

Correspondents' Department

THE NEWS IN CONDENSED FORM FROM ALL PARTS OF THE COUNTY

TO OUR CORRESPONDENTS.

As no paper will be issued from this office next week, our correspondents will kindly omit their usual items for the week of July 4th. This is the usual custom to allow our employees the customary summer vacation of one week.

MACKEYVILLE.

Mrs. Jesse Eigelberger, of State College, spent Sunday very pleasantly with Mr. and Mrs. Duck. Clarence Shearer and Miss Wallizer gave their friends the slip and drove to Lock Haven where they were secretly married last Saturday, 25th. Mr. and Mrs. Shearer have the best wishes on their journey down the stream of life.

The Children's services held in the M. E. church last Sunday evening were well rendered. T. J. Smull & Son, our obliging merchants, have installed several gas lights which makes quite an improvement in our town.

Our farmers are busily engaged in making hay which is an excellent crop, much more than was at first anticipated.

Harry Brown and wife, also G. W. Summers and wife were called to State College by the illness and death of their relative, James Brown, last week.

Elizabeth Watson, of Philadelphia, visited her aunt, Mrs. Green Watson, here last week.

Mrs. Derrin Fuller, of Williamsport, is spending some time here with her parents and friends.

Jacob Kerchner and family, who have been at Mahafey for several months, returned to their home here last week.

Mary Fisher returned home last week after an enjoyable visit with friends in Howard.

On Wednesday night our law-abiding citizens were annoyed by the loud reports caused by some men dynamiting their fish, which would have caused their immediate arrest if they had been from our locality.

James Snyder spent Saturday at Mill Hill with his brother.

Clara J. Warner, of Bellefonte, visited her parents here on Thursday.

Gertrude Boop, Maud Murray and sister, Edna, comprise the sick list of the week.

One of the busiest men in our midst is John Smith, our village blacksmith, because for up-to-date work our coin goes to Johnny.

Miss Elsie Gerchner and sister, Millie, two of Unionville's belles, attended the reunion at Jacob Kerchner's on Sunday. Call again.

The farmers of this locality are anticipating an excellent yield of mid-summer crops. Post no cards was displayed here in rage last week.

Mrs. Margaret Brugger and Mrs. Malissa Hing, of Unionville, visited Oscar Iddings at the residence of Eli Storer last Thursday.

Ellis Bierly, Samantha Pownell and Sue McLaughlin left on Saturday in an auto for a pleasure trip to Rebersburg and various points.

Harry Estright, better known as "Bunt," spent Saturday with his many friends at Howard.

Chas. McLaughlin has in his lot here a few rows of topless potatoes. Have a look or you may be deceived.

The benefit lawn party at Plum Grove on Saturday was an undeniable success, owing to the favorable weather which caused old and young to seek outdoor recreation.

The U. E. Sunday school will hold Children's Day services in their church here on Sunday evening, July 3rd, at 7:30 o'clock.

Harry Haines, who has been confined some time by an injured foot, is able to be around again.

Mrs. William Eckert and children, of Tyrone, spent the week's end here with her sister, Mrs. James Davidson.

Helen Heverly, of Beech Creek, spent a few days here last week with her sister, Mrs. M. E. Flynn.

Those who spent Sunday here were John Haines and son, Wilfred, of Unionville; Erma Sylvie, of Stormtown; Harry Wagner and wife and George Estright, of Milesburg; Bessie Baney, of Bellefonte; and Jacob Kerchner, of Port Matilda.

Mrs. John Walker, of Mill Hill, spent Wednesday among friends and relatives here.

NITTANY.

On Monday, June 20th, Mrs. P. T. Evers and children, of Hubersburg, came to this place to help the former's grandmother, Mrs. G. W. Young, celebrate her 73rd birthday, and found her busy doing the week's wash, her daughter, Marie, being on the sick list. Mother Young, as everybody calls her, can be seen working in the garden and among her chickens every day and is smarter than lots of women at 40. Her many friends wish her many more happy returns of her birthday.

William H. Beck received a carload of limestone screenings the past week and has put some around his barn and will use some for concrete work around his home.

Our farmers have begun to make hay; the grain is coloring fast and it won't be long till harvest will be here. Some of our young people attended Children's services at St. Paul, on Sunday night.

Where are you going to spend your Fourth?

