

OBITUARY

MRS. ANNIE BURNS

Mrs. Annie Burns, wife of Elmer E. Burns of West Decatur, and a sister of John Cowher of Port Matilda, died Friday evening at 5:05 o'clock at the age of 77 years and 8 months. She was the daughter of Thomas and Nancy Pool Cowher. Surviving are her husband, E. E. Burns, of West Decatur; one daughter, Mrs. Mamie Motter Smeal, of West Decatur, and two sons, Harrison H. Burns, of Osceola Mills, and Sherman Burns, of Huntingdon. A brother, above mentioned, and a sister, Mrs. S. S. Osman, of Tyrone, also survive. Deceased was married to Mr. Burns on December 23, 1884, at Oak Grove, near Philipsburg. She was a member of the Philipsburg Church of Christ. Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon with burial in Mock's cemetery.

WALTER WHIPPO

Walter Whippo, of Wilkensburg for many years a well known blacksmith in Bellefonte, died at his home in Wilkensburg on Thursday, December 14, 1944. He was a son of Levi and Catherine Whippo and was born in Howard 84 years ago. For many years he conducted a blacksmith shop in Bellefonte, west of the Big Spring on land now occupied by the Claster warehouses. He left Bellefonte in the spring of 1903, and resided in Wilkensburg ever since that time. Survivors include his wife, the former Margaret Carr, of Flemington, now residing in Wilkensburg; and these children: John W. Whippo, Jr., of Richmond, Va.; Harrison M. Wilkensburg; Roy S. Ward C., and Miss Helen R. Whippo, all of Pittsburgh; Mrs. H. B. Parmelee, of Pittsburgh, and Mrs. H. L. Hazlett, of St. Louis, Mo. Other survivors include two sisters, one of them a Mrs. Mulberger, of Cleveland, Ohio, and a brother, William Whippo, of Anderson, Ind. The body was brought to Bellefonte by rail, Monday, and burial was made Monday afternoon in the Union cemetery here.

ELWOOD ROY YOUNG

Elwood Roy Young, aged 2 months and 12 days, son of Elwood and Elizabeth Brobeck Young, died at his parental home on Pike street, Bellefonte, at 9 o'clock Tuesday morning, December 19, 1944, after an illness with a complication of disease. He was born in Bellefonte on October 7, 1944, and is survived by his parents and a sister, Eva May, at home. Funeral services will be held at the home at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon, with Rev. Kenneth Troutman officiating. Interment will be made in the Union cemetery, Bellefonte.

HARRY HARTMAN LEITZEL

Funeral services for Harry Hartman Leitzel, 69, well known Millheim butcher, who dropped dead at his home at 10:15 a. m. Friday, December 15, 1944, were held Monday, Rev. J. S. Shannon and Rev. Carl Isenberg officiated, and burial was made in Union cemetery, Millheim. Mr. Leitzel, who had not been in good health for some time, was born at Millheim, January 20, 1875, a son of Philip and Rebecca Hartman Leitzel. He was twice married. His first wife was Martha Breen and his second wife was Rheule E. Bubb. Both preceded him in death. One daughter, Mrs. Ethel M. Austine, of Stewartstown, and two step-children, John Boob and Harvey Boob, both of Millheim, survive. He was a member of the I. O. O. F. lodge of Millheim.

GEORGE H. HARTSHORN

George Herbert Hartshorn, 59, a life long resident of Philipsburg, passed away Saturday evening at 7 o'clock at the Philipsburg State hospital, where he had been a patient for four weeks. Death was attributed to complications arising from a mine accident. The deceased, a son of the late Joshua and Hanna Gill Hartshorn, was born at Centre, Clearfield county, on August 1, 1885. Mr. Hartshorn is survived by his wife, the

former Florence Stephens, of Chester Hill, and two daughters, Ruth, wife of Sanford Cowher, of Port Matilda, and Merwyn, wife of Sgt. George Truhan, of Philipsburg. Mr. Hartshorn was engaged as a mine operator. He was a member of St. Paul's Episcopal church and the last member of the immediate family. Funeral services were held Wednesday morning in charge of Rev. Harvey Knudsen. Burial was made in the Philipsburg cemetery.

