

With the Churches of the County.

Notes of Interest to Church People of all Denominations in all Parts of the County.

TEACHERS GRADUATE

A class of Teachers Training finished its course and public exercises were held in the Reformed church at Tylersville, on Sunday evening, March 24th, 1912. The class consisted of nine members and represented all the denominations of the town. Each member of the class had a part on the program which was as follows:—Devotional Exercises, Rev. G. A. Stauffer.

- PART FIRST—THE SUNDAY SCHOOL.
1. Its Origin..... Henry Grieb
 2. Its Object..... Annie Weaver
 3. Its Organization..... Anna Harner
 4. Its Address..... Lulu Grieb
 5. Address—The Relation of the Sunday School to the Church and vice versa. Rev. G. A. Stauffer.
- PART SECOND—THE SCHOLAR.
1. His Play..... Bertha Wilson
 2. His Traits..... Orpha Kishel
 3. His Training..... Lulu Kerstetter
 - Solo..... Mrs. G. A. Stauffer
- PART THIRD—THE TEACHER.
1. His Opportunities..... Minor Miller
 2. His Guide..... Regina Grieb
 3. His Aim..... Anna Harner

The diplomas were presented by Rev. Stauffer, after which the theme platform of the teacher of the class, Mr. Minor Miller, on behalf of its members, a fine copy of the Bible.

A NOTED PLATFORM ORATOR.

Bishop Bell is widely known as an eloquent speaker, and has won for himself and his church the highest recognition as a prophet of the better times in all that region on the coast, where human society is in turmoil, and the building of the nation is in progress. At the recent General Conference in Canton, Bishop Bell lectured on his favorite theme, "American Perils," under the auspices of the First U. B. church, and won for himself praise above the others from the thoughtful audience who heard the address.—*Religious Telescope.* Bishop Bell will lecture in the Methodist church, in this place, Monday evening, April 15th, on "American Perils," under the auspices of the First U. B. church. You do not want to miss the opportunity to hear Bishop William M. Bell.

THE CHAPEL DEDICATION.

On Palm Sunday, March 31st, 1912, at 2:30 p. m., the Olive-Branch Union chapel in Coleville will be dedicated. Sermon by Rev. John Hewitt. Sacred music appropriate for the occasion. Collection to provide seats and other requisites for the chapel.

The chapel trustees and superintendent of the Bible school extend a gospel welcome to all who can attend for the encouragement of this suburban religious institution founded, according to Apostolic appellation, in "the name that is above every name," for "all laborers together with God."

Services will be held next Sunday on the Hublersburg charge as follows: 10 a. m., at Hublersburg, and 2:30 p. m. at Zion. Rev. H. N. Smith, of Delmont, will conduct these services.

Confirmation services will be held in St. John's Reformed church, Palm Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. "The Palms" will be sung. Daily services will be held during Holy Week, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday at 7:30 p. m.; Good Friday 2 to 3 p. m.; Saturday at 2:30 p. m.

PINE GROVE MENTION.

Wm. J. Dale was a Branch visitor Tuesday. Most of the public schools closed this week. Charley Strouse is arranging to build a new barn this summer. Andy Lytle is building a new house on his Shingletown farm. Fred Randolph was a passenger over the Bellefonte Central Tuesday. Dr. Kidder is having lumber cut for an addition to his barn near Boalsburg. Clayton Corl is up in Altoona assisting O. B. Krebs fit to the Kippie farm. Winter sail hangs in the lap of spring and Mother Earth is robed in white. Shred Moore, of Neffs Mills, was here last week and bought a bunch of sheep. Misses Bessie and Lizzie Bloom spent Sunday at Bloomsburg with their sick mother. Mrs. Sallie Bloom has a very sick lady the past week with neuralgia of the heart. Jim McWilliams is handling the ribbons over a splendid nag that can show its heels at a 2.28 gait. J. I. Markle, of Bellwood, is home with his wife, who has been ill many weeks and not much improved. E. S. Tressler left Monday morning for Somerset county where he will be employed on the state road making. Butcher Elmer Houtz is nursing his left hand on account of getting the end of one finger in the saw grinder. During the past week 4 car loads of dolls were shipped from here over the Bellefonte Central railroad. Robert Condo, who suffered a stroke of paralysis last week, is slowly recovering. His arm is slightly affected. The John Welland's sale Tuesday brought a large crowd of anxious buyers. Three horses brought \$768.00. The sale amounted to \$2526.92. Squire B. J. Laporte, of Philipsburg, is circulating among his Spruce Creek friends, where he spent his youthful days. W. Scott Bailey is showing him around. The Senior class of the Ferguson township High school will hold their commencement exercises in the Odd Fellows hall at Pine Grove Mills on April 8th. Dr. S. E. Weber, of State College, will be the commencement speaker. Last summer William Ingram, tenant on the Sidney Islet farm in Spruce Creek valley, made a deal for a farm in Delaware. Early this month he sold his farm stock and machinery at public sale and bidding goodbye to his friends left for Delaware to take possession of his farm. But when he arrived there he was dismayed to find only a lake of water on the ground he had bought and he returned to Centre county on the next train. He is now located in lower Bald Eagle valley waiting for a job.

