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SUNDAY CHURCH SERVICES

PENN'S VALLEY LUTHERAN CHURCH
(Rev. L. Arthur Wagner, Pastor.)
Farmers Mills—9 to 10 A. M.
Georges Valley, 10:30 A. M.
Centre Hall, 7:30 P. M.

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

Centre Hall—
9:30—Church School.
10:30—Church Worship.

Tusseyville—
9:00—Church Worship.
10:00—Church School.

EVANGELICAL
(Rev. W. K. Hoesterman, Pastor)

Centre Hall—
Sunday School, 9:30 A. M.
Worship Service, 7:30 P. M.

Spring Mills—
Worship Service, 9:15.
Sunday school, 10:15 A. M.

Bethesda—
Worship Service, 10:30 A. M.

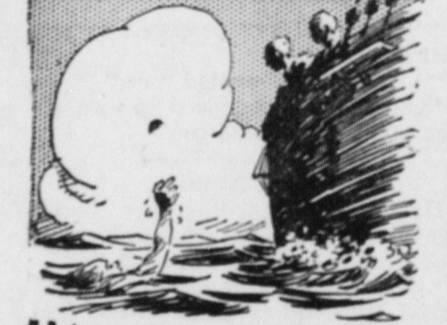
METHODIST EPISCOPAL
(Rev. Seth Russell, Pastor)

Centre Hall—
9:30—Sunday School.
No Preaching Services—Pastor at Conference.

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

9:30—Sunday School.
7:10—Evening Worship.

STRANGE SUPERSTITIONS
By Edwin Finch



AT ONE TIME A BELIEF EXISTED THAT IT WAS BAD LUCK TO RESCUE A DROWNING MAN, FOR IF YOU FRUSTRATED THE INTENTION OF THE GODS BY SAVING HIM, YOU WOULD HAVE TO SUBSTITUTE FOR HIM AND BE DROWNED YOURSELF.

WHEN A THRILL PASSES THRU A PERSONS BODY, AN INSECT IS CRAWLING OVER HIS BURIAL PLACE.

IN HAITI, TO STOP A PURSUING DUPPY (GHOST) MARK A CROSS IN THE ROAD AND LEAVE A SHOE, OR TURN YOUR COAT INSIDE OUT AND PUT YOUR CAP ON BACKWARDS, OR DRAW A HAIR FROM THE MIDDLE OF YOUR HEAD AND PUT IT IN YOUR MOUTH.

FARM CALENDAR.
Timely Reminders from Pennsylvania State College School of Agriculture

Alfalfa is valuable—Pennsylvania farmers are finding that growing alfalfa instead of all or part of the clover acreage is one of the best and most practical ways to reduce milk production costs. Alfalfa is higher than clover in digestible protein and saves on the bill for purchased protein concentrates, say Penn State agronomist.

Protect Apple Trees—Early sprays are most important in control of scab and other apple diseases. Growers who omit the decayed dormant spray are missing an effective step in the fight against apple enemies, declare Penn State plant pathologists.

Do Not Pasture Early—It is better for the pasture to delay turning the cattle until the grass has a good start and the ground is settled, say Penn State dairy specialists. Much more total feed will be produced during the pasture season where the grass gets well started before the cows are turned out and the milk yield per acre will also be correspondingly greater.

Repair and Oil Harness—Spring is the time to repair and oil the harness. This work may be done on rainy days but it always pays to do it before the rush of the season's work begins. Precious time also will be saved if all weak and worn parts of the harness are replaced or repaired before they break, Penn State horse specialists remind.

Strip-Crop the Hills—Strip cropping is much more effective in reducing erosion if the strips and rows are laid out as nearly as possible on the contour. Each row or drill track then forms a little terrace, holding back

Deaths

SWEENEY—William Mayes Sweeney died at his home at Potters Mills Monday morning at 10:00 o'clock following a paralytic stroke suffered on Wednesday night at 11:30, which affected the left side. He was aged 67 years, 4 months and 16 days, having been born at Potters Mills, November 26, 1869. He was a son of John and Mary Mayes Sweeney, both deceased. There survive him a wife, formerly Margaret C. Foust, and these children: Ralph W. Lemont; Alvada, wife of G. Frank Smith, and George H. both of Centre Hall; Sarah, wife of Ray W. B. Tibbels, Pleasant Gap, and Phyllis, Mrs. Bright Orwig, Aaronsburg. A sister, Mrs. Frank Gates, of Stormstown, also survives him.

