

# Correspondents' Department

Bright, Newsw Letters From the Various Sections of the County.

### To "Democrat's" Readers.

The Centre Democrat is in need of correspondents from several places in the county. If your locality is not represented in the columns of this paper it should be. If you are the kind of a correspondent we want you will answer this little notice and allow us to number you among our representatives.

### WINGATE.

Mrs. Robert Hartzell, of Bethlehem, Pa., was a very pleasant visitor at the home of M. E. Flynn, last Monday.

Dr. Kurtz, of Howard, was seen on our streets quite frequently last week. I think he has a patient up the run.

Grace Boob, who has been employed in the glove factory at Bellefonte, came home Tuesday to spend the week. Glad to see you in our midst again.

If our mistakes teach us nothing it were hardly worth while to make them.

Jingle bells, jingle bells. Last Wednesday was the first this music was heard on the road this winter. And the snow we received has made good sleighing, but the low temperature has made it a little cold for joy riding.

The ice men so far are Ell Stere and James Davidson filling their ice houses. O you ice cream next summer.

Willard Fisher and Geo. Hoover left Wednesday for Half Moon valley where they expect to locate a farm for this season.

A horse is not of any use until it is broken, but it is different with a plow.

Correction—Last week items read: Wm. Fisher and wife attended the funeral of Mr. Ebb's little girl of Half Moon; should have read, Clyde Beck's little child.

Elmeda Eckart, of Tyrone, spent several days visiting friends and relatives here last week.

The lecture on the Austin flood held at Milesburg, Thursday evening, was well attended by Wincate people.

Dora Stere, after undergoing an operation at the Bellefonte hospital, arrived home last Thursday and says she looks as though she had spent that time at the sea shore or visiting relatives in the west instead of arriving from a medical institution.

It comes handy to have a horse and sleigh in the winter time, doesn't it, Bill?

Dr. Huff, of Milesburg, with his auto, had the experience of a snow drift last Thursday. Lloyd Fisher with his big team set the Doctor to liberty again.

Thomas Sommer and Harry Eschricht who have been employed at Lewistown arrived in our town on Friday evening to spend some time at home.

Blair Fisher and wife, of Tyrone, spent Sunday with his mother, Carrie Fisher.

Chas. Harnish and his new wife spent Sunday with his father, J. M. Harnish, here.

Addie Saxton, of Bellefonte, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ell Stere.

Clair Boob, Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Way, George and William Sommers, with the grip; Mrs. Warner with typhoid pneumonia; Gray Murray with slight touch of pneumonia; Mrs. Irvin Lucas with grip—comprises the sick list for the week.

The X-ray plays as important a part in surgery as ex-pense does on the farm.

### LEMONT.

The teachers, of College township, are getting ready to attend the Teachers' Local Institute to be held at Centre Hall, Saturday, Jan. 20.

D. H. Bottorf and wife are pleased with the twelve-pound son, left at their home by the stork this last week.

Elmer Evey moved his family from State College to the A. L. Whitehill farm last Thursday, where they intend making their future home.

Last week was a cold, blustery week, but Saturday and Sunday beat all former records, when the thermometer stood at 35 degrees below zero at Oak Hill and Lemont and 49 degrees below at Houseville. None of the citizens can remember of such extreme cold weather before during their life time.

Sadie Miller is visiting among friends in Smulliton this week.

Jacob Shuey was quite ill Monday, but is some better at this writing.

Clarence A. Houtz has a hen seven months old that laid an egg, 6 1/2 inches by 7 1/2 inches and weighed seven oz. one day this last week.

The people are busy harvesting the finest ice that has been put away for years, it being about 12 inches thick and as clear as a crystal.

Mrs. Jacob Herman has been quite ill this last week but is some better at this writing.

### RUNVILLE.

Miss Nora Watson, of Snow Shoe, spent Friday and Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Watson.

Wm. Watson, farmer of the Snow Shoe freight, is now laid up with a very sore arm.

A pleasant birthday party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Watson on Friday night, in honor of their son, Clyde. The evening was spent very pleasantly in social intercourse. At a late hour all departed for their homes wishing him many happy returns of the day.

Samuel Shirk and Orvis Lucas, who is employed at Unionville, spent Sunday at their homes.

Most of our farmers have their ice houses filled with pure crystal 12-inch ice. O you hot days next summer.

Newton Lauck was sporting the new sleigh he purchased of Ed. Bullock of Milesburg on Friday.

A merry sled load of our young ladies and gents were driven to Unionville on Saturday night by Sam. Shirk, where they attended revival services. All report a fine, but cold, sled ride.

John Dean and family, who has been spending several weeks with Mr. Dean's father, departed Saturday for their home.

James Shirk returned home on Saturday from Pittsburg where he spent Christmas.

