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Former Bellefonte Girl Weds Young Movie Actor.

Last Friday's Philadelphia Public Ledger published the following story of the marriage of Miss Virginia Bell Hiller. Many of our readers will be interested in it since the bride lived here during most of her life.

The marriage of S. Edward Norris, 16, former Princeton student and motion-picture actor, to Miss Virginia Bell Hiller, 18, of the Warwick hotel, in the office of Justice of the Peace Frederick T. Cooper at Media, on December 6, was revealed to members of both families Wednesday.

Norris, who is a member of a well-known family, will be 17 on March 10. He gave his age as 22 and his bride said she was 21.

Married, they motored home and she left for Europe the next day with her mother, Mrs. Blanche Hiller, and her sister, Margaret Hayes Hiller, a Smith College graduate, planning to be gone ten months.

A rumor or two reached the Norris home that "Eddy" was married, or about to be, but his father, Dr. Richard C. Norris, 500 North 20th street, had no knowledge of the wedding until Wednesday, when he was told the records in Media revealed the elopement. Mrs. Hiller has not yet been told.

When the secret came out, the handsome young movie actor sent a cablegram to his bride in the south of France. It said, in effect:

"Better tell your mother."

Dr. Norris, commenting on the marriage, said:

"When a young man assumes a responsibility of that sort I think he should meet it. Let him get a job and support his wife."

"Eddy" would not comment on his immediate plans. He has been at home in Philadelphia for the last three months. But the seven preceding months he spent in Hollywood where he achieved considerable success in motion pictures.

His dark good looks, thanks to which he could easily pass for at least 23, enabled him to "double" for Charlie Rogers, who played the lead in the aviation picture, "Wings."

Mr. Norris also played in "Beau Sabreur." He will, he said, go on with his motion-picture work and expects to return to Hollywood in March. His wife will remain in Europe until September.

Only one member of the two families was in the confidence of the bride. Miss Grace Norris, sister of the bridegroom, and a recent debutante, is a close friend of Miss Hiller. She was aware of the friendship that began here a year ago, but had not been told of this wedding.

The bride is a daughter of the late Dr. Hiram and Blanche Hayes Hiller, of Chester and Bellefonte. He and Dr. Norris were close friends, Dr. Hiller having been one of Dr. Norris' pupils in the University of Pennsylvania Medical school. They were closely associated in practice in Philadelphia before Dr. Hiller moved to Bellefonte, where he died a few years ago.

The trip to Europe was planned as one of recuperation for Mrs. Hiller, who recently underwent a severe operation. The prospect of separation, friends say, caused the young couple to decide upon an immediate marriage.

"Babies" and Ladies Attraction at the Kiwanis Dinner.

"Babies" bright and ladies night brought out a large attendance at the Kiwanis dinner, at the Brockerhoff house, on Tuesday evening, and Mine Host Landsy made a hit by serving chicken. The State College quartette contributed to the pleasure of the gathering by their splendid rendition of a number of popular songs.

Ladies prizes were awarded Mrs. Parkhill, of Lock Haven, and Mrs. John Rossman, while the men remembered were James Wilkie and George T. Bush. G. F. Reiter, chairman of the January babies committee, was selected as toast master and he introduced as the speaker of the evening, Mr. Parkhill, of Lock Haven, who talked on age, his address sparkling with wit and wisdom.

Kiwanian Caum, of the Bell Telephone Company of Pennsylvania, entertained the assemblage with a unique and educational motion picture delineating the completion of a telephone call.

—As the speaker for the annual mid-year commencement exercises to be held next week when about eighty diplomas will be awarded, the Pennsylvania State College has obtained Dr. Francis W. Shephardson, of Chicago, national president of Beta Theta Pi, college fraternity. The graduating exercises take place at a time when the 54 fraternities at the college will hold a three-day conference where the nationally known fraternity official will be one of the principal speakers.

