

THURSDAY, MAY 26, 1904.

CHURCH APPOINTMENTS.

Presbyterian—Centre Hall, morning; Spring Mills, afternoon. Reformed—Centre Hall, morning; Tusseyville, afternoon. Lutheran—Re-dedication at Georges Valley. [Appointments not given here have not been reported to this office.]

SALE REGISTER.

Saturday, May 28, 1 p. m., at Centre Hill—One sheet, buggy, harness, stoves, household goods, etc.—Emma Shult.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

We are authorized to announce William J. Koper, of Ferguson township, 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.

We are authorized to announce Jacob Swires, of Phillipsburg, as a candidate for Assembly, subject to the decision of the Democratic Convention.

We are authorized to announce Ellis L. Orvis, of Bellefonte, as a candidate for the office of President Judge, subject to the decision of the Democratic Convention.

Do You Want Phosphate?

Messrs. Foreman & Smith have on hand several grades of fertilizers, fresh from Baltimore, suitable for spring crops. Prices right, and quality guaranteed to be as represented.

Memorial Day at Centre Hall.

Memorial Day exercises will be observed at Centre Hall at six o'clock p. m., Samuel Shannon Post in charge. The speaker will be Al. Dale, Esq., of Bellefonte. Company B, N. G. P., and the Knights of the Golden Eagle, Spring Mills, will participate.

Teachers' Examination.

County Superintendent C. L. Gramley held teachers' examination at Centre Hall, for the borough and Potter township, Thursday of last week. The class consisted of but nine, eight of whom were granted certificates to teach. All the applicants who are enrolled in Prof. Young's preparatory school passed the examination with credit.

G. A. R. Encampment.

For the benefit of those desiring to attend the Annual Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, Department of Pennsylvania, at Gettysburg, June 5 to 11, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets to Gettysburg from all stations on its line in the State of Pennsylvania, on June 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8, good to return until June 13, inclusive, at rate of a single fare for the round trip. For specific rates, apply to local ticket agents.

In Hands of Specialist.

The many friends and acquaintances of W. F. Osman, Esq., of Grant City, Mo., will regret to learn the information attached, which was received Monday from St. Joseph, Mo.:

I am here in the hands of a specialist taking treatment for a very aggravated case of sore throat, ulcer in the throat. I have been very much under the weather ever since the holidays, have been in St. Joseph about a month, and while I think I am being benefited, it seems a very slow process. Lost 35 lbs. in three months.

Dedicatory Program.

Services incident to the dedication of the Lutheran church, in Georges Valley, Sunday, 10 A. M., are as follows:

This (Thursday) evening, sermon by Rev. Wm. M. Rearick, of West Milton. Saturday evening, sermon by Rev. W. E. Fischer, D. D., of Shamokin, former pastor.

Sunday, 10 A. M., dedicatory sermon by Rev. I. H. McGann, of Lewisburg. Dedicatory act by the pastor, Rev. J. M. Rearick.

Sunday afternoon, Sunday school services.

Sunday evening, sermon by Rev. W. E. Fischer, D. D.

Class Officers.

At the Susquehanna Classis of the Reformed church, held at Lewisburg, the following officers were elected: President, Rev. Ambrose M. Schmidt, Bellefonte; corresponding secretary, Rev. Daniel Gress, Centre Hall; treasurer, Rev. W. A. Haas, Selinsgrove.

The election of delegates to the Eastern Synod that meets in October at Perkasie, Pa., and to the General Synod that will meet in Allentown, Pa., in May of next year, resulted as follows: Eastern Synod Revs. James E. Runkle, D. M. Wolf, D. D., and H. T. Crow; Elders Isaac Brown, J. A. Moyer and John Haffner. General Synod, Primarii, Revs. A. A. Black and K. Otis Spessard; Secundi, Revs. R. L. Gerhart, D. D., and Ambrose M. Schmidt. Elders, Primarii Jared Harper and J. Hoy, Jr.; Secundi, A. Sausaman and George W. Keichline.

GROWING ALFALFA.

Experience with the Legume Will be Noted Throughout the Season.

