

TO MARK GRAVE OF FIRST MAN TO FALL IN BATTLE

The annual G. A. R. Memorial services will be conducted Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at Mount Joy Lutheran church under the auspices of the Sons of Veterans of the community.

Before the exercises in the church the Sons of Veterans and the children of the community will strew flowers on the graves of the 18 Civil war dead in the church cemetery.

The exercises, which will be presided over by Frank A. Waybright, Gettysburg, will open with the singing of "America." The invocation will be delivered by the Rev. Herbert H. Schmidt, pastor of the church.

The memorial address will be delivered by the Rev. Dr. N. B. S. Thomas, pastor of the Gettysburg United Brethren church.

Following the memorial service the Sons of Veterans will gather at the church for their annual re-organization meeting.

DRAMATISTS TO HOLD BANQUET

The Mask and Wig dramatic club of Gettysburg high school will conduct its annual banquet Monday evening, May 31, at 6:30 o'clock at Sauble's inn, Taneytown, Maryland.

In addition to student members of the club, alumni also have been invited to attend. They are required to make reservations with Miss Edna Mae Black or Miss Jean Culp before Thursday evening.

REGISTRATION GROUP FORMED

The Adams county board of commissioners organized Tuesday at their regular weekly session as the Adams County Registration Commission by electing S. Luther Balzley, president of the commissioners, as chairman, and W. G. Horner as chief clerk.

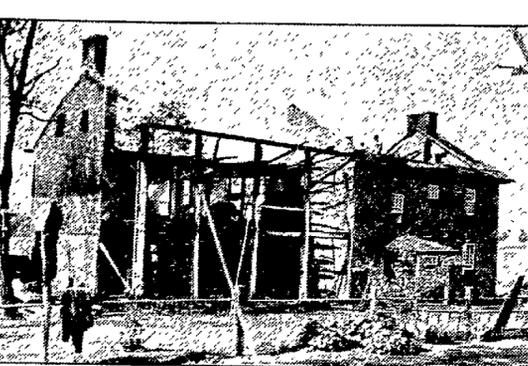
The commission has not yet set the days in June, July and August on which all voters in the county must personally appear at the polling places and register in order to be able to vote at the primary and general elections.

Property Transfers

T. E. and Harry L. Williams, to Emily F. and Mary E. Fawcett, all of Cumberland township, a lot in that township.

The Misses Jean and Hannah McNulty, Fairview cottage, Mt. St. Mary's, Emmitsburg, were week-end guests of Miss Sara Agnes Stall-smith, East Middle street.

Fire Damages Civil War Hospital



Shown above is the historic stone dwelling on the former Bushman farm located three and a half miles southeast of Gettysburg, and owned by Charles T. Hawbaker that was damaged by a \$4,000 fire late Monday night.

Vocational Students To Visit Milk Farms

Freshman and sophomore boys from the Arendtsville Vocational high school will travel to Plainsborough, New Jersey, next Monday, to inspect the Walker-Gordon milk farms.

The 35 youths will make the trip in the vocational school truck, accompanied by Professor E. A. Rice, director of agricultural projects at the school.

County Woman Injures Ankle

Ira L. Williams, Hanover street, and Mrs. George S. Harleman, Chambersburg street, were admitted as patients to the Annie M. Warner hospital, Nora Newman, West Chester, was discharged.

Two Motorists Ignored Lights

Two motorists are charged with ignoring red traffic lights in Gettysburg in informations filed this morning before Justice of the Peace John H. Baschore by Borough Officer Lloyd E. Wisler.

Republicans Discuss Registration Methods

Members of the executive and advisory committees of the Adams county republican committee met Tuesday evening in special session in the office of Justice of the Peace John H. Baschore, secretary.

FINAL EXAMS AT G.H.S.

The regular Wednesday morning assembly program at Gettysburg high school was omitted this morning to make way for final examinations which opened Tuesday and will conclude June 1, two days before the annual high school commencement exercises which will be conducted next Thursday evening, June 3, in the high school auditorium.

