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SUNDAY CHURCH SERVICES

PENNS VALLEY LUTHERAN CHURCH (Rev. S. F. Greenhoe, Pastor.) Georges Valley—9 to 10 A. M. Farmers Mills, 10:30 A. M. Centre Hall—7:30 P. M.

CENTRE HALL REFORMED CHURCH (Rev. Delas R. Keener, Pastor)

EVANGELICAL (Rev. W. E. Smith, Pastor)

Locust Grove—9:30 A. M. Bethesda—10:45 A. M. Spring Mills—7:30 P. M. Rev. W. J. Dice will preach in Spring Mills.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL (Rev. H. A. Fruy, Pastor)

Centre Hall—9:30—Morning Worship. 10:30—Sunday School. 6:30—Epworth League. Spruce town—10:00—Sunday School. 11:00—Morning Worship. Spring Mills—9:30—Sunday School. 7:30—Evening Worship.

PRESBYTERIAN (Rev. J. M. Kirkpatrick, Pastor)

9:30—Sunday School. 6:30—Christian Endeavor. 7:30—Church Service.

DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

President of the U. S. FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT New York.

For Vice-President of U. S. JOHN N. GARNER Texas.

United States Senator LAWRENCE H. RUPP Lehigh County.

State Treasurer L. B. SHANNON Jefferson County.

Auditor General WILSON G. SARIQ Berks County.

Judge of the Supreme Court EDWARD C. HIGBEE Fayette County.

Judges of the Superior Court ROBERT H. HENDERSON Blair County.

GEORGE P. DOUGLASS Philadelphia.

GEO. H. MOWHEITER Westmoreland County.

Congress FREDERICK B. KERR Clearfield County.

General Assembly ROBERT J. MILLER State College.

We are in a Dickens of a fix since writing up the borough improvement to the front of the Centre Hall hotel, in which short paragraph we meant to be complimentary to both the borough authorities and the hotel owner. The article did not seem to digest. The hotel owner took exceptions to the statement that the open space between the street and the hotel building, long in dispute, had finally been agreed to be "under borough control." The statement was put in that light to avoid the impression that the borough had spent the taxpayers' money on private property, which, we all agree, would be very, very bad. Miss Runkle, the owner of the hotel, was very emphatic in her declaration that she owned the open space referred to and had made no concessions. Whether this comment suits all the parties or not, if we keep on feeling like we do now, someone else may pick the hot burr from the coals.

Some of the larger towns are getting pain in their inners because of the fact that hawkers and peddlers are trying to make sales within the corporation limits. Some of these boroughs are considering demanding a license to peddle products in competition with home merchants, while others have already adopted license fees that are prohibitive. There are some classes of "salesmen" who ought to be denied privileges, but these are not the class in question. The vendors objected to are representatives of firms from other towns handling well-known brands of various products. The amusing thing about the whole business is that the firms complaining are themselves doing the very thing they are bellyaching about. A large part of their business is from patronage in smaller boroughs and villages. We have never known them to make inquiry whether they are in competition when entering another borough for trade, but are willing to take all they can get and come regularly for it. And then there is another angle—that of the consumer.

Leo Boden, county detective for Centre county, underwent an operation for appendicitis Thursday morning at the McGirk sanitarium, Philipsburg, and is reported to be in favorable condition.

DEATHS.

MORRIS.—Mrs. Earl H. Morris, of Williamsport, died Thursday afternoon in a hospital in Philadelphia, after an illness of three weeks.

Mrs. Morris was the daughter of Mrs. M. I. Jamison, and the late Rev. Mr. Jamison, who was superintendent of the Williamsport district of the Evangelical church at the time of his death, and a product of Gregg township, this county. She was a member of the Williamsport Organists' association and was active in the W. C. T. U. She was the pianist of the First Evangelical Sunday school and a member of the church choir.

Funeral services were held in the First Evangelical church, Williamsport, at 2:30 o'clock Monday; interment in Mound cemetery.

