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## SALVATION ARMY WORKERS CONDUCT ANNUAL DRIVE

Adjutant Mary Mason and Captain Doris Wiltzie will be in town this week for their annual visitation. They expect to be in Centre Hall and Spring Mills on Friday and in Millheim on Monday and Tuesday. Miss Mason has spent four years in India and while here last year addressed



ADJUTANT MASON (left)  
CAPT. WILTZIE (right)

the pupils in the grade schools. The work carried on by the Salvation Army throughout the world makes it an outstanding organization in religious and charitable activity, and most people are glad to support them because of the knowledge that aid to the needy, in thousands of homes is directly traceable to the Salvation Army. The Salvation Army makes only one drive a year, which is one good reason why you should give cheerfully when these workers call on you.

## CENTRE CO. HOSPITAL GROUNDS TO BE IMPROVED UNDER WPA

A project about to be created under the WPA is one of landscaping all of the Centre County hospital grounds. The interior work at the nurses' home has been completed at a cost of \$3600. Next will come the repainting of the exterior of the structure—painting and mending walls.

According to reports made by the superintendent, there were 736 full paid days, the same number of charity days and 38 days partly paid by patients during the months just passed. Figures show that over a period of five months over \$9 per cent of the accounts payable to the institution are those of charity patients while less than 50 per cent of the accounts are actually paid.

## PRUNES, BUT NOT HANDBILLS.

In Bellefonte you may pass prunes, but not handbills. An ordinance on the handbill nuisance being enforced is quoted: "The passing of handbills in Bellefonte has reached the stage where it of the nuisance ordinance of Bellefonte persons who pass handbills as well as those who employ them will be prosecuted under the provisions of the nuisance ordinance of Bellefonteborough. Bills may not be passed in any manner, either from door to door, to pedestrians on the street, by placing them in or on parked automobiles, or by any other method." Of course, we suppose the handbill fiends will now pester other localities more than eve.

## JONES OUT FOR CONGRESS.

Col. Benjamin C. Jones officially announces himself a candidate for congress in the Blair, Clearfield Centre Congressional district, known as the Twenty-third in the State. Another candidate in the district is J. Frank Kauffman, of Hollidaysburg. D. Jones is an attorney and publisher of the Tyrone Daily Herald, and was a candidate two years ago when J. Banks Kurtz defeated him at the primary. Another Republican candidate in Hon. Samuel G. Hartsock, of Altoona.

Kurtz switched from congress to a place among the Republican delegates from Pennsylvania to the National convention.

## WILSON F. SARIG DIES AT TEMPLE, SATURDAY

Wilson G. Sarig, the Temple (Berks county) schoolmaster, who became speaker of the state's first Democratic house of representatives in a half-century, is dead.

Honorary pallbearers at the funeral on Wednesday will include Governor Earle who will return from a trip to Tennessee, members of his cabinet, and other leaders in the state government.

The funeral sermon was preached by the Rev. Frank D. Ruth, Democratic leader in the House. Sarig was just recovering from a long illness and was planning to campaign for his tenth term in the House. He died Saturday.

## ENCAMPMENT AND FAIR MANAGEMENT REORGANIZED

Reorganization of the Grange Encampment and Centre County Fair board of management was effected for 1936 season in Bellefonte on Friday, March 13, and resulted as follows:

George W. Ralston, Centre Hall, chairman; Jacob Sharer, vice-chairman; John B. Wert, Centre Hall, treasurer; Edith Sankey Dale, secretary.

Superintendents and assistants: A. H. Spayd, Centre Hall, grounds; M. A. Burkholder, Centre Hall, gates and traffic; John Furl, Bellefonte, assistant gates and traffic; T. L. Mairs, State College, education; G. E. Ardrey, Martha Furnace, assistant education; R. C. Blaney, Bellefonte, general livestock; Frank P. Keller, Bellefonte, dairy cattle; Harry Conner, assistant dairy cattle; J. K. Alexander, Julian, horses, sheep and hogs; R. W. Reed, Penna. Furnace, assistant, horses, sheep and hogs; Henry Zebby, Spring Mills, poultry and pet stock; N. I. Wilson, Warriors Mark, horticulture; George Rogers, Jacksonsville, assistant, horticulture; J. V. Brungart, Rebersburg, farm machinery, trucks; Margaret Garey, State College, home economics; Perry H. Luse, Centre Hall, concessions; Geo. Mothersbaugh, Boalsburg, entertainment.

