

13,600 Acres In Fishing Creek Sold

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of various kinds are the principal trees. In some parts of the immense tract there is virgin timber, but most of the area is believed to have been lumbered off about 1850. Some of the larger trees are up to 3 feet in diameter, and some are 115 feet in height. The average is around 80 feet.

Work on opening up the lumber area began about two weeks ago, and Monday of last week an 18-ton bulldozer began constructing a road leading from the Bixel place in a southeasterly direction along Cherry Run. The road is being cut through the woods, and the bulldozer, similar to the kind being used to great advantage in constructing air fields and clearing away debris on the various war fronts, is showing its peacetime value in clearing a road through the heavy forest.

Up until Friday the road had been cleared and rough-graded for nearly three miles through the woods, with the single bulldozer doing all the clearing and grading. The big machine first pushes over the trees, tearing them out by the roots. It then shoves the felled trees to the side where lumbermen trim them and prepare the logs for the mill. Meanwhile the bulldozer scrapes earth from both sides of the proposed road, to raise the bed above the level of the surrounding ground. The surface then is rough and fine graded and made suitable for the heavy trucks which will be used to haul logs to the mill. Drainage ditches are provided and rough culverts are being installed to take care of drainage.

The present road is nearing completion, and the bulldozer then will open a 7-mile road further south on Cherry Run. These two roads will open up enough of the wooded area for many months to come, it is reported. Other roads will be opened as the need arises.

A crew of about 25 men, including sawmill workers, is now employed on the operation. Most of them are residents of the area. When the work gets under full sway, small caterpillar tractors will be used to haul logs from the woods to the road, where large trucks, equipped with their own loading derricks, will load the logs for transportation to the mill. The work will continue winter and summer, it is planned.

Woodsmen who have been in the tract report that some game has been seen. Rabbits, squirrels, turkeys, birds of various kinds, and some deer are reported, although not in any great quantities. Very few snakes have been seen.

Every candidate is a success until the votes are counted.

County Oil Men Elect Officers

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many new problems to the highway user. During the past two years, the normal program of highway construction has been sharply restricted on account of shortages of materials and manpower and it is evident that in the immediate postwar period our highway construction program must be accelerated to restore our system to generally recognized standards. At the same time, this must be accomplished under a financial plan that will not add further to the heavy tax burden to which the highway user is now subjected.

"One objective that must be accomplished is the dedication of all taxes assessed against the motorist to highway use. Fourteen states now have Constitutional Amendments prohibiting the diversion of Motor Fund monies to any other purpose and our state already has taken the initial steps to secure the adoption of this principle in 1945. It is imperative that this proposal be accepted and our Constitutional Amendment adopted."

At the meeting, the following officers were elected for 1944-45: chairman, G. D. Krumrine, State College; vice chairman, William Price, Phillipsburg; secretary, W. F. McClellan, State College.

Legislative Committee: chairman, Frank H. Clemons, State College; vice chairman, J. W. Pritchard, Phillipsburg; members, R. P. Dunsmore, Phillipsburg; Elmer B. Conner, Snow Shoe; B. F. Rhoads, Tyrone; Francis H. Crawford, Bellefonte; James E. O'Bryan, State College; Irvin M. Mohrner, State College; Elmer B. Decker, Bellefonte; Roy Shoemaker, State College.

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Crushed to Death On the same day one of his eight children was being swung into the net at Altoona, James M. Phillips, 43, a miner, was crushed to death by a fall of rock in the W. H. Piper Coal Co. mine at Lilly last week.

War Toll for Week, 4 Killed, 5 Wounded

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he was stationed at Yuma, Ariz., for desert training and on December 1 went to Camp Phillips, Kan. Late in December he was sent overseas to England.

He was born at Trafford on December 6, 1914, a son of Malcolm and Margaret Coble Waite, Wilson, Surviving, in addition to his wife, with whom he was united in marriage in Bellefonte on May 24, 1937, are a daughter, Peggy Ann, aged 6, both of Coleville; his mother; and these brothers and sisters: Richard V. Waite, G.M. 3/c of Brooklyn, N. Y.; Staff Sgt. William Waite, stationed at prisoner of war camp, Rupert, Idaho, and Mrs. Lawson J. Henry, of Bowman Field, Ky. He was a grandson of Mrs. Sara Waite, of Bellefonte, whose son, Harry, was killed while serving in the standing army in the Philippines in 1917. Pfc. Waite was a member of the Undine Fire Company and the Moose Lodge, both of Bellefonte.

