



Nittany Mt. Wreck Demolishes Auto; Sends Two to Hospital

A car operated by Frederick M. Newton, of Sharon, was demolished shortly after midnight, Friday, at the watering trough on Nittany Mountain, between here and Pleasant Gap. Mr. Newton, in company with Miss Martha Hoffman and Miss Marian Duna, of Montgomery, and Eugene Shroat, of Clearfield, was traveling north toward Bellefonte, when in rounding a curve the car struck the bank on the right side and turned over in an onward dash.

Miss Hoffman received lacerations of the face and head, and the operator of the car, three fractured ribs. They were taken to the Centre County hospital for treatment and were discharged late Saturday.

The car, a Windsor coupe, was brought to the Hagan garage and is damaged beyond repair. The engine is probably the only part of the vehicle that can be salvaged. The car has a wooden frame which is literally torn to pieces.

VAN DYKE LAUNCHES BATTLE FOR HEAVY REPEAL MAJORITY

A campaign for ratification of prohibition repeal by a tremendous majority in Pennsylvania was launched by the Democratic State Committee on Friday.

Warren Van Dyke, chairman of the committee, called upon all county chairmen to organize their committees in support of the repeal movement. Pennsylvania will select delegates at the general election November 7 for a Constitutional Convention to pass upon repeal.

"No campaign is needed to carry Pennsylvania for repeal," Van Dyke said, "but it is our purpose to get out every favorable vote and to carry the State by the largest possible majority."

"Control of the Legislature by the reactionary Republican party denied our State the privilege of being among the first to vote for repeal. It cannot stop Pennsylvania from supporting the President by ratifying repeal by a large majority."

Van Dyke sent the following letter to all Democratic county chairmen:

"It is the earnest wish of the Democratic State Committee that every county chairman and all county and city committees co-operate to the fullest extent with the National Administration in carrying out the party's pledge relative to the repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment."

"President Roosevelt has addressed appeals to those States where he deemed such appeals necessary and your national chairman, James A. Farley, has personally campaigned in the interests of repeal, so there can be no doubt as to where the National Administration stands or as to the importance it attaches to repeal."

"In his Memphis speech last week, Chairman Farley said: 'The President's program of industrial recovery, of paying off the bond issues necessary for those projects of great benefit to every State in the Union, of repealing, at the earliest possible date, the new taxes necessary to meet the carrying charges on these prosperity bonds, is linked inseparably with the repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment.'"

"Wherefore, Pennsylvania should show its belief in President Roosevelt's program for the return of normal times by an overwhelming vote for repeal in November."

"The first step is to see that the petitions for delegates to the repeal convention are completed and returned by August 1, and to fully inform every committeeman and committeewoman as to such duties as may be necessary to secure a big vote in every district."

A pretty and substantial dwelling house is being erected in the eastern section of Millheim by Fred F. Corman, of Winburn, a Pennsylvania Railroad carpenter, and a native of lower Penna Valley. Mr. Corman does not expect to occupy his new home when completed, but at some later date he anticipates doing so. The structure is 28x33 feet in dimensions, two stories in height, with hip roof covering the spacious porches on front and rear. Red wine cut brick are being used, with a white mortar line. The interior will have all the modern conveniences. Frank Housman is building the place under contract. The brick laying has been sublet to William Garis, who is now at work. Mill Hill brick, it may be interesting to know, were delivered on the grounds at \$12.00 per thousand.

The ninth annual Horner reunion will be held Saturday, July 29, at Grange Park Centre Hall. Members of the clan without means of transportation should notify one of the officers or relative living nearby who has car. Friends of relatives invited.—Sec'y.

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Struck by Car Driven by L. Scott, Aged Man Is Near Death

Thomas Blake, aged about seventy-six years, living on the Steel farm west of the stone quarries at Pleasant Gap, was struck by a Dodge touring car, Sunday evening, driven by Leonard Scott, a farm hand employed by John Rimmer, east of Centre Hall.

The aged man was attempting to cross the Hornstown road from Noll's store and was almost all the way across when the car hit him.

The driver halted immediately after the accident and then took the injured man to the Centre County hospital.

