

Correspondents' Department

Continued.

MUSSER'S CAMP, JULIAN. L. H. Musser and brother W. M. Musser spent Thursday at this place.

Miss Hanna and Nora Houtz, of State College, spent Sunday with her aunt Mrs. Green.

Mrs. Floyd Spotts and two children after spending a few weeks with her parents at Unionville.

Mrs. Frank Wilson and daughter Gladys is spending a few days with her mother at Tylersville.

Nelson Wolford and son Allen took in the Williams reunion on Saturday, and then boarded the evening train and went to Bellefonte, where he spent Sunday with his family.

John Rumberger started for the Williams reunion on Saturday morning in his aeroplane, and something must have gone wrong for he never was seen at the reunion and Pete McCool and Frank Wilson had to cut for Mr. Rumberger, Pete said he never would eat any more chicken that was prepared for Mr. Rumberger for he got so sick, he couldn't ride on the merry-go-round any more with his girl, so Ed Turner took her, Pete even didn't get to take her home Ed had to take her, poor Pete.

Mrs. Shope and little Clair, and Kathrine Holt spent Friday at Mrs. Wilsons.

CURTIN.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Stanley, of Milesburg, visited the formers parents, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Bathurst, on Sunday.

William Cartwright, of Bellefonte, visited at the home of his sister, Mrs. Roland Bryan, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Barger and two children visited at the home of the formers parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Bittner, on Sunday.

Miss Bertha Prince was a Bellefonte shopper on Thursday.

Mrs. Samuel Yeager and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Clements, of Zion, visited the formers daughter Mrs. Edward Bryan, on Sunday.

The Curtin Cornet Band attended the P. O. S. of A. picnic at Howard on Sunday.

Mrs. Miles Doughman, and granddaughter Bernice, are visiting her son Harrison and wife at Clearfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Shultz attend the festival at Marion on Saturday eve.

Quite a number of people attended the festival at Kennedy on Saturday evening.

Mr. Jacob Shay and daughter Hilda attended the P. O. S. of A. picnic at Howard on Saturday.

WOODWARD.

Mrs. Searson, from Linden Hall, was a visitor at the home of Noah Eby on Sunday.

Lloyd Beal, and sisters, Misses Kate and Marie, of Economy, are visiting at the home of Allen Yearick's.

Mrs. Phoebe Wise entertained her two brothers, Robert Miller, from Montgomery, and Adams Miller, from Cowan, Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. Sara Miller, from Centre Hall, is visiting relatives and friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Treaster spent the Sabbath with the lady's father, Solomon Von Nelda in Laurelton.

Roy Musser, was to Bellefonte on Saturday.

Miss Lenora Guisewite, from Harrisburg, spent the greater part of last week with her mother, Mrs. Daniel Stover.

Mrs. Maria Messmer, of Lewistown, is a visitor in town.

Thomas Miller, of Millheim, was in town on Sunday.

MT. EAGLE.

Miss Martha Turner, of Altoona, was visiting her cousin Pearl Gates last week.

Emma Garhoff, of Lock Haven, is visiting her aunt Ella Leathers.

Mrs. Florence Dunkle is visiting her sister, Mrs. Harsh, at Hecla Park.

RECENT DEATHS.

ROTE.—Aaronsburg lost another of her aged citizens this week when Mrs. D. H. Rote passed away on Monday morning at 7:30 o'clock, aged about 72 years. Her maiden name was Susan Cronmiller, and nearly her entire life was spent in Aaronsburg. Surviving are two brothers: John, of Joliet, Ill., and Noah, with whom deceased made her home. Mrs. Rote was a consistent member of the Reformed church, and from that edifice funeral services were held this morning at 9:30 o'clock.

BARR.—Samuel Wilson Barr died at his home in Tyrone, after a brief illness from kidney and heart trouble on Saturday night, 24th inst. Mr Barr was a man the mention of whose name brought to the minds of those who knew him a recollection of the good done by this Christian gentleman. His exemplary Christian life was an inspiration to all with whom he came in contact. He was the son of the late Samuel and Sibella Barr and was born near Lewistown on April 25, 1834. When a young man he taught school near Linden Hall, Centre county.

WALTZ.—Mrs. Sarah Waltz, an aged inmate of the Bellefonte Alms house, died at that place on Friday evening last about 7:30 o'clock, of hemorrhages of the brain. She was aged about 84 years. Mrs. Waltz was born and reared at Pleasant Gap, but the larger portion of her life was lived in Bellefonte. Several years ago reversals and ill health compelled her removal to the alms house, where she could receive the necessary care and treatment, but her advanced age was against her recovery. Two sons are left to mourn her death: Frank, of Pittsburg, and Fred, who is somewhere in Ohio. Funeral services were conducted on Saturday morning by Rev. C. W. Winey, of the United Brethren church; interment was made in the Union cemetery.

