Aids Suicide

James H. Shears, 41-year-old railroad section hand, of Denver, admitted that he obligingly "helped" his friend, Merrill Nolin, 44, commit suicide. When Nolin expressed the desire to end it all by jumping out of a hotel window, Shears said, "I just grabbed him by the shoulder and the seat of the pants and helped him." Nolin was killed in the four-

Nine Grandparents

Lloyd Craig Welliver, son of Mr. wick, who was born last week, is exparents. There are four grandparents-four great grandparents, and a great-great grandmother, Mrs. Melicia Caldwell, of Clearfield, who is aged 96 years.

Minus Fly Swater

Columbia county agriculturists are still shaking their heads at a tailless specimen born to a cow owned by Norman Shultz, Berwick, R. D. 1. Many wondered how the animal was to defend itself against flies.

Noisiest Street

The world's noisiest street corner is said to be 6th avenue and 34th street, New York City. It is said the corner is noisy enough to make a other two died in the Lewistown normal person two-thirds deaf for Hospital early Sunday. as long as he stands there.

Her Larder Full

Mrs. Bert E. Towle, of Littleton N. H., canned 888 quarts of produce this season. During the hunting season she expects to add 100 quarts Ralph, 4. Dorothy, 3, and Beatrice I.

Dollar In Oyster

Mrs. E. Townsend, of Crisfield. Md., recently found a silver dollar embedded in an oyster she opened. How it became lodged inside the oyster was not known.

SEARS ROEBUCK COMPANY

The Sears Roebuck Co., is not offering direct catalogue service Dies of Fractured Skull When through their store at State College. Specially trained experts will advise and assist you with your orders, also help you select, take your measurements, if necessary, fill out your order blank and send it in for you. This service will save you the usual postage and money order fee .-

Arm Badly Scalded by Steam

Mary Johnson, of Chester Hill, was severely burned recently at the Philipsburg Laundry and Dry Pressing company when her hand became caught in a pressing machine. The live steam scalded her hand and arm to a point half way between the wrist and elbow, while other employes rushed to the engine room for a crowbar to pry her arm

Has Eye Injured by Shot

A single bb shot from a charge fired at a squirrel bounced back and

3 Wounded In Taproom Shooting At Lewistown By

Jealously-Crazed Husband Man Wounds Own Wife and Bartender, Then Attempts Suicide - Tragedy Takes Place

In South Main Street Grill Three young persons were seri- | placed the pistor to his right temple ously wounded in a barroom shoot- and fired twice. No attempt was

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ing at Lewistown Saturday night. is reported to have entered the Pe'e O'Hara Grill on South Main street, about 11:30 o'clock where his 23and a friend, Willis Gardner, were seated in a booth.

As Henry Collins, 25, the bartender, approached the booth, Kempfer is said to have accused his wife of "running around" with the barand Mrs. Lloyd Welliver, of Ber- tender, and immediately opened fire at Collins with a 22-calibre revolvceptionally well-provided with grand er, the bullet lodging in the man's

Frightened onlookers said Kempfer then fired a bullet at his wife,

8 In One Auto Killed In Crash

Victims From Adams County Meet Tragic Death Near Mifflintown

Eight Adams county residents were killed when their automobile and a trailer-truck crashed headon near Mifflinburg, Saturday night. Six were instantly killed while the

Those killed included a young couple and their three small children. The dead are:

Orville F. Schultz, 25, Gettysburg, R. D. 3, owner and operator of the automobile; his wife, Mary I. Schultz, 25; their three children, 1-year-old; Amy V. Wagaman, 15, Gettysburg; Melvin Harmon, 23, Gettysburg, R. D.; Guy R. Kauffman. 24. Gardners, R. D. 2.

The accident occurred at 9:30 o'clock Saturday night near Mace-(Continued on Page 5)

Blair County Tot OFFERS NEW SERVICE Auto Crash Victim

Parents' Car Turns

Over

Four-year-old Donna Jean Hileman, of Queen. Blair county, died may even be possible that one can see on its way toward the earth—a spec- sky which may soon sway the ignor- twice as bright as that brightest of Thursday afternoon at Nason Hospital. Roaring Springs of a fractured skull suffered when her parents' car was struck by another and sent rolling over an embankment on route 220, one mile south

of East Freedom. Her parents, Robert M. Hileman, who was driving their auto, and ment, at the hospital dispensary and were discharged.

