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FAILURES INCREASING DURING COOLIDGE "PROSPERITY"

"Profitless Prosperity" Ventilated In Senate—Farming, Shipping and Coal Interests In Dire Distress.

In the face of claims of nation-wide and general prosperity under the Coolidge administration, the upward curve of commercial failures continues with increases shown in the report of R. G. Dun & Co. for the last week in January and for the month.

As shown by the Dun report for the last week of January there were 646 faiures for the week, an increase of 38 over the preceding week and of 49 over the corresponding week of 1926.

For the month of January, the report showed a total of 2.643 failures, the largest number in any month since January, 1922, although there was a falling off of eight per cent. in the total of liabilities as compared with January 1927. The January failures involved liabilities of $47.634.411. The January total of failures was 22 per cent greater than the number during December, when there were 2,162 defaults, and seven per cent greater than during January 1927, when the number was 2.465.

It is regarded as significant that while the number of commercial insolvencies is steadily growing in the United States, the number in Canada is steadily diminishing

The "profitless prosperity" of the Coolidge Administration was the subject of debate in the Senate last week, during which Senator Johnson, California, Republican, and Senator Copeland, New York, Democrat, pictured the plight of the soft-coal industry, with 250.000 miners, more than one-third the number of soft-coal miners, out of employment. Senator Walsh, of Massachusetts, entered the debate to request Senator Copeland that "he not fail to inquire of some Senator on the other (Republican) side of the chamber where is the prosperity of which the majority party has boasted. Since the beginning of the present session we have had pointed out to us the dire distress among the farming interests; next we were informed that the shipping interests had collapsed; and today we are informed by the Republican side from the Senators in whose States this industry is located, that the coal-mining industry is bankrupt. I hope before the session adjourns some Senator on the other (Republican) side will indicate some industry which is actually and really prosperous."

Loysville Band Coming.

The several congregations comprising the Penns Valley Lutheran charge have accepted the offer of the Loysville Orphans' Home management to permit the boys' band to come here June 14th, Flag Day. No definite arrangements have been made, but it is likely that the charge picnic will be revived. The band has not been here for seven years.

Knitting Mill for Milroy.

The Penns Valley Hosiery Mills, Incorporated, broke ground on the Ned Thompson tract in Mechanics street, Milroy, for the first unit of their new building. They will knit and loop hosiery and finish at Millheim.

The buildings will be of steel and brick construction, forty-one by one hundred feet, one story, and cost $25,000. The plant must be in operation by April 1st. A second unit will be started immediately on the completion of the first. Electric power will be used and they will start operation with one hundred and fifty workers.

Pennsylvania's Largest Oak.

Between Barrville and Belleville, in Mifflin county, it is claimed stands the largest oak tree in the State. One foot above the ground the tree measures 26 feet, eight inches in circumference, and is 80 feet high.

The tree has been named for Robert Campbell, said to have been the second settler in Kishacoquillas Valley, and who in 1773 erected a rude shelter under its branches while he constructed a log cabin.

Two New Attorneys for Centre.

Philip J. Johnston passed the State board of law examination and is now qualified to practice before the local court and the State Supreme Court, and will be admitted to the bar in the near future. He will become a partner of his father, J. Kennedy Johnston, in the practice of law.

John T. Taylor is also ready to be admitted to the bar and will open an office in State College in the First National bank building.

ALBRIGHT A MOST HONORED NAME

Under the terms of union agreed upon as a sequel to the merger of the Evangelical and United Evangelical churches, Albright college at Myerstown is to be merged with Schuylkill college at Reading.

It is to the credit of the trustees of the two institutions, that although they have decided that the combined college shall be located at Reading and use the plant of Schuylkill college, it shall bear the name of Albright, for Albright is a name which is worthy of honor and perpetuation not only by the Evangelical church but by the people of Pennsylvania.