Pfc. Lucas Dies in France Pfc. Lucas, son of Mr. and Mrs. William F. Lucas, of Halfmoon Hill, was killed in action in France on July 7 and is believed to have been serving as a jeep driver with a reconnaissance unit at the time.

"Jiggs" wrote to his mother July 4 from somewhere in France, reporting that he was not in the original invasion wave, and that he was well. He urged his parents not to worry. The letter was received July 18.

He entered the service as a volunteer in November 1942 and at New Cumberland was assigned to an armored division and sent to Ft. Knox, Ky., for training. He remained there until April 1943 when he was transferred to Indianapolis, Ind. Last September he was sent to England.

Pvt. Lucas attended the Roopsburg and Rockview schools, since landing in England he had become a member of the Bellefonte Post, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Surviving, in addition to his parents, are these brothers and sisters: John L. Mrs. Bessie Hassinger, Mrs. John McMullin, and Mrs. Charles Greening, all of Bellefonte; William F. of Conemaugh; and Waite Ruhl, of Lock Haven, and Willis and Lee Lucas, both serving in the Navy.

Prior to entering the service Pfc. Lucas was employed for some time by his brother, John A. Lucas, Bellefonte painter and paper hanger.

Pfc. Stover Died June 25 Pfc. Stover, son of Boyd Stover, of Spring Mills, was killed in action in France on June 25. He is believed to have landed in France shortly after the invasion and may have been participating in the battle for Cherbourg, since a letter received from him dated June 21 said he was "in the fighting but couldn't tell where."

Pfc. Stover was serving with a medical detachment of the infantry. He entered the service on November 28, 1942, and after undergoing basic training at Camp Blanding, Fla., was on maneuvers for three months in Tennessee. From there he was sent to California for desert maneuvers and then sent to Camp Phillips, Kan. He went overseas early in April of this year.

Pfc. Stover attended the Coburn schools and was employed at the Piper Aircraft plant in Lock Haven at the time of his induction. Surviving in addition to his father and step-mother, are the following brothers and sisters: M. Sgt. Boyd Stover, with an artillery unit in France; Mrs. Kenneth Brumhart, of Rebersburg; Mrs. Orvis Hosterman, Mrs. Leroy Warnitz, both of Aaronsburg; Mrs. Robert Meyers, of Tyrone; and Mildred Hayer, of Lock Haven.

Pfc. Saxton Gets 2nd Wound Pfc. Homer Saxton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Saxton, of Reynolds avenue, Bellefonte, was wounded twice within a few weeks, according to a letter received from him by his parents.

In the letter, written from a hospital in England, he related that he was shot while in action in France, but asked his parents not to worry. He said the bullet struck his left arm, breaking the arm, adding, "We were one of the first ones in it, and it was hell."

Last month Pfc. Saxton told of being shot in the leg but said he was recovering and expected soon to get back into action. In a letter he wrote June 17 while occupying a front line fox hole, he told how a Bible presented to him by a relative last Christmas had saved his life. He said "I was hit and the bullet went through my clothes and stuck in the Bible and never touched me."

Drogan Wounded July 3 Sgt. Drogan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Drogan, of Coleville, was wounded July 3 while serving as a member of a glider unit. In letters to his mother received last week, he stated that he was wounded by fragments in one leg and hip and that the wounds were deep. He wrote in part: "I am now in a hospital in England and getting the best of care. Don't worry as I expect to leave the hospital soon."

Sgt. Drogan entered the service November 2, 1942, and after basic training at Camp Wheeler, Ga., was sent to Fort Bragg, N. C. He was sent overseas in May of last year and landed in North Africa. Since then he has been in Italy, Ireland, and England.

He is a graduate of St. John's parochial school and Bellefonte High School in the class of 1941. He was employed for a time at the Bellefonte Electric Supply store and at the time of entering the service was employed by Warner Company.