We think two very wise motions to be enforced in Runville would be: "Those who do not work shall not eat;" and "That a quart of cold water be poured down the sleeves for every oath that is heard." This surely would improve the town.

It doesn't pay to cough up a \$10 fine for 50 cents worth of fun.

### NITTANY.

On Sunday evening, Jan. 28th, Professor Cromely Smith, of Bucknell University, a representative of the Anti-Saloon League will preach in the United Evangelical church at this place. It is hoped that he will be greeted with a full house, so don't forget the date, Jan. 28.

On account of the intense cold weather communion services were not so well attended on Sunday morning; hearing a good sermon by Elder H. A. Benfer.

Mrs. Sally Myers has returned to her home in Birmingham after having spent several weeks very pleasantly visiting relatives and friends at this place.

Mrs. Tom Shope and little son, of Milesburg, were guests of the former's mother, Mrs. Tate, and Penina Shields, over Sunday.

Mrs. Dan Diehl was a Lock Haven visitor one day recently.

When it gets from 34 to 46 below zero its pretty cold; that's what it was here one morning the past week. Well, that's some cold any how, say not, Squire Ray Nolan?

Frozen feet, ears and fingers are the woes of some of our young people who had joined a sledding party from Clintondale and Lamar and drove to Green Briar one night the past week. Well, Glenn says you can't go sledding in the summer, but give us the good old summer time.

Rev. Baughman preached a grand sermon to a large audience on Sunday evening which will be his last sermon here.

Joe Emerick has returned home and will remain with his mother for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Kessinger and son Merrill are all on the sick list; we hope for their speedy recovery.

Some of our people attended the public sale at Hubersburg on Saturday.

Some of our men attended the horse sale at Millheim on last Thursday.

Our people are busy cutting up ice for the summer's use.

Miss May Showers and Miss Maud Stover were to Lock Haven on Monday.

### ZION.

Geewiz but wasn't that cold last week? Well I guess it was.

Talk about the cold northwest, the same kind of weather prevailed here for several days when we had as much as 42 degrees below zero in the Ridge Gap and 32 degrees below in our village. Never in the history of the oldest inhabitants in this section has it been as cold as it was last week.

Sleighbing is fairly good and those who have hauling to do are making good use of it.

John Weaver has his ice house filled; he put up the first ice this season.

Archie Reish is cutting ice for the C. R. R. on the lake at Hecla.

A retired gent in our town had a beef to kill, but was somewhat under the weather. His son-in-law took it down on the farm to dress it up. Well, Newt is a pretty good shot but he couldn't figure out just where that animal carried its brain. You know we had below zero weather, and no doubt Newt thought the beef's brain had dropped some too, so he cut loose.

Well, he hit it all right, but the beef was so cold and stiff that it couldn't fall over, so he kept firing away right between the eyes until his head became so heavy that it turned a summersalt and broke his neck. Newt says this story is not true. Well, may be it is not.

If the weather gets warm, the snow 'll go way, then Gentzels 'll come down and bale Corman's hay.

B. A. Noll entertained his patrons for about an hour in his place of business on Saturday evening, with a number of good selections on his phonograph.

There was no preaching in our village on Sunday. The Lutheran and Reformed congregations are without a pastor.

### AARONSBURG.

Mrs. John Krape and Mrs. Chas. Kreamer and son, spent a few days with friends living in Milton.

Miss Edith Houser, of Bellefonte, visited at the home of her grandmother Lenker.

Miss Jennie Rupp, of State College, is visiting some of her many friends here.

Mrs. J. H. Crouse returned to her home here after an absence of a few days with relatives living in Lock Haven.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McCormick, of Pottery Mills, were the welcome guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Mingle, over Sunday.

Mrs. Lewis Mensch, who underwent a critical operation at her home last week, is getting along nicely. She has a trained nurse to take the heat of care of her, and an extra good housekeeper to see to the domestic affairs of the family.

Mrs. Wm. Bitner, of Springs Mills, returned to her home after having spent a few days with her sister Alice and brother C. G. Bright.

Mrs. Chas. Orwig returned to her home after an absence of a few weeks with her son Walter.

Mrs. and Mrs. Frank Tomlinson, of Plainfield, Ill. are the guests of their mother, Mrs. Sara Letzell.

Walter Orwig, who has a good position in Altoona, spent a few days with his family at this place.

### AXEMANN.

Our merchant G. W. Ohryan is preparing for a hard winter by putting up storm doors at his house.

William Stewart butchered two nice sized spring pigs last Thursday.

Mrs. William Shutt and baby are ill.

Saturday morning was the coldest morning we have had this winter, the thermometer registered 30 degrees below zero at the stores.

Harry Breen reaped quite a harvest of ice off of his dam the last two weeks. It measured 9 inches thick on Saturday.

