

# PORT MATILDA

Mrs. John P. Auman, Mr. and Mrs. William Knisely, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Martin, Philadelphia, visited Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Auman and E. H. Auman, Saturday, while enroute to Erie.

Mrs. Grace Weaver, Miss Mildred Weaver, Miss Helen Thompson, Mrs. Jessie Lykens, Mrs. Dorothy Frantz, Mrs. Mae Ross attended the meeting of State College Chapter, Order of Eastern Star, Tuesday evening.

Charles Woodring, of Conshohocken, visited his mother, Mrs. Samuel Woodring, and other relatives over the weekend.

G. R. Cowher attended a refrigeration demonstration in Altoona Wednesday.

Donald Herr, Altoona, visited Mr. and Mrs. Harold Crain, Saturday.

Big, Edgar Gearhart, U.S.N., Philadelphia, spent the weekend with his wife, Mrs. Rose Gearhart, and Connie Lou.

Russell Keller, U.S.M. has returned to Portsmouth, N.H., after

spending a 10 day furlough with his wife, Mrs. Gwendolyn Keller, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Nicodemus attended Parents Day ceremonies at Westminster College, New Wilmington, Pa. Their daughter, Ann, is a senior student there.

Mrs. Betty Jane Reibenbaugh and daughter, of Lancaster, spent the past week at the home of her mother, Mrs. Ruth A. Crain. She was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Merle Haseltine, Washington, Pa., who were Monday guests at the Crains. Mr. Haseltine is a member of the Safety Division, American Trucking Association, and presented a lecture on safe driving at Penn State, Monday evening.

The PTA committee has announced that \$546.75 has been contributed for school playground equipment. Contributors are: McPeely Brick Co., \$150; Port Matilda Board of Education, \$150; Citizens of Port Matilda, Worth and Houston townships, \$246.75. The list of donors is posted in Sharer's barbershop and at the school. Solicitors were: Mrs. Roxanna Bennett, Mrs. Hazel Robinson, Mrs. William A. Ross, Mrs. Ann Ziegler, Mrs. Jean Gensamer, Mrs. Effie Auman and T. W. Wiser. Order has been placed for a double wide sliding board and swings. See-saws will be ordered next week. Delivery is expected in 6 to 8 weeks. The campaign has not closed and anyone wishing to contribute may do so by contacting one of the solicitors.

The next meeting of the PTA will be held at 8 p.m. May 11 in the school building. The new officers will be elected and films on wildlife and the outdoors will be shown.

Officers of the Port Matilda Baptist Sunday School and church were elected last week at the annual business meeting. The new superintendent of the Sunday School will be Therman Wiser. Others elected were Rodney Reese, secretary; R. K. Kelly, asst. secretary; A. Q. Williams, treasurer; Earl Reese, asst. treasurer; Donald Bryan, librarian; church officers are: J. O. Corbin, clerk; Harry S. Williams,

treasurer and deacon for five years. Trustees elected were Therman Wiser, J. O. Corbin, Ira Reese, A. Q. Williams and Derbert Smith. The trustees were authorized to investigate the possibility of obtaining additional class and social rooms. They are to submit a report to the church within a month.

A new series of services went into effect in the Bald Eagle Baptist Parish on Sunday, May 6, enlarging opportunities for worship in the communities of Marthas and Port Matilda. A modified Sunday morning service will be held at the Port Matilda church. It will have the following features: supervised study period, 9:30 to 9:50 a.m.; worship period, 9:50 to 10:30; discussion and instructional period, 10:30 to 11:00; expressional period, 11:00 to 11:20. The expressional period Sunday was in charge of Mrs. Joyce Reese and her junior class. It consisted of a dedication service for the American and Christian flags, and the Bible. Services at the Marthas church consisted of Sunday School from 10 to 11 a.m. and worship from 11 to 12 noon. The Dix Run service: Sunday School at 9:30, and worship at 7:30 p.m.

The Port Matilda and Centre High School juniors' senior prom was held at the Delta Sigma Phi fraternity house Friday evening, Apr. 27, and 150 students attended. The faculty members and guests were: J. F. Wetzel, D. L. Graybill, Mrs. Edith Ashenfelter, Mr. and Mrs. Paul D. Breen, R. W. Bohn, and John A. Henderson, and guests, from Centre Hall; Mr. and Mrs. William A. Ross, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley J. Cobb, Gene W. Sprague, Mr. and Mrs. C. Paul Ziegler, Port Matilda.

