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**CENTRE HALL, . . . PENN'A**

THURSDAY, MAY 16, 1912

**CHURCH APPOINTMENTS.**

Reformed—No service.  
Lutheran—No service.  
Presbyterian—Spring Mills, morning; communion; Centre Hall, afternoon.  
Methodist—Sprucecreek, morning; Centre Hall, afternoon; Spring Mills, evening.  
United Evangelical—Tusseyville, morning; Egg Hill, afternoon; Centre Hall, evening.

**LOCALS**

Mrs. B. F. Reish attended the funeral of Mrs. Anna Funk at Spring Mills, Saturday.

Rev. R. Raymond Jones will be the speaker at Centre Hall on Memorial day. The program will appear in the next issue of this paper.

The state is now demonstrating the best methods to combat the codling moth, and has selected the orchard of A. E. Bartgee, at Millheim, and Saturday 25th as the time, for the exhibition.

A handsome gold watch and chain was presented by Dr. D. J. Mitterling, of Madison, South Dakota, to his niece, Miss Laura Mitterling, one of the members of the graduating class of the Centre Hall High School. The gift is greatly appreciated.

Every baseball fan, whether rooter for big league team or member or partisan of minor league club, school or college, amateur or semi-professional team, should see The North American's annual baseball supplement, which appears next Sunday, May 19.

The Blair County Road Drivers Association will hold a meet on Saturday. A big feature is to be two flights by Brookins on an aeroplane, and on one of the flights an Altoona lady is to accompany him. There will also be horse racing, motor cycle racing, etc.

To-day (Thursday) Hon. Leonard Rhone is in Millersburg, Dauphin county, where he will perform the ceremonial work incident to the dedication of a Grange hall, and in the evening will address a public meeting in the hall. John McSharran will also be a speaker on this occasion.

R. C. Palmer, of Linden Hall, continues to buy wool, and is now paying 20 cents per pound, and one cent per pound more if it is delivered at his home. Monday and Thursday forenoons he is absent from home, and he requests that deliveries be made at any other time than the periods mentioned.

Rev. R. Raymond Jones, pastor of the Centre Hall Reformed church, before going to attend the West Susquehanna Classis at Selinsgrove, attended the sessions of the Womens Missionary Society of the Classis in Lewisburg. C. A. Krape, of Spring Mills, is the delegate elder who accompanied Rev. Jones to Classis.

Mrs. Reeder and daughter, Miss Elizabeth, wife and daughter of Prof. Jere Reeder, of Shamokin, are guests of Mrs. T. L. Moore for several days. Prof. Reeder is principal of the Garfield school in Shamokin while Miss Elizabeth is principal of the Springtown High School. A son, Robert, is a student at Penn. State College.

The question that held up the pen site for several months was because a lot of people in Pennsylvania did not know where Centre county is located. Everybody in the United States knew it was in Pennsylvania because Governor Curtin, Governor Beaver and Governor Hastings put the county on the map, but it took a decision from Attorney General Bell to locate it in Western Pennsylvania.

During a severe electric storm last week lightning struck the home of Samuel Lucas at the McCoy-Lincoln Iron Works, at Bellefonte, the bolt passing down the chimney and shooting across the floor badly injured both feet of Mr. Lucas' six year old daughter, Myrtle. One of her feet was split from heel to instep. The other foot was not so badly injured. The child was sent to the hospital.

The Luther League at Centre Hall observed Mothers Day with a special program. One of the features was a duet by Miriam Huyett and Carrie Mitterling, solos, duets and choruses by Misses Bertha Strohmeier, Lella Huyett, Freda Bailey, William Kerlin, Clayton Homan, Edward Bailey, Rev. Barry, pastor of the Lutheran church, followed with a sermon fitting to the occasion, that was well received.

Rev. F. W. Barry, on Monday morning, went to Hartleton to see his father Rev. D. R. P. Barry, who has been in delicate health for some months. On reaching there and consulting with the family physician it was decided that Mr. Barry might find relief if put under the care of a skilled surgeon, and with that aim in view he was taken to Philadelphia by hisson. On account of this change of program, Rev. Barry announces that there will be no services on the Centre Hall charge on Sunday.