CLARK.—Announcement of the death of James W. Clark, in a hospital at Miami Beach, Fla., on Tuesday morning was quite a shock to his many Bellefonte and Centre county friends, very few of whom had come to regard his illness as having reached a critical stage. Mr. Clark had not been well for the last four or five months and a little over three months ago was compelled to quit work in the offices of the Bellefonte Central Railroad company, in the Watchman building. Local physicians were at a loss to diagnose his ailment and specialists whom he consulted advised him to go to Florida. Accompanied by his wife he left Bellefonte on Saturday, January 14th, going from here to Philadelphia, where he again underwent an examination, then continued the southern trip to Miami Beach. While he was no doubt considerably fatigued by the trip he stood it fairly well and for a few days seemed to improve. Last week, however, he suffered a collapse and was taken to the hospital where he passed away on Tuesday morning.

He was a son of James and Rebecca Ann Clark and was born at Beech Creek about fifty-six years ago. His boyhood life was spent in that place where he was educated in the public schools. Later he took a course at the Potts Business College, Williamsport, where he specialized in shorthand and typewriting. At the completion of his course he accepted a position with the Hough Manufacturing company, of Williamsport, where he remained until about the year 1900, when he came to Bellefonte as stenographer for the old Central Railroad Company of Pennsylvania as successor to C. B. Williams, resigned. He remained with that company until the road was scrapped in 1919, when he accepted a position with the Bellefonte Central and was with that company until ill health compelled him to quit work.

Mr. Clark was a faithful and painstaking official and a man of pleasing and congenial nature. Aside from his work his one great pleasure was following the trail during the hunting season and fishing for trout.

In 1902 he married Miss Dossie Lingle, of Beech Creek, who survives. He leaves, however, two brothers and two sisters, Quiggle, Robert and Miss Josephine Clark and Mrs. Ambrose Brady, all of Beech Creek. The remains were brought to Bellefonte yesterday and services will be held at his late home in the Montgomery apartments, on Allegheny St., at 2:30 tomorrow afternoon.

WYNN.—Mrs. Margaret Wynn, the widow of William H. Wynn, died at her home in Philipsburg, at nine o'clock on Saturday morning, as the result of an attack of heart trouble. She was a daughter of Daniel and Margaret McClain Ross and was born at Johnstown on December 15th, 1850, hence had reached the age of 77 years, 1 month and 13 days. In April, 1867 she married Mr. Wynn, of Bolivar, Pa., where they spent the first few years of their married life, then moved to Woodland, Clearfield county. In 1889 they located at Wallacetown, where Mr. Wynn engaged in the brick business. The family located in Philipsburg in 1902 where Mr. Wynn passed away in 1905.

Surviving the deceased are five children, Mrs. Alexander Patterson, of Clearfield; Mrs. J. H. France, of Philipsburg; D. Ross Wynn, of Orlando, Fla.; Mrs. Peter H. Ferguson and Mrs. Robert Downes, of Philipsburg. She also leaves one brother, W. J. Ross, of Karthaus, her stepmother, Mrs. Sarah Ross and a half-brother, R. Grant Ross, of Clearfield. Funeral services were held at her late home on Tuesday afternoon by Rev. S. B. Evans, burial being made in the Bradford cemetery, near Woodland.

GREGG.—Mrs. Mary Sankey Gregg, widow of the late James Gregg, died at her home at State College, on Monday evening, as the result of a stroke of paralysis sustained on Wednesday of last week. She was a daughter of John G. and Sarah Neff Sankey and was born in Georges valley fifty-six years ago. During her girlhood days her father sold the farm in Georges valley and moved onto another farm, near Centre Hall, where she married Mr. Gregg. Her husband for some years was a teacher in the Tyrone public schools and also an instructor at the Huntingdon reformatory.

He died twenty years ago and Mrs. Gregg had made her home at State College during the past twelve years. She had no children and being the last of the Sankey family her only survivors are three nieces and one nephew. Funeral services were held in the Methodist church, at State College, yesterday morning, after which the remains were brought to Bellefonte for burial in the Union cemetery.

MORGAN.—Louis Ray Morgan, formerly of Philipsburg, died quite suddenly at his home in Homestead, on Sunday, of a heart attack, aged 58 years. He was a son of B. Frank and Jane Faulkner Morgan, and was born in Philipsburg, where his early life was spent. At Homestead he held a good position with the Carnegie Steel company. When a young man he married Miss Emma Koons, of Centre Hall, who passed away several years ago, but he leaves one son, Louis B., of Crafton. The remains were taken to Centre Hall where burial was made on Wednesday afternoon.