Funeral services will be held Thursday forenoon, 10:00 o'clock, at the house, to be continued to the Reformed church, Centre Hall. Rev. D. R. Keener and Rev. W. K. Hoesterman will be in charge of the services. Burial will be made at Centre Hall.

Mr. Sweeney lived in Potter township during nearly all of his life, following the occupation of farming; later as a laborer, and in forestry work and lastly was engaged in conducting a gas station near his home for John Meeker.

SMITH — From influenza, on Thursday, William F. Smith, farmer, died at his home near Howard, aged 63 years. He is survived by a wife, formerly Miss Tracy Fletcher, but no children; also, by a brother, John A. of Belleville, and two sisters, Mrs. Calvin King, Lock Haven, and Mrs. Laura Low, Lebanon. Burial was made at Howard on Saturday.

ROSSMAN—Isaac Rossman, a native of Bellefonte, died Saturday in the Aspinwall Veterans' Hospital after an illness of six weeks caused by tuberculosis. He was 46 years old.

Never married, Mr. Rossman is survived by three brothers and two sisters. Funeral services were held from the home of Wm. Morrison, Bellefonte, Tuesday afternoon, in charge of the Rev. G. E. Householder, pastor of the United Brethren church. Burial was made in the Trzeziulny cemetery at

SCHAD—Mrs. Charles F. Schad died at her home in Bellefonte Wednesday of last week. Mrs. Schad, whose maiden name was Rachel Nyman, has been an invalid for the past sixteen years. She is survived by her husband and one daughter, Miriam, at home.

JOHNSON—John Johnson, a 92-year-old resident of Centre county, died at the home of his son, Donald, located one mile west of Hecla, Wednesday. Death was due to a complication of diseases resulting from old age and followed a short illness.

DONOVAN—Frank M. Donovan, 59, a farmer living near Axemann, died suddenly on Sunday evening, from a heart condition.

He was a son of Jerry Donovan, deceased, and is survived by a wife, formerly Mary Betram, and six children, all at home.

Burial was made Wednesday in the Catholic cemetery, Bellefonte.

MOTOR VEHICLE INSPECTION PERIOD MAY 1 TO JULY 31

Governor George H. Earle by proclamation set May 1 to July 31 inclusive as the next compulsory motor vehicle inspection period for Pennsylvania motorists.

This will be the last proclamation of this nature issued by a Pennsylvania Governor if an amendment to the Vehicle Code making the semi-annual inspection periods mandatory is adopted at the present session of the General Assembly.

Under present law compulsory vehicle inspection is subject to the will of the governor. Under the projected amendment the inspection periods will be fixed by law.

TUSSEYVILLE

Mrs. Hess of Red Mill, and her daughter, Mrs. Nora Shadow, spent the past week at the former's son's home, Arthur Holderman.

Mrs. George Trevorrow and children, of Pittsburgh, are spending some time at the J. B. Wert home.

A. W. Holderman and sister, Mrs. Shadow, autoed to Altoona on Friday. Miss Mary Swartz spent the weekend with Miss Miriam Homan in Centre Hall.

Mrs. G. M. Cooney, of Colyer, was a Sunday visitor at the Mrs. Bodtorf home.

Persons who visited at the Fortney home during the week-end were Mrs. Elizabeth Dunkle, Punxsutawney; Mrs. Rebecca Wolfe, Miss Helen Wolfe and Ernest Hammond, of Altoona, and James Wolfe, of State College.

Abraham Grassmyer and daughter Mary, of Spring Mills, were making calls among friends on Saturday.

Local Odd Fellows will please note that the regular meeting of the order on Thursday evening will be held at 7 o'clock instead of 8 o'clock. The second degree will be conferred at this time.

(Continued from previous column) the water and letting it soak in instead of running off, say Penn State agronomist.

Feed Lambs Grain—Young lambs will begin to eat grain at two weeks of age. They should be fed separately from the ewe flock by means of a creep.

LOCALS

Charles A. Lester, of Potters Mills, was a brief caller at this office on Saturday morning. He is one of the numerous Reporter subscribers up to par—a year in advance.

Floyd E. Snyder accompanied Sid Bernstein of Bellefonte to Pittsburgh on Sunday to view a Federal Housing exhibit. Mr. Snyder will supervise the construction of a new home for Mr. Bernstein in Bellefonte.

