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Sunday Church Services

PENN'S VALLEY LUTHERAN CHURCH (Rev. S. F. Greenhoe, Pastor) Divine services at— Farmers Mills, 9:30 A. M. Centre Hall, 11:00 A. M. Georges Valley, 2:30 P. M.

TRINITY REFORMED. (Rev. Delas R. Keener, Pastor) Centre Hall— 9:30 Sunday School. 10:30 Church services. Tusseyville— 1:30 Sunday School. 3:30 Church Services.

EVANGELICAL (Rev. W. E. Smith, Pastor.) Tusseyville— Regular worship at 10:30 A. M.

EGG HILL— Regular worship at 2:30 P. M. Children's Day will be observed on June 5th at Centre Hall; Tusseyville, June 12th, and Lemoine, June 19th at 7:30 P. M.

PRESBYTERIAN (Rev. J. M. Kirkpatrick, Pastor) The Presbyterians will dispense with services on Sunday evening to attend the Baccalaureate service.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL (Rev. C. E. Hazen, Pastor) Sprucecreek—S. S. at 10:30; preaching at 9:30 A. M. Spring Mills—S. S. 9:30; public worship at 11 A. M. Centre Hall—S. S. 9:30; Baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class of Centre Hall High school at 7:30 in the Reformed church. Rev. Hazen will preach. Don't forget the festival on the church lawn at Spring Mills on the evening of Memorial Day.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

DEMOCRATIC FOR JUDGE OF THE 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 September 20, 1927. Your vote, influence and wholehearted 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. HARKINS WALKER, Bellefonte, Pa.

To the Democratic Voters of Centre County: I am a candidate for the office of Judge of your Courts, subject to your decision at the primaries—September 20, 1927. Sincerely yours, W. D. ZERBY.

FOR SHERIFF We are authorized to announce that H. E. SHRECKENGAST, of Centre Hall Borough, is a candidate for the nomination of Sheriff of Centre county, subject to the decision of the voters of the Democratic party, as expressed at the Primary election.

FOR TREASURER We are authorized to announce that L. L. SMITH, of Centre Hall Borough, is a candidate for the nomination of Treasurer of Centre county, subject to the decision of the voters of the Democratic party, as expressed at the Primary election.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER We are authorized to announce that John M. Spearly will be a candidate for the nomination for County Commissioner on the Democratic ticket, subject to the decision of the voters of the party as expressed at the primaries on Sept. 20, 1927.

PROTHONOTARY Please announce my name as a candidate for the office of Prothonotary of Centre county, subject to the decision of the voters at the Republican primaries to be held September 20th, 1927. Very truly yours, M. WARD FLEMING.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE In the Estate of ELIZABETH SHIRK, late of Centre Hall Borough, Centre County, Pa., deceased. Letters testamentary on above estate having been duly granted the undersigned, all persons knowing themselves indebted to the estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them duly authenticated for settlement. W. FRANK BRADFORD, Exec., Centre Hall, Pa.

DEATHS

KERN.—After being confined to bed for more than two years, Mrs. Susan Kern died at her home near Anronsburg on Thursday of last week, aged 72 years. Interment was made on Monday. She is survived by a son, Charles E. Kern, with whom she had her home. Her husband, Oscar Lewis Kern, died September 18th of last year.

WOLF.—John Clifford Wolf, son of Lamey and Carrie I. (Stover) Wolf, died at Livonia, aged 17 years, 9 months and 26 days. He was a student in the Rebersburg High school and was identified with many of the school and community activities in which youths participate. Death was due to pleuro-pneumonia. Interment was made at Rebersburg. Robert L. Williamsport; Woodrow W. and Helen E., at home, are surviving brothers and sister.

WEAVER.—Arlene, aged 3 years, 3 months and 11 days, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bloomer Weaver, living along Sinking Creek, below Centre Hill, died in the Centre County hospital Wednesday evening from acute nephritis. The child had been suffering from this disease which affects the kidneys, for several months, and as a last resort was taken to the hospital only a few hours before death came. Funeral services were held Saturday morning; burial in the Lutheran cemetery in Georges Valley.

KERLIN.—Peter S. Kerlin, eighty-nine, was born at Somerset, Pa., August 27, 1837, married Susan D. Bibeck at Cedarville, Ill., May 17, 1869, died at Lincoln, Nebraska, May 4. His wife died at their home near Raymond, Nebraska, in 1915. He is survived by his daughter, Mrs. Fannie E. Griggs, of Lincoln, Neb.; three sons, William W. of Sulphur Springs, Ark.; Henry B., of Omaha, Nebraska, and Charles W., of White River, S. D., and five grandchildren. He was station agent for the Illinois Central railroad at Lena, Ill., from 1865 to 1882, then moving to his farm two miles north of Raymond, and living there until 1919, when he sold his farm and moved to Raymond. He had been an invalid since 1918.

