

ARLINGTON.

(Special to The Citizen.)
Arlington, Dec. 7.
Walter Shimpff, C. Bergmann and R. W. Alberty, plumbers for O. M. Spettigue, Honesdale, installed a Richardson steam heating plant and the Kewanee water supply system and fixtures in the home of F. E. Carlton the past two weeks.
Elizabeth Alpha, little daughter of Max Alpha, broke her thumb while playing "tag" in the school house last week.
J. E. Bigart of Carbondale, and Miss Orpha Osborne, New York, stopped to see friends while passing through in the former's auto.
Mrs. F. E. Carlton and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Detrich, who have been sick, are better.
Miss Esther D. Finley, of Honesdale, spent Sunday with her father, George Finley has obtained a position in Scranton.
Miss Ruth Sawyer, of Greentown, spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Carlton.

CENTERVILLE.

Centerville, Dec. 9.
Mary Lane, of this place, spent a few days recently with friends in Audell.
Raymond Surplus went to Scranton on Tuesday where he expects to make his home in the future.
Ella Patterson also went to Scranton on Tuesday.
Mrs. W. M. Lane, of Arlington, spent Wednesday with her sister, Mrs. M. Lane, of this place.
John Manning, who has been confined to his bed with pneumonia for the past few weeks, is able to be around again.
The sale held at W. M. Simons on Saturday last was largely attended.
Superintendent J. J. Koehler, also Roscoe Conklin, school director, visited our school here on Wednesday.

ORSON.

Orson, Dec. 9.
Special meetings are being held at the M. E. church every night this week by the pastor, Rev. Lehman.
The many friends of Alfred Whipple will be sorry to learn of his illness at his home here. After a consultation of doctors it has been decided that his case is a very serious one. Mrs. David Benedict, a nurse, from Thompson, is caring for him.
Mrs. William Lanford will entertain the Ladies' Aid of the M. E. church on Thursday next.
Miss Lyla Hine has been appointed fourth vice-president of the Epworth League.
Rev. Harkness, of Ariel, was a business caller in town this week.
Mrs. Stevenson, Mrs. A. F. Hine and Mrs. Adalade Chamberlain of Starrucca are shopping and calling on friends in Carbondale this week.
Leroy, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Rhone, is very ill with pneumonia.
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sheldon and sons, Ray and Harvey, have gone to Florida to spend some time.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith have returned from their honeymoon trip

and are nicely settled in their new home on the Heights.
School is closed here indefinitely.

WEST PRESTON.

(Special to The Citizen.)
West Preston, Dec. 10.
Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Hubbard were pleasantly entertained at the home of their uncle, John Devall, of South Preston, on Thanksgiving day.
A new baby girl arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Bartleson, Dec. 3.
The Free Methodist services which were held in the school house Sunday morning and evening were well attended. Rev. Norris of Burnwood had charge of the meetings.
Orville Bartleson, of Starrucca, spent Sunday with relatives here.
Mr. Stanton's house now occupied by Horace Lee and family caught fire Thursday caused by a defective flue but was extinguished before gaining much headway.
Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Hubbard and mother spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ogden.
Mr. Stanton of Carbondale, spent a few days recently on his place here.

SOUTH STERLING.

South Sterling, Dec. 10.
Geo. H. Lancaster is running his factory on nine hours a day.
The postoffice inspector gave the postoffice a call last week.
Mrs. E. L. Robacker and daughter of Moscow, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Robacker.
Mrs. Lewis Price, of Henryville, Monroe county, died at the home of Perry Gilpin Friday noon, Dec. 6, and was buried at that place Monday at 12 o'clock. Mrs. Price was the last sister of W. E. Posten of Sterling and was a very old lady, she being 84 years old her last birthday.
Mrs. Emma Beecher is very sick.
W. R. Gilpin is on the sick list.
Reuben Lancaster is very sick.
Dr. S. F. Gilpin, of Philadelphia, came home to see his father, W. R. Gilpin.

FOREST CITY.

(Culled from the News.)
An Italian is ill with typhoid fever in the Susquehanna county jail. He is said to have been implicated in the robbery of the Erie depot at Herrick Center a few weeks ago.
Talk about your big pigs as you will, it remains for D. B. Gibson to tell a bigger story. Last Monday he dressed a hog for Evan Williams that dressed 600 pounds and it was a dandy.
If Honesdale had built the hospital that was talked of and is so much needed instead of that amusement hall they call the "Armory" Wayne county would have reaped more benefit.
Frank Fischer was caught by falling roof in the Stillwater mines at 12:30 p. m. Tuesday and instantly killed. The remains were taken to Connelly's undertaking rooms to be prepared for burial. The deceased was a native of Austria and had resided in Forest City for a number of years. He was about thirty years of age. The sad ending will cause his

afflanced, who is on her way from Austria, having sailed a few days ago, much sorrow. They were to have been married at Christmas time.

ARIEL.

