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TRIAL LIST FOR DEC. COURT.

Court Opens 17th Proximo—Nineteen Cases Listed for Court Action

Through the kindness of Prothonotary Herr, the Reporter is able to give its readers the list of civil cases to be heard at the December term of court, opening on the 17th of that month. The cases as will appear on the calendar follow:

Antone H. Burke, and Mary L. Burke, his wife, a co-partnership trading as Burke Brothers, vs. C. W. Hunter; assumpsit, non-assumpsit.

Charles M. McCurdy, president First National Bank, Bellefonte, now to use of the Bellefonte Trust Co., vs. the Bellefonte Trust Co. executor and trustee under the last will and testament of Louisa T. Bush, deceased, garnishee, George T. Bush, defendant and Solomon Nissly, claimant; attachment execution; excepted, bona fide.

P. E. Weaver vs. D. C. Dotterer; trespass, not guilty.

James V. Starrett vs. Harry Spector and David Swabb, trading as the Wil-Hampson Auto Parts Co.; trespass, not guilty.

George Seanson vs. Boalsburg Estate and P. C. Shoemaker; assumpsit, non-assumpsit.

S. B. Stine, Inc., vs. Stine Coal Co.; assumpsit, non-assumpsit.

Samuel S. Lettzel vs. Chester M. Pringle; trespass, not guilty.

Harry A. Resides vs. J. G. Neidigh and W. M. Neidigh, trading and doing business as Neidigh Brothers Lime & Stone Co.; trespass, not guilty.

Margaret M. Sowers vs. J. G. Neidigh and W. M. Neidigh, trading and doing business as Neidigh Bros. Lime & Stone Co.; trespass, not guilty.

Phillipsburg Reef Co. vs. The Pennsylvania Railroad Co.; trespass, not guilty.

W. S. Shelton vs. C. M. Smith; assumpsit, non-assumpsit.

C. P. Long vs. R. V. Miller; replevin, non capite and property.

T. R. Griffith vs. Western Union Telegraph Co.; assumpsit, non-assumpsit.

Travelers Insurance Co., vs. Wm. Stee, Sr., Wm. Stee, Jr., and Hershel Stee, doing business as Wm. Stee & Sons; assumpsit, non-assumpsit.

Jennie L. Burt vs. J. W. Henszey; assumpsit, non-assumpsit.

Plummer Flick vs. C. J. Decker, trading as the Decker Chevrolet Co.; replevin, non capite and property.

Ann W. Kelchline vs. H. S. Moore; assumpsit, non-assumpsit.

J. M. Quigley vs. John F. Ivory Storage Co., Inc.; foreign attachment in trespass.

RED CROSS ROLL CALL.

Enlist As One of Five Million Men and Women in America's Greatest Organization.

The annual roll call of the American Red Cross has been launched with an appeal to the American people for a minimum membership of five million men and women. There ought to be no question of its complete success. Everyone should be eager to occupy a place in the membership of this great organization dedicated to the relief of suffering humanity.

Prof. J. F. Wetzel is the local chairman. While this community has responded well in years past, the response this year should be greater than ever before.

The Red Cross makes no appeals for funds during the year except following great national disasters in which cases all funds contributed are spent for relief work in the disaster for which the appeal is made. The entire program of service is financed from membership dues obtained during the annual roll call. In addition to this, the membership funds finance many relief operations following relatively small disasters in which no special appeal is made.

During the last year the Red Cross gave assistance following eighty-eight disasters, sixty-six of which were in this country, and twenty-two abroad. Wherever help was needed the Red Cross has responded. Its workers in nearly 3,000 chapters in the United States have assisted an average of 40-500 services and ex-service men each month, helping them to settle government claims and procure hospital treatment and seeing their families did not suffer while these claims were pending.

In communities throughout the United States and in our insular and foreign possessions its 745 public health nurses have been fighting disease and suffering and improving the health standards of the nation. They have made more than a million visits to homes during the year to care for the sick and protect the well. Nearly 60,000 women and girls have been taught, in the organizations home hygiene and care of the sick classes, how to give home care to the sick and how to prevent sickness by the proper care of the home and the family.

The Greens Valley Plantation.

The Forestry Department recently completed a four-mile stretch of road from a point where it intersects with the State Highway over Nittany Mountain a short distance north of the Biller farm. It is now in fine condition and offers an interesting drive through the State forest in Greens Valley. The State House, midway between the State highway and the terminus of the road at the "Dam," is also kept in good condition and presents a pleasing appearance in the midst of the forest. The plantation of white pines at the State House work done about twenty-one years ago, makes a very creditable showing. The trees have developed uniformly in all parts of the plantation—that is, the lower branches cut away—and this reveals a regularity of planting entirely pleasing to the eye. The section about the Dam is well covered with young timber that will serve a generation not too far distant. The road will ultimately be constructed a considerable distance eastward through State lands.

