Correspondents' Department

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

MILESBURG.

This has been a very busy week. Everybody seems to be preparing for winter. Our Boys Band was called upon to play for the U. B. church in Bellefonte, Sunday, and the Odd Fellows' picnic at Hunter's Park on Monday. They also played for the Baptist festival Saturday evening.

The Milesburg High School opened Monday. Prof. L. C. Smith, principal, Mr. C. Bowes, assistant principal. Miss Bessie Miles teaches the primary schools. Miss Vallimont of Bellefonte, will teach the grammar school.

The Boggs township schools, near Milesburg are arranged as follows: Miss Nannie Delaney and Miss Maud Harshberger has charge of the school at Central City. Miss Anna Schenck at Moose Run, and Miss Anna Schroyer will teach at what is known as the Shope school.

Poorman's reunion was held in Kohlbecker's grove Saturday, Aug. 31st. A large crowd of friends and relatives assembled for their annual outing. They began the day by Rev. Piper offering a fervent pray. After this Rev. Ziegler made the usual address. Music for the day was given by the Runville Cornet Band, assisted by some of the boys from Our Boys band. Dinner was elaborately served in the usual order, followed by a fantastic parade which made much amusement for the spectators. Their annual base ball game was played which was composed of pick ups. The score being even neither side could boast. As the sun began to sink over the western hills, the crowd dispersed. Amid hand shakes and affectionate farewells, could be heard the merry voices of the young folks, as they vowed to meet again another day if their lives were spared. Thus the day passed into history.

Chas. Fitzgerald, of Mill Hall, spent Sunday with his friend, Miss Blanch Shay.

John Cupp, of Warriors Mark, is assisting H. G. Ebbs in the sale of ice cream at the fair this week.

Misses Margaret Aikey and Margaret Gray are going to the Milesburg school this winter.

Our Boys band is very busy this fall, for they are becoming popular and the people see in these boys a coming great musical organization.

Rev. S. S. Clark preached two excellent sermons Sunday.

Rev. Ash preached a very interesting sermon Sunday morning.

Little Anna Brady, after spending her summer vacation at home with her mother, departed Monday evening for the Scotland, Pa., Orphan school.

Miss Gertrude Else, of Florida, is attending to the affairs of the late H. C. Else estate.

Miss Marcella Boggs, after a week sojourn among friends in Huntingdon and Petersburg, returned home Saturday.

The festival held by the Willing Workers of the Baptist church, was reported a grand success and the amount raised was about $35.

Rev. S. S. Clark returned home Saturday after spending a two weeks' vacation among relatives and friends in Baltimore, Md.

Mrs. Clark expects to set sail for Boston this week and return home in the near future.

Samuel Lucas, wife and daughter Florence, of Warriors Mark, were visiting at the home of Thomas Poorman, Saturday. Miss Carry Fetzer, of Yarnell, was also at Thomas Poorman's one day last week.

Miss Jessma Moore, of Renovo, spent Sunday with a young damsel on Bogg's corner named Rebecca.

Rev. M. C. Piper occupied Rev. Yocum's pulpit last Sunday.

Rev. E. H. Sperow will preach in the Presbyterian church next Sunday, September the 7th.

Mrs. James Campbell and son Ward, of Tyrone, spent Sunday at the home of W. R. Campbell.

Mrs. John Robb and two children, Mildred and John, of Howard, and Mrs. E. A. Walker, and two children, of Bigler, spent a few days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Heaton last week.

Frank Flynn, of Tyrone, autoed to the burg Sunday to call on some friends.

Jerry Confer and wife, J. E. Swartz, wife and daughter Fay, and Miss Winifred Haager, all of Yarnell, Mrs. C. A. Walker and two children and Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Heaton journeyed to Zion last Sunday to spend the day at the home of Seymour Confer and celebrate Mr. Jerry Confer's seventy-third birthday anniversary.

Homer Noll, wife and twins, and Miss Agnes Swartz, all of Tyrone, were week-end visitors at the home of John Swartz. Also Clinton E. Swartz, of Lock Haven, spent Sunday at home with his parents.

Ralph E. Thomas, of Philadelphia, Sundayed at home.

Miss Marion Zimmerman spent Sunday with her friend, Miss Rhoda Swartz.

Mrs. Dora Gault, of Lock Haven, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sellers.

