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For Congress T. E. COSTELLO, of Bradford For Representative in General Assembly ANDREW CURTIN THOMPSON, of Phillipsburg

A MILK ORDINANCE

URGED FOR BELLEFONTE.

Many Important Matters Before Borough Council On Monday Evening.

Every member of borough council was present at the regular session, on Monday evening, with the exception of W. J. Emerick, who is away on a month's trip through the west.

James R. Hughes was present to make a personal appeal to council to grant his request to erect ornamental signs on the streets pointing the way to the Bellefonte Academy.

Fire Marshall John J. Bower was present and handed over to the Fire and Police committee a check for \$66.66, being two-thirds of \$100 given by the Clarence Fire Brick company for responding to an appeal for assistance at a fire at the plant on July 1st.

Property owners on south Allegheny street were again present regarding the requested sewer extension, and Mr. Brouse, of the Street committee, stated that council had been ordered to build no more sewers without permission from the State Sanitary Board.

Secretary Kelly read two communications from the State Sanitary Board in which council was asked to furnish at once applications for permission to put down the Curtin street sewer extension, and notifying council that no more sewers were to be put down without first receiving a permit from the board.

A notice was received from the State Association of Boroughs that the annual dues have been increased from ten to fifteen dollars.

A communication was received from Orvis, Zerby & Dale notifying council that on Sunday afternoon Albert Hockenberry ruined a new automobile tire on east Curtin street, on sharp stones dug out of a sewer ditch and thrown on the street, without any caution signs to warn motorists of the danger.

A communication was received from the Secretary of Internal Affairs stating that under a recent act of the Legislature boroughs and municipalities are required to submit to that department a statement of borough indebtedness, what it is composed of and what it was for, the sinking fund and of what it consists, etc., and submitted blanks for furnishing the desired information.

The Secretary presented the bond of the Hartford Accident and Indemnity company in the sum of \$10,000, as presented by the Central Pennsylvania Gas company, to indemnify the borough in regard to the streets and alleys. The bond was approved and ordered filed.

A lengthy communication was received from John McCoy regarding his position in connection with his wish to purchase the Gamble mill property.

The Street committee reported continued progress on the Curtin street sewer as well as various repairs made on streets.

The Water committee reported some minor repairs and the collection of one dollar on the 1925 water duplicate; \$50.25 on the 1926 and \$59.75 on the 1927.

The Finance committee reported a balance in the hands of the borough treasurer and asked for the renewal of a note for \$1000 and requested a new note for \$9000 to meet current bills, both of which were authorized.

Mr. Cobb, of the Special committee, made a report of a meeting of the committee with the various insurance agents in Bellefonte relative to a reduction of insurance rates.

Mr. Mignot, of the Sanitary committee, called the attention of council to the fact that the creek on the east side of the island should be cleaned out. Mr. Cunningham stated that he was glad Mr. Mignot had called attention to that fact as the work had heretofore been done under the supervision of the Sanitary committee, and as Mr. Mignot was the chairman of that committee he could oversee it.

Mr. Brouse stated that the Bell Telephone company would like to have permission to move three poles on Spring street, between High and Bishop, from the street to positions inside the curb. As the borough has no control of the ground inside the curb council decided that no objections would be made if the company got permission from property owners to make the change.

Mr. Cobb made complaint about the number of motorists who drive to the intersection of west High and Thomas streets, turn around and drive back up town, claiming it is a nuisance and ought to be stopped. He stated that during the Sunday evening services in the United Brethren church he counted fourteen automobiles that were turned there, the drivers honking, honking and making about as much noise as possible.

Borough Solicitor N. B. Spangler was present and made a report of what had been done in connection with council's proposition to purchase the Gamble Mill property.

Bills totaling \$6250 were approved for payment after which council adjourned after being in session over two hours, to meet next Monday evening.

District Kiwanis Meeting at Centre Hall Last Thursday Evening.

About one hundred and twenty-five Kiwanians from Huntingdon, Lewisburg, Tyrone, Altoona, Lock Haven, State College and Bellefonte held a district meeting in the Grange hall, at Centre Hall, last Thursday evening. The Bellefonte club was represented by forty members.

Undine Fire Company Carnival and Fair.

The Undine Fire company will hold a big carnival and fair on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, August 14th and 15th, on the Imperial filling station park, between the Undine building and Haag hotel, on Bishop street. A large line of amusements is being arranged which will furnish plenty of fun and amusements.

Game Commission Decides in Favor of Antlerless Deer.

Notwithstanding the State-wide protest that has been made by sportsmen's associations and hunters generally against the State Game Commission's ruling that only antlerless deer may be killed this year the Commission, on Monday, decided to stick to its ruling. However, the ruling has been moderated from the original plan by requiring special licenses to be issued, effective only in the county of issue, and the number of licenses issued will be prorated in proportion to the number of bucks killed last year in the several counties.