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REED.—James Reed, for many years a well known and highly respected citizen of Boalsburg, died at his home in that place on Wednesday of last week, following a lingering illness with a complication of diseases.

He was a son of David and Elizabeth Sparr Reed and was born on the well known Reed farm, east of Pine Grove Mills, on January 2nd, 1849, hence was 79 years and 23 days old. As a young man he learned the trade of a stone mason which he followed the farm. His first venture in this direction was on the J. H. Mitchell farm, where he was quite successful. From there he moved to a small farm, near Shingletown, where he lived until the farm was purchased by J. F. Kimport, six years ago, when he retired to his home in Boalsburg. He was a member of the Presbyterian church, a good citizen and a kind and obliging neighbor.

He was twice married his first wife having been Miss Annie Sparr. Following her death he married Miss Katherine Dunklebarger, who survived him a few years ago. He was one of a family of twelve children and the only survivor is Miss Margaret Reed, of Pine Grove Mills. Funeral services were held in the Presbyterian church, at Boalsburg, on Saturday morning, by Rev. J. Max Kirkpatrick, assisted by Rev. W. W. Moyer, burial being made in the Boalsburg cemetery.

WENSEL.—Laird Wensel, only child of Gregg and Emma Wetzel Wensel, passed away at the family home in Howard, on Tuesday morning, following an illness of two weeks as the result of an attack of pneumonia. He was born at Howard and was 3 years, 4 months and 4 days old. Funeral services were held in the Reformed church at Howard, at two o'clock yesterday afternoon, by the pastor, burial being made in the Schenck cemetery.

Bellefonte Can Now Talk to Holland.

The sixth foreign nation was brought within speaking distance of American business and residence telephones with the extension of transatlantic radio telephone service to Amsterdam, Rotterdam and The Hague, in Holland, on January 30th. Connections are made via the transatlantic telephone link between the two continents to London and thence to Holland through submarine cables under the North Sea. The rate from Bellefonte to any of these three Dutch cities is \$78.75 for the first three minutes and \$26.25 for each minute thereafter. This is a charge of 25 cents per minute above the rate to Belgium.

This latest extension to the service makes it possible for the American caller to reach any one of a total of 1,836,500 telephones across the Atlantic from any of the 18,000,000 telephones in the United States.

Trial List for February Term

Twenty-seven civil cases have been listed for trial at the February term of court, and if all of them are called Judge Fleming will be a very busy man. The list is as follows:

FIRST WEEK.

George Seanson vs. Boalsburg Estate and A. A. Klinefelter, appeal.

George Seanson vs. Boalsburg Estate and J. I. Ross, appeal.

George Seanson vs. Boalsburg Estate and James Elliot, appeal.

George Seanson vs. Boalsburg Estate and Clyde Stamm, appeal.

SECOND WEEK.

Edna M. Carson vs. George W. Weaver, feigned issue.

Andrew Thal and Bertha Thal vs. J. V. Foster, trespass.

Harry W. Todd, vs. Homer Hess, trespass.

Antoine H. Burke and Mary L. Burke, his wife, a copartnership, trading as Burke Brothers vs. C. W. Hunter, assumpsit.

Elrea E. Ellenberger vs. the Pennsylvania Railroad Co., trespass.

J. Raymond Guyer vs. P. R. R. Co., trespass.

Guy D. Rossman and Minnie B. Rossman vs. P. R. R. Co., trespass.

Evergreen Hunting Club, a corporation, vs. P. R. R. Co., trespass.

Tyrone Mining and Manufacturing Co., a corporation vs. P. R. R. Co., trespass.

Laura E. Wright vs. Bellefonte Borough, trespass.

Neil Graffius vs. Steve Sawkin, trespass.

Minnie Graffius vs. Steve Sawkin, trespass.

J. E. Weaver vs. B. C. Dotterer, trespass.

J. Fred Slack vs. Paul Bradford and W. F. Bradford, replevin.

James Starrett vs. William Auto Parts Co., trespass.

Domer S. Ishler vs. James Schreck, executor of the W. E. Tate will, assumpsit.

Daniel Paul vs. O. P. McCord, assumpsit.

Samuel S. Leitzell vs. Chester M. Pringle, trespass.

