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# FIFTY YEARS AGO

Items taken from the Watchman issue 1869 he married Miss Elizabeth of December 3, 1880.

Married-At Milesburg, Pa., Nov. Rosa Bell Thomas, both of Buffalo C. Young, of Washington, D. C.; made in the Meyers cemetery. Run.

At Milesburg, on November 4th, by the Rev. W. O. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Calvin M. Resides and Miss Samantha A. Hall, both of Unionville, Pa. Funeral ser

-The coasting has been very good on Bellefonte's hills even though the snowfall, thus far, has been light.

-Amos Garbrick, of Coleville, butchered a hog the other day that ployee in Tyrone, died at the Phildressed 450 lbs.

at his home in Huntingdon on Wed- eral breakdown. nesday of last week at the age of seventy years and over.

-Sidewalks this week have been ward falls have been the result.

-The icemen have been taking splendid ice out of the car works

were almost totally destroyed by 000, almost entirely covered by in- and Jaffa Shrine, of Altoona. surance.

-A big buck with nine prongs ings' latest trophy of the hunt.

fire broke out in the cabinet mak- died during the World war. Ridge street, near Bishop, which Sunday afternoon by Rev. E. M. totally destroyed the building and Morgan, burial being made in Eastits contents. The Logan fire com- lawn cemetery, Tyrone. pany was promptly on hand and

1.75 schools. As a young man he took He married Miss Sara McMullen have in the way of a nice political employment in the woods, as lum- who survives with the following chil- plum. bering was the principal industry dren: William Grove, at home; in that section at that early day. Robert, of Marion township; Mrs. Later he engaged in farming.

campment and the G. A. R. In Benner township.

Miss Sarah, at home; John W., Frank, of Point Lookout; Mrs.

John Craft, Mrs. George H. Ayres and Mrs. W. H. Hollingsworth, all

made in the Philipsburg cemetery.

GATES .- Edward L. Gates, well known Pennsylvania railroad em\_ ipsburg State hospital, at noon last

-Mr. Charles Miller, father of Thursday, following an illness of John C. Miller, of this place, died five months as the result of a gen-He was a son of Isaac and Nancy

Ellenberger Gates and was born at Gatesburg on June 6th, 1880, hence slippery as glass and some awk- was in his 51st year. His boyhood was spent in Centre county but

twenty-nine years ago he went to Tyrone and entered the employ of dam this week. It runs from 6 to the Pennsylvania Railroad company 8 inches thick and is clear as crystal. as a mechanic, and had lived there -Mann's axe-works at Reedsville ever since. He was a member of the First Lutheran church, of Tyfire last week. The loss was \$60. rone, the Tyrone lodge of Masons

In 1907 he married Miss Frances Rider, of Gatesburg, who survives on one side and ten on the other with four children, Mildred, Bereproved an interesting sight in front nice, Mary and Wilson. He also of Twitmire's tin store on Wednes- leaves three brothers and a sister, day morning. It was Enoch Hast- Samuel C. Gates, of Tyrone; Isaac, of Harrisburg; Wilson, of Philadel-

-On Monday night last, between phia, and Mrs. M. J. Ross, of Bedthe hours of 11 and 12 o'clock, a ford. One brother, John C. Gates, ing shop of James O'Bryan, on Funeral services were held on

adjoining WEAVER .--- Willis A. Weaver died and Mrs. M'Clellan Hunter, of Ty- vember 15th, following an illness of who might have been overlooked in rone, died there last Friday night some months with a complication of the mailing. of diphtheria. Two of their other diseases. He was a son of Alfred children are very ill with the same and Angeline Catherman Weaver will sell health bonds ranging from disease. Mrs. Hunter was formerly and was born in Potter township \$5.00 to \$50.00 to various organiza. catechetical instruction. Miss Kate Furey, of this place, a almost 36 years ago. He left Cen- tions.

GROVE.-John F. Grove, who for CONGRESSMAN CHASE BEALS.-John Summerfield Beals, a number of years has occupied the probably the oldest native resident of Philipsburg, died at his home at Furst farm, near Jacksonville, died Point Lookout on Saturday evening, on Saturday as the result of a heart as the result of general debility. ailment.