Guido J. Santella, 24, of Patterson, N. J., driver of the car which struck the Hileman auto. was arrested for making an improper pass. Both autos were badly damaged.

Nail Polish Explodes Miss Phyllis Danowsky, 17.

struck Ernie Pearce, Lock Haven near Lewisburg, suffered minor cuts proprietor. in the eye, while he was of the neck and arms when the bothunting in Centre County last week. the of fingernail polish she had The shot did not strike the eyeball, placed on a coal stove, exploded. but was imbedded deep back in Miss Danowsky had placed the botunder it. Mr. Pearce had the in- tle on the stove with the intention jury treated by a Williamsport sur- of "melting" it to a workable con-

GERMANS ALLOWED TO EAT DOGS

Inspection of dog meat will be Horse meat is now available in tend who can possibly do so. made under provision of a law effec- most German restaurants and is tive at the beginning of the new served without the customer having year, when that commodity is to be to surrender his previous meat controlled in the same manner as points, demanded for beef, pork and

MINISTER FACES PROSECUTION

theran pastor from the Altoona sec- ing. tion, refuses to register by the No-

Rev. Lambert, who broke into prominence last month when he would not have to take military stated from his pulpit that he would training because of his ministerial not register, stated again last week post.

If Rev. Allen Clay Lambert, Lu- | that he had no intention of register-

The draft board, which met at vember 20 deadline, prompt action Tyrone, decided to warn the young will be taken against him by the pastor of the necessity to register United States district attorney at when a checkup disclosed that al-Pittsburgh, he Blair couny draft though Rev. Lambert was eligible board warned the minister last to register, his name did not appear on the registration list.

Rev. Lambert, who is married,

ONE CHANCE IN 88 FOR TWINS

In case you are blessed eventing, here are some odds that may inter- from 1915 to 1938 inclusive, only 72 est you:

you'll have twins. will be triplets.

As for quadruplets—Oh, my!— 550 cases, wil girls in 162,881 cases, it will be triplets. don't give it a thought. and one of each in 168,814 cases.

Of the 44.113,147 births recorded cases of quadruplets were found. There is one chance in 88 that Twins were a lot more frequent with 500,175 pair, and the statistics point with pride to 5,005 sets of triplets.

made upon the life of Willis Gard-Ned Kempfer, 25, of Lewistown, ner who was seated in the same booth with Mrs. Kempfer.

The Most Widely Read Newspaper In Centre County.

The Kempfers were taken to the Dr. F. W. Black Community Hosyear-old wife, Virginia Kempfer, pital at Lewistown. Both were operated on Sunday morning. Collins who resides in Burnham, was operated upon Saturday night at the Lewistown Hoscpital. He is expected to recover.

> Little hope was held for the lives of Mr. and Mrs. Kempfer by Dr. Black. He said the slug is lodged in Kempfer's brain, while one of the bullets fired at his wife pierced her lung, liver and kidney and is lodged near the spine. Police have not yet been able to question Kempfer because of his serious condition.

Mill Worker Killed

Beecher Brown, 52, of near Towanda, was killed when his clothing caught in the main shaft of a saw mill in which he was working.

is coming a new trouble, writes Rob-

Those of the Centre Democrat's omens, good and bad.

interest in the possibilities pointed the past,

readers who have been disturbed by Of all the omens since time began

miles an hour, this most spectacular possible to find disaster if you look what

American Weekly.

superstitious and ignorant.

he Centre Democrat

BELLEFONTE, PA., THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 1940.

