of paint. Bert Messer is all smiles since a young son arrived at his home; both mother and child are getting along nicely. John Dantley and wife, of Median, Ohio, are visitors at the Danley home. Mrs. George Bowersox is confined to her home by an attack of sciatic rheumatism. Among the Sunday visitors in town were John Fortney and wife, and George Fortney and wife, of Boalsburg. Don't forget the festival in the hall, on Saturday night.

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