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NEW DEAL BENEFITS TO PENNSYLVANIA FARM WORKERS

The Pennsylvania farmer and the worker in industry entered into a new era of independence and dignity thru their acquisition of almost incalculable benefits, both present and future, operation of the New Deal.

The last Congress provided bank deposit insurance, social security thru old age pensions and unemployment reserves, regulation of utility holding companies, a moratorium on farm mortgages, the Guffey bill to regulate the soft coal industry and the Wagner Labor Disputes Bill abolishing company unions and guaranteeing the bargaining rights of labor.

The Pennsylvania farmer will not be fooled by attacks on the administration of Governor Earle nor will the working man.

For the latter he enforced the enactment of legislation that abolished the coal and iron police. He put thru a child labor law raising the employment of children from 14 to 16 years.

For the farmer the governor provided a milk control law and appointed a strong Milk Control Board. The governor also has given to the farmer milk sanitation legislation. No longer will he be obliged to compete with inferior milk shipped into Pennsylvania from other states.

The farmer has prospered in other ways since Governor Earle took office. His cash income is 18 per cent above last year's and almost 50 per cent above 1932. He pays 23 per cent more for what he buys but he receives 51 per cent more for milk, 59 per cent more for corn and 50 per cent more for oats.

Experience is of value in the commissioner's office. Remember, J. Victor Brungart is the only one of the candidates with that particular qualification, but if that experience is to be used to his best advantage, Alfred L. Bowersox, his running mate on the Democratic ticket, must also be elected to back Mr. Brungart in the move for economy and better business methods in the commissioner's office.

WORK BEGUN ON 25-ACRE DAM ON PO CREEK, PO VALLEY

Supt. L. L. Weaver, of the Po Valley CCC camp, has announced that a force of his men have commenced clearing the land along Po creek, about a mile and a half east of the camp site, preliminary to the erection of a huge dam in that stream.

Designed to have a water area of about twenty-five acres, the dam will have a breast of 600 feet which will be 140 feet thick at the base and 32 feet high, earth filled, with masonry spillway and sluiceway.

Big Po is a fine little stream, and the dam will serve as a practical method of conserving the water supply, also as a stopping point for migratory water fowl. The large body of water will also add to the scenic interest of a section already noted for its splendid views.

WERT-WOLFE.

James A. Wert, of Aaronsburg, and Mrs. Ida Wolfe, a native of Sugar Valley, were united in marriage on Tuesday, October 8, at the Lutheran parsonage in Millheim by the Rev. Louis V. Leshner.

Mr. Wert was a former resident of Potter township, having lived for many years on the farm west of Tussockville now occupied by his son, Claude Wert, prior to locating in Aaronsburg.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Samuel Youts, et ux. to Wm. A. Jacobs, land in Centre Hall borough; \$30.

W. L. Jacobs, et al. to Martha J. Boozer, tract in Centre Hall borough; \$100.

Martha J. Boozer, et al. to Mary Catherine Flink, land in Centre Hall; \$1500.

Edward Zerby, et al. to Edward H. Zerby, et ux, land in Potter township; \$250.

Edward H. Zerby et ux, to Edward H. Zerby et ux, land in Potter twp.; \$750.

Robert F. Hunter, treasurer, to the First National Bank, Centre Hall, tract in Potter township; \$67.51.

Caroline Swartz to W. E. Breon, land in Penn township; \$500.

W. P. Hosterman to Reformed and Lutheran Cemetery Assoc., land in Potter twp.; \$150.

Wm. W. Arnett, et al. to R. E. Vonada, Aaronsburg, land in Haines twp.; \$2500.

TRIENNIAL T. B. TEST FOR COUNTY CATTLE THIS MONTH

The Triennial T. B. test of all cattle in Centre county will be started by the State Farm Bureau of Animal Industry in Centre county this month according to County Agent R. C. Blaney.

According to the Bovine Tuberculosis Eradication Plan, Centre county has been on the Accredited Area for several years with the three-year rest due this fall.

