

With the Churches of the County.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY.
Christian Science society, Furst building, High street. Sunday service 11 a. m. Sunday school 9.45. Wednesday evening meeting at 8 o'clock. To these meetings all are welcome. A free reading-room is open to the public every Thursday afternoon from 2 to 4. Here the Bible and Christian Science literature may be read, borrowed or purchased. Subject, March 30th, "Reality."

ST. JOHN'S REFORMED CHURCH.
Litany service Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Next Sunday morning, at 10:45, sermon, "Pontius Pilate." Evening sermon, "The Two Ways."

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH (EPISCOPAL).
Services beginning March 31: Mid-Lent Sunday, 8 a. m., Holy Eucharist, 10 a. m., school. 11 a. m., Matins and sermon, "The Miracle of Transfiguration." 3:30 p. m., children's vespers and catechism. 7:30 p. m., evensong and sermon, "The Hidden Treasure." Daily services Monday and Tuesday, 5 p. m., Wednesday, 7:30 a. m., Thursday, 7:30 p. m., Rev. F. O. Musser. Friday, 7:30 p. m., Saturday, 5 p. m. Visitors always welcome.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.
Rev. Alexander Scott, the newly appointed pastor of the Bellefonte Methodist church, will be here and preach both morning and evening at the coming Sunday services.

When the Lyric theatre announces a special, Mgr. Brandman speaks Webster's language.

Philipsburg, Centre county, is some town. Started around a screw factory it thrived on lumbering and has grown fat and prosperous on the coal industry. Its citizens are as cosmopolitan and representative as those of any town of its size in the State and there are dozens of them who are worth gobs of money. Its railroad station is located at one end of the town, and notwithstanding the fact that scores of automobiles are owned in the town there is not even a single one for hire. No busses or taxis meet the trains and strange as it may seem though the trolley passes close to the railroad station its schedule is just five minutes ahead of the incoming trains, and the result is strangers going to the town are compelled to hoof it to their destination, if they do not have a friend the possessor of a car to meet them. Just why the trolley schedule is so arranged has long been a mystery to travelers, but the greater mystery is why some enterprising man has not ere this put into service two or three good taxis that could be depended upon to give good service. In Bellefonte there are at least a half a dozen taxi lines in service and they all seem to be getting along—in fact not only getting along, but making money. Therefore, there should be a good opening in Philipsburg for the right man. But then, Philipsburgers may be making more money in easier ways without bothering with Tin Lizzie taxis. And so we say yea, verily, Philipsburg is some town. In fact it is the only town in the State known to the writer where church trustees are elected by popular vote.

While walking about the room in her home at Pleasant Gap, on Monday, Mrs. Albert Smeltzer, seventy-one years old, fell and fractured her hip. She was removed to the Bellefonte hospital on Tuesday morning.

Watch for Fatty Arbuckle and Charlie Chaplin. They're both coming soon at the Lyric theatre.

Marriage Licenses.
Wm. Stauffer, Sunbury, and Lettie V. Breen, Spring Mills.
Ray D. Stover and Nellie C. Burd, Aaronsburg.

Bills Signed for Funds to Build Roads.
Governor Sprout has signed bills passed by the Legislature carrying more than \$14,000,000 to carry out the good roads program. One bill carries \$3,826,000 for salaries and expenses of the Highway Department. The other measure appropriates \$10,862,049 for the following purposes:

Permanent Highway construction, \$5,000,000; repair of state highways within boroughs, \$800,000; maintenance of state aid highways, \$400,000; State share in constructing state aid highways, \$3,000,000; turnpike condemnation, \$500,000; second class township road bonus for 1913 and 1914 \$1,142,049; damages, \$20,000.

Tommyes to Get \$5.25 Per Week.
The pay of the soldiers of the British army who will be retained until a peace footing again is reached probably will be \$5.25 a week and food and lodgings, according to a statement made by W. A. Appleton, secretary of the General Federation of Trade Unions, to the Daily Mail.

Many drapery effects in skirts are seen; possibly the most unusual is the drapery at the center front, giving a straight and drawn look to the back of the skirt and a unique but not entirely pleasing outline to the bottom of the skirt.

Not Much, in His Opinion.
Miss Playne—Papa declares that I am his greatest treasure.
Mr. Blunt—Indeed! Then he isn't as wealthy as I supposed.

Something Durable.
Wife—John, the nursery needs to be done over again. What would you suggest for the walls?
Hub—Corrugated iron.

Draws the Line There.
Though an ardent Prohibitionist we would not have our cow go dry.

BIG BOUNTIES FOR WOLF SCALPS.

The story of Little Red Riding Hood is probably much more ancient than most people suppose. In the original, it was presumably a medieval folk-tale.

