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SUNDAY CHURCH SERVICES
— PENN'S VALLEY LUTHERAN
Rev. Jacob Diehl will preach at the following appointments:
Georges Valley—9 to 10 A. M.
Farmers Mills, 10:30 A. M.
Centre Hall, 7:30 P. M.
(Thank-Offering Service.)

CENTRE HALL REFORMED
(Rev. Delias R. 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. Hosterman, Pastor)
Centre Hall—
Sunday School, 9:30 A. M.
Worship Service, 10:30 A. M.
Tusseyville—
Sunday School, 1:30 P. M.
Worship Service, 2:30 P. M.
Spring Mills—
Worship Service, 9:15 A. M.
Sunday school, 10:15 A. M.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL
(Rev. I. L. Miller, Pastor)
Centre Hall—
Worship, 9:30. Holy Communion, 10:30—Sunday School.
Sprucetown—
Sunday School, 10:00 A. M.
Holy Communion, 10:45 a. m.
Spring Mills—
Holy Communion, 7:30 p. m.

PRESBYTERIAN
(Rev. J. M. Kirkpatrick, Pastor)
9:30—Sunday School.
7:30—Evening Worship.

A PRINTER LOOKS BACK ON THE YEARS; SEES FIGURES
Ministers are wont, upon terminating a pastorate, to summarize in statistical form, the number of new members added, baptisms, weddings, deaths, etc., which took place during their pastorate.

The multitudinous duties performed in a country printshop, from the days of early youth to the present time, covering a period of 33 years, leads the writer to present a few statistics of his own, which in compiling made us rub our eyes to be sure we were seeing straight.

An imposing array of figures presents itself. First, in the matter of type composition on a weekly newspaper, we find that on our old Linotype we have pounded out FIFTY MILLION ems of composition. [An "em" is a printer's term for type measurement, and represents a square of the type which is being composed.] Before the days of the Linotype we stood at the cases, and set by hand nearly FOUR MILLION ems of news type.

We have set thousands of display advertisements; thousands of separate printing jobs, not including a thousand or more of public sale bills and other posters, all hand composition.

We find that we have "made up" no less than seven thousand newspaper pages. Looking at the cylinder and job presses, we discover that we have fed by hand no less than FOUR MILLION sheets of newspaper, circulars and sale bills into the cylinder press, and made FIVE AND ONE-HALF MILLION more impressions on the job press.

These figures, as big as they seem, are based on very conservative calculations. Other duties ran the gamut from "devil" business manager, to editor, and back.

Our whole life, from early boyhood to the present, barring a few months spent outside the state, has been given in the work of producing a modest country newspaper, and in the production of printing.

We doubt a printer in Centre county can match the figures cited, or that one ever has.

Our patron saint is Benjamin Franklin. Like him, we want nothing better than to be remembered as—Edward E. Bailey—Printer.

The local Rebekah lodge entertained about one hundred fifty guests on Tuesday night at a special meeting at which the Lewistown lodge presented a gavel which, made in California, has traveled gradually East through all the intervening lodges. Centre Hall will keep it for two meetings, then pass it on to another district. Besides Lewistown, representatives from Pine Grove, State College, Boalsburg, Spring Mills, Millheim and Rebersburg attended this meeting.

Deaths

BUTLER.—Samuel Butler, 70, a farmer who resided nine miles from Howard in Curtin township, died suddenly Tuesday night of last week while on his way from a physician's office. A native of Howard township, Mr. Butler had lived in Centre county his entire life. He had been a farmer since youth.

Surviving are his wife, four sons and six daughters; also three brothers. The funeral service was held at the Church of Christ at Ramola on Friday afternoon, the Rev. Robert DeBoer, pastor, of Monument, officiating. Burial was made in the Schenck cemetery at Howard.

TAYLOR.—Mrs. Lillian M. Taylor, 69, of State College, died Thursday night in the Centre County hospital of complications following a three years' illness.

Surviving daughters are Florence and Kathryn of State College, Charles A. Lewis and Louis B. Lewis of Kane, and Clarence Lewis of Elmira, N. Y., are surviving brothers. Mrs. Taylor was a member of the State College Lutheran church.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at the Koch Funeral Home, with Rev. John P. Harkins officiating. Interment was made in the Pine Hill cemetery.