KUNES.—Mrs. Beulah Kunes, widow of the late James G. Kunes, of Boggs township, died at her home in Reville on Wednesday, August 9th, 1911, after a protracted illness from pneumonia, having been confined to her home for ten months. Mrs. Kunes was 74 years, 6 months and 20 days old. She possessed many sterling characteristics and noble attributes, that, coupled with her kindly acts and words, won the high esteem of many friends and acquaintances. She was a member of the Society of Friends. She leaves to survive her sons W. T. and Harry A. Kunes, with their families and two daughters, Mrs. Ada A. Reside and Mrs. Mary H. Spotts, and families. She also leaves two brothers, William F. and Caleb Way, of Spring Mills, Pa.; James Runkle, Centre Hall; Peter I. Runkle, of Woodward; John W. Runkle, of Middleburg; L. Calvin Runkle, of Williamsport; Robert D. Runkle, Shamokin. Funeral services at St. Luke's Reformed church Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, conducted by Rev. Harr. Interment in Highland cemetery.

BLOOM.—Mary E. Bloom, wife of A. G. Bloom, died at her residence in Lock Haven on Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock after an illness of 10 days from kidney trouble, aged about 65 years. She was united with the Penns Creek Lutheran church in Gregg township in 1868 afterward transferring her membership to St. John's English Lutheran church, of Lock Haven in 1872. About 10 years ago she transferred her membership to St. Luke's Reformed church. Mrs. Bloom was a christian woman in every sense of the word, and was a noble wife and a loving mother, a kind neighbor and a woman that will be missed by the whole neighborhood. She was an active member of the Patrons of Husbandry for 36 years, having held all the offices during that time, being lady assistant steward for two terms. Mrs. Bloom was also the oldest member of the Rebeckah lodge of Lock Haven, having been a member for 25 years. She was past noble grand, representing the lodge at Altoona in 1896. Deceased is survived by her husband and two children, A. Irvin Bloom, of Williamsport, and Mrs. Thomas P. Bressler, of Flemington; also by two sisters and six brothers: Mrs. Sarah Beatty, Mrs. Adline Musser, Daniel F. Runkle, of Spring Mills, Pa.; James Runkle, Centre Hall; Peter I. Runkle, of Woodward; John W. Runkle, of Middleburg; L. Calvin Runkle, of Williamsport; Robert D. Runkle, Shamokin. Funeral services at St. Luke's Reformed church Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, conducted by Rev. Harr. Interment in Highland cemetery.

Find Old Curio. Three employees of the Pennsylvania Glass Sand company of Lewistown while hunting bees several days ago along "Sleepy creek," a stream near the Potomac river detected a shining object protruding from a small mound. The mysterious looking object was dug up and upon examination was found to be a silver box containing a full set of surgical instruments. Upon the box was the name of Lord Dunbar of England who made his famous retreat through that valley after being routed at Ft. Wayne in 1756 by the Americans. Lord Dunbar, after the death of General Braddock in the battle at Ft. Wayne, had command of the British troops and conducted the retreat more than 150 years ago. It is believed that he concealed the box beneath the mound while on that retreat.

Family Reunion. One of the most enjoyable family reunions of the season was participated in by the children and grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel B. Weaver, August 18th and 19th at the parental home in Brushvalley, near Penn Cave. Father and mother, seven children and eight grandchildren were present to enjoy the family reunion and were as follows: Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Weaver, two daughters, Edna and Margaret, of Altoona; Mrs. Emma Hall and daughter Florence, of Lebanon, Ohio; Mrs. C. H. Miller and children, Ferdinand, omnibell and Margaret, of Salona; Mr. and Mrs. B. Miller, daughter Ethel and son Claire, of Jersey Shore; George T. William H., and Miss Cora Weaver all at home.

Wireless and Shipwrecks. Throughout the world there is a shipwreck about every sixteen hours, and the general adoption of the wireless system of communication promises to cut this rate down very materially. It is estimated that the system has already been the means of saving marine property valued at \$12,000,000, and of saving nearly 5,000 lives.—Philadelphia Record.

HOW MONT ALTO IS SAVING LIVES

MAN OF HUNTINGDON IS TYPICAL OF HUNDREDS OF OTHERS.

NOW HE IS WELL AND WORKING

Eighteen months at the State's Free Tuberculosis Sanatorium, with Proper Care and Observation of Rules, Gave Him Back His Health.