R. E. Ellis vs. Otto Adamitz, assumpsit.

Harry K. Resides vs. J. G. Neidigh, M. W. Neidigh and M. C. Neidigh, trading as Neidigh Brothers Lime & Stone Co., trespass.

Margaret May Sowers vs. Neidigh Brothers Lime & Stone Co., trespass.

B. Frank Davis and Fred L. Stonebraker vs. P. R. R., trespass.

I. M. Smith vs. Milton T. Yearick and W. D. Zerby, executors of Henry Eby, late of Millheim borough, assumpsit.

Talks With The Editor

This column is to be an open forum. Everybody is invited to make use of it to express whatever opinion they may have on any subject. Nothing libelous will be published, though we will give the public the widest latitude in invective when the subject is this paper or its editor. Contributions will be signed or initialed, as the contributor may desire.—ED.

A Former County Teacher Now in Engineering Work.

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 18, '28 Democratic Watchman:

I suppose you still remember me as being one of our county's former school teachers. Since leaving Centre I have devoted my time entirely to engineering and located permanently in Chicago three years ago.

We have some city and some politics, especially with our Mayor. He is cleaning out all our histories for he does not like having Washington termed a rebel to his mother country, and by so doing he feels that grateful Democrats should turn in and make him President of the U. S. A. Crine is going on continually and is becoming so common that one pays little attention to it any more. Business is depressed and thousands of men here are out of employment.

I am engaged as chief engineer for the largest laundry in America. Our business, at present, is not as large as usual which can be accounted for directly in the general scarcity of employment here.

Very truly yours,

EDWIN K. SMITH.

Dr. Glenn Writes of Deflation in Florida.

West Palm Beach, Florida Jan. 22, 1928.

The Democratic Watchman:

We left State College on the morning of January 4, three cars in the caravan and three persons in a car. Had fine weather all the way here and good roads.

We spent a day in Athens, Ga., half a day at Macon and at Brookville the party separated. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Deal, Mrs. James Holmes, Andrew, Howard and Miss Mary Struble went to St. Petersburg, on the west coast, while we headed for our usual retreat here.

We came clear across the State through a very large orange and grape fruit section. The trees were hanging full so that there is prospect of a bountiful crop.

Arrived here on the evening of January 13 and found our flat ready for us, even to the Watchman in the mail box waiting for us. Business is quiet. The hotel men I have talked with say they are only doing about 50% as much work as was done last year. Many houses, apartments and rooms are for rent. And anyone who wants to see Florida should be told that now is the time, for everything is reasonable; in fact very low as compared with former years.

As for us we like it better since there is not so much hustle and bustle. Many tourists are driving around but they seem to stay in their cars and keep going, with only over night stops where necessary.

There is no building going on here. In fact, no work for any new people. The barbers and dentists have cut their prices. A shave is now 20 cents and a hair cut 40 cents. The two were \$1.00 when we were here last winter. The dentists charged \$2.00 to pull a tooth. Now I observe that they are advertising to do it for half that price. Good meals can be had for 50 cents, so you see they are getting back to normal down here, very much to the advantage of those who have permanent and part time homes in this delightful winter resort.

W. S. GLENN.

Church Cornerstone Laid at State College, Wednesday.

The cornerstone for the new \$90,000 church for St. Andrew's parish, at State College, was laid on Wednesday afternoon with fitting religious services. Bishop James H. Darlington, of the Harrisburg diocese, of the Episcopal church, was in charge, and the address was made by Bishop John C. Ward, of Erie.

The church now under construction was made possible through the cooperative efforts of the five dioceses of the State to provide a center for religious work among the students at the Pennsylvania State College, who come from all over the State. Money for the building was subscribed in a campaign two years ago. The Rt. Rev. Ethelbert Talbot, Bishop of Bethlehem, directed the campaign after being chosen by the other Bishops of the State. Bishop Talbot was unable to attend the services on account of his health.

Completion of the new building will mark the first step in the proposed plan for a group of buildings to care for student work in the parish. The present structure is to be remodeled as a parish house after the church is ready for services.

The Rev. Edward M. Frear, rector of the parish, has been in charge of student work in State College since 1911.

