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CHURCH APPOINTMENTS.

Lutheran-Georges Valley, morning; Union, afternoon; Centre Hall, evening. United Evangelical—Tusseyville, morning; Egg Hill, afterhoon: Cent;e Hall, evening.

Rev. E. Crumbling, presiding elder of Centre District, will preach at each of these places, Communion will also be held at the same time.

300 Bushels Potatoes Wanted. Three hundred bushels of potatoes wanted by C. P. Long, Spring Mills. Highest cash price paid.

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Prize for Mr. Zeigler.

Irvin W. Zeigler, of Linden Hall, son of Emanuel Zeigler, was awarded the Gruber prize of \$15.00, at the Albright College, Meyerstown, for the best examination in English Literature.

#### Married at Tyrone.

William Clark Barr and Miss Bertha Scott Lightner, of Tyrone, were married Thursday evening, June 18th, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel C. Lightner. Barr is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Barr, of Tyrone, and a nephew of W. H. Stiver, of this place.

## Pennsylvania Chautauqua.

For the Pennsylvania Chautauqua, to be held at Mt. Gretna, Pa., July 1 to August 5, 1903, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell special exdelphia, Chestnut Hill, Phoenixville, Wilmington, Perryville, Frederick, Md., Washington, D.C., East Liberty, Butler, Indiana, Connellsville, Bedford, Clearfield, Martinsburg, Bellefonte, Waterford, Canandaigua, Wilkesbarre, Tombicken, Mt. Carmel. Lykens, and principal intermediate points, to Mt. Gretna and return, at reduced rates. Tickets will be sold longing for a regular congregation. June 25 to August 5, inclusive, and ticket agents.

## LOCALS.

Childrens' day services will be held in the Egg Hill church Sunday even-

J. C. Goodhart, of Centre Hill, offers for sale two young brood sows. See adv. in this issue.

Mr. and Mrs. William Homan and baby boy, of near town, visited friends in Boalsburg over Sunday.

Prof. E. M. Brungart, of Rebersburg, has been re-elected principal of the Mifflinburg public schools. He has been unusually successful as an instructor.

E. L. Runkle, of Johnstown, son of J. L. Runkle, of Tusseyville, is home Mark's, however, was received into pastorate continued until 1856, or two circle and are constructed of solid oak, Sober and Porter acetylene light. The on a vacation until August 1st. Mr. Runkle two years ago went to Illinois ley charge January 1, 1893, and formal- During 1855 the parsonage located at with several young men from the south side, but some time ago he came back as far as Johnstown, where he engaged with M. Luther Smith, as collecting agent, for his installment

John Gordon, son of Judge Cyrus Gordon, of Clearfield county, who graduates from the medical department of the University of Pennsylvania, won the hundred-dollar prize offered in competitive examination to ped in the new church. the member of the fourth year class showing the greatest proficiency in clinical medicine. Some time ago, in a like examination, young Gordon was selected as resident physician of the Philadelphia Presbyterian hospital, standing at the head of the class of applicants.

THE DEDICATION.

Sunday Near the Noon Hour.

There was a distinctively Lutheran air at Spring Mills last Sunday, the occasion being the dedication of the St Mark's Lutheran church, a beautiful structure, nestled at the foot of Egg

Long before the hour for the services to begin the new church was surrounded by a group of people discussing and prognosticating the weather conditions for the day, and each tried to outdo the other in praising the every business, every dress and various agencies whose combined efforts stood before them ready for dedication.

> Every part of the church was filled when the services were begun by the singing of an anthem by the choir. Dr. D. M. Wolf read a scripture lesson, and prayer was offered by Dr. Fischer.

The dedicatory sermon by Rev. I. H. McGann was of the highest order. At the close of his sermon, Rev. McGann announced that it was necessary to raise about nine hundred dollars before the edifice could be dedicated. His methods for securing money were original and unique. He had appointed a number of young ladies and gentlemen to solicit funds, to whom he gave printed cards upon which the giver could write the amount of his gift and the manner-cash or in installments-in which it was to be paid.

The greater part of the sum, over seven hundred dollars was thus secured after which the dedicatory act was performed by Rev. J. M. Rearick,

In the afternoon Dr. Fischer and Rev. McGann addressed the Sunday school. That organization pledged itself for \$50.00, and a number of individual classes for \$5.00 each.

The Y. M. C. A., which held its regular meeting immediately after the cal Lutheran Church." The organiself for a neat sum.

The sermon in the evening was delivered by Dr. W. E. Fischer, after which the balance of the church debt, and a surplus was raised.