James Dawson has been posting his sale bills. Mr. Dawson is going to move to Dalvis after his sale.

Forest Johnson, of near Stormstown, spent Sunday with friends at this place.

The Epworth League had their Christmas exercises on Sunday evening. Better late than never.

Elsworth White went to Stormstown on Monday to work.

Death has entered our town and taken Mrs. Roland Lucas. She was buried on Tuesday.

Mrs. Scanlon and daughter Gertrude have returned from a very pleasant visit with her daughter at Milton.

### PERU.

NOTICE: WANDERED away from home and got lost—two young people from Peru; when last seen were traveling westward; have been traced to Lemont and State College where all trace of them has been lost. If not found soon, and brought in out of the cold they might perish in the midst of life's sweet dream.

It is rumored that some of our good neighbors will have to leave in the spring on account of the location of the penitentiary.

Our good and genial neighbor J. H. Boal pulled a new sleigh from the tail end of Mr. Schreck's string on Saturday morning; now look out for breakers.

Farmer Crust makes three to four trips a week to Buffalo Run these cold evenings to get warm. Brother Kelly please keep up a good fire.

Herbert Grove and our efficient school teacher, Miss Anna Gummo, from here, made a trip to Lemont and State College on Saturday. We are told they slid along in that new sleigh as snug as two bugs in a rug—a little snuggler than many another bugger.

Our friend Homer Peters makes quite frequent trips toward Pleasant Gap; he must have discovered a gold mine. That's right, Homer, stick to it, faint heart never won fair lady.

There were a lot of young people entertained at the hospitable home of A. R. Houser one evening last week; many thanks to you and your good wife Mr. Houser.

Wm. Noll had the misfortune of having his auto freeze up last week and had to leave it at Axemann till he can get a bottle of cough syrup to doctor it up.

Wm. Grove and children, of Lemont, were callers at the home of Roy Zimmerman on Friday.

Zaid Noll and family spent Sunday at his home.

Saturday morning the thermometer registered 22 degrees below zero.

Beth Markle visited her folks at Bellefonte again, to continue her work.

Harvey Tressler and family spent last Thursday evening at Henry Shuey's; also Earl Whitehill and Frank Reish. They reported a nice time.

A supper was held at Henry Shuey's on Saturday evening, consisting of oysters, cakes and candies. Those present were: John Dale and family, Luther Dale and family, Mrs. Julia Shuey, Frank Reish, Ruth Benner and Harvey Tressler and family; all reported having a good time.

Miss Ruth Benner is going home on Tuesday to help her grandparents, and Tovola Reish, of Pleasant Gap, is taking her place at Henry Shuey's.

### COLYER.

Miss Laura Keller, of Tusseyville, was through this section delivering her goods. She had taken orders for the Larkin company.

Mrs. Earnest Treaster is spending several days at the home of Roland Treaster's.

Among those who assisted I. S. Houseman in filling his ice house last week were, Thomas Hosterman, J. H. Moyer, Bruce Weaver, A. L. Shurbee, Fred Brown and Emmet Jordan.

Howard Shadow, of Millin county, paid his parents a brief visit last week.

Miss Marie Kooney left for Montant where she expects to enter high school in the near future.

The revival services which were conducted by Rev. Martin during the past week, will be continued for some time in the Evangelical church at Zion. All are cordially invited.

Every one having the ice crop, as we are having our good old fashion winter now.

SHADOW.—Henry Shadow, an aged citizen, passed quietly away at his home near Colyer, Saturday afternoon, Jan. 13th, 1912. He had been in ill health a few years prior to his death. He is survived by his wife and three children: William, from some western state; Howard, of Yeagerstown; and Mrs. Frank Treaster, of Lewistown. Funeral services were held Tuesday morning, interment in the Zion Evangelical cemetery near Colyer. Rev. Martin was the officiating minister.

### PINE GROVE MILLS.

John Markle, of Bellwood, is spending the winter at his home here.

Fred Randolph and friends, attended a party at State College.

Maud Rudy enjoyed a sleigh ride to Huntingdon county on Saturday.

Mrs. Frances A. Goss left on Monday for Pittsburg to visit her son Herb, who has been sick for some time.

William Glenn and family enjoyed a drive to State College on Saturday.

William McManus, of Manor Hill, Huntingdon county, spent a few days last week at the home of G. R. Dunlap, on Maine street.

Ice cutting is the favorite pastime for the men of our town, on the sick list.

Miss Mary Kenler is on the sick list. Don't forget the dinner and supper in the I. O. O. F. Hall, Feb. 3rd, 1912, by the senior class of Ferguson township. Then comes the big festival in the evening. A beautiful cushion will be given to the lucky person. Entertainment will be furnished and every one is insured a good time. This is the day for Teacher's Local Institute and everybody is cordially invited to come and hear the exercises, which will no doubt be very interesting.

