NEW WAR INSURANCE LAW.

Chesp Insurance for the Soldeir Boys Made Possible by Uncle Sam's Plans.

To the Officers and Enlisted Men and Women of the Army and Navy of the United States and Their Relatives :

The Secretary of the Treasury, through the Bureau of War Risk Insurance, has been charged with administration of the War Insurance Law Dear Folks: enacted by the Congress as a measure of justice to the men and women who

ernment has placed at your disposal. United tates Cavalry. It is essential that you and your famithem.

month, according to the size of the er, sister, or grandchild, they may be mountain. included in the Government allow-

an officer or enlisted man or an Army more than fortunate in getting back, ing indulged in the best of winter or Navy nurse should be disabled, pro- for we did not realize that a machine sports. vision is made for compensation of gun unit was necessary in the cavalry, from \$30 to \$100 a month to him, and but the old order called for our troop these men experienced in woodslore, should he die, compensation of from to come back and here we are back to be careful with fire, for they know \$20 to \$75 a month will be paid to his sgain in our old quarters—the caval- full well, what poor hunting ground wife, his child, or his widowed moth- ry-and we are all ready to perform

she shall have left it.

Million

war makes the cost of life insurance in one, am anxious to go across. private life insurance companies pro-hibitive. It was therefore a plain ditional number of men from the 111th Since the mysterious angel called age, has the right, between now and the new machine gun. February 12, 1918, to take out life and This right is purely optional. The Chaplains of the division officiated. soldiers and sailors are not compelled The division authorities are about to the All-Wise Master of the universe, In other words a woman who has fed will be deducted from his pay, if he Border. desires, thus eliminating trouble on his The government has offered insur-

til February 12, 1918, during the pe- hazard of a soldier's life. I took out be perpetuated by the zealous, earnest riod when the soldiers and sailors are \$10,000 insurance, which will cost me activity of each and every one of us. learning the details of this law, the \$6.80 a month so long as I live. In Government automatically insures case of death my beneficiary will reeach man and woman, commissioned ceive the \$10,000, payable monthly for or enlisted in the military service of a period of 240 months. Uncle Sam's the United States. It pays the man desire to stand by his men and to pro-\$25 a month during total permanent disability; if he dies within 20 years dent. it pays the rest of 240 monthly installments of \$25 each to his wife, child or county's two troops have again joined widowed mother.

just and generous law to the attention of one of the best, if not THE best, cavalry morning. Michaels was a heater at ces E. Willard, the great founder of our officers and enlisted men and wo- regiments in Uncle Sam's service. men so that they may not be deprived their rights through lack of knowledge. Full information may be obtained from the Bureau of War Risk Insurance of the Treasury Department, Washington, D. C. I earnestly urge that the officers of the Army and Navy give to the men under their command all possible aid in helping them to understand fully the benefits that this insurance may bring their families and the small cost at which it may be obtained.

This is the greatest measure of protection ever offered to its fighting forces by any nation in the history of the world. It is not charity; it is simply justice to the enlisted men and want to keep the county without a and each and every one should promptly take the benefits of this great law.

W. G. MCADOO, Secretary of the Treasury.

Milk 8 Cents Quart.

Beginning December 1st, milk will be advanced in price from 7 to 8 cents per quart .- D. F. Smith, Centre Hall.

Tuesday morning the ground was covered with two inches of snow.

MACHINE GUN TROOP

BACK IN CAVALRY.

With Troop L, united in Original Form .-Rumor of Short Border Service and Then for Italy.

[ By CORPORAL WILLIAM BAILEY ] November 15, 1917.

Just a few lines to inform you that we again changed places. We are no located on land which is leased to the whether she is able to offer her services have been called to give their lives, if longer in the 1st Co., 108th Machine owner by the state, will be filled to or not. Let them show that they are need be, in the service of their country. Gun Battalion, but we were trans- their capacity. Some bear have fallen not behind the men in patriotic spirit I wish to acquaint you with the ben- ferred to our old troop, which is as- to the well-aimed shots of several and are ready to stand by their counefits and privileges which your Gov- signed a new name, known as the 101st lucky hunters, but when snow files, it try when they are needed.

