

Correspondence

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HOWARD.

God sometimes washes the eyes of his children with tears in order that they may read aright His providence and His commandments.—Theodore L. Cuyler.

In Our Churches Next Sabbath.

Reformed—Pastor E. H. Zechman will preach and administer the sacrament of the Lord's Supper at Marsh Creek at half past ten; and will preach at Jacksonville at half past two, and in Howard at half past seven.

Presbyterian—Pastor Walter Fay Carson will preach at Port Matilda at eleven o'clock, and at Unionville at half past seven.

Methodist Episcopal—Pastor James Edwin Dunning will preach and conduct communion service at Beech Creek at half past ten, and at Hunter's Run at half past two. At half past seven he will preach in Howard.

United Evangelical—Pastor M. J. Snyder will preach and administer the Lord's Supper at Snow Shoe Intersection at half past seven in the evening of next Saturday, Nov. 1. He will hold similar services—preaching and the observance of communion—at Marion at half past ten, and at Curtin at half past seven, on the following Sabbath, Nov. 2.

School District Damages. The damages sustained by the School District of Howard township, by reason of the acquisition by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company of the right of way for the Mt. Eagle cut through some of their grounds, has been amicably settled, and finally arranged. The two sub-districts affected were the "Furnace," adjoining Howard houses on the east, and "Pletcher" adjoining the borough on the west. In neither case did the railroad proper disturb the buildings or grounds, but because the new line occupied or rendered unusable the old public highway through the valley it was compelled to acquire ground for the purpose and build a new highway, and this ran through the grounds of these two sub-districts, practically destroying them, and the Company must, of course, compensate the district.

After much discussion, not only between the Board and the railroad representative, but among the patrons of the two schools as to what would be proper compensation and meet the views of the larger number of the patrons, the following proposition was submitted by the Company to the School Board, and it was unanimously accepted, and recorded on the minutes of the Board:

As to the Furnace School: (a) The Pennsylvania Railroad Company will remove the brick dwelling house from the Lighthammer lot, and move the school house onto the said Lighthammer lot, placing it upon a good and suitable foundation practically where the Lighthammer house now stands, and repair all damages which may have been done to the house during its vacancy or in moving it.

(b) The Company will fence the lot on all sides excepting the public highway with a good woven wire fence, build a suitable coal house, and two suitable water closets with proper walks and screens as required by the school code.

(c) The Company will then give the School Board title in fee simple to so much of the said Lighthammer lot as is not now occupied by the new public highway.

As to the Pletcher School: (a) The Pennsylvania Railroad Company will add to the ground lot now to make the entire lot one acre, move the school building now on this lot to a good substantial foundation back and eastward from the location it now occupies, to give it proper distance from the highway, and repair all damage which may have been done to the building during its vacancy and in moving it.

(b) The Company will fence the lot on all sides excepting the public highway with a good woven wire fence, build a substantial coal house, and two suitable water closets, with proper walks and screen as required by the school code.

(c) The Company will then give the School Board title in fee simple to the entire lot of one acre.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company will also reimburse the district for such net pecuniary loss, if any, as it may have sustained since the Company took possession of the grounds, by reason of the repairing and heating of a building to take the place of the buildings aforesaid which were rendered untenable by reason of railroad construction, and other expenses incidental thereto, not exceeding the sum of \$141.50.

The Company completed the work and the buildings were ready for occupancy at the date of opening the school term, and when turned over to the Board, and the necessary legal arrangements were concluded, the Board unanimously adopted the following resolutions, which also became a part of the minutes of the Board:

Resolved, 1st.—That the said Pennsylvania Railroad Company has in good faith all the provisions of the agreement of May 24, 1913, made by it, with the School District of Howard township, regarding the taking of the grounds of the two schools known as the Furnace school and the Pletcher school, by moving and repairing the houses as specified in that agreement; also by making and giving to the Board of Directors deeds for the grounds now occupied by the buildings as specified in said agreement; also by paying to the said Board of Directors the sum of money, namely One hundred Forty-one Dollars and Fifty cents, (\$141.50) as specified in said agreement, therefore, be it resolved, and it is hereby.

gal action which may have been begun by our attorney against the Pennsylvania Railroad company is hereby definitely withdrawn and abandoned."

