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BELLEFONTE, PA., THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 1938.

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COUNTY SCHOOLMEN TO MEET

School Directors to Hear Well Know Educators

Discussions at 51st Annual 2 ent Will Center on Local Problems; Stat Official to **Outline Duties of County Board**

An exceptionally interesting pro- dure of Election of County Board gram has been prepared for the F. G. Rogers, County Sup't. 51st. annual meeting of the Centre Report of Nomination Committee County School Directors' Association, which is to be held at the Court House, Bellefonte, on Thursday, February 24, beginning at 9:45

Officers of the Association are: Dr. Frank Getts, Philipsburg, president; Thomas G. Haugh, State College, vice president; M. L. Burkholder, Potter township, vice president; R. D. Shoemaker, Ferguson Bellefonte, treasurer; Rev. H. L. Wink, Harris township, delegate to the State Convention. and George H. Hazel, Bellefonte,

The full program for the morning and afternoon sessions is as follows: 9:45-10:00-Devotional Exercises. Rev. Howard L. Wink, Harris Twp. 10:00-10:10-Reading of minutes. .Mr. R. D. Shoemaker, Secretary

Wink, Harris township. 11:00-11:15-Explanation of Proce-

11:15-12:00-Address, "The Distinction of Average" Prof. Herbert Koepp-Baker, Clinician Division of Speech, Penna, State College 1:30-1:45-Voting for members of County Board

1:45-2:15-Address-"Duties County Board-Dr. Clarence E. Ackley, Deputy State Superintendent of Public Instruction. secretary; Mrs. M. F. 2:15-3:00-Address-"What are we Doing About it?" Prof. John H. Frizzell, Head, Division of Speech, College Chaplain, Penna, State

3:00-4:00-Report of Election for Members of County Board Report of Resolutions Committee Remarks of County Superintendent

Members of the Association's com-

mittee are: Nominating-E. A. May, Chairman 10:10-10:45-Report of Delegates to Benner Township: R. M. Alexander, State Convention-Rev. Howard L. Huston Township; D. P. Ertley, Marion Township; M. M. Garrett, Miles Township; Frank Hull, Patton (Continued on page seven)

Clearfield office of the Pennsyl-

The bridge is being constructed

on one of the most important high-

ways in this section, Route No.

322. The road, known as the Lakes-

to-Sea highway, stretches between

A dangerous railroad crossing is

early last summer motorists have

found it necessary to detour over

Motorists are urged by the high-

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Return From Cuba

Charged With Theft

Lock Haven. Kissell entered a plea

of guilty to breaking, entering and

larceny. Kissell is alleged to have

stolen a quantity of brass from the

New York Central Railroad yards at

Avis. The arrest was made Tuesday

Erie and Atlantic City.

vania Department of Highways.

Pine Grove Mills Sky Top Bridge

Interior of Edifice Has Been Approaches Slagged to Per- in Remodeled; New Lighting System Installed

been made and the interior has been entirely redecorated as well as equipped with a new lighting

The re-opening service will be in charge of the pastor, Rev. Robert Laidig, assisted by Dr. George H. Ketterer who will deliver the re-opening sermon. Dr. Ketterer is a former pastor of St. Paul's Methodist church, State College, and is now superintendent of the Altoona

The local male chorus, which is rapidly growing in popularity Buffalo Run Valley road. throughout this county, will be reed quartet will also present several musical numbers. The young people from Juniata College will be featured also on the program. The public is cordially invited to

WEST POINT EXAM TAKEN BY SEVEN CENTRE COUNTIANS

the service.

Congressman Don Gingery has been notified by the Civil Service Secretary at Tyrone that out of a total of 67 applicants who took the preliminary examination for the U. S. Military Academy, seven names of the young men are as follows: William E. LaPorte, and Glenn Alexander. State College; Walter Laich, Munson; Anthony Jendresak and Joseph Drapcho, Clarence; H. Paul Cowen and David M. Mumper, Bellefonte,

Mr. Gingery will announce the principal and two alternates as soon as he receives the graded papers, which should be sometime during this week.

-Pig Roast at Pete Goldren's by failroad and state motor police-

Saturday night.

John H. Hoffman, Aged 91, Dies In Millheim; Was Civil War Veteran

Civil War veterans lost another of New Cumberland; a son, Comprominent member, Tuesday, with mander J. H. Hoffman, of the U. S.

