



NO DOE KILLING OVER THANKSGIVING WEEK-END; PERHAPS LATER

The Dauphin County court on Monday cancelled finally an open season for antlerless deer in Pennsylvania the Game Commission had set for this Thanksgiving week-end.

This leaves the question of killing doe during 1937 open for the present.

44-HOUR LAW TO BE INTERPRETED LIBERALLY

More than 75,000 new jobs should be created in Pennsylvania by the General 44-Hour Law, which becomes effective December 1.

This estimate was made by Ralph M. Bashore, Secretary of Labor and Industry, in discussing plans for enforcing the new statute.

He declared the act will be interpreted liberally and administered in the spirit of its intent.

The legislature recognized that this would have to be a flexible law to fit thousands of individual cases, so provision has been made to meet any situation," Bashore explained.

The law has two main objectives. It is intended first to protect the public health and welfare by preventing employers from working employees an unreasonably long number of hours.

LOCALS

A number of invitations to the Colyer-Guffey wedding to take place in Williamsport today (Thursday) have been received by friends and relatives of the couple.

Mrs. Grace Brown, employed at the Alpha Chi Sigma fraternity, State College, will enjoy a brief vacation period together with the college students, which will be spent at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Franke have moved from Baltimore, Md., to New York City. Mr. Franke is employed by the American Surety Company in its printing department.

Mrs. Andrew G. Lieb for the next two months will be with her brother, Dr. S. Bryan Smith, in Merchantville, N. J., while Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Smith will be at their Germantown home.

The sale of colts by John P. Fretz at Old Fort, on Tuesday, was a disappointment to the seller. The day was a good one for farm work and farmers kept at their own husking consequently the crowd at the sale was a small one.

To prepare garage men for better service during the car inspection period now on, those conducting inspection stations in Centre and Blair counties were called to Altoona on Tuesday evening.

The speaker of the evening was Carl A. McShane, equipment engineer, who gave very definite instruction on many points of great value to the mechanic who ensures in car inspection.

Pneumonia claimed 9094 lives in Pennsylvania last year. Pneumonia and influenza together cause the death of 133,000 persons a year in the United States, more deaths than any other disease except heart disease and cancer.

CENTRE COUNTY HOSPITAL NOTES.

Patients from the south side of Centre county during week of Nov. 15th:

Monday, admitted: Miss Adah E. Smith, Millheim. Discharged: Pauline M. Jacobs, Spring Mills; Mrs. Fred Weaver, Centre Hall. Birth: a son to Mr. and Mrs. Albert W. Bartges, of State College.

Tuesday, admitted: Mrs. Fred Homan, Oak Hall. Discharged: Mrs. Harry Sunday, Boshalsburg. Birth: a son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Starr, of Spring Mills.

Thursday, discharged: Mrs. Harry Minnie, Rebersburg; Charles Coble Spring Mills, R. 2.

Friday, discharged: Mrs. Stanley Bierly, Millheim; Mrs. W. F. Keller Centre Hall. Admitted Friday and discharged Sunday: Harold Mowery, of Centre Hall.

There were 49 patients in the hospital beginning of this week.

BIDDLE NAMED MASTER, BROOKS, SECRETARY, AT POMONA GRANGE MEETING

The annual meeting of Centre County Pomona Grange held in Grange Arcadia, Centre Hall, on Saturday, was largely attended, members of the order from many of the Subordinate Granges in all parts of the county being present.

Others named to elective offices were: Secretary, Raymond Brooks present treasurer of Centre county; treasurer, Joseph Owens; overseer Harry Fisher; lecturer, Mrs. Phoebe Christianer; steward, Frank Keller; assistant steward, Clair Fisher; chaplain, Mrs. Howard Miles; gatekeeper John Kenrick; Ceres, Mazie Harpster; Pomona, Mrs. Fred Markle; Flora Beese, Johnson; lady assistant steward, Anna Musser; telephone director, H. L. Ehrlich; Samuel Corl, J. W. Delaney, M. A. Burkholder, J. B. Wert. Executive committee: George H. McCormick; finance, George W. Halston; fire insurance auditor, W. F. Risher.

