

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Mrs. George Heckman and little son made a business trip to Bellefonte on Saturday.

After a rather serious illness of a week or more, Mrs. T. L. Moore is very much improved at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Orvis Weaver and children, of near Salona, spent a few days in town among relatives the past week.

Mrs. William Reese, on Saturday, went to Avis to be with her husband over Sunday. Mr. Reese has been employed at that place for some time.

Those who have used it say it is the best they have found—we are speaking of soft coal. Get your order in early.—Wm. McClenahan, Centre Hall.

Mrs. C. F. Emery, on Monday morning, went to Altoona to visit her daughter, Mrs. T. S. Foss. She took with her Alice Spzyker, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Spzyker.

A. R. Hackett, tenant on what is known as the W. M. Grove farm, west of Spring Mills, advertises public sale for Saturday, March 3rd, following which he will occupy the John H. Detwiler farm, east of Centre Hall.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Heckman, on their farm west of Centre Hall, Wednesday night. The youth is No. 5, but, say, the professor is just as much perked up about it as though it was No. 1 in the family.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Lohr, of Rutledge, attended the funeral of Mrs. Mary Pennington, on Friday, after which they visited the Bartholomew and Lutz families in Centre Hall, returning to their home beginning of the week.

Mrs. Margaret Swabb, who had been living at State College for several years is now at the Richard Brooks home, west of town, where she will remain until spring, at which time she will begin to make her home with Mr. and Mrs. George Shaver.

Hon. John T. McCormick celebrated his seventy-fifth anniversary one day last week. Mrs. McCormick made a dinner for him, inviting a number of his business associates and personal friends. The dinner was given at his home in State College.

A mother dog and five little puppies were received by Charles S. Smith, of near Centre Hall. The doggies are pure bred American foxhounds, Mr. Smith, who is very small and large game hunter, is very proud of his dogs. The shipment was received from York.

Work on the reconstruction of the Odd Fellows store building is progressing nicely, although the weather has been very much unsuited for that kind of work. The workmen are under the management of Clyde Dutrow, who is also the master mechanic.

H. Lee Brooks, who for the past seven years tenanted the A. V. Miller farm, near Pleasant Gap, has decided to quit farming and will hold public sale on Wednesday, February 28th. He has purchased a home in Pleasant Gap into which he will move following the sale.

Mrs. Philip A. Leister, of Potters Mills, was a business caller at this office Saturday. Mr. Leister has been a sufferer from rheumatism since in December and has been unable to leave the house only a few times since then, and, of course, was not able to do so on this trip.

The Garbrick brothers, west of Centre Hall, have been making repeated trips to Centre Hall in their propeller-driven sled. A new guiding device, but still remaining a disc, greatly aids them in guiding the vehicle. The trip to and from town, a distance of four or five miles, is made with much ease.

Mrs. Ellen Stuart, of State College, is now wintering in St. Petersburg, Florida, having gone there several weeks ago and will remain there until spring. She kindly remembered her sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Jacobs, in Centre Hall, by sending her a crate of Florida oranges, tangerines, grape fruit, etc., part of which found its way to the Reporter office.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Reiber, of Johnstown, were at Mr. Reiber's father's home for a few days. They came here to visit the senior Mr. Reiber, who has been ill at his home near Colyer. On Friday a specialist from Johnstown came to give treatment. The physician came by auto and experienced no difficulty in traveling until reaching the interior of Centre county.

Rev. Earl J. Bowman, a former popular and successful pastor of the Lutheran church at Philipsburg, and for the past three years in charge of St. John's Lutheran church at Steelton, has accepted an unsolicited call to become pastor of the St. James Lutheran church at Gettysburg—his old college town. He was getting along fine at Steelton, but the new charge will afford him a field for large opportunity and usefulness. He will have a church of 1150 members, Sunday-school of 500 and a fine, well equipped church and parsonage, both practically new and valued at \$85,000.

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Ira Lingle, a Civil War veteran, died at his home at Lemont.

A. F. Rote, of Spring Mills, was in Centre Hall Wednesday and made a business call at this office.

Messrs. George W. Felding and Henry Houser, of Linden Hall, found business in Centre Hall on Wednesday.

If you are looking for soft coal, I have the best grade it is possible to buy.—Wm. McClenahan, Centre Hall.

Bellefonte, on Tuesday, found attraction for Mrs. Alice Durst, Mrs. Anna Hemphill and Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Zettle.

Earl Grove, who is employed on the Dr. Finley dairy farm, at Altoona, was at the home of his parents in Centre Hall.

Harold H. Keller, a Franklin and Marshall student, came to his home here after finishing his "exams" for the close of the semester.

During February I will give a cash discount of 20 per cent. on all furniture purchased. Sellers and Hoosier kitchen cabinets excluded.—S. M. CAMPBELL, Millheim.

Guy Brooks, of near Centre Hall, shot a big red fox on Nittany Mountain last Wednesday, which is the third fox this winter, the count being two reds and one gray.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Runkle, who make their home with Mr. and Mrs. John H. Runkle, east of Old Fort. The big little girl was born Tuesday.