HENRY CLINTON STRICKER

Henry C. Stricker, of Aaronsburg, died at his home at 6:45 p. m. Saturday, December 16, 1944, of complications. He was 80. Born in Snyder county, January 20, 1864, he was a son of Peter and Mary Snyder Stricker. His wife, the former Annie E. Mowery, and the following children survive: Howard, at home; Frank R., living in New York state; Mrs. Harvey Tressler, of Williamsport; Mrs. L. E. Wance, of Aaronsburg, and Mrs. Ray Bressler and Aaron D., both of Yeagertown. Also surviving are a brother, Ross Stricker, of Appalachian, N. Y.; and 26 grandchildren and 21 great-grandchildren. Funeral services were held at the Evangelical church at Aaronsburg Wednesday afternoon with Rev. H. S. Entz officiating. Burial was made in the Reformed cemetery, Aaronsburg.

JESSE DERSTINE

Jesse Derstine, of Ambridge, native of Bellefonte, died suddenly on Tuesday morning, December 19, 1944, while sitting at his desk in the office of the Pennsylvania Railroad in Pittsburgh. Mr. Derstine was a son of William and Mary Klinger Derstine and was born in Bellefonte about 69 years ago. His wife, the former Dorothy Irvin of Bellefonte, preceded him in death. Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Betty Kretzler, of Ambridge, with whom he made his home, and Mrs. Dorothy McFarland, also of Ambridge; and a brother, Frank Derstine, of Harrisburg, who has been quite ill for some time. The body will be brought to Bellefonte Friday morning and will be taken to the Widows' home on North Allegheny street where services will be held at 2:30 p. m. Saturday, with Rev. C. Nevin Stamm, pastor of the

Bellefonte Reformed church officiating. Interment will be made in the Union cemetery. Mr. Derstine resided in Bellefonte and was employed at the local PRR freight offices until about 36 years ago when he went to Ambridge.

MRS. W. R. SHOPE

Mrs. Mary E. Allen Shope, wife of W. R. Shope, of South Thomas street, Bellefonte, died at her home at 1:20 p. m. Monday, December 18, 1944, after a three weeks' illness. She was aged 79 years, 10 months and 15 days. Born near Tusseyville, February 3, 1865, she was a daughter of John, Sr., and Susan Straub Allen. Her husband and the following children survive: William F., Mrs. Clyde Davis, Mrs. Oliver Hartman, Harry A., Leola Hoy, John R., and Mrs. E. George Blakeslee, all of Bellefonte; Mrs. Roy Grove, of Bradford; Mrs. Robert Knox, of Harrisburg, and James R. Shope, of York. She was

MRS. ELLA FETZER

Mrs. Ella Fetzer died at her home in Spring township, near Bellefonte, at 2 o'clock yesterday morning, December 20, 1944, after a several years' illness. She was a daughter of James and Viola Alkey Davidson and was born on July 27, 1890, making her age at time of death 54 years, 4 months and 23 days. On April 3, 1916, she was united in marriage with Harry Fetzer, who died in October 1943. Surviving are these

children: Mrs. Lee Hoover, Huntingdon, and Donald, Harry, Jr., Betty, Clifford, William and Edward Fetzer, all at home; these brothers and sisters: Joseph Davidson, Wingate; Seaman Robert Davidson, with the Navy at Pearl Harbor, and Plummer and James Davidson. Mrs. John Keeler, and Mrs. Irvin Taylor, all of Milesburg, and two grandchildren. Although funeral arrangements had not been completed yesterday, the services will be in charge of Rev. D. A. Sower, Jr., and interment will be made in the Advent cemetery.

MRS. HAROLD F. GRAVES
Mrs. Mildred Elizabeth Graves, of 437 East Fairmount avenue, State College, died at 7 o'clock yesterday morning, December 20, 1944, at the Centre County Hospital after a five weeks' illness with complications. She was a daughter of William and Ann McAuliffe Joyce and was born at Middletