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## Xmas Lighting Contest Judges Chosen

### YULETIDE COMPETITION ATTRACTS EARLY ENTRANTS.

The Centre Reporter is pleased to announce the appointment of judges for the local Christmas Lighting Contest that is being sponsored by this newspaper. They are Mrs. Roy S. Jamison, Mrs. George K. Rimmer and Jack Coldron.

Since the news of the contest was made public, a number of persons have already decided to enter.

In contests of this kind it is customary to require entry blanks, but the Reporter is making it as simple for you as possible. You need not signify your intention to enter the contest; all we ask is that you go ahead and decorate your home in a true Christmas fashion and reflect the spirit of the season to the best of your ability.

Judging will be done on the basis of effectiveness and beauty of the lighting and decorating. This does not necessarily mean elaborateness. Simplicity in display will also receive every consideration—indeed, such a display should be easy to plan and place and at comparatively trifling cost. The judges will make their decisions on the evening of December 23 when they will inspect the various illuminations. Be sure you have your lights turned on as soon as it grows dark.

The lighting and decorating materials that are available at the stores this year are inexpensive, in spite of their excellent quality and appearance. "Home mechanics," too are learning that Christmas lighting decorations can be quickly constructed, at small cost, to suit any decorating conditions that may exist. This also affords the opportunity for originality—another factor that may enter into the judging.

There will be prizes offered for the winning displays—with three winners to be declared. The retail value of the prizes is \$48.00. They consist of an electric toaster, a double slice toaster and a table study lamp, made according to certified I. E. S. specifications. These prizes are now on display at The Reporter office.

### LOCALS.

Mrs. Wm. Baird, Pleasant Gap, is very seriously ill.

Mrs. John Rachau, in the Penns Cave district, died on Tuesday after a prolonged illness following a paralytic stroke.

Among the sick in town are Mr. and Mrs. John E. Rishel, Mrs. Alvina Flory, and Mrs. Rome Ginkrich; also, two of the children of Mr. and Mrs. Garman Matter.

Dale, nine years old son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Confer, became ill from indigestion on Saturday. His condition continued sufficiently serious to be confined to bed during the beginning of the week.

Mrs. Millard Luse will entertain the Clover Club this (Thursday) evening. This is also the 45th anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Luse and consequently the club will join in celebrating the event.

On Tuesday evening of next week the pupils in the Plum Grove school, Miss Bertha Shaver, teacher, will render a Christmas program, beginning at 7:45 o'clock. Patrons and friends are invited; no door charge.

The Colyer public school will give a Christmas entertainment Wednesday evening, Dec. 22 to which patrons and others are invited. There will be no admission charge. George H. Sweeney is the teacher and coached the children in the parts they will perform.

The Tuesday evening meeting of the local Odd Fellows was largely attended by its members and other members of nearby lodges. The attraction was the presence of State Noble Grand C. Paul Wagner, of Williamsport, who was the first State high officer to visit the lodge. The third degree was conferred by a team from the Bellefonte lodge.

Rev. and Mrs. W. K. Hosterman are spending today and tomorrow in the vicinity of Mt. Holly Springs, a former pastorate. This evening Rev. Hosterman will preach the sermon at a pre-dedication service in the church just erected at Idaville, a part of this parish. The church will be dedicated on Sunday, Rev. H. Leroy Brininger, a nephew of Prof. J. F. Wetzel, is the present pastor.

In a Christmas box received from Seattle Wash., by T. A. Hosterman, sent by his brother, Dr. James K. Hosterman, among other things contained a quantity of holly cut from a tree in the doctor's yard. The holly is heavily loaded with crimson red berries and has curled leaves, much unlike holly on the market about here. A nice branch of the very ornamental holly found its way to the Reporter office. Thanks.

W. D. Shoep took his first motor car ride on Sunday since returning from the Centre County hospital where he underwent a stomach operation. He was a guest passenger of T. A. Hosterman who took him over the new road between Centre Hall railroad crossing and Spring Mills. On Saturday F. V. Goodhart motored to Millheim, operating the car himself. That was the first car-operating experience of any consequence since recovering from a prolonged illness.

## \$9,274,000 REDUCTION IN FEDERAL-AID HIGHWAY WORK

Secretary of Highways Warren Van Dyke estimated Pennsylvania would lose highway construction work valued at approximately \$9,274,000 during 1938-39 under President Roosevelt's recommendation for a drastic reduction in the government's federal aid allocations for highway work.