Much To Be Thankful For

SIX TO GO TO PRISON

BIG COMET TO USHER IN CHRISTMAS

this new-found comet over their cof- one can predict, even now, an epi-

A tiny pinpoint of light has ap- fee cups. The world, we say, is civil- demic of appeals for salvation from comet will have swept in toward the

peared in the sky which will soon ized. But just beneath this veneer of the "end of the world" which will be sun so close that it will pass the

turn into a flaming comet and strike sophistication is the brutal core of forecast by amateur prophets. Such earth's orbit and be nearer to the

dreads, his superstitions and his the sky. They will appear again for

pen if the comet's tail sweeps our seemed more potent to unenlightened which will set off a train of actions earth the tail of the comet will grow

earth-as it probably will-are not man than the comet-the "sign in now held in check. It is not impos- each day until, at its nearest dis-

expected to find solace in Mr. Pot- the sky"-that is mentioned in the sible, for example, that Hitler, who is tance from the sun, the tail may

ter's article, but will find plenty of Bible and other great literature of said to be swayed by the pseudo-sci- reach out into space for 60,000,000

of icy space at the rate of 60,000 says history. Because it is always sion of England. At least that was tail; with what results no one can

The new comet is expected by as- after, a great comet has appeared. the Norman Dictator invaded Eng- the sun and 58,000,000 miles from

most brilliant star in the sky. It of the earth the great new comet now | The tiny pinpoint of light in the comet is expected to be more than

it in the daytime. And its glowing, tacular Christmas present to the ant is the new-found Comet Cun- all stars-Strius, the Dog Star. If

fear and terror in the hearts of the man's ignorance; his fears, his forecasts have always appeared in sun than is the earth.

visitor the world has seen in more hard enough, a remarkable collection back in 1066 A. D., when Halley's are anticipated.

To more than one-half the people land and triumphed.

A conspiracy by which a family a contention that they were the lunch. group hoped to wrest \$20,000,000 rightful heirs of the late Henrietta Doyle Cowher, of Clearfield, who from 20,000 other claimants to the E. Garrett. sentences of 20 to 110 years.

Isaac Newton Shaeffer, Newark, He was whirled around and thrown Del., interior decorator, and five to the floor with such force that his kinsfolk were convicted of falsify-

ert D. Potter, science editor of The can show reason when they discuss which we like to think are "civilized" telescopes.

the thought of what really will hap- none has struck greater fear and comet may well be the "trigger"

than 50 years is now rushing toward of dire happenings has been found comet appeared with seven streaming

sweeping tail may stretch half way warring world-may be expected to ningham, named after its discoverer

fumbling, stumbling and tottering even sweep over the earth itself and norant.

Garrett snuff fortune, was crushed Shaeffer based his claim on his in another car, was the only witness in the Philadelphia court last week contention that he was an illegiti- to the wreck. He said her car was

ufacturer.

Not every expectation comes true

Scientists and intelligent people other nations of the Western World that it can be seen only with large

intelligence grows but slowly in man.

To the superstitious, the sign of the

entific mumbo-jumbo of astrologers, miles. There is a likelihood that

A Visitor In Seven Thousand Homes Each Week.

NEWS,

NUMBER 47.

State Nurse, Enroute From Philipsburg To Home In DuBois, Dies On Highway

Miss Carrie I. Hess, Native of Centre County, Suddenly Striken With Heart Failure While Driving Alone

and was wrecked against a stump at of any illness. the side of the road. Coroner E. S. Erhard, of Curwensville, who helped came state nurse in the DuBois area, due to a heart condition.

Miss Hess had been in Philipsburg attending the Centre-Clearfield Orthopedic clinic at the Philipsburg State Hospital, and, as had been her usual custom, had stopped at the home of her mother, Mrs. Catherine gram of life. Hess, and sister, Miss Catherine, for

was following Miss Hess up the hill with six defendants facing possible mate son of Mrs. Garrett-born be- not traveling rapidly as it approachfore her marriage to the snuff man- ed a curve to the left, but that her car followed a straight course, the driver apparently being unable to make an effort to turn the wheel. Help was quickly at hand and an

But by the middle of December the

wanderer of the heavens already

has a tail. Speeding toward the

At its nearest approach the comet

the earth. At peak brilliance the

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Stricken suddenly ill while enroute | ambulance, summoned from Clear- advertising. by automobile to DuBois from Phil- field, took her to the Clearfield Hos- QUICK READING: ipsburg last Thursday afternoon, pital, where she was pronounced Miss Carrie I. Hess, State nurse for dead. Just before leaving the Philthe DuBois area, was later found ipsburg Hospital about 4:30 o'clock, dead in her car which had left the Miss Hess seemed unusually cheerhighway at a curve on the Penfield ful conversing and laughing with road this side of the State nursery the nurses there, with no indication

