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SUNDAY CHURCH SERVICES

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

CENTRE HALL REFORMED (Rev. Delas R. Keener, Pastor)

Spring Mills— 9:30—Church School. 10:30—Church Worship. Tusseyville— 9:00—Church Worship. 10:00—Church School The Rev. J. M. Runkle, D. D., will preach at both appointments.

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

Centre Hall— Sunday School, 9:30 A. M. Worship Service, 10:30 A. M. Tusseyville— Worship Service, 9 A. M. Sunday School, 10 A. M. Spring Mills— Sunday School, 9:30 A. M. Communion Service, 7:30 P. M.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL (Rev. I. L. Miller, Pastor)

Centre Hall— Unified Service, 9:30 a. m. Sprucetown— 10:00—Sunday School. 10:45—Morning Worship. Spring Mills— 7:30—Church Worship.

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

9:30—Morning Worship. 7:30—Evening Worship.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

FOR SHERIFF

We are authorized to announce the name of W. C. WITMER of Spring Township as a candidate for Sheriff of Centre county, subject to the rules governing the Democratic Party at its primary election to be held on Tuesday, September 12, 1939.

THIRTEEN CIVIL CASES ARE LISTED FOR TRIAL

According to the trial list released this week thirteen civil cases are scheduled for disposition during the second week of the regular May term of Centre County court. Civil Court will convene on Monday, May 15. Annie Zeleznick vs. The School Districts of Spring township, Centre county; ejectment; not guilty. Luther A. Harr, Secretary of Banking of the Commonwealth of Pa., Receiver of the Snow Shoe Bank vs. The Central Garage, W. M. Oswald; assumpsit; affidavit of defense filed. Julia Watson and John M. Watson vs. Harry H. Barnhart, J. E. Kragle, Penna. Dept. Highways; trespass; affidavit of defense on behalf of J. E. Kragle and Harvey Barnhart filed. Joseph Hamilton vs. Rebecca Dorworth, Charles E. Dorworth; no affidavit of defense filed. Lloyd E. Henry vs. M. N. Miller; trespass; no affidavit of defense filed. Kenneth Knepp vs. M. N. Miller; trespass; no affidavit of defense filed. Phyllis Taub, plaintiff, vs. M. L. Claster & Sons, Inc., defendant; trespass; no affidavit of defense filed. Mabel G. Schnars vs. Louis Finberg and Annie Finberg; trespass; no affidavit of defense filed. M. B. Kauffman vs. Christ Goddions, trading and doing business as the Campus Restaurant, State College; assumpsit; affidavit of defense filed. Elizabeth Heeman and Aaron Heeman vs. O. P. McCord; trespass; no affidavit of defense filed. Vernon J. Dietz, trading and doing business as Building Service Co. of State College, vs. Mary K. Stuart; trespass; no affidavit of defense filed.

CENTRE COUNTY HOSPITAL NOTES.

Patients in the hospital from the south side of the county for the week of May 1st: Monday, admitted: Miss Jennie May Boob of Colburn. A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Tressler of Lemont. Wednesday: A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth A. Law of Rebersburg. Thursday: a daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. John F. Bleigh of Boalsburg. Friday, discharged: Charles E. Coble, Spring Mills; Rev. D. R. Keener of Centre Hall. Saturday, admitted: Miss Jean R. Hanna of Centre Hall. Sunday, discharged: Harry A. Wagner of Oak Hall. There were 53 patients in the hospital at the beginning of this week.

Deaths

McCLENAHAN.—Frances Sarah McClenahan, wife of Charles McClenahan, died early Tuesday morning at Potters Mills at the home of Mrs. William Confer, a daughter. Funeral services will be held this (Thursday) afternoon at 2:00 o'clock and burial made in the cemetery at Centre Hall. Deceased was a member of the Reformed church. Rev. D. R. Keener will officiate at the funeral services, health permitting. The deceased was born October 11, 1868, in Montour county, and was a daughter of John and Elmira Ritter Smith. Her age was 70 years, six months and 28 days. The husband and three children survive, namely, Mrs. Marion Hoar, Yeazertown; Mrs. Grace Confer, Potters Mills, at whose home the death occurred, and James, Potters Mills. Seven brothers also survive: Jacob, Glen Iron; Adam, Boalsburg; Lloyd, Milesburg; Jonas and Stephen, Philadelphia; Raymond, in Michigan, and Benjamin, address unknown.

