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### OBITUARY

MRS. MERLE CRAYS

Mrs. Mary Alice Crays, 30, wife of Merle Crays, died early Saturday morning, November 16, 1940, at her home, 440 West Fourth street, Lock Haven, after several months illness. A member of the Mill Hall Methodist church, she is survived in addition to her husband, by one son, Roy, at home; by her mother, Mrs. J. H. Fulger, of Mill Hall; five brothers and three sisters; Russell, James and Robert, Misses Grace and Ruby Fulger, of Mill Hall: William and Paul Fulger, Lock Haven; and Mrs. Joseph Tressler, Bellefonte. 18, 1882, at Marengo, Centre county, Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at the Welsh Funeral Home, with the Rev. George G. Culbertson officiating. Burial was made in Dunnstown cemetery,

#### CHARLES B. McKINNEY

Charles B. McKinney passed away at Colorado Springs, Colo., November 9, 1940, the son of the late Edward and Eliza McKinney. He was born near Potters Mills, Centre county, where he spent his boyhood. He was a pupil of the late Prof. D. M. Wolf of Penn Hall and taught school before he was eighteen. He located at Irving, Ill., where he continued to teach; also was engaged in merchandising there. He moved to Hutchinson, Kans., in 1916, where he held a responsible position with a large dry goods store. His wife passed away in 1931. He leaves three sons, Ray, at Colorado Springs; Harold, Denver; Claude, of Youngstown, Ohio; and two sisters, Mrs. Annie Saunders, Chicago, Ill. Mrs. Laura B. Kline, Los Angeles, Calif. He was an elder of the Presbyterian church, a Mason and Modern Woodman, Burial was made at Hutchinson, Kansas.

#### THOMAS M. BRIGGS

Thomas M. Briggs, a native of Warrior's Mark township, Huntingdon county, died at his home in Mount Union, on Tuesday, November 12, at 7 o'clock in the evening. He had been ill for two weeks. Mr. Briggs was born on January 6, 1865. He was twice married. His first wife. Carrie E. Sharer, to whom he was married on October 7, 1897, died on September 29, 1921. To this union was born nine children. His second wife was Annie E. Varner to whom he was married in Mount Union in 1929, and who died in 1933. He was a member of the First Methodist church of Mount Union, assistant teacher of the Men's Brotherhood Bible class. He held the office of justice of the peace since January year term. For the past 15 years he conducted a second-hand furniture store. He was a licensed minister of the Methodist faith. In his early life he taught school, having attended the Birmingham Seminary when a young man. During the World War he taught school in the Logan building. Mount Union.

#### MARVIN M. MARCY

Marvin M. Marcy, of Polson, Montana died at the family residence at that place at 7 a. m. November of angina pectoris, from number of years, being an invalid with her mother in Bellefonte. A since July 10th of this year. Mr. daughter of James Watson Lucas Marcy was born at Morrisville, Vermont. June 28, 1871. He was a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars 19, 1905, making her age at time having served as a volunteer from of death, 35 years, 3 months and 24 Pottstown, Co. M., Fourth Pennsyl- days, She is survived by her husvania Infantry, in the Spanish American War, and was stationed at Porto Rico. He was married to Mamie DeLong, of Romola, by Rev. M. C. Frick, pastor of that place, on July 16, 1902. They resided at Williamsport where Mr Marcy was bookkeeper for the Pennsylvania Grit for 6 years when he received an years. appointment in a government office at Washington D. C. and was sent from that office in the Spring of 1909, to Jocko, Montana, as field clerk in the U. S. Reclamation Service. He was elected to the office of clerk and recorder in the newly organized County of Lake, where he served four years, and also was Mayor of the city of Polson for two years, and was U. S. Commissioner of this district since 1928, having resigned two months ago on account of his illness, Rev. J. Homer Magee of the Methodist church, had charge of the funeral service at the chapel. and the Polson Lodge No. 78. A. F. and A. M., gave the Masonic service at the cemetery. He leaves to mourn his loss, his wife, two daughters, namely, Mrs. H. T. Williamson, of

St. Ignatius, Montana, and Mrs. Gerald E. Marshman, of Polson; a out direct sunlight from his eyes. son, Mason M. Marcy, of Missoula, In recent times only one comet, that Mont; five grandchildren, and a brother, Frederick Marcy, of Portland, Ore., in addition to a host of