WIND STORM DOES MUCH DAMAGE IN LOCK HAVEN

A wind storm of an hour's duration carrying hail as large as an egg, visited Lock Haven and the valley eastward toward Woolrich Saturday afternoon leaving thousands of dollars worth of damage in its wake.

In Lock Haven half the buildings had from one to fifty windows broken by the hail, roofs were twisted off by the wind, which uprooted trees, several falling over parked cars and wrecking them, while hail broke windows in scores of cars parked by Saturday afternoon shoppers.

A large tree falling across the telephone wires at the bridge east of Lock Haven, put the wires to Woolrich, Jersey Shore and vicinity out of commission. Tobacco crops, corn and tomatoes were riddled by the hail, entailing a heavy loss. The storm was the worst in the history of the oldest residents there.

JR. LIVESTOCK JUDGING CONTEST AT STATE COLLEGE

A junior general livestock judging contest for Centre county boys and girls was held at State College on Monday of last week under the direction of the Agricultural Extension Service. 4H club members and vocational students taking general livestock work were eligible for competition. The boys spent the day judging hogs, sheep and beef cattle, and at noon enjoyed a picnic lunch and sports.

Winners of the various groups are as follows:

Vocational Students: Oscar Rockey, Boalsburg, first; Fred Addleman, Boalsburg, second.

Rebersburg 4H Pig Club Members: Randall Ertle, Rebersburg, first; Albert Brungart, Rebersburg, second; Harold Esterline, Millheim, third.

4H Lamb Club Members: Albert Homan, State College, first; Charles Harter, Nittany, second; Eugene Lederer, State College, third.

C. H. SCHOOL BOARD MEETS; OPENS BIDS FOR COAL

At a special meeting of the Centre Hall school board held Tuesday evening, bids for the winter's supply of fuel were opened. Bids were submitted by eight dealers, the lowest having been Charles Grunberg, Shamokin, 15 tons anthracite, egg size, at \$7.50 and 25 tons bituminous coal by Jones Coal Co., Kylertown, at \$2.70. The bids of both firms are for net tons and delivered.

Prices submitted by the six other firms were: Hard coal, \$9.75; \$9.50; \$10.25; \$8.75. Soft coal: Punksstauway, \$4.50; same, \$4.85; same, \$4.80; same, \$4.85; Phillipsburg, \$3.45; Snow Sho, \$3.85; same, \$3.45.

C. H. "Cubs" Win 3-2

The Spring Mills and Centre Hall baseball club teams crossed bats on the local high school field on Friday night and gave the spectators agreeable entertainment during a seven-inning game. The score—3-2 in favor of the home team—indicates the skill of the two teams on the diamonds. Russell Condo had the visitors in charge and although he has his boys in good training, they were not able to overcome the light lead of their opponents.

The local team has had a successful season coming out victorious in the great majority of games played with Spring Mills, Coburn, Colyer and other teams.

With only 15 days more than one half of the year, production of new full twelve months' production of 1932, Chevrolet cars and trucks equalled the full twelve months' production of 1932, when car number 394,005 came off the assembly line at Flint, Mich.

Look at the label of your paper this week. If you paid on subscription, credit should be shown. If the figures indicate indebtedness to us, we would appreciate a remittance.

BARN BURNS AT WOODWARD.

A farm barn belonging to Mrs. James W. Gusewitz, immediately west of Woodward on the Woodward Cave road, was totally destroyed by fire at 1:30 Sunday night. The barn was located close to the road and was 40x95 feet in dimension. Hay and straw were the only contents of the building to burn. Insurance in the sum of \$700 was held in the Farmers Mutual Co. F. M. Fisher, secretary of the company, adjusted the loss on Tuesday.

TWP. ROAD SUPERVISORS TO BE ELECTED THIS FALL

On December 1st, 1933, the maintenance of 53,000 miles of township roads in Pennsylvania will be assumed by the State for a period of two years, under the Pinchot road act passed by the 1932 Legislature. The State will not take over the roads permanently, but will maintain them as an experiment for the period of two years.

As a result of the experiment, the Department of Highways will have a definite knowledge as to the cost of maintenance, while the farmers, principal users of the township roads, will have actual experience of any improvement the State might make in the condition of the roads over that under the care of township supervisors. It must be remembered, however, that the experiment to be carried out during the coming biennium will not abolish the office of road supervisor or eliminate all road tax. Supervisors will be elected as usual this fall but the road tax millage will be somewhat reduced.

SUSAN—BLAND.

Dr. Frank A. Susan, attending physician at the Woodward Civilian Conservation Camp, and Miss Evelyn C. Bland, of Washington, D. C., were married Saturday morning at 11:00 o'clock at the Lutheran parsonage in Hartleton by the Rev. H. O. Reynolds. The young couple will live at the Hartley House, Hartleton.

BRUSH VALLEY NARROWS ROAD AND DAM NEARING COMPLETION

After several weeks of idleness work was resumed on the Fourteen-Mile Narrows road, known also as the Brush Valley Narrows road. Seventy-five men, working on relief labor, are putting the finishing touches to the road surface and filling in the cuts made to eliminate curves.

Seven miles of this road have been widened, curves eased and eliminated, graded and drained, the work being done by relief labor, without a cent of cost to the Highway Department with the exception of the supervision.

Work on the "Half Way Dam" is well on. It will impound a body of water covering at least five acres.

Trout, Yellow Perch, Pike Placed in Centre County Streams.

The Fish Commission announced a few days ago the distribution of brook trout, yellow perch and pike perch to streams in Centre county during May and June.

Waters stocked with the various species follow: Brook trout, Spring Creek, tributary to Bald Eagle Creek; yellow perch, Black Moshannon Creek, Shields Dam on Bear Creek, Bald Eagle Creek, tributary to West Branch, Susquehanna River, Sinking Creek, tributary to Penns Creek, Rotes Mill Dam on Penns Creek; pike perch, Bald Eagle Creek, tributary to West Branch Susquehanna River.

HOME LOAN ATTORNEY AND APPRAISER APPOINTED

W. G. Runkle, Esq., was appointed the attorney in Centre county for the Home Owner's Loan under a State manager, Albert Edward Mingle, of Coburn, was named appraiser. Another position remaining vacant is title searcher.

Those named will take office not later than August 1. They will work on a fee basis, expected to remain within \$30 for each case.

Both the appointees were ardent supporters of the party now in power for many years, and this recognition is due them.

Appointments in nearby counties are as follows:

Clinton: Attorney, H. F. Hanna, Lock Haven; title searcher, vacant; appraiser, T. N. Stover, Lock Haven.

Blair: Attorney, W. F. Vaughn, 328 Carolina avenue, Altoona; title searcher, vacant; appraiser, John S. Seeds, Oak Knoll, Holidaysburg.

Huntingdon: Attorney, H. W. Petrick, Huntingdon; title searcher, vacant; appraiser, H. E. Huston, Huntingdon.

Mifflin: Attorney, A. Reed Hayes, Lewistown; title searcher, vacant; appraiser, Frank O. Shellenberg, Lewistown.

Union: Attorney, Clair Groover, Lewisburg; title searcher, vacant; appraiser, Ernest Watson, Mifflinburg.

The editor of the Huntingdon Monitor hears of men in Huntingdon county who will not take work offered them because they do not want to be put off the Relief. The editor further comments by saying that this is a very sorry state and shows to what extent the so-called relief breaks down independence and self-reliance. Relief should be stopped on all able-bodied men in Huntingdon county. Loafers have no business on relief.

The State Department of Agriculture is in receipt of many inquiries from farmers regarding methods to secure loans from the Federal Land Bank at Baltimore, and is advising all that they can save time by communicating with the county representative. Miss Hannah Schroyer, of Bellefonte, is the bank's representative in Centre county.

Is your subscription due?

EDUCATIONAL FEATURES STRESSED AT GRANGE FAIR

The importance and value of the work of young people in schools and clubs will be stressed at the coming Grange Fair which opens on Grange park, Saturday, August 26. The big Education building with ample space provided for the display of school work of all grades and departments has been one of the most interesting on the fair grounds since its development, each year bringing to the attention of the adult visitor the splendid and constructive work being done in our public schools. This display has grown larger and more diversified as years have passed until 1933 has full expectation of showing an exhibition covering every branch of work, every grade of school in quantity and sufficient number to develop keen competition.