The ranks of Centre County's , er, of Harrisburg; Mrs. F. E. Hoover, the death of John Harper Hoffman. Navy at Germantown; a brother, of Milheim, former proprietor and George Hoffman, of Sunbury, and a manager of the Milheim Hosiery sister, Mrs. Adeline Roser, of Har-

13 True Bills Returned By **Grand Jury**

Jurors, With Herbert J. Stover as Foreman, Complete Deliberations Here Yesterday

SUGGEST NEW LIGHTING SYSTEM FOR OFFICES

Recommend Rebuilding and Refurnishing Public Toilets at Court House

The Grand Jury for the regular February term of Court convened here Monday morning and concluded their deliberations yesterday afternoon after acting upon 23 bills of indictment and conducting an pection of the County property. Of the 23 bills considered, 13 were found to be true bills, while the remainder were returned as not true bills. A number of other cases were settled before being presented to the Jury, or were continued for various The foreman of the Grand Jury was Herbert J. Stover, of Coburn, dog law enforcement officer for this area, while the Jury clerk was G. Earl Hoffer, of Bellefonte. The bills of indictment were pre-sented to the Jury by District Attorney Musser W. Gettig, acting in his official capacity for the first

time before a Grand Jury. The Grand Jury in considering the case of Jake McClellan, of State College, charged with larceny, were not satisfied with the case after all witnesses had been heard, and acting within their rights, had the District Attorney summon before Church to Reopen Open To Traffic them Justice of the Peace Eugene Plans Call for Elimination of ducted the preliminary hearing

the McClellan case. mit Low Speed Traffic; Will fore the Jury that body placed the costs on the Justice of the Peace, After the 'Squire's appearance bebe Completed in Spring

The Pine Grove Mills Methodist church will be re-opened for services on Sunday evening, February vices on Sunday evening, February 20. Extensive renovations have cording to word received from the costs on the Justice of the Peace, whom they had determined was the real prosecutor in the case.

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Rockview Inmate Found, Sentenced

eliminated by the bridge. Since Gets 10 to 20 Years for Six Hours of Fredom; Had Only the narrow, winding, high-crowned Two Years More to Serve

Harry Lehman, Rockview immate who was apprehended at 5:30 o'clock |ed out. that night after he had sought shelter from a sleet and snow storm in also name the commanding offi-Contractor John H. Henzey and the Earylstown Schoolhouse, will be cers of the new troop headquarters. Mrs. Henzey, of State College, re- required to serve from 10 to 20 turned home Tuesday from a two years additional sentence for his Washington. Purposutawney and weeks' vacation trip to Cuba. Mr. 61/2 hours of freedom.

Henzey has the contract for the Pleading guilty before Judge Ivan completion of the new cell block Walker after the Grand Jury conat Rockview Penitentiary, and con- vened Monday morning, Lehman struction is now underway. He is had his original sentence doubled. widely known in Bellefonte, where Lehman with only two more years he built the G. C. Murphy store to serve on the minimum of a 10 to building, and was in charge of the 20 year stretch on charges of endemolition of the former G. Mur- tering with intent to steal, was were from Centre County. The ray Andrews Home at the corner brought to Rockview September 17. of Allegheny and Howard Streets. 1937, after having served most of his term at the Eastern Penitenti-

ary in Philadelphia About 11 o'clock Friday morning Bruce Kissell, of Jersey Shore, was Lehman, who was working on the held for Clinton County Court in road near the residence of Superthe sum of \$1,500 ball at a hearnig intendent J W. Claudy, walked away before Alderman J. Max Lipez, at from the job, and his absence was (Continued on page four)

> CATHOLIC CHURCH CLEARS OVER \$1200 AT BAZAAR Members of St. John's Catholic

church, Bellefonte, cleared more than \$1,200 at their annual bazaar in the parochial school hall Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this Large crowds were present every

evening and many times the half was filled to capacity. It was one of the most successful events of of the most successful events of its kind ever held by the church. Prizes were awarded to the following persons: Miss Alice Fox, \$25; Lee Fetzer, \$10; Joseph Berardis, \$5; Mrs. Walter Cohen, table; Mrs. Philip Bickett, silver and porceiain dish; Mrs. Rose Pearl quilted robe, and Mary Ellen.

