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THOMAS MENCHIO ACQUITTED.

Was Declared Not Guilty of Murdering Walter Young.

After deliberating three hours the jury in the case of the Commonwealth against Thomas Menchio, the Italian charged with the murder of Walter Young, at Philipsburg, returned a verdict of acquittal at eleven o'clock on Friday night.

The Young and Menchio families lived neighbors in Philipsburg. Both have children. Mrs. Young blamed the Menchio children for throwing stones at her children. One day about the middle of May Mrs. Young upbraided Mrs. Menchio for allowing her children to throw stones and Mrs. Menchio retaliated by calling Mrs. Young names.

The remains will be brought to Bellefonte this (Friday) evening and taken to the home of her brother on Curtin street. The funeral will be held at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon from the Episcopal church.

BURRELL.—Following an illness of some weeks with heart trouble Andrew Gregg Burrell, a retired farmer of Gregg township, died at his home at Spring Mills last Friday morning.

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Bellefonte to Have a Cash Meat Market.

John P. Eckel, who recently quit the butchering business at Pleasant Gap and went to Greensburg, has returned to Bellefonte and rented the room on High street vacated by James Wian and as soon as it can be put in shape will establish a cash meat market therein.

LUKENBACH.—Mrs. Catharine M. Lukenbach, wife of Frank K. Lukenbach, of Tyrone, died at the Lakeside hospital, Cleveland, Ohio, at five o'clock yesterday morning.

Mrs. Lukenbach was a daughter of Charles and Celia Montgomery Bullock and was born in Bellefonte on August 25th, 1870, hence was 47 years, 1 month and 9 days old.

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COONEY.—Following an illness of some weeks with a complication of diseases Mrs. Kathryn E. Cooney, wife of Martin Cooney, passed away at her home on west Bishop street at three o'clock on Tuesday afternoon.

Surviving her are her husband and the following children: Misses Elizabeth, Mary, Stella and Margaret, at home, and Mrs. Ray Stauffer, of Hazleton.

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Brief Meeting of Borough Council.

Six members were present at the regular meeting of borough council on Monday evening.

A written communication was received from the Bellefonte Fuel & Supply company requesting the payment of a bill of \$46.96 for coal furnished the water department last spring and which has been held up pending an adjustment of matters with the State-Centre Electric company.

Chairman Harris of the Street committee reported various repairs to streets. At this juncture Dr. Brockerhoff called attention to the action of council at a recent meeting, when he was not present, relative to removing the crossing on Bishop street between Spring and Allegheny.

The water committee reported repairing the water pipe at the old Thomas property and up on Ridge street. Mr. Seibert also called attention to the request of the Titan Metal company for a three inch pipe to their new plant.

Mr. Flack, of the Fire and Police committee entered a protest against the employment of two extra policemen every Saturday night, and he was informed that it was within the committee's power to notify the burgess that such extra service is not now deemed necessary.

The Finance committee reported a balance of \$1,157.44 in the hands of the borough treasurer on October first. The Special committee reported further progress in the matter of adjustments with the State-Centre Electric company.

The Hoy School House Destroyed by Fire. The Hoy school house in Benner township was entirely destroyed by fire on Monday morning.

FETZER.—Michael Fetzer, a veteran of the Civil war, died at his home at Yarnell last Friday morning, following a lingering illness.

KLING.—After suffering for several years with a complication of diseases Benjamin Franklin Kling died at his home at Yarnell on Wednesday morning of last week, aged 69 years.

MAIL AGENT.—Robert Sechler transferred. Orders were issued by the Postoffice Department on Monday that effective October 15th a change will be made in the mail service on the Lewisburg and Tyrone railroad.

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Cigarettes have now advanced in price in Bellefonte.

"Send him a photograph"—Mallory Studio. 39-1f

A nine thousand pound roll was cast at the Abrams Engineering company's foundry recently for Dr. C. T. Hennig's big steel plant at Hyde City.

Sheriff Yarnell, chief of police Harry Dukeman and constable Howard Smead drove out to Monument last Saturday and arrested Pete Marone, who several years ago jumped his bail bond in Bradford county.

How would you like to have one hundred hogs for sale with pork at the price it is today? Now this may seem rather big but that is just what Milo B. Campbell, of Fairbrook, has. In fact, to be absolutely correct he has 110 head which he is fattening for home consumption and market, and he estimates that if the price continues up he will get about \$3,000 for his pork.

Rev. L. V. Jones, of the A. M. E. church, was a happy man when he left on Tuesday to attend their annual church conference in Pittsburgh. Recently the Sunday school held a rally which netted the sum of \$126.50, an amount sufficient to pay all of the pastor's salary and liquidate the church indebtedness, so that he went to conference with a clean slate after serving the Bellefonte church three years.

Bellefonte people will likely be interested in the announcement of the marriage on Tuesday, September 25th, of Raymond B. Culver, the gentleman who conducted the music at the Orr evangelistic meetings here several years ago, and Miss Annabel Wood, the wedding having taken place at the home of Prof. Henry B. Wright, of New Haven, Conn.

C. C. Brungard, of Loganton, who was awarded the contract to carry the United States mail by motor vehicle on the Nittany valley route between Bellefonte and Lock Haven, started his job on Monday. He has provided himself with a high powered auto truck and is thus equipped to haul passengers or packages in addition to the mail.