Boys' and girls' club organizations in Centre county and the attendant activities have been given considerable attention and have met with great success—a credit to the county as well as the club members. And the Grange Fair at Centre Hall has had no small part in the success of this work in offering a suitable place for the annual "Round-ups" and display of the projects undertaken by club members, which closes the year and awards honors. Central location, adequate grounds, buildings and barns are all important in making plans to bring together the work, and, as a consequence these "round-ups" held on the fair grounds have been among the most interesting events of the week, and will continue to be true of the 1933 fair from all indications as noted in the premium book which is in process of being printed this week. And good news to schools and clubs—no decrease in cash prizes in that department.

MILESBERG SCOUTS AT JUNIATA DISTRICT CAMP, SEVEN MTS.

A troop of Boy Scouts, 18 in number, from Milesburg, went through here Monday afternoon on their way to the Juniata district camp, Seven Mountains, and will remain until August 1. The entire membership of the troop responded when Scout Master Fred York made the final call for the outing. The youths are jubilant over the prospect of a two weeks' outing under their Scoutmaster at the new camp site. The expense was provided from the receipts of a festival held by the youths a short time ago. Three dollars a week for each Scout covers all the necessary expense.

SPRING MILLS GRANARY IS VISITED BY WHEAT THIEVES

Thieves entered the granary of the M. T. Zuhler farm, one mile west of Spring Mills and removed 15 or 20 bushels of wheat, which had been threshed only a few days previous.

From indications, the thieves proceeded about their work without any fear of detection. They shoveled the grain from bins into bags, carried it to a neighboring field where it is believed they loaded it into a car. One bag which apparently was torn or insecurely fastened left a trail of grain by which the route the marauders took was traced.

GREGG TWP. SCHOOL TAX RATE REDUCED FROM 13 TO 10 MILLS

The Gregg township school board at a recent meeting set the school tax for the coming year at 10 mills. This is a reduction of three mills from last year's rate of 13. It will be recalled that the board was able to reduce the tax with this year's reduction it makes a total reduction of 8 mills for the two years.

\$107,000 FOR IMPROVEMENTS AT LEWISBURG FEDERAL PEN

A total of \$107,000 will be expended by the National Government for improvements at the Federal Pen, Lewisburg. The improvements will be: Chief Medical officer's residence, \$15,000; two at \$10,000 each for two assistant chiefs; deputy warden's residence, \$10,000; residences, costing \$5,000 each, for chief clerk, chaplain, supervisor of education, and \$6,000 for captain of the guard's residence; guards' residences, \$4,000 each; total, \$107,000.

OREGON VOTES WET 2-1; 20TH TO RATIFY REPEAL

Oregon, after 18 years of prohibition in one form or another, is the 20th State to vote repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment, and has erased every dry law from the statute books of the State.

A tide of wet ballots in Friday's special election gave the repealists a margin of nearly two to one.

States that have voted for repeal are: Michigan, Wisconsin, Rhode Island, Wyoming, New Jersey, Delaware, Indiana, Massachusetts, New York, Illinois, Iowa, Connecticut, New Hampshire, Nevada, California, West Virginia, Alabama, Arkansas, Tennessee and Oregon.

The State Department of Agriculture is in receipt of many inquiries from farmers regarding methods to secure loans from the Federal Land Bank at Baltimore, and is advising all that they can save time by communicating with the county representative. Miss Hannah Schroyer, of Bellefonte, is the bank's representative in Centre county.

GREGG TWP. SCHOOLS WILL OPEN TUESDAY, SEPT. 5.

The members of the Gregg Township school board at a meeting last Wednesday night set Tuesday, September 5th, as the opening day of school for all of the schools in the township. Thursday and Friday of Thanksgiving week will be observed as a vacation period in all the schools as well as a week at Christmas—December 22nd until January 1st. The high school only will have a two-day Easter vacation, namely Good Friday, March 20, and the Monday following, which is April 2nd. Grade and rural schools will close for the next term on Wednesday, April 25th, and the Vocational school on Friday, May 25th.

