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LIBERTY BOND CAMPAIGN.

Centre County Organized for a Big Drive Next Week.

In compliance with the call sent out last week by Charles M. McCurdy, president of the First National bank, representatives from practically all the banks in Centre county met at the Country club last Saturday evening

Chairman—Charles M. McCurdy, First National bank, Philipsburg. Secretary—George R. Meek, Centre County bank, Bellefonte.

It was planned at the meeting to have the ministers throughout the county preach a special Liberty Bond sermon on a day and date to be announced later, and October 24th will be celebrated as Liberty Day.

Hauling Coal to Bellefonte by Auto Truck.

While W. J. Emerick, the well known auto bus proprietor of Bellefonte, is not exactly engaged in "hauling coals to New Castle," he is doing his best to relieve the coal shortage in this place by hauling coal here from the Snow Shoe region by auto truck.

Physicians Increase Charges for Professional Services. At a regular meeting of the Centre County Medical society, held in the court house in Bellefonte, Wednesday, September 19th, 1917, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

Resolved: That on and after the first day of October, 1917, an advance of fifty per cent. (50 per cent.) will be made, as based on previous charges, for all professional services rendered; and be it further

Resolved: That the public is respectfully requested to refrain from calling physicians for immediate response during their office hours, except for cases of emergency when they will be responded to as speedily as possible.

RHONE.—At just 9:30 o'clock on Tuesday night Hon. Leonard Rhone passed away at his home, "Rhoney-meade," in Centre Hall. He had been ailing ever since last winter when he fell on the ice and injured himself, but at that his death was rather unexpected.

Mr. Rhone was of German extraction, his great grandfather, John Rhone, coming to this country from Hamburg, Germany. The founder of the Centre county branch of the family was Michael Rhone, who came here from Berks county and located in Haines township.

When the Patrons of Husbandry were first organized he at once became interested in the association as a means of bettering the condition of farmers generally and he was one of the original members in Centre county.

Rev. Dr. William Marquard Beetem Glanding was a son of Joan Nelson and Caroline Beetem Glanding and was born in Altoona on May 27th, 1856, hence at his death was 61 years, 3 months and 27 days old.

The funeral services in the Lutheran church at four o'clock on Monday afternoon were in charge of the Rev. Dr. E. H. Yocum, Dr. A. M. Schmidt and Rev. E. P. Dunn, of Bellefonte; Rev. C. N. Shindler, of Lock Haven, and Rev. L. N. Fleck, of Pine Grove Mills.

HENRY.—Mrs. Jennie Thompson Henry, widow of James Beatty Henry, of Milroy, died at two o'clock yesterday morning at the home of her brother, Budd Thompson, at Martha Furnace.

Deceased was the eldest child of Mr. and Mrs. John Thompson and was born at Martha Furnace. During her married life the family lived at Milroy but since the death of her husband about twenty years ago she has made her home with her brother.

HOY.—Mr. and Mrs. Harry I. Hoy, of Marion township, are mourning the death of their infant son, Floyd Lee, aged 3 months and 18 days, who died last Thursday morning of cholera infantum.

GLANDING.—The people of Bellefonte sustained another shock on Sunday morning when the tidings were heralded broadcast that Rev. W. M. B. Glanding had been found dead in bed at the Lutheran parsonage on east Linn street.

By that time considerable alarm had spread among the members of the congregation and G. F. Hartranft, Charles Shaffer and another member went to investigate. No response being made to their ringing of the doorbell they went around to the rear of the parsonage, removed the window sticks from a window, hoisted it and entered.

Dr. O. Perry Reese, one of the oldest and best known residents of Kylertown, Clearfield county, committed suicide about six o'clock on Sunday morning by shooting himself in the head and falling dead in the doorway of the small store he has conducted in the village for a number of years past.

KELLEY.—James Kelley, an aged and well known resident of Axe Mann, died on Sunday morning of diseases incident to his advanced age. He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. John Kelley and was born in Ireland ninety years ago.

