

MEETING OF CONFERENCE.

Sessions Open Monday—Twelve Ministers in Attendance.

The semi-annual meeting of the Northern Conference of the Central Pennsylvania Synod was held in St. Luke's Evangelical Lutheran church, Centre Hall, May 22-24.

The following lay delegates, representing the various parishes, were present: Benjamin Lambert, Rebersburg; Isaac Stover, Nittany; Wallace Igen, Sugar Valley; James L. Miller, Millinburg; J. D. Wagner, Centre Hall; George Dale, Boalsburg.

The opening sermon was preached Monday evening by Rev. W. H. Schoch from the text found in Lamentations 3:25.

Tuesday morning the session opened with a half hour devotional service, conducted by Rev. H. C. Bixler. One hour was devoted to organization, enrollment of delegates and business.

The regular program was opened at ten o'clock by an able discussion on the eighth article of the Augsburg Confession—"What the Church is," by Rev. C. L. McConnell.

Rev. McConnell set forth the divine origin of the church, the efficiency of the means of grace. Rev. C. T. Aikens followed with a practical and forceful discussion of the same subject.

Rev. J. W. Boal, D. D., and Rev. W. H. Schuyler, Ph. D., of the Presbyterian church, also Rev. D. Gress, of the Reformed church, were introduced and invited to a seat.

Dr. Boal was asked to speak on the second subject, and did so, to the great pleasure of conference.

The president announced the various committees and the morning session closed with prayer by Rev. Aikens.

Tuesday afternoon session opened with business of the conference, followed by a discussion of the subject, "Sin," under three heads—"What it is," by Rev. B. B. Uhl and Rev. F. Auran; "The Christian's attitude toward sin," by Rev. W. H. Schoch; "How to overcome sin," by Rev. H. C. Bixler.

These excellent papers provoked a general discussion which furnished much food for thought. The chief difficulty was the absence, as usual, of those to whom such a subject is especially applicable.

The afternoon session closed with prayer by Dr. Boal.

The sermon Tuesday evening was delivered by Rev. L. N. Fleck. Rev. C. L. McConnell and Rev. F. Auran assisted in the exercises.

Widow & Company Buy Property.

Erwin & Company, the Centre Hall lumber manufacturers, have purchased the Oliver Love home, near Colyer, containing about five-five acres. A part of the tract is timber land, which will be retained by the purchasers, and the remainder is offered for sale.

Head the Probable Man.

There is every indication that John B. Head, of Westmoreland county, will be the Democratic nominee for supreme court judge. Up to the hour of going to press no positive information has been received, but Head's nomination may reasonably be taken for granted.

Serious Accident.

Mrs. Samuel Klinefelter, of near Centre Hall, was seriously injured Sunday evening by being thrown from a spring wagon on her way home from services at Zion church, above Tusseyville. While in the neighborhood of McLellans, at Tussey sink school house, the horses took fright and began running, and the driver, Fred Klinefelter, lost control of them. At or near the turn, at the school house, the occupants were thrown from the wagon. Mrs. Klinefelter received a deep gash on her head and was otherwise injured. Miss Viola Barb was rendered unconscious, but was not seriously hurt. Miss Maude Klinefelter and the driver escaped injury.

The horses broke loose from the wagon, and in their mad flight one of them was killed.

Dr. George Lee, the attending physician reports Mrs. Klinefelter as getting along very well considering the seriousness of her injuries.

LOCALS.

The average girl gets mad if you try to kiss her; also if you don't.

Mrs. Barner, an aged lady residing at North Spring street in Bellefonte, while on a visit to her daughter at Jersey Shore, was found dead in bed at that place Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Nathaniel Brown, of Spring Mills, sent a lot of choice lettuce to this office that would be hard to match in any way. It is unusually large for so early in the season, and is as crisp as lettuce can be. It was raised from seed that has been in the Brown family for seventy-five years.

