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CHURCH APPOINTMENTS.

Presbyterian—Centre Hall, 10:30 a. m.; Potters Mills, 2:30 p. m. United Evangelical—Lemont, morning; Linden Hall, afternoon; Centre Hall, evening.

LOCALS.

Prof. Crawford in a short time will open a singing class for young and old. Are you going?

Miss Laura Runkle after spending two weeks or more in Middleburg and other points, returned home Saturday.

Miss Anna Bittle, of Buffalo Run, is the guest of Miss Letitia Bradford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Bradford, of Old Fort.

Miss Catharine Weaver, operator in the Millheim telephone exchange, has resigned her position. It is said she will say: Hello, Joe.

G. C. Spicher, an assistant in the Morganza Reformatory for the past year arrived at the home of his father, John Spicher, of this place.

J. S. Rowe is meeting with considerable success in installing the Marfandale acetylene plants. His company has a first-class apparatus.

The marriage of Miss Lydia E. Hoover, of Millheim, and John D. Loutz, of Pleasant Gap, took place last week, Rev. W. H. Brown officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Meyer and daughter Miriam, of Reedsville, Saturday expect to make their first trip to Centre Hall since living in Millin county.

A. F. Rote, of near this place, is one of the Reporter subscribers who is always here to the day to renew his subscription. He made a trip to this office for that particular purpose the first day of this month.

Dr. W. H. Schuyler Friday attended the funeral of his uncle, William Barber. The deceased was the father of Miss Grace Reznor Barber, who gave an entertainment in the Presbyterian church recently.

Miss Martha Farmer and Mrs. Sweetwood, of Potters Mills, were callers Thursday of last week. Miss Farmer planked-down her money with such apparent satisfaction, that it made the editor feel he had really given good money's worth during the past year.

Wm. A. Wagner, of Kippie, recently paid a visit to his old home near Tusville. He was accompanied by his wife and little daughter. Mr. Wagner came to his old haunts principally to enjoy a hunt, and although he did not have the good fortune to kill a deer, one of his comrades did.

Richard Harding Davis in his most attractive manner describes apropos of the great Spanish coronation Bull-fight "The Gentle Art of Bull-Fighting." He not only gives a vivid description of its exciting and its repulsive features, but for the first time he makes the real hero of the bull-fight to be the humble attendant known as the chulo whose business it is to sweep up the ring. You will find it in McClure's for December.

The first important measure to be considered in the Senate, over which there is likely to be a sharp contest and a long debate, is the Statehood bill, which comes up for consideration December 10. The belief is growing that the Senate committee will not report favorably of the bill admitting the Territories of Arizona, New Mexico and Oklahoma as States, and that the Senate itself is likely to uphold its committee's action. Strong opposition to the admission of these Territories is developing, and a sharp fight over the bill seems certain.

KILLED LARGE BEAR.

Calvin Riley, of Boalsburg, Kills a 300 lb. Bear and a Doe.

A hunting party composed of Calvin, Edward, and Thomas Riley, Oscar Stover, Samuel Bailey and Robert McCrea, of Boalsburg, last Friday hunted in the Seven Mountains, and returned with a large black bear which weighed three hundred and ninety-three pounds and a doe that weighed ninety-three pounds.

A "BARE" COINCIDENCE.

Tuesday of last week another hunting party from Boalsburg succeeded in routing a large bear, and one of the hunters, Daniel Meyer, severely wounded Bruin. Bruin was followed, but the darkness set in and the trail of blood was lost.

Wednesday morning Merchant William Foster, of State College, went to the mountains for a bit of sport and in due time spied a huge bear fast asleep on a corduroy bridge. Before his bearship scented the hunter, a charge of buckshot ended his career. Mr. Foster did not see the bear move, nor did the bear see Mr. Foster move. Bruin weighed over two hundred pounds. Mr. Foster is also credited with killing a fawn the same day.

Very Productive Soil.

Harry E. Shaeffer, a Perry county farmer, had ten acres in corn on his farm, which yielded 2440 bushels. Twenty-four ears filled a bushel basket and weighed forty-five pounds. Perry County Advocate.