WHERE TO BUY FOR BARGAINS

The following Beliefonte business firms have joined in the Dollar Day plan to induce buying in Beliefonte on Friday and Saturday of this week. The special efforts being made by these merchants to promote trade by offering unusually low prices on almost every line of seasonable merchandise, is well worth the consideration of the buying public, and will unquestionably result in substantial savings to those who take advantage of this two-day special opportunity sale. Out-of-town shoppers should read the advertisements in this week's issue, and to further guide them on their buying tour, clip this list of merchants from the paper and bring it with them to Bellefonte:

BRACHBILL'S FURNITURE STORE, South Spring Street. COONEY'S HAT SHOP, West Bishop Street.
BELLEFONTE HARDWARE CO., South Allegheny Street. CLEVENSTINE'S BAKERY, South Allegheny Street. THE SMART SHOP, South Allegheny Street. EVERITTS' DRUG STORE, South Allegheny Street. SID BERNSTEIN, (Two Depts.), S. Allegheny Street, FRIEDMAN & LEVINE, South Allegheny Street. A. C. TURNER CO., Allegheny Street. HUNTER'S BOOK STORE, Allegheny Street PARRISH DRUG STORE, North Allegheny Street, LINTZ'S STORE, Crider's Exchange, Allegheny Street. WHITE BROS. REXALL STORE, Crider's Exchange. MONTGOMERY STORE, Crider's Exchange. WIDMANN & TEAH Cut Rate Store, Allegheny Street MINGLE'S SHOE STORE, Allegheny Street. HAZEL & CO., South Allegheny Street. THE KATZ STORE, South Allegheny Street. BOTTORF BROS., South Allegheny Street. O. C. MURPHY CO., Allegheny and High Streets, OLEWINE'S HARDWARE, High Street YEAGER'S SHOE STORE, High Street. ELECTRIC SUPPLY CO., High Street, WINNER MARKET, S. Allegheny Street. KARMEL KORN SHOP, High Street. JOHNSTON'S CUT RATE, High Street. O. A. KLINE HARDWARE, High Street. T. WILLARD MEN'S SHOP, High Street. HOAG'S DAIRY STORE, High Street. WEIS PURE FOOD STORE, S. Allegheny Street, A. & P. TEA CO. STORE, Allegheny Street. SHAFFER STORES, Allegheny and High Streets DEAN PHIPPS AUTO STORE, W. High Street,

Motor Police To Fire Razes Home Be Reorganized

Barracks on N. Allegheny Street Here

abandonment of the barracks on \$3,000 and \$4,000. Part of the North Allegheny street, Bellefonte. Commissioner P. W. Foote divided the state into four administrative divisions, with a major in

new troop headquarters. Pushing ahead the program for the combined state police-highway patrol unit, he went to work on a new line-up of sub-stations. He expected to have it completed within

There are now 77 sub-stations. Foote said there would be 80 to 100 in the new set-up. He added present and assist the program. A way department to use caution in who escaped from the institution that he could not go into details about 11 o'clock Friday morning, and until the program had been work-

At that time he said he would The new ones created were at Erie in the western division; at Williamsport in the central divi- very active in the best interests of

Marine Band To Play In County

Famous Musical Organization Booked for Two Concerts, September 24

D. A. Holter, director of the Howard brilling the week beginning held in the high school building Band, who has been negotiating for Mcnday, March 7, shall be continued Monday evening. Band, who has been negotiating for the appearance of the Marine Band here for the past year or more. According to word received by Mr. Holter from C. C. Cappel, manager of the Marine Band, at Washington. D. C., this week, the band will make (Continued on page seven)

BOND ISSUE FOR COLLEGE TOWNSHIP SCHOOL IS SOLD E. H. Rollins and Sons of Phila-

delphia, were successful bidders on the \$32,000 bond issue for con-struction of the College Township

At Valley View

Houser Residence Burns to Ground; Firemen Save Paul Eckley Home

A state-wide reorganization of the Pennsylvania motor police was from a defective flue completely de-extended to the sub-stations this state home of Jacob Houser week with a possibility that a number of which the policy week west of Bellefonte.

is covered by insurance. Mrs. Houser and her sister, Mrs. William Rote, of Coleville, preparing the noon meal on the charge of each, and designated 12 kitchen range about 11:40 o'clock when neighbors ran to the home to inform them that the roof was on fire. A call was immediately sent to the Bellefonte Fire Depart-(Continued on page seven)

> DON GINGERY SEEKS RE-ELECTION TO CONGRESS

self subject to the rules and regu- the offer. division, and at Lancaster, Bethlebe glad to learn that he has de(Continued on page four)

learn for a third term.