In the middle ages wolves were a common threat to the safety of human beings, and particularly of children, all over Europe. They prowled in every forest, and preyed upon the sheep and other livestock of the peasants. It is no matter for surprise that Little Red Riding Hood should have met one while on her way to her grandmother's cottage.

At the present time there are few wolves left in Europe, outside of the wilds of Russia. They have been virtually exterminated. But in our own country there are still plenty of them. East of the Mississippi river they have disappeared, owing to the density of human settlement, but in the Great Plains region they seem to be just about as many of them as ever, and in California the coyotes (a small breed of gray wolves somewhat resembling collie dogs) have become more numerous within recent years.

They do an immense deal of damage to livestock—especially the big game wolves, which are really formidable animals. The coyotes are cowardly beasts, but they hunt in packs and do a lot of mischief.

To encourage the killing of wolves, the expedient of offering bounties has been adopted since very early times. It has been remarkably unsuccessful for one reason because it has invited many ingenious frauds.

Thus in Massachusetts, long ago, the idea being to save intact the useful pelts. A professional trapper gifted with imagination presented himself at short intervals with a greasy string from which dangled half a dozen to a dozen noses, for which he duly collected so many shillings "per." It was remarked that he brought in more noses than all other hunters in the State combined. Suspicion being excited, an examination of his living quarters was made by officials, who discovered a plant for the manufacture of wolf noses. They were made of chewed paper joined to fragments of butcher's meat.

Wolf scalps taken in localities where bounties are low are shipped to places where premiums are high. Thus a State, or county, has often been compelled to pay for the destruction of ravaging beasts wholly alien. At one time the wolf bounty in Nevada was fifty cents when California was offering \$5 for scalps. Thousands of scalps were shipped from Nevada to California, and many were actually imported from Mexico.

Skins of dogs have often been turned in for those of wolves. But more ingenious is the idea of breeding wolves for their scalps. In Iowa, not so many years ago, it was more profitable to raise coyotes for the bounty than to raise sheep. To eliminate more obvious fraud, British Columbia has required the delivery of wolf skulls.

On the whole, the bounty idea has proved a woeful failure. The State of New York in 1895 withdrew the premium offered for the slaughter of bears, because the number of those animals killed was shown to have steadily increased year after year. The more of them were slain, apparently, the more there were left.

In India 20,000 people are killed by snake bite every year. The British government has paid bounties for the destruction of venomous serpents for forty years, but there has been no perceptible lessening of the death-rate—possibly because (as is alleged) many natives make a business of breeding cobras and kraits for the bounty market.

RODS GIVE NO PROTECTION

French Vine Growers Find They Derive No Benefit From Metal Rods They Erected.

The vine-growing region of the Gironde, in France, has been quite extensively equipped in recent years with tall metal rods, similar to lightning rods, known as parageles or "electric Niagaras," and alleged to afford protection from hailstorms. A careful study of the functioning of these rods has recently been published by M. E. Courty of the University of Bordeaux. The statistics presented show that numerous hailstorms have occurred in the vicinity of nearly all the rods. Moreover, according to M. Courty, there has been no obvious change in the character of these storms since the erection of the rods. His article points out some of the principal reasons for the erroneous conclusions that others have drawn in favor of them; for example, the fact that, normally, only one thunderstorm in five is attended by hail; that the area over which hail falls is normally very small in comparison with that covered by the thunderstorm, and hail tends to occur in scattered patches or narrow bands; and, lastly, that a district in which hail has fallen for two or three years in succession often remains free from hail for years, regardless of the installation of hail-protecting devices.

Councilors of Reykjavik, Iceland, Apply System That Reduces the Taxation of the Citizens.

The city council of Reykjavik, Iceland, has now begun the baking of bread in a special bakery in connection with the gas works, where modern machinery has been installed in a special building. The result was excellent, in that the waste heat from the gas works is being used in a practicable and profitable manner, and in the course of a short time all the black bread which may be needed will be baked in the new bread factory.

The idea was that of a young student there, and it is considered one of the best means of saving coal, time and money. Three-pound loaves have been completely baked in three hours in considerable numbers.

OAK HALL.

Mrs. Sarah Etters, of Lemont, visited in this vicinity.

Miss Minnie R. Suiter spent the week-end with Mrs. Lucy Ray, at Lemont.

The Oak Hall Lime & Stone Co. began repair work, after being idle a few weeks.

Mrs. R. C. Lowder and children and Mrs. Thomas Gramley, spent a day recently with friends at Clintondale.

Miss Clara McCracken, of Rock Springs, is spending a short time at the Mrs. Nannie Gilliland home in this place.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ross and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ross, of Pleasant Gap, visited Sunday afternoon at the L. K. Dale home.

—Subscribe for the "Watchman."

