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Is Formally Charged Former Local With 5 Local Attacks Man Dies In

Teichert Case Slated to Be Called For Trial First COURT APPOINTS DEFENSE COUNSEL

Defendant to Be Brought **From Workhouse Late** This Week

Hoy Kenneth Houck, former Bellefonte electrician, now serving time in the Allegheny County Workhouse for an attack on a girl at Lock Haven, will go on trial here Monday on five charges of assault resulting from a series of attacks on Centre county women last year.

Houck is scheduled to be brought to the county jail here from the workhouse. Saturday or Sunday, ac-cording to reports from the offices of Sheriff Edward R. Miller.

Acting upon a plea by the defendant to appoint counsel for Houck during the forthcoming trials, Centre county Judge Ivan Walker this week appointed Lewis Orvis Harvey of Bellefonte, to handle the former orchestra leader's interests in the first case to go to trial, in which Mrs. Bonna Teichert of State College, was the victim.

Other attorneys will be named to represent Houck in the other four cases, it was indicated.

Mr. Harvey, together with attor-ney Samuel Jubelirer of Altoona, Mr. Malin's illness had not j last fall represented Houck at his tence to the workhouse. Sometime three days. after the Clinton county proceedings, announcement was made that Attorneys Harvey and Jubelirer no Malin served during that conflict in Attorneys Harvey and Jubelirer no longer were retained by Houck, and it was indicated that the court to community affairs: was past-exalt-it was indicated that the court community affairs: was past-exaltwould be asked to name an attor- community affairs: was past-exalt- a brother. He was 27, of Pittsburgh

Educator Dies

Lt. Christian Herron, 27, Dies in Pacific War Zone; Saved Crew

Plane Crash

FLEW 12,500 MILES IN MONTH'S COMBAT

Victim Was Son of Former Superintendent at · Rockview Prison

Lt. Christian Herron, formerly cf Bellefonte, is dead.

The story of his death is graphi- F. Clair Ross. Democratic candically told by Harold Guard, United date for Governor; Leo. A. Achter-Press correspondent at an Advanced man, candidate for Secretary of In-U. S. Air Base in the Pacific. Lt. Herron, son of the late James Osceola Mills, candidate Herron, one time superintendent of General Assembly, and Harry E. construction at Rockview peniten- Diehl, of Claysburg, candidate tlary, was pilot of a bomber which Congress, were tendered a reception raided Japanese bases a week or so at the Court House here Monday before his death. Correspondent night by a group of Democratic. Guard accompanied him on that voters. trip, and his account of the raid The reception followed a dinner appears on page 1 of the second at the Brockerhoff Hotel. section of this issue.

An illness of several years' durafollows ion proved fatal to Ogden B. Malin,

well known Bellefonte resident and professor of metallurgy in the School Christian Herron's grave is a mor- those who established the Fairfield in Bucks County or thereabouts. of Mineral Industries at Fenn State College, who died at his home on North Allegheny street at 2 o'clock use

He was killed while crash-landing vented him from continuing his baul, New Britain,, May 2. His crew trial in Lock Haven on a charge of teaching and other activities up un- lived and, though they couldn't extrial led to his conviction and sen- He had been confined to bed for parachute and draped it over the cockpit.

12,500 Miles in Month A veteran of Work! War 1, Mr. Knowing the way he died and why

ney for the Centre county trials. Court-appointed attorneys receive no lodge, former chief of the Logan Fire combat in less than a month. ointed attorneys receive no Company, and past commander of He wasn't flying his own ship and the only members of his regular

Barnhill tells the story of Her-

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Rossman Home

Undetermined

Ross, Harr Among Democratic **Candidates For Governorship**

HOUCK TO GO ON TRIAL, MONDAY



ternal Affairs; James R. Riley, of

F. CLAIR ROSS

Auditor General F. Clair Ross.