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February Civil Court Continued

Judge Walker Postpones Trials Until May; Only Three bers Study Wide Variance Cases on Docket

Mcnday, March 7, shall be continued until the May Term of Court, and that the Sheriff be directed to notify jurors summoned for March 7, not to appear.

The decree sets forth that of three civil cases listed only one can be

involved in the case. Por these reasons Judge Walker deems it inadvisable to hold Civil (Confinued on page seven)

Poles Fall

Harry D. Evans, 24, Millheim, Sustains Fracture of Skull When Struck by Stake

CONDITION REPORTED AS "FAIR" AT HOSPITAL

Same Stake That Caused Injuries at Spring Mills Saves Victim From Heavy Poles

Struck by a flat-car stake early Tuesday morning when a pile of electric light poles on the car shifted and broke the stake, Harry D. Evans, aged 24, of Millheim, suffered a fracture of the skull and bruises about the head and shoulders. Attaches of the Centre County Hospital, where he had been undergoing treatment since the accident, last night reported that while his condition still is serious, he is "holding his own."

The accident happened about 8:25 o'clock near the Pennsylvania Railroad station at Spring Mills while a crew of about eight West Penn Power Company employes, including Evans, was preparing to unload the 60 light poles from the railroad car. The poles were held on the flatstakes and chains. The chains had been loosened and the stakes on one side had been moved to allow the poles to roll off the car. For some reason, the pile of poles shifted and crashed against stakes on the opposite side of the car. Evans, who was standing beside the car on what was considered the "safe" side, was struck on the head by the stake and fell to the ground. Poles roared down around im, but fortunately the stake which had struck the man fell in such a position that it protected Evans' body from the falling poles. Several other crew members standing near Evans when the stakes gave way, narrowly escaped being caught

(Continued on page four) Hastings Home Again For Sale

Real Estate Agency Offers 'Upsondowns' to School Board -Is Owned by Hallowells

The Frederick Fraley Hallowell residence "Upsondowns," on North on North Allegheny Street, is now for sale it Congressman Don Oingery, rep- of the Bellefonte School Board, senting the 23rd Congressional Monday night. The Fauble real District of Pennsylvania, compris- estate agency of Bellefonte was reing the Countles of Blair, Centre ported to have offered the property and Clearfield, announces that he to the School Board for school purwill be a candidate to succeed him- poses. The Board took no action on

lations of the Democratic primary Several years ago the estate, one election to be held May 17, 1938. of the finest in Bellefonte, and for-Since becoming a member of mer home of the late Governor Hast-Chambersburg, Hollidaysburg and Congress, Mr. Gingery has been ings, was purchased by Mr. Hallowell from the widow of the late sion; at Hazleton, Towarda and the people of his District, and hit Governor Hastings. The considera-Carbondale in the northeastern many friends and supporters will tion was \$15,000. Since then the

Dairy Industry Topic At School

Blanchard Night Class Mem-

in Prices of Milk

The United States Marine Band is to play two concerts in Centre County, it was announced yesterday by O. A. Holter, director of the Howard trial divide cases listed for the Blanchard High School, was

civil cases listed, only one can be cried. The amount involved in this case is not sufficient to justify the expense of bringing in a panel of jurors, the cost of which would be almost equivalent to the amount involved in the amount involved in the cost of which would be almost equivalent to the amount involved in the cost of which would be almost equivalent to the amount involved in the cost of which would be almost equivalent to the amount involved in the cost of which would be continued on page four) TO HOLD HEARING IN

SAMUEL S. OSMAN DEATH

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Man Escapes Friday and Saturday Death When Dollar Days In Town

Nearly All Retail Stores Co-operating in The Largest Bargain-Giving Event Held Here In Many Months; Centre Democrat Is Guide to Exceptional Values

Planning Ceremonies



Professor Richard W. Grant, director of music and chairman of the faculty committee on public occasions at the Pennsylvania State College. His committee is planning the ceremonies marking the breaking of ground which will inaugurate the largest building program in the history of the College. The celebration will be held Saturday, Peb. 26, and will signalize the beginning of the \$5,000,000 construction program sponsored by the General State Authority and Public Works Administration.