#### CHARLES LESTER McELWAIN.

an extended illness. Born October and the night sky will be bright. he was the son of John H. and Mary Rhoades. He was married Septem- knows where to look will be able family include: Charles E., John W. and James McElwain, both at be able to view the comet. home; these brothers and sisters: William, Bellwood: George, Tyrone; Clifford and Joseph, both of Lancaster, John. Chambersburg; Mrs. Anna Burns, Wilmington, Delaware; Mrs. C. H. Daniels and Mrs. B. H. Luke both of Altoons, and Mrs. J. D. Hillard, Pennsylvania Furnace. Two grandchildren also survive. Mr. McElwain was an active member of the Bellwood Methodist church, having served as general superintendent of the church

#### CHARLES M. DALE

tired farmer of College township, died at his home in Nittany Village nized stars; the brilliant Vega in at 6 o'clock Sunday night, November the constellation of Lyra and the 17, 1940, of a heart attack. Mr. Dale bright star Altair in the constellawas a son of Henry and Henrietta tion of Aquila. Rutherford Dale and was born in College township on June 5, 1866, making his age at time of death 74 ern sky and can be seen almost years, 5 months and 12 days. On directly west just after sunset. Its March 5, 1890, he was united in tail, which by this time should be marriage to Mary Fry, who passed away on August 6, 1939, Surviving are these children: Henry Dale, of State College; and Mrs. Virginia Dale Ricker, of West Chester, Also surviving are nine grandchildren. Funeral services were held yesterday afternoon at the Boalsburg Lutheran church, with the Rev. L. J. Kauffman, assisted by the Rev. W. Wagner, officiating. Interment was made in the Boalsburg cemetery. Mr. Dale was well known throughout this area and was acnumber of years he was a member of the College township school board 1938, having been elected for a six Boalsburg Lutheran church of which he was a member.

#### MRS. CARL GREENBURG Mrs. Mildred Lucas Greenburg,

wife of Carl Greenburg, of New York City, and daughter of Mrs. Lillie Rice, of Pine street, Bellefonte, died bury had been about her home un-She had returned to New York late which he had been a sufferer for a in July after having spent 9 months and Lillie Sharp Rice, Mrs. Greenburg was born near Curtin on July band; her mother, and the following brothers and sisters, Mrs. Fred Walker, Mrs. Doyle Shook, Oscar, Earl and Walter Lucas, all of Bellefonte, and William Lucas, of Lock Haven. Mrs. Greenburg was a member of the Episcopal church, and had resided in New York for the past ten The remains were brought to Bellefonte and funeral services were held at the home of her mother, Mrs. Rice on Pine street, Sunday afternoon with the Rev. G. E. Householder, pastor of the United Brethren church officiating. Interment was made in the Curtin cemetery at

#### Lucky and Unlucky Loves of a Movie Hero

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#### Big Comet To Usher In Christmas (Continued from page one)

man is fortunate he may be able to see the comet in the daytime merely by holding up a hand to block

Astronomers at Harvard Observatory say that the middle of December will be the earliest date at which the new comet can be seen with the unaided eye. And then it Charles Lester McElwain, a for- can be seen only in the isolated mer draftsman for the Altoona Pipe country, far away from the glare and Steel Supply company, died at of lights of cities. Even then it his home in Bellwood, Thursday. may be difficult to see because the Nov. 14, 1940, at 11:45 o'clock after moon will be full on December 14

December 24, nearly every one who the sky will be dark at night. At Penns Valley Grange, and the re- Mary Vonada. Jersey City, N. J.; Mrs. William increased in brightness. By Christ- Matilda Grange. Tucker, New York city and Edna mas even people in large cities will

ham comet will be high in the west-Charles M. Dale, well known re- ern sky after sunset on a line between two bright and easily recog-

Just before Christmas the comet will have moved lower in the westvery long and quite easily seen, will be pointing almost directly upward. After January 1, the new comet the Southern Hemisphere will then be able to see the comet better and it will be growing in brilliance. On January 14, 1941, according to present calculation, it will attain its peak brilliance.

On that date, as the comet approaches perihelion-nearest dis-

Halley's comet. which last appeared in 1910, is the most famous comet of recent times. While comets are usually named after their discoverer, Halley's is an exception. It had been observed long before

til shortly before the fatal attack. of Sir Isaac Newton's famous thehelped bring Newton's famous theory of gravitation to the attention of the world by providing funds to help publish the intricate mathe-

> years. and that they ought to make peridic visits to our region of space.

Staking his whole scientific reputhe year 1759.

