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Woodward Area Ravage by Storm BADLY BURNED

Where the Fuel Goes

Wind, Rain, Hail Comb to Cause Heavy Damage to Crops and Property; Window Panes Broken by Hail

amount normally harvested.

COUNTY QUOTA SET FOR

to Swimming Pool and

Other Projects

Members of the class are

Floyd C. Lucas, Milesburg.

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by bus at 10:50 a. m. that day.

they are engaged in essential indus-

tries. Men in any age group who

Finance Committee.

Considerable damage resulted to that water was as high as the runproperty, gardens, and crops in the ning boards of cars. southeastern section of Centre The entire area from near Coburn county early last Wednesday eve- to Wolfs Chapel was affected by the ning when a half-hour storm storm Rain of cloudburst intensity CANDLE IGNITES brought severe lightning and thun- was accompanied by hall in such der, torrents of rain mixed with quantities that it could be shoveled hail, and high winds. into baskets.

The storm was the most severe in Wheat and rye fields were badly the memory of old inhabitants of washed, gardens were washed and at that section according to reports. Coburn several trees were uprooted. Beginning at 7:45 p. m., the storm Hail, driven by high winds, broke was so severe that Pine Creek which a number of window passed through Woodward, rose four Coburn area and at Paul Winklefeet in height in less than an hour blech's farm near Fiedler, windows

its banks and flooded Route 45 so wind TAKES OWN LIFE

Believed Worried Over Health, Possible Induction Into Service

Two days before he was scheduled to take the pre-induction physical Drive when this cuonty's share was examination at Altoona, Robert D. \$1,943,000, Mr. Aikens pointed out. Mathieu, 24. of Collegeville, a graduate fellow in chemical engineering

at Penn State, ended his life. The man's lifeless body was found by his roommate, Howard B. Irvin, at 6:10 Monday morning being on a at 6:10 Monday morning, lying on a settee in their room at 315 S. Atherton street, State College, with cotton soaked ether on his face. He had been dead approximately four hours, it was estimated.

Irvin played golf Sunday with friends who reported that he seemed in good spirits, but State College Police Chief John R. Juba said that letters found near the body, written Sunday night, indicated the man was suffering from a fear of ill

tain references to the futility of war ed into membership.

body was removed to the Koch fu- administered the oath neral home in State College and the of Collegeville, were notified Later the remains were taken to College-ville for interment parents. Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Mathieu ville for interment.

Miss McClure Retires; losky, Beilefonte; Carl F. Cronemil-To Wed, June 8th fonte: Alfred Shope, Milesburg, and

Miss Mary Katharine McClure of Legion members Ross Buller, West Bishop street. Bellefonte, an Ebon B. Bower and John G. Love IOOF Center Provides 5 operator in the Bellefonte office of assisted with the initiation service. the Bell Telephone Company, re-tires on pension today after more sell was named Legion representative on the board of control of the than 32 years with the company.

Miss McClure was honored at a Hughes swimming pool, and the Post party and shower, Monday evening, contributed \$125 toward operating May 15. given by the local telephone and maintaining the pool during the operators and former operators, Miss coming summer. the Telephone Pioneers of America, to Mrs. Carl Johnson, secretary of organization of veteran telephone She will be married to Harry Buckley, an engineer for the Volunteers Over 26 Canadian General Company, on June 8. in Toronto, Canada. They plan to live at 709 Water street, Peterboro, Ontario,

CHILD INJURED IN

4-Year-Old College Boy Escaped With Severe **Cuts and Bruises**

A four-year-old State College boy was painfully injured Sunday night when he fell from the rear door of his parents' sedan as it was traveling up the Pine Grove Mills mountain enroute to State College from pass will be placed in the board's

The boy, Fay Harker, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Pay Harker, of 218 VFW Post Sponsors South Burrowes street, was admitted to the Centre County Hospital, suffering from severe cuts on the head

The accident occurred while the Houtzdale.

The above family was returning home church here at 7:30 o'clock Sunday after a Mother's Day visit with Mr. evening, May 21, officials of the post announced yesterday.

Houtzdale.

The subject of the essay was "For Leonard Wood, Mo., How supported me at the election in May 15, 1944.

