

New Conference Rules Adopted for High Schools.

At the annual meeting of the Central Pennsylvania scholastic football conference held at the Penn-Harris hotel, Harrisburg, last Friday night, new rules were adopted, as follows:

First—Home team shall make all arrangements for the game, setting price of admission, issuing complimentary tickets, and advertising game according to its usual methods.

Second—The visiting team shall be given the following items of expense (1) Transportation by either train or bus for a squad of thirty-five men; (2) they shall be limited to two nights' lodging at cost of not more than \$3 per night per man; (3) meals not to exceed five, at cost not to exceed \$1 per man per meal.

Third—The net proceeds of the game shall be divided as follows: To the home team 60 per cent.; to the visiting team 40 per cent.

Fourth—In case of a net loss, the loss shall be divided as follows: To the home team 60 per cent.; to the visiting team 40 per cent.

Officers elected for the ensuing year included E. E. Knauss, of the William Penn school, Harrisburg, president; L. R. Lenhart, State College, vice president; A. K. Patterson, of Williamsport, secretary-treasurer.

The meeting was held on the eve of the game between William Penn High, of Harrisburg, and Jersey Shore High for the State championship, which was won by the former by the score of 26 to 0.

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Movietone News**

Dr. Pattee Retires from The Pennsylvania State College.

After 34 years of outstanding service as a member of the Pennsylvania State College faculty, Dr. Fred Lewis Pattee, leading authority on the history of American literature, last week severed his connection with the college, having presented his resignation to the trustees. He left last Friday to spend the winter in Florida with his writings, and to do some lecturing at Rollins college.

In appreciation of Dr. Pattee's faithful service and as a token of their esteem, students of Penn State on Sunday morning, December 9, at the close of the chapel service, presented him with a white gold watch and chain, suitably engraved.

Having served for 31 years as superintendent of St. Paul's Methodist Episcopal Sunday school of State College, Dr. Pattee on Sunday, also received an engrossed parchment from the Sunday school expressing its appreciation.

—Ladies' velvet pumps, \$2.85—Yeagers', 49-11

BOALSBURG.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ripka, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jacobs are spending some time in Altoona.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mokle, of Howard, attended the Brown sale on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fisher left, Tuesday morning, for their home in Danville.

E. W. Hess and family and Edgar Hess and family, of Shingletown, spent Sunday in Philipsburg, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Coxe.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Meyer and Mr. and Mrs. John Ishler attended the funeral of a son of Mr. and Mrs. William Ishler, of Buffalo Run, on Sunday.

The sale of the household goods of the late Mrs. E. E. Brown was well attended. The property was offered for sale but the highest bid was not accepted and it will be sold at private sale.

Mrs. James Fortney is visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. Anne Patterson.

Dr. and Mrs. George C. Hall returned to their home in Wilmington, Del., on Wednesday, after spending the summer at their home in town.

The community mass meeting in the Reformed Sunday school room, on Monday evening, attracted quite a crowd. The program included music by the Boalsburg orchestra, songs by the children and audience. An address on "Developing Rural Life," by Mr. Adams followed by games. Refreshments, consisting of sandwiches, pickles, cake and coffee were served by the ladies of the Reformed church.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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EXECUTRICE'S NOTICE.—Letters testamentary having been issued to the undersigned upon the estate of Anna J. Valentine, late of Spring township, Centre county, Pa., deceased, all persons knowing themselves indebted to same are requested to make prompt payment, and those having claims against said estate must present them, duly authenticated, for settlement.
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APPLICATION FOR PARDON.—Notice is hereby given that Howard Ardery, who plead guilty to felonious entry, larceny, receiving stolen goods, and having broken his parole, to No. 78, December Term, 1923, and No. 79, December Term, 1923, in the Court of Quarter Sessions of Clearfield County, Pennsylvania, in and for the County of Clearfield, State of Pennsylvania, and to No. 33, December Sessions, 1924, in the Court of Quarter Sessions in and for the County of Centre, State of Pennsylvania, and who is now undergoing imprisonment at the Western Penitentiary of Pennsylvania on the first sentence for an indefinite period, four years and the minimum two years, and who is also now undergoing imprisonment at the Western Penitentiary for the second sentence for a period of not less than two years nor more than four years, sentence to compute from completion of sentence in Clearfield County, will make an application for pardon to the Board of Pardons of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania at its session to be held on Wednesday, the 19th day of December, A. D. 1928, at 9 o'clock A. M., in the Supreme Court Room, State Capitol, Harrisburg, Pa.
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PINE GROVE MENTION.

Otis Cramer spent last week on a business trip to Chicago.

Mrs. E. B. Forbes is visiting relatives in the Sucker State.

Mrs. Warren Mack is planning a week's trip to New York City.

W. R. Bailey, who has been quite ill for some time, is now on the mend. J. Sumner Miller is shy one of his best horses, which died several days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hess spent last week visiting friends in Lewis-town.

Miss Hazel Guyer, of Saulsburg, was a brief visitor in town on Saturday.

