



Centre Hall 'High' Wins Division Championship

Centre Hall High school soccer team won the championship of the Western Division of the county by playing Boalsburg to a 1-1 tie last Friday. This tie enabled the local High school team to finish one full game ahead of Boalsburg. The game was very hotly contested from start to finish, and was witnessed by a large crowd of local fans. Boalsburg had the local boys on the defense most of the first half, and managed to score late in the second quarter. In the third quarter the Centre Hall boys put on a terrific drive that resulted in the tying goal. Russell Walker took a short pass and drove the ball past the Boalsburg goal. They kept the ball in Boalsburg's territory most of the last half of the game.

Centre Hall will play East Penns Valley at State College, Wednesday afternoon, to determine the county champions. On Tuesday, December 1, they will also play their first game in the Central Penna. Soccer tournament, to determine the High school champions for Central Pennsylvania. This tournament is held at State College and com-

prises the champions of Snyder county, Tioga county, State College, Eastern Centre county and Centre Hall, the Western Centre county champions.

Sportsmanship.

High school athletics are designed to develop mental and physical character, and to promote better relations with other schools. Fair play, good officiating, and friendly rivalry are dominant factors in making up the code of sportsmanship. None of these factors served as a basis for the Boalsburg-Centre Hall soccer game last Friday. It could hardly be called a soccer game, as it was far from what soccer really is like. It seems as though the officials could have kept the game within its proper bounds, and not have it end in such a scene as was witnessed Friday. Soccer officials have the authority to remove any player for unnecessary roughness, and it is part of their duty as a referee to use such authority. If such authority would have been used early in the game, undoubtedly the unnecessary roughness would have ceased, and the game could have been properly played.

GRANGE ORGANIZATIONS

ELECT OFFICERS

Both the Centre County Pomona Grange and Progress, a subordinate Grange, elected officers at their respective meetings held Saturday, in Grange Arcadia. The former organization met for two sessions during the day and the latter in the evening.

The Pomona Grange officers elected are as follows:

Master, L. E. Biddle; Overseer, J. B. Wert; Lecturer, Frank Millward; Steward, J. Victor Brungart; Assistant Steward, Ray Ishler; Chaplain, Mrs. Luther Dale; Treasurer, C. G. Dale; Secretary, V. A. Auman; Gate Keeper, Frank Keller; Ceres, Mrs. Howard Miles; Pomona, Mrs. Lila Hettlinger; Flora, Mrs. Frank Keller; Lady Ass't Steward, Mrs. Dorothy Markle.

The following are the officers elected by Progress Grange:

Master, Curtis Reiser; Overseer, John Dutrow; Lecturer, Mrs. John Blausner; Steward, A. H. Spayd; Ass't Steward, Ralph Luse; Chaplain, Mrs. D. K. Keller; Treasurer, P. H. Luse; Secretary, Vesta Blausner; Gate Keeper, Mrs. John Durst; Ceres, Mrs. P. H. Luse; Pomona, Mrs. Clyde Dutrow; Flora, Mrs. J. W. Delaney; Lady Ass't Steward, Mrs. George McCormick.

POLITICAL MACHINE BUILT

WITH HIGHWAY FUNDS

Investigation of the expenditure of federal and highway funds in Pennsylvania was asked of President Hoover by Lewis McGrew, of Pittsburgh.

Publisher of the "Labor World," circulating in Pennsylvania, McGrew said the funds are being used to "build up a political machine" for Governor Pinchot.

The President directed him to the department of justice. McGrew said he would ask a federal grand jury investigation, or, failing in that, carry his complaint to congress for an inquiry.

PINCHOT FIRES SIX;

HIRES SEVENTEEN

Dismissal of five superintendents of construction from the department of property and supplies was announced Friday by the Governor's office. They are:

William Madison, Muncy, \$2160; L. V. Boggs Clarion, \$2160; John H. Roach, Houtzdale, \$2400; George S. Forsythe, Brookville, \$2400; and Thomas C. Edmunds, Pittsburgh, \$2640.

Dismissal of D. G. Henderson, of New Cumberland, chief of the record section in the Bureau of Motor Vehicles at a salary of \$3300, also was announced.

Of the seventeen appointments made, one was in Centre county.