Other items of business on the program in addition to the formal welcoming by Master of Progress Grange M. A. Burkholder and response by Joseph Owens, included a program surrounding Thanksgiving by the Juvenile Grange members, and the presentation of the flag to Pomona Grange.

At the noon hour members lunched together from baskets brought by them. In the evening the Ladies of Progress Grange provided a rich banquet at 25 cents per plate. Fifty-one persons took advantage of the opportunity.

"THE TIGER" IS OUT.

Vol. 7, Number 1, of The Tiger, Centre Hall-Potter high school publication, appeared with the close of school on Friday. The eight-page magazine features the celebration of the 100th anniversary of coeducation, which had its beginning in 1837 at Oberlin College, Oberlin, Ohio.

The outstanding feature of The Tiger at all times is the originality of its subject matter. Students write all the news, poetry, editorials, etc., and an improvement in writing is noticeable with succeeding issues.

From eighteen to twenty advertisers help very materially in financing the cost of the publication.

The school paper rates high in its class.

LUTH. MISS. SOCIETIES HOLD THANKOFFERING SERVICE

Four groups in the local Lutheran church on Sunday night participated in the Thankoffering Service, an annual gathering at which funds contributed during the year are paid into the several treasuries. The total sum was \$112.00 divided as follows: Light Brigade, \$19.00; Woman's Missionary Society, \$33.00; Young Woman's Missionary Society, \$67.00; S. O. S. (Save Our Sisters) \$2.00.

The pastor, Mrs. Fred Homan and Mrs. Ray Mark read the missionary program as prepared by the church.

The speaker of the evening was Mildred E. Winston, secretary of the Board of Education of the United Lutheran Church in America, she is located in New York City, her work being largely with children of school age. She made a number of broad statements not at all complimentary to the public school system.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Edgar F. Benner, Roanoke, Va. Nellie E. Balcer, State College Robert Hipple, Snow Shoe Catherine Eisenhauer, Winburn Ferdinand J. Beezer, Phillipsburg Mary J. Riley, Osceola Mills Merrill H. Alexander, Julian Elva M. Stiver, Julian Charles Walk, Port Matilda Yolanda Leasure, Tyrone Melvin Emigh, Port Matilda Elsie K. Adams, Port Matilda John Harold Hoy, State College Violet Irene Hoy, Bellefonte Orazio Mastase, Snow Shoe Rena Girardi, Snow Shoe Bud M. Schnarrs, Phillipsburg Hilda Mae Vail, Phillipsburg Kenneth D. Rhoads, Axemann Mary Ann Phillips, Axemann Wm. Reed Everhart, State College Dorothy Grace Lowder, Oak Hall Harry R. Styers, Coburn Lydia M. Grassmyer, Spring Mills Sam Boccachick, Houtzdale Mrs. Ann Jablonski, Phillipsburg Samuel E. Page, Oak Hall Viola Mae Weaver, Lemont Calvin U. Albright, State College Charlotte M. Jackson, State College

Announcement was made last week of the appointment of Russell P. Beezer of Bellefonte, as superintendent of highways for Centre county, succeeding J. E. Kragle, who was transferred to Clearfield as assistant district engineer, James Carroll, of Phillipsburg, was appointed to fill the vacancy as assistant superintendent caused by the promotion of Mr. Beezer.

The Centre Reporter, \$1.50 a year.

FIRST FATHER-SON BANQUET CALLS TOGETHER SEVENTY-THREE AT REFORMED CH

Last Thursday evening Trinity Reformed church of town observed the first "Father and Son" banquet in its history. It was a signal success for seventy-three fathers and sons, and a few guests who were in attendance. These were assembled by 6:45 o'clock in the large church school primary room where each father was paired with a son, either an actual son or one "one adopted for the occasion," as the case might be, and they were to be special "pals" all evening.

