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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. Centre Hall—10:30 A. M. Farmers Mills, 7:30 P. M.

CENTRE HALL REFORMED (Rev. Delas R. Keener, Pastor) Centre Hall—9:00—Church Worship, 10:00—Church School Tusseyville—9:30—Church School, 10:30—Holy Communion Service

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. Election of officers at 2:30. Evangelistic Services, 7:30.

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

METHODIST EPISCOPAL (Rev. I. L. Miller, Pastor) Centre Hall—9:30—Church Service, 10:30—Sunday School.

Sprucetown—Sunday School, 10:00 A. M. 10:45—Morning Worship.

Spring Mills—7:30—Evening Worship.

PRESBYTERIAN (Rev. J. M. Kirkpatrick, Pastor) 9:30—Morning Worship, 10:30—Sunday School.

BE THANKFUL How can you in homes so cheerful and bright Be sorrowful, blue and sad; When many a home with scarcely a crumb Is cheerful, happy and glad.

There's many a home where want is unknown And only the best in store, While others, crushed with the load of despair In keeping the wolf from the door.

Let us be thankful our boys are here Instead of on foreign soil, Giving their lifeblood for Democracy As from horrors they recoil.

So count your blessing one by one, They're more than the sands of the sea; And breathe a prayer of thankfulness To the One so mindful of thee.

— Mrs. W. J. Hackenberg, Rebersburg, Pa.

PORT MATILDA MAN STRUCK BY PUMPKIN BALL

Two hunters in the western part of Centre county were injured over the week-end in accidents to raise that section's hunting accidents to three thus far for the season.

Leroy Beckwith, 25, of Port Matilda, was shot through the hip with a pumpkin ball while hunting near his home there. Able to walk he made his way to his car and was then driven by hunting companions to the Phillipsburg hospital where it was found the ball had not struck the hip bone.

George Oswalt of Osceola Mills broke his shoulder bone Saturday near Penn Four in the Osceola territory when he stumbled on a vine growth and fell on a rock. He was admitted to the hospital.

REFFNER—CONFER

Miss Loretta Confer of Woodward became the bride of Carja Reffner, also of that place, Saturday afternoon at the parsonage of St. Paul's Evangelical church in Lewisburg. The Rev. E. C. Basom, pastor of the church officiated. Following a brief honeymoon trip they planned to reside in Woodward.

A sauerkraut supper will be given by the Friendship Bible class in the Reformed church basement Saturday December 9, from five to eight o'clock. The meal, including dessert, is priced at fifty cents.

Deaths

DUCK.—Dallas Cleveland Duck, a Gregg township farmer, died at his home in Madisonburg Thursday at 10:55 p. m. after being ill since June. He was born in Millheim December 23 1884, the son of Franklin and Anna Wise Duck. His wife, Mazie Roush Duck, survives. They were married in 1905. Surviving children include Henry F. of Rebersburg; Mrs. R. H. Ziegler of Spring Mills; Harold of Madisonburg, and Miss Phyllis at home.

Brothers and sisters who survive are Mrs. C. H. Long, Spring Mills; Charles Duck, Milton; L. H. Duck, Hanover; N. A. Duck, Mifflinburg, and Alvie Duck, Spring Mills. Mr. Duck was a member of the Madisonburg Lutheran church from where services were held Tuesday afternoon with the Rev. Dale L. Kohr, assisted by Rev. J. J. Weaver, officiating. Interment was made in the Lutheran cemetery, Madisonburg.

McCLELLAN.—Eighteen years' illness with arthritis, the greater part of which time was spent in bed, terminated in the death of Charles Edward McClellan, 65, retired Millheim merchant, at his home in that place at 9:30 o'clock Saturday night.

Mr. McClellan was born at Zieglerville, Mifflin county, on March 4, 1874, a son of Joseph and Eliza McClellan. In 1900 he married Cora Mays, who survives along with two brothers and a sister, Harry, Elmer, and Mrs. Harry W. Frantz, all of Centre Hall, R. D. Mr. McClellan spent his early life as a carpenter and for 16 years conducted a grocery and dry goods store in Millheim.

