

Services at the Glenview Primitive Methodist Church on Sunday will be as usual. Sunday School at 10 a. m. in charge of Mr. Myron E. Steele, and Divine Worship at 11 a. m. and 4:15 p. m. The subject of the morning sermon will be: "A Good Man's Testimony to Christ," and that of the evening sermon: "Christ—Lost and Found." Rev. Iveson will preach both sermons. At the evening service there will be special music. Last Sunday evening the male quartette of the Shavertown Lutheran Church ably rendered several selections which were much appreciated.

On Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock the members of the Trustee Board will meet in the church.

At 4 o'clock on Thursday afternoon the Junior Meeting will be held under the direction of Mrs. George Noble and Mrs. Ralph Connor.

At 7:45 Thursday evening Rev. Iveson will conduct the regular mid-week prayer service.

The Ladies' Aid of the church were pleasantly entertained Friday evening by Mrs. E. P. Williams and Mrs. Russell Case at the latter's home. After the business meeting a social hour followed and a luncheon served. The guests were: Mrs. A. Iveson, Mrs. John Kocher, Mrs. Ross Lewin, Mrs. John Lowe, Mrs. Joseph Lowe, Mrs. George Trevelyan, Mrs. Robert Miles, Mrs. Walter Rossman, Mrs. John Sey-

mour, Mrs. Russell Cease, Mrs. Geo. Noble, Mrs. David Evans and Mrs. Ralph Connor. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Walter Rossman the fourth Friday of this month.

Mrs. John Lowe has returned home from Philadelphia where she visited her daughter and son-in-law.

Mrs. Minnie Lewis and children, Charlotte and Albert, visited friends here last Sunday.

Mrs. Eveland is ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Bert Wagner.

Mr. Melbourne Carey was the guest of his mother in Philadelphia during the holiday week.

Muriel and Walter Lewin spent the past week with their sister, Mrs. Z. S. Harmon, of Nanticoke.

Mrs. C. H. Detrick entertained her brother, Mr. Harry Trescott, of Philadelphia, over the week-end.

Mr. Teddy Yopp has recovered from an attack of gripe.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Lewin were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cairl, of Dallas, New Year's Day.

ALDERSON AND VICINITY

The new year was welcomed with the usual blowing of whistles, etc., and now we know how it feels to live in 1929. Thus far, except for the weather, we haven't found anything unusual. We suppose all the meteorologists and forecasters are busy cudgeling their brains in order to tell of some extraordinary phenomena that the rainy New Year's Day portend. They undoubtedly will give some reason for that rain otherwise, they would have nothing to argue about and that would be just too bad. We sincerely hope that some very successful forecasts will be made.

Miss Mary Kuchta spent the past week-end visiting friends in Johnson City.

The Laketon basket ball teams started the new year badly. Last Thursday night they were both defeated. The Sandy Beach Five played the Y. M. C. A. of Wilkes-Barre and lost 57 to 25. The High School team played Foster Township and were defeated 48 to 29. No alibis have been offered so we gather that the enemy teams played a superior brand of basket ball. The High School team plays the Wilkes-Barre

Business College team next Friday at Wilkes-Barre. The Sandy Beach Five plays Tunkhannock at Laketon next Thursday night. Tunkhannock defeated them at Beaumont 21 to 27 some time ago and the Sandy Beach boys are thirsting for revenge. A good game is assured.

Mrs. L. T. Avery, of Alderson, is spending some time visiting relatives at Tunkhannock.

This week items are noticeable because of their scarcity. We pray the forgiveness of our readers. We know that there was more news to be had but because of the hustle and bustle of the New Year we were unable to get around to gather it.

Snow Fences Are Completed

The State Department of Highways have completed erecting snow fences along highways in rural districts to prevent snow from drifting.

If it was not for these fences some of the roads in the rural districts would be blocked for days at a time during the winter months.

SOOT IN HEATING PLANT EXPENSIVE

Look to Grates and Firepot Before Wintry Blizzards Descend on Home.

Before heavy midwinter blizzards come and long severe "cold spells" set in, warns the Holland Institute of Thermology of Holland, Mich., a thorough inspection of the heating plant should be made to see that it can carry the heavy load of late December, January and February. Seven points about heaters themselves, aside from fuels and other parts of the heating system, should be attended to.

If all the rooms in a house are to be heated, a single central heating plant and a single chimney should be installed instead of a number of stoves with several chimneys.

Few home heaters have auxiliary ashpits below floor level, and therefore the owner must be prepared to remove the ashes once a day without fail.

Soot Proves Costly.

Provide yourself with a long, flexible-handled scraper to clean out the interior heating surfaces through which smoke and hot gases pass—or, better, have your heating plant cleaned by the vacuum cleaner process. Even with the most modern vapor-air heating plant, an eighth of an inch of soot reduces heating efficiency 28 per cent, and an accumulation a quarter inch thick cuts efficiency 48 per cent.

See that there is a check damper in the smoke pipe to check the draft. Opening the fire-door for this purpose is wasteful of fuel.

Grate Should Be Sound.

Heating engineers agree that the grate is one of the most important items in the entire heating plant. Your grate should be perfectly sound and whole. It should be large enough, and the firepot itself should be deep enough to carry sufficient fuel to fire your heating plant to full efficiency. Otherwise too frequent firing will be required. The center-pivoted cone-type grate meets the requirements of good draft, preventing fuel from dropping into the ashpit and promoting easy shaking.

