

# OBITUARY

### MRS. MINERVA SHIREY.

Mrs. Minerva Shirey, 52, wife of A. B. Shirey, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. M. J. Shirey, at Lewistown Heights, Tuesday of last week after an illness of eight months. She lived in Tyrone 15 years, leaving in 1928. Born at Millheim she was the daughter of the late Ira and Sarah M. Baimey. Members of the family include her husband, and eight children. Mrs. Shirey was a member of the United Presbyterian church at Pleasant Valley, Clearfield county.

### KENNETH HOCKENBERRY

Kenneth Hockenberry, son of Harry and Laura O. Stover Hockenberry, died at his parental home near Curdin at 9:45 o'clock Sunday morning after a year's illness with a complication of diseases. He was a pupil in the Boggs township grade schools. The youth was born in Pleasant Gap on February 11, 1926, making his age at time of death 13 years, 8 months and 11 days. He is survived by his parents and by three brothers and sisters: Mrs. Betty Huey, Bellefonte; Theresa, Leroy, George, Ward, Max, Eugene, Harry and Lee, all at home. Funeral services were held yesterday afternoon at the home, with the Rev. H. H. Jacobs, of Bellefonte, and Rev. Robert Pleck, of Howard, officiating. Interment was made in the Pleasant Gap cemetery.

### MRS. A. S. GRENINGER.

Mrs. Margaret Catherine Greninger, 69, wife of A. S. Greninger, died last Thursday evening at her home at Tyrersville of a heart ailment after an illness of a week. Mrs. Greninger had lived in the vicinity all her life, and was a member of the Tyrersville Reformed Church. Surviving are her husband, two sons and a daughter by a former marriage, Earl Frantz and Paul Frantz, of Tyrersville, and Mrs. Beatrice Zapp, of Berwyn; also six grandchildren; and two brothers, E. E. Meyer, of Logan, and Charles Meyer, of West Leebort. Funeral services were held Sunday at 2 p. m. at the residence in charge of the Rev. A. J. Miller of Rebersburg, pastor of the Tyrersville Reformed Church. Burial was made in the Lutheran cemetery at Tyrersville.

### RUDELPH W. MULHOLLAN

Rudolph W. Mulhollan, native of Bellefonte but for many years a resident of Altoona, died at his home there Monday night. He was a son of James L. and Susan M. Mulhollan and was born at Bellefonte on July 21, 1856, making his age at time of death 83 years, 3 months and 2 days. His wife, Mrs. Nannie Stephens Mulhollan, died on January 1, 1931. Mr. Mulhollan was educated in the Bellefonte schools and learned his trade on the Jenkins and Lingle machine shops here. He went to Altoona in 1877, and retired from the Altoona shops of the P. R. R. in 1928 after a service of 41 years. Survivors include these brothers and sisters: Mrs. C. C. Shuey, Bellefonte; Mrs. W. T. Twitmyer, Williamsport; Mrs. Rachel Riling, Altoona; and a grand-nephew, Jack Sisler, who resided with Mr. Mulhollan. He was a member of the Fifth Avenue Methodist church, Logan Lodge, I. O. O. F., and the P. R. R. relief.

### MRS. ELMER E. SAGER

Mrs. Lydia E. Sager, wife of Elmer E. Sager, of Philadelphia, a native of Bellefonte, died in the Temple University Hospital, Philadelphia, Monday, from the effects of an operation she underwent about two weeks ago. Mrs. Sager was a daughter of Isaac and Martha J. Reed Thomas and was born in Bellefonte 67 years ago. She resided here until about 30 years ago when she married Elmer E. Sager, train dispatcher for the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad, now retired. Surviving in addition to her husband are three brothers and one sister, namely: William A. Thomas, Milesburg; Joseph D. Thomas and C. Arthur Thomas, and Mrs. Lulu Howard, all of Bellefonte. She was a member of the Methodist church and of the Order of Eastern Star, both in Philadelphia. The remains are expected to arrive about 1:30 o'clock this Thursday afternoon at the E. E. Widdowson Funeral Home, Bellefonte, where funeral services will be held at 2:30 o'clock, with a Methodist minister from Philadelphia officiating. Interment will be made in the Union cemetery, Bellefonte.