Dates as previously announced—August 29 to Sept. 4—were reaffirmed.

## REV. C. W. HORNER MOVED

In a letter to the Reporter from Rev. C. W. Horner, formerly of Potter township, but recently of Birdsboro, in which he makes a generous subscription remittance, the following will be of interest:

"From above date change my address to 291 Main street, East Greenville, Pa., as I have been transferred from Birdsboro to the new address."

"We have spent six very happy and successful years at Birdsboro. While here we have had more than 200 converts. The church membership has increased from 112 to 229 after losses have been deducted."

"We are very much pleased with our new appointment. On our new field we have three congregations; also a large camp-meeting ground finely and fully equipped. Our camp meeting is held in August."

"Thank you for your patience."

## REFORMED MINISTERS HOLD SEMINAR IN MIFFLINBURG

A seminar on "Co-operatives" held recently in Mifflinburg by Reformed ministers in West Susquehanna Classis was attended by twenty-five, among whom were Rev. D. R. Keener, Centre Hall; Rev. H. L. Wink, Boalsburg; Rev. A. S. Asendorf, State College; Rev. J. B. Musser, Hubersburg; Rev. A. J. Miller, Rebersburg.

The discussion was led by Mrs. Hatch, of the Department of Co-operative Education of the Pennsylvania Farm Bureau Federation of Harrisburg.

The discussion will be continued at the meeting at the same place to be held Tuesday, May 12.

## THE PERSONAL PROPERTY TAX.

Taxables are obliged to report to the assessor or direct to county commissioners all taxable personal property held by them. This includes stocks, mortgages, etc., as well as automobiles, and the tax on which is not paid direct to the State by the corporation issuing them. Whatever personal property is subject to the one mill tax is subject to the four-mill tax payable to local tax collectors.

It is also well to remember that whether you have received a one-mill tax form to fill out or not, your obligation is the same.

## GRUENWALD HORSE SALE WENT OVER WITH A BANG

The car load of South Dakota horses offered by Wm. Gruenwald at the Centre Hall hotel barn on Saturday forenoon went over in record time at an average price of \$162.50.

The purchasers are noted below: Oscar Gillan, bay mare; John Hubler, bay geldings; Fred Nixon, roan mare; Clair Fink, black gelding; Bruce Dreifelbitz, black mare; Clair Fink, gray mules; Clair Fink, bay gelding; Ward Ruhl, black gelding; George Gummo, black gelding; Lynn Matia, gray mare; Luther Strouse, gray gelding; Wm. Evey, roan; R. G. Fye, bay gelding; R. G. Fye, sorrel gelding; Clair Fink, bay gelding; George Lohr, bay mare; Jesse Widgerite, black gelding; Jesse Witherite, black gelding.

Mr. Gruenwald will sell another car load of South Dakota horses on Monday, March 23, at one o'clock, at the Centre Hall hotel barn, which sale will be immediately followed by that of another car load of 80, Dak. horses by Robert Dodds. See ads. in this issue of the Reporter.

## TWO FROM CENTRE HALL GET JOBS AT HUNTINGDON REP.

It is unofficially reported that two men from Centre Hall have received appointments of a minor character at the Huntingdon Industrial School. They are George A. Luse, herdsman, and E. E. Zettie, mechanic.

## WORK OFFICIALLY BEGINS ON HIGH SCHOOL ADDITION

Work officially began Tuesday on the addition to the local high school building after the plans were approved by the federal government.

W. W. Kerlin, acting as representative for the joint board, Contractor J. H. Henszey, Architect Shollinger, and PWA inspector Shultz met to decide upon the labor to be employed, and to lay the plans for future work.