About five years ago Miss Hess beevidence to indicate that death had the Philipsburg district. She mainoccurred before the crash and was tained an apartment in DuBois, but Philipsburg. Efficient and conscien-

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Fire Wardens Get

Three Groups Presented With Certificates For Past Performance

ates have just been awarded the ollowing Forest Fire Wardens in the Sproul Forest District by the work on hunters' supplies Chief Forest Fire Warden, George To a cock-eyed world already across the heavens. The tail may strike terror in the minds of the ig- Leland Cunningham, of the staff of H. Dirt, of the Department of For-Harvard College Observatory. It is es's and Waters, Harrisburg: along on the brink of disaster there mix its gases with the air we breathe. Even in the United States and now 130,000,000 miles away, so far

John Winklebleck, Beech Creek; J. W. Coder, Blanchard; Leslie M. Stover, Mill Hall; A. D. Wilson, Tamarack, Pa Twenty year Service Certificate has been awarded to:

George W. Armstrong, Renovo;

William F. Scrimshaw. Ten year Service Certificates have (Continued on Page 4)

Injuries Fatal To Quarryman Slashing its way from the depths the sign of the comet. At least so "new star" as the sign for an inva-

Victim Thrown From Rock-Canoe Creek

Walter A Aurandt of Williamswhere he was admitted Wednesday afternoon with injuries received when he was spilled from an overturned rock-laden quarry car at the Harbison-Walker stone quarry at Canoe Creek. Falling rock broke his right arm and inflicted spinal and internal injuries.

The victim was the son of Alfred killed in a hunting accident some years ago.

Alien registration will end on De- sisters: Mrs. James Paterson, of

Tanks, Ships!

Here's wonderful news! Now you can build models in full color of fighting craft. Specially designed models. Look for this feature starting December 1 in the Comic weekly "Puck," distributed every Sunday

Hunter Fatally Hurt after suffering a relapse.

able in all post offices.

Random Items

After December 2 when the new airmail pickup service is inaugurated a letter destined for Los Angeles mailed in Bellefonte in time for the 3:36 westbound flight, will arrive at its destination at 7:09 clock the following morning. Airmail letters cost only three cents more than the regular rate. If this be advertising, make the most of it. We contend that anyone who can get a letter from Bellefonte to Los Angeles in 15 hours and 33 minutes, for a fee of 6 cents, deserves a little

Ben Crossley, well known Bellefonte jeweler, drives through town greeting friends by ringing a bell. The bell is a new gadget attached to the "back-up light" on the rear of his car. While it is designed to warn persons when the car is backing up, the bell also serves admirremove the body from the car, found having been transferred there from ably as a greeter-of-friends....Considerable fame is being attached to one of Bellefonte's prominent elispent her weekends at her home in gible bachelors who, reports have it, recently spent an evening in the sotious and devoted to her duties, she clety of Katharine Hepburn, of the frequently worked long hours. For- movies.....Guy Baughman and getful of self, ministering to the George Brown, both of Bellefonte. needs of others came first in her pro- spent Armistice Day hunting for rabbits. Hours passed and they Miss Hess was born at the Hess had nothing. Dusk was beginning to fall, and still no luck. Finally their hunting dog, becoming dis-gusted, ran up to a brush pile, grabbed a wriggling rabbit by the neck and carried it back to the Nimrods. Service Awards They dispatched it with a club.

NO SHELLS:

It is reported that sporting goods dealers are unable to obtain delivery of shotgun or rifle shells and that they must depend upon the stocks they have in hand to take Twenty-five year Service Certifi- care of hunters' needs. Report is that explosive manufacturers are too busy with defense orders to

OUST THE RASCALS: We can't understand why the

United States, with the painful lessons of foreign countries before it, doesn't oust all the known spies and saboteurs from the nation. Why we should tolerate in our midst persons who are seeking to wreck our government is more than we can grasp. If it is through fear of offending the governments of the nations the spies represent, we're in favor of going ahead and offending. The aggravated Hitlers, Mussolinis and Stalins in Europe can't do as much damage to us as can their traitorous henchmen in this coun-

SHYSTER LOOSE ?