Wilson Smeil and wife and Edward Moreau and wife autoed to the burg.

Miss Zelda and Carrie Derr circulated among friends in Curtin one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lemuel Hipple spent Sunday with Mr. Hipple's mother, Mrs. John Hipple, of Unionville, who is very ill.

Some of our boys went to Bellefonte Saturday evening and must have taken something internally that had the conversation in it, for they were full of babble when they came home.

Misses Rose and Ophelia Haupt returned home Saturday, after an enjoyable and pleasant two-weeks' visit at Cresson. Mrs. C. B. Haupt, of Cresson, returned to the burg with them to spend a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Haupt.

Austin Fetzer, wife and daughter Carrie, of Yarnell, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Dunkle.

H. H. Watkins, of Orviston, spent Sunday at the home of David Walker and Charles Shawley.

Howard Heaton was severely injured last Thursday in the clay pit at Wallace's brick yard by an untimely fall of clay which caught him, bruising him severely in several places and crushing his left foot, but no bones were broken, and he is able to be around and chew the rag with his neighbors.

Bows Poorman, of Jersey Shore and Samuel Lucas, of Warriors Mark, spent Saturday evening with their later departed for their homes.
old time friend, Enoch Hugg, and later departed for their homes.

Mr. William Woomer, wife and son of Pitcairn were the welcome guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Heaton a few days last week and departed for home Sunday evening.

Venerable W. R. Johnson departed Sunday for Tyrone to accompany his daughter, Mrs. G. W. Rightnour home.

Mrs. Susan Wagner spent Sunday with her children in Bellefonte.

Fred Heaton and wife Sundayed at Howard Heatons.

Don't forget to hand the news to the scribe.

David Poorman and daughter Minnie, Peter Swisher and Miss Blanche Irwin, all of Mill Hall were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Johnson Saturday.

Miss Eva Ebbs, who has been visiting her brother H. G. Ebbs and family here departed for her home in Winfield, Kan., last Thursday where she is employed teaching in a State school.

Miss Bell Matern of Stormstown spent a few days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Ebbs, last week.

Master Leroy Spicer returned home Saturday after spending two weeks visiting his brother in Altoona and sister in Hollidaysburg.

Misses Margaret Letterman and Anna Gilbert of Bellefonte spent Sunday with their friend Miss Nellie Hall.

Mrs. Penanu Shields returned home to Thomas Shope's after spending a few days visiting friends in Nittany valley.

Master Henry Harshberger of Altoona is spending a week with his uncle, L. T. Harshbarger.

T. E. Griffith and daughter Daisy, and Miss Crombly of Philipsburg, were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Quick.

Master Edward Carlton Rickard returned home to Lock Haven, after spending several weeks at the home of his grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Rickard.

Mr. A. E. Suiter of Williamsport, spent a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Rickard last week.

The picnic oewY(K,r .

The Junior Epworth League of the Methodist Episcopal church, sold out everything at their festival Saturday night until nine o'clock. Total receipt netting eighteen dollars and eighty-seven cents.

Mrs. William Graffmyer and son, Reuben, after attending the funeral services of Henry Myers, at Mill Hall, spent a few days visiting friends. Reuben spent two days in Lock Haven. They returned home last Tuesday.

Clarence Spicer and wife of Altoona, are speding a few days at the home of Mrs. Spicers parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Spicer of this place.

Harry Deihl, who purchased the Samuel B. Myers property has greatly improved the appearance of the place by cutting away some of the old vines remodeling some old buildings and painting the lawn fence.

The Gazette, made the statement in last weeks issue, that in the ball game between the Waddle and Milesburg teams, that Waddle defeated the Milesburg strong team, which is not correct, as there were only three of the major League present and the team was made up of boys who held the Waddle fans to a stand still until some of the fans got careless and lost the game.

Clare McKinley returned to Conemaugh last Thursday after spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McKinley.

Miss Bessie Miles set sail for Bellwood and Altoona on business last Thursday and visited among friends over Sunday.

W. H. Smith repaired the slate roof of the Reformed church in Bellefonte last week.

Chas. H. Jodon and son, of Pittsburg, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Jodon.

Chas. Peters, wife and family returned home to Lewistown, last week after spending three weeks visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Peters and other friends around here.

Mrs. William Young and daughter Rebecca, of Bellwood, Sundayed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cartwright.

