

Altoona District will send Representatives to State College Thursday and Friday, June 20th and 21st.

The twenty-first annual convention of the Altoona District, Central Pennsylvania Conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, will be held in the beautiful new church at State College on Thursday and Friday of next week. Two delegates from each of the seventy-three Senior Chapters in the district and one delegate from each of the forty-seven Junior Chapters are expected at this convention. Pastors are delegates ex-officio.

The program is complete and promises to be very helpful to all the delegates. Of special interest will be the evening sessions. Thursday evening the address will be made by the Reverend W. Arthur Noble, Missionary to Korea. On Friday evening the Reverend A. E. Piper, D. D., of Pittsburgh, will lecture on "David Livingstone, Knight of the New Chivalry." On Friday afternoon Bishop William Perry Eveland, recently elected Missionary Bishop for southeastern Asia, will address the convention. In addition to these many able ministers and laymen from within the district will have a place on the program.

LOCALS.

C. F. Herlacher, of Loganton, became seriously ill with lumbago and was taken to a hospital at Williamsport for treatment.

Loganton sent one of its youths—John E. Bower—to the Huntington Reformatory. He emptied a till in a millinery store, and committed other thefts.

Misses Helen Luse and Ruth Smith recently spent a few days in Bellefonte with Miss Mable Stover, and attended the High School exercises there.

N. E. Spangler, Esq., accompanied Sheriff A. B. Lee on a business trip to Livonia, Friday of last week. The Sheriff and his companion traveled in the former's Ford runabout.

Friday is Flag Day. It is the 135th anniversary of the birth of the Union's emblem of freedom. Unfurl the flags, boys, and do not hesitate to salute Old Glory when passing it.

The Howard borough school board elected these teachers: High school, Prof. F. M. Fletcher; Grammar, Miss Mary Johnston; of Blanchard; Intermediate, Miss Annie Fisher, Lock Haven; Primary, Miss Lulu Schenck, Howard.

Dr. George P. Singer was recently elected principal of the Central State Normal School, at Lock Haven. He was born in Concord, Franklin county, in 1873. He has had charge of the school since the death of Dr. Flickinger.

There was frost in various sections of Centre county on Saturday, Sunday, and Monday mornings. The temperature at Centre Hall was as low as thirty-five, three degrees above the freezing point. No damage to vegetation is reported.

Miss Laura Mitterling has been added to the Reporter force as a compositor. She just graduated from the Centre Hall High School, and was one of the best students in the class. In her work at the case she is correct, and shows evidence of speed.

The house and barn on the Jacob Sharer farm, on the Brush Valley road, built several years ago, are being painted by Magnus Duck, of Spring Mills. The house is of brick, and the barn large and commodious. The application of paint to the structures has added wonderfully to their appearance.

The Milk Condensing Company, at Millhall, have leased the Gross farm, at Flemington, from Magnus Cluston, and will stock it with thoroughbred Holstein cows to demonstrate what can be done in the production of milk and the advantages of patronizing the milk condensing plant.

Theodore F. Brown, of Milton, is one of the forces at the railroad station at present, taking the place of Milton Bradford who is off on a vacation. Mr. Brown was formerly from Spring Mills, but has been located at other points during the past few years. He is counted a good railroad man, and one who someday will hold down an important position.

The Pennsylvania Railroad company will carry you to Baltimore in time for the Democratic convention at the rate of one and one-half fare for the round trip. The convention meets on Tuesday, June 25th. Now if you can get the necessary credentials to let you "pass inside, gentlemen," you can figure out just how much to lay aside for the trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis P. Breon, of near Salona, came to Penna Valley to visit friends. They were at Spring Mills and Centre Hall, visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Fye at the latter place. From here they went to Smullton, where Mrs. Breon's parents were visited. They report conditions in Nittany Valley very favorable from the stand point of the farmer. Wheat and grass are very promising, and all crops looking well.

VISITORS DAY AT LOYSVILLE.

Treasurer Orphan Home a Model in Many Respects—Institution Supported by Lutheran Church.

One of the few charitable institutions in Pennsylvania that receives no state aid, and yet which is considered by many the most efficient church orphanage in the United States, the Treasurer Orphan Home at Loysville, observed its annual visitors day last week, and was inspected and praised by hundreds of friends and experts seeking the best methods in the care of orphans.

The Loysville school is under the administration of the General Synod of the Evangelical Lutheran Church, and it is a striking institution because, although it combines a school and a home, the institutional idea is lacking. It represents an investment of about \$250,000 in property, over \$10,000 is contributed annually by the churches, and the total cost of maintenance is about \$30,000. At the present time the school cares for 238 students, the majority of whom are from Pennsylvania, a number from Maryland, and several from New York, New Jersey, Ohio and two from Kansas. They are discharged when they reach the age of seventeen.