For the benefit of those interested in agriculture the Reporter will from time to time note the conditions of a plot of two acres sown to Alfalfa. This plot is located west of the camp ground of the Patrons of Husbandry, on the tract of land owned by the writer. It is the purpose to give the experience, in detail, without regard to success or failure.

The plot is on lime s one ridge sod. Plowing done during middle of April. Preparation same as for corn, with the addition of several draggings and rollings.

Four hundred pounds of phosphate per acre were sown broadcast.

Analysis: Ammonia..... 1 per cent. Available Phosphoric Acid... 8 " " Potash K2O..... 9 " "

Seed was sown May 23, with wheelbarrow seeder. Quantity, thirty pounds per acre. Covered by two going over the ground with a weeder, finished with roller.

Sample of seed was sent to the U. S. Agricultural Department for testing as to purity.

Conditions of the alfalfa plot will hereafter be noted without referring to this notice, but always under the caption "Growing Alfalfa."

From Bugle Notes.

"Orphanage Bugle Notes" is the name of a newsy publication in the interests of the Odd Fellows' Orphan Home of Central Pennsylvania, at Sunbury, that should reach the homes of many more Odd Fellows. The managers of some of the college journals would be able to get a few important points on school publications if they were to regularly read "Bugle Notes." Among other local items in the May issue of the little monthly journal, is the following:

We are very glad to welcome into our family Miss Florence Duck, of Spring Mills. Miss Duck has come to fill the vacancy in our schools, caused by the resignation of Miss Hanson. Miss Duck comes highly recommended and we trust she may stay with us, as her manner is very pleasing and she is a fine addition to our household.

The Boob Wheel Company.

The reader will be pleased to know of the prosperity of W. W. Boob, who did an extensive wheel business in Centre Hall prior to going to Cincinnati where he was associated with the Queen City Wheel Company. Mr. Boob recently purchased that company's stock and fixtures, and at present is effecting a re-organization under the title of "The Boob Wheel Company," with a capitalization of \$10,000. Messrs. Charles B. Runkle, Charles Wisner and Walter M. Kerlin are interested in the company. The new organization is doing a good business in its new quarters at present.

LOCALS.

Mrs. Peter Smith, of Centre Hill, is lying in a critical condition from stomach trouble.

The agricultural department gives out that wheat and rye conditions have improved.

Edward Jordan, formerly of Spring Mills, is reported to have been a victim of the Chicago theatre fire.

Charles Leister, of Spring Mills, sold the timber on the tract recently purchased by him from Wm. Farmer, to Decker Brothers for \$4000.

Mrs. J. Q. Miles and granddaughter, Lydia Ebert, daughter of O. D. Ebert, of Martha Furnace, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. George O. Benner.

Mrs. Mary Goodhart Thursday of last week went to Altoona on business relative to the estate of her son, John Goodhart, deceased, and returned beginning of this week.

R. C. Palmer, Linden Hall, is offering the best cash prices for wool, and asks parties who have wool to sell to drop a card to that effect. He also makes carpets, rugs, etc., and will be pleased to have your trade in that line.

Wanted a good, reliable man, with horse and rig, for Centre Hall and surrounding towns to distribute circulars, samples, and tack signs, either in connection with present work, or give entire time. Address, Atoz Printing Co., Dept. C4, South Whitley, Ind.

Phillipsburg borough has put in position in the lock-up eight steel cages. The Ledger adds: It is horrible to think that it is necessary to provide iron cages for human beings, but if they must be used, then the new ones the borough has purchased are models of their kind.

Aaron Thomas will attempt to right things the miniature cyclone did to the roof on the Eby barn, east of Centre Hall. But for the lateness of the season, Mr. Eby would raze the old barn this summer and rebuild, but has promised his tenant, N. B. Shaffer, to do so next spring.

W. W. Smith, the photographer, has bought the Corrigan property at State College, says the Times. He will build a photograph gallery just back of the house, attaching it to the main structure, report says. Mr. Smith is enterprising and no doubt will succeed in making profitable use of the large house.

Death of Prominent Ax Manufacturer.

James H. Mann, the well known ax manufacturer, of Reedsville, died very suddenly Friday morning, while sitting at the breakfast table, aged seventy years. He is survived by three sons and two daughters. Mr. Mann was at the head of the large ax works at Reedsville.

Grange Library.

