

THURSDAY, JULY 21, 1904.

CHURCH APPOINTMENTS.

Methodist—Sprucetown, morning; Centre Hall, afternoon; Spring Mills, evening—anniversary service 1. O. F. Presbyterian—Spring Mills, morning; Centre Hall, evening. Lutheran—Georges Valley, morning; Union, afternoon; Centre Hall, evening. Reformed—Centre Hall, morning; Tusseyville, afternoon. [Appointments not given here have not been reported to this office.]

100,000 shingles for Sale.

Messrs. Brisbin & Bradford, of Centre Hall, offer for sale 100,000 shingles, all grades and kinds.

Cheap Telephones in Pittsburg.

Owing to the rivalry between the Bell and local independent telephone companies in Pittsburg the Bell people have displaced their opponents in the Public Safety branch of the city government by installing instruments for \$5 a year each.

Bush Meeting.

The Evangelical Christians will hold a Bush meeting in Moyer's woods, one mile east of Colyer, to begin Friday evening, August 12th. The Rev. Thomas A. Elliott, of New Buffalo, Pa., and Rev. David Brouse, of Port Royal, will be present to assist Rev. A. J. Horner in preaching the Word. We trust sinners will be converted, and God's people uplifted. All are invited to attend.

Local Storm.

A heavy wind and rain storm passed over Centre Hall Monday evening. Rain fell in torrents, sixty hundredths of an inch of water falling in about fifteen minutes. Many branches were torn from shade and ornamental trees. Corn and oats were beaten to the level of the ground.

A tree in front of Dr. Alexander's home was torn out of root, and in falling broke two large flag stones that formed a part of a walk just laid down.

The Cemetery.

The cemetery, which just prior to Memorial Day, was in such a fine condition and attracted attention, presents anything but a neat and tidy appearance today. The cemetery trustees have an abundance of funds to keep the city of the dead clear of tall grass, weeds and debris, and why should it not be used for that purpose? If the cemetery management would keep up the spirit of pride during the whole of the year, instead of just for a few weeks before Memorial Day, individuals would take the cue and continue their work of embellishment throughout the summer months.

Potatoes Blighted.

There are fine prospects for a large potato crop, where the blight has not already done its work. The indications are, however, that the blight has affected the growing tubers in many potato fields, and that the experience of several years ago will be repeated this season. The weather conditions during the past week have been very favorable for the development of the spores causing rot, and an examination of the tubers will show the white specks in great numbers. The potato vines are blossoming very profusely, which can always be depended upon as indicating prolific bearing.

The Grange Picnic.

Hon. Leonard Rhone, chairman of the executive committee of the Patrons Encampment and Exhibition is beginning to arrange for privileges. The St. Vincent Dramatic club, of Media, will be here during the entire week, and give an entertainment each evening. The club is under the management of Wm. P. Flack, Esq., of Media, and gives first-class entertainments.

Inquiries have already been received for tents, and many minor concessions have been granted.

The boarding house will be conducted by D. C. Keller, who has established a reputation as a first-class boarding house keeper.

A La Carte Dining Car Service.

To still further accommodate its patrons, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company has established the a carte system of dining car service for breakfast and luncheon on several of its most popular trains.

A la carte breakfast is served on the Federal Express leaving Philadelphia at 6.35 A. M. daily for Washington, and on the Cleveland and Cincinnati Express leaving New York at 8.25 P. M. daily for Pittsburgh.

A la carte luncheon is served on trains leaving Philadelphia for New York at 11.06 A. M. week days; on train leaving New York for Philadelphia at 12.55 P. M. week days; on train leaving Pittsburgh for Philadelphia at 12.01 P. M. daily and on the coach section of train leaving New York at 1.55 P. M. daily for Pittsburgh and the West.

A la carte breakfast and luncheon are served on the Manhattan Limited leaving Pittsburgh at 8.35 A. M. daily for New York.

All dinners on Pennsylvania Railroad dining cars, and all other meals, except those mentioned above, are table d'hotel.

Growing Alfalfa.

The alfalfa has been making a wonderful growth and today presents a most promising appearance. The seeds germinated immediately, and within one week the plot was green with the alfalfa plants.

