

Local and Personal

The Misses Anna and Mayme Forquer spent Sunday at their home in Ursina, Pa.

H. E. Emigh who is employed in Turtle Creek, Pa., spent Sunday with his family in town.

Miss Lillian Baer was a Rockwood visitor over Sunday.

Joe Shultz, who is employed in Pittsburgh, Pa., was home over Sunday.

Mrs. William Miller spent Sunday in Rockwood.

Mrs. Charles Darrow returned home on Saturday from a visit with friends in Pittsburgh, Pa.

Miss Mae Diehl was a Pittsburgh, Pa., visitor on Sunday.

Miss Esther Stacer and her nephew, Richard Grabenstine, of Cumberland, Md., are guests at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Stacer.

Mrs. Henry Young of Johnstown, Pa., was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Kelley last week.

James Foley, a student of St. Joseph's College in Baltimore, Md., was home for the Easter holidays.

Mrs. Mary Weller is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hammers.

Miss Nora J. Hartage of Glen Savage, Pa., was the guest of friends in town for a few days of last week.

The Misses Minnie Rambold and Mattie Kendall of Homestead, Pa., spent his Easter vacation with relatives in town.

Mrs. Charles Shroyer of Rockwood, Pa., was a visitor in town on Friday.

Miss Frances May of Rockwood, Pa., was shopping in town on Friday.

Mrs. M. M. Welds and son Lewis, who have been spending the winter in Washington, D. C., have returned to their home in Meyersdale.

Miss Anna Fike of Johnstown, Pa., is visiting with relatives and friends in town for a few days.

Mrs. Lewis Sides and F. H. Diehl of Manns Choice were guests at the home of C. Sides for a few days of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bevans of Jenners, Pa., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stork, at Shaw Mines on Sunday.

Philon Collins, who is attending Medical College in Pittsburgh, Pa., spent his Easter vacation with relatives in town.

Mrs. Elizabeth Darrah, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. John Carey in Somerset, Pa., returned to her home in town on Saturday evening.

The Misses Gertrude and Sylvia Cooper and Frances Clutton were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Clutton last week.

Frank Hocking, who is attending Medical College in Pittsburgh, Pa., is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Hocking.

Lewellyn Rowe, who is a student of Carnegie Technical College in Pittsburgh, Pa., was home over Easter.

Miss Florence Just who was home over Easter, has returned to New Windsor, Md., where she is attending Blue Ridge College.

Mrs. Eugene Naugle is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. William Stiver at Bedford, Pa.

George Benford was a visitor in town over Easter.

Mrs. Robert Critchfield and two children were shopping in town on Saturday.

Miss Frances Livingood, who is teaching school in Homestead, Pa., spent a few days of last week at her home here.

Mrs. J. L. Snyder of Glencoe, Pa., was a Saturday visitor in town.

Paul Hostetter, who is employed as a stenographer in Pittsburgh was home over Easter.

Mrs. David Snyder and daughter, Miss Edna of Rockwood, Pa., were visitors in town on Saturday.

Mrs. Emma Younklin, who has been spending the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Charles Fenner at Washington, D. C., returned to her home here on Sunday evening.

Miss Grace Maxwell of Cumberland, Md., was an Easter visitor with friends in town.

Miss Edith Gurley, who is attending the Margaret Morrison College in Pittsburgh, Pa., is spending a short vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Gurley.

Miss Iva Penrod and Mr. Murphy of Connellyville, Pa., were guests at the home of Miss Ethel May over Sunday.

M. J. Grotfelty of Elk Lick was transacting business in town on Tuesday.

Mrs. C. A. Phillips left on Tuesday for Fairmont, W. Va., to attend the funeral of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Bruce Dickens.

Miss Grace Thomas who spent her Easter vacation with the home folk in Meyersdale, has returned to Latrobe, Pa., where she is employed as a teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Holtzhauser of Elizabeth, Pa., were in town for a few days the first part of the week to attend the funeral of the former's uncle, Mr. George Holtzhauser.