That amount, Mr. Van Dyke said included approximately \$5,462,500 in direct grants anticipated from the federal government and money which the State would have contributed as its share.

The President proposed that a \$200,000,000 appropriation balance authorized for the present (1938) fiscal year be spread over the next two fiscal years and cancellations of a \$214,000,000 apportionment authorized for distribution among the states during the 1938 fiscal year. Also a limit of \$125,000,000 would be fixed annually on all public roads authorizations for and after the 1940 fiscal year compared to a total of \$238,000,000 each for 1938 and 1939.

Mr. Van Dyke pointed out Pennsylvania's Federal-aid program totaled \$15,972,000 for 1937-38 and estimated the President's recommendations would reduce the amount to \$5,698,000 the next year.

This reduction, he said, would require that the Department drop 66 projects involving improvements to 151 miles of highway and 10 grade-crossing elimination jobs.

The greatest reduction was expected to be made in the regular federal-aid program, from \$5,434,000 for 1937-38 to \$2,232,000 next year, involving the loss of 31 projects on 96 miles.

Two others, the secondary, was expected to be cut from \$1,987,000 to \$456,000, involving the loss of 35 projects on 95 miles, and the grade-crossing elimination, from \$2,900,000 to \$1,220,000, involving the loss of 10 projects.

The federal government allocates the entire cost of grade-crossing eliminations; the other two programs are shared equally by the federal and State governments.

## RATE REDUCTION FOR 'PHONES COMES JAN.'

Hand set or French telephones, for which 15 to 50 cents a month extra charge has been collected, will become "standard equipment" in Pennsylvania after New Year's Day, the PUC predicted a few days ago.

The Bell Company, largest telephone concern in the state, has complained with the commission order to eliminate the 15 cents extra charge monthly for the hand sets on billings after Dec. 10.

Its compliance with that order, issued Nov. 5, affects users of 778,500 telephones, saving them approximately \$300,000 annually.

The Pennsylvania Telephone Corporation, largest independent company of its kind in the state, has agreed to eliminate extra charges for the "equipment on billings after Jan. 1. The PUC believes the other independents will eliminate the extra charge voluntarily, rather than await orders from the commission to conform to the precedent.

## VOTERS MAY REGISTER AT COURT HOUSE

The office of the Centre County Registration Commission at the County Commissioners' office in the Court House is now open to any person desiring to be permanently registered or those wanting to change their registration. Registration clerks will be on duty at the office from 9 to 12 o'clock every morning and 1 to 5 o'clock in the afternoon, except Saturdays when the office will close at noon.

## \$147,000 ESTIMATED NEED G. O. P. CAMPAIGN FUND

Republican State leaders with national committeemen sitting in at a meeting held in Harrisburg last week concluded that for campaign purposes in the State the party needed an annual fund of \$147,000. Whether the funds will be collected by popular subscription from the rank and file or by individuals and groups as in the past remains undecided.

The chairman's conference closed a two-day survey by party leaders of prospects for next year's gubernatorial and United States senatorial campaign.

The policy group of the State committee held an all-day closed session the Republican Crusaders, based on to consider recommendations from 130,000 questionnaires sent out last Spring and presented to the September meeting of the state committee at Altoona.

This report recommended that dissatisfied Democrats and others be asked to join the party, which was urged to change its name.

Another proposal received by the policy committee would set a \$147,000 budget for the state organization "to provide a businesslike organization 365 days in the year."

Charles W. Carroll, head of the Crusaders, who submitted the budget plan, says it would "buy back the Republican party for the people."

Ralph W. Thorne, chairman of the Saturday F. V. Goodhart motored to Millheim, operating the car himself. That was the first car-operating experience of any consequence since recovering from a prolonged illness.

## REPORT ON ANNUAL RED CROSS DRIVE IN COMMUNITY

Following is a report of the Centre Hall Auxiliary of the Red Cross in the annual Red Cross Roll Call, recently closed. Officers of the local organization are J. F. Wetzel, chairman; Mrs. C. Wm. Booser, secretary; Miss Grace C. Smith, treasurer.