Marriage Licenses.

John D. Loutz, Millheim. Lydia E. Hoover, Pleasant Gap. George W. Woodring, Port Matilda. Irene Yeathers, Julian. Ammon L. Bubbs, Colyer. Bettie S. Wilkinson, Potters Mills.

Christmas Pictures.

It is time you were ordering them, and Smith's is the place to get them right. We can show you the latest styles and the finest finish. The prices are also right. Centre Hall gallery open every Friday until after the holidays.

W. W. SMITH, State College.

\$35,000 for Berks Hall.

Lutheran laymen of Berks county, at a meeting held in Trinity church, Reading, resolved to raise \$35,000 to erect a dormitory building on the new site lately purchased by Muhlenberg College, Allentown. The building will be designated as Berks Hall. A committee was appointed in each congregation, and these are to report as to their progress on Easter Monday.

State Grange.

The Pennsylvania State Grange which will meet at Clearfield on the 9th instant will be attended by Hon. L. Rhone, who for a number of years was master of that organization, Mrs. Rhone and daughters, Misses May and Florence, James A. Keller, J. J. Arney, George L. Goodhart, Mrs. Mollie Ross, Mrs. John W. Conley, all of this place; Owen Mothersbaugh, Boalsburg;

Very Special.

The following well known parties in this town, Messrs. G. O. Benner, D. A. Boozer, Wm. Colyer, G. W. Hosterman, E. M. Huyett, Kremer & Son, D. F. Luse, A. P. Luse & Son, Meyer & Musser, J. D. Murray, J. A. Reesman, H. G. Strohmeier will receive in the next few days a communication which we promise will possess more than the ordinary interest. We respectfully ask in advance their careful consideration, Yours etc., J. S. COMBS, Mgr.

Dedicated Free of Debt.

The remodeled M. E. church at Lamar was dedicated Sunday. Rev. Dr. Gray, Presiding Elder Black. Rev. W. C. Robbins, and Rev. Samuel Creighton were present and assisted in the dedicatory ceremonies. The church has been entirely changed under the direction of the pastor, Rev. H. D. Flanagan. A new roof and belfry, new pews, new furnace and an acetylene light plant are the improvements. The changes cost \$1,400; of this amount \$750 were needed Sunday. The entire amount was raised, so that the indebtedness has all been provided for.

Roll of Honor.

Primary School, Anna Bartholomew Teacher.—Mary Dinges, Amanda Krumbine, Sara Odenkirk, Alice Rea-lick, *Verna Rowe, Jean Schultz, *Ruth Smith, Jennie Stahl, *Charles Sweetwood, Harry Armstrong, Clarence Miller, Paul Neese, Adam Sunday, Leslie Sunday, *Roy White, *John Whiteman.

Intermediate—F. A. Foreman, teacher—Wm. Bradford, Musser Col-dren, Guy Foreman, William Kerlin, Robert Krumbine, *Charles Miller, *John Odenkirk, Roy Puff, Calvin Smith, *Freda Bailey, Sylvia Krumbine, *Rhea Keller, *Label Rowe, *Lulu Schultz, *Nellie Smith.

4-5+6 Grades -

THE LOCAL NEWSPAPER.

It Attracts Trade and Is a Power in Building up a Town.

The editors of the daily and weekly papers take a greater interest in and do more for the welfare of the locality in which they live than any other class of business men, yet they are no more directly benefited by the results of their public spirited efforts than the merchants and property owners who, perhaps, neglect to have their names on the editor's subscription list or fail to advertise in his paper.

In attracting trade to the town in which it is published the immense power a local newspaper possesses can hardly be estimated. He who will impartially consider this assertion will be convinced of the truth of it. The local paper is very naturally biased in favor of the place of its publication and if given a fair living patronage by home business men will guard well the interests of his individual customer.

But if a niggardly support is doled out to it and it is compelled to solicit custom from the neighboring towns it cannot in justice to those patrons exert itself in behalf of its own town as it otherwise would. Try a system of liberality in the matter of advertising expenditure and mark the result.