NOTES.

The receiving committee was Misses Orpha Gramley, May Smith, Mabel Zones, Carrie Gentzel, Bertha Duck.

occasion like on all others, exhibited a very hospitable spirit, and their only regret seemed to be that there were not more people to whom they could show favors.

HISTORY OF ST. MARK'S CHURCH.

The Organization, Membership, Etc., of

Spring Mills Lutheran Church. In the early history of Spring Mills son. Barr, of the Jefferson Avenue Presby- ans occupied the town, and there jamin Hartman, Wm. A. Kerlin, Isaac erhoff, Jerre Snavely, R. D. Runkle, terian church, Detroit, Michigan, of never was a Lutheran church in the Baney, Henry Hartman, and John W. H. Smith. Cross, Daniel Gentzel, ficiated. The groom is assistant secre- place. The Presbyterians, Methodists, Lutz. tary to the superintendent of Tyrone | Evangelicals and Reformed all had division Pennsylvania Railroad. Mr. their respective churches in the village while the Lutherans occupied the sur- Swartz. rounding country, having a church one and one-fourth miles south, another one and one-half miles east, and | ter. still another two and one-half miles northwest-all in Gregg township. As the town grew and its inhabitants changed it became occupied by more Lutherans, who were obliged to go cursion tickets from New York, Phila- out of town one and one-fourth miles to attend the church of their faith. There became a universal longing for Lutheran services in the town, and sary. It is remarkable how these anaccordingly in 1891, after due and careful deliberations, the Lutherans of Spring Mills determined to have ser- entire day, with frequent night sesvices occasionally in the Presbyterian sions and several times extended to church by the neighboring pastors, the second day. While the main which created a still greater desire and functions of the association thus organ-

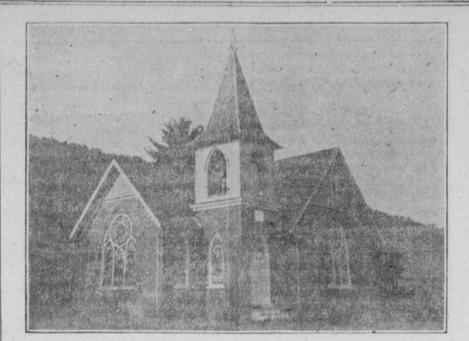
This desire grew into a determinawill be good to return until August 13, tion to organize, and April 16, 1892 the inclusive. For specific rates, consult following thirty-five persons organized the St. Mark's Lutheran congregation, under Rev. W. E. Fischer, pastor of the Penns Valley charge:

FIRST MEMBERS OF ST. MARK'S. Rebecca McCool
Sarah R. Heim
Mary A. Stover
Amelia Hettinger
Lucy A. Hettinger
Lucy A. Hettinger
Clara Musser
Lydia Neese
Alice Neese
J. B. Heckman
Abram Alters
Barbara Alters
Amanda D. Stover
John Swarm
Bertha R. Krape
Mary C. Crawford John F. Breon
Mary A. Breon
Willis P. Breon
Anna M. Breon
Ida M. Breon
Sadie E. Breon
M. B. Duck
Lila Duck
Blanche Duck
Bertha O. Duck
Florida R. Duck
T. B. Jamison T. B. Jamison R. D. Musser Maggie Bitner T. M. Gramley Aggie L. Gramley R. D. Runkle Maggie L. Runkle

These persons withdrew their memand became a part of the Penns Val- years.

September 28, 1893. the new organization rented and wor- Secretary, Wm. A. Kerlin, Bellefonte; Rev. W. E. Fischer, D. D. Figures-Christ the one in the tower amply light those shipped in the Presbyterian church Treasurer, John Neff, Centre Hall. for five years, until January 1, 1897, when they rented the Reformed pastor of the charge; salary, \$600. His Mrs. Catharine Bitner, by her children. church and worshipped regularly in pastorate extended to 1860, and during it for seven years, or until January 1, this time John Rishel, Esq., was pres-

PRESENT MEMBERS OF ST. MARK'S. . W. Hazel Emma Hazel Γ. B. Jamison Bertha R. Krape James H. McCool Mrs. J. H. McCool



St. Mark's Lutheran Church, Spring Mills, Pa. Dedicated June 21.

Mrs. Wm. E. Ream C. E. Royer Mrs. C. E. Royer erMary A. Stover Amanda Stover W. H. Smith John Smith May H. Smith R. D. Musser Jeremiah Snavely Sarah C. Snavely William Sones Susan Sones Mabel R. Sones Barbara E. Snyder Chas, M. Snyder Julia Bartges BUILDING COMMITTEE.