Contractor Henszey expects the project to be completed by the latter part of June, but the contract does not require completion until September 1st.

At a joint school board meeting held Monday, Mr. Wetzel was elected supervising principal of the schools controlled by the joint board. His position will be as principal of the local high school and as supervisor of the grade school of the borough and the schools of Potter township. He will make weekly trips to these schools and conduct monthly teachers' meetings in order to develop a more uniform system of teaching in the country schools as well as in the borough.

A new teacher will be added to the faculty of the high school after the completion of the project, but the subjects to be taught will not be decided upon until a definite curriculum has been formulated.

Other work of the joint board at the Monday meeting was to make out a budget for the ensuing school year.

## PUBLIC SALES.

Prices obtained at public sales of farm stock, implements, etc., held in this section so far in March have been very fair. It may be said that purchasers, mostly farmers, are more conservative in their bidding, but willing to pay a fair price. There are by the way, no sacrifice bargains in the horse and cattle line. Farm implements of the more recent type in fair to good condition are also bringing their value.

Little trouble is being experienced in making settlements. Frequently from a third to a half of the gross sales are paid in cash. Where notes are offered it is becoming the policy to closely scrutinize the ability of the maker to pay, and not fasten the responsibility onto the bail without giving due notice.

## GAME COMMISSION SEES TO TRAIN 35 STUDENTS

The Pennsylvania Game Commission made public the requirements for admission to its Student Officers Training School, situated near Brookville, Jefferson county, preliminary plans for which were announced at the recent meeting of the Pennsylvania Federation of Sportsmen's Clubs.

The primary purpose of this Training School, says the Game Commission is to give young men who want to make game administration their future vocation an opportunity to obtain the necessary training and to fill all existing and occurring field vacancies from its Training School in the future. The former method of filling vacancies by county examinations has been abolished.

The Commission will accept applications from male citizens between the ages of 21 and 40 years, who have permanently resided within the State for a period of two years preceding the date of application. Present Deputy Protectors are allowed additional credit on the age requirement. Candidates must be not less than 5 ft. 8 in. in height, and weight not less than 135 pounds or more than 200 pounds stripped. A physical examination is also required as a part of the application. Applicants also will be subject to rigid moral and character investigations.

Student officers will receive \$25.00 per month, maintenance and subsistence, while at school, and \$50.00 per month while engaged in field training work. Any student who fails to pass the first thirty days of training will receive no compensation. All students who successfully complete the entire course of instruction will be appointed to positions as Game Referees or District Game Protectors.

Prospective students should apply to the State Game Commission, Harrisburg, for further instructions and blanks. All blanks must be filed before April 10th next. The number of students to be selected is thirty-five.

## COUNTY WIDE 4-H LEADERS MEET, MARCH 24

A meeting for all parents and leaders of 4-H home economics clubs will be held on Tuesday, March 24, at 1:30 P. M. in the Agricultural Extension office, Post Office building, Bellefonte, announces Eleanor J. Smith, home economics extension representative.

The purpose of this meeting is to plan home economics club work for this year. Miss Smith suggests that all parents and friends be present so as to represent their club, also anyone who is interested in having a club in their community should plan to attend this meeting.

Miss Jean Robertson, State club leader, will be the guest speaker and will discuss the "Aims of 4-H Club Work in 1936." Miss Smith will also present her plans for the coming year.

## D. DAUP, PRES. FIRST NATIONAL BECAME 80 ON TUESDAY

On Tuesday evening, 17th, Daniel S. Daup, a son by adoption, and wife, gave a dinner to the board of directors, officers and employees of the First National bank, in honor of Daniel Daup, Sr., who celebrated his eightieth birthday on that day.