H. C. Barto got his doe and motored back to his home in Barto, Berks county.

Ernest Trostle, of Fairbrook, who has been quite ill with the flu, is improving.

Col. Bell, of Elkton, W. Va., spent several days during the week at the hotel here.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Markle, of Altoona, visited relatives in the valley last week.

Mrs. W. B. Meyers and three children spent last week at her parental home in Altoona.

Joe Johnson, who is holding down a good job in Juniata, spent Sunday with his family here.

Mrs. Roger Poorman has returned home from the Huntingdon hospital, much improved in health.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Foster had as guests, last week, their son Russell and wife, of Mahanoy City.

Mrs. Annie Kline was called to the Centre County hospital, in Bellefonte, to help out in the care of patients.

Mrs. William E. Ertley, who has been seriously ill at the home of her daughter, in Bethlehem, is now slowly recovering.

J. Irvin Keller motored in from Pittsburgh, shot his doe on the second day of the season and took it home with him the next day.

The old Jonathan Musser farm, at Bloomsdorf, occupied by H. S. Illingworth, will be sold at public sale on Saturday, December 22nd.

John C. Dunlap came in from Indiana, Pa., for the final days of the hunting season, and is willing to admit that he is not anxious to get a bear.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Markle, of East Altoona, were here visiting James Fortney, who had been quite ill with pneumonia, but is now somewhat improved.

Mrs. Newton C. Hoy, of State College, spent Sunday with the Earl Smetzer family, on the farm at Pine Hall, where she spent the early years of her married life.

Charles Louck, contractor and builder, has sold his new house, on Wall street, to J. Cal Gates, retired farmer for \$4600. He will take possession in the near future.

Walter Fry, who has been located in the west for some time, was here last week visiting his father, R. B. Fry, who had been ill but is now improving. Walter left for his home on Friday.

Rev. J. A. McAlarney, retired minister and a veteran of the Civil war, who is 83 years of age, shot his doe on Tussey mountain and took it back to his home in Hollidaysburg the same day.

A Christmas cantata will be given in the Presbyterian church on Sunday evening, December 23rd, by the combined choirs of the Centre Hall and Pine Grove Mills churches. Everybody invited.

A district Sunday school convention was held in Meek's church on Sunday evening. Rev. C. C. Shuey, of Bellefonte, was in charge and the principal speaker was Dr. I. L. Foster, of State College. A splendid choir furnished the music.

Most of the hunting clubs from this section broke camp on Saturday and returned home, but the day hunters are still on the trail. A Pittsburgh party hunting on the mountain, got two does; the Pine Grove Rod and Gun club six; the Rossman crowd got the limit of a doe for each hunter; the Homan crowd six; the Roaring Run club six; the Roosevelt club four; the Young Sports eight; the Fleetfoots and the Modocks enough doe to go around; the Barrens crowd seven; the Hoffman club five; Hollidaysburg hunters nine; McCormick's camp twelve; the Branch club sixteen.

Day hunters who got their deer were Guy Seltzer, of Philadelphia; Elisha Shoemaker and son Joe, H. L. Harpster, Harry Gearhart, John Hoy and son, Royal Kline, L. Dale Musser, C. M. Powley, Robert Sauerman, Will Ripka, all of this section, and Dr. Wright, of Latrobe.

When the Louck club returned home, Saturday evening, Mrs. G. W. Louck entertained them with a big dinner, a fat goose being the principal thing that tickled the palates of the tired hunters.

WINGATE.

Ralph McLaughlin and Mrs. Florence Lucas are both grip victims.

Mrs. Robert Malone went out to Ambridge, on Friday, to visit her daughter, Mrs. Daryl Reb.

Mrs. Lydia Irwin came down from State College, on Saturday evening, and has been spending this week at home.

Calvin Green, of Dubois, motored over the mountains, last Thursday, and visited his father Jacob Shirk, at Runville.

Mrs. H. B. Witherite and Howard Goss motored over from Osceola Mills, on Sunday, and made a short call at the Mrs. Irwin home.

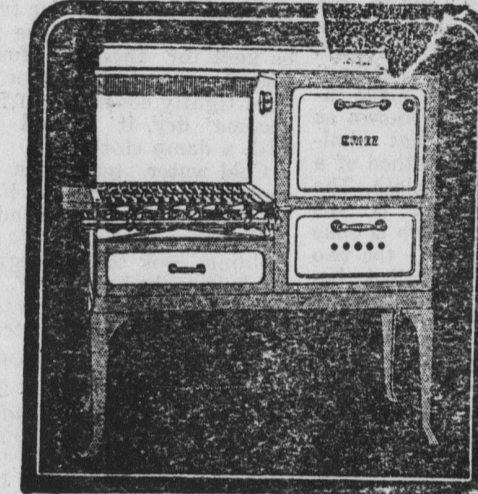
Preaching services will be held in the Methodist church, at Milesburg, on Sunday morning and in the Baptist church in the evening.

John Hall, who made his home with Mrs. Sarah Baumgardner, near Wingate, died on Sunday at the advanced age of ninety years. His only survivor is one daughter, Mrs. Fraily, whose whereabouts are unknown.



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