BENNER.—Miss Breeze Benner, 64, of Centre Hall, died in the Lewistown hospital at 1:45 p. m. Friday afternoon of complications resulting from a six weeks' illness. She was born in Flemington, Clinton county, November 9, 1874, the daughter of William and Nancy Odenkirck Benner. Surviving are two brothers, George O. and John B., and one sister, Miss Besse Benner, of Centre Hall. She was a member of the Centre Hall Presbyterian church. Funeral services were held at 2 p. m. Monday at the Goodhart Funeral Home in Centre Hall with Rev. J. M. Kirkpatrick officiating. Interment was made in the Centre Hall cemetery.

CONFER.—Joseph K. Confer, 71, died at his farm home in Georges Valley on Monday afternoon, from dropsy. He was born in Gregg township in 1868.

A son and daughter survive: Clarence, Centre Hall and Mrs. William Stoner, Tusseyville. Asher C. Confer of Spring Mills and Forrest Confer of Williamsport are brothers. Funeral services will be held Friday morning at 9:30, and burial made in the Holy Cross cemetery in Georges Valley, Rev. Hellar of Millheim and Rev. W. R. Hosterman of Centre Hall officiating.

WM. I. GILLILAND, born at Oak Hall, February 19, 1850, died at his home on Saturday morning from a heart attack.

On January 24, 1877, he was united in marriage to Maria A. Fulton of Centre Furnace. His wife preceded him in death on January 30, 1937. There are no surviving brothers or sisters.

Following are surviving children: John, Mrs. James Huff, Mrs. Newton Weaver, all of State College; Mrs. William Wool of Zion; Mrs. Fred Marshall of Bellefonte; R. D.; Mrs. Raymond Stout of Bellefonte, and Mrs. Robert Simms of Philadelphia. Funeral services were held at two o'clock Monday afternoon in the State College Evangelical church with Rev. Jacob W. Zang officiating. Interment was made in the Pine Hall cemetery.

ZIEGLER.—Funeral services for Howard J. Ziegler, 71, a guest at the Evangelical Home for the Aged, at Lewisburg, were conducted Wednesday morning by the Rev. Frank Sanders, superintendent of the home. Mr. Ziegler was a native of Millheim and burial was made in the Millheim cemetery. Ill for ten days, Mr. Ziegler died Saturday evening in the Evangelical hospital, a division of the home. He had been a guest since Dec. 1935, and is survived by his wife and two sisters, also guests at the home. Nathaniel Ziegler of Spring Mills is a surviving brother of the deceased.

FORD TRUCK CARAVAN. The Ford truck caravan which left Pittsburgh on April 24 is due to arrive at the Vogt sales place of Ford cars on Monday, 22nd inst. A complete line of all the various models of Ford trucks and commercial cars will be displayed. These will include the recently introduced cab-over-engine model, special freight transport units, and many other commercial units especially designed for specific uses.

Attended Funeral Those from a distance who attended the funeral of Master John Lair on Wednesday of last week were Mr. and Mrs. John Galbraith, Youngstown, O.; Mrs. Harry Weaver, Altoona; Mr. and Mrs. George Ingram, Mrs. William Ingram, Mrs. Paul Holliball, Mrs. Lester Wookinger, al of Tyrone; Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Rudy and son of Petersburg; Mrs. Frank Bookhammer, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Couch, of Huntingdon; Mr. and Mrs. John Keller, Mrs. Ella Bloom of Pine Grove Mills; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ballinger of State College; Mrs. Mary Rice and John Karney of Port Matilda; Mrs. Vesta Potter and son Nevin of Zion; Mrs. E. T. Kellerman, Mrs. Harry Kellerman, Mrs. George Kellerman and son, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Kellerman, Mrs. Leonard Rhoades and son Pauline Rhoades, of Bellefonte; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lucas of Milesburg; Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Lair, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lair, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Lair and son Dick, Mr. and Mrs. Clair Hazel, Wilma Lair and Pauline Moyer, Doyle and Nile Hazel, all of Pleasant Gap.