The deceased was a son of Peter Kerlin, one of the early settlers in Potter township, and an uncle of A. E. Kerlin, of Centre Hall. In the early sixties, Mr. Kerlin conducted a store in Fillmore, this county.

FOSS.—Miriam C. Foss, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. F. H. Foss, recently of Bellefonte, died at 11 o'clock Saturday night at the Altoona hospital of appendicitis after several days illness. Miss Foss remained in Bellefonte when her parents moved to Lee's Cross Roads, Cumberland county, in March. She was born August 24, 1905, and is survived by her parents, five brothers and three sisters: T. S. Foss and Miss Vivian, of Bellefonte; D. H. Foss, of Shamokin; Mrs. H. B. DeArment, of Howard; Abbott, Herbert, Paul and Mildred, all at home. The body was taken to the home of T. S. Foss, 321 Blair street, Bellefonte, from where funeral services were held Tuesday, with Rev. I. E. Spangler, presiding elder of the Carlisle district, officiating, assisted by Rev. J. H. Furner of the Bellefonte church.

The deceased will be recalled by many Reporter readers as a member of the Foss family when the father was pastor of the local Evangelical church. Application has been made to the county court for the dissolution of the charter of the Centre and Clearfield street railway company, and when granted service by that company will be discontinued. The line runs between Phillipsburg and Winburne and was built in 1903 by capital furnished by Phillipsburg residents. The road is now owned by the Penn Public Service Company.

James G. Harvey, mayor of Hazelton, rules that traffic rules must be obeyed by councilmen of that city as well as by other persons, and as a result ordered that a councilman be brought before him for trial for a traffic violation. That makes Hazelton different from some other towns we know of when it comes to enforcing traffic laws.

COMMENCEMENT SEASON. The commencement season is here—the time when proud parents rejoice at the achievements of their children, the time when boys and girls feel a tinge of sadness, yet a sense of relief, that the hard work of their high school course is over.

Commencement for the average student means entry into the world of practical affairs and to the small majority the beginning of a new experience in college that may make or mar their lives. The event with its stimulating contact of youth and those who are older occupies a place worthy the distinction which it receives.

All of the elements that are a part of education have never been classified. They are too difficult and too numerous to analyze. The process does not end on commencement day as the term implies. It is only the beginning of a larger and fuller life. We have grown to know better, though, what education means and the great purpose it serves. The mastery of one's mind and a sound and wholesome view of life are the great ends sought. Education has been defined as the "determined and long-continued effort of a serious minded person to train his powers of observation, thinking and reflection through gain in knowledge." Success in the endeavor makes character.

We are apt to judge education by its by-products which, of course, are essential. Efficiency in one's work in life is a manifestation. Certainly efficiency is made more probable with a good education as a groundwork. This hope is high—and a commendable hope it is—at the end of the academic course. Those who have had the commencement experience, however, think less of that outcome than the purpose which it serves in character building and providing a sane perspective, which is increased as the years pass.

STATE COMPILES NEW HIGHWAY LAWS

Brief Mention of Acts Affecting Average Motorist and Taxpayers—License Fees Diverted from Ordinary Channels.

The Pennsylvania Motor Federation has compiled a list of thirty-eight highway laws created by the Legislature of 1927. These relate to roads, and registration and the operation of motor vehicles and the licensing of motorcar drivers. The codification of all laws relating to the operation of motor vehicles and the registration of operators was the most important of the series. The omnibus road bill, adding 1400 miles to the State Highway system, was also important, each county being affected. Another vital piece of legislation was the joint resolution, adopted for the second time, which provides for a further amendment to the Constitution enabling the Commonwealth to issue an additional \$50,000,000 of road bonds. This question will be placed before the voters in November, 1928.

The Legislature also increased the gasoline tax. This increase is from two to three cents a gallon. Two bills relating to this tax were passed and approved by the Governor. The first enacting the provisions of the act of 1925, increasing the tax to three cents, and the other bringing all consumers into the taxing class and providing for the registration of all dealers. Other laws enacted, this year were: Appropriating \$150,000 from the motor license fund for the rebuilding of county bridges destroyed by flood, these bridges to be on State highways. Authorizing County Commissioners of two counties to join in placing light on county bridges.

Providing that motor license fund receipts be used for the repair of all inter-state bridges over the Delaware River from Morrisville, Bucks county, to Milford, Pike county. Appropriating \$250,000 from the motor license fund to the Public Service Commission for the payment of the Commonwealth's share of the cost of grade-crossing elimination. Prohibiting the stopping of motor vehicles by officers of other persons for the purpose of selling tickets or other form of solicitation.

