

**VILLAGE, HAMLET, FARM.**

**A Week's Doings in Rural Wayne.**

**Interesting Items Picked Up by Our Staff of Wide-Awake Correspondents**

**USWICK AND LAKEVILLE.**

June 23.—Mr. J. W. Palmer, of Millford, Pa., who has been spending a fortnight's vacation with his cousin, F. R. Olmstead, Jr., returned to his home to-day.

On Wednesday evening of last week eight of the Rebekahs of Rose Lodge, I. O. O. F., of Hawley, visited the Hildegard Rebekah Lodge, I. O. O. F., at Lakeville, Pa. Three candidates became members of the Hildegard Rebekah Lodge, No. 359, I. O. O. F., namely, Miss Julia Welsh, Lakeville; Mr. Charles W. Pennell, Uswick; Mr. Aaron Goble, Lakeville, D. D. P. Eleanor Gill installed the officers, assisted by the members of Rose Lodge. After installation refreshments were served.

Mrs. H. W. Clark and daughter, Mrs. R. Phillips, of Paupac, attended the services at the M. E. church here on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Heichelbeck, of Audell, were pleasant callers at Olmstead's at Uswick on Sunday evening.

Mr. F. B. Pennell and son, Olen, visited the former's oldest son, Chester at Ariel on Sunday.

Mrs. Charles W. Pennell and two daughters, Gladys, of Uswick, and Mrs. William Seegar, of Lakeville, returned from State College on Thursday where they attended the graduation exercises. The former's son, Clarence, who graduated at State College returned home on Saturday.

A car load of freight was moved up from Hawley on Friday for Mrs. Saunders who is moving from New York City to his new home at Uswick.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Herzog went to Honesdale on Monday and returned to their home at Audell on Thursday.

Mrs. John Mains attended the Buckingham reunion at Mr. H. Chapman's on Saturday last. There were about seventy-five relatives in attendance. They report an enjoyable time.

F. R. Olmstead, Jr., and J. W. Palmer went fishing one day last week at the Locklin pond and caught 154 fish.

Are you a subscriber for The Citizen?

**LAKEVILLE.**

June 23.—Miss Julia Welsh, of Newark, is visiting her parents at this place.

Michael Welsh, of Scranton, also spent Sunday at home.

Aaron Goble is erecting a new barn on the Kimble lot now occupied by George A. Goble, size 18 feet by 24 feet. L. James is doing the carpentering.

Clarence Pennell, who recently graduated from State College, is home until July 1st when he will leave for Indiana where he has accepted a position as chemist.

Julia Kostock, of Hoadleys, spent Sunday last with her parents.

A. Goble made a business trip to Honesdale on Monday.

Miss Flora Reiffer, of Hawley, also Mr. Irvin Brown, of Honesdale, were pleasant callers at the "Reussanfont" on Sunday.

Peter Daniels, of this place, is courting this week.

Mrs. John Malnes, of Uswick, and Mrs. Frank Haney, of this place, attended the "Buckingham Reunion" held at Chapman's, near Hamilton, the 19th.

Freddie Reineke spent Sunday with his parents, Wm. Reineke and wife, of this place.

Charles Reuschmeier, of Honesdale, was the guest of John Bishop and family on Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. A. DeGroat, of Honesdale, after spending a short time with her parents, returned home on Tuesday.

Thomas McKelgany, of Arlington, was a caller in this place last week.

The Sunday school will hold their annual picnic at the church grove on July 5th, 1909. Dinner will be served at the grounds if the weather is favorable, if not, at the P. O. S. of A. Hall. You all know what this day means; come out and celebrate.

Mrs. John Grouner left on Sunday to work for Mrs. Richard Simons of Centerville.

Lafe James and family entertained relatives from Aska on Wednesday until Friday.

Edward Loveless spent Sunday with friends at Sterling.

Will Welsh is working for Marcus Killam of this place.

Mrs. Ethel Daniels is suffering with tonsillitis.

Mrs. George Hazelton, of Arlington, spent Sunday with relatives at this place.

**STERNE.**

June 23.—The Rev. Mr. Davis, of Waymart, preached a very interesting sermon to a large congregation on Sunday afternoon. He took for his text Ephesians 5th chapter, 19th verse: "Speaking to yourselves in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, singing and making melody in your heart to the Lord."