THAT OIL WELL.

Machinery in Place—Mr. Brown on Hand—Operations will be Commenced Within a Few Days.

W. H. Brown, the contractor is here and during the past few days has been busily engaged in erecting the machinery preparatory to beginning operations to sink a well on the farm of George H. Emerick, immediately east of Centre Hall.

The exact time for beginning this work can not now be positively stated, but it will be within one week. The engine, all the machinery, drills, etc., and a full complement of skilled drillers are on hand and only the slight details need attention before work begins in earnest.

The probabilities are that the drilling will be preceded by formal ceremonies, the time of which will be announced on a bulletin at this office.

LOCALS.

Dr. G. W. Hosterman went to Lancaster for several days this week.

Rev. G. W. McInay will preach a memorial sermon at Spring Mills, Sunday evening.

The fellow who goes in the pursuit of pleasure can't expect his duty to catch up with him.

B. H. Arney enlarged the porch on his farm house, located immediately east of the borough line.

P. R. Auman is repainting the interior of the Masonic Hall, in this place. The hall will be otherwise improved.

James Conley, of Freeport, Illinois, recently made several trips to the south and west in the interest of the Chicago Dredging Company.

George M. Harter, the veteran miller of the famous Red Mill, and his grandson, George W. Harter, were callers at this office Tuesday afternoon.

The Board of Trustees of Pennsylvania State College voted to support a series of experiments in beekeeping, to be undertaken by Prof. H. A. Surface, State Economic Zoologist, on the college campus.

During a storm last week the Lutheran church at Boalsburg was struck by lightning. The roof was partly torn off and many of the windows broken. The edifice was otherwise damaged.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Meyer and D. A. Boozler, of this place, were among those who on Tuesday attended the fifty-second convocation of the Grand Commandery of Pennsylvania, K. T., in Williamsport.

Mrs. W. A. Woodward, widow of the late John V. Woodward, and another of Hon. John A. Woodward, of Howard, died at Williamsport Friday of last week, aged eighty-nine years. Six children survive.

W. B. Mingle, Esq., and J. H. Weber, of this place, Tuesday afternoon went to Harrisburg to attend the Democratic State Convention. The former is one of the delegates representing Centre county in that body.

William Homan, one of the first farmers in this section to complete planting corn, was obliged to replant almost the whole of the crop, owing to ravages of cut worms. Farmers generally are complaining of the mischief this pest is doing this season.

Howard Baskerville, a student at Princeton, is acting as supply for the members of Plainview Presbyterian church, near Elm Springs, North Dakota. Mr. Baskerville is well known in Centre Hall, where he spent several years of his life when a boy. He is a son of Rev. H. C. Baskerville.

Rev. David J. Davis, pastor of Leamont charge of the United Brethren church, and Miss Anna Behers, of Houseville, were united in marriage by the Rev. Davidson at the United Brethren parsonage, Bellefonte, Monday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Davis have gone to Ohio to spend their honeymoon.

Robert Zeigler and son, Carl, of Reedsville, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Slack for several days this week. Mr. Zeigler, some weeks ago, had the misfortune to have his hand badly injured at the planing mill of Joseph Kelley, and while the wound is healing nicely, he has not been able to do any work since the accident. Mr. Zeigler is a cousin of Mr. Slack's.

The June number of Everybody's brings to us the crucial instalment of "Frenzied Finance." Mr. Lawson's intimate recital of the First Great Crime of Amalgamated. The happenings of that now famous midnight session at the National City Bank on May 4, 1899, when Henry H. Rogers and James Stillman introduced an infamous bogus subscription and defrauded and robbed thousands, are clearly and dramatically told.

George Breon, one of the young men who began farming this spring, is proud over the fact that he can manage a team in such a way as to get the benefit of their full hauling strength. This was demonstrated Monday, when with a team of two horses he hauled a boiler weighing 70,000 lbs., from the railroad station to the oil derrick, east of town. "Old Dick," well known on the street, is past twenty-three years, and the attention he attracted seemed to make him a horse of six.