In concluding this arrangement, the Company gave the Board a properly executed deed, signed by Vice President W. W. Atterbury, and had it recorded at Bellefonte at its own expense. This enriches the District by whatever may be the value of these lots, as it had no title for the lots upon which the houses formerly stood, having only the right to their use for school purposes; whereas now, if for any reason one or both of these schools shall be abandoned, the District will have a valuable property for sale, for which it can give a clear title. In addition to this the Company put far more work and cost upon the reorganizing of the two houses and their surroundings than it had promised. Finding them in a badly worn and unfit condition, it re-roofed and re-floored them, put them on better foundations than the original ones, painted them as well as the fences and outbuildings, handsomely and thoroughly, inside and out, laid substantial brick walks at all needed places, graded the grounds at large cost, and in short, spared no expense to make them representative of what the one-room country school house should be and far better than any other buildings and grounds owned by the district. The Pennsylvania Railroad Company deserves and receives much credit for the large and liberal-handed way in which it has dealt with this proposition.

The Union prayer meeting for this evening will be held in the United Evangelical church. The continuing interest in these meetings greatly encourages the brethren of the Ministerial association.

Editor Dunham is offering his Hustler for sale.

Mrs. Elizabeth Lucas was a Bellefonte visitor Friday.

Mrs. Ward Schenck spent Sunday with friends in Lock Haven.

Miss Bension called on friends in Lock Haven Friday of last week.

John Lyon looked after some of his lumber business in Mill Hall Friday last.

Mrs. John Mokie spent Saturday and Sunday with her father at his Leomont home.

The Misses Mollie and Alma Daughenbaugh were Mill Hall visitors Sunday.

Harry Diehl, of Clearfield, is at home for a short stay and rest with his parents.

Mrs. John Loder and daughter, Miss Mabel, were among the Lock Haven visitors Saturday.

Allison McKibben, of Mill Hall, was the guest of his sister, Mrs. Charles Bowes, on Sunday.

The Misses Nellie and Lauretta Weber spent Sunday with their friend, Miss Lou Stover at Mill Hall.

Claude R. Moore postponed his work at Wilkes-Barre long enough to be at home over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward McClintic, of Nittany, were passengers for Bellefonte on Friday's morning train.

Recovering at the Lock Haven hospital from a minor operation, Clair Butler has returned to his home and work.

John C. Brooks and wife and fine new baby are spending the vacation weeks at Grandpa Geo. D. Johnson's home.

Miss Ada Thomas, of the west end, spent several days of last week with her cousins, the Misses Maud and Gertrude Thomas.

The Misses Katherine Packer, of Lock Haven, and Mae McMillen, of Cannonsburg, were week-end guests of Miss Woodward.

Miss Carrie Butler is slowly getting the better of her serious illness, but too slowly to be entirely comfortable for herself or her many friends.

Mrs. D. W. Mestine, of Millinburg, visited with her sister, Mrs. C. C. Lucas, last week, and was accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Berris, of Milton.

Messrs. John Meigs and John Gorman, engineer and bookkeeper, respectively on the railroad construction last year, were in town a few days ago.

R. P. Poulson, of Titusville, of the firm of Shutt and Poulson who operated our handle factory for several years, spent last week with his father-in-law, S. I. Reber.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Lucas, the Misses Mollie H. and Nannie Lucas, and Mrs. Harvey were part of the Howard contingent which saw the sights of Bellefonte Friday.

Immediately up their departure for Kentucky last Wednesday, Henry Williams, who had purchased it, moved into the old home of Mr. and Mrs. Shuman Holter, on Grove street.