Jacob Albirght, itinerant preacher, born in Pennsylvania, founded the Evangelical church and was its first bishop. The denomination which he established has spread into various parts of the world, but it remains especially strong in Pennsylvania.

The passing of Albright college at Myerstown will cause some regret among those who have personal reasons for feeling an affection toward it, but these will share in satisfaction that the merger will give to the denomination not only a larger and more impressive educational institution, but a bigger memorial to the founder as well.

$3,250,000 IS RAISED FOR MINISTERS' PENSIONS

A total of $3.250,000 with 10 Synods going "over the top," was reported in the $4.000,000 pension fund campaign in the United Lutheran Church at the general headquarters in Philadelphia, Wednesday of last week. Philadelphia conferences of both the Pennsylvania Ministerium and the East Pennsylvania Synod have also exceeded their quotas, while the East Pennsylvania Synod, with a total report of $245,127, was the first synod in Pennsylvania to pass its quota.

The ten synods with their sums and quotas are: East Penn'a, $245,590, quota, $245.000; New York-New England, $198,000, quota, $135,000; Allegheny, $128,700, quota, $128,700; Northwest, $134,000, quota, $102.000; Michigan, $68,000, quota, $63,000; California, $30,000, quota, $28,000; Georgia, $26,000, quota, $20,000; Pacific, $12,500, quota, $12,300; Rocky Mountain, $11,8000, quota, $10,600; and Mississippi, $2900, quota, $2200.

Joint Vocational School.

Three districts in Sugar Valley have decided to change the course of instruction from the academic to the vocational by September 1st. The school will be located in Loganton borough. At a meeting held a few days ago four students from the Belleville Vocational school gave demonstrations of the work done there.

A committee of two directors of each school district was appointed to outline the plans and work out the details for the installation of the new course. Those appointed were: Dr. M. D. Campbell, R. D. Douty, of Loganton; John Shreckengast, Ralph Welshans, Logan township; J. E. Jameson and D. W. Markle, of Green township.

New State Highways

The Centre County Commissioners have received notice from the State Highway Department that on July 1st three stretches of road in the county totaling 23.679 feet, will be taken over by the State as secondary highways. These roads connect present State highways and are practically the only available arteries between the northern and southern sections of the county, without going many miles around.

One stretch runs from Millheim to Nittany, another from Hublersburg to Howard, while the third runs to Karthaus on the line of Centre and Clearfield counties.

New Head for Susquehanna.

Rev. G. Morris Smith, pastor of the Lutheran church of the Redeemer, of Buffalo, N. Y., will be the new head of Susquehanna University.

The board of directors elected him to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the Rev. Dr. Charles T. Aikens last June.

The Rev. Mr. Smith, who is 37, is a graduate of Mt. Airy Theological Seminary, Philadelphia, and a brother of Dr. Charles A. Smith, president of Roanoke college.

Veteran Jurist Dead.

Judge Laird H. Barber, 80 who presided over the fifty-sixth judicial district for fourteen years, died at Mauch Chunk. Judge Barber served in various public offices, including a term in congress in 1899-1901. He was born at Mifflinburg and was graduated from Lafayette College in 1871. He taught school for ten years, then took up law practice.

Judge Increases Pay.

Through an action of Judge Fleming, the salary of Juvenile Court Officer C. C. Shuey has been increased from $25 to $35 per month.

The Judge also allowed an increase from 50 cents to 70 cents per day for boarding prisoners in jail, and issued a rule permitting Sheriff Harry E Dunlap to charge the latter sum.

For many years but 25 cents per day was allowed for boarding prisoners. Later there was an advance to 35 cents, then to 50 cents, and now to 70 cents.

CHAIR CLAIMS 6TH FOR SLAYING POLICEMEN IN PHILAD'A

Death of Lockett at Rockview, Monday, Sets Grim Record for a Year. —Identified By His Victim.

