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CENTRE HALL, . . . PENN'A.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 3, 1911.

CHURCH APPOINTMENTS.

Presbyterian—No Service.
United Evangelical—Lemont, morning; Linden Hall, afternoon.
Lutheran—Centre Hall, morning, Harvest Home service; Spring Mills, afternoon, Harvest Home service; Tusserville, evening.
Reformed—Tusserville, Saturday evening; Spring Mills, Sunday morning; Union, afternoon; Centre Hall, evening. Services will be conducted by Rev. D. J. Wolfe, Tanneytown, Maryland. A ballot will be taken after each service.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are authorized to announce that D. A. Grove of College township, is a candidate for the office of County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democratic primaries, September 30th.

We are authorized to announce that William H. Fry of Ferguson township, is a candidate for the office of County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election to be held Saturday, September 30th.

LOCALS

The youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cumings, west of Old Fort, was taken ill Monday afternoon.

Mrs. G. W. Ocker, of Lewisburg, came to Centre Hall last week to attend the funeral of Mrs. G. W. Hosterman, and remained for a few days.

The announcement of D. A. Grove, candidate for county commissioner, appears in this issue. Mr. Grove, beginning of this week, made a tour through Penns Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Carson, of Spring Mills, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wion, of near Bellefonte, were at the Wion home in Centre Hall on Monday, having come here to visit Father Daniel Wion, who is seriously ill.

Capt. W. H. Fry, of Pine Grove Mills, this week announces himself a candidate for the office of county commissioner. The Captain has had aspirations since the beginning of the announcement season, but just now is making official mention of his candidacy.

The members of the Centre Hall Methodist Episcopal Sunday-school will hold their annual picnic at Grange Park on Saturday. As in former years, a most cordial invitation is extended to any who may desire to come with their baskets and enjoy the day.

Misses Helen Bartholomew, of Centre Hall, and Orpha Gramley, of Spring Mills, just returned from a trip to Harrisburg and Philadelphia. From the latter place the former went to Trenton and the latter to Pleasantville, N. J. At Gettysburg the ladies met, and after viewing the battle field, closed their vacation trip.

W. O. Reaick, general manager of the Dana Lumber Co., at Lombard, Kentucky, reports everything moving along nicely at the present time, the plant being in operation. The company has over 2500 acres of timber land, all original timber. A number of business men in this locality are interested in this company, and the Reporter hopes for their success.

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One of the citizens of Spring Mills both the village and Gregg township is proud of A. N. Finkle, the lumberman. Mr. Finkle may also be termed a transformer, having made a neglected homestead at the lower end of Georges Valley an ideal country home. He later came into possession of the Duck farm, along Sinking Creek, and this too is showing the handmarks of Mr. Finkle's idea of what a farm and its buildings should look like.

The Lock Haven State Normal School is one of the most attractively located and best equipped Normal Schools in the state. Lock Haven is a beautiful little city on the west branch of the Susquehanna and is easily accessible from every part of Pennsylvania. The school has fine laboratories, a strong and well organized library, a fine training school, and its patronage extends all over the state. The expenses are moderate. It will pay prospective students to write for its handsome catalog.

A serious blasting accident happened at the White Rock Lime Quarries recently. William Keene, of Pleasant Gap, who is employed by the White Rock Lime Company thought he was away far enough from the blast when he stood at a distance of about 150 or 200 yards. When the blast went off a small stone struck him on the forehead, fracturing both the outer and inner casing of his skull. A portion of the brain tissue oozed out of the hole, but after careful medical attention at the Bellefonte hospital it was seen that there was still a good chance for recovery.

Dr. Sparks and State.

Pennsylvania State College is to be heartily congratulated on the decision of Dr. Edwin E. Sparks to remain as president of the institution, declining an offer of a larger salary from Iowa State College.

During the three years that Dr. Sparks has been at the head of State College it has made an unprecedented advance in usefulness and prestige. Its work in every direction has been enlarged and extended and the enrollment of students has increased about 50 per cent.

Under his inspiring leadership the college in all its departments has forged rapidly to the front among institutions of its character in the country, and it has gained wonderfully in popular appreciation. This is especially true of the School of Agriculture whose extension work has touched every part of the state, the School of Engineering and the School of Mines. In deciding to remain in the position which he has filled with such distinction, Dr. Sparks has acted wisely. There is a great future for the college and for him.

Centre County Reunion.

Several hundred former residents of Centre county gathered at Lakemont Park, near Altoona, on Saturday and held their first annual reunion. It was an old fashioned basket picnic and the day was spent in renewing old acquaintances, and making new ones among the people hailing from Centre. There were to have been several prominent speakers at the outing on Saturday, but the committee was unavoidably disappointed. The picnic was worked up by Photographer George F. Smith, a former Centre countian, assisted by A. W. Garman and A. L. Bayard, both of Tyrone. A meeting of the former residents of the county will be held some time in the future for the purpose of effecting a permanent organization.