Received from Membership Dues ..... \$9.00 Contributions ..... 4.85 Total Receipts ..... \$12.85 Detailed report of contributors:

### Members

Miss Lila Brooks, Mrs. Lucy Henney, Mrs. Wilbur Henney, Mrs. C. M. Arney, Mrs. Mary Keller, John F. Runkle, Mrs. Celesta Strohmeyer, C. H. Homan, P. H. Luse, Mrs. Laura Lee, Clover Club, Mrs. J. Elmer Royer, E. P. Geary, Mrs. E. P. Geary, Miss Mabel Arney, George Rimmer, C. F. Emery, B. F. Corl, Mrs. Minnie Zeigler, Dr. H. R. White, Mrs. Emma Rachau, Mrs. Carrie S. Lieb, Mrs. T. A. Hosterman, Mrs. J. S. Booser, C. D. Bartholomew, Mrs. C. D. Bartholomew, Miss Helen Bartholomew, D. C. Mitterling, F. E. Priest, Mrs. Ernest Frank, S. W. Smith, Mrs. S. W. Smith, Fred Luse, H. E. Emery, R. Stanley Brooks, J. H. Puff, R. S. Hagan, Mrs. R. S. Hagan, Rev. D. R. Keener, Mrs. C. Wm. Booser, Mrs. Talitha Delaney, Mrs. Harold Durst, E. E. Zettle, Mrs. W. Frank Bradford, Mary Kling, Mrs. F. D. Goodhart, Mrs. J. W. Bradford, J. W. Bradford, Mrs. A. H. Thoman, J. E. Rishel, Yo. Yo Club, Mrs. W. A. Odenkirk, F. V. Odenkirk, George Johnson, F. V. Goodhart, Dr. C. H. Light, Mrs. C. H. Light, Mrs. E. W. Miller, E. W. Miller, Mrs. Samuel Bitner, Mrs. Wm. Lingle, Mrs. N. E. Emerick, Mrs. W. F. Keller, Mrs. George Sweeney, E. E. Bailey, Mrs. E. E. Bailey, Rev. J. M. Kirkpatrick, Mrs. J. M. Kirkpatrick, John Kirkpatrick, J. F. Wetzel, Mrs. J. F. Wetzel, J. C. Goodhart, D. M. Bradford, Mrs. T. L. Moore, W. V. Kerlin, Mrs. W. V. Kerlin, Billy Kerlin, Edward Durst, Mrs. R. S. Jamison, J. A. Heckman, D. S. Daup, Mrs. W. A. Alexander, Rev. W. K. Hosterman, Mrs. E. M. Huyett, Miss Laura Runkle, Mrs. Sara Bradford, Mrs. J. Lovan Smith, Miss Grace Smith, Donald Wagner, Miss Estella Hosterman, Mrs. David Graybill.

Potters Mills—Mrs. G. H. McCormick, Mrs. F. E. Palmer, Mrs. Frank A. Carson, E. Clayton Wagner, W. A. Reed, Sprucecreek M. E. Sunday School, Mrs. Isabelle Loughner, Mrs. M. J. Brown.

### Contributors

Mrs. Paul Zellers, Mrs. George Vogt, Mr. and Mrs. John Dasher, Mrs. Robert McClenahan, Mrs. Edward Vogt.

## HEADS OF LUTHERAN SYNODS MET IN HARRISBURG, FRIDAY

Advisability of abolishing life-time assignments to parsonates was stated as a major topic for consideration at the two-day biennial conference of presidents of the 34 American and Canadian synods of the United Lutheran Church and its national officers, which opened in Harrisburg on Friday.

"Practical suggestions were made for the orderly retirement of all who are inefficient," said Dr. Frederick H. Knufel, head of the church, who presided.

A pension plan proposed by the national treasurer, Dr. E. Clarence Miller, New York, considered in connection with proposals to transfer pastors at regular intervals or by vote of congregations, adoption of which would result in abandonment of the long-time policy of the church against parsonate changes.

The new pension plan for clergymen, the church officials likened to the social security system.

Rev. Dr. Walter H. Groever, executive secretary of the church, said that, under the present proposal, members of the congregation and the pastor would contribute to a general pension fund. The pension system now in use, he explained, depends upon an endowment fund and donations.

Rev. Knufel said the United States Lutheran Church in America has 3,520 ordained ministers, 3,969 congregations, 1,522,000 baptized members and 1,104,474 confirmed members.