He was a member of the Evangelical church and the I. O. O. F. lodge, both of Millheim. Funeral services were held at the home at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, with Rev. H. A. Houseal officiating. Burial was made in the Millheim Union cemetery.

BARTLEY.—Mrs. Mary Ellen Bartley died at her home in Bellefonte, Saturday night. She was the widow of David Howard Bartley, who died in Bellefonte three years ago.

Mrs. Bartley was born on the Branch, near State College, October 13, 1863, a daughter of Harrison and Susan Emmett Knarr. The following children survive: Martin E. Bartley of Lock Haven; Mrs. Raymond Spicer of near Bellefonte, and Mrs. J. W. Harnden, at home. The following brother and sisters also survive: Charles Knarr of Enid, Okla.; Mrs. Margaret Kuhn of Boalsburg, and Mrs. Clara Stover of Altoona. William Knarr of near Tyrone and Mrs. Annabell Kimpfort of Elmira, N. Y., are surviving half-brother and half-sister.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at her late home with Rev. H. H. Jacobs, pastor of the Bellefonte Evangelical church, officiating. Interment was made in Zion cemetery.

RUHL.—William K. Ruhl, well-known Lewisburg resident, was fatally stricken with a heart attack Monday morning of last week.

Aged 77 years, Mr. Ruhl was a life-long and highly respected resident of Union county. He was a veteran Lewisburg life insurance agent.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Mabel Erdley of Spring Mills, and Mrs. Rachel Beisel of Lewisburg; a brother, John Ruhl of Millheim; and two sisters, Miss Alice Ruhl and Mrs. Nathan of Lewisburg.

Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon and burial made in the Lewisburg cemetery.

BECK.—Lewis Henry Beck, 61, of Howard, R. D. 2, died unexpectedly Thursday morning of last week following a heart attack. He had been butchering at the Ertel home in Rebersburg, and became ill suddenly. He was taken to the office of Dr. A. E. Frank, Mill Hall, and died a few minutes later.

Mr. Beck was born in Nittany Valley and lived there all his life. He was a farmer. Surviving are one son, Alvin, of Nittany, and two sisters, Mrs. George Harshbarger, Nittany, Miss Lillian Beck, Lock Haven.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at the Lutheran church in Snyder town, to which Mr. Beck belonged. The Rev. Paul Keller officiated and interment was made in the Snyder town cemetery.

51st Wedding Anniversary Observed The 51st anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Stover was celebrated Sunday a week ago with a family gathering at their home in Millheim. The following children and grandchildren were present: Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Stover and daughters Isabelle, Jean and Betty of State College; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Stover and family, Randall, Russell, Francis, and Esther, of Woodward; Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Stover son Carl and daughter Mae, of Towee City; Earl S. Cummings, of Alliquippa; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Carson and family, Ethel, Donald and Billy, of Mt. Carmel; Miss Ruth Breon of Danville; Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Stover, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Stover, son James and daughter Mona, Mrs. S. M. Breon, son Stuart, and daughter Mae, Mr. and Mrs. George M. Stover and Earl L. Stover of Millheim and Miss Martha Walter of Union county.

BASKETBALL SCHEDULE FOR HIGH SCHOOL TEAMS IN CENTRE-CLINTON LEAGUE ANNOUNCED

Basketball for high schools in the Centre-Clinton basketball league gets under way Tuesday, December 19, when the season opens.

The six member teams—Centre Hall Gregg Township High of Spring Mills East Penns Valley High of Millheim, Snow Shoe, Howard and Mill Hall—will each play 15 games during the season which ends February 27.

Snow shoe won the title last year. The complete schedule:

December 19—Centre Hall at Millheim; Howard at Spring Mills, December 21—Snow Shoe at Howard.

December 22—Centre Hall at Spring Mills; Millheim at Mill Hall, January 5—Howard at Centre Hall; Spring Mills at Millheim; Mill Hall at Snow Shoe.