June 9th three hundred pounds of soil from the alfalfa beds of F. E. Dawley, of Fayetteville, New York, were sown on one-half the plot. Mr. Dawley's adv. appears in another column.

June 23rd bacteria secured from the Agricultural Department, Washington, D. C., was sown on the remaining one-half the plot.

July 4th the Alfalfa obtained a height of from eight to twelve inches, and was clipped with a mower set for ordinary mowing.

July 18th the clipping was repeated, the former clipping having a tendency to thicken the plants—one, two and three shoots having been sent out from the parent stalk. The clippings measure from four to fourteen inches. While there are weeds present, the plot is in fine shape.

PREVIOUS REPORTS

Plot—two acres. Soil—limestone ridge. Fertilizers applied per acre—400 lbs., containing ammonia, 1 per cent.; available phosphoric 8 per cent.; potash K2O, 9 per cent. Seed sown—May 23. Quantity of seed sown—30 pounds per acre; covered by twice going over plot with weeder; finishing with roller.

LOCALS.

The World's Fair attendance last week was 500,359.

The Methodist congregation at State College, Rev. Edgar Heckman pastor, has decided to build a new church.

B. W. Ripka, proprietor of the Spring Mills Cash Store, is advertising a closing out sale of summer goods.

Mrs. S. S. Kreamer and daughter Rebecca, Miss Tace Kreamer and niece, Catharine Heckman, ars in Rebersburg.

Read Montgomery & Company's adv. in this issue of the Reporter. They promise and will give you some good hard cash if you are good on a guess. The largest prize is \$1000.

Rev. Andrew Carver, of Glen Rose, Texas, arrived in this place Monday morning and will spend a week with his sister, Mrs. W. H. Schuyler.

The largest exhibit in the stove line at the World's Fair is that of the Wrought Iron Range Company, represented in Centre Hall at present by J. C. Pierce.

Mrs. W. H. Snyder and baby, of Glenn Campbell, Indiana county, are visiting in and about Centre Hall. Mrs. Snyder is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Byron Garis.

Miss Margaret Mothersbaugh and Reuben Stuart, of Boalsburg, Saturday stopped at the Reporter office on their way to Penns Cave where they joined a picnic party from State College.

John T. Spangler, of Tusseyville, accompanied by J. W. Rickert, of the same place, were callers Saturday. Mr. Spangler is one of the progressive farmers on the South side of Potter township.

Persons wanting accommodations at the World's Fair should write to W. C. Sweetwood, 7050 Wise Avenue. Mr. Sweetwood was formerly a resident of near Centre Hill, and will cheerfully answer communications relative to accommodations.

R. D. Killian, who is buying up walnut logs in central Pennsylvania, was a caller Saturday. He related that he purchased one of the finest walnut trees seen by him for some time, from J. S. McNitt, of near Milroy. The price paid was forty dollars.

Dr. S. C. Runkle, of 1605 Christian Street, Philadelphia, in Monday morning's Press is quoted at length in favor of the good work being done by the Philadelphia Pasteurized Milk Association. The space devoted to Dr. Runkle indicates the important position he holds in the profession.

Harry Bitner, a reporter on the Pittsburg Chronical Telegraph, was an arrival at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Murray, Sunday morning, and will remain for a week. He is the oldest son of Dr. H. F. Bitner, of Millersville, and is accounted a good newspaper man.

The corn crop looks very promising. Where replanting was necessary, owing to poor seed or other causes, the stalks are even in size and well enough in advance to make a full yield. The best corn observed by the writer between Bellefonte and St. Louis was no further advanced than the best fields in Penns Valley.

Miss May Lingle, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce S. Lingle, of Cherokee, Iowa, is on her way east, and will remain east for several years. She will visit her grandmother, Mrs. Elizabeth Lingle, west of town, and from there will go to the home of a relative near State College, and will become a student in that institution.

This (Thursday) evening a joint meeting of the Christian Endeavor societies of Centre Hall will be held in the Reformed church to meet a committee from Bellefonte, representing the county union. At this meeting arrangements will be made for the holding of the Christian Endeavor convention in this place, August 31st and September 1st. All the members of the societies are requested to be present.

