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Two Years Ago Yesterday.

Two years ago, yesterday, Bellefonte and every other community throughout the United States and the world was rejoicing over the declaration of the armistice which ended the great war.

Herbert Bailey, an English writer, who closely analyzed the part which the American soldier played in the suppression of the German menace, more especially the Argonne Forest drive, and he gave the American troops their proper place in history. He said:

When the order came for fighting to cease on November 11 all the positions had been maintained and the Fifth Division was knee-deep in mud in the wilderness of the Woivre forest.

The signing of the armistice and the cessation of hostilities came as a great surprise to the American troops, despite all the rumors of approaching peace.

Succeed they did after a mighty struggle, reflecting nothing but credit and glory on American arms, that lasted 47 days at a total cost to the Americans alone of 115,529, of whom 15,599 were killed.

Discussing the positions of the Americans when hostilities ceased, Mr. Bailey points out that the Germans were in for a terrific walloping, which they evidently appreciated, when the curtain dropped two years ago.

November 14 was the day selected when the cream of the American forces, in what would have been the greatest drive of the war, were to shatter the Germans in an attack through the rain and Alsace, and that day would indeed have been a great day in American history.

So it is that Americans applaud their splendid boys who rallied to the colors in the cause of civilization and paid tribute to them yesterday while giving thanks to the God of battle for showing America the way and directing the warriors of this country in their final assault upon the entrenched foe of liberty, righteousness and justice.

Daughters of Isabella will Celebrate First Anniversary.

The Patrick McArdle Court Daughters of Isabella, of Bellefonte, will celebrate its first anniversary on Sunday with mass in St. John's Catholic church at 10:30 o'clock in the morning and degree work in the afternoon in the Knights of Columbus hall in the Bellefonte Trust Co. building.

Marriage Licenses.

Joseph W. Nyman and Rena B. Emenhizer, of Howard.

Robert B. Cowan, of Tyrone, and Mildred B. Estring, of Wington.

If you want all the news you can get it in the "Watchman."

MATERN.—John F. Matern, a former well known merchant of Warriorsmark and who had a wide acquaintance throughout the western end of Centre county, died on Sunday evening at the home of his son, Lewis Matern, in Washington, D. C., of a complication of diseases following an attack of pleurisy.

He was a son of Jacob and Susan Matern and was born at Franklinville on October 25th, 1841, hence was in his eightieth year. His early life was spent on his father's farm but when he grew to manhood he went into partnership with his brother Jacob, in the mercantile business at Warriorsmark where he remained until his retirement about twenty years ago.

HOSTERMAN.—Thomas William Hosterman died at his home at Woodward on November 3rd as the result of a stroke of apoplexy sustained on October 30th, aged 75 years, 9 months and 18 days.

He was born at Woodward on October 30th, aged 75 years, 9 months and 18 days. His early life was spent on the farm but thirty-four years ago he moved to Coburn where he served as postmaster for twenty years.

He was married in 1863, he married Rachael Vonada. The result of this union was sixteen children, nine of whom preceded their father to the grave.

LEGO.—William Thomas Lego died at his home at Port Matilda on October 30th of pneumonia and blood poisoning following an illness of five days. He was born at Bald Eagle and was 56 years, 3 months and 18 days old.

JUSTICE.—Catharine J. Justice, the little daughter of Homer and Marie Billett Justice, died on November first as the result of illness with marasmus, aged one year. Burial was made in the Meyer's cemetery, on November 2nd.

BIRTHS.

Martin.—On October 23, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Martin, a daughter, Eleanor Elizabeth.

Houser.—On October 7, to Mr. and Mrs. Miles R. Houser, of Benner township, a daughter.

Gross.—On October 14, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gross, of Spring township, a son, David Edward.

O'Leary.—On October 13, to Mr. and Mrs. Daniel O'Leary, of Bellefonte, a daughter, Honarah.

Pease.—On October 8, to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph P. Pease, of Spring township, a daughter, Fannie Elizabeth.

Lytle.—On October 3, to Mr. and Mrs. Preston A. Lytle, of Bellefonte, a daughter, Lillian Marie.

Spangler.—On October 13, to Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Spangler, of Bellefonte, a son, James L.

Justice.—On October 17, to Mr. and Mrs. Homer Justice, of Spring township, a daughter, Katherine I.

Dugan.—On October 7, to Mr. and Mrs. James E. Dugan, of Bellefonte, a son, Elwood J.

Smith.—On October 1, to Mr. and Mrs. Morton Smith, of Bellefonte, a daughter, Katherine Elizabeth.

