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**SUNDAY CHURCH SERVICES**

**PENN'S VALLEY LUTHERAN**  
Rev. Jacob Diehl will preach at the following appointments:  
**Farmers Mills**—9 to 10 A. M.  
**Centre Hall**—10:30 A. M.  
**George Valley**, 7:30 P. M.

**CENTRE HALL REFORMED**  
(Rev. Delag R. Keener, Pastor)  
**Centre Hall**—  
9:30—Church School.  
10:30—Church Worship.  
8:00 P. M.—Christmas Service.  
**Spring Mills**—  
7:30 P. M.—Christmas Service.

**Tusseyville**—  
9:00—Church Worship.  
10:00—Church School.  
**EVANGELICAL**  
(Rev. W. K. Hosterman, Pastor)  
**Centre Hall**—  
Sunday School, 9:30 A. M.  
Election of officers, 10:30.  
Fourth Quarterly Conference Friday, December 29, at 7:30 p. m.  
**Spring Mills**—  
Sunday School, 9:30 A. M.  
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**Tusseyville**—  
Sunday School, 9:30 A. M.  
Christmas Eve worship service in which the young people of the church will participate, 7:30.

**METHODIST EPISCOPAL**  
(Rev. I. L. Miller, Pastor)  
**PREBYTERIAN**  
(Rev. J. M. Kirkpatrick, Pastor)  
9:50—Sunday School.  
7:30—Evening Worship.

**FARM CALENDAR**

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

**What Size Turkey!**—The weight of the bird, number of people to be served and the size of the roasting pan or oven are the chief factors determining the selection of the turkey for the family table, poultry extension specialists at the Penna. State College have found.

**Growing Family Vegetables**—Home grown vegetables are delicious because of their freshness and high quality. They make possible a more complete and balanced diet for the family. So Penn State vegetables gardening specialists remind that winter is the time to make plans for next year's garden.

**Removing Unsightly Trees**—According to ornamental horticulturists at Penn State, worthless and unsightly trees in hedgerows, embankments and even doorways often can be removed most easily by using sodium arsenite.

**Destroy Grain Weevils**—Action of weevils working in grain often raises the temperature of grain sufficiently that fumigation with carbon bisulfide will be effective, Penn State entomologists report. Ordinarily, the fumigant is not effective at temperatures below 70 degrees F.

**Eat More Apples**—Because apples are abundant and inexpensive this year, Penn State specialists remind they are a valuable source of vitamins, minerals, and sugar, and therefore will make an important contribution to any diet.

**Give Cattle Minerals**—Cattle, particularly milking cows, require an adequate supply of minerals in their ration. According to dairy extension specialists, steamed bonemeal is the cheapest and most satisfactory mineral for adding the necessary lime and phosphorus to a dairy ration.

The mails are late; the post office is crowded with people and cluttered with packages. It's Christmas!

**Deaths**

**LINGLE.**—Albert Samuel Lingle died in the Centre County hospital Tuesday night at 7:30 o'clock, following a short illness with a complication of diseases. He was a son of Henry and Lydia (Zerby) Lingle, deceased, and was born in Greeg township. His age at the time of his death was 51 years, five months and two days. He was unmarried and engaged in farming all his life. Surviving are two brothers, Calvin and Edward L. Lingle, and one sister, Mrs. Gerald Ripka, all of Spring Mills; also, a half-brother, Joe Sult, of Erie. Funeral services will be held Saturday morning at 10 o'clock at the Calvin Lingle home and continued in the Lutheran church in Georges Valley. Interment will be made in the cemetery nearby, Rev. W. K. Hosterman of the Evangelical church to officiate. Deceased was a member of the P. O. S. of A. at Spring Mills.

**FOLTZ.**—Mrs. Bertha Lettie Foltz, life-long resident of Centre county, died Wednesday morning of last week in Peru of complications following a year's illness. She had been confined only a short time. Mrs. Foltz was born in Haines township, August 16, 1881, a daughter of Jacob and Mary Jane Homan Musser. Her husband, John H. Foltz, and the following brothers and sisters survive: William Musser and Mrs. Geo. Stover, both of near Spring Mills; John M. Musser of Burnham, and Mrs. Clive Musser of near Aaronsburg. She was a member of the Woodward Evangelical church. Funeral services were held Saturday morning at the Woodward Evangelical church with Rev. Mr. Kreskio of Lock Haven officiating, assisted by Rev. Harry Houseal. Interment was made in the Woodward cemetery.

**ZEIGLER.**—Uriah S. Zeigler, aged 82, resident of Reedsville, died at his home on Friday of senility. Deceased was born at Siglerville, in November, 1853, hence was past 86 years of age. He was a farmer all his life and retired only two years ago. He was active until his last days. Funeral services were held Monday morning and burial made in Church Hill cemetery, Reedsville, Rev. Wickard of the Presbyterian church officiating. Surviving are his widow, who was the former Catharine Wagner, and one brother, Charles Zeigle, of St. Paul, Minnesota.

**C. W. Slack**, Centre Hall, Warren and Miss Lizzie Slack of Potters Mills are cousins of the deceased.

**SENTZ.**—Lydia M. Sentz of State College, R. D., died Thursday morning of last week of a stroke, aged 77 years. Burial was made at Pine Grove Mills on Saturday afternoon, Rev. J. M. Kirkpatrick of Centre Hall officiating.

