

Correspondents' Department

Continued.

HOWARD.

Are you doing your very best to make this world a bit better?

In Our Churches Next Sabbath.

Reformed-Rev. E. F. Faust will preach and administer the Holy Communion at Jacksonville at ten o'clock and will preach at Marsh Creek at half past two, and in Howard at half past seven.

United Evangelical-Rev. W. W. Rhoades will preach in Howard at half past ten, and at Jacksonville at half past seven.

Methodist Episcopal-Rev. C. R. S. Taylor will preach at Beech Creek at half past ten, at Hunter's Run at half past two, and administer the Holy Communion at both of these appointments. He will also preach in Howard at half past seven.

Christian Chapel-The special services which were inaugurated on the 18th will continue during this week and on Sabbath morning Rev. W. H. Patterson will preach at half past ten in the morning, and at half past seven in the evening. Rev. D. R. Moss, of Lock Haven, will preach tomorrow, Friday, evening.

A New Club.

On Friday evening of last week several of our very young ladies met and organized a club, which is the third that our town boasts. The mystic title of "Q. E. C.," which they adopted, may mean "Quick Eating Club," or it might, by the uncharitable, be interpreted to stand for "Questionable and Exhausting Habit," but it is neither, and we leave the curious to do the guessing. Miss Florence Confer was made president, and they arranged for a Hollow 'een masquerade frolic, to be held at the home of "Giggles," next Monday evening. Here are the names and corresponding pseudonyms: Mary Welick-"Giggles"; Mabel Loder-"Pansy"; Leota Bouse-"Betty"; Gladys Holter-"Tip"; Florence Boone-"Joe"; Mabel Confer-"Bun"; Nellie Confer-"Fuss"; Elfrida Confer-"Nip"; Florence Confer-"Tuck"; Anna Confer-"Feather"; Helene Weber-"Jack"; Gertrude Thomas-"Tommie."

An Improvement.

The next best thing to having a greatly needed new station building at this place is to have the old one renewed, re-painted, and the environments cleaned up; and this is what the railroad people have just completed, very much to the bettered appearance of their property. Perhaps the suggestion that a substantial fence, preferably of six-inch board pickets, pointed on one side, and about four and a half feet high, and whitewashed, between their loading yard and Black street, would be an added and greatly appreciated improvement, will not be unkindly received or misinterpreted.

We regret to learn of the serious illness of Mrs. Frank Strunk a daughter of the late Henry Harvey. She is now improving.

Arbor Day.

Tomorrow, Friday, has been named Arbor Day, by Superintendent of Public Instruction Dr. N. C. Schaeffer, who is the authority named by the Act of Assembly. Every one who can should plant at least one tree on that day, and the more the better. Why should not the afternoon be made a half holiday in all our schools, and the pupils taken to the woods to select appropriate seedlings, bring them in and plant them, either in the school yard or on their home grounds? A lot of the best sort of "education" can be crowded into such a half day.

A Nonagenarian.

Yesterday (Wednesday) Samuel F. Kline, Esq., passed his ninetieth birthday, having been born in White Deer valley, across the Susquehanna river from Watsonstown, October 26, 1820. Since his early boyhood he has been a worthy citizen of this community, respected by his neighbors and honored with their confidence. Of him it may be written:

"A venerable aspect! Age sits with decent grace upon his visage. And worthily became his silver locks; He wears the mark of many years well spent. Of virtue, truth well tried, and wise experience."

Our Two-Year-Old Bank.

The second anniversary of our snug little bank occurred on Friday, the fifteenth, and it shows up in the very best of weather and condition. Within the past year it has paid two dividends of two per cent. each; has a surplus and round profits of \$3535.78, and plus and unused profits of \$83617.29 or more than three times its capital. A promising two-year-old, surely.

John Mokie and family spent Tuesday in Bellefonte.

Miss Annie Shuff, of Altoona, spent a portion of last week with her aunt, Mrs. Charles McMurtrie.

Adelbert Confer and wife are entertaining Mrs. Confer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Woodring, of Port Matilda.

Mrs. E. S. Dunham and daughter, Grace, spent the week end with Mrs. Dunham's brother, Charles Neff and family, at Castanea.

Mrs. R. S. Taylor represented the Howard charge at the Women's Foreign Missionary convention in Williamsport last week.

Alfred Confer left on No. 51 Monday morning for Snow Shoe, where he will ply his trade of painting until cold weather interferes.