Mrs. Roxanna Bennett, Mrs. Elizabeth Stine, Mrs. Maude Cowher, attended the district meeting of children's workers, Methodist Sunday Schools, at the Bellefonte Methodist Sunday School. Topics were, "Children's Day" and "Childhood Day".

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Andrest, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Andrest, of Baltimore, Md., and Merrill Woodring, of Altoona, spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George P. Hoover.

Mr. and Mrs. Ned Patton, Harrisburg, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Woodring, over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Barto, Westover; Mr. and Mrs. Pete Williams and family, Lemont, visited Mr. and Mrs. John Goss, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Rissmiller, Kay and Michael, visited the Rev.

and Mrs. Frank Weller, Mercersburg, Sunday.

Mrs. O. C. Spackman is a patient in the Phillipsburg State Hospital. Miss Madeline Steiner and Miss Gertrude Steiner, of Taylor, were weekend guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Musselman.

Mr. and Mrs. William Long, of Phillipsburg; Mr. and Mrs. George Gummo, Pine Grove Mills, visited Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Lykens on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kelly, Shirley and Donald, visited Mr. and Mrs. Carl Haast, Cumberland, Md., over the weekend.

L. M. Reese Jr. was honored on his birthday anniversary with a party at his home Saturday evening. Guests were: Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Reese Sr. and Patty, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ellenberger, Barry and Judy, Mr. and Mrs. John Bailey Jr., Nancy and Gary; Mr. and Mrs. George H. Rhule, Kenneth and Dennis; Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Reese Jr. and Robert.

Mrs. Lillian Spotts, Mrs. Roxie Sanderson transacted business in Phillipsburg, Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Spackman and family have moved into their newly built home on High Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Kelly, of Phillipsburg, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Forest Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Riggleman, Tyrone, were Saturday evening dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Stiver.

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Pringle, of Lock Haven, visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. Chester M. Pringle, over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Witherite visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Stimer, over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Simpson and son visited her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wolslagle, of Tyrone, Saturday.

Mrs. John Stimer visited her father, James Reese, of Julian, on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George Morgan visited their daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Holden, Orbisonia, and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Booth, Kissler, on Sunday.

Mrs. Roxanna Bennett and Mrs. Hannah M. Williams visited Mrs. Molly Williams, Dix Run, Sunday.

Miss Josephine Crain, Baltimore, Md., spent the weekend visiting her mother, Mrs. Ruth A. Crain.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Pardner have returned to the apartment owned by Mrs. Ruth A. Crain after spending the winter in Florida and Harrisburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Skiles and sons, of Woodland, visited her par-

ents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bailey on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Keller, Carolyn and Dennis, visited Mrs. Virginia Bonnell, Altoona, last week.

Horace Cowfer Jr. was honored on his 16th birthday anniversary with a party held at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Cowfer, Thursday evening. Guests included: Mrs. Ollie Cowher and Ruth; Mrs. Alec Catich, Caroline and John, Tyrone; Mr. and Mrs. Eileen Crain, Mrs. William Lewis, Gary and Lois, Mrs. Robt. Henning, Robert and Charles, Phillipsburg; Dorothy Hosband, Millie Moore, Edward Moore, Martin Shultzberger, Barbara Maguire, Robert Maguire, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Nevling, Ruby, Jane, Leach, Alton; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cowfer, William, Robert, Leroy, James Cowher, Janet Pink, Doyle Pink, Mr. and Mrs. John Cowfer, Sharon and Joy Lee, Barbara Beckwith, Link Reese, Kathryn Beckwith, John Beckwith, Joan Beckwith, Richard Beckwith, Dolores Maits, Marvin Loner, Charles Nearhoff, Donald Walk, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hosband, Hannah; Mrs. Roy Sones, Adeline, Joann, Frances Shirley, Laird Beryl Laird, Essie Mae Steele, Nancy Cowher, Shirley Cowher, Madeline Hoy, Mrs. Helen Bartley, and Arlene, of Port Matilda.

Margaret Knepp, of Morrisdale, spent several days last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Woodring.