Mrs. Bruce Lichty went to Cumberland, Md., on Monday for a short visit.

Easter services were held in the several churches of the town last Sunday, in which special music and flowers were features.

Yesterday the weather seemed to break and it was with pleasure that we saw the beautiful sunlight again, although the snow still covered the

mountains and our back porch, but the warm rays will soon eliminate these marks of a cold, hard, long winter.

P. W. Knepp, well-known in Meyersdale, and also a good friend of the Commercial has changed his residence from Bellefonte to Lemoyne and his many friends wish him and his family prosperity in good, large chunks in his new home.

Miss Ada Lint spent her Easter vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. Lint.

W. H. Dill has gone to Philadelphia, Pa., where he will visit his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Kephart for a short time.

Blaine Sellers and George Demmer were in Cumberland, Md., on Sunday where they visited Prof. Weaver, who is a patient at the Allegheny hospital.

Miss Mayme Platt spent Sunday in Johnstown, Pa., visiting her sister, Mrs. Harry May.

Last Friday evening a committee of two persons called at the Lutheran parsonage and, on behalf of the congregation presented to the pastor and wife a purse containing one hundred dollars, the wedding present raised by the congregation. The recipients of the purse were much surprised and their thanks were expressed with gratitude to the congregation and accepted it as a mark of the esteem which is bestowed upon the pastor.

If any one knows of an unemployed printer who has head enough to keep sober please send him this way. We had one who got drunk on Monday, and isn't sober yet.

Captain Truxal of Somerset, commander of Co. C, 10th Regt. N. G. P. was in town the first of the week and secured three recruits for that company. The "rookies" are Leo Clark, Joseph Hipp and John Hitsu.

A Fatal Accident.
About 1:15 p. m. on Wednesday while Superintendent Shultz of the Economy Telephone company was having a test taken of the line in Garrett, R. S. Walker, a line man, had climbed a pole near the telephone office, and in reaching over the wires to connect with an outside wire his wrist came in contact with the wire of the Electric company. He fell to the ground, a distance of 15 to 18 feet, but medical opinion was given that death ensued by electrocution before he fell.

Mr. Walker resided at Broadway street, Meyersdale.

He was at once brought to Tressler's undertaking room in Meyersdale.

He was a member of the K. of P. Lodge and also of the Hays Reformed church. Funeral services will be held in that church on Saturday, conducted by the pastor, Rev. Wiant.

He is survived by his widow, two daughters, Ada, who is married and resides in Michigan, Miss Ella, at home, and one son, Thomas of and Patch.

Burial will be made on Saturday in Hays cemetery.

George Holtzhauser.

George Holtzhauser, a business man of Rockwood, died in a hospital in Pittsburgh, where he had gone for treatment, on Saturday, April 7th.

The body was brought to Rockwood, where funeral services were held, and on Monday brought here, where it was taken in charge by J. L. Tressler and interment made in the Union Cemetery.

He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Holtzhauser and was born in this county.

He leaves to survive him, one brother, Charles, of Illinois; his widow, who was Miss Ida Shoemaker, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Shoemaker, of Berkeley Mills; two sons, Harry and William and one daughter.

He was a member of the K. of P. Lodge.

John Smith

John Smith, a respected resident of Deal for many years and a veteran of the Civil war, died at his home on Saturday, April 7th, aged 70 years and 27 days.

Mr. Smith was a son of Peter and Catherine Smith, and was born in Larimer township. For many years he has been a prominent farmer in that section.

Mrs. Conrad Hochstetter of near Berlin is his only surviving sister.

He is also survived by four sons, H. Louis Smith of Pittsburgh; J. I. Smith, of Meyersdale; Harry J. and Charles Edward, at home.

