

## Neighborhood News

News Items of Interest From Near-by Places, Gleaned by The Commercial's Special Correspondents.

### Notice to Correspondents.

The correspondents will confer great favor if they will get their correspondence into the office not later than Monday evening.

### SOMERSET.

March 24—Attorney Herman L. Baer, the oldest member of the Somerset bar, is quietly celebrating his birthday anniversary.

Mrs. Wilbur F. Cleaver, and daughter Miss Martine, returned from Cumberland, Md., where the latter consulted a specialist concerning a fall she sustained on an icy pavement several weeks ago, which has been slow in yielding to treatment.

Attorney C. F. Uhl, Jr., who had been confined to his home for a week with the grip is able to be out again.

George W. Buckman of Berlin and Dr. W. S. Kuhlman of Ursina were business visitors in town recently.

Mrs. Clarence E. Pyle is visiting relatives in Rockwood.

Miss Pearl I. Hood, of Johnstown, who had been visiting Miss Ella K. Huston, has returned home.

Miss Mary Black is spending several weeks with Miss Gladys Davis, in Piedmont, W. Va., and relatives at Keyser, W. Va.

Mrs. John A. Lambert and Mrs. Charles W. Walker, are entertaining their sister, Mrs. Charles W. Stanford, of New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard J. Vought, have as their guest, their daughter, Mrs. E. H. Schmucker, of Pittsburgh.

Attorney and Mrs. J. A. Berkey have returned from a trip to Washington, D. C., and points in Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Enoch F. Plough are entertaining their daughter, Mrs. H. A. Zimmerman, of Holsopple.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas S. Koontz are visiting relatives in Stoyestown.

Tax Collector Henry F. Barnett, has returned from a month's visit at Hot Springs, Ark.

Mrs. W. H. H. Baker, of Harrisburg, is visiting her father, ex-County Commissioner of Upper Turkeyfoot township, who has been seriously ill for several weeks.

Misses Bertha and Hattie Hough entertained a party of twenty friends at their home Wednesday evening.

Miss Nellie McGriff, who has been clerk and stenographer for Justice of the Peace, Walter W. Knable, in the insurance business for a number of years, has purchased her employer's agencies which she will conduct in the future. Mr. Knable retired from active business about a year ago. A large percentage of the fire insurance business originating in Somerset is now written by women representatives. Miss Harriet Connolly has been successfully engaged in placing policies for ten or twelve years.

The Somerset branch of the Women's Christian Temperance Union held their annual gathering in commemoration of the birthday of Frances E. Willard the other evening at the home of Mrs. Frank B. Granger, on the South Side. The union usually celebrates Miss Willard's birthday February 17th, on that date, but this year their activities were concentrated on the circulation of liquor license remonstrances and a later date was selected. Music was furnished by Miss Mary Granger, Miss Maud Gustio, Miss Emma Shaffer, Miss Pearl Custin, Miss Bertha Hough and Mrs. Austin D. Shaffer.

### ADDISON.

Mrs. E. R. Grimes spent Sunday in Listonburg, visiting friends.

Our town is having an epidemic of measles; quite a number of families are quarantined.

Alfred Wass, an old and respected citizen died at his home Saturday evening from pneumonia. Mr. Wass was a life long member of the Lutheran church and a man of christian qualities always trying to relieve distress. He was aged about 88 years and leaves one sister, Miss Charlotte. His wife died about 20 years ago and one son, George, living with whom he made his home.

Rev. G. A. Dunlap, pastor of St. Johns Evangelical Lutheran church, died suddenly on Saturday afternoon. Rev. Dunlap had been sick for quite a while. He had just returned from a Pittsburgh hospital, and seemed much improved, but Friday afternoon he grew worse and kept getting weaker until the end came. The remains were taken to York, Pa., on Wednesday for interment.

Amos Kurtz, who has been quite ill for some time with catarrh of the stomach, is not improving very much.

