

The Home Circle

Pleasant Evening Reveries Dedicated to Tired Mothers as They Join the Home Circle at Evening Tide.

A Happy Life.

A man who has married for love is a happy fellow. He is generally cheerful and always thinking about the dear ones at home. He prefers to live out of town for the sake of his children. He is rarely late at business, rises early, gardens a little, eats a hearty breakfast and goes to the necessary labor with a light heart and clean conscience. He often brings home pleasant surprises for his wife and children. You may recognize him in trains loaded with parcels, which he good-naturedly carries with perfect unconcern of what others think—a new bonnet, music, books, a clock for his wife; while in other parcels the wheels of a cart, a jack-in-the-box, a doll or skipping-rope protrude through the paper, and suggest the nursery. He is brave and kind, though he makes no noise in the world. The humanizing influence of that darling red-cheeked little fellow who calls him father, brings a glow of rapture of the purest pleasure earth holds; for the man who has never felt a tiny hand clasp his, will always lack something—he will be less human, less blessed than others. This is the noble, the honest, the only form of life that implies real contentment and joy that will make a death-bed glorious, and love see peace through its tears. It is so purely a selfish, so tenderly true; it satisfies the highest instincts. It stimulates men to the best deeds they are capable of.

A Good Neighbor.

A Kansas man died recently and the local paper in giving the essential facts incident to his life, closed with this sentence, "He was a good neighbor." There the eulogy ended, abrupt and brief. Naturally in the little town there was some criticism. But why? They were used to extended obituary notices, replete with high-sounding phrases and tributes which represented probably what the editor thought was necessary to satisfy the readers rather than the innermost feeling of the writer. Commenting on the above an exchange strikes the nail firmly on the head when it says: "Which is the better? There can be only one answer. What more could the departed desire than to have it said of him that he was a 'good neighbor.' Could anything be said of him that would bespeak for a certainty his possession of other attributes that naturally would endear him to his acquaintances? There is more contained in these simple and old-fashioned words than could be put into a lengthy memorial by the most skillful rhetorician who ever indited a panegyric to personal worth. A man who so lived that his neighbors will join in saying he was a 'good neighbor' may

face the unknown firm in the belief that he has done well here."

What tribute more wholesome, effective and lasting could be chiseled on a granite shaft erected to the honor of any man than to say that he was a 'good neighbor.' Do you, Mr. Reader, so live that when your time shall come that those who have known you may join in such a token of respect, esteem and admiration?

A great deal is written and said about growing old gracefully, but for our part we fail to see the necessity of growing old at all and we do not believe it can be done gracefully. It is much better to turn our thoughts to keeping young gracefully, and let the growing old take care of itself. We know a woman of seventy-five who has been keeping young gracefully all her life, and is today one of the youngest women we know. As her hair has grown gray and thin she has had the grace to cover it with a snowy white cap. As her body has shrunk, she has had the grace to abandon the prevailing fashion, and adopt for her own use a simple, comfortable dress. As her physical strength has declined, she has had the grace to abandon the more active duties of life, and so has more time to cultivate the graces that make life lovely. But the pretty cap covers a brain as active as a man's, and under the quaint dress beats a heart as warm and sympathetic as a girl's. She reads and keeps abreast with all the topics of the day. She reads and thinks and talks and attracts to her side bright, active men and women who enjoy her society as if she were one of them. She is a good example of the attractiveness of a woman who keeps young gracefully, retaining all the essential charms of youth and abandoning its follies.

The Helpful World.

Give the young and struggling a word of encouragement when you can. You would not leave those plants in your window boxes without water nor refuse to open the shutters that the sunlight might fall upon them; but you would leave some human flower to suffer from want of appreciation and the sunlight of encouragement. There are a few hardy souls that can struggle along on stony soil—shrubs that can wait for the dews and sunbeams, vines that climb without kindly training; but only a few utter the kind word when you can see that it is deserved. The thought that no one cares and no one knows, blights many a bud of promise. Be it the young artist at his easel, the young preacher in his pulpit, the workman at his bench, the boy at his mathematical problems, or your little girl at the piano, give what praise you can.

FACT, FUN AND FANCY.

Bright, Sparkling Paragraphs—Selected and Original.

WHAT SOME PUPILS LEARNED.

