

### Echoes From the Past

#### Fifty Years Ago

"School" is the name of a monthly magazine published at Williamsport. The publication is edited by W. R. Leathers, a young man formerly of Howard.

This week the managers of the Nali Works decided not to employ any boys in their works who are under 18 years of age. They prefer to give employment to men who have families to support and are out of work. Another reason, boys under that age should be attending school.

Mr. Samuel Sharer, formerly a citizen of Centre County, but who for over twenty-five years has lived in Illinois, spent the past three months with his brother, David Sharer, of Zion, and other relatives in this section. He started for his home in the west on Tuesday morning.

Rev. Sarvis, of the M. E. church, closed his revival at the church at the Centre Iron Co's Works. His labors there resulted in seventy-eight conversions. He is now holding similar meetings at Pleasant Gap. Mr. Israel Sternberg arrived home last week from Lowell, Mass. where he has been engaged in Journalism. The "Pennsylvania

Mr. Estace Grimes, formerly in the office of the Bellefonte Furnace Company, has accepted a clerkship under Mr. Harriott, at Harrisburg, and left on Monday, to assume his duties. The Blair County Banking Company expects to erect a handsome new building on the corner of Main and Third Streets. Tyrone. The plans for the building will be furnished by Robert Cole, Bellefonte architect.

The Bellefonte borough election passed off very quietly here Tuesday. A large vote was polled in spite of the inclemency of the weather. The whole Republican ticket was elected by majorities ranging from 80 to 165. The ticket elected is as follows: W. F. Reeder, chief Burgess; J. Linn Harris, assistant Burgess; Charles Cook (treasurer); S. D. Ray, tax collector; James I. McClure, poor overseer; John Kline, auditor; and Samuel Delige, high constable.

The new residence of Mr. F. C. Montgomery, on Linn Street, makes a very handsome appearance since the scaffolding has been removed. Mr. Montgomery expects to occupy it in the spring. The wedding of Mr. William S. Elliott, of Chicago, and Miss Anna McLehenny, of Beech Creek, occurred at the Presbyterian church at Beech Creek, Wednesday evening. Nick Bauer was elected councilman in the South Ward, Bellefonte, by a majority of one vote. The stationer, has a nice line of musical instruments on exhibition in his front store window.

Week before last while a band of choppers were at work felling trees on Litchenfalet's tract, in the Seven Mountains, nine miles southwest of Pardee, on the Lewisburg & Tyrone railroad, they cut down a tree which fell on a rock under which a bear had his winter quarters. The animal resented the insult by coming out and attacking the choppers with such fury as to require the united efforts of half a dozen men to kill it, and only succeeded after receiving nine cuts in the head and body from axes in the hands of the men. It was a monster she-bear and an exploration of the lair revealed the presence of two cubs.

### RUX Compound Was What I Wanted-- Relieved My Pains

Pennsylvania Man Says Rheumatic-Like Pains In Shoulder-Neck Broken Into Sleep at Night--Now So Pleased to Find Relief



A happier person is Mr. L. E. Miller, 237 South St., Williamsport, Pa. He says in his own words:

"Rheumatic-like pains have given me a lot of discomfort, so when I discovered RUX Compound and the fine relief it is bringing me from these aches and pains, it's only natural that I want to tell all my friends about it.

"With the pains relieved, it's a pleasure to want to be more active, to sleep better, and to enjoy my work more. From my own experience, I recommend RUX Compound to others."

Before another day goes by, decide for yourself to try RUX Compound which your own neighbors and friends praise so highly. Just come to the WHITE BROS. Drug Store and ask for the genuine RUX Compound (liquid). Three economical sizes for your convenience. Sold by leading druggists everywhere.

A kitchen shower was given at the home of Dr. E. S. Maloy, by the Methodist Sunday School, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Williams, who were making their home with Dr. Maloy at the time.

The home of Miss Rebecca N. Rhoads on West Linn Street, which was destroyed by fire some time ago, was being torn down by a crew of workmen in preparation for the erection of a new bungalow on the site.

Marriage licenses were issued to these couples: Warren E. Hosterman, Woodward, and Lottie M. Wolfe, Aaronburg; G Frank Smith and M. Alverda, Sweeney, both of Pottery Mills; Andrew H. Tarbert, York, and Ruth L. Coxey, of Bellefonte.

Perry Gentzel, who had been ill at his farm home east of Bellefonte, was reported to be in serious condition—Miss Rachel Shuey, organist at the Methodist church, was spending a two weeks' vacation with friends at Kingston, and during her absence Mrs. Ross Parker was serving as organist.

Dan Showalter suffered an injury of the left knee and ankle while driving the motorcycle which he used in delivering parcel post. He was rounding the corner at Logan and Allegheny Streets when the machine overturned, pinning the rider beneath. He was forced to remain home several days.

After a consultation of three Bellefonte physicians it was decided to send Miss Catherine Gross, of Bellefonte, to the Orthopedic hospital in Philadelphia for treatment. Her right hip had been injured some months ago in a fall and recently she had injured the other hip which was showing indications of becoming stiff.

Mrs. Sarah Poorman, of Coleville, had a plum tree in her yard which was in blossom. The mild weather had brought out buds on trees and shrubbery in many sections of the county. Other indications of an early spring included the flight of a large flock of wild geese over Bellefonte. The birds were traveling northward.

Al Robinson, who resided at Panther Run, Centre County, had brought suit against the New York Central Railroad for \$100,000, which he claimed were killed by trains. He alleged that wires enclosing the railroad at the point where the cattle were killed had been cut by employees of the company who were hauling ties.

While on her way home from school Fay Teaman, eight-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Teaman, of Reynolds Avenue, Bellefonte, ran out in the street in front of the Court House and was struck by a car driven by W. C. Krader, of the Krader Motor Company. Her left leg was fractured when she was struck by the machine. The possibility of hub-deep mud on the driveways leading through Grange Park, Centre Hall, such as was experienced the previous fall, was lessened when five carloads of cinders, shipped by the Pennsylvania Railroad from Northumberland, free of charge, were placed on the drives. Fifteen teams and a score of Grangers worked on the task of spreading the cinders to double track width to a depth sufficient to keep autos from again floundering in the mud.

The single track of the Mifflin & Centre County branch of the Pennsylvania Railroad near Burnham was blocked five hours after the wreck of a single car. A car bearing a 77-ton casting from the Standard Steel plant was being transported over the railroad when the topheavy car upset on a curve and the casting fell into a swamp. It was estimated that even with the most powerful derrick available, it would require two days to drag the casting from the swamp.

### 20 YEARS AGO

Mrs. Thomas C. Miller, formerly Miss Mary Wagner, of Centre Hall, received a handpainted China berry set from her fellow operators at the Centre Hall exchange, on the occasion of her marriage. Those who presented the gift were: the Misses Essie Coldron, Verna Rowe, Lena Emerick and Lena Breon.

While Charles Wagner and Edward Bertram, both of Bellefonte, were driving out Water Street in Bertram's Buick roadster, the car skidded near the Bellefonte Lumber Company office, struck a telephone pole, and turned over on its side. Both young men escaped injury and crawled out through the side curtains. The car was badly damaged.

The following pupils in the primary department of the Coleville school had perfect attendance records for January: Alice Tate, Madeline Tate, Savilla Corman, Mildred Green, Esther King, Ethel Stover, Janet Thomas, Hazel Keeler, John Robb, Donald Keeler, Edward Green, Roger Poorman, Raymond Love, Paul Justice, Oscar Blisset, Russell Poorman, John Mills, Gilbert McMurtry and Ralph Stover. The teacher was Annie Sheeder.

F. W. Crider one of Bellefonte's oldest and best known business men, and widely known through central Pennsylvania as a dealer in lumber, died at his apartment in the Hotel Chalfonte, Atlantic City, where he had gone in the interests of his health. He was aged 76 years. Bearers at the funeral here were: James C. Furst, John Curtin, John McCoy, W. Hazel Montgomery, Gordon Montgomery, J. K. Barkhart, and Charles E. Dorworth, all of Bellefonte, and James Freeman, of Tyrone.

