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Andrew Shively, Mr. and Mrs. John Armagast, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Longwell, Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Fike, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Armagast, and Miss Annie Bartley. Since the formation of the new class Mrs. Hiram Grove, Mrs. Claude Cori and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Spearley have united with the church by transfer of letter.

At the opening meeting, Mrs. John Armagast was elected class leader, Mrs. Emanuel Fike and Mrs. Hugh Longwell were elected stewards, John Armagast, Emanuel Fike, and Howard Armagast were elected as trustees. It was also voted at this meeting that the new class should be made an appointment on the Houserville charge. This action was later confirmed by the Quarterly Conference.

Until warmer weather permitted meeting in the church, public worship services were held in the homes of the members every two weeks. Beginning May 28 with the consent of the Huntingdon Presbytery services have been held in the church every two weeks with fine attendance and interest.

On Sunday, July 23, a Sunday school of about 70 members was organized with teachers and officers properly elected.

Beginning July 17 extensive repairs have been made on the building, including the following: installation of electric lights, new roof, redecoration both outside and inside, repairing of art glass windows, pew and pulpit furniture.

With few exceptions all of the labor has been donated by members and friends of the Buffalo Run church community, the Houserville church and the Valley View church. During the past two weeks further excavation of the basement has been in progress. It is hoped the excavations will be completed by the time of dedication. The basement will be cemented and a new furnace installed later.

This new church enterprise solicits your prayer and gifts for the success of its work. It has been repaired to serve the community and will be open to its many friends as a fitting place to conduct Christian funeral services.

The following program of services has been arranged for dedication and re-opening day, Sunday, August 20:

Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.—Hugh Longwell, Supt. Morning Worship, 10:30 a. m. Prelude.

Doxology (Congregation standing). Invocation. Hymn No. 75, "For the Beauty of the Earth."

Special Music—Swanger Family. Responsive Reading—No. 316. Hymn No. 51, "Oh Where Are The Kings And Empires Now?"

Morning Prayer. Announcements. Offering. Special Music—Swanger Family. Sermon—Rev. E. B. Learish, D. D., Supt. Allegheny Conference. Holy Communion. Benediction.

Afternoon Service, 2:00 O'clock Evening Service, in charge of Rev. G. E. Householder, of Bellefonte.

Home-Coming at Curtin Church

A program including morning, afternoon and evening services has been arranged for the seventh annual home-coming at "Old Edge Chapel" Methodist Episcopal church at Curtin, Sunday, August 20. Members of the congregation extend a hearty invitation to all former members and friends to participate in the day's events. The program follows: 9:30 a. m., Sunday Church

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Additional Locals

—Miss Edith Cori, one of the operators in the Bellefonte telephone exchange expects to spend part of her annual vacation next week with relatives and friends in Lancaster.

—Miss Eliza Blackburn, of Philadelphia, spent the forepart of the week in Bellefonte with friends, making her headquarters at the Talleys Inn, North Allegheny street.

—The condition of Mrs. J. L. Seibert, who has been ill for some time last night was reported to be unchanged. Mrs. Seibert is confined to bed.

—Mr. and Mrs. James J. J. of East Linn street, and Mr. and Mrs. William Markley, of East Bishop street, left Sunday morning for a week's visit at the New York World's Fair and at Atlantic City.

—Mrs. John A. Wagner of North Spring street, celebrated her 84th birthday at her home on Tuesday. During the day members of her family gathered at the home while numerous friends called to extend felicitations.

—Mr. and Mrs. Walter Eberhart and son Danny, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Zimmerman and son Harry, Jr., returned to Bellefonte Sunday from a week's vacation spent at Delta, Ontario, Canada, where they made a big catch of fish. Danny landed a 29-inch pike, the largest caught by the party. This was the third trip the Eberharts and Zimmermans have made to Delta.

On the return trip while the group was resting in the parked car at Corti's land, their car was struck by another machine, the driver of which was intoxicated. Considerable damage to the Eberhart car resulted, but none of the occupants was injured.

Man Killed On Highway

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time, the victim will be buried by the county, officials said last night. Meanwhile no efforts were being spared by county officials and State Police at the Phillipsburg sub-station to learn the man's identity. His description has been sent over police teletype to all parts of this and adjoining states, and a complete description was given over broadcasting station WFBO, at Altoona, yesterday. Fingerprints have been taken and sent to the Federal Bureau of Investigation at Washington to determine whether or not the man's prints are on file there. Corporal U. F. English, of the State Motor Police at Phillipsburg, declared the prints, taken by Motor Police from Rockview, also have been sent to Harrisburg.

Officials investigating the matter are of the opinion that the man was struck by a car about midnight, Tuesday, or shortly thereafter. It is believed he was hitch-hiking along the road when struck. Death was attributed to a fractured skull, resulting from a hard blow just above the right eye. A severe laceration below the left knee also was found.