Lt. Herron's death is reprinted an Eandy Lake. Mercer county, January 3, 1895, a son of Clement V. Advanced U. S. Air Base in Pa- and Maud McElwaine Ross. Memcific, May 6-(Delayed)-Lieutenant bers of the Ross family were among members of the Harr family living ranged signals. In Bellefonte the fire

ass on a little Pacific island, his Presbyterian church at New Vernon, shroud the parachute he refused to which forty-one years ago (1899) observed its centennial. As a lad, Mr. Ross sold newspap-

Mr. Malin's illness had not pre- his bomber after a mission over Ra- ers in his home community, and his M. A. and Ph.D Degrees by the 10:30 to announce the "all-clear." served as a general store clerk at a Wharton School, University of Penndollar a week while still a high sylvania, where he specialized in school student. Upon graduation Finance and Economics.

from high school, at the age of 16. At the beginning of the first (Continued on Page S(z) (Continued on Page Two)



sirens, Universal Match Co. whistle. Titan Metal Company siren and the Penitentiary whistle will be blown to announce the beginning of the

blackout at 10 p. m., and again at The only traffic to be permitted

through the county will be trucks carrying defense materials. Motorists must pull to the side of the road, stop, and turn out all lights. All persons, other than official air- Board No. 2. Bellefonte, announced ald wardens and other officials are last week, there will be the followblackout, keeping all lights con- No. 1, of State College:

Blackout of

Entire County

14-County Blackout is

Scheduled for Next Wed-

nesday Night

Indoors; Traffic to be

Halted

WILL BE SIGNALS

Tomorrow night's first blackout of fine and costs.

WHISTLES, SIRENS

Lionel F. Gummo, Harrisburg; trolled so that no light is visible Francis E. Hysop, Jr., State College from outside.

Persons who are slated to go to Paul Leonard Losch, State College

Gas Registration Will End Tonight Listed Friday Hunter Pays \$27.50

For Shooting Turkey

of Pine Grove Mills, and Thomas

The defendant was Eugene Long,

of Centre Hall R. D., who, according

last Friday afternoon. Saturday

Will Examine

106 for Army

Two Local Boards to Send

Large Contingent For

Final Examination

A total of 106 Centre county men

will go to Altoona, Saturday of this

week, to undergo final examination

for induction into the a:med forces.

according to lists furnished by the

If accepted for service by Army

In addition to the 46 from Local

physicians, the group will go to Ft

two Local Draft Boards.

Meade, Md., for induction.

Mosier, of Bellefonte.

Public Asked to Remain to game officials shot a wild turkey

Motorists Throng High Schools to Obtain Necessary Cards

FOR VICTORY

Buy

UNITED STATES DEFENSE **BONDS** • STAMPS

SUBSCRIPTION-\$1.50 PER YEAR

Another Centre Countian paid a high price for shooting a wild turkey RATIONING BEGINS out of season, Saturday, when he MIDNIGHT, MAY 14 paid a fine of \$25 and costs of \$2.50 to Game Protectors Samuel B. Reed.

Many Seek Extra Allowance; 836 Registered Here During First Day

Registrations for gasoline rationmorning the wardens visited his ing proceeded at a steady pace here home with a search warrant and yesterday as high school teachers. found the turkey. Long is said to sitting in the county's various high have admitted his guilt and paid the schools issued ration cards to thousands of motorists who have until

Centre county will be a preliminary Even then he didn't have a tur- tonight to obtain their cards. Rationing of gasoline will go into held from 10 to 11 p. m. next Wed- turned the bird over to the Centre effect at midnight tonight (Thursday) in all counties of Pennsylvania

east of the Allegheny mountains. Etate ration director T. Elmer Transeau yesterday said the OPA discarded its ruling that would have made it illegal for ration card holders anywhere in the restricted area buy gasoline until they had driv-50 miles into unrationed terri-

The line of demarcation between he rationed and unrationed areas runs along the western edge of Tioga, Lycoming, Clinton, Centre, Blair and Bedford counties, immediately west of Philipsburg. Altoona and Bedford, With the 50-mile rule eliminated, motorists in the ration area may buy gasoline immediately across the borderline. It brings easternmost car operators 50 miles closer to the unlimited fuel sales region.