The change came about in this way : slain. ies at home should know of your and A government order reached our their rights under this law in order division on Monday, saying, "Send temporary camps near Paddy Mounthat full advantages may be taken of Cavalry to Border." (It is alleged tain Tunnel, are the Weaklem-Moyer that Villa outbreaks are occurring party of Pottsville, the Helt Party of To care for the wife and children of again.) Our division headquarters Lykens, and the McMahan party of the enlisted man during his service, wired back, "No Cavalry." The reply Renfreu. The McKannan party will the War Insuranc Law compels him came, "Re-organize cavalry immedia- locate near Cherry Run as in 1916, to contribute up to one-half of his pay tely." And that's what was done, and all parties are anxious to secure for their support. The Government It all happened so quickly that it their quota of big game this year. on application, will generously add nearly took our breath. Every last Not to be outdone by the parties to this an allowance of from \$5 to \$50 a one of us is tickled to death over the from a distance, many from sections reorganization of the cavalry, and it throughout the county will contribute family. Moreover, if the enlisted has put "pep" into the boys. Even their usual run of good luck, and the man will make some further provision the Colonel-John P. Wood-of Phila- experience which they have had year himself for a dependent parent, broth- delphis, wears a smile as broad as a after year, will give them a decided

If, as a result of injuries incurred or gether to come back to the cavalry. ing this season, but that all may redisease contracted in the line of duty, We, the Machine Gun Troop, are turn home December 16.b, after hav-

whatever duties are required of us. In order, however, fully to protect We are expecting an early call to go mountains. The pipe and cigarette each person and family, Congress has to the border again, to what part we should be used cautiously and no made it possible for every soldier, sail- do not know, but we all think we'll go chances should be taken in assuming or, and nurse to obtain life and total- back to the El Paso district; anyhow, that the ashes are dead. An ounce of disability insurance. This insurance wherever it may be we are all more prevention, etc., can well be applied applies to injuries received while he or than anxious to go. An officer has here most serviceably. BREAK she is in the service or after he or just told us that we would be called for YOUR MATCH IN TWO. a few months' patrol duty on the Bor-Exposure to the extra dangers of der and then be sent to Italy. I, for

duty and obligation for the Govern- Regiment, formerly known as the ment to assume the risk of insuring "Strong 18th" Regiment of Pittsburg. and carried from us Brother Leonard hundreds of thousands of our soldiers We now have our full quota of 172 Rhone, whom this Grange for years and sailors who are making the su- men, and they are nearly all old men, has looked upon as its most zealous are considered as "dependent" upon preme sacrifice. Under this law, most of them having had the Border builder, and in every event, and on the mother whether or not she proevery soldier and sailor and nurse, experience. The new fellows are glad every occasion, its most earnest supcommissioned and enlisted, and of any for the transfer and anxious to learn port, and always its most effective port.

total disability insurance up to \$10,000 one of the boys; he died of appendi- home but in the State and National at a very low cost, with the Govern- citis. Services were conducted at the council of the Order as well, be it ment, without medical examination. undertaker's residence, and one of the

to take insurance, but if they desire to enforce strict regulations on the ped- whose ways are right, and that while a few chickens at the back door can exercise the right, they must do so be- dling business in the camp. Jews and | we feel that we have suffered a great fore the 12th of February, 1918. The negroes are to be forbidden to sell ar- loss, yet we bow in humble submiscost ranges from 65 cents monthly, at ticles to the soldiers. This practice sion to what we know must eventualthe age of 21, to a \$1.20 monthly, at has resulted in the men losing a great ly be the inevitable for each and every the age of 51, for each \$1,000 of insur- deal of their money, not only in the one of us. ance. This is a small charge on a things they bought at exorbitant Resolved, also, that we let the well man's pay-small in proportion to the prices, but in plain robbing. The known and unselfish loyalty of our degive their exact age, but are advised benefit it may bring. The premiums same thing was experienced on the

To provide adequate protection un- panies would not risk, owing to the our beloved Order may not suffer, but vide for their families is plainly evia

In closing, let me say that Centre hands in a happy reunion and we trust instantly killed at the Standard Steel her :

Camp Hancock, Agusta, Ga."

"County Will Stay Dry ",-Johnson, According to an item which has been going the rounds of the papers in this section-" President Judge Albert W. Johnson, of the Union-Snyder district, declares that the recent elec- erator having no knowledge of his betion proved conclusively that booze ing there until he returned on the is barred from Union county forever.