## NO SERVICE AT LOCAL P. O. ON CHRISTMAS DAY

On Christmas day there will be no service rendered the public, with the exception of the delivery of special delivery mail within the borough limits, at the local post office.

First-class mail that can be dropped in the letter-box will be dispatched from the L. & T. and Star route from Bellefonte and Millheim will be received as on all other days.

The office will be closed to the public during the entire day.

## SHULL & SON LOW BIDDERS ON LOCK HAVEN-J. SHORE ROAD

A high-level concrete pavement and two bridges, above the 1936 flood level in Woodward, Dunstable and Pine Creek townships, Clinton county, 5.15 miles in length, on Route 220 between Lock Haven and Jersey Shore, is about to be let by the Highway Department. The low bidder is H. W. Shull & Son, Mechanicsburg whose estimate was \$381,735. It is a Federal aid project.

## Hats Are Reduced.

Just in time for a nice Christmas gift—all hats are reduced at Mrs. Lenore V. Burd's Hat Shop, Millheim.

## DOE BREAKS BACK IN EFFORT TO CRASH FENCE

Two doe deer at the closing hour of the hunting season on Saturday evening came down from Nittany Mountain and in an effort to crash the second fence on Route 95, near the J. W. Delaney farm, east of town, one of them broke its back. The two vaulted the fence on the north side of the road, but in their efforts to go through a woven wire fence only one succeeded, the other meeting the fate noted above.

D. W. Bradford was returning home from an afternoon's hunt at this time and saw the doe's plight. A warden was notified who ordered the animal killed. This was done and the carcass strung up in Mr. Bradford's barn.

## COUNTY'S TWO CCC CAMPS WILL NOT BE ABANDONED

The two CCC camps in the Bellefonte area came safely through the national shakeup that will soon eliminate 164 camps now in operation. It was learned this week.

The doomed camps are scheduled to close in all parts of the country about December 15.

The Bellefonte area camps, recently estimated to be worth about \$4,000 a month each to trading area in their immediate vicinity, are among the 1500 selected to continue operations through at least another six-month period.

The camps are located in Poe Valley, near Coburn, and near Phillipsburg, in Centre county.

The wholesale closings were necessary to bring the Civilian Conservation Corps within its restricted budget, it was said.

## HISTORIC BUILDINGS IN CENTRE COUNTY LISTED

Bellefonte has several historic buildings now listed in the Library of Congress. They are the residence of Henry S. and Mary Hunter Linn, built in 1810; the James Harris house (now the borough town) built in 1795; the Broeckerhof residence, built in 1812.

At Nittany is the Schaeffer house, built in 1826; at Phillipsburg, the old home of Hardman Phillips, and at Rock Forge the old Benner home, built in 1812.

Two taverns have been given historic recognition—the Boalsburg Tavern, Boalsburg, which was partially destroyed by fire in 1934, and the Old Fort Tavern, in the vicinity of Centre Hall. The Old Fort Tavern stands only a few hundred feet from an old Indian Fort. It was erected in 1796 and has been used as a combination tavern and farm-house for many years.

The Old Grist Mill, Houserville, was built in 1800. It is a water-driven mill still equipped with the original machinery, much of it wooden, and made on the site. It was operated for more than a hundred years, the last time being in 1930.

Both "Halehurst" and the Union church, Phillipsburg, have long been pointed out as Phillipsburg's outstanding places of historical interest.

"Halehurst," originally known as Moshannon Hall, was first occupied in 1812. The Union church was erected in 1820. The church was built by community labor.

The task of surveying and photographing these buildings was part of a nationwide project that has been underway for several years, having been first begun by CWA workers. Two thousand houses and buildings have been recorded in all parts of the United States.

## PENN STATE PEAR IS RESISTANT TO BLIGHT

Developed at the Pennsylvania State College agricultural experiment station by Dr. Ernest L. Nixon, plant pathologist, the Richard Peters pear continues to be resistant to fire blight.

Last year this pear was inoculated with 100 strains of the blight-producing organism. None gave it the disease. Fire blight was epidemic and many varieties died, but the Richard Peters showed no blight either at the College or in several other parts of the state.

This pear has been planted in four Pennsylvania counties and has been distributed to California, Georgia, No. Carolina, Virginia, New York and Canada.

Self-sterile, the variety must be planted near another variety which will pollinate it. About 190 seedlings, mostly crosses of Bosc on Richard Peters, are now coming into bearing age. Many of these appear to be as blight-resistant as Richard Peters and should be of a higher quality.