The high school entrance examination will be held in the local high school auditorium, Saturday, May 13, at 9:00 a. m.

P. S. C. POULTRY STUDENTS VISIT KERLIN HATCHERY

Each spring a group of Pennsylvania State College students interested in hatchery management and chick raising takes a one-day auto tour to visit representative poultry enterprises within reasonable driving distances of State College. For many years one of the principal stops has been Kerlin's Grand View Poultry Farm and Hatchery at Centre Hall. This year was no exception, so promptly at 10:15 a. m. on Thursday, May 4, six carloads of college boys descended upon the Kerlin plant. In this modern establishment, the potential poultrymen studied in detail management problems met with in actual hatchery operation and also observed the business practices of "big business." For Mr. Kerlin hatches more than three-quarters of a million chicks annually and that is big business.

The mechanics of incubator operation, and preparations for shipping day-old chicks are, of course, fascinating to all poultry students. Mr. Kerlin had kindly arranged to have one of his large 47,000 egg incubators "loaded" with the week's quota of eggs while the students were looking on. The incubator operators demonstrated how teamwork and accurate placement of the new trays are necessary for rapid and careful setting of the eggs.

The chick sexing was a high light of the visit. Sorting male and female day-old chicks is a relatively new procedure in the hatchery business and Kerlin's has been a leader in this development. The students were amazed at the speed demonstrated by the sexers and the accuracy with which sex identification could be made.

The traying of eggs, preparation of chick boxes, sorting and grading of chicks and boxing chicks for shipment were further interesting procedures observed. The postage meter, a labor saving device available only to Uncle Sam's post office department's best customers was something new to most of the boys.

Mr. Kerlin's office arrangements and the many labor saving and efficiency devices used were real eye-openers. A dictaphone which makes it possible for a busy man to dictate replies to correspondence when a secretary is busy with other work, was one mark of the efficiency evident everywhere.

A "flasher call" system whereby the "boss" can immediately speak with men in all vital parts of a large business plant, was demonstrated to everyone's satisfaction and amusement. A modern addressograph system and Mr. Kerlin's latest mechanical assistant, a Multilith machine which will enable the hatchery to prepare not only its usual plain printed material, but colored and illustrated work as well, were business accessories new to nearly all of the visitors. Few had realized just how necessary and desirable it might be for a "chicken man" in a small town to use facilities commonly associated with metropolitan industry. We left Kerlin's Grand View Poultry Farm and Hatchery with a vastly increased perspective of the hatchery business.

This short record of a pleasant visit would be grossly incomplete without reference to a quite uncalled for but most enthusiastically welcomed demonstration of hospitality. Everyone knows how college boys (and college instructors) like to eat. So when "Bill" Kerlin closed our visit with a tremendous steak dinner at the Nittany Mountain Coffee Shop, all hands voted the hatchery business is great and that the owner and manager of Centre Hall's biggest business is "tops."

POTTERS MILLS

Miss Margaret Kimport of State College visited over the week-end at the home of her cousins, J. W. and Miss Lizzie Slack. Those who took dinner at the G. H. McCormick home on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Mingle, of Akron, Ohio; F. G. Mingle of Aaronsburg; Miss Isabel Bradford, of Centre Hall; R. H. McCormick of State College.