Mr. Daup was born in Penn township, one of six children born to Joseph and Catherine (Decker) Daup. His father, Joseph Daup, was a native of Wurtemberg, Germany, and in March, 1849, embarked on a schooner at Bremen for New York, which port he reached after a long and stormy voyage of 65 days. He was first employed in Lewisburg on the construction of a canal and in a quarry. On Oct. 14, 1849, he came to Pottery Mills and secured employment at his trade of blacksmith with John Haney at \$7.00 per month and board. After his marriage in 1859, he located at Centre Hill, at which place he opened and operated a shop for four years, then moving to Spruce town where he operated a shop until his death in 1897, having attained the age of 81 years.

Mr. Daup, the guest of honor, grew to manhood at Spruce town and at an early age began assisting his father in the shop. He remained with his parents until his marriage at the age of 27, when he was united in marriage to Miss Jennie A. Evans. After his marriage he was employed by his father for one year, starting house-keeping in Spruce town. He next moved to the Rankin farm, which he occupied as a tenant for two years. He then took up his residence on the Dauberman farm in Potter township, where he was a tenant until the spring of 1897, when he returned to the Rankin farm, which he purchased in 1895. In 1906 he bought the Evangelical parsonage in Centre Hall and year later moved to Centre Hall, and was employed at the carpenter trade under Mr. Fiedler. For about 14 years, and until his retirement from active work, he was the fiscal assistant to F. V. Goodhart, local undertaker.

Mr. Daup is a staunch Democrat, having served as a school director for many years while a resident of Potter township, and on the borough council after moving to Centre Hall. He is an earnest member and for many years an active member of the United Evangelical church, in which he served as steward and trustee, and also as a teacher in the Sunday school.

At the organization of the First National Bank Centre Hall, in 1922, Mr. Daup was chosen its president, which position he still occupies. During the 14 years he has been absent from but one meeting of the board of directors. Strange, his 80th birthday fell on the regular monthly meeting of the board of directors, which he heads.

Mr. Daup made his own way in the world. His integrity is unquestionable. He found much pleasure in helping others, especially young men who were striving to get a start in life. He always occupied a prominent place in the estimation of his neighbors and friends. Although having reached four-score years, he is mentally alert and modern in his views.

## QUILTING DINNER.

Mrs. T. L. Moore gave a quilting dinner party at her home Wednesday evening of last week. The ladies who piled the needle and enjoyed a delightful dinner were Mrs. W. A. Alexander, Mrs. H. L. Ehrhart, Mrs. W. F. Bradford, Mrs. M. A. Burkholder, Mrs. H. H. Mark, Mrs. Edw. E. Bailey, Mrs. Kryder Frank, Mrs. Charles Miller, Mrs. Jacob Sharer, Mrs. Myra Winegardner.

## MISS ANNA MARY MATTE NAMED RED CROSS NURSE

Miss Anna Mary Matte, of Williamsport, was named Red Cross nurse for State College district, succeeding Mrs. C. O. Jensen, resigned. Miss Matte is a graduate of Battle Creek Training School for nurses and studied health nursing at Teachers' College, Columbia University, and has had practical experience in public health nursing in Williamsport.

The intervening time between the two nurses has been filled by Miss Alice Burkholder and Miss Edith Witmer.

## PERSONAL PROPERTY TAX DEADLINE IS EXTENDED

The department of revenue has extended the deadline for filing returns on the new one-mill state tax on personal property until midnight, March 31. March 15 originally was fixed as the last day.

## NOT FIT, SAYS LIQUOR BOARD; FIT, SAYS JUDGE FLEMING

Court orders have been handed down by Judge M. Ward Fleming sustaining appeals taken by Harry Neubauer and Constantine Karanek against the action of the State Liquor Control board in refusing to grant liquor licenses to the two men at a hearing held in Altoona in January. Evidence in the two cases was presented at a special session of court on Saturday. Both applicants are residents of Phillipsburg, Karanek being a proprietor of a restaurant there, and Neubauer being manager of the Black Moshannon Inn, near Phillipsburg.

## SENIORS OF C. H. S. TO PRESENT 3-ACT COMEDY "ONE IN A MILLION," MAR. 21

To help defray the Washington trip expenses, "One in a Million" a three-act comedy by William Ellis Jones, will be presented by the senior class of the local high school Saturday, March 21, formerly announced for March 14, in the Grange Hall.