CROUSE.—Harvey Eugene Crouse, for many years a huckster living at Aaronsburg, died at his home in that place, from cancer, on Monday. Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at the home, interment in the Lutheran cemetery, Aaronsburg.

STEWART.—David M. Stewart passed away at his home in Bellefonte, Saturday morning following an illness of complication of diseases. He was born in Centre county 73 years ago. Surviving him are a twin sister, Mrs. Mary E. Miller, of Hagerstown, Md., another sister, Miss Margaret Stewart, at home and a brother, Dr. Walter Stewart, of Wilkes-Barre. Funeral services were held Tuesday morning, Rev. Edgar Heckman officiating. Interment in the Union cemetery.

MEMORIAL FOR LUTHERAN MINISTER, SUNDAY P. M.

On Sunday afternoon, Rev. S. P. Greenhoe, pastor of the Lutheran church here, attended memorial services held at St. John's Lutheran church, also known as the "Brick Church," near Montgomery, for Rev. William R. Schwirian and Mrs. Schwirian, both of whom were killed on a Reading railroad crossing, when their car was struck by a train on Saturday, July 30th. The minister and his wife were riding with Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Wendell and son, Edwin, Jr., of California, close relatives, when the accident happened. They were returning from a picnic held by the Sunday school connected with the church of which the minister was the pastor. Dr. Wm. M. Rearick, president of Susquehanna Synod, delivered the sermon at the memorial services.

REBERSBURG MAN JAILED IN DEFAULT OF \$300 BAIL

John McCauley, of Rebersburg, was held for court trial following a hearing before Alderman Sterner in Lock Haven, a few days ago, where he was charged with larceny of \$21 as bail and false pretense. Information in the case was made by Miss Neile Burrows, of near Farrisville, who stated that a check given McCauley for groceries, had been cashed by him and the money used for his personal affairs. In default of \$300 bail he was committed to the county jail. A detainer has been lodged with Sheriff Nestelrode for McCauley, by Centre county authorities, as he is wanted in this county.

4-H CLUB MEMBERS PLAN TO ATTEND CLUB WEEK

Seventeen Centre county 4-H Club members and leaders plan to attend the thirteenth annual Club Week at the Penna. State College, August 17-20. Two are planning to attend the leadership training school which is held for outstanding 4-H club boys and girls beginning August 15. Those members will receive two days of special training previous to the regular club week. The two girls attending the leadership training school are: Mary Lucas, Moshannon, Pa., and Ruth Hoover, of Pine Glen. Those attending the regular club week activities are: Thelma Barger, of Moshannon; Maxine Schars, Moshannon; Lois Martin, Moshannon; Mildred Guenot and Marcella Pinchok, of Moshannon. Nine of those attending will compete in the State Judging Contest which will be held on Thursday, August 18. Places on these teams have been won by competition in elimination contests in which other 4-H club members in the county competed. Team members are as follows: Swine Team—Beatty Henry, Martha; Richard Luse; Centre Hall; C. H. Harter, Nittany; Glenn Williams, Martha (alternate). General Livestock Team—Elmer Stiver, Julian; Samuel Stiver, Julian; Leo Homan, State College. Poultry Team—Gladys Rocky, Boalsburg; Mary E. Kline, State College; Wilford Fisher, Warriors Mark. County Agent R. C. Blaney and Miss Eleanor J. Smith, home economics extension representative, will be in charge of the group and will take care of arrangements at the College. More than 1000 4-Club boys and girls representing nearly every county in the State, are expected to attend, according to A. L. Baker, State Club leader. The program recently announced consists of judging contests in agricultural and home economics, assemblies, vespers, lectures, Washington Bi-centennial tableaux and presentation of awards.

The construction of a new post office building in Bellefonte was pushed forward a peg. Condemnation proceedings to take over the site are set for September 5th.

TAXPAYERS EXPLOITED BY FARM BOARDS, SAYS SEN. KING

Wasteful Extravagance of the Farm Board Told in List of Salaries Approximating \$5,000,000 a Year.

