

THE CENTRE REPORTER.

THURSDAY, APRIL 21, 1904.

CHURCH APPOINTMENTS.

Methodist-Kearsville, morning; Aaronsburg, afternoon; Millheim, evening. Presbyterian-Centre Hall, morning; Spring Mills, afternoon. United Evangelical-Lemont, morning; Linden Hall, afternoon. Lutheran-Centre Hall, morning, communion; Tusseyville, afternoon; Spring Mills, evening. Reformed-Spring Mills, morning; Union, afternoon; Centre Hall, evening.

SALE REGISTER.

Saturday, April 23, 1 p. m., two miles east of Spring Mills at the Rishel homestead, real estate and personal property. G. R. Risher, Attorney in Fact, Coburn, Pa. Monday, May 2, 1 p. m., near Farmers Mills, on premises of the late Jeremiah Stover, two tracts of timber land. See adv. M. L. Risher, Esq. Saturday, April 23, 1 p. m., one mile north of Penn Hall, at late residence of Matilda Stover, yearling colt, 4 cows 7 head young cattle, farm implements, harness, furniture, household goods, etc., etc.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

We are authorized to announce William J. Kepler, of Ferguson township, as a candidate for nomination for Assembly, subject to the decision of the Democratic Convention.

We are authorized to announce John Noll, of Bellefonte borough, as a candidate for nomination for Assembly, subject to the decision of the Democratic Convention.

We are authorized to announce Arthur B. Kimport, of Harris township, as a candidate for the office of Prothonotary, subject to the decision of the Democratic Convention.

We are authorized to announce William Groh Runkle, of Bellefonte, as a candidate for nomination for the office of District Attorney of Centre County, subject to the decision of the Democratic Convention.

IT.

I'd like to hear the Mauser crack, The cannon's thund'rous tone, If I could do the hearing by Long distance telephone. I'd like to fight the Russian bold With wild and fiendish grin, If I could wear some armor plate And uniform of tin. I'd like to help the Japanese At morning, night and noon, If I could see of reach could fight Afloat in a balloon. I'd like to camp out in the fields With all the men of might, If I could eat at a hotel And sleep at home at night.

Both Parties Must Appear.

Judge Hart, of Williamsport, decided that the law in regard to applications for marriage licenses requires both parties intending to marry to appear before the officer and make their application.

Million Dollar Plant Completed.

The Pennsylvania Railroad's million dollar wheel foundry at South Altoona has been completed, and is now being equipped with the most modern machinery for foundries. The machinery will cost \$250,000 more. The capacity of the new plant will be 900 wheels a day, the largest in the world.

Poor Returns.

Many farmers will receive poor returns from the wheat fields. The indications are that the bulk of farmers in this section will not get seed and bread; the past ten days have witnessed a great reduction in the prospects, owing to cold and lack of warm April showers.

Governor Lifts the Spade.

Governor Pennypacker was met at Sunbury last week by a reception committee. He was later ferried across the Susquehanna river to Shamokin dam, where he turned the first shovel of dirt in the making of the first of the "good roads" under the latest Assembly act. A large crowd, residents of Snyder county, witnessed the Governor tossing ground and heard him deliver a brief address on the necessity of good roads, after which he went to lunch and later returned to the State capital.

The Pit.

The great pivotal scene of Channing Pollock's play, made from Frank Norris' novel "The Pit," for Wm. A. Brady, in which Wilton Lackaye and a large distinguished company of artists will be seen at the Chestnut Street Theatre for the next two weeks, is the panic in the Chicago wheat pit. The whole story is tragic, intense, rising to this tremendous climax, yet one feels its calm sincerity and truthfulness. It is without doubt the most American play yet written.

To Use Telephones in Convention.

The Democratic convention, which meets at the Coliseum in St. Louis on July 6, is to be conducted by telephone. The Committee on Arrangements has reached the decision that telephones will connect each State delegation with all the other delegations and with the chairman's and clerk's desks. The State telephones are to be at the elbows of the leaders of State delegations and a multitude of telephone girls will be at switchboards to give instantaneous connections, as called for. It is expected in this way much turmoil and confusion, due to the chair's failure to hear a motion or to recognize speakers at exciting moments will be avoided. Each newspaper will have a telephone connected with State delegations, the chairman, the clerk and the newspaper office. Long distance telephones will be in the vestibules. Steel signs, securely fastened to the floor, will take the place of the old-time wooden signs to mark the State delegations.

TRADE AT HOME.

Some Reasons Why the Public Should Stand by Home Merchants.

