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One long and two short blasts when fire is north of Reformed church; One long and five short blasts when fire is south of Reformed church.

CHURCH APPOINTMENTS.

LUTHERAN (according to schedule)—Farmers Mills, morning; Centre Hall, afternoon; Georges Valley, evening; Communion at Farmers Mills.

Methodist—Centre Hall, morning; Sprucetown, afternoon; Spring Mills, evening.

EVANGELICAL—Tusseyville, 10:30 A. M.; Egg Hill, 2:30 P. M.; Centre Hall, 7:30 P. M.

Communion at Egg Hill and Centre Hall.

Centre Hall Reformed Church, Rev. Delas R. Keener, pastor:
Centre Hall—10:30 Church services.

Tusseyville—2:30 Regular Lord's Day services. Farmers Mills—Saturday, 2:00, Catechetical lectures.

AARONSBURG REFORMED CHURCH (Rev. John S. Hollenbach, pastor).
Aaronsburg—S. S. at 9:30; Regular Services at 10:30.

St. Paul—S. S. at 10:15; Regular Services at 9:15.

Coburn—S. S. at 9:30; Regular Services at 7:30.

Subject: "Jesus the Good Shepherd." Will you be there?

LUTHERANS DECIDE NEW HEADQUARTERS.

Building in Philadelphia Named in Honor of Rev. Henry M. Muhlenberg.

With several hundred prominent Lutheran clergymen and laymen from all parts of the country attending, the new Lutheran headquarters, at Thirtieth and Locust streets, Philadelphia, was officially dedicated on Tuesday.

The exercises opened with singing a sacred hymn, followed by invocation by Rev. F. P. Manhart, of Selingsgrove. The principal speakers were Rev. C. M. Jones, a professor in the Lutheran Seminary, Mt. Airy; and E. Clarence Miller, secretary of the United Lutheran Churches of America. Mr. Miller stressed the need of uniformity of Lutheran literature in this country and said that the erection of the new edifice would greatly help in accomplishing some results along those lines.

He lauded the management for such zealous efforts in making such a fine building possible, for disseminating the doctrine of the church among the 800,000 Lutherans in America and Canada.

The dedication prayer was offered by Rev. F. H. Knobel, president of the United Lutheran Churches of America. The services were concluded with benediction by Rev. H. E. Jacobs, dean of Mt. Airy Seminary.

The new building now houses the various departments of the church, which have been scattered throughout the city.

The new structure is regarded as the best of its kind in the country. It was named after Rev. Henry M. Muhlenberg, the Lutheran pioneer in the United States. It is eight stories high with steel frame structure and built of buff brick with limestone trimmings.

No part of it will be rented out for business purposes, but it will be used entirely for the activities of the Lutheran Church in the city and the United States.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Ranken D. Tate, Bellefonte
Grace A. Breen, Bellefonte
Robert S. Simcox, Philipsburg
Mary A. Schans, Philipsburg
Frank H. Breen, Millheim
Katie M. Bower, Aaronsburg
Albert F. Brown, Wingate
Anna Brumhager, Wingate

Auction at Mells' Saturday Night.

An old-fashioned auction sale will be held at Mells' store at Colyer on Saturday night. Everybody is invited to attend.

The cash on hand at the close of 1923 of Ford corporation was \$271,618,668, or more than twice that of any other corporation in the United States.

BUCK TAYLOR IS DEAD.

"King of Cowboys" for Seventeen Years With Buffalo Bill Show Passes On.

William, known in show circles as "Buck" Taylor, and noted for his performance as a cowboy, died in the Chester County Hospital on Monday, after a sickness of about three weeks with a complication of diseases. He was conscious and conversed with friends until an hour before his death.

Taylor will be remembered by many persons about Centre Hall, where he spent considerable time after selling his farm west of State College. He at one time has serious thoughts of locating here permanently prior to going to the Philadelphia section.

Taylor was a national figure in his prime. He was 6 feet 7 inches tall, weighed almost 300 pounds, but was as active as a small man. In show circles he was known as the "King of Cowboys" and was a wonder in his act. Taylor was born in Texas and reared as a cattleman. He was finally taken in charge by William F. Cody, ("Buffalo Bill") and traveled with him for 17 years in his show. Later he took a band of cowboys and Indians to England and his show proved a success, but he retired on his return and had been living with the family of Charles Trego, at Downingtown for some years. He invested his money in Chester county farms and was the owner of several near Valley Forge and other sections.

DEATHS.

BIBLE.—Mrs. Isabella Bible, widow of John C. Bible, died at the home of her son, J. Frank Bible, near Aaronsburg, on Friday, at the age of 78 years, 10 months, 14 days. Interment was made at Sprucetown on Monday.

There survive the deceased one son, named above, and a daughter, Mrs. Daniel C. Rosman, of Millinburg, where she made her home, having gone to the home of her son prior to her last sickness. Also, one sister, Mrs. John D. Moore, of Centre Hall. She was long a member of the Methodist church, attending services at Sprucetown for many years in the vicinity of which church she lived almost all her life.