January 9—Centre Hall at Mill Hall; Spring Mills at Snow Shoe, January 12—Snow Shoe at Centre Hall; Howard at Millheim; Mill Hall at Spring Mills.

January 16—Millheim at Snow Shoe; Howard at Mill Hall, January 19—Millheim at Centre Hall; Spring Mills at Howard; Snow Shoe at Mill Hall.

January 23—Spring Mills at Centre Hall; Mill Hall at Millheim; Howard at Snow Shoe.

January 26—Centre Hall at Howard; Millheim at Spring Mills, January 30—Mill Hall at Centre Hall; Snow Shoe at Spring Mills.

February 2—Centre Hall at Snow Shoe; Millheim at Howard; Spring Mills at Mill Hall.

February 6—Snow Shoe at Millheim; Mill Hall at Howard, February 9—Centre Hall at Millheim; Howard at Spring Mills; Mill Hall at Snow Shoe.

February 13—Centre Hall at Spring Mills; Millheim at Mill Hall; Snow Shoe at Howard.

February 16—Howard at Centre Hall; Spring Mills at Millheim, February 20—Centre Hall at Mill Hall; Spring Mills at Snow Shoe.

February 23—Snow Shoe at Centre Hall; Howard at Millheim; Mill Hall at Spring Mills.

February 27—Millheim at Snow Shoe; Howard at Mill Hall.

CENTRE COUNTY HOSPITAL NOTES.

Monday of last week, admitted: Harvey Hess, Milesburg; Richard Walker, Wintzate; Mrs. Lloyd Gardner, Bellefonte, R. 2; Miss Mabel Wolfe, Woodward; Mrs. W. E. Walker, Milesburg; Discharged: John Schindler, Milesburg; John M. Barker, Coburn; Jetta Lee King, Bellefonte, R. 1.

Tuesday, admitted: Mrs. Paul Byers, Millheim; Mrs. John Bowersox, State College; Dean Runkle, Centre Hall; Discharged Saturday, Master Timothy Foerster, Bellefonte.

Wednesday, discharged: Mrs. John Wion Milesburg; Mrs. Merle Gephart and infant daughter, Millheim; Mrs. Alex. T. Brown and infant son, Bellefonte. Admitted Wednesday, discharged Friday: Mildred Baney, Bellefonte R. D. 3. Births: a son to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Meyer, State College; a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. George J. Dolan, Bellefonte, R. 2.

Thursday, admitted: Miss Dorothy Pearce, State College; Mrs. A. H. Eppenshade, State College. Discharged: Mrs. Ralph W. Stover, State College; Martha Hassenplug, Coburn.

Friday, admitted: Mrs. Laura Kuhn State College; Lloyd Spicer, Bellefonte R. D. Discharged: Mrs. J. H. Barger, Spring Mills, R. D.; Mrs. Pierson Brown and infant son, Bellefonte; Daniel Hennessey, Snow Shoe. Admitted Friday, discharged Saturday: Mrs. C. Robert Haugh, State College. Births: a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Humphrey, State College; a son to Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Meek, State College, R. D. 1.

Saturday, admitted: Mrs. Emma Smith, Milesburg. Sunday, admitted: Master Glenn Y. Shearer, Bellefonte, R. 1; Jennie E. Fleisher, Julian; Miss Isabel Myers, State College; Betty Audrey Stover, Bellefonte, R. D. 2. Discharged: Miss Aida Gill, Bellefonte, R. D. 2; Richard Huebnergarth, Lancaster; George A. Klinefelter, Centre Hall.

Birth: a son to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. C. Blair, Bellefonte. There were 49 patients in the hospital at the beginning of this week.

Contributions: From the Bellefonte Ministerial Association, Thanksgiving donation, \$25 cash; from the Union Thanksgiving services at Howard, cash \$4.25; Union Thanksgiving service at Centre Hall, cash \$6.81.

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 in accordance with the provisions of the said act and that 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 Seebing, late of Bellefonte Borough, deceased, was set apart to his widow, Frederika W. Seebing.