The second week after the opening of the Bellefonte Academy Jacob Hess, a member of the faculty from Lancaster county, got his summons that he had been drawn with the first contingent of the new national army. Mr. Hess was instructor in French, German and Spanish at the Academy and because no one could be secured at the time to take his place, headmaster James R. Hughes made an appeal for his exemption to his home exemption board and also the district board, but both boards declined to consider the case.

Probably the most ridiculous story growing out of the general campaign for food conservation is the one that certain pro-Germans are circulating to the effect that the government expects to confiscate half the canned goods that it has been urging thrifty housewives to put up. These lying enemies have even been able to procure food administration buttons and wearing them they work upon the credulous with the idea of discouraging thrift in this country, so that if the war lasts long enough we might be made to feel the pinch of hunger through not having conserved our food-stuffs.

Park Weaver, of Weaver Bros. grocery, was out delivering peaches on Monday in their Ford truck. Along about one o'clock he stopped at a house on the corner of Lamb & Ridge streets and while he was carrying a basket of peaches into the house his truck started to move of its own accord, it being down grade. The car had not gone far until the right front wheel hit a stone which turned the steering gear and it headed down Ridge street toward Linn.

Joseph Undercoffer, assistant baggage-master at the Pennsylvania railroad station in this place, doesn't take very many trips but when he does go away for a few days he generally manages to see all there is to be seen. He spent last Sunday with his son William at Carnegie and while there got a chance to go through the coal mine of Honus Wagner, the great shortstop of the Pittsburgh ball team. A few years ago Honus bought about one hundred acres of land just off of Doolittle street, Carnegie, for almost a song.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Achenbach moved from Bellefonte to Lock Haven. The military rating of Company B was given as 95.29, third on the list of the Fifth Regiment.

Munroe Cramer, a carpenter, narrowly escaped death by falling from the roof of the Nittany Country club house while applying creosote stain.

In Bellefonte markets wheat sold at 85 cents, corn 35, potatoes 40, eggs 15, butter 15 and good old country ham at 10 cents.

Notice to Women. It has been learned that not all those women who signed pledge cards in the Hoover Food Conservation campaign in July have received the promised home window cards. If any person in Centre county has been overlooked through incomplete address, possible loss of the card in Washington, or other cause, will communicate with the Public Safety headquarters (seventh floor, Finance building, Philadelphia) by postal, the card will be mailed promptly.

Two Weddings in Confer Family.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Edward Confer, at Yarnell, was the scene of a pretty wedding last Saturday morning when their daughter, Miss Trixie Confer, was united in marriage to William Claire Shawley, of the same place. Only the immediate friends of the two young people witnessed the ceremony which was performed by Rev. M. C. Piper, of the Methodist church.

On the same day Arthur L. Confer, Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Confer's eldest son, was united in marriage at Buffalo, N. Y., to Miss Emma Karp, of North Tonawanda. They came to Centre county this week and have been spending a part of their honeymoon at the Confer home at Yarnell, and on Tuesday evening a big reception was given to both young couples. Mr. and Mrs. Shawley will make their home at Yarnell and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Confer will live at North Tonawanda, where the bridegroom has been employed for some time.

Cole—Ardery.—Nevin R. Cole and Miss Lela Ardery were quietly married at six o'clock last evening at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Ardery, on Reynolds avenue. Only immediate members of the contracting parties were present as witnesses to the ceremony which was performed by Dr. A. M. Schmidt, of the Reformed church. Both young people are quite well known in Bellefonte and their many friends wish them a happy and successful married life. They will go to housekeeping in one of the Shope houses on Thomas street, which has already been furnished.

Sprankle—Wilson.—O. M. Sprankle, of Tyrone, and Miss Maude F. Wilson, of Julian, were married on Wednesday last week at the First Methodist church parsonage in Huntingdon by the pastor, Rev. George L. Woomey. Mr. Sprankle is proprietor of a meat market in Tyrone and he and his bride will occupy the Sprankle home on west Washington avenue.

Official figures from the registrar gives The Pennsylvania State College a total enrollment of 2,033 students in all the departments this year. This is about 300 short of last year. The attendance, however, is far beyond the expectations of the authorities, who during the summer predicted an undergraduate body of from 1500 to 1700.

The Freshman class numbers 737, an increase of seven over last year. Other classes are back in reduced numbers. Chiefly through the enlistments of its members in patriotic service, the Senior class suffered most. Only 265, or about fifty per cent. of its membership, are on hand. In the School of Agriculture there was a decided drop in Freshman enrollment, while in the engineering school there are almost a hundred more Freshmen than registered there last year. The most pronounced increase is noted in the department of industrial engineering. This instance is regarded as an evidence of the trend of education toward specialized technical training during wartime.

Gigs Eel With a Meat Fork.

The State College football players were treated to an unusual sight here last Friday afternoon when they saw Matthew Wagner gig an eel with a meat fork and bring it safely to land. The footballists came to Bellefonte on a special train over the Bellefonte Central railroad to catch the Pennsylvania-Lehigh for their game at Allentown. In the few minutes they had between trains they came over to the bridge to verify the frequently published stories about the trout in Spring creek. And they not only saw dozens of them, ranging in size from six inches to two feet and were almost carried off their feet by the sight, but they also saw a big eel swimming down the creek from the falls.

Matthew Wagner happened to be nearby and the eel appealed to him. Securing an old meat fork at the Bush house he plunged into the creek below the bridge and although the eel had a fair handicap Wagner gave chase and gipped it about amidships with the fork, bringing it safely to land and showing it as exhibit A to the astonished footballists. The eel was over thirty inches long and as thick as a man's wrist.

This Week Twenty Years Ago.

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