K. OF C. DELEGATE

J. Preston Smith, cashier of the Farmers' bank at McSherrystown, was one of the eight selected as delegates to the supreme convention of the Knights of Columbus at the closing session of the state convention in Johnstown, Tuesday.

MT. ST. MARY'S GRADUATION TO BE HELD JUNE 9

Commencement exercises for the class of 1937 at Mt. St. Mary's college, Emmitsburg, will be held Wednesday morning, June 9, at 9 o'clock with the Rev. Dr. Finton S. Tehan, of Bridgeport, Connecticut, addressing the graduates.

Student speakers on commencement day will be William Joseph Thomas, of Altoona, salutatorian, and Joseph Clyde Swenney, of York, valedictorian.

The baccalaureate sermon will be delivered on Sunday evening, June 6, by His Excellency, the Most Reverend James E. Walsh, superior general of the Catholic foreign mission society of America, Maryknoll. (Continued on Page Two)

Chambersburger Turns Idle Time in Jail to Profit by Selling Paintings, Etchings

Adept in the use of the paint brush and with a flair for etching, and cartoon work, Sebastian J. Merletti, Chambersburg, has found a profitable means of employing his time in the county jail here while he serves a six-month sentence for passing worthless checks.

Son Is Born to George Harlemans

Patrolman and Mrs. George S. Harleman, Chambersburg street, announce the birth of a son at the Annie M. Warner hospital Tuesday evening.

Catholic Services to Be Held at Pine Grove

Announcement was made today that mass will be celebrated at Pine Grove Furnace every Sunday, beginning May 30, at 10:30 a. m., except on the fourth Sunday of each month, when a special Communion mass will be held at 7 a. m.

ASSEMBLY FIGHT LOOMS OVER TAX TREND IN STATE

Harrisburg, May 25 (AP).—The "tragic trend" report of a committee studying the affect of Pennsylvania taxes on industry provoked a major quarrel in the legislature.

5 DIE IN TRUCK AND COUPE CRASH

Catskill, N. Y., May 26 (AP).—Five men lost their lives and two others were severely burned in a fire which destroyed a truck, laden with linseed oil, and a coupe after a head-on collision near West Cocksackie today.

REVOLTING ANARCHISTS SEIZE SPANISH TOWN

Perpignan, Franco-Spanish Border, May 26 (AP).—Revolting anarchists in northeastern Spain were reported today to have seized the town of Barbastro and shot 100 persons.

BRITISH FREIGHTER HIT BY BOMBS

Valencia, May 26 (AP).—The British freighter, Greatend, was reported today to have suffered "considerable damage" when struck by bombs from insurgent airplanes during a raid on the Mediterranean city of Almeria.

MOSCOW PILOT MISSING IN ARCTIC

Moscow, May 26 (AP).—Concern for the safety of I. P. Mazurik, pilot of one of three transport planes flying food and equipment (Continued on Page Two)

Kutztown College President To Speak at Commencement For 19 Arendtsville Seniors

A busy round of commencement activities for the Arendtsville Vocational high school seniors will begin Thursday when they leave for the annual Washington trip and conclude next Tuesday evening when the graduation exercises will be held in the school auditorium.

Thursday morning the 19 students and Miss Helen Brindle, faculty advisor to the class, and Professor E. A. Rice will leave for Washington, D. C. in a school bus.

Annual baccalaureate services will be conducted Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the Arendtsville Reformed church when the sermon will be delivered by the pastor, the Rev. Ernest W. Brindle.

MUSIC ON CHAPEL PROGRAM MAY 31

One of the features on the program commemorating the sesquicentennial of Conewago Chapel on Monday, May 31, will be the musical selections. At the pontifical mass to be celebrated by the Most Reverend Bishop of Harrisburg at which the Cardinal Archbishop of Philadelphia will preside, there will be a combined choir consisting of the priests' choir and of the children of the sixth, seventh and eighth grades of the Parochial schools of the diocese of Harrisburg.