The play features an irresponsible young New Yorker, who is confronted with the problem of presenting his pretended wife to his great-aunt, who is his sole support and who has more sense than he thinks.

The cast for the play, the scene of which is laid in a three room city apartment, includes a successful old broker, Uncle Temple Carter, played by Philip Smith, who is pursued by Sara Slack, as Goldie Jenkins, a modern gold digger, Mrs. Jenkins, Goldie's mother, Gertrude Meeker; Aunt Lemina, a typical old-maid aunt, Bernice Frazer; Hubert, the valet, Woodrow Bradford; Wilma Matiland, the pretended wife, Roberta Smith; Sam Perry, Aunt Lemina's nephew, Donald Coldron; and Kenneth Frank as Archie Carter, a would-be playwright.

The admission price for reserved seats is thirty-five cents and for all others twenty-five cents. A matinee will be held Friday afternoon, March 20, for all children under high-school age at an admission price of 10c.

Mrs. R. S. Jamison is the director.

## MASONIC BANQUET.

Weather conditions greatly interfered with the Masonic banquet held Thursday night at Centre Hills Country Club. Fifty, including members, their wives or sweethearts, were in attendance. Lyons' orchestra, Sunbury, had been engaged, but failed to appear, necessitating the routing of Paul Horner and Miss Pauline Horner, of Colyer, from their beds to take their place with a violin and guitar.

Those present: Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bradford, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Boozer, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Jamison, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Burkholder, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. McCormick, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Hagen, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. McCormick, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Keener, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. White, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Ehrhart, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Wetzel, Robert McCormick, Laura Belle McCormick, Ruth Reiber, Dean Ilgen, of Centre Hall; Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Decker, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Condo, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Fetterolf, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. MacMoran, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Corman, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Wats, Spring Mills; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Malone, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Lee Vonada, Fred Malone, Sr., Miss Isabel Malone Coburn; Mr. and Mrs. E. Tyson, Millheim; Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Wink, Boalsburg.

## SNOW DRIFTS BLOCK MAIN THOROUGHFARES ON FRIDAY

The two inches of snow fall throughout all of Thursday resulted in blocking travel on some of the roads in this section of Penna. Valley. Friday afternoon and evening more than a mile of the road between Old Port and Pottery Mills was open only to one-way traffic. Flows running through the night and Saturday morning succeeded in bettering conditions. The Tusseyville road, between Elysburg and Tusseyville, was impassable all of Friday and Saturday forenoon. Many farm lanes that had been cleaned of snow were red fenced.

## ENTERTAINED 8 S. CLASSES.

Three classes, all boys, in the Lutheran Sunday-school were entertained during the beginning of last week in the Sunday-school room. The classes were those taught by Mrs. W. W. Kerlin, Lynn Brown and Russell Colyer, the members of which with a few invited guests numbered about forty.

An hour or more was devoted to the showing of moving pictures by W. W. Kerlin. All of the films were made by him and covered an exceptionally wide range of views collected from points between the lakes on the north and Cuba on the south.

A large number of the later views were in color, and none were prettier than those at home and nearby. Outstanding among these were the fish-pond in P. M. Fisher's lawn, selected shade trees and native trees in the mountains. The Military School at Culver, Indiana, views in southern Florida, and Cuba, completed the run.

The last hour was given over to social intercourse, and consuming the refreshments, elaborate indeed, prepared for the occasion.

## Entertained at Cards.

Eight couples were entertained at cards by Mr. and Mrs. F. V. Goodhart, on Wednesday evening of last week. During the progress of the games an intermission was declared to enjoy the most delicious refreshments prepared for the occasion. The couples participating in the evening's event included Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Light, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Geary, Prof. and Mrs. J. F. Wetzel, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Ehrhart, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar W. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel S. Daup, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Keller, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Potter.

## TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

### HAPPENINGS OF LOCAL INTEREST FROM ALL PARTS

Saturday will be the first day of Spring.