The manner in which the taxpayers have been exploited through Mr. Hoover's Federal Farm Board by exorbitant salaries to officials of cooperatives and subsidiaries was set forth in a recent speech by Senator King (Dem.) Utah. The Farm Board has been extravagant and wasteful in the matter of salaries. Immediately after its organization it provided a salary list of nearly \$1,000,000 a year for Washington alone. It created a field of service, so-called, and a temporary field service, the annual salaries of which aggregated more than \$115,000. It provided an agency for propaganda and also a press relations agency at a cost of \$36,000 a year, and a so-called information service at an annual cost of more than \$25,000. It set apart \$50,000 for the printing and \$250,000 for traveling expenses. Of its salary list \$234,000 was to meet the compensation of employes in the cooperating marketing division. More than \$132,000 was provided for the economic division and \$69,000 for the so-called business analysis section.

After naming the number of organizations, cooperative or otherwise, set up by the Board, Senator King continued: "The Grain Stabilization Corporation provided a salary list totaling more than \$408,000 per annum, and the monthly payroll of the Farmers' National Grain Corporation and its subsidiaries, amounted to \$196,000 or approximately \$2,349,000 per annum. The American Cotton Cooperative Association provided a salary list of more than \$1,100,000 per annum, and various State Cotton Cooperative Associations had a salary list, I am advised, of more than \$120,000 per annum.

"According to a hasty computation, salaries of the Farm Board, and its subsidiaries, not including the State Cotton Cooperatives or a number of other cooperatives, is nearly \$5,000,000 annually.

Mr. Creekmore, Manager of the American Cotton Cooperative Association, receives a salary of \$75,000; Mr. H. D. Safford, Sales Manager, \$35,000; and Mr. C. O. Moser, Director of Publicity, \$15,000. Some of the employees of the Farmers' National Grain Corporation are: George S. Milnor, General Manager, \$50,000; J. M. Chilton, Assistant Manager, \$32,000; Walter I. Beam, Treasurer, \$30,000; Wm. Mangel, Vice-President, \$27,000; C. E. Huff, President, \$15,000; W. B. Joyce, District Manager, \$20,000; O. H. Smith, District Manager, \$15,000; H. W. Collins, Portland Manager, \$25,000; N. E. Carpenter, Kansas City Office, \$15,000; F. W. Lake, Kansas City office, \$25,000; P. J. Thatcher, Chicago Office, \$15,000; Stanley Reed, \$20,000. Senator King also quoted Congressman Woodrum, Chairman of the House Appropriations Subcommittee in charge of the Independent Office Supply Bill, which carried the Farm Board appropriation for the fiscal year, in which Congressman Woodrum said: "Although the Farm Board represents the most impoverished industry, yet it has been exorbitant about spending money and has been liberal with other people's money."

CENTRE HALL DETECTIVE GIVEN COURT HEARING

The following is reprinted from the Democratic Watchman: On July 9th, 1932, Domes S. Ishler, of Centre Hall, was granted a license by Judge Fleming to conduct a private detective agency at that place, but his powers were limited to detective work only. But detecting crime in that usually peaceful community did not prove a very profitable business and Domes overstepped his limits by taking in hand work that usually falls to constables and working up cases, which, it is alleged, never should have been brought before a justice of the peace with the result that the Court refused to allow both the detective and the justice fees. The consequence was that on July 12th a rule was issued at the request of district attorney John G. Love citing Ishler to appear before the Court, on Monday, August 1st, and show cause why his license should not be revoked. The hearing was held and after listening to the private detective's explanation of his official actions the Court outlined the kind of work he could do under his license, and, cautioning him to confine himself to that, dismissed the rule.