The subject of the essay was "For Cumberland reception center he was assigned to an enhanced while the eremonies. The program and bring a word of welcome to the James of the VFW and the American Legion and the Auxiliar demight be dangerous, the car was is to those organizations, will participate in the services. Rev. Claration of the church, and hour when the rear door became are the county of St. John's Evangelical church, chief worry about the coming in
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AGED WOMAN

Mrs. Emma Young, 77, Is Brought to Centre County Hospital

SLEEVE OF DRESS

Accident Happens When Victim Goes to Cellar For Can of Fruit

Mrs. Emma Young, 77, of Boalsand the stream became a raging were broken and a portion of the burg, was painfully burned about the torrent. A small creek at Fiedler left barn roof was ripped off by the face, head, shoulders, and right arm early Tuesday morning in an acci-Damage to garden and farm crops dent at her home.

in the entire section is said to be The aged woman is now a patient so severe that the yield in many at the Centre County Hospital where places will be less than half of the attendants report her condition as being satisfactory. Mrs. Young. who lives alone at

Boalsburg, is said to have gone to FIFTH WAR LOAN DRIVE the cellar early Tuesday morning to get a can of fruit. In searching through the fruit cupboard she was Centre County's quota for the th using a tallow candle and as she War Loan Drive, June 12 to July 8 reached into the cupboard with her is \$2,238,000 it was announced yesterday by Claude G. Aikens, of State right hand the sleeve passed over the open flame and caught fire. College, chairman of the County War Her clothing was soon a mass of Mrs. Young ran to the This quota is \$295,000 greater than the assignment in the Fourth Loan ground floor where neighbors went

to her assistance. The woman was brought to the hospital by her daughter, Mrs. Peter Knepp of Millbrook, and was admitted to the institution about 11:30 esday morning

Six-Year-Old Girl Injured In Accident

Carol Ann Spicer. 6. daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Spicer, of Organization Contributes South Spring street, Bellefonte, was treated at the Centre County Hospital on Sunday morning for slight injuries received when she was struck by an Edwards bus at Spring

The roster of Brooks-Doll Post and High streets. The accident occurred about 10:45 American Legion, Bellefonte, was inhad told him his fears were ground- creased by 11 new members Monday a. m. when the child was watching night when the second class of in- a car back out of a parking place The letters also were said to con- itiates in recent weeks was accept- and did not see the bus start moving after having stopped at the inand of his aversion to it.

Centre County Coroner Charles mander, was in charge of the cereSheckler of Milesburg, certified that mony, and Samuel D. Rhinesmith, broken, although the girl had relivin had died by his own hand. The ankle and severe brush burns. After treatment she was allowed to return to her home. Sheldon Thompson/ Howard, R.

A. Baumgardner, Pleasant Gap; Paul Roberts, Bellefonte; Paul Girardi, Bellefonte, R. D.; Paul Sokoler and Kenneth W. Chandler, Belle-

Modern, Full-Sized Alleys

Opening of the new and modern Odd Fellows Club Bowling Center the former Claster Hardware The Post also voted \$25 to the store room on West High street will fonte all her life, is a member of Bellefonte Honor Roll fund and \$25 take place at 7 o'clock tomorrow announced yesterday.

remodeled and redecorated for its new place in the recreational life of the community. Five modern bowl-May Withdraw ing alleys, of regulation size, have been installed, and the alleys are A call for 12 men to enter the Navy adequately illuminated day or night June 1 was received today by Local by fluorescent lighting.

Draft Board No. 2 of Bellefonte. Comfortable bleachers have been The contingent will leave Bellefonte provided for spectators and all facilities for the comfort and conven-In filling the call it is likely that lence of patrons have been installed both men under 26 and those in the Soft drinks, candy, and ice cream other age brackets will be taken will be on sale at the new center. However, draft board officials said, Opening of the alleys will give only those in the older brackets who Bellefonte bowlers for the first time olunteer will be placed in the call. the opportunity of 'using full size The men in the higher age groups alleys. who have already voluntered to re-

ceive preference of service can re-**BHS Student Wins** call their voluntary applications if

wish to volunteer may do so, it was Miss Frances Snoke, a senior at

Memorial Services Brown, Osceola Mills High School; time he received his wound, about ing his health. and Shirley Jaffe, Philipsburg High which no details have as yet been In submitting his resignation, Mr. Instead of on the Court House steps The day will begin with registration cluding its present period of trainschool. Miss Jaffe will accept the disclosed by the government.

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The Rev. H. C. Stepper It is present period of trainling in England, recently met his and brush burns on face and body.

His condition is improving, it is reported.