Mrs. Robert Hockenbrought and Mrs. Clyde Adams, both of Elysburg, were guests at the Lutheran parsonage from Wednesday to Saturday of last week. The former is a sister and the latter a sister-in-law of Mrs. Wagner.

Eighty-nine employees of the West stores in District 7, banqueted at the Fallon House, Lock Haven, on Tuesday evening. The group included managers their wives and clerks. Harry Hubler was one of the entertainers. The local store was represented by Fred Luse, manager, Mrs. Luse, and Miss Laura Breen, clerk.

On Tuesday afternoon eleven members of the sophomore class and two post-graduates in Landscape Architecture spent several hours with Prof. John R. Bracken, the head of that department at Penn State, on the plot being developed at the new Kerlin home in Centre Hall. It will require at least a month to complete the work which will be given Prof. Bracken's personal supervision. The plantings will be numerous and greatly varied. The rough grading and locating of rocks has been carefully done.

BOALSBURG

Mrs. Edith Sankey Dale, of State College, spent part of Saturday calling on friends in town.

Mrs. Fred Brouse and sons, of Norristown, visiting at the F. E. Wieland home at Linden Hall, attended S. S. and church service in the Lutheran church Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Hengst, of Frederick, Md., visited friends in town on Tuesday evening. Mrs. Hengst, formerly Miss Melva Jacobs, was a resident of Boalsburg during her school days.

Finn McGirk, of Altoona, was a recent caller in town.

Lester Brouse and family moved to the country home of Mrs. Brouse's mother, Mrs. Roskey, near Tusseyville. Samuel Stover and family moved into the apartment vacated by the Brouses and Cyrus Wert and family expect to occupy the place vacated by the Stovers.

Mrs. Luther K. Dale was admitted to the Centre County hospital for observation on Monday afternoon.

The Young Ladies class of the Lutheran S. S. held their regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Robert Hess on Tuesday evening.

The cooking school sponsored by the Atlantic Gas Co. and taught by Miss Marion Houck, was attended by a large group of interested ladies of the vicinity.

L. M. ALEXANDER TO RUN FOR B. K. FOCHT'S PLACE

State Representative, Lowell M. Alexander, of Belleville, Mifflin county will be the Democratic candidate for Congress in a special election to fill the unexpired term of the late Congressman Benjamin K. Focht, of Lewisburg.

Party chairmen and State Committee men from eight counties, comprising the 18th Congressional district, made the selection Saturday. The Republicans have not named a candidate.

660 EMPLOYERS IN CENTRE CONTRIBUTE \$46,631

Centre county employers contributed \$46,631.81 to the Pennsylvania Unemployment Compensation Fund, up to March 23, according to figures released by Ralph M. Bashore, Secretary of Labor and Industry.

Returns were received from 660 liable employers in Centre county.

The Fund is nearing the \$26,000,000 mark. That amount is \$2,500,000 more than the goal that was set by Governor Earle when he called a Special Session of the Legislature in December to pass a State Unemployment Compensation Act that would conform with the Federal Social Security Laws.

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NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that application has been made to Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission under the provisions of the Public Service Company Law, by West Penn Power Company, 14 Wood Street, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, for a Certificate of Public Convenience evidencing the Commission's requisite approval of contract between said company and the Borough of Centre Hall, Centre County, providing for the lighting of the streets, alleys, highways and public places of said borough for a period of five years, File M. C. 7680.

A public hearing upon this application will be held in Hearing Room No. 1, Ground Floor, East Wing, North Office Building, Harrisburg, on Tuesday, April 20, 1937, at 9:30 A. M. when and where all persons in interest may appear and be heard, if they so desire.

EDWARD O. TABOR,
KENNETH M. BIXLER,
Attorneys for Applicant

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

In the Estate of JOSEPH PARKER, late of Potter Township, Centre County, Pa., deceased.

County, Pa., deceased, 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.

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Centre Hall, Pa.
H. L. EBRIGHT, Executor.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

In the Estate of J. CLOYD BROOKS, late of Potter Township, Centre County, Pa., deceased.

Letters testamentary on 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.

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Centre Hall, Pa.
ANNIE G. BROOKS, Executrix,
STANLEY R. BROOKS, Executor.

It is possible four cottage dormitories, accommodating 85 to 100 each, will be erected at the Laurelton State Village during the coming summer. The present enrollment is 720 girls, with a waiting list of 800. The present accommodations are for 600 girls.

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