Sara Zimmerman Beals and was Sarah Grove and was born in Penn nice berth somewhere in his admin\_ ice Commission to hold a pre-He was a son of Reuben and He was a son of William and born in one of the first log houses township in March, 1867, hence was erected in Philipsburg on July 14th, in his 64th year. He followed farm- Judge Arthur C. Dale. 1839, hence had reached the age ing all his life and prior to moving of 91 years, 4 months and 8 days. onto the Furst farm lived in Buffalo Educational facilities were limited Run valley. He was a member of spokesman it is to be assumed that in those days and most of his learn- the Methodist church, the Bellefonte was obtained in subscription lodge of Moose and the P. O. S. of A. Ethel Calhoun and John D., of Lock sibility. In 1861 he enlisted for service in Haven; George E. and Ralph J., of the Civil war, fought in some of it's Bellefonte. He also leaves these fiercest battles and was not dis- brothers and sisters, Howard Grove, charged until 1867. For 62 years of Centre Hall; William, of Coburn, he had been a member of the Phil- Mrs. Alice Moyer, of Punxsutawney; upsburg Lodge of Odd Fellows. He Mrs. Susan Shearer, of Reynolds-IN CENTRE COUNTY. was also a member of the En- ville, and Mrs. Cora Minnemyer, of

Funeral services were held at his Troy, who died eight years ago but late home at 10 o'clock on Tuesday surviving him are seven children, morning by Rev. C. A. Metzger, of Mr. J. Lewis Marshall and Miss burgess of Philipsburg; Mrs. Robert Piper, of Milesburg, burial being

> of Frank Wrye, died at her home at Warriorsmark, on Sunday eve-Funeral services were held on ning, following a long illness. Her Tuesday afternoon, burial being maiden name was Sarah Beistline and Funeral services were held at her late home at 1.30 o'clock on Wednesday afternoon, by Rev. L. L. Owens, burial being made in the Ross church cemetery.

> > LAUGHLIN. - Miss Genevieve Laughlin, youngest daughter of the late John Laughlin, of Bellefonte, died at her home at Bridgeville, Allegheny county, on November 10th, as the result of general debility, GIFFORD PINCHOT WON The Laughlins moved to Allegheny county over twenty-five years ago. Funeral services were held in St. Agatha's Catholic church, at Bridgeville, on November 13th, burial being made in Calvary cemetery.

Plans for the 24th annual Christmas Seal campaign for Centre county have been completed. The committee in charge of the sale has been working the past week and letters containing the seals are in

ENDORSES JUDGE DALE.

The Raftsmans Journal, of Clear-

Inasmuch as the Journal is the Congressman's official political sion to the U.S. Naval Academy July he is lined up behind whatever ambitions our fellow townsmen might

In its issue of November 21 the Journal had this to say of the pos-

The newspapers through Pennsylvania, since the election, have been entertaining the public by speculating on who Governor-elect Pinchot will favor with positions in his cabinet. One of the outstanding men in the State in the campaign acter, residents of the Pennsylvania for the nomination and election of 23rd Congressional district, physical-Governor Pinchot was former Judge ly sound, and not less than 16 Arthur Dale, of our neighboring years of age nor more than 20 county-Centre.

The Governor-elect had such conthe judge served in the same capac-

WRYE.-Mrs. Sarah J. Wrye, wife ity after the primary as state tion.

Judge Dale is capable of a cabiposition, and although we Jersey Shore; Edna, of Warriors\_ guessing as to what may be done mark, and John, in the U. S. army. along these lines our guess is that here a state of the second se inet of Governor Pinchot-and here is hoping.

> We join our contemporary in the hope that our former townsman may be singled out for preferment. Certainly he has been loyal and enthusiastic enough in the Pinchot cause to merit substantial recognition.

Pennsylvania voters gave Gifford Pinchot, Republican and Prohibition candidate for Governor, a plurality of 58,670. With the completion on Tuesday of the official count in Philadelphia, the total State-wide vote for Pin-

chot was revealed as 1,068,874, John M. Hemphill, Democratic and Liberal candidate, polled 1,010,204. The official computation in Philadelphia was delayed on account of a contest in a legislative district.