Boyd Emerick, our jolly traveling salesman, was home over Sunday; he is selling tobacco and cigars for a large firm in Altoona. He has a fine line of goods and anyone who wishes a first class cigar should smoke the Happy Sam six cigar. Boyd likes his position and is having fine success.

Wilson Ammerman and Harry Baker were to Lock Haven one day the past week on business.

Of course you're going to the "sane Fourth" at Bellefonte. Bang!

Mrs. Hetty Tate has returned home after visiting friends in Snow Shoe.

David E. Williams is all smiles since the arrival of a young daughter. Both mother and babe are doing fine.

Mrs. Raber, of Braddock, is visiting her parents here, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Young and family.

Elmer Krape, of Lamar, was through our town one day the past week, selling cherries at 7 cents per quart, and sold quite a lot of them.

We noticed a number of people from our nearby towns on our streets on Sunday.

Wanted—Everybody to hand the news to the correspondent so that it may be sent in to the Democrat, the best paper printed.

RUNVILLE.

Don't forget the festival Saturday night, July 2nd, and Monday night, July 4th, to be held on the lawn at the school house. Come, everybody, and bring your friends along. All the good things of the season will be set forth.

Mrs. Porter Beringer and children, of Tyrone, were guests at the John Lucas home last week.

Miss Kate Louck, of State College, is visiting her parents.

The Messers Charles Rodger and Merrill Lucas departed for Penfield, where they are employed.

William Watson, of Tyrone, spent the Sabbath with his wife and little son.

The moving picture show that tarried in our village last week, proved to be a success.

Red Men's festival at Yarnell, July 9th.

Mrs. Martin Brower and children, of Indiana county, are visiting the former's mother, Mrs. Jayne Lucas.

Mrs. John Furl, of Phillipsburg, is a guest at the Hancock residence.

W. H. Lucas went down to Wingate on Saturday evening for a little stroll, and on his way through the town stopped at the Harnish residence for a little recreation.

Frank Lucas, who was on the sick list, has again recuperated.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bedlent are rejoicing over the arrival of an eleven-pound boy.

That they say the red-headed girls along the B. E. valley have their eyes on the Runville boys. How about it, O. and M.?

Baptism service, Sunday, July 10. Tracy Lucas transacted business in Bellefonte this week.

Don't forget the festival.

Mrs. Margaret Roome and son, of Wallacetown, were guests of Mrs. C. B. Freil last week.

The Children's Day service that was held Sunday evening proved to be a success. The children did well and the program was well rendered.

HUBLERSBURG.

Mrs. B. W. Rumberger is reported as being seriously ill out west; we hope for her speedy recovery.

Miss Emma Crow was operated on for throat trouble on Friday at Bellefonte; at this writing she is getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. William Callhan, of Flemington, spent Sunday in Hubersburg among friends.

James Wolf is on the sick list with a sore neck.

Don't forget the festival on Saturday night, July 2nd, for the benefit of the Evangelical church.

The play given Saturday night, June 25th, by the Flemington Literary Society was first class in every respect, singing deserving special mention.

Come again.

Boyd Heckman, Luther Bartley, Perry Hinds and Boyd Carner were notified on Saturday with fishing out-lets headed for Cherry Run. As they did not get home until late, I am unable to report the catch.

The grain and corn is doing well with the present weather. Some of our farmers have cut hay for taking in the early part of this week.

Joe Emerick, of Snyderstown, was in town on Saturday night, the first time for a month, so Joe says.

Miss Lila Kessinger, of Flemington, was visiting in Hubersburg last week.

Anthony Wolf reached his sixty-first milestone on Saturday, June 25.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Kramer, of Flemington, are visiting their parents in town.

FILLMORE.

The ladies of the Epworth League will hold a social on the 2nd of July on the church lawn.

C. H. Rimey was over to his farm which he bought in Pennsylvania last week, and put a new roof on his barn.

Samuel Green and family, of California, are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Green.

Gilbert Young fell from a cherry tree last Friday while picking cherries and dislocated his arm at the elbow; he is getting along as well as can be expected.

Philip Resides fell from his porch roof last week and was badly injured.

The farmers have commenced to make hay; the rattle of the mower can be heard all around in our locality; they report a good crop of hay and also a good crop of wheat.

Some of our young men go to Bellefonte every Saturday night and do not get back until Sunday morning; what is the attraction, boys?

The thermometer registered 90 here last week.

YARNELL.

Children's service will be held at the U. E. church at this place on Sunday morning, July 3, at 9:30 a. m. Everyone cordially invited to attend.