Mrs. Hampton Augustine has returned home after a three months visit with friends in New Orleans.

### OAKLAND, MD.

March 22—Eli L. Swartzentruber is down with grip and sore throat.

Farmers are busy with their lime kilns and the plow.

Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Lichty made a flying trip to Springs, Pa., visiting the latter's parents.

Mrs. D. C. Slabach had a carpet rag cutting on Thursday, and nearly all the neighboring women lended a helping hand.

Benj. Yoder of Aurora, W. Va., is looking after his farm near Gortner, this week.

Miss Savilla J. Miller is visiting in Indiana.

### INDIAN CREEK.

March 24—Emajean Conway of Somerset, spent a few days here at the home of J. M. Illig.

Mrs. T. S. May of Connellsville, was here between trains on Tuesday.

F. G. Illig of Connellsville, was here on business last week.

Rodney Woodmancy is busy tilling the soil for spring planting.

William Dahl of Cumberland, arrived here last week to spend a few days with his sisters, Mrs. Lena Bigam of this place and Mrs. A. C. Stickel of Mill Run.

M. E. Frazee, the Connellsville lumber merchant was along the Indian Creek valley last week on business.

Russell Dunbar was calling on Confluence friends on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Z. Linn were along the Indian creek fishing today, and they landed some nice ones.

Chas. Thorpe was a business visitor on Thursday.

H. C. Krepps, the store manager for A. Stickel & Co., is nursing a very sore hand and is off duty on account of it.

Mr. and Mrs. Paxon Gray were visitors to Connellsville, Wednesday evening.

W. F. Alguire, the I. C. V. agent is nursing a very sore foot due to tramping in a rusty nail.

Misses Eliza and Grace Dusham of Connellsville spent over Easter with Mrs. A. C. Stickel, Sr., of Mill Run.

Miss Rose Steindler, our school teacher, left for Connellsville, Friday evening to spend over Easter with relatives and friends.

A. P. Doorley spent over Sunday with Scottsdale friends.

Miss Jennie Illig spent Easter with Connellsville friends.

W. A. Austin was calling on friends in Connellsville on Saturday.

Dave Marrietta and Ralph Prinkey of Mill Run, were circulating among friends here on Sunday.

Miss Vespa Conway of Somerset, arrived here Monday to spend a few days with Miss Jennie Illig.

### GRANTSVILLE.

March 25—Easter Sunday proved to be a beautiful one.

Easter was observed in the M. E. church Sunday evening by the pastor having a special sermon on the Resurrection and the choir rendering appropriate hymns and anthems. The church was well filled.

Easter was also observed in the Reformed church on Monday evening by the young people rendering an excellent service and an address by the pastor, Rev. Hassler.

Mayor Bonig has taken his daughter Winifred to Cumberland, to consult a throat specialist.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Yoder of Pinto, Md., spent Saturday night with H. S. Yoder and family.

A. M. Enlow and lady friend of Hoyes, visited at the home of Prof. and Mrs. Welch, Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Edna Wiley spent several days of last week with her parents near Bittinger.

Louis Dieffenbach and W. W. Morris motored to Frostburg, Saturday on business.

Howard Resh, son of Simon Resh, had the misfortune of breaking his arm above the wrist. The young lad is working for Louis Hachman and while going from his home to Mr. Hachman's on Sunday evening, he was attempting to cross a fence when he slipped and fell, causing the fracture. The lad made his way to Earl Stantons where Dr. Bowen was called, the injured member dressed and he is now getting along nicely.

Miss Lulu Michaels spent Sunday night with Mrs. Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Beachy of Norfolk, Va., are visiting relatives near Grantsville.

Samuel Hersberger bought a valuable cow from D. J. Stevanus.

### VIM.

March 25—Miss Edna Saylor spent several days of last week at Martin Meyers' and P. W. White's doing some sewing.

Simon Keefer, of Finzel, Md., was a welcome caller in our town on Wednesday last.