LOCALS.

A meeting of the board of health will be held in this office tonight (Thursday).

Miss Minnie Geary, of Millheim, accompanied Mrs. Geary to her home in this place Monday.

Sidney Z. Reish, of Wilkinsburg, and Miss Lottie Royer, of Millheim, were married Wednesday.

Farmer Perry Luse, of near town, who is extra proud on account of the new manure shed built by Mr. Bayou, was a caller this (Thursday) morning.

Grant Hoover, the insurance man, was about town this (Thursday) morning, and left with his patrons a handsome and useful booklet containing a great variety of information.

The Daily News has been enlarged by one column. The editor no doubt swelled up on account of having tested the slot machine. Jokes aside, the News has improved under its new editor.

Rev. and Mrs. G. W. Curran, of Williamsport, find many changes about Centre Hall since they were residents of this town. Rev. Curran for nearly four years has been pastor of an Evangelical church at Williamsport.

The U. T. and T. company is making another effort to collect toll from non-patrons. Ten cents is charged to talk to Bellefonte. Who is to do the collecting, that is the point. The patrons of the company refuse to act as agents.

The installation of Rev. J. M. Stever, pastor of the Nittany charge of the Lutheran church, will take place Sunday. Rev. J. M. Rearick will be present at the services which will take place at Zion.

The Republicans in Congress intend to study the tariff question with the aid of a Commission, and they will probably keep on studying until the Democrats shall surprise them with a practical lesson.

J. W. Breen, son of J. A. Breen, of Lock Haven, died at that place Sunday night of Bright's disease. His age was nineteen years. Interment was made at Rebersburg Wednesday forenoon, Rev. Buck officiating.

W. Harrison Walker, Esq., in this issue again furnishes the readers the court news in a complete, yet concise manner. The news of the Court House is of interest to all, and will be given special attention.

Congressman J. K. P. Hall has resigned as congressman in order to act as state senator. Unless a special election is held there will be a vacancy in this district during the present short session of Congress.

Read the advertisement of Montgomery & Company, clothiers, of Bellefonte. They mention a list of suitable goods for Christmas presents. You will find Montgomery's goods the best to be obtained in the market, and no chicanery in dealing, either.

The stock of general merchandise of the late James T. Stuart, of Boalsburg, will be sold at a cash sacrifice sale, beginning Monday of next week, and to continue until January 1. The stock consists of dry goods, notions, boots, shoes, rubber goods, etc.

Adam A. Brown, a well-known builder and contractor, died at his home in Milroy, at the age of sixty-eight years. He is said to have built nearly all the dwelling houses in Sigleville, near which place he was born. He also erected many of the churches in that part of Millin county.

Matthias J. Shoop, of Lewistown, was killed at the Standard steel works last week by a work train striking him. There was a very heavy fog at the time, and Mr. Shoop, being hard of hearing, failed to observe the train. He served in the war of the rebellion.

Mrs. W. C. Saxon, of Lewisburg, and Mrs. John Luse, of this place, were callers Wednesday. Mrs. Saxon has been the guest of Mrs. Luse, who is a cousin, for the past two weeks. She is accompanied by her sister, Miss Lula Letzler. Mrs. Saxon's husband is one of C. Dreisbaugh's Sons salesmen.

A WONDERFUL INVENTION.

Saves Fuel and Dispenses With Smoke and Dust.

T. Calvin Kennedy, son of James Kennedy, of Spring Mills, has about completed an invention which is certainly of a startling character, and if it performs all that is claimed for it, it will be a complete revolution in the expense attending the use of steam power. Mr. Kennedy claims that his invention will also do away with dust, smoke and the offensive odors arising from the use of coal and coke. The invention can be attached to any locomotive and stationary engine, and the same amount of steam can be produced with only a quarter of the amount of fuel required at the present time. Of course, the saving of fuel expense would be so enormous, that it could hardly be calculated.

