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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.

Sunday Church Services

PENNS VALLEY LUTHERAN CHURCH
(Rev. S. F. Greenhoe, Pastor)
Writ Sunday Services at—
Centre Hall, 10:30 A. M.
Georges Valley, 2:30 P. M.
Georges Valley, 7:30 P. M.
The theme, "The Church's Greatest Need."

FRESHYTERIAN

(Rev. J. M. Kirkpatrick, Pastor)
Centre Hall—9:30 A. M.; S. S., 10:30 A. M.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL

(Rev. C. E. Hazen, Pastor)
Centre Hall—9:30 A. M.; S. S., 10:30 A. M.
Sprucetown—Preaching at 11 A. M.
Sunday School at 9:45.
Spring Mills—Baccalaureate sermon by Dr. David DeForest, bureau of Williamsport, at 7:30 P. M.; Sunday School at 9:30 A. M.

TRINITY REFORMED.

(Rev. Deias R. Keener, Pastor)
Centre Hall—
8:30 Sunday School.
7:15 Organ Recital.
7:30 Baccalaureate service for the 1925 Class of Centre Hall High school.
Tusseyville—
9:30 Sunday School.
10:30 Church services.

EVANGELICAL

(Rev. Floyd A. Huff, Pastor)
Centre Hall—
Regular worship at 10:30 A. M.
Egg Hill—
Regular worship at 2 1/2 P. M.
Lemont—
Regular worship at 7:30 P. M.

EVANGELICAL, SPRING MILLS

(Rev. E. E. Haney, Pastor)
Locust Grove—S. S. at 9:30; services at 10:30.
Paradise—S. S. at 9:30; preaching 7:00.
Children's Day services at Locust Grove, June 7.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

For Judge of Courts of Centre County
I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of judge of the Courts of Centre county, subject to the decision of the Democratic voters as expressed at the primary election to be held in 1925. Your vote, influence and whole-hearted support is most earnestly and respectfully solicited in the event of my nomination, and finally my election in November, I solemnly pledge a courteous, prompt honest and efficient administration.—
W. HARRISON WALKER, Bellefonte, Pa.

For Judge of Courts of Centre County
I am a candidate for President Judge of the Court of Common Pleas, subject to the decision of the Democratic voters at the primaries, Tuesday, September 15th. Should I be nominated and elected, I will bring to the office an experience in the trial of causes, and in the general practice of law in our local and appellate courts, of more than thirty-three years; and an administration conducted with fidelity, economy and to the best of my ability. Your support and influence in my behalf will be much appreciated.
NEWTON B. SPANGLE, Lewisburg, Pa.

For Judge of Courts of Centre County
As a candidate I respectfully announce: That if it be the pleasure of the Democratic women and men voters of our county to nominate me for the Office of Judge of our Courts at the September 15, 1925, Primaries, I shall appreciate it highly.
And if it be the will of our voters to elect me to said Office at the general election, I shall consider it as a call of duty to serve all of our citizens in a practical, impartial, just and economic manner without fear or favor; and shall maintain our laws by example, as well as by precept, governed by no uncertain principles which our sincerely patriotic citizens demand from all public officials.
I sincerely trust that I may have YOUR hearty cooperation.
J. KENNEDY JOHNSTON.

The Baccalaureate sermon to the Centre Hall High school seniors will be preached by Rev. Deias R. Keener, in the Reformed church, Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

MEETS DEATH FROM BLOOD POISONING

Marion Wilcox, Millheim School Girl, Victim—Passed Away Monday.

After suffering greatly for a week due to blood poisoning, Marion Wilcox died Monday afternoon at her home in Millheim. About ten days previous to her death the fourteen-year-old school girl cut the inner part of her upper lip with a piece of a phonograph needle. It was just a slight wound and little was thought of it at the time it happened. In a few days, however, a swelling began, followed by most excruciating pains. A physician was summoned and every means at hand applied to relieve distress, but without the desired results. Not only the lips and face became swollen, but the entire upper portion of the body, presenting a pitiable spectacle. During the last days of her life the organs became so much affected that the child could neither see nor speak. Pain! Pain! until death came to her relief. The girl was a daughter of John (now deceased) and Ida Wilcox. Besides the mother, a brother and two sisters survive. Interment will be made in Millheim this (Thursday) afternoon.

DEATHS.

NOLL—Lydia R. Noll, wife of Lambert Noll, died at her home at Dewart, Sunday evening at 6:30. Deceased was formerly Miss Lydia R. Hennigh, daughter of David and Mary Hennigh, and was born near Centre Hall on what is now the J. H. Detweiler farm, Feb. 15, 1843, making her age 82 years, 3 months and 9 days. Short funeral services were held at the home Wednesday morning, after which the body was taken to Millheim for burial at 12:00 o'clock noon.