Mrs. John Stein and son of Meyersdale spent Thursday last at Wm. Seggie's.

Mrs. Gertrude Wasmuth spent Wednesday at P. W. White's.

Mrs. Annie Swartzwelder and child of Connellsville spent Thursday last with her sister, Mrs. Eugene Wellen.

Miss Lucy Mimna spent Friday last at Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Wellen's.

John Felker, of Greensburg, spent Easter with C. W. Tressler's.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Fike, and daughter Helen spent Easter with Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Vought, near Salisbury.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Fike attended the funeral of Aaron Wilhelm, in Greenville township Thursday last.

The storm last week blew Mahlon Fike's summer house over and upset his coal house.

P. W. White and family spent Sunday in Meyersdale.

Eugene Wellen spent last week at Frederick, Md.

P. C. Miller, improved his residence by building a double bay window on the North Side.

### ROCKWOOD.

March 22—Lemon juice and glycerine equal parts, sipped slowly, is a relief for an irritated throat.

When cheese is too soft to grate press through a coarse wire strainer, using the back of a spoon.

It is better to have a cold dinner—preferably one with no meats whatever, as they are heating to the blood. Eat lightly and dress simply.

Do not run through the boiling sun shine to catch your car. Better miss the car and get to the office a bit late than become over heated.

Don't Worry. Worry is heating, and is bad for the temper. Cultivate a calm mind, do not rush feverishly at your work; walk on the shady side of the street, and drink plenty sterilized butter milk.

According to a ruling of Judge Willis of Harrisville, W. Va., it is unlawful for a person to divide the contents of a jug of liquor with others who were contributors to the order and paid in advance. He holds that the distributor of such a package is a retailer in the eyes of the law and should be fined as such.

Tickets are transferable. The supreme court of Maryland has decided that the purchaser of a berth or a section in a sleeping car has the right to give another person the use thereof if he leaves the car before it reaches the end of trip for which the berth was bought; a passenger secured a section, rode in it for part of the trip and then sold his section ticket to another passenger, he leaving the train. The second purchaser was refused the use of the section by the conductor of the car and was ejected, whereupon he brought suit, with the above result.

### GLENCOE.

March 25—The Wills Creek Charge of the Reformed church was represented by the following named Elders and Deacons at its Annual Meeting which was held on Easter Monday at White Oak:—J. C. Miller, W. H. Werner, Norman Wilhelm, P. W. Suder, Peter Petenbrink, G. W. Tressler, John Shoemaker, C. C. Werner, Geo. Ackerman, N. B. Poorbaugh, F. W. Webber, J. T. Leydig and Alfred Broadwater. Rev. George E. Metzger of Frostburg, Md., and Rev. H. H. Wiant of Zions charge were also present. The former presided at the meeting. Elder Peter Petenbrink was elected delegate Primarius and Elder W. H. Werner, Secundus, to represent the charge during the year at all the meetings of Classis and of Synod. Norman Wilhelm was elected president of the Joint Consistory for the ensuing year and Alfred Broadwater, secretary. An invitation was extended to Rev. A. S. Kresge of Plymouth, Indiana to enter the charge and preach for the four congregations with the prospect of his becoming pastor of same. The temporal wants of those present were abundantly provided for by a few of the good members of that congregation to whom a vote of thanks was extended. The annual meeting of 1914 is to be held on Easter Monday at Mt. Lebanon.

### PINE HILL.

March 24—Ephraim Walker will leave about April 1st for Louisiana, where he is making an investment.

F. A. Handwerk sold a valuable horse to H. C. Herman, one day last week.

Henry Dickey sold his farm and is having sale on the 25th, when he will sell his stock, implements, etc.

Charley Shlusnaugle will work for Wm. Gumbert the coming summer. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Fogle were visitors at F. A. Handwerk's.

Ephraim Hay attended the funeral of his aunt on Saturday.

### SUMMIT TOWNSHIP.

March 25—Clarence Keim of near Salisbury moved to Summit Mills last Friday.