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Sabbath Schools **Plan Convention**

asked to remain indoors during the ing 59 selectees from Local Board Dr. Norman Vincent Peale Chief Speaker at Session



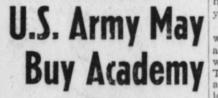
John George Weiss, a Mennonite who arrived in America in 1738. Since 1732 there have always been heralded by the sounding of pre-ar-

Luther Harr attended Newton Grammar School, Philadelphia, graduated from the William Penn

the county.

The District Attorney's office said yesterday that the first case upon which Houck will stand trial is the one in which he is charged with assault and battery with intent to murder Mrs. Ernest J. Teichert, of State College, last June 10. The prosecution will contend that intent to emy years ago, will be revived at commit murder was present when the dance to be held at the Penn Houck allegedly struck his victim on Belle Hotel, Bellefonte, Saturday

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Negotiations Now Under to renew old friendships and ac-Way; Would Be Used As quaintances. **Training School**

Proceedings pointing toward the quet to notify George Carpeneto, losale of the Bellefonte Academy cal chairman, immediately, so that property to the federal government reservations may be made secretary of the Bellefonte Cham- lobby or elsewhere in the hotel any- seeped through the attic floor and ber of Commerce. time after 10 p. m.

Mr. Kusse was in Harrisburg on Monday to interview J. W. Kline & WCMEN OF MOOSE TO Co., real estate dealers who have been negotiating with Attorney James C. Furst, of Bellefonte, rep-

resentative of the Fidelity Trust D. C., grand governor of the Moose Company of Pittsburgh, owners of Lodge, will be the principal speakthe Academy, and government of- er at the second annual banquet of ficials in Washington.

If the deal is completed. Mr. Kusse Moose, this Thursday night at the said, the school would accommodate Moose Home on North Spring street. approximately 300 students. The The banquet committee is headed Harrisburg Academy has been pur- by Mrs. Leo Frazier. Ticket sales chased by the government for sim- are in charge of Mrs. Levica Martin, ilar use, and there are now 350 stu- of Bellefonte, and Mrs. Grace Bildents there, it is reported. ger, of Pleasant Gap.

Repairman Predicts Great Things of Bellefonte's Ailing Town Clock

Bellefonte's town clock atop the lowed his unusual profession in Court House which has been giving Switzerland, Belgium, Hungary and ating fire plug. all manner of fictitious time for the other countries, and has adjusted past number of weeks, yesterday be- the machinery of clocks which tell gan to function with the clocklike time for some of the crowned heads regularity that we Bellefonters ex- of Europe.

pect of it "What was the matter with the Thanks to the improvement goes clock?" we asked.

to Mr. Joseph Doff, of the Howard Joe replied that it needed a gen- tin street, Bellefonte, has received Clock Sales and Service Corpora- eral cleaning, new dial gears, new word that her brother, George Valtion (advt), who has been fixing hands and some new weight cables limont, of Hornell, N. Y., former big clocks for a matter of 28 years, and other gadgets. In addition the well known resident of Pine Glen, Grove Mills. This writer cornered Joe, a patient faces on all four sides have been was seriously injured last week in a

and genial gentleman, in the box- repainted. like cubicle which holds the machin- But Mr. Doff was particularly ery of the clock. There were gears pleased with the new electrical gad-and shafts all over the floor. There gets he's installed to streamline the latest reports are that he has an were electrical gadgets on the wall. clock for war emergencies. The town excellent chance for recovery. His And there were Clay? Royer, court clock itself, he explained, is oper- most serious injury is a skull frachouse janitor, and two local youths ated by weights, but it operates ture. Mr. Vallimont lived at Pine who had been drafted to help Joe electrical contacts which control Glen until about 20 years ago when with his work.

