

SUBURBAN

NEWVILLE

Gordon Fry, of Camp Hill, Spent Some time With His Grandparents... Special Correspondence... Mrs. G. Woodburn Dunlap and little daughter, of Altoona, are being entertained by Newville relatives.

HERSHEY

Mrs. Elizabeth DeMuth, an Aged Lady, Was Stricken With Paralysis... Special Correspondence... Hershey, Dec. 7.—Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Herz visited friends at Lancaster.

WEST FAIRVIEW

Miss Vernie J. Stoner Marries Shepherdstown Man... Special Correspondence... West Fairview, Dec. 7.—Miss Vernie J. Stoner, of this place, and Calvin I. Engle, of Shepherdstown, were married at Harrisburg December 3, at 4.30 p. m.

HUMMELSTOWN

Seventeen Head of Cattle on Overcash Farm to Be Killed... Special Correspondence... Hummelstown, Dec. 7.—Seventeen head of cattle on the farm of Michael Overcash, east of town, tenanted by Jacob Stahley, have been found to be suffering with the hoof and mouth disease.

The Rev. Herbert S. Gurnes will organize a class for catechetical instruction in the parish house of Zion Lutheran church on Friday evening at 7.30 o'clock.

The Ladies' Mite Society of the Reformed church will meet in the Sunday school room of the church on Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Elizabeth DeMuth, an aged lady, residing on Spring Creek avenue, was stricken with paralysis and is in a serious condition.

Miss Barbara Eckert was brought home from Harrisburg very ill last week.

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Camel Cigarettes advertisement featuring a camel illustration and text: 'Quality! Not Premiums 20 for 10c Cigarettes. No premiums or coupons with Camel Cigarettes. The cost of the tobacco prohibits their use.'

INDEPENDENTS WIN OUT

Open Home Season in Chestnut Street Auditorium With 22-12 Victory Over Shamokin

The Harrisburg Independents opened their home season in the Chestnut street auditorium Saturday night with a victory over the Shamokin five by the score of 22 to 12.

Although the floor work of the locals was a trifle ragged at the start, the team came back and played well together.

Miss Jean Sample has returned from New Cumberland, where she spent In-stitute vacation as a guest in the home of her sister, Mrs. A. S. Black.

Mr. and Mrs. William McCaleb, of Harrisburg, were guests of relatives in this place over Sunday.

Miss Lillian Fought has returned from Middletown, where she spent In-stitute vacation with relatives.

Mrs. Edward Berry, of Shippensburg, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Dayhoff have returned from their wedding trip.

Mrs. Lizzie Negley and son, Paul, returned from a visit to Philadelphia last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Pehl and family attended the funeral of Mrs. Pehl's father, Henry Staup, of near Carlisle, on Sunday.

Mrs. J. N. Good and son, of Elizabethtown, are guests of the Rev. S. N. and Mrs. Good, at the Church of God parsonage.

Mrs. J. V. Adams returned on Saturday from Cumberland, Md., where she has been in a hospital the past three weeks, where an operation was performed on her throat.

Mrs. Paris Hutton, of Williams' Grove, spent the weekend with her sister, Mrs. Jacob Ross.

Mrs. Annie Smaling and daughter, Ruth, attended a family reunion at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fink, at Zion's View, York county, on Friday.

Mrs. Beaverson, of Middletown, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Clarence Sweney, Fourth street.

Mrs. Reuz and granddaughter, Clara Snyder, and J. Donnelly, of Hummelstown, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Watkins Saturday and Sunday.

The Kathleen series will open in the Family theatre on Tuesday evening and continue thirteen weeks.

Artistic Printing at Star-Independent.

Illustrated Bible advertisement: 'The \$5.00 Illustrated Bible. Educational Certificate presented by the Star-Independent. Abraham Lincoln said: "No library is complete without two certain books—the Bible and Shakespeare. Hardly a quotation in literature that is not taken from one of these works."'

NEWS OF THE SPORTING WORLD

TROTGING INCREASES IN PAST YEAR, 1,368 MEETS

Racing Featured Fairs—New Rules of Harness Racing Is Responsible—Secretary Thinks Entrance Fees Will Be Abandoned

More trotting meetings were held in America the past season than in any other year in the history of the sport.