DEMOCRATIC PRIMARIES

Saturday, June 3—Convention Tuesday, June 6.

The Democratic voters of Centre county will meet at the regular places for holding the general elections, in their respective election districts, on Saturday, June 3rd, 1905, to elect delegates to the County Convention. Under the rules of the party, the officers for holding the primaries will consist of the committeeman and two assistants in each district, and the election will be opened at 3 o'clock p. m. and close at 7 o'clock p. m.

Table listing names of delegates and their districts, including Harris, Howland, Houston, Liberty, etc.

The delegates chosen at the above stated time will meet in the Court House in Bellefonte, Tuesday, June 6th, 1905, at 12 o'clock noon, and nominate candidates for the various county offices, also a county chairman.

The following named persons have duly registered and are eligible to be voted for at the primaries: Sheriff—Ellis S. Shaffer, Miles; Treasurer—Dr. Frank K. White, Phillipsburg; J. D. Miller, Walker; Recorder—John C. Rowe, Phillipsburg; Register—D. Wagner Gelas, Bellefonte; Harry S. Jackson, Bellefonte; Commissioner—W. H. Fry, Ferguson; Joseph L. Neff, Boggs; John L. Dunlap, Spring; C. A. Weaver, Penn.; James J. Gramley, Miles; D. A. Grove, College; Auditor—James W. Swabb, Harris; S. H. Hoy, Besser; John W. Beck, Howard; H. S. TAYLOR, Chairman.

Wise is he who knows which half to believe.

Pittsburghers have become agitated—mad—because Senator P. C. Knox has decided to live elsewhere than in the Smoky City. He will live in Washington and Valley Forge.

Women as Well as Men Are Made Miserable by Kidney Trouble.

Kidney trouble preys upon the mind, discourages and lessens ambition; beauty, vigor and cheerfulness soon disappear when the kidneys are out of order or diseased. Kidney trouble has become so prevalent that it is not uncommon for a child to be born afflicted with weak kidneys. If the child urinates too often, if when the child reaches an age when it should be able to control the passage, it is yet afflicted with bed-wetting, depend upon it, the cause of the difficulty is kidney trouble, and the first step should be towards the treatment of these important organs. This unpleasant trouble is due to a diseased condition of the kidneys and bladder and not to a habit as most people suppose.

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DEATHS.

J. W. POTTER.

From the Ogle County Review-Herald. James W. Potter was born at Boalsburg, Pa., August 24, 1830 and died at his late home in Forrester, Ogle county, Illinois, aged seventy-four years, eight months and six days. He grew to young manhood in his native state, coming west after he was married. He was united in marriage to Miss Mary L. Ingram November 8, 1855. To this union one son, Samuel, and one daughter, Luella, were born. Both died when still quite young.

Mr. Potter was a faithful son of his country and served two years in the Civil war, being a member of the 14th Pennsylvania regiment, Co. F. It was during the time when he was a soldier that he contracted dyspepsia from which he suffered at frequent intervals until his death.

Mr. Potter was a resident of Forrester for a number of years. He was engaged as a builder and contractor by trade and held the responsible position of police magistrate for a number of years. He was re-elected to that office several weeks prior to his death. He was a member of the Methodist church for many years and on Easter Sunday this year, united with the Lutheran church by letter. Besides his wife, who has the sympathy of the entire community in this time of sorrow, he leaves to mourn his death one brother and one sister—William F. Potter, Pleasant Gap, Pa.; Mrs. Sarah E. McBride, Hobert, Oklahoma.

MRS. GRANT DUNKLEBARGER.

The death of Mrs. Grant Dunklebarger occurred Sunday morning at her home at Pleasant Gap. She had never fully recovered from illness due to confinement. Interment was made in the Lutheran cemetery Tuesday.