When Frank Edward Lockett, a Philadelphia negro, went to the electric chair at Rockview Monday morning, he was the sixth man electrocuted within a year for the murder of Philadelphia policemen.

The first to go were the four Olney bank bandits, Joseph Curry, Harry Bentley, William Juliana and Frank Doris, electrocuted on March 7, 1927, for the murder of Patrolman Harry M. Cooper. On January 9 of this year, William Meyers was put to death for the murder of Policeman Wm. E. Nook, and now Lockett went to his doom for killing Policeman Joseph E. Bell.

Lockett shot the officer when the latter remonstrated with him for ringing the bell of a house at 2 o'clock in the morning of December 11, 1926. Bell was fatally wounded and shortly before he died identified Lockett as the man who shot him. Lockett was tried in March, 1927, and convicted. An application for a new trial was refused and an appeal to the Supreme Court was also turned down. As a last resort his case was carried before the Board of Pardons last week, but his appeal for a commutation was refused.

Another Philadelphia Negro electrocuted on Monday was Frank Arnold, convicted for killing his common-law wife, Lottie Arnold, on the night of October 12, 1926. As in the case of Lockett, every means possible was resorted to to save his life, but without result. Arnold was 47 years old, and of the 179 men who have gone to the chair at Rockview, only five have been older, while two were of the same age.

THE DODDS HORSE SALE.

Twenty-four Head of the Twenty-Eight Animals Pass at An Average of $176.00.

Twenty-four of the twenty-eight Iowa horses offered at public sale by Robert Dodds, on Friday, were sold at an average price of 176. The remaining horses are in the hands of Charles Andrews, farmer, at Earlystown, for sale.

The sale was largely attended, but the bidding lagged. This is especially true when the class of horses on the block are considered. Young men made up the great majority of farmers or dealers, as the case may be, of those surrounding the auction block from where the familiar "O yes," O yes," of Auctioneer L. F. Mayes was heard, with C. D. Bartholomew, clerk.

Following is a list of purchasers and the prices paid:

Glenn Nolan, Nittany, team	$375.00
J. A. Witmer, Bellefonte	206.00
M. C. Deaney, Centre Hall	200.00
J. R. Bridenbaugh, Tyrone, team	402.50
Boyd Tice, Fleming, team	350.00
Lee Gunsallus, Nittany	200.00
P. H. Luse, Centre Hall	162.50
Guy Kocher, Nittany	215.00
B. W. Ripka, Centre Hall	175.00
A. O. Hosterman, Millheim, team	305.00
A. C. Keplar, P. G. Mills	200.00
J. E. Witmer, Bellefonte	140.00
David Gilliland, Oak Hall	145 00
Richard Brooks, Centre Hall, team	325.00
J. C. Yoder, Belleville, team	300.00
S. J. Peachy, Belleville	117.50
Nolan Bros., Nittany, team	400.00
Total	$4218.50

Extending Electric Service.

On Monday evening a meeting was held at the home of Harry McClenahan, which was attended by farmers west of Centre Hall, in the interest of extending electric service in the district immediately west of the intersection of the high power line with the Brush Valley road. The parties interested in the movement are Harry McClenahan, John Treaster, Robert W. Bloom, Daniel Bloom (tenant on the Bartholomew farm), Burton Fetterolf (tenant on the Heckman farm), Raymond Walker, Ralph Luse (tenant on the Burkholder farm), Roy Garbrick, Guy Brooks (tenant on the Brooks farm), and Richard Brooks.

It appears it has been agreed to build a line as far west as the William Brooks farm, which would also accommodate Roy Garbrick. Later measures may be taken to extend the line farther west.

Farmers in the Earlystown district are also flirting with the West Penn Power Company for service, and the result may be an extension of the prospective Brush Valley road line, beginning at the John Treaster farm and intersecting with the Boalsburg road at the Bartges and Spayd farms.

Keller Property Sold for $7010.