JOHN L. WETZLER, Register of Wills of Centre County

HEADQUARTERS FOR MODERN GIFTS that last for Years Do Your Christmas Shopping Now... CHOOSE A DIAMOND, WATCH OR ANY BEAUTIFUL GIFT. A SMALL DEPOSIT WILL HOLD UNTIL CHRISTMAS ♦ ELGIN, BULOVA, HAMILTON and PARKER WATCHES All prices up to \$52.00 ♦ DIAMONDS in single stones or sets \$10 to \$150. Here you will find exceptional values. Come and be convinced that here you can save money on your Christmas Gifts. R. S. STOVER ..Jeweler MILLHEIM Phone 19R4

FARM CALENDAR

Timely Reminders from The Penn's State College School of Agriculture

Select Breeding Turkeys—Growers planning to produce their own hatching eggs next spring should select their breeding turkeys before the best birds have been marketed, remind poultry extension specialists at the Penna. State College. Only the very best birds should be retained for the breeding flock.

Feeding the Ewe Flock—Seventy-five per cent of the difficulties at lambing time can be avoided by keeping the ewe flock in a thrifty condition over winter, claim breeding specialists at Penn State. That means feeding a good ration and caring for the ewes properly.

Avoid Dysentery Losses—Because much of the honey gathered by bees during late summer and fall is of poor quality, bee specialists at Penn State recommend feeding a sugar syrup whenever the temperature goes above 55 degrees F. Dysentery losses may be high if bees must depend on low grade honey during the winter.

All America Flower Selections—The four best new flowers as selected by a committee of judges from 84 entries are Glow Petunia, Cream Star petunia, Midget Blue ageratum, and Spring-flowering Rose Pink sweet pea, report Penn State flower specialists.

Next Year's Vegetables—Both the soil and the greenhouse should be gotten in readiness now if your plans call for producing early seedling plants for your next year's garden, remind garden specialists at Penn State.

Announce Dairy Short Courses—The 1940 dairy manufacturing short courses at the Penna. State College will open January 8 and continue through February 17. Information may be obtained by writing to Dr. C. D. Dable who is in charge of the dairy manufacturing short courses.

Bellefonte Presbyterian dedicated a recently repaired pipe organ on Sunday, with an appropriate musical program.

Christmas Suggestions

BICYCLES NEW and USED—all sizes. Balloon Tire Models—\$19.95 and up USED SIDEWALK BIKES and TRICYCLES. Second Hand Bikes as Low as \$3.55 Electric Lites—79c Good Baloon Tires—\$1.25 BUY FROM US AND SAVE —We Trade In—

White's Bicycle Store MONUMENT SQUARE LEWISTOWN, PA.

On Sunday, a countless number of automobiles sped through town carrying one or more buck deer tied to the front fenders of the car. The traveling was invariably from the north, indicating that the locale of the killing was in the Allegheny mountains.

Mrs. Sidney Riegel's sister-in-law, Mrs. H. M. Taylor, Sr., Mrs. H. M. Taylor, Jr., and Mrs. S. W. Fowler, all of Salona, were guests at the Riegel home on Wednesday.

Annual Election. The annual meeting of the Farmers Mutual Fire Insurance Company of

Centre County will be held in the Penn Belle Hotel, Bellefonte, Pa., on Monday, January 8, 1940, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 12 M., for the election of twelve directors for the ensuing year. H. L. TRUCKENMILLER, Vice-Pres. FRANK M. FISHER, Secretary.

Annual Bank Meeting. The annual meeting of stockholders of The First National Bank of Centre Hall, Pa., will be held in the banking rooms the second Tuesday of January, 1940, being the ninth day of the month, between the hours of 10 and 12 o'clock, for the election of directors and the transaction of any other business that may come before the meeting. DANIEL S. DAUP, Cashier.

THIS WEEK'S SPECIAL! 9" Large Size Aluminum BUN WARMER Never before at this low price. Serve baked foods piping hot. An Aluminum Bun Warmer keeps bakery goods fresh and crisp. Spun aluminum with black reed curved handle. 9" diam. With air-vent cover. 69c ea.

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