

Correspondents' Department
Continued.

HALF MOON TOWNSHIP.
The ground hog must have seen his shadow from the way the weather is at present.

Mrs. Isaac Beck is spending some time with friends and relatives in Philadelphia. Quite a number of the people of this vicinity are suffering with grip. There was quite a raising at the home of J. M. Morrison on last Saturday. It was icy and slippery out of doors; all enjoyed themselves in the house at the table partaking of a sumptuous dinner which was served.

Frank P. Fisher has returned to the seminary after spending a day at the home of his parents, he stopping off on his way when preaching at his Petersburg charge. There is to be a union C. E. meeting at Centennial, on Sunday evening, February the 12th, of the Centre Line and Centennial societies. Miss Ruth Powley, who has been absent from our vicinity for about a year, has returned to D. J. Beck's.

The other week there was a telephone meeting of the directors of the Centre and Huntingdon county telephone companies, at the home of G. W. Fisher, at Loveville. The meeting convened at 10 o'clock, and at the noon hour they were called to the dining room where they were given an excellent oyster dinner by Mr. Fisher and wife, which was greatly appreciated by the directors present.

Ira Fisher, who is teaching school at Stormstown, spent Friday night at the home of Mary Wilson.

SOBER.
Anna Aumon, of Pittsburg, was a pleasant caller with her friend, Furl Aumon, on Friday.

Ezra Finkle, wife and daughter Ray, also son James, made a business trip to Bellefonte on Friday. H. V. Gentzel, who was on the sick list for several days, is now able to drive the team again.

U. G. Aumon made a business trip to Coburn on Tuesday. Miss Furl Aumon was a caller at T. R. Eisenhuth's one day last week.

Daniel Smith and John Bonnell were callers at H. V. Gentzels on Sunday. Mrs. T. R. Eisenhuth, of Coburn, was a visitor at U. G. Aumon's last Thursday. The report is they had a jolly time.

Ed. Decker, who is working on the trolley line, Buddy Mc to Cherry Run, was seen in our vicinity on Wednesday; we wonder what his attraction was. Miss Furl Aumon spent Wednesday and Thursday visiting friends in Union county.

M. C. Vonada and family were callers at W. V. Vonada's on Sunday. Kathryn Snyder, of Coburn, was a welcome visitor at Urah Aumon's on Sunday and Monday.

Minnie Zerby, of Zion, was seen in our vicinity one day last week.

ROCK FORGE.
We are having spring weather around here. Friday was a fine day, nearly like summer, and the old saying is, the first Friday in the month rules all next month.

William Saxton sawed wood for George Rhears on Friday with his gasoline engine.

Mrs. Oris Mulberger spent several days last week at Ira Benner's getting some sewing done. Miss Ruth Tresler and Miss Mary Bressler and grandfather Christian Lowery have returned home again after spending a few weeks very pleasantly at Howard with friends and relatives.

Mr. George Rider and wife, of Buffalorus assisted William Fike in getting ready to move last week. The people around Rock are all glad to know that Rock school is getting along so well. Mr. Detrich treats all scholars alike and as the closing time is approaching his pupils are wishing to have him next winter.

Will Breon took a load of corn away on Friday and he said he was afraid his nose would freeze off; but I see he had it yet when he came back. The majority of the people around Rock have been suffering from bad colds and sore throat.

WOODWARD.
Wm. H. Fultz, employed at Zion, spent Sunday with his family at this place. Roy and Sandy Bowersox made a trip to Millheim on last Thursday night.

Rev. Kessler preached for Rev. Dice at Coburn on last Sunday afternoon and at this place on Sunday night. Rev. Haney, of the Evangelical church, will preach his last sermon on Sunday forenoon before going to the conference which will be held at Williamsport, beginning Thursday, February 23rd.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hosterman, of this place, received sad news during last week stating that their son Oliver, located at Buffalo, N. Y., was in a critical condition with that dread disease tuberculosis, having had a number of hemorrhages during last week. John J. Orndorf, who has been quite sick, is improved quite a bit at this time.

Miss Maude Ard is visiting her parents at this place for a short time.

WADDLE.
Miss Mary Hoy, who was operated on for appendicitis in the Bellefonte hospital, we are glad to say, is getting along very nicely. Mrs. Youm entertained her brother and his wife and children from Illinois for a few days.