Eugene M. Pletcher, superintendent of the Talte & Lister Co., manufacturers of tin cans and boxes, Philadelphia, is at home for a ten days' vacation.

Mrs. Thomas Mann and her little friend, Pearl Schenck, are at home after an enjoyable week with Mrs. Mann's daughter, Mrs. William Diehl, at Millmont.

Willard McDowell reached his sixteenth birthday last Thursday and because they knew of his antipathy to postcards, his joking friends deluged him with them.

Cider apples are shipped from here by the quantity; seven or eight cars having recently gone to some of the extensive cider mills to be converted into "champagne."

Mr. and Mrs. John Schenck returned last Friday from their long western trip and series of visits with family friends, safe and well, and greatly pleased with their experiences.

Milton Gardner, a draughtsman in the P. R. R. shops at Altoona, spent

Sunday with his family in the township. Milton's friends are glad to know that he is forging ahead in his work.

The vacancy in Mrs. Lucas' millinery establishment made by the departure of Mrs. Josephine Hudson for her new home in Philadelphia, is acceptably filled by Miss Emma Pletcher.

Attorney John J. Bower surveyed the John Hevery estate property in the east end of the borough last Thursday, with a view of establishing and marking the lines. The property is for sale.

Cashier Matthew Rogers, Jr., entertained his brother-in-law, D. M. Hetrick, cashier of the Milltown bank, last week, and on Saturday last his sister, Mrs. D. H. Kloss, of Altoona, arrived on a week end visit.

Arthur H. Long attended the dance at the Lock Haven Normal last Saturday evening, and when he came home he brought with him John M. Snyder, who had been his chauffeur while a student there, several years ago.

Discomforting reports of cases of typhoid fever, here and there, among the citizens of Howard and adjoining townships, as well as in the borough, are heard. Great vigilance should be exercised, as the scourge is abroad in the land.

Mrs. Amanda Gardner attended the State S. S. convention recently held in Altoona and reports that it was good to be there, also advises all who are inclined to religious work to take advantage of such opportunities and thereby equip themselves for greater usefulness.

Last Saturday the Howard Handle & Spoke Co. shipped to machinery agent Owen Underwood, at Bellefonte, a portable engine which they had used in their lumber jobs for some years, and which they turned in on account of a new and larger one of the celebrated A. B. Farquhar make, which will be better adapted to their growing business.

Walter E. Holter spent Thursday of last week at State College as the guest of his cousin, Eugene Hall, of Unionville, and Friday accompanied the crowd of students to Philadelphia to witness the Saturday football game. Walter is one of our best and most intelligent young men, just old enough and sufficiently informed to reap large advantages from such a trip.

The following persons were the guests at the home of J. T. Gardner on Sunday last: Mr. J. G. Confer, Misses Tessa and Flossie Confer, Elliott D. Gardner and daughter of Beech Creek; Milton B. Gardner, of Altoona; Clara Thompson and Zelma Sullenberger. The young people seem to make this an objective point for a good social and musical time.

J. Will Mayer enjoys having his friends take some of his long business trips with him in his car, and on Friday last Harry McDowell was the favored party. They took their lunches with them and drove to Rosecrans Loganton, Tylersville, and so on through beautiful country, arriving home by early supper time, well pleased with themselves and their trip. Of course the marble and monument business was not entirely lost sight of during the trip.

During the absence of agent W. L. Cooke, on his visit of instruction to the New York tunnel and station, to which the "Pennsy" invited all its main line division agents last week, the station was in charge of assistant D. E. Holter, which means that every detail of the work was well looked after. Joseph Daughenbaugh was detailed from the track force by division boss Shope, to take "Dan's" place in the warehouse, and kept his end of the work up to the standard.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ryan, with their two children, Helene and Donald, who have been spending a fortnight with Howard Tipton and wife, on the old Absalom Tipton farm in Curtin township, returned to their home in Buffalo, Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Jere Ryan, formerly Miss Mary Tipton, left for Williamsport on the earlier train, accompanied by her little grandson, Kenneth Ayres, about four years old, who is compelled to go on crutches, a victim of the scourge of "infantile paralysis."

The Sunday school rally in the Methodist Episcopal church last Sabbath evening was a successful meeting in point of interest and the character of the discourse, delivered. In addition a program of special music, individual and responsive readings, which had been carefully prepared was as carefully carried out under the direction of Wilbur F. Hall, superintendent of the school. Rev. Shuey proved an animated and attractive speaker, with sound views of the importance of Sunday school work; and pastor R. S. Taylor was at his best in seconding Mr. Shuey's good work, and advancing sane and sensible views of his own concerning the general work of the Sunday school, and its relation to the work of the church.