Halley never lived to see his prediction fulfilled, for he died in 1742, but he wro.e shortly before his

the December 1 issue of The Ameri- was first discovered by an English-

So great was the praise of astron-

named it Halley's comet. comet has been traced backward, tative of the Municipal Finance Ofthrough history, to at least the year

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Offers Music Aid An extension project in which music guidance will be offered to and community groups throughout Pennsylvania has been State College. Dr. George Sallade Howard, widely known band leader fort. and teacher and a part-time member of the College's music staff. will +

#### POMONA GRANGE NEWS

poem on Potatoes.

Biddle.

Centre County Pomona Grange Victor Brungard; Idaho Potatoes, No. 13 met Saturday, November 16, Harry Fisher; Potato Grading, Hen-in the I. O. O. F. building at Mill- ry Stover; Potato Varieties, LaRue heim with East Penns Valley Grange Porter; Rural Russets, Ray Sharer; burns all over the body about 7 farm, just southeast of Philipsburg as host with an attendance of 200 Serving Potatoes, Pearl Biddle; Orchestra music

The morning session was presided Thanksgiving Through the Years, over by the Worthy Pomona Mas- was discussed by Rev. James Fishter. L. E. Biddle.

Sara Grove, secretary to Pomona Psalms 93:1. in which he stated that of flames. Grange Fair Association, gave a we can give thanks in three ways Mairs, Superintendent of Educacation at the Fair, gave his report. Judging of dramatics was quite ex- by Myrtle Dixon, chaplain of Martensively discussed.

Harry Fisher was elected a mem- holder, chaplain of Pomona Grange. ber of the executive committee and Talk on Keeping of Bees, Paul Others were assisted to the ground life's work as a nurse at the Pennsyl-George Ralston a member of the Stevens. finance committee, with Samuel The Hon. Howard and Mrs. Miles scene. However, by Christmas Eve, on Pletcher as fire insurance auditor, celebrated their 41st wedding anni-Edith S. Dale spoke on the Cen- versary at this meeting. A guessing tre County Library and endorsed contest was held as to the number

The main feature at the noon At the evening session recognition

union

was Potatoes.

hour was The National Grange pro- was given Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Bid-The appearance of the new comet gram from Syracuse, N. Y., which die and Andrew Rockey for being near Christmas time is sure to set was tuned in and enjoyed by all. present at all Neighbor Nights dur-Dr. Burt, of The Pennsylvania ing 1938, 1939 and 1940. Star of Bethlehem, which guided State College Extension Service, The following were given recognithe Wise Men to the Christ Child, gave an educational lecture and dis- tion for being absent at only one was not also a comet. As best as- play of different varieties of potatoes Neighbor Night in three years; Mrs. tronomers can calculate now it is and disease of potatoes, with special Andrew Rockey, Joseph Owens, Mr. believed that this was not so. Rath-er, the best explanation is that at Hauma, Rural Russet, Sebago, and Biddle, and Mr. and Mrs. John Witthe time of he birth of Christ two Sequol. The proper preparation of mer. planets were in conjunction in the soil, selection of seed and spraying Those attending every Neighbor was urged. Pennsylvania is the third Night in 1940 were: Phoebe Cronis-

> charge of Pomona lecturer, Phoebe Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Rockey, Jos-Cronister, who rendered the follow- eph Owens, and Mr. and Mrs. L. E. ing program:

Music by East Penns Valley Or- The traveling Bible was presented chestra, directed by Paul Bartges; in pageant form by candlelight by solos, "Sweetheart of the Valley," Pomona Chaplain, Mrs. Burkholder, "God Bless America." Lois Stover; to a patron representing Spring reading, "The Granger's Wife," Mrs. Mills Grange, who had the largest posed by Phoebe Cronister. The farm topic for the afternoon Rebersburg Grange won a miniature Harry Burns.

The potato originated in South Church at the Crossing was recited America. There were thirty-one dif- in the distance by Joseph Owens ferent ways given to serve potatoes, during the pageant, Potatoes, John Wert; Potatoes, the Six candidates were instructed in largest vegetable crop, Joseph Ow- the mysteries of the Fifth Degree at sunset. However, people living in ens: Maine Potatoes, Mrs. George It is a good thing to give thanks McCormick; Soil for Potatoes, Mrs. unto the Lord, for He is good and Harry Fisher; Shipping Potatoes, His mercy endureth forever.

