

NEWS OF SERVICE MEN

From CENTRE COUNTY and vicinity

Promoted in Air Corps



Frederick L. Miller (above), son of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Miller, of Bush Addition, Bellefonte, recently was promoted to the rank of sergeant in the U. S. Air Corps, according to word received by the family. Sgt. Miller entered the Air Corps in March 1941 and received his preliminary training at Langley Field, Virginia. He now is in foreign service. Prior to entering the army he was employed at Indiantown Gap. Sgt. Miller is 23 years old.

Puerto Rico Soldier



Pfc. Charles Rhoades, 18, son of Mrs. Marie Gordon Rhoades, of North Water street, is a member of the U. S. Coast Artillery and is serving as chauffeur for his battery commander in Puerto Rico. Pfc. Rhoades enlisted on July 22, 1941, and received his preliminary training at Ft. Slocum, N. Y. Before entering the service he was employed at the Electric Diner, State College, and made his home with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Ripka, in that community.

In Motor Division



Tech. Sgt. George W. Reeder, 35, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Reeder, Bellefonte, R. D. 3, was inducted into service March 14, 1942. He is now serving in the Army Motor Division at Red Bank, N. J. Since entering the service Sgt. Reeder has received two promotions. May 17 he was advanced to Private First Class, and June 23 to Technical Sergeant.

Now In Canal Zone



Pvt. Harold P. Gates, 29, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Gates, of State College, entered the U. S. Army of June 9, 1941; underwent preliminary training at Camp Wheeler, Ga., and is now in active service in the Panama Canal Zone, having been sent to that post last October. Gates attended the State College High School three years before entering the employ of the McFeely Brick Company at Port Matilda. He is widely known throughout the county as a baseball player, having played third base on various Centre county league baseball teams.

In Canal Zone



Pvt. Norman H. Hillard, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hillard of Pennsylvania Furnace, enlisted December 8, 1941, and inducted into service December 11. He was stationed at Paris Island, South Carolina, for a short time and then assigned to the Balboa Canal Zone, Panama. He reports that life with the Marines is a grand experience, and sends his best wishes to all his friends back home.

Promoted to Sergeant



Paul W. Watson, 25, son of William Watson, of Bellefonte, R. D. 3, now stationed with the U. S. Army in Camp Bowie, Texas, recently was promoted from private first class to technical sergeant. Watson, who came home on furlough in May, received his basic training at Camp Wheeler, Ga., later being sent to Camp Blanding, Florida, before being transferred to Camp Bowie. In July he participated in maneuvers in Louisiana. Before entering the Army on June 9, 1941, Watson was employed by Harry Smith, near Bellefonte. Last December he was united in marriage with Lettie Jodon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Jodon, of near the Bellefonte airport.

With Marines in Cuba



Pvt. Jerome Leitzell, son of Mr. and Mrs. James J. Leitzell, of Milesburg, is now stationed with the U. S. Marines in Cuba, according to word received by relatives. Leitzell was graduated from the Bellefonte High School in the class of 1940 and later was graduated from the Davey Tree Surgery School at Kent, Ohio. He was sent by the school to work in the Buffalo, N. Y. area as a field representative when he enlisted in the Marines. Completing his preliminary training at Parris Island, S. C., he was sent to active duty in Cuba. He will be 21 years old in September.

Aviation Engineer



Corporal Joseph Parney, 22, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Parney of Clarence, is training with the 817 Aviation Engineers Battalion at Fort Dix, N. J. Following his induction into service March 14, 1942, he was promoted June 1st to Technical 5th Grade, with rank of Corporal.

Enrolls in Technical School

Paul B. Masden of Howard, is one of a group of eighty-one Pennsylvania youths who were enrolled last week in Keesler Field, Miss., Army Air Force Technical School, to train as airplane mechanics.

Mingoville Man Promoted to Private First Class

Private Russell S. Zellers, son of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Zellers, Mingoville, has been promoted to the grade of private first class, according to a recent announcement from Camp Pickett, Va.