Rev. J. M. Rearick T. M. Gramley John F. Breon Jeremiah Snavely John F. Heckman CHURCH COUNCIL.

Elias Fetterolf, Jere. Snavely, Elders. R. D. Runkle, W. H. Smith, Deacons. T. M. Gramley, Secy., John F. Breon, Treas.

HISTORY PENN'S VALLEY CHARGE.

The official title of this charge is The Council Association of the Penn's Valley charge of the Evangeli-Sunday school hour, also pledged it- zation of this body took place January 30, 1854, in the Emanuel's church, at Tusseyville, at that time known as the 'Loop" church.

represent familiar family names.

Emanuel's was represented by Mier, Jacob Royer, John Bitner and er, Henry Emerick, W. M. Kerlin, Henry R. Smith.

St. John's-Michael Musser, George Coldren.

Weaver, William Emerick, Jeremiah Neff, Uriah D. Osman, Samuel Harps. ported.

The first officers of this body, now known as the Joint Council, were Gothic in Style-Handsomely Finished and President, Michael Ulrich; Secretary, Wm. A. Kerlin; Treasurer, John

The association was to meet annually in regular session, and in special session as often as was deemed necesnual meetings were kept up ever since -the session often lasting during the ized was legislative and executive, the minutes show that the devotional part was not neglected, a prominent part of the proceedings all along being reports from each congregation on the state of religion and the spirituality of

the members. The erection of a parsonage caused much deliberation from the beginning infant room. and the first apportionment of the cost | The accomwas Emanuel's, four-elevenths; St. panying ground John's, Holy Cross and Bellefonte, floor plan will each two-elevenths; St. Luke's, oneeleventh. From these figures it may serve to give an be inferred that Emanuel's was the idea of the gener- I. R.-Infant room, 16x20 strongest congregation, while St. al plan of the P.R.-Pulpit recess, 16x20. Luke's was the weakest. This is also edifice. substantiated by the apportionment of The altar furniture is of oak, neat in the pastor's salary.

pastor, at a salary of \$500. During gation by the pastor. This gift in- Bell Company; and the windows office. bership from the neighboring churches this year, 1854, Rev. Ruthrauft resign-cludes all the furniture within the were secured from the S. S. Marshall who in turn, as was but natural, at ed, and Rev. J. T. Williams was elect-chancel. first opposed the new organization. St. ed pastor, at the same salary. His The pews are arranged in a semi-

ly received as a distinct Lutheran con- Centre Hall was erected at a cost of \$1,- dows shed light on the interior. These lier with ten burners, three brack- after Geltwalt until removed to Bellegregation by Central Penn'a Synod, 800. During the period of 1855-1856 windows are all memorials, and were ets with one burner each furnish the fonte. the officers of the association were presented by the following: Not having a church of their own President, John Stover, St. Lukes;

> In 1856, Rev. P. P. Laue became faith, hope, charity. Neff, treasurer.

Rev. William S. Porr was pastor Ladies' Mite Society, gift to the Infant depart from 1860 to 1867, salary, \$600. During this period the names of J.

Heinbach, S. Royer, P. Fleisher, ure-Dove, bringing tidings. Emanuel's; Jacob Koch, Wm. Wolf, S. G. Shannon, Joseph Dasher, Wm. Emerick, Centre Hall; John Rishel, Jacob and Rebecca McCool, by their children. George Emerick, John Emerick, St. Figures-Cross and Crown.

John's; Daniel Gift, John Ilgen, John M. Miller, Samuel Harter, Cross; appeared in addition to those already mentioned.

Thy Beliefonte congregation left the

charge about 1860, and, of course, no further mention is made of that body. It is impossible to give the names of all the members of the Joint Council Association, as new members were elected each year. The officers in 1875 were John Rishel, president; Levi Murray, secretary; John Emerick, treasurer.

Rev. Zettlemoyer was pastor for one year-1868; salary, \$650. Rev. J. K. Miller was installed pastor in 1869; salary, \$1000. He served the charge until 1875, and was succeeded by Rev. W. E. Fischer in 1876. He had just finished his course in the seminary at Gettysburg. Salary, \$800, which was afterwards increased.

During the eighteen years of Rev. Fischer's pastorate, M. L. Rishel, Esq. was secretary of the council.