He has two half-brothers also in service. They are Pfc. George Cushion, now somewhere in France, and Sgt. Charles Cushion, now in India.

Pfc. Irvin Alexander Pvt. Alexander, son of Edna Luse of 127 South Gill street, State College, was wounded in action in France and is now in a hospital in England, according to a letter re-

Jurors Drawn For September

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Meek, State College; Robert S. McClenahan, Centre Hall; Hoover V. Noll, Bellefonte, R. D. 3; Mrs. Lewis Peters, Milesburg; D. S. Peterson, Perma, Furnace; Ethel Richards, Martha Furnace; Gilbert Waite, Port Matilda; James Watkins, Howard, R. D. 1.

CRIMINAL COURT JURORS (Meet Monday, September 11)

R. M. Alexander, Julian; Marie Z. Andrews, Julian; William F. Albright, State College; Mrs. Jesse Arnold, State College; E. M. Broderrick, State College; Henry J. Bower, Aaronsburg; Joseph B. Barnes, Phillipsburg; William T. Burke, Howard, R. D. 1; R. W. Bieri, Rebersburg; Bernice Bowes, Pine City; Annie S. Colyer, Bellefonte, R. D.; Frank C. Daley, Bellefonte; Mrs. John Dillor, Port Matilda, R. D. 1; James Deering, Centre Hall; Charles Dunlap, Port Matilda; Estelle Evans, Oscoda Mills; E. F. Fleckenstein, Phillipsburg; William H. George, Aaronsburg; C. W. Grassmire, Bellefonte; Mrs. Grace Holmes, State College; Jean Hosterman, Millheim; Oran S. Houtz, State College, R. D.; Mrs. Ruth B. Jones, Bellefonte.

Clifford Jackson, Phillipsburg; Walter R. Korman, Boalsburg; Martin M. Keller, Bellefonte, R. D. 2; Elizabeth Kennedy, State College; Frank Z. Moore, Clarence; Veda Miller, Sandy Ridge; Grace Mitchell, Bellefonte; Wallace F. Muser, Spring Mills; George Moffett, Phillipsburg; Mrs. Minnie F. Magee, Bellefonte; Thomas B. McClellan, Fleming; Samuel E. Nearhood, Port Matilda; Nathan Pearson, Phillipsburg; Elizabeth Quigley, Phillipsburg; Clayton Rote, Bellefonte, R. D. 1; Joseph Rine, Bellefonte; A. M. Rishel, Bellefonte; Maude H. Shope, State College.

Mrs. Blanche Stevens, Bellefonte; Mrs. Ruth Saxton, Bellefonte; Frank A. Shultz, Howard, R. D. 2; Earl Teaman, Bellefonte; Charles Wetzel, Bellefonte; Victor C. Thompson, Howard, R. D. 2; A. B. Williams, Port Matilda; John W. Vonada, Spring Mills, R. D. 1; T. Paul Woods, Monument; Fred W. Witherite, Bellefonte, R. D. 1; Forest Willis, Bellefonte; John A. Achmoody, Phillipsburg; William Allen, Phillipsburg; Harry Acker, Aaronsburg; Mary Baum, Bellefonte; Vera M. Beyer, State College; Harry Beightol, Howard; Miles T. Bressler, Spring Mills; John Blazosky, Port Matilda; Mrs. Marie Baney, Bellefonte; W. W. Bickett, Bellefonte; William H. Bickle, Warriors Mark; Walter S. Beach, State College; Thomas P. Cowher, Bellefonte; Harry M. Corman, Bellefonte, R. D.; Clyde S. Conter, Spring Mills; John M. Coldren, Centre Hall; Sherman H. Conter, Orviston; James G. Corman, Rebersburg.

CIVIL COURT JURORS (Meet Monday, Sept. 18)

Ruth Arnold, Oscoda Mills; Beatrice Andrews, Julian; Harry E. Askey, Blanchard; Carrie Anderson, Bellefonte; John A. Achmoody, Phillipsburg; William Allen, Phillipsburg; Harry Acker, Aaronsburg; Mary Baum, Bellefonte; Vera M. Beyer, State College; Harry Beightol, Howard; Miles T. Bressler, Spring Mills; John Blazosky, Port Matilda; Mrs. Marie Baney, Bellefonte; W. W. Bickett, Bellefonte; William H. Bickle, Warriors Mark; Walter S. Beach, State College; Thomas P. Cowher, Bellefonte; Harry M. Corman, Bellefonte, R. D.; Clyde S. Conter, Spring Mills; John M. Coldren, Centre Hall; Sherman H. Conter, Orviston; James G. Corman, Rebersburg.