BIG FIRE AT CLARENCE WITH LOSS OF \$75,000

The Jacob Friedman general store, at Clarence, was entirely destroyed by fire, late Wednesday afternoon of last week. The fire was discovered in the rear part of the building shortly before five o'clock, but how it originated is not known. It was a frame structure and the flames spread rapidly. A call for assistance was sent to the Bellefonte fire department and the Undines responded but by the time they arrived there the big store was beyond saving. The firemen, however, were able to save an adjoining house owned by Mr. Friedman and occupied by Mike Botson and family, and a barn in the rear of the store. The loss is estimated at \$75,000, mostly covered by insurance.

Fourteen States already have ratified the amendment to the Constitution eliminating the lame duck sessions of Congress and advancing the inauguration date from March 4 to January 20. Most political observers concede the necessary 35 will complete ratification before inauguration in 1937.

CENTRE COUNTY HOSPITAL NOTES.

Mrs. Leroy Davies and infant son, of Bellefonte, were discharged Monday. Mrs. R. A. Marchotta, of Manchester, N. H., was discharged Monday after undergoing medical treatment. Mrs. Samuel Shallock, of Bellefonte, was admitted Monday for medical treatment.

Glenn Shank, 5, son of Samuel Shank of College township, was admitted for surgical treatment on Monday. Miss Freda Hoffman, of Bellefonte, was discharged Tuesday after having been a surgical patient. Mrs. J. W. Minemyer returned to her home in Benner township Tuesday after undergoing medical treatment.

Miss Margaret Ulrich, of Millheim, a surgical patient, was discharged on Tuesday. Mrs. Agnes Semmer, of Boggs township, was discharged Friday after undergoing surgical treatment. Wm. F. Colpetzer, of Ferguson twp., was admitted Tuesday as a surgical patient.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Shuey, of Spring twp., last Wednesday.

Miss Elizabeth Mattis, of Potter township, after undergoing surgical treatment for several days, was discharged Friday. Harold H. Smith, of Ferguson township, was discharged Friday after undergoing surgical treatment.

Samuel E. Kline, 4, son of Dallas Kline, of Howard township, underwent treatment at the hospital Friday. Mr. and Mrs. George Baney of Bellefonte, are the happy parents of a daughter born at the hospital Friday.

Wm. P. Cole, of College township, a medical patient, died Friday. James, Caroline and Wm. Baldwin, of Spring twp., were admitted Friday as surgical patients.

Miss Hester A. Jones, of Wilmore, was admitted Saturday for surgical treatment. After having been a surgical patient Miss Kathryn Peters returned to her home in Spring township on Saturday.

Miss Barbara Keeler, of Spring twp., a surgical patient, was discharged Saturday. Miss Sarah H. Kreamer, of Bellefonte, was admitted for surgical treatment on Saturday.

Mrs. Isaac Yarnell and infant daughter, of Ferguson township, were discharged Sunday. Mrs. Thomas Weber, of College twp.,

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE. In the Estate of MICHAEL F. ROSSMAN, late of Potter Township, Centre County, Pa., deceased.

Letters testamentary on the 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.

ANNIE R. ROSSMAN, Executrix, JOHN B. WERT, Executor, Gettig & Gettig, Centre Hall, Pa., Attorneys R. D. 1 Bellefonte, Pa. x33

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

In the Estate of ANNA L. BARTGES, late of Centre Hall Boro, Centre County, Pa., deceased. Letters testamentary on the 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.

DELLA B. REIBER, CURTIS B. REIBER, Executors, Centre Hall, Pa. x35

BIDS WANTED.

Potter Township School Directors will receive bids for transporting school children for the 1932-33 school term, as follows: Red Mill route to Potters Mills, be-

ginning at cabin on State road at Ed. Brown's; Mountain route from McKinney's to Potters Mills; Georges Valley route from the Parson home to Potters Mills; Dauberman route to Centre Hill; Egg Hill route to Potters Mills, beginning at Carson farm; Manor Hill to Earlstown, beginning at Ross farm.

All bids must be in hands of Secretary by August 22. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids. F. P. FLORAY, Secretary.

A plumber by the name of Homan, of Williamsport, purchased the Rowe plumbing business here and will conduct it in the future. He expects to bring his family here.

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