Misses Erma Poorman and Daisy Shawley, of Milesburg, visited among friends and relatives here last week.

Miss Ella Confer returned home on last Friday from Bellefonte where she has been learning the millinery trade.

Mrs. Orvis Fetzer was taken to the Bellefonte hospital on last Wednesday in a very serious condition.

John Walters, of Milesburg, was an over Sunday visitor at J. A. Confer's.

Miss Samantha Pownell spent Sunday at Rebersburg.

Mrs. James Croft, of Nanty Glo, is visiting among relatives and friends here.

Green Heaton and wife, of Peru, were Sunday visitors at this place.

Elmer Pownell, who is employed at Pittsburg, is spending his vacation at his home here.

Miss Madalene Gheret, of Bellefonte, is spending some time with her friend, Miss Ella Confer at this place.

Miss Fannie Walker, of Snow Shoe, is spending some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Walker's.

Milford Cox, of Pleasant Valley, was seen on our streets on Sunday.

Fountain Shope is spending some time at Harry Shawley's.

The festival held at this place on Saturday evening was well attended.

Miss Cora Fetzer is spending this week in Snow Shoe.

A Woman's Great Idea.

Is hard to make herself attractive. But, without health, it is hard for her to be lovely in face, form or temper. A weak, sickly woman will be nervous and irritable. Constipation and kidney poisons show in pimples, blotches, skin eruptions and a sallow complexion. But Electric Bitters always proves a godsend to women who want health, beauty and friends. They regulate stomach, liver and kidneys, purify the blood; give strong nerves, bright eyes, pure breath, smooth, velvety skin, lovely complexion, good health. Try them. 50 cents at Green's Pharmacy Co., Bellefonte.

PORT MATILDA.

Fine weather during the past week. Everything planted seems to be growing very rapidly.

Thursday, A. S. Williams while adding a moving stone where they were building an abutment for a bridge in the plank road at the home of W. J. Wiser, one mile west of town, had the misfortune to have one of the large stones strike him on the leg and break it. The leg is broken just above the ankle. The one bone is broken in two places, and the other bone in one place. They had a horse hitched to the stone to drag it to the place where it was to be used. While dragging it, the one end caught on a root or something. Mr. Williams had a pick and was trying to hold the stone from rolling while others loosened it. When it did come loose it turned over the other way, catching his one leg between it and another stone. W. S. Crain just came along in his automobile and he took him in his car to his home at Port Matilda. Dr. Harshberger was summoned who set it and bandaged his leg. He then advised Mr. Williams to go to some hospital for treatment. He therefore left Friday for the hospital at Phillipsburg. Word has since been received stating that he is getting along well, and that everything will come around right.

Our town is coming right to the front. J. M. Williams and W. S. Crain each got an automobile this week. They are certainly making the dust fly. You would imagine yourself on Broadway, Philadelphia, now if you happened to be in our town on our principal street. Watch them carefully and don't let them cut you up capers and climb a tree or telephone pole for you. They are bad actors some times, hence they bear watching.

The committee for the 4th of July celebration fixed the prizes to be offered for the winners of the various races to be money prizes. The first prizes in each race to be a silver dollar. The second prize to be fifty cents in silver. The first race is a hoop-rolling race for men—old men preferred; the second race is a ladies' race; any lady can try; the third race is a gathering race for boys; the fourth race is a sack race; anyone can try.

The fifth is a pole-vaulting bathing pool race for boys. These races will take place near the diamond. Come and try your speed. Someone is sure to win. Why not you?

I saw a curiosity of nature this last week—an apple tree with a nice big bunch of blossoms just out in bloom.

William Wiser has begun to harvest. He cut his grass in his orchard on Saturday. He certainly has some fine grass this year. It shows that he is a farmer in reality not a make-believe.

When you get so small that you are no larger than a potato bug, what are you to do to you? You ought to be shown to a hungry chicken.

STATE COLLEGE.

Charles Woodward, of Howard, was a State College visitor this week.

Sunday was a fine day to be out driving or walking. The woods of William Foster's were full of people this Sunday. They all took their dinners and spent the day there.

The lunch sale at the Lutheran church on Friday evening was well attended and a nice sum of money was secured towards erecting a new parsonage, which is already started.

Mr. Lowry sold his home to Rev. J. P. Alkema, of Sellersville. The house will now be used for the young members of the faculty. Mr. Lowry has moved his household goods to Bellefonte where he will make his future home.