Two Accidentally Wounded.

Russell Reese, 20, of Junata Terrace, Lewistown, had his left arm amputated at the Lewistown Hospital from a gunshot wound sustained Saturday while hunting raxoons on the mountains nearby.

Reese and William Grove had placed their guns on a rock to explore a fox den when one of the guns was accidentally discharged. A charge of turkey shot shattered Reese's arm and punctured his side.

Prestie Headings, Jr., 11, sustained a gunshot wound of the right thigh while playing with an old rifle. The boy found the gun in a field near his home, at Lewistown, and was playing with it when it accidentally discharged. The bullet struck Headings in the joint of the thigh and came out near the knee.

74,302 Doe Licenses Sold.

The latest compilation made by the Board of Game Commissioners showed that 74,302 special licenses for the shooting of doe deer had been sold. In addition, 3159 free special licenses had been issued to land owners.

The Commission states that not more than 125,000 hunters are in the woods during a normal deer season. That figure includes the so-called "stumpers" and "day hunters," who are not members of any camp, but spend only a few days hunting during the entire season.

Bazaar.

The girls of the Home-making department of the Gregg Township Vocational School will hold a bazaar at the school building at Spring Mills, Saturday, December 8th, from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.

The Bradford hunting camp, in Seven Mountains, was an out-of-way resort in which several Centre Hall families, among whom were Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Bradford, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Booser spent Saturday night and Sunday.

CHILD HIT BY AUTO.

Girl of Seven Years Rolled Under Ford Coupe—Was Crossing Main Street—Driver Not Held Responsible.

An auto accident of most serious consequences was narrowly averted on Saturday afternoon on the main thoroughfare at a point almost opposite the Reporter office, when Grace, seven years old, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith, of town, ran in front of a Ford coupe driven by Gerwin Schaeffer. The child was hit by the front of the auto and in some manner was thrown under it. When picked up by J. Shannon Booser almost the whole of her body was lying under the car and was pinched fast by a rear wheel. It appears none of the wheels passed over the child, the injuries inflicted having been caused by the first contact and the rolling of the frail little body on the hard surface of the road.

When pulled out from under the car, Grace was handed to Bruce Knarr who carried her into the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Warren A. Homan. Upon first examination by Dr. Morrow it was thought that perhaps the collar bone was broken, and the child was taken to the Centre County hospital. An X-ray examination there revealed that no bones were broken, and it was announced that the injuries were severe bruises on various parts of the body. On Sunday, however, the Smith family gave out that the child expected blood, the cause of which had not been determined.

Mr. Schaeffer, the driver of the car, was going south on Main street. The little girl approached from his left. Those who saw the accident appear to be convinced that the driver was blameless. The car was stopped dead within a very short distance, as markings on the road indicate.

UNION THANKSGIVING SERVICES IN EVANGELICAL CHURCH.

The union Thanksgiving services will be held in the Evangelical church on Wednesday evening, November 23rd, at 7:30 o'clock. Rev. Newman, of the Methodist church, will deliver the address.

Colonel Theodore D. Boal in Auto Accident.

Colonel Theodore Davis Boal, of Boalsburg, who is spending the winter in Washington, was rather painfully injured in a motor accident in Southern Maryland recently.

With his son, Pierre, and one or two others, he was enjoying a drive out into the country. The road was quite narrow and the Boal car was pulled off to one side to allow another car to pass. The earth underneath the Boal car gave way and the machine rolled down a short embankment and landed upon one side. Colonel Boal happened to be on the lower end of the seat as the car rolled off the road, and two companions fell heavily upon him.

His back was painfully injured and he was removed to a Washington hospital where he has since been steadily improving.

C. H. H. S. Wins Two Games.

The boys and girls of the Centre Hall High school each won a game off the Millheim school. In soccer the local boys scored three times, winning 3 to 0. The girls in the game of volleyball ball finished with a score of 13 to 0. The losing teams submitted gracefully, a trait commendable. The boys were younger and lighter in weight than the home team here, but they put up a good losing game. The ball for a large part of the time was played about the goal of the visitors, yet it was kept from making but three points.

Crippled Children's Clinic.