A week or ten days since Mr. Kennedy visited Pittsburgh for the purpose of adjusting some minor parts and thoroughly testing his invention in one of the large machine shops in the Smoky city. Upon arriving there, unfortunately he was suddenly taken ill and before anything could be accomplished was obliged to return home, and has ever since been confined to his room, so the trial of his invention is postponed to a later day.

Mr. Kennedy does not give any details of his invention, but after thoroughly testing it will apply for patents in this country and in Europe. As previously remarked, if this invention will save the expense in fuel, as is claimed, and generate the same amount of steam as at present, the invention is simply invaluable.

LOCALS.

Chicken thieves are having their inning. Mrs. Mary Odenkirk was relieved of four and Dr. Alexander of seven fowls. Keep your gun loaded.

Wm. Carstetter, of Nittany Valley, was bitten in the leg by a vicious hog on Tuesday, while assisting Harvey Moore in butchering; the wound is a painful one. It required several shots to kill the hog.

Weather Report for U. S. Government. Table with columns for Month, Temperature, Precipitation, Wind Direction, and Tide.

Thursday's weather conditions 9 a. m.: Present temperature, 60°; minimum, 39°; cloudy, west wind.

The above table gives the weather conditions in detail. The table will be well worth studying. The stars indicate the direction of wind and character of day. An inch of rain means that sufficient rain has fallen to cover the earth to the depth of one inch. In the rain column, snow is reduced to water.

Special Sales.

John Smith & Bro. will give great reductions from now until after the holidays on side boards, chamber suits, couches, rockers, stoves and ranges. Don't miss these bargains. Our stock never has been so complete, all the latest patterns, no shop-worn goods. We lead, others follow.

Centre Hall Hotel Register.

Chas. M. Hauch, Montandon; H. Myers, Millheim; Geo. Spald and daughter, Beaverstown; S. J. Barnett, Millinburg; H. B. Pontius, Bellefonte; Joseph Winlow, Lock Haven; Frank Roubb, Nittany; Wm. Chamberlin, Milton; H. McManaway, Chas. W. Crosby, William Fulk, Millheim; S. O. Rush, Springfield; O. Amos Koch, Penn's Furnace; D. J. Meyer, G. W. Hosterman, J. A. Fleming, Centre Hall; W. W. Smith, J. G. Culbertson, State College; H. W. Glas, Sunbury; C. D. Musser, Bellefonte; H. M. Shoally, Shamokin; E. E. McKisick, Harrisburg; H. W. Medes, Williamsport; John Little, Philadelphia; A. R. McNitt, Sigleville; S. S. Gockley, Danver; Ross Gregory, D. Gregory, Stone Valley; N. Yocum, Reading; M. Mullinger, G. Mullinger, Pleasant Gap.

Sale Register.

Tuesday—March 17—Samuel Durst, south of Centre Hall. Saturday 1 p. m.—Dec. 13—Lydia Foust, at Potters Mills, household goods, one horse, road wagon, sleds, harness, hay, etc. Saturday 1 p. m.—Dec. 6—J. C. Dale, Agent, on top of Nittany Mountain, on Bellefonte pike, one horse, 2 cows, 3 heifers, 2 calves, 8 sheep, sow and pigs, wagons, full line of farm implements, harness, etc. Monday, March 23—M. B. Duck, 2 1/2 miles west of Spring Mills, a large farm stock and farm implements. Thursday 1 p. m.—March 19—J. S. Showers, 3 1/2 mile north of Tusseyville, farm stock and implements. Tuesday 9 a. m.—March 24—Perry Breen, 2 miles east of Centre Hall. Large sale of farm stock and implements. Wednesday 10 a. m.—March 18—Jacob Shearer, east of Centre Hill, farm stock and implements.

THE STAR STORE.

ESTABLISHED 1889. G. O. BENNER PROPRIETOR. A Word to You.

It is hardly necessary for us to say that we are in better shape to sell you goods right than ever before. You are in tune with the situation. During the past thirteen years it has been laying the foundation, a getting ready so as to sell you goods right and have something for the trouble. Others have come and gone. We are still on the "Flat Iron Corner" at the station, but not in the "Little Iron Coop," it having been crowded to the rear, but is bang up full of goods usually kept in a ware room. It serves that purpose very well. In its place stands to-day, as remarked by a customer in our hearing, "the best lighted, the most convenient and best situated of any business stand in the valley." Come and see for yourself. Here are a few prices.