In an article in Sunburban Life Magazine advocating vocational training in public schools, the following answers from written tests in a city school are cited as showing the lack of thoroughness of modern instruction: "Panama is a town of Colombo where they are trying to make an isthmus." "The Pyramids are a range of mountains between France and Spain." "The line opposite the right angle in a right-angled triangle is called the hipopotamus." "Queen Elizabeth rode a white horse from Kenilworth through Coventry with nothing on, and Raleigh offered her his cloak." "Tennyson wrote a poem called 'Grave's Energy.'" "The German Emperor is called the Geysir." "Ben Johnson is one of the three highest mountains of Scotland." An Exception—"In the nature of things everybody ought to be delighted to see an oculist." "Why should they?" "Because to see him is good for sore eyes." Parcel Post—"I had a tough time delivering the mail yesterday," declared the postman. "How was that?" "I had a bulldog and a chunk of liver in the same delivery." Heredity—"Higgins is a self made man, is he not?" "He claims to be but I do not believe those bad manners of his could ever have been acquired. He must have been born so." Missed Vacation—Client—"Didn't you make a mistake in going into law instead of the army? Lawyer—Why? Client—By the way you charge there would be little left of the enemy. The Parting—"I told him that I would not see him again," said the fair girl. "He evidently thinks you meant what you said." "Well, that's no reason why he shouldn't call me up by phone." Worth While—"See here!" cried the boy's father. "If you don't behave I'll whip you." "I wish you would," replied the bad boy. "You do, eh?" "Yes, cause when it's over ma will gimme some candy." She Wanted Rouge—Wife—"Why didn't you call at the chemist's shop yesterday and get the things I asked you to? Hubby—Well, my dear, I remembered that I promised you never to do anything to bring a blush to your cheek." Not the Same—"It was his first morning in London apartments." His landlady came up with the breakfast, and as he began to eat she opened a slight conversation. "It looks like rain," she said. "It does," replied the American; "but it smells like coffee." Pleasant for the Bride—At the close of a wedding breakfast, a gentleman, noted for his blunders, rose to his feet, causing keen anxiety to all who knew him. "Ladies and gentlemen," he cried penitently, "I drink to the health of the bridegroom! May he see many, many days like this!" Too Expensive—Two little sisters who were taken to see "Othello" were much impressed by the death scene. "I wonder if they kill a lady every night?" said Lucy. "Why, of course not, Lucy," said her sister, "they just pretend to. It would be altogether too expensive to really kill a lady every night."

OVER THE COUNTY.

The Centre Democrat has the circulation and the Bellefonte Merchants know it. When State College gets its next appropriation that town will jump forward another notch. Miss Florence Rhone, of Centre Hall, daughter of Hon. Leonard Rhone, is confined to her home by illness. Paul Bradford, of Centre Hall, is in charge of the railroad station at Oak Hill during the temporary absence of the regular agent. The stork, that wonderful bird, visited Cent. Hall recently and brought to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Gross a baby girl. Remember the special sales days in Bellefonte next week. You will find that your money will buy more for those days than at any other time. Joseph C. Harding, a former Phillipsburg shoe merchant, who has just been elected postmaster of that bustling mining town. William Lingie, who lives in Georges Valley, had a fine growing young orchard of apple trees. One night recently some person saved off every one of the trees, thus destroying the entire orchard. Residents of Romola, or Marsh Creek, and vicinity, are hereby tendered a cordial invitation to attend the festival at that place on the night of Saturday, June 21st. A pleasant time is assured to all. On Tuesday last at public outcry, in Hustington, Sidney T. Iselt bought the land on which was located the State Fish Hatchery at Spruce Creek, including two tenement houses—about twenty-one acres in all. John Glenn, of Phillipsburg, carried off one of the two Alexander E. Patton \$25 scholarship prizes at the 64th annual commencement exercises of the Williamsport Dickinson Seminary held on Monday of last week. Rebersburg Lodge, I. O. O. F. decorated the graves of deceased brothers, on Saturday evening, June 14th. The Aaronsons band was present and Col. H. S. Taylor, of Bellefonte, delivered a eulogy. The annual Rachau reunion will be held at Madisonburg on August 7th. A complete program will be announced for this event later by the secretary, W. E. Keller. All members and friends of the family are invited to attend. Thos. G. McCausland, the Phillipsburg Jeweler, who suffered a couple of bruises while out fishing the other day, and as a result of blood poisoning, is now on the mend, although he will likely be housed up for several days yet. Mrs. Nicodemus Luse, of Coburn, had the misfortune to break her arm, between the wrist and elbow, one day recently while visiting her sister. Mrs. J. H. Rishel, at Spring Mills, and thinking she was entering a room door, stepped into the cellar way, falling down the stairs. Tom Crosby, the youngest son of W. D. Crosby, Esq., was kicked under the chin Wednesday afternoon of last week by a horse belonging to H. A. Marka, and while receiving a painful bruise and losing part of a couple of teeth, he is to be congratulated that he was not seriously injured. Mrs. Justina Wohlbach suffered from a slight stroke of paralysis, one day last week, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John Ream, at Farmers Mills. The left side of the body was affected, besides depriving her of the power of speech for some time. She is now on a fair way to recovery. The Baptist Sunday School at Martha will hold their annual picnic, July 4th, at John Q. Miles' Grove near Martha. There will be music and addresses appropriate for the occasion. A caterer will be engaged for refreshments, and are endeavoring to make this a delightful occasion. All are cordially invited. Dr. H. F. Bittner and son Lynn of Centre Hall were in Lancaster last week to attend the commencement exercises at Franklin and Marshall College. While there he met his son, Harry Bittner, connected with the Pittsburg Press, at Lancaster. Both father and son are graduates of Franklin and Marshall. Rev. J. Max Lantz and family of Spring Mills, and Thomas L. Moore, of Centre Hall, represented the Pennsylvania Methodist church at the twenty-second annual convention of the Epworth League, Altoona District, in Phillipsburg. There was a large attendance of ministers as delegates from all points in the district. Henry Noll, son of Mr. and Mrs. Abner Noll, of Pleasant Gap, is on a motorcycle trip to Chicago, going through the northwestern part of the State and following the Great Lake region through Ohio, Indiana, and Illinois. He took with him a camping outfit and expects to "rough it" upon the journey. He has secured permits, having devised the outfit as a pleasant camping experience. J. H. Weber, the proprietor of the Centre Hall Roller Mill, is erecting an office and scale house. The scales will be so arranged that weighing may be done from the inner office, and at the same time the scales will be in full view of the salesman or purchaser, as the case may be, on the outside. The portion of the mill now used for office will be used for a warehouse or rather to enlarge the present warehouse in the mill. Fire from a defective flue destroyed the dwelling house of Henry Karchner at Loganton last Thursday noon. Mrs. Karchner was away from home at the time and her children were taking care of the house. When one of the children discovered that the house was on fire she carried the baby and its cradle from the burning structure. She also saved some clothes and light articles of clothing. The loss is \$900 partially covered by insurance in the Sugar Valley Mutual Fire Insurance Co. Clearfield Progressives. The aggressive Progressives of Clearfield county have established a paper called "The Progress," with J. R. Bixler, a veteran newspaper editor at the helm, and Harry R. Reed as general manager. It enters the field when the air at that altitude is surcharged with political electricity. We may expect the lightning to strike up there in our neighboring county, with unwonted frequency and wholesome effects and consequences. The first bolt shot in the judicial campaign, Oscar Mitchell, Esq., with whom, as the poet says, "hope springs eternal in the breast," is announced as a candidate to succeed the present able incumbent Judge Smith. Mitchell is the most progressive of all the Progressives in Clearfield county. Don't forget The Centre Democrat when in need of any job printing.

