

CENTRE HALL AND VICINITY

REV. C. M. HAMMOND BACCALAUREATE SPEAKER

Nearly a hundred undergraduates of Centre Hall-Potter High School, including twenty-five seniors who appeared in traditional cap and gown, attended the 1942 baccalaureate services in St. Luke's Lutheran church Sunday evening.

The Rev. C. Mitchell Hammond, pastor of the local Methodist church, delivered the address, "A Sensitive Spirit." The Rev. Vinton G. McClellan, a Centre Hall-Potter graduate in 1935, and now a theological student at Gettysburg, served as liturgist.

40 PUPILS TAKE HIGH SCHOOL ENTRANCE TEST

J. F. Wetzel, Centre Hall-Potter school principal, administered the high school entrance examination Thursday to forty eighth grade pupils of the borough and township.

A list of the names of these pupils follows: Margaret Bonson, Gloria Brooks, Emma Jean Brouse, Harry M. Brown, Minnie Bubb, Ruth Burris, Dale Conner, Irene Confer, Lewis Cox, Alice Dutrow, Junior Dutrow, Marjorie Emery, Geraldine Faust, Burberry Gray, Roy Gummo, Mary Horner, Sylvia Horner, Beatrice Jordan, Delbert Lanaberry, Isabel Meeker, Marian Michael, Randall Miller, Herbert Ralston, Paul Reikert, James Reish, Joseph Rimmey, Wava Ripka, Charles Rishel, Betty Ross, Carolyn Runkle, Betty Schaeffer, Marion Sharer, Charlotte Shawyer, John Slack, Carl Smith, Betty Sweeney, Eugene Tate, Doris Wagner, Carl Weaver, George White.

CENTRE HALL COUPLE ATTEND ANNIVERSARY

The Rev. and Mrs. Delas R. Keener and daughter Sandra last week attended the golden wedding anniversary of Mrs. Keener's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert D. Schlegel of Fleetwood, Pa., at the Shankwell Inn at Allentown.

Mr. Schlegel was church organist for 24 years and recently composed a piano composition entitled "Our Golden Wedding Day," which has been receiving favorable recognition. Mrs. Schlegel has been a Cradle Roll superintendent of St. Paul's Evangelical and Reformed church for the past thirty years, and is the oldest member of the church school. Both are also active in community affairs.

In addition to Mrs. Keener, the couple has a daughter, Edith, wife of Prof. A. M. Schaeffer, of Allentown. They are receiving felicitations from their many friends.

MRS. F. V. GOODHART NAMED HEAD OF MUSIC SECTION

The Music Section of the Woman's Club held its last meeting of the year on Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. J. William Bradford.

At the business meeting these officers were elected: president, Mrs. F. V. Goodhart; vice president, Mrs. David I. Graybill; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. George Rimmey; program chairman, Mrs. Reuben S. Rickett; director, Mrs. William P. Campbell; and pianist, Mrs. Delas R. Keener.

Mrs. Campbell directed the study for the evening on the subject of orchestral instruments and musical terms.

Contrary to precedent, the members served refreshments at the close of the meeting. This was done in honor of Mrs. H. R. White, who is moving next week to Lewistown.

These members were present: Mrs. J. Shannon Booser, Miss Elizabeth Bartholomew, Mrs. Dora Odenkirk, Mrs. J. F. Wetzel, Mrs. J. Harold Durst, Mrs. John B. Wert, Jr., Mrs. Rimmey, Mrs. White, Mrs. Campbell, Mrs. Goodhart, Mrs. Bradford and Mrs. Roy S. Jamison.

CHURCH SERVICES

Evangelical: The Rev. W. K. Hosterman, pastor, Tusseyville—Church service, 9:00; Sunday school, 10:00. Young People's meeting, 7:30. Lemont—Sunday school, 10:00; church service, 11:00.

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Reformed: The Rev. D. R. Keener, pastor, Centre Hall—Sunday school, 9:30; church service, 7:30. Spring Mills—Sunday school, 9:30; church service, 10:30. Farmers Mills—Church service, 9:00. Sunday school, 10:00.

GRANGE PRESENTS PLAY AT PLEASANT GAP

"The General Welfare" was the title of a skit presented by Progress Grange Saturday evening at Pleasant Gap.

The cast included: George Ralston as grandpa; Miss Betty Sweeney, Barbara; Mrs. Mary Delaney, Nola; Mrs. Thomas Delaney, Justine; Thomas Delaney, Kirk; and Gilbert Ralston, Steve.