Eleven maintenance superintendents, State Highway Department, at salaries of \$1860 a year, as follows:

Charles G. Elshel, Emporium; Aaron D. Leitzel, Bellefonte; Earl J. Madden, Webster Mills; Edw. E. Harnish, Wingate; Charles F. Phillips, Downingtown; Schuyler Lose, Middleburg; Frank E. Schaeffer, Rmaus; Harry S. Huey, Huntingdon; Elmer A. Young, Frankstown township, Blair county; James E. Dowell, North Union township, Fayette county; and Harry G. Randall, Makroft.

Charles D. Fenstamacker of Clarion, draftsman, Highway Department, \$1500, and the following five senior examiners in the banking department at salaries of \$3360 a year: James O. MacLean, Pittsburgh; Richard H. Mohler, Oakmont; Harry W. Watkins, Mt. Lebanon; Walter W. Laphen, Pittsburgh; and Edgar W. Hutchinson, Philadelphia.

\$100,000 FIRE IN TYRONE.

Two firemen were overcome and damage exceeding \$100,000 resulted Friday morning in Tyrone from fire which swept through the building occupied by Garman and Sons, one of the largest dry goods stores in central Pennsylvania.

Buildings adjoining the Garman block on either side, occupied by the Tyrone Herald afternoon newspaper, and the other by the John Fisher Hardware Co., were damaged by smoke and water.

The Herald estimated damage to its buildings at \$3,000 and the hardware company suffered damage amounting to \$5,000.

The Garman block and other buildings damaged by the fire are located in the heart of the business district.

Originating in the furnace room of the Garman block, the fire spread rapidly to the store rooms and to apartments on the second and third floors.

Despite the damage to the Herald's plant, the newspaper, owned by B. C. Jones, Jr., continued publication without interruption.

Desmore-Bitner.

The Youngtown Daily Vindicator gives this account of a marriage, the bride being well known here:

"John H. Bitner, 333 Berkley Ave., announces the marriage of his daughter, Laura M. Bitner, to Joseph A. Desmore, Wednesday, November 4, in New Castle, Pa."

Laura M. Bitner is the oldest grandchild of Mrs. Wm. Bitner, of Tusseyville and Postmaster R. M. Smith of Centre Hall and the oldest daughter of Mrs. Helen S. Bitner, of town. She is an accomplished young lady.

Best wishes from her friends in Centre county.

Shower of Gifts.

A delightful miscellaneous shower was held by the Sunday school class of Mrs. Elwood Smith last Thursday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Smith. The entertainment and refreshments were enjoyed by all.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Houser and children, father, mother, sisters and brothers of Mrs. Elwood Smith, Mrs. A. R. Houser and daughters Margaret and Dolly; Mr. and Mrs. George Ralston, Mrs. Hazel Ralston, Mrs. Samuel Bitner and daughter, Mrs. Fred Bender, Mrs. W. M. Houser and daughters, Mrs. John Whiteman and daughter, Miss Estella Hosterman, Miss Ida Frazier, Miss Martha Yearick, Helen Bitner, Evan Bitner, Mrs. Hattie Meyers, Mrs. George Heckman, Mrs. Charles Flink, Harold Bradford, Violet Smith, Mrs. Elmer Runkle and daughters Misses Sara and Janet, Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Smith, Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Smith.

Ten Persons Granted Operating Licenses.

Ten persons passed the tests of motor operators cards held by members of the State Highway Patrol in Bellefonte last week. Fourteen applicants appeared for the tests but four failed. Those who received their permits are Mervin B. Watson, Bellefonte; V.L. James, Jr. Boalsburg; Merrill Walker, Spring Mills; E. E. Espenshade, Bellefonte; Mrs. Paul King, Bellefonte; Mary Isabeg Fleming, Bellefonte; John L. Shaffer, Madisonburg; Freidel M. Schweitzer, State College; Mary E. Bloom, Bellefonte, and Dorothy E. Whiteman, Milesburg.

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NEW PENSTOCK FOR FARMERS MILLS MILL.

A new concrete penstock is being built at the Farmers Mills mill, the forms having been completed by carpenters H. E. Foust and Joseph Carson, who completed the work begun by Miles Barger, with Boyd Fredericks superintending the work. The penstock removed was built forty years ago by Samuel Fredericks, then owner of the mill and remodeled by him twenty years ago. The penstock being built now is entirely of concrete, all of the old timbers having been removed. The square timbers, in service for forty years, came out as solid as ever. The logs show that about two inches of the outer surface has been worn away by the continual flow of water, but there is no rot indicated in the timbers wholly submerged. The surface of the timbers are irregular and have the appearance of hammer dressed stones, the softer portions of the wood being worn deepest.

