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The way the earthquakes have been ushering in the Spring season is something the Soviet has arranged quietly, to take the attention of the people of the world off the Hungary, Suez, Indonesia and some other tough questions.

Nice to know that the Jaycee Follies will be repeated for the benefit of the Delaware Valley Joint School Band Uniform fund. Such an excellent show as that deserved to be given more than for the home folks. Some Pike County talent were in it anyway, which makes it even more important to let Pike Countians know what is going on here.

Another sign of Spring's arrival is the plans of the Garden Club to visit the annual Flower Show in New York City on April 3d. These bus trips are always enjoyed by local and nearby flower lovers. Last year the bus started in a heavy snow storm and met rain in the Metropolitan area, but that did not dampen the ardor of the delegation.

Congratulations to the Fire Companies who are celebrating their centennials this year. Most of them were organized about the same period of time, as the little hamlet spread out in several directions.

If ever Ira Wallace and Herb Blood want to quit their present jobs and take up another business, we'd suggest that they open a restaurant, featuring the finest in the eating line, for their dinner served at the Dutch Arms Ladies' Night proved that they know all the main details to provide the best in the culinary department.

That Mid-West blizzard recalled more or less vividly to some of the veterans of the great 1888 storm, some of the troubles encountered at that time. A new story came our way recently, from Fred Driller, who for many years was a leading resident and business man of Matamoras and West-fall Township, and now resides at South Gibson, Pa. Fred says that he was a lad of four years of age and recalls how it was necessary to dig a tunnel to get from the house to the barn and around, and as they were taking the horse through the hole, Freddie happened to get too close and received a bad kick. He had good reason to remember that storm. Luckily Port Jervis managed to be out of the range of the 1957 blizzard which took many lives in the Western states as a farewell to Winter.

one seems to get gold by simply touching Uncle Samuel.

Port Jervis has been particularly fortunate this Winter in its variety of activities for the boys and girls of the city. There have been the Y. M. C. A. programs for boys of all ages, as well as some girls' sports, there have been the bowling matches for the Church Bowling League and C. Y. O. programs. Those groups ought to take care of a large number of the young folks, but still there are those who are not connected with any of these activities who should be enrolled somewhere in a club or group that will provide the necessary outlet for their energies along the right lines. The City Recreation Department will soon have the Summer programs working at full speed, to provide some more Summers of vacation time recreation along the right lines.

Of course you are not supposed to keep the kids so busy with sports that they won't have time to cut the grass, spade up or hoe the garden, plant the seeds for the Summer flowers, etc. That used to be a part of the work for boys and girls which seems to have vanished to some extent.