Broken Wheel Damaged 800 Rails.

A peculiar accident on the Bald Eagle branch of the Pennsylvania railroad last Saturday caused a gang of 150 trackmen to fracture the Sabbath replacing the rails on one side of the track between the stations of Martha to Julian. As a freight train was passing a wheel on one of the cars was broken, and at every revolution the sharp edge of the break would strike the rails, nicking, bending and otherwise destroying it. The break and consequent damage were not discovered until the train pulled into the station at Julian. The trackmen found it necessary to replace 800 rails.

Harris township.

Ex-Governor, James A. Beaver spent Friday at Boalsburg.

H. S. Harro and family visited with relatives at Harrisburg.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stamm and daughter Caroline visited in Altoona.

Miss Mary Grove, of Centre Hall, spent Thursday of last week at Boalsburg.

Mrs. Charles Segner spent a few days in Bellefonte at the home of H. Y. Stitzer.

Dr. Grant Keller and son Daniel, of Warren, Illinois, are visiting relatives in Centre county.

Mrs. Mary Meek and son Earl, of Altoona, are spending this week with relatives at Boalsburg.

A. H. Hosterman and son attended the funeral of Mrs. G. W. Hosterman at Centre Hall, on Friday.

Miss Ruth Kuhn, of Williamsport, is visiting at the home of her grandfather Alexander Kuhn.

George Condo, of Jeanette, and Miss Mary Durt, of Centre Hall, spent Friday evening at Boalsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Kuhn with their child, of Rock View, spent Sunday at the J. W. Miller home.

A number of the little folks had a delightful time in the Mothersbaugh meadow on Monday afternoon.

Don't forget the bazar and festival in the Boal hall on Saturday evening for the benefit of the Lutheran church.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Weber and Mrs. Gertrude Weber and daughter Mary, of Centre Hall, spent Sunday at Boalsburg.

Mrs. Harry Shirk and Mrs. Clement Luse, of Centre Hall, enjoyed a drive to Boalsburg and State College, Wednesday of last week.

Georges Valley.

Mrs. Carolina Confer, of Renovo, is visiting friends in this place.

W. T. Lingle dined with Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Lingle on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lingle spent Sunday at the home of Jacob Bolt at Spring Mills.

J. T. H. Foust and E. D. Foust are doing carpenter work for F. W. Zettle in the way of building a new wagon shed.

E. W. Zettle on Monday left for Alliance, Ohio, where he will visit his sister. He is making the trip on his bicycle.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Lingle and three little daughters, Marion, Gladys and Grace, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ell Smith, below Penn Hall.

Those who visited at the home of John Lingle on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Auman, of Potters Mills, and Mrs. Samuel Lingle and children, of east Decker Valley.

Rev. A. E. Gobble, of Meyerstown, spent a few days at the home of his brother, J. W. Gobble. Rev. Gobble is a welcome visitor to this valley. The address he made to the Sunday School in the afternoon, and the talk he gave in the K. L. C. E. society Sunday evening were appreciated by all present.

John Rishel, the merchant, is ill.

Rev. W. H. Warburton, of Salladaburg, was in town Monday night.

Mrs. Lester Bowes and children, of Howard, are visiting relatives in this place.

J. Best Krape, of Bellefonte, is spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. G. C. King.

Miss Mary Shlegal will enter the Lock Haven hospital and prepare to become a trained nurse.

The members of the Lady Temple installed officers Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Thomas Hazel, of Bellefonte, was the installing officer.

Misses Kidder and Walker, of Pittsburg, and Mr. Gramley, of Rebersburg, visited at the home of John Meyer on Monday.

Miss Elsie Weaver, of Philadelphia, is visiting friends and relatives here.

Mrs. Corman and daughter spent a few days with Misses Alice and Lavina Neese.

The Tibbens family reunion held at Sand Spring on Saturday was a very pleasant affair. The family was represented by a large number of relatives.

Camp Meeting.

The fifth annual camp or "bush" meeting will be held in Moyer's grove, between Colyer and Potters Mills, Saturday night and Sunday, August 19th and 20th. The services will be in charge of the Rev. T. A. Elliott, with assistants. Everybody welcome.

DWELLING HOUSE FOR SALE—The undersigned offers for sale the dwelling house adjoining the Penns Valley Banking Company property, on Church street, the property known as Spitzer home. The house is in good repair, large and commodious, and well located. For further particulars apply to W. E. MINGLE, Centre Hall, Pa.

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