The borough council has at last gotten information on the electric light and power question, and the information comes from widely separated points, and, by the way, not from representatives of the corporation seeking favors. The information the council now has is in entire accord with the points insisted on by this paper and every citizen in Centre Hall except a few councilmen and a few citizens whose attitude on this question is a mystery. Of course, now since the bubble is exploded, everybody knew—including the councilmen—that the ordinance Mr. Main hoped to force through the council was vicious in the extreme instead of that innocent instrument that could "do no harm." The latter phrase was rolled to death on the tongue of every advocate of the measure. From now until another phantom chase begins batteries will be turned on the Reporter with the hope of intimidating it. Oh, that bad, naughty Smith and his Reporter that always stand up firmly in the interests of the people and against every semblance of a job!

**Convention at Winfield.**

The Ministerial, Sunday School and K. L. of C. E. Convention of Centre District of the United Evangelical Church will meet at Winfield, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of next week. On the program are the names of Rev. S. A. Snyder, Rev. R. S. Daybert, Rev. J. H. Finklestein, Rev. J. W. Dice, Rev. J. F. Bingaman, Rev. M. J. Snyder, Rev. A. F. Weaver, Rev. John M. Price, all ministers in Centre county.

The delegates from the Centre Hall charge are: Centre Hall, Mrs. W. B. Fiedler; Egg Hill, W. H. Lucas; Tusseyville, James M. Swabb; Linden Hall, Mrs. R. G. McClellan; Lemont, G. R. Roan.

**K. of G. E. State Convention.**

By attending services in the Trinity Lutheran church at Hazleton, on Sunday evening, the annual sessions of the state convention of the Knights of the Golden Eagle were opened and continued until today (Thursday.) Most of the delegates arrived in Hazleton on Monday and on Tuesday the parade was held.

The Centre Hall lodges were represented by John H. Knarr and Miss Grace Ripka; Spring Mills, by Mr. and Mrs. Windom Gramley, and Millheim by Charles Hackinger.

**Allison-Brown.**

Charles Allison and Miss Hermine Brown were married in New York on Saturday, and on the 25th will sail for Europe on the Olympic. The groom is a son of Hon. W. M. Allison, of Spring Mills, and for several years has been located in New York, where he is manager for the Shipley Construction and Supply Company.

**Auction at Meiss.**

The auction sale at Meiss' store, Colyer, set for last Saturday was postponed on account of bad weather, and will take place Saturday evening, May 18.

**To The Public.**

BELLEFONTE, May 13, 1912

In the last two editions of the Bellefonte Republican, an unfair, unwarranted and entirely un-called for criticism appeared concerning my disposition of the advertising of the unseated lands of Centre County, which I feel in justice to myself to correct.

By special act of the Pennsylvania Legislature enacted many years ago, the treasurer of this county is directed to advertise the sale in all the papers in the county, but allows him only one dollar per tract to perform this. The advertisement this year occupies a space five columns wide 101 nonpareil lines in depth—making in all 505 lines, and which, at the rate charged by the county papers, for legal advertising, i. e. 10 cents per line for the first insertion and 5 cents per line for every subsequent insertion, the six insertions would amount to \$175.50 for each paper; and there being eleven papers in the county, would aggregate a total of \$1,930.50. To pay this bill I am allowed only \$251.00, one dollar per tract; and as I did not feel it incumbent upon me to pay the balance of the \$1,930.50 out of pocket, I did just exactly as my predecessors in office did, and that is, gave it the widest circulation possible for which I do not deem myself guilty of wrong-doing; hence this explanation.

Respectfully,  
JOHN D. MILLER,  
County Treasurer.

**LOCALS.**

James B. Spangler, one of Potter township's representative citizens, was a caller at this office on Tuesday.

Mrs. Anna Shuff, of Altoona, visited Mr. and Mrs. John C. Roseman, and Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Dinges, in Centre Hall.

John E. and William F. Rishel advertise letters of administration on the estate of their father, M. L. Rishel, late of Gregg township, deceased.

Miss Anna Stover was in Centre Hall for several days, but beginning of this week returned to Altoona, she just completed teaching a term of public school in Blair county.

