

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Anna Hettinger of Spring Mills, will spend the winter in Middleburg with Mrs. Shuman.

Miss Emma McCoy is spending the Thanksgiving season at Millinburg with Mr. and Mrs. John C. Rossman.

Christmas services in the local Reformed church will be observed Sunday evening, December 23rd, 7 o'clock.

A Moller pipe organ was installed in the Presbyterian church, State College, the first recital on it having been given Sunday.

Mrs. Amelia King of Centre Hall, and sister, Mrs. Morris Furey, of Bellefonte, will eat their Thanksgiving dinner at Pittsburgh with their brother, H. W. D. English.

The Millheim high school football team suffered a crushing defeat at the hands of the Bellefonte high team, on Millheim's grounds, Saturday. The score stood 61-0.

H. E. Foust, Joseph Carson, Blaine Palmer, Harry Foust and Charles Foust are carpenters from Potters Mills who have been engaged in construction work at State College.

Bruce Stahl, of Altoona, came to Centre Hall on Monday and is spending the time chasing game, and of course expects to get his share to take back home with him.

There are two things no one will refuse for a Christmas present. One is a Centre Reporter subscription for one or more years, the other an automobile—any make and model.

H. E. Shreckengast, east of Centre Hall, gives notice that his sale date has been changed to Tuesday, March 18, 1924, because of some mistake on the part of the auctioneer in booking the date.

Miss Sarah Zettle, of Potters Mills, has been working as a supply in the Bell telephone exchange in Centre Hall. She got her training in the Spring Mills exchange when the Zettle family lived at that place.

A Christmas service will be rendered in the Lutheran church, Centre Hall, on Christmas evening. In the Lutheran churches at Spring Mills and Georges Valley services will be rendered the night before Christmas.

Mrs. Harry E. Reish, of Centre Hall has been in the Geisinger hospital for two weeks undergoing treatment. Her mother, Mrs. A. P. Krape, of Centre Hall, went to the hospital on Saturday and remained over Sunday with her.

Last week's New Bloomfield Times said: James E. Stewart, who was operated on in Harrisburg last Thursday and had his right leg taken off just below the knee, is getting along nicely, we are told. His many friends hope for his return home and that he may enjoy health for many years.

Mrs. George R. Meiss, of Colyer, while at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Roy Martz, in Lewistown, was stricken ill with diphtheria and for a time was in a rather serious condition, but is now reported as being improving. Mr. Meiss, who is at his home at Colyer, is also ill and during the past week was confined to bed for a part of the time.

Although last Friday was an exceptionally bad day for a public sale it did not seem to effect prices at the sale held by Prof. W. O. Heckman, south of Centre Hall. It was a clean-up stock and farm equipment sale. The implements, tractor and tools sold at very fair prices. Hogs did not go so well, but the cows and young cattle passed at good prices.

If any of our farmer friends find a bunch of stray chickens, ducks and geese they can discover a willing owner in Max Herr, who digressed a bit in his line of business. The coop the poultry had been given as a state room tumbled from the truck, above Tusseyville, and Max had gone a considerable distance before it was discovered. On retracing the coop was found, but empty.

S. E. Brown, of near Potters Mills, has annually for some time been furnishing headquarters for a number of hunters from Coatesville, and they are now there to join in the hunt to begin Saturday morning. The party consists of Messrs. Willis Townsman, Howard and James Stanly. On Monday these three accompanied by Mr. Brown and his two sons, Malcolm and Harry, went down Bald Eagle valley to hunt wild turkeys.

Mrs. John H. Knarr, Mrs. Milton Bradford, Mrs. Paul Bradford and Mrs. Robert Meeker joined the Washington excursion, Saturday evening, but on reaching Baltimore they left the excursionists to spend the day with Mrs. Harry Hipple and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Franke, in that city. The latter excursionist is a sister-in-law and the others are sisters of Mrs. Hipple, and Mrs. Franke. Others who made up the excursion party from here were Isaac Emery, Ernest Frank, Jefferson Slack, John Slack, George Auman, Harry Confer, Miss Ruth Smith.

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Banks will be closed today (Thanksgiving Day).

The soccer football team of the Centre Hall high school went by auto to Millinburg, Tuesday afternoon, and defeated the high school soccer team of that place by a 1-0 score.

Miss Ethel Hettinger, of Spring Mills, a stenographer in the office of the Kerlin Grand View Poultry Farm, is suffering from a severe case of grip at the home of her parents. As soon as she is able to do so she will return to her work here.

Thanksgiving services in the Reformed church in Millheim, conducted by the Rev. F. H. Daubenspeck, and in the Lutheran church in Aaronsburg, conducted by the Rev. J. S. Hollenbach on Thanksgiving Day evening at 7:00. Offering for the Law Enforcement Fund of the W. C. T. U.

