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**CHURCH APPOINTMENTS.**

**PENN'S VALLEY LUTHERAN CHARGE**  
REV. MELVIN C. DRUMM, Pastor.

—SERVICES FOR—

**SUNDAY, MAR. 2, 1924**

Spring Mills, 10:30 A. M.—"The Seven Wonders of Heaven."

Tusseyville, 2:30 P. M.—"Living in Glass Houses."

Centre Hall, 7:30 P. M.—"What Makes a Man."

**Centre Hall**

Prayer Meeting, Wed. 7:30 P. M., at the home of Mrs. S. W. Smith.

Sunday School, 1:30 p. m.

Light Brigade, Sunday school hour.

Luther League, Sunday, 7 P. M.; a Special meeting.

Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society, Saturday evening, 7:30.

Council meeting, Friday, March 8th, at 7:30 P. M., at the home of Wm. H. Homan.

U. Ev.—Lemont, mornin g; Linden Hall, afternoon; Tusseyville, evening.

Centre Hall Reformed Charge, Rev. Delas R. Keener, pastor:

Centre Hall—No church services on account of repairing the church edifice.

9:30 Sunday School (Presbyterian church.)

Spring Mills—

7:30 Church Services.

9:30 Sunday School.

Farmers ME—

2:30 Church Services.

1:30 Sunday School.

**AARONSBURG REFORMED Charge**  
(Rev. John S. Hollenbach, pastor.)

Millheim—S. S. at 9:30; services at 10:30.

Salem—S. S. at 1:00; church services at 2:00.

Theme of sermon: "Going Up to Jerusalem."

Lent begins next week so we should prepare ourselves for this season in the Church Year.

**FORGETS FOUR BILLION TAX.**

**President's N. Y. Speech Avoids \$1,000,000,000 Tariff Tax.**

More than 2,000 words of President Coolidge's speech in New York, on Lincoln's birthday, were devoted to the discussion of taxation, but not once did he mention the tariff, which is an annual tax of \$4,000,000,000, or \$36 per capita, on the people of the United States. The tariff is an annual burden heavier by about \$500,000,000 a year than all the taxes collected by the Federal Government.

The President gave only 600 words to the plight of American farmers, and offered no specific remedy in their behalf, though he admitted that the average price of their produce "is little above the pre-war level, while manufacturers are about 50 per cent higher." To this admission he added that "The farmer is not receiving his fair share."

Farmers as a whole pay nearly a third of the \$4,000,000,000 of taxes imposed on the country by the tariff.

President Coolidge talked of tax reduction according to the Mellon plan, which would reduce the higher surtaxes on incomes of from \$200,000 to \$5,000,000 from a maximum of 50 to a maximum of 25 per cent. It is the individuals who have these immense incomes to whom the tariff gives its chief benefits. Mr. Mellon, putative author of the plan the President is pending and pressing, is one of those who would profit equally by his scheme of income tax reduction.

Keep the tariff on the people; cut the taxes for the profiteers—that seems to be the Administration's slogan.

**Musical March 8th.**

The date of the musical by the seventeen-piece orchestra, Millheim high school, advertised on the last page of this issue for March 1, has been changed to March 8th, Saturday, in Grange Arcadia, Centre Hall. The notice of the change of date was received just before going to press on the last portion of this issue.

**DEATHS.**

**Mrs. Mary Page Dead at 91 Years.**

One of the oldest ladies in this section passed away in Williamsport in the death on Monday night of Mrs. Mary Page, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. P. Noll, where she made her home, the Noll family having gone to Williamsport for the winter. The deceased was the widow of Reuben Page, who died about twenty years ago, and lived all her life about Linden Hall, except as noted above. Her maiden name was Mary Kuhn, and she was born in Harris township. There survive her these children: Mrs. Annie Noll, at whose home she died; Mrs. Wm. Stover, Boalsburg; Joshua Page, now ill in a Williamsport hospital, and Mrs. Samuel Coble, Linden Hall.