## IN BELLEFONTE CHURCHES

### **APPLICATIONS FOR** U. S. NAVAL ACADEMY.

Congressman J. Mitchell Chase field, is of the opinion that Gover- announces that arrangements have nor-elect Pinchot should provide a been made for the U.S. Civil Servistrative organization for former liminary competitive examination on January 10, 1931, for the selec.

tion of two midshipmen for admis-1, 1931.

Owing to the large number of applicants Congressman Chase has decided that this is the fairest plan, as it will give every candidate an equal chance. Those receiving the

highest grades, as certified to Congressman Chase by the Civil Service Commission, will be designated by him to take the final entrance examination to be held by the Navy Department next spring.

Candidates must be citizens of the United States, of good moral charyears of age on April 1, 1931.

The examination may be taken on Pleasant Gap, assisted by Rev. M. C. fidence in Judge Dale that he not above date, at 9 a. m., at the post only made him his state chairman offices in Smethport, Bellefonte, for his pre primary campaign, but Clearfield or Emporium, Pennsylvania

As the Civil Service Commission chairman of the Pinchot organiza- must be notified promptly as to the number of candidates, it is requested that all applicants notify Conmaiden name was Sarah Beistline and would hesitate in even presuming gressman Chase at an early date, she was born at Marengo, in Fergu-to make a suggestion to the Gov- when they will be furnished with son township, over sixty years ago. ernor-elect, Central Pennsylvania further information. When writing She married Mr. Wrye thirty\_six would be pleased if Judge Dale is please state the date of your birth, years ago, who survives with the honored with a cabinet position. also name point at which you wish following children: Miss Rhelda The Governor could go far and not to take examination. Address all Wrye, in Santa Cruz, Mexico; Rob- find any better material than Judge communications to Congressman ert, of Warriorsmark; Edith, of Dale, and since the newspapers are J. Mitchell Chase, Washington, D. C.

### **GAMEKEEPER PILLING HAS** LARGE COLONY OF BEAVERS.

Gamekeeper Elmer Pilling has a colony of twenty beavers on the State game refuge, in Rush town-He has a four acre pen on ship. Tom Tit run in which the animals are kept and an additional sixteen acres are bing enclosed with strong wire fencing as a speical beaver preserve. When the work is completed the beavers will be divided BY 58,670 PLURALITY. into pens, the young separated from

the old and the males from the females. One of the male beavers is unusually large, weighing 90 pounds. When too many of the animals are together they fight like wild cats, and although they rarely kill each other, they frequently to Come and See Him and His inflct wounds which greatly re- Parade and BRING THEIR LETduce the value of the fur. All of the beavers at the Rush township refuge have been captured

in places where they have become so plentiful as to cause damage to streams and power plants, and will be kept at the refuge until a suitcan



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CHRSTMAS SEAL SALE

LAUNCHED THIS WEEK.

prevented property.

A little daughter, Nellie, of Mr. daughter of James and Ellen Furey. tre county about twelve years ago

Buffalo Run, last Saturday. He has the contract for carrying the mail from the railroad at Martha Furnace to the post-office at Matternville. til overcome by illness. While crossing the Bald Eagle ridge is doubtful.

to record the unexpected death of Pleasant Gap; Mrs. Sarah Moyer, of 50% during the last two decades. father of Mrs. Spangler, wife of sheriff John Spangler. His death occurred on Saturday evening, Nov. 27, at the sheriff's residence in the. jail, where he had been visiting since coming from his home near Globe Mills, Snyder county, a week ago. His remains were taken to his late home for burial.

them up. They remain thus cover-

out of it.

-At the county teachers institute to be held here from Tuesday, Dec. 28th to the 31st the principal A. K. ise, H. H. Harshberger, W G. Morrison, H. F. Bitner, W. P. Harpster, D. G. Kline, J. R. Van Ormer and Robert E. Cambridge.

prideful boast that we are "the asylum of the oppressed" is becoming less a fact, and Senator Reed would wipe it off the slate entirely.

----Those Democrats in Washington who are so anxious to help Hoover ought to give some thought to obligations to their own party.

unusually great.