The farmers are now making hay. The crop is a large one this year. The price has not yet been established, but a number of parties think \$8 will be a fair price this year. The wheat is looking fine, but will hardly be ready by the Fourth.

The cherry crop is a short one this year.

This week the rest of the students who stayed to take summer school will leave for their homes for a couple of weeks' vacation.

A nice shower now would be good for the growing crops. The corn is small but is coming along very nicely since we have had warm nights.

Dr. Dale purchased a new runabout automobile from William Thompson, who just received the agency for the machines this month.

Oscar Ammerman is going to spend his 4th in Altoona. He says State College is not large enough to hold him on such a big occasion.

Mr. Lowry will be in town next Monday at State College! All welcome!

AARONSBURG.

Mrs. R. U. Wasson has gone to spend some time with her mother at Pleasant Gap.

FORSTER.—Mrs. Frances Forster died at her home in Aaronsburg on Saturday; funeral services were held at her residence on Wednesday forenoon, conducted by her pastor, Rev. Dr. H. H. G. of Centre Hall, assisted by Rev. B. R. M. Scheeder, of the Lutheran church. Mrs. Forster was one of our oldest ladies and was highly respected and loved by all who knew her.

Herbert Yearick, of Sunbury, visited at the home of George Homan's.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lee, of Lewisville, and Paul Swabb and son, of Farmer's Mills, spent the Sabbath here with their mother, Mrs. Swabb.

The Citizens' band furnished the music for the Odd Fellows' decorating at this place and at Millheim on last Saturday.

Mrs. C. C. Bell, accompanied by Miss Louden, of Huntingdon, have gone to spend a few days with friends living at Bellefonte; after which they will go to their homes in Huntingdon.

Stewart Anderson, of Altoona, visited at the home of Chas. Stover's; Miss Helen seems to know just how to entertain him when he comes.

Mrs. Thomas Hare, of Altoona, and Mrs. John Hackenberg, of Milton, visited at the homes of L. E. Stover's and C. G. Bright's last week.

Mrs. Clayton Wyla, of Burnham, spent a few days with her mother, Mrs. Schreffler.

Martin Holsell, of Holsopple, visited at the home of his father-in-law, Howard Acker's.

Mrs. Anna Wolfe, accompanied by her son, Edwin and family, of Wolfe's Store, spent a few days at the home of Mrs. Edie Weaver.

Mrs. Mary Joslyn, G. A. S., of Philadelphia; Mrs. Agnes Dyer, G. A. P., of Pittsburg; Mrs. Virgie Mull, of Milton, spent a few days very pleasantly at the home of Annie Guisevanti last week.

SOBER.

Hebros Breen, who was working at Dauphin, is spending a few days here.

Furl Auman, while driving to Spring Mills on Thursday, the horse scared at the train and very nearly upset the wagon; her arm was badly bruised.

Miss Anna Auman and Furl Auman attended a picnic on Sunday in the mountains and report a good time.

CENTRE LINE.

The farmers are beginning to make clover hay.

Harry Gensamer is getting along finely with his new house and had quite a large raising on Saturday, the 25th.

Chester Hoover and brother, of Altoona, also Blair Fisher and brother, Raymond, of Tyrone, made a flying trip with his auto last Sunday afternoon at the home of James Fisher.

Miss Mary Lytle and brother, Treasurer, of State College, visited the home of Robert Ross.

Jacob Cronister and wife spent Sunday at Huntingdon Furnace.

There was a great surprise given in honor of Miss Viola Dunlap, last Thursday evening. Thirty of her young friends gathered at her home in honor of her 18th birthday. All enjoyed themselves with music and games that were very fine. Fine refreshments were served.

O. Peters and wife, of Stormtown, visited the home of W. M. Way last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Orvis T. Miller, of Tyrone, were visitors at Harry Near-hoof's on Monday.

SKUNK HOLLOW—Penn Twp.

George Bechtel had a runaway on Friday and was badly hurt, but is improving slowly. Close call for you this time, George.

There was an ice cream party at O. A. Jamison's on Tuesday evening; all had a jolly time.

Moyer Gentzel, of Poe Valley, was seen on our streets on Wednesday.

Two young gentlemen are traveling our road by moonlight. Next they will see the ghost. Boys, keep your eyes on the shiner.

Ari Auman and lady friend, Miss Minnie Vonada, took in the Rice and Bell school at Coburn on Friday evening.