Glenn Bloom, tenant on the Alexander farm near Old Fort, was unfortunate recently to lose through death a valuable mare, one of a mated team of greys highly prized for their high quality and fine appearance.

Accidents cost 111,000 lives in the United States in 1936 and left 493,000 persons permanently disabled, so that \$2,000,000,000 was lost in wages and it entailed a \$400,000,000 medical bill. It cost enough more in dollars and cents to maintain every hospital in America for a year, and to pay for every type of medical care.

Former Governor Alfred M. Landon of Kansas, Republican standard bearer in the 1936 election, at which time he carried only two states, on Friday announced he would not be a candidate for President in 1940.

## CENTRE CO. AGR. EXTENSION ELECTS J. F. MUSSER, PRES.

Officers for 1938 were elected last Thursday at the annual meeting of the Centre County Agricultural Extension Service held at Bellefonte. J. Foster Musser, Pine Grove Mills, president; James J. Markle, State College, vice-president; Malcolm Musser, secretary; W. C. Smeltzer, Bellefonte treasurer.

Speakers at the morning session emphasized the importance of the Agricultural Extension Service to the people of Centre county, and brought out the fact that during the past 20 years, the Extension Agents have played an important part in the changing conditions of agriculture. W. C. Smeltzer, who has been a member of the County Board ever since its organization in the county, gave an interesting talk on agricultural conditions over a twenty-year period. H. G. Nielew, Assistant Director of Agricultural Extension, emphasized the importance of the Extension Service as an educational agency.

The afternoon program consisted of moving pictures and slides presented by Miss Eleanor J. Smith, Home Economics Extension Representative, and R. C. Blaney, County Agricultural Agent. These pictures illustrated the program of Extension Service as being carried out in Centre county. The following subjects were covered: kitchen arrangement, home furnishings, boys' and girls' club, work, farm garden, wool marketing, etc. Approximately half of the pictures shown had been taken of Centre county people during the past year.

During the noon hour and at the close of the meeting, people present inspected exhibits on kitchen conveniences and soil erosion. The latter was arranged by Frank Bahmer, Agronomy Extension specialist at State College who was present and explained the importance and some of the methods of controlling erosion.

## GIVE LOYAL SUPPORT TO HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL

A more liberal patronage of the Centre Hall-Potter high school basketball games, during the season now on, will be an inspiration for the boys and girls to do their best when in contests with boys and girls from other high schools in the district making up the league. Season tickets may be had for one dollar; single tickets fifteen cents.

The games may be witnessed under most favorable conditions—a warm "sunny" comfortable seats, unobstructed view. The action on the floor quickens the pulse, arouses pride in the home team, whether it wins or loses. There is the minimum of dispute in the decisions of the referees, and no hounding by the players. The four quarters are played and decision announced long before you are aware of it.

The teams are nearer on an equality than in most athletic sports, since they are selected from one of the four years, allotted them in high school, bringing both in age and physical development as nearly as possible on the same level.

## POTTER SCHOOL DIRECTORS EAT TURKEY, SATURDAY

Miss Lillie Brooks, teacher of the Centre Hill school, served a very delicious turkey dinner at her home on Saturday at 6:00 p. m. to the directors of Potter township school district and their wives namely, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Burkholder, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Burkholder, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. McCormick, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Delaney. Included in the group was also the retiring director, B. W. Ripka, and Mrs. Ripka, also the supervising principal J. F. Wetzel, and Mrs. Wetzel.

## TWPS. MUST PAY FOR SNOW REMOVAL ON TWP. ROADS

Snow removal from all township roads in the county must be taken care of by road supervisors in their respective townships, the same as heretofore. There is no shifting this expense on the State, County highway officials are not permitted to order the opening of any roads that are not on the snow removal program, unless permission is granted from the State Department of Highways at Harrisburg.

## PENN STATE PROFESSOR DEVELOPS TOMATOES

Matchum, Penn State Earlana and Penn State are outstanding tomato varieties developed by Dr. C. Emory Meyers, professor of plant breeding at the Penna. State College.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lucas on Thursday took their daughter, Sarah Catharine, to the Phillipsburg hospital where Dr. Galbraith was holding a clinic for children. The child, now eight months old, was born with a deformed foot and wryneck. The parents have been giving the child regular massages which the surgeon said was all that could be done for her at this time.