CASES BEFORE GRAND JURY.
Monday, November 27:
Arthur J. Rockey, F & B; Horace Shope, stat. rape & F & B; Donald Dyke, F & B; Charles E. Coble, Jr., failure to support bastard child; Louis Lucas, larceny; Edward Reed et al, burglary; Edward Reed, et al, larceny; Chester Squires, A & B; Andy Soltis, A & B; Christian Heaton, A & B; Harry F. Gearhart, A & B; Arthur V. Gearhart, A & B; Michael Lucas, A & B; Sarah Smith, larceny; Victor Ziff, fraudulent conversion.

Cases before grand jury, Nov. 28:
Harry Munro, inv. manslaughter; Toffield Gravish, Jr., inv. manslaughter; R. S. Ripka, V. V. code; James H. Bird, V. V. code.

Summary cases to be heard Thursday, November 30:
Carl Fomich, D & N S; Carl Vernon Smeal, D & N S; Samuel Sharples, D & N S; Theodore Catherman, D & N S; W. J. Tucker, appeal; Fred C. Lucas, appeal; Malcolm B. Reed, appeal; Hattie K. Meyers, appeal; Elizabeth Carmack, threats.

NEW WOMAN SUPERINTENDENT FOR PHILIPSBURG HOSPITAL

Miss Mittie Cathcart, newly elected superintendent, took charge of the Philippsburg State Hospital, last Wednesday.

The new superintendent, elected at a special meeting of the board of trustees on September 23, is well qualified for her new position.

For the past three years she has been instructress of nurses in the training school at the Danville State Hospital. From 1930 to 1936 she was assistant superintendent and director of nurses at the Philippsburg hospital.

Miss Cathcart came to Philippsburg from Hartsville, N. C., in 1930. She trained at the Gaston Memorial Hospital, which is operated with the University of Tennessee Medical School at Memphis, Tenn. Following her graduation she served the hospital for a year as instructress of Nursing Arts. She holds an A.B. degree from Erskine College at Due West, South Carolina. She also took a post graduate course in Psychiatric Nursing at the Colorado General Hospital, Denver, Col.

The Philippsburg hospital, which is one of the ten State hospitals in Pennsylvania, is functioning at full capacity and averaging 100 patients daily. Between 6 and 12 operations are performed each day by the three surgeons on the surgical staff. A total of 10 physicians are on the medical staff and 20 physicians on the visiting staff. A total of 67 registered and student nurses are on duty together with two instructresses and eight technicians and supervisors of departments.

The new hospital wing is expected to be put in use early next year. This wing will greatly increase the hospital accommodations functions.

A heart clinic and a maternity clinic will be established in the new structure. Three clinics—venereal, eye and crippled children—are being operated at the present time.

STRIPPING COAL IN CENTRE-CLEARFIELD AREA IN ON INCREASE, CHECKUP SHOWS

Stripping operations are crowding close on the heels of drifts, slopes and shafts in the coal areas of western Centre county, it was disclosed a few days ago where a checkup of mining operations in Centre and Clearfield counties revealed 28 shovels are stripping coal in the bi county region.

Taking advantage of the short ground covering in many regions operators have brought in shovels to strip the dirt and load the coal.

It was estimated by a county coal authority that in Morris and Cooper townships, Clearfield county, alone over 1000 tons of coal are being mined daily in stripping operations. Two of these operations are located at the Bigler cutoff and one below Kylertown.

The Karthaus and Snow Shoe regions have for some time had an epidemic of stripping operations while shovels have recently been brought in to work at Old Moshannon above Osceola Mills and to strip coal along the Tyrone Pike road.

Small operators of drift mines in western Centre county have complained against the strip coal practice, stating that the reduced production costs of stripping operations have given the strippers an unfair advantage.

LICENSE NEEDED TO HAVE PIN BALL MACHINES

All merchants having pin ball machines in their place of business must have a license or pay a fine. Special investigators from the Revenue Department are out to enforce this law.

The supreme court ruled in June of this year that all places having pin ball machines must obtain a license from the Mercantile Appraiser or the County Treasurer's office. The license is \$21.50 for the first machine and \$10 for each additional machine in the place.

This tax cannot be prorated, as a tax of 50 per cent is added when the law is defied. The person in whose place of business the machine is installed is liable for the tax and not the distributor.

MILLHEIM LOSES IN FIGHT FOR SOCCER CHAMPIONSHIP

The East Penna Valley high school team of Millheim, which won the high school championship in the county fell before a Covington, Tioga county soccer team, and thereby was eliminated from the Central Pennsylvania championship tournament. The game was played at Lewisburg, Friday afternoon and the score was: Covington, 2; Millheim, 1.

