

OBITUARY

MISS HANNAH BOYLE

Funeral services were held last Thursday at St. Joseph's Catholic church at Renovo for Miss Hannah Boyle, former Zion and Howard resident, who died Monday, October 11, 1943, at the home of her sister, Miss Kate Boyle of Renovo. Interment took place there. Miss Boyle, 55, was a sister of Mrs. James Kane, Sr., of Zion, who died nearly eight years ago. A brother and sister, John and Miss Kate Boyle, both of Renovo, survive. She was a member of St. John's Catholic church of Bellefonte.

JAMES H. HARRIS

James H. Harris, of Reading, brother of Burgess Hardman P. Harris of Bellefonte, died unexpectedly Monday morning, October 18, 1943, at his home following a short illness. Born in Bellefonte he was a son of Henry Petrkin and Mary Tomner Harris. His wife, the former Mildred Smith, and three children, Charles, Henry, Jr., and Mary Adeline, all at home, survive. In addition to two brothers, Mr. Harris, of Bellefonte, and John T. Harris, of Camp Hill, Mr. Harris was in charge of the boys' department of a large Reading store until his retirement about three years ago. He was a member of the Logan Fire Company of Bellefonte. Funeral services were held last night at the Auman funeral home in Reading. Interment took place in Union cemetery, Bellefonte, at 11:30 a. m. Thursday. Mr. Harris, who resided in Bellefonte in his youth, will be remembered by the older residents of town. He was active in local home talent productions and was a star in minstrel shows produced here prior to the turn of the century.

MRS. A. WINN WITMER

Mrs. Harriet E. Witmer, wife of A. Winn Witmer, prominent resident of Buffalo Run Valley, died at 8:15 o'clock Thursday morning, October 14, 1943, at her home, of complications after a two-day illness. Mrs. Witmer was a daughter of John S. and Nancy Marshall Roan and was born in Bellefonte on June 17, 1868, making her age at time of death 75 years, 3 months and 27 days. Surviving are her husband and three children: John, William, and Edna; and her second husband, Mr. A. Winn. Survivors include the late: Allen, of Zion; Clair, of Woodlyn; Mrs. Pearl Vonada, of State College, and Mrs. Robert Reed, of Stormstown. Also surviving are two foster-daughters, Mrs. Henry Rocky, of Fillmore, and Mrs. Fred Volk, of Baltimore, Md., and a brother, William A. Roan, of Torrence, Cal. There also are 34 grandchildren, both of Johnstown, and two sisters, Mrs. Ernest Treaster, of Spring

Mrs. Witmer was a member of the Bellefonte Presbyterian church. Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon with Rev. C. C. Shuey, of Bellefonte, and Rev. Henry S. Shlessler, of Stormstown, officiating. Interment was made in Meyers' cemetery, Buffalo Run Valley.

MRS. JOHN H. COPLEY

Mrs. Susan Esther Copley, wife of John H. Copley, of Halfmoon Terrace, Bellefonte, died at 12:25 a. m. Saturday, October 16, 1943, at her home after a brief illness with a complication of diseases. She was stricken ill only a few days before death occurred. Mrs. Copley was a daughter of John and Eva Purdue Dawson and was born in Bellefonte on July 27, 1889, making her age at time of death 54 years, 2 months and 19 days. Surviving are her husband; her mother; a daughter, Miss Marie A. Chandler, all at home, and three brothers and two sisters: John, Charles, and Victor Dawson and Mrs. Sarah Smith, all of Bellefonte, and Mrs. Miss Decker, of Stroudsburg. Mrs. Copley was a member of the Bellefonte United Brethren church and was a life director of the church missionary society. Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at the home with Rev. G. E. Householder of the United Brethren church and Rev. Francis P. Davis of the Episcopal church, officiating. Interment was made in Meyers' cemetery, Buffalo Run Valley.

