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PORT MATILDA MAN IS SENTENCED

More Se jous Charge Local Troopers Man, Reported Dead, Now Withdrawn by State Land Safely In

Gets 6 Months in Jail For Four Enlist In U. S. Adultery; Rape Count Dropped

CRIMINAL, CIVIL

Geraua Acquitted of Cash- number of others are now undering Pay Checks; Verdict in Civil Suit

Fort Matilda, a former minister, was Center at New Cumberland, are: sentenced to serve six months in the Nevin D. Rhine, 21, son of Mr. county jail Monday morning when and Mrs. O. S. Rhine, of Mackeyhe pleaded guilty to a charge of ville.

A more serious charge—one of statutory rape on a 15-year-old girl Mrs. Pete Girardi, Clarence. -was withdrawn by the Commonwealth shortly before the case came up for consideration. Snyder's sentence for adultery also included pay-

ment of the costs of prosecution. The session was probably one of the shortest court terms in the history of Centre county, for both and 'civil dockets were wiped clean in a session which began Monday and ended the following afternoon. Pleas in two of the criminal cases speeded the proceed-

Jack Hughill, Philipsburg, charged with F. and B., entered a plea of nolle contendere and was directed to pay the costs of prosecution, the lying-in expenses and to post a bond for \$300 until the sentence had been complied with. No support order for the child was entered against him since the prosecutrix said the child's (Continued on Page Three)

Three lajured In Car-Truck Crash

turns Near Woodland

and one of the Kofman trucks, of Bellefonte, collided at the intersecdent happened about 6:45 p. m.

and daughter, Hazel, occupants of and Jodon wil Ishare the duties forthe car, were rushed to the Clear- merly performed by Wholaver. field Hospital suffering from shock and Miss Rosenberry also was treat-Curtin street, Bellefonte, was un- meeting in January, it was reported

Motor Police at Clearfield reported (Continued on page Six-Second Section)

County Home Gets Harvest Home Gift

large collection of fresh and canned building, adjacent to the main livegetables and fruits from Harvest brary building at Penn State, offi-Home services conducted Sunday in cials said yesterday. the Aaronsburg church, of which All persons interested in the course the Rev. O. A. Fred Oriesing is the are urged to attend the initial meet-

Boob of Millheim; included the fol- Red Cross Motor Corps. Further inlowing items; tomatoes, peas, apples, formation may be obtained from grapes, cabbage, spinach, squash, Mrs. Daise B. Henderson, Bellegrapes, cabbage, spinach, squash, pumpkins, beets, mangos, rhubarb, fonte, or from M. T. Bunnell's office, endive, celery, potatoes, carrots, cu- 202 Central Exchange, State College. cucumbers, dried corn, 13 quarts of fruit and vegetables and a large as-

Corp. Jack Miller, in charge of the U. S. Army Recruiting office in the Bellefonte postoffice yesterday an-DOCKETS CLEARED nounced that four men have enlisted in the U. S. Army Air Forces CENSORSHIP BANS during the past week and that a going physical examinations to enter the army.

The four who have passed physical examinations at Altoona and who James Dennison Snyder, 31, of have been sent to the Reception

adultery, as the September criminal Donald R. Nolan, 22, son of Mr. court opened here before Judge Ivan and Mrs. G. H. Nolan, of Haward R. D. 2.

Abel J. Girardi. 21, son of Mr. and Edgar M. Wallace, 24, son of Mr.

and Mrs. J. G. Wallace, Milesburg.

From the reception center the four will be assigned to a nearby airfield to undergo a course of training in Aircraft Mechanics. Corporal Miller said the recruiting

office here is open every day during regular business hours, and that he'll be glad to answer any questions in regard to enlistment in the armed

Whiterock Co.

Also Retains Post As General Manager; Succeeds Late Col. Reynolds

At a meeting of Whiterock Quar-Kofman Truck Loaded With dent to succeed the late Col. Pred-81/2 Tons of Castings Over- erick Reynolds, of Bellefonte. Mr. Noll retains his office as general manager of the company.

