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"Either I will find a way, or I will make one"
--Sir P. Sidney.

REV. FREEMAN SWARTZ--SUNDAY

Rev. Freeman Swartz of Norristown, Pennsylvania will be our guest minister at Sunday's 11:00 service. Rev and Mrs. Swartz arrived Thursday and plan to stay with us until Monday. They are familiar with CPS men since the Norristown State Hospital is located in their community. They have been attending the General Conference Sessions in Newton and they planned to see the Rockies before returning to the East.

Sunday Evening at 8:00 a discussion hour will be held with Rev. Swartz in charge. It will be an open meeting with no announced topic but will be a type of Quaker meeting preceded by a devotional period. If the weather remains warm, the meeting may be held outside. If it is cool, we will meet in the Lounge. Wait for the announcement and be sure to remember to attend this meeting.

Sunday School will begin at 10:00 as usual.

SOFTBALL GAME

The softball game in Denver tomorrow will be one of the outstanding features of the recreation program this summer. Word has been received from Buckingham that they are all tuned up for the ball game. So that we can begin the game at 7:00 it will be necessary to leave as early as possible. The players should be ready to go and at the truck at 10 minutes till 5:00. Necessary arrangements should be made in the morning. Lunch will be provided and served on the truck so that no time will be lost. Schmidt and Stucky will have the teams lined up. If every one cooperates we should be able to get off on a good start. Rumours are that our socks are good bait for the Bucks. But we can assure them that they will have to chew mighty hard stuff. Here is hoping that the weather will give us a good break.

FATHER'S DAY



Father's Day is on June 17. Here is a chance to express our appreciation to our fathers. More often than not the contributions of father are overlooked. More than we realize our hopes, ambitions, abilities, and attributes have been colored by father's influence. A gift, card, or letter will be appreciated by father. Of greater importance than any gift or letter is our personal devotion to father and living a life that can be honored by father.

CALANDAR of EVENTS

Friday, June 8
6:00 Recreation

Saturday, June 9
5:00 Softball team
leaves for Denver.

Sunday, June 10
10:00 Sunday School
11:00 Worship Service
(Rev. Freeman Swartz)

Monday, June 11
6:00 Welding Class
8:00 Music Hour
Recreation

Tuesday, June 12
6:00 Welding Class

Wednesday, June 13
6:00 Recreation
8:00 Prayer meeting

Thursday, June 14
6:00 Welding Class

Friday, June 15
Recreation

CROQUET SET

A new six-man croquet set has been received for recreational use in camp. The large price necessary to buy the set demands that we take exceptionally good care of it. So that weather and rain do not deteriorate the wooden balls and mallets, they should be placed in the box provided for that purpose. We hope to see plenty of action on the croquet court.

MORE TROUBLE

A report from Gene Sallaska informs us that his finger is festering. If it continues it may be necessary to scrape the bone. He is still unable to close his hand.

GOOD TIME REPORTED

Those who participated in the skating party Monday nite reported an enjoyable time. It is hoped that another party can be arranged in the future. We appreciate also the use of the rink made possible by the manager.

NEW CAMPER

Keith Miller arrived in camp the 5th of June. He is an Old Mennonite and comes from Falfurrias, Texas. Due to a sprain of his left ankle he will not be able to do work for about three weeks. We hope his stay here will be enjoyable.

GOOD NEWS

The announcement that Selective Service has decided that Civilian Public Service will be ended six months after the conclusion of the war comes as a surprise. Again we are reminded that there are those seeking to provide justice for conscientious objectors.

ORDWAY GENTS

The Ordway men are now working on a dam about 25 miles north of Ordway. The dam is to be 1600 ft. long with a 15 ft. fill. Other dams, reservoirs, and stock ponds are coming up. The men have moved from the hotel to a nice apartment with two rooms and private bath. On Decoration Day a terrible hail storm did quite a bit of damage in the vicinity of Ordway. Some hail measured up to 8 inches in circumference.

PATCHES

To be married June 10, is Donald Bissey. Don is probably more unaware of CPS than any one in camp.... Predictions of the tennis tournament were upset when Vic Becker beat Waldo Voth in a tennis match. That is Vic plus some windy rooters on the side line who had it in for Voth.... Director Schmidt still hopes to become popular by increasing the harvest furlough quota from 15 to 25%. So far no luck..... The Educational Director is now in position to help any single men contemplating marriage.

BOOK MISSING

The book, TRANSFORMING FRIENDSHIP, by Leslie D. Weatherhead, is missing. Will you please check thru your books to see if you might have it. This book was loaned to us with a number of others thru Loan Library. They are now due and must be returned.

SUNDAY RELIEF WORKERS

Kitchen Relief: Alfred Hinz, Les Hostetler, Melvin Jantz, Edwin Karber, John Kliewer, and Paul Koehn. Orderlies: Walt Krehbiel.