Prior to his induction in the Army from Bellefonte, April 21, 1942, Pfc. Zellers was employed as a printer for the Clinton Paper Company, Lock Haven.

He was an active member of the Reformed church of Hubersburg, and served as postmaster at Mingoville from 1933 to 1935. He also was owner-manager of a printing establishment in Mingoville.

Pfc. Zellers was first assigned to the Military Police detachment in Camp Pickett, but later transferred to the DEML-1318th S. U. At present he is employed in the Public Relations Office, Post Headquarters, and is a staff member of the Camp Pickett News.

Enters Military Service

Pvt. Harold B. Cronister, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cronister of Julian, was called and inducted into military service on July 13, 1942. Pvt. Cronister is a graduate of the Lock Haven State Teachers' College, receiving his B. S. degree in 1934. He also completed the teachers' elementary course in 1935, and has been teaching in the Centre county schools for several years, until called for Army service. He is now in training at Camp Croft, South Carolina.

In Air Corps



Pvt. William G. Keene, 20, is the son of W. E. Keene of Milesburg. He enlisted Feb. 12, 1941, in the U. S. Air Corps and is now stationed at Newfoundland. —Buy United States War Stamps

Training in Louisiana



Corp. Glenn W. Dreihelbis, stationed for three months in Louisiana is a son of Mr. and Mrs. William Dreihelbis of Shickel. A graduate of State College High School, Corp. Dreihelbis entered Army service February 5, 1941. He was sent to Fort Sill, Oklahoma, and trained with the 18th Brigade, Observation Battalion, for one year. Later he was assigned to Camp Bowie, Texas, for a six months period, and is now stationed in Louisiana. Corp. Dreihelbis' last furlough was at Christmas time, 1941. He has a 9-month-old daughter, Patricia Ann. Mrs. Edna Harter Dreihelbis just recently returned from a six weeks' visit with her husband at Brownwood, Texas.

WOODROW W. BIERLY NOW HAS LIEUTENANT'S RATING

Woodrow W. Bierly, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Bierly of Hebersburg, has been commissioned a second lieutenant in the adjutant general's department, it was announced Saturday at Ft. Washington, Md. Following a ten-day leave, Second Lieutenant Bierly will report to Camp Chaffee, Ark., where he has been assigned to the headquarters of the Sixth Armored Division.

Clarence Man Honored On Anniversary



On Father's Day, Mr. John Sefko of Clarence, celebrated his 65th birthday. His sons and daughters with their sons and daughters, and grandchildren came to pay their respects. Thirty-five of his direct descendants converged upon the town of Clarence on the day before the celebration.

In addition to the direct descendants, his sons-in-law, his daughters-in-law, the husbands and wives of all his grandchildren, and one great-grandchild, were his niece and nephews, the daughter and son of the deceased brother, George Sefko. Mrs. Jacob Anna Stoppa, husband and children of Williamsport, George and Frank Sefko and their families of Detroit, Mich. Others arrived from Detroit, New York City, Pittsburgh, Delano, Pa., New Brunswick, N. J., and other points.

Upon their arrival in Clarence the guests immediately proceeded to the Wolf Run Lodge, owned by John Bugeah, Sr., of Clarence, for the celebration. Once all the preparations had been completed and the guests had arrived, a car driven by one of his sons was delegated to get the grand old patriarch and drive him to the lodge for the beginning of the celebration.

So surprised was the elder man to see his family reunited for the first time in the history of their lives, that tears came to his eyes and he became quite speechless. However, the convivial company of his progeny soon revived his alert mind, and the festivities began. The successful planning of the party should be credited to his sons, Elvise and Andrew, who by remote control from Detroit planned each little detail of the celebration and took it upon themselves to correspond with all relatives, urging them to come to the reunion.

Two able assistants, Mrs. Michael Murnack, Jr., and Mrs. Michael Krish, both of Clarence, prepared Slovak specialties and delicacies days in advance—all unknown to the guest of honor.

At the Wolf Run Lodge, which is located approximately ten miles from Clarence, his son took charge of the ceremonies. Not only did he introduce the various and many offerings to each other, but he also acted as interpreter and toastmaster. His introductions and speeches specifically honored the occasion.