WILLIAM ALFRED REIBER

William Alfred Reiber, of Johnstown, retired secretary and treasurer of the Associated Gas and Electric Company of Pennsylvania and native of Potter township, died at 1 o'clock Monday afternoon, October 18, 1943, at the home of his sister, Mrs. Charles Fye, at Colyer. Mr. Reiber had spent most of the summer at the Reiber home and some weeks ago returned to Johnstown. He became ill there and returned to the Fye home last Thursday. Deceased was a son of William and Mary Elizabeth Decker Reiber and was born in Potter township on March 21, 1881, making his age at time of death 62 years, 6 months and 27 days. He was twice married, his first wife having been Della Bartes and his second wife Leona Widman. Survivors include the late: Allen, of Zion; Clair, of Woodlyn; Mrs. Pearl Vonada, of State College, and Mrs. Robert Reed, of Stormstown. Also surviving are two foster-daughters, Mrs. Henry Rocky, of Fillmore, and Mrs. Fred Volk, of Baltimore, Md., and a brother, William A. Roan, of Torrence, Cal. There also are 34 grandchildren, both of Johnstown, and two sisters, Mrs. Ernest Treaster, of Spring

Gunners' Mate In Pacific Writes

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"The popular conception of America's fighting man is very much twisted and needs correcting. It seems to run from the ridiculous to the sublime with no regard for the middle road which is the most used and therefore the most important. I am thoroughly disgusted with the pictures of the well-groomed soldiers, sailors and marines enjoying this, that or the other thing after a hard day of battle. The postal depicting the dead sailor lying on the beach in dress blues is a good example of what I mean. I would like to know how that guy managed to get into dress blues in time to abandon ship? The uniform of the day on all the ships I've seen has been dungarees. Take off his hat and you would have a difficult time distinguishing between a sailor on duty and a young Penn's Valley farmer. The shoe duty sailors do, of course, dress up but we don't. For three months my dress blues have been feeding the moths and only twice have I worn whites. There is no glamor in war except perhaps for the cocktail lounge commandos. The copywriter who invents those advertisements only makes himself look ridiculous.

HARRY C. MUSSER

Harry C. Musser, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Thomas Keys, in Williamsport, at 3:30 o'clock on Saturday morning, following a brief illness. Mr. Musser, a native of Centre county, taught school for many years in surrounding counties as well as in Philadelphia. He served as Democratic nominee for inspector of election in the third precinct, 6th ward, for many years having been re-elected at the recent primary. Surviving are his wife, Mary; two daughters, Mrs. Harold Krenser of Philadelphia, and Mrs. Keys; a son, Ralph, and a sister, Mrs. Minnie Greninger, of Philadelphia. Funeral services were conducted at the funeral home in Williamsport Tuesday afternoon with the Rev. J. Ray Houser officiating. The remains were taken to Rebersburg for burial.

SANFORD COLEMAN SMITH

Sanford Coleman Smith died on Tuesday afternoon at his home in Tyrone. He was born August 31, 1864, at Colman's Mills, the son of David A. and Sarah Jane (Coleman) Smith. He was twice married, first to Miss Irene Calderwood of Hannah Furnace, who died in 1900. He married Miss Margaret Frank of Osceola Mills, in 1903. Surviving are four sons and a daughter: W. A. Smith, South Bend, Ind.; Howard C. Smith, Osceola Mills; Miss Dorothy M. Smith, at home; Frank C. Smith, Tyrone; Lt. Gilbert C. Smith, U. S. Army; nine grandchildren; one great-grandchild; one brother, Dr. George C. Smith, Casper, Wyo.; two sisters, Mrs. Howard J. Aiken, Akron, Ohio, and Mrs. George C. Naus, Baltimore. He was a member of the First Methodist church, Tyrone.

EUGENE P. CHASE

Eugene P. Chase, former well-known Centre county resident, died at his home at Marble on Saturday morning, October 16, 1943. He was the husband of Pearl G. Chase. Interment was made at Grays cemetery on Tuesday afternoon.

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Fire Destroys Forest Lands

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time, crews from Boalsburg had been notified and started a backfire which soon checked the blaze traveling east. The wind made the fire going west more difficult to fight, especially when it struck a section of rocky mountainside where the flames could not be reached.