Ever long the penstock will again lead water to the turbine water wheel having 22- to 24-horsepower. The power will be used to operate a Midget Marvel self-contained flouring mill, a modern equipment installed a few years ago, and also a hammer type feed mill. The plant is owned by W. R. Keller, of Lackawanna, a suburb of Buffalo, N. Y., who purchased it last January from the Samuel Fredericks estate. The mill was built by Adam Fisher, grandfather of F. M. Fisher, of town, during the time of the Civil war. It supplanted a much smaller unit erected a considerable time previous to the structure now in use. Major J. B. Fisher had the mill equipped with rolls early in 1880, being the first mill on the south side of Centre county to use this modern method of making flour.

BECK FARM SOLD TO J. ARCHY EUNGARD

J. Archy Eungard, of Gregg township, purchased the J. W. Beck farm, east of Centre Hall, at public sale, on Friday, for \$3250. A second bidder was Roy Zettle. Mr. Eungard expects to occupy the place himself.

The farm, formerly that of J. W. Beck was sold by the assignee, H. L. Ebright, E. M. Smith being the auctioneer. Seventy acres of the tract are clear, and the remainder is wooded, some sections having considerable timber of marketable size and quality.

Mrs. Margaret Beck, widow of J. W. Beck, at the same time, sold horses, cattle and implements, the equipment on the farm. Fair prices were obtained for these.

Bellefonte Dairy Damaged by Fire.

A fire occurred in the Cold Spring dairy, Bellefonte, last Friday afternoon. It was discovered by a passerby, and upon investigation it was found to have originated from an oil stove on the first floor. The flames burned a good-size hole in the roof and destroyed a portion of the interior. Both fire companies responded, extinguishing the blaze in a short time. The loss is estimated at between \$300 and \$400, partially covered by insurance.

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The supper consisted of roast chicken and filling, with dressing, mashed potatoes, sweet corn, pickled cabbage, cucumber pickles and celery, cranberries, spiced fruit, bread and butter. Those present to enjoy eating the good things prepared by the ladies came from Philadelphia, Williamsport, Palmyra, Altoona, Huntingdon, Yeagerstown, State College and nearby towns and the surrounding community. More than 225 were served supper.

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LOCAL PEOPLE ANSWER TO RED CROSS ROLL CALL

The following persons contributed their dollar in the Red Cross Roll Call in Centre Hall and vicinity during the past week. The local auxiliary will be pleased to receive the contributions of others who desire to enroll as members.

Centre Hall—Howard Durst, Dr. A. G. Lieb, Mrs. J. M. Kirkpatrick, Mrs. Sara C. Smith, George Johnston, Mrs. Jennie B. Lingle, F. P. Geary, Mrs. F. P. Geary, Miss Agnes Geary, W. W. Kerlin, Mrs. W. W. Kerlin, Billy H. Kerlin, W. H. Strohecker, Rev. D. R. Keener, C. D. Mitterling, First National Bank, S. W. Smith, Mrs. S. W. Smith, C. F. Emery, C. D. Bartholomew, Mrs. C. D. Bartholomew, W. H. Bartholomew, Miss Helen Bartholomew, W. A. Homan, Rev. W. E. Smith, T. A. Hosterman, R. S. Hagan, Mrs. R. S. Hagan, Miss Laura Runkle, Mrs. W. A. Alexander, J. I. Fetterolf, Mrs. C. E. Flink, Patricia Boozer, Mrs. Clyde A. Smith, Miss Grace C. Smith, D. A. Boozer, Mrs. D. A. Boozer, Mrs. Clayton Homan, Mrs. Lucy Henney, Richard Brooks, Mrs. Archie Moyer, Mrs. Samuel Rowe, Miss Verna Rowe, Mrs. Edw. E. Bailey, A. M. Reigel, Mrs. A. M. Reigel, J. F. Wetzel, Mrs. C. A. Spyker, Mrs. Milford Luse, Mrs. L. E. Allis, Mrs. J. E. Rishel, Mrs. Harry W. Potter, Mrs. J. W. Bradford, Joyce Bradford, Mrs. F. V. Goodhart, E. M. Huyett, Mrs. E. M. Huyett, "Contribution" \$1.00.