UNIONVILLE.

There will be preaching service in the Methodist church at Unionville, next Sunday morning at 10:30.

Roy Peters, Elmer Taylor and Robert Elder were three lively Altoona kids who "hung up" at the Peter's house several days last week. They expected to take home with them a wild turkey each—but "nit."

Mrs. P. J. McDonnell attended the funeral of her half-brother, George Loughry, in Philadelphia, last week.

Miss Mary Turner is lying seriously ill with typhoid fever in the Clearfield hospital.

Cornelius Brugger left on last Wednesday for Colorado. Cornie is in search of health and it is hoped by his many friends that he may find it in large quantities. Keep out of the snow drifts, Cornie.

Miss Kathryn Buck, of Lock Haven, is greeting her many friends at this place. Miss Buck is a familiar figure in our town, she having spent most of her lifetime here.

Another one of our boys, who is pushing to the front arrived home on Saturday. His name is William H. Buck and is located at Buffalo, where he holds a lucrative position. Everybody calls him "Willie," because he is so nice.

Ed. Musser came down from Altoona one day last week, expecting to get a wild turkey—and he did. Ed. went home happy.

Edward Hiddings, who has been seriously ill with typhoid fever for several weeks, is slowly convalescing.

The Odd Fellows banquet, on last Saturday evening, from a jolly, social standpoint was a pronounced success notwithstanding it was not as well patronized as it should have been.

Last Sunday was "old folks" day at the M. E. church. The church was well filled by a large and appreciative audience. The altar was well filled with a profusion of flowers, fruits and vegetables, and the services were nice. Rev. Oyler was very impressive and inspiring.

Mr. and Mrs. Rev. Dr. Piper, of Huntingdon, former pastor of this

charge, spent several days visiting their many friends at this place and Milesburg. Dr. Piper served this charge as its pastor for five years and was, perhaps, one of the most popular and most beloved of ministers that ever served this charge. Everybody glad to see them; come again, brother.

Taking of patriotism. Miss Bees Green of Briery, is so completely saturated with it that she actually raises Fourth of July sweet corn—the grains are "red, white and blue" and are promiscuously scattered over the ear. To prove this, you can call me as a witness for I have several ears of it and will also get patriotic next summer.

Miss Iona Gill, of Sandy Ridge, was called home recently on account of the illness of her mother.

After the items next week I will give you readers a special article entitled, "Reminiscences of Stomastown."

An unusually enjoyable time is anticipated next Saturday night when the ladies of the Epworth League will open an ice cream and cake "bazaar" in the Grange Hall. Everybody is cordially invited.

PINE GROVE MILLS.

Mrs. Sue Peters left on Monday morning for Altoona, to visit her daughter, Mrs. Mary Stemm.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Grove, of Roopburg, visited at the H. H. Gess home east of town over Sunday.

Prof. D. O. Eiters, of State College, was making his annual visit to our schools this week.

Edward Bowersox and wife, of Altoona, visited at the Franklin Bowersox home on Sunday.

Earl Smith and wife, of Huntingdon, are here visiting at the home of W. D. Port, and Mr. Smith is looking after the squirrels and turkeys on our grounds.

Fred Randolph and cousin Nellie, spent Friday and Saturday of last week visiting friends at Tyrone.

Rev. I. S. Schultz attended the installation of the new President at Pennsylvania College, at Gettysburg, last week.

G. W. Wood, of Pittsburg, while visiting and attending to business here is also re-roofing his house on Wate street.

Harry Sunday and family, of White Hall, spent Sunday at the Jacob Sunday home in town.

Arthur Burwell, of our High school, received first prize at the horse show at State College, on Wednesday of last week, for being the best judge of horses, of boys between the age of fifteen and twenty years. The prize consists of all coat to an agricultural course at State College this winter.

The second monthly meeting of our state board will be held at Centre school on Friday night.

COBURN.

We have had very pleasant weather during October, but we predict a great political cyclone about Nov. 8, in Pennsylvania, which will bring ruin to the twin organizations—that is, if the voters will make use of the opportunity presented to them at the coming election.

The farmers are busily engaged husking corn which is a good crop, of great quantity and good quality.