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The following are the prices charged for announcement in this column: Sheriff, \$8.00; Prothonotary, \$8.00; Treasurer, \$8.00; Register, \$6.00; Recorder, \$6.00. All other county offices, \$2.00. Announcements will not be made for any candidate unwilling to pledge himself to abide by the decision of the Democratic voters as expressed at the primaries.

FOR SHERIFF.
We are authorized to announce the name of William A. Carson, of Haines township, as a candidate for the nomination for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Democratic voters of Centre county as expressed at the general primaries to be held Wednesday, September 17th, 1919.

FOR REGISTER.
We are authorized to announce the name of J. Frank Smith, of Penn township, as a candidate for the nomination for Register, subject to the decision of the Democratic voters of Centre county as expressed at the general primaries to be held Wednesday, September 17th, 1919.

COUNTY TREASURER.
We are authorized to announce the name of James E. Harter, of Penn township, as a candidate for the nomination of County Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Democratic voters as expressed at the general primaries to be held Wednesday, September 17th, 1919.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER.
We are authorized to announce the name of George M. Hart, of Penn township, Nittany postoffice R. F. D. No. 1, occupation farmer, for the nomination for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democratic voters as expressed at the general primaries to be held Wednesday, September 17th, 1919.

New Advertisements.

FOR SALE—Ford runabout, in good condition. Inquire H. T. NOLL, Bell Phone 256-32, Pleasant Gap.

FOR SALE—Two good cows and a heifer. Apply to George Ribljan, No. 10 Collins Row, Bellefonte.

IRA D. GARMAN

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New Advertisements.

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Saturday, March 29th Only
75 Ladies' and Misses' Dress Skirts

made of All Wool Serges, Silk Poplins, Burells, Striped Silks, Taffetas and Silk Mohairs—and one of the finest collections of styles that we've ever had the pleasure of showing you. The values represented in this offering are worth from \$7.90 to \$10.00 each. For Saturday only your choice of any of these models at

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ONE DAY ONLY
Bellefonte, Garman Hotel Parlors
Wednesday, April 9, 1919
Office Hours 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.

I offer you a fine pair of glasses, including Dammers' eye examination, clear crystal lenses, gold filled frame and elegant case, as low as \$2.00.

Main Office, Perry Building Phila. Pa.
16th and Chestnut Streets.

TRIENNIAL ASSESSMENT.

In accordance with the several Acts of General Assembly, regulating Triennial Assessments and constituting a Board of Revision, the County Commissioners of Centre county give notice that Thursday, March 9th, and Friday, March 7th, 1919, have been fixed upon which

finally to determine whether any of the valuations of the Assessors have been made below the just rate; reserving, however, the right to perform the duties of a Board of Revision upon the same day and at the same time and place, of holding the appeal for the several Townships and Boroughs, as provided by Act of Assembly.

NOTICE OF TRIENNIAL ASSESSMENT APPEALS FOR 1919.

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of Centre county, Pennsylvania, will meet the taxpayers of the various Districts of the county for the purpose of hearing appeals at the following times and places:

FRIDAY, APRIL 4—Bellefonte borough, at the Commissioners' office, 9 a. m. to 4:30 p. m.

SATURDAY, APRIL 5—Bennet and Spring townships, at Commissioners' office, 9 a. m. to 4:30 p. m.

MONDAY, APRIL 7—Millsburg borough, Walker and Boggs townships, at the Commissioners' office, 9 a. m. to 4:30 p. m.

TUESDAY, APRIL 8—Snow Shoe borough, and Snow Shoe and Burnside townships, at the Mountain House, Snow Shoe, 11 a. m. to 4 p. m.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 9—Phillipsburg borough, South Phillipsburg borough, and Bush township, in the Public building, at Phillipsburg, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

THURSDAY, APRIL 10—Worth, Taylor, Patton and Half Moon townships, at the hotel at Port Matilda, 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.

THURSDAY, APRIL 10—Unionville borough, in the Election house in Union township, from 2:30 to 5 p. m.

FRIDAY, APRIL 11—State College borough, College, Harris and Ferguson townships at the hotel at State College, 10 a. m. to 4:30 p. m.

MONDAY, APRIL 14—Centre Hall borough, Potter and Greig townships, at the hotel at Centre Hall, 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 16—Millheim borough, Haines, Penn and Miles townships, at the hotel at Millheim, 9 a. m. to 3 p. m.

THURSDAY, APRIL 17—Howard borough, Curtin, Liberty, Howard and Martintown townships, at the hotel at Howard, 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 23 and **THURSDAY, MAY 24**—General appeal for all Districts will be held at the Commissioners' office, 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. Persons wishing to be heard at this appeal must have the Assessor present and arrange with him as to his compensation.

