



Dedicate Post Office and Christ Church

Post Office Dedication Here Today

Appropriate Ceremonies Mark Formal Opening Of New Building.

P. O. OFFICIAL IS HONOR GUEST

Dinner To R. S. Black, 3d Postmaster General At Noon.

Mahanoy City's handsome new post office will be dedicated with appropriate ceremonies this afternoon...

Following the noon dinner, and preceding the dedicatory program, a short street parade of local civic, service, fraternal and other organizations has been planned...

As a souvenir of the occasion, John Luke, well known local florist, will furnish each dinner guest with a rosebud...

Among the guests of honor at the affair in addition to the Hon. R. S. Black, will be Congressman James Gildea, Coaldale, United States Marshal Joseph Reing, former postmasters C. P. Reing, William C. James and Herbert C. Noakes...

The Eagles' Band will head the street parade, immediately following the dinner. In the line of march will be all of the postal employees of the community...

The guest speaker at the dedication ceremony will be the Reverend E. H. Brewster, pastor of the First Methodist church.

Culminating the day's celebration will be a social time at the Elks' hall, at which the visiting postal employees will be the guests of the local post office staff.

Mahanoy City Man Is Graduated As Medical Doctor

Joseph John Skrypkun Receives Degree of Doctor of Medicine In Chicago Recently.

A local boy, Dr. Joseph John Skrypkun, son of Mrs. Harry Domson and the late Charles Skrypkun, received the degree of Doctor of Medicine from the Chicago Medical School last Saturday morning in Chicago.

He is a graduate of the local St. Canisius parochial school from where he went to Erie, Pa., and was graduated from the St. John Kanty Prep School.

Here he distinguished himself, not only scholastically, but also in athletics, being one of the few four letter (Continued on Page Four)

SHENANDOAH CHILD HURT Robert Tobish, aged four years, of Shenandoah, suffered a possible fracture of the skull when he fell from a truck. He is a patient in the Locust Mountain Hospital.

New Club Ready Our new club, now forming, will soon begin. Join now. BOHORAD'S Mahanoy City 124-2t

THE WEATHER Showers beginning late tonight or Sunday; somewhat cooler Sunday.

TEMPERATURES (Past Twenty-four Hours) High: 82 above 2:43 P. M. Friday. Low: 66 above 4:43 A. M. Saturday. Wind velocity: High, SW 17 MPH 9:43 P. M. Friday; Low, SE 5 MPH 5:43 P. M. Friday. Barometer: High, 29.98, 10:43 P. M. Friday; Low, 29.89, 10:43 A. M. Saturday.

MAHANOY CITY'S NEW POST OFFICE



The handsome Colonial-designed structure at First and Pine streets, erected by the William F. Sutter firm, Nescopek, during the past nine months, to house the local postal staff, which will be dedicated with appropriate ceremonies this afternoon by the Hon. Ramsey S. Black, Third Assistant Postmaster General, Washington, D. C.

Assist At Dedication



John Morgan, Assistant Postmaster, who will assist Postmaster Daniel F. Guinan, II, during the dedication ceremony this afternoon of the new post office at First and Pine streets.

The President Snaps Challenge To His Opponents

In Three Section Fireside Chat He Broadcast Last Night Mr. Roosevelt Defines Issues

By LYLE C. WILSON (United Press Staff Correspondent)

Washington, June 25 (U.P.)—President Roosevelt headed the new deal toward wider "reform" horizons today and stood ready for personal primary election war upon conservative Democrats after a fireside appeal for nomination of liberal candidates by all parties this year.

The President snapped a challenge to "copperhead" defeatists among his opponents who would have him abandon the new deal program.

In a three section chat, broadcast last night, he dealt with the record of Congress, depression and recovery, and his role in the primary and general election campaign.

He told business that the people would demand:

- 1. "Complete honesty at the top in looking after the use of other people's money and in apportioning and paying individual and corporation taxes according to ability to pay." 2. "Sincere respect for the need of all at the bottom to get work—and through work to get a really fair share of the good things of life and a chance to save and rise."

Naming no names but firing freely at identifiable individuals and institutions, Mr. Roosevelt rebuked labor and capital for mistaken tactics, repudiated interference with freedom of speech—that shot apparently aimed at Jersey City's Mayor Frank Hague—and made sarcastic reference to a \$365,000-a-year business who feared the effect of a national minimum wage of \$11 per week.