SMULLTOWN.

George H. Small lost a valuable horse recently. Jacob Winktebeck has purchased a new boiler for his engine. S. A. Bieri has arranged to teach a spring term of school. "Buffalo Bill" has again rented his farm and will use his roadster in driving to and from his town home to the farm.

LEMONT.

Mrs. John Fisher is some better at this writing. Jacob Shuey and wife are improving very slowly.

Claude Hoy is down with typhoid fever at present.

There is one case of measles in town at this writing, the youngest son of Christ Houtz.

Mrs. William Williams came in from Philipsburg to visit her mother, who has been quite ill of late.

Mrs. Daniel Keller, who has been down with the fever for more than two months, is now on a fair way to get well.

Edward Dale, who was stricken down with the fever more than a week ago, is getting no better, owing to kidney trouble setting in, but it is hoped that a change will soon come for the better.

John I. Williams, Frank Williams and Clarence Houtz are doing the carpenters work on the Manda Mothersbach property, near town, and when it is completed it will make a cosy little home.

The Belle Telephone company has a crew of men putting in larger poles between Lemont and State College, as the old ones are too light to carry the wires that will be put on in the near future.

Last Friday night one of the large lamps that Elmer C. Ross uses to light his store room fell to the floor and started a blaze that might have destroyed the entire store had it not been for the hard fight put up to bring it under control, and as it was damaged more than a hundred dollars worth of goods.

Tuesday, March 12th, when Mrs. Ellen Garbrick returned to her home from Zion, where she had been visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Yearick, she found her house filled with friends and neighbors who came to make merry with her on the 62nd anniversary of her birth, and all spent a very pleasant day, wishing her many pleasant returns of the day.

Real Estate Transfers.

John M. Krumrine et ux to George Perry Gentzel, tract of land in State College; \$6000.
W. D. Crosby et ux to James J. Bandy, Admr. tract of land in Philipsburg; \$800.
Andrew Ocker et ux to James J. Gramley, tract of land in Miles Twp.; \$300.
Samuel W. Holt et ux to Guy W. Woleslagle, tract of land in Union Twp.; \$280.
J. W. Struble et ux to Henry Tressler, tract of land in Bonner Twp.; \$2800.
Mary L. B. Stuart to Thomas J. McMahon, tract of land in College Twp.; \$5000.
S. M. Ulrich et ux et al to Orlando Hackenbush, tract of land in Penn Twp.; \$600.
R. Henry Potter to Samuel Ginzler, tract of land in Potter Twp.; \$240.
John Ritzman to Edward Quick, tract of land in Milesburg; \$600.
J. H. Meyer et ux to Nevin W. Meyer, tract of land in Harris Twp.; \$700.
Wm. Meyer et ux et al to J. Henry Meyer, tract of land in Boalsburg; \$900.
Arthur Kimpfort to W. A. Odenkirk, tract of land in Centre Hall; \$3250.
Sarah C. Robinson et baron to Mary Rushnock, tract of land in Snow Shoe; \$800.
A. C. Leathers et ux to Howard H. Evey, tract of land in State College; \$400.
Herbert M. Swartz et ux to Benj. J. Royer, tract of land in Miles Twp.; \$275.
Vulcan Trading Co. to Harbison-Walker Ref. Co., tract of land in Liberty Twp.; \$1.
Hiram Grove to H. B. Herring, tract of land in Gregg Twp.; \$500.
Mary E. From to Wm. H. Baird, tract of land in State College; \$2000.
Barbara Stover to Thomas Stover, tract of land in Haines Twp.; \$325.
Dwight M. Stover et ux to Thomas Stover, tract of land in Haines Twp.; \$35.

BOOKS, MAGAZINES, ETC.

MORE PENNSYLVANIA MOUNTAIN STORIES.—Through the courtesy of the author, Mr. Henry W. Shoemaker another volume of the truly delightful "stories" is upon our desk. The one just received—the second—is a beautifully printed book of over 400 pages substantially bound and is worthy a place in any library. Mr. Shoemaker, we understand, was a former resident of McClintock, Clinton county, and writes into most entertaining romances events, traditions and legends connected with locations in this and Clinton county. To each story he gives just enough of local coloring and description to enable the reader to recognize, not only the places but many of the characters connected with the tradition. Under the title of "Marsh Marigold" the scenes of which are located in Brush Valley and over about Logan; and the "Pitcher Plant" that is written into a ghost story of the Bear Meadows, he gives us two Centre county tales, based on some historical data, with facts that older citizens can verify, and romance enough to hold the readers attention from the first to the last line. The other stories of this volume, are mostly located in Clinton and Potter counties and will doubtless have many readers who will recognize the places and persons referred to by the writer.