### MRS. ANNA KANE SMITH

Mrs. Anna Kane Smith, of Howard, widow of the late George Smith, died Saturday at the Lock Haven Hospital of a complication of diseases which resulted from a fall she suffered several months ago. Mrs. Smith was a daughter of Cornelius and Honor Gallagher Kane and was born at Howard on April 16, 1878, making her age at time of death 61 years, 6 months and 5 days. Her husband, George Smith, passed away several years ago. Surviving are these brothers and sisters: John Kane, Ridgway; James Kane, Zion; Mrs. Margaret Caskey, Renovo; Miss Ella Kane, Howard, and Mrs. A. Miller, of Hasket, N. J. The deceased was a member of St. John's Catholic church, Bellefonte. Funeral services were held Tuesday morning at the local Catholic church, with the Rev. Father William E. Downes officiating. Interment was made in the Catholic cemetery at Howard.

### MRS. WILLIAM HASSINGER.

Mrs. Emma Rebecca Hassinger, wife of William Hassinger, of Pleasant View, north of Bellefonte, passed away at her home there at 6:45 o'clock last Wednesday evening after a several days' illness with a heart condition. She had been unable to about her home until two days before death occurred. Mrs. Hassinger was a daughter of Daniel and Mary Harter Gordon and was born in Centre county on September 16, 1870, making her age at time of death 69 years, 1 month and 2 days. Surviving are her husband and these children: Miss Mable Hassinger, at home; Mrs. Guver McKinley, Altoona; Mrs. Thomas E. Kelly, Arlington, Va.; Mrs. William Ward, State College, and William Hassinger, Bellefonte. Also surviving are a sister and a brother: Mrs. John Isenberg, of Huntingdon, and Jacob Gordon, Bellefonte. She was a member of the Pleasant View Union Chapel and for the past 20 years had been treasurer of the Sunday School. Funeral services were held on Saturday afternoon at the chapel, with the Rev. L. F. Sheetz and the Rev. C. C. Shuey officiating. Interment was made in the Traylor cemetery, Milesburg.

### HENRY J. MCCHESNEY

Henry J. McChesney, native of Clearfield county, died at his home on Corf street, State College, at 7:30 o'clock Monday night after a five months' illness with a complication of diseases. He was a son of John and Mary Johnston McChesney and was born at Allport, Clearfield county, on January 27, 1873, making his age at time of death 66 years, 8 months and 26 days. On March 23, 1913, he was united in marriage with Sarah Comp, who survives with these children: Mrs. David Wing, of Pecosville, Ill.; Mrs. George McClure, of Ashland, Ohio; and Donald and Ernest, State College. Also surviving is a sister, Mrs. Nannie Macintosh, of Arlington, Wash. Mr. McChesney was a member of the I. O. O. F. lodge at Pecosville, Ill., and was a member of the Methodist church at State College. Funeral services will be held at the Koch Funeral Home, State College, at 2 o'clock this Thursday afternoon, with the Rev. Harry F. Babcock officiating. Interment will be made at Millheim.

### ROBERT MORRIS GEHRET

An illness which began in May 1937 resulted fatally to Robert Morris Gehret, well known resident of Bellefonte and former secretary and assistant treasurer of the Chemical Lime Company, who passed away at his home on East Bishop street at 6:15 o'clock Sunday night. Mr. Gehret, who was aged 41 years, 6 months and 1 day, was forced to resign from his official capacity with the Chemical Lime Company about two years ago when his health failed. He was a son of Harry and the late Mary Miller Gehret and was born in Bellefonte on April 21, 1896. His wife, the former Ruth Johnson, of Bellefonte, and a daughter, Miss Mary Gehret, at home, survive in addition to his father, who now resides at Jacksonville, Florida. These brothers and sisters also survive: Burton, Perth Amboy, N. J.; Linn, Charlotte, N. C.; Joseph, Philadelphia; Mrs. Harry Casperson and Mrs. Andrew Thompson, of Corry; Mrs. Arthur Lehman, Sunbury; Mrs. Herman Cook, Jacksonville, Florida; and Mrs. Joseph Zelinsky, of Pottsville. Before entering the employ of

the Chemical Lime Company Mr. Gehret had been employed in the local office of the State Highway Department. He was a member of the Methodist church and served on the official board of that congregation. He also was a member of Blue Lodge, F. & A. M., of Bellefonte. Funeral services were held yesterday afternoon at the home on Bishop street, with the Rev. H. Willis Hartsock, pastor of the Methodist church officiating. Interment was made in the Union cemetery.