-A very serious and what may and located in Lewistown where, prove to be a fatal accident hap. for several years he worked for the will be gladly accepted. pened to Joseph Rumberger, of Standard Steel company. Later he The sale begins today secured employment with the Viscose company where he worked un- the seals, the symbol of the fight over its head. He landed on the survives with two children, William Our greatest proice in a stream some ten or fifteen and Sarah. He also leaves the fol- of the present economic distress are feet below the road-way and was lowing brothers and sisters: Charles to supply sufficient need to the

and Oscar P., of Centre Hall; Har--We are called upon this week ry, of Altoona; Mrs. O. E. Laird, of Abraham Berger, Lewistown, and Mrs. Roan Gingrich, of Linden Hall. Funeral services were held on November 15th, burial being made in the Mt. Peak cemetery, Lewistown.

> HALDERMAN.-Rev. Charles S. Halderman, for the past few years pastor of the Christian and Mission-

-The early snows of this season ary Alliance at Roscoe, N. Y., died will be severe on the partridges. last Friday, following a brief illness. These birds, hidden in the grass He was a son of Daniel D. and Mary and brush, remain in their haunts Yearick Halderman and was born at while the snow falls, which covers Madisonburg, Centre county, in Aued for several days and often perish gust, 1881, hence was in his fiftieth too hard to be melted by their try he worked for some years in the present. Further he said: breath in time to release them to P. R. R. shops in Altoona and later get food. Hunters familiar with as a car inspector. He is survived this fact often catch them alive, by by his wife, his mother, living in St. hunting these air holes on the sur- Petersburg, Fla., six sisters and two face of the snow and digging them brothers. The remains were taken to Altoona where burial was made in the Rose Hlll cemetery.

KUSTABORDER. - Jonas Elias instructors will be Prof. A. E. An- Kustaborder, native of Centre coungell, of Shippensburg; Prof. D. M. ty, died at his home at Bellwood, Wolf, of Spring Mills; Miss Flor- last Friday, as the result of cereence Childester, of Syracuse, N. Y.; bral hemorrhages. He was a son stroyed. Then the fish resort to Prof. C. L. Gramley, of Rebersburg; of John and Amelia Kustaborder cannibalism and the smaller ones C. C. Zeigler, J. B. Newcomer, W. and was horn at Pine Grove Mills soon disappear, and the larger ones and was born at Pine Grove Mills soon disappear, and the larger ones 63 years ago. During his residence in Bellwoood he had been employed as a conductor on the Pennsylvania eating reptiles, fish eating birds, railroad. He never married but is

survived by three brothers and two -Our traditional as well as sisters. Burial was made in the Logan valley cemetery on Sunday afternoon.

> STINE.-Mrs. Olivia Stine, wife furnishings. The Patton family of Lafayette Stine, died at her home were in Bellefonte at the time and at Woodland, Clearfield county, on on returning found their home in Wednesday of last week, following ashes. How the fire originated is a long illness with asthma. Her maiden name was Olivia Wil\_ insurance but not sufficient to cover liams and she was born at Port his loss.

Matilda, her age at death being 65 ----Politicians all over the State years, 5 months and 8 days. She are getting ready for next year's is survived by her husband and five year have been more plentiful and local battles and the confusion is children. Burial was made at lower in price than at any time in the Philipsburg last Friday afternoon. past dozen years.

the mail for delivery today. Friday. Three thousand additional sheets at his home at Lewistown on No- of stamps are in readiness for those

This year the tuberculosis society Them."

Contributions to the tuberculosis society via the Christmas Seal sale

The sale begins today and will continue until Christmas day. Use against tuberculosis, on all your While still living in Centre county correspondence from Chirstmas un-

Our greatest problems in the face so badly injured that his recovery Weaver, Mrs. S. E. Sharer, Grover homes and enforce our preventive measures, which have been successful in cutting the tuberculosis rate Make all checks for this cause payable to Mrs. Charles R. Kurtz, chairman of the tuberculosis comcommitte, Bellefonte Woman's club.