The program included spirited group singing of "Father and Son" songs, vocal selections of music by Robert E. Bradford and Prof. James Myers, who also led the group singing, addresses by G. Woodrow Bradford in behalf of the sons, and Prof. Jacob F. Wetzel in behalf of the fathers and the Rev. James M. Runkle, D. pastor of Trinity Reformed church of Altoona. Dr. Runkle spoke in able fashion on "Happiness." The pastor, Rev. D. R. Keener, acted as toastmaster.

Later in the evening group games were played under the leadership of Prof. Russell W. Bohn. In the lanchonnet game the sons defeated the fathers with a score of two to zero.

"THE GADABOUT" COLLECTED \$51.25 AT STAGE DOOR

On Friday evening, "The Gadabout," a three-act comedy sparkling with clever dialogue, complicated situations, and a homespun plot, was presented in the Centre Hall high school auditorium before a fair-sized audience. The play, presented for the benefit of the athletic association, netted \$54.25, at least half of which money was collected at the children's matinee, Thursday afternoon.

The cast is to be commended and applauded for their inspired presentation in making "The Gadabout" a success. extra-curricular activities that benefit the school in such a way should be encouraged, and the efforts of the students applauded. The capable direction of Mrs. R. T. Parsons and Mr. James Myers, plus the assistance of Francis Snyder at the lights, also contributed to the success of the presentation.

LONG FARM TENANCY HELD BY A. L. SLATERBECK

For twenty-four years Arthur L. Slaterbeck has been tenant on the farm next to the Lutheran-Reformed church, Tusseyville, owned by Prof. W. P. Hosterman, Penn Hall, but he will vacate the place next spring when he will dispose of his farm stock and implements and with his family live retired in a home owned by him at Tusseyville. This change is due to the fact that Mr. Slaterbeck feels he is no longer able to properly conduct the farm, resulting from a handicap dating back to an accident a few years ago.

Mr. Slaterbeck followed the late Adam F. Heckman as tenant. Mr. Heckman lived on the farm for a period of eighteen years. This speaks volumes for both the tenants and the landlord.

AT 60, UNION CO. FARMER FIRST SEES BROS., SISTERS

Children of the same father and mother, a 60-year-old Union county farmer and a brother and two sisters of South Dakota met for the first time at a family gathering on the O. C. Homan farm, Mifflinsburg, R. D. 2 last week. Mr. Homan, a native of Centre county, will be 61 years old in March and yet had never seen any of his nine brothers and sisters until Earl Homan, Mrs. Mary Cass and Mrs. Mabel Davis, of Scotland, S. D., paid him an unexpected visit.

EARLE GIVES THREE RESPIRE FROM ELECTRIC CHAIR

The Executive hand reached out and gave fresh hope to three convicted slayers, sentenced to die in the electric chair.

Governor Earle granted respites to Paul Ferry, Erie county; Frank Stella, Northumberland, and Roy Lockhart, Blair.

The Executive, before sailing for Sweden, postponed the execution of Ferry and Stella, set for November 22, until the first Monday in January and gave Lockhart until January 24. He was scheduled to die December 29.

The three are among 13 Pennsylvanians—12 men and a woman—doomed to die in Rockview Penitentiary.

Ferry was convicted of slaying his wife and now is under observation at the Fairview Hospital for Mental Defectives. The Pardon Board has suggested his execution be stayed.

However, officials said, if he shows any signs of recovery he again will be taken into court to face the chair.

Stella was convicted of slaying Joseph Doyle at Mt. Carmel, and Lockhart, with Mrs. Margaret Karmendi, was sentenced to death for the killing of the latter's 4-year-old child with a railroad spike.

The Supreme Court has ruled that Mrs. Karmendi should have a third trial.



TURKEY DAY.

CHRISTMAS FUND IN CENTRE COUNTY \$100,000 THIS YEAR

Christmas savings checks totalling \$50,650 will be distributed among more than 1,200 depositors by eight Centre county banks, outside of Phillipsburg, before the holiday season. This year's total exceeds by more than \$10,000 any distribution made for the past five years, it was estimated.

