WOODWARD

daughter, Frances, in company with of Philadelphia, enjoyed a two week C. E. Kreamer as driver, attended vacation at the home of her mother, the funeral of Raymond P. Boob, of Mrs. Lide Orndorf. Mrs. Shively, near Penns Creek Mills, last Wed-nesday afternoon. we are informed, is taking a three-years federal course in nursing in

E. W. Motz and Roy Bowersox with that city. other American Legion members of Last week Mr. and Mrs. Grover near Penn Hall.

and son Kenneth, and his father, ted relatives at Aaronsburg. She Allison, were guests of relatives in Shamokin and vicinity from last Wednesday until Friday.

was an over weekend guest of relatives in town. Willie always enjoys to worship with the folks in his former church home.

Mrs. Roy Musser, of Akron, Ohio, is enjoying her summer vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Fiedler since last week. a new steel roof on the residence occupied by Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Fied-

Cpl. Donald Reffner, of Camp Pickett, Va., and Miss Myrtle Stine, the Evangelical parsonage at Lewisburg, by Rev. E. C. Basom on last Friday at noon, in the presence of many happy years of married life. returned last Wednesday

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Orndorf and | Mrs. Hilda (Hosterman) Shively,

this locality attended the funeral of their deceased member, Raymond P. Boob, held from his late home last parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Musser. Wednesday afternoon. Interment They were accompanied from Harwas made in Heckman's cemetery, risburg by Mrs. Jerry Clemens of that city, who is a niece of Mrs. R. Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Hummel, E. Musser. Mrs. Clemens also visireturned to town on Sunday of last week as a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Musser, also to take part in the wor-Willie Winterrod of Williamsport, ship service which she greatly enjoyed.

On July 31 a dinner and picnic was planned for Grover Musser's birthday at Hairy Johns Park. The following were present; Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Musser, Mr. and Mrs. Gurney Musser, daughters Grace, Lucille, of Last Saturday the carpenters put Philadelphia; Mrs. Jerry Clemens. Hartleton. Muriel and girl friend of of Harrisburg; Harold Musser and children, of Williamsport, and Mr. and Mrs. Grover Musser of York. All had a very enjoyable time. Grover of Coburn, were quietly married at received many useful gifts and all wished him many more returns of the day.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Musser accomthe bride's mother, Mrs. Stine. Mr. panied their son and wife, Mr. and and Mrs. Arthur Boob and children. Mrs. Grover Musser, to their home We wish the newly wedded couple in York, for a few days' visit. They

Births: A daughter to Cadet and

Admitted: Thomas A. Hosterman,

CENTRE COUNTY HOSPITAL IN THE WEEK'S NEWS

Monday of Last Week Admitted: Mrs. Helen Onder, of Jorie DeHaas, State College; Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. J. Lester Musser, and Clarence: Albert Krapf, of Lewis- Mae Zimmerman, Bellefonte.

Discharged: Mrs. S. Verna Derr, Mrs. Henry P. Gardner, State Colof Pleasant Gap; Mrs. Nelle Swank, lege; a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. of Baltimore, Md.; Mrs. Elizabeth Harry Gill, State College. Baird, of Pleasant Gap; John T. Woomer, of State College; Mrs. Mary Lockhart, of State College, R. Centre Hall. D. 1: Mrs. Gladys Brown and infant

daughter, Spring Mills, R. D. Tuesday: Russell E. Mark, Spring Howard, R. D. 2. Mills, R. D. 2.

Births: A son to Mr. and Mrs. Chester H. Fisher, Howard, R. D. 2; W. Reeder, Bellefonte, R. D. 2.

Tuesday of Last Week Admitted: Mrs. Nellie Robinson,

Lemont; Mrs. Kathryn Moyer, of Bellefonte, R. D. 2; Mrs. Muriel Pleasant Gap. Mingle, State College. Discharged: Mrs. Betty Johnston- nett and infant son. Bellefonte;

Admitted Tuesday, discharged on

Birth: A son to Cpl. and Mrs. Lee State College. Roy Watson, Bellefonte.