The body was shipped to Centre Hall on Tuesday evening and from there was conveyed by Undertaker F. V. Coohar, to the Noll home, near Linden Hall, from which place burial will be made this (Thursday) afternoon. Her age was ninety-one years.

**LEE.**—Mrs. F. D. Lee died at her home in Centre Hall Tuesday night at 10:20 o'clock. She had been seriously ill from spinal trouble for a period of nine weeks, during which time she was under the constant care of a trained nurse. Her condition was such that there was little, if any, hope of recovery from the beginning of her illness.

The funeral will be held Friday afternoon, services in the Lutheran church.

The deceased's maiden name was Miss Margaret M. Tate, a daughter of Andrew Jackson Tate, of Shiloh. She and Mr. Lee were married thirty-seven years ago. Besides the husband there survives the deceased an only daughter, Maude, wife of Earl Tibbens, who lives on the Lee farm, east of Pleasant Gap. Also a sister, Mrs. E. K. Smith, of Edwardsport, Ind.

Mrs. Lee was aged sixty-one years, five months.

**SELLERS.**—Word was received Monday of the death of James C. Sellers at the Delmont Soldiers' Home in Colorado, at which he had been an inmate for some time. He was a veteran of the Civil War, having enlisted when not quite seventeen years old. He belonged to Company G of the 148th Regiment of the Pa. volunteers, going out in '62 and serving until the end of the war, when he was honorably discharged with his regiment. He returned to his home at Oak Hall Station and worked at his trade (a machinist), until 1875 when he went west and has been there ever since. Some years ago he suffered a slight stroke of paralysis from which he recovered. Lately he had another stroke which caused his death. He was the oldest son of the late W. L. Sellers, of Oak Hall Station, being one of a family of nine children. The following brothers and sisters survive: Charles C. of Downs, Kansas; Edward of State College; Mrs. Agnes Meyer of Lock Haven; Mrs. J. H. Weber of Centre Hall. He never married.

**KOHLER.**—Miss Amelia Kohler died Sunday at her home on Main street, Millroy, at the age of seventy-five years. She is survived by two sisters—Mrs. Jennie E. Wolf of Potters Mills and Mrs. J. O. Stover, of Reedsville. Funeral services were held from her home Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock; interment in Woodlawn cemetery.

**DELANEY.**—Daniel Edward Delaney, a well known resident of Centre county, passed away on Tuesday, February 19, 9:30 P. M., at the home of his daughter, Mrs. J. J. Clark, Greensburg. He was born in Queens county, Ireland, November 13, 1848, and came to this country at the age of six years. He was married to Miss Margaret Welch of Lamar, who died thirty years ago. For the past ten years the deceased has been making his home with his children. The following sons and daughters survive: John W. Delaney, Michael C. Delaney, Thomas F. Delaney, of Centre Hall; Daniel Delaney, of Braddock; Mrs. George Delan, Jersey Shore; Mrs. John Dallen, Nittany; Mrs. James Clark and Miss Elizabeth Delaney, of Greensburg. Twenty-five grandchildren and one brother, John Delaney of Nittany, also remain. The funeral services were held in the Catholic church at Greensburg Friday morning; from there his body was shipped to Howard for burial in the Catholic cemetery.

**SHONTZ.**—Mrs. Nancy Shontz, wife of H. G. Shontz, of Millifinburg, died at her home from apoplexy. She had a stroke the Sunday preceding her death. Deceased was born in West Buffalo township, Union county, a daughter of Jacob and Elizabeth Eberhart. Had she lived until April she would have been 80 years old. Her husband is in his 83rd year. Surviving are her husband; one son, J. H., and one daughter, Mrs. Crissie Stahl, both of Millifinburg; two brothers: Daniel Eberhart, of Bellefonte, who observed his 90th birthday some time ago; J. W. of Lewisburg; and one sister, Mrs. S. D. Burris, of Centre Hall. Burial was made at Millifinburg.

**Transfers of Real Estate.**

M. I. Gardner et ux to Emma Hurley, tract in Bellefonte; \$2,900.

Hester S. Christ to William Bell, Jr., tract in State College; \$950.