**Fined for Illegal Bear Killing.**—Two Moshannon men, Oscar Viedorfer and Millard Quick, arrested by county game protector for the illegal killing of a bear, pleaded guilty at a hearing before Squire E. T. Haynes of Snow Shoe and will pay fines of \$100 each and costs, according to game officials. The men are said to have shot the animal, a black bear weighing about 225 pounds, in the Seven Mile Run section.

**CENTRE COUNTY HOSPITAL NOTES.**

Monday of last week, admitted: Master Melvin Shuey, Lemont. Tuesday of last week, admitted: Mrs. Richard Brooks, Centre Hall. Birth: A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Auman of Woodward. Wednesday of last week: a son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Klinefelter, Centre Hall. Friday, admitted: Mrs. Paul B. Martz, Centre Hall. Discharged: Miss Mabel Wolfe, Woodward. Saturday, discharged: Edward P. Lingle, Lemont. A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. James E. Corman, Rebersburg. Sunday, admitted: Albert S. Lingle, Spring Mills. Discharged: Mrs. John H. Wells, Centre Hall. Monday, discharged: Sara Slack of Centre Hall. There were 52 patients in the hospital at the beginning of this week. Hospital contributions: From Hoy Ross, Lemont, pair of crutches; from Mrs. David E. Washburn, lot of magazines.

We hope he will be seein' you--and especially the kiddies --on Christmas eve.



**WOMEN'S CLUB HOLDS SUPPER; PROVIDES CHRISTMAS BASKETS**

About twenty-five members attended the Women's Club buffet supper at the Bartholomew home Tuesday evening. Mrs. Thomas Foss of Pleasant Gap entertained the group with two readings: "Dorothy Dunn Goes Christmas Shopping," and "1940 Version of The Night Before Christmas." Donations for the Christmas baskets provided food, toys and other gifts for ten or twelve families. After the supper gifts were exchanged among the members.

**WHITEROCK QUARRIES GRANTS PAY INCREASE TO 290 MEN**

The board of directors of Whiterock Quarries, Inc., on December 16 voted an increase of five cents an hour to all hourly employees. This affects 290 men employed in the quarries at Pleasant Gap and Howard. The increase brings the minimum wage up to 50 cents an hour, and represents an increase of \$24,000 per annum to the company's payroll.

**TWO NEGRO SLAYERS GO TO ELECTRIC CHAIR, MONDAY**

Without uttering a word, two young Philadelphia Negroes died in the electric chair at Rockview early Monday morning for killing a watchman with a cuspidor during an attempted robbery.

As they walked the "last mile," James Fuller, 25, and Fletcher LeGrand, 22, both turned down the request of the Rev. C. F. Lauer, penitentiary chaplain, that they repeat the 23rd Psalm after him. Fuller and LeGrand, one-time boot-blacks, had pleaded guilty to slaying John Heyworth, 70, watchman in a Philadelphia store. Heyworth was struck on the head with the cuspidor.

**TUSSEYVILLE**

W. A. Wagner of Juniata was a recent visitor at the home of his sister, Mrs. Anna Rossmann. Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Grove and daughter Colleen of Huntingdon spent Sunday at the W. S. Martz home. Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Detwiler, Mrs. Homer Detwiler, Mrs. Ray Sauer, assisted with the Morris Bryan moving in Bellefonte during the past week. Wm. Bressler of Philadelphia is spending some time at the Charles Slaterbeck home. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Garrett of State College, Mrs. Verna Wynn and son Charles of Millbrook were Sunday guests at the A. W. Holderman home.

Fred Watkins of Howard, while hunting last Friday, was injured in the right heel by a bullet from the gun of a companion walking behind him. He is being treated in the Centre County hospital.

**SACRIFICES FAIL TO REALIZE ENOUGH TO SAVE CHURCH FROM AUCTION BLOCK TO PAY DEBT**

The big Methodist church at Swetsdale, suburb of Pittsburgh, is going on the auction block to satisfy an \$84,555 mortgage. Judgment has been entered against five trustees and their personal property will be endangered if a sheriff's sale January 2 does not bring enough to cover the debt. "None of us knew we were personally responsible with our property when we signed the mortgage ten years ago," said Trustee Morton H. Pope, a school janitor. "None of us understood. No working men like us would ever take that responsibility alone. But we went into it in the right spirit and I think God will take care of us." The church was built in 1929 at a cost of \$121,000. After completion \$70,000 was borrowed on a mortgage. Payments haven't been met since 1934 because, as Trustee James McKarney puts it: "We are all plain, simple, ordinary people whose lives depend on the factories. When the factories were shut down and there was no business and work, we just couldn't keep it going. "Everybody gave everything they had or hoped to have. Jewelry and all sorts of personal effects went into the fight to raise the money. We really haven't what you call a wealthy man in the church." The Colonial Trust Company of Pittsburgh is foreclosing a spokesman explaining the mortgage was held by a collection of widows and orphans who had small trust funds and pooled them for investing.

**Christmas Suggestions**

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**ANNUAL ELECTION.**  
The annual meeting of the Farmers Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Centre County will be held in the Penna. 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. FRISBELL, 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.**

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