Comrade Smith was a devoted member of the Lutheran church and services were held in the church at White Oak, conducted by Rev. France, followed by interment in the White Oak cemetery, conducted by J. L. Tressler, undertaker.

FIND MURDERED MAN IN STREET

Hooversville, April 10.—Sheriff Lester G. Wagner of Somerset County came here yesterday and took into custody Louie Namet, charged with the murder of John Eyer, whose dead body was found on the street at Baker-Whitely mines this morning.

Tom Hagan, night Watchman, found the body. A bullet had pierced the heart.

Namet was arrested in Cairnbrook today and brought to Hooversville. Here he was locked up until the arrival of the sheriff.

It is not known what caused the shooting. The men were not intoxicated, it is said.

Coroner H. S. Kimmel has been notified and conducted an inquest last evening.

SOLVING THE FOOD PROBLEM.

The problem of feeding the nations of Europe is paramount to the many grave questions which have arisen during the past winter. Lack of men to work on the farms was the difficulty.

As the United States now enters the great world's war, and the call there is the gravest danger of additional scarcity of labor on farms and a possible food shortage that would seriously undermine the strength of the nation and bring great disaster to this otherwise bountiful country.

With its millions of acreage in rich farm land, America could feed the world; but unless these farms are planted and cultivated, the greatest asset of the country is lost.

A conservation of labor is needed at once. The Baltimore and Ohio Railroad has devised a plan that will help to relieve the situation.

Business firms will be urged not only to give vacations to employees, but to restrict vacations to actual service in helping to produce food products for the nation. The boys too young to enlist, or the man who is exempt from compulsory military service, may be fit in a thousand ways for farm work, thus permitting the city man not only to have his vacation, but to contribute by working on farms where farm labor is needed.

The Baltimore and Ohio railroad, with full knowledge of the labor shortage on farms in its territory, and realizing the increasing danger, some time ago formulated plans towards working out a solution to this problem, and established a Farm Labor Bureau and Employment Agency, which is a part of the Commercial Development Department of the company, working in conjunction with the Traffic Department.

A list is being compiled giving the name of each farmer on or near the Baltimore and Ohio railroad, the distance of his farm from the station; the number of acres devoted to each crop, including cereals, forage, vegetables and fruits; the amount of farm labor needed for the kind of work offered, and the dates when needed, the rates of pay per day with board and lodging.

To further the successful carrying out of this plan, the railroad will make a special fare as an inducement to the city men who cannot serve their country at the front, but who desire to aid in the food branch of the service.

Persons desiring to co-operate with the government in this way, by working on farms, can secure full information by applying to any agent or representative of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad.

It is the plan of the railroad to keep the United States government posted on all of the details of this work as it progresses.

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WOODLAWN WHISPERINGS

Looks like Spring once more. Everybody is talking war just now. Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Fike who have been very sick the last couple weeks don't seem to improve any.

Mr. and Mrs. George Friend spent Sunday in Meyersdale with Mr. Oscar Merrill and family.

Mr. William Bittner of the Eighth district of Garrett County, Md., spent Sunday in Woodlawn with his nephew John H. Dietle and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilery Shuck and two children of Vim spent Sunday in Woodlawn with Christ Wahl and family.

Mrs. Eliza Albright of Meyersdale who had been staying at Cyrus Fikes the past few weeks returned to her home on Tuesday evening to take a few days' rest.

Mr. McKenzie of Salisbury moved on the Willmoth farm last week.

Mr. George Friend and Lloyd Fike spent last Wednesday in Larimer township.

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"Bobbie of The Ball"
Scenario by Ida May Park in 5 Acts and a good comedy.
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Saturday, April 14th
The Spectacular Chapter Play featuring Helen Holmes
— In —
"A Lass of the Lumberland"
A Spectacular Chapter Play "THE BURNED RECORD"
in a 2-Reel feature "Up The Flue" and 2-Reel Comic
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Monday, April 16th
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Tuesday, April 17th
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