### MISS LAURA E. BELTZ

Miss Laura E. Beltz, who succeeded Mrs. Charles Kurts, as superintendent of the Centre County Hospital, died October 23, at 1 p. m. in the National Lutheran Home, Washington, D. C., in which she had been a guest since February, 1939, the result of a stroke. Miss Beltz will be buried on Thursday, October 26, at 10 o'clock a. m., from the Richard Lee Snyder Funeral Home, in Harrisburg.

### WILLIAM G. MILLER

William G. Miller, 76, native of Lock Haven and a permanent resident of that city since 1921, died suddenly at his home there at 7 o'clock Tuesday morning of a cerebral hemorrhage. Mr. Miller was the father of Miss Dorothy E. Miller, State College, had been in failing health for more than a year. He received an auditor and treasurer of the Cowanshock Coal and Coke Co. at Yatesboro in 1921, and was active in Masonic circles.

### WILLIAM HENRY YARNELL

William Henry Yarnell, a respected resident of Nealton, near Altoona for the past 35 years, died at his home there Tuesday morning at 8:30 o'clock. Mr. Yarnell had been in ill health for some time and three days ago he suffered serious injuries when he fell at his home. Mr. Yarnell was a son of Thomas and Caroline (Durst) Yarnell and was born at Pine Grove Mills on April 29, 1864. On June 17, 1889, at Huntingdon, he was united in marriage with Miss Phoebe Ann Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Yarnell celebrated their fifty-first wedding anniversary last June. He is survived by his wife and three children: Mrs. Lester Haupt, Arthur Yarnell and Harvey Yarnell, all of Tyrone, and one brother, James Yarnell, of Huntingdon. He was a member of the First English Lutheran church.

### THOMAS E. BATHURST

Thomas Edward Bathurst, former well known resident of Tyrone and the past 14 years attached to the United States Naval service, died in the Naval Hospital, Philadelphia, on Saturday evening following a ten days' illness. Mr. Bathurst, who held the rank of first class shipfitter in the United States navy at the time of his death, was a son of Mr. and Mrs. William Bathurst and was born at Bellefonte, on September 3, 1891. He is survived by his father and several brothers and sisters. He was a member of Howard Garden post No. 281, American Legion, Tyrone, and was base drummer in the Tyrone Legion drum and bugle corps when it was first organized in 1924. He was in the United States navy at the outbreak of the World War and served with the destroyer fleet off the French coast, later operating in the North Sea. Upon his discharge from the navy in 1920 he returned to Tyrone, being employed for some time as a machinist in Altoona and Tyrone. He re-enlisted in the navy in 1926, serving in Panama, China, Hawaii and Pacific coast. About a year ago he was detailed to shore duty at the navy yard at Portsmouth, Va., and recently was sent to the Philadelphia navy yard where the government began work on the recommissioning of a large number of destroyers for neutrality patrol duty.

### HARRY EDISON WOMER

Harry Edison Womer, retired assistant postmaster at State College, and native of Spring township, died at his home on Park Avenue, State College, at 5 o'clock Friday afternoon after a year's illness with a heart condition. Mr. Womer, for 21 years employed in the State College post office, had worked at various times as clerk, money order clerk, special clerk and assistant postmaster. He served under Postmasters John Stuart, Phil Foster, Robert Foster, James Williams, George Glenn, Guy Z. Stover, and Robert J. Miller. The deceased was a son of Henry and Elizabeth Miller Womer and was born in Spring township on November 25, 1879, making his age at time of death 59 years, 10 months and 24 days. On April 19, 1905 he was united in marriage with Estella M. Gross, who survives with two children: Mrs. John Waddell, of Highland Park, N. J.; and Mrs. Thomas Lee, of Conneville. Also surviving are these brothers and sisters: L. A. Womer, Asa Mann; W. W. Womer, Boalsburg; P. E. Womer, Lakewood, Ohio; Mrs. D. W. Showalter, Bellefonte; Mrs. Mabel A. Du, Sunbury; and Mrs. Robert Edmiston, Corrie, E. Womer and Ruth E. Womer, State College. Mr. Womer received his early education in the Spring township schools, was graduated from the Spring Mills Normal and after that taught in the Benner township schools for several years. Later he was employed at Altoona, going to State College in 1907 to make his permanent home. He was a member of the State College Methodist Church, State College Lodge F. & A. M.; Bellefonte Royal Arch Chapter; Nittany Council and Constans Commandery, Jaffa Shrine, Altoona; the Alpha Fire Company, State College; the Alpha Tau Omega, social fraternity, State College. Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at the State College Methodist church, with the Rev. H. F. Babcock officiating. Masonic services were conducted at the grave in the Meyers cemetery, Buffalo Run Valley.