After an absence of ten years the stark appeared again at the home of J. D. Mark last week and left a bouncing boy who will soon be able to be foreman on the railroad.

Mrs. J. H. Vonada is spending this week at the home of her parents John Korman's near Woodward to assist in caring for her sister Ada who is ill.

Mrs. John Elmer, Mrs. A. M. Martin and daughter are visiting relatives at Treverton this week.

In the absence of Rev. Dice, Rev. E. L. Kessler, of Woodward, will occupy the pulpit in the United Evangelical church on Sunday afternoon.

W. J. and J. E. Harter have concrete floors put in their cellars this week, which means cleaner cellars, no decayed boards, and a barrier to the rats.

Mrs. Kate Neese, of Rebersburg, who is an old lady but more spry than many younger ones, spent last week with Mrs. Reuben Harter.

After visiting relatives a few days in Cleveland, Ohio, Miss Kathryn Kaiser returned home again.

MILESBURG.

Wm. Fulton installed a steam heating plant in his residence this week.

Mrs. Clara Adams left Tuesday for State College to spend the week.

C. H. Elise has installed a lighting system in his store that is very creditable.

Wilbur and Edgar Miles, of Williamsport seminary, spent the Sabbath at home.

Roll Bryan, Clarence Spicer and Perry Kanarr, of Altoona spent the Sabbath at home.

Robert Spicer is improving his property by the addition of a new eight foot porch.

Raymond Kellerman returned last week from Pittsburg where he was employed.

William Gingham is improving his home in general by filling and leveling up his yard; we should have a lot more people like Mr. Gingham in town, and not so many standing around the streets and criticizing men who do try to improve the town.

Frank and Howard Kepler, of Westport, Pa., are in town this week installing Wm. Fulton's steam plant.

Marian Housel underwent an operation in the hospital last week for appendicitis, which was very successful.

Mrs. James Leanklin, of Burrow, Ill., is spending some time with her mother Mrs. James McMullen.

Mr. Irvin Way, of Michigan, spent Saturday afternoon at the home of Wilson Heaton.

Mrs. Edw. Eckenroth, of Bellefonte, spent Sunday with her brother Harry Austin and family.

Edward Bullock has the advantage of most of the hunters in this vicinity he doesn't go away from home to hunt; he shot a pheasant in his yard one day last week.

Mrs. T. A. Hugg spent the last ten days with her parents W. C. Creamer and family, of Berwick, Pa.

The Milesburg brick plant resumed operation this week and expects to continue all winter.

For sale by T. A. Hugg: one stone stove, double heater, and one oil stove.

Edgar Miles, the star first baseman of the Milesburg base ball club, has made good on the Dickinson Seminary foot ball team; the many friends of Edgar will be glad to see him some day the hero of the gridiron.

Missing Horse Found.

Last spring Dal. Smetzer, who lives about six miles below Bellefonte, on the road leading from Pleasant Gap to Zion, placed a horse in the care of Joseph Gross, foreman of the Beezer stock farm, to be pastured. Some time in the following June the horse mysteriously disappeared, and as the two farms adjoin each other, it was thought that the horse might have become himestuck and gone back to the Smetzer farm. A thorough search however, failed to discover any trace of the animal, and the conclusion was reached that the horse had been stolen, and secreted in some other county. Last Sunday a party of men and boys from Bellefonte were hunting chestnuts in the vicinity of the above farms and came upon the partly decayed carcass of a horse lying among the rocks and leaves. Upon investigation it was found to be the horse which had so completely vanished from the Beezer farm early in the summer. How the horse met his death is still to be solved.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL WORK.

Some interesting and illuminating statistics were presented at the recent State Sunday School convention at Altoona, which clearly prove that it pays to put time and money in Sunday school work.