D. R. Keener, a Lancaster theological seminary student, filled the pulpit in the Reformed church at Centre Hall and Tusseyville, on Sunday. It appears he was quite well received by the congregations.

Rumor has it that the Meyer farm, at Centre Hill, was sold by Mrs. Huldah Meyer to her brother, Jacob Lee, at Centre Hill and John C. Rossmann, of Millifenburg, each taking a portion of the land.

Charles A. Miller, of Tusseyville, on Saturday, went to Millerstown to see his aunt, Mrs. Margaret Miller, who is quite ill. Mrs. Miller is well advanced in age and is suffering from an affection of the heart.

During the past week automobilists have been experiencing much difficulty in crossing the Seven Mountains. It has been almost impossible for light cars to make the trip; heavy cars have been a bit more successful.

If arrangements hold there will be no coal miners' strike in the bituminous fields for a year. There are also indications that matters will be patched up in the anthracite fields that will result in no strike during the same period.

Dr. Shaab, the chiropractor, of Bellefonte, was in town on Saturday. He has decided to defer his coming here until March 1st, owing to the condition of the roads. As previously stated, he will occupy a portion of the Arney property, on Church street.

The track foremen along the local branch railroad who served under F. C. Stoughton while he was supervisor who outlived their chief, attended Mr. Stoughton's funeral on Wednesday. Among these were James H. Smetzier and John H. Webby, both of Centre Hall.

Rev. and Mrs. M. C. Drumm were to Williamsport on Tuesday where an X-ray examination was made of Mrs. Drumm for the location of a possible goiter. The examination revealed nothing of this nature, but a minor trouble which is expected to yield to medical treatment.

The ladies of the Presbyterian Sunday-school of Lemont will give a luncheon at the church Friday evening, February 2nd. It is for all members of the congregation, the purpose being to organize a Men's Bible class. A musical program is being arranged. Let us make this a social evening for all. (Contributed).

From auctioneer to pastor is the advance made by Gruver H. Bell, the Millin county auctioneer. He was appointed foreman pasting and folding rooms. Since he has taken on a large number of sales during March, it is presumed he will not be required to come under the Pinchot rule that all appointees must give full time service.

Marriage Licenses.

- Julius Arnold ..... Osceola Mills
Ruth Brown ..... Philipsburg
John T. McCool ..... Spring Mills
Mabel Q. Crader ..... Spring Mills
Charles W. Heverly ..... State College
Sarah R. Close ..... State College

Parent-Teachers Meeting.

The parent-teachers' association of college township will have their first regular meeting in the Lemont grammar school, Thursday evening, February 1st. Parents and everyone interested in the promotion of schools are urged to attend this meeting. An interesting program has been arranged by Mrs. Johnston, teacher of the grammar school.

TAKE TURNS KEEPING HOUSE

New York Man and His Wife Have Arrangement They Say is "All to the Good."

Jones and his wife are a modern couple. Each goes to business and each helps with the housework. It so happens that each works in an office where on alternate weeks their presence is required at an early hour and their quitting time is fixed correspondingly early, says the New York Sun.

"We've doped it out this way," explained Jones. "The week the wife has to get to the office early I get up and get breakfast and after breakfast wash the dishes and make the bed. After that I just have time to make the office. When the wife gets home at night she gets the dinner, so that by the time I arrive everything is on the table steaming hot. The next week, when I have to get in early mornings, we just shift schedules. She gets the breakfast and I the dinner."

"Of course I had to have a little coaching on the cooking at first, but I've got so now I can shake as mean an elbow around the kitchen as any one, whether it's boiling an egg for breakfast or preparing a five-course dinner."

"Some who have heard of the arrangement think we're crazy. But we're happy; so what's the difference?"

"COMMONS" ONLY IN NAME

Delegates to Early English National Assembly Belonged Without Exception to Proprietary Class.

As early as 1254 in England, knights were called from the shires to the national assembly to testify to the taxable capacity of their districts. Two from each shire were chosen by the gentry and landowners.

At first the custom had no purpose except the desire of the taxing body to keep in close financial touch with the towns and districts. But soon Simon de Montfort, in rebellion against Henry III, turned it into a gathering to express and discuss grievances against the king. In this way there grew up a representative assembly called the "Commons," which sat and debated apart from the gathering of great nobles and bishops, called the "House of Lords."

The difference, however, was no more than relative. For in this early house of commons there were no common men in the modern conception of the term. They were all men of property, many as wealthy and influential as the great peers, and, indeed, frequently they were the sons and younger brothers of these peers. The really common man in those days had not even a vote, to say nothing of a seat in parliament.

The Centre Reporter, \$1.50 a year.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WANTED—A tenant for the farm known as the Mrs. Lettie Goodhart farm, west of Spring Mills—inquire of Chas. D. Bartholomew, Centre Hall.

FOR SALE—As an advertising special I will offer the very best Heifer Calf ever born in my herd. She is nicely marked and has very extra good breeding, tracing 21 times to May Rose 2nd. This is the first opportunity to buy anything anywhere near as good in a Guernsey heifer calf.

NOT A CULL—BUT THE VERY BEST. Entire herd free from tuberculosis. J. H. DETWILER, Centre Hall, Pa.