## Hospital Equipped to Treat All Sicknesses

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your soul it should find you marveling and grateful that the generosity of certain of the hospital's friends has made the above mentioned aids possible. Mary E. Wood, in memory of her son Walter W., gave the large photographing machine and the fluoroscope.

In the next room is an infra-red lamp. This warm light stimulates healthy growth in wounds, heals sprains, helps to cure colds and sinus conditions. Look further and you will see the ultra-violet lamp. This gives forth beautiful sun rays, those remarkable rays that cure rickets, quicken recovery from severe illnesses, and stimulate vigor in convalescents. You almost wish you had something the matter with you, so that you could try out these intriguing and curative man-controlled forces of nature.

## Plans Complete For Hallowe'en

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These two contestants will comprise Miss Centre County's court of honor on the Hallowe'en float. All other Harvest Queen contestants will receive awards, regardless of their standing in the contest.

Last night the standing of the various contestants was as follows: Charlotte Knisely, 4,600; Ethel Houser, 4,400; Beulah Smith, 4,900; Hazel Reed, 2,100; Edna Stine, 1,400; Margaret Wellers, 1,300; Zara Schlegel, 1,300; Betty Chandler, 1,100.

Miss Ann Cherry has withdrawn from the contest.

L. Harry Symmonds, of Battery E, 16th Field Artillery, Bellefonte, will be chief marshal of the parade in the absence of Captain Herbert M. Beezer, who will be at the head of the Eiks' marching unit. The parade will form near the intersection of Lamb and Spring streets and will move promptly at 7:30 o'clock over the following route: Lamb to Water, Water to High, High to Spring, Spring to Bishop, Bishop to Allegheny, Allegheny to High, High to Spring, Spring to Linn, Linn to Allegheny, Allegheny to High, and High to the P. R. R. station where the marchers will disband.

ball at Kiski and Bellefonte Academy. His teams were recognized as the national champions in their class as they decisively won every game played with prep schools, normal schools and junior colleges, achieving records seldom equaled by any other prep school levelled.

In 1924 the Bellefonte team scored 456 points to none for their opponents in nine games, all with collegiate teams including the strongest football elevens in the East.

During the next two seasons Bellefonte defeated the outstanding prep school teams of New England and the Middle Atlantic States and was selected to play post-season games with championship teams in the southwest, winning all its decisive margins. In 1926, in recognition of their impressive record, they were invited to play a game at the Tournament of Roses but were forced to decline because they had already accepted a request to play in Texas.

## Plans Complete For Hallowe'en

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And does everyone get the same meaning? You ask, having memories of many an institution that fed certain things to a certain favored few.

"Yes," is the answer, "all the employees, nurses, staff, other help, and ward patients, get the same food. The private patients have a choice in their menus. There can be no complaint over that. After all, if you are a private patient, you were selected for you have the feeling that you are paying for hotel treatment, even if you really are not."

In the kitchen, on your visits, they are preparing trays for the evening meal. There does not seem to be much difference between those for the wards and those for the patients deluxe. Perhaps in the latter there is a gayer tone to the china, a little variety in the kind of dessert. The trays are all attractive. Little silver covered dishes hold soup or baked potatoes hot. The setting is dainty, the food served in appetizing manner. Anyone who has been ill knows the appetizing value of an attractive tray, clean, colorful, not too crowded. These trays, when ready, are loaded on dumb waiters and sent scurrying to their various floor kitchens, where the floor nurses distribute them promptly. Have you ever, as a convalescent, lain forlornly through the hours waiting for that sudden clangor and bustle that announce the coming of the supper tray?

