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SUNDAY CHURCH SERVICES PENNS VALLEY LUTHERAN CHURCH (Rev. L. Arthur Wagner, Pastor.) Spring Mills—9 to 10 A. M. Centre Hall, 7:30 P. M. Tusseyville—10:30 A. M.

CENTRE HALL REFORMED CHURCH (Rev. Debas B. Keener, Pastor) Centre Hall—9:30—Church School. 7:30—Church Worship. 6:30—Y. P. Meeting. Theme, "How to Start the New Year." Leader, R. E. Bradford.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL (Rev. Seth Russell, Pastor) Centre Hall—9:00—Church School. 10:00—Church School. Farmers Mills—9:30—Church School. 10:30—Church Worship.

EVANGELICAL (Rev. W. K. Hosterman, Pastor) Centre Hall—Sunday School, 9:30 A. M. Worship Service, 10:30 A. M. Tusseyville—Sunday School, 1:30 P. M.

PRESBYTERIAN (Rev. J. M. Kirkpatrick, Pastor) 9:30—Morning Worship. 10:30—Sunday School. 6:30—Christian Endeavor. Pilgrim Holiness, Linden Hall. (Rev. Clarence Wert, Pastor)

Congressman Don Ginery, a member of the insular affairs committee was a member of the party representing the United States at the inauguration of the new government of the Philippine Islands, and returned to his home in Clearfield recently. He was accompanied by Mrs. Ginery.

PUBLIC ATTITUDE HELPS THE BANKS

Annual Bankers Convention Says People Have Had Confidence Restored—Recommends Changed Government Policy

The restoration of public confidence in banking has put it in the position where it can function fully and vigorously in playing its full economic part in the progress of recovery, said the American Bankers Association in its annual convention resolutions. "The passage of a generally constructive banking law in the Banking Act of 1935 has stabilized the banking situation and enabled bankers to devote undivided attention to the normal administration of their institutions in promoting the business and public welfare of their communities," the resolutions said.

The Government in Banking

Another resolution said: "We particularly emphasize the desirability of the retirement of government credits of various types which can be adequately served by privately owned institutions. We recognize that the exigencies of the now passing depression made necessary a large participation by government for a time in the financial needs. "These conditions have been largely remedied and the obligation now rests upon the banks and other financial agencies to demonstrate to the people of this country that they are fully able and willing to meet all demands upon them for sound credit cooperation. It is our duty as bankers to facilitate in every effective way the retirement of government agencies from credit activities by promoting public understanding of the proper function of privately owned banking."

ACCURATE RECORDS

The keeping of accurate records constitutes an essential part of any successful business management, whether manufacturing, merchandising or farming. It is quite generally conceded that any good business concern keeps adequate records, and this procedure is equally important in the business of farming, declares the Bulletin of the American Bankers Association Agricultural Commission.

Deaths

REV. S. F. GREENHOE.

Rev. Samuel F. Greenhoe died Tuesday evening at the home of his sister, Mrs. Dreese, in Jersey Shore, after having been confined to bed from complications since Thanksgiving day. Funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon at one o'clock at the home, and further services in the Lutheran church, Centre Hall, and burial made in the local cemetery beside the body of Mrs. Greenhoe, who died a few years ago.

DR. S. C. RUNKLE.

Dr. Stuart Calvin Runkle passed out of this life at his home in Philadelphia, where he had lived since graduating from Jefferson Medical College in the spring of 1888, having entered the institution three years previous. His preliminary education was obtained in the Potter township public schools and later in the Centre Hall "high" school, which then as now vied for first place among the schools in Penna Valley.

RISHIEL.

Born in Gregg township in 1869, Jeremiah Rishiel died at Coburn at the home of a grandson, Nevin Rishiel, on Sunday. His parents were Joseph and Lydia Heckman Rishiel. The only surviving child is a daughter, Mrs. W. H. Mussek, Coburn. The following brothers and sisters also survive: Charles Rishiel, of Kansas; George H. Maple Park, Ill.; Jonas, Coburn; William, Knepson, W. Va.; Mrs. W. C. Krader and Mrs. Carrie Kane, Coburn.

NEFF.

After an illness of two days from pneumonia, Mrs. Sara Agnes Neff died Saturday evening at her home at Centre Hill, aged 73 years, 10 months and 4 days. Interment took place at Centre Hall, Tuesday forenoon, her pastor, Rev. D. R. Keener, officiating. Mrs. Neff was the daughter of John and Catharine Hoy Neff. Her husband, William R. Neff, died a few years ago.

SLEIFFER.

Mrs. Esther M. Sleiffer, a lifetime resident of Gregg township, died in the Centre County hospital, Monday evening, from complications. Funeral services will be held from the Georges Valley Lutheran church, and interment made in the adjoining cemetery, Friday, 10:00 o'clock, Rev. L. A. Wagner officiating, assisted by Rev. A. C. Paulhamus.

POORMAN.

Charles W. Poorman died at his home in Bellefonte on Thursday, aged 60 years. A wife, formerly Minnie V. Shank, and several children, survive him.