Sidney Grieb, of State College, brother of Miss Ethel Grieb who teaching the term just closed taught the Grammar grade of the Centre Hall schools, visited her Tuesday and Wednesday.

Dr. W. H. Schuyler, on Sunday morning, at his appointment at Centre Hall, preached a sermon especially adapted to the day—Mother's day. The children in the congregation were all given flowers.

Monday snow flakes were flying entirely too thick for a May day. A snow storm flitted along the side of the Seven Mountains like in latter November. At night mercury fell to thirty-eight, but that was on the safe side of the frost line.

Poor appetite is a sure sign of impaired digestion. A few doses of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets will strengthen your digestion and improve your appetite. Thousands have been benefited by taking these tablets. For sale by all dealers.

Former Commissioner Daniel Heckman, while working in the garden at his home in Bellefonte, Wednesday morning of last week, was stricken with paralysis, his entire right side was affected. His condition continues very serious, and there is little prospect of his recovery.

A valuable draft horse belonging to George W. Potter, near Old Fort, had to be killed a few days ago to put it out of misery. Mr. Potter was working on the Earlstown road with his team, and at noon put his horse into Daniel Bohn's stable, placing both in one stall as was often done heretofore. The result was one of them kicked, breaking the leg of the other.

It is dangerous to plant imported potatoes. First, the crop will not mature for a number of seasons owing to the wide difference of soil and climate, and second, on account of spreading several dangerous diseases potatoes are subject to in many of the foreign countries which diseases are not known in the states. The state agricultural department has sent out a warning against planting imported tubers through the division of zoology.

**HARRIS TOWNSHIP.**

George E. Meyer spent part of last week at the Mountain city.

Misses Marjory and Rachel Rothrock spent Saturday at Port Matilda.

Mrs. Emeline Hess, of Bellefonte, is spending some time with relatives in this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hoyt attended the funeral of John Hutz at Waddie last Thursday.

Rev. S. C. Stover is attending the meeting of class at Selinsgrove. No regular service will be held in the reformed church until Sunday June 2nd at 10:15 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Young, Mrs. Mary Brouse, Mrs. Emma Brouse and Mrs. Sarah Glingerich attended the funeral of Mrs. Katharine Corl, at Pine Hall on Friday forenoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Milt Johnson and Mrs. C. C. Shuey, of Bellefonte, were guests at the home of Alfred Johnson-baugh on Sunday and attended the Sunday-school Rally to the evening.

Mrs. Benjamin Heffly and daughter Mrs. Daniel Roan, with her little children Lewis and Edna, of Anronsburg, were visitors at the home of N. W. Meyer from Saturday till Monday.

The Sunday-school rally in the Lutheran and Presbyterian churches was well attended. The churches were beautifully decorated with lilacs. Interesting addresses on Sunday-school work were delivered by J. L. Holmes, of State College, in the forenoon; County Superintendent C. L. Gramley, of Rebersburg, in the afternoon; and C. C. Shuey, of Bellefonte, in the evening. Rev. J. I. Stonecypher and Rev. S. C. Stover also gave some excellent advice.

In this issue is a signed article by John D. Miller, Centre county's efficient treasurer, replying to the unwarranted attack made upon him by the Bellefonte Republican. Mr. Miller makes such a clear statement of the case that no comment is necessary, except to say that the Republican in its assault upon Mr. Miller is repeating its foolish methods followed during the campaign previous to the November (1911) election, when every Democratic candidate was referred to as an inebriate, traitor, or thug,—but the people thought different then and now are contented with their verdict.

**Reporter Register.**

Sidney Grieb, State College  
J. E. Bitter and Robert Glasgow, Potters Mills  
M. C. Dippery, Centre Hill  
F. A. McClintic, Linden Hall  
Edna Johnson and Lizzie Corl, Rebersburg  
Mrs. J. M. Roan, Spring Mills  
Mrs. W. F. Rishel, Spring Mills  
Anna M. and Charlotte Stover, Altoona  
John E. Rishel, Tusseyville  
W. F. Rishel and son Robert, Spring Mills  
A. C. Grieb, Centre Hill  
Elizabeth Reeder, Shamokin  
J. B. Spangler, Tusseyville

Ellis Heckman, of Illinois, is in the east, having come here to visit his brother former Commissioner Daniel Heckman, of Bellefonte, who is seriously ill.