Others from Progress Grange who attended some of the sessions at this meeting: Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Burkholder; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wert; Sr. Mrs. John H. Durst, Mrs. Milford Luse, V. A. Auman, Miss Helen Decker, Mr. and Mrs. John Delaney, Mrs. Talitha Delaney, Ray Delaney, Mrs. George Ralston, Robert Zeigler, Mrs. Samuel Grove, Mrs. George McCormick, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Sharer, and Mrs. Jacob Sharer, Sr.

MRS. J. W. BRADFORD HEADS GARDEN SECTION OF CLUB

Papers on "Birds of This Climate" and "Wild Flowers in a Domestic Garden" by Miss Jennie Thomas and Mrs. George Sweeney respectively, were part of the Garden Section program Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Edgar Miller.

These new officers were elected at this meeting: Mrs. J. William Bradford, chairman; and Mrs. Charles H. Light, secretary-treasurer.

Fourteen members, whose names follow, attended this meeting: Mrs. Charles A. Miller, Mrs. H. R. White, Mrs. George Benner, Mrs. Latham B. Gray, Mrs. George Lutz, Mrs. Robert Spencer, Mrs. Frank V. Goodhart, Mrs. Stanley Wykes, Mrs. Frank P. Geary, Mrs. J. Harold Durst, Mrs. Bradford, Mrs. Light, Mrs. Sweeney, Miss Thomas, and Mrs. Miller.

Mrs. Goodhart will entertain the group at her home the next meeting night.

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES HELD AT CENTRE HALL HIGH

In a pageant, "On Parade," by C. L. Eaddy, the class of 1942 of the Centre Hall-Potter High School depicted in the commencement exercises last night, the part played by youth in American history and the challenge to youth today.

The pageant further impressed the class motto: "Before us lies the timber let us build."

Let us build, under the direction of Paul D. Brown and Donald R. Shove, was as follows: salutatorian, Ruth E. Faust; Great Bear, Kenneth L. Frazier; Indian Girl, Hazel A. Dutrow; Freedom, Betty Lucille Smith; Aside, Ellen C. Bradford; Miles Standish, Lynn W. Miller; Priscilla, Eunice E. Blazer; Witch of Salem, Miriam L. Brooks; Spirit of '76, George H. Michael; Melvin R. Dutrow; George F. Smith; George Washington, G. Nevin Rimmey; Betsey Ross, Freda I. Smith; Oregon Trail, Albert C. Dutrow; Nellie Jane Knarr; Gold Rush, Robert E. Arney; Ruth E. Faust; Negro, Bruce R. Moyer; Northern Soldier, John D. Knarr; Southern Girl, Patricia Booser; Abraham Lincoln, Glenn S. Ishler; Chinese Girl, Anna Mary Meyer; Italian Girl, Ethel L. Martz; Greek Girl, Jean M. Petteforff; World War Soldier, Leo C. Williams; Red Cross Nurse, Mary J. Delaney; class historian, Patricia Booser; class poet, Nellie Jane Knarr; class president, Robert E. Arney; valedictorian, Mary J. Delaney; mantle orator, George H. Michael; junior class president, George S. Ralston.

At the close of the program, after music by the glee club and band, G. Glenn Rogers, county superintendent, presented the diplomas to the graduates.

The honor students of the class, besides Misses Delaney and Foust who were mentioned for scholarship, were: Misses Patricia Booser, Ellen Bradford, and Betty Smith, and G. Nevin Rimmey.

These were class officers: Miss Delaney, president; Robert Arney, vice president; Miss Booser, secretary, and Miss Bradford, treasurer.

LOCALS AND PERSONALS

The soda fountain and booths from the Sheffer Dairy store were moved on Monday to the Caldron Restaurant, where Sheffer's ice cream is now being sold.

Andrew G. Miller came on Saturday from Mason City, Iowa, to attend the burial services on Sunday for his mother, Mrs. Mary Gregg Miller. Mr. Miller is spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. J. Shankon Booser and family. Others from out-of-town who attended this funeral were Mrs. Henry Kline, Mrs. Jay Storch and son Jack of State College, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Kline of Bellefonte; Mrs. Andrew Gregg and Miss Rebecca Kreamer of Lewistown, and Misses Rose Houck and Ella Wagner of Milesburg.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Wetzel, daughter Clara Lou, and granddaughter Shirley Wetzel, spent Saturday in Harrisburg. Here they and Mrs. Robert Wetzel returning from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Reish in Philadelphia.

The Gleaners Evangelical Sunday school class will meet this evening at the home of Mrs. G. Frank Smith.

The Rev. and Mrs. Ward K. Hosterman entertained the choir of the Lemont Evangelical church at their home Tuesday evening.