Students at Loysville receive the benefit of a regular school curriculum from the kindergarten to the first year in a high school, and in addition they are taught farming, dairying and trucking, while the girls receive practical instruction in sewing and general housekeeping. The industrial work consists solely of a modern printing department which turns out considerable commercial work, prints parish papers and publishes The Orphan Home Echo. Many of the graduates have entered the professions, several are in the ministry of the Lutheran church and one in the Methodist church; others are prominent physicians, several have reached high places in the law, one being the District Attorney of Somerset county, and a number of the girls have become teachers, stenographers and trained nurses.

Military regulation maintains discipline, and one of the features of the school is a band that has a national reputation. Its members have found berths in some of the leading musical organizations of the country.

The Loysville school was established in 1865, when the old Treasurer Academy was converted into a soldiers' orphanage, and was purchased in 1867 from the Treasurer heirs for \$5000. In 1891 the state withdrew soldiers' orphans and paid \$21,000 to the trustee as back pay for the care of the states charges. Since that time it has housed only church orphans, and has had as its superintendent Charles A. Weidle, who had previously been in the soldiers' orphan service at Uniontown.

In 1900 a children's memorial chapel was erected at a cost of \$7500, and the death of a little Tyrone girl was responsible for the gift. Before the child died she handed her mother a bank and asked her to send the money to the Loysville school. The bank contained less than a \$1 in pennies, but was the inspiration for the raising of funds by the Lutheran children of the state sufficient for the construction of the chapel.

LOCALS.

What's the use of complaining about it being cold, it's not Summer yet.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Tyson and daughter, of Zion, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Datrow, over Sunday.

W. P. Catherman, of near Millheim, lost a valuable brood mare. He had the animal hitched to a plow, and noticed nothing the matter with her until she fell over, and in a few minutes was dead. The mare had a colt about ten days old.

The Sugar Valley Journal makes this reference to the crop conditions in Sugar Valley: The grass and grain fields look very promising and if nothing unforeseen happens, the farmer can expect a good crop of hay and wheat.

The Green township, Clinton county, school board discarded the wood burning stoves in eleven of its school houses and will install coal stoves, and next winter the first coal will be burned in the rural school houses in Sugar Valley.

Robert McClellan, of Linden Hall, took his brothers Elmer and Harry to West Milton, on Sunday, in his touring car, and there they were joined by Rev. W. A. McClellan, and went on to Beaver Springs, where they visited relatives, returning Monday or Tuesday.

Harvey Keifer, of Flemington, made a good deal when he bought the New Florida farm, on the Summit between Salona and Loganton. He sold it at an advance of \$2000 to a New York party. The farm was formerly owned by J. H. Long, the Long who owns nearly a hundred farms in various sections in Nittany Valley.

In addition to the young ladies of Spring Mills who were mentioned as having joined the excursion to Washington, D. C., are these from Millheim and Coburn: Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Frank, Dr. and Mrs. G. S. Frank, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Bartges, Miss Lida Winkleblich, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Vonada, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Bartges, R. U. Wasson and L. W. Stover.

HISTORIC FIRST NIGHTS.

Red Letter Events in the Dramatic History of France.

Perhaps the most striking events in the artistic history of France have been the first performances of some of the great French plays. In a few cases also these occasions have marked the beginning of new epochs in the social history of the country, so close is the connection between the social development of the people and its expression on the stage. Unless I am mistaken, there have been but six unforgettable first nights since theaters were established in Paris.

The first occurred in 1637, when Corneille's "Cid" took the capital by storm. Forty years later Racine's "Andromache" created a similar sensation. On the eve of the revolution, in 1784, Beaumarchais' "Marriage of Figaro" was received with such delirious enthusiasm that three people were stifled in the rush for seats. In 1830 Victor Hugo, in spite of the determined opposition of a large body of reactionaries, set all Paris in an uproar with his "Hernani."

These names should be borne in mind: Corneille, Racine, Beaumarchais and Victor Hugo. Three of them at least have no superiors in the history of French literature. Each has one amazing dramatic triumph to his credit. The other two of the six great first nights were the 28th of December, 1807, and the 7th of February, 1910. The occasions were respectively the performances of "Cyrano de Bergerac" and "Chanteclair," both by Edmond Rostand. — Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

A Girl Who Was Tired.

In the American Magazine Edna Ferber has a story entitled "That Home Town Feeling." One of the principal characters in it is Mercedes Meron of the Morning Glory Burlesques company. Here is what Mercedes says about the alleged gay life that she leads:

"I'm dead sick of this. Who cares whether I live or die? It's just one darned round of grease paint and sky blue tights, and new boarding houses, and lumping over to the theater every night, going on, and lumping back to the room again. I want to wash up some supper dishes with egg on 'em, and set some yeast for bread, and pop a dishpan full of corn, and put a shawl over my head and run over to Millie Krause's to get her kimono sleeve pattern. I'm sour on this dirt and noise. I want to spend the rest of my life in a place so that when I die they'll put a column in the paper, with a verse at the top, and all the neighbors 'll come in and help bake up. Here—why, here I'd just be two lines on the want ad page, with 50 cents extra for 'Kewpskum paper please copy.'"