The Bobolink and mate spent Saturday with friends at Carbon-

dale.

With a large force of men last week, lumberman Hollenback built a new road into his lumber camp on the Eno tract.

The Ladies' Aid will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Moses Cole Thursday, June 24th. All are invited to attend.

Mrs. Minnie Mill is attending the sick at Carbondale.

Thomas Arthur has not as yet fully recovered from his toss over the fence, mention of which was made in these items three weeks ago.

It is said that a man borrows trouble when he attempts to raise crops on borrowed tools.

Wouldn't it be well for young men and young women of to-day to lay well to heart the advice of father and mother for it is the best and most disinterested you are likely to get in this world?

It is said that good intentions are too much of a burden for some men to carry. How is it with us?

**ARLINGTON.**

June 21.—The Sunday school will hold a basket picnic in D. W. Bidwell's grove on July 3rd.

Grace Bidwell has returned home from Waymart where she was attending school.

Ruth Noble is spending a week with her aunt, Mrs. J. F. Walker, of Hub.

Mrs. F. Clay Clark and daughter recently spent several days with her parents, P. F. Osborne and wife. E. W. Osborne and family of Scranton, also spent Friday with his parents.

Delbert Simons, of Paupac, was a Sunday visitor at D. W. Bidwell's.

Lou Bidwell is spending several days with her sister, Mrs. Simons, at Ariel.

Mrs. Mary Groner is assisting Mrs. Richardson Simons with her household duties.

Mrs. W. J. Simons is in very poor health, suffering from rheumatism.

While driving a cow on Monday night last P. F. Osborne, in some unaccountable manner, was thrown to the ground and received two fractures of the shoulder cap, a fracture of the rim of the arm, and also received internal injuries.

In a dazed condition he managed to reach his home. Dr. White, of Ariel, was called and reduced the fractures. At this writing Mr. Osborne is resting as comfortably as could be expected.

**DREHER.**

June 23.—The walls for the foundation of the new high school building will be completed in a few days and will be ready to receive the frame work. The front wall of the building will be rubble work of undressed stone and when finished with pointed joints in cement, it will add to the beauty of building.

Masons, carpenters and men of all work are very busy and there is a scarcity of help for different kinds of work. Some thirty or more men, both native and foreign, will be working on the state road in Greentown this week and the work will have an extra push to it.

The top dressing is being put on a part of the state road in Dreher.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Gilpin, Jr., of Greentown, Pike county, are entertaining their first born, a baby boy, weight 8½ pounds. Born about June 16th. Both mother and babe are doing nicely.

Mrs. S. R. Hazelton, also of Greentown, though still very weak, is allowed to sit up and is gaining strength slowly.

Dr. F. Gilpin, wife and son Clinton have been visiting relatives in Westfield, N. J., also in New York City and other points of interest.

Mrs. Jane Brown and daughters, Elsie and Maggie, are entertaining about a dozen city people at their pleasant home on the old north and south turnpike.

Veteran Robert Boyce is still under the doctor's care, but his condition is not improved.

Dave Hause was in Tannersville, Monroe county, last Saturday selling rock moving machinery.

Miss Alice Cross, who has been doing typewriting and stenographic work in New York City for several years, will spend the summer at her old home in Dreher.

Miss Mamie Hause will go to the Bluff House, Milford, to assist about July 1st.

Newfoundland creamery is receiving milk daily except Sunday.

The Union Sunday school will hold a picnic festival with fireworks on July 3rd in A. Phillip's grove.

Rev. R. B. Bellas will be present to give a patriotic address in the afternoon. All welcome.

The increase in the price of wool has left a smile on the sheep-raisers countenance and something substantial in cash to his credit.

**PLEASANT MOUNT.**

June 19.—Miss Lydia Stevens, of Wilkes-Barre, is spending several weeks in town.

Mrs. H. T. Wright is confined to her room by illness at the home of her sister, Mrs. Spencer.