Tusseyville—Charles Ramer, Mrs. Arthur Holderman.

Potters Mills—Miss Sadie Landis.

A Hagerstown Wedding.

Richard S. Vanara, of Nittany, and Vivian Poorman, of Bellefonte, were granted a license and married in Hagerstown, Md., on Saturday. The groom is 21 and the bride 18 years of age.

Mrs. Caroline Baumgardner, sent to the county jail in default of bail after a hearing on charges of having threatened the life of a neighbor, was released on Friday, bail having been furnished for her appearance at court.

ANNUAL CONVENTION OF SUPERVISORS OF CENTRE CO.

Held in Court House, Tuesday.—Table Showing Mileage of Rural Road System in the County.

The annual convention of the Centre County Supervisors' and Auditors' Association was held Tuesday of this week in the court house, Bellefonte. An interesting program had been prepared, which is printed below. F. A. Carson is secretary of the association.

The morning session:

Invocation and address by Rev. Robert Thena.

Appointment of committees.

Address by F. W. Curtis.

Report of delegates to State convention.

Address by county superintendent F. G. Rogers.

Afternoon session:

Address by H. A. Thompson, secretary of the State association.

Roll call.

Address by Hon. Laird Holmes.

Address by County Commissioner N. I. Wilson.

Report resolution committee.

Election of officers.

Adjournment.

The following table gives, in the first column of numerals, the total miles of township roads prior to the 1931 session of the State Legislature; in the second column, the number of miles taken over to add to the Rural Road System, and in the third column, the total number of miles remaining under the jurisdiction of township supervisors:

	Original Mileage	Miles put on Rural Road System	Present Mileage
Benner	40.1	5.6	34.5
Boggs	46.7	15.9	30.8
Burnside	18.6	11.8	6.8
College	23.6	3.7	19.9
Curtin	25.8	6.7	19.1
Ferguson	50.4	10.9	39.5
Gregg	52.6	16.5	36.1
Haines	36.2	8.7	27.5
Halfmoon	9.3	2.7	6.6
Harris	24.0	11.7	12.3
Howard	25.6	2.8	22.8
Huston	20.4	8.8	11.6
Liberty	31.9	4.6	27.3
Marion	17.3	11.1	6.2
Miles	17.2	7.6	9.6
Patton	25.0	2.2	22.8
Penn	22.5	6.7	15.8
Potter	64.3	16.9	47.4
Rush	15.1	2.8	12.3
Snow Shoe	25.7	3.7	22.0
Spring	34.5	12.0	22.5
Taylor	24.2	8.8	15.4
Union	29.8	10.9	18.9
Walker	17.2	4.3	12.9
Worth	23.0	4.1	18.9
Totals	722.0	198.5	523.5

NEWS NOTES FROM THE PRESBYTERIAN MANSE

A very profitable and enjoyable Missionary Tea was held in the Presbyterian church on Friday evening, with about eighty people present. Mrs. F. V. Goodhart, president of the society, was chairman of the meeting. Mrs. Chester Spyker led the devotions. Mrs. S. W. Smith led in prayer. Mrs. Wetzel sang a beautiful solo. Miss Catherine Woods, a Missionary on her third furlough from China, formerly of Lewistown, daughter of ex-Judge Woods, was the speaker of the evening. She has had twenty years experience on the China Mission field.

Sara Odenkirk sang a very lovely solo. Misses Ida Frazier and Martha Yearick of the Evangelical church, gave a Thank-Offering dialogue in a very efficient manner. Kay Goodhart presided at the piano, assisted by Mrs. Odenkirk.

Following the program a social time was enjoyed. Tea and cookies were served by the members of the Missionary society.

Mr. and Mrs. Tabb and Miss Catherine Woods of Lewistown, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. V. Goodhart on Friday evening.

Miss Grace Wible, of Beaver Springs, was a week-end visitor at the Kirkpatrick home.

The Presbyterians of Lemont closed their Evangelistic services with the Communion Service on Sabbath.

The Presbyterians of Pine Grove Mills began their Evangelistic services on Monday of this week.