Why is it, the property owners and others will continue to patronize a catalogue house when they can get just what they want at home? Did it ever occur to you that when you send to a supply house for anything you can obtain of the home merchants you are reducing the value of your property to a certain extent? This is a fact. Supposing half of the people of this territory send away for their goods, would it not be necessary for the local stores to reduce their stocks at least fifty per cent., discharge half of their clerks, partition off their salesrooms one-half, in fact do just half the business they are doing now? Don't you think that such conditions would reflect on the value of the property? The town itself would dwindle down to a dead and dilapidated place and the taxable value would be reduced to one-half.

The people in any community should be co-operative; that is, stand by each other. Your home merchant is the one you go to for credit when you are out of money and he is one who is always approached when assistance is needed and usually ready to do what he can to help things along. What does the supply house do for you? In the first place they take your money long before you know what you will get for it, and when you do get what you send for it is an inferior article and costs you more than your home merchant would charge you for the same thing. The profit your merchant should have and which he is justly entitled to has been given to a concern that does not care for your welfare any more than the man in the moon.

The supply house man does not help you pay taxes to keep up your schools, churches and highways. Not he.

These are some few and good reasons why you should stand by your home merchant. He is your friend in need. He is your friend indeed. He looks for markets for your products from the farm, and is always willing to help you in any way consistent with good business. Why seek from a foreign shore that which you can obtain from your own home door.

Re-Dedication May 29.

The Georges Valley Lutheran church will be re-dedicated May 29. The edifice has been extensively remodeled, and is practically a new structure.

Republican County Convention.

The Republican executive committee of Centre county met in Col. W. F. Reeder's office Saturday and decided to hold the Republican county convention in the Court House, Bellefonte, at eleven a. m., Tuesday, June 14.

Fire Causes Panic in a School.

A fire in the public school building in Reedsville Monday originated from an overheated furnace. The floors caught fire and the scholars became panic-stricken. Several jumped from the windows, but no one was injured.

New Residents To Be.

C. D. Runkle will move into the Dinges property. Their goods will come from Pittsburg latter part of this week.

Rev. James W. Boal, of Port Carbon, will be a resident of Centre Hall by the first of May. He will occupy the Hess property recently vacated by Postmaster G. M. Boal.

An Example by Pottsville.

The law and ordinance committee of Pottsville town council has decided to order the United Telegraph and Telephone Company to discontinue business there and remove its poles and wires out of the borough.

This action is due to the charging of extra rates by the telephone company, which is alleged to be a violation of the ordinance under which it was admitted to Pottsville.

At the Convention.

Among those who attended the Democratic State Convention in Harrisburg from this county were Dr. F. K. White, Phillipsburg, and Hon. R. M. Foster, State College, delegates; Abraham Weber, Howard; Dr. H. S. Braucht, Spring Mills; Joseph Peters, Phillipsburg; Register A. G. Archey, J. C. Meyer, Esq., John Dunlap, Esq., J. K. Johnson, Esq., E. L. Orvis, Esq., F. Speer, John Noll, Sheriff H. S. Taylor, M. I. Gardner, James Corl, all of Bellefonte.

Japan and Her War.

The most fascinating series of war stories that has yet come to America of the conflict of the Russian and the Jap is that from Will Levington Comfort in the Pittsburg Dispatch, which began two weeks ago. Mr. Comfort is a young writer who has already achieved distinction in two wars, having served with the United States troops in Puerto Rico during 1898, and then spent three years in the Philippines, where he wrote some of the most thrilling war tales that have been published since the days of the Rebellion.

The fellow who sows wild oats generally raises the doubt.

VICTOR BATH TUB CO.

May Begin Operations in Centre Hall on an Extensive Scale.

Representatives of the Victor Bath Tub Company, of New York, visited Centre Hall Thursday and Friday of last week. The company mentioned is the one noticed in these columns some months ago, at which time they were trying to make arrangements to have castings made in this place by D. F. Luse to be used in the construction of their product—namely, bath tubs. Owing to some unforeseen developments the plans then formulated came to naught.

The visit of these representatives, Messrs. Eugene C. Bell and Max Borchardt, last week, was to close a contract with the Luse Manufacturing Company to furnish a certain amount of castings to be used in the construction of bath tubs, or, to be more definite, the supports and fittings to hold the tubs in shape. The tubs are built of metal and are copper lined, and necessarily need more fixtures for supports than the ordinary bath tub.

The present plan, as stated by Mr. Bell to the writer, is to enlarge the foundry plant sufficiently so that these supports may all be cast here. When in operation, the plant will give employment to four or six skilled mechanics, and three or four times as many laborers of less skill.

The gentlemen referred to were highly pleased with Centre Hall and its surroundings, and Mr. Bell will, if present plans are not frustrated, come to this place with his family and become a permanent citizen.

Bold Burglars.