KELLEY.

Wm. T. Kelley, secretary of the Bellefonte borough council and Bellefonte station agent for the Pennsylvania Railroad company succumbed at his home on E. Bishop street on the 18th ult., of complications following a lengthy illness.

cent of Bellefonte for many years and was widely known in business and social circles. One brother, David J. Kelley, of Greer, West. Va., survives.

GRAMLEY.

Ira Gramley, well known Aaronsburg meat cutter, passed away at his home in that community on the 14th ult., after an illness of a complication of diseases. He was a son of Joseph and Sydney Brungart Gramley and was born in Miles township on August 14, 1860, making his age 75 years, 4 months. His wife, Susan Gramley, died some years ago. Surviving are two sons and two daughters: Joseph S. Gramley, of Battle Creek, Mich.; Orvis Gramley, of Millheim; Sydney May, wife of A. Miles Arney, of Niagara Falls; and Mrs. Jennie Kolb, of Aaronsburg. Two sisters: Mrs. Alice Gramley, of Springfield, Ill., and Mrs. Wm. Loder of Howard, and a step-brother, Edward Hoy, of Hubersburg, also survive. Funeral services were held from the home, in charge of the Rev. Louis V. Leisher. Interment was made in the Wolfe Chapel cemetery. The deceased was a member of the Lutheran church at Aaronsburg.

BROWN.

Mrs. Harriett Brown died Wednesday morning at her home in Spring Mills, aged 76 years. She was the daughter of Jacob and Rebecca McCool. There survive her husband, Samuel Brown, and two children, namely, Miss Isabel, of Sunbury, and Harry, Williamsport.

"THE TIGER," C. H. H. S. PAPER, PLACED 2ND AMONG STATE HIGH SCHOOL PUBLICATIONS

One first and three second place positions is the record made by "The Tiger," the publication of the local high school, during the past four years. The scoring was made at Hershey, on Saturday, at the Pennsylvania State Press sessions, at which "The Tiger" competed with publications from all high schools in the State, and was placed second. The complete scoring follows: First place—Curtin Jr. High, Williamsport; Shull Jr. High, Easton.

LUTH. JOINT COUNCIL TO MEET SAT. P. M. JAN. 11

The Joint Council of the Penna Valley Lutheran church will meet in annual session at Centre Hall, Saturday afternoon, one o'clock, Jan. 11th.

Tusseyville.

Mrs. Annie Roseman departed Christmas day for Altoona, where she expects to spend the remainder of the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Charles Geary, and family.

AMMON BAIRD AND FAMILY AT THE BAIRD HOME NEAR PLEASANT GAP.

Charles Slutterbeck and family, Arthur Slutterbeck and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McCormick, of Centre Hall, and Edna Stoner, at the Samuel Horner home at Tusseyville.

RAY SNARE AND FAMILY AT THE A. O. DETWILER HOME AT COLYER.

Mary and Walter Horner with their mother at State College. Mary and John Portney at the S. T. Swartz home.

LESTER AUMAN AND FAMILY AND CHARLES NEVILLE AND FAMILY MOTORED TO CLINTON COUNTY CHRISTMAS EVENING TO BE WITH MRS. NEVILLE'S PARENTS, ELMER SPEICHERS.

Abraham Grassmyer from Spring Mills, called at the S. T. Swartz home on Friday.

President Roosevelt will read his message to Congress at 9:00 o'clock P. M. instead of in the afternoon of that day. This will give all an opportunity to hear the chief executive speak over the radio.

CENTRE COUNTY HOSPITAL NOTES.

Week of Dec. 16: Admitted: Master Richard Weaver, Centre Hall, R. D.

Thursday—Admitted: Mrs. Sylvester Sharer, Centre Hall; John W. Mowery.

Sunday—Admitted: Margaret McClenahan, Centre Hall.

Week of Dec. 23: Monday—Admitted: Mrs. John Hosterman, Spring Mills. Discharged: John W. Mowery, Centre Hall. Died: Cloyd L. Guisewite, Aaronsburg.

Tuesday—Admitted: Mrs. L. E. Smith, Potters Mills. Discharged: George W. Long, Madisonburg; Master Richard Weaver, Centre Hall.

Wednesday, admitted and discharged: Miss Emma Josephine Grove, Spring Mills.

Thursday—Died: Mrs. John H. Hosterman, Spring Mills. Saturday—Discharged: Mrs. Sylvester E. Sharer, Centre Hall, R. D.

Boalsburg.

Perry Sweet, of Warren, accompanied by his cousin, Miss Lottie Carnahan, spent several days at the home of Mrs. Sara Sweet, Christmas Day visitors at the Sweet home also included Mrs. Margaret Godshall and Miss Eva Bailey, of Centre Hall, and Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Meyer and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sweet.

Miss Helen Mayes, of Lamar, spent part of last week at the home of her aunt, Mrs. S. A. Reitz.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hosterman and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Coxy and family, of Greensburg, were visitors at the home of their parents and other friends during the holiday season.

Miss Della Ishler has returned to her home on Church street after spending several years at the S. D. Gettig home in Bellefonte.

