

The Day's News in Cities and Towns of Central Pennsylvania

USEFUL LIFE OF CHURCHMAN ENDS

Robert S. Davis, Native of Chambersburg, Passes Out at 88 Years

Chambersburg, Pa., Nov. 26.—Robert Stewart Davis, who was born here 88 years ago, died on Monday night at his home in Pittsburgh after a short illness. Despite his age Mr. Davis visited relative in Chambersburg last spring and at that time was active and well.

Mr. Davis was educated at the Chambersburg Academy. In 1849 he went to Pittsburgh, where he entered the bookstore of Johnston and Stockton and for fifty years his connection was that of bookseller. He joined the First Presbyterian church upon his arrival in Pittsburgh and since 1862 had been an elder. He was secretary and treasurer of the Board of Trustees for 49 years and at one time was president of the Pittsburgh Bible Society. He was for years a trustee of Biddle University.

He was a great friend of home and foreign missions, having visited some of the stations in China and Japan in 1888, making the long trip home in company with his daughter, Annie E. Davis, a missionary, who was returning on furlough. In 1896 he attended as a delegate the General Assembly of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church, held in Glasgow, Scotland. He visited Europe on several other occasions, his first trip having been made in 1867 when he was at the first Paris exposition.

Camp Hill Lutherans Will Hear Pastor Preach

Camp Hill, Pa., Nov. 26.—The annual Thanksgiving Day service will be held in Trinity Lutheran Church to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock. The Rev. Dr. E. D. Weigle, pastor of the church, will preach. The annual thank-offering service under the direction of the Woman's Missionary Society, will be held to-night at 7:30 o'clock. The Bible class, led by the pastor, will meet at the home of Mrs. C. H. S. Bishop, Washington Heights, on Friday evening. "The Perils Which Beset Young Men and Boys" will be the subject of a short series of sermons to the young on next Sunday evening in this church.

Bad Road Is Getting Attention of Officials

New Cumberland, Pa., Nov. 26.—Officials of the United States Army Reserve Depot at Marsh Run, near here, are seeing that a bad stretch of road between the Government Reservation and the bridge crossing the Yellow Breeches creek at the limits of the borough is being improved. Stones are being placed on the road until a permanent road is built. Since the depot was located here the road has been in bad shape.

No Turkey on Tables at Thanksgiving Dinner

Gettysburg, Pa., Nov. 25.—Many Gettysburg families will eat their Thanksgiving dinner without turkey, to which they have become accustomed for years. The prevailing high price, together with the scarcity of the fowl are the causes responsible for the famous holiday bird being missing from the table on Thursday.

BIBLE TEACHERS TO TALK

D. Woolley, of London, Bible teacher and author, will preach to-morrow and Friday night at Studebaker hall, Second and State streets.

TO HOLD SPECIAL SERVICE

"What Does Thanksgiving Mean to Us?" will be the subject of the Rev. Luther Cunningham, pastor, at special Thanksgiving services in the St. Paul's Baptist Church to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock.

ASKS IN VAIN FOR HUSBAND

Chambersburg, Pa., Nov. 26.—When William Miles failed to call at the Chambersburg Hospital to visit his wife, who is recovering from an operation, the sick woman repeatedly inquired of the nurses why he had not come. Inquiry brought the sad news that shortly after he had finished his day's toil at the plant of the Blue Ridge Knitting Company he had died suddenly of heart failure. He was 68 years old, a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church and of the Senior O. U. A. M. He is survived by his widow and a son, Charles, employed at the post-office here.

Burdett Stryker Is Promoted by Bell Co.



BURDETT STRYKER

Burdett Stryker, general superintendent of plant of the Bell Telephone Company of Pennsylvania, with offices at Philadelphia, has been appointed general manager of the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company, with headquarters at Baltimore, Md. Mr. Stryker served in various capacities with the Bell Company and has continued, since his first entry into the telephone field, to step forward.