Wednesday of Last Week Admitted: Mrs. Ella Meyer, Centre H. Zimmerman, Bellefonte. Mrs. Mary Sweitzer, Belle- Discharged: Mrs. Elmer Straut

Discharged: Albert Krapf, Lewis- Arthur Thoman and infant son, town; Mrs. Florence Wagner and Centre Hall. Centre Hall; Mrs. Blanche Grove and infant daugh- and Mrs. Paul A. Zerby, State Colter. Port Matilda; Mrs. Betty Woo- lege, expired the same day. mer and infant daughter. Belle-

fonte R. D. 3. Admitted Wednesday, discharged the same day: Mrs. Margaret Lose, lege, R. D. 1; David T. Stoner, Cen-

Thursday: Patricia Rogus, Detroit, Grove Mills; Mrs. Merrill Shuey, Mich.; Joann Rogus, Detroit, Mich.; Bellefonte, R. D. 1. Miss Kathryn Kolasa, Clarence.

Thursday of Last Week Admitted: Miss Harriet Hubert, Samuel E. Broome, Bellefonte.

Discharged: James Kerstetter, of

Discharged: Mrs. Marie Wheeland is a son of Mrs. Grace Stover, of and infant daughter, State College: Philadelphia, and he made his home Admitted Monday and discharged Mrs. Ida Fisher and infant son, with his grandmother, Mrs. Amanda Admitted Friday and discharged to his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs.

Saturday: Mollie Sunday, Belle- Wesley Michaels, West Decatur, he a daughter to Cpl, and Mrs. Charles fonte; Dale Hendershot, Milesburg, told of being wounded and sent Birth: A son to Lt. and Mrs. back. Ralph Schmidt, State College,

Saturday

Admitted; Mrs. Ruth M. Edy, of Discharged: Mrs. Frank M. Ben-

baugh and infant, Bellefonte, R. D. Mrs. Ruth Harris, Snow Shoe; Philip G. Myers, Howard, R. D. 2. Admitted Saturday and discharged Wednesday: Eugene Smith, Belle- the following day: Stephen Bloom, Spring Mills, R. D. 1; Marian Breon,

Birth: a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Markle, State College, R. D.; a son to Mr. and Mrs. Edward

and infant son, Harrisburg; Expired: Twin sons born to Mr

Sunday

Admitted: Marlin Tice, State Coltre Hall: Taylor I. Malone, Miles-Admitted Wednesday, discharged burg; Miss M. Edythe Dunlap, Pine

Discharged: Mrs. Homer Yearick, Howard, R. D. 2; Mrs. Andrew Myers and infant son, Julian; Mrs. Pittsburgh; Mrs. Martha Houtz, Le- Expired; Louis E. Allis, State Col-

Birth: A daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Neese, Spring Mills, R. D. 1. the Germans. Admitted Thursday, discharged on There were 46 patients in the hos-Friday; Helen Keith, State College; pital at the beginning of the week, burg High School star athlete served For they'll return again some day.

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FOUR COUNTY MEN QUALIFY AS EXPERT MACHINE GUNNERS



Pvt. Musser, husband of Nancy

Wright Musser, of Bellefonte, re-cently made "expert" on the rifle,

one of the highest scores in his com-

pany, while stationed at the Armor-

ed Replacement Center at Fort

Wounded on Saipan

United States convalescing in a nav-

Is German Prisoner

Lt. Alfred F. Pelka

He was sent to England late in

Nothing was known of his fate on

that mission until April 20 when a German broadcast heard in Belle-

fonte and Philipsburg reported that

he was a prisoner of war and that

he was well. On June 10 his parents

received a card written February 10

'Had a tough break and had to bail

out. William Bumgardner, of Ches-

ter Hill, is here with me too. Keep

your chin up, it won't take long. I

28 said "Guess I'll be here until the

linois and in Colorado before being

granted a furlough. At the expira-

ered the island of Martinique.

Lt. Pelka was graduated from the

thing is over.

in which he said in part:

dane was shot down.

was inducted April 5, 1944.