The Ephraim Keller property, on the northwest corner of the Pleasant Gap cross-roads, was sold on Saturday to A. S. Howard, agent for an oil company, for $7010. It is thought he was acting for the Independent Oil Company, and that that company has in mind the stablishing of an up to date filling station on the site. There were several other bidders, A. D. Smeltzer, whose wife is a daughter of the late Mr. Keller, also being a bidder, his last nod to the auctioneer meaning $7005.00.

Mr. Keller erected the dwelling house about twenty years ago, moving into it from the farm.

Pomona Grange Meeting.

J. Gross Shook, Master of Centre County Pomona Grange, has called a special meeting of the Pomona Grange to be held at State College, Saturday, March 3rd, at 1:30 P. M., in room 100 Horticultural Building. Officers for the ensuing year will be installed and other necessary business which may come before the Grange will be transacted.

W. F. Hill, Past Master of the Pennsylvania State Grange, will be the installing officer and is being assisted by an installation team from Penn State Grange. The Worthy Master requests that all officers elect be present as well as Patrons of Centre County Subordinate Granges.

E. H. DALE, Secretary.

Lewistown Policeman Injured.

Policeman Vicor Lingle, aged 37 years, located at Lewistown, was hit by a car driven by Joseph Stimley, in Lewistown, and badly injured. The policeman endeavored to stop Stimley, who is a humane officer for Mifflin and Juniata counties, and to do so was in the car to the front of the Stimley car and was hit. The injuries consisted of a fracture of the pelvic bone, a burst kidney and other internal injuries. Blood transfusion was necessary and Stimley was the second person to give a quart of blood. Stimley claimed his brakes refused to function properly.

S. H. Kern, of Reedsville, reported that two couples, evidently all under the influence of liquor, had dragged a woman who was screaming for help into an automobile and had driven off in the direction of Lewistown. Lingle was sent to Valley and Walnut streets at the foot of a steep hill, to hold up and search all cars for the alleged abductors. Stimley has been identified by Reedsville residents as the man who dragged the woman into the car.

Policeman Lingle is a son of David C. Lingle, who lived in Georges Valley, but later moved to Union county, and is now making his home with his daughter, Mrs. Jasper A. Wagner, at Spring Mills.

Mrs. Wagner and a brother drove to Lewistown on Sunday, and while they did not see the injured brother, hospital authorities informed them that he was holding his own.

Stimley is under arrest and is being held pending the outcome of the injuries to Mr. Lingle.

WOMEN LOYALLY SUPPORT CENTRE COUNTY HOSPITAL

The Womans Auxiliary of the Centre County Hospital, Through Their Secretary, Make Report for 1927.

The Woman's Auxiliary of the Centre County Hospital is composed of members from the different towns of Centre county, not including Rush township or Philipsburg. There are two kinds of members, active members who pay a membership of $1.00, and associate members who pay a fee of fifty cents. We now have a membership including both classes of approximately 900.

The Auxiliary is a very important branch of the Hospital. It supplies all linens used at the hospital and the Nurses' Home. From January 1st, 1927, to January 1st, 1928, the following linens were delivered to the hospital and Nurses' Home:

283 Sheets;
72 Pillow Cases;
3 Counterpanes;
84 Blankets;
18 Yards of Pillow Ticking;
2 Leather Pillows;
108 Bed Sheets;
10 Doctor's Gowns;
8 Nurses' Gowns;
140 Wash Cloths;
60 Huck Towels;
56 Turkish Towels;
120 Operating Towels;
10 Operating Points;
42 Ether Squares;
48 Abdominal Bands;
2 Delivery Jackets;
6 Covers for Carriers;
12 Covers for Wheel Chairs;
120 Diapers;
48 Baby Dresses;
24 Baby Shirts;
80 Tea Cloths;
9 Table Cloths;
60 Napkins;
82 Dresser Scarfs;
3 Pairs Scrim Curtains.