THIEVES STEAL SILK

Thieves broke the plate glass window of the Wolfe Corset Shop, 224 North Second street, early this morning and removed more than \$100 worth of silk stockings, underwear and other things. The police are working on the case.

THANKSGIVING SERVICE

The annual Thanksgiving sermon will be preached to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock, in the Noble Street Church of God, by the Rev. William N. Yates, D. D. of the First Church of this city.

MACCABEES TO ENTERTAIN

An entertainment at White's hall this evening will be given with the Ladies of the Maccabees as hostesses. No admission will be charged and all Maccabees have been invited.

SAY OSTEOPATHS IGNORE STATUTE

State, Prober Finds Assertion of Board of Charities to Be Well Founded

York, Pa., Nov. 26.—In violation of law insane persons are being detained at the Pennsylvania Osteopathic Sanatorium, along the Lincoln highway, east of York. The sanatorium is operated by a board of trustees which Osteopathic Dr. O. O. Bashline, of Philadelphia, is president, and Osteopathic Dr. J. E. Barrick, superintendent. The charge was made here yesterday afternoon by Dr. Frank Woodbury, secretary of the state commission on lunacy, following a visit to the institution. The sanatorium is recognized by practicing osteopaths from all sections of the State, and patients are received from any part of Pennsylvania or United States, for that matter.

Dr. Woodbury said the officials of the sanatorium recently applied for a state license for the retention of insane persons, but he found after examination, they have been kept there all along.

Considerable trouble is reported to have been experienced by the police and local authorities during the past several months by apparently demented persons placed in the osteopathic sanatorium. Some have escaped on several occasions, and their way into the city, and the aid of the police had to be enlisted to apprehend and return them to the sanatorium.

Cupid Has Busy Week in Franklin County Seat

Chambersburg, Pa., Nov. 26.—Cupid has been unusually busy in Franklin county during the past few days, the following persons having been granted marriage licenses: J. Arthur Hess and Carrie Adeline Harbaugh, of Ringold, Md.; O. Samuel Buhrman, of Waynesboro and Helen Mae Ebersole, of Chambersburg; William M. Barclay, of Shippensburg and Zella R. Mixell, of Leesburg; Garland S. Frey and Althea A. Niswander, of Lovettsville; Floyd R. Hess, of Waynesboro and Rhue Mae Miller, of Leitersburg; Paul Martin Stover and Dorothy Baker, of Shippensburg; Charles Edward Gilbert, of Chambersburg and Isabelle Dixon, of St. Thomas; Daniel Jacob Minnich, and Edna L. Brunner, of Chambersburg; Clyde A. Shipp and Ruth E. Roth, both of near Mercersburg; Lewis Pine and Anna Robinson, both of Mercersburg.

Jackson Township Man Sustains Nose Fracture

Blain, Pa., Nov. 26.—White Harry E. Will, of Jackson township, was cracking his ear preparatory to bringing his family to church he had his nose broken.

Mrs. Howard Kline and little daughter, Rosalie, of Lewistown, are spending several days with Mrs. Kline's mother, Mrs. Catherine Bower, and brother, C. H. Wentzel and wife.

A sale of the personal property of the late William Garber, of Stony Point, was held on Friday, November 2, and was well attended. All most everything brought good prices. A Sunday school convention of the district comprising Jackson township, Blain borough, and Toyboyn township will be held in the Methodist Church on Saturday afternoon and evening.

Mrs. Joseph Johns, an aged woman, of New Germantown, fell down stairs, fracturing her right leg. The farm product show held here was well attended.

SHOPS IDLE WHILE MEN WAIT FOR PAY

Work Comes to Standstill at Hagerstown When Workmen Fail to Receive Back Wages Due Since Last May; Officials Not Worried Over Action of Toilers

Hagerstown, Md., Nov. 26.—Practically all work in the shops of the Western Maryland Railroad came to a standstill late yesterday when boilermakers, machinists, pipefitters and other craftsmen stopped work as the result of an alleged grievance, failure to receive back pay claimed to be due them from last May.