He told the nation that the new deal had won the fundamental issue at stake in the judiciary reorganization battle—"the attitude of the Supreme Court toward constitutional questions is entirely changed." He said that barring the unforeseeable there would be no special session of Congress this autumn. He called for a "united front" of government, capital and labor to "resist wage cuts which would further reduce purchasing power."

The new deal program will go on, he insisted, under impetus of the national will. Upon labor and capital he placed principal responsibility for current depression, although conceding (Continued on Page Five)

He's a Doctor Now



Dr. Joseph J. Skrypkun Of town is graduated today from the Chicago Medical School with the degree of Doctor of Medicine.

Postmaster Guinan



Daniel F. Guinan, II Mahanoy City's postmaster, who will preside during the exercises to be held this afternoon in conjunction with the dedication of the community's new post office.

They Will Marry This Afternoon In St. Joseph's

The marriage of Miss Frances Sherkness, daughter of William Sherkness, of 408 West Center street, to Julius Deresavage, son of Mrs. Josephine Deresavage, of 836 West Mahanoy street, will take place this afternoon at five o'clock in St. Joseph's Lithuanian church.

The ceremony will be performed by Reverend Father P. C. Chesna, rector of the church.

Miss Agnes Metesavage, a cousin of the bride, will be the maid of honor and George Deresavage, brother of the bridegroom, will be the best man. The bride will wear a gown of white embroidered net with a small hat of white tulle from which will fall a shoulder length veil. Her flowers will be an arm bouquet of white roses.

The maid of honor will wear pink and blue embroidered net with a crown of flowers on her head from which will fall a veil of pink tulle. She will carry an arm bouquet of pink roses.

A reception for the bridal party will be held at the home of the bride's father where they will reside upon their return from a wedding trip to Atlantic City. The bride's father conducts the S. and S. Auto Accessories Store at 408 West Center street. The bride was graduated from St. Joseph's parochial school. The bridegroom is employed at the Mahanoy City colliery.

WPA PROJECTS APPROVED

Washington, June 25 (U.P.)—Rep. James H. Gildea, D., Pa., today announced presidential approval of four WPA allotments, totaling \$116,711, for work in Schuylkill and Northumberland counties. They are:

- Deer Lake, \$65,100 and Shenandoah, \$38,468, both in Schuylkill county, for street improvements. Turbot Township, \$8,570 for work on Routes 582 and 593, and Sunbury, \$4,553 for cross-indexing city records, in Northumberland county.

Furniture \$1 Per Week

By joining Club 11-A tonight. NOONAN BROS. 125-1t Westinghouse Roaster. Gruber. 125-1t

June Term Of Criminal Court Ends

Fine Progress Is Made In Clearing Of Docket At Term.

DAMAGE SUIT IS SETTLED

New Habeas Writ Granted In The Case Of Joe Spigo.

Court House, June 25.—June term of Criminal Court, so far as jury trials are concerned, came to an end yesterday afternoon when the jurors were paid and discharged for the term. A number of nonsupport, surety cases and appeals from summary convictions remain to be heard and these are scheduled to come before the court Monday, which will be the last session of court until the mid-summer session which will be held July 25.

Despite the fact that one court room was tied up the entire week with the Dentzer assault and battery case, leaving only three judges available for the trial work, excellent progress was made in clearing the docket. Numerous pleas aided in reducing the list until the docket is pretty well cleared for the summer.

Shenandoah Man Convicted

Frank Nestor of 229 Penn avenue, Shenandoah Heights, was found guilty by jury on charges of statutory rape. He was not sentenced when his counsel made an application for a new trial which stayed the passing of sentence. The defendant was found guilty of assaulting fifteen-year-old Betty Mohmed.

Letters Granted

The will of the late Samuel R. Beard of Tamaqua was filed for Probate in the office of Register of Wills Robert E. Jenkins and letters of administration were granted to Edward N. Hirsch and Edgar G. Wade, both of Tamaqua. The estate is valued at \$10,000 in personal property and \$5,000 in real estate. Under the terms of the will the mother, widow, niece and nephews of the deceased share in the will.