Great interest was manifested in the crippled children's clinic, held at the Phillipsburg State Hospital, Phillipsburg, Thursday of last week, with Dr. John Galbraith, Altoona, in charge, assisted by Dr. John Henderson, of Phillipsburg.

Three operations were performed and four casts set during the morning. Thirty-eight youthful patients were given examination during the afternoon.

Little patients and members of their families from Bellefonte, Emporium, Clearfield, St. Marys, Curwensville, Oscoda Mills, Winburne, Morrisdale and other places were present.

Agricultural Extension Meeting at State College.

A big feature of the Agricultural Extension meeting at Bellefonte on Saturday, November 24th, will be the dinner at the Y. M. C. A. The two main attractions will be a talk by Dr. H. H. Havner, assistant director of agriculture Extension from State College, and a community leadership.

In addition to the speaker, singing by the entire group led by Cecil Woalker as song leader. The club girls under the direction of Miss Mary Reynolds, home economics worker, will sing a number of their club songs.

It has been necessary to change the place of meeting from the main court room to the grand jury room due to the fact that the supervisors' convention meets at the same time. The potato meeting address in the afternoon will be in the grand jury room and the ladies' meeting will be in the library in the afternoon.

FIRE COMPANY MEETS.

The borough fire company held a meeting last week in the council room and placed in nomination candidates for officers to be filled at an election to be held in December.

Other subjects were also discussed, and among these was the one long held up proposition of putting into operation some method of giving an alarm of fire that would be effective and within reach from a financial standpoint. There has been more or less pressure brought to bear on the council to purchase a siren, and this seems to be uppermost in the minds of the members of the fire company at this time. Some of the council members stoutly stand against the expenditure of money for this style of alarm, at least until definite evidence is given on the subject by citizens. The matter was discussed from this angle, and it was decided to draw up a petition asking the council to purchase a siren and solicit expressions from citizens.

The candidates nominated for the various offices to be filled are these:

President—Edgar Miller, V. A. Auman.
Vice President—F. V. Goodhart, W. F. Colyer.
Secretary—J. S. Rowe.
Treasurer—C. D. Bartholomew.
Trustees (two to be elected)—J. W. Bradford, W. H. Homan, C. W. Slack, Fire Marshall—C. W. Booser.
Committee to circulate petition—C. A. Spiker, C. W. Booser, W. A. Henney.

There is in the treasury \$141.67 in cash. Of this sum the company agrees to vote \$100 toward the purchase of a siren, should the council act favorably.

SENIORS TO PRESENT "SLATS"—A COMEDY

The senior class of the Centre Hall High school will present "Slats," a comedy in the Grange hall on Friday and Saturday nights, November 23rd and 24th, at 8:00 o'clock. All seats will be reserved on Friday evening. Anyone wishing tickets for that evening may secure them from the business manager, Dorothy Emerick. On Saturday tickets will be sold at the door; there will be no reserved seats for that performance.

Admission, 35c and 20c.

Following is the cast of characters: Dal Remington, Eugene Colyer, Rowland Phillips, Myles McClellan, Steve Ward, Wm. McCormick, Charles Foster, Bruce Sharer, Bubbles Clinton, Paul Palmer, Pecks Baxter, Emory Flory, Shorty Ross, Bruce Knarr, Kennedy, Robert McClellan, Mrs. Rowland Phillips, Celia Delaney, Polly Winthrop, Dorothy Garbrick, Kitty Davis, Dorothy Brown, Helen Saunders, Gladys Heckman, Chorus—Kathryn Goodhart, Sara Runkle, Bertha Sharer, Emory Flory, Russell Soyer, Bruce Knarr, Accompanist, Myla Spiker, Business manager, Dorothy Emerick.

Lewistown Male Chorus Sings Here.

Twenty-two members of a large male chorus connected with the Evangelical church, Lewistown, sang in the local church of that denomination on Sunday evening to an appreciative audience. Miss Agnes Geary was the accompanist.

The same organization sang in the Lutheran church some time ago, and their work was so elegantly performed that on Sunday evening the house was filled to its capacity.

State College vs. P. S. C.

A State College citizen relates that the reason why State College borough favored the election of Mr. Holmes was to send a man to the Legislature who would have a particular interest in the State College town. This particular interest Mr. Holmes is to take care of is to see that in the event of an appropriation for Penn State College for building purposes, none of it be appropriated specifically for the building of dormitories. This is illuminating. Most of the good people in Centre county were led to believe that Mr. Holmes was in full sympathy with the best interests of the State's great institution of learning—Penn State College—but it appears he was supported at the recent election with the view of the benefit that might accrue to State College town.