Miss Eleanor Armstrong of State College, spent the week end here with Miss Patty Booser. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Snyder of Harrisburg, were also Saturday guests at the J. S. Booser home.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Stover of Yeagertown, spent Sunday afternoon at the Seaton home here.

Members of the local firemen's marching unit are asked to appear in uniform at the Centre Hall-Potter school building Saturday evening at 6 o'clock to receive instruction for marching in the Memorial Day parade.

These local persons attended the County Sunday School convention last Thursday in Bellefonte: Mrs. F. V. Goodhart, Mrs. Harry W. Potter, Mrs. Chester A. Spyster, the Rev. and Mrs. J. M. Kirkpatrick, Ernest Frank and Warren Poust.

Mrs. Dewey Edmonston, R. N., of Altoona, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Kerlin and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Arch Moyer attended the funeral of his brother, Franklin A. Moyer, last Thursday near Pittsburgh.

Mrs. Ernest Frank entertained the Senior Service Lutheran Sunday school class at her home last Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Alexander and two daughters of Gleneshaw, spent the weekend with relatives here.

Daniel S. Daup attended a convention of bankers in Atlantic City last week.

Mrs. Frank Shutt, Centre Hall, R. D., spent Thursday here with Mrs. George Sweeney and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Latham B. Gray and three children plan to move tomorrow to Anheuser, Va., where Mr. Gray is employed as an engineer with the Dominion Minerals Co.

Because of a heavy schedule of high school events this month, and the gasoline rationing, the Centre Hall-Potter alumni decided to forego the traditional reception for the senior class this year. Instead, the association presented the flowers for the graduates at their commencement last night. This action was taken at an alumni special business meeting last Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Faust of Pleasant Gap, visited Sunday with his parents here and attended the baccalaureate service in the evening.

Mrs. Frank Long of Washington, D. C., recently underwent a serious gall bladder operation. She is well known here as the daughter of Gelis Wagner.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Homan spent Sunday with relatives in Williamsport.

Miss Viola Boal, daughter of the late Eugene Boal, of Kansas City, Mo., is visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. J. G. Boal.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Sankey of Hollidaysburg, R. D., took supper on Saturday evening at the J. W. Slack home.

Bright Orwig and family of Centre Hall, called Saturday evening at the F. F. Palmer home.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd White motored to Boiling Springs on Sunday to see her father, Reed Hackett. He is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Meeker of Millheim, took dinner on Sunday at the John Meeker home. Callers at the home in the afternoon were: Clayton McKinney, son John, Frank McKinney, sons William and James of Altoona, Mr. and Mrs. George McKinney and Leroy Hackenberry, of Lewistown.

L. O. Pletcher spent a few days last week in Rising Sun, Md., assisting at the milk plant.

Richard Barger of Fort Dix and Floyd Dachsen of Georgia, spent the weekend at their respective homes.

Calvin Kling, Burton Kling and two children of Lock Haven, were Sunday afternoon callers at the Miles Bartley home.

Mrs. Jack Mabus spent Friday evening with her mother to help her paper. Mr. and Mrs. John Shafter and children of Centre Hall, were Friday evening callers at the same place.

Mrs. Willard Bridge returned to Mill Hill Wednesday morning after spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Summer Noll and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Kling and Joel, Mrs. Scott Probst and niece Janice of Lock Haven, Guyer Ertley were Sunday guests at the D. P. Ertley home.

Raymond Neldigh of Bellefonte, R. D., was a caller at the Noll home Sunday evening.

Mrs. Josephine Dyer was a Monday caller at the C. E. Aley home.

On Tuesday last week Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dolan and son Barry called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Dolan and family. Mr. Dolan reports very good work in Harrisburg and Philadelphia.

Mrs. Ed Aley spent Tuesday evening at the Noll home visiting with Mrs. Willard Bridge and Mrs. Noll. Sunday callers at the Aley home were Mr. Sheldon Hoffman of Bellefonte, and Mrs. Calvin Kling of Lock Haven.

Large Barn Burned

When Mr. Davis, owner of the former Allen Buck farm at Stillwater, Columbia county, fell down a flight of stairs in his barn, the lantern he was carrying fell into some hay and exploded, starting a fire which destroyed the large structure.

He escaped from the burning building with difficulty, and several goats in the barn were burned. Some insurance was carried.

Wellsboro Man Prisoner

Maj. James P. Devereux, Wellsboro, Marine commander on Wake Island when that outpost fell to the Japanese, is alive and well in Shanghai, his Washington, D. C., relatives have been informed. A Red Cross message under the international agreement on information of prisoners of war told of his whereabouts.

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