Bessie Moarse is spending the June weeks at W. H. Fitz's, at White's Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Devney and daughter, Margaret, of Forest City, were guests at J. H. Kennedy's on Sunday. They left on Monday for a month's visit with Dr. S. Y. Kennedy at Gloversville, N. Y.

Mrs. Walter Dix entertained the Ladies' Society of the Presbyterian church last Thursday afternoon.

Miss Eva Harnes returned to her home in Bethany last Thursday. She was accompanied by Miss Winner.

In the report of the graduating exercises given last week the mention of Miss Ruth Kennedy's part in the program was omitted. Miss Kennedy took Supt. Koehler's place on the program and her work was satisfactory enough to merit special notice. Her selection was taken from the "Lion and the Mouse," and was exceptionally well rendered.

The ladies of the Presbyterian church will serve dinner and supper in the I. O. O. F. Hall on Monday, July 5th. An entertainment in the same hall is arranged for the evening, to be followed by an ice cream sale and social.

Mrs. Elsie Jane Alexander, wife of George Peck, died at her home in Niagara, at an advanced age, after years of partial invalidism. She is survived by her husband, one son, G. Ellison, and the following daughters: Emma Tiffany, Ettie Kennedy, of Deposit, Sarah Lester, of Denver, Col., Hattie Bennett, of Honesdale, and Anna Perham, of Niagara. Robert Alexander, a brother, lives at Endicot, and Mrs. John Bass, a sister, in Uniondale. A noble life, a strong Christian character and a kind, loving mother, neighbor and friend, were the characteristics that endeared Mrs. Peck to all who knew her.

The funeral was conducted at the home by Rev. Van Campen, a former pastor, and burial took place in the family plot in Mount Pleasant cemetery.

Congratulations are in order, if you please; Frank Bigelow, of Niagara, and Mrs. Isabella Niles, who were married in Carbondale on Tuesday of last week, are at home to their friends and suitable candidates for congratulations.

Della Payne spent last week in Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Buller are entertaining guests from the State Department of the Fisheries.

There will be a public sale at David E. Wilcox's on Friday, July 2, 1909, at 1 o'clock sharp, of farm tools, etc.; also furniture and household goods.

**INDIAN ORCHARD.**

June 23.—The nights of late have been a little cold for vegetation. There are a few good fields of hay in this vicinity, among the best are those at the Dorfing and Almshouse farms. Most of the old meadows will yield a small crop of hay.

The Swamp Brook people have gotten J. F. Smith to consent to start a grocery store. He intends to put in a fine line of goods and purchase the same of a first-class wholesale house. Mr. Smith's place is centrally located, being near a blacksmith shop and school house. He will start business on July 1st.

Dan Oliver, of Chestnut Lake, was a caller at the home of his brother, Dave, at this place on Thursday last.

Len Cole, of Montrose, was a business caller at this place on Friday last. He has sold his herd of high grade Holstein cows for \$60 each.

Lee Sheard, of Fallsdale, was a business caller at the old Red Rock farm on Friday last.

Mr. and Mrs. William Avery, who have been quite sick, are much better.

Mrs. Richard Ham was a visitor among friends and relatives in the Empire State.

Mrs. Monroe Austin and Mrs. Hunkle are in Connecticut where they attended the funeral of their sister on Wednesday last.

The Ladies' Aid will meet with Mrs. A. M. Henshaw on Wednesday next.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Williams, of Honesdale, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Rasmussen, of Narrowsburg, and Charles Bayly, of Archbald, were visitors at R. E. Bayly on Sunday.

Freddie Buckingham, of Alco, is visiting his uncle, W. D. Buckingham, at the Chestnut Grove farm.

John Varcoe and John Stephens, of West Beech Lake, spent Monday last at White Mills.

The Sunday school festival held at W. D. Buckingham's on Thursday evening last, on account of the inclemency of the weather, was not largely attended. Another will be held in the near future.

**WILSONVILLE.**

Mrs. Byron Tuttle and sons, Marvin and Philip, went to Ashley on Saturday morning to visit Mr. Tuttle and her parents, Edward James and wife. The latter being ill, Mrs. Tuttle will assist in caring for her.

Edward Torney, of Ledgedale, in company with his sister, Mrs. Patrick J. Keary, and her children, Edward and Catherine, took the morning train on Tuesday for a trip to Hancock to be present at the wedding of their sister, Miss Torney. The event is to take place on Wednesday. They will return today.