FOR SALE—A quantity of baled timothy hay in small quantities to suit the buyer, at \$12.00 a ton.—JOHN SNAVELY, Centre Hall, Pa.

FOUND—A Penn. 1923 auto license plate No. 480-441. Same can be had at this office by payment of this ad.

WANTED—Housekeeper for family of three; no washing or ironing.—Mrs. Harriet K. Smith, Bellefonte, Pa. 2t

FOUND—Box of crochet cotton; may be had at home of Mrs. H. C. Shirk, Centre Hall by paying for this ad.

FOR SALE—2 pure bred, registered, Holstein-Friesian heifers, 20 months old; will be fresh in May. Sired by Sir Korndyke Konigen, whose two nearest dams, A. R. O. 7-day records, average 30 lbs. butter, and ten nearest dams A. R. O. 7-day records average 22 lbs. butter.—CHAS. M. ROSS, Linden Hall, Pa. 2t

WANTED—Reliable woman for general housework in family of two. Write Box 262, Reedsville, Pa. 04

FOR SALE OR RENT—Double dwelling house; one side immediate possession, other side April 1st. All modern conveniences. Inquire of Mrs. H. J. Lambert, Centre Hall, Pa. 06p

CHURCH BUILDING FOR SALE.—The Presbyterian church building at Spring Mills is offered for sale. Send your offers for same to James H. Potter, Bellefonte, Pa.

WANTED—One hundred or more new subscribers to The Centre Reporter, at \$1.50 per year, in advance; satisfaction guaranteed, or money refunded.

PORTLAND SLEIGH FOR SALE—in good condition; will be sold right. John D. Homan, Centre Hall, Pa.; Bell phone. 2t

WANTED.—Men or women to take ord. among friends and neighbors for the genuine guaranteed hosiery, full lines for men, women and children. Eliminates 60% of cost. We pay \$1 an hour for spare time or \$10 a week for full time. Experience unnecessary. Write, INTERNATIONAL STOCKING MILL, Norristown, Pa. 042-4

STORE ROOM TO LET.—The large store room in the I. O. O. F. building, Centre Hall, will be ready for occupancy by February 1st, and may be rented from that date. The room will be remodeled and improved, making it a desirable place for business.—By Board of Directors, I. O. O. F. Hall Association. 2tf

CHESTNUTS FOR SALE.—Arizona Imported Chestnuts, for eating or for planting; guaranteed to grow and trees will not become affected by blight nor will nuts become wormy. Evidence of healthy growth may be seen. These nuts are from three to five times the size of our native chestnuts and are fine in flavor. They run from 25 to 40 to the pound. The undersigned expects to plant a large quantity of the nuts. Anyone wishing to buy them for either eating or planting can purchase them at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Shirk, Centre Hall.—T. F. ROYER, Potters Mills.

100 HENS FOR SALE.—The undersigned offers for sale 100 hens in good condition—Plymouth Rock, Rhode Island Reds and Brahmans.—Steve Mattie, Centre Hall. 2tp

Insurance and Real Estate

Want to Buy or Sell?

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Chas. D. Bartholomew CENTRE HALL, PA.

Special Sale of 2500 Government Window Sash Direct from a Southern U. S. Government Camp.—Size of each 34 inches square, each sash contains six lights or glass laid in putty; all in first class condition and ready for use. You will have to act quick if you want in on these sash at the ridiculous low price of—

\$1.15 EACH.

Special Prices on Quantity Lots.

PAUL RUNKLE,

118 E. Third St. Lewistown, Pa.

HOME FOR SALE.—I offer for sale my home, situate in Centre Hall borough.—MRS. ELLEN MEEKER.



January Mark-Down Sale

Wishing to sell all our remaining Wnter Stock of Merchandise, we are marking our entire stock down to the Lowest price possible.

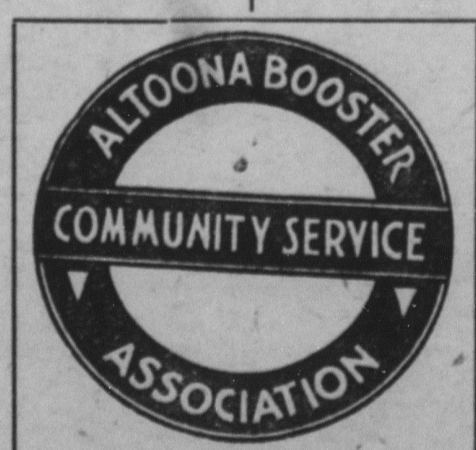
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LINK BY LINK



One of the strongest fraternal organizations in the world has as its symbol the linked chain which shows the strength to be found in unity. Buying where you live from those who are your neighbors will forge a linked chain of strength that will build up your home town and your home district.

Yet, there is another story about the linked chain. It is as strong only as its weakest link. When you send your dollars out of your district you weaken the chain and imperil the prosperity and advancement of all its inhabitants.

If you must go out of Centre Hall for certain needs—come to Altoona. Booster institutions, all of whom display the emblem of membership, are worthy to serve you.

Altoona Booster Association