The men did not leave the shops, but stood by their machines ready to resume work upon the receipt of the money. It was not a walkout or a strike, the men simply declining to work. It was stated at the railroad offices that about 600 workmen were affected. Other information was that the discontent spread from the

WEDDING SECRET LEAKS OUT WHEN BRIDE COMES



MISS ELLA HARPER



MALVON FINTON

Lykens, Pa., Nov. 26.—Malvon Finton and Miss Ella Harper, both of this place, were married in Philadelphia on October 1 by the Rev. Leslie Gosslyn, an Episcopalian clergyman. The news of the wedding leaked out here yesterday with the arrival of the bride from Philadelphia, where she had been a trained nurse. The groom was one

Courthouse Notes

Letters on Estate.—The Commonwealth Trust Company was granted letters of administration to-day on the estate of Frank Cericanic, a foreigner who died here recently leaving no known relatives. His estate, all cash, is estimated at \$500.

Mauk Case Postponed.—Argument of the C. H. Mauk case was postponed until late in December. It was decided in court this morning.

Farm Bureau Appropriation.—The County Commissioners to-day appropriated \$300 to the Dauphin County Farm Bureau, this money being additional to the annual appropriation.

Will Filed.—The will of Mrs. Catherine Yooss, 94, late of Paxtonia, was probated to-day. Mrs. Mary Murphy, a daughter, was made executor of the estate amounting to \$900.

Boy Fatally Injured in Hagerstown Street

Hagerstown, Md., Nov. 26.—Clarence Feigley, aged 7 years, son of William K. Feigley, was probably fatally injured by being run over by a heavy delivery truck while playing in the street near his home in this city yesterday. When examined at the hospital it was found that the boy's intestines were punctured and his abdomen crushed. He is not expected to recover.

Shiremanstown Churches to Unite in Thanksgiving

Shiremanstown, Pa., Nov. 26.—The annual Thanksgiving service will be held to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock at Keller Memorial Lutheran Church. The Rev. J. W. Gable will preach the sermon, Mrs. Herbert Price Hunt will sing "I Will Extol Thee O Lord," by Costa. The offering will be devoted to some benevolent cause near home.

LITTLE LINES FROM NEARBY

Huntsdale.—Mrs. Elizabeth Weakley died at her home near this place yesterday. She was the wife of Lincoln Weakley.

Gettysburg.—Because of the scarcity of sugar, there will be few cranberries on Thanksgiving Day tables here this year.

Carlisle.—Hartzell Brothers bought the three-story brick building in Market avenue known for many years as the Brato building.

Marietta.—Marietta's community building is fast nearing completion and is expected to be ready for dedication in about a month.

Gettysburg.—William M. Conover, of this place, has invented a metal sewing horse to take the place of the wooden horse used by saddlers.

Marietta.—Fire destroyed the dwellings of M. A. Heider and Alvin Ebersole at Billmeyer and much of their furniture was badly damaged.

Anville.—The College News, the students' publication at Lebanon Valley College, has appeared in new form, being enlarged from a four-page publication to 20 pages.

Carlisle.—The remains of Miss Ruth Washington, a former resident of this place, were brought here from Norchester, N. Y., yesterday afternoon for burial.

Shippensburg.—James Alexander, of this place, was convicted of theft in court at Hagerstown yesterday with the record of having served four terms in prison.

York.—The Rev. W. H. Ketterman, a Lutheran minister, who died

READING OFFICER HAS JURY AWARD

Twelve Men at Lancaster Decide He Unearthed Slayer of Woman

Lancaster, Pa., Nov. 26.—John W. Smith, a detective of Reading, is entitled to the county reward of \$1,000 offered by the commissioners for the conviction of the murderer of Elizabeth Lausch in northern Lancaster county by Samuel Garner. The jury's award here in court yesterday was \$1,072.50.

Smith arrested Garner in Berks county a few days after the escape of Garner, Lanier and Hurst from the Lancaster county prison. Garner was arrested for a Berks county robbery and he had in his possession some of the articles that were the subject of the conviction for the murder.