—At a meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Centre County hospital, on Monday evening, the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. Eben Bower; first vice president, Miss Margaret Stewart; second vice president, Mrs. Joseph Hogentogler; treasurer, Mrs. W. J. Emerick; recording secretary, Mrs. W. Harrison Walker; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Charles R. Kurtz.

—The Watchman gives all the news while it is news.

LOCAL CHEVROLET DEALER PREPARES FOR BIG SALES.

Manager Decker Attends Sales Banquet in Pittsburgh to Prepare for Biggest Campaign in Chevrolet History.

With its production capacity 1,000 cars a day greater than a year ago, the Chevrolet Motor company in 1928 is planning to break all production and sales records in the history of the company, according to Mr. C. G. Decker, local Chevrolet dealer, who recently returned from Pittsburgh, where he attended the annual Chevrolet meeting in Syria Mosque on January 18th. He was accompanied by his assistant manager, Harry McClellan, of Milesburg, and C. E. Robb, assistant cashier of the First National bank, Bellefonte.

Six hundred fifty Chevrolet dealers who attended the meeting heard R. H. Grant, vice president of the Chevrolet Motor company in charge of sales, sound the keynote of the biggest campaign ever undertaken by Chevrolet. Applause rocked the big auditorium repeatedly as the Chevrolet sales chief outlined the plans for the sale of another million cars in 1928.

"Never before did a Chevrolet meeting create the enthusiasm that was displayed over the Chevrolet prospects for the year," Mr. Decker declared. "Everywhere there was confidence that Chevrolet would more than reach its goal."

High officials of the Chevrolet Motor company assisted Mr. Grant in the conduct of the meeting, which took the form of the most comprehensive sales presentation ever attempted by an automobile manufacturer. Talks were illustrated in the form of playlets, depicting the proper procedure to be followed in the successful operation of a retail automobile business.

Immediately following the meeting the dealers and 150 banker associates were guests of the Chevrolet Motor company at an elaborate banquet in the William Penn hotel. W. E. Holler, sales manager of the Pittsburgh zone, served as host to the visiting Chevrolet officials.

The Pittsburgh meeting was the

third of a series of 43 similar sessions that will be held from coast to coast this winter and spring.

Real Estate Transfers.

Harry E. Harper, et ux to John S. Askins, tract in Union Twp.; \$182.48. Daniel Daup to Daniel S. Daup, tract in Potter Twp.; \$1.

Joseph H. Wolfe, et ux, to Hugh J. Toland, et ux, tract in Spring Twp.; \$3,200.

Patton Electric Co., to the West Penn Power Co., tract in Spring Twp.; \$150.

Charles E. Dukerman to W. E. Snyder, tract in Philipsburg; \$1,000.

Thomas White to Robert T. White, tract in Philipsburg; \$10.

Robert T. White, et al, to Amy D. White, tract in Philipsburg; \$10.

Lewis C. Stover, et ux, to Rebecca C. Hazel, tract in Madisonburg; \$200.

Philipsburg Cemetery Association to John Ciesbar, tract in Rush Twp.; \$38.40.

Andrew A. Borland, et ux, to R. L. Watt, tract in State College; \$2,000.

Edward H. Laughner, et ux, to Joseph H. Wolfe, et ux, tract in Potter Twp.; \$5,000.

Bellefonte Cemetery Association to Anna K. Wilson, tract in Bellefonte; \$25.

John L. Holmes, et al, to Martin A. Dreibelis Estate, tract in Ferguson Twp.; \$1,000.

M. L. Dawson, et ux, to Steve Korolosky, et ux, tract in Rush Twp.; \$100.

Steve Korolosky, et ux, to Charles L. Byron, tract in Rush Twp.; \$1.

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Samuel D. Harshberger, to Worth Twp. School District, et al, tract in Port Matilda; \$550.

Bellefonte Cemetery Association to Gideon C. Payne, et ux, tract in Bellefonte; \$25.

Charles F. Cook to Roy Wilkinson, tract in Bellefonte; \$4,750.

J. O. Heverly, treasurer, to Spangler and Walker, tract in Taylor Twp.; \$23.88.

Willis W. Grove, et al, to John Raymond Spicer, tract in Benner Twp.; \$750.

E. E. Weiser, et al, to C. J. McQuigg, et ux, tract in State College; \$1.

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