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of Fieri Facias issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Centre County, Pa., and to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale at the Court House in the borough of Bellefonte, Pa., on

SATURDAY, JUNE 29TH, 1912,

at 1:30 o'clock p. m., the following described real estate, viz:

All those several tracts of land situate in Miles township, in the County of Centre and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, viz:

First tract:—Beginning at a limestone corner on line of Thomas Stover (now Asenath DeLong), thence along same North four and three-fourth degrees East twenty and six-tenths perches to limestone, corner of Charles Schreckengast; thence along land of Charles Schreckengast South eight and three-fourth degrees East forty-four and three-tenth perches to limestone, corner of Florence A. Stover; thence along land same West eight and six-tenth perches to limestone; thence along same South four and one-half degrees West eight and six-tenth perches to maple; thence along same South seventy-eight degrees West eight and six-tenth perches to limestone; thence along same North four and one-fourth degrees East sixteen degrees and eight-tenth perches to limestone; containing three acres, twenty and seven-tenths perches, and twenty-five per centum allowance.

Second tract:—Beginning at limestone, corner of line of Thomas Stover (now Asenath DeLong), thence along same North four and three-fourth degrees East eighteen and five-tenth perches to limestone corner on land of John L. Wolfe; thence along same South eighty-two and three-fourth degrees East six and five-tenth perches to stone; thence along land of Thomas N. Stover South three and one-fourth degrees East sixteen and eight-tenth perches to limestone; thence along same North eighty-nine and three-fourth degrees East two and six-tenth perches to point in middle of Sugar Valley public road; thence south in said road three and three-fourth degrees East two and five-tenth perches to a point in said road, and thence along land of Florence A. Stover North eighty-five and one-fourth degrees West twenty and four-tenth perches to the place of beginning, containing one hundred and forty-five and two-tenth perches.

Third tract: Beginning at a point in middle of Sugar Valley road, thence North fourteen degrees West eleven and six-tenth perches to limestone; thence along land of Carrie L. Wolfe North seventy-three and one-fourth degrees East six and four-tenth perches to limestone; thence along land of Florence A. Stover South nine degrees West nine, and two-tenth perches to limestone; thence South thirty-seven and one-half degrees West three perches to limestone; thence along undivided land of Asenath DeLong and Florence A. Stover South sixty-eight and one-fourth degrees West two perches to limestone; and thence along same South eighty-seven and three-fourth degrees West thirteen and six-tenth perches to place of beginning, containing one acre and thirty-six and sixty-four hundredth perches and one hundred and eighty-two thousandth per centum allowance.

Thereon erected a dwelling house and other outbuildings, levied upon, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Emma J. Stover.

Terms of sale: No deed will be acknowledged until the purchase money is paid in full. ARTHUR B. LEE, Sheriff. Sheriff's Office, Bellefonte, Pa. June 2nd, 1912.

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at 1:30 o'clock p. m. the following described real estate, viz:

All that certain lot of land situate in Curtin township, County of Centre, and State of Pennsylvania, beginning at the North corner of William Miller's land; thence by the side of public road Easterly sixteen and three-tenths (16.3) perches to a pine stump; thence by a direct line to the South East corner of William Miller's land, aforesaid, and by the same to the place of beginning, containing one (1) acre, more or less. Thereon erected a two-story dwelling house, and other outbuildings.

Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Reuben A. Poorman. TERMS OF SALE: No deed will be acknowledged until purchase price is paid in full. ARTHUR B. LEE, Sheriff. Sheriff's Office, Bellefonte Pa. May 31st, 1912.

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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE—Letters testamentary on the estate of William Aman, late of Potter township, deceased.

Letters testamentary on the above estate having been duly granted to the undersigned, he would respectfully request any persons knowing themselves indebted to the estate to make immediate payment and those having claims against the same to present them duly authenticated for settlement.

W. B. MINGLE, Executor, Centre Hall, Pa. 0.29 p'd.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE—Letters testamentary on the estate of George Durst, late of Potter township, deceased.

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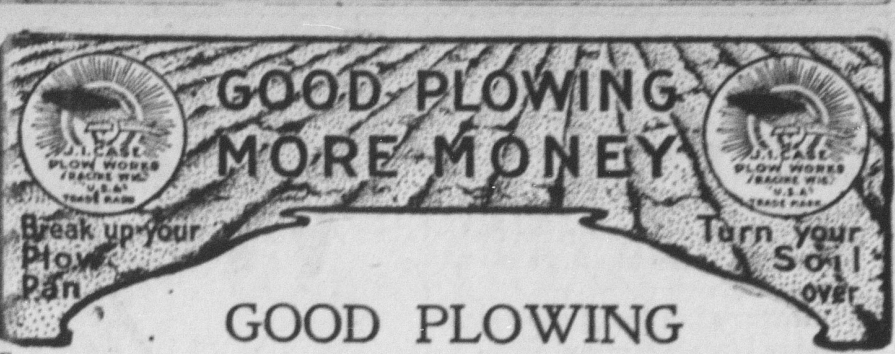
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