Up to December 1, W. H. Gocher, secretary of the National Trotting Association, had received reports of 1,368 meetings held this year on tracks in the United States and Canada.

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SOON TO SOUND TAPS ON BOXING IN CALIFORNIA

State That Has Furnished Many Famous Battles to Eliminate Big Bouts—December 15 Is Closing Day—Championships Decided There

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Among the lighter boxers the best lads in each division have been seen in action in San Francisco or Los Angeles during the last ten years.

STEELTON CORRESPONDENT PICKS HIGH SCHOOL TEAMS

Rote Given Preference Over Britsch for Quarterback—Beck at Fullback With Dayhoff and Black in Back-field

Correspondents, who sign themselves "Steelton" have picked from the three teams, Tech, Central and Steelton, an All-High school team.

The communication follows and it is self explanatory: "In choosing this team we have done it without any partiality, favor, or home spirit. We have placed in our choice, men who we think most deserving of the position they are placed in.

Stitelier, of Tech, is without a doubt the man for left end and Keim, who we have chosen as second string man would have shown up or given better chance for the job. Byers, of Central, showed remarkable football knowledge and played a good game.

Wren falls in for second string man in this department. Morette, of Steelton, though a freshman, played a good game. This position is a little in doubt as to which it belongs to, but we think that Morette has it over Smucker, of Central, whom we played on the second team.

There is no doubt about Norris, of Steelton, for he completely outclassed any center he played against this year. His spirit also added wonderfully to the results obtained at Steelton in their most important games.

Wier, of Tech, has been chosen for right guard with Levitz, of Steelton, second. Tech has in Kutz one of the best tackles they ever had and he could hold this job down on many of the smaller colleges with his present knowledge of the game.

Crump, of Steelton, is our second choice. Emanuel, the big end of Tech, had little trouble in holding down right end. Black, of Central, is chosen as the second string man.

Quarterback lay between Rote, of Central, and Britsch, of Tech, but Rote, without a doubt, outclassed his Tech opponent whom we have placed on the second team. Steelton had three mighty good men and those following the games of the three high schools will point these three men out without hesitating.

Dayhoff as we all know was the big man in the Central High games and he leads these three. He was now in running the team, but pushed them through like a veteran. He was very aggressive and a mighty good tackler. He is to be feared by Central and Tech for the following two years.

Roth, of Central, is second choice here. Beach, of Tech, is our choice for R. H. B., with Gardner, of Steelton, second. We all know where fullback goes, but we would also like to say that Beck had no De-vine, Gougler, Clark, P. Morrett, Atticks, Lawrence or Suydam to play against. Beck is one of the best high school players ever turned out of Harrisburg, but with this he was completely out of his class. Smeltzer is second choice at fullback. The line up:

First Team: L. E., Stitelier, Tech; L. T., Byers, Central; L. G., Morrett, Steelton; C., Norris, Steelton; R. E., Wier, Tech; R. T., Kutz, Tech; R. E., Emanuel, Tech; Q. B., Rote, Central; L. H. B., Dayhoff, Steelton; R. H. B., Beach, Tech; F. B., Beck, Tech.

Second Team: L. E., Keim, Steelton; L. T., Wren, Steelton; L. G., Smucker, Central; C., Cless, Tech; R. G., Levitz, Steelton; R. T., Crump, Steelton; R. E., Black, Central; Q. B., Britsch, Tech; L. H. B., Roth, Central; R. H. B., Gardner, Steelton; F. B., Smeltzer, Central."