John L. Holmes et al to Curtis Lee Corl, tract in Ferguson twp.; \$300.

Brooks E. Reese et ux to Whitmer Steel Co., tract in Gregg twp.; \$5.

Francis S. Ulrich et al. et ux. to Anna Mable Dietrich, tract in Millheim; \$275.

Thomas B. Ulrich et al. et ux. to Anna Mable Dietrich, tract in Millheim; \$300.

Harry M. Musser et ux to Homer A. Grubb, tract in Ferguson twp.; \$1,950.

**COURT IN SESSION.**

**Monday's Sessions Attended by Large Numbers.—G. W. Yarnell Grand Jury Foreman.**

The regular quarterly session of February court opened with the usual formalities on Monday morning with Judge H. C. Quikley on the bench. Both the forenoon and afternoon sessions were attended by large numbers from all parts of the county. All parts of the large court chamber were filled. Men and women listened equally eager to the testimony of fifth and in many instances apparent enjoyment expressed.

Up to Wednesday morning, the time this issue went to press, but few cases had been heard, yet the court was busy every minute. The first case heard was a civil suit between Wagner, plaintiff, and Leathers, defendant, the suit being to recover for timber cut "over the line." The verdict was in the sum of \$200.

The second case, also civil, was Sortman vs. Walters. This was a suit to recover damages cattle and sheep did to crops and property of the plaintiff. Verdict, \$25.00.

The first Commonwealth case heard was the Commonwealth vs. W. R. Quik, a character of note. The testimony was a slimy filth throughout. The jury returned a verdict of not guilty. The court, so the writer is informed, stated from the bench that the verdict was unjust.

Wednesday morning court opened with a Commonwealth case from Phillipsburg.

**MARRIAGE LICENSES.**

Homer A. Brown.....State College  
Christina B. Cox.....Pleasant Gap  
Paul W. Houser.....Lemont  
Sara L. Lenker.....Lemont  
Frank H. Reeder.....Tyrone  
Elizabeth E. Johnsonbaugh.....Pt. Matilda  
Russel D. Kuhn.....State College  
Kathryn Caldwell.....Bellefonte

**9 Degrees Below Zero**

Saturday night was the coldest night during the winter to date, some time during the night mercury having gone down to nine degrees below zero. It was calm during the night and morning and this accounts for the severe cold not having been so noticeable unless one was exposed to it for a considerable length of time. The coldest previous to that period was three degrees below.

**BOALSBURG.**

The Knights of Malta banquet on Friday evening was a complete success. There were about 120 present. The refreshments were of the kind that appeal to the appetite. The program consisted of old songs by all present, solo by Alice Heltz; recitation, by Robert Lucas, and toasts by different ones present. The Sydeo Trio furnished the instrumental music.

Miss Lillian Dale was here for a few days moving her furniture from the Kicker house which has been sold, to the shop at the Williams house.

Miss Blanche Rowe was home from Harrisburg over the 22nd, it being a legal holiday. She went back to her work on Monday.

Miss Mary Hazel spent over Sunday with her parents.

Miss Mildred Ghergich has completed the course of stenographer at Williamsport and is now employed at State College in the office of Wm. Ham.

The snow had made the roads to Lemont hard to travel by auto, but they have been opened now and can be traveled without much difficulty.

**LINDEN HALL**

The body of Mrs. Mary Page, widow of Reuben Page, was brought from the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. T. Noll, in Williamsport, to this place on Tuesday afternoon and burial will be made Thursday afternoon in the Rock Hill cemetery by the side of her husband. The services will be held from her daughter's home on the Davis place.

A little daughter, the seventh child, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Wilkins, on Sunday night.

Mrs. Frank Osman, whose condition last week was serious, has taken a turn for the better and she is improving nicely.

Helen Tressler, who has been suffering from an infected hand and been confined to bed for almost three weeks is improving and is able to sit up for a short time.

A big blaze in the chimney at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Colyer last Tuesday night endangered their home. Only the fact that the house had an iron roof which was covered with snow and the prompt help of neighbors saved the building.

Ruth McClintic has gone to State College where she has secured employment.