Mr. Doff, whose home address is various offices and rooms in the wholesale business. He is married 18, to make a door-to-door canvass table to operate the mines. The clos- cordially invited to attend the meet- his son was a member, died Satur- lege, and a half-sister. Rilla, of w New York City, has fixed some of Court House building. Naturally, and there are two children in the discus-the best clocks in the world He fol-

crew aboard were Lleutenant George

Barnhill, Charlotte, N. C., bombar-Feature 'Introduction dier, and Private Fred Mickles, Salem, Ind., gunner. Dance' at Reunion

OGDEN B. MALIN

ron's last flight: "We didn't get much results on the mission, but Chris didn't gripe. He simply said. 'We can't expect to hit 'em every time.

night, May 23, after the third annual banquet of the Academy Alumni Association, it was announced

Lawrence Grove, of Washington

Fire Damages vesterday. Ordinarily formal introductions will be done away with and men and women, strangers to each other will introduce themselves at will.

Loss Kept to Minimum by Use This form of introduction is being of Salvage Covers; Cause dvocated in order to "break the ce" during the few brief hours that

Fire of undetermined origin caus-The banquet committee urges all Rossman home on East Bishop nated. sellefonte and Centre county resi-street about 7:30 o'clock Tuesday Even if the building will not be Bellefonte and Centre county residents who expect to attend the bannight before Logan and Undine fire- ready for use until two or three men got the blaze under control.

The fire was confined to the at- schools after Labor Day, it is extic, and a quantity of furniture and pected that the board will terminate for use as a training school for the The hour for the beginning of the clothing stored there was damaged the Academy lease, for it was pointed Army Intelligence, are reported to dance has not been set definitely, by fire, smoke, and water. Firemen out that two or three weeks of school be progressing favorably, it was re- but those who wish to attend are used salvage covers to carry off most ported yesterday by Karl E. Kusse, asked to gather in the Penn Belle of the excess water, but some water

> damaged plaster and paper on the Sentence Youths second floor

Cause of the blaze is undetermined. At first it was believed that it HOLD BANQUET TONIGHT might have been caused by spontaneous combustion in several bags Pine Grove Mills Trio Plead of rags stored on the rafters, but

later all the bags were accounted for and showed no evidence of having caused the fire. A pile of lum-Bellefonte Chapter, Women of the ber remaining from supplies used in construction of the home several years ago was not burned, but the floor under the lumber was badly charred. Electric wires pass under the floor at that point, and it is believed that a short circuit might have caused the blaze.

glary. The youths are Paul Ripka, 18; Firemen were somewhat handi-Ernest Barto, 19, and Richard Elcapped in fighting the fire because lenberger, 17. of low water pressure, in the fire

hydrants in that area, it was reringleader of the group, was senported. The Logan company found tenced to an indeterminate term in t necessary to use about 1400 feet the State Industrial School at White of hose to reach the nearest oper-Hill. Barto and Ellenberger each

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Guilty to Looting House

and Cabin

Pleading guilty to breaking into a

house and a cabin, three Pine Grove

Mills youths appearing before Judge

Ivan Walker at a special session of

court. Monday morning, were sen-

tenced on formal charges of bur-

Salvation Army Collection

were sentenced to pay the costs, fines of \$1, and serve 30 days in the coun-**Former Pine Glen** ty jail.