### PRESENT LOW WATER

## IS MENACE TO FISH LIFE.

Talking about the effects of the drought on the fish in the streams of the State Commissioner N. R. Buller said, recently, that in all of his fifty\_four years of active experience in fish culture he has never found the streams as low as they are at

"A severe drought such as we are experiencing greatly lessens the range in which fish may travel. Under normal conditions fish are more scattered and they have a better opportunity to escape their natural enemies. During low wa-

ter, the aquatic life in order to survive must collect in deep pools where the natural forage consists as a general rule of minnows, crawfish, insect larvae, etc., which is first dereadily fall prey to their natural enemies, consisting in part of fish coons, minks and otters."

Fire on Saturday evening completely destroyed the comparatively new home of Rex Patton and family, at Port Matilda, with all its

unknown. Mr. Patton carried some

-Thanksgiving turkeys this

St. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH. 9:30 A. M., Sunday school, Herman Hazel, superintendent.

10:45 A. M., Morning service; Ser. mon: "The Lord Hath Need of

6:30 P. M., Luther League and 7.30 P. M. Evening service; Ser-

mon: "God the Almighty.' Clarence E. Arnold, pastor,

### How to Preserve Tinwork

The house owner who wants to make the most of his investments will not wait until his gutters and tinwork are in shreds, but he will see to it that proper attention is given to these details when the first break is seen.

Lack of repairs on the tinwork of a house often mean a considerable loss to other parts of the house. A gutter that lets water leak over the sides of the building is a destructive factor. In time the wood rots and the paint is seriously damaged.

In the winter, soot and dirt accumulate in the gutters, making it essential that they be cleaned thoroughly before the rains of spring and summer. The tin should be brushed carefully when such a situation exists, and painted to preserve the metal in all kinds of weather.

How Fast Raindrops Fall

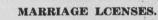
The weather bureau says that rain drops never fall faster than 25 feet per second; many of them fall only about 15 feet per second. Suppose then the height of the cloud is 2,500 feet-a fairly common height-and that the speed of fall is the greatest possible-very large drops-then the time of fall will be 100 seconds. If the speed is 15 feet per second, the time will be 166.7 seconds. A fair average velocity is 20 feet per second, and the time of fall 2 minutes.

How to Get Paint Off Glass Oil-paint spots on glass can be removed by rubbing with a mixture of equal parts alcohol and turpentine, then going over the glass with chalk. Polishing with salt, followed by the chalk, is also advised. For scratching off soft paint spots, sheet zinc is advised, as it is soft enough not to dam-

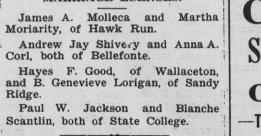
The modern city of Cairo gets its name from the fact that when its walls were laid after the conquest of 969 A. D., the planet Mars, known in Arabic as Kahir, the victorious, crossed the meridian of the new city, and so the place was called El-Kahira,

How Word "Pal" Originated Although "pal" in the sense of a chum or companion is regarded as American slang by many writers, it was probably derived from the gypsies. In the Romany language "pal" is the word for brother.

round them on either State-owned or private lands.



Ridge.



---Read the Watchman and get all the news.



STATE COLLEGE (Matinee Daily starting Monday)

FRIDAY-John Gilbert. Wallace Beerv in "WAY FOR A SAILOR"

SATURDAY-Gilbert Roland, Robert Elliott in "MEN OF THE NORTH"

MONDAY AND TUESDAY-Matinee Daily at 1:30 Will Rogers, Louise Dresser in "LIGHTNING"

WEDNESDAY-Norma Talmadge, Conrad Nagel in "DU BARRY, WOMAN OF PASSION"

THURSDAY-Richard Cromwell, Noah Beery in

"TOL'ABLE DAVID"

NEXT FRIDAY-**Constance Bennett in** "SIN TAKES A HOLIDAY"

NITTANY THEATRE (Reopens next Tuesday.)

TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY-Grace Moore, Reginald Denny in "A LADY'S MORALS"

THURSDAY-**"DU BARRY, WOMAN OF** 

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A DMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE.— Let-ters of administration having been, granted to the undersigned upon, the estate of C. Edward' Robb, late of Bellefonte borough, decaased, all persons knowing themselves indebted to the same-are requested to make prompt payment, and those having claims against said estate must present them, duly anthen-ticated, for settlement:

Mrs, HENRIETTA P, ROBB; Administratrix, Administratrix, Bellefonte, Pa. Attorney. 7543-6t W. Harrison Walker, Attorney:

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