CONAN DOYLE WRITES GREATEST ADVENTURE STORY EVER WRITTEN.—The new modern story by Sir Arthur Conan Doyle, which begins in the Pittsburgh Sunday Post March 24th, is likely to create a bigger sensation than any tale ever written by one of the greatest masters of the story-telling art the world has known. It is a modern tale of adventure, written in the fullness of the author's power, a product of his developed, ripened genius. Never has he written more brilliantly, more effectively. Never has he been so ingenious, so picturesque. The story is a marvel of condensation, and its action is so rapid that you will eagerly await every one of the 18 installments. It is impossible to escape the grip of its interest, because it is so full of thrills, of excitement; for the daring explorers encounter dangers that only a great imagination could conceive. And only a great writer with profound scientific knowledge could make them real. In this story Sir Arthur Conan Doyle is not content with a plot that makes his latest novel the most sensationally interesting he has written: he has been equally concerned about his characters. One, at least, will go down in literary history as the equal of Sherlock Holmes. He is every whit as remarkable, as interesting, as the great detective, and as different as day is from night. In one respect he is superior to Sherlock Holmes, in that he is far more human. Sir Arthur's "Sir Nigel," one of the most successful serials ever written, appeared several years ago in the Pittsburgh Sunday Post. For that story \$25,000 was paid for the American serial rights alone. For this latest story from the same author he has been paid an even higher rate for each word. It isn't so long as "Sir Nigel," and we are certain you will feel sure that it is worth all its cost. Be sure to read the opening chapters of "The Lost World" in the Sunday magazine of the Pittsburgh Post, beginning next Sunday, March 24th. To make sure of your copy order in advance from your newsdealer, as an enormous extra demand will cause many news dealers to sell out early.

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR THE LEGISLATURE.
We are authorized to announce that Robert M. Foster, of State College, will be a candidate for the nomination as a Member of the Legislature from Centre county subject to the approval of the Democratic voters as expressed at the primaries on April 13th, 1912.

We are authorized to announce that George A. Beezer of Bellefonte will be a candidate for Legislature, subject to the decision of the Democratic voters of Centre county as expressed at the uniform primaries to be held Saturday, April 13th, 1912.

FOR NATIONAL DELEGATE.
The editor of the WATCHMAN, P. Gray Meek, hereby announces his candidacy for delegate to the Democratic National convention at Baltimore, subject to the decision of the Democratic voters of the 21st Congressional district, as expressed at the primaries April 13th, 1912.

We are requested to announce that W. A. Haggerty Esq., of Clearfield will be a candidate for Delegate to the Democratic National Convention at Baltimore. Subject to the action of the Democratic voters of the 21st Congressional district, as expressed at the primaries Saturday April 13, 1912.

We are authorized to announce that William Hanley Esq., of Bradford, McKean county, will be a candidate for Delegate to the Democratic National Convention at Baltimore, subject to the decision of the Democratic voters of the 21st congressional district.

To the Democratic Voters of the Twenty-first Congressional District, Composed of the Counties of Cameron, Centre, Clearfield and McKean: Following my announcement as candidate for delegate to the Democratic National convention at Baltimore from the Twenty-first Pennsylvania Congressional district, I wish to place myself on record as follows:

At the present time I favor the nomination for president of the Hon. Woodrow Wilson, of New Jersey. I believe that the majority of the Democratic voters of this district desire his nomination. I wish to be a real representative, and if at the convention it appears that Wilson cannot be nominated, I desire to be free to support any other good man who can lead the Democratic party to victory.

The Democratic party of Pennsylvania at the present time does not present a united front to that victory can only be secured by harmonizing the differences that exist. If elected a delegate from this district, I will earnestly work in favor of a united Democratic party, and will not support the leader of either of the present factions. Having never before been an aspirant for political office, I am bound by no promise, given or implied, to any man or faction and will recognize no allegiance to any man or plan that might abridge my right to faithfully and conscientiously serve the Democratic voters of this district from whom I elected. I shall have received my commission and whom, alone, I shall serve. I earnestly solicit the support of all Democrats who agree with me on these subjects. Very truly yours, WM. HANLEY.

Bradford, Pa., March 18th, 1912.