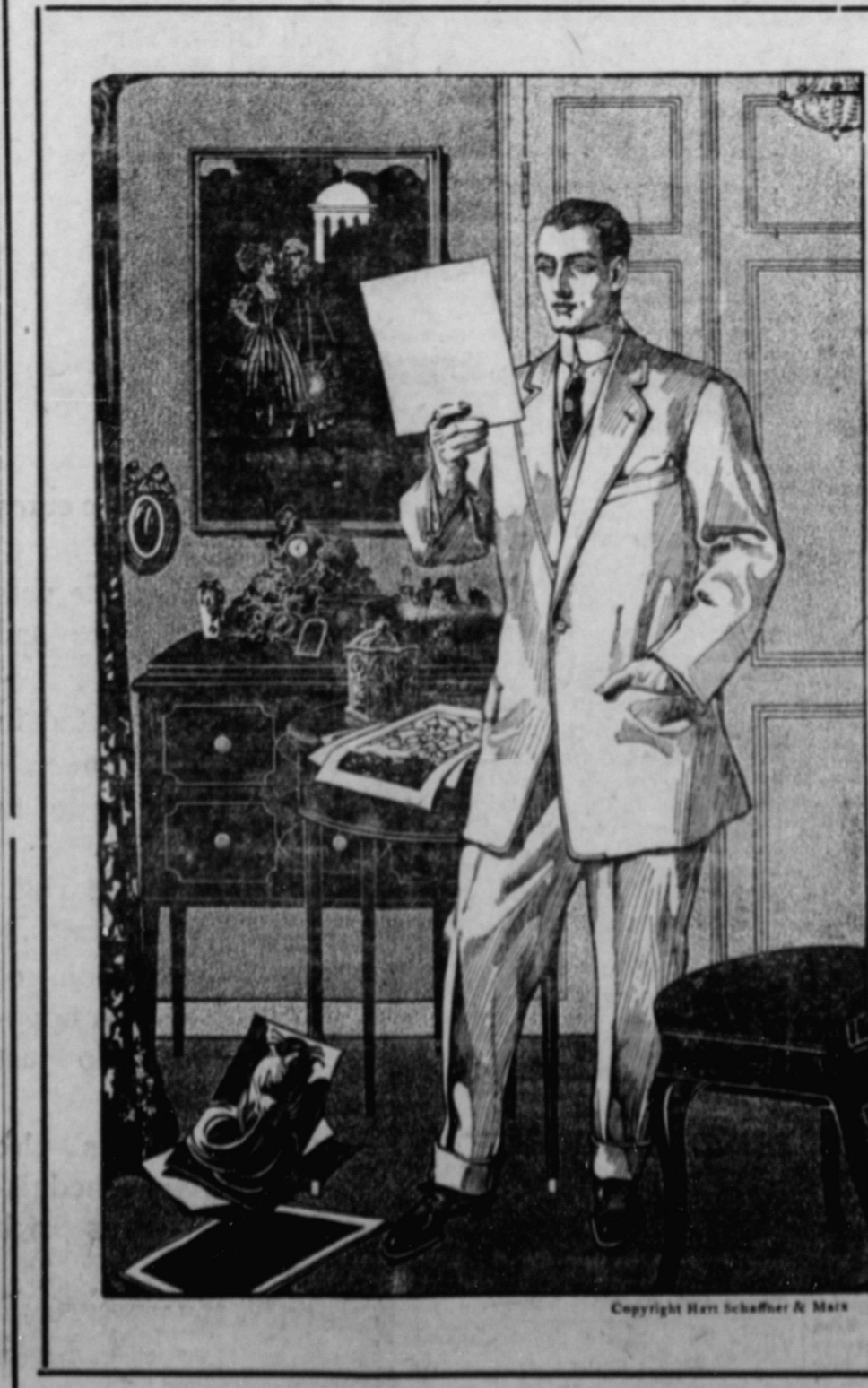
Pennsylvania leads all states in the number attending Sunday schools, the total number enrolled in this state being 1,835,761. During the past year there was an increase of 464 in the number of Cradle Rolls, and the total enrollment of scholars, the babies of the schools, was 133,496. The total number of Cradle Rolls in the state is 4,832. The total number

of home departments is 2,120, an increase of 423 during the year, and the total enrollment in the home department, those who study the lessons at home, is 110,251.

There are now 2,698 Sunday schools using the new graded lessons, with a 1,062 new teacher training classes and 11,235 students enrolled in these classes.

This shows progress in every department of the work, but it is estimated that there are over 960,000 of school age, 5 to 20 years, who are not connected with any Sunday school. The problem now is to have this big army enrolled in the Sunday schools of the state.

Katz & Co's STORE NEWS SEE OUR SHOW WINDOWS Beginning today and lasting for ten days only we will inaugurate the greatest Ladies' and Misses' Coat and Suit Sale ever held in Bellefonte. Twenty leading manufacturers have contributed to the great sale. It is a sale long to be remembered. See our windows. There you will get an idea of what we are doing. Come and Examine Our Stock. Get Posted on Prices. Katz & Co, BELLEFONTE, PA.



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