Each licensed hunter may kill one deer, without visible antlers and weighing not less than fifty pounds, in the season. Hunting parties are allowed to kill one doe for each member of the party. A fine of \$100 will be imposed for violation of the visible antlers regulation. Hunters may not kill bucks this year.

Curious to know if the deer situation is as bad as reported the writer personally asked several farmers, this week, who live right in the heart of the deer country, if it is true that the deer are being driven onto the farms because of lack of feed in the mountains. One farmer, a resident of Gregg township, averred that only last Sunday he made a trip into the mountains and found acres of lush grass, knee high, that had not even been touched by the deer.

At their meeting, on Monday, the Commissioners also announced a reduction in the open season for rabbits. Rabbits may not be killed on Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays from November 1st to December 1st, but on six days each week from December 1st to December 15th. The day's total for rabbits is five and the season total thirty.

Golf Tournament at Huntingdon Next Week.

The annual tournament of the Central Counties Golf association will be held at the Huntingdon Country club next Thursday, Friday and Saturday, August 16th, 17th and 18th. Nine clubs are included in the association, namely: The Altoona Cricket club, Altoona; Blairmont Country club, Hollidaysburg; Centre Hills Country club, State College; Clearfield Country club, Clearfield; Clinton Country club, Lock Haven; Nittany Country club, Bellefonte; Phillipsburg Country club, Phillipsburg; Tyrone Golf club, Tyrone, and the Huntingdon Country club.

More than one hundred contestants will be entered in the preliminaries and finals. The rules and regulations specify that golfers to be eligible for the annual tournament must have competed in at least one inter-club match prior to the tournament. The Huntingdon club has won the association cup for season play the past three years, and will make an effort this year to hold it.

Native Centre Countian Celebrated 102nd Anniversary.

Down at Norristown, last Saturday, Miss Mary A. Knapp celebrated her 102nd birthday anniversary and the fact is of interest to Watchman readers because of the fact that she is a native of Centre county and a descendant of one of the pioneer families in Ferguson township. She was born on a farm, four miles from Baileyville, on August 4th, 1826. When she was but nine years old, however, her father bought a large farm, in Montgomery county, and that had been the family home ever since. Miss Knapp is the last direct descendant of an old Welsh family which came to Pennsylvania in 1632, and a number of whom were long lived. Miss Knapp's mother, Mrs. Mary W. Knapp, lived to the age of 96; one of Miss Knapp's sisters lived to the age of 100 years and 11 months, and Miss Knapp's brother Charles died at the age of 96.

District Sunday School Picnic, at Hecla Park, August 16th.

Sunday schools in the ninth district, composed of State College and surrounding territory, will picnic at Hecla park on Thursday of next week, August 16th. For the boys and girls there will be potato races, fifty yard dash, thirty yard dash, wheel-barrow race, shoe and sack race, twenty-five yard sack race, a peanut race, boat and swimming races, and for married men and women an egg race. A baseball game between State College and Boalsburg, horse shoe pitching and other amusements make up a full day's program. Prizes will be given all winners. The public is invited.

Col. James A. McClain is again very seriously ill at his home at Spangler. Get your job work done here.

NEWS PURELY PERSONAL.

—Mrs. C. D. Tanner is on a ten days trip to Detroit, Mich.

—Louis Schad, of the First National Bank, with Mrs. Schad, left Sunday morning to spend the former's vacation of two weeks, at Ocean City, N.J.

—Mrs. J. T. Keathley and Mr. and Mrs. Huddle, of Scottsdale, spent Saturday with friends in Bellefonte. Mrs. Keathley will be remembered as Miss Ada Dolan.

—Sheriff and Mrs. Harry E. Dunlap's week-end guests included Misses Florence Magargel and Harold Ithobson, of Philadelphia, the latter being a friend of long standing of Sheriff Dunlap's.

—Mrs. David Dale and her daughter Anne, left last week to join Miss Hittner of Gettysburg, for a boat trip to Halifax and up the St. Lawrence river. On the way back Mrs. Dale and Anne will stop in New England for a visit with one of Mrs. Dale's brothers.

—The Rev. Sylvester Beach D. D., was an overnight visitor at the Bush House, Wednesday, stopping in Bellefonte for a short visit with Mrs. Beach's relatives, on his way back to Princeton, from a western trip. Dr. Beach many years ago was an instructor at the Bellefonte Academy and married into one of Bellefonte's representative families.