MEEK.—Mrs. Emma Weaver Meek, widow of the late D. G. Meek, of State College, died at her home in that place at 1:30 o'clock on Wednesday afternoon following an illness of a year or more. She was the youngest daughter and the last of the family of the late John and Christianna Meyer Weaver, and was born in Ferguson township seventy-six years ago. Her husband died in 1917 and as she never had any children her only survivors are nieces and nephews, and Mrs. Audrey Kuhn Weaver, whom she raised from childhood.

KERSTETTER.—The community about Coburn was sadly shocked when the announcement of the death of Mrs. Frank Kerstetter was received. She was stricken with pneumonia and after a few days the family and friends were hopeful of her recovery when suddenly change for the worse was made and death claimed her, at the age of 48 years, 1 month and 19 days. She was a daughter of Frank Allen and always resided near the tunnel south of Coburn. She was the mother of twelve children whom she loved dearly and served diligently. Two of them preceded her in death. The husband and the following children survive: James, Ralph, Leonard, Thomas, Boyd, Torrence, Orvis, Lester, Paul and Dorothy. She was buried at the Paradise cemetery, Monday after services were conducted by her pastor, Rev. C. B. Snyder.

MEYER.—William T. Meyer died at his home at 2724 West Lehigh St., Philadelphia, aged 70 years, 6 months and 29 days.

Mr. Meyer was a son of the late Jacob G. Meyer and was born in Haines township, residing at Aaronsburg until about twenty years ago when he removed to Philadelphia.

One sister, Mrs. Annie Stover, of Aaronsburg, survives besides his wife, who was formerly Eva E. Hoff.

HAINES.—George Brungard Haines, a native of Miles township, died at his home in Norwood, from hardening of the arteries. He was born at Wells Store on August 6, 1849, a son of Jeremiah and Susanna Haines, both deceased. His wife's name was Emma J. Burkett. She preceded her husband to the grave. Surviving are the following children: Mrs. Elizabeth Walker, of Norwood; W. B. and M. C. Haines, of Rebersburg; and one sister, Mrs. Emma J. Royer, of Rebersburg. Funeral services were held on Saturday and burial made at Rebersburg.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Luse, at their home near Centre Hall, on Saturday night. It is the third child in the family.

It is always a better one. Reference is made to the purchasing of cars. No matter what make of car first used, the second is of a higher grade. New cars sold locally to bear this out are noted here: Oliver Strunk, Star coupe; Harvey Mark and George Fetterolf, each a Star touring car; and Bruce Hettinger, a Durant touring car.

Dr. W. B. Horter, the Harrisburg dentist, was in Centre Hall on Tuesday on his regular weekly visit. He is rapidly establishing his practice here and the Reporter believes that in a short time he will become permanently located here. Those needing his services will find him at the Centre Hall hotel Tuesday of each week, as announced in his ad. appearing elsewhere. He is competent to give the best dental service, as those having been to him can testify.

BABY WAS DEAD IN ARMS OF ITS MOTHER.

Infant Son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Singer, of South Fork, Expires in Automobile on Way to Philipsburg.

Unaware that her baby was dead until a doctor examined it, a young mother carried the little one in her arms for several hours while motoring to Philipsburg on Sunday to pay a visit to relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Singer, who live at South Fork, had started for Philipsburg in their automobile Sunday morning with their infant son, William Henry, aged two months and 10 days. The baby went to sleep in its mother's arms and after a long time the mother said she believed the baby was sick as she could not awaken it. When they reached Tyrone they called on a doctor. He said the child had been dead probably four hours.

The saddened parents proceeded to Philipsburg with the corpse of the baby. Burial was made in the Philipsburg cemetery from the home of Mrs. Singer's parents at Point Lookout, Dr. John T. Scott, of the Presbyterian church, having charge of the services.

Mrs. Singer is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Abram Hummel, of Point Lookout.

CARING FOR THE TOURIST.

Routing Traffic Around Cities Pays Dividends.

In the days of the horse, main arteries of travel naturally entered cities at the most convenient place, and travel along the highway passed down Main Street without slowing up. The horse-drawn vehicle could get through a city as fast as it could travel the country road. With the advent of the swift-moving car and auto trucks, conditions changed. Through traffic on roads is greatly slowed up in the city, due to crossings, congestion, narrow streets, one-way streets, stopping for pedestrians and street cars, etc. In addition, through traffic brought through a city adds largely to the city's traffic problem.

The modern idea is to divert through traffic around large centers. The additional miles thus traveled are more than made up for in the decrease of time. Thus a by-pass or cut-off which lengthens the through route ten miles, may add thirty minutes to the running time; but where is the large city through which, from one side to another, a car or truck can pass in half an hour? Not infrequently the cut-off saves mileage instead of increasing it.

To have all the through traffic go through Main Street is all right as long as Main Street is short and not crowded. To divert through traffic from Main Street to a boundary road is good economics, good engineering, and good common sense when Main Street is long and congested. Municipalities on through roads find it pays dividends to build the cut-off and attract more business to the town than to force through traffic to another route to avoid city congestion.

BOALSBURG.

