Thirty-five Years Ago.

November 2, 1882.-The Republicans of this county have nominated G. R. Spigelmeyer, merchant of Spring Mills, for assembly, in place of L. Rhone, who resigned.

John Foreman, farmer near this place, has lost ten hogs by the disease that seems to prevail in some locali-

While John Sankey was driving home from this place the other evening his horse scared and turned into the fence corner, upset the buggy and ran over Mr. Sankey, who received some painful bruises. The buggy was

The Democratic State ticket, published in this issue, carries at its head the name of Robert E. Pattison for farmers of the United States. governor. On the county ticket, Andrew G. Curtin is the nominee for congress, William A. Wallace for sen-

### Pine Grove Mills.

William Elder returned to his home

in Medins, Ohio, last week. Miss Belle Goheer, who has been confined to bed the past week, is now

C. H. Martz, one of the main standbys on the State highway at Birmingham, spent Sunday with his family

Fred Roush, a member of Troop L, who was left back on account of a broken arm, last week reported for duty at Camp Hancock, Georgia.

Mr. and Mre: Elmer Clark and his aged mother motored over from Waddle and visited Rock Spring relatives

Mrs. Henrietta Dale, of Boalsburg, visited relatives at the Branch on Sat.

Mr. and Mre. Samuel Everhart, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Houch were callers at the J. E. Reed home at Rock Springs,

John Stover, son of Rev. and Mrs. S. C. Stover, recently enlisted in the U. S. Navy hospital corpe, and is now in training at the Philadelphia navy

On Saturday evening of this week, D. D. G. M., E. S. Erb, will install newly elected officers of Penns Valley Lodge, I. O. O. F., here. The exercises will be followed by a luncheon.

Mr. and Mrs. James E. Peters motored to Houserville on Sunday where they spent the day at the Ailman home. Mrs. Ailman's health is much broken down.

Grandmother Mary From, while walking in the J. C. Bailey yard, fell injuring her hip, and is now confined to bed at that home.

Mrs. Blanche Louck figured in a headon collision with their cars, with bad results to both. mrs. John Keller. who was in the Louck car, was bruised about the head and for a time was un-

Rev. L. V. Barber will preach on the Reformation by Martin Luther, in the Presbyterian church, Sunday evening, October 21st.

Helen, seven-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lytle, of Eldorado, died on Friday night of diphtheria. The remains were brought to the Pine Hall cemetery for burial, on Saturday afternoon. The mother and one sister are also efflicted with the malady.

### Aaronsburg.

F. D. Stover, the mail man, bought a fine horse of Fred Rauchau.

Mr. and Mre. Arthur Rauchau spent Saturday at the W. A. Guisewite

George Weaver is assisting this brcther at Fiedler to pick apples.

Mr. and Mrs. Gues Miller, of Lebanon county, spent Sunday as guests of

Rev. and Mrs. W. D. Donat. Mr. and Mrs. Warren Winkleblech and two daughters spent Sunday at the Jacob Winkleblech home at

Robert Boob sold his farm to Warren Beaver, the blacksmith. Mr. Book expects to spend part of the win-

ter with his son Lewis in Akron, Ohio. Frank Detwiler, who had been at the home of his son, J. H. Detwiler, near Centre Hall, for some time, has returned home.

E.F. D. Stover, mention of whose selling his mail route to Al. Yearick was made lastweek, took it back and started to work on Friday. Mr. Yearick did not feel capable enough to run the car.

Merchant James Lenker sent his car down from Lemont so that his aged mother and sister might pay their fall visit to his home.

Mr. and Mre. Ralph Stover took Mrs. Amanda Haines and two daughters in the former's car, last Wednesday, to near Woodward where the day was spent with Miss Sara Wance who a few weeks ago sustained a fracture of the hip bone in a fall, necessitating her confinement to the invalid chair.

The grape reason is about three weeks behind the average date, but the reports from the northern grape district around Eric indicate a good

Centre Reporter at \$1.50 per year .