State College Man Seriously Wounded

Pfc. Willard T. Comly, son of Mrs. Bessie Comly, of South Burrows street, State College, was seriously wounded in action July 4 in France, his mother was informed in a War Department telegram received Saturday morning.

It is believed by Pfc. Comly's mother that her son took part in the invasion of France. A letter received from him dated June 6 said that "it is raining and I hope that by morning the sky will be clear."

Pfc. Comly, 23, a member of an infantry division, has been in the Army for two years. He took his basic training at Camp Atterbury, Ind., and then went to Tennessee on maneuvers. Following this training he was assigned to Camp Breckenridge, Ky., and then a camp in New England before going overseas about a month before the invasion.

He was employed by the Ritter Dental Company, Rochester, N. Y., at the time of his induction. Three other brothers are serving in the armed forces. They are Charles W. Comly, with a medical corps at Camp Berkeley, Texas; Cpl. Blaine Homer Comly, an engineer with the Air Corps in Italy; and Gordon Comly, seaman, second class, with the U. S. Navy.

36 Get Diplomas From Fire School

(Continued from page one) that all others were very high. Others who spoke were B. A. Doll, Philip Saylor, Bellefonte fire marshal; Mr. Boob, and Ira Hall, chief of the Snow Shoe fire company. Those who completed the Undine course were: Melvin C. Aikie, Richard Alerio, Laird Bathurst, William R. Brown, James Bruno, Russell B. Coppenhaver, B. A. Doll, Eugene S. Gentzel, Robert M. Gontz, William Harnish, Harry Howard, Paul Howard, Willis Lucas, William Howard, Joseph P. Kelleher, Thomas A. Kelleher, Francis W. Kreamer, Edward A. Ray, Philip Saylor, Ralph W. Rhoads, John Soster, Russell Torsell, John Nighthart, Charles H. Wayne, James Kustanbauer, all of Bellefonte, Ira Hall, William Harnish, James Viehdorfer, and George Doherty, all of Snow Shoe.

Members of the Snow Shoe class were John Soster, James Viehdorfer, William Hall, George Doherty, Robert Park, William Preston, James C. Swartz and Gregg C. Watson. Doherty, Viehdorfer and Soster were presented with gold star certificates for having taken both the Undine and Snow Shoe courses. Mrs. Gontz and Mrs. Lucas were presented the certificates in the absence of their husbands, who are both serving in the Navy. About 70 were present at the affair which closed with the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

Howard Airmen Is Home from Europe

Flight Officer Robert B. Burkey on Monday arrived in Howard to spend a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Burkey, after having completed more than 50 bombing missions over Europe.

Officer Burkey participated in many of the major air raids on enemy territory, including several of the largest ones in which more than 2000 planes took off. He has a brother, "Jack," who has more than 100 missions to his credit in the South Pacific area.

Among those graduating from an intensive course of Quartermasters training at recent Service School exercises at Great Lakes, Ill., was Howard L. Dial, 36, husband of Martha Dial, of Snow Shoe. This Blue-jacket was selected for his specialized training on the basis of his recruit training aptitude test scores.

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Erect Tents For Annual Grange Fair

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midway, including a ride, loop-the-loop, feris wheel, chair swing, and kiddies' ride—all old favorites. New rides have been added, as well as a large number of games both old and new.

Beginning Saturday, Shade, the Wonder-Worker, a magician and entertainer, will perform daily on the bandstand with magic feats. Following his performance will be the appearance of Tim Mix and His Colorado Cowgirls, with music, comedy and novelty numbers by a Cowgirl Band. A dog and pony show will be there to delight young visitors. County ball teams and bands will contribute their share to daytime entertainment. Grange dramatic groups throughout the county have scheduled a week of plays—either 3-act plays, or a series of 1-act plays.

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