The following news story, which was published in the Huntingdon Globe of Aug. 10, 1911, gives an excellent idea of the kind of work that is being done by the State Department of Health for Pennsylvania's tubercular poor under the supervision of State Health Commissioner Samuel G. Dixon:

Lemuel Adams, who was employed as a coatmaker in the tailoring establishment of F. W. Baldwin in Huntingdon, left here in April, 1909, presumably in the last stages of tuberculosis. He had fallen off in weight, was as thin as a match, as pale as death, and when he left here two years and four months ago none of his friends ever expected to see him in the flesh again.

But Lem was in town on Monday, and he wasn't in a box, either. He was here in citizens' clothes, looking as frisky as a colt. From Huntingdon Mr. Adams went to Mont Alto, Franklin county, where he entered the state institution for tubercular cases and became an obedient patient under Dr. Johnston, the man in charge.

For three months Mr. Adams occupied a bed in the hospital, where it took mighty close watching to keep body and soul together. But Mr. Adams went out, and in midsummer he was sent to the camp, where he did nothing but eat and sleep and breathe the fresh air of the South mountains. He remained there eighteen months, and was in the open all the time. Many a day he rose from his bed with the snow on his pillows and blankets, but he improved right along, and in March he was discharged.

Mr. Adams is now selling lightning rods, which gives him constant outdoor employment. He will never resume the tailoring business for fear of a recurrence of his trouble. He now eats like a wood chopper, sleeps like a baby and is as strong and robust as a youngster in his teens. For years Mr. Adams' normal weight was 132 pounds. Now it is 137. When he left Huntingdon in April, 1909, he weighed 110.

2000 DEPOSITORS SUFFER.

By the Closing of the Huntingdon Bank—\$528,000 Liabilities. About 2000 farmers, business men, poor working people and widows have lost the greater part of all their money in the Huntingdon Bank, which was closed by the executors of the C. H. Glazier estate, with assets of about \$190,000 and liabilities of about \$528,000.

The full extent of the losses that will fall on the residents of that borough and county are just being realized, with the discovery that many of the "assets" held by the closed bank are worthless. Among the notes found among the "assets" of the bank after the death of C. H. Glazier are, for instance, some which were paid fifteen and sixteen years ago. With such "assets" are also the securities of several wildcat concerns, the bonds and stocks of which have promptly been stamped "no value" by the appointed appraiser. The court after the bank was closed on June 10. Other securities, which should have been among the assets in the safe of the bank, cannot be found anywhere.

Among the money that was put into the insolvent bank was about \$21,000 of the borough school fund and \$12,000 of the various missionary and charitable funds of the First Methodist church, of which Glazier was a trustee until his death. Where the money went is a great deal of a mystery, for the reason that Glazier was not a sober man and had no extravagant habits, but on the contrary lived in very modest circumstances in two small rooms on the second floor of his bank building. Some persons point with suspicion to the fact that the bank was kept open for two months and a half after the death of Glazier, but the executors, by the executors, who are daughters of Glazier's deceased brother, and believe it was during those two months that the bank was made insolvent.

Others, who for many years trusted Glazier absolutely and looked upon him as a financial genius, who was able to pay his depositors 4 per cent, while other banks in town paid only 3 per cent interest, are now convinced he was an easy mark for get-rich-quick stock promoters. So far seven suits have been instituted against the executors, but the executors want to recover their savings.

That Glazier's Huntingdon bank, despite the condition in which its affairs, papers and books are found now, was able to run and keep the confidence of the people for thirty years, was due solely to the fact that it was a private bank, subject to no examination or regulation whatever, either by the national or the state government.

GOOD ROADS BEING BUILT IN COLORADO BY CONVICTS

State Saving at Least \$100,000 by Making Criminals Do Work.

By putting its convicted criminals "on honor" and allowing them to do road building—such service to the state gaining them commutation of sentence—Colorado seems to have gone a long way toward solving the highway problem and the problem of the unemployed convict at one and the same time.

About half the convicts in the Colorado state penitentiary at Canyon City are employed in road work. The prison population varies from 700 to 750, and it is estimated that the labor thus secured to the state means an actual



CONVICTS AT WORK ON COLORADO ROADS.

cash value of at least \$100,000 per year, not to speak of solving the vexing question of keeping criminals employed without conflicting with free labor.

It costs about 36 cents a day to keep a convict in a road camp as against 12 cents a day in the penitentiary. The men must have better food when engaged in such hard manual labor, and this forms the chief item of added expense. But even this expense has been saved to the general taxpayers of Colorado, as the counties through which the roads are built contribute the extra 24 cents per day per man. This tax is gladly borne by the counties, as they receive most of the benefit from the construction of the roads.