The accident occurred while the analysis of Foreign Wars, Bellefonte, through Senator A. H. Letzler of vice on April 25, 1943, and after custing the submitting his reduced by the government.

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head and rolled over several times before his body came to rest at the side of the highway. The low speed of the car is believed to be the reason that more serious injury did not result.

Brother is III

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The worship service at 1:30 p. m. Memorial Services at 1:30 p. m. The man was sentenced to pay the costs and undergo imprisonment in the county jail for 60 days.

Wedded Fifty Years

BELLEFONTE, PA., THURSDAY, MAY 18, 1944.

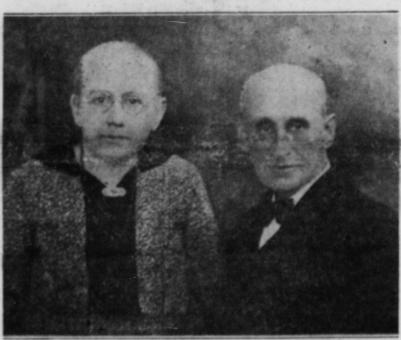


MR. AND MRS. JOHN C. CRATER of Aaronsburg, will observe their fiftieth wedding anniversary Saturday, May 20th, 1944.

May 20, 1894, at Millheim. Mr. burg and in earlier years Mr. Crater truck driver and his helper escaped and that repeated scrubbing of John C. Crater and his bride, Miss followed other occupations. Emma E. Snavely, took the vows. Mr. Crater, who is 73 years of age. The big machine, owned by Pitzer I before the Rev. N. Young that start- is a son of James and Amelia Rockey Brothers, of Jeanette, was approached them on life's journey together. Crater. His wife. 69, is a daughter ing the Bald Eagle Valley highway Next Saturday, May 20, 1944, will of Lewis and Promila (Kreamer) from Runville when the accident mark the fiftieth anniversary of that Snavely. Both enjoy reasonably good happened. Randolph told investigathealth. Mr. and Mrs. Crater (retired farm- Evangelical church.

ers) have been residents of Aarons- This estimable couple reared a the driver saw the intersection he burg for the past six years. Prior to family of seven children and had attempted to turn left to avoid the that time they operated the Rev. one son who died in infancy. The store, but he was unable to miss the Paul Keene farm nearby Aarons-

Married Sixty-Five Years



MR. AND MRS. CALVIN J. WEAVER of Rebersburg, today are observing their 65th wedding anniversary at their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin J. Weaver, of the same home in Rebersburg. Rebersburg, today are celebrating Both members of the couple are an anniversary few couples ever are lifelong members of the Reformed the close of the morning services, privileged to observe, for today they church. Mr. Weaver has been con- Sunday, and the change is to behave been married 65 years.

The prominent couple were mar- ing care of her husband.

fined to a wheel chair for the past come effective on June 15. Tomorrow Mr. Weaver will attain two years because of a foot infection. Mrs. Weaver, who is not in Davis will succeed Rev. J. Moulton Weaver became 84 years of age.

ried at Selinsgrove on May 18, 1879 The couple has four sons, namely: Va.
by the Rev. William Haas, of the Dr. Palmer C. Weaver, of State Colried at Selinsgrove on May 18, 1879 The couple has four sons, namely: Reformed church. For eleven years lege: Harry Weaver, of New Ken- years old, has served the Bellefonte they resided on a farm at Mazeppa sington; William Weaver, of Pit- parish for two years. A native of an aluminum band about the other been any clear-cut decisions such as

where they remained for 24 years Because of Mr. Weaver's health, Dickinson College at Carlisle, and Mr. Summers notified the College ing out every now and then in a new before retiring from active life in no special celebration is being plan-from Drew Theological Seminary, and took the bird home to await place. 1915. Since then they have occupied ned for the 65th anniversary today. He also has taken graduate work word from that institution. The pig-