Read the ads. in the Reporter. Patronize the merchant who thinks enough of you to present his goods through the most legitimate advertising medium, namely, the newspaper. His greater turn-over because of greater volume of business through advertising enables him to give you fresher merchandise and lower prices. He is a safe man to tie to.

## TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

### HAPPENINGS OF LOCAL INTEREST FROM ALL PARTS

Roy Wilson, of near town, killed a nice buck deer in Greens Valley.

The Moshannon National Bank building, Phillipsburg, will be sold by the receivers, on Monday.

Minor improvements were made on the First National Bank building during last week. Samuel Gross, carpenter, doing the work.

Levi Hartley, quite seriously ill from a heart condition for a week or more, was able to be out of bed for the first during the middle of last week. His condition since has continued to improve.

Mrs. Minnie McColly, of Latrobe formerly of Phillipsburg, disappeared from the home of her son, Jacob McColly, on Thanksgiving evening, and no trace of her whereabouts has been discovered. The lady is 65, and weighs 150 lbs.

M. H. Smith, Millheim, slaughtered a hog the dressed weight of which was 526 pounds. This record it is expected will be topped by a hog in the pens of M. O. Stover when it is slaughtered and weighed in the near future.

Banks in Centre county have reduced the interest rate from two and one-half to two per cent on savings accounts, effective January 1st. Further information will be found in the advertisement of the Centre Hall First National Bank in this issue of the Reporter.

There is a possibility the State government commission established by the 1937 legislature will recommend the consolidation of the fish and game commissions with the view of reducing the cost maintaining the administration of the two separate commissions.

C. P. Emery, former general merchant, has not left his home during the past five weeks. While able to be about in the house, he rarely goes outside. Mr. Emery is subject to violent attacks of coughing which appear to be aggravated when he is out in the open.

Creditors of N. B. Martz, of Linden Hall, adjudged a bankrupt November 30th, met in the law office of Attorney John T. Taylor, State College, on Tuesday, to present their claims and appoint a trustee. Mr. Martz was a dairy farmer, selling his milk to private customers in State College.

John Meeker, forest ranger at the State House, Seven Mountains, killed an eleven-point buck near the State house after trailing it for a half day. This was the second eleven-point buck killed in that region during the past season. The first one was killed by Clyde Bradford on the first day of the season.

The one-room school house in the Bush Addition, Bellefonte, was completely gutted by a fire believed to have been caused by an overheated stove on Friday morning. The forty pupils, with Mrs. Joyce Hine, of Bellefonte, as teacher, removed most of the movable articles in the room. Fire from the same cause broke out earlier in the fall.

Dr. Catherine Johnson, a practicing physician of New Bloomfield, was recently appointed to the board of trustees of the Laurelton State Village to succeed the late Mrs. Miles I. Potter of Middleburg who succumbed September 26. Dr. Johnson was inducted into office at the December meeting of the board at the Village on Friday.

The Mrs. Perle Fishburn property in Millheim was recently purchased by Charles O. Bover at private sale. Charles F. Kreamer, of Millheim, is now training at the Penn. Motor Police Training School, Albright College, Myerstown, upon completion of which he will have the standing of a second-class private, and six months later may be able to enter the rank of a Motor Police.

In his campaign for re-election as Judge of Centre county, M. Ward Fleming spent \$697.79, according to his expense account filed in the County Commissioner's office, and has no outstanding obligations. His biggest expenditure was \$500 to the Republican county committee. The total was just about one-half of the sum spent by his opponent, Ivan Walker, Esq., the successful candidate.

The State Public Service Commission granted the West Penn Power Company right to extend its light and power line on the Brush Valley road to five farms to the west. The line now ends at the McClenahan place. The additional farmers to be served include Daniel Bloom, on the Bartholomew farm, Harry Burris on the Heckman farm, Raymond Walker on the Dutrow farm, and M. A. Burkholder on the farm owned by him.

During the first week of the buck season the weather was ideal for camping and hunting. The hunter, who failed to kill had a glorious week in the wilds. The entire week was without rain, snow or blasting winds. The second week of the season was weather favorable to the harassed bucks who eluded the hunter or was alive because of the poor marksmanship of the nimrod during the previous six days of intensive hunting. It snowed almost every day, the wind was blustering cold—all the sport of a chase was eliminated.