Owing to dull times in the blue stone business, William Masteu-

will work for R. W. Murphy at his summer home. Mr. Murphy will have constructed a stone house instead of a concrete one as it was first intended.

Webster Bennett who died at his home here on Thursday morning, June 17th, was born at Paupac, Pike county, 52 years ago. He was a son of Isaac Bennett who died at that place about seven years ago. The funeral services were held at the house on Saturday where a large concourse of people gathered to show the last respects for the departed. After a few well-chosen remarks by Rev. B. P. Ripley, the remains were taken to Paupac cemetery and interred by the side of his little girl who was placed there last fall. He leaves a wife and eight children to mourn his loss: Lewis, who is employed in the Bingham House at Philadelphia; Kenneth, of Port Jervis; John, who lives at Hawley, and Lloyd, Fred, George, Verna and Blanche, at home. Other relatives attending the funeral were his brother Jasper, of Scranton; his sister, Mrs. John Martin, of Ledgedale, and Mr. Alfred Killam, of Hawley.

Mrs. Williams, of Kimble, Pa., who, with her little son, has been spending the past fortnight with relatives here, was taken ill at the home of her brother, Victor Martin, last Wednesday morning, and is now under the care of Dr. Rodman.

Mrs. Perry, of Tafton, was a visitor at Victor Martin's yesterday.

Florence Schultz will take the teacher's examination at Ariel on Thursday.

Harrison Tyler has gone to live with his grandmother, Mrs. Tyler, who resides in Delaware county, New York.

Mrs. Oscar William, of Tafton, is caring for her sick sister at Hawley.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schall, accompanied by their friends, had their weekly outing up the river yesterday, taking both breakfast and dinner on the bank of the Paupac.

A very heavy shower fell here on Thursday night, raising the river about three inches.

**STERLING.**

June 21.—We are now having what has long been desired—warm weather—but oh, how it makes one wilt!

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Schuyler, of Burlington, N. J., are guests at L. T. Cattorson's.

Arthur Stevens, of Scranton, is spending a few days at his father's, John Stevens.

While Abram Garris was leading an animal with a chain the hook caught in his hand, badly tearing it.

Last Friday Eugene Baisley and son, Asher were plowing, and as the custom frequently is to have the lines around one's waist, the plow struck a fast stone, the whiffle tree broke, and the team jumped and pulled Mr. Baisley over the plow, tearing his breast badly on a bolt on the end of the beam. Fortunately his son soon stopped the team or else it would have been all-day with Eugene. Even then, he remained unconscious for some time. Report says he is now resting comfortably, although the Doctor was obliged to put several stitches in the wound.

On Sunday evening, the 27th, Rev. Webster expects to preach here. No preaching in the morning. Children's Day was observed here Sunday and as usual the church was filled and everything passed off like clock work; in fact, some thought it was the best exercise of its kind that they had ever attended. The collection was \$8.40. Several from a distance were present. We also had the pleasure to attend a similar exercise at the Maple Grove school house in the afternoon, and although the room was crowded to suffocation all enjoyed the excellent program and W. J. Philo, superintendent, has reason to be proud of his excellent help. W. L. Schuyler offered prayer and delivered a short address. Unfortunately we also made a few remarks.

I. M. Kipp informs me that he delivered to-day 67 boxes for the R. F. D. route from Moscow through Freytown, Grasstown, Jericho, and Maple Grove.

Laura Bartleson and Edgar Robacher were married at the Elm Park church last week. Congratulations. The boys are anxiously awaiting their return.

Corra Pearsons, a schoolmate of Stella and Myrtle Cross, accompanied them home from Wyoming Seminary last week.

Lizzie Jones, wife of Frank A. Bortree, died at Madisonville today, and will be buried on Wednesday at 2 o'clock.

Amasa C. Swegargle, who has been quite miserable for some time, passed away on the 16th, and was buried on the 19th. Rev. Webster officiated. He was born June 5, 1841. A daughter, Mrs. German and son from Philadelphia were at the funeral and a sister, Mrs. Orta Fessenden, of Hollister, were. Mrs. S. A. Adams and Mr. Enoch Adams and family of Gouldsboro were also at the funeral. The widow survives him.