Late Flashes

INSURGENTS WITHIN 8 MILES OF BILBAO. Hendaye, Franco-Spanish Frontier, May 26 (AP).—A new insurgent advance was reported today to have shoved Gen. Emilio Mola's front lines within eight miles of Bilbao.

MAJOR POLICIES OF F. D. R. STILL FACE COURT TEST

Washington, May 26 (AP).—President Roosevelt is insisting on his judicial reorganization bill, it was disclosed today, because labor, power and other key administration policies face court tests.

Ford Assembly Workers Strike

Richmond, Calif., May 26 (AP).—Union workers at the Ford assembly plant went on a strike today and an official of the United Automobile workers of America declared it was "the first gun in the war against Henry Ford."

FIFTY REPUBLIC STEEL PLANTS FACE STRIKES

(By the Associated Press) Striking committee for industrial organization unionists forced closing of seven Ohio plants of Republic Steel corporation and hoped to shut down more today while their leaders called a council of war to map the drive against other large independents.

REBELS DOWN FRENCH PLANE

Bilbao, Spain, May 26 (AP).—Machine gun bullets from an insurgent fleet of warplanes downed a French "Air Pyrenees" transport plane near this besieged Basque regional capital today and wounded the French pilot and a Spanish passenger.

FAVORABLE CROP WEATHER

Philadelphia, May 26 (AP).—The weather bureau in its weekly review of crop conditions in Pennsylvania stated that more settled weather was favorable for field work which made fair to good progress.

MISS Lillian Mumper To Wed Norfolk Man

Mrs. Cleo B. Mumper, East King street, Lancaster, announces the engagement of her daughter, Lillian, to Henry S. Frank, of Norfolk, Virginia, son of Mrs. Harry Frank, Chambersburg.

State College Drum Corps Parades Here

The Junior American Legion Drum Corps of State College paraded in Gettysburg Tuesday evening about 5:30 o'clock when the young musicians stopped here for a trip over the battlefield.

Public Sale of Second Hand Furniture in front of Court House Saturday, May 29th, at 1 o'clock. R. W. Wentz.

FOUR LUTHERAN SYNODS APPROVE MERGER PLAN

The Lutheran synod of West Pennsylvania voted today in York to merge four synods of the church—the Allegheny, Susquehanna and East and West Pennsylvania.

MAN IS HELD FOR TRADING STOCK

After spending the night in jail, Thomas Caldwell, aged about 65, near Gettysburg, was released this morning when he posted \$300 bail before Justice of the Peace John C. Shealer for a hearing Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock on a larceny charge.

To Index Court Cases Since 1920

Clerk of the Courts Roy D. Renner and his deputy, Harry Ridinger, will begin in the near future a complete index of every case handled in the criminal courts of the county since 1920.

FRACTURES HIP

Mrs. Susan E. Creager, 87, of Union Bridge, Maryland, formerly of Fairfield, was admitted to the Frederick hospital Monday suffering with a broken hip sustained in a fall at her home.

MEMORIAL SERVICES

Memorial services will be held at the Mt. Hope United Brethren church Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Special music will be rendered. The Rev. B. P. S. Busey is the pastor.

OBITUARY

John C. Watson. Funeral services were held today for John C. Watson, 69, a native of Adams county, who died Monday morning at his home in Milford. Interment was made in Milford.

The deceased was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Robert P. Watson, of Fairfield, and for a number of years was a teacher in the schools in Hamiltonban township. He later became principal of the Milford schools and at one time was bookkeeper for a meat packing concern.

Surviving are his widow; one son, Donald, Colorado; one sister, Mrs. Annie Mizell, Big Pool, Maryland, and one brother, W. Frank, Fairfield, R. D.

PLAN REUNION OF H. S. CLASS

The Gettysburg dramatic club will hold an election of officers this evening at 7:30 o'clock at the Y. M. C. A. Dr. Richard A. Arms is director of the group.

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William G. Weaver, president of the alumni association, will serve as toastmaster at the banquet which is to be followed by a dance.