

Correspondents' Department

Continued.

HOWARD.

"It requires very little ability find fault."

In Our Churches Next Sabbath.

Reformed—Pastor E. F. Faust will preach at Mt. Bethel at ten o'clock at Salona at half past ten, and in Howard at half past seven.

United Evangelical—Pastor W. W. Rhoads will preach at Fairview at half past ten, and in Howard at half past seven.

Christian Scientists—Service at ten o'clock at the home of Mrs. Thomas Mann.

Methodist Episcopal—Pastor R. S. Taylor will preach at Curtin at half past ten, at Kennedy at half past two and in Howard at half past seven.

The Reception Tendered the Senior Class of the High school by the Juniors, last Friday evening was a well managed and successful affair throughout. The two upper rooms were used, and the decorations gave them an air of refinement which they would otherwise have lacked. If the program of declamations, dialogues, recitations, music, and speeches had fallen in with the short in quality it would have been made up in quantity, for it was somewhat larger than the conditions and occasion required. It was well planned and well rendered from start to finish, each one who had been assigned a part being ready to promptly respond. Prof. Fletcher presided with skill and dignity, and Walter Holter, at the organ, led the music in good form. Those who took single parts, as individuals, were: Harold Mayes, Ruth Gardner, Helene Weber, Lawrence Faust, Gennie Pitzer, and George Long. The school songs were sung with spirit and vim and the Misses Florence and Elfreda Confer rendered two duets which were received with encores. The formal presentation of the fine clock, which has been in place for several weeks, by the class of 1910, was a ceremonial of interest, Russell Garner making the presentation speech. At the close of the exercises, Rev. E. F. Faust was called upon for a talk, and made an excellent and appropriate speech, directed mainly to the parents and patrons of the school, who signified their cordial approval. Then followed refreshments which were fine and abundant, and very nicely served by the pupils of all grades who had been appointed to the task; and this function afforded the opportunity and incentive for the social intercourse with which the pleasant evening closed. The general sentiment seemed to be that this was one of the most successful functions the school had ever given. The invitations were necessarily limited by the small size of the rooms, yet the audience with which they were packed afforded an impressive object lesson as to the need of a town hall.

The Good Roads Train.—A delay in the start from Tyrone put the train a half hour behind its schedule, and as its manager wanted to give the full time assigned to each place at which it stopped, it maintained that relation to its schedule all day, and arrived here about four o'clock, where it found a large and eager crowd awaiting it, which at once filled every available spot on the train, including the exhibit cars. The big flat car in front, which carried many samples of road making machinery, including stone crushers and screens, rollers, big wheel scrapers and levelers, horse-power shovels, rollers, plank drags, concrete conduits, with forms for making them, and so on, was particularly attractive. Dr. J. P. Jackson, head of the school of engineering at The Pennsylvania State College, and manager of the train, made the opening address from the open car, and then the lecture car in which the illustrated lecture was delivered, was the center of attraction. The lectures were eagerly listened to and a large fund of information was obtained from them. A "King Drag" of the original split log variety, belonging to Howard township, and which had seen considerable service, had been placed on the station platform before the train arrived, and once attracted the attention of Manager Jackson, who asked the privilege of taking it with him as an object lesson for the rest of his trip. This was granted by the supervisors, and it is now a part of the equipment of the implement car. The lecturers who had been with the train from the first were enthusiastic over the large attendance and fine interest which had met them at all points, and gratified at the turn out at Howard.

The Third Grade of our High school over which Miss Anna Muffly holds the reins in skillful and competent hands, held an open meeting last Friday afternoon, in which recitations, songs, readings and a debate upon the resolution that "The country is a better place to live in than the city," constituted the exercises, and the work was creditable to pupils and teacher alike. The judges gave their decision in favor of the affirmative, but the work on both sides was so well done that the negative had a goodly share of the honors. The contestants were, in the affirmative, Rebecca Lucas, George Holter, Genevieve Pletcher and Willis Thompson; negative, Anna Boon, Ward Confer, Ruth Kane and Irvin Pletcher. The other members of the class who took part in the exercises were: Walter Weber, Miriam Lucas, Kline Wolf, Virginia Weber, Chester Lucas, Lorena Williams and Margaret Wyble. Miss Muffly had wisely turned the management of the affair over to the school itself, and an excellent working organization was effected by electing Walter Confer presiding officer and Hilda Wagner secretary.