> Noll's duties as secretary-treasassistant secretary-treasurership.

The vacancy on the board of directors caused by the recent death ed for head injuries. The driver of of Col. Reynolds probably will not the truck, G. Blake Bartley, of West be filled until the regular annual vesterday.

Drivers' Training Classes to Begin

The first meeting of the drivers raining class to be held at State Monday morning the Centre College will be held at 7 o'clock County Home, Bellefonte, received a Monday evening, in Room 3, Sparks

ing. The class is being held pri-The donation, brought to Belle- marily for those interested in driving by former Sheriff John M. for Civilian Defense work or in the

Throw your old scrap into the

Boalsburg Couple Married 50 Years

Mr. and Mrs. George C. Markle, Potter Keeler, of Bellefonte; Mrs. lifelong residents of Boalsburg, Marshall, of State College. quietly observed their fiftieth wedding anniversary on Tuesday of this week. Plans for a celebration were cancelled on account of illness in

Mr. and Mrs. Markle were married at Boalsburg by the Rev. W. A. Trostle, and have resided near that vicinity ever since. Both Mr. Markle and his wife, who was formerly Miss Anna Rossman, are enjoying fairly

Their family consists of three daughters. They are: Mrs. Mae Bayletts of State College, Mrs. Stella Davidson of Bellefonte, R. D., and Mrs. Merrill Houser of State College, Mr. and Mrs. Markle also are the grandparents of eighteen children, and the great-grandparents of

Their guests over the weekend were: Mrs. William Stover, Mrs. Mary Reish, Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Klinger and daughter, of Boalsburg; Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Houser, Mrs. Mae Bayletts, Mrs. Sara Markle and son, of State College; Mr. and Mrs. Jared Grove and daughter, of Leat; Mrs. Stella Davidson and two



Foreign Port

Army Air Forces Cards to Relatives Announce Arrival of Unit at Destination

DETAILS OF TRIP

Unit Embarked From New Jersey Camp; New Address Given

Mail delivery of "safe arrival" postcards to the families and close friends of members of the Bellefonte National Guard unit, during the weekend brought cheer into many homes where anxiety had reigned for the past ten days after it was rather widely understood that the unit had sailed for foreign ser-

The cards arriving here were mailed in New York by the Army after cabled announcement that the transport carrying the local troops had completed a safe voyage. Just where they landed, of course, is not known, and newspaper censorship prohibits speculation on such mat-

The unit sailed after spending some weeks in a New Jersey camp. Prior to that time the outfit had been at Camp Sutton, N. C., and earlier at Camp Shelby, Miss.

From now on the members of the local batteries will have a new post-office address, APO 813, co New York Postmaster, instead of APO 1233, and their cable address will be AMACUR, N. Y.

Dedicate Plaque At Spring Mills

Civic Club Sponsors Ceremony in Tribute to 40 Men,

1 Woman

Three Clearfield residents were in- urer of the company will be taken Gregg township men and one woman State College, and William W. Sieg. State College. The Bellefonte board's four years in Clarion. jured last Wednesday night when over by F. E. Wholaver, who was in the U. S. armed forces was dedithe car in which they were riding promoted to that position from the cated at appropriate services held last Wednesday night in the Gregg mended for Board No. 1, of State Selective Service went into opera-L. Ward Hile, who previously has Township School auditorium at College, of which Maurice Baum is tion. tion of the Pleasant Valley road and held no office, was elected assistant Route 322 at Woodland. The agoi- secretary, and Charles E. Jodon, who sponsored by the Gregg Township College, representing organized la- Bellefonte district will send to the also held no office prior to this time Civic Club. Music was furnished by bor: James Neidigh, Milheim, and examination center at Altoona 87 Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Rosenberry was elected assistant treasurer. Hile the high school chorus and the Gregg Township Band.