Savings funds in State College banks increased from \$16,500 last year to \$20,000, while funds in the three Bellefonte banks show a gain of \$7,250 over last year's total of \$19,000. Following is a list of the approximate amounts to be paid out by eight county banks this year:

State College: People's National \$6,900; First National, \$14,000; Bellefonte: First National, \$8,000; Bellefonte Trust company, \$9,500; Farmers National, \$8,750; Spring Mills First National, \$1,200; Port Matilda Community Bank, \$1,900; Howard First National, \$2,200.

The Centre Hall First National did not offer this service during the present year.

To more than 2,400 depositors the First National Bank of Phillipsburg will distribute \$50,900. This added to the sum named above will make a total of over \$100,000 for distribution in the county.

PRESBYTERIAN THANKSGIVING SERVICE FRIDAY EVENING

The Missionary women of the Presbyterian church will hold their Thanksgiving service on Friday evening at 7:30 in the church. The speakers for the occasion will be Mr. and Mrs. Dean, who are on furlough from the land of China. They will have with them their adopted daughter, who is a Chinese. Mr. Dean is an architect, and Mrs. Dean is a nurse in the foreign land.

Come and hear their interesting report of their work "Over There."

ORTHOPEDIC DIAGNOSTIC CLINIC, ALTOONA, DEC. 7

An orthopedic diagnostic clinic will be conducted by a well-known orthopedic surgeon in the Altoona hospital on Thursday, December 7, at 9:00 a.m., under the auspices of the Penna. Department of Health.

Crippled children under sixteen years of age of indigent parents are eligible for assistance and treatment. Crippled children from Blair, Centre and Clearfield counties are to be examined at this clinic.

The names of the children in Centre county should be reported to Miss Agnes E. Kane, R. N., Finberg Apartment, Phillipsburg, prior to November 30.

TO HOLD BASKETBALL CLINIC

At the Parent-Teacher Association meeting on November 23, a basketball clinic will be held at the Centre Hall-Potter high school for the purpose of explaining to the public the technique of the game.

Two teams made up of boys from the high school will be chosen to play a game of basketball, and as each play is made James A. Myers will explain the move.

This, it is believed, will give the public a better understanding of the game and develop appreciation and enthusiasm for the coming basketball season. There will be no admission charge at this clinic, and the attendance is not limited to P. T. A. members.

FRICITION IN ADMINISTRATION MIGHT HAVE BEEN AVOIDED, IF

The Democratic Watchman hits the bull's eye when it says: Mr. Karl de Schweinitz, head of the Emergency Relief Administration, is the target at which critics are shooting from all parts of the State.

The Governor has called on him for answers to the charges that have been preferred and has expressed his intention of asking for his resignation if they are not satisfactory. While we know nothing of the merits of the criticism we do feel that had the Governor named a Democrat instead of a Republican to head this important department the present unfortunate situation would not have arisen to embarrass him. And a competent Democrat could have been found to do the job. A Democratic administration without real Democrats in all key positions can't expect anything else than discord, even though other party men who are called in give honest and loyal service to their chief. In politics, it just isn't cricket to win a victory and have the important posts turned over to representatives of the party that the voters had just turned out.

The West Buffalo Homemakers met for their November meeting with Mrs. D. C. Rossmann, president of the organization, in Mifflinsburg. The object of the Homemakers is to help its members realize the importance of their job.

FIRST ACCIDENT AT NEW APPROACH OF EARLYSTOWN RD

Friday afternoon the first accident occurred at the newly constructed approach of the Earlystown road to Route 53, also rebuilt, and resulted in the injury of five persons and damage estimated at \$200 to the two motor cars.

The cars which collided were operated by Harry R. Wolfe, who was coming out of the Earlystown road onto Route 53, and James W. Royer, going south on Route 53. Mr. Royer was a passenger Harold Mowery. Royer was cut over the forehead; Mowery was knocked unconscious, but on examination at the Centre County hospital was found not to be injured to any great extent. He has since recovered.