Police are waging an intensive search for the driver of the car which is believed to have caused the stranger's death. The hit-run victim was 5 feet, 8 inches tall, weighed from 150 to 160 pounds and was between 24 and 28 years old. His olive complexion and facial features lead officials to believe that he was of Italian descent. He had dark brown, curly hair, a thin face and sharp chin. Both eye teeth were missing and there was a brown birthmark, about the size of a nickel, on the right side of his neck just below the collar line. There was an arrow-shaped scar on his left cheek bone, and a round scar behind the right ear which might have resulted from a mastoid operation. His face was pock marked.

He had blue eyes, thick lips, rather large ears and a straight nose. He was wearing a light-weight blue sweater, blue shirt, dark unpressed trousers and a leather belt. He wore tan, size 8, ventilated shoes, the left one of which was off his foot when the body was found. It had been half-soled recently. The sole of the right shoe was worn thin. He carried a red handkerchief and a road map of Pennsylvania.

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BELLEFONTE BANJO BAND WILL LEAVE TOMORROW ON WORLD'S FAIR TRIP



The Bellefonte Banjo Band will leave Bellefonte at 11:30 p. m. Friday by automobile for Lewistown where it will board the 1:27 a. m. train bound for the New York World's Fair. Two coaches will be assigned the band of 62 members and 17 parents who will accompany the organization. Signs on the side of the coaches will show the name of band and home town. Arriving at New York at 7:30 D. S. T. the band will breakfast and

go directly to the Fair by Long Island Railroad. There it will be met by Mrs. Bright, official hostess of the Pennsylvania Building at the Fair, and State Motor Police escort, and will be taken through the General Motors exhibit at 9 a. m. Other exhibits will be viewed until lunch and at 1 p. m. the band, in uniform, will play a short concert at the Pennsylvania Building, followed by a half hour concert in the Court of Peace. The band will

then lead a parade through the Fair Grounds and will enjoy a special show at the Goodrich exhibit in their honor. Pictures will be taken at this time at the General Motors Building. At about 5 p. m. the band will be free to enjoy the wonders of the Fair at will until 9 p. m. when they will return to headquarters, the Pennsylvania Building, to view the fountain display. At once, thereafter, the band will

go to the Park Central Hotel for the night. Up at 7 o'clock Sunday morning for a dip in the hotel pool, and then all will go to Sunday school or church. A two-hour bus tour of the city and a four-hour steamboat trip will feature Sunday's program. A visit to Radio City Roof and broadcasting studios Sunday night will end the day's activities. The group will take the 11:40 p. m. train home, arriving in Lewistown at about 4:30

a. m. Bellefonte time. All expenses of the members' trip will be paid by the band treasury with money earned this summer in concerts, parades, and prizes. The trip was first suggested by Greta Urban, Music Director of the Fair, who invited the band to appear. Band officials wish to thank those who patronized the festival this summer, and who in this manner helped make the World's Fair trip possible.

WILSON FAMILY HOLDS REUNION

The Wilson family reunion was held on Sunday at the John F. Wilson farm in Union township. Families present were: Mr. and Mrs. John F. Wilson and children, Marie, Charles, James, Merle, Dale, Jesse and Mary Elizabeth, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Atherton and daughter, Louisa, Mrs. Melissa Crasshaw and children, Jimmie and Jean, Alma Maud Lykens and daughter, Sue Meese, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Andrews and children, H. Reid, Wilmer, Or-

ris and Earl, Mr. and Mrs. George Frank and children, Melissa and Mary Lou, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Unsh, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Mcnamany and nephew, Donald, Mrs. Alex Buchan, formerly Edith Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Fink and children, Merle and Edith, Mr. and Mrs. William Moyer and children, Wilmina, Phyllis and Bernice, Mr. and Mrs. Orys Sprinkle, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Meyer and children, Charles, Joan and Patricia Ann.

Other present were: Mrs. Effie Roun, Mrs. Ruth Urey, Mrs. Mabel Harris, Mr. Harry Underwood and Mr. John S. Wilson. Just as they were finishing the reunion dinner in the grove a shower sent them hurrying into the house. Then the day turned out to be a nice sunny one and many pictures were taken. The oldest members of the party were uncle Ben Atherton, age 78 years, and uncle John S. Wilson, age 73 years. The youngest member was Mary Elizabeth Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Wilson, age two weeks.

To the Voters of Centre County!

(Political advt.)

In Re: CENTRE COUNTY HOME

When we were inducted into office on the first Monday of January, 1936, we were the Board of County Commissioners. Since then, and without any choice in the matter, we have had certain additional duties imposed upon us by the 1937 Legislature. The following is the syllabus of Act 396, P. L. 1937, approved the 24th day of June A. D. 1937, by the then Governor, George H. Earle:

No. 296 - AN ACT "Creating in each county (except of the first class) as a separate corporation, and in each city of the first and second class as a part of the city government, an institution district for the care and maintenance of certain indigent persons and children; prescribing the powers and duties of county commissioners, county treasurers, city departments of Public Welfare, the State Department of Welfare and the State Department of Public Assistance in respect thereto; abolishing certain poor districts and terminating the terms of directors, overseers, guardians, and managers, of the poor and poor district auditors, providing for the transfer, vesting sale and disposition of the property of poor districts and the payment of their obligations; imposing certain existing obligations on institution districts and on the Commonwealth; regulating the affairs of poor districts until abolished; revising, amending, changing and consolidating the law relating to the care of the poor; and repealing existing laws."

The Act covers 26 pages in the Pamphlet Laws, and a reading thereof will show that the County Commissioners have had passed on to them specific duties which were vested in the 36 poor districts of Centre County and that the Boards of Poor Overseers in each district were "ripped" out by that same Act.

Surely no one can truthfully say this is the child of county government. It is the child of the County Commissioners, for we, nor you, have had any part in bringing into being the "County Institutional District." It is the child of the 1937 Legislature, which as you know was controlled by Earl Gutter and Lawrence and was notorious for anti-Home Rule measures.

Faced with the new duties we were not as fortunate as sixty-two other counties that had institutions, suitable to house their physically and mentally disabled persons. We were compelled to keep our indigents in private homes and in out of the county institutions. The State Department of Welfare, exercising its authority, compelled us to erect a County Home. At this point allow me to point out that it is not a "Poor Home" but a home for indigent persons.

Bradford County refused last year to build, they are now being compelled to build and are unable to pay the whole cost because of their county. We have received \$104,000.00 in an outright Federal grant.

The assessed valuation of Centre County is \$16,500,000.00. We have levied against this a one mill tax to pay for the Centre County Home. This one mill tax is all that ever needs to be levied to pay for the Home and there will be no additional taxes levied to pay for this home.

The 1 mill tax levied brings into the county \$16,500 per year, of which \$15,000.00 will be applied to the principal indebtedness incurred by the erection of the County Home and in nine years the entire amount will be paid. That one mill added to your tax will mean the payment of 49¢ per year to the small home owner whose assessment is \$490.00. If you know your assessment you can figure what it will cost you on that same basis.

Please remember that we have given our best efforts to the solution of these new duties which are as distasteful to us as they are to you; remember also, that the changes are the children of the 1937 Legislature and not of the County Commissioners.

For those of you who are interested in statistical studies I mention herewith certain figures that attest to the fact that we have managed the affairs of Centre County, in the face of trying circumstances, to the financial benefit of the tax payer.

During the past three years we have reduced the net county debt \$47,152.12. On August 1st this year we paid off the \$100,000.00 bond issue of 1909. For the first time in more than 20 years your county is gradually getting out of debt instead of sinking further into debt. At the present time Centre County can borrow \$266,452.06 and the Institutional District can borrow \$339,402.06 without asking permission of the voters. This is a total borrowing power of \$605,854.12.

Your county is in good financial condition and to keep it that way requires that the next Board of County Commissioners have the business ability to manage its affairs without taking advantage of its power to borrow money as is being done by most governments today.

I again offer my experience to the voters of Centre County and point with pride to the good management that has marked my tenure in office. My Republican colleague is not a candidate for re-election. I respectfully call to your attention the importance of retaining one of the present Board of County Commissioners so that an entirely new and inexperienced Board is not faced with the task of managing a complicated business without the benefit of consultation with one who is thoroughly familiar with it.

May I have your support in the coming election? sincerely yours, BALSER WEBER.

See Slight Hope For School Aid

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the adoption of the new federal WPA policy, July 1, there may be some hope of success.

Through Monday's action it is hoped that the WPA may provide free labor for as much material as the school district can purchase, and under such an arrangement it is believed the borough could build a structure sufficiently large enough to comply with the recommendations of the State Department of Public Instruction.

Under the present state of inactivity on the part of the federal and state lending agencies, the former hope for the success of the present move is the only one on the horizon.

Andrew Bustard, representative of Hunter & Caldwell, declared that if the board is required to rely entirely on its own resources, the building would fall far short of the State recommendations and would seriously cripple high school activities.

After considering a series of rough sketches showing possible arrangements of buildings on the present site, as well as on the site that would result if a portion of Lamb street were closed, the board

headed the architects' strong plea for immediate action, and agreed that the architects should submit to the WPA plans calling for the construction of a building parallel to Linn street, and near the Linn street boundary of the school property.

This proposed building would provide an auditorium near the corner of Allegheny and Linn streets, with classrooms extending westward along the Linn street side. At the rear would be a gymnasium.

Unless the picture changes materially in the near future, Bellefonte will not have a new high school building in time for the opening of schools in September, 1940. It was unofficially reported, for approximately a year will be required to complete the structure after methods of financing have been settled.

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