At a meeting of township T. B. committee chairmen last week, the following committee was elected to make local arrangements for the test this year:

Thomas Beaver, Bellefonte, chairman; Willard Harter, Jacksonsville; N. I. Wilson, Stormstown; Thomas Wise, Madisonburg; J. Foster Musser, State College.

All expenses for this test will be cared for by mutual agreement between the local, State and Federal Government.

There are approximately 25,000 head of cattle to be tested in Centre county. It will probably take until some time in December to complete all of the townships.

When this program was started there was between 4% and 5% of the cattle in Centre county affected with bovine tuberculosis. These have been eliminated and for the past few years the percentage of reactors has been less than one-half of one per cent, which has eliminated the chance of humans becoming affected with tuberculosis through the milk supply produced in the county.

HALLOWEEN PARTY

The young people of the local Reformed church invite all young people of the community to a "Young People's Halloween Party," Friday night, October 25, at the local high school building. Every one is requested to come masked. Plenty of games and acquaintances with the spooks and witches you never met before. The time is 7:30 o'clock.

DEATHS.

HOY.—Jeremiah Hoy, 83, of Zion, died at his home Thursday, of the infirmities of age. He was a member of the Lutheran church, and a lifelong resident of that section. He is survived by four sons and a daughter: Cyrus, Harvey and Mrs. Lulu Weaver, Bellefonte; Calvin, Jersey Shore, and Roy, Coleville; by a sister, Mrs. George Harter, Howard, and a brother, George Hoy, of Hubersburg. Funeral services were held at the home Saturday afternoon, with interment in Zion cemetery.

HARTER.—William James Harter, prominent Centre county lumberman and resident of Coburn, died at the Geisinger hospital, Danville, on Sunday. He was aged 70 years, and 19 months.

Funeral services were held on Wednesday from the Evangelical church; interment in the Fairview cemetery. He was a son of Reuben Harter and engaged in farming, later in lumbering. A wife, formerly Mazie Alexander, a son, Randall, of Millheim, and a brother, A. L. Harter, Coburn, survive.

BURRELL.—Katharine Carter Burrell, aged 70 years, died at the home of her son, George S. Shook, Aaronsburg, R. D., following an illness of five weeks with a complication of diseases.

The deceased was born in Haines township on October 7, 1865, a daughter of A. G. and Elizabeth (Ertle) Burrell. She is survived by one son, George S. Shook, of Aaronsburg, R. D., with whom she made her home for the past fifteen years. A brother, A. P. Burrell, of State College, also survives.

Funeral services were held Thursday of last week, with burial in the Heckman cemetery.

WITMER.—Mrs. Angeline N. Witmer died at her home in Bellefonte, aged 78 years, 9 months, from complications. She was a daughter of Samuel and Emeline Miles Lucas, and was born in Union township, the widow of William W. Witmer.

Six children, Mrs. W. H. Hunsinger, Altoona; Mrs. Thos. Tressler, Mrs. Basil Doll and W. C. Witmer, R. C. Witmer, all of Bellefonte, survive her death, together with one sister, Mrs. W. T. Peters, Milesburg; and one brother, C. O. Lucas, of Wooster, O.

Funeral services were held on Thursday, with burial in Myers cemetery, Rev. E. R. Heckman officiating.

GOSS.—Funeral services were held Tuesday morning at the home of Waldo P. Corl, State College, R. D., for Mrs. Susan Goss, 57, who died Friday evening at her home near State College. The following sons and daughters survive: Samuel E. Reading; William K. Tyrone; and Mrs. Elsie M. Corl, State College; R. D. John M. and Peter L. Ketchline, both of Bellefonte are surviving brothers. She was a member of St. Luke's Lutheran church at Pine Grove Mills.

Among those who recently successfully passed the examination for driver's licenses were G. R. Slack, Eugene Weaver, and Mabel Hosterman.

A. B. LEE SELLS SINKING CR. FARM, 189 A., TO P. WASSON

What has long been known as the Michael Duck farm, along Sinking Creek, in Gregg township, owned by A. B. Lee, was sold through the H. L. Ebright agency to Paul Wasson, of the Branch, near Lemont. The farm contains 189 acres, 149 of which are cleared. Mr. Wasson expects to occupy the farm himself. The sales price has not been made known.