Jackson Kline is putting a new roof on the house he recently purchased of Henry Thompson, and when he gets it painted up it will be another "cleaned up" spot on Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Smeltzer and two sons, of Pleasant Gap, and Mrs. Geo. Garbrick, of Bellefonte, drove down in their auto for a Sunday call upon their relatives, the Charles E. Yearlick family.

Mrs. Perry Cole, of Bakertown, Cambria county, stopped off here when on the way home from a visit with friends in Lock Haven, for a few days with her sister, Mrs. Edward Henderson.

Gratified with a visit of several weeks with her sister, Mrs. Frank Casselberry, Mrs. Grace Spencer returned to her home at Barre, Huntingdon county, accompanied by her little daughter, Phoebe.

More work for the assessor and the census taker is piling up here: A new boy arrived at the home of John Gallagher last week, and the home of Chauncey Pletcher was brightened by the advent of another girl.

Miss Sude Pletcher is at home for a rest after a busy season as stenographer and bookkeeper at a large cannery, at Franklinville, New York. When fully recovered she will return to her stated work in Lancaster.

Mrs. William Markie, who has been visiting with her parents for some days, returned to her State College home Saturday, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Charles Beighdol, both daughters of Edward Shope and wife.

Mrs. Fannie Gardner Leathers had a little family dinner on Sunday, at which her brother, Wycliffe H. Gardner, of Mackeyville, M. I. Gardner, of Bellefonte, Mrs. W. R. Gardner, with her two children, Donald and Sarah were the guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Pifer are away up in the air just now because they are grandparents for the first time, and Mrs. Pifer started promptly Saturday, for the home of her daughter,

Mrs. Olive Kepner, at Altoona to see the new little girl.

After having been discharged from hospital and being about home and town for several days, Alfred Strickland was compelled to return to the hospital last Friday for further treatment of his left hand which was badly injured on the rip saw in the handle works at Mt. Eagle some weeks ago.

Mr. Clarence D. Johnson, who has for sometime been giving much of his attention to egg production, using the notably prolific White Leghorn hens, sent a quintette of his beauties, each of which already has a record, last Monday evening to represent his flock in the North American International Egg-laying competition, now in progress in Philadelphia. Here's hoping that the Howard biddies may win.

UNIONVILLE.

The sick of the town, we are glad to say, are still improving, but, not yet able to be around.

Ralph Moran, who has been employed in Altoona for some time, spent last Sunday with his friends in this place. It was quite a temptation to stay away from Unionville so long. Glad to see you Ralph.

The junior choir of the Methodist Episcopal church of this place rendered the music last Sunday night for preaching service. The singing was enjoyed by all, being conducted by their leader, Miss Rumberger. There were also several members taken into the Epworth League by the minister, Rev. H. K. Ash.

Mr. and Mrs. Abednego Williams have been attending the Friends annual meeting at Baltimore, Md., for the last week.

Mrs. John Askens expects to start a bible class soon, which will be held at her home every Friday evening. She has twenty-three members on her roll at present. This we hope will be carried out and prove successful, as there is a very interesting part of the bible to be studied.

Wm. Summers and his family expect to move into part of Mrs. Finch's house this winter for the purpose of taking care of the aged lady.

Mrs. Dora Fisher, of this place, and Mrs. N. B. Spangler, of Bellefonte, have been in Philadelphia the past week transacting business.

Mrs. Ed. Rye, of Tyrone, spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Code Kreps, of this place, returning home Sunday evening.

Last Wednesday evening an oyster supper was held at the home of Mrs. Dora Fisher, oysters being served both fried and stewed. The evening was spent by having a grand old time, music rendered by Mr. McElwain on the violin. The following guests were present: Misses Belle Faxon, Margaret Eckenroth, Kezia Calhoun, Rebekah Calhoun, Elsie Kerchner, Millie Kerchner, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Diehl, Harry McElwain, Paul Clancy, Harry Kerchner, Mr. Musser and Mr. Keeler, both of Bellefonte.