Mr. Wolfe was accompanied by Mrs. Wolfe and young son, Harry, aged five years. The mother and son were bruised and cut, but there were no broken bones. Mr. Wolfe sustained several fractured ribs, revealed by an X-ray picture made on Saturday.

CLEAN SWEEP MADE AT JODON HORSE SALE

A carload of twelve horses and sixteen colts sold readily at very fair prices at the Jodon sales barn, Pleasant Gap, on Monday. Every animal in the lot was sold. The high team sold for \$410.00 and two single animals passed for \$225.00 each. The high pair of colts sold for \$210, another single for \$105. The horses and colts were all above the average in appearance and quality. E. M. Smith was the auctioneer.

WALLACE GEARY GROWS 145 TURKEYS TO 10 TO 25 LBS

There is little doubt but that Wallace Geary, at Red Mill, Potter township, during the past season was successful in growing the largest flock of turkeys in Potter township. The flock of one hundred forty-five birds are of the bronze breed and have been developed in weight from ten to twenty-five pounds. They are said to make a fine showing.

PRIZES FOR BEST CHRISTMAS LIGHTING GIVEN AGAIN

Good news for Reporter readers in Centre Hall borough is that through the courtesy of the West Penn Power Company, the Reporter will again be permitted to give away three valuable prizes for the best Christmas illumination of homes, as has been done for several years past.

More definite information will appear next week.

ARE THE P. S. C. FARMS TAXABLE BY COLLEGE TW?.

The question of whether Pennsylvania State College is operating the several farms acquired since its incorporation as a State institution or a private agency has been propounded in legal papers to Judge M. Ward Fleming, and resulted in a temporary injunction. The question, it is said, will not be further passed on by Judge Fleming who anticipates litigation that would reach into the term of Judge-elect Ivan Walker. The real question involved is whether the nine farms owned by the institution are taxable for the use of College township. The temporary injunction restrains the collection on them.

SENIOR DANCE, DEC. 3.

The Senior dance this year will be held Friday, December 3, in the Centre Hall-Potter high school auditorium with Bob Lyons' orchestra from Sunbury supplying the music.

The chairmen of the committees are as follows: decorating, Ralph Arney; orchestra, Lois Ross; refreshment, Miriam Fetterolf; cloak room, Floyd Dashem; and advertising, Donald Foust.

This social function is held annually to make money for the Washington trip. The public is invited to attend this dance, the admission to which is thirty-five cents.

EXCITEMENT IN ROOM ONE OF LOCAL HIGH SCHOOL

Throwing of books and pushing of chairs was the climax of a quarrel between Donald Smith, '39 and Harold Bradford '39 in journalism class on November 17, at 10:30 o'clock.

Harold and Donald tarried before coming into class and when Mrs. Agnes G. Jamison asked the reason Harold said Donald held him in a room. She told them to try to get to class on time and the boys proceeded with the lesson.

Mrs. Jamison distributed some newspapers and told the class to look for some action stories; then she left the room. The minute her back was turned Donald said to Harold, "Why did you have to tell you big sissy?" Harold replied, "Do you want to make something of it?"

Donald said "yes," and they started to hurl work books and tablets at each other. Mrs. Jamison entered the room, caught them in the act, and told Iona Barger '39 to go for Mr. Wetzel, the principal. He did not say anything as he entered the room but started to laugh, as the class began to realize that the whole affair was a frame-up among Mrs. Jamison and the two boys to create an action story, the phase of journalism now being studied in junior English class.

Mrs. Jamison then assigned the task of writing the story as though it were to appear in the newspapers.

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

HAPPENINGS OF LOCAL INTEREST FROM ALL PARTS

Helen Haskell, Nevin Brown and Donald G. Foust were granted motor driving privileges.

Snow fell to the depth of close to two inches Thursday night. It was the third fall of the beautiful during November.