Mrs. Dan Showers, of Nittany, spent Sunday with her husband at this place. Will Long and wife spent Monday in Bellefonte shopping. Misses Erna Stevenson has gone to Tyrone to spend a few weeks visiting friends.

Miss Stevens, who was called here by the death of her mother, Mrs. Jane Hartcock, has returned to her home in Altoona.

TYLERSVILLE.
Communion services were held in the United Evangelical church last Sunday afternoon. Services were conducted by the presiding elder, Rev. Reaser.

Local Institute will be held in the St. Johns Reformed church on Friday evening, the 17th, and Saturday, the 18th. All are invited to come.

Mrs. H. D. Grieb, who was away visiting for some time, returned home. Charles Lautach, of Jersey Shore, was visiting here a few days last week. Harvey Caria made a business trip to Nittany last week.

A GEOLOGICAL SURVEY.

Of the Bellefonte Quadrangle Now Being Prepared.

The State College Times says: "In July, 1910, Dr. E. S. Moore, head of the department of geology and mineralogy, made a contract with the United States geological survey for the preparation of the material for the Bellefonte quadrangle, to be published by the survey.

"A topographic map of this quadrangle has already been made and published through the joint work of the Pennsylvania and United States geological surveys. "Dr. Moore and his assistants in the department of geology have been working on the preparation of this folio material since last September, and hope to have it finished during the present year.

"The topographic map which has been already published shows the surface contours, and the culture of the area, and gives the location of roads, streams, towns, farmhouses, etc. "The folio will contain several pages of the most detailed geological description of the region, the economic geology, the economic geology including deposits of ore, limestone, brick clays and building stone. It will also give information regarding the water supply.

"It will contain a geological map in color, known as the areal geology sheet, showing the various rock formations, and an economic geology sheet, showing the location of economic geological products. "The completion of this folio will contribute greatly to the interest in the geology of the region surrounding State College and will be of great assistance in the teaching of geology at Penn State.

"Some of the features of especial interest which will be shown are the mountain ranges with their folds and faults, the iron ore mines at Scotia, and the occurrence of those very interesting siliceous and calcareous coals which are found in this region.

Only a Pair of Trousers.

A stranger came running into the streets at Lewisburg Junction Sunday morning shouting "My God there is a man dragging under that freight train which just passed." The train was brought to a stop a short distance further East and after making an examination of the train Conductor John Bonnell reported that he had found an old pair of overalls, the legs of which were dragging on the ties. The garment had been discarded by some miner and found their way into the possum belly of a hopper car. The legs had gradually worked through a crack in water filtering through the bed of coal had filled the legs and they had frozen, causing them to take on a resemblance to the pedal extremities of a man.

Love Making Natural.

A big club parlor, with easy chairs and cozy corners, advantageous shadows, a gas log and chimney hearth, are the agents with which the Rev. J. B. Toomy, pastor of the Fountain Park Congregational church of St. Louis, Mo., will stimulate social activities among folk of his community. The club will be in the basement of the church and there will be no chaperones, overseers or restrictions and prohibitions. "The young people of my congregation are presumed to conduct themselves properly," said Dr. Toomy. "Love making is natural and proper; I expect the young folk to act properly."

Killed Man 12 Years Ago.

A young man asked the police of the Tenderloin station, New York to arrest him. He told them that he had killed a man in Lexington, Ky., four years ago and wanted to be sent back.

Who the man was he killed he didn't know, but he had shot him in a quarrel and thought it was about time he was brought to court for it. He gave his own name as King McNamara. Word was wired to Lexington, and a telegram came back in which the police said McNamara was wanted on a charge of having murdered James S. Kellar in 1899. McNamara himself fixed the date as February 18, 1897.

Penny R. R. Relief.

More than two and one-quarter million dollars in benefits were distributed during the year 1910 to Pennsylvania railroad system, according to a report issued by the company. The membership of the funds on December 31, 1910, was 162,652, or nearly 85 per cent. of the total number of employees in the service.

Some idea of the extent of the work of the relief departments can be had from the fact that during the past year payments to 13,385 families of members who died amounted to \$39,750.87, while \$1,449,957.42 were paid to members who were unable to work.

Falls Victim to Thieves.

S. W. Bends, of Coal City, Ala., has a justifiable grievance. Two thieves stole his health for twelve years. They were a liver and kidney trouble. Then Dr. King's New Life Pills effected them. He's well now. Unrivaled for Constipation, Malaria, Headache, Dyspepsia, 25c. at Green's Pharmacy Co.