To accomplish the end at least some State College residents have in mind through Representative Holmes might place in jeopardy the liberal appropriation the large vote for the \$3,000,000 bond issue insured. One could scarcely believe that many members of the legislature would take such a narrow view as to deny dormitory facilities for Penn State students to permit a few residents in State College to keep on pinching students for rooming accommodations.

Delayed Bonding Too Long.

Judging from the rank ignorance of an Anasaw township (Berks county) election board, that district should have had better schools long ago—the bonding program was delayed too long.

An error of 231 in the vote for a \$61,000 school loan at Pennside, in lower Anasaw township, east of Reading, has been discovered by election computers. The loan had previously been returned as defeated, because the local election board had deducted the "yes" votes from the entire number cast and returned the balance as having been opposition votes. The recount disclosed that great numbers of voters did not mark the loan column. The official returns show that the majority in favor is 263 and the school proposed will now be built.

FIGHT NOW ON TO STOP THE DOE SEASON

Judge Schull's Injunction Is Opening of Battle on the Game Commissioner's Ruling.

Charles P. Merwine, treasurer of Monroe county, restrained from selling hunters' licenses for killing antelope deer by the temporary injunction of Judge Samuel E. Shull, of Monroe county Wednesday last week, communicated with the State Game Commission, which at once put the matter up to the State Department of Justice.

A Deputy Attorney General was assigned to represent the commission and the treasurer at the hearing on Monday.

If the action of the opponents of the open season for does is sustained, hunters generally will watch the proceedings with interest in other counties where opposition to the killing of does prevails.

Should the courts rule the season is illegal, the hunters who have obtained special deer licenses will be able to get their money back.

Representing thousands of indignant sportsmen of Northeastern Pennsylvania counties, a battery of lawyers went to Harrisburg to take action in the Dauphin county courts to prevent the State Game Commission from putting into effect an open season on does and untrapped deer.

A hearing was held in Stroudsburg by the commission on November 3 when representative sportsmen and farmers of the section, including former Governor Pinchot, testified that the killing of does would cause extinction of deer in the Northeastern counties.

Sportsmen of the Centre-Clearfield region, where there is strong opposition to doe killing are awaiting developments with keen interest.

Fire Near State College.

Thursday afternoon of last week the residence of Dice Thomas, on the Branch, near State College, caught fire from some undecided cause and is almost a total loss.

The State College fire company was called, but by the time they reached the scene, the house was a mass of flames. However, they succeeded in saving the first floor and a part of the second, as well as a number of out-buildings on the farm.

C. E. Mass Meeting at State.

A real opportunity will be given the Christian Endeavors of Centre county to get a vision of this great work for the youth of our county, on Monday evening, November 26th, at eight o'clock, in the Presbyterian church at State College when a mass meeting of the Christian Endeavors of Centre and five other counties will be held. State President Arch McQuillin and General Sec'y Warren G. Hoopes and other State officers will be present.

Milk Supply Falling Off.

The officials of the large concerns supplying New York City with raw milk state that here is a falling off in milk production all through the New York milk shed. The production during the beginning of this month averaged less than during the same period last year. The Thanksgiving season always consumes a larger quantity of milk than the average, and this close approach adds to the worry of the distributing dairymen.

Strange as it may appear, the large distributors blame the extremely warm weather for this season causing the shortage of milk.

Farmers have allowed the cows to remain out of doors to pick their feed. Another factor is the fact that grain prices were high during the summer and farmers did not give their cattle the grain ration they should have had to assure a heavy milk flow.

Unless the small dairymen in localities like this keep on producing the average supply of milk, it will become necessary to extend the New York milk shed and this would have a tendency to lessen the price received throughout the year.

Chart of Religion Reveals 28 Faiths.

Twenty-eight religious faiths are represented at Penn State according to statistics issued from the Registrar's office recently.

The Presbyterian church, with 879 members, has the largest enrollment. There are 804 students affiliated with the Methodist faith, and 495 with the Lutheran. The Roman Catholic church is the fourth largest there, its student roll totaling 447. Protestant Episcopalians number 266 and the Reformed faith 239 to complete the list of churches having over 200 students listed.

There are 165 Jewish students and 121 Baptists. The United Presbyterians number 52, Baptists 51, Brethren 45, Friends 44, Congregationalists 33, Christian Scientists 23, Christians 20, Church of Christ, 12 and Unitarians 10.