Listen!

- 4 pairs Men's Dress Hose, 25 c. Ladies' Dress Hose, 25 c. Calico, Pretty Patterns, per yd., 5 c. Turkey Red Table Linen 28 in. wide, 20 c. Bleached Table Linen, 20 c. Better Quality Table Linen, 30 c. Cambric Lining, per yd., 5 c. Men's Suspenders, 50 c. Men's Leggings, 50 c. Hunting Coats, \$1.50. Bed Ticking, 10 c. a yd. and up. Men's Corduroy Pants, \$1.50. Men's Dress Shoes, \$1.25. Men's Army Shoes, \$2.50. Ladies' Dress Shoes, \$1.25. Ladies' Overshoes, 25 c. Men's Overshoes, 50 c. Horse Rasp, 25 c. Cutting Files, 25 c. Hand Saw, 10 c. Pincers, 50 c. Drawing Knife, 50 c. Buggy Whip, 10c. Men's Canvas Gloves, 10c. Cobbler's Outfit, 60c. 10-qt Tin Bucket, 2 for 25c. Tea Kettle, Nickel, 50c.

THE FOLLOWING ALWAYS IN STOCK.

Patent Plaster, Plastering Hair, Building Paper, Paper Roofing, Cement, Cant Hook, Crushed Oyster Shell, Washing Machine, Lane Wagon Jack, Roll and Track for Doors, Nails, Barb and Smooth fence wire, Fence Staples, Heavy Hinges for barn doors, Enterprise Clothes Wringer, Drapery, Caps and Furs, Roofing Caps, Chains and Bucket pumps, and supplies, Round Iron, Steel Tire, Fellos, Toe Steel, Horse Shoes, etc. We have the agency for Cases' Pocket Knives, Razors and Scissors. They are Guaranteed. OUR SPECIALTY—Oranges, Bananas, Lemons, Cranberries, Nuts, Confectionery, Crackers, Figs, Corn Meal, Buckwheat Flour. WANTED: Potatoes, Onions, Walnuts, Butternut, Shellbarks.

THE STAR.

Blankets, Comfortables Plush Robes, &c.

Some of these mornings you will waken up wishing for more cover for yourself and horses, so I will remind you that I still have a good assortment of Blankets, Comfortables, Robes, etc. Bed blankets I start at 55c. per pair, in cotton, (and they cover the bed, too, not the half, like some blankets) then 65c., 89c., \$1.20, and the All-Wool Home Made Blankets at \$3.95, \$4.25, and \$5.00 per pair.

Horse Blankets Horse Blankets at 55c, 68c, 98c, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$1.95, \$2.18, \$2.75, \$4.50.

Plush Lap Robes Plush Lap Robes (all double) \$2.18 to \$6.45.

Yarns and Floss I am selling more yarns this season than ever before. Do not know why, unless on account of the price, which is 8c. per hank for either Golden Fleece or Fleisher's Germantown, Saxony or Shetland Floss.

Table Oil Cloth Potter's 5-4 Table Oil cloth \$1.90, roll 12 yds. Did you get any of the 3c. prunes? They are going like "hot cakes."

C. W. Swartz, Tusseyville.

Special Sales WILL BEGIN

Saturday, November 15, And will continue for . . . Thirty Days

To Make Room for Holiday Goods. Special inducements will be made to reduce the stock of Fall and Winter Goods.

Dress Goods Outings Canton Flannels Dry Goods Underwear Boots & Shoes These Goods in every description at Greatly Reduced Prices.

Umbrellas at 19c.

TEN DOZEN UMBRELLAS will be sold at nineteen cents to families who have not been supplied.

Very Complete. Our 5 & 10-Cent Counters are Very Complete. You will save money by dealing at the Bargain Store, Spring Mills, Pa., C. P. LONG.