Waite.—On October 19, to Mr. and Mrs. Earl L. Waite, of Spring township, a son, Louis Henry.

Dunkleberger.—On October 12, to Mr. and Mrs. Walter I. Dunkleberger, of Spring township, a son, John Edwin.

Rush.—On October 13, to Mr. and Mrs. Clayton W. Rush, of Spring township, a daughter, Mabel Lucille.

Appropriate Marker Dedicated to Memory of Solomon Dale.

An interesting service was held in the Lutheran church at Boalsburg on Sunday afternoon, November 7th. The meeting was called to do honor to the memory of Solomon Dale, who was lost at the Battle of Spottsylvania on the 12th of May, 1864, during the Civil war, and to dedicate a marker on the family plot, which had been erected by the family of the young soldier who had lost his life in the defense of his country.

The program was in charge of Clement Dale Esq., of Bellefonte, who stated the object of the meeting and gave a brief sketch of the life and character of Solomon Dale. The speaker read a letter which had been written by his brother from the battlefield of Chancellorsville, dated May 4th, 1863, which letter had been carefully preserved during the long period which had intervened between the time of that terrible conflict and the present, a period of over fifty-seven years.

The State College quartet was present and from the beginning to the end of the exercises rendered most excellent music of a patriotic order. Mary R. Dale sang a solo appropriate to the occasion. At the conclusion of the exercises in the church, the audience adjourned to the cemetery immediately adjoining the church where on the Dale family plot they surrounded the marker which was solemnly dedicated to the memory of Solomon Dale.

Solomon Dale was the son of Christian Dale and a member of this well-known large family, who were born and reared on the old Dale homestead at Oak Hall. Four members of the family enlisted as volunteers in the service of their country during the Civil war, and Solomon Dale was among the number.

Real Estate Transfers.

Albert V. Miller, et ux, to W. A. Spotts, tract in Huston township; \$850.

Andrew Chambers to Thos. Chambers, et ux, tract in Snow Shoe township; \$1.

J. G. Gordon Foster, et al, to A. F. Heckman, et ux, tract in State College; \$10,500.

Jeannette Ratus to Bertha Rhoades Bauer, tract in Boggs township; \$500.

T. E. Thomas, et ux, to Niles Firebrick Co., tract in Taylor and Halfmoon townships; \$1.

J. W. Gephart, et ux, to Arthur Graham, tract in Burnside township; \$1.

Herbert J. Bickford, et al, trustee, to Bertha M. Hoffman, tract in Walker township; \$35.

Anna L. Holes, et bar, to Anna A. Walters, et bar, tract in Rush township; \$1250.

Jacob S. Williams, et ux, to Grace R. Williams, tract in Worth township; \$350.

Schlow.—On November 5th, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schlow, of Bellefonte, a daughter.

When you want good job work come to the "Watchman" office.

Official Vote of Centre County.

Judge Henry C. Quigley, ex-prothonotary D. R. Foreman and J. Thomas Mitchell Esq., made the official count of the vote cast at the election on November 2nd in Centre county last Thursday and the largest vote was for President, a total of 13,171. This is just 4846 more votes than were cast in 1916 when the total was 8,325.

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The Governor in accepting the place as honorary chairman, wrote to the Pennsylvania Tuberculosis society, a citizen organization which conducts the Seal sale annually, as follows:

"I have your favor of a few days ago, inviting me to act as honorary chairman of your State committee in charge of the Christmas seal sale, and hasten to advise you that I shall be very glad indeed to serve you in that or any other capacity that will aid in your relentless battle against tuberculosis. No possible effort should be spared in our efforts to stamp out a disease of this character, so prevalent among so many people."

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"Every man, woman and child can help in this great campaign against the white plague by purchasing Christmas seals and health bonds. I would like to see the 1920 Christmas seal sale the biggest kind of a success, because that is one of the best ways to help stop the killing of our people by this cruel, needless, and preventable scourge."

In our community the sale of Seals should be unusually large this year as seventy-five per cent. of the money derived from the sale goes to the local committee to be expended for educational purposes and for sufferers from tuberculosis. The sum allowed for educational purposes the past year was expended in the health crusade work in the public schools and that it is an excellent aid in interesting children in health-education has been recognized by both teachers and parents.

The scope of the crusade must be determined by the amount of Seals sold and since HEALTH is the best investment we can make for our children let us generously support this community-welfare movement.

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Intensive Drive for Red Cross Members.

All preliminary arrangements have been made by the Bellefonte Chapter for the intensive drive for Red Cross members on Sunday afternoon between the hours of two and four o'clock. The town has been districted and canvassers appointed for each district, the districts having been made small enough so that the work can easily be done in two hours.