Clarence Youth Is Wounded In Action

Pvt. Martin "Bucky" Rackovan, 20, James R. Hughes, former head- ence to be held in June at Central son of Mr. and Mrs. John Racko- master of the Bellefonte Academy Oak Heights, near Milton. The convan of Clarence, was wounded in who last fall was elected as a Centre ference is an educational meeting of Essay Scholarship action while fighting in the jungles county auditor, last week resigned representatives of all the Sunday of New Guinea on April 22, accord- from that post and Judge Ivan schools and young peoples' organiing to a War Department message Walker named J. Thomas Mitchell, zations in the diocese. the Bellefonte High School, was de- received by his parents last week. Bellefonte attorney and historian, as clared winner of the senatorial Pvt. Rackovan, a brother of Mrs. his successor.
scholarship to Penn State, given Edward Hampton, of North Thomas Mr. Hughes' resignation became

through the Bi-County Council of street, Bellefonte, and Mrs. Albert effective Saturday and Mr. Mitchell's American Legion, it was announced W. Smith. of West Linn street, appointment went into effect Monthis week by Samuel D. Rhinesmith Bellefonte. has been overseas more day. of Bellefonte, bi-county commander, than seven months. The Clarence Others whose essays entitled them soldier was believed to be serving to the scholarship were Barbara G. with an engineering unit at the Brown. Osceola Mills High School: time he received his wound, about ing his health.

The resignation, Mr. Hughes said. The annual spring convention of captain William C. Cox, who left conducted by the Bellefonte Elks the Centre County Sabbath School Bellefonte with the local National Lodge will be held June 14 in the Bellefonte. The resignation, Mr. Hughes said. The annual spring convention of captain William C. Cox, who left conducted by the Bellefonte Willia

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Delcie Rowles, Curwensville: Marborise in the attended the Clarence grade in the conscious and was a member of the St. Michael's church baseball team of that community. Before entering service he was employed in a war plant at Detroit, Mich.

The family of James Craig who is

Hughes Resigns Post

strain on my nerves, due to the six Gets 60 Days Jail hours of close confinement in the auditors' room five days in the week and three hours on Saturdays, ne urday. May 13, to avoid a threatened appeared at a special session of hervous breakdown. I believe that court here Monday and entered a my unexpected action will infire to the benefit of all concerned.

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"Please don't worry. We have the care of ourselves, how to do our jobs and Week Day Religious Education on the theme, "Christians Incorporate and how to stay healthy. None of us the benefit of all concerned.

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Tractor-Trailer Outfit Overturns, Smashing Pumps, Canopy

DRIVER AND AIDES

Damage Comparatively Light; Building Often Hit by Vehicles

ed soout 6 a. m. last Thursday futile to repaint until the dust nuis when a truck-trailer outfit loaded ance has been eliminated. with empty beer bottles crashed into | Repeated scrubbing of fered damage from vehicles.

The truck, operated by W. F. Ran- Continuing, the writer set forth injury

They are members of the ing police that he did not see the the extra elegibrary made necessary. stop sign at the intersection. When the extra cleaning made necessary. service station. The sharp swing caused the big machine to upse against the pumps.

Paul Breon of Julian, and Walter Zahniser of Unionville, on their way to work at the Titan plant in Bellesaw the truck approaching the intersection and realizing that it wasn't going to stop, halted their car. They sat in the car and witnessed the crash.

The truck tractor and semi-trailer suffered only slight damage. Some weeks ago a truck traveling along Route 220 crashed into a car. forcing the car into the store and known Bellefonte resident, is a Cap-postoffice in the Robb building, tain in the Air Transport Command workers at age 65; to younger widausing considerable damage

EPISCOPAL RECTOR

Rev. F. P. Davis Accepts between India and China, and when Call to Trinity Church, Williamsport

The Rev. Francis Paul Davis, recchurch, Williamsport,

The announcement was made at

The building has been completely Weaver became 84 years of age. and gardening in addition to tak- become rector of the St. Matthew's found near the railroad water tower Episcopal church in Wheeling, W.

the Coatesville High School, from

Active in the affairs of the Dio- ered its strength. cese of Harrisburg, the Rev. Mr. Davis is chairman of the diocesan As County Auditor youth commission and will serve as dean of the annual youth confer-(Continued on page Siz)

Ceremony, June 14

Resident Scores Lime Dust Evil

Mrs. Frederick F. Hallowell Alleges Dust Is Causing Heavy Property Damage; Council Has 5 Applicants for Health Officer

A strong indictment of lime dust that the dust has greatly harmed and its effects upon property in this costly and extensive paneled woodarea was read at a regular meeting work in her home, and that the sum

ESCAPE UNINJURED well, of North Allegheny street, who chairman of the special committee termed the presence of lime dust in charge of lime dust elimination, "unbearable and destructive." Specifically outlining her charges, soon is convinced that the Warner Mrs. Hallowell wrote that the exter- Company will make faster progress

ior paint of her home, the former Governor Hastings residence on North Allegheny street, has been More than \$1,000 damage result- ruined by lime dust and that it is

the former Ida Witmer service sta- paint to remove dust which seeps tion at Wingate—for the sixth or into the home has caused much seventh time that building has suf-damage to inside paint, Mrs. Hallowell avers.

dolph. 24. of Clairton, Allegheny that the upholstering of furniture county, bowled over three gasoline has been severely damaged; that pumps and tore down a canopy over the limedust coating on the brownthe pumps in front of the building stone walls about the property can before it came to rest on its side, be removed only by an expensive The store and service station are sandblast process; that the porches operated by Mrs. Maud Robb. The cannot be used because of the dust port field office of the Social Seporch floors has caused premature otting of the wood.