One of the most daring attempts at burglary occurred at McCoy & Lion's iron works, near Bellefonte, about midnight Friday. Edmund Blanchard, the Superintendent of the plant, who stays at the house near the works, had been in Bellefonte during the evening and was returning to his quarters about midnight. It was raining and he stopped at the office to get a suit of working clothes he had left there. When he opened the door he was startled to find some men in the office. He demanded to know what they were doing there when he was fired at, the ball passing through his coat sleeve and dropping to the floor where it was afterwards found. Mr. Blanchard beat a hasty retreat and securing assistance returned but it was too late then as the burglars had fled. They were evidently surprised at their work and left without securing any plunder.

Deaths in Nittany Valley.

Recent deaths in Nittany Valley are Jacob Kling, of Lamar, aged sixty-eight years. He was a member of the 7th Penn. Cavalry during the civil war.

Isaac Kling, of Clintondale, died Sunday night of dropsy, aged seventy-eight years. He is survived by his wife and five sons, James and Harry, of Lamar; William, Edward and Charles, of Clintondale.

Daniel Snyder, a very well known citizen of Lamar township, Clinton county, died Monday morning at the residence of McClellan Barner, aged seventy-two years.

Odd Fellows' Anniversary.

On account of the Odd Fellows' anniversary at Moutonsville, Pa., on April 26, 1904, the Central railroad of Pennsylvania will sell excursion tickets from all stations to Moutonsville and return at rate of one-way fare for round trip. Tickets will be good going on train leaving Bellefonte at 7:00 a. m., connecting at Mill Hall with special train on N. Y. C. & H. R. R. R., arriving at Moutonsville at 10:15 a. m., and good for return on special train leaving Moutonsville at 9:45 p. m. J. W. GEPIHART, General Supt.

LOCALS.

J. S. Rowe is usually engaged in repairing water pipes.

John Luse is excavating the cellar for a new residence.

Mrs. D. Hess and Mrs. Frank E. Wieland, of Linden Hall, were in town last week.

Thus far the spring has been very unfavorable to grass. The plants need a good, warm rain.

Vacant lots on Main street are becoming scarce. The Luses own the few that are available.

Harry Fye, who farms for the editor, is proud of the fact that he has his crop of eight acres of potatoes planted.

Smith Brothers, of Spring Mills, in this issue advertise sideboards at greatly reduced prices. The firm has been doing an extensive business during the past month.

Miss Minnie Geary, of Millheim, this week visited Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Geary, in this place, prior to going to Beavertown, where she will make her home for some time.

Rev. Gress, pastor of the Reformed church in this place, has had an unusually large number of funerals in this charge since his pastorate began, about ten months ago.

People who contemplate moving into a new locality invariably inquire about the school facilities. It was so with Mr. Bell, a Victor Bath Tub Company representative.

DEATHS.

MRS. ELIZABETH KELLER.

Mrs. Elizabeth Keller died at her home at Tusseyville Wednesday afternoon of last week. Interment took place Saturday forenoon, Rev. Daniel Gress, of the Reformed church officiating.

Mrs. Keller's death was due to a general breaking down of the system incident to her advanced age, which was seventy-eight years, two months and ten days.

The deceased before marriage to Samuel Keller, now deceased, was Elizabeth Wright. She is survived by two daughters—Ellen, wife of Ira Rishel, of Boalsburg, and Miss Laura, at home. Ada, now deceased, was also a daughter and was the wife of John Lee.

ANDREW TRESSLER.

Andrew Tressler, a well known College township farmer, died Sunday morning about 4 o'clock. The cause of his death was heart trouble, and he was fifty-seven years of age. He is survived by his wife, two brothers and a large family of children. He was a member of the Pine Hall Lutheran church. The funeral took place Tuesday afternoon. Interment in the Pine Hall cemetery.

MRS. JACOB FRYER.

Gertrude C., wife of Jacob Fryer, died at Sunbury, and interment was made at Aaronsburg. Her age was twenty-six years, and she was a daughter of the late Adam Stover, of Haines township. She is survived by her husband and a daughter, aged eight years. The deceased and her husband moved from Coburn to Sunbury about two years ago.

William McCafferty, aged eighty-six years, died in Bellefonte Thursday of last week. He was born in Dublin, Ireland.

Steven Woodring died very suddenly of heart disease, at his home near Port Matilda. He leaves a wife and six children. Age sixty-eight years. He was a brother of Ex-Sheriff D. W. Woodring, of Bellefonte.

Helen, the twelve year old daughter of Richard Garman, formerly of Bellefonte, died in Philadelphia Saturday morning of rheumatism of the heart.

Harris Township.

Mrs. Mollie Miller, of Bellefonte, is visiting here.