## HOOVER'S LATEST PLEA TO FARMERS: "HOGS, MORE HOGS AND STILL MORE HOGS"

Deficiency in Fats Now More Serious War Factor Than Bread Grain Situation-Tells Public Safety Men Pennsylvania Has the Best Organization in the Country.

To the assembled representatives of the county organizations of the Committee of Public Safety for the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in session at Philadelphia, Herbert C. Hoover, Federal Food Administrator was highly stated in hogs along a large personal food of the future for the nation, but it also becomes an immediate problem, and our immediate problem is acute.

Mr. Hoover's address came in the midst of a food supply conference, arranged by Howard Heinz, chairman of the Department of Food Supply. The attendance of Public Safety Committee chairmen, food supply representatives, and executive secretaries of the secretaries of the secondary of this country. sentatives, and executive secretaries numbered about 250 and came from practically every county in the state. Governor Brumbaugh, Lieutenant Governor McClain, Auditor General Snyder, George Wharton Pepper, E. T. Stotesbury, and many other men of prominence heard Mr. Hoover Join in the assertion that in point of organization and accomplishments Pennsylvania's Safety Committee had proved to be the most efficient in the United States.

A striking analysis of the food situ-

. A striking analysis of the food situation was presented by Mr. Heinz, who, in his capacity as Federal Food Administrator for Pennsylvania, has a prominent part in the shaping of national food programs.

Mr. Heinz pictured the world meat supply as being short 115,000,000 meat animals, with a shortage of 7,000,600 meat animals, with a shortage of 7,000,600 meat animals, with a shortage of 7,000,600 meat animals in this country alone. The wheat situation is just as bad, he declared. Exemption, he said, may apply to the physical side of the military problem, but there is no exemption for the food forces. Every one must help in insuring supplies for our own armies abroad and for our allies in the trenches.

Conservation and production are the problems to which Mr. Hoover gave special emphasis. He said:

"Early in the month of June, when I was asked to undertake this particular task, I and the men whom I assembled around me at the momen made a short survey of the situation by way of organization throughout the United States. We came early to the state of Pennsylvania in our wanderings, and after making a short study of the organization of the state we determined that if we could annex the Committee of Public Safety to the Food Administration we would have no further anxiety as to Pennsylvania and also that we had settled the question for ten per cent of the people of the United States.

"We were in no uncertain mind a to that because of the character of the organization and the way that it was completed. We were confident that it was sound, sane and would carry the massey and carry with the massey.

Saturday evening H. A. Elder and that it was sound, sane and would

carry the mesage and carry out the "Our first and most important prob lem is production. Production and conservation are both impelled by the same cause, by the same food short

### Europe's Diminishing Production.

"In addition to the maintenance of a normal supply, we have the very disastrous condition of continuously diminishing production. It is impossible to take forty million men from productive labor and devote them to war without cutting into the vita's of food production itself. That deficiency has been contributed to by stoppage of cereals and the diminution of animals, until on cereals alone this year's liself at the present time.

monwealth of Pennsylvania, in session at Philadelphia, Herbert C. Hoover, Federal Food Administrator, gave his latest and most important message to the people and more particularly the farmers of the United States.

"Hogs, more hogs, and still more "Hogs, more hogs, and still more is the people and more particularly the farmers of the United States.

"Hogs, more hogs, and still more is the people and more particularly the last year we have slaughtered in hogs alone a large percentage of the hog population. In other words, whereas we annually slaughter something like 60 per cent of our total hog inhabitants, this year we have slaughtered in hogs alone a large percentage of the hog population. In other words, whereas we annually slaughter something like 60 per cent of our total hog inhabitants, this year we have slaughtered in hogs alone a large percentage of the hog population. In other words, whereas we annually slaughter something like 60 per cent of our total hog inhabitants, this year we have slaughtered in hogs alone a large percentage of the hog population. In other words, whereas we annually slaughter something like 60 per cent of our total hog inhabitants, this year we have slaughtered in hogs alone a large percentage of the hog population. In other words, whereas we annually slaughter something like 60 per cent of our total hog inhabitants, this year we have slaughtered in hogs alone a large percentage of the hog population. In other words, whereas we annually slaughter something like 60 per cent of our total hog inhabitants, this year. 00, we can see that during the last welve months we have slaughtered

that we have ever-exported the capacity of this country.

