

# SEEK NEW CLUES IN CO-ED SLAYING

## Lone Suspect Is Released by Officers

Little Evidence Found Since Day Murder Was Discovered

### COUNTY HAS NOT OFFERED REWARD

### Police Seek Death Car And Weapon Used by Sex Fiend

The brutal mutilation and slaying of Rachel Taylor, 17-year-old Penn State co-ed, whose lifeless body was found in front of the College Township school at Lemont early last Thursday morning, remains nearly as much of an enigma as it was when the school janitor first came upon the almost nude victim on the gravel driveway of the school.

### Army Day To Be Observed

National Army Day, Saturday, April 6, will be observed locally by Battery E, 166th Field Artillery, Bellefonte, Captain Herbert M. Beezer, commanding officer of the unit announced yesterday.

The local preparations include a parade and band concert in the afternoon and a dinner and dance that evening.

### WHO KNOWS—WHAT

Criticizing police officials for failing to apprehend a slayer, as well as attempting to place the blame for the crime on an apparent lack of protection to women students arriving in State College at night, gets nowhere in solving the horrible affair of last week.

## Former Mulesburg Man Feared Lost

Donald Fulton, 33, Washed Overboard From Tanker on Pacific Coast

Up until yesterday the body of Donald Fulton, aged 33, of San Francisco, California, former resident of Mulesburg who was washed overboard from an oil tanker during a storm along the Pacific Coast, Friday, had not been recovered.

## To Demonstrate Home Decoration

Centre Democrat Cooking School Will Feature Expert Advice

Is your house your hobby? If so, you'll be especially interested in the decorating and lighting class which the Centre Democrat will present as the third in its new series of Homemaking Classes.

## 50 GIRL SCOUTS HONORED BY COURT OF AWARDS HERE

Nearly fifty Bellefonte Girl Scouts received badges and special awards for excellence in Scout work, while twenty other girls were accepted into the organization at a Court of Awards and Investiture ceremony held Friday night in the Court House.

## West Penn To Operate Mulesburg Power Plant

According to reports from Mulesburg, the Mulesburg plant of the West Penn Power Company is being reconditioned for more or less regular use in the production of electric power.

## HER SLAYER HUNTED

RACHEL H. TAYLOR

Penn State freshman student, of Wildwood, N. J., whose lifeless body was found last Thursday morning on the driveway at the College Township School, Lemont. The above photo was taken last fall when Miss Taylor entered Penn State.

## Clarence Man Slain In Ohio

John Franek, 45, Victim of Axe Blow; Assault Arrested

Struck over the head with an axe in an altercation in a miner's apartment at Bradley, Ohio, Friday night, John Franek, aged 45, for many years a resident of Clarence, was almost instantly killed.

## Water Damages Residence Here

Building, Furnishings Soaked From Faulty Pipe At Conley Home

Water streaming for nearly a week from a broken pipe in a third floor room of the Mrs. J. Will Conley house and apartment on West Logan street, resulted in heavy damage to the building and furnishings.

## Hospital Seeks \$5500 in Drive

Welfare Budget for Institution Last Year Was \$8,000

Citizens of Bellefonte and surrounding districts, asked to contribute a certain portion of their incomes for community welfare, naturally wish to believe they are making a good investment in service.

## Police Arson Expert To Speak Here, Friday

All firemen in Bellefonte and vicinity are invited to meet at the Undine Fire House, East Bishop Street, at 7:30 o'clock Friday night when Lt. Elmer W. Faber, head of the arson division of the Pennsylvania State Police, and historian and radio commentator of that organization, will speak on "The Investigation of Fires."

## Begin Work on Movie Record of Bellefonte

Film Will Be Shown at Local Theatre on Friday, April 19

### COMMERCE CHAMBER SPONSORS EVENT

### Civic, Religious Groups, Business and Industry to be Pictured

Bellefonte residents are to have an opportunity to see themselves and their home town in the movies! A movie cameraman is scheduled to arrive here tomorrow to begin the task of making a complete pictorial review of the town, its citizens and its organizations.

### High Waters Bring Slight County Loss

A warm steady rain which began Friday night and continued until Sunday morning brought Centre County streams, already swollen by melting snows, to near their flood levels.

### BRIDGE ON SPRING CREEK DESTROYED

Water Covers Many Roads; Halts Traffic in Some Sections

A temporary bridge across Spring Creek, leading from Milesburg to Tangletown, settlement skirting the Pennsylvania Railroad tracks, was washed away Saturday afternoon.

## Undines Get Resuscitator

Purchase Modern Device For Use Throughout Centre County

A modern resuscitator, inhalator and aspirator has been purchased by the Undine Fire Company, Bellefonte, for the use of the citizens of Centre County.

## FIFTEEN PLEASANT YEARS WITH A LIVELY 113-YEAR-OLD VETERAN

On April 1st, 1925, The Centre Democrat, the longest-established newspaper in the county, came under the management of the present owners.

Whatever uncertainty may have been felt at the start was soon lost in the friendly reception that attended our venture.

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## Boro Home to Be Offered For Sale

Council Votes Disposal of Former Poor House; Burgess Objects

### BURGESS, POLICE TO BE QUESTIONED

### Effort Launched to Fix Blame For Non-Enforcement of Laws

Decision to dispose of the Bellefonte Borough Home at public sale, and consideration of a two-point program for enforcement of borough traffic laws featured a regular meeting of Bellefonte Council at the Logan House, Monday night.

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## Heavy Ticket Sale For Jefferson Dinner

Prominent speakers, a program of entertainment and a choice of menu will be attractions at the annual Jefferson Day dinner to be held at the Nittany Lion Inn, State College, on Friday evening, April 12, under the sponsorship of the Democratic Committee of Centre County.

## 32 Named To Aid In County Census

Census-Takers Given Instructions at State College

Tuesday when the nationwide census got under way, thirty-two Centre countians were among the thousands of census-takers who began the monumental task of counting and securing other information about the population of the United States.

## Justice, Constables Re-Elect Officers

All officers were re-elected for another term at the annual organization meeting of the Centre County Association of Justices of the Peace and Constables at the Penn Belle Hotel, last Thursday noon.

## Moore Resigns Assistance Post

Horatia S. Moore, of Bellefonte, who had been a member of the Centre County Public Assistance Board for more than a year, resigned from that position last week.

## Centre County Has About 650 "Men Without a Country"

Centre county has between 650 and 700 "men without a country" who, when the census taker comes around next week, will answer the question, "Where were you born?" by naming countries which no longer exist.

## Howard Man Held On Hit-Run Charge

Walter E. Nyman, of Howard, R. D. 1, was arrested about 11:45 o'clock Saturday morning by Pvt. J. W. Summers, of the Lock Haven detail State Motor Police, on a charge of failing to stop after hitting another vehicle.

## Curtain Rises Tonight On 'The Elks Frolics'

Tonight at the State theatre the curtain will go up on "The Elks Frolics," musical comedy in five scenes produced by the Bellefonte Elks Club under the direction of Mrs. Alberta Krader.

## Over 1200 County Dogs Not Licensed

George Peters, of Phillipsburg, dog law enforcement officer for Centre county, yesterday announced that to date there are between 1200 and 1500 unlicensed or improperly licensed dogs in this county.

Last year over 1000 more licenses were issued than have been distributed to date, Mr. Peters declared. Most of the difference comes from the fact that 1940 licenses have not been obtained for many dogs.