David Harry, State College; Mar- Knox, Kentucky. He is the son of

Pvt. Lavern Runkle





Pvt. Earl Weaver

Four Centre county service men who were inducted March 23, 1944, during his civilian life resided in and who are stationed at the Arm-ored Replacement Training Center Milesburg. at Fort Knox. Kentucky, recently qualified as "expert" on the machine Harvey Weaver, of Howard, R. D. 1.

Reida Runkle, of Howard, R. D. 2. Ifonte, R. D. 3.



Pvt. Gallagher, 28, is married and Pvt. Weaver, 21, is the son of Mrs.

Pvt. Shirk, 18, is the son of Mr. Pvt. Runkle, 18, is the son of Mrs. and Mrs. Samuel Shirk, of Belle-

Poets' Corner

MOTHER NATURE'S FLOWERS' in summer we see beautiful flowers, Their names again and again we are ploye before being called into the

Lt. Pelka, 26, son of Mr. and Mrs. As the beautiful scene we behold. Gustave Pelka, of Presqueisle street, There are colors dark and light, Philipsburg, saw plenty of action as They fill our hearts with cheer, pilot of a Flying Fortress before he As we gaze at all of them was forced down over German ter- We think of their coming next year

and was taken prisoner by When winter months come nigh And nature has taken them away. The 6-foot, 5-inch former Philips. We do not fear their going. number of months in the British In gazing at these wondrous beau-West Indies as a bombardier on

going training to become a Fortress Por by his careful guiding hand They'll return to us, our joys to share. September 1943, piloting his own This poem has come to an end Fortress to that station, and par- But be not weary with doubt;

ticipated in a number of missions For we'll see this scene again prior to last January 21 when his When Mother Nature sends them -Gladyce Fye.

> Coleville Soldier Is German Prisoner

of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Rhoads, of Base Unit, and is popularly referred Coleville, who was reported missing to as "The Country Club of the Air" in action in the European theatre owing to the fact that a large re- Centre county. since June 22, is now reported as a sort hotel was taken over to house prisoner of war of the German gov- the Army staff and cadets. don't need a thing and am getting prisoner of war of the German gov-along O. K." received by his mother from the the Snow Shoe High School in 1940, Centre Hall, have received the Pur-Another message received June War Department last Thursday.

The telegram read: "A report just Lt. Pelka enlisted in the service Cross, states that your son, 8/Sgt. Va. Then he was stationed in II- tion will follow."

Training at Keesler Field

granted a luriough. At the expira-tion of that leave he was sent to Puerto Rico where during patrol Puerto Rico where during patrol Nevin F. Miller, of Madisonburg, of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Johnson, of several men whose ship had been oxi, Miss., to take the Army Air sunk. One of the patrol routes cov- Porces Training Command examinations to determine his qualifica- While home her two sisters, Johan-After another furlough home, he tions as a pre-aviation pilot. As an was sent to Kelley Field, Texas, applicant for training that will make field hospital, and Nancy Jane, an was sent to kelley Field, Texas, applicant to difference he began training to become him a flying officer, he will be given student nurse at the South Side a pilot, Subsequently he was trans- a series of medical and psychologiferred to other fields in Texas, to cal tests which will indicate the type Walla Walla, Wash., and finally to of air erew training for which he is Kansas where he was assigned to best suited by aptitude and personal the Fortress he later took to be to be the field of the field the Fortress he later took to Eng- characteristics.

Philipsburg High School in 1935 and Pfc. Ward Klinefelter, son of Mr. attended Juniata College and East and Mrs. Jesse Klinefelter, of Ty- who holds the position of Adminis-Stroudsburg College. He was an lersville is in a U.S. Army General tration Specialist, and Chief Clerk outstanding football, basketball, and Hospital in England for treatment of Classification and Statistical Secway," he said.