#### PENN STATE TO EXHIBIT LIVESTOCK AT CHICAGO

The Pennsylvania State College will exhibit 34 hogs and 21 lambs tive in community affairs. For a tance to the sun-it will be flying at the International Live Stock Exthrough space at the rate of about position in Chicago Nov. 30 to Dec. 99,000 miles an hour. It will then 7. The animals will be shipped and was a former elder of the be sharply turning and will begin Nov. 25 in order to allow them time centage of moisture. If corn to be its journey away from the sun far to become accustomed to their surroundings. Purebred wether lambs will be mination will be seriously injured.

shown by the College in the sheep say agronomists of the Pennsylvaclasses. These will include one nia State College. Usually care i Hampshire, one Shropshire, three needed this fall to insure rapid The College will show nine Ches- against early freezes until the seed

suddenly at her home in New York Halley had anything to do with it. ter White barrows, three in each of corn has thoroughly dried Halley was a famous British as- the weight classes, and six Duroc | Clean House Chamneys-Brushes order to encourage enlistments of ember 13, 1940, of a heart ailment. tronomer and mathematician who Although she had not been well for lived in the last part of the 17th the past three wars. Mrs. Classes, and six burdenesses, and s the past three years, Mrs. Green- century and the first part of the Berkshires, three in each class, and 18th century. He was a good friend a pen of 19. A get-of-sire class of five will be shown in each breed. Six barrows have been entered in the carcass class, and the pen of 10 Berkshires will automatically be entered in the contest for 10 car-

Penn State entries have been strong competitors at the Interna-The past two grand champion wether lambs of the exposition were bred, fed, and exhibited by the Odlege. Beginning in 1935 with reserve champion barrow, the Coilege has shown on alternate years the reserve champion and grand champion barrow of the exposition. In 1936 and 1937, the College won the sweepstakes prize on its pen of 10 barrows on foot, and for the past two years it took first prize in the contest of 10 carcasses.

#### LOCAL OFFICIALS MEET

Municipal and local finance officers from every corner of the state will meet at the Pennsylvania State College this weekend to hear prominent speakers and to discuss such problems as tax delinquency and assessing procedure.

The meeting, fifth in an annual series sponsored by the Institute of Local Government and the Extension Services of Penn State, will omers when the comet returned on open with a general session Friday schedule that they immediately afternoon, Nov. 22, and close with dersport Pike section, last Wednesa luncheon on Saturday.

> ficers of the United States and Canada; and Roy Owsley. Washing- big game hunting season didn't open ton representative of the American Municipal Association.

diets and health of undernourished Kichline, Easton; county treasur-children. The number bought would ers, W. Clyde Harper, Williamsport; depend on the price asked and the township suppervisors, H. A. Thomson, Drexel Hill; and township commissioners, Dr. Frank P. K. Barker,

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#### **Woman Dies** As Home Burns

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o'clock that morning when an ex- in Rush township, on September 26 plosion resulted as she poured kerosene in the kitchen range to hasten number of years ago. fire. Flaming liquid showered the room which soon was a mass are her devoted mother, Mrs. Catherer of Pine Grove Mills, based on

brief report on Fair conditions; T. only, by being willing to give of our a daughter, while seven other members of the family were in uptime, talent and money. Doxology. The traveling Bible was presented stairs bedrooms. The flames spread Osceola Mills; Miss Catherine Hess, so rapidly that those upstairs could at home. not use the stairway and some of ion Grange, to Mrs. Morris Burkthem jumped from the windows. by neighbors who rushed to the

Those admitted to the hospital in addition to Mrs. Burns were these of her children: Miss Betty ber 29, 1906, at Milesburg to Vir- to see the new comet. At that its work. The address of welcome of eyes in a peck of potatoes, which Estright, 20; Melvin Burns, 16; Alginia Mae Estep. Members of the time the moon will be waning and was given by Henry Stover, of East was won by William Benford and fred Estright, 35; and Gladys Estright, 32. All suffered burns about and Mrs. Elizabeth Loveless, all of the same time the comet will have sponse by Mayse Harpster, of Port Philip Barr composed an original the face, arms and chest, and several had lacerations of the hands from broken windows. All are recovering satisfactorily.