Father and Son Banquet, Feb. 24

Judge Ivan Walker to Speak at 11th Annual Dinner; Hartranft Toastmaster

All arrangements are completed for the eleventh annual Father and Son banquet to be held at the Y. M. became known at a regular meeting C. A. on Thursday, February 24, at 6 p. m. Horace J. Hartranft will act as toas master.

> All those who have not made reervations are urged to do so at once, and if any person wishing to attend and not having received an time. The home is now being reinvitation is to consider this article a personal invitation. Call 41 and notify the Secretary you will be

> speak for the boys, Mrs. Earl K. brother of Contractor John H. Hen-Stock will officiate at the piano, and szey, also of State College, who is Cecil Walker will lead the group now in charge of the construction of singing. Other instrumental and the new cell block at Rockview pemvocal music will be furnished by a tentiary. group of boys under the direction of Mrs. Alberta Krader. The Father and Son banquet sponsored by the local Y is a com-

The speaker will be Judge Ivan

munity event and has the hearty cooperation of all the local minis-ters. Indications are that the miles east of Howard, was broken eleventh annual banquet will come up to all expectations.

Install New Art Glass Windows In Church During this week the Ira, J. Ril- order on a trip to the camp late in

inger Glass Co., of Harrisburg, is December. installing new art glass windows in A hasp was broken off the dinthe auditorium of Trinity Evan- ing room door, a shutter pried off gelical and Reformed church, of the cabin, and a lock on the tool Hublersburg. They will be dedi- house was firmmled by he thieves

Property Committee; acceptance, or more Victrols records, 2 sa by F. E. Vonada, chairman of Con- a scythe, a pole axe, and a rake. sistory; act of dedication, by Rev. James B. Musser, pastor. The approximate cost of the win-

Bellefonte merchants are in readiness for two sensational bargaingiving days, Friday and Saturday of this week, when Dollar Days will hold sway in virtually every store and business place in this commu-

During the sale the Dollar will reign supreme and will be worth much more than usual if you take advantage of the exceptional values being offered in seasonal merchandise and in new spring offerings. Despite somewhat unfavorable economic conditions, merchants are

preparing for a rush of buyers comparable in size with holiday crowds, Merchants have realized that Friday's and Saturday's dollars must go a long way and they have prepared accordingly. They will make available to purchasers full stocks of merchandise running the gamut of household and family needs. Available family resources will go much farther this weekend than ever before, according to information from the stores who are cooperating in the trade event.

Winter merchandise-and chants feel that the backbone of cold weather has not yet been broken-will vie with spring and seasonal merchandise for the attention of buyers.

Food stores, clothing stores, accessory and auto stores, dairy stores, and in fact stores in every line of retail business are cooperating solidly to make these Dollar Days real value days for the citizens of Centre County.

In the pages of this issue of The Centre Democrat will be found (Continued on page eight)

W. P. HENSZEYS TO LEAVE

Mr. and Mrs. William P. Henszey and their infant daughter, for the past year well known residents of Lemont, will sail on the "Exeter," of the American Export Lines, March 1, for Cario, Egypt, where they will be located indefinitely.

Mr. Henszey, a graduate of the Pennsylvania State College, and for the past four years engaged in the air conditioning business as a representative of the Cerrier Corporation will act as the representative of the Egyptian branch of that Corporation in Cairo.

Upon locating in Lemont a year ago Mr. Henszey purchased the former Thompson property which has been the family home since that modeled into four apartments, which will be available shortly after the Henszey family vacate the pre-

Mr. Henszey is a son of J. W Donald Kingsley will Henszey, of State College, and a CAMP WAPALANNE

> VISITED BY THIEVES Camp Wapalanne, Boy Scout

into and looted, it was reported last night by L. C. Heineman, secretary of the Bellefonte Y. M. C. A., who inspected the property yesterday.

The robbery is believed to have taken place either just before or since the Christmas holidays, since Mr. Heineman found everything in

cated at the service next Sunday in gaining access to the three buildings. A partial list of articles taken includes a new Aladdin Statement by L. A. Porter, of the Property Committee; acceptance, or more Victrola records, 2 saws, Mr. Heineman last night stated that a liberal reward will be given for information leading to the re-