McCloskey Boys Meet In France

Pfc. Carl McCloskey and Cpl. Claude McCloskey saw each other for the first time in two years in July in France. The prothers are sons of Lloyd McCloskey of Orvis-Pfc. McCloskey was a Piper em-

service in November 1942. He received his training at Salem, Ore. and Santa Rosa, Cal., before being sent overseas

ing at Camp Carson, Colo., and training at Greensboro, N. C., he was Camp Forrest, Tenn. The boys have tried several times

see each other but were unable to do so until the other day, when they met in France. submarine patrol duty before under- We think of our father's loving hand

Clarence Aviation Cadet in Training

Aviation Cadet Edward J. Bosak son of Mrs. Elizabeth Bosak of Clarence, is now stationed at the Lodwick Aviation Military Academy, Avon Park, Fla., where he is undergoing his primary flight training in elementary and acrobatic flying. Operating under Army Air Forces Eastern Flying Training Command Maxwell Field, Ala., the school's of-S.Sgt. Robert C. Rhoads, 22, son ficial status is the 2151st A. A. F.

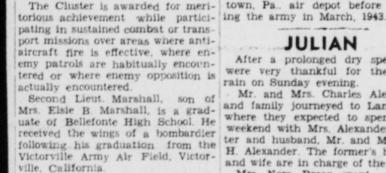
Cadet Bosak was graduated from and was active in baseball. He was received through International Red ler Pield, Miss., and his transfer to Cross, states that your son, 8/Sgt. the Lodwick School in Avon Park in October 1939 and received pre- Robert C. Rhoads, is now a prisoner followed the completion of his C. T. Centre Hall-Potter Township High liminary training at Langley Field, of war. A letter of general informa- D. training with the 1st Detachment in Rome, Georgia,

Osceola Mills, returned last week to her station at Quonsette Point, R. I. after spending a leave at her home

Harold L. Hoover, of Karthaus,

track star during his school days. He has two brothers. Sgt. Leroy Pelka, 22, who is serving overseas as an infantry gunner, and James, 16, who is attending Philipsburg High School. Their father, Gustave Pelka, is an engineer on the New York Central Religonary.

Hospital in England for treatment of Classification and Statistical Section, at Headquarters First Army Airways Communications System 28, shell. Fragments of the metal struck him in both hands, the left form Technical Sergeant to Master Sergeant. In civilian life M/Sgt. Hoover was employed as a clay minergineer on the New York Central Religonary.



the 13th AAF.



A C WILLIAM MARLIN FYE

A son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E Cpl. McCloskey, also a Piper em- Pye, of Centre Hall, Cadet Pye, 19, ploye before being called into ser- enlisted in the Air Cadets on Octovice in March, 1943, received train- ber 13, 1943. After receiving basic sent to Wittenburg College, Springfield. Ohio, for five months' addi-tional training. He has been classified as a bombardier and is now attending a school at San Antonio.

Cadet Pye is a graduate of the Centre Hall-Potter Township High School, class of 1943.

Returns to Army Duties

Pvt. Richard Colburn, serving as drill instructor in the Marines, returned to his base in San Diego California, Monday of last week, after spending a week with his wife the former Helen Heaton, and two daughters, at the home of Pvt. Colburn's sister, the former Evelyn Colburn, of Baltimore, Md. Mrs. Colburn is engaged in war work in Baltimore and is employed by the Crown Cork and Seal Co. Mrs. Colburn's former home is at Clarence,

Parents Get Purple Heart Mr. and Mrs. John A. Martz of ple Heart awarded their son, Pfc. George W. Martz, who was seriously wounded in France on June 14. Pfc. School, has been in the service since April, 1942, and overseas since January of this year. He was with an infantry division in the D-Day invasion of Normandy.

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Sgt. Kenneth Ghaner Gets Purple Heart

8/Sgt. Kenneth Ghaner, 22, son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd W. Ghaner of Stormstown, has been awarded the Purple Heart, his parents learned in a letter received from him recently. Mr. and Mrs. Ghaner received the Purple Heart last Wed-

The extent of the sergeant's in jury was not mentioned in the letter but it is believed by his parents that it was slight because the young Wrigley's Spearmint Chewing Gum soldier is apparently still seeing ac- is being shipped overseas tion. He is in France and was be- Armed Forces. Wartime difficulties lieved to have been in the battle for make it impossible to produce suf-

seas in April.