The farm was in possession of Mr. Duck for a number of years, passing from him to Adam Finkle, and from the latter to Mr. Lee. During the time Mr. Lee owned the place the barn was twice destroyed by fire and each time rebuilt by him.

LOCALS.

Mr. and Mrs. William Luse celebrated the sixth anniversary of their marriage last week, and Mr. and Mrs. Garman Matter, the fifth anniversary of a similar event.

Experiments with rock salt and calcium chloride treatments for stabilization of earth roads will be begun within a few days by the State Highway Department in various sections of the State.

Robert Atkinson, Chief of the Bureau of Markets, Harrisburg, will be the guest speaker at the Democratic meeting and rally to be held in the Municipal Building at Millheim this (Thursday) evening.

Competing with 15 teams, Penn State's livestock judging team on Monday took fifth place at the American Royal Livestock and Horse Show at Kansas City, Missouri. William P. Campbell, of Centre Hall, is a member of the team.

In Centre county 112.78 miles of road are to be improved by sloping embankments, widening and stabilizing berms and shoulders, giving employment to 397 men for three months at an expenditure of \$74,140. This is one of six projects approved by the Works Progress Administration.

Glady's Louise, four years old, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Walker, of Wolfes Store, was confined to bed on Friday with double pneumonia. The attending physician, Dr. Hugh Morrow, reports her condition to be somewhat better at this time. Her present sickness resulted from a bad cold which she had for some time.

Senseless pranks by youngsters, in some cases bordering on destruction of property, have been engaged in locally for the past three weeks. Many property owners feel need of protection against these silly capers which are without rhyme or reason. Parents who are permitted to go the streets at night separate wholesome fun from destruction of property.

The Boalsburg Bell telephone exchange will be included in the adoption of a dial system for State College area some time next spring. When the new system is installed the patrons will be able to complete all local calls as well as to State College. A one-story building will be erected in Boalsburg to accommodate the equipment necessary for a change from the manual to the dial system.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Alexander, their daughter, Miss Margaret Alexander, R. N., with W. A. Odenkirk as a guest motored to Philadelphia and Wenonah, N. J., on Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Alexander returned home Tuesday, leaving the others in Philadelphia. The party were guests for a part of the time of the former couple's son, H. H. Alexander, and family, at Wenonah.

An official congressional party, headed by Vice President and Mrs. John N. Garner, and including Congressman and Mrs. Don Ginzery, of Clearfield, set sail from Seattle, Wednesday for the Philippines, where they will participate in inauguration of the new native government of the islands. A strong plea by high officials that "the United States keep out of foreign troubles" marked the departure.

Mrs. Erdley, wife of H. F. Erdley, cashier of the Spring Mills First National Bank, was taken to the Centre County hospital on Tuesday morning in the institution ambulance. Inquiry made on Wednesday morning indicated observation had not yet determined whether or not an operation would be necessary. Mrs. Erdley has been in delicate health for a year or more. Her recovery is anxiously awaited by a large circle of friends in her home community.

Miss Estella Hosterman is now a regular clerk in the Centre Hall post-office under Postmaster C. W. Boozer. Miss Hosterman began her services as a clerk when the office was of the third class, not in civil service, and her step-father, R. M. Smith, was postmaster. About ten years ago when the office attained the dignity of being under civil service regulations, she became a substitute clerk, and since October 1st, she attained the station of a regular clerk. The position of substitute clerk will be filled in the near future through civil service examination. Miss Hosterman has been efficient, courteous and obliging from the beginning of her post office service and well merited the two advancements.

TWO CCC CAMPS IN CENTRE, OF 15 IN STATE TO CLOSE

Fifteen CCC camps in Pennsylvania, with a total enrollment of at least 3000, will be abandoned by the end of the month, to conform with the order to reduce the total quota of all camps in the United States from 600,000 to 500,000 men.

Camps affected in Centre county are Stone Creek Kettle, Potter township, occupied by colored boys, and Monument, Liberty township.

Two nearby camps are Alan Seeger camp, located at Nature Study Camp, Huntingdon county, and Tea Springs, Union county.