**CLINTON.**

June 22.—Edna Haunstien returned to her home on Tuesday last from Glenwood, N. J., where she has been teaching.

Warren P. Norton came home last Friday from Keystone Academy, Factoryville, where he has been a student.

The ladies of the community are busy preparing useful and fancy articles for sale at their coming

Fourth of July celebration held on the Center Baptist church grounds on the fifth. Dinner and supper will be served. Patriotic speeches will be made during the afternoon. In the evening a short entertainment will be given; and then cake and ice cream will be served.

The Children's Day exercises held last Sunday evening passed off very nicely, all taking their parts well. The cornet duet given by A. H. Curtis and daughter were loudly encored. Certainly Miss Harriet plays the cornet remarkably well for one so young.

Messrs. Fred and Joseph Donnermuth, of Avoca, were recent guests of friends in this vicinity.

H. E. Sneider thinks he will begin shipping strawberries the last of the week. He cultivates and sprays his berries after modern methods, so he has extra fine berries.

Every home should have the Citizen. It has the news—the latest.

Mrs. Mary Kennedy, of California, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. George Cranes.

**BETHANY.**

June 23.—Mrs. M. Slayton accompanied her daughter, Laura, to Portland, Maine, for the summer, leaving here on Wednesday.

Helen Manning, of New York, arrived Thursday to spend her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Manning, Sr.

Miss Grace Winner is visiting her sister, Mrs. Herman Harnes. Eva Harnes returned Thursday from Pleasant Mount.

Mrs. Cott, of Miner's Mills, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Judson Faatz.

Miss Elizabeth H. Gilchrist returned from Wilkes-Barre on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bennett, of Chicago, were guests over Sunday with the former's brother, Henry Bennett, and family.

Florence Blake spent Sunday with her father, A. O. Blake.

Mrs. E. O. Hamlin, of Honesdale, came Saturday to spend a week with Mrs. James Johns. Her numerous friends are glad to welcome her.

The many friends of Miss Addie Jennings were pleased to see her Sunday after her long stay in the west.

The Ladies' Aid will have a business meeting at the manse on Wednesday afternoon. The Fourth will be celebrated on Monday.

Mrs. Horace Noyes, of Honesdale, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Starnes.

A beautiful day greeted the Children's Day celebration in the Methodist church on Sunday morning. It was a very elaborate affair and credit is due those who so faithfully drilled the children.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Starnes and children, of Carbondale, spent Sunday at the former's home here.

**MILANVILLE.**

June 22.—Mr. Walker, of Binghamton, is the guest of J. J. McCullough.

Mr. and Mrs. Reeves Sampson took their son Fred to New York on Tuesday to have an operation performed on his nose and throat.

Miss Lizzie Alfart, of Binghamton, was the guest of Mrs. J. H. Beach last week.

C. M. Petlick, of Tyler Hill, Pa., was the guest of M. L. Skinner on Sunday last.

Robert Calkins, of Boyd's Mills, visited his cousin, Frank Sampson, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Orr left for Syracuse on Sunday.

T. J. Collins, who superintended the building of the Callicoon, Milanville and Port Jervis bridges recently, died at his home at Horseheads, N. Y., from consumption.

Mr. and Mrs. Page and Miss Page of Greene, N. Y., are visiting at Wm. Skinner's.

Kingsley McCullough, of Binghamton, is in town for the summer.

Miss Libbie Dexter, who has been spending the winter in New York, is home for the summer.

**KELLAM.**

June 22.—There was a good attendance at church on Sunday evening and a very good sermon was preached by our pastor, Rev. W. S. Empton.

The Ladies' Aid meets with Mrs. D. M. Stalker the first Thursday in July. All are cordially invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Keys, of Damascus, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wells Keys, last Sunday.

Jennie Van Wert spent Sunday with Allie Thomas.

Dr. and Mrs. Male and two daughters, and Jennie Van Wert, of Long Eddy, and Mrs. D. M. Stalker and daughter, Edith, were pleasant callers at David Stalker's last Sunday.

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