DEATHS.

MRS. MARY HOOVER.

On Sunday evening death kissed down the eyelids of one of Pine Grove Mills most motherly, christian ladies, Mrs. Mary Hoover, widow of the late George Hoover. She had been ill for about six months with a serious throat trouble from which she finally succumbed.

Her maiden name was Mary Reed and she belonged to one of Ferguson township's oldest and most representative families. She was born in Ferguson township and was past 71 years of age. She was a member of the Presbyterian church and will be greatly missed in the community in which she lived.

She is survived by two children, Mrs. Ira Burwell and James Hoover, both of Ferguson township. With the latter she made her home.

She also leaves the following brothers and sisters: William, of Bellefonte; James, of Boalsburg; Jacob, David, Sarah, and Maggie, of Pine Grove Mills.

MRS. SUSAN GRIMM WALTER.

Mrs. Susan Walter died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. L. Aikens, near Milesburg. The deceased was born Jan. 27th, 1826. Almost her entire life has been spent in this community. Early in life she united with the Lutheran church at Madisonburg, her husband preceded her to the spirit world several years since. She is survived by two brothers, John and Adam, both of Kansas; three sisters, Mrs. Mary Nestlerode, of Madisonburg; Mrs. Wm. B. Shaffer, of Zion, and Mrs. Dena Hockman, of Hartleton, and one son, W. Scott Walter, of Milesburg, three daughters, Mrs. J. L. Aikens, of Milesburg, Mrs. H. W. Stover, Germantown, and Mrs. Mary Walker, Yarnell.

MRS. JACOB REID.

Mrs. Reid, wife of Jacob Reid, died at her home in Aaronsburg, Thursday, of last week, after suffering two weeks, from a broken limb sustained by a fall, and dropsy. Her age was sixty-one years and twenty-eight days. Funeral took place Sunday forenoon, Rev. Lauffer, of the Reformed church officiating, and Rev. Sheeder and Rev. Bright assisting.

Mrs. Reid's maiden name was Lydia Winklebleck, and for twenty years was a resident of Aaronsburg. She is survived by her husband and two daughters—Elizabeth, wife of George Homan; Rebecca, wife of Earnest Stover; and one son, Jefferson, of Johnstown.

MRS. URIAH SLATTERBECK.

Mrs. Uriah Slatterbeck, of near Wolf's Store, died very suddenly last Friday. She was buried Sunday afternoon in the cemetery at Wolf's Store. The deceased leaves to mourn her loss a husband and four children.

LOCALS.

Read Montgomery's adv.

John McClintie, of near Milroy, has been the guest of his brother, J. A. McClintie, of near Farmers Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. John Scholl Monday returned to their home in Altoona, after spending several days with the former's father, near town.

Sunday mercury stood at the highest point—ninety degrees—registered this summer. One of the results noticed was that there was little or no pleasure driving.

The Howard Hustler says that a car load of cans was received by the Howard canning factory, and that the plant is to be put into operation within a short time.

C. H. Meyer, of Reedsville, came to town Saturday and Sunday took home with him his wife and little daughter Miriam, both of whom had been visiting in this section for several weeks.

John Bair, of near Tusseyville, is suffering considerable from a cut on the hand caused by a horse kicking him. The wound at first gave him little concern, but later blood poisoning set in.

Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Wagner and family, of Buckhorn, were guests of Rev. Wagner's sister, Mrs. A. E. Kerlin, in this place, over Sunday. Before returning home they will visit Jacob Wagner, at Tusseyville, and Mrs. Wagner's parents, near Bellefonte.

H. H. Yearick, of Philadelphia, who had been the guest of W. B. Mingle, Esq., and family, returned home Tuesday by his mother, Mrs. Phoebe Yearick. She will spend some time at that and other nearby points.

Will A. Odenkirk, station agent at Glen Iron, was home over Sunday, having come here more particularly to meet his brother Porter Odenkirk, of Burnham. The former has a very desirable position, and is delighted with the social element of the little village.

In the leading article of The Book-lovers Magazine for August, "The Promise of Civic Beauty," Andrew Wright Crawford—secretary of the City Parks Association of Philadelphia—discusses with expert knowledge and sympathetic enthusiasm the outer-park systems of America and the beautifying of city and village, using numerous superb illustrations.