Under the pastorate of Rev. Fischer The congregations uniting in this the St. Mark's congregation was ororganization were (Loop) Emanuel's, ganized and admitted into the charge of Tusseyville; (Kritz) Holy Cross, of in 1893. For six months during 1893, Georges Valley; Bellefonte; (Centre Rev. J. W. Wagner, supplied the Hall) St. Luke's, of Centre Hall; St. charge, and in 1894 Rev. J. M. Resrick John's, of Farmers Mills-five in all. the present pastor was elected and intion was affected, nearly a half cen. Joint Council Association are T. M. The people of Spring Mills on this tury ago, the various congregations Gramley, president, having been anwere represented by persons, who if nually re-elected since 1895; John T. not personally known to the reader, Lee, secretary; and James Alexander,

The present members of the above Holy Cross-Fred Zettle, Sr., Jacob Floray, James Wert, Charles W. Finkle, Fred Zettle, Jr., George Jami- Swartz, William Martz. St. John's, George Emerick, Emanuel Eungard, Bellefonte-John Musser, Sr., Ben. J. F. Hagen. St. Mark's, Elias Fet-

The charge is in harmony, the pastor loved and respected, and the benev-

## DESCRIPTION OF EDIFICE.

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The edifice presents a splendid ap- SPRING MILLS, PA. pearance. It is Gothic in style. The main audience room is 32x40 feet, walls 13 feet to the square, and 18 feet to the centre. The ceiling is steel, beautifully decorated. The floor is laid with a rich carpet, which adds much to the general appearance of the

The walls are of Mill Hall pressed brick, resting on a foundation of blue lime stone. The roof is slate. The tower is built from the ground.

Entrance is gained through LR. the tower, from which doors lead into the main auditorium and Auditorium,

GROUND PLAN. Auditorium, 32x40.

design and handsomely carved, and Rev. F. Ruthrauff was the first was made and presented to the congre-

the seat and back being beaded.

Three tripple and five single win-Trinity Lutheran church of Shamokin, gift to

Good Shepherd; dove, descent of the Spirit

In Memory of Rachael Fetterolf, by her

Mrs. Lydia Neese, by her sons. The latter three 1903, since which time they worship- ident; J. W. Rhone, secretary; John windows are surmounted with a large figure of Martin Luther.

by their husband.

ment. Figures-Christ blessing the children emblem of ten commandments and shield. Emanuel's Lutheran church, Tusseyville, Fig. In memory of Sarah R. Heims, by her husband. In memory of Della R. and Lizzie V. Bartges,

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OLD DUNCAN STAND.

B. W. RIPKA.



J. B. Heckman, by his children. Figure-

Sheaf of wheat. A Hillstrong organ, a beautiful instrument, with fine tone and great volume, is the gift of T. M. Gramley.

organized 1892," was presented by H. this office, asking that the Reporter G. Strohmeier, Centre Hall. The corner stone was the gift of J. B. Mayes & Sons, Lemont.

The bell, weighing eight hundred Art Glass Company, Allegheny.

plant is located to the rear of the church, in a walled cave. A chandelight for the main auditorium, while two burners in the infant room and quarters. The lighting plant was purchased from J. Frank Rearick, of Spring Mills.

Mrs. Rose DeWoodie last week vis-

ted at State College and Lemont. Henry, a son of Charles Homan, of

Zion, is ill at a Philadelphia hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Miller and works of the Renovo car shops.

#### THE REPORTER THREE MONTHS FOR THE ASKING.

You can have the Centre Reporter A marble slab, bearing the inscrip- from now on until and including Septien "St. Mark's Lutheran Church, tember 3, by sending a postal card to be sent you until that date. The only condition being that prior to September 10th, provided you do not wish to become a regular subscriber, at one pounds, was purchased from the C. S. dollar per year, you will notify this

Remember this offer will give you the Reporter from now on until and The structure is lighted with the including the issue of September 3, for

Michael Smith was deputized to look

A relief fund is being raised in many cities and towns for the Kansas floodsufferers. Kansas City was among one of the first and most liberal donors toward the Johnstown sufferers.

Mrs. Wm. J. Finkle, (nee Catharine McCool) of Pottsgrove, was the guest of Miss Laura Runkle, of this place, beginning of this week. Mr. Finkle is engaged in the milling business at Pottsgrove.

Altoona is suffering from the lack of hotel accommodations. Men who are children were guests of the latter's willing to pay fancy prices for beds prother, M. M. Miller, in this place. are obliged to sleep on chairs. Many Mr. Miller is engaged in the wood traveling men go to Holidaysburg nightly for entertainment.