WANT TO HEAR from owner having farm for sale; give particulars and lowest price.—John J. Black, Chippewa Falls, Wisconsin. 69\*

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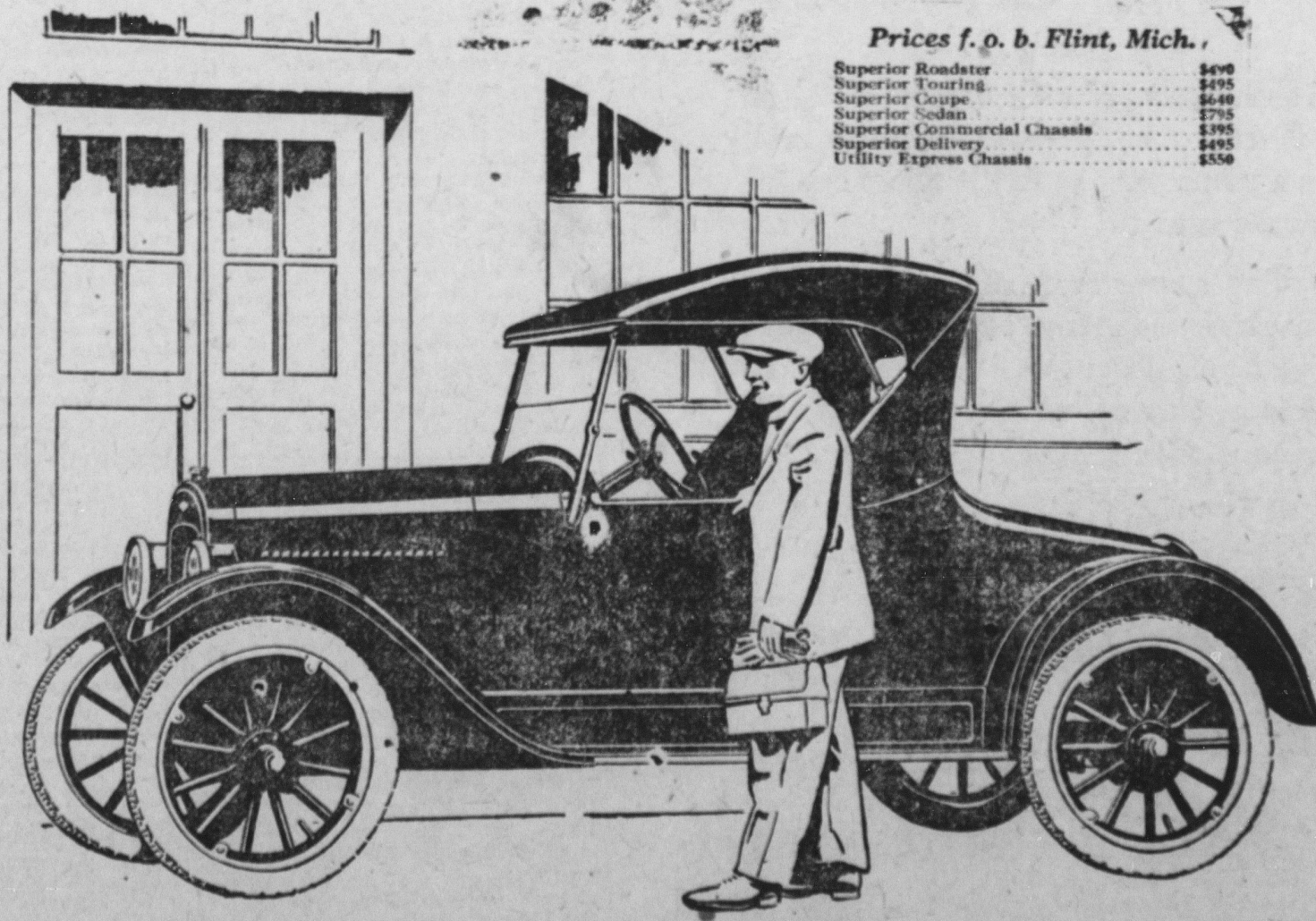
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