### LIVONIA.

Mrs. Edwin Ginterich has been quite seriously ill, but is recovering.

W. H. Conser returned from Jersey Shore last week to arrange to move his family to that place some time next month.

L. J. Stover has secured the appointment as forest ranger; his work will begin in March next.

C. A. DeLong, who is investigating the chestnut blight in Sugar Valley, reports having found seven trees afflicted with blight in the woods near Carroll.

J. V. Kahl and wife took a business trip to Greenburr, on Saturday.

STATE OF OHIO CITY OF TOLEDO, ss. LOCAL COUNCIL.

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### ROCK FORGE.

The people around here were very uneasy for fear they would get no snow; they all said it would be hard on the wheat crop, but now they are wishing for warmer weather, as we have about three feet of snow and plenty of cold weather.

John Gingery, brother of Mrs. Harry Pike, who has been visiting here this winter, expects to start this week for Illinois, and George Pike thinks he will go along with his uncle to work in a different county.

Emanuel Roan's sale was largely attended on Monday, glad to say everything was sold well.

Prof. George Ehoars and two sisters, Bessie and Ruth, started for Pittsburg on Saturday to spend a couple weeks with friends and relatives there.

H. E. Walter, clerk at the Brockcroft house, Bellefonte, was compelled to lay up his job for a couple weeks on account of him having a touch of pneumonia, but he returned again on Monday.

Ira Benner took a sled load to State College on Sunday.

All the people around Rock are putting away ice for the summer. Ice is about 8 inches.

Weather is colder around here this winter than it has been for a great many years.

George Coble was through Rock last week buying up minerals, field grains and food products of the different climates.

Andy Breen seems to have had luck as there are three of his family housed up again this winter with a touch of pneumonia.

We are all very sorry to note the death of Mrs. Frank Cramer, as she was a good neighbor and was a friend to everybody.

Watson Struble will move to State College in the spring; Henry Tressler bought their farm and will move there in the spring.

### MILLHEIM.

M. Lester Jasser, after spending a week with relatives and friends in Millheim, returned to Greensburg to resume his work in a marble yard.

"Dan" B. Gutellus, a former Millheim boy, now a prominent and prosperous business man of Warren, Ohio, is spending a few days with his brother, Dr. F. E. Gutellus, and old friends, after an absence of over four years.

Harry Harter, who is employed at Altoona, spent Sunday at his home in this place.

Fred Maize is spending a few days with his father, A. P. Maize. Fred is employed in a barber shop at Jersey Shore.

A class room museum was placed in the High school building last week. The collection consists of different kinds of minerals, field grains and food products of the different climates.

Rev. I. N. Blair, a former pastor, occupied the pulpit of the United Evangelical church on Sunday morning and evening as a Sash Rally service. The purpose of the service was to secure funds to pay for the steam heat plant Reynolds of Boston, a humorist, entertained the members of the Millheim camp, M. W. A., and their families in the Woodmen hall on last Friday evening. All present report having spent a very pleasant evening.

A number of friends of Miss Belle Springer gathered at the Springer home on East Main street on Tuesday evening to celebrate Miss Belle's birthday anniversary.

Pros. B. L. App, principal of the Millheim public schools, spent Saturday and Sunday under the parental roof at Selmsgrove, Pa.

While assisting to take out ice from the McMillen dam, N. A. Auman broke through and received a very cold reception. Mr. Auman said it didn't take him very long to get home.

### PORT MATILDA.

Mrs. Wm. E. Fink and four children, of Julian, have returned home after spending a few days with her father, J. C. Marks.

Miss Lena Wisser, of Tyrone, is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Wisser.

Mrs. Gertrude Beckwith, who has been on the sick list, is able to be out again; J. C. Marks is improving.

Miss Media Moore has returned home, after spending a few days in Sandy Ridge.

Miss Margaret Marks, of Julian, has returned home after spending a week with her sisters Bessie and Anna Marks.

Mrs. Edith Johnson, of Port Matilda has returned home after spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Daniel McMonigal.

Angus Gill, of South Fork, visited at the home of A. J. Johnson's one day last week.

Miss Media Moore spent Thursday afternoon with the Misses Florence and Cora Rhoads.

J. C. Marks lost a valuable hog caused by choking on a bone.

Mrs. Nancy Fink has returned home after spending the hallow weeks with her son Jerry, of Bellwood.

### EARLYSTOWN.

Lots of snow and good sleighing and everybody is making good use of it. Those who are down with the grip are Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Bartges, Sara Frantz, Rosa Frasher and Ruth Bartges. They are getting better again.

Butchering is not all over yet. Prof. Neff butchered on Saturday and Mr. Frantz will kill twelve hogs on Tuesday.

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