Fell from Cherry Tree.

Miss Ivy Taylor, while picking cherries at the home of William Whitmer, in Buffalo Run, fell from the tree and sustained injuries which at first were thought fatal, but at this writing she is getting along so well that it is thought she will be able to return to her home at John Felding's, near Linden Hall, very soon.

Bitten by a Dog.

Photographer W. W. Smith, of State College, while walking down Penn Street, in Millheim, Saturday evening, was bitten in the calf of the leg by a dog owned by Samuel Wilson. The laceration was of a serious and painful nature, and obliged Mr. Smith to seek professional attention.

The Millheim correspondent who reported this bit of news, very sensibly advocates that dogs permitted to run at large should be muzzled.

A Wall from Howard.

This week's actions beats the band, we mean the actions of some of the people in South Howard. The first act was the stealing of Mrs. Knoll's chickens, the next is a man getting a blacked eye, a crowd going into the John Thompson house and playing cards, drinking beer and we suppose having debates, at least it is said that the milk from John Reber's cow went that direction. Well, the cherry tree act and the happenings near the hose house is enough to drive anybody bald, and the closing act is that of a young woman knocking a preacher down on the street.

Millheim.

Miss Eva Miller is visiting at the home of John Stuart, at State College, this week.

Mrs. Jacob Kerstetter, of Coburn, accompanied by her little children, spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Geary, of this place.

Work on the new reservoir and ditching has begun in earnest and as a result Hosterman & Stover are doing a rushing business in shovels and picks.

Mrs. Charles Bassler, of Freeburg, with her interesting son Glenn, arrived Saturday for a few weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Spigelmyer.

On Sunday morning H. R. Kister, who represents the music business of M. C. Gephart, of Bellefonte, in company with Miss Maude Reid, of the same place, drove down to this place to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Kister, on Penn Street. They returned Monday morning.

Rev. J. A. Bright, of Topeka, Kansas, who came east to pay his last respects to his aged mother, Mrs. Susan Bright, who was buried in Aaronsburg last week, addressed the Luther League Sunday evening, and also preached a very interesting sermon in the Reformed church the same evening. Rev. Bright is a very pleasant and fluent speaker, and has no trouble to hold an audience in a discourse of that kind.

Quite an interesting law suit came up before Squire Musser last Friday, when five or six parties from Brush Valley were given a hearing for illegal fishing. The defendants called in Attorney Ralph Hingsworth, who happened to be in town, and he put up an able defence for the accused. After the witnesses were heard it was found there was not enough evidence to convict the defendants and the suit was decided against the fish warden, and he had to go away empty-handed.

Aaronsburg.

Mrs. Howard Homan, of Altoona, is visiting friends in town.

Mr. Roush and family spent Sunday with friends at Penn Hall.

Col. J. P. Coburn and wife and Coburn Rogers, of Bellefonte, spent Sunday in town.

Prof. Edgar Stover and family spent Sunday with Mrs. Stover's parents at Woodward.

Mrs. James Rupp, of Dakota, has come to pay her parents and other relatives a visit.

Mrs. Sara Leltz-ll has returned from a few months' stay with her daughter, Mrs. Lane, at Tyrone.

Miss Lile Acker, of State College, is spending a few weeks with her parents on North 2nd Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Isenbuth, of State College, and Cornelius Musser spent Sunday at the home of John Haines.

A. C. Mingle and family, of Bellefonte, spent a few days with Mr. Mingle's aged mother, at the residence of E. G. Mingle.

Clarence Musser and family spent Sunday at Smullton, with Mrs. Musser's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Haekenberg.

Herbert Charles, of Altoona, stopped off here for his little daughter and took her along to Hartleton, their former home, for a week's visit.

E. E. Ardrey and family, accompanied by his mother and Miss Sara Haffley, of Bellefonte, drove down on Sunday to visit their parents, returning again on Monday.

Aaron Bower and family, of Benovo, are visiting Mr. Bower's aged father, who is over eighty-seven years of age, and who is able to attend church services every Sabbath.

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