We have on hand the following linens to be delivered to the hospital as needed:

87 Sheets;
72 Pillow Cases;
33 Bed Shirts;
4 Doctors' Gowns;
4 Nurses' Gowns;
216 Wash Cloths;
143 Huck Towels;
75 Operating Towels;
4 Operating Points;
49 Ether Squares;
3 Abdominal Bands;
2 Delivery Jackets;
56 Diapers;
92 Tea Cloths;
5 Table Cloths;
67 Napkins.

The Auxiliary furnishes the pins for the nurses of the graduating class each year, and also takes care of the commencement and reception for the graduates and friends. The nurses are also all remembered at Christmas time by the Auxiliary.

The Auxiliary furnished the room known as the "Doctors' Room" at the hospital; installed the electric lights, purchased curtains and furnished more than half of the amount of money necessary for the furniture for said room.

The treasurer reported the following for the year:

Balance January 1st, 1927	$ 694.53
Total receipts during year	1905.80
Total	$2600.33
Cost of linens	$ 652.78
Nurses' commencement and Christmas	52.95
Cost of 2 Rummage Sales	13.25
Rug for Nurses' Home	24.00
Furniture for Doctors' Room	617.28
Donations to Hospital	738.18
Total	$2099.44
Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1928	$ 500.89

The sewing for the hospital has been done by women from the following towns: Aaronsburg, Millheim, Spring Mills, Centre Hall, Boalsburg, State College, Lemont, Unionville, Zion, Pleasant Gap, Rockview and Bellefonte.

The mending is done at the hospital each week during the year by the members from the different churches in Bellefonte.

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. W. HARRISON WALKER,
Secretary.

It's Leap Year, Girls! Slogan: "Get Your Man!"

It's leap year, girls, and the slogan is "Get your man!"

Everybody knows that a year in which February has 29 days is known as "leap year." But do you know why it is called that and how it happens that February has the extra day in such years?

An then, of course, there's the tradition that women shall have the right to propose marriage to any man upon whom they may look with favor during leap year, and there's a host of interesting facts connected with that, too. If you wish to know more about these matters, don't overlook the illustrated feature article, "Leap Year, Girls! Get Your Man!" by Elmo Scott Watson in this issue of The Reporter. You'll find it both interesting and entertaining.

State College Gets Sunday Mail.

For the first time in the history of the Pennsylvania State College, students and residents of the town are to have Sunday mail service beginning February 26, Postmaster George Glenn has announced. At present there are no mails in or out of State College from Saturday evening to Monday morning, and the new arrangement follows a petition from the student council and college officials. Mail will arrive Sunday morning and be made available to box holders, and there will be an outgoing mail closing at 5:45 in the afternoon, the same as week days. The action is regarded as a great convenience to students and residents.

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A. C. THOMPSON FOR THE STATE LEGISLATURE

Philipsburg Resident Announces—Seeks Democratic Nomination—Is Fine Type of Citizen, With All Qualifications for Position.

The Philipsburg Journal, date of Friday, in speaking of the candidacy of A.C. Thompson for the nomination for Assembly on the Democratic ticket, passes these complimentary remarks:

There is probably no other man in the county better qualified to serve the people of old Centre than Curt Thompson. He has ability and good judgment. He is thoroughly honest and honorable. Free from the factional politics that is so much in evidence in the dominant party he would be in a position to serve all the people all the time without interference. No bosses to answer to, no factions to please, he could be Centre county's representative in the legislature in every sens of the word.

Mr. Thompson is a native of Half-Moon Valley. He is a member of one of Centre county's oldest families, was a school teacher for years and is now one of the town's successful traveling salesmen. He is a devoted member of the local Methodist church and is superintendent of the Sunday school, work in which he is deeply interested.

Philipsburg people in recent years have been giving loyal support to their candidates, regardless of political affiliation. It was the Democratic vote in Philipsburg that put Ward Fleming across as judge. Like loyalty from the local Republicans to Mr. Thompson in the event of his nomination, would go a long way toward insuring his election, for he will get strong support in other sections of the county.