"It took four years," he said, "by gradual elimination to make the county dry, and by the decisive election of dry associate judges", he declared, liquor license".

Brumbaugh Has an Idea.

Governor Brumbaugh advocated the work. He said that his plan was to press them into industrial service to take the places of young men called in the draft as an effective war measure. He said he would do this in this state if he had the authority.

DEER SEASON SOON BERE

Plenty of Deer for the Experienced Nimrod .- Many Applications Made

is expected that many more will be

Among those who will be located in

advantage in locating the deer at their Troop L boys, who were scattered favorite crossings. It is to be hoped about the division, were gathered to- that no casualties will be reported dur-

> It's not necessary to caution any of will be had in future years, if forest fires are permitted to sweep over the

Memorial. Adopted November 10, 1917, by Prog-

leath has again visited our Grange guiding and directing spirit; honored, Last night I attended the funeral of respected, and esteemed, not only at

Resolved, that we recognize this departure of our Brother as the call of before a woman registers as trained.

parted Brother, to our Order, be an in- to do so, as certain Government posiserve with greater zeal and energy certain ages. The age should be given ance to its men such as insurance com- Grange interests; that the interests of Respectfully submitted,

C. R. NEFF, JOSIAH STILL, JACOB SHARER, Committee.

Adopted by a unanimous rising vote.

Killed at Burnham Works,

Harry Michaels, 37 years old, was Troop, 101st United States Cavalry, all the men lay down about the fursame track and found the body.

There is little known about Michaels except that he came here from Glass- liquor traffic. port or McKeesport about eight years

Four Years for Postal Thiever.

Two of the yeggmen who blew the safe at the Roaring Spring post office on October 28th, were captured in Maryland and last Friday were sen-

Lewistown has gained twenty per cent, in population since the 1910 censue, according to figures just made than five years ago in the some region public. The Mifflin county metropolis \$50 was considered way out of sight for even the best cow in the county.

The average hunter is different to the high cost of rabbit-ing.

TO REGISTER THE WOMEN.

Idea is to Determine the Woman Power of the Country .- Purely Voluntary Matter,

The latter part of this week various Only nine days yet remain until the members of the Red Cross will call opening of deer season and from the upon every woman in Centre Hall in Headquarters M. G. Troop, reports coming in from the moun-order to have them registered for pa-101st U. S. Cavalry, tains, venison will be had a-plenty by triotic service. No one will be forced Camp Hancock, Augusta, Ga., the more experienced nimrods. Al- to register; it is purely a voluntary and it is to be expected that all cabins hooves every woman to do her part,

The following information is for

POINTS TO BE EMPHASIZED.

ing items should be emphasized in the pounds, clearest and most definite way possi-

1. Registration is voluntary; wcmen will not de drafted into the Government service. 2. Women will not be taken from

their homes for Government service vania Department of Agriculture. either here or in Europe, unless they definitely offer themselves for such State was 41 bushels. Last year corn

ed " and capable of self-support, this sections of the State was damaged by in Altoona have been condemned and will not g ve cause for her husband to be drafted.

4. If a woman registers for service at this time, and when called later have been a record breaker, but for the The deer hunters are displaying finds herself unable, by changed con- frost damage. Twenty-one counties symptoms of a peculiar sort of fever, ditions, to respond to the call, no pun- show a production of over one million and by Saturday morning of next ishment will fall upon her, nor will bushels as compared with nineteen week it will have reached the crisis. she be compelled to service.

they are doing now and for what they off the high corn honors with York most. have been trained to do, whether or second and Berks third, although none not they can give any extra service at the moment.

6. Registration along industriral lines is not intended to remove women from their position, nor to permit them to be exploited by unauthorized appeals for " war service".

are naturalized citizens, and should not be forced on unwilling or disloyal

8. Children under 14 (or under the

While it is true that experience for many years may be considered as equivalent to "training" in some trades, or occupations, the experience must be carefully weighed as the value hardly be called a "trained" poultry raiser. If she has raised chickens for profit for some years, and conducted it as a business, she might well be considered as trained.

centive to each and every one of us to tions are only open to women between in decades, "over 30 or under 40", etc.

A Great Woman Lecturer.