Providing that counties shall pay the cost of the removal of certain structures located within the lines of relocated State highways. Providing that the Secretary of Highways may close and abandon vacated portions of State highways following relocations less than half a mile in length. Extending the period in which the State Highway Department may go upon private property for the purpose of erecting snow fences.

Authorizing the Department of Highways to designate State Highways by letter or by name. Providing that highways abandoned as State highway routes revert for maintenance to the parties originally responsible. Providing that the State Highway Department pay 65 per cent of State-aid cost in counties of the seventh and eighth classes. Providing that counties may charge tolls on acquired or constructed toll bridges.

Appropriating \$40,000 for the construction of certain county bridges. Empowering the Department of Highways to acquire certain toll bridges. Appropriating \$4,000,000 for township rewards, \$5,000,000 for State-aid and \$500,000 for roads in counties of the first class.

Remove Trustees. An amendment to the Pinchot administration code passed by the legislature and signed by Governor Fisher, provides for the removal from office every member of boards of trustees of State institutions. The Governor will then appoint new trustees. Under this measure Mrs. Elizabeth B. Beach, Bellefonte, will lose her trusteeship in the State Industrial Home for Women, at Muncy, and Miss Mary Blanchard, also of Bellefonte—an Industrial Reformatory (Huntingdon) trustee, will be obliged to vacate.

The Phillipsburg State Hospital comes under the class of institutions covered by the measure. The trustees are Samuel H. Wigton, Senator Harry B. Scott, Mrs. Emma Warfel Womelsdorf, Mrs. Mary Louise Runk, Phillipsburg; Robert H. Sommerville, Winburne; Charles B. Maxwell, Morrisdale; William E. Gallagher, Houtdale; Mrs. Blanche Corneley, Madera. One vacancy remains on this board.

The generous gift of \$50,000 from Mrs. Timothy S. Clark, makes the \$450,000 Young Woman's Association building in Williamsport assured. The whole amount has now been subscribed.

Brick, Sand, Lime and Cement. Please remember when preparing to do new building or repair work, that we are at all times well stocked with the best grades of brick, sand, lime and cement. Compare our prices with others.—McClellan's Grain House, Centre Hall.

Monthly Report of Centre County Cow Testing Association.

Table with 4 columns: Name, Milk (lbs.), Fat (%), Butterfat (lbs.). Includes entries for Harold Brungart, Fred Tate, Peters Bros., etc.

WEEK-END PROGRAM OF PHOTO-PLAYS AT—

Scenic & Moose Theatre Where the BETTER Pictures are Shown BELLEFONTE

AT THE SCENIC TODAY (WEDNESDAY)

"MATINEE LADIES"—The romance of a cigarette girl and a "Gigolo," who worked his way thru college by dancing with rich ladies who paid, and paid, and paid. Very beautifully and lavishly produced with a combination of two good stars. The question is: Are you a matinee lady? Come and see it.

Admission 10 and 25 cents. THURSDAY

METRO-GOLDWYN PRESENTS "THE BOY FRIEND"

with Marceline Day, Ward Crane, John Harron and Gertrude Astor. Laughs, thrills, throbs. A great screen comedy. Take the girl friend to see the picture that will give you the laugh of your life. A bashful boy—a book on how to make love—a scheme to win a girl that goes all wrong and then all right again, in spite of him.

No extra admission—10 and 25c. FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

FIRST NATIONAL PRESENTS "LET IT RAIN"

with Douglas Maclean and Shirley Mason. Positively a genuine, natural and personally guaranteed by us to be One GREAT COMEDY. Be sure to see it by all means.

GIANT SPECIALS ON THE WAY.

Billie Dove and Ben Lyon in "The Tender Hour." Rod La Roque and Dolores Del Rio in "Resurrection."

Charley Murray and George Sidney in "Lost at the Front."

John Barrymore in "Don Juan." Sid Chaplin in "The Better Ole."

Norma Talmadge in "Camille." Edmund Lowe in "What Price Glory."

John Barrymore in "When a Man Loves."

Advertisement for Aucker's Closing-Out Sale. Includes text: "Don't Miss the Last Days of Aucker's Closing-Out Sale... LAST DAY--SAT. MAY 28 Store Will Close With Having AUCTION from 7 P. M. to 10 P. M. AUCKER'S Department Store MILLHEIM"

Advertisement for Fetterolf's Garage. Includes text: "If you belong among the particular buyers of low-priced cars the Star is specifically designed for you. Out of every one hundred buyers of motor cars eighty-five purchase low-priced cars. Although most of these eighty-five buy because of low cost alone, there are the select few who also insist upon style and smartness. It is for these that the Star is built. It is intentionally a proud car for proud buyers. All we ask is that you DRIVE A STAR before you decide that any other low-priced car is 'just as good.' Then buy the car that suits you best. Fours and Sixes Fetterolf's Garage CENTRE HALL"