Matilda High School where he was sored by Wrigley's. pitcher on the baseball team. He was employed at a shipyard in Maryland when inducted into the Capt. William R. McCollum, 28, service. A brother, Philip, is a chief star athlete at Lock Haven High weather officer in the Navy and is and Lock Haven State Teachers' somewhere in the Pacific area,

Coburn Air Gunner Adds to His Laurels

An Oak Leaf Cluster to the Air Medal has been awarded Staff Sgt. Charles S. Wingard of Coburn, top turret gunner on a B-17 Flying Fortress. for "meritorious achievement" on bombing attacks on enemy Eur-

The citation accompanying the and Lieutenant Kenneth B. Marshall award read in part: "The courage. An Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of an coolness and skill displayed by this additional Air Medal was awarded enlisted man upon these occasions on July 24, 1944, to Second Lieut, reflect great credit upon himself Kenneth B. Marshall of Bellefonte, and the Armed Forces of the United R. D. 2, for meritorious service as States.

bombardier from May 17 to June 7, Sgt. Wingard, 20 years old, veteran of thirteen combat missions, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Win-The award, announced by Headquarters, U. S. Army Forces in the gard. A graduate of East Penns Val-South Pacific, was for flights with ley High School in 1942, he was an aircraft mechanic at the Middle-The Cluster is awarded for meri- town, Pa., air depot before enter-

JULIAN

After a prolonged dry spell, we find it essential. were very thankful for the good

rain on Sunday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Alexander and family journeyed to Lancaster Packer, 510 East Church street, and

In Bombardier School Mr. and Mrs. John DeHaas, of Eagleville, spent the weekend with the atter's brother, John Turner.

Dr. and Mrs. C. O. William's and family, Homer, Donald, Margaret and Carolyn, of Allentown, Pa., are spending their vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Williams, and Mrs. Josephine Overturf, of Pennfield.

Mrs. Hannah (Fink) White, of Altoona spent Friday among friends of this place. Those who were on the sick list last week were Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Sprow, and Melvin Williams and little daughter Judith Rae. All are

reported better at this writing. Mrs. Fred Kurtz, of Baltimore. Md., is spending some time with her mother, Mrs. Mollie Tallhelm, of this place

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OUR BOYS IN



EDITOR'S NOTE:

All of the limited production of ficient quantity of quality gum to Sgt. Ghaner entered the service supply everybody. We are all misson October 28, 1942, and was station- ing Wrigley's Spearmint-but until ed at Camp Blanding, Fla., in Ten- the Wrigley people can bring it nessee on maneuvers, and at Camp back, they hope that you will get Phillips, Kans., before going over- some satisfaction and pleasure reading about your Service friends and He was graduated from the Port relatives in this news column spon-

> Williamsburg Coach Killed and athletic director at Williamsburg High for two years, was killed in action in France last month, the

War Department notified his wife.

Most men who have been in action will tell you that chewing gum is no little thing. To them it is a vital on-duty requirement. And when they chew Wrigley's Spearmint Gum to ease jittery nerves they know that they are getting the same high quality and long lasting flavor they always enjoyed at

Philipsburg WAC Promoted

Mabel Wagner has recently been dvanced from the rank of corporal to mess sergeant. She has also been awarded a Good Behavior ribbon for her two years service. She is stationed in Wyoming.

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Girls Sworn Into WAVES Two Lock Haven girls, Miss Helen

where they expected to spend the Miss Dorothy Kepler. 985 West weekend with Mrs. Alexander's sis- Fourth street, were sworn into the ter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. M. WAVES last Thursday when a trav-H. Alexander. The former's brother eling enlistment board stopped at and wife are in charge of the home. the Pailon Hotel. Both will report Mrs. Nora Breon spent several for boot training at Hunter College, days last week with her daughter. New York City, about September 1 Mrs. Russel Fulger, of Mill Hall.

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