The dinner on Saturday night was followed by refreshments which were the keynote to singing and dancing throughout the night. Sunday, which was Father's Day, and John Sefko's birthday, continued to be a day of celebration which every Sefko and descendant will always remember. Many presents were bestowed upon the beloved and honored guest. To crown the occasion, Steve and Andrew distributed to all direct relatives, 100-fold richly engraved to commemorate the event. While the billfolds were being distributed an extraordinarily large candle-beaded cake made his appearance much to the delight of all present.

The affair continued throughout the afternoon and many group photographs were taken. Gradually those who had to drive a long distance departed, although the entire party was not broken up until the following day.

As a member of this family gathering, the writer would like to mention that this type of celebration is, in our fast-moving world, rapidly becoming extinct.

John Sefko arrived in this country more than 50 years ago, from the then Austria-Hungary, now Czech-Slovakia. Today he has forty-two direct descendants and the number is rapidly increasing.

John Sefko, Jr., was the only son unable to attend because of vital defense work, while Edward Stank, the son of Francis, is with the armed forces somewhere in the Pacific. The wife and mother of this family tree passed away in 1929. May she rest in peace and God bless her soul.

To The Memory of My Mother
This book is all that's left me now.
Tears will unbidden start,
With faltering lip and throbbing
—John Sefko.

CENTRE COUNTY HOSPITAL IN THE WEEK'S NEWS

- Monday of Last Week**
Margaret Ann Rocky, Bellefonte, admitted; discharged following day.
Mrs. Gail P. Pope, State College, admitted; Mrs. William P. Slog, Centre Hall, R. D. 1, infant son born, Harry M. G. admitted; discharged following day. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Watson, Milesburg, infant son born, Mrs. A. M. Herman, State College, R. D. 1, admitted. Mrs. James Clark Beech Creek, discharged. Mrs. Howard Sparr, Pleasant Gap, discharged. William Jodon, Milesburg, discharged.
- Tuesday of Last Week**
Joseph Rogay, Bellefonte, R. D. 2, admitted; discharged following day. Sally Ann Rozay, Bellefonte, R. D. 2, admitted; discharged following day. Mrs. Walter E. Hering, Spring Mills, R. D. 2, admitted; discharged Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Tice, Centre Hall, R. D. 1, infant son born, Harry M. G. admitted; discharged following day. Mrs. Winard Tressler, Howard, R. D. 2, admitted; discharged following day. Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Homan, Aaronsburg, infant son born, Harold E. Bohn, State College, R. D. 1, admitted. Ray E. Eisenhuth, Woodward, discharged. Mrs. Walter D. Deitrich and infant son, Bellefonte, R. D. 2, discharged.
- Wednesday of Last Week**
Ralph Musick, Aaronsburg, admitted. Nancy Ann Axman, State College, admitted; discharged following day. Peter Axman, State College, admitted; discharged following day. Mrs. Ray C. Dietz, Bellefonte, admitted. Mrs. Robert Hill, Bellefonte, admitted.
- Thursday of Last Week**
Louis Bell, State College, admitted; discharged following day. Mr. and Mrs. Russell Watson, Centre Hall, infant son born, Reuben I. Mitchell, Milesburg, admitted. Mr. and Mrs. Warren G. Packer, State College, R. D. 1, infant daughter born, Wilam Miller, Bellefonte, R. D. 3, admitted. Mrs. LeRoy Day and infant son, Smulton, discharged. Mrs. Charles Addleman, Centre Hall, R. D. 1, admitted. Mrs. Helen Beatty, Bellefonte, admitted.
- Friday**
William B. Ring, Bellefonte, admitted; discharged following day. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rocky, Bellefonte, admitted. J. Ray Lair, Jr., Bellefonte, admitted; discharged following day.
- Saturday**
Miss Catherine Conaghan, Bellefonte, admitted; discharged following day. Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Quick, Bellefonte, infant son born, Miss Geraldine Skipper, State College, admitted; discharged following day. Donald E. Grazer, Millheim, admitted; discharged following day. William E. Taylor, State College, admitted; discharged following day. Mr. and Mrs. Willis Schilling, Pine Grove Mills, infant daughter born, Mrs. Thomas Watson and infant son, Milesburg, discharged. Mrs. Randal Wilkins and infant daughter, Bellefonte, R. D. 2, discharged. Mrs. Louise Dennis, State College, discharged.
- Sunday**
Harry Waterbury, Mt. Carmel, Ill., admitted. Mr. and Mrs. Musser Gettler, Bellefonte, infant daughter born.