Charles Fisher spent Sunday with his mother.

Quite a number of farmers have commenced plowing.

Wm. Mitterling, of Centre Hall, was around buying cattle.

John Stover, of Pleasant Gap, visited his son William, last week.

Barnhart Stamm and family, of Altoona, were visitors in this place.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stuart, of State College, enjoyed a drive to this place.

Miss Izora Rupp, of Cedar Creek, tarried with friends in Boalsburg on Sunday.

Mrs. George Fisher is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Ryan, in Bellefonte.

Master Harold Coxe is spending part of his vacation with relatives at Pleasant Gap.

Misses Margaret and Katharine Weber enjoyed Saturday with friends at Locust Grove.

Miss Mary Lohr spent a week with her grandmother, Mrs. Christina Kramer, at Pine Hall.

Ira Rishel and family attended the funeral of Mrs. Rishel's mother, Mrs. Samuel Keller, at Tusseyville.

Amos Tyson and daughter Elizabeth, of Pine Hall, spent last Thursday with Mrs. E. E. Brown.

Adam Bueher, the proprietor of an extensive planing mill and lumber yard in Altoona, visited at the Felty home.

Edwin Rupp, accompanied by one of his chums from the Mountain City, is enjoying a few days on the banks of our streams.

Mrs. Emma Fisher spent part of last week at Centre Hall with her sister, Mrs. Lizzie Jacobs, who was suffering from erysipelas.

L. O. Mothersbaugh and Mrs. Margaret Keller were in attendance at the funeral of Mrs. Keller.

Lee Segner spent last week in the mountains in Stone Valley getting out timber for the Linden Hall Lumber Company.

Sydney Kuhn, one of the employes of the Linden Hall Lumber Company, has gone to White Deer Valley, where they have commenced operations on a large tract of timber land.

The County Sunday-school convention which was to have been held next week, has been postponed until Wednesday and Thursday, 4th and 5th of May.

Dr. Samuel Woods has returned from Philadelphia where he spent some time in preparing for service in the navy. He expects to go to Washington about the 2nd of May to be examined for entrance into that department. The intervening time will be spent with his mother and other relatives and friends in this locality.

The man who makes money sometimes discovers that money doesn't make the man.

What Good Does it Do You to Buy Elsewhere when We Save Money for you on the Same Stuff?

We make every effort to have our goods right for their intended purpose, and we put forth the same effort to have our prices lower than the same goods can be obtained elsewhere. We believe that we have been successful. If, however, after examination you find any article with which you are not satisfied, either in quality or price, we ask that you return same promptly and we will refund the money for it. Our aim is to please every one.

Our line of Spring and Summer goods of all kinds can't be beat in this section, and our stock otherwise is quite complete. We will exchange our goods for any of our farm products and will always allow you all they are worth. Bring us your produce next time you come to the store.

For One Week Only, Beginning Thursday, April 21st, we will sell

Seven Pounds Whole Green Peas 25 Cents
Five Pounds Ginger Snaps 25 Cents

Don't miss the "Money Saving" Store.

TERMS—Strictly Cash or Produce.

OLD DUNCAN STAND.
SPRING MILLS, PA. B. W. RIPKA.

JOHN SMITH & BRO.
SPRING MILLS, PA.

Great Bargains for the
Next Thirty Days

Sideboards
\$8.75
and Up

All other Furniture, Carpets,
Rugs—everything we deal in, at
proportionately low prices.

Furniture & Undertaking
J. H. KRUMBINE
Centre Hall, Penn.

We offer you special bargains in all the lines of FURNITURE at all seasons of the year.

My Motto for 1904 will be
"Quick Sales and Small Profits"
If I do not have what you want, I will get it for you.

WALL PAPER
WINDOW SHADES

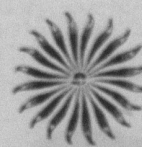
You can get anything you want in either of these lines—from stock or by samples. Very pretty designs.

UNDERTAKING
A SPECIALTY.
Calls answered promptly,
Day or Night. Terms
and Prices reasonable.

Before you buy call on us

Mr. John M. Bullock is ready to take your measure for that . . .

New Spring Suit
OR
Pair of Trousers



Did you see our display of Suitings and Trousers in our North window? So many neat styles for the quiet dresser. Merchant Tailoring has never been so reasonable, so up-to-date, as now. Call in and see John and he "will do the rest."

Ready-to-Wear Clothing

Is in great demand, also

We can fit you and fit your pocket-book. Look at our Top Coats and Rain Coats and Nobby Spring Suits, Neckwear, Hosiery, Shirts, E

MONTGOMERY & CO.
BELLEFONTE, PA.

See whether you got proper credit for subscription.