Teachers for the schools elected at a previous meeting are: Spring Mills Primary, Orle Wagner; Spring Mills 3rd and 4th grades, Beesse Zerby; Spring Mills 5th and 6th grades, Eva Bailey; Spring Mills Grammar, Russell Condo; Decker, Sara Foreman; Beaver Dam, Irene Herring; Cross Roads, Rosella Heckman; Penn Hall, Adeline Bradford; Hoy, Sara Vonada; Logan, Harry Condo. The same high school faculty as last year was re-elected for the coming year, namely: LeClaire Fetterolf, Academic teacher; J. M. Decker, supv. of Agriculture; Meriam B. Tschudy, Supv. of Home Economics; H. C. Hayes, assistant supv. of Agriculture, and C. M. Watts, supv. principal.

MARRIED 50 YEARS.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Homan celebrated their golden wedding anniversary at their home at 500 West Nittany avenue State College, on Saturday.

COMING FESTIVALS.

Saturday evening, August 5, the Farmers Mills baseball club will hold a festival on the athletic field at Spring Mills. Music by the Spring Mills band. A special entertainment, comprising boxing, wrestling, and string music, will be featured by the C. C. C. boys located in Woodward Narrows. An enjoyable evening is assured.

Thursday evening, August 10, a festival will be given by the Lemont L. O. O. F. High Association. There will be a number of attractions designed for the pleasure of all who attend. A handsome electric clock will be given away during the evening.

Saturday evening, August 12, the Pottery Mills baseball club will hold a festival on the athletic field at that place serving all the delicacies of the season. The Spring Mills band has been engaged to furnish the music. The boys shall endeavor to provide an evening of pleasure for all, and will greatly appreciate your patronage.

BLACKFORD, BELLEFONTE PILOT, AND COMPANION INJURED

Jack Blackford, 28, of Bellefonte, and Frank Hinkler, 32, of Lewistown, were seriously injured last Thursday when a plane they were flying at the Lewistown airport went into a tailspin and crashed.

Blackford, a pilot, was looping the plane over a corn field. When only 150 from the ground it went into the spin and dived.

Gaston Means Distinguished "Guest" at New Federal Pen.

Gaston B. Means, former U. S. Department of Justice investigator, on Thursday, began his 30-day quarantine period at the Northeastern Penitentiary at Lewisburg where he is to serve a 15-year sentence for fraud in connection with the Lindbergh baby kidnapping. Means was convicted of swindling Mrs. Evelyn McLean, Washington, D. C., out of \$100,000 on the basis of false information that he knew the whereabouts of the kidnaped son of Col. Charles A. Lindbergh. He previously figured in the Teapot Dome oil scandal.

FIRED AND RESIGNED FOOT UP TO 107

Another sharp cut in the ranks of State employes Thursday dropped 107 persons from the payroll, 81 of whom were fired. Twenty-six voluntary resignations swelled the list announced by the Governor's office.

The only job holder in Centre county to be dismissed was Harold A. Lichtenhauer, Phillipsburg; landscape gardener, Property and Supplies, \$2520.

STATE COLLEGE LISTS 7 IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS

In response to the request received from the State as to what projects the State College borough was contemplating within the next few years and that could be rushed to completion with assistance from the Federal government under the provisions of the National Industrial Recovery Act, State College has submitted a list of seven projects.

The following plans are being considered: 1. Improvement of the North side of College avenue; 2. Improvement of the road between Allen and Garner streets; 3. Improvement of sanitary sewers; 4. Construction of a community building; 5. Erection of a comfort station; 6. Installing an ornamental lighting system, and 7. A new disposal plant.

A committee consisting of Councilman, Robert Minshall, Burgess Eugene H. Lederer and Borough Engineer Harold B. Shattuck, has been appointed to push these projects to completion. Many men will be employed once the projects are started.

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS.