—How a Porcupine Shed Itself of a Big Blacksnake. The crew of workmen engaged in building the State highway from Lock Haven to Renovo are having some exciting experiences with the snakes which infest that mountainous region. Rattlers, copperheads and blacksnakes are there in large numbers. The two first mentioned are, of course, always to be feared, but little attention is paid the blacksnake because of its non-venomous character.

One of the foremen on the job is Roy Shope, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Shope, of Boggs township, and he tells of the following incident he witnessed a few days ago. Working at a point where the mountain was fairly well covered with underbrush he was surprised to see a porcupine struggle onto the dug out roadway completely enveloped in the folds of a large blacksnake. At the side of the road lay some eight inch drain pipe and the porcupine stopped close to the end of one of the pipes.

The little animal, from which the breath was being squeezed by the deadly coils of the snake, halted but a few seconds then dragged itself to the end of the pipe and crawled in. Curious to see what would happen Mr. Shope walked closer but a minute later the porcupine came out of the other end of the pipe and the blacksnake, instead of being master of the situation, was writhing in agony. With several vigorous shakes of its body the porcupine rid itself of the snake which had been punctured with quills from its head to tail. After halting a few seconds to get its breath the porcupine ambled off into the woods while the snake was killed.

Miss Emma Cross, State Nurse, Speaker at Kiwanian Luncheon.

Guests present at the Kiwanian luncheon, at the Brockerhoff house, on Tuesday, included Stuart Laird, of Anoka, Minn., a former Bellefonte boy; Fred Warner and Ralph Dinsmore, of Wilmington, N. J.; Rev. Reed O. Steely, of Milton; Frank V. Goodhart, of Centre Hall, a new member of the club, and Donald Markley, one of the boys who has been greatly benefited by the treatment he received at the State clinic in Phillipsburg.

Miss Emma Cross, State nurse, who soon leaves Bellefonte for a wider field of labor, was introduced as the speaker of the day. She expressed her appreciation of the generous aid extended to her in her work here by the Kiwanians. Through their efforts cars had been provided for the chest clinic and the orthopedic clinic. Eleven patients were taken over to Phillipsburg for examination and treatment. Twenty-two tonsil cases have been successfully taken care of at the Centre County hospital. She expressed appreciation of the courtesy extended her and cooperation of manager W. H. Brown, at the hospital, and Miss Eckert, superintendent, and that the local physicians had cheerfully assisted her in her work.

She told how promptly Kiwanis responded when she expressed the need of a car and also their generosity in looking after the underprivileged child. Miss Cross expressed regret at leaving Bellefonte and explained that she was doing so only because of being sent to a larger field.

Marriage Licenses.

Robert M. Rodes, of New York city, and Dorothy Dyer, of Douglas, Georgia. Philip P. Saylor, of Bellefonte, and Kathryn M. Hoy, of Howard. Samuel E. Lucas, of Howard, and Pearl S. Cupp, of Rock Forge. Gilbert Donald Rumberger and Mary Elizabeth Almond, both of Phillipsburg.

—With the thermometer hovering between 93 and 96 over the weekend and Sunday, with rarely a drop below seventy at night, Centre countians had no need to complain from lack of warmth. But it was splendid weather for the farmers, and especially for corn and potatoes.

KREAMER.—Mrs. Emma Belle Kreamer, wife of Robert H. Kreamer, died at her home in Lock Haven, on Saturday, as the result of a stroke of paralysis sustained two years ago.

Her maiden name was Emma Shope and she was born in Milesburg on May 6th, 1865, hence was in her 64th year. The Kreamer family at one time lived in Bellefonte, moving from here to Altoona and later to Lock Haven.

Surviving her are her husband and four children, Mrs. H. E. Workman, of Altoona; Mrs. Mabel V. Geddis and Oscar P. Kreamer, of Lock Haven, and Mrs. H. E. Imler, of Osterburg. She also leaves two brothers and two sisters, Clayton Shope, of Bellefonte; Fred, of Lock Haven; Mrs. L. Wyland, of Williamsport, and Mrs. Dora Emerick, of Johnstown.

Funeral services were held at her late home in Lock Haven, at two o'clock on Tuesday afternoon, burial being made at Curtin.

PLETCHER.—Edward L. Pletcher, a native of Howard township, Centre county, but who has been a resident of Dayton, Ohio, for many years, died in a private hospital, Lock Haven, on Saturday morning, following a brief illness. He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Pletcher and was born in Howard township about sixty years ago.

As a young man he went to Dayton, Ohio, where for a number of years he was in the employ of the National Cash Register company. During the past three or four years he had been city clerk in Dayton. He was a member of the Methodist church and the Masonic fraternity. Funeral services were held at the home of his cousin, B. F. Pletcher, in Lock Haven, at 9:30 o'clock on Tuesday morning, by Rev. J. Merrill Williams, and burial was made in the Schenck cemetery, near Howard.