Let us again have the slogan, "Support the Philipsburg candidate."

STATE THEATRE OPENS.

Messrs. Fretz and Toner, in opening their new theatre, "The State," in Bellefonte, Wednesday of last week, evidently acted on the theory that first impressions are most lasting, for their initial program was worthy of the excellence of the play-house.

Theatre goers stormed the doors on the opening night and the crowd was so large that the increased seating capacity was taxed to the utmost. However, since two shows were given, all were accommodated.

There is an atmosphere of refinement about the place that causes one to wonder at the transformation that has taken place in bringing out of the old Moose Temple theatre a thing of such grandeur. Skilled artisans have done the trick, however, and Messrs. Fretz and Toner are to be congratulated on giving theatre goers a play-house comparable to that of the larger cities.

Fatality at Evangelical Home.

Mrs. Ellen Arbogast, 71, a guest at the Evangelical home near Lewisburg, was fatally injured a few days ago when she plunged down an elevator shaft.

Mrs. Arbogast was a cripple and was seated on a wheel chair being pushed by an attendant who failed to notice that the elevator had been driven to an upper floor and the protecting gates were open. The chair with its human occupant plunged to the base of the shaft and the aged woman was found in an unconscious condition, dying a short time later.

William Penn Highway No More.

What has long been known at William Penn Highway has been renamed State Highway or Federal Route No. 22. At Lewistown State Highway takes the course to Huntingdon by way of McVeytown instead of Reedsville and Belleville.

The official announcement of Hon. James Kerr to become a Democratic National Convention delegate candidate at the April primaries appears in this issue.

TELEPHONE COMPANY TO SPEND $26.000,000

Ten Millions for Onside Plant Including $6,000,000 for Cable Construction.

Expenditures for expanding the telephone plant of The Bell Telephone Company of Pennsylvania will amount to approximately $26.000,000 during the present year, according to the Pennsylvania Public Service Information Committee.

About 56.000 telephones, it is estimated, will be added to those already operating in the State and increased equipment will be necessary to care for this addition. In arriving at this net figure it is estimated that approximately 179,000 telephones will be installed and that about 123,000 will be disconnected because of people moving from one city to another and other causes.

Local telephone calls, it is predicted, will total close to 5.000,000 a day. This is an increase of 400,000 over last year. Out-of-town calls, it is estimated, will show an increase of 17,000 a day over the 1927 records. For 1928, these out-of-town calls will total approximately 295.000 each day.

While a large portion of the 1928 expenditures will be used for central office equipment, more than a third of the total, or approximately $10,000,000 will be used for outside plant. This includes such items as poles, cross-arms, cables, manholes, underground conduit and other equipment outside of central offices and outside of subscriber's premises. About $6.000,000 of this will be spent for new storm-proof telephone cable construction alone. This includes the addition of 374,000 miles of new wire to the system in this State.

About $2,500.000 will be used for new building construction. This provides for the erection of several new central offices and major additions to existing central office buildings.

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS.

HAPPENINGS OF LOCAL INTEREST FROM ALL PARTS.

Wednesday was the 196th anniversary of the birth of George Washington, the first president of the U. S.

G. H. Meyer, of Reedsville, was in town last Friday. He is a rural mail carrier out of the Reedsville post office.

Clair Jamison, under sentence from this county for breaking and entering, was refused a re-hearing before the Board of Pardons.

An appropriation of $1000 from the county's funds was made to the Centre County hospital by the board of County Commissioners.

T. R. Stam, of Grand Rapids, Mich., was in Millheim last week, having been called there to attend the burial of his brother, Calvin Stam, who died in Pittsburgh.

Reed O. Steely, formerly Centre county juvenile court officer, is a candidate for assembly from the Republican party. He is identified with the new National bank in Bellefonte.