Besides the husband there survive two sons and two daughters, namely: Mrs. Charles Sheffer, Dewart; Mrs. Harry Foresman, Watsontown; Elmer G. Noll, Philadelphia, and Frank, of Altoona. S. P. Hennigh, of Centre Hall, is a half-brother, and Mrs. Elizabeth Vonada, of Hershey, a half-sister.

STAMM—Mrs. Leah Stamm was born near Colyer, Centre county, June 13, 1845, and died at the home of S. V. Jordan May 4, 1925, aged 79 years, 10 months and 21 days. Her early life was spent in Pennsylvania. In 1862 her family moved to Bloomfield, Indiana, living on a farm there until the year 1866 when the family moved to Northern Illinois, near McConnell, and that vicinity was her home from that early day to this.

In the year 1866 she was united in marriage to Adam F. Stamm, making that community their home and the United Brethren church their church home. Her husband preceded her in death four years ago. Since that time she lived alone until the last brief illness when she was taken to the home of S. V. Jordan where everything was done to relieve her, but of no avail. Monday evening May 4 she quietly passed to the great beyond. She is the last of her immediate family, but leaves to mourn a host of relatives and friends.

BAILEY—At her home near the Cryder school house, Sinking Valley, Mrs. Elizabeth Stamm Fromm Bailey, wife of J. C. Bailey, died. She was a daughter of John K. and Mary Peters Fromm, both deceased, and was born at Pleasant Gap, August 11, 1872. On October 18, 1909, she was united in marriage to Mr. Bailey, who survives her with four children: Misses Mildred A. and Dorothy G., Russell A. and William H., both at home. These brothers and sisters survive: Charles A. Fromm, of Bellefonte; Mrs. Viola E. Gentzel, of Pleasant Gap; Mrs. Jennie M. Bailey, of Martinsburg; W. C. Fromm, of Tyrone; Mrs. Anna Mabel Dietrich, of Millheim. Funeral services were held at the home. The body was taken to Pine Grove Mills for interment.

Memorial Services.

Memorial services will be held Saturday, May 30, at Farmers Mills at 10:30 A. M., and at Georges Valley at 1:30 P. M. Music by the Spring Mills band will be a special feature at the Georges Valley church.

SOME PAPERS AND PROHIBITION

A good many newspapers that harp daily on what they characterize as "the failure of prohibition" were among the outspoken opponents of prohibition in the days when the corner saloon flourished and the American brewery was a going concern.

These papers, or many of them, have wanted prohibition to fail. And the reflection is inevitable that if the press of the country had given cordial support to the prohibition acts—if it had upheld prohibition because it was the law of the land and not sneered at because the laws themselves did not meet with the editorial approval—there would be a different order of things in the country today.

The prohibition law is entitled to respect because the citizen owes that duty to his government and society, and he owes it in the matter of every law. Those he thinks he has the right to violate as well as those he contends the other fellow should respect.

The Centre Hall High school baseball team met with two reverses during the past week, both at the hands of the State College High. Both were shutouts, 7-0 and 9-0.

For Jury Commissioner.

We are authorized to announce that James C. Condo, of Gregg township, is a candidate for nomination for Jury Commissioner on the Democratic ticket, subject to the primaries of the party to be held Tuesday, Sept. 15th. Mr. Condo will appreciate your support and assures faithful and honorable service should he be nominated and elected to that office.

LIGHTNING FIRES BARN.

Horse, Mules, Cows and Implements Destroyed by Flames—Property of Frank Royer, in Haines Township—No Insurance.

A flash of lightning, during the severe electrical and rain storm, on Saturday night, set on fire the farm barn belonging to Frank Royer, two miles North of Woodward, in Haines township. The barn, a structure of about 35 by 50 feet, was entirely consumed, as was also all its contents. There was housed in the barn for the night, one horse, three mules, and five cows, a threshing machine and other farm implements. Also, hay, straw and grain. No insurance was carried by Mr. Royer.

The Royer family were at Woodward on Saturday evening, and the first intimation they had of the conflagration was when they saw great tongues of fire leap in the air in the direction of their home. They were fearful that their home was being destroyed, and at once set to save it if they could, but, of course, arrived too late to salvage anything from the barn. The wind came in a favorable direction, and this avoided the destruction of the house, located nearby the burning barn.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Edgar W. Miller.....Colyer
Ada Grace Neese.....Millheim
H. Malcolm Musser.....Bellefonte
S. Nellie Ishler.....State College
Earl Warren Hosterman.....Aaronsburg
Marian A. Smith.....Phillipsburg
Simon C. Hartle.....Phillipsburg
Alice M. Eisenhauer.....Grass Flat
Emil Rode.....Munson
Matilda Gease.....Phillipsburg

Report of the Regional Institute at Spring Mills.