A Birthday Party.—Mrs. Alonzo Henderson, nee Miss Beanie Confer, has lots of friends, and when her 'teenth birthday came around last Tuesday a few of them gathered at her home in the evening, and reminded her of it in a pleasant way. Fun and feasting ruled the hour, and all, including Mrs. Confer's three wee tots of girls, enjoyed themselves until sleepy time came. The party included Mr. and Mrs. Miner, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Cooke, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Yearick, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. B. Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. Adelbert Confer, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Confer, Annie Kline, Mabel Marie, Pearl, Walter, Henry and Malcolm Confer, Miss Loran Henderson, Marion Cooke, Fred Bechdel, Horace Schenck, Rebecca Lucas, Mary Weirick, Arvilla Gardner, Mrs. Charles McMurtrie, Miss Nellie Swartz, John Turner, Mrs. Anna Harvey, Miss Edna Strunk, Mrs. H. C. Holter, and Mrs. M. Weber.

The Francis Willard Memorial, on Thursday evening, was a pleasing tribute to the worth and character of that devoted woman. Appropriate music was furnished by a select choir, and a number of the ladies read fitting and beautiful excerpts from her writings and others concerning her. Mr. C. M. Muffly and Revs. E. F. Faust and R. S. Taylor delivered brief but stirring addresses. Mr. Faust took occasion to handle local liquor selling under the license law, and cigarette selling to boys, in violation of law, without gloves. Mrs. R. S. Taylor presided with proper dignity and in good form. The collection which was taken enabled the ladies to pay their full quota to the memorial fund, and left them something over for expenses.

"Back to the Farm."—Clarence E. Yearick and wife, formerly Miss Josephine Henderson, came from Philadelphia, where Mr. Yearick had been employed, last Saturday, with the purpose of making arrangements to take charge of father C. E. Yearick's farm, below Jacksonville, in April. This is one of the largest and best farms in the valley, having been well cared for by the former owner, John Holmes, as well as by Mr. Yearick, and the young people will have a fine opportunity to "make good." It is Clarence's old home, he was trained to farming upon it, and we congratulate him and his pretty bride upon their choice.

Chicken and Waffles, ice cream and cake, and all the tucks and frills that go with them, will be served by the "Ladies' Aid" of the Reformed church at the Charles E. Yearick home, in the late afternoon and evening of Friday, March 3. They will be piping hot and ready to serve at half past four o'clock and the service will continue as late in the evening as there is anything left to eat, and anyone to eat it. You are invited.

Mrs. George L. Williams is visiting friends in Bellwood and Altoona.

Prof. Shuman Williams and family, spent last Sunday with his parents here.

Miss Mollie Yearick was a business visitor at the Clinton county capital last Saturday.

Miss Agatha Wetzel entertained her friends Hannah Dunkle, of Bellefonte, on Sunday last.

Miss Flora Pletcher, who is teaching at Bald Eagle this winter, made a home visit last Sunday.

Samuel Lyon and wife, of Lock Haven, were among those who came to visit relatives last Sunday.

Eugene Allison, of Spring Mills, spent Saturday and part of Sunday with his uncle, J. F. Condo.

Ward Confer and family came from their Renovo home on Saturday to visit among friends in the township.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry McClintock, of Atlantic City, are visiting at the home of Mrs. M's mother, Mrs. L. H. Bengison.

Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Rossen, of Miles Hill, came up to have a little visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. Will Mayes.

Mrs. W. R. Gardner and little daughter Sara, are spending a few weeks with Mrs. Gardner's brother, Wickliffe Gardner, in Pittsburg.

Miss Alice Pletcher, who has been resting and recuperating her health here for some weeks, returned to her Philadelphia home last Sunday.

Mrs. Nellie E. Watt, of Williamsport, with her sweet little daughter Eleanor is spending a vacation with her mother, Mrs. Mary B. DeHaas.

Daniel Hall, of Unionville, stopped off here between trains, last Monday, when on his way to upper Pine Creek, to say howdy-do to his relatives and friends.

Mrs. Bennison, with her son-in-law and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Harry McClintock, spent last Sabbath with another family of children, Mr. and Mrs. Worrick, at Salona.

Miss Helen Turner, of Williamsport, who has been seriously ill for some months, but is now quite convalescent, is visiting her one-time schoolmate, Miss Woodward.

Mrs. John B. Holter left on No. 55, Wednesday, for Tyrone, to look after her sister, Miss Maud Hopkins, who is reported seriously ill. Returning a day or two later Mrs. Holter spoke of her sister as improving.

Prof. George M. Robb, principal of the Altoona High school, came to spend Saturday and Sunday with his aged mother who had been seriously ill, but we are glad to know, is nicely recovering, notwithstanding her advanced years.

"The Ladies' Aid" of the Christian Chapel congregation held a largely attended and industrious meeting at the home of Mrs. W. E. Confer last Tuesday, had a jolly good time, accomplished a lot of work, and added shekels to their already well-filled treasury.

On Monday of last week there were observed on the streets of our town no less than six men who were walking by the aid of crutches, and four others, each of whom had lost one hand. Three of them had arrived on morning trains, or driven in from nearby points.