To Attend College

Luther H. Williams of Shenandoah, deputy clerk of courts, will leave on Monday to take a six-week course at State College. During his absence his sister, Anna Mary will take his duties in the office of the Clerk of Courts.

Amicable Trespass Action

An amicable action in trespass was entered in the office of Prothonotary John Beddow yesterday afternoon by Attorneys Kilker and Kilker on behalf of Paul Twardzik Jr., and his father, Paul Twardzik Sr., of Shenandoah and against Walter S. Merkel of Tamaqua. The suit was to recover for injuries sustained by the younger Twardzik when he was struck (Continued on Page Four)

Miss Agnes Galvin Of Jacksons Is Married Today

Popular Township School Teacher Becomes Bride of Mr. Landmesser, of Wilkes-Barre

A lovely June wedding of unusual interest, because of the prominence of the couple, took place this morning at eight o'clock in St. Aidan's Church, Ellengowan, when Miss Agnes E. Galvin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Galvin, of Jacksons, became the bride of George P. Landmesser, son of Mr. and Mrs. George D. Landmesser, of 297 New Hancock street, Wilkes-Barre.

The ceremony was performed in St. Aidan's Church, Ellengowan, by the rector of the church, Rev. Father M. E. Munley, who also celebrated the nuptial mass which followed.

Miss Anna Jones, of Shenandoah, played the wedding music and accompanied the soloists, George Bradley, also of Shenandoah, who sang during the ceremony "My Happy Day" and during the mass Schubert's "Ave Maria." During Communion Mr. Bradley sang, "O Lord! I Am Not Worthy," and at the end of the mass "Because."

Miss Helen C. Galvin was her sister's maid of honor and Joseph Landmesser, of Wilkes-Barre, was best (Continued on Page Eight)

Club Ready To Start

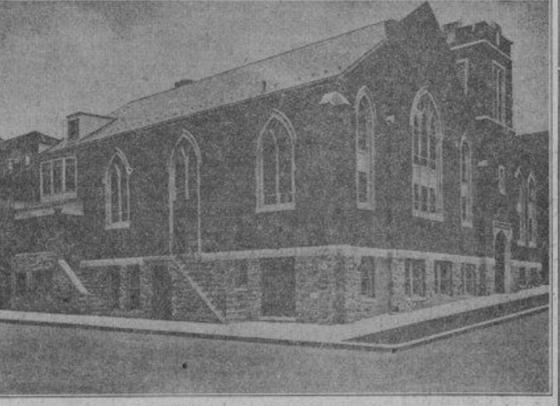
Our new Club 6-C is expected to start Saturday, June 25th. Ten dollars prepayment plan. Fifty cents weekly. We invite you to join. Tregellas 124-2t

Christ Lutheran Congregation To Worship In New Church Building At Dedication Service Tomorrow

Processional From St. Paul's Church Where Congregation Has Worshipped The Past Nine Months To New Church Building Will Open Ceremonials. Formal Dedication Service Will Begin At 8 O'clock With a Sermon. Rev. Pfatteicher, Head of State Ministerium, The Guest Preacher. At 2:30 P. M., Joint Sunday School Service Will Be Held With Rev. Hauser, The Pastor, Preaching The Sermon At Confirmation Service At 7 P. M. Special Services All Next Week.



Front View of New Christ Church



Side View of the Handsome Edifice

The Career Of Pastor Hauser Of Christ Church

With the ordaining to the Holy Ministry of the church, the pastor of Christ Lutheran church began a career which has carried this churchman into various activities of the church from which he has gained a wide experience. Pastor Hauser began his ministry as the pastor of the Selmsgrove parish consisting of the First church, Selmsgrove, Zion church, Kratzerville, and St. Paul's church, Middle Creek. During his period of activity in this parish the three churches were redecorated and rededicated. After a pastorate of three and one-half years, from June 1912 to Nov. 1915, he accepted the call to the Lunenburg parish, Lunenburg, Nova Scotia. His service during the difficult period of the war brought him into close touch with Canadian government officials, and into contact with men of international fame. These friendships have extended over all these years, and are today among his most cherished remembrances of World War history. In the Lunenburg parish both church buildings of the parish were extensively renovated.