Ariel, Dec. 10.
The Pinochle club met with Mrs. J. D. Storm on Saturday last.
Floyd Bortree is improving after an operation for appendicitis at Dr. Reed Burns' hospital, Scranton, and expects to be removed to his home here this week.
The Keystone Literary society held their semi-monthly meeting at the school house Friday afternoon and gave a well-rendered program which was enjoyed by a number of visitors.
Eichel McFarland spent a few days recently with friends and relatives in Scranton.
The Epworth League will hold a business meeting and social at the parsonage Wednesday evening, Dec. 11. All members and those wishing to become members are invited to attend.
The Book club will meet with Mrs. J. Brown on Tuesday evening of this week.

STALKER AND BRAMAN.

Stalker and Braman, Dec. 10.
The strife here is who can produce the most eggs. This warm weather is very favorable.
Mrs. R. J. Stalker, son Arthur, and Edith Stalker visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Kellam at Lookout Saturday and Sunday.
Harry Schneckenburg, of New York City, is enjoying a few days' hunting here with his parents.
Clyde Stalker saw a pretty deer leap from the field to the woods when taking his colts from the pasture on the upper farm.
B. Davis, the well known eye specialist of Ellenville, N. Y., was in this vicinity fitting glasses this week.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rauner of Susquehanna, N. Y., a daughter.
The social at Mrs. Lydia Coles was a success socially and financially and \$5.55 realized.

BASKET BALL AT DAMASCUS.

On the evening of Dec. 4th the High school gymnasium at Damascus was the scene of a lively and interesting game of basket ball played between the Damascus Five and Tyler Hill Stars. The line-up was as follows:
Damascus Five. Stars.
R. Pethick...F. T. Oliver
C. Noble...F. Vandy Tyler
J. Boucher...C. Merle Bogert
W. Lovelass...G. L. Pethick
C. Hocker...G. W. Tyler
The game resulted in the final score of 21-12 in favor of the Damascus Five.
The goals: Boucher 4, R. Pethick, C. Noble 2, M. Bogert 2, V. Tyler 1, T. Oliver 2, L. Pethick 1. Referee, B. Stevens.
Much interest was shown in the game by the large number in attendance.

HAMLIN.

Hamlin, Dec. 7.
Mrs. O. G. Russell and daughter, Helen, who have been visiting at Herrick Center, returned home on Saturday.
Eugene Mitchell, who has been ill, is able to be out again.
Mrs. Angeline Williams is very feeble at this present writing.
C. M. Loring spent Thanksgiving at his home here.
Charley and Arthur Curtis returned to Stroudsburg Normal school after spending their Thanksgiving vacation at home. The other young people from this place who are students there, did not come home for Thanksgiving.
Mrs. Lester Lawrence, Scranton, spent a few days recently with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur West.
Dr. O. J. Mullen has spent most of the past week in Honesdale assisting Dr. Ely in state work connected with the smallpox situation in this county.
Lawrence Alt, who is working in Jermyn, was home for Thanksgiving.
Miss Alice Hamlin spent her Thanksgiving Day in Scranton with her brother, Dr. B. G. Hamlin, and attended the Sothern-Marlowe productions at the Lyceum.
Robert Spangenberg has been suffering from a severe attack of sciatic rheumatism but is now much improved.
Mrs. H. C. Pelton, who has been suffering from a severe cold, is very much better.
Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Nicholson left on Monday for an extended visit at Sellersville, Philadelphia and other points.
Mr. and Mrs. George Lawrence, Scranton, visited relatives here during the Thanksgiving season.
Mrs. Lucina Abbey, Wimmers, was at F. A. Abbey's over Sunday.
Miss Clara Chapman was home for Thanksgiving. She is attending the Wilkes-Barre High school.

PAUPACK.

Paupack, Dec. 7.
Miss Katherine Gumble, of Milford, Pa., is making extended visits with Conrad Gumble and family.
Mrs. Esther Townsend, of Middletown, N. Y., is visiting with relatives and friends in Paupack and vicinity.
Miss Rose Gumble returned to her home in Honesdale Monday.
A party was held at the home of Conrad Gumble in honor of their guests. All present reported a fine time.
Miss Blanche Fowler has secured employment in the Reafler Hotel at Hawley and started upon her new duties Monday.
Henry Vetterlein left Saturday, Nov. 30, for State College, where he will take up a course of study in the science of agriculture.
Mrs. Isaac Ludwig and daughter, Ruth, of Equinunk, are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eri Trivelpiece.
Mrs. Augusta Bennett spent Sunday with Mrs. Esther Killam.
All the hunters have returned to their respective homes. We are being royally entertained by their tales about the deer they didn't get.

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FRANK J. CHENEY. Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.

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NOTICE OF ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the Wayne County Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Company will be held in the office of the company in Honesdale on

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at ten o'clock a. m. for the transaction of general business and that an election will be held at the same place of meeting between the hour of one and two o'clock p. m. of said day, for the purpose of electing members of said company to act as directors for the ensuing year. Every person insured in said company is a member thereof and entitled to one vote.

PERRY A. CLARK, Sec. Honesdale, Dec. 4, 1912. 97w

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