Eighty-six forest and eight park camps will remain in the State. Camps are operated by the State with funds granted by the Federal Government.

\$23,000,000 FOR TWP. ROADS, AT NO COST TO TAXPAYERS

With a grant of \$9,000,000 from the Federal Government and \$14,000,000 from the State, \$23,000,000 will be devoted to improving the 50,000 miles of road which go down to the farmer's gate.

Under a special ruling of Secretary of Highways Warren Van Dyke the roads will be built at no actual cost to local taxpayers.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Roy David Baird Pleasant Gap
Elsie Rachau Bellefonte
Andrew Fulek Clifton, N. J.
Rebekah Bowersox Little Falls
John Coyer Binghamton, N. Y.
Ida Gunter Binghamton, N. Y.
Leon B. Meeker Pine Glenn
Jennie A. Robinson Pine Glenn

GRAND JURY TO CONVENE WILL HEAR THIRTYTWO CASES

The grand jurors will convene on Monday to pass on the thirty-two cases prepared for trial by District Attorney Phillip H. Johnston.

The work has been parceled to be done in three days. For Monday 13 cases have been scheduled; Tuesday, ten cases; Wednesday, nine cases.

CENTRE HALL BUSINESS MEN'S ASSOCIATION MEETING

The Centre Hall Business Men's Association will hold a regular meeting Tuesday night, 29th inst. in the high school building, at 8:00 o'clock. Business of a character demanding the attendance of every member will be presented.—F. V. Goodhart, pres.

LETTER FROM FLORIDA.

The Reporter gratefully acknowledges receipt of the following letter from Erdman West, former Centre Hall resident, now of Gainesville, Florida, where he is an instructor in the State University:

Gainesville, Florida, Oct. 16, 1935
The Centre Reporter,
Centre Hall, Pa.

Gentlemen: Just a small check to make my account look better. We can't seem to get along without "The Reporter." Everybody is well and enjoying life. At present H. J. Lambert is visiting us on his way to Lakewood.

Yours truly,
ERDMAN WEST.

KNOX, SECOND OFFICER BEATEN BY BYROL AND MAYES, DIES

James E. Knox, 29, a former State policeman stationed at Bellefonte, died in the Jefferson hospital, Philadelphia Wednesday night of last week from the effects of injuries received on Nittany Mountain, between Madisonburg and Nittany, by two suspicious characters, Eric Byrol and Andrew Mayes, when an attempt was made to arrest them. Corporal Walter Powell a second State policeman, died a short time ago, and it is believed his death was due to injuries sustained at the same time as that of Knox, September 19, 1933.

Byrol is imprisoned in the Pittsburgh penitentiary and Mayes is in the Huntingdon Industrial School.

Townsend Club Meeting.

The Townsend Club will meet on Tuesday evening, October 29, at 7:30 o'clock, in the Odd Fellows' hall. A speaker of ability will address the gathering. Everybody welcome.

Tusseyville.

Rev. and Mrs. W. K. Hosterman of Centre Hall called at the C. E. Slutterbeck home on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kuhn of State College spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. Annie Kinsfelter.

Mrs. S. T. Swartz and daughter spent the week-end in Bellefonte as guests at the Mark Williams home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Grove and daughter Colleen visited Sunday with Mrs. Grove's parents, W. S. Martz, and Mrs. and Samuel Horner and sons of near Penn Hall were Sunday evening visitors at the Slutterbeck home.

BATTER, FIELDER AND TEAM RECOGNIZED BY DAILY TIMES AT BANQUET AT HOWARD

The 1935 season of the Centre County Baseball League was officially closed with a banquet given by the League Board of Control, Thursday evening, in the Methodist church social room, Howard.

The near forty who sat at the festive board included in addition to the board, players and newspaper men, R. S. Jamison, secretary of the League, gave a financial report in response to a request by the president, P. C. Holter, which revealed there was in the treasury \$164.00, after expenses of \$40.00 had been paid, which fund was available for redistribution among the ten clubs forming the League.

President Holter acted as toastmaster, and in response to calls Rev. Kline and Rev. Johnson, of Howard, George R. Meek and James Hughes, and several others, spoke briefly on baseball.