The Regional Institute of the Evangelical church of the Lewisburg district of this section was held at Spring Mills, May 22nd. The presiding officer was Rev. H. C. Kieffle, of Millheim; he also had charge of the devotional service in the afternoon. The attendance and offering were the largest of the four institutes of this district.

Rev. Kieffle made the announcements with explanations. The League of the Central Pennsylvania conference are endeavoring to raise \$3,000 to help in the erection of the Dr. Kreckler Memorial church in Japan.

Rev. C. C. Bailey of Milton gave an inspired talk on "Ways to Secure and Strengthen Teen-Agers in Sunday-school and E. L. C. E. Work." His two main points on which his talk was based were, first—give them a true conception of the Christian religion, and have a special program for them; second, make them feel their responsibility and let them share in promoting the Christian program in the school, church and state. The challenge, attraction and appeal of the young are different, and in order to gain them, their point of view must be gotten. Uphold to them the virtue, truth and goodness of the vital Christian life, so they become willing followers of Christ. Develop their social life through the church as they are socially inclined. The schools do not furnish the four-fold development of social, moral, physical and spiritual, so the church must furnish what the school does not.

Get them interested in the church through their social life. Rev. Haney, of Spring Mills, spoke on "The Necessity of Accurate Reports and Records." Rev. Warburton, of Rebersburg, spoke on "The Workers Council." Rev. Huff, of Centre Hall, on "Committees of the E. L. C. E." The benediction was pronounced by Rev. Kamball, of Loganton.

The delegates and ministers were royally entertained during the intermission at supper time. The song service in the evening was in charge of Rev. C. C. Bailey. Rev. Mumey had charge of the devotion. The Coburn Evangelical orchestra rendered excellent music.

Rev. Bailey made the announcement of "The School of Religious Education and annual Sunday-school and E. L. C. E. convention" at Central Oak Heights. All ministers, officials and prospective leaders are eligible to this school.

Rev. George F. Schaum, of Sunbury, gave an address on youth. He used as a basis for his remarks this topic, "The Rapture of the Forward View." The past has nothing for the youth, as their experimental knowledge is limited. Faith and hope enter into their lives. The life planning is done in youth; for good or bad. The greatest piece of work any church can do is the work of training youth; its first obligation is to childhood and youth. Youth is enraptured; it is a joy to live now, and more golden opportunities present themselves for the investment of their lives to good and noble causes than ever before. The summit is reached through the twin impulses of enthusiasm and endurance. The benediction was pronounced by Rev. Schaum.

16,647 Deaths Cut Civil War Pensions

The pension roll of the Government was decreased during the past six months by the death of 16,631 Civil War veterans and 6,915 widows of Civil War veterans, according to a tabulation made public a few days ago.

Only eighteen Mexican War veterans now remain on the pension roll.

GRAIN MARKET.

(Corrected Weekly by Bradford & Co.)
Wheat\$1.80
Corn 1.20
Oats50
Rye 1.10
Baled Hay13.50
Straw 8.00
Purina Chick Startena.....\$4.75
Baby Chick Chow..... 4.00
Shelled Corn and Oats Chop.....2.75
White Middings 2.50
Bran 2.25

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ECONOMIES IN TELEPHONE OPERATION
THE system of this company has grown from two telephones to nearly a million in Pennsylvania in less than fifty years.
Such growth of a necessary service, constantly increasing in scope and efficiency, is not surprising. But there's an element in it that is.
The single telephone is not a self-sufficient unit. It must be tied to every other one in the community, and beyond.
A growth of a hundred telephones, or a thousand, means a disproportionate growth in many elements of the telephone plant, and similarly in the volume and complexity of the interconnecting equipment and operation.
It has more than once been said that the successful conduct of a telephone business can be continued "only so long as two plus two can be made to equal something less than four."
And it is a fact that the otherwise natural consequences of this great growth would long ago have swamped the service, placing it far beyond the average reach, had it not been for constant economy coming from invention, development, increased efficiencies and capacities, effective short-cuts—altogether, the scientific improvement of the telephone equipment and its operation in the direction of economy.
Complexity is a constant lash in the furnishing of telephone service—but to good purpose.
THE BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF PENNSYLVANIA