Mrs. Hallowell voiced the complaint that because of lime dust "household work never ends." declared that the cost of maintain-Concluding, the writer charged

Evan Blanchard, Captain in Air Group in Wilds of Burma Jungles

theatre of war, according to word dependent parents. received by his aunta, Mrs. Robert M. Beach and Miss Mary Miles Blanchard, and his uncle, Edmund Blanchard, all of West Linn street Captain Blanchard volunteered for service nearly two years ago and upon completing training was sent to the Far East. He frequently flies over what is called "The Hump" last heard from was on a trek in the jungles of Burma, where he vis-

ited places where no white man had sun, after all, ever been seen. During his travels in the Burma tor of St. John's Episcopal church, jungles, Captain Blanchard and his the handling of various types of Beliefonte, has announced his resig- party had frequent encounters with livestock. nation from that post to accept the deadly snakes and on one occasion. Fifty years ago the borough gov-

fore it could be shot. (Continued on Page 6)

Finds Exhausted Pigeon at Wingate ers:

at Wingate Sunday afternoon by George W. Summers, of near Belle-

and from there moved to the Dan- cairn, and Curtis Weaver, of Read- Coatesville, he was graduated from leg indicated the bird had been in the cow war. In fact, many of the banded by "Wildlife, State College." battles are continuing affairs, breakat the Philadelphia Divinity School. eon was not injured and soon recov- against the powers of nature was

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SABBATH SCHOOL TO CONVENE HERE BROTHER OVERSEAS

Scheduled at Methodist Church May 25

of St. John's Evangelical church, chief worry about the coming in-State College. Records, stereoptical vasion is that the folks back home

The morning address will be de- vasion: H. S. Klinefelter, of Bellefonte, livered at 10:20 by the Rev. Lee J. "Please don't worry. We have all

of Bellefonte Council, Monday night, total of the evil has caused much The complaint was submitted in "mental worry and distraction" writing by Mrs. Frederick F. Hallo- Councilman Walter R. Eberhart declared that unless his committee

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Centre Countians Invited to Discuss Problems Next Wednesday

A representative of the Williamscurity Board will be in the D. P. A. office. Penn Belle Hotel building Bellefonte, Wednesday, May 24, at 11 a. m., it was announced vesterday by John Dell Teasdale, manager of and the Williamsport office.

"This service is scheduled in order Security Board closer to the people of Bellefonte and Centre county," Mr. Teasdale said, and added

The representative of the board who will be in the office in Bellefonte, will deal principally with the payment of claims under the Old-Age and Survivors Insurance provisions of the Social Security Act. "Under the 1939 amendments, the Social Security Board started makng six types of monthly insurance payments, beginning January 1, 1940.

and also started paying lump-sum

claims, or seventh type, on a new "The monthly payments are made to workers who retire after becoming Evan Blanchard, former well 65 years of age; to wives of such and for more than a year has been ows with dependent children in their serving in the India-China-Burma care: to dependent children and to

In This Cawner, Council - In This 27 Hives of Bees

There IS something new under the For years Bellefonte Council has been beset by problems arising from

of Trinity Episcopal met a Bengal tiger which fied be- ernment scored its first major victory over the forces of nature by banning cows from the public

> Since then we've seen gigantic battles with the following contend-

Council vs. dogs. Council vs. mosquitoes.

Council vs. fish. Council vs. pigs. Council vs. ducks and swans. It's anyone's guess as to who won

Full Day of Activities Former Local Guardsman Gives Soldier's Views

on Invasion The Rev. H. C. Stenger, Jr., pas- younger brother, Pvt. James L. Cox All organizations of Bellefonte and tor of the host church, will preside in England, according to a letter re-

On Check Charges slides and motion pictures will be will be worrying about him. Here's what he writes regarding the inwhat he writes regarding the in-