Rev. Wilson P. Ard, pastor of the Bellefonte Lutheran church, was a speaker at a meeting of the Men's Bible Class of the local Lutheran Sunday-school, on Tuesday evening. Rev. Ard is a fluent speaker and was able to greatly interest his hearers on the topic, "The Measure of a Man."

A buck deer was reported shot above Potters Mills one day last week by some bird hunter using fine shot. The deer laid down on the public road where a pool of blood formed. It retained sufficient strength to take to the woods, and although traced for some distance by parties the following day, it was not found.

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Starting Saturday, December 1st, both banks in Centre Hall will be open on Saturday afternoon and closed on Saturday evening.

Miss Elizabeth Jackson, of State College, accepted a position as stenographer in the office of the Kerlin Grand View Poultry Farm. A third stenographer will be added in a month.

Daniel Delaney, of Pittsburgh, is spending a week or ten days among his several brothers, all residing near Centre Hall. He is an employee of the Philadelphia Street Railway in the Smoky City.

Mrs. Walter M. Kerlin, of Cincinnati, Ohio, is visiting among friends in Centre county, and is now in the Millheim district. She made the trip east with one of her brothers who drove from Centre county to the southern Ohio city in a car.

I have just received several carloads of Cannel Coal and Soft Coal; also one carload Buckwheat coal, and Chestnut and Pea Coal will arrive, this week. Before making your coal purchases for the winter get my prices—you can surely save some money.—A. M. GROVE, Spring Mills Pa. 2tp

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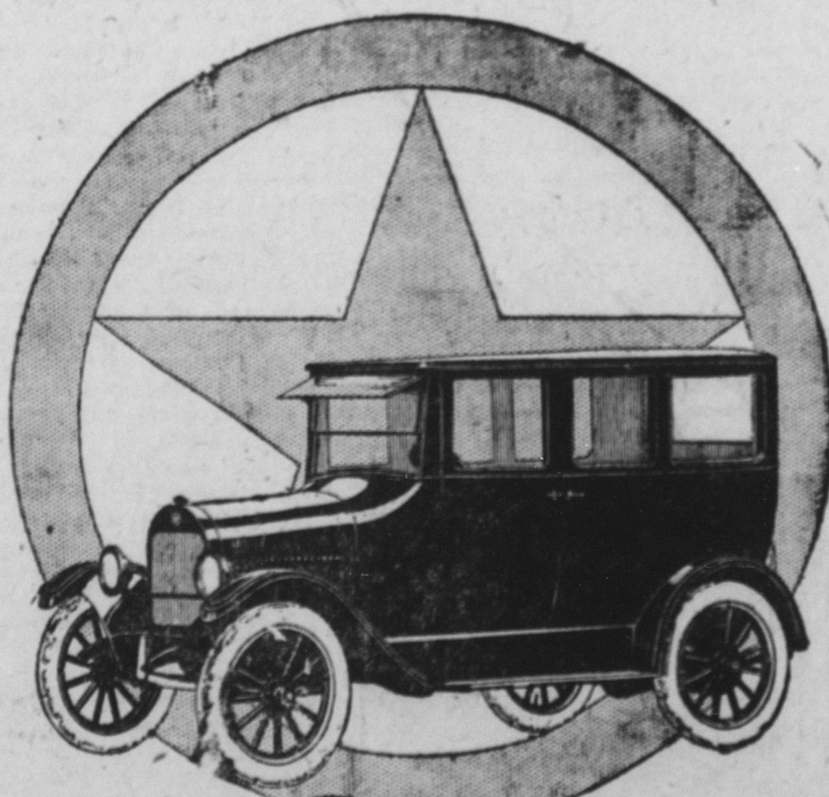
We hear people say, "What's the use of examining a bank or publishing a statement." Again—the Government's responsibility to depositors in National Banks. There have been no National Bank failures in the Third Federal Reserve District since the organization of the Federal Reserve Bank. We are glad and you should be glad to have some one come into the bank where you deposit and see that all the securities are good, that all loans are good and properly made, etc. Excessive loans have proven a very bad feature and for that reason National Banks are not allowed to carry loans to any one firm or individual in excess of 10 per cent of its combined surplus and capital.

(Continued next week).

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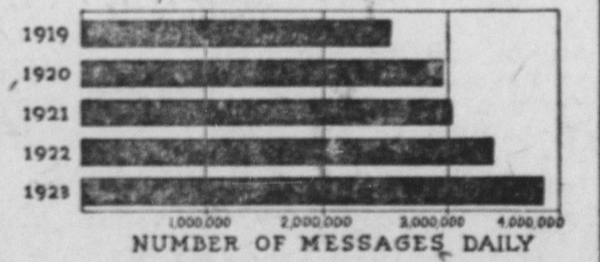
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