In 1920, the pastor and Mrs. Hauser returned to the States and accepted (Continued on Page Five)

Pastor Of New Church



Rev. W. K. Hauser Pastor of Christ Lutheran church and president of the Pottsville Conference of the Lutheran Ministerium, who will preside during the impressive rites to be held Sunday as part of the elaborate program of dedication of the new parish church.

LOW BID OFFERED ON ZION GROVE ROAD

Harrisburg, June 25 (U.P.)—Highways Secretary Roy E. Brownmiller announced the following low bids were offered on road construction projects:

- Schuylkill—13 mile macadam and I-beam bridge on a rural route in Washington township near Rooderville, Harry Deupie & J. H. Beers, of Bangor, \$7,680; 2.47 miles native stone base course with macadam surface 16 feet wide and reinforced concrete structure on a rural route in north union township between Zions Grove and the Schuylkill-Columbia county line, D. A. Kessler Construction Co., Mt. Carmel, \$68,240.

Tonight

- Club 11-A starts. \$1.00 per week. Thirty weeks. NOONAN BROS. 125-1t Hamilton Beach Mixer. Gruber. 125-1t

The congregation of Christ Lutheran church will realize a desire of many years, Sunday morning when the handsome new house of worship, under construction for the past nine and one-half months, will be dedicated with impressive ceremonies.

Preceded by a processional from St. Paul's Evangelical and Reformed church, where the congregation has been worshipping while the new edifice was being erected, the service will be one of dignity and solemn splendor.

The congregation will assemble at St. Paul's Evangelical and Reformed church at 7:45 o'clock, where the procession will form. As they approach the new building, the processionalists will sing the hymn, "Open Now Thy Gates."

The following is the order for the dedication service, which will begin at 8 o'clock.

The Hymn 142: Veni Creator Spiritus.

The Lessons.

The Hymn 158: Holy, Holy, Holy.

The Sermon: The Rev. E. P. Pfatteicher, D.D., Ph.D., LL.D., president of the Pennsylvania Lutheran Ministerium.

Choir Anthem.

The Hymn, 365: I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say.

Confession and Absolution.

The Introit, Page 93.

The Communion Service.

The Benediction.

Joint School Service

At 2:30 P. M., a joint Sunday School service will be held with the Reverend Arthur Getz, of the Parish and Church School Board, the speaker.

At the vesper service at 7 P. M., the sermon will be delivered by the Reverend W. K. Hauser, pastor of the church.

The sermon will be followed by an anthem by the choir, confirmation, the administration of the sacrament and benediction.

In addition to the distinguished Dr. Pfatteicher, Christ Church congregation will have as their guests during the morning rituals, the Reverends Franklin Smith, Pottsville; Lester E. Lutz, pastor of St. John's Evangelical and Reformed church, town, and Martin Slaby, pastor of St. Emmanuel's Slovak Lutheran church, town.

Week of Services

A series of special services throughout the week will continue the dedicatory program of Christ church. On Monday evening, at 7:30 o'clock, the first of the series will be held with the Rev. F. E. Esterly, D.D., of Hazleton, former pastor of Christ church, delivering the sermon.

The program for the service will be as follows: Processional Hymn 169, O Word of God Incarnate; Psalm 97, Choir Anthem, Hymn, Jesus Still Lead On, Sermon, Dr. Esterly, Choir Anthem, Hymn, Shepherd of Tender Youth, and the Recessional Hymn, The Church's One Foundation.

A Beautiful Church

The new Christ Lutheran Church is one of the most beautiful in the region, and parishioners and visitors (Continued on Page Two)

New Club Ready

Our new club, now forming, will soon begin. Join now. BOHORAD'S Mahanoy City 124-2t Bridal gifts at Gruber's. 125-1t

WORKING TIME

The Record-American receives information on working time from the coal companies and attempts to give the latest information available at press time. This paper cannot be held responsible for any changes of orders or errors, over which we have no control. Lehigh Valley Coal Company—Packer No. 5, Springdale and Primrose bank idle Monday, June 27. Centralis Collieries Company: Park works. The P. & R. C. & I. Company—Brookside works. East Bear Ridge Coal Company—Mahanoy Plant works. Susquehanna Coal Company—William Penn and Kehley Run work.