Most of the fire was on the property of George Fortney, Boalsburg, with some of it reaching Boalsburg Water Company holdings. It was confined to the section just east of Reitz Gap. Work of the fire-fighters limited the blaze to the land immediately east of the gap. Cabins owned by Russell Adamitz and others were within 100 yards of the path of the blaze which stopped at the road.

LOCAL SPORTSMEN POST GAME LANDS AT YARNELL

Elmer Pownell of Yarnell, reports that a thirty-acre tract of woodland on his farm has again been posted by the Bellefonte Sportsmen's Club and hunters are cautioned to stay off the property.

Pownell said the Bellefonte club has posted the lands with his permission for the past six years in order to establish a haven for big and small game.

The tract in question is along what is known as the "Elbow" road. St. John's Lutheran, Bellefonte. The Rev. Clarence E. Aronid, pastor, Eighteenth Sunday after Trinity, October 24, 8:30 a. m. Sunday school; 10:45 a. m. the service and sermon. "Man, Where From, and What Is He?" 6:30 p. m., the Luther League; 7:30 p. m., Vespers and sermon, "You Can't Just Look On."

Family Quarrel Aired in Court

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otherwise manhandled the girl. Finally the teacher separated the two, the girl related.

The attorney for Mrs. Lambert declared that the reason for the school incident was that the day before, Mrs. Lambert's daughter, Dolores, aged 19, the Rocky girl, and several others were sliding down a concrete abutment near the school—a prohibited practice. They were caught and Dolores Lambert was ordered to stay in after school for a week. The attorney said the Rocky girl was not similarly punished and Mrs. Lambert went to school to determine the reason.

Mrs. Lambert, who admitted that she visited the school and caused disturbances on two previous occasions, said in court that once her daughter's glasses were broken in fights with the Rocky girl, and that on another occasion Barbara Rocky tried to take a bicycle from her daughter. At that time the Lambert girl's dress was torn, the mother related.

She added that she had her daughter transferred to the Bishop street school and that further incidents are unlikely.

There was other testimony indicating that the Rocky and Lambert families, who live two doors from each other, have not been getting along in neighborly fashion.

In passing sentence on Mrs. Lambert Judge Ivan Walker declared that if she causes any further trouble or violates any other laws for two years, she will be brought into court and sentenced to a jail term.

Earlier in the case it had been suggested that Mrs. Lambert be required to post a bond to keep the peace, but her attorney explained that this arrangement would not work out satisfactorily, in his opinion.

Close Blanchard Schools Monday

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Galbraith, 419 Walnut street; Mary, 12, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Womelsdorf, 12 Brown street; Mrs. Dorothy Honeter, 19, of 695 E. Main street, whose husband is on duty with the Navy Coast Guard; Bobbie, 8, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn T. Rickard, 254 E. Main street; Jackie, 9, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Wetzel, 421 South Fairview street, and Jay, 8, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Franklin McCormick, 101 North Henderson street.

All the cases are mild ones, Mr. Mauger reports.

Fractured Arm in Fall

Mrs. Zenie Eisenhuth, aged 60, of Coburn, underwent treatment at the Centre County Hospital, Tuesday afternoon, for a fracture of the right wrist, suffered in a fall at her home. After the fracture was reduced and a cast applied, Mrs. Eisenhuth was permitted to return home.

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It has been a long time, even, since it has been necessary for a Centre County Sheriff, personally, to go out and sell off the possessions of a destitute family on a foreclosed mortgage.

For, whether you know it or not, Centre County Sheriffs for years have been kindly, well-disposed gentlemen who derive no pleasure from the misfortunes of their fellow-men. Hence, when some nasty business like selling out the old plantation arises, it is usually a Deputy who is assigned to the unpleasant task.

We point out these facts merely to illustrate that while there may have been a time when a strong constitution was essential for the holder of the Sheriff's office, that time is gone, definitely.

"RUDY" WETTSTEIN, Candidate for Sheriff, is No Weakling . . .

He towers well over six feet, is powerfully built. While his lack of hands is, of course, a handicap, those who know him believe he could have held down the Sheriff's job even in the old roistering days when Bellefonte's "Strychnine Corner," and some other unsavory spots in the county's earlier history made it wise for the peaceful citizen to have a bodyguard of at least two iron puddlers in passing such places.