A seizure of liquor by State Police, valued at \$10,000, was brought to Bellefonte for safe keeping in the basement of the postoffice. The load of booze was captured at Graysville after a truck and roadster had escaped State Police at Lewisport during a running fight in which police fired a number of shots. Word was sent on to State Police here to watch for the caravan. Officers got Jim Baum's large Franklin touring car and chased the truck and roadster from Centre Hall to Graysville where the truck halted when its gasoline supply ran out. The driver, Michael Varowski, of Lewisport, was brought to the local jail. In the truck were three barrels and ten cases of whiskey, while the roadster carried 178 quart bottles packed in the rear.

### Over The County News

Mrs. W. S. Shelton, of Millheim, slipped on the icy pavement in front of their home and suffered a severely sprained ankle last week.

Mrs. Vianna Meyer, of Millheim, became ill suddenly last Thursday afternoon and collapsed at her home. In falling, she lay against the hot water pipes and was severely burned on an arm, shoulder and across her back. She is better at this time, but remains bedfast. Miss Mary Jane Stover, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Z. Stover, of Pine Creek, is attending to the household duties and acting as a nurse and companion to Mrs. Meyer.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Page of Pittsburgh became the proud parents of a son born at 6 o'clock last Monday morning in the McGee hospital, Pittsburgh. The baby weighed 8 pounds and is the second child and second boy in the Page family. Mrs. Page is the former Mrs. Curtin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Mac Curtin, of Bellefonte. The baby will be named Andrew Curtin Page in honor of its great great grandfather, Andrew Gregg Curtin of Bellefonte who was Pennsylvania's Civil War Governor. The Pages' first child, Benjamin B. Page is two years old.

The Busy Bee Sunday School class of the Pleasant Gap Methodist church was entertained recently by the home of Mrs. John Lockhart of Peru. The guests played games and refreshments were served at the close of the evening. Those present are as follows: Helen Tate, Paula Lego, Catherine Griffith, Betty Jean Noll, Betty Larimer, Patty Larimer, Alice Horner, Rose Marie Meyers, Esther Lambert, Isabelle Sorenson, Thelma Dunkleberger, Glennia Mone, Shirley Rimmey, Edie Domany, Lucille Lockhart, Frank Lockhart, Mrs. Hill teacher of the class, and Mr. and Mrs. John Lockhart.

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The rebuilding of the ice plant of John W. Millward and Sons of Osceola Mills, which was destroyed by fire a few weeks ago was started last week. Engineers and carpenters started with the refitting and rebuilding of machinery and the building construction. In order that a quick completion of the job may be made material is on the grounds for the building construction, and necessary equipment for the plant is on its way. Mr. Millward stated that in about four to five weeks his plant will be producing ice, made from the second best tested water in the state.

W. L. Swarm of Millheim boarded a Greyhound bus last Tuesday afternoon for Coatsville where he entered the U. S. Veterans Hospital for a checkup on his physical condition.

Four Phillipsburg residents left last week for Miami, Fla. They are Ellsworth Fiegal, Morriadale; Claude Getts Jr., Harry Piaberg, and Oscar Abramson. They expect to be gone for about two weeks.

Mrs. Cleve Engard, of Spring Mills, fell at her farm home last Tuesday evening and injured her right arm. On Wednesday, she was taken to the Centre County Hospital at Bellefonte, where examination revealed a fracture at the shoulder. Mrs. Engard returned home again on Sunday, and her household activities are now considerably restricted but she is recovering satisfactorily.

Henry P. Erdley, of Spring Mills, who was reported last week as having become a patient in the Lewisburg Hospital and suffering from the effects of a stage of grippe, had developed typhoid fever before his admittance to the institution. His condition is reported as being very satisfactory but his confinement to the hospital will assure him of the proper care until the disease has run its course.

Captain and Mrs. W. R. Swarm were arrivals in Millheim last week-end for a short visit with Captain Swarm's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Swarm. Captain Swarm had been stationed at Fort Sill, Oklahoma, during the early part of the Army training period, and has now been transferred to Fort Bragg, near Fayetteville, N. C. Captain Swarm is in the Field Artillery and has been in training with the U. S. adaptation of the French 75's, an effective field weapon in World War but to be displaced with the newer and more effective 105's, a combination howitzer and field piece.

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### LESSONS IN ENGLISH

**Words Often Misused**  
Do not say, "Let's you and I go now." Say, "Let's you and me go now."  
Do not say, "If the weather is favorable I think I shall chance it." Say, "I think I shall try (or risk) it."

**Words Often Misspelled**  
Heyday; observe the e, though pronounced hay-day. Gnat; observe the gn. Arrogant; observe the r and ant. Eucire (card game); pronounce i-ker. Dominering; observe the ee. Architect; no k in the spelling.

**Word Study**  
"Use a word three times and it is yours." Let us increase our vocabulary by mastering one word each day. Words for this lesson: TRANSITORY; continuing only for a short time. "It was not the transitory light of a comet, which shines and glows for awhile, and then vanishes into nothing."—South.

**Words Often Mispronounced**  
Cherubic. Pronounce che-roo-bik, e as in me unstressed, oo as in too, i as in it, and accent second syllable.  
Fenwick (an English family name). Pronounce fen-ik, e as in me, i as in it, and not fen-wick.  
Content (noun and verb). Accent noun on first syllable, verb on last syllable.

**POTTERS MILLS**  
Mr. Merrill Copenhaver and family of Aaronburg spent Thursday at the Mr. H. E. Faust home.  
Mr. Frank Bible, wife, daughter Emma from Aaronburg accompanied by Miss Ethel Treasurer visited Mr. Clark Bible in Yeagertown Saturday afternoon. They found Mr. Bible in a very serious condition from the effects of a stroke.

**"DYNAMITE" SPRAYS ARE NOT EXPLOSIVE**  
"Dynamite" spray applications are not explosive, H. N. Wortley, professor of economic entomology at the Pennsylvania State College, explains. They do not blow up cooling moth worms.  
"Dynamite" of inverted spray mixtures were invented to save time and money for fruit growers and tests conducted in recent years at the Pennsylvania State College fruit research laboratory at Ardenstville indicate that they have considerable merit. When the mixture is applied in large quantities to trees, the drip consists of water alone, while the poison tends to remain; the heavy deposit produced is "dynamite" in the coding moth larvae.

### REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Oscar Summers, et ux, to Irvin J. Lucas, of Wingate, tract in Boggs Twp., \$150.  
Maude Snee Fleck, adm., to Earl M. Fleck, of Phillipsburg, tract in Phillipsburg, \$1.  
Harry Badger, attorney-in-fact, to Samuel H. Poorman, et ux, of Bellefonte, tract in Bellefonte, South Ward, \$1.  
First National Bank of Osceola, to Rena Wood Hobbs, et al, tract in Rush Twp., \$6,980.

Boro. of Bellefonte, to Mary H. Broderick, of State College, tract in Bellefonte, West Ward, \$1,900.  
W. S. Craft, adm., to William B. Swartz, et ux, of State College, tract in State College, \$7,000.  
Hugh H. Williams, et ux, to Horace O. Williams, et ux, of Lansdale, tract in State College, \$1.  
Mary I. Path, et al, to Charles E. Dorworth, of Bellefonte, tract in Snow Shoe Twp., \$1.  
H. O. Smith, et ux, to Wallace E. White, et ux, of State College, tract in State College, \$1.  
A. B. Curtis & Co., to Hollis J. Knepp, et ux, of Phillipsburg, tract in Rush Twp., \$650.

Emma C. Tyson, et bar, to Clymer C. Tyson, of Pembok, Harrisburg, tract in Miles Twp., \$1.  
Tyrone Sportsmen's Association, Inc., to George Christine, et ux, of Tyrone, tract in Taylor Twp., \$50.  
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Pierre DeGarde Boal, et ux, to First National Bank, of State College, tract in Patton Twp., \$1.  
Lawrence F. Womer, et ux, to Clarence A. Jackson, et ux, of State College, tract in State College, \$1.  
Alice Winton, et al, to Charles W. Rishell, et ux, of Endicott, Md., tract in Spring Twp., \$1.  
Charles W. Rishell, et ux, to Alice Winton of Bellefonte, tract in Spring Twp., \$1.