However, a protest, if allowed, will keep the Centre county winners in the event.

The point on which the protest is based is that the victors failed to produce an eligibility list as required by the P. I. A. A.

This oversight, which was reported by East Penna Valley to Curtis M. Watts of Spring Mills, District Six representative on the P. I. A. A., may give Millheim another crack in the tournament.

Despite the fact that East Penna Valley's eleven outplayed the Covington team during the first half, the Tioga county representatives took a half-time lead on Mitchell's goal in the second quarter.

When East Penna Valley tired early in the second half, Covington increased its margin to 2-0 when Mayson tallied.

Fighting desperately in the last quarter, Millheim attacked the Covington goal and Phillip Meyer, substitute outside right, came through with the Centre county team's only goal.

HEADQUARTERS FOR MODERN GIFTS that last for Years

Do Your Christmas Shopping Now . . .

CHOOSE A DIAMOND, WATCH OR ANY BEAUTIFUL GIFT.
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Here you will find exceptional values. Come and be convinced that here you can save money on your Christmas Gifts.

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MILLHEIM
Phone 19R4

BOALSBURG

Mrs. Margart Kuhn is spending some time in Bellefonte with her sister, Mrs. Mary Bartlett, who is ill.

Mrs. Martin and daughter of State College and Mrs. Lee Brooks and daughter Evelyn of Spring Mills were visitors at the home of Mrs. Jacob Meyers on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Fred Lombarger, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. E. W. Hess, and nieces, Sally Coxy and Joan Hess, spent Saturday in Lewisburg.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stuart and Mr. and Mrs. Corl took Miss Priscilla Stuart to Northumberland on Sunday where she will engage in practice teaching.

Misses Ida and Mary Segner have been making frequent trips to Philippsburg to visit their sister, Miss Rachel, who is a surgical patient in the Philippsburg hospital.

Edward Weber and sister, Miss Alice, of Huntingdon visited their aunt, Miss Annie Weber, on Saturday.

Rev. Jones of Strawberry Ridge conducted services in the Reformed church on Sunday at 10:30. Rev. Jones was accompanied by his son, and was entertained at the A. J. Hazlett home. Members of the Houserville congregation attended the services.

Miss Anna M. Dale of State College, R. D. spent Sunday with friends in town.

Miss Eleanor Wikson and her mother, Mrs. S. B. Wasson of West Harris township were callers in town on Friday afternoon.

Mrs. N. J. Rishel of Oak Hall was a Sunday evening supper guest at the home of her son, Gerald Rishel. Sally Coxy of Greensburg is visiting her cousin, Joan Hess.

Mrs. Roanna Winsor spent the week end in Pittsburgh.

REGISTER'S NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested that the following inventories of the goods and chattels set apart to widows in accordance with the provisions of the Fiduciaries Act of 1917 have been confirmed by the Court and if no exceptions are filed on or about the first day of next term the same will be confirmed absolute:

1. The inventory and appraisement of the personal property of Garrett W. Heffelfinger, late of Bellefonte Borough, was set apart to his widow, Eugenia H. Heffelfinger.

2. The inventory and appraisement of the personal property of John Sebring, late of Bellefonte Borough, de-

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THIS WEEK'S SPECIAL!

PRO-TEX HOT PADS
Protect your table finish with the newest of Pro-Tex table pads. Attractive, durable, easy-to-clean. Leaf colored patterns are fast to heat, water, etc. Soft asbestos base . . . topped with gleaming metal. 7"x7".
8c ea.

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Girl Dolls 98c ea.	Plane Kit 98c ea.	Frt. Train 98c ea.	Game Board 98c ea.

22". Painted life-like features and hair. Cries like a baby. Stuffed body.

Rubber driven plane to be built from plans. Materials cut to proper lengths.

4-pc. mechanical frt. train. 2 straight tracks, 8 curved tracks included.

4 separate playing boards on which more than 15 games can be played.

			
Velocipede \$3.49 ea.	Cst. Wagon \$2.49 ea.	Skates 98c ea.	Furniture 98c set

Wire spoke wheels. Rubber pedals. 1/2" tires. Single bar type frame. A real racer.

Full size with 1000-mile bearings. One piece steel body, 34 x 1 1/2 x 3".

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