Mrs. J. A. Glessner is on the sick list at present.

Prof. S. C. Witt, principal of the West Elizabeth public schools, visited his aged mother over Easter.

Edward Newman, who is working upon for rupture in a Cumberland, returned home last Sunday very much improved.

Frank Rubright, who was operated upon for rupture in a Cumberland, returned home last Sunday very much improved.

Prof. J. C. Werner, principal of the Scottsdale high school, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Werner, Sunday.

Misses Verda Gnagey, Mollie Hostetter, and Quinter Gnagey and Melvin Lindeman, spent Sunday at the home of Wilson Miller.

### HAY'S MILL.

March 25—Miss Ruth Gloss visited at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Howard Glessner, over Sunday.

The public schools of this place closed on Friday. The scholars were very sorry as all liked their teacher.

The Easter service at the Hay's church was well attended.

Mrs. Louis F. Baker returned from her visit at Garrett.

Misses Darl Saylor, Edna Baker and Pearl Klingaman and Messrs. James Bover and Wilson Neimiller were welcome callers at Michael Bowman's.

The Baker Bros. and sons are making a wall at Good Town for the erection of a store.

The teacher of Hay's Mill received a pleasant surprise in the shape of an Easter egg, the gift of each of her scholars.

Mrs. Henry Miller and family and Mrs. Tressler, of Johnstown, were welcome callers at E. E. Boger's last week.

Misses Mary and Edna Baker called on their friend, Miss Nellie Fresh, on Saturday.

### LARIMER.

March 24—Some of our farmers are taking advantage of this fine weather by turning the soil for the spring crops.

Alfred Knepp & Co. loaded a car of mine props at Sand Patch Saturday last.

C. G. Lotig unloaded a carload of lime last week. C. G. is getting his farm in a good shape of cultivation.

A goodly number of our people attended the sale of A. W. Baughman's at Mance Friday last.

W. H. Mankamyer is contemplating putting in a silo this coming summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Smith spent Easter at Humbert, the guests of the former's sister.

Miss Mary Geiger, of Meyersdale, and John Merschbaker, were the guests of J. E. Geiger over Sunday.

Miss Tina Tidenburg, who had been keeping house for Andrew Horcher, for the past 17 years, has resigned her position and has gone to her home at Johnsburg.

Wm. Frazier is making ready to build a barn during the summer.

O. Murray, C. S. Mankamyer and L. M. Mankamyer are doing some hauling for the B. & O. at Sand Patch.

G. W. Tressler butchered a porker for Simon Brown on Saturday.

Simon Brown is running his saw-mill about half time at present.

Mrs. G. H. Bowman's sale was well attended, things brought a good price. The H. S. Kerbaugh job at the tunnel will be finished in about a week.

Mrs. C. Mankamyer, who has been on the sick list for the last four weeks is slowly improving.

For earache, toothache, pains, burs, scalds, sore throat, try Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, a splendid remedy for emergencies.

### A Sign.

When a woman who has a new gown and an expensive new hat is able to see her shadow on Easter it is a sign of fair weather for at least a few days, as far as she is concerned.

### Woman's Point of View.

"Easter," he said, "is a time when happiness should reign."

"Yes," she replied, "but too often that isn't the only kind of a rain we get on Easter."

### Man Never Knows.

"A man never knows what there is in life until he gets married."

"No, nor in the dry goods stores, either."

### If.

A fine Easter outfit is all right if one tries to live up to it.

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## Finish This Story

WORKMAN in an IHC wagon factory was explaining the various stages of wagon construction to an interested visitor. He picked up two pieces of long leaf yellow pine, and asked the visitor to notice the difference in the weight of the two pieces. The lighter piece, he explained, was kiln-dried. The heavier piece was air-dried. It had retained the resinous sap which adds strength and toughness, while in the kiln-dried piece of lumber this sap had been drawn out by the too rapid application of heat.

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