Man Seriously Hurt State Motor Police from Rockview barracks who made the arrests said

the trio broke into a house near Mrs. Samuel Tressler, of East Cur-Pine Grove Mills owned by Mrs. Charles Thomas-Stahle. of Centre Furnace, and the Erb-Alto Hunting cabin at Kepler's Gap, near Pine Loot from the house included a

truck accident at Hornell. Vallimont is now a patient at the knife, leather leggings, a grindstone and other items valued at about \$20 (Continued on Page Two)

LeaveAcademy Defense Saving

Decision Rests on Pro- County Staff Warns of gress of New Building: Possible 10 Per Cent

Teacher Elected

Ruling Decision on whether to vacate the

Bellefonte Academy property effec- ty Pledge for Victory campaign con- and efficient attention, Mr. Leitzell tive August 1, or whether to con- ducted recently are most encourag- said tinue occupying the premises until lug, the amount of income being set the new high school building is more aside each payday by most Centre nearly complete will be made at a county income earners is still far special meeting of the School Board below the ten per cent which is beto be held Friday evening, May 29, ing urged by the Treasury Depart-

was decided at the regular May ment. eeting of the Board, Monday night. The Department is in all serious The lease with the owners of the ness when it contends that unless property calls for two months' notice defense savings bond and stamp before vacating the premises, and purchases soon rise to the ten per if by the end of this month the board cent of income figure, compulsory has some substantial assurance that regulations will be enacted.

the classroom section of the new This information was released ofbuilding will be ready for use in ficially at a meeting last week of ed some damage to the Hubert September, the lease will be termi- the Centre County Defense Savings Staff at the home of Claude G. Alkens, of State College, chairman of

the county staff. weeks after the normal opening of At the session it was again stressed that the money spent for bonds and stamps is not a tax-it represents a savings at a substantial rate of interest. The ten per cent figure (Continued on Page Four)

Girl Scouts Get Camp Booklets In Burglaries

> Folders to Be Given Out Troop Meeting in Belle-

> > fonte Next Week

Camp booklets for every Girl Penn State College at commence- length. Scout in the Camp Barree Association were distributed to the Camp ment exercises, Sunday, Kachik Chairmen of each town at the an- graduated from the Bellefonte High nual spring meeting of the Barree School in 1937 and during his four Girl Scout Camp Association held at years at Penn State maintained a Camp Barre on Saturday, May 9th. scholastic average of 2.4 out of a

The folders will be given out at possible 3. He is a member of Phi troop meetings next week in Belle- Kappa Phi, national general scholfonte, Mrs. J. C. Rodgers, camp astic honorary fraternity, is an Evan chairman, reported yesterday, Mrs. Pugh scholar, and a member of Ripka, alleged to have been the F. G. Dunkle of Philipsburg, has other honorary and professional sobeen named Camp Registrar and will cieties. Kachik was enrolled in the receive all registrations. medical technology curriculum

Final plans for the operation of (Continued on Page Five)

BHS Alumni Plan For Annual Dance Lehigh Valley Mines Are Closed

Miss Kathryn Coble. president of the Bellefonte High School Alumni According to unofficial word re-Association, yesterday announced ceived late yesterday the mines of that a meeting of the alumni will be the Lehigh Valley Coal Company in held at the Spring street school at the Snow Shoe area closed down 7 o'clock tomorrow (Friday) even-Saturday, and the machinery is ing, May 15. being taken from the mines.

The meeting has been called to Lehigh Valley employed between make preparations for the annual 80 and 90 men, it is reported, and alumni dance in honor of members approximately 50 of the ones thrown of the graduating class at the high Penn State College, Sunday, Robert out of work have been given employ- school. The dance usually follows

ment in the Jacob Friedman mines. the commencement exercises. for the closing of the Lehigh mines range for the dance, a large turn-

The Salvation Army will be in is that there is so much water in the out of alumni is hoped for. All foreight clocks distributed through the he went to Hornell to engage in the Centre Hall Monday morning, May workings that it is no longer profi- mer students of the high school are and instructor of classes of which fonte; brother, Willis, of State Col-

work at 11 p. m. in industries are Clarence F. Addleman, Ambridge; asked to report at their place of Melvin H. Mulbarger, Bellefonte, R. spring convention in Bellefonte, on During the blackout emergency Melvin Klinefelter Bright, Rebers- church circles.

squads will be on duty. If any em- burg. ergency arises in the Bellefonte area, While reports on the Centre Coun- and the matter will receive prompt Continued on Page Three-Second Section:

Spring Concert At

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Honor Student

EDWARD A. KACHIK

bers in the Boys' Chorus.