"Today about 60 per cent of the normal arrival of hogs is reaching the markets in this country, and we are faced with a shortage in fats, and we are faced with that shortage at the very moment when we must be increasing our exports to our allies.

"We are facing a large feed crop this year—a crop, in fact, as we calculate—it, twenty-five per cent greater than the animals we have to eat it. We will, therefore, have a fairly low range of prices for food stuff, and we will with this situation, have a high range of prices in animals. Therefore, it must be in the immediate interest of the farmres of this country to raise hogs, more hogs, and still more hogs. hogs, more hogs, and still more hogs. More Hogs Needed For Years Ahead.

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"And it is not only an immediate interest, but it is an interest that will last, not only for the period of the war, but for many years to come, and the greatest help we can obtain from our farming population today, is to get a nuck response in animal products.

"I have believed that if we could go hrough the state of Pennsylvania ell the farmers of the state that this country should raise three more hogs as against one of last year, that is hree to one—if they will do that sort of work, it will be serving the country and be a benefit.

"The difference between democracy and autocracy is a question of whether people can be organized from the bottom or from the top down. If, in our defense, it becomes necessary to organize from the top down I trust we will do so. But the moment we have tone this, we will have undermined the individual, and our own people are educed to an autocracy. It is, therefort to carry this thing through on a volunteer basis."

### ALLIES CANNOT WIN WITHOUT OUR AID

3od.Given Opportunity Here, George Wharton Pepper Tells Safety Committee Men.

Addressing the county representaves at the opening of the Public Safety conference in Philadelp ia leorge Wharton Pepper, chal man of he state committee, made a stirring appeal for efficient effort in every dis-

of cereals and the diminution of animals, until on cereals alone this year's production falls below last year's by 525 million bushels. Therefore we have a load of over a billion and a quarter bushels of grain to preserve the normal food consumption of our allies.

"This is a load that is beyond our capacity, beyond the combined capacity of the United States and Canada. There is no way of meeting that situation except that after we have example of the committee of Public Safety is a quite unnecessary organization;

the normal food consumption of our alles.

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"It is physiologically possible to reduce the food consumption by forty per cent, but on the other hand, edgies in the trenches, men in times of yearce, and illinons of women put to physical labor, actually require more food stuff than in times of peace. The net result is that all privation by the reduction of consumption operates upon the most helpless class in the community-that is the old and the women and the children.

Farmers Should Right-About-Face.

"The problem of animals is one that becomes a problem of practical charter to us this very day in the Unit of that each out of that has arised and out of that has arised from the creation in their animal products. This is burning the candle at beth "It when the war is over we will have a call upon us or upon our farmers for enormously increased animal production.

"The prople will of necessity turn their agriculture from the production of fodder to the production of preading the candle and therefore more particularly for the production of bread, and mands she will have less demand for folder to the production of of odder to the production of bread grains.

"The people will of necessity turn their agriculture from the production of bread grains.

"The people will of necessity turn their agriculture from the projuction of fodder to the production of bread, and we, in the meantime, must be prepared to take a like turn; in other words, we have exported in the main bread grain, whereas the demand upon us after the war will be for animal products.

"Therefore, we must turn the face of our agriculture—we must turn the face of our farmer from the production of bread grains to the production."

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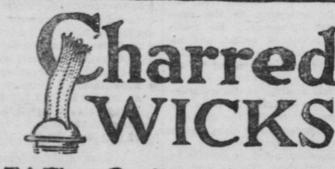
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