NOTICE—No exoneration will be allowed on State tax after the appeal day of the respective districts.

FOR UNSEATED LANDS.

Appeals will be held as follows at the Commissioners' office:

TUESDAY, APRIL 29—Ferguson, Harris, Potter, Gregg, Penn, Haines, Miles, Martintown and Walker townships, 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 30—Liberty, Huron, Howard, Boggs, Union, Patton, Half Moon, College and Bennet townships, 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.

THURSDAY, MAY 1—Snow Shoe, Burnside, Rush, Taylor, Worth, Huston and Spring townships, 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.

The Assessors will hereby take notice that they shall meet the Commissioners in their districts at the time and place mentioned above, and bring with them all books and papers pertaining to their assessment.

All persons wishing to appeal from their assessments should meet the Commissioners and the Assessor at the place designated for holding the appeals for their respective districts. They may bring such witnesses as they may see fit to establish valuations, so appeal will be heard after the time above stated.

DANIEL A. GROVE,
WM. H. NOLL, Jr.,
ISAAC MILLER,
County Commissioners.

Attest: Harry N. Meyer, Clerk
Commissioners' office, Feb. 7, 1919.
64-10-4t Bellefonte, Penna.

New Advertisements.

FINE PROPERTY FOR SALE—Very desirable location. Inquire of HAMON SECHLER, 64-12-1t Bush House Block, Bellefonte.

ORPHANS' COURT SALE—Pursuant to an order of the Orphans' court of Centre county, Pennsylvania, will be sold at public sale on the premises in Harris township, in said county, on Saturday, April 12th, 1919, at 1:30 p. m., the following described real estate, late of Michael Segner, deceased, to wit:

All that certain message, tenement and lot of ground situated in Harris township, Centre county, Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a stone on line of land now, or late of David Keller, thence along land of W. W. Meyers and across public road south 36 degrees east 16 perches to an iron pin; thence along public road leading to the mountain along lands now, or late of H. Sechler, north 11 1/2 degrees west 21 1/2 perches to the middle of a public road leading to Boalsburg; thence along lands now, or late of H. Sechler, north 16 degrees west 14 1/2 perches to a post; thence along same, north 88 degrees east 35 1/2 perches to a post; thence north 9 degrees east 12 perches to a stone; thence along lands now, or late of David Keller, south 55 1/2 degrees west 5 1/2 perches to stones; thence south 66 1/2 degrees west 53 perches to the place of beginning. Containing 6 acres and 94 perches. Thereon erected a two story frame dwelling house, stable and other outbuildings. Good orchard and fine water.

This property is located along the state road leading from Boalsburg to Tusseyville, about one-half mile east of the town of Boalsburg.

Terms of Sale—Ten per cent of the purchase money to be paid on day of sale; the balance of the purchase money to be paid on confirmation of the sale and delivery of the deed.

C. D. MOORE, Executor.
Clement Dale, Attorney.

At the same time and place there will be sold a full line of household goods consisting of beds and bedding, tables, chairs, cook stoves, and other personal property.

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WHILE YOU WAIT
Latest Improved Machinery
is guarantee of a good job at
United Shoe Repair Shop

Bush Arcade—South Water Street
Room formerly occupied by Whitmer's
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CHARLES NELO,
VETO POLICE,
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Automobile For Sale
Seven-Passenger, 1918 Model.
Driven 1500 miles.
Condition Guaranteed.

W. W. KEICHLINE, Pa.
Bellefonte, Pa.

Fordson Tractor Demonstration

Thursday, April 3rd, 1919

On April 3rd the Fordson Tractor will be demonstrated on

THOMAS BEAVER'S FARM

one-half mile East of Bellefonte, on the Nittany Valley Road

Instead of talking about the Fordson Tractor, we prefer to show you exactly what it will do. To see the Fordson in operation will be more convincing than hours of talk. We are going to show you how fast it will plow, how well it will plow, what the average fuel consumption will be, how well it will handle two 14-inch bottoms, how it will perform on the hill side. In fact we are going to give the Fordson a harder series of tests than 99 out of 100 users will ever give it. Whether you are intending to buy a tractor or not, we want you to attend this demonstration. Every progressive farmer ought to see it. The Fordson is a big factor today in farming the world over. Thousands are sold every month. Fordson owners are increasing their production—beating their neighbors on crop yield, on acreage cultivated, on profits. We will show that the Fordson is more than a tractor; that it is a powerful, economical, portable power plant that will drive any belt-driven farm implement.

If weather conditions are not fit, demonstration will be postponed until following day—Friday April 4th.

Demonstration from 9.00 a. m. until 6.00 p. m.

Be Sure to See this Demonstration!

BEATTY MOTOR CO., Bellefonte, Pa.

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