HAPPENINGS OF LOCAL INTEREST FROM ALL PARTS

The Dodds horse sale to-morrow (Friday)

Cleve Brungart is converting the barn to the rear of his home into a work garage, and will soon be ready to do repair work.

From the receipts of a rodeo held for three nights in Lewisburg, all unpaid premiums for last year's Union county fair will be paid.

Mrs. F. V. Goodhart and Mrs. W. F. Keller, on Thursday evening entertained a large number of their friends at a card party at Sunset club house.

Judge Eugene C. Baird has appointed Henry M. Hipple Jr., district attorney of Clinton county, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the late Frank Gross.

Credit on subscription paid has been given on labels this week. If you paid your subscription, look at your label now and see whether you got proper credit. If not, report at once.

Motor vehicle registrations at one-half the annual rate can be had on and after August 1, the Department of Revenue announces Operator's license remains at \$2 throughout the year.

Dr. Ward C. Miller son of Mrs. Sara Miller and the late Dr. E. M. Miller, has accepted the position of instructor in Operative Dentistry in Temple University Dental College, Philadelphia.

John Fortney, one of the young farmers in Potter township was a caller at this office on Saturday. His section did not share in the rainfall of Thursday afternoon and evening, but he states his corn is doing well.

William Weaver, son of Grover Weaver, of near town, who had been at one of the C. C. C. camps in Cameron county, came home last week. He received an honorable discharge on physical disability, due to an affection of the heart.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry F. Shires, and son, of St. Louis, Mo., are in Millheim for a several weeks' visit with Mr. Shires' mother, Mrs. Ella Shires, at the S. M. Campbell home. Mr. Shires is connected with the Remington-Rand Co., and is manager of their St. Louis branch on statistical machines.

The township road from Earlstown passing the Baird farm to the south is being improved to some extent by Clyde Bradford, one of the Potter township road supervisors. Welfare men only are being employed. Nearly or all the work done this summer by this supervisor was done with this class of labor.

Two Sunday school classes—both Lutheran—one from Boalsburg and the other from Centre Hall, held their monthly meeting for July at Brown's place, Seven Mountains, Thursday evening. The Boalsburg class, ladies, is taught by Miss Anna Dale and the one from Centre Hall also ladies, by Mrs. S. W. Smith.

Rev. Walter D. Brown, accompanied by Mrs. Brown and their only child, Alice Jane, of Berwick, were guests for a week of the former's brother, H. E. Brown, at Brown's Place, Seven Mountains. Rev. Brown is pastor of one of the two Lutheran churches in Danville. He is a native of Millroy and served a pastorate at Thompsontown before going to Danville.

Miss A. Irene Zerby, of Clearfield, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Zerby, in the Penna Cave district, and in company with her young niece, Doris, daughter of Robert Zerby, called at this office. Miss Zerby, a Penn State graduate, is the Agriculture Extension Associate in Clearfield county, a position she especially qualified for in her college work.

Nicodemus Luse, of Millheim, will discontinue housekeeping at Coburn where he has lived for thirty years, and will offer for sale his home in that village. It is his intention in the future to make his home with his daughter, Mrs. J. Frank Bible, and family, near Aaronsburg. Mr. Luse is past eighty years of age. For several years many years ago, he was tenant on the Meyer farm, near Centre Hill, and was then noted for the fine teams of horses kept on the large farm.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ralston and family, on the Colyer farm east of town, and the latter's brother, Clayton Eiters, and family, of Oak Hill, Sunday a week autoed to Amity Hall where they met another brother, J. C. Eiters and family, of West Chester. At this point they spread a proverbial Centre county dinner on the green sward and rehearsed incidents of the past and at times became prophetic. Hugh Ralston and family, of Mifflinburg, were also among the group.

An extremely local rain shed moisture Thursday afternoon on the parched fields for a short distance east and west of Spring Mills. The rainfall was limited to a section between the Pine woods, east of Spring Mills, and the Zuhler farm on the west. The fall at some places between these points was very heavy and washing of the soil was a result. Thursday evening and early Friday, a rain, more general in scope in the valley, greatly refreshing vegetation of all kinds, corn especially. These showers, however, very very light in the section visited in the afternoon.