Mrs. Dunklebarger was the daughter of John Griffith, of Pleasant Gap, and is survived by her husband and ten children all at home.

JOHN ROTE.

At the advanced age of about eighty years, the death of John Rote occurred at the home of his grandson John Vonada, at Coburn, Saturday. Interment was made at Aronsburg Tuesday. He is survived by five children—Simon, William, Mrs. Andrew Vonada and Mrs. Adam Stover, all of Coburn; and Luther, of Lamar.

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DR. MOFFAT ELECTED MODERATOR.

A Pennsylvanian at the Head of Presbyterian General Assembly.

The meeting of Presbyterian General Assembly at Winona Lake, Indiana, was begun by a sermon by the retiring moderator, Dr. Henry, on "Son, go work today in my vineyard."

Dr. James D. Moffat, president of Washington & Jefferson College, Washington, Pa., was by acclamation unanimously chosen moderator. Justice Harlan, of the U. S. Supreme Court, was appointed vice-moderator.

The report of the Sabbath observance committee showed that railroad men and labor unions are interested in preserving a day of rest. Justice Harlan made it very clear that it was the duty of State Legislatures to sustain Christian sentiment and preserve the Christian Sabbath. He intimated very plainly that the Supreme Court would stand for such legislation.

Justice Harlan pleaded for the Sabbath as the poor man's day of rest, and deplored the tendency to imitate foreign custom, and make the Sabbath the great day for receptions and dinners. He declared that railroads and rich persons had no right to rob the laboring classes of their appointed day of rest.

The Evangelistic committee, under whose auspices several of the larger cities have had great revivals, was unanimously continued. Thus the Assembly showed its great desire to arouse the whole church to greater interest and zeal for the conversion of men.

Dr. Agnes, secretary of the Board of Ministerial Relief, made an earnest plea for more generous support of aged and disabled ministers and their dependent families.

On Sunday Dr. Moffat preached on John Knox, the 21st of May being observed pretty generally by Presbyterians as the 400th anniversary of the birth of the reformer. The Moderator took occasion to express the hope that his church and the United Presbyterians might be able to unite before a great while.

Without a speech and without a dissenting vote the Assembly took the next step towards consummating the union with the Cumberland church and appointed a committee of twenty-one to arrange details. This was on Monday. The session will probably continue during the week.

May 20 was Independence day on the island of Cuba. The third anniversary of the establishment of the Republic was celebrated with general demonstrations of patriotic rejoicing in all parts of the island.

HOURS FOR DECORATING.

Memorial Day will be Observed at the Several Points in Penna Valley.

Memorial services will be held at the various points in Penna Valley. The hours at which the departed soldiers will be honored and the speakers are noted below:

Centre Hall—6 p. m.; speaker, Rev. J. R. Sechrist.

Union Cemetery, Farmers Mills—9:30 a. m.; speaker, Rev. M. J. Snyder.

Georga Valley, Cross Church—2 p. m.; speaker, Rev. Henney.

Spring Mills—5:30 p. m.; speaker, Rev. G. W. McInay.

Madisonburg—9 a. m. Rebersburg—2 p. m.

Aronsburg—10 a. m.; speaker, Sheriff H. S. Taylor.

Millheim—2 p. m.; speaker, Rev. B. Illingsworth.

Potters Mills—2:30; speaker, Prof. S. Ward Gramley. A detail of veterans will decorate at Tusseyville, Zion and Centre Hill.

Houersville—10:30 a. m.; speaker, Rev. J. I. Stonecypher.

Branch—2:30 p. m.; speaker, Rev. David Davis.

Pine Hall—5:30 p. m.; speaker, Clement Dale.

Pine Grove Mills—6 p. m.; speaker, Rev. R. M. Campbell.

Boalsburg—6 p. m.; Capt. Hugh S. Taylor. Details will decorate at Meek's cemetery and Gatesburg.

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