the Methodist church, and Walter Mills, and D. W. Bradford, Centre lege board is scheduled to send 40 Auman, secretary of the Civic Club, Hall. were the principal speakers. Mr. Auman gave a brief history of the Board No. 2. Bellefonte, of which day that some married men with soldiers' and sailors' plaque and described other activities being conducted for the benefit of men in the Reynolds VanBuskirk Club Welcomes (Continued on page tiz-Second Section)

Nine Groups On Concert Program

"Salute Your Heroes Concert" To Be Held at Plaza, Sept. 27

theatre here on Sunday evening, uated from that Bible school in Mrs. William Fisher, Mrs. Orlando military leave of absence for the public for the patronage accord-

charge of the program. ial features will include Joe Smiley fonte. Mr. VanBuskirk is a son of sion, members of the club went to and his Happy Harvesters, with Joe Mrs. Susan VanBuskirk, of South the Presbyterian church where a Lamo, the banjo wizard, as featured Thomas street. over radio station WMRF, Lewis-

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Wind, Rain Cause Damage In Valley

A heavy rainstorm which struck parts of Centre county late Tuesday and townships. afternoon centered most heavily in In each case the registrars will be

Assuming the proportions of a The schedule for twister," the wind blew down a istration follows: shed on the John Meek farm near Gray's cemetery and felled one of Curtin, Liberty and Marion townthe large poplars which arched the ships, at the Howard Fire Company road to Stormstown not far from building, on Monday, September 21. the intersection with Route 322. The two trees had long served as a land-mark in that part of the county. Fruit trees near the Lutz homestead and trees on the Zierzow farm

Free Movie Tickets for Kiddles Fred Fisher, manager of the local War Stamps at the Plaza Theatre was learned this week. et to the movies, and also will remrs. Wade McKinley of Milesburg, 7:30 p. m. and there will be music. ceive a ticket for the "Salute Your escaped but lost all belongings and cheer leading, and possibly other acs. Stella Davidson and two
Vera and Eugene, and MR. AND MRS. GEO. C. MARKLE day night, September 27.

On Duty in South Pacific

Narehod was missing. Finally Red Cross rescue crews located him badly wounded and took him to a hos The family at Pine Glen received official word that their son had been killed in action. Shortly afterwards they received word that he was alive but seriously injured. Anyhou Narehood responded to treatment months and 13 days in a Hawaiian nospital, was discharged from the

> time later Narehood was promoted from Private to Sergeant. The family recently received the Purple Heart and the wrist watch Charles was wearing the day of the scratches where objects struck it the School Board. with considerable force. The ma-

institution. At that time he and

seven others were presented with the

Order of the Purple Heart. A short

chinery of the watch is destroyed. According to latest reports received by the Narchood family from will be ready for use by the end of son. Several years ago he purchased nature Sgt. Narehood, he is now back in this month. active service and is believed to be auditorium, gymnasium and some on North Allegheny street where he Charles W. Narehood (above), son somewhere in the South Pacific, for of the other departments is not nec- has maintained his residence and of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Narehood, early this week a letter from him of Pine Glenn, since last December. included his certificate as a "Shell-Narehood, then a Private, was sta- back," honorary title bestowed upon tioned at Hickam Field, Hawaii, De- those who have crossed the Equator.

nish 287, State College

Board 80 Selectees

men each on October 13 and 14.

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ian Defense at Miles-

Cross chapter.

gram in that area.

the school at Milesburg.

Bellefonte 'High School students

burg

Increase Size October Draft Ration Boards Call 367 Men

New Members Named Bellefonte Board to Fur-For County Boards: Labor Recognized

ent members of the County Ration- county's manpower in the present position remain unfilled. There are ing Boards and to prepare for the war to date will take place in Oc- no applicants for those two berths, possible rationing of additional tober when the two Local Draft and according to school officials foods and household necessities. Boards will call a total of 367 men steps were taken this week to in- into the armed forces. crease the personnel of the two Major part of the quota is to come where.

boards. An honor roll in tribute to the 40 chairman, and E. K. Hibshman, supplied by Draft Board No. 1 of Grove City College and taught for Names of new members recom- it has been called to furnish since named physical education teacher.