In no circumstances go into the heavy heating season with a cracked firepot. Call a reliable heating company and have new parts installed if that is necessary. Firepots for soft coal in several types of heaters are slotted to introduce pre-heated air. This helps to promote complete combustion of the gases contained in bituminous coals.

See that the smoke pipe connection between central heating plant and chimney is in first-rate condition. This means it should be straight, tight and sloping slightly upward to the chimney. The smoke pipe should be as short as possible, preferably not more than 10 or 12 feet long. The longer the smoke pipe the greater the heat loss through it and the weaker the draft.

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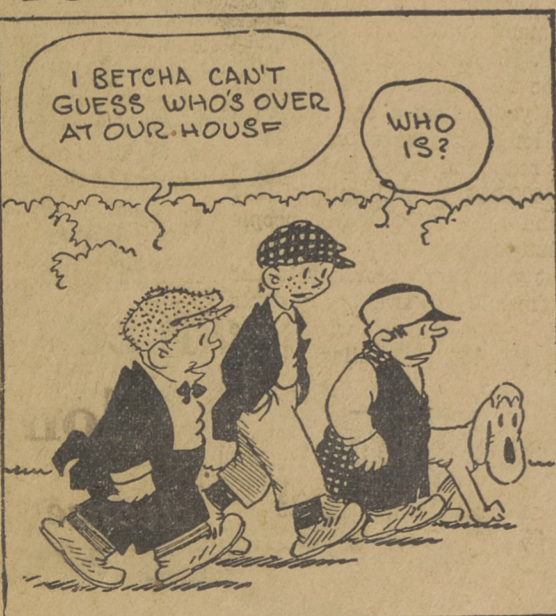
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JUST KIDS—Saturday Mornin'

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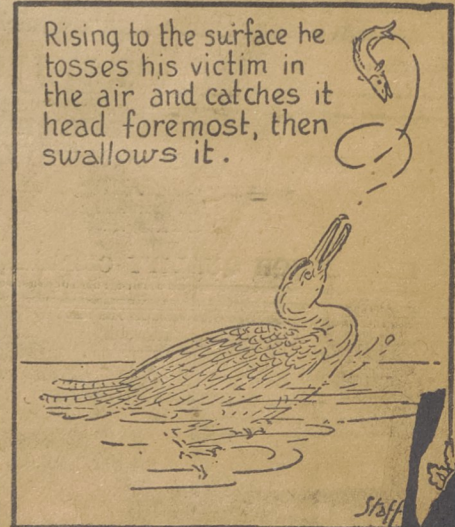
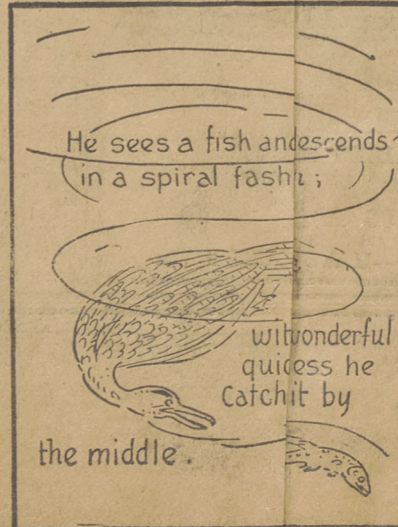
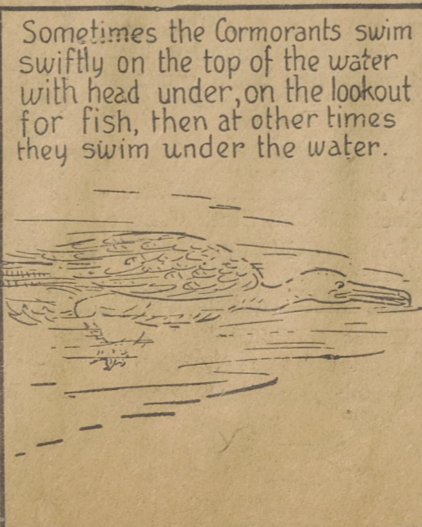
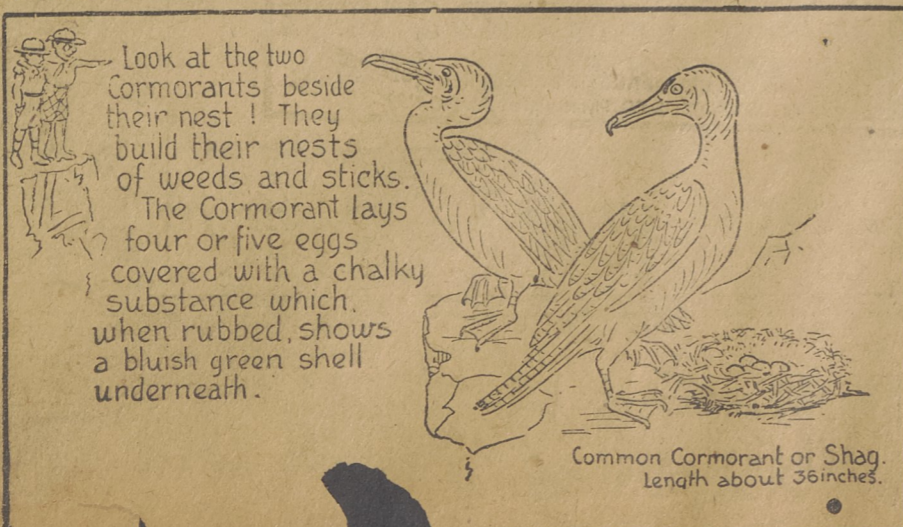


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