**PRODUCE AT STORES.**

Lard..... 19 Butter..... 25  
Potatoes..... 1.00 Eggs..... 14

**GRAIN MARKET.**

Wheat..... 70  
Barley..... 70 Oats..... 65  
Corn..... 55

WANTED—A good, live, wide-awake salesman and collector. SINGER SEWING MACHINE COMPANY, Centre Hall, Pa. 2014.

W. RAY—Came to the premises of the unseated lands in Potter township, on or about May 3, 1912, a lamb several weeks old. The owner is requested to prove property, pay cost of keeping and advices, and remove same other wise it will be disposed of as the law directs.  
J. CLOYD BROOKS,  
Centre Hall, Pa.  
p.d. 22.

DWELLING HOUSE FOR SALE—The unseated lands for sale the dwelling house adjoining the Penna 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. R. MINOLE,  
Centre Hall, Pa.  
Jun. 22-12.

LEGAL NOTICE—NOTICE is hereby given to all persons interested that the following inventories of the goods and chattels set apart to widows under the provisions of the Act of April 14th, 1851, have been confirmed nisi by the Clerk of the Orphans' Court of Centre County, and if no exceptions be filed on or about the first day of the next term the same will be confirmed absolutely.  
1. The inventory and appraisement of personal property of John A. Swartz, late of Walker township, deceased, as the same was set apart to his widow, Amelia Swartz.  
2. The inventory and appraisement of the personal property of Samuel Wiser, late of Millheim borough, deceased, as the same was set apart to his widow, Clara J. Wiser.  
J. FRANK SMITH,  
Register.  
Register's Office,  
Bellefonte, Pa., April 23, 1912.

Now is the time to get rid of your rheumatism. You can do it by applying Chamberlain's Liniment and massaging the parts freely at each application. For sale by all dealers.

**Farm Machinery  
Gasoline Engines  
Fertilizers  
Binder Twine  
Repairs for Machinery**

The undersigned is prepared to furnish anything in the above lines, at most reasonable rates.  
Farm machinery includes a full line of hay tools, etc.

YOUR PATRONAGE IS SOLICITED.

**H. C. SHIRK**  
Centre Hall, Pa.

**We have our Spring and Summer Goods**

The farmers say the season is late, but all people say there are plenty of good bargains at Long's. We have been to the Eastern Market, and our customers will derive the benefits of reductions on all lines—Clothing, Hats, Shoes, Dry Goods and Notions.

"More Goods for the Same Money at Long's"

**We will Save You 20 Per Cent. on CLOTHING for Men, Youths and Boys**

In the SHOE DEPARTMENT we have an excellent line for all



**Low Prices in Hardware**

- Horse Shoe Nails, - 8c lb.
- Wire Nails - - - 3c lb.
- Full Line Staple Hardware.
- American wire Fence, 8 wires high, - 25c per rod

Also other Fencing on hand. Ask us about prices.

**A CARLOAD OF CEMENT**

Phone or write us about price.

Make up a list of your Spring and Summer Goods.

Highest market prices paid for all kinds of produce.



**C. P. LONG COMPANY**

DEPARTMENT STORE

SPRING MILLS, PA.

**ODENKIRK'S STORE**

CENTRE HALL, PA.

We have now on hand a splendid line of general merchandise which we are offering at most reasonable prices.

Most of these goods are new, therefore the styles are correct, the patterns of latest date, and in the grocery line the packages clean, the contents fresh and pure.

If you have not been dealing with us, you are invited to call and make a trial purchase, or simply call to look over stock and get prices. Our line of goods is complete and we propose to keep every department fully stocked.

Some of the big lines are: Dress Goods and Dry Goods in general; Shoes for Men, Women, Misses and Children; Queensware, an unusually large assortment.

Store open from 6.30 a. m. to 9 p. m.

**W. A. ODENKIRK**