William Vonada, wife and daughter, also Milton Vonada and family, spent Sunday at Spring Bank, at the home of the former's brother, George Vonada.

Tred, youngest son of William Vonada, had the misfortune of breaking one of the bones of his left leg above the ankle on Sunday evening.

BUFFALO RUN.

Children's Day service will be held at Gray's M. E. church at 10 o'clock, July 3rd.

We had quite an excitement in our town last week when a young lady was driving along, all of a sudden the horse fell down and some of the neighboring houses; some wanted to cut the harness, while others stood around and prayed for mercy, and others went to help; finally they got the horse loose and it got up all right.

Miss Lillian Stine is on the sick list.

Miss Lizzie Wolford, who was working at the College, is home again; we are glad to have her back with us.

Paul Hartsock has been on the sick list for about a week.

Ground hogs and cut worms are a very heavy crop this season, especially in some places.

PLUM GROVE—Potter Twp.

The festival held at Plum Grove on Saturday night was a grand success. The crowd was large—some five or six hundred, more or less.

One of the happiest young ladies in Centre county was Elizabeth Fisher when the cake she baked for the festival brought the highest price of any cake that was sold.

Mrs. John Welch, of Bellefonte, is visiting at the home of P. B. Iddings, at this place.

The foot race between Joseph Davidson and D. W. McCloskey is postponed until after the Johnson and Jeffries fight.

One of the charming young men of Wingate was very much disappointed on Friday night. Try again, M.

The Wingate acrobats took in the festival Saturday night. Reported having a fine time.

FIEDLER.

Martin Gilbert moved his family to Millifield, where he is employed.

Mrs. E. J. Hinds spent a week with friends at State College, and also took in commencement exercises there.

The publisher of Buffalo Valley News, of Millifield, transacted business in this vicinity on Saturday.

C. E. Bressler, of Maryland, visited his daughter and other friends a few days.

William Burd and family visited at the home of O. P. Smith on Sunday.

Herbert Yearick and family, of Sunbury, are visiting at the home of her father, Thomas Shultz.

J. D. Stover made an auto trip to Centre Hall on Monday evening where the Woodmen instituted a new lodge.

Arthur Melvin and Wilbur Holderman, of Tusseyville, visited their mother, Mrs. M. F. Heas, over Sunday.

COLYER.

The rain and warm weather are making the corn looking promising, and soon the clicking of the reaper will be heard.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Nevel and children, of near Lewistown, spent over Sunday with their parents here.

Mrs. Philip Bradford and children, of Lemont, spent several days at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lee.

George Nevel and Lester Weaver, of Lewistown, spent over Sunday with the former's mother, Mrs. Mahala Nevel.

Miss Maud Neff was royally entertained by her friends, Misses Clara and Blanche Reiber, over Sunday.

Orvis Horner and wife spent Sunday afternoon at the J. H. Moyer home.

VALLEY VIEW.

Mr. West Rider, who was injured last winter, is slowly recovering. He can stand about half his weight on the leg.

Philip Resides fell last week and hurt his side and arm, and can hardly do his work.

At the festival we raised over sixteen dollars—thanks.

Cherry picking is quite good in this locality.

The grain fields look fine in Buffalo Run Valley, and fruit is quite plenty.

Rev. H. Bradley will preach in the U. B. church next Sunday evening July 3rd.

If you drop into Green's Pharmacy Co. you will find a cigar case there with a canopy top—a National Cigar Stand. This stand has a special significance for every smoker in Bellefonte. Three thousand progressive druggists in New York, Chicago and throughout the country have these National Cigar Stands in their drug stores and own them. But here is where the smoker comes in; these three thousand druggists buy their cigars together. They command better values than the ordinary cigar store can obtain because they have their brands produced in enormous factory quantities. Drop into the National Cigar Stand for a Black and White cigar—forget you only paid 5c for it—and you will recognize quality sold in many three for a quarter brand.

Fire Near Morrisdale.

The residence of John Quick, near Morrisdale, was totally destroyed by fire on Monday morning, together with all the contents, incurring a loss of from \$500 to 1000, on which there was no insurance. Mr. Quick had gone to his work in the mines, and his wife was out in the field after the cows when the fire was discovered by Alfred Waring, a neighbor, who had to take the children from an upstairs

window to save their lives. Much sympathy is felt for the family in the total loss of their home and possessions.—Journal.

Wedding invitations printed at the Centre Democrat. We have new type and elegant line of stationery for this work.