Two grandchildren and several other children of Mrs. Burns es- held at Wilkes Barre the latter part caped unhurt from the blazing of October. She was also affiliated

spread with great rapidity and in In early girlhood she united with the a short time the entire house was Methodist church of this place, and involved. There was no chance to ever manifested her loyalty. Neighbors, assisted by the Logan Twentieth Century Club, Philipsburg Fire Cimpany of Bellefonte, kept | Funeral services were held Sunday peared as a single, giant and wonald MacMillan and Ralph Mc- ily home in Philipsburg in charge of Marshall, Donald Biddle, Mrs. Miles The afternoon session was in Bartley Mr. and Mrs. John Witmer, Laughlin, which were scorched by her pastor, Rev. Walter H. Williams the intense heat,

Mabel Estright Burns was daughter of Robert and Susan Laird Blair and was born in Centre County on April 5, 1880, making her age at time of death 60 years, 7 months, to a patron representing Spring and 11 days. In 1897 she was united in marriage with David Estright, John Blauser: Potato Song, com- percentage of its members at ser- who passed away in 1921. In 1923 vices on Go To Church Sunday, she was united in marriage with Bible being second highest. The Surviving children are: Cornelius

Estright, Tyrone; Samuel Estright, Mrs. Zachariah Sommers, Betty Estright, Melvin Burns, Alfred Estright, and Gladys Estright, all of Wingate; Mrs. William Glace, Lewistown; Mrs. Charles Conaway, Snow Shoe; Mrs. Miles Resides, Julian, R. D.; and Mrs. Violet Poorman, Julian

Other survivors include two sisters, Mrs. Margaret Bottorf, and Mrs. George Harper, both of State College, and 10 grandchildren. Funeral services were held on Tuesday afternoon at the Evangelical church, Wingate, with the Rev. L. Kline, of Howard, officiating. Interment was made in the Oak used for seed goes through a hard Ridge cemetery, near Unionville. Mrs. Burns was a member of the Evangelical church, Wingate.

Navy Age Limit Cut to 17 Secretary of the Navy Frank Knox Cheviots, and 16 Southdowns. drying, or protection must be given announces that he has lowered the naval enlistment age from 18 to 17. Knox said the step was taken "in Penn State agricultural engineers 21st birthday, and enlistment will say that the brush is started at the be accepted only with the consent top of the chimney and let down of parents or guardians.

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#### State Nurse Dies On Highway

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1888. Her father, C. C. Hess, died a

ine Hess, four brothers and one sister, With Mrs. Burns downstairs was namely: L. Edgar Hess and C. Homer Hess, of Rush township: Samuel M Hess, of Huntingdon; Ralph Hess, of Miss Hess attended Juniata College, Huntingdon, and prepared her vania Hospital, Philadelphia, from

which institution she was graduated in 1913. For a couple of years she served as a nurse at the Children's Seashore Home, Atlantic City, which is connected with the Pennsylvania hospital. She did private duty for a short time before becoming affiliated with the State Department as a nurse She was a member of the Pennsyl-

vania Nursing Association, District 8 and as an active member was sent a a delegate to the state convention with the Pennsylvania State Organi-Fed by the coal oil, the blaze zation for Public Health Nursing save clothing or household goods, was also a charter member of the

> of Trinity Methodist church. Burial was made in the family plot in Philipsburg cemetery.

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out into space from which it came.

matics Using Newton's new theory and the appearance of the brilliant comet of 1681 as his starting point. Halley worked out the motions of come; and noted that recurrently histo, y recorded the appearance of a very bright comet about every 76 While comets had been called devils of the sky and every other sort of thing, Halley decided that they were part of the solar system

tation on this knowledge Halley forecas, that the comet of 1681 should return again at the end of the year 1758 or the beginning of

death: "If this comet should return according to our prediction about the year 1758, impartial posterity will not refuse to acknowledge that this

The year 1910 was the last appearance of Halley's comet. It will next appear in 1986. Because of its Charles R. Mallery, of Blair coun- casually crossed the road, which was

240 B. C. Because turkey producers are having difficulty in disposing of their and their state officers who will larger birds, the Agriculture Depart- take part in the program include: ment is considering the plan of pur- third class cities, Walter E. Grenchasing turkeys weighing eighteen wood, Coatesville; boroughs, Thompounds or more for donation to as F. Chrostwaite, Hanover; county schools serving lunches under its commissioners, James Kell Greensprogram designed to improve the burg; county controllers, Asher S.

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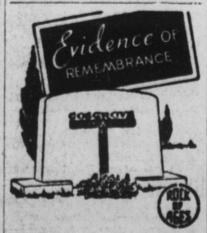
faction. Fruit specialists of the

Pennsylvania State College say that

each variety has its best time for Bear Seen Along Pike Guy Basinger and his hunting party from Lock Haven, while returning from their camp in the Couday encountered a huge black bear, Speakers at the Friday night ses- which was believed to have weighed sion will include State Senator at least 400 pounds. The bear very spec acular appearance Halley's ty: T. Colleman Andrews, represen- on the Coudersport Pike route, in front of the car. He was, however unmolested, due to the fact that

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