Legal lights in Centre and other counties of the state strongly suspect that either a former attorney is imprisoned at the Western State Penitentiary or that some shyster lawyer in that vicinity is somehow managing to get advice to prisoners port, Blair county, died last Thurs- in that institution. They point to day morning at the Altoona Hospit- the flood of pleas on the part of inmates seeking their release through technical errors in the processes under which they were sent to prison. A petition filed in Centre County last week contained a pauper's oath (to escape the necessity of paying for court fees), page after page of citations of similar cases, and other papers which only D, and Martha Aurandt and was a lawyer with more than a rough born in Alfareita, near Alexandria, idea of law would be able to pre-Jahuary 6, 1907. His father was pare. The prisoner evidently had a guilty conscience about the whole thing, for he deemed it necessary Members of the family include to incorporate in his petition a his mother and these brothers and statement that he had not been helped of advised by an attorney-Centre County people are interested tistry instructor, Philadelphia Tem- Pennsylvania Turnpike "the most cember 26 and all non-citizens who Water Street; Roy, Daniel, Paul, at-law in preparing the petition. own little hands

COUNCIL: Bellefonte Council is still meet-

ing rugularly and is still following policy of talking tough but cringing when it comes to enforcing laws. Our borough fathers still think the way to run the town is to by a world-famous builder of scale pass laws-and still more lawswhen the fact remains that one law. well enforced, is worth a whole book full of regulations which are not with the Baltimore American. On carried out. Some time ago speed signs were erected in the borough to control speeding. That, Councilmen felt, would do the trick. But it Lester Howard Neitz 39, of Elys- didn't. Police were instructed to burg, died in the Mary M. Packer enforce the laws, but somehow or Hospital, at Sunbury, of wounds other that didn't work. Monday suffered last week in Snyder Coun- night Council considered establishty, when a shotgun in the hands of ling speed traps in town, and studied his brother. Guy, was accidentally the methods under which such discharged, the charge entering his snares are conducted. At the end possible and avoid the Christmas left leg. He rallied from the first of the discussion, Council did nothshock, but sank quickly to death, ing. It was suggested to newspapermen, however, that they put a piece in their newspapers saying that Council was going to operate speed traps. That, it was thought, would solve the problem. But they're only bluffing. doesn't have the guts to enforce its

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By POP MOMAND

To Demonstrate

tronomers to become as bright as the

Mrs. Mary Hileman, received treat- Meeting to Be Held in Inter- Police Find Two Notes Left 2000 Men to Be Employed Severe Penalties Will Follow est of Proper Cooking

Methods

At this season of the year many ing to County Agent R. C. Blaney.

held in the Logan Grange Hall at Pleasant Cap this Friday evening, November 22, at 7:30 p. m. At this demonstration meeting, Mr. C. R. Burge, Livestock Extension Specialist from State College, will demonstrate the cutting of pork and beef and preparation of cuts for the oven. Miss Lois Frank, Extension meats, comparative food values of Beginning January 1st, the Nazis | Dogs and hogs after being the various cuts, and proper meth- father can eat dog-not the hot-dog variety slaughtered are to be examined for ods of cooking. Miss Helen S. Butfamiliar to Americans—but genuine evidence of trichina. The same ap- ler, Home Economics Extension plies to wild hogs, bears, foxes, river Representative of Centre County, canine meat. The German govern- wolves, badgers and other meat-eat- states that this meeting will be of ment has legalized dog meat for hu- ing animals intended for human interest to all housewives of Centre County and urges those to at-

> According to Blaney, more people are using fresh pork, veal and beef as well as killing meats of this type to sell at curb market during recent years, and therefore are interested in learning how to cut meats of this type in order that they can be used in the most practical way. addition to cutting pork and beef to be used as fresh meat, durthis month hundreds of pounds of pork will be killed in Centre County, a large part of which will be salted and canned for the following year's use. Mr. Burge and Miss Frank will be glad to answer any questions anyone may have relative to curing, canning and the

> handling of winter meats. This meeting has been planned for the benefit of all interested folks in Centre County. Extension Agents are anxious that as many people take advantage of this demonstra-tion as possible. Those planning to attend are urged to be on time in order for the program to be completed as planned.