Gardening is in order now; the grass is growing and the trees are showing their leaves. All are indications that it is spring.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Meyer motored to Altoona Sunday noon and spent the afternoon with the W. E. Gettig family.

Mrs. Emma Kuhn and daughter, of Williamsport, are visiting at the home of Mrs. Kuhn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Rowe.

Matthew Goheen has accepted a position at the Penitentiary and Alvie Johnstonbaugh has taken his place as bus driver of the Boal & Cori bus.

NOTICE!

We have just unloaded the following cars:

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- Car Lehigh Portland Cement.
- Car of Sand.
- Car of Lumber, consisting as follows: No. 1 Flooring; No. 2 Flooring; Roofers; Ceiling and Surfaced Boards.
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- Car of Salt.
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TRUANT OFFICER DEAD.

Snow Shoe Man Hit Over Head With Pick Died in Lock Haven Hospital.

Beginning of April H. H. Gillette, a Snow Shoe truant officer who was hit over the head with a pick by Frank Bauman, died in the Lock Haven hospital on Tuesday from the injuries. Bauman has been in Bellefonte jail since the assault awaiting the result of the injuries which were regarded as very serious at the time they were inflicted. It appears several other men were also a party to the deed, at least indirectly.

Visiting Hours at Centre Co. Jail

Owing to the large number of visitors from all over the county to the Centre county Jail, Sheriff Taylor finds it necessary to set definite times for such visits so as not to interfere with the work of himself and deputy. The time set for visits is between the hours of two and four o'clock on Tuesday and Friday afternoons. At these times an officer will always be on hand who will be courteous and pleased to show you through the prison.

Gelsinger Hospital Patients.

Mrs. Alfred P. Krape, of Centre Hall, who has been in the Gelsinger Memorial Hospital, Danville, for about six weeks, during which time she underwent two operations, is not improving as rapidly as her friends anticipated, yet the hospital authorities continue to be optimistic and think she is gradually improving.

George W. Tressler, also of Centre Hall, is growing better day by day and is building on coming back home within a short time. He has been in the hospital for weeks during which time Mrs. Tressler visited the institution twice.

VAIN UNTIL WELL INTO AGE

Gray-Haired Men Far More Particular About Their Clothes Than Are the Young.

Somehow, when friend husband doesn't seem to look right in any of the suits the patient clerk hauls forth, wives are apt to forget their mates are no longer the youthful swain who came a-courtin' ten years or more ago.

Even though he may affect the younger models and gayer checks or stripes, the bulging waist, the doubled chin and the ever-so-slight-droop of the shoulders have sadly changed the original Apollonian lines which the fond wife still recognizes in her mate. Ready made, fashioned on perfect wooden models, have a way of accentuating the middle-aged wearer's defects. Therefore, the tailor is called upon to exercise his craftiness by practicing deceptions to conceal the ugly faults, says the New York Sun.

The narrow double-breasted model does much to hide an unsightly abdomen. A bit of cotton will straighten the drooping shoulders, but the double chin is there to stay; no "trick of the trade" will conceal it. That is why a tailor will tell you that the gray-haired man is fussier about his clothes than the young chap. From his advent into the "cake eater" stage until the time he has

reconciled to a comfortable old age, it is not immune from the vanity which so distinctly characterizes the features of middle age. He is "as proud as the peacock" which remains in hiding until his new full feathers have grown to the "sweeping" length. Would the "faded" color of his hair leaving the house unaltered?

It is the prying of the husband that causes the wife to spend hours at her mirror "fixing up" in a competitive effort.

FIRE ENGINE CHIEF MOURNER

Seen Recently in Funeral Procession at Washington, and the Explanation is Simple.

Washington has seen many unusual sights, remarks the Star, but from its beginning as "that Indian place" to its now nearly half-million people, only once has it witnessed a fire engine as chief mourner at the funeral of a private citizen—chief mourner, girded around with crepe and rumbling along from house to cemetery, tolling its muffled dirge every step of the way. It was an interesting story to hear about, which is why it is passed along:

The funeral was that of Henry Addison, who, for twenty-two years, was mayor of Georgetown. The mayor was master of Georgetown during the Lincoln administration; also police and school commissioner and likewise head of the Georgetown fire department. The engine that featured his solemn passing was named the Henry Addison—with every fireman in the engine house for a godfather.

PROPOSAL FOR THE EXCAVATION FOR AND CONSTRUCTION OF A NEW HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING FOR THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF CENTRE HALL BORO.

Sealed proposals will be received by the Board of School Directors of the Centre Hall School District up to eleven o'clock A. M. on FRIDAY, MAY 16, 1924, at the office of the Secretary of the School Board in Centre Hall, Pennsylvania, for the excavation for, and the complete construction of a new High School Building, for the School District of the Borough of Centre Hall, Pennsylvania.

The bids will be publicly opened immediately at the above stated hour.

All of the work to be performed according to the plans and specifications on file in the office of the Secretary of the School Board.

Copies of the plans and specifications may be secured from the Secretary of the School Board upon payment of \$5.00. A certified check for \$500.00 must accompany each bid, subject to the usual rules of forfeiture.

The School Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

E. E. BAILEY,
Secretary Board of School Directors

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