Miss Edith Frieze departed last Wednesday for Altoona where she expects to pay a visit to her sister, Mrs. John Slicker.

Mrs. Harry Charles and children spent last Wednesday with Mrs. John Wetzler, of Runville.

PLUMGROVE.—Union Twp.

Sunday school at half past two next Sunday.

The festival held on Saturday night was a success. Many people from a distance in attendance, on inquiry how they found it out, replied, "Everybody reads the Centre Democrat."

Those from Altoona who took in the festival were, Wm. Newkirk and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Moorehead and Myrtle Iddings.

Ed. Woods surprised his family on Saturday by coming home with a horse and buggy.

We were shocked to hear of the death of Mrs. Wm. Bennet, of Lewisburg, Pa., as she was born and raised near Howard. She was a daughter of Harrison Long and a sister of the late Mrs. D. W. McCloskey, of this place. The postal card sent to Mrs. McCloskey was directed to Bellefonte, forwarded to Windgate and then to Fleming, which reached the friends too late to attend the funeral which was on Friday at Lewisburg.

Quite a number of youngsters turned out to serenade James Martin and his bride. The old man McCloskey, after the groom set up a treat said, "are you all from Plum Grove?" One young man spoke up and said there was a number from Bush Hollow. It showed it the next morning as the Plum Grove boys and girls never destroy anything.

Look out and prepare for winter. All the crops are short except the oats; corn will not be half a crop; wheat is not yielding in the back country on account of the June freeze; potatoes will be short, the early potatoes were a fair crop, but the bulk of them is dug and marketed; the late crop is a failure on account of the dry weather and blythe. All garden truck will be short.

Is it correct? It is reported that the corner loafers are on a strike in Bellefonte and ask of the town council to place cushioned chairs on the corners.

LINDEN HALL.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Markle spent Sunday at the home of Chas. Colyer.

The party at the home of George Horner was well attended Saturday evening.

Miss Lulu Zerby spent a few days with her sister at this place.

Mrs. F. S. Colyer and sister, Ruth, spent Thursday at the home of Clyde Stemm, at Lemont.

NITTANY.

Preaching next Sunday evening at 7:30 in the United Evangelical church. Everybody cordially invited to attend.

On next Saturday, Sept. 6th, the Ladies' Aid society will meet at the home of Mrs. Dora Gates. Members please take note and be present.

Quite a number of our people attended the soldiers' picnic at Hecla on Thursday.

There is quite a lot of sickness through here.

Mrs. Mary Glossner, of Howard, is here nursing her sister, Mrs. James Gunsallus and husband, who are both under the doctor's care.

Mrs. S. R. McCaleb visited friends in Mackeyville on Saturday.

James Treaster and William Brant, of Coburn, were guests of William Treaster on Sunday.

George Gunsallus and family of Lamar, were guests of Mrs. Sarah Yearick and family on Sunday.

Harry Baker and two daughters attended church at Mt. Bethel on Sunday.

Miss Leone Irvin, of Mill Hall, was the guest of her friend, Miss Lillie Diehl, several days the past week.

The party that lost their necklace in George Young's corn patch, the night of the corn roast in Zerby's' woods, can get it, by calling at Geo. Young's and proving property.

Perry Weber, who has been under the weather, came home for a few days.

G. W. Tolbert visited his sister, Mrs. William Webner and family, at Lamar on Sunday.

Some of our boys are having fine sport fighting bumble bees just ask Andy if he ever got stung.

Mr. Toot and family, of Lock Haven, were guests at the Snavely home over Sunday.

Russel Kessinger and J. W. Tolbert left on Monday for Waddle, where they will be employed this winter.

Mrs. James Staniford and Mrs. Walter Graham visited friends at Snydertown on Sunday.

Mrs. Daniel Showers and little Thelma were in Lock Haven several several days the past week visiting her daughter Mae and taking in the show.

Some of our people took in the show at Bellefonte last Thursday.

Our farmers are getting ready to sow and as soon as it rains they will be very busy.

Hand your news to the writer not later than Sunday if you want it in the paper the following week.

Miss Nancy Hunter, of Bellefonte is the guest of Miss Miriam Beck.

Misses Ruth Root and Ethel Givin, of Bellwood, have returned home after a pleasant week with Miss Nelle F. Rumberger.