WOODS.—Mrs. Matilda Woods, widow of the late James Woods, of Bellefonte, died last Saturday night following an illness of some months with a complication of diseases. She was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Smoyer and was born in Boggs township seventy-seven years ago. Her husband has been dead for some years but surviving her is one daughter, Mrs. William Lewis, of Canton, Ohio. She also leaves the following brothers and sisters: James Smoyer, of Bellefonte; Mrs. Mary Shank, of Mt. Eagle; Mrs. Dora Rine, of Bellefonte, and Mrs. Alice Yergler, of Jersey Shore. Burial was made in the Union cemetery on Tuesday afternoon.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that application has been made to the Public Service Commission of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, under the provisions of the Public Service Law, by The New York Central Railroad Company, a corporation of the State of New York, having its principal place of business in New York City, New York, for a certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity, and that application for the approval of its station at Forge Run, Centre County, and that application for the approval thereof is on file in the office of the Public Service Commission of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania at Application Docket No. A. 1948-28.

A public hearing upon this application will be held in the Commission Building, 112 Market street, Harrisburg, Pa., on the 23rd day of August 1928 at 9:30 A. M. o'clock, Standard Time, when and where all persons in interest may appear and be heard, if they so desire.

THE NEW YORK CENTRAL RAILROAD COMPANY JAS. P. O'LAUGHLIN, Attorney 110 South Third Street Clearfield, Pa. 73-31-27

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue of a writ of Levari Facias issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Centre County, to me directed will be exposed to public sale at the Court House in the Borough of Bellefonte on

FRIDAY, AUGUST 31st, 1928, The Following Property: All that certain parcel or piece of land situate in Rush Township, Centre county, Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows:

BEGINNING at a post on the Tyrone Turnpike, at the most Easterly corner of lot of No. 389, thence along said Turnpike South 43 degrees East 180 feet to the corner of "B" Street; thence along same South 43 degrees West 182 feet to an alley; thence along same North 43 degrees East 86 feet to the corner of lot No. 388; thence along same North 47 degrees East 150 feet to the place of Beginning.

Being the same premises as were formerly given in Mortgage to the Citizens Building and Loan Association by Mortgages, herein by Mortgage dated August 1, 1924, and recorded in Bellefonte, Pa., in Mortgage Book Vol. 49, page 276.

Terms of sale cash. Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Francis J. Schrot and Amelia Schrot. Sale to commence at 1:40 o'clock p. m. of said day. H. E. DUNLAP, Sheriff. Sheriff's Office, Bellefonte, Pa., August 7th, 1928. 73-31-37

Public Sale!

One Car Load of t. b. tested DAIRY COWS

Holsteins, Jerseys, Guernseys Grades and Pure Breds, fresh and close springers. At the GEORGE E. LONG FARM HOWARD, PA. Thursday, August 16 at one o'clock, sharp

This is a choice load of big milking cows that show lots of condition. Also four Stock Bulls. LOUIS KENDRICK Wellsboro, Pa.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR CHARTER.—Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Court of Common Pleas of Centre County on Saturday, the First day of September, A. D. 1928 at ten o'clock A. M., under the provisions of the Corporation Act of 1874, its amendments and supplements thereto, for a charter for an intended corporation to be called "The Bellefonte Realty Company," the character and object of which are the purchasing, selling and leasing of real estate without profit, and for that purpose to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges conferred by the said Act, its amendments and supplements thereto. SPANGLER & WALKER, Solicitors. 73-31-37

Wednesday August 15 WILL BE DOLLAR DAY AND Suburban Day IN Altoona Booster Stores

IT WILL BE a Day of Sensational Values

As Booster Merchants have been planning for the event for months, buying great quantities of new dependable and reasonable merchandise to sell at Special DOLLAR DAY Prices

as well as reducing prices on many regular lines to be offered for this Outstanding Trade Event! It will be Altoona Booster Stores Greatest Dollar Day!

Goods of all kinds for home and personal use will be offered at DOLLAR DAY Prices. Buy for present and future needs! Arrange to Spend the Entire Day

Shopping in Booster Stores and take lunch in a Booster Restaurant. The More you Buy on DOLLAR DAY, the greater will be your Savings!

BOOSTER STORES Are Closed THURSDAY AFTERNOONS During August

to give the employes a Weekly Half Holiday. Open other days from 8:30 a. m. to 5:30 p. m. Saturdays until 9 p. m.

Altoona Booster Asso. Strand Theatre ALTOONA, PA. ONE WEEK Starting Saturday, August 11 RICHARD DIX IN "Easy Come - Easy Go" 3 Vitaphone Acts Comedy - Cartoon - News Reel - Orchestra