TAFT INTERESTED IN GOOD ROADS.

In a recent letter President Taft expresses his interest in good roads as follows: "I have a very intense interest in the development of good roads the country over, and I am very glad to know that the movement in favor of this improvement has taken such national form as to indicate the widespread feeling of the necessity for giving to the residents of the country as distinguished from the city a facility for intercommunication that will greatly add to the comfort of living in the country and will increase the profits of the producer and farmer by reducing the cost of his initial transportation."

A GOOD EXAMPLE.

Two North Carolina Farmers Are Constantly Dragging Roads.

An example worthy of emulation is that set by Grimes Bros., farmers and millers, of Lexington, N. C. These gentlemen own a big farm north of the city, touching the city limits. A short stretch of the road through this farm has been macadamized, but so well is the whole kept that it is impossible to tell without very close attention just where the nine foot strip of macadam ends and the clay begins. The road for more than a mile north of the city is almost perfect, smooth, level and dry in all sorts of weather, and the secret of its fine condition is the road drag. After every hard rain a team and drag go over the road, and it is thereby kept in almost perfect condition.

In striking contrast to this road is the road just beyond the farm of these good citizens. Ruts and holes abound, and travel ceases to be a pleasure and becomes a positive discomfort to man and beast. The road drag did it all. All of this work has never cost the county or township a penny. These gentlemen have furnished the labor and teams and have done the work "without reward or hope of reward." It is their hope that the example which they have set will spread.—Southern Good Roads.

Roads in a Small Town.

In the southwest corner of Reno county, Kan., is the town of Turon, which the 1910 census report gives a population of 612. Some eighteen months ago a commercial club was organized in Turon, says the Kansas City Star. Its roll now numbers 103 members. Since its organization four miles of four foot cement sidewalks have been built in Turon.

A sidewalk on both sides of the street extends from the Missouri Pacific depot to the Rock Island depot, a distance of half a mile. All the side streets are improved with similar walks. Some time ago Turon built a new schoolhouse. It was located about nine blocks from the business section, and as soon as it was finished cement walks were laid from the business part of the town. That's the way they do things in Turon and may in part explain why Turon has increased in population 62 per cent since the last census was taken.

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To Pipe Beer Into Homes. Mayor Hinck, of Montclair, N. J., has received a letter which requested that he and the common council give careful consideration to a request for a franchise from the Montclair Beer Pipe company, which proposed to do the following: To construct a huge tank on Montclair mountain and fill it with the brand of beer which the majority of the consumers preferred, with pipes connected with every home of Upper Montclair, which now has no saloons; subscribers to have meters and to pay only for what they use; all pipes to be of best nickel lining and full head of pressure to be maintained; also public beer fountains with nickel-inlaid slot attachments to be erected in the parks, the company to pay either a royalty of 33 1/3 per cent. on its profits to the city or to pay for a blanket license at the rate of \$800 a year for each two thousand persons served.

Big Coal Fields Ready to Tap. One of the most important coal areas in the United States will be opened up next fall when the Pittsburgh, Shawmut & Northern railroad completes its line from Knoxdale to Mahoning and from Mahoning to Pittsburgh. The coal is being purchased by the Allegheny Valley Mining Company, a subsidiary of the railroad, and already 116,000 acres are in Armstrong county, in the Tidal and Oakland fields.

The development of the mines keeps pace with the building of the railroad and within a comparatively short time the new fields will be shipping coal to New York and New England over the Pittsburgh, Shawmut & Northern, the shortest line between Pittsburgh and the East.

E. Heckman of Orangeville. Elias Heckman of Orangeville is recovering from a stroke of apoplexy and is expected to be around within three or four days, says the Freeport, Ill., Bulletin. Mr. Heckman is a native of Gregg township, this county, and a brother of ex-commissioner John Heckman of Bellefonte, and is well known here and in Penns valley.

Pennsylvania R. R. Personally Conducted Excursions TO Niagara Falls August 30, September 13, 27, October 11, 1911. Round Trip \$7.10 from Bellefonte Rate. SPECIAL TRAIN of Parlor Pullman Cars, Dining Car, and Day Coaches running via the Picturesque Susquehanna Valley Route. Tickets good going on Special Train and connecting trains, and good returning on regular trains within FIFTEEN DAYS. Stop-off within limit allowed at Buffalo returning. Illustrated Booklet and full information may be obtained from Ticket agents. Tours to Niagara Falls, Toronto, Thousand Islands.

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