"GONE WITH THE WIND" AT PLAZA NEXT WEEK

Coming next week for two days, of the finest of its type held in Cen-Monday and Tuesday, at the Plaza tre County in year. All persons, re-Theatre is the famous picture "Gone gardless of faith or creed are in-With the Wind." Prices will be as vited to attend the convention. follows: matinee 40c, evening 50c children 17c any time. Feature be-

Kachik, son of Mr. and Mrs. An-drew J. Kachik, of Prossertown, was This beautiful technicolog This beautiful technicolor picture graduated with high honors from will be presented in its entire full

> Sons of Montoursville, driven by Albert Yerg of Williamsport, and a sedan operated by Grace Reed of Mingoville, who was accompanied by the owner, Ruth Wells of Bellefonte, R. D. 2. tangled at the intersection of Bellefonte avenue and North Fairview street in Lock Haven, Mon-

> Both vehicles were traveling east on Bellefonte avenue, and the accident occurred when the sedan attempted to turn left onto Fairview street in front of the truck. The right hand front corner of the truck body brushed the left side of the sedan and struck the left rear corner, shoving it in and breaking the

other vehicle was going to continue cast on the avenue, but instead turned left in front of him, quickly swung his unloaded vehicle to the left also, avoiding further damage. There was no damage to the truck.

J. HARRY WILLIAMS DIES J. Harry Williams, of Valentine O. Malin, son of the late O. B. Malin and Mrs. Elizabeth Malin. of street, well known Bellefonte paint-Principal reason generally assigned Since time is short in which to ar- Bellefonte, received a B. S. degree in er and paperhanger. died at 8:30 metallurgy. Mr. Malin's father, pro- last night. Surviving are his wife; a fessor of metallurgy at Penn State sister, Mrs. A. L. McGinley, of Belle-

glass The truck driver, who thought the

Graduates

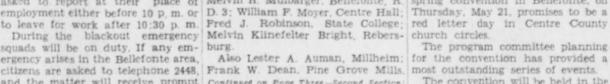


At

ROBERT O. MALIN commencement exercises at







The convention will be held in the Methodist church in Bellefonte, with the Rev. H. C. Stenger, Jr., as hostpastor. The morning session will consist of conferences lead by the

Plaza This Sunday county leaders, and addresses by the The spring concert of the Girls' Rev. O. B. Poulson, of the State Men's Christian Temperance League Glee Club and Boys' Chorus of the and the Rev. Ira S. Sassaman, sup-Bellefonte High School will be held erintendent of the Department of in the Plaza theatre, Bellefonte, on Evangelism of the Pennsylvania Sab-Sunday afternoon, May 17, begin- bath School Association.

ning at 3 o'clock. The afternoon session will feature The public is cordially invited to an assembly of high school students the concert and no admission will with the convention delegates to be charged. hear Dr. Norman Vincent Peale, of

An exceptionally fine program has the Marble Collegiate Church, of been arranged by Mrs. Lenore M. New York City. Afterwards there Martin, director of the two groups, will be conferences as follow: Child-Accompanists will be Suzanna Harts- ren's division, led by Miss Mary wick, Virginia Clarke. Rosalie Mil- Byrerton; young people, led by the ler, Mary Gherrity, Blanche Locke Rev. Ira S. Sassaman, and adult, led and Charles Guyer. The faculty ad- by the Rev. Lee J. Gable. After viser is Miss Josephine Howe. The Girls' Glee Club consists of will address the convention on the

these conferences the Rev. Mr. Gable 78 voices, while there are 14 mem- subject: "Go Forward." The evening session will be the

climax of the convention with an address by Dr. Norman Vincent Peale.

The program is reported to be one

Centre County Car

Hit at Lock Haven A truck belonging to A. J. Eck &

day afternoon, police report.

had not been completed last night.