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## MT. VIEW

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kinsinger, were called at M. H. Opel's, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Humbertson and three sons, Mrs. M. H. Opel and daughter, Dorothy, and sons, Jr. and Robert, were calling on Mrs. Lillie Humbertson on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Opel and family, were at Summit Mills visiting at the home of Mrs. Opel on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Brenneman and three children, Miss Anna and Ernest Humbertson, all of Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Humbertson, of Brotherton, were called home on account of the serious illness and death of their father, Edwin Humbertson.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Maust and daughter, Eleanor, and Miss Dorothy Weller, were callers at Summit Mills on Sunday evening.

A hunter in New Jersey the other day was indicted for taking a pot shot at the Los Angeles with his shot gun. Maybe he thought she was a flying squirrel.

President Portest Gil of Mexico has announced that at all of his banquets he will serve nothing stronger than mineral water. This is a poor way to attract the Tammany vote.

## FARM AGENTS' NEWS LETTER

### Young Farmers Week at State College

One application has been received at the Agricultural Extension office to enter Farmers' Week at the Pennsylvania State College, June 18th to 21st inclusive. Plans are being made for judging demonstrations as well as other agricultural educational activities. Winners of judging contests at State College will win free trips to the National contest. This is a great opportunity for boys and girls of Pennsylvania.

### Farmers Picnics

Farmers picnics that have been scheduled up to the present time are: The Somerset County Holstein-Friesian Association Annual meeting and picnic, June 25th, at the farm of R. W. Lohr.

Pomona Grange Annual meeting and picnic, June 27th, at the Bakersville Picnic Grounds.

### Lime Slaking Demonstrations

Wednesday, June 12th and Thursday morning, June 13th, Mr. L. T. Denniston, Plant Pathologist of the Pennsylvania State College will be in the county conducting lime slaking demonstrations. The farms on which these demonstrations will be held have not been arranged for. This information can be secured at the Agricultural Extension office a little bit later. If you are spraying potatoes don't fail to attend one of these demonstrations because the proper slaking of lime is a big factor in the control of blight.

### Store Spray Material Safely in Dry Places

Spray materials are often rendered practically useless by being stored in damp, wet places. Lime, especially, is susceptible to permanent damage. Drums have been observed to rust through in a comparatively short time under conditions conducive to rusting. Lime that has been partially air-slaked in storage is bound to develop a large amount of sediment and will not make a good bordeaux solution. The drums will keep safely if stored in a dry place with the lids kept tight.

For best result stock solutions of lime should be made practically as needed for use. It is not advisable to hold such solutions longer than one spray ahead. Stock solutions of blue stone may be kept a longer period with safety as long as water is added to make up for water lost by evaporation. It is a good practice to keep the barrels containing stock solutions covered when not using from them.

### Kill Lice and Mites to Protect Chickens

Lice and mites become more numerous and active in warm weather. Flocks which had only a few lice a few months ago may be heavily infested by this time. The old types of treatments with sodium fluoride and blue ointment are effective in combating lice, but nicotine sulphate is equally effective and easier to apply.

Place a thin stream of full-strength nicotine sulphate on the top of the perches about an hour before the birds go to roost. An oil can or a paint brush is best for applying the material. One-half pint is sufficient for 100 or 125 feet of roosting space. If the perches are rounded, rub the material into the wood to keep the fluid from running off. The nicotine sulphate gives off poisonous fumes which pass through the chickens' feathers at night and kill the lice. For best results, it is well to repeat the treatment 10 days later to kill the newly hatched lice before they become mature and begin to lay eggs.

### Prevent Mite Attacks

Many flocks will fall off in egg production because the laying hens are continually annoyed by red roost mites. These mites are controlled easily by painting the perches with full-strength creosote or carbolineum once a year. The mites must crawl over these painted areas to get on the birds at night, when they fill themselves with blood. Coming in contact with the chemicals they are killed. Creosote or carbolineum may be ap-

plied in the morning so that it will dry before night. This will avoid soiling the feathers with wet paint. If the chemicals are heated they will soak into the wood more easily. Safe heating is possible by immersing a can of the creosote or carbolineum in hot water.

Oil drained from the crank cases of tractors or automobiles will kill the mites, but a new coating must be applied to the roosts every two months.

### Urges Grain Feeding For Cows On Pasture

Too often the pasture season is welcomed by dairymen as the time when a clear profit can be made on milk and grain feeding is unnecessary.