The county's contention was that Garner was arrested before the reward was offered; that Smith did nothing to bring about the conviction of Garner and that all the testimony that was gathered in the Garner case was secured by State Policeman Lantz and the local authorities.

There is a legal question involved in the case which will be argued at the December term. If the court sustains the point raised by the county, then the verdict will be reversed and Smith will not get the reward.

PRaise SERVICE

This year for their Thanksgiving praise service on Sunday evening, the choir of the Market Street Presbyterian Church will present a program of Welsh sacred music. Mrs. Wilbur F. Harris will direct the choir with Mrs. John R. Henry at the organ.

SPECIAL SERVICE

A special Thanksgiving service will be held in the Camp Hill Presbyterian Church to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock. The pastor will preach on the topic "The Benefits of Thanksgiving."

COMMUNITY SERVICE

A community Thanksgiving service will be held to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock at Paxtang Presbyterian Church, conducted by the pastor, the Rev. H. B. King. The Rev. Irving L. Deer, of Harrisburg, secretary of the Central Pennsylvania district of the Interchurch World Movement will preach.

BULL DIES IN RACE AT MILL

Red Lion, Pa., Nov. 26.—Emanuel Hahn bought an 800-pound bull here and started to drive the animal to the Hahn place between Red Lion and Rittersville. The bull, hobbled with chain and log ran into nearly every lane and road along the three miles to Hahn's mill. Reaching the mill the bull, covered with lather, jumped into the mill race and scarcely had touched the water when he was seized with a congestive chill and dropped dead.

WOMAN LECTURER FAILS TO SPEAK

Socialists at York Heed Warning of Mayor to Cancel Night Meeting

York, Pa., Nov. 26.—Mrs. Mary McVickers, of New York, who was to have delivered a Socialist lecture here last night on "Freedom for Political and Industrial Prisoners," didn't carry out her intention. She arrived here in the afternoon and went to the hall, where she was told by the Socialists that Mayor Hugenbugler had forbidden the holding of the meeting. She went to the "Colonial" Hotel and to reporters who answered her summons to print an interview scored Mayor Hugenbugler roundly, saying he had been blinded by prejudice and that some day he would regret his action. Mrs. McVickers claimed to be a Quaker exhorter.

Reformed Congregations to Hold Union Services

The annual union Thanksgiving service for Reformed churches this year will comprise three congregations, Salem, Second and St. John's, and will be held in the Second church. The service will begin at 10 o'clock Thursday morning and will be conducted by the pastors of these congregations. Dr. E. N. Komper and Rev. A. N. Snyder and C. H. Rank. Special music will be rendered by the choir of Second church.

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MANHATTAN SHIRTS FERRY'S, Penn-Harris Hotel Bldg. OPEN EVENINGS

APPEALS TO HIGH COURT FOR COUNT

Counsel For Man Defeated Takes Election Case to Supreme Bench

Altoona, Pa., Nov. 26.—Appealing from the decision of Judge Thomas J. Baldrige who refused a recount in the mayoralty election case, Attorney Thomas H. Greey went to Ebsenburg yesterday, where he appeared before Justice John H. Kephart and made application for a supersedeas, with a view of having the matter brought before the supreme court at the earliest possible date.

Should Justice Kephart issue a supersedeas, the certificate of election may not be issued to Mayor Rhodes until after the case has been adjudicated by the supreme court. There is thus the possibility of the city being without a mayor for a period after Jan. 5, in which event the director of finance would be the acting mayor until the court takes action.

GET LICENSES IN MARYLAND

Hagerstown, Md., Nov. 26.—Marriage licenses were issued here to the following couples from Pennsylvania: William L. Harrington, Erie, and Margaret M. Filler, Newport; Aaron L. Andrews, Burnham, and S. Madeline McBride, Lewistown; Earl L. Souders, Cito, and Edna P. Jenkins, McConnellsburg; Hugh L. Barlip and Pearl E. Harman, both of Waynesboro; Victor Bollinger and Leah M. Kohn, both of Northumberland.

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