George A. Scott, a representative of the Centre Daily Times, presented the leading batter, Forrest Benford, Pleasant Gap, and leading fielder, Paul Fetterolf, Centre Hall, appropriately engraved medals, and Mr. Hughes presented the pennant to the State College team, the champions.

The dinner was served by ladies comprising one of the Sunday school classes of the Methodist church. Both the service and the food were most excellent.

The register revealed those present were: Howard—Rev. George R. Johnson, Rev. R. L. Morris, Rev. L. E. Kline, H. B. Arment, H. L. Ishler, W. K. McDowell, J. K. Yearick, C. R. Foreman, J. H. Holt, State College—Harry Myers, Fred Gearhart, George A. Scott, John Miller, Russ Stover, Millheim—Glenn Amuller, John Wagner, C. N. Boon, Bellefonte—Paul M. Dubbs, C. A. Torsell, J. A. Hughes, George R. Meek, Allen Brown, Lamsar—Fred Yearick, Carl Hellman, John Kline, Rebersburg—S. O. Mallory, John Diehl, William Tyson, Pleasant Gap—Carl Gettig, Russell Spicer, John Dilliar, Wilbur Saxton, Forrest Benford, Centre Hall—R. S. Jamison, Ernest Frank, Paul Fetterolf, S. W. Smith.

SHOWER FOR BRIDE.

Thirty members of the faculty of the State College Public Schools gave a miscellaneous shower in honor of Mrs. George Rimmey, formerly Miss Marian Dale, at the home of her parents in Boalsburg on Monday evening. As a feature of the occasion, Mrs. Rimmey was presented with a beautiful oil painted picture of the Dale homestead. The painting was done by Miss Katherine Royer, Art Supervisor in the State College schools.

The bride was the recipient of many other beautiful as well as useful gifts.

Mrs. Rimmey has been a teacher in the State College schools for the past five years and her many friends join in wishing her much happiness.

CLINTON COUNTY GIRL, STRUCK BY CAR, FATALLY HURT

Marian Wolfe, aged 12 years, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wolfe, of Clintondale, was fatally injured about 3:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon when struck by a roadster driven by Salvatore Marasco, of Flemington.

The accident occurred three miles west of Clintondale on Route 229 near the Clinton-Centre county line.

The girl was walking on the right side of the road with a sister, Mary, 15, and Ruth Dolan, of Nittany, when struck. She died on the way to the hospital. Her injuries consisted of a fractured skull, fractures of both legs, internal injuries and numerous other fractures and lacerations.

CENTER OF STATE NEAR FISH HATCHERY AT PLEASANT GAP

The Department of Internal Affairs said this week the center of Pennsylvania is in Centre county about feet west of Spring creek, on a line due west from the south line of the State Fish Hatchery near Pleasant Gap. It is about three miles south of the square at Bellefonte and two miles west of Pleasant Gap.

BIRTHDAY PARTY.

On attaining her fourth year, June White, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank White, was given a birthday party by her grandmother, Mrs. Jacob Sharer, in town. The young guests are noted below:

Donna Luse, Margaret Matter, Annette Searson, Dorothy Boozer, Jack Uber, Teddy White, Virginia Morrow, Sarah Morrow, Janet Runkle, Dick Runkle, Cherry Corman, Ariene Corman, Wilma Emerick, Clara Lue Watzel, Beulah Bradford, Miriam Foust, Warren Foust, David Boozer, June White. The entertainers were Marjorie Morrow, Patty Boozer, Betty Searson, and Anna Homan. The chaperones were Mrs. Brooks, Mrs. D. R. White and her Grandmother White.

Games on the back lawn were played. Refreshments of sandwiches, potato chips, cake and ice cream were served. Little favors were given. June received a number of nice presents.

Governor Earle appointed William G. Fluke, of Saxon, Bedford county, to the board of game commissioners. He succeeded Dr. William H. Moore, of Philadelphia, resigned.

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

HAPPENINGS OF LOCAL INTEREST FROM ALL PARTS

Mrs. Ellen Heckman, of Spring Mills, visited her niece, Mrs. Samuel Bitner, in town, on Sunday.