BOALSBURG

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ishler of State College were callers in town on Friday evening. Jerre Zettle, wife and daughters of Pleasant Gap visited friends in town on Sunday. L. H. Musser of Miami, Fla. and State College, called on friends on Friday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rutherford and son and Miss Frances Miller of Lewisburg were visitors on Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stuart and daughter, Miss Emma Eliza, Mrs. Effie M. Jacobs and Miss Anna Sweeney attended the funeral of H. B. Shattuck at State College, Friday.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Bleich at the Centre County hospital Friday night. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bubeck and son Robert of Philadelphia, accompanied by several friends, spent the week-end at the home of Mrs. Bubeck's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Mothersbaugh. Miss Anna M. Dale spent several days with her sister, Mrs. H. F. McGirk, in Bellefonte.

Fred Reitz and daughter Alice made a business trip to Bellefonte on Saturday. Mrs. Mardie Ishler spent Sunday visiting Mrs. Ellen Reitz and Miss Annie Weber. Mrs. Peter L. Swank spent last week with her son Oscar, in Cleveland, O., returning home with her son Howard on Sunday. Oscar, who is a patient in the hospital, suffered a relapse on Monday night, although his condition is now reported better. Mrs. Gerald Rishel is showing some improvement after a week's serious illness. Mrs. W. W. White represented the Lutheran Missionary society at the conference at Lock Haven on Wednesday.

TO HOLD WASSERMANN TESTS

In co-operation with the Wassermann survey being conducted during May by the State Department of Health, the clinic of the Centre County Hospital will receive those who wish to have tests made every Tuesday from 2 to 4 o'clock. No charge for the tests which are done by the department of health will be made. The opportunity is open to anyone unable to pay for the examination. Others are urged to go to their physicians this month.



Zion church, Maxatawny, Berks county, Pa., will be the host for the 193rd, and possibly the final session of the oldest Synod of the Reformed Church, namely the Eastern Synod, to be held on Monday, May 15th to 18th, 1939.

LESTER GOSS AND FAMILY VISITED

Sunday at the home of R. M. Royer. Mrs. Ed Sweetwood and Mrs. Laura McCormick are confined to bed.

REBERSBURG

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Marsteller and children from Bloomsburg spent the week-end at the home of Mrs. Marsteller's parents, the John Moyers. Little Miss Joan Hackenberg has been confined to her bed by a bad cold for the past week. Mrs. Wm. Johnson of Lock Haven spent a week at the home of her sister, Mrs. John Reish. Charles Kreamer, who is a State Highway patrolman at York, spent the week-end with his friend, Miss Edith Bierly. Lavand Bierly and Margaret Kane were week-end visitors at the Kane home in Kingston. Mrs. Willis Bierly was to Bellefonte on Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Winters, Mrs. Roy Brungart and children Peggy and Rodney spent Saturday in Bellefonte at the Lester Meek home. Mrs. Homer Bohn, who has been a patient in the Lock Haven hospital, is improving. Kenneth Breon and James Malloy drove to Morrisdale, near the New Jersey line, on Friday in search of employment with the large trucking

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firm that employs Walter and Mahlon Cummings, sons of Arthur Cummings. Mrs. Jack Bradford from Centre Hall and Miss Mary Miller from State College visited their parents, the Chas. Millers, over the week-end. Mrs. Palmer Bierly has been in poor health ever since the birth of a son a number of weeks ago. Her friends wish her a speedy recovery. Mrs. Charles Waite, who had been so seriously ill for some time, is recovering slowly. Mrs. Ila Weaver returned home Sunday after spending the winter months with her daughter, Mrs. John Metzger, in Harrisburg.

WOMEN'S DEMOCRATIC CLUB IN STATE MEET, HARRISBURG

More than 500 "women leaders of the Democratic Party" are expected to attend the Pennsylvania Federation of Democratic Women's 13th convention which opened in Harrisburg yesterday (Wednesday) and will continue until Friday evening. Former Senator James P. Pope, head of the Tennessee Valley Authority and Mrs. Harold Abrams, Dallas, Texas, are scheduled to speak on Friday at the Federation's annual dinner which will be followed by a ball.

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