Edward Leitze left for California to begin his springing the winter at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Leitze.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Pink, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Pink and daughter, Sophie Lou, were Thursday evening dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stine, State College. The dinner was held in honor of the birthday anniversary of Mr. G. L. Pink.

Mr. and Mrs. Spackman, Middletown, spent the weekend at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Spackman.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Tyson, Jersey Shore and Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Ardery, Nittany, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ely Knarr.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester M. Pringle, and Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Pringle visited Mr. and Mrs. Arch Woodring, Tyrone, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Eleanor Griffin, of Stormstown, visited her father, William Shultz, Saturday.

Mrs. Dorothy Pogle was a patient in the Centre County Hospital several days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Williams, High Hill, and Miss Verna Gonsallas, Warriors' Mark, visited Mr. and Mrs. George Harpster on Sunday.

Eugene Sprague, music director, Port Matilda schools, attended the Eastern Branch, Music Education Society convention, at Atlantic City this week.

Miss Marie Weigard, Miss Phyllis Small, Miss Helen Brown, of Dover, spent the weekend with Miss Weigard's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. William A. Ross.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Bish visited Mr. and Mrs. William Pence and Mr. and Mrs. Millard Bish, New Bethlehem, over the weekend.

Mrs. John W. Miles and infant daughter, Sharon Sue, have returned from the Phillipsburg State Hospital.

Roy Miles, State College, visited Mrs. Irene Woodring at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Auman on Tuesday.

Mrs. Robert Moore is a patient in the Phillipsburg State Hospital.

The annual May Fellowship Day luncheon was held in the Baptist Church on Friday, May 4. The topic for discussion was, "Women at Work". Mrs. Catherine Shope conducted the meeting in the absence of Ann Ziegler, president, the program being under the leadership of the Baptist Women's Missionary Society. Members of attendant societies participating in the program were: Mrs. Marian Stewart, president, Presbyterian Women's Missionary Society; Mrs. Lillian Spotts, Methodist Women's Society of Christian Service, and Helen Bartley, pianist. Following the program a buffet luncheon was served those who attended, as follows: Mrs. Mary Hoover, Mrs. Effie Auman, Mrs. Roxie Sanderson, Mrs. O. E. Henning, Misses Mabel Williams, Florence Milliams, Mrs. Hannah M. Williams, Mrs. Jean Reese, Mrs. Thelma Bailey, Mrs. Hilda Rhule, Mrs. L. M. Reese Sr., Mrs. Bertha Williams, Mrs. Annie Williams, Mrs. Catherine Shope, Mrs. Lillian Spotts, and Mrs. Hazel Stiver.

The Golden Rule class of the Port Matilda Methodist Sunday School held its regular monthly meeting at the home of the teacher, Mrs. Walter Smith, Thursday evening. A short business meeting was held, followed by a hymn sing. Plans were made for a wiener and marshmallow roast to be held at the next meeting. Refreshments were served to members present: Pearlina Barry, Carol Bennett, Janet Bennett, Catherine Bennett, Connie Bailey, Sally Goss, Gloria Hammer, Mady Lou Hoy, Linda Laird, Hannah Jane Robinson, Dorothy Rudy, Myra Jean Steele, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith.

Charles H. Dunlap and daughter, Charlotte, of Coesels Mills, William Books, of Altoona, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Crain, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Weston and family, of Breezewood, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Bennett and Victor Weston, over the weekend.

# WINGATE

Farmers are getting their corn ground plowed for corn.

Well, it looks as if the farmers and also a number of other folks do not like this thunderin' ridiculous Daylight Saving Time. The ones that vote for this kind of time ought to get a good kicking. To those of you who do not like Daylight Saving Time, just turn your clocks back I am not going by Day Light Saving Time myself, neither. It's nothing but a lot of crazy foolishness. The idea, to have to get up so early in the morning, I don't believe in this DST. God never commanded this, I intend to remain on Eastern Standard Time. Well, the Internal Revenue Department BETTER GET DOWN AND PRAY they better get out of their crooked business of suspending a good person's license over a reason like they did to Mrs. Florence Lucas last July until October, or they are going to land in Hell with the Devil and his Angels. To late will be their cry! They will knock at the Lord say that you can't come in, turn away from that beautiful gate. This is what is going to happen to the Pennsylvania State Police because they did Mrs. Florence Lucas a wrong to put her under arrest last January a year ago. Also the Logan Fire Company will land in Hell for pulling that trick on Mrs. Lucas two years ago. Oh! What a terrible black record they will have on the Lamb Book of Life. So all of you better get on your knees and pray, OR TOO LATE WILL BE YOUR CRY!