DELEGATES TO STATE CONVENTION.
We are authorized to announce Abram Weber Esq. of Howard as a candidate for Delegate to the Democratic State Convention, subject to the decision of the Democratic voters of the county, as expressed at the Primaries April 13, 1912.

We are authorized to announce I. J. Dreese Esq., of State College, as a candidate for Delegate to the Democratic State Convention subject to the decision of the Democratic voters of the county, as expressed at the Primaries April 13, 1912.

COUNTY CHAIRMAN.
We are authorized to announce W. Harrison

Walker Esq., of Bellefonte, as a candidate for Chairman of the Democratic County Committee subject to the decision of the Democratic voters, at the primaries April 13, 1912.

She iff's Sales

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue of a writ of Fieri Facias issued out of the court of Common Pleas of Centre county, and to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale at the Court House in the Borough of Bellefonte, Pa., on FRIDAY, MARCH 29th, 1912, at 1:30 o'clock p. m., the following described real estate, to wit:

All that certain message, tenement and lot of land situated, lying and being in the Borough of Philipsburg, Centre county, Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the north-east corner of Laurel and Eighth streets in the plot of said Borough, and thence along the line of said Eighth street thirty-three (33) feet to a stake; thence at a right angle ninety (90) feet more or less to the line of a ten feet wide alley; thence along the line of said alley in a southerly direction to a post in the north line of Laurel street; and thence in a westerly direction along the line of said Laurel street a distance of ninety (90) feet more or less to a post in line of Eighth street; the place of beginning.

On which is erected a two-story frame dwelling house and other necessary outbuildings. Seized, levied upon, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Wm. Ferguson.

TERMS OF SALE: No deed will be acknowledged until the purchase money is paid in full. ARTHUR B. LEE, Sheriff

Sheriff's Office, Bellefonte, Pa., 57-11-31.

New Advertisements.

AUTOMOBILE FOR SALE.—One six passenger touring car, 50 horse power, fully equipped 1911 model 18 Matheson "Silent Six." Inquire of HUGH N. CRIDER, Bellefonte Pa. 57-10-11.

NOTICE TO CONFIRM SALE

In the matter of the application of Jane H. Valentine, Mary D. Valentine, Sarah W. Valentine, and Emily J. Valentine, Trustees of George Valentine, late of Ruxton, county of Baltimore, and State of Maryland, deceased, and in the matter of the said Trustees as individuals, and Emily J. Valentine, as widow of said deceased. To the trustees, heirs, next of kin and legal representatives of George Valentine, late of Ruxton, Maryland, deceased. Notice is hereby given that on the 28th day of February, 1912, a petition was presented to the Court of Common Pleas of Centre county asking for an order to make private sale of the undivided one-fifth interest of, in, and to a certain message, tenement and tract of land situate in Spring township, Centre county, Pennsylvania, containing one hundred and thirteen (113) acres and twenty-seven (27) perches more or less, and described in said petition, reference thereto made will more fully and at large appear, to William P. Humes and Myra Humes for the price or sum of four hundred and seven (407) dollars. All parties in interest are further notified that the said Court did on the 12th day of March, A. D., 1912, confirm said sale and directed publication of these proceedings, and if no exceptions were filed within twenty-one days the Prothonotary of said Court should mark the same confirmed sale.

WITNESS my hand this 12th day of March, 1912. D. R. FOREMAN, Prothonotary. 57-11-31.

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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.—Letters testamentary on the estate of W. T. Ardrey, deceased, late of Snow Shoe, having been granted to the undersigned he requests all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate to make immediate payment and those having claims against the same to present them duly authenticated for settlement. ISRAEL HOOVER, Executor, W. HARRISON WALKER, Moshannon, Pa. 57-11-64.

New Advertisements.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Letters of administration on the estate of William Clapper, deceased, late of College township, having been granted to the undersigned they request all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate to make immediate payment and those having claims against the same to present them duly authenticated for settlement. ANNIE E. THOMPSON, IRVIN P. THOMPSON, BELLOTT THOMPSON, WAYNE B. THOMPSON, Administrators, Lemont, Pa. 57-10-61.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.—In the Orphans' Court of Centre county, in re-estate of Henry C. Clapper, late of Ferguson township, deceased. The undersigned, an auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Centre county to pass upon the exceptions filed to the account of the administrator and to make distribution of the balance found to be in the hands of the accountant, in accordance with his findings, to and among those parties interested, for the purposes of his appointment, on Wednesday, April 17th, 1912, at 10 o'clock a. m., at his law offices in Temple Court, Bellefonte, Penna., when and where all parties interested are required to appear and make and prove their claims or be forever barred from coming in upon said fund. HARRY KELLER, Auditor. 57-12-31.

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