It is hoped that in this way the most of the people in the town can be reached, and those who cannot will be seen in the future. The officers of the Bellefonte Chapter are counting on the enrollment this year to be sufficient to assure the continuance of the service of the community nurse, and to this end they appeal for a generous response to the canvassers. Endorsing the Red Cross Edwin T. Meredith, Secretary of Agriculture says:

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Plans are being completed by the War Department for preparing the nation for instantaneous defense. The first line will consist of the regular army of 300,000 troops; the second line, of 435,000 officers and men of the national guard. Most important of all is the appointment of 70,000 officers, and possibly 12,000 more, who will command a vast reserve force consisting of every eligible man of draft age in the United States. The country will be divided into nine military districts, known as corps areas, and each will be in charge of a corps area commander. The national guard will also be available for the suppression of disturbances caused by violence, fire, flood or epidemic and will guard industrial centers, railroads, docks, bridges, etc., when necessary.

A city man likes to live in a good neighborhood and neighbors with wealth enough to keep them away from home most of the time.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WANTED.—Two neat, responsible women to do cleaning in College Dormitories. Apply at Office of Director, McAllister Hall, State College, 65-45-1t

FOR SALE.—Trained female rabbit hound, 3 1/2 years old. A No. 1 stock. May be seen any evening after 5:30 o'clock. JACK HOUCK, S. Thomas St., Bellefonte, Pa. 65-45-2t

REAL ESTATE.—J. M. KEICHLINE, real estate operator in Centre county buys and sells real estate. If you want to buy or sell real estate write to him or himself at his office in Temple court, Bellefonte, Pa. 65-28-6m

WANTED.—Mother's Helper, fond of children and in good health. \$55 a month. Car fare provided and return if desired, at the end of three months. References exchanged. Apply to Mrs. F. B. BAKER, Jr., 2229 Kerrwood Road, Cleveland Heights, Ohio. 65-45-3t

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Letters of administration having been granted to the undersigned upon the estate of Oscar Wetzel, late of the borough of Bellefonte, deceased, all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to make prompt payment, and those having claims against the same must present them, duly authenticated, for settlement. EMMA V. WETZEL, Administratrix, Bellefonte, Pa. 65-45-4t

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Letters of administration having been granted to the undersigned upon the estate of Ellen M. Fleck, late of Huston township, deceased, all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to make prompt payment, and those having claims against the same must present them, duly authenticated, for settlement. J. ELMER HENDERSON, Administrator, Gettysburg, Pa. 65-45-4t

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Letters of administration d. b. n. having been issued to the undersigned upon the estate of Jennie M. Tate, late of Ferguson township, deceased, all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to make prompt payment, and those having claims against the same must present them, duly authenticated, for settlement. CELIA SNYDER, Administratrix d. b. n., Pine Grove Mills, Pa. 65-42-6t

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR CHARTER.—Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Governor of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, on the 29th day of November, A. D. 1920, by C. Y. Wagner, J. L. Spangler, R. B. Spangler, and Charles H. Wagner, under the Act of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled, "An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements and amendments thereto, for the Charter of an intended corporation to be called "C. Y. WAGNER & COMPANY, INCORPORATED," the character and object of which is the manufacture of flour and food products, of wheat, rye, oats, barley, corn and other grains, and the manufacture out of said grain of chop, middlings, bran and other feeds and the sale of all said products, when manufactured as aforesaid, and for these purposes to have and possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of the said Act of Assembly and its supplements and amendments thereto. SPANGLER and WALKER, Solicitors. 65-43-4t

Good Farm for Sale.

The undersigned will offer at public sale on FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 19th, 1920, at 2 o'clock p. m., the well known Hastings farm on Buffalo Run, 190 acres, good timber, good pasture, good buildings, good water, splendid orchards and high quality limestone vein through the farm. Apply to EDWARD GROSS, Bellefonte, Pa. 43-tf

Carpenters Wanted!

Carpenters for construction work. Wages 80c. per hour for first class men. 10 hours per day. Long job. Good boarding accommodations for \$8.00 per week. Transportation one way refunded after six weeks steady work. Call at our employment office ready for work. THE VICOSE COMPANY, 65-42-5t Lewistown, Pa.

Laborers Wanted!

Laborers for construction work. Wages 50c. per hour. 10 hours per day. Long job and best men will be retained afterwards. Good boarding for \$8.00 per week. Call at our employment office ready for work. THE VICOSE COMPANY, 65-42-5t Lewistown, Pa.