Thomas G. Haugh, State College, men on October 15; 60 men on the Present members of the State Col- 16th; 70 men on the 17th, and 70 Rev. C. M. Hammond, pastor of lege board are: J. C. Lee, Spring men on the 19th, The State Col-

New members recommended for Local board officials said yester-(Continued on page Four)

to be Ordained Pastor

At services to be held September 26 at the South Appalachian Baptist Pat Holt Named to Aid Civilchurch, South Appalachian, N. Y. Reynolds VanBuskirk, of East High street, Bellefonte, will be ordained as a minister of the Baptist church The Rev. Mr. Westbrook, pastor of the South Appalachian church, will ed into the Milesburg Woman's Club

be in charge of the service. Mr. VanBuskirk, a graduate of the in the Milesburg school last week. At least nine prominent Bellefonte Bellefonte High School in the class musical organizations will partici- of 1935, entered the John A. Davis the organization by Mrs. L. G. Pet-"Salute Your Heroes Memorial School at Binghamton, N. ers, club president, were: Mrs. Wil-Concert" to be held at the Plaza Y. in September 1939 and was grad- liam Eckenroth, Mrs. Linus Gill,

nounced yesterday by those in After his ordination he expects to Hewes Phillips and Mrs. Grover accept a pastorate in the Bellefonte Merryman, all of Milesburg, and In addition to the local groups, vicinity and will continue to manage Mrs. Clyde N. Lee, Bellefonte. totaling some 275 artists in all, spec- the Shope Lumber Co. mill in Belle-

Announce Schedule

commissioners yesterday announced Defense program in the Bellefonte of the company and the activities of residents of the county's boroughs fonte, chairman of the local Red Copies of the paper are to be

The schedule for the special reg-

For Howard borough and Howard, For Millheim boroughs and Gregg. (Continued on Page Siz)

LINER BURNED AT SEA

'homeless" until the new building A Milesburg man, now serving his is completed, will stage a pep meetecond enlistment in the Navy, was ing on the Diamond here tonight in on board the transport Wakefield, preparation for the season's opening theatres, yesterday announced that formerly the Mannattan, when it football game with State College any child purchasing \$2 or more in burned at sea on September 3, it High at State College, tomorrow (Friday) night.

The man, Gerald L. Green, son of are urged to be present,

cember 7 when the Japanese staged their sneak attack. For three days September 29 Dr. Flegal Enters

Classroom Section Is Expected to be Completed in Two Weeks

and last April, after spending 4 BOARD APPROVES TUITION RATES

> Three Teachers Elected to Flegal is a volunteer. Fill Vacancies; Two More Needed

The Bellefonte High School is tenattack on Hickam Field. After the tatively scheduled to get under way crystal broke, the wearer apparent- in the new building on Tuesday ly turned it face down on his wrist. September 29, it was revealed Mon-The back bears a number of deep day night at a regular meeting of

Although much remains to be done opinion that the classroom section practice of the late Dr. G. A. Robi-

officials said. Tuition rates for the Bellefonte School district during the school year 1942-43 were tentatively fixed at the meeting. The rates are subject to final approval by the State. Tuition for high school pupils remains at \$6.38 a month—the same as last year, while the rate for ele-mentary pupils will be \$5.17. Last year the elementary rate was \$4.86. ruition rates are figured from a umber of cost factors according to

a system laid down by the State. The Bellefonte High School teaching staff, filled several times in the past number of weeks, and disrupted by resignations, again was brought up to near fulf strength with the election of three new teachers, but To lighten the burden upon pres and he heaviest drain upon Centre a mathematics and science teaching math and science teachers every-

from Local Draft Board No. 2, of Mrs. Marion Hughes Coll, of Clar-The county board, consisting of Bellefonte, which is to furnish 287 ion, was elected as a commercial Mrs. Coll is a graduate of