James S. Reed, et ux, to Francis A. Straub, of Pine Grove Mills, tract in Ferguson Twp., \$420.  
Francis A. Straub, et ux, to Robert J. Cori, et ux, of Ferguson Twp., tract in Ferguson Twp., \$1.  
Edward Shaw, et ux, to Edward Johnson, et ux, of Buffalo, N. Y., tract in Rush Twp., \$325.

Caroline McCloskey, to Laura E. McCormick, of Spring Mills, R. D., tract in Potter Twp., \$1.  
Laura E. McCormick, to George H. McCormick, of Spring Mills, R. D. 1, tract in Potter Twp., \$1.  
Marie McClellan, to Malcolm S. Bathurst, et ux, of Milesburg, tract in Milesburg, \$100.

Orvis Lucas, et ux, to Orvis Lucas, et ux, of Boggs Twp., tract in Boggs Twp., \$1.  
Paul H. Cummings, et ux, to Volga C. Walker, of Rebersburg, tract in Miles Twp., \$1.  
Nelle B. Cori, to Fremont S. Hill, of Pleasant Gap, tract in Spring Twp., \$1.

James Stark, to James Stark, Jr., of Snow Shoe, tract in Snow Shoe, \$1.  
**COLLEGE CONFAB TO BE HELD AT PENN STATE**  
Student delegates from 70 college and universities in the state have been invited to attend the second annual Pennsylvania Student Government Association convention this weekend at the Pennsylvania State College. The meetings will extend from Friday to Sunday.

Among the speakers will be Dr. William Mather Lewis, president of Lafayette College and director of Selective Service for Pennsylvania, who will speak on "The Part of the Student in the Selective Service Program." Another speaker will discuss absentee voting legislation, which has been advocated by many college students.  
The president of the state-wide association is Thomas C. Backenstose, of Schaefferstown, a senior in agricultural education at Penn State.

Let's remember at all times, that the prime function of Bellefonte is to promote family life, including the proper growth of children.  
The sort of illustration which

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### Sunday School Lesson

**JESUS CALLS TO PRAYER**  
International Sunday School Lesson for February 23, 1941.  
GOLDEN TEXT: "Lord, teach us to pray."—Luke 11:1.  
Lesson Text: Luke 18: 1-14.

In considering prayer, there is much for us to think about. What is prayer? Why should we cultivate it and how? How far should we depend upon it in ordinary and unusual affairs of life?

The person who believes in the reality of Jesus and neglects prayer is neglecting an avenue which leads to great comfort and blessing. Time and again Jesus sought, by word and example, to enlighten his disciples about the function and power of prayer.

Very often in his own life, Jesus practiced prayer—it was the medium by which he communicated with the eternal. In this day of radio broadcast, we should not be confronted by any doubt as to the ability to transmit a spiritual message through the ether. In preparation for the momentous moments of his life Jesus resorted to prayer, and, usually, he followed them likewise.

In seeking to furnish his followers with a correct conception of prayer and its usefulness, Jesus spoke various parables, two of which constitute our lesson. In both of these, strangely the author explains the point of the parable before he gives it. He first emphasized the need for constant prayer and the second sufficiency in righteousness, which would destroy the value of prayer.

We have the picture of an unjust judge, fearless and defiant of God and man who was finally prevailed upon to execute justice by continuing to plead and seeking. Therefore, the Christian is free to "represent all our interests, all our wants, great and small, without reserve, and prolonged repetition." No man can earnestly desire any moral quality without tending in himself toward the goal. Prayer fixes our aim, attracts our own efforts, and assures our own cooperation with God.

One should not have a false notion about prayer. If we ask for selfish, harmful things we will not acquire them. Adoniram Judson could say: "I have never been deeply interested in any object and prayed sincerely and earnestly for it, but at some time—no matter how distant the day, somehow, I should have desired—it came." His great faith but to a spirit in harmony with divine purposes. God answers prayer if the request is in keeping with his plans and beneficence in its entire effect.

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