Little Josephine, three years old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Confer, fell to the floor from the high chair in which she was sitting at the window, a few days ago, and had the misfortune to break her collar bone. She is coming round nicely, under the care of Dr. Kurtz.

Lancaster, Pa., Feb. 12.—Two arrests have been made here for selling cigarettes to boys. Mayor McClain is determined to stop the junior traffic.

Possibly that is where the Howard small boys have been getting the cigarettes which they have been smoking on our streets! They surely get them somewhere, and no one would imagine that any of our home merchants would thus defy the law that was made to save young boys from this baneful habit! Perhaps Mayor George H. Leathers should look this up.

Mrs. R. S. Taylor, mistress of the M. E. parsonage here, was the recipient of a very pleasant visit last Wednesday, from some fourteen of her husband's lady parishioners at Beech Creek. The original party embraced thirty or more ladies, and it had been arranged to come in three sled loads, but the thaw and rain spoiled the sleighing and their plans at the same time, and those who found it convenient to do so came on No. 53 at 12:40, and remained until evening train time. They brought with them a great abundance of the good things which good Clinton county people eat, and had a royal good time of it. Those who braved the weather and came were: Mrs. Winslow, Mrs. George Rupert, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Carpenter Miller, Mrs. Swartz, Mrs. W. F. Bullock, Mrs. C. E. Bullock, Mrs. Shumaker, Mrs. H.

G. McCloskey, Mrs. H. E. Williams, Mrs. Forcey, Mrs. Lindsey, Mrs. Chas. Lindsey and Mrs. Wm. Lindsey.

Pastor E. F. Faust and his good wife were also made involuntary, though by no means unwilling, hosts of a complimentary party of ladies from one of their outlying appointments last week. They were fourteen in number, representing the church at Salona, and arrived on No. 51, Saturday morning, returning on No. 52, at 1:45. They came provided with the substantial and dainties of the table in such abundance that one would suppose they were going to camp for a week. They were joined here, upon invitation, by Mrs. J. H. Wagner, and the day was one of pleasure for guests and hosts alike. A list of the names of the participants follows: The Mesdames Elizabeth Reish, Reuben Wetzel with little daughter Ruth, Norman Hayes, Edward Reish and little daughter Margaret, Charles McClintock, T. C. Lindsey and W. E. Bowen, the Misses Ellen Kryder, Margaret Kryder, Irene Sager and Dora Sager.

UNIONVILLE.

Oh, that mud, that horrible mud. That covers our pavements so thick; How nice it would be if all were made Of concrete or hard-burned brick.

(Nota Bene! the above beautiful, touching couplet was conceived and born before this last freeze-up and snow.)

After spending the past winter with friends in Half Moon, Pa., Miss Jennie Fisher returned home a few days ago.

Miss Annie Rich, of Clearfield, is visiting friends in this place.

The venerable J. R. Green, of Centreville, Elk county, is a visitor at the home of his nephew, candidate R. T. Comley, and also at his sister's, Mrs. John Comley.

Billy Parsons has set his wooden hen with 100 eggs and expects an outcome of 100 peeps. Don't count them till they are hatched, William.

Mrs. Sara Brown and her daughter Mrs. R. W. Gray, of Harrisburg, were pleasant visitors over Sunday, among friends in town. Mrs. Brown and her daughter, better known as Bessie Brown were, for many years, residents of Unionville, and everybody was glad to greet them with a hearty welcome.

Another surprise party was "pulled off" in town on Friday evening. This time the surprise was intended for Harry M. Sters but Harry wouldn't surprise worth a cent. He caught on to it in some way. About 36 guests met at his home and, it is said, they had an automobile load of fun and enjoyment, so that it wasn't a failure by any means.

Presto! change. The old windows in the M. E. church were, on Tuesday, replaced by modern stained windows and the change is considered by everybody as a most decided improvement over the old ones.

The Friends' quarterly meeting, which is an annual event at this place, was held during Saturday, Sunday and Monday. It was attended by a large number of our citizens from other churches on Sunday. Their principal speaker was a Mr. Wilson, of Canada, who is an eloquent, fluent and logical speaker and held his audience with marked attention.

Roy Adams, son of our good natured Bob Adams, arrived home from the Lock Haven hospital, where he had undergone an operation for appendicitis some three weeks ago, practically cured. He is an employe of the boiler works at Erie.

Oh yes! Oh yes! Oh yes, listen: There will be sold at the residence of the late Susanna Sedgewick all of her household and kitchen furniture, consisting in part of one spinning wheel 100 years old. This ought to bring a big price as a relic of "ye olden times." Among other things 150 years old, can prove it. Two other chairs 100 years old, tables, chairs, dishes, etc. Come and get bargains, Ed Williams would like to see at least 500 people attend the sale. You see, Ed is the acting administrator. This big venue will be on next Saturday, February 25th at 2 o'clock p. m. sharp. President Taft and Teddy Roosevelt will be there—"Mebly." So will "Dode" Harper sure to hear the new auctioneer.