Coach Miller To

Will Become Instructor West Palm Beach; Gets Lieutenant's Rating

cher, will leave October 1 to enter the U. S. Army where he will be-8 New Members come an instructor in the cipher and code school at West Palm Beach, Milesburg Festival Florida. He is a volunteer and will receive a commission as a first lieu-

Miller will first undergo six weeks Eight new members were acceptat the first fall meeting of the club mer Betty Musser, of Bellefonte, ported yesterday. The new members, welcomed into Bryan, Mrs. Oscar Wensel, Mrs. duration.

Appearance In Town

The first issue of "The Undine News" periodical of the Undine Fire Civilian Defense program, directed by Mrs. Margaret Roberts, was held. Speakers included Henry A. Brock- Company, made its appearance in erhoff of Bellefonte, Centre County Bellefonte yesterday. The newspaper, For Registration Civilian Defense chairman; Mrs. a four-page edition, is to be pub-Catherine Flohr, in charge of civil-The Centre county registration on younged John Popson, head of the Civilian in the armed forces the latest news

mailed to all members in the ser-Buffalo R:in Valley, with many trees on duty from 10 a. m. to 3 p. m. and pointment of Pat Holt, of Milesburg, as follows: Eddie Kern, editor; Dick as his assistant in the defense pro- Alterio, associate editor; Joseph Bauer, Carl Moerschbacher and The next regular meeting of the Ralph Moerschbacher, assistants, club is scheduled to be held on The first issue contains a brief retuesday, October 6 at 7:30 p.m., in view of major news events in Bellefonte, and many items of breezy comment about Undine members.

BHS 'Pep' Meeting on Mrs. Mary H. Scott Diamond Here Tonite Is Welfare Secretary

Mrs. Mary Harvey Scott, of East retary of the Bellefonte Community Welfare Fund, succeeding Mrs. Hassell Lose, who has gone to McConnellsburg to live while her husband

Mrs. Scott will be in charge of the in charge of collecting pledges to the one of Hickam Field's key squad he was made a private first class in fund. The offices are open daily.

Start of School Partial Strike at Scheduled For Whiterock Quarries

U. S. Navy Service

Dr. D. L. Flegal, for nearly ten the past several years official dentis at Rockview penitentiary, closed out OLD EMPLOYES CITED his practice here last week and o Sunday departed for the U.S. Marine base at New River, N. C., where he has been commissioned as a first ieutenant in the U.S. Navy. Dr

Dr. Richard P. Noll, of North Allegheny street, has been named to continue his Bellefonte practice as reported in the vicinity of the

Dr. Flegal, graduate of the Uni-Completion of the the former Dr. J. L. Seibert residence essary for the opening of school, dental offices.

L.O.O.M. Speaker



The membership drive being conby the Bellefonte Moose nearly 400 candidates will be init- reports there are no clues as to the Enter U. S. Army lated into the order at impressive identity of the thief or thieves. ceremonies to be held in the State

Speaker for the occasion will be J. Jack Stoehr, past supreme governor and regional director of the John Miller, Bellefonte High Virginia. Mr. Stoehr is nationally in attendance acclaimed "Mrs. Min-School coach and mathematics tea- recognized as a speaker of more iver" as one of the greatest motion (Continued on Page Siz)

Name-Calling And Stone-Throwing Reported Near

Plant Yesterday

years a Bellefonte dentist and for 'CONSIDERATION' FOR

Union Wants 5 or 6 Work ers Given Jobs They Are Able to Handle

A partial strike which has been in succeed Dr. Flegal as dentist at effect at the Whiterock Quarries Rockview, Dr. Noll's duties will re- plant since September 4, changed quire his presence at the prison sev- somewhat yesterday morning when eral hours each morning, but he will several minor acts of violence were