"the Georgia Cyclone," and beyond a Hoover, of Williamsport. the liquor traffic on the American motored to the farm Wednesday in gontinent, will be in Bellefonte and the former's Studebaker automobile the sights of the beautiful Penns Cave

The Nashville Tennesseean says of

I desire to call the provisions of this that it may remain intact, forming works at Burnham, on Thursday Probably not since the days of Franthe wheel rolling mills and when the the World's W. C. T. U., has there ap-Our new address is, "Machine Gun mill broke down just after midnight peared a woman of such inborn elequence and marvelous power to sway nace to take a nap. Later when the the multitude with the mighty twonecessary repairs were made they all edged sword of truth as Mrs. Mary woke up and went about their work Harris Armor. Her burning satire but the unfortunate man, who had and sparkling wit, her mighty grasp tor, and when the machine started affected way of presenting it, born of was crushed to death, the machine op- desperate earnestness, her magnetic personality, and above all her absolute faith in God, makes her one of the denly appeared at the head of about can continent in the overthrow of the government forces. It is intimated

Record Cow Prices.

Governor Brumbaugh advocated the tenced to four years in the federal federal government rounding up all prison. The thieves got little cash but lowest price paid was \$185 and the top now obtaining their chief supply of cent of the foresters in service when reported that the cows were nothing well for their destruction.

Thanksgiving Day Service.

Thanksgiving Day will be observed in Centre Hall with the customary union church service. Rev. Josiah Still HAPPENINGS OF LOCAL INTEREST will preach the sermon in the Reformed church at 10:30 o'clock a. m. The collection will be devoted to the

At Spring Mills Rev. D. S. Kuriz will preach at a union service, in the ready many applications have been matter. The idea is to determine the Evangelical church, at the same hour. made for temporary camps on state land woman power of our country, and it be- The offering will likewise be used for the same relief work.

7 Wild Turkeys for Pleasant Gap H nnters. night. There were a number of turkey dinbirds were taken on that side of the mountain, the lucky shots being Mes- lem of the coal famine. your benefit, so that you may be fully ere. George Hile, Samuel Weaver, Harry Bilger, Boyd Spicher, Frank closing her home for the winter, in a iam Roseman. Bilger and Spicher daughter, Mrs. D. Wagner Geise, and Certain misconceptions concerning killed the big birds in the flock, each family, in Bellefonte. the cards are to be met, and the follow- weighing seventeen and one-half

Some Corn Figures.

Centre county produced 979,940 bushels of corn this year, as compared with 1,033,776 in 1916, according to figures just completed by the Pennsyl-

The average yield per acre in the showed an average yield of 37 bushels early frost and much of it remains to ordered razed to the ground. They be harvested and the same is true of are considered a menace to adjoining the late buckwheat crop which would valuable property. counties with the same record a year The peculiar feature of the ailment is 5. Women should register for what ago. Lancaster county again carries that the buck is the one that suffers of these leaders show as great a crop as last year.

Apply Early for Auto Licenses,

The automobile division of the State Highway Department already has re- for information which will lead to the ceived more than 5,100 applications arrest and conviction of the guilty 7. Registration is intened for women for 1918 motor vehicle registrations person. loyal to America, whether or not they licenses, the moneys therefrom, totaling \$40,835.

State Highway Commissioner J. Denny O'Neil is urging all motor vehicle owners and operators to apply he enlisted in the United States army, license tags, as all motor vehicles must

In view of the anticipated all winter transportation over the main State Highways by big moter trucke, all corporations, manufacturers, department stores and other organizations using many trucks and autmobiles are especially urged to hurry up their applications for 1918 license.

Preparations have been made by the automobile divison to handle promptly all of the increased business and attention is directed to the law governing the granting of motor vehicle licenses, which requires that an affidavit properly filles out, shall accom. John W. Probst, of Northumberland pany all applications.

Fire Destroys Barn and Contents.

doubt one of the most powerful foes of Hoover and a friend, W. A. Benton, covered by insurance.