Progress Grange is arranging to have a first class library placed in Grange Arcadia. The books will be obtained from the state department and are especially adapted to the wants of those who have access to them. It is the intention to have the library room open every Saturday evening, thus affording an opportunity to exchange books at least once each week.

Transfer of Real Estate.

J. F. Steiner's heirs to Benjamin Hart, March 19, 1904, land in Rush twp.—\$363.

Wm. L. Goodhart, et. al., to Sarah E. Foreman, Feb. 10, 1904, land in Potter and Gregg twps.—\$3900.

Sarah Haverly to Edwin Sunday, Aug. 13, 1902, 20 per. in Spring twp.—\$75.

Annie J. Ligenfelter to Milton Orwig, May 14, 1904, house and lot in Phillipsburg—\$2000.

Wm. F. Kinney to W. T. Dillen, April 9, 1904, 20 acres, 150 perches in Huston twp.—\$300.

John E. Royer, et. ux., to Amanda M. Walker, March 1, 1904, 107 acres, 4 perches in Miles twp.—\$6400.

John W. Dunkleberger's adm. to John T. Noll, May 16, 1904, lot in Spring twp.—\$310.

Harris Township.

Will Woods is visiting his mother.

Robert Stamm is a visitor from the Mountain City.

Rev. A. A. Black returned from Lewisburg on Monday.

This place was well represented at the county seat on Saturday.

Mrs. F. W. Weber and daughter enjoyed a day at Locust Grove.

Sydney Poorman, of Kellerville, visited his parents on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Swabb, of Pine Grove Mills, spent Sunday here.

Mrs. Jessie Sharp, of Altoona, is visiting her parents, at Shingletown.

Ira Rishel and family spent Sunday at Charley Wrights, near Linden Hall.

Miss Izora Rupp is spending this week with the Ross family at Hazel Dell.

Mrs. Fouse, of Huntingdon, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Lizzie Hosterman.

Workmen are engaged at repairing and beautifying the Lutheran parsonage.

Mrs. Coxe and granddaughter Helen enjoyed a visit with friends in Bellefonte.

Mrs. Brouse and Mrs. Segner, with their children, spent Saturday at Sunny Summit.

The property of John Fox, deceased, will be offered at public sale Saturday afternoon the 28th.

Miss Beulah Fortney expects to stay in Bellefonte for a time as she is taking instructions in needle work.

Rev. J. I. Stonecypher and Elder Adam Felty are attending the meetings of Lutheran Conference, at Tusseyville.

Mrs. A. B. Kimport and her interesting little family enjoyed a day at the Felty home.

Miss Edith Dale, of Lemont, accompanied by a lady from New Holland, called on friends in Boalsburg.

Dr. Samuel Woods has returned to Sharon and resumed his practice, having failed in the physical examination for the navy.

M. C. Gephart and his assistant, Harry Keister, of Bellefonte, were here on Monday attending to business in the line of music.

Elmer Taubelm and Frank Sharp, who were among the P. R. R. employes suspended at Altoona, last week, are working at Zimmerman's saw mill.

Monuments were erected in the Boalsburg cemetery to the memory of Thomas Riley and B. F. Breen, both of whom served their country in the civil war.

Some of Prof. Gramley's pupils are busy preparing essays on the past history of Boalsburg and surroundings. Theodore Boal will pay the tuition for two pupils who will produce the best article on that subject.

The graves of the honored heroes at the Rock Hill cemetery will be decorated in the morning of Memorial Day, and at Boalsburg at six o'clock in the evening. Capt. Hugh S. Taylor will be one of the speakers at the latter place.

Charles Corl, who represented the Boalsburg Lodge, I. O. O. F., at the meeting of the Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania, at Easton, last week, gave an interesting report of the proceedings at the meeting of this Lodge Saturday evening.

F. H. Audes and wife, of Lancaster county, were visiting friends in this place. Mr. Audes is superintendent of an extensive carriage manufactory at East Petersburg. Before coming here he had been in Green county purchasing lumber, good lumber being very scarce in the eastern counties and Green county is noted for a superior quality of timber of different kinds.

DEATHS.

XAVIER GFRERER.