The kitchen itself is staffed by two cooks and four girls, three working at a time, all under the supervision of Mrs. Charles Jodan, the dietitian. The clean and cheery room is furnished with tray racks and long, metal covered tables. To the left stands a gas stove for top-stove cooking, a steam oven and broiler, an electric bake oven, steam urns for coffee and tea, a potato peeler, and an electric mixer. There is one large Frigidaire in the basement, whose unit operates in the small Frigidaires in the floor kitchen upstairs.

"Do you make your dietician stay within a certain budget?" you ask.

"No," was the answer, "she has two rules given her—to keep the budget as low as possible and to serve attractive trays. So far I have no complaints, and that at a time when the 48-hour week has increased our payroll."

In 1938 there was an average of 46.8 patients a day. If they had three meals a day (which they did, barring operations and very severe illnesses), for 365 days there must have been served 51,246 trays last year. Imagine how monotonous must be the kitchen end of this service, the preparation of vegetables, the washing of dishes, the operating of the dumb waiter, the quiet scurry on the floors, if there is not the inspiration of service, the desire to do the job well, the pride of performance!

To you there can be only one compensation for being really ill—you can be taken care of in the Centre County Hospital.

## Hughes Honors Coach Snively

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Some names have remained in the custody of Mr. Hughes, venerable Head Master of the institution, known affectionately by thousands of former students as "Mr. James."

"Mr. James" has distributed many of the trophies to friends and relatives and reserved the most prized one of all for Coach Snively. It is known as the Red Orange Cup and was awarded to the Academy for winning the championship. At the end of the game Saturday afternoon, Mr. Snively presented the cup to Carl Snively for permanent custody in a brief ceremony.

Prior to his first big time coaching job, Carl Snively coached football in the Centre County Hospital.

W. Harrison Walker has named the following persons to assist him in awarding the prizes:

Judges: W. Harrison Walker, chairman; Mrs. Helen Broderick, Mrs. Helen Beecher, Mr. and Mrs. Allen L. Baker, Mrs. George A. Beezer, Mrs. Maize H. Brouse, Mrs. Charles Casbeer, Miss Betty Casbeer, Mr. and Mrs. David C. Duncan, Miss Anne Fox, Miss Nellie Clark, Mrs. Mary Fleming, Mrs. M. Ward Fleming, Mrs. J. G. Harper, Miss Elizabeth Hart, Cyrus Hoy, Mrs. Lois Kurtz, Mrs. Mary Locke, Mrs. Hilda Leathers, Mr. and Mrs. Milton S. McDowell, Mrs. Bessie Mensch, Miss Roxie Mingle, Mr. and Mrs. Earl S. Orr, Miss Adeline Oliveira, Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Plumb, Miss Blanche Poorman, Mrs. J. Coburn Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Earl K. Stock, Hon. and Mrs. Ivan Walker, Miss Nellie Weber, Mrs. Mark W. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Milton P. Walker, and Mrs. W. Harrison Walker.

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## Confers With School Heads

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that Bellefonte immediately begin plans to erect a school on the site of the old school building. Under this system the board would apply for a WPA project for the maximum of \$52,000 now allowed any project by the WPA. With this fund, matched by a nearly equal amount from the school district funds, construction would be started. In July, 1940, when the new fiscal WPA year begins, a second application for another \$52,000 would be sought, and this amount, too, would be matched by an equal fund from the school district. In 1941 the process would be repeated, and in 1942 a sufficient amount would be sought to complete the building.

The plan, full of "ifs and ands," and cumbersome even at best, would eventually give Bellefonte the \$300,000 to \$400,000 required to meet the district's needs, VanZandt said. Then, too, he added, if Congress next year revives the PWA, the board could scrap the installment system and enter into a PWA agreement for the entire amount.

The Board has available about \$150,000 for new construction, it was pointed out, and if the district had to match or nearly equal the WPA appropriations, the total amount of funds available would be approximately only \$300,000. Then, too, the high rental costs of the Academy property probably would continue until the new building was finished, which might require three or four years.

Board members expressed the view that the installment plan was a possibility, although they recognize that it is full of many pitfalls and drawbacks. No action was taken at the conference to approve or disapprove it in an official way.

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