Former sheriff John M. Boob has been appointed a justice of the peace in Millheim borough.

Robins and blue birds have been heard and seen about town during the past ten days.

Banks were full to overflowing—banks of rivers, creeks and rivulets—during last week.

Dentist and Mrs. H. B. Fitch are the proud parents of an 8-pound baby girl, Margaret Jane, born at their home in Millheim, on March 4.

Miss Dorothy Blazer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Blazer, of Elysburg, employed at State College, was at her home over the week-end.

Mrs. Franklin Colyer suffered injuries to her face and the loss of several teeth in a fall last week at the Millheim Hosiery Mill, where she is employed.

The Centre County Baseball League for 1936 will be comprised of clubs formed in Bellefonte, State College, Millheim, Howard, Port Matilda and Beech Creek—six in all.

Beavers may be legally trapped during the remainder of this month. After the tenth day of April it will be unlawful to have in possession any beavers or the green or raw pelts thereof.

Mrs. Royer, wife of Hoy Royer, clerk to former Recorder of Deeds D. A. McDowell, has been ill at her home at Bellefonte for six or more weeks. Recently her condition began to improve.

Mrs. Daisy Barnes Henderson, head of the commercial department of the Bellefonte public schools, was invited by Governor Earle to accept an appointment as a trustee for the Lock Haven State Teachers College.

The McBride Gap dam project, at Rockview penitentiary, has been approved. The dam will be raised to provide 4,000,000 more gallons of water needed at the institution. The project will cost \$43,000.

Merchant C. P. Emery slaughtered twelve hogs on Thursday, the average weight of which was estimated at 190 to 200 lbs. The weight was arrived at from the actual weight of hams—15 pounds. The hogs were old from August 26th.

State Senator E. J. Thompson, of Phillipsburg, on Friday evening, in the Sandwick Shop, Old Main, State College, spoke to about seventy delegates from Pennsylvania Colleges assembled at a banquet of the first State Debating convention.

Guy Brooks, west of town, took advantage of the farmers gathered at the Gruenwald horse sale here on Saturday, to offer them a truck load of shoats. The offerings were accepted. Mr. Brooks has yet on hand shoats he offers for sale.

The Kern barber shop in Millheim has again been reopened by Irvin Benfer of Middleburg, who secured it by purchase from Lee Spayd. The latter bought the fixtures from the Kern estate, but conducted business there for only a short time due to poor health.

Jared Mowery, accompanied by his son Harry, and Leroy Beaver, of Youngstown, Ohio, were callers at this office on Friday evening. They, in company with Mrs. Grover Beaver, were here due to the death of the elder Mr. Mowery's wife, an account of whose death appears elsewhere in this issue.

Mrs. Frank Johnson, of Camden, was a guest for a week of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Andrews, at Earlstown, and later went to Tyrone to visit friends, but before going to her New Jersey home, she will return to the parental home again. Mr. Johnson, a bookkeeper in Camden, is keeping the home fires burning.

Rev. Wilson P. Ard, pastor of a Lutheran church in Denver, Colo., for twelve years, refused to accept the pastorate of the Lutheran Memorial church, the largest United Lutheran church in the city of Chicago, consequently will remain in his present pastorate. The very able and popular minister is a native of Ferguson township.

The Lewis H. Krebs family will move to the Kidder farm, where the large barn was built during the past year, located above Linden Hall. Mr. Krebs has been taking care of the large number of cattle on the farm for some months, driving to and from the place daily. The Krebs family now live in the former MacMoran home, now the property of Harry Cummings.

Miss Geraldine Smith was at the home of her uncle, former Postmaster R. M. Smith, over the week-end, but is now at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Smith, near Rebersburg. Miss Smith, a graduate of C. H. S., is employed in Altoona, at the home of an aunt, Mrs. N. K. Mohaffe, 814 Crawford Av. Mrs. Mohaffe was formerly Miss Catharine Martz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. S. Martz, Tusseyville.

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