To Lucy Wilson: Well, according to your letter your brother is in love with a nice girl, and since he goes to college it would be much more sensible for him to keep his mind on his studies. But if he is not satisfied, then I say let them get married. His mother is jealous, hearted, but she must not be mean before the knot is tied. Ask him and her if they will be true to each other and live happily together until God comes. Have the minister explain to them not to let no man part them that God has joined together. I ain't answering no more letters. I've had letters from good sensible people. Your kind of impression is appreciated. Also ask your brother if he knows what he is getting married for. They must keep their marriage vows lawfully.

Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon Brown and little son, Garry, of Milesburg, motored up to Wingate last Sunday and were entertained to dinner with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Reese and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fisher entertained friends at their home on last Sunday.

Mrs. Florence Lucas visited the Pilgrim Holiness Sunday School and Church at push Hollow last Sunday morning. The Rev. Fisher preached a wonderful inspiring sermon which all enjoyed.

God did not have Daylight Saving Time when he was on Earth. You'll all be tired out from getting up so early in the morning. We'll show them crazy idiots that we are not going on fast time. Get those clocks back to Standard Time. The ones that voted for this fast time should have a thunderin' good kicking.

Mrs. Florence Lucas has a bad cold. There seems to be something going around. Colds are harder to get rid of these days.

# Spray Or Dust Will Help Strawberries

The size, quality and yield of strawberries can be greatly improved by controlling spittle bugs and other insects that attack the plants early in the season, informs Asst. County Agent Clair D. DeLong. Yields of berries can be increased as much as 30 per cent when an insecticide is properly applied.

The small, yellow nymphs of the spittle bug start appearing around the crown of the plant in April and can be detected by small patches of foam-like spittle on the leaves and stems. As the nymphs grow, they turn to a greenish-yellow and the spittle mass which surrounds them also increases in size. They usually complete their development in June and become mottled-brown, wedged-shaped hoppers, a little larger than a grain of wheat.

The adult spittle bugs are very common during summer months and can be detected when they jump from the plants and weeds on which they have been resting or feeding. The adult females lay eggs during the fall which will develop early the next spring.

For control of spittle bugs mix 2 tablespoons of 50 per cent chlordane wettable powder in one gallon of water, and thoroughly spray the strawberry plants just as the first blossoms appear. One gallon of spray will cover about 30 feet of row. For large plantings, use two pounds of 50 per cent chlordane wettable powder to 100 gallons of water and apply about 200 gallons of spray per acre.

A five per cent chlordane dust may be substituted for the spray. Use about 35-40 pounds of dust per acre. On small plantings, use four ounces of the 5 per cent dust to each 30-50 feet of row.

# Window Treatments For Your Home

Curtain and draperies are the connecting link between background and furniture in your home, explains Miss Helen S. Butler, home economics extension representative of Centre County. They bring color and design into your decorative scheme and screen unsightly views.

Use either glass curtains or blinds to diffuse the daylight and obtain privacy. Glass curtain fabrics are usually sheer and soft, and draperies may be lined or unlined.

It's important to have harmony of texture between curtain and drapery fabric. Experiment with fabric combinations before you make a definite choice. An example of curtain and drapery fabric usable together is marquisette and cretonne. Monk's cloth and voile are textures totally unsuited to each other. Correct texture combinations are as important as color, pattern, and line.

If you are skilled in sewing, you can make your own draperies. It is expensive to have them made. All draperies must be well-tailored.

If you make your own glass curtains, it's advisable to make the hems on both ends the same width and finish both sides alike, and the curtains then can be reversed for more even wear. Also if you finish both sides of draperies alike, they can be shifted from right to left, to distribute the bad effects of strong light.

Take measurements carefully, and make proper allowances for hems, headings and for shrinkage.



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Storing fresh bread in the freezer is one way Mrs. Hall plans ahead for big family dinners of 12 or more. She also saves money by buying freshly-dressed chickens and turkeys when prices are low, ordering a case of frozen fruit juice or a gallon of ice cream at one time . . . and storing them in her freezer.

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