Visitors at the B. F. Shaffer home the past week were, Mrs. W. T. Knecht, Lock Haven; O. W. Tuholski, Erie; Savilla Reish, Flemington; Marguerite Allison, Williamsport; L. A. Schaeffer, Bellefonte, and T. S. Sligh, State College.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Beck are guests of their children, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Brandt and Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Plank, of Crafton, while A. B. Beck, Esq., is spending his vacation in Atlantic City.

Miss Edna Gunsallus entertained our young people at a corn roast on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Eugene Beck and sons, Russell and George, of Pittsburg, spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. S. R. McCaleb.

Some of our people took in the festival at Hecla on Saturday night and report having had a good time. Don't forget the big festival at Lamar on Saturday night, Sept. 6th.

Mrs. William Knecht, of Lock Haven, was the guest of her father and sister one day the past week.

Henry Mowery and family, of Fishing Creek, visited H. G. Rodgers and family on Sunday.

Quite a number of our people attended the K. G. E. picnic at Hecla on Saturday and the P. O. S. of A. picnic at the same place on Monday, Lbor Day.

We noticed Harold Rothrock, of Lock Haven in our town Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Wolford are rejoicing over the arrival of a young son. Both mother and babe re doing nicely.

Mrs. Belle McCauley has gone to Hublersburg for a few weeks to take care of Mrs. Amos Wolford.

We are glad to note that Aaron Yarnell, who had been threatened with typhoid fever, is much better and will soon be able to be out again under the skillful treatment of Dr. S. S. McCormick.

William Mauck and wife were in Lock Haven, Saturday.

Quite a number of our people attended the sale at Zion on Saturday.

LEMONT.

A few of the farmers are cutting corn.

The ground is getting quite dry now and the farmers can not put out the wheat, and a number are not through plowing.

John R. Williams and wife and Geo. Williams and Geo. Roan returned from New York, on Monday.

It seems that the gypkies who passed through these parts last week were a band of very undesirable people, as a few of the people of this community know.

Prof. R. U. Wasson, of Coburn, spent a few days at his old home, last week.

Homer Tate and Earl Rhykard, two boys who spent this summer working for the farmers, have returned to their homes to go to school.

The schools of College township will open Monday, Sept. 8th.

Willis Grove and family Sundayed at the home of William E. Grove.

Very few went from this place to Gettysburg on Sunday.

John I. Williams attended the I. O. O. F. picnic on Labor Day.

David Johnstonbaugh moved from State College to Lemont, last week.

SOLONA.

Those from a distance who attended the funeral of the late Henry Meyers, of Mill Hall, were the following: Mrs. Anna Detwiler and son, of Brooklyn, N. Y.; Mrs. Lizzie Sides, Harry Sides, Anna Sides, Helen Sides and Harvy Shaffer, of McVentown; Mifflin county; Mrs. W. B. Grafmyre and son, Reuben, of Milesburg; Gordon Armstrong, of Vassen; Mrs. Jessie Huff and dughter, Ella, of Renovo; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bowers and two sons, of Avis; Harold Meyers, of the Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md.; Mr. and Mrs. John Rote, Mr. and Mrs. Manna Kline, James Williams, Maud Williams and Harry Griffith, all of Axemann.

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REBERSBURG.

When Rev. and Mrs. Stauffer, of the Reformed church returned from their vacation at Allentown, Philadelphia and Atlantic City, a surprise confronted them at the parsonage. The ladies of the congregation had set the table, and filled the dishes with many good things for the inner craving of the human. Our women know how to tickle the palate.

Prof. and Mrs. Edwin I. Ziegler, of Mt. Alto, are visiting Mrs. J. K. Meyer, mother of Mrs. Ziegler.

Mrs. H. C. Brown, daughter of Joseph Kreamer, whose home is Keokuk, Ia., has spent a week pleasantly with Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Corman.

Robert Trump, of Detroit, Mich., visited his uncle, W. H. Frank, here and also his parents at Jersey Shore. He is an automobile machinist.

B. F. Gill, the inventor, sailed on Saturday for England, to secure a sixty-million-dollar fortune coming to him. He took his $1000 stradivarius with him. Bon voyage!

Hon. C. L. Gramley and wife and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. B. Haines spent a few days at Williams' Grove Grange. They did not witness the unfolding of Master Wm. T. Creasy's' gubernatorial boom, which is a healthy one for the state.