A very enthusiastic football game was played on the Centre Hall High school grounds on Saturday, when the Downtown Notre Dames clashed with the Uptown Army team. The game was called at 10 A. M. and had very slow argumentative progress. Hugh Morrow, Jr., was the lineman, referee and master of ceremonies combined.

Chris Morrow and Ralph Packer starred on the Army team, while Fred Spyker, Vinton McClellan and Kenneth Frank were very noticeable in the gains made by the Notre Dames. The Downtown players took the lead in the scoring and steadily increased that lead throughout the game. The Runts from the downtown district just couldn't be stopped by the giant Mountaineers. The speedy boys from the South-End rang rings around the Giants from the North. As in the case with all professional games, so it was in this game—there were continual disputes about the rules of the game, the decisions of the referee, the score, etc. A very exciting argument was stirred up in the last quarter which caused the Army team to recline on the sod and refuse to finish the game. The score at this stage of the game was 21-7 in favor of the Notre Dames from Down-Town. Not having any opponents against which to pit their strength the Notre Dames left the field feeling happy over the outcome of the conflict.

Following is the personnel of the teams:

Down-Town (Notre Dame): Woodrow Bradford, Kenneth Frank, Fred Spyker, Dean Weaver, Vinton McClellan, Jim Bradford, Bob Wetzel, Donald Goodhart, George Martz, John Kirkpatrick, Lawrence Bender, substitute, John Knarr.

Up-Town (Army): Alfred Reish, Donald Coldron, Jack Coldron, Ralph Packer, George Heckman, Dean Runkle, Jim Gearhart, Chris Morrow, Eugene Emerick, Bobby Dingus, Jr. Ross; substitute, Ralph Arney.

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TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS.

HAPPENINGS OF LOCAL INTEREST FROM ALL PARTS

Earnest Treaster, of Potter township, was one of a party of hunters to kill a bear.

Howard Krape, the shoemaker, now located near Harrisburg, was in town the latter part of last week.

Mrs. V. A. Auman spent a day last week with friends in Tyrone, making the trip via the Greyhound bus line.

N. E. Biddle, a Bellefonte dairyman, accompanied by his family, drove to Centre Hall on Saturday to transact a bit of business.

Mrs. Windom C. Gramley, of Millhelm, recently underwent an operation at the Lewistown hospital and has since been improving.

A car load of 75 inmates from the Western penitentiary at Pittsburgh were transferred Thursday to the Rockview penitentiary near here.

Penn State will show 17 head of sheep and 30 swine at the International Livestock Exposition in Chicago November 23 to December 5th.

The condition of Mrs. F. P. Geary has improved sufficiently to having permitted her to go outdoors on Sunday, the first for a period of seven weeks.

Mrs. Margaret Beck, east of Centre Hall, during the time of the sale of the Beck farm and farm stock and equipment, was confined to bed suffering from an infected toe.

Mrs. Katie Sommers was an auto guest of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Brooks on their trip to Philadelphia. While in that city Mrs. Sommers was a guest of Miss Sue Confer, a Red Cross worker.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Kittieberger and daughters, Louise and Elizabeth, and Mrs. McKnight, a friend of the family, all of Curwensville, were guests of the C. D. Bartholomew family during last week.

Former county commissioner D. A. Grove is having trouble with his eyesight and is undergoing treatment by a Williamsport specialist who found a thin film had grown over the right eye. As a remedy a process termed "wedding" is being resorted to.

On his way to Lewistown, last week, where he is employed as a platform man by the P. R. R. at the Junction Station, Earl Harter, of Bellefonte, saw a mother bear and two cubs close to the road at the Charles Bilger place on Nittany Mountain.

Centre county appointments made by Governor Pinchot include Edward H. Harris, Snow Shoe, a forest ranger, at a salary of \$1080 per year, and Paul N. Brouse, Boalsburg, a journeyman in the department of forests and waters, at a salary of \$1380 a year.

The minstrel show put on in the Richelieu Theatre by the Altoona Elks club, the Bellefonte Elks being the sponsor, was a very delightful affair, and attracted a capacity house at 75 cents per seat. (The net receipts were turned over to a charity board in Bellefonte for local use.)

Martin Shreckengast, of Farmers Mills, a member of the State Constabulary, located at Sunbury, is off regular duty until the 15th of next month. It appears a number of the constabulary force and State Highway patrolmen will be "converted" into game wardens during the approaching deer season.

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