The Mexican Trouble Once More,

From the Altoons Tribune.

tion appeared to be much improved. other insurgent chiefs had lapsed into quietness. Within the last few days a vanis. change has taken place. Villa har sudmost powerful factors on the Ameri- 1,000 men and has given battle to the that Cararnza is about to move on the rebels who have charge of the southern oil fields. There is an impression Snyder county has landed with all abroad among the people, whatever four feet upon the high price map of may be true of the officials at Washthe state and nation. At an auction ington, that German agencies are of dairy cows at Beaver Springs a few back of this sudden display of Mexidays ago a farmer residing near Troxel- can deviltry. The Mexican oil fields ville purchased four of the bovines at are of vital importance to the entente figure was \$228 for the most expensive oil. Germany is quite aware of that cow. The bidding was spirited. It is and would not scruple to pay Carranza

## TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS.

FROM ALL PARTS

You can do your bit in a very effective way by patronizing the Red Cross festival in Grange hall on the evening of Thankegiving Day.

Hon. Jeanette Rankin, of Montana, the first and only woman elected to congress, lectured in the Rowland theatre at Philipsburg on Thursday

In several departments of the Stanners in Pleasant Gap as a result of the dard Steel Works the use of oil has first day's kill at that place. Seven been substituted for coal for fuel purposes, thus solving partially the prob-

week or two, and living with her

A new line of stationery has been received at the Reporter office. All the popular shades in writing paper, as well as patriotic stationery. Appropriate for gift-giving. Call to see it.

The coinage of six cent pieces is talked about but is objected to because it would encourage trolley lines to raise their fares. An issue of 21 cent pieces would meet with more favor. In line with the State's campaign 3. If a woman registers as "Train- to an acre. Much of the corn in some for fire prevention, sixteen buildings

Bellefonte is aroused over the finding of a dead cat in the borough reservoir. Many are of the belief that the carcass was thrown in the water with malicious intent. The council has offered a reward of \$25.00

Russel Goodhart, the 18-year-old son of Mrs. Salina Goodbart, of Millheim. slipped away from home last Thursday and went to Bloomsburg, where and was sent to Scranton for physical examination. The young man was a member of the senior class of the Millheim high school and is a model young man.

A deed for the entire river front from the mouth of the Kishacoquillas creek to the Lewistown borough line was presented to the borough of Lewistown by Samuel S. Woods, general manager of the Pennsylvania Glass Sand Company, at an adjourned meeting of the council last week. The plot of ground will make a beautiful recreation park.

A little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. county, died of injuries received in a most frightful manner a few weeks ago. The child was learning to creep, The big barn on the Hoover farm and was playing about in a rear bednear Unionville, together with this room of the home while her mother season's crops and other contents, was was cleaning in an adjoining room. totally destroyed by fire last Wednes- The little tot made her way to an day, entailing a heavy loss. The farm opening in the floor intended for the Monday evening, November 28th, is owned jointly by Richard Hoover, passage of a stove pipe, and in some Mrs. Mary Harris Armor, known as the occupant, and his brother, Grant manner fell through the hole to the Grant kitchen stove beneath, where she was nearly cooked to death.

A party of world-tourists enjoyed speak in Petriken hall. Those who and running it in on the barn floor one day last week and were greatly have heard her say she is worth going they started out rabbit hunting. A impressed with its scenic splendor. short time later they discovered the The party comprised Rev. Wm. B. barn to be on fire. Though the stock Cooke, the new Presbyterian minister was saved the barn and contents, in- of Lewistown, his sister, Miss Cooke, cluding the Studebaker, went up in Dr. and Mrs. Parcels, and Ex-Sheriff the smoke. The loss is partially Cooke, all of Lewistown. The Rev. Cooke and his sister have traveled much, having made a thorough tour of the Holy Land, been stationed for a time in the Philippines and in fact For some months the Mexican situa- traveled all of the way around the world. Strange as it may seem they taken his berth under the manipula- of truth, her perfectly natural and un- little if any opposition. Villa and the traveling amid the grand scenery of the mountains of good old Pennsyl-

> E. A. Ziegler, a Rebersburg native. and formerly director of the State Forest Academy, where State foresters are trained, holds a commission as Captain in the Coast Artilery, and is instructor in military mapping at Fortress Monroe, In proportion to the number of men engaged in its work, the Pennsylvania Department of Forestry claims the distinction of having more men enlisted than any other branch of the State Government, war was declared. The operation of the draft is altogether likely to take nine or ten more, which would leave the Department with less than forty The average hunter is discovering per cent of its original field force of for-