Prof. S. A. Bierly raised and sold nearly 400 bushels of potatoes this season.

Supervisor Heckman has had the Smullton bridge repaired and a new cement culvert built in Rebersburg, at the Reformed church. He is making good roads as fagt as possible.

Miss Avis Cummins left for Pittsburg to visit her relatives and lay in a stock of milinery goods for her ladies' outfitting establishment in Rebersburg.

Prof. and Mrs. Brungart have returned to Selinsgrove, after a protracted and pleasant visit with near relatives.

Miss Mary Smull went to Pittsburg on Tuesday to resume her position as cashier in a store.

Cal Weaver supplies the cream for our ice cream factories.

Prof. W. C. Strack, of Lebanon, the new principal of the township high school, is domiciled at Clayton Brungart's residence.

The Miles township schools opened Monday promisingly.

Class in Zoology.—Teacher: Who is a greater man than King George, Woodrow Wilson and Long John Tener? Pupil: Kalbfus. Teacher: Why Kalbfus? Pupil: Because Kalbfus can suspend laws at will by writing a circular and sending it to the papers. None of the others can suspend a law. They can only suspend their breeches! Teacher: Who is Kalbfus? Pupil: Don't you know Kalbfus? Why he is a "doctor" of venison and squabs, who owns all the game in Pennsylvania that the fish commission don't own. Teacher: Why can he suspend laws and order the officers not to execute them? Pupil: For two reasons—1. He owns all the game. 2. He hatches all the game laws in his state hatchery in the north end of the palace of graft and labels them O. K.

There are about a dozen autos in Miles township. So there will be about 12 votes for the Penrose-Sproul-Tener-Bigelow $50,000,000 graft road bond proposition.

The Fens Ecke Bibulosity Club should save the empty bottles. They are worth about a cent apiece without the corks.

"Farmer" Creasy's platform for good roads but not graft boulevards is a sound one, on which to run for governor. The people of Pennsylvania of all shades of politics can stand on that platform.

Miss Laura Oyster and Miss Blanch Sarge, of Harrisburg, are visiting their friend, Mrs. Samuel Frank at the residence of J. B. Kreamer.

The lads were loaded with new school books Monday morning, among them Maury's new atlas and geography.

John W. Harter is making sundry improvements about his residence.

Samuel J. Winters spent Sunday down the road on the placid Susquehanna. Some imagine Samuel has a tender attractive magnet down there, but he will not tell.

Prof. Gobble, a noted educator, preached in the United Evangelical church on Sunday evening.

SPRING MILLS.

The merchants of Spring Mills, will close their stores every Wednesday evening at 6 o'clock.

Rev. Colledge, of Williamsport, who has been appointed minister of the M. E. charge will preach his first sermon at this place Sundy evenig.

Chas. Allison and wife, of New York City, are spending some time with his father, W. M. Allison.

Grover Gentzel, wife and children spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Gentzel.

Benjamin Donachy, of Lewisburg, came Saturday to visit his grandmother, Mrs. Benj. Hering, who has been quite ill for the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rossman and daughter have again returned to Sturtgart Ark. where Mr. Rossman will resume his duties as principal of the Sturtgart schools.

Miss Jennie Martin and sister, of Martinsburg, are spending several days with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Jamison.

Miss Ruth Smith left Monday for West Chester, where she will resume her studies in the Normal.

Robert Grenoble and friend, Robert Gibbony, of Yeagertown, was in our town a short time last Friday.

Mrs. Emanuel Brown, who has been making her home with her son at Milroy, since the death of her husband, is spending several weeks at this place with her sons and daughters.

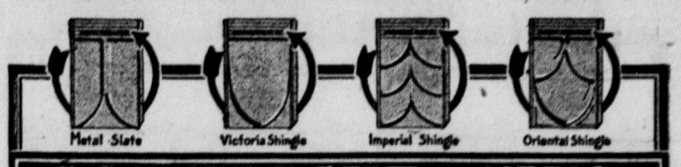
Prof. U. A. Moyer and son Larius are spending some time at Liverpool.

TYLERSVILLE.

A number of our people attended the picnic at Hecla last Monday.

Miss Edith Shrack, of Pittsburg, who was visiting here for a short time left last Thursday.

Harry Weaver attended the annual convention at Lock Haven as a delegate of the St. John's Reformed Sunday school. He reports having a fine time.



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