Mrs. Anna Vaughn, of Altoona, after a visit with the George Sharer family for a week, returned to her home on Wednesday.

Augustus Lyon died in Philadelphia at the age of 83 years. He was a former merchant having been a member of the firm of Lyon & Co. He is survived by a widow, several children and two sisters.

Joseph W. Reifsnnyder, of Millheim, represented Victory Encampment, of Millheim, at the sessions of the Grand Encampment, I. O. O. F., held in Harrisburg, Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. James E. Stover, of Montgomery, and daughter, Mrs. Katherine Kolman, and Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Innes, of Cleveland, Ohio, visited with Mrs. Stover's sister, Mrs. J. H. Durst, on Thursday.

Deputy Sheriff and Mrs. John A. Bower are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby girl, born on Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Bower's mother, Mrs. Annie Mensch, in Aaronsburg.

The residence of the late former Sheriff John P. Condo, located in Aaronsburg, was purchased by Fred Shultz, of Rebersburg, at public sale for \$1,525. The personal property sold footed up to \$550.00.

A works relief project in Centre county with a timely element is that of picking nuts. Several crews of men are now engaged in gathering acorns, hickory nuts, walnuts, "fox" grapes, etc., in the mountains.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hartman and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Betts, of New Cumberland, were guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Hosterman. The ladies are daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Kerlin, of New Cumberland.

The twenty-first wedding anniversary of Rev. and Mrs. G. A. Fred Griesing, of Aaronsburg, was quietly celebrated at their home on Monday, October 14. Rev. Griesing is pastor of the Aaronsburg Reformed church.

George Lohr, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Lohr, tenants on the Jodon farm near Pleasant Gap, is a hospital patient suffering from a bullet wound inflicted when a revolver fell from his hand and was discharged when it struck a rock.

Eighty cans of four- to six-inch brook trout from the Pleasant Gap hatchery were recently placed in the mountain section of Pine Creek and its tributaries under the supervision of Forest Ranger Wilson Ard, of Woodward.

A contract has been awarded for the construction of a steel truss bridge and 34 miles of concrete road on State Highway route 64, Liberty township and Beech, Creek borough, to the Graham Construction company, Lancaster, for \$66,568.

Harry Dukeman, Bellefonte's chief of police, has been advised by his physician, Dr. Waterworth, Clearfield, to take a complete rest for a month. Charles Cronmiller will be acting chief until Dukeman recovers his former physical condition.

The W. E. Breon farm, one mile west of Millheim, was purchased at private sale on Tuesday by Sara Snyder Wolfe, wife of Joseph H. Wolf, of Pottery Mills. The purchase price was not disclosed. The new owner will occupy the farm next spring.

The Northern Conference of the Susquehanna Synod of the Lutheran Church met on Monday in Rebersburg. An address by Dr. J. F. Harkins, State College, on the subject, "The Church in a Changing World," was a prominent feature on the program. The conference was attended by Rev. L. A. Wagner, who recently became pastor of the Penns Valley charge, but has not yet been installed.

G. Frank Smith, of town, no doubt thinks Sir Isaac Newton's law of gravitation is too severe. Sir Isaac saw the apple fall from the tree, and made certain deductions, but G. Frank felt the apple fall from the tree. It bit him in the eye with such "gravity" as to cause a bad bruise, requiring bandaging of the optic. Frank was picking the fruit of the tree when Sir Isaac's law asserted itself.

Roy S. Jamison, of Centre Hall, was re-elected president of the Centre County Interscholastic Athletic Association at a meeting held in Bellefonte Thursday. It will be Mr. Jamison's third consecutive term as president of the association. Other officers, Thomas Stetler, of Snow Sho, vice-president, and Glenn Amuller, Millheim, secretary-treasurer, were also re-elected for the second straight year.

Miss Alice Burkholder, a graduate of the Methodist hospital training school, Philadelphia, is at her home here where she will remain for a few weeks and then return to the city to take the examination before the State Board of Registration of Nurses. Successful in this, she will be privileged to use the suffix title R. N., and will enter the Delaware County hospital, west of Philadelphia City line, on general duty.