The X-ray is now used to discover holes in cheese, indicating when the cheese is properly aged. It might also be profitably used by customers to discover whether or not it was too aged.

William F. Lingle, formerly of Centre Hall, and party of friends—H. G. Neddigh, W. J. Miller, Clyde Plock, F. E. Renn—all connected with the Sunbury Milk Products Company, motored to Centre Hall on Friday to attend the horse sale.

A Percheron stallion was shipped to Palmyra by William F Rishel a short time ago. The stallion was five years old and weighed 1900 pounds, and is one of a number of Percherons Mr. Rishel bred and raised on his farm at Farmers Mills

The Spyker stone crushing plant has been set into motion and road chips are now being manufactured and hauled to convenient points along the State highway between Centre Hall and Madisonburg. The requirement for chipping this road is 1800 tons.

Arthur Kline, of Altoona, son of John A Kline, of town, resumed work beginning of this week in the Altoona foundry. Some time ago Mr Kline received a slight burn on the hand, which in a week or two became very sore and threatened to turn into blood poisoning.

The American Legion is back of a movement to identify towns for the passing aviators. With every town and village marked, aviators will have little trouble in finding their way. Letters from 12 to 20 feet high, in white, on a black background, are preferred.

The funeral of Calvin T. Rossman, at Sigterville, was attended by Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Rowe, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bradford, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Gross, Mrs. Samuel Stump, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Rossman, all of Centre Hall; Mrs. Piere Fishburn, Millheim.

Mifflin R. Moyer sold his home in Rebersburg to Robert Brungart who will take possession about April 1st. He also sold twenty acres from his farm, located east of Rebersburg, to J. E. Ertel. Mr Moyer rented a home in Rebersburg and will continue to live there.

The trackmen on the L. & T. were laid off four days out of the twenty-five working days in February, which will give them but a twenty-day pay check at the close of the month. Four Sundays, two holidays, and two days lay-off through company orders made the big reduction.

Snow to the depth of about two inches fell Friday night, and continued falling during the greater part of Saturday. Much of the snow melted as it fell, but by night the earth had a covering of several inches. In the evening a storm set in, chasing the fallen snow in all directions.

The consistory of St John's Reformed church, Millheim, appointed a committee to arrange for the celebration of the fortieth anniversary of the founding of St. John's congregation, which took place in the Methodist church there on June 3rd, 1888, at which time Rev. Z. A. Yearick, now of Bethlehem, was pastor of the Aaronsburg charge.

No one at all acquainted with Bible history during the ministry of Christ, who paid his fare into the Richelieu to see "The King of Kings" will regret having done so. Children, too, who saw the picture will have impressions made that cannot be effaced. They will better comprehend the incidents surrounding the close of the Great Minister's ministrations.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Cooney and daughters, Rebecca and Margaret, of McKees Rocks; Mr. and Mrs. Paul E. Murray of Chicago; Aaron H. Harter, Harrisburg; T. H. Harter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mensch, Bellefonte; Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Campbell, Millheim; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mensch, Aaronsburg, were relatives from a distance who attended the funeral of Mrs. Rebecca Murray, here, on Monday.

The Kerlin Poultry Farm of this place is rendering a real service to the farmers and poultry raisers of the community. Arrangements have been made with the McMillen Feed Company, manufacturers of the famous "Wayne" Feeds to accept orders until midnight, February 25th, at the following prices: 18 per cent. Buttermilk Egg Mash, $2.95; 32 per cent. Dairy, $2.90; 24 per cent. Dairy, $2.65; 18 per cent. Pig Meal, $2.65. Place your order NOW, take the feeds as needed. These prices are guaranteed until April 1st. The regular 15 per cent. Buttermilk Chick Starting and Growing Mash is on sale at all times at $2.95. Complete list of ingredients and analysis on display at the Kerlin Hatchery at all times. It's downright foolishness to pay more. It's risky to pay less on a constantly changing formula. adv