WADDLE.

Francis Musser spent Sunday with Mrs. Musser at her father's home. Mrs. P. A. Sellers and daughter Elsie left on Tuesday for Washington, D. C., where they will visit friends for several weeks.

Miss Mary Hoy returned home from the Bellefonte hospital on Saturday where she was operated on for appendicitis.

Rev. A. L. Frank will preach his last sermon in the M. E. church at Waddle March 5th, before going to conference. We all hope for his return.

Miss Annie Gray left on Monday for Beaver Falls to attend the funeral of her uncle, Mr. John Gray.

Miss Erma Stevenson is visiting friends in Tyrone, Newry, and Woodland.

Champion Fox Hunter.

Thomas Wilsoncroft, of Woodland, is the champion fox hunter of that district, having killed eight foxes this winter on Morgan Run.

COFFEE GOING UP

We have some thing Fine at 23c. worth 28c today.

	our price	reg. price
5 gal. Oil	47	60
Pepper, per lb.	25	40
Fine Tea, per lb.	27	40
10 lb. Pail Mackerel	98	1.25
3 lb ginger snaps 25 c.		
Bakers' Chocolate	18	25
Tonatonis 3 cans for 25c.	12c	25c
Banner Lye, 3 cans for 25c.	10c	25c
1 lb Baking Powder	18	25
Cocoa, box,	08	10
Corn Starch	05	08
Whole Rice, lb.	06	10
Vanilla, box	08	10
25 lbs Dairy Salt	20	25

We pay 25c. a pound for Butter

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COBURN.

Last Wednesday evening J. W. Glasgow experienced one of the most enjoyable events in life to him. It was his 47th birthday anniversary and his wife planned to have a surprise party for him, and, with the help of the older children, she was entirely successful. While Mr. Glasgow was answering a call by phone in Mr. Kerstetter's store the invited friends gathered at the Glasgow residence and took charge of affairs. When Mr. Glasgow returned and was about himself in the hand of two strong armed men who "exalted" him to the ceiling. Presumably Mr. Glasgow's first thought was that he was in the hands of robbers, as he expressed it, "what little a man could do when attacked so unexpectedly. The evening was greatly enjoyed, not in games and plays, but in hearing Mr. Glasgow express his surprise and delight. Ice cream and cakes were served as refreshments.

During last week the following left this station for South Dakota: John A. Hosterman and family, Frank Confer and family, and Daniel Snyder; and the following for Indiana: Clayton Confer, Forrest Wingard, and Earnest Styers.

D. F. Bowersox moved this week to his old home east of Aaronburg. His mother, aged 88 years, who was a resident here for many years, went with her son.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Geary, of Newport, are spending a few days with their son, Harry and their daughter, Mrs. J. B. Kerstetter.

Maude Hosterman, of Woodward, is staying at the home of her uncle, T. A. Hosterman, at present.

MILESBURG.

Wilber and Edgar Miles, of Dickinson seminary, spent Sunday at home.

Ada Baird, of this place, left on Friday for Tyrone where she expects to spend some time.

Benjamin Alkey has started a diary below town and will run his wagon daily. Anyone wanting good milk daily will do well to consult Ben.

John and Harry Whitman have returned to Hicks Run where they are employed.

Mary E. Flack, of Bellefonte, was the guest of Hilda Bloom over Sunday.

P. H. Haupt has purchased a shop for his tinning business and expects to move into it as soon as it is completed.

Frank Campbell operator on the P. and E. R. R. visited his home over Sunday.

William Comer, of Chicago, was in town a few days last week.

James Grafmeyer, of Phillipine fame, was a visitor to his home last week with his parents, Mr. William Grafmeyer and wife.

Miss Taylor Silker has returned home after spending some time in Williamsport.

Elizabeth Orris, of Bellwood, spent Sunday at her home in this place.

ROMOLA.

John Heverly is spending a few days at Howard this week.

Mr. Andy is quite ill; we hope for him a speedy recovery.

We are sorry to say Mrs. Wilson Boon is quite ill.

Mrs. L. L. Confer was at Howard doing some shopping on Saturday.

George Heverly and Chester Brickley were Howard callers on Saturday.

Miss Ruth Poorman is visiting at her brother William Poorman's, at Williamsport.

KATZ & CO'S STORE NEWS

We are now showing a complete new line of SPRING PERCALES AND GINGHAMS All new patterns and new effects.

Our spring line of Messalines, Marquissettes and Taffetas, are also open for your inspection.

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The New Spring Clothes

are daily arriving from the different makers. The new English Cut models—The English Ideas—Americanized—Conservative and Swagger garments alike.

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Drop in and see how distinctively good they are.

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