THOMAS.—Mrs. Catharine J. Thomas, wife of Samuel Thomas, died at her home on Halfmoon hill at ten o'clock last Thursday evening following a prolonged illness with rheumatism.

MINGLE.—James B. Mingle, who came to Bellefonte last week to visit his brother-in-law, Donald Snyder, on east Lamb street, was taken violently sick on Thursday afternoon and died at the Bellefonte hospital on Tuesday afternoon.

Items of News from Troop L. While the "Watchman" has not yet secured a correspondent to keep the home people informed of Troop L and their life at Camp Hancock the editor has personal information that all the boys are well and contented.

Reorganization of the Pennsylvania National Guard. Army orders were issued on Sunday for the reorganization of the Pennsylvania National Guard now in training at Fort Hancock, Augusta, Ga.

BEIGHTOL.—Mrs. Nellie Richards Beightol, widow of Emanuel Beightol, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John Howard, in Tyrone, shortly after eleven o'clock on Saturday night.

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Work of Centre County Exemption Board. Now that the time has passed for the filing of any claims of exemption or discharge from the selective draft, the following statement will fairly represent the work of the local board to date:

Table showing exemption statistics: No exemption claims, 112; Exemptions refused, 24-136; Exempted, 23; Discharged, 141; Total drawn, 435.

The War Library Fund. The American Library Association has undertaken to supply libraries to our soldiers. This county is asked to raise \$1,000,000.

Auto Speeders Discharged by Justice of the Peace. Borough officials of Howard recently decided to go after automobilists who persisted in running through that town at a speed exceeding fifteen miles an hour and accordingly set a trap and employed two plain clothes men to get the victims.

A Double Wedding. Walter B. Rankin, son of Mr. W. B. Rankin, of this place, and Miss Irene Rohrer, a teacher in the public schools of Harrisburg, were united in marriage at four o'clock on Wednesday afternoon in Stephens Memorial Methodist church in Harrisburg by the pastor, Rev. Clayton Albert Smucker.

Butz-Joyner.—Lieut. Gerald Butz, eldest son of Mrs. George C. Butz, of State College, and Miss Elizabeth Joyner, of "Darlington," Cambridge, Mass., were married on Wednesday evening of this week.

Col. Spangler Appointed on Conciliation Board. On Thursday of last week President Wilson announced the creation of another special commission to be known as the conciliation board whose duties it will be to visit localities in which there is unrest in the labor situation and develop, if possible, a better understanding between employers and employees.

On the fifth page of today's "Watchman" will be found an advertisement of the Beatty Motor company, which has established its headquarters in the rear of Crider's Exchange. This company will handle the Ford cars only and a full line of Ford repairs and will represent practically all of Centre county.

The Centre county exemption board has been notified to have five per cent. of the county's quota of national army men ready to send to Camp Meade on or about October 3rd, and seven of the young men who were sent back home last week have been summoned to come to Bellefonte next Tuesday and be ready to go to camp when ordered.

On Wednesday Harry F. Chaney, a life-long resident of Port Matilda, sold his home in that place, consisting of a good house and six acres of land, to O. D. Eberts, of Martha, the price being \$4,000.

through failure of the postal authorities to locate them. The board has no knowledge yet of any of the selected men who is actually a slacker.

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A number of organizations cannot reported before the end of the week, but the Woman's Club, which held its meeting on Monday evening, contributed \$25.00.

A request has been sent out to the Women's Suffrage organization through the county and to the members in Bellefonte, which has resulted so far in a response of \$25.00. At the Grange picnic, \$14.25 was raised. The St. John's Guild of the Episcopal church has contributed \$10.00.

But the victims didn't remit. They banded together and declared they would contest the case and engaged attorney S. D. Gettig, of this place, to do the contesting.

The hearing before Squire Pletcher was set for two o'clock Monday afternoon and when the hour arrived the "Squire's office would not have been big enough to hold the crowd of automobilists and others who gathered for the contest.

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