Arthur Treaster, tenant on the Sid McNitt farm, near Milroy, was a business caller at the Reporter office on Monday.

J. Frank Bible, of near Aaronsburg will make sale of his farm stock and implement next March and will then locate in Aaronsburg in a property recently acquired from Joseph Marsh.

Mrs. Harry Armstrong, of Pleasant Gap, is again a patient in the Lewis-town hospital. Her daughter, Margaret, in the meantime is with relatives in the Mifflin county metropolis.

Representatives of the State Liquor Control Board, posing as students from the University of Maryland, trapped Luther Sunday, State College, in liquor violations. He was held in ball of \$500.00.

Edward Miller, Republican, contemplates contesting the election of Harry Stover, Democrat, to the office of tax collector of Spring township by a majority of two votes. Mr. Stover, is the present tax collector.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Jamison and Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Rickert expect to leave for New York City by auto this (Wednesday) evening, and spend a few days sight-seeing. They expect to return by Saturday evening.

The local weather bureau thermometer registered 19 1/2 degrees above zero during Saturday night. That was the lowest reading for 1937 fall. It is reported that thermometers in various sections of town recorded as low as 15 degrees.

Farmers in Penna Valley are well on in harvesting the corn crop. Some fields, the latter part of the week had been untouched, but where such conditions prevail it is usually due to the fact that the farmer is waiting for a power husker which greatly speeds the operation.

Dr. Henry N. Thissell, of Liverpool, with his wife and daughter, moved into Millheim and occupied the Hosterman property on Penn street, recently vacated by Dr. T. G. McQueen. Dr. Thissell is highly recommended as a general medical practitioner.

The Centre County Encampment, I. O. O. F., held its regular monthly meeting in the rooms of the Belle-fonte lodge I. O. O. F., on Monday evening, and was attended by Messrs. V. A. Auman, John W. Delaney, W. H. Homan, Ralph Homan, and Ernest Homan, of Centre Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. F. Peters of Millburg celebrated the sixty-third anniversary of their marriage on Monday. The couple are natives of Unionville. Mr. Peters has been confined to bed for several weeks with rheumatism, but Mrs. Peters is in tolerable good health considering her age.

F. V. Goodhart made his first trip uptown on Thursday afternoon since back from the hospital. Although he was a passenger in a car, he got out without aid and walked into business places without the use of crutches depended on for some time in his home. To say he has improved is making the assertion mild in form.

Persons from this section guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. McClellan, in Millheim, during the recent past, were Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Decker, of Milroy; Mr. and Mrs. Robert McClellan and Miss Martha Treessler, of Linden Hall, on Thursday; Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Frantz and Mr. and Mrs. David Noll and family, of Centre Hall, on Saturday.

The Pennsylvania State College will send 26 fat barrows and six fat steers to the show ring of the International Livestock Exposition at Chicago, November 27 to December 4. In the cattle classes the College will be represented by Aberdeen-Angus and Hereford steers. The swine will include Berkshire, Chesterwhite and Duroc-Jersey barrows.

Wayne Bitting and Miss Beatrice Baumgardner were callers at the F. V. Goodhart home on Saturday evening and from there went on to Lewis-town, Mr. Bitting, formerly connected with Gregg Township Vocational, is now teaching agriculture in the Montgomery school. Miss Baumgardner, R. N., is employed in the Centre County hospital.

Miss Ruth Reiber accompanied the K. R. Wolf family of Howard to a gala party at Tyrone, Tuesday, Nov. 16, sponsored by the Clover Farm chain stores. An amateur hour was part of the entertainment during which time Miss Ruth was called upon to display her talents in behalf of the Clover Farm store in Howard, owned and operated by Mr. Wolf.

Postmaster C. W. Booser reports the Unemployment Report Cards covering Centre Hall borough and rural routes served from the office as having been reasonably correct as to answer to questions and promptness of returning. Every card is being carefully scrutinized for errors, and where necessary personal contact is made with the sender. Reports from communities like this will be close to 100 per cent correct after checking.