Eleven other faiths, which have a following of less than 10 students, are listed. Four students attend the Church of God, and four worship at the Greek Catholic church. There are three members of the Disciplean faith, three Moravians, and three Swedenborgians. Two Mennonites, two Universalists, one Moslem, one Russian Orthodox, on Mormon, and one Spiritualist complete the roll of 3754 student church-goers.

An examination of the foregoing statistics will verify the statement that Penn State is well represented in nearly every religious faith of the world.

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

HAPPENINGS OF LOCAL INTEREST FROM ALL PARTS.

The well known hotel at Hubertsburg is now owned by Beecher W. Wolf, of Huntingdon, and is being conducted by him.

Robert B. Burns, of Muncy, county detective of Lycoming county, recently underwent an operation for appendicitis. Mr. Burns is the husband of Miss Nina Snyder, formerly of town.

Mifflin county commissioners appointed Samuel E. Toner, of Lewisport, sealer of weights and measures. It is the first time this appointment has been filled, and the selection was made from more than fifty applicants.

Up to this time 232 members of the Keystone 400-bushel Potato Club have been officially reported as having grown 400 or more bushels of potatoes on a measured acre. This is the first year the number reached over two hundred members.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Neese, of Millheim, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Miller, of Centre Hall, motored to Akron, Ohio, last week, and for a few days were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Neese's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bohm.

Paul Swabb, Jr., son of Paul Swabb, Sr., of Spring Mills, will take up farming next spring at which time he will move onto the farm of his grandfather, Joseph K. Bitner, in the Penns Cave district. The farm is now occupied by Fred Slack.

S. E. Goble, who for some time was farming the Goble farm in George Valley, contemplates moving into the Samuel Ertz place, nearby, which he purchased, which means he will quit farming, and in that event he will make sale next spring.

Orvis Horner, of Colyer is giving a part of each day to trapping. His line of traps are proving profitable source of revenue, with the best portion of the season yet to come. The success he is attaining is due largely to skill, the result of experience and close attention.

Mrs. V. A. Auman very delightfully entertained the members of the Service class of the Lutheran Sunday school on Thursday evening at her home in the south end of town. The greater part of the members of the large class were present, and after executing the regular program usual at the monthly meeting, very elegant refreshments were served by the hostess.

Cars are running through to Stone Creek on the new road opened up by the Department of Highways from the Short Turn in the Seven Mountains. It will be possible in a short time to go through to Petersburg and McAlvey's Port on this road, and later it will be connected with the Cooper's Gap road. It is expected that work will be suspended for the season about December 1st.

Mrs. Walter Youcum has been a patient at Dr. Black's private hospital, Lewistown, since October 29th. She underwent a very serious operation on November 1st. Less than a year ago she was the patient at the Lewistown hospital where she was operated on for appendicitis and gall stones. At this writing her condition shows improvement. Mrs. Youcum is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Kinofelter, of Centre Hall.

Harry Eisenhauer, of Lewisburg, is a patient in the Mary Packer hospital, Sunbury, suffering from a fracture of the left leg below the knee, and serious lacerations. He was pinned beneath his automobile when it was struck by another car on the Susquehanna trail below Liverport. Mr. Eisenhauer is a traveling salesman for C. Dreisbach's Sons hardware establishment, Lewisburg, and comes to Centre Hall regularly to sell to dealers here.

Two entrances from the outside have been made to the underground floor of Grange Arcade, so that the State law governing such cases would be conformed with. One entrance is on the front and the other on the north side of the structure. The underground floor is being improved to be used for dining facilities, which will obviate the necessity of removing the seats from the hall proper where large numbers are served dinners.

On the green close to the State camp where the concrete road emerges from the Seven Mountains into Kischacoquillas, a pretty bungalow type of home is being erected by Archey Wagner, of Lewistown. The structure is being built of concrete blocks. The design provides for a large porch to the south that is novel in its layout. Mr. Wagner is a man of a bit past middle life and is employed in the Vicoe plant at Lewistown. His intention is to make the Seven Mountain place his permanent home.

Joseph K. Bitner and bright little granddaughter, Miss Isabel Swabb, of Spring Mills, were pleasant callers at the Reporter office on Saturday afternoon. Mr. Bitner, in looking over the Reporter's mechanical equipment, commented on the change in the method of doing things. He looked far into the distant past when he told us of the "Berichter," the old German newspaper published at Aaronsburg by Ludwig Kurtz, which was established a century ago, and from which the Reporter is descended. This would indicate that Mr. Bitner has attained a good old age, at the same time retaining his keen mental faculties. He has, and with it he possesses a kindly nature, which makes him beloved of all who know him.