> The average politician would rather carry an election than establish the truth forever.

Being courteous may require a little extra time, but, in the long run, it often saves time.

Teacher Delayed Dream Highway All Aliens Must Cutting of Meat Suicide for Week To Be Beautified Register by Dec. 26

which occurred just when, or just tails. Using the comet as an omen will be 35,000,000 miles away from

By Dr. Brubaker, Former Altoona Man

Worried over the absence of a den-Agustus J. Brubaker. A demonstration meeting will be

Dr. Brubaker, a former Altoona resident was the son of Dr. and John L. Brubaker, of Juniata. He was about 56 years of age. Philadelphia police found the in-

structor's body in his new automobile in a private garage. The doors were locked, and the searchers found a rubber hose leading from the exhaust to the interior of the car. It superhighway and protect its sides Nutrition Specialist also from State is said a pistol which had not been College, will then discuss quality of fired lay on the automobile seat, together with a letter to Brubaker's be completed some time next year.

vestigated the death, Dr. Brubaker tober 1. had delayed his suicide for a week. They made public two notes, found with his will in a garage near the Brubaker home, where he ended his right of way. The WPA will pay life by gas.

the dentist who lived an almost other supplies cloistered life since the death of death would bring the family. In the other, addressed to a Lillian Douglass, of North Philadel-

ng broken an engagement because

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Preventing Slides Plans to make the \$70,000,000

Planting Trees, Shrubs,

speech by a Pennsylvania Turnpike law, Commissioner. Addressing the Long Island As-

sociation Roadside Committee, Wil- be fingerprinted. liam T. Staats, assistant to the Turnpike Commission chairman, said advance crews were already at work on a \$2,611,000 WPA project designed to beautify the 160-mile from erosion. In all, 2.000 men will be employed at the task which will The Harrisburg to Pittsburgh Express road has been open since Oc-

The men will plant millions of trees, obtained from state nurseries, vines, shrubs and flowers along the the wages while the Turnpike Com-In a note addressed to his father, mission will furnish the tools and

Plantings on the sides of the cuts for the embarrassment his own mountains will prevent eroison and to report any change in their per-(Continued on Page 4)

Failure to Comply With Federal Law

in the killing and preparation of ple University officials began a beautiful as well as the most mod- have not yet registered are warned Charles, Mrs. William Straitiff, Carl He did it, he contended, with his their winter's meat supply, accord- search that ended last Thursday with ern" highway in the country were that severe penalties will follow fail- and Clair Aurandt, all of Williamsthe discovery of the body of Dr. revealed Saturday following a ure to comply with this Federal burg. All aliens, 14 years of age and Boys! Build Your Own Planes, older, must register in person and

Alien children, under 14, must be registered by their parents or guard- Uncle Sam's and Britain's latest Registration takes place at the

post offices There is no charge of any kind onnected with alien registration. The Department of Justice warns sale at all newsstands. aliens to beware of racketeers.

The Post Office Department and

the Department of Justice will willingly assist the alien in every pos-Earl G. Harrison, Director of Alien Registration of the Department, suggests that those aliens who have not yet registered do so as soon as

All aliens are also warned that his wife five years ago, apologized and fills dug through the Allegheny having registered, they are required slides in addition to covering un- manent residence address within sightly earth blotches, explained five days to the Immigration and the questions he will be asked Sam-Staats. A natural barrier against Naturalization Service of the De- ple registration forms which show phia, he expressed regret for hav- drifting snow will also be provided partment of Justice in Washington, him exactly what information he the trees planted along the four- Forms for this purpose are obtain- will need at registration are available at all post offices.

'KEEPING UP WITH THE JONESES' - A Wholesome Diet's a Help, Too