Penbrook and Belmont Team Each Score—Moore Wins With Kick

The Penbrook All-Scholastics won from the Belmont A. C. Saturday afternoon by the score of 7 to 6. Moore's goal from a touchdown scored the point that won the game. The scores: Belmont. Penbrook. Black . . . . . R E . . . . . Shields J. Uhloltz . . . . . R T . . . . . Garman Hendricks . . . . . R G . . . . . Flory Hoover . . . . . C . . . . . Gumphre McNeil . . . . . L G . . . . . Koons Filling . . . . . L T . . . . . Nagie Looker . . . . . L E . . . . . Novinger Longenecker . . . . . Q B . . . . . Zeigler G. Uhloltz . . . . . L H B . . . . . Bobbs Schirner . . . . . R H B . . . . . Shearer Substitutions, Moore for Gumphre, Koomes for Koons, Gumphre for Nagie, Referee, Beck, Tech; umpire, Britsch, Tech; linesman, Garman and Long. Touchdowns, Uhloltz and Cooper. Goal from touchdown, Moore. Coopers, 15 minutes each.

Arrow Five Wins 37 to 23

COBB AGAIN LEADS LEAGUE

Hangs Up That Honor Two Years in Succession—Eddie Collins Second—Twelve .300 Hitters

The official batting averages of the American League for the season of 1914 show that Tyrus Raymond Cobb, of the Detroit Tigers, is the champion hitter.

This is practically the eighth time in succession that Cobb has led the American League in batting. He was nosed out in 1908 by "Dode" Criss, of St. Louis, .341 to .324, but took part in but 64 games at bat to Cobb's 150, making only 28 hits in 82 times at bat to Cobb's 188 hits in 581 times at bat.

The Tiger star may well be awarded the honors for that year. Cobb also led the league in 1907, and has finished above all rivals in 1909, 1910, 1911, 1912, 1913 and 1914.

Cobb wins the sticking championship this year with an average of .368, his lowest mark since 1908, when he wound up with .324. Eddie Collins, of the Athletics, is second with .344, and for the third place Tris Speaker, of the Red Sox, and Joe Jackson, of the Naps, are tied with .338.

Only twelve players batted .300 in the American League for the season, those in the select circle, other than the four already mentioned being Leivelt, of Cleveland; Baker, of Philadelphia; Hobbittzel, of Boston; Crawford, of Detroit; McInnis, of Philadelphia; Fournier, of Chicago; Cree, of New York, and Barbare, of Cleveland. They finished in the order named.

ATHLETICS WIN OUT

Artisans Fall Easily and Lose by 402 Pins

The Athletics of the Elk Bowling League walloped the Artisans in all of the three games Friday and won the match easily by a margin of 402 pins. The scores:

Table with columns for ATHLETICS and ARTISANS, listing names and scores for various bowlers.

Academy Has Two Games

The Harrisburg Academy five will open its basketball season Wednesday with the Methodist Boys' Club team. Saturday the Academy team will play the York Interscholastic Institute. These will be the only games before the Christmas holidays.

EASTERN LEAGUERS WIN

Harry Hough's Foul Goal Shooting Takes Game From Harrisburg, 42 to 29

The Trenton Eastern League five defeated the Harrisburg team in the Armory game Saturday evening by the score of 42 to 29. Hough's foul goal shooting won for the Eastern Leaguers while the Harrisburgers had difficulty in shooting fouls.

In their floor work the locals equalled Trenton, but Baumbach was off on his foul shooting. Despite the one-sided score the game was fast and well played during both periods, while several shots made by Hough and Baumbach bordered on the impossible. Haddow played a good game at center and Atticks and Sour-brier each played good defensive games. For Trenton Frost and Hough were individual stars.

The line-up and summary: Harrisburg. Trenton. Baumbach . . . . . F . . . . . Reily Kront . . . . . F . . . . . Hough Haddow . . . . . F . . . . . Getzinger Atticks . . . . . G . . . . . Franklin Sourbrier . . . . . G . . . . . Frost

Field goals, Baumbach, 6; Frost, 5; Reily, 5; Hough, 3; Haddow, 3; Kront, 2; Sourbrier, 2; Franklin, 2; Getzinger, 2. Foul goals, Hough, 14; Baumbach, Haddow, Kront, Referee, White. Scorer, Kulp, Timer, Regan. Time of halves, 20 minutes.

Totals . . . . . 811 769 846-2426

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ASK FOR Lancaster's Favorite Brew RIEKER'S BEER

JNO. G. WALL, Agt. Harrisburg, Pa. Frank J. Rieker, Mgr.