Grass is a bulky, watery feed containing approximately 75 to 90 per cent water, depending on its maturity. It is rich in mineral matter and mediumly high in protein, but low in energy-producing nutrients. The protein and mineral matter in grass are of a high quality which, combined with the succulent nature of the grass, gives it a superior power to stimulate the secretion of milk.

Because of its succulent nature, enough grass to supply the required nutrients for high milk production and maintenance of good flesh cannot be consumed by a cow. Without additional feed, the cow must draw on her own reserve to make up the deficiency. This results in loss of flesh which may not affect milk production immediately but will show a decreased milk flow during late summer and the following winter. Profits are not made on high production during the pasture season alone but on high yearly production.

Grain feeding to cows on pasture is absolutely essential for a big annual milk flow. Home-grown grains, such as corn, oats, or barley, are sufficient for cows of average milk production. With high production, a little extra protein is necessary. Short pasture should be supplemented with a good quality hay, summer silage, or soiling crops, in addition to a grain mixture.

Ring Filler Trees for Early Fruiting Many orchardists are confronted with the problem of encouraging their young apple trees to start bearing. This is particularly true of the grower who has used apples as fillers between his permanent trees.

The life of the fillers is limited, as they must be removed when they crowd the permanent trees. Unfortunately, the crowded condition often occurs before the fillers have borne sufficient fruit to pay for themselves. The practice of ringing has been adopted to remedy the situation.

It has been known for a long time that a young tree may be made to blossom the next season by removing a ring of bark from the trunk in early summer. Ringing has been considered a dangerous practice, however, since it often has been followed by serious injury or death of the tree. Careful experiments conducted during the past few years have demonstrated that the operation can be performed safely if properly executed at the right time.

### Ring Trees in June

In a normal season, June 10 to 20 is the best time for ringing. It is no longer considered necessary to remove any bark in this operation. Just as satisfactory results may be obtained by making 2 or 3 circular cuts entirely around the trunk, leaving all of the bark in place. The cuts should be 2 or 3 inches apart and just deep enough to go through the bark to the wood. Compared to the older method of removing a ring of bark around the trunk, this practice is more certain to avoid injury to the tree and is accomplished in about the same time.

Forced to blossom in this way, the tree is not likely to bear flowers the second year unless the operation is repeated. Again, forcing the tree into very early production will, to some extent, stunt its growth. For these reasons, the practice of ringing has its greatest value when applied to filler trees, but in extreme cases some growers have ringed their permanent trees when they have failed to blossom after reaching the size and age when fruit-bearing could be expected.

According to the Boston Transcript the epidemic of influenza last winter hit Boston less than any of our other large cities. This indicates that the flu bacteria are not germs of culture.

An international banker is a man who believes that Uncle Sam should put all of his eggs in one basket and then send the basket to Europe.

## SALISBURY NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Enfield and three children, and Albert Menhorn, of Somerset, spent a few hours at Harman Menhorn's, Sunday afternoon.

Henry McKinzie who has been sick quite a while is not so well at this writing. His brother, Melvin McKinzie, wife and son, and Mrs. Columbus Miller, of Lonoconing, Md., visited him on Decoration Day, also D. D. Meese and wife, of Md., on the same day.

Wm. Alexander visited Henry McKinzie one day last week, also P. L. Livengood. Mr. McKinzie enjoys these visits from his friends very much.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Zimmerman and children, spent from Friday evening until Sunday evening with Mrs. Zimmerman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Whistler and family, of Goodtown, bringing home with them Mrs. Zimmerman's sister, Helen, for a visit.

A very heavy frost this (Tuesday) morning was hard on gardens where plants have been set out, even the lettuce was frozen hard enough to be broken off easily as this ice.

Robert Ringler, of Vinn, and Carl Menhorn, of town, went to Ellerslie, Monday afternoon.

### Light Company Erecting New Poles

The Associated Gas and Electric are placing new poles all over the town and removing the old ones and otherwise improving their lines. They are giving employment to a number of Salisbury men.

### Painters Have Finished Maust Residence

For several weeks Sydney Easton and his helpers have been painting on the property of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Maust and have just finished. The new coat of paint on the house with the nice large lawns, the shrubbery and abundance of flowers of all kinds easily make the Maust residence the handsomest in the town.

### Garage Man Recovering

Sam'l Engle proprietor of the Elk Lick Motor Co. who was operated upon recently for appendicitis returned home on Saturday and is recovering rapidly.