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Drowned in Niagara River.

Miss Violet Swift, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Swift, of Phillipsburg was drowned in the Niagara river, near Niagara Falls Tuesday evening, June 10th. Miss Swift was a teacher of mathematics in the High school at Niagara Falls, and an entertainment for her sister Bella, a teacher in the Phillipsburg schools, who was visiting her, accepted an invitation from a gentleman friend to go boating on the river. They had not been on the water long when a motor boat passed very close to them and the swell upset the canoe. Miss Violet was thrown into the water and never came up. Miss Bella and the gentleman were thrown into the river but were rescued by those in the motor boat. Miss Violet's body was recovered next morning.

Complaint—"You are always complaining about the taxpayer."

"Yes, I sympathize with the masses." "How much do you pay in the way of taxes?" "My dear sir, that has nothing to do with the case. The man who is paying a whole lot of taxes is usually so busy that he hasn't time to do his own complaining."

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A NEW HEALTH LAW.

Compulsory for Townships to Maintain a Board of Health. A new law which will effect every borough, first class townships in Pennsylvania went into effect Thursday night when Governor Tenor approved a bill introduced in the House at Harrisburg by Representative Richards, of Allegheny county. The Richards bill provides that a Board of Health shall be established in each borough and first class township within three months, the president of council to appoint in boroughs and the chairman of commissions in townships. The Boards are to be composed of five members and are to have wide powers under the state health laws, expenses incurred to be provided for by the municipalities. The Boards are also required to enforce decrees of the commissioner of health and in case they fail to act for proper protection of the public the commissioner is to have authority to assume charge. The act also repeals all previous acts relative to Boards in such municipalities.

They Were War Democrats.

The Lancaster correspondent of the N. American says: The recent death of George W. Bierly, of Eden township, recalls the patriotic response of George W. Bierly, the elder, who, hearkening to the call of his country, offered his seven sons and bid them take up arms in defense of the Union. Nor did he plead in vain. From that humble home, on Stony Hill, went Daniel, George W., Henry, Jacob, William T., Winfield Scott and Zachary Taylor. There wasn't one of them less than six feet in height, and they were athletes. Their war records were honorable and reflected credit on the county. With the exception of Winfield Scott, for whom the G. A. R. post, of Quiggville, is named, and who was killed at Bowling Green, the boys returned to their home after the war had ceased. The only member of the family now living is Taylor, of Parkesburg.

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God's people will hold a Grove Meeting one mile east of Colyer in Henry Moyer's grove, to begin Saturday evening at 7:45, June 21st, to continue over two Sabbaths. Services on Sunday 10 a. m., 2:30 p. m. and 7 in the evening. Meetings will be in charge of Rev. A. J. Horner, of Youngsville, Pa., a former resident of this place. We also expect Rev. J. T. Stutton, of Williamsport, Pa., a conference Evangelist to assist in the meetings, and there may be other ministers to help. The object is to spread the true Gospel, convert sinners, do the people good and get them ready for the coming of the Lord. "For the Lord Himself shall descend with a shout, with voice of the Archangel and with the Trump of God; and the dead in Christ shall rise first. Then, we, which are alive and remain shall be caught up together with them in the air; and so shall we ever be with the Lord. Wherefore comfort one another with these words." All are invited to attend the services, which are held in a very pleasant grove. Read what the merchants have for the Special Trade Days. You can save money by taking advantage of them.

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