Flood Victim.

The skeleton of one of the victims of the Johnstown flood has been found near New Florence, nearly 22 years after the flood. The bones will be interred in Grand View cemetery, where 777 other unidentified bodies of the flood lie buried.

WASH THAT ITCH AWAY

It is said that there are certain springs in Europe that give relief and cure to Eczema and other skin diseases. If you knew that by washing in these waters you could be relieved from that awful itch, wouldn't you make every effort to take a trip to Europe at once? Would you not be willing to spend your last cent to find the cure?

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REFUSED TO ACCEPT MONEY.

Unique Situation Develops in Union County.

Preferring interest to principal, and refusing to accept five thousand dollars in bright shining gold pieces when it was tendered them, Mr. and Mrs. George Smith who live on a farm near White Deer, have adopted a strenuous method to prevent Mrs. Elizabeth Baker, of Union county, paying off a judgment held by them and on which they have been receiving interest for the last five years. They not only have refused to accept the money, but when an attempt was made to serve legal papers requiring them to come into court and show cause why the judgment should not be satisfied, the officer, Sheriff C. E. Shaffer, of Lewisburg, was driven from the premises at the point of a gun accompanied by threats that his head would be blown off if he attempted to enter the house.

Several weeks ago Mrs. Baker, who is quite an aged lady, decided that she would pay off the judgment held by the Smiths. Going to a bank she drew five thousand dollars, the amount of the judgment, and had the money paid to her in gold. In company with her attorney she went to the Smith home, stated her errand and tendered the money. To her surprise the Smiths announced they would not accept the gold piece. Argument was of no avail and Mrs. Baker was finally ordered from the house.

Returning to Lewisburg, Mrs. Baker paid the money into court and a petition was presented praying the court to issue an order requiring Smith to appear and show cause why the judgment should not be satisfied. Sheriff Shaffer sent one of his deputies to the Smith home to serve the paper, but he didn't serve it. The Smiths saw the deputy first. Then the sheriff issued his order. He was informed that they would not accept the gold piece. Argument was of no avail and Mrs. Baker was finally ordered from the house.

Invited to Rob Own Home.

George Strayer, a New York Central railroad man, residing in Williamsport, Pa., had the unusual experience this week of being invited to rob his own home. Strayer was coming in from work and had tipped to his front door, so as not to disturb the household. While he was quietly inserting the key a man who stepped from the darkness almost at his elbow whispered: "That's right, pal; let's give her a whirl from the front; I tried it in the back and she's no good." Strayer grabbed for the fellow, but he escaped. He had evidently taken Strayer to be a burglar because he tipped to the door.

Aged Twins.

The Middleburg Post claims for Snyder county the oldest twins in the state, and as such prints the likeness of Mrs. John S. Stetler, of Swineford, Pa., and Mrs. John Hays, of Selinsgrove, Pa. The twins were born 77 years ago, Oct. 19, 1910. They are twin daughters of Abraham Erdley and his wife, Sarah Fullgroff, who were married in 1822. There were 13 children all told, the twins were the sixth in the order of birth.

TAKE IT IN TIME.

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Dangerous Walks.
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The Pittsburgh Councils are considering an ordinance compelling the roughing of cement sidewalks. The matter is one which every city and borough in the State should not only consider but compel.

The smooth-finished surface of the modern cement pavement is glossy in its smoothness. It is dangerous to pedestrians in wet and icy weather, particularly in certain wet seasons. Our town is honored by tramp visitors, as well as other towns. In Fayette county these gentlemen are given stone hammers, and thus equipped they are marched to the stone quarries. Within the last couple of days, Constable Jacob Churns of North Union township managed to round up nine candidates for the hammer. Bellefonte could put these roving gentry to street sweeping if it has no stones to crush.

Gorilla and Bulldog Battle.

A battle to the death between a gorilla and an English bulldog in which the gorilla was victorious was fought in Louisiana last week, with almost the entire male population of New Iberia as spectators. Much money was wagered. A pen twelve feet square and eight feet high, with seats on all sides, was arranged for the combat. The dog and gorilla were placed in the pen at midnight. Two and a half minutes later the dog was dead.

The dog leaped at the gorilla immediately after being placed in the pen. The gorilla caught the dog just as a man catches a baseball, then bit quickly through the dog's skull into the brain, broke its back and tore it to pieces.



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