Mrs. Harry Musser is at present visiting friends and relatives in Bellwood and other western cities, accompanied by her small children.

"Domino" is getting along fine, is able to be about and take a trip to the postoffice when the weather is nice. We all hope for his speedy recovery.

The Odd Fellows will hold their annual banquet in their rooms, Saturday evening, November 1st. Doors will be opened to all Odd Fellows and their wives at 7 o'clock.

Mrs. Margaret Kirk, formerly of this place, died at Sandy Ridge, Monaca, and will be buried in the Philadelphia cemetery, Thursday, October 30th.

SCOTIA

Hunting seems to be in order here at present.

Chester Haessinger, who has been employed at Mahaffey for some time past, is spending a month at his home.

J. M. Lykens spent Saturday at Pine Grove Mills having some dental work done.

George Kellerman was a Bellefonte visitor one day last week.

Geo. Harper, Jr., and wife, of State, visited at the home of P. E. Hicks, Sunday.

Harry Kellerman moved to Bellefonte on Wednesday of last week.

The young ladies of the M. E. church will hold a social in the band hall, Saturday evening, November 1. Ice cream, cake, candy, etc., etc., will be for sale. Proceeds for the benefit of the church. Everybody come and bring your friends.

Mrs. Edard Zimmerman, of Bellefonte, spent a few days here last week.

Mr. L. Olin Meek, head of the Museum department of the mint in Philadelphia is home on his annual vacation visiting his brother, P. Gray Meek and his sisters up Buffalo Run.

—Don't fail to attend the Edison Talking Pictures at the opera house tomorrow and Saturday night. Those who failed to see this attraction when it was here before, missed a treat. Now is your opportunity.

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5 gal. Kerosene Oil	\$.58	\$.75
Loose Coffee	19	25
Flour, per sack	1.19	1.35
Rice, per sack	.07	.10
Seeded Raisins	.09	.12
Canned Tomatoes	.09	.13
Banner Lys, 2 for	25	30
Arm & Hammer Soda	.18	.25
5-lb box Oat Flake	.21	.25
Dunhams Coconut	.08	.10
Walter Bakers Choc.	.19	.25
Federal Stock Food	.20	.25
Bluing, per bottle	.07	.10
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Representatives of Four Generations.

In the above group are pictured four members of well known Centre county families, each of whom is representative of a generation. Mrs. Mary Meese, the elder lady, resides at Stormstown, and is 74 years of age. Her maiden name was Fultz, her progenitors having been hardy Pennsylvania people from whom she inherited traits of longevity. The others in the picture are her daughter Ellen, wife of W. H. Ghaner; their daughter Dora, wife of Harry Williams; the little Miss is Mr. and Mrs. Williams' daughter Violet, to whom the great-grandmother is fondly attached. All of the above except Mrs. Meese, reside at Benore.

—International Opera Company opens Star Course this year. Five numbers, \$1. 27-t.f.

THE LYRIC THEATRE Programme

THURSDAY NIGHT.

"Secret Service Sam." (Imp) feature in two reels. "O U Scotch Lassie" (Crystal) with Pearl White and Chester Barnett. "The Doctor's Story" (Power), a story within a story. "Battle of Bull Con." (Nestor), a great comedy. Five big reels. Don't miss this program.

FRIDAY NIGHT

"His Indian Wife," 101 Bison feature in two reels; spectacular Indian production. "Junliata" (Nestor), a love story. "Cheating" (Powers). Four big reels. Don't miss the 101 Bison.

SATURDAY NIGHT.

"Comedian's Mask" (Imp) in two parts, with the famous King Boggot. "None but the brave deserve it?" (Gem), a continual laughter from beginning to end. "Hanchman's double." (Frontier). Animated Weekly No. 75. Five big reels. Don't miss these programs which cannot be beat. Every day is feature day at the Lyric. Doors open 6 p. m. on Saturday.

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