John Walker and family, of Cambria County, visited friends in Salisbury, on Decoration Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Dishong and children, of Cumberland, Md., spent Decoration Day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Stevanus.

Mrs. Curtis Housel and daughter, spent last week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gisbert, of Keystone, spent Sunday with Mrs. Gisbert's mother, Mrs. Jere Miller.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. William Deist, on Saturday, June 1, a daughter.

Newton Lenhart and family, of Ohio, spent the week end with relatives and friends at this place.

Otto Newman, employed at the Westinghouse Mfg. plants at Turtle Creek, spent the week end here with his family returning to the city on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Shrader and children, of Cumberland, Md., were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Deist.

Dorsey Keller and family, of Philadelphia, spent the week end with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Deist, of Somerset, spent Decoration Day with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Deist.

Herbert Lowry went to Uniontown on Monday to attend a meeting of Grand Lodge of I. O. O. F.

Oscar McKinzie, of Little Crossings, Md., was a Salisbury visitor on Monday evening.

Mrs. Poorbaugh, of Glencoe, is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Deist.

Chas. Davis, of Pittsburgh, spent the week end with his family, on Grant street.

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Mr. and Mrs. Burdiss White, of Akron, Ohio, are visiting at the home of the latter's mother, Mrs. Mary Seggie.

Mr. and Mrs. Urias Suder, of Berlin, spent last Friday evening at the home of Henry Suder.

Mrs. Elmer Stahl and children, of Turtle Creek, are visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Fike.

Mr. and Mrs. William Shallenberger, spent last Sunday in Fort Hill, at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Vought.

Mr. and Mrs. John Seigner, Jr., of Youngstown, Ohio, are visiting at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Seigner.

Bruce, Jonas and William Fike who are employed in York, Pa., spent several days last week with their families.

Mrs. Harry Rosenberger and Mrs. Frank Lowery, of Meyersdale, spent last Sunday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Emma Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Shockey and son, Ralph, and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Shockey, of Greenville Township, spent last Sun-

day afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Nicholson.

Mrs. Elsie Mazer, of Pittsburgh, spent several days last week in Vinn visiting relatives. Her mother, Mrs. Thomas Swindell, returned to Pittsburgh with her daughter, last Friday, to visit her for several months.

Mrs. Mary Ellen Krause, of Fort Hill, spent last Saturday and Sunday at the home of her brother, W. W. Nicholson.

Robert Ringler and Eugene Seigner, who were employed in Pittsburgh, returned to their homes last Wednesday.

Mrs. Samuel Hostetler, of Meyersdale, spent last Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Emma Walker.

P. C. Miller spent last Sunday afternoon in Salisbury.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Fike went to Huntingdon, Pa., last Sunday to attend the Commencement exercises of Juniata College. Their daughter, Pauline, was in the graduating class, and returned home with her parents on Monday evening.

W. W. Nicholson accompanied W. R. Snyder to Somerset last Tuesday.

Mrs. Ellis Lohr and children, of Garrett, spent several days at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Nicholson.

## BLOUGH NEWS

The Blough Independents met the Magyars of Windber on the latter's diamond, the score being 9 to 10 in Blough's favor.

Mrs. Carl Adams, formerly of this place, was buried on Wednesday. Mrs. Adams was formerly Anne Berkebile.

M. D. Miller spent Thursday at the home of Orange Spague.

Mr. and Mrs. George Walker spent a few days with Mrs. Walker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ringler.

Mary Bennock spent the week end at Carptiners Park.

Kenneth Howell spent a week at Shanksville at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Watson.

Rosaline Shaulis, of Somerset, is spending a few days at Pete Lepley's.

Miss Madeline Howell has gone to

Somerset to spend her summer vacation with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Miller, of 448 West Union St. Clarence Berkeley spent the week end visiting friends and relatives at South Fork.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward McGown spent the week end visiting their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Benson, at Holsopple.

Andrew and Robert Hotchkiss who are employed at mine No. 6, spent the week end at their homes, in Coal Run.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Miller and children, Adeline and Sonny, of Somerset, and Mrs. James Opel and daughter, Alice Ruth and Mrs. Lawrence Kinsinger and son, Ernest, of St. Paul, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Howell.

Julia and Rosie Saxfield, Reatha and Bene Williams, spent Friday evening visiting Miss Wilhelma Howell.

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