Xavier Gfrerer died at his home, near Centre Hall, Monday, at 4 a. m., at the age of seventy-one years, six months and six days. Interment will take place this (Thursday) morning, Rev. J. M. Rearick officiating.

The deceased had been suffering from a general breaking down of health, incident to age, for some months, later dropsy developed, the result of which is noted above.

Xavier Gfrerer was born in Wittenberge, Germany, and on becoming of age he migrated to the United States. After spending a year in Michigan, he came eastward, and on reaching Millroy he accompanied the elder Kellers to Penns Valley. He was a fence builder, and built hundreds of miles of post and rail fence in all parts of Centre county, which yielded him an income considerable beyond a living.

The deceased was married to Rebecca Rokey, who died fifteen years ago. He is survived by five children, as follows: Mary, wife of James H. Stahl; William, Frank and Miss Sadie, all of near Centre Hall, and Calvin, of near Bellefonte.

SAMUEL BOLLINGER.

Samuel Bollinger, one of the oldest residents of Freeport, Illinois, died last week at the home of his daughter, Mrs. A. Roberts. Mr. Bollinger had been sick since the 15th of February, but was in poor health some time previous to that. The cause of his death was old age, he being in his sixty-fourth year.

The deceased was born in Aaronsburg, on December 21, 1820. He went west about fifty-five years ago, and has lived in Stephenson county, Ill., ever since, except one year, when he lived in Jo Daviess county, near Morseville. He was married, before going west, Jan. 26, 1843, to Mary Ann Reeser, who died in 1898. He was a carpenter by trade, but retired some years ago. He was an honest, kindly man, who was highly esteemed.

Mr. Bollinger was the father of two children, one, Mrs. A. Roberts, of Freeport, who survives him, and a son, who, while assisting in the painting of the court house cupola, fell and was killed.

REUBEN GRIM.

The death of one of Brush Valley's well known citizens took place Thursday morning of last week. The person referred to is Reuben Grim, whose death occurred at the home of his son, Charles H. Grim. Mr. Grim had attained the age of seventy-six years, four months, and for the past five months suffered from paralysis.

Interment was made Sunday forenoon in the Madisonburg Lutheran cemetery, Rev. Bixler officiating.

The surviving children are: Lewis, Jewel, Kansas; Charles H., Madisonburg.

The following brothers and sisters also survive: John and Adam, Smithfield, Mo.; Mrs. Nestlerode, Madisonburg; Mrs. Shaffer, Zion; Mrs. Pellman, Hartleton; Mrs. Walters, Milesburg.

Mr. Grim was a member of a family of thirteen children.

MRS. JOSEPHINE CURTIN.

The sudden death of Mrs. Josephine Curtin, wife of James C. Curtin, occurred in Bellefonte Wednesday of last week. Her ailment was consumption from which disease she had been suffering for several years.

The deceased was born in Bellefonte May 27, 1850 and was the daughter of William S., and Margaret Tripple. In 1876 she was married to James C. Curtin, who survives her with the following children: Mrs. John J. Bower, Frank and Julia Curtin.

She also leaves three half sisters and a brother as follows: Mrs. J. D. Geisinger, and Mrs. George Karstetter, of Harrisburg; Mrs. Harry Yeager, of Bellefonte, and Charles Tripple, of Philadelphia.

CLYDE KRITZER.

Clyde Kritzer, aged seven years, son of Mrs. Anna Kritzer, of near Colyer, died from scarlet fever. Eight children in the Kritzer family have been ill of the disease.

HAMILTON OTTO.

Hamilton Otto, a cigar and tobacco dealer, in Bellefonte, died Wednesday of last week, aged fifty years.

LOCALS.

Rev. Aurand of Millinburg, preached in the Lutheran church Sunday afternoon.

Read the adv. of the cash store, Spring Mills, B. W. Ripka, proprietor. You will find a list of goods advertised there at bottom prices.

Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Brungart, of Scottsdale, and Victor Brungart, of Rock, nephews of Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Brungart, were guests of the latter last week.

D. B. Newcomer, who has been proprietor of the Haag House, Bellefonte, for several years, will be succeeded by Fred Mosebarger, of Clearfield county, he having purchased the personal property of Mr. Newcomer. Landlord Newcomer was very successful in the hotel business.

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