News of Soldiers

In Japanese Prisoner
Mrs. S. C. Tanner of South Patterson street, State College, received word recently that her nephew, Corp. Eldon E. Green of Sacramento, Calif., who was with the Army Air Supply Corps in the Philippines on December 7, is a Japanese prisoner. The picture which appears in the July 29 issue of Life magazine, is one of the group identified by the War Department and which was taken after the fall of Bataan.

Promoted to Staff Sergeant
Sgt. Harold Brown, son of Mrs. Anna Oves of Harrisburg, has been promoted to Staff Sergeant, it was announced recently. Sgt. Brown, a former Bellefonte resident, is with the 3rd Armored Division stationed at Camp Polk, Louisiana.

UNIONVILLE

(Continued from page three)
Mr. Clark Williams.
Union Grants will hold its regular meeting Friday, Aug. 14th at 8 p. m.
Mrs. Sara Miller returned to her home in State College, after spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. J. E. Carper.
Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Beatty entertained his sister and family from Altoona over the last weekend.
Sunday guests at the J. E. Carper home were: Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Woerner and son Lynn, and Mrs. C. R. Wray of State College; Mrs. M. W. Wommer and son Stanley, of Aaronsburg. Other recent guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ira Stover and family of Juniata, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Stover of Lewistown, and Misses Nora Miller and Mary Reish, of Dobsburg.

Enlists in Army

Among the enlistments reported from the recruiting office in Edinburgport last week is that of William Victor Hull, 40, of Bellefonte, R. D. 1, for unassigned duty with the Army.

Local Candidate for Legion Office

(Continued from page one)
The candidate for the position of Department Commander became a Legionnaire by virtue of his service with the Medical Corps of the U. S. Army. He enlisted July 23, 1917, and served with the A. E. F. from April, 1918, to May, 1919. He held the rank of Master Hospital Sergeant when he was discharged from service.
In sponsoring Mr. Love as a candidate for Department Commander, officers of the Brooks-Doll Post issued the following statement of recommendation:
"Past Commander Love has been unusually active in American Legion work from the time he helped found his local post. He has gained a thorough knowledge of the past history and programs of the American Legion and has proved his capabilities in many endeavors.
"Mr. Love has the time to devote to the arduous task of heading the state's American Legion organization and is willing and able to give the office all of the time and attention which will be required.
"Mr. Love entered the campaign with the wholehearted support of members of the Brooks-Doll Post and already has received the endorsement of all posts in the 23rd District.
A committee composed of Post Commander Edward L. Miller, with Samuel D. Rhinesmith as chairman, Aaron D. Leitzell, Robert T. Willard, and John Popsen, has been appointed to handle Mr. Love's campaign. This committee will be supplemented by prominent Legionnaires from all parts of the state.

Kills Big Rattler

John Purcell, a seminarian of Scranton, who has completed his course of religious instruction of children of St. Aloysius church at Ralston and St. Mary's church in Cascade, killed a large rattlesnake up Rock Run a few days ago, which carried 12 rattles. Mr. Purcell is studying for the priesthood in a Canadian seminary, where he has three more years before his ordination.

To Mark Centennial

Danville Baptists are making plans for the celebration of the 100th anniversary of the Danville church, which will take place in the fall. Committees have been appointed and former pastors will be invited to return to have a part in the celebration. Miss Malie Schoch will be the honored guest of the congregation, having rounded out 75 years as a member of the church.

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— ALSO —
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