Whiterock plant at Pleasant Gap. Although Sheriff Edward R. Milversity of Pittsburgh dental school ler was called to the plant several in the class of 1933 came to Belle- times yesterday there were no reto the building, officials are of the fonte in that year and took over the ported arrests and the outbreaks were said to have been of a minor

According to company the cause of the strike is unknown, but spokesmen for the United Cement, Lime and Gypsum Workers International Union, Local No. 142, of which some Whiterock employes are members, said the strike resulted indirectly from the shutdown of

the kiln department on September The Union officials said that after the shutdown, five or six employes who had worked for the company for 25 or 30 years were unable to stand the physical strain of loading stone in the quarreis, and the Unon committee approached a "supervisor" with the request that these

(Continued on Page Four) Stolen Car Found Near Jennerstown

A Chrysler sedan owned by Hasall Montgomery, stolen from in front of the Montgomery home on East Linn street, Sunday night, Sepember 6, was found abandoned along the main highway near Jennerstown, 35 miles south of Johns-

own, late last Wednesday The machine, out of gasoline but ot damaged, was discovered by members of the State Motor Police. The keys had been left in the igni-

tion switch. Mrs. Montgomery went to Jennerslodge will come to an end next Wed- town by bus, Thursday, and returnnesday evening when a class of ed home with the car. According to

LOCAL AUDIENCES ACCLAIM "MRS. MINIVER" AT PLAZA

tri-state area of the Moose, includ- showing at the Plaza Theatre, Belleing Pennsylvania. Ohio and West fonte, the hundreds of local people

pictures ever produced. A story of high courage, devotion and abiding faith, Greer Garson and Walter Pidgeon are teamed in "Mrs. Miniver" to repeat their successes

Nets \$246 for Defense in "Blossoms in the Dust."
The story of "Mrs. Miniver" is The two-day festival sponsored by not a war story, though war is its of training at the Officers' Training members of the Milesburg Defense background. It concerns the inhabi-School at Miami, Florida, after organization and held during the tants of a small English village; which he will be sent to West Palm weekend near the Milesburg fire middle-class people who try valiant-Beach. At the conclusion of his house, netted \$246 for the defense ly to live life as usual although untraining period Mrs. Miller, the for- fund of the community, it was re- der constant peril for the sake of morale on the home front. Air and their young daughter, Pamela, It is estimated that approximately raids, the rescue at Dunkirk, and will join him at West Palm Beach. \$600 will be needed to purchase the final bombing of the village, are Mr. Miller came to Bellefonte 11 equipment for a casualty station and among its thrills. Through these years ago and has been teaching two air raid posts in Milesburg. run simple, human episodes of fameveryday folk.

'Undine News' Makes Bellefonte Native Is Youngest



being the youngest officer of that rank at the field. Sergeant Reiber was born on Au-

gust 22, 1921, which makes him just eligible for voting. Yet Sergeant Reiber has assumed the responsible job of "first soldier" over a wartime organization in a combat zone in the Hawaiian Islands, A job, the duties of which consist of everything, from that of "assistant chaplain" to chief roster ruler, and right hand man of the commanding of-

Born in Bellefonte, Reiber moved to Kingston, this state, where he attended Kingston High School, graduating with honors, after a ourse specializing in commercial

subjects. Soon after graduation, at the end of June in '40, Reiber decided upon his turn at military service, convinced of the benefit of an early

His progress up the ladder of sleeve chevrons was no blazing rec-ord of promotions, but a gradual and steady climb. After enlistment at Wilkes-Barre in July, 1940, Reiat Hickam Field, where he arrived

One native Bellefonte boy who in September of the same year. welfare offices on the second floor of left home to make good is First Ser- His first duty was a clerk in the the Y. M. C. A. building and will be geant Robert R. Reiber, top-kick of orderly room, and in that capacity

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Top-Kick At Hickam Field, T. H.