Miss Tabitha Patterson returned to State College Sunday after a week's visit with her mother at the E. R. Tussey home.

J. H. Ross, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Duest and Robert and James Gearhart, of Centre Hall; Lynn Mothersbaugh and family, of Cedar Creek Daniel Mothersbaugh and family, were guests at the Geo. Mothersbaugh home on Christmas day.

Mrs. Margaret Kuhn has returned from a visit with friends in Altoona and contemplates spending part of the winter at the home of her son, Harry Kuhn, in Williamsport.

A son was born to Rev. and Mrs. H. L. Wink early Sunday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Freedy spent part of their Christmas vacation with Mr. Freedy's parents at Palmerton.

Mrs. Richard Lindaman and son Robert have returned from a month's visit with friends in Meyersdale.

The instructors and pupils of our schools enjoyed a two weeks' holiday vacation.

Miss Anna Mary Hess and Fred Lohmeyer drove to Greensburg Friday for a few days' visit with relatives.

Mrs. and Mrs. Clement Dale, of Pleasant Gap, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Dale, of Bellefonte, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. K. Rimmey, of Centre Hall, and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Dale, Mrs. Margaret Dale and Frederic Dale were Christmas Day guests of Ellen and Cathryn Dale.

Mrs. Chas. Segner, who has been quite ill, is convalescing. Chas. Isenberg is a patient in the Centre County hospital, ill with pneumonia.

Every employe of the General Motors Company in service for six months or longer, received a check for \$25.00 in his or her Christmas mail. The total of these checks summed up to \$5,000,000. The corporation employs 200,000 persons.



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Mr. Smith Is Somewhat Wrought Up! He's just finished trying to cull the worthwhile news out of a dozen dailies, and what is really going on in the world is still somewhat vague. That's the reason for his display of temper. Mr. Smith might have saved himself this emotional outburst if he had read the

Weekly News Review

By EDWARD W. PICKARD appearing each week in this paper. It covers all the important national and world news, interpreted for you by one of the nation's best known news commentators. Read the WEEKLY NEWS REVIEW each week if you want to keep well informed on current events.

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Three Ways to Bake Spice Cake



By Louise Brown

Here's a recipe I wholeheartedly recommend. It always seems to bob up smiling, whether it's baked as a sheet cake, as layer cake or cup cakes. The texture is always light and feathery and the flavor delectably spicy.

BAKING RESULTS CERTAIN

You see the baking results are certain in an electric oven with its controlled and measured heat. The thermostat keeps the oven at the same even temperature throughout the whole baking period.

EASY ICING

And speaking of icing, here, again, you'll find an electric range a joy. Have you always thought seven minute icing was a lot of bother—putting out the double boiler and then standing over it beating while heat waves blew in

You can't go wrong with this spice cake recipe if you are using an electric range. Bake it as a sheet cake, a layer cake or cup cakes, and top it with "gobs" of fluffy caramel icing.

your face? With an electric range you can forget about the double boiler. Put all the ingredients into a regular saucepan which fits the unit of the range. Turn the switch to Low—and a low, even heat is maintained so that you needn't worry about the icing sticking or scorching. You won't be annoyed by the heat, either, because the heat from the electric unit goes directly into the saucepan and the food so that none of it escapes into the room.

If you are using an electric mixer for this icing it takes no elbow power on your part and you'll be amazed at the amount you'll have to heap in glistening mounds on your cake. You know, there's nothing I cook that gives me more of a thrill than holding the electric mixer and watching that icing grow from a messy looking mixture until it gets fluffier and fluffier and practically fills the saucepan! I'm as tickled as a kid!

Here's the spice cake with caramel icing. Take it on a picnic—serve it with iced tea or lemonade—or just eat it anytime.

SPICE CAKE

3/4 cup butter 2 cups brown sugar 2 cups pastry flour 1 teaspoon baking powder 3 eggs 1 teaspoon soda

1 tablespoon cinnamon 1/2 teaspoon cloves 1/2 teaspoon nutmeg 1 cup sour milk 1 teaspoon lemon extract

Cream butter and sugar using electric mixer on Medium speed. Beat in eggs, one at a time, using Medium speed. Add sifted dry ingredients alternately with milk. Work quickly, increasing the speed of mixer as batter thickens. Add extract. Note: Overmixing or beating at this point may spoil the cake.

Place batter in cake pan. To bake, set the temperature control, turn the oven switch to Preheat, and when the temperature is reached turn the switch to Bake. Place the cake in the oven and bake according to this schedule. Layer Cake—375° F.—30 min. (2-9-inch layer pans) Cup Cakes—375° F.—15 to 20 min. Sheet Cake—350° F.—50 min. (Pan 8x12x2 inches)

CARAMEL ICING

2 cups light brown sugar 2 egg whites 5 tablespoons cold water 1 teaspoon salt 1 teaspoon vanilla Put all ingredients in saucepan. Place on surface unit and turn switch to Low. Stir until sugar is partially dissolved and mixture begins to heat. Then beat, using High speed on electric mixer until mixture will hold a point.