Rudy, you know, has demonstrated on more than one occasion that he can give a good account of himself in physical combat.

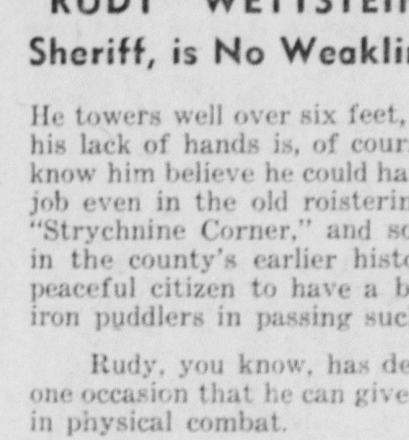
But under the new County system which goes into effect January 1, 1944, when the officials we elect next month, are sworn into office, the Sheriff automatically will be provided with two deputies, a turnkey, and a clerk. That is two more men than the present Sheriff has.

Beginning next year in case anyone wants to get tough with the Centre County Sheriff no matter who that official may be, he'll have two full-time deputies constantly at his beck and call.

Rudy's friends believe he would do well in the Sheriff's office. One of them said the other day: "The reason Rudy didn't run for an 'easier' office is because he likes action!"

That's the kind of man this fellow Wettstein is!

Sincerely,
FLEMING



Rev. Neil I. Gray Weds in Virginia

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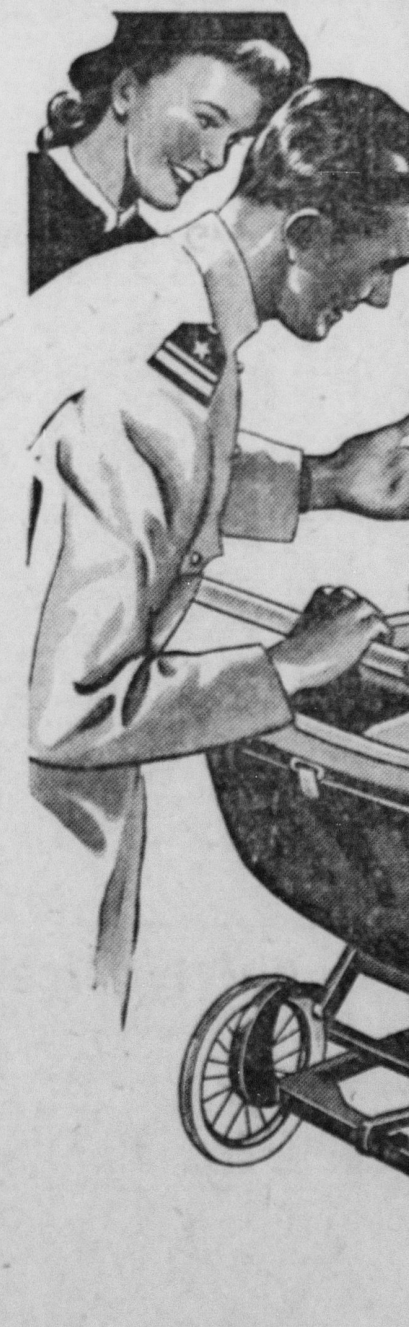
from a halo headdress of shirred tains. They will reside in Hollidaysville, sister of the bride, was maid of honor and only attendant, Mr. Gray, was best man for his son.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of white slipper satin fashioned with v-neckline and long sleeves tapered to points over the hands. Her veil fell from a halo headdress of shirred tains. She carried a cascade bouquet of white roses and petal pink daisies with bracelet length sleeves and carried a colonial bouquet of mixed flowers.

Mr. Gray is a graduate of the Bellefonte High School.

When moving pictures attempt to carry propaganda the business of the theatres will decline, whether line and long sleeves tapered to points over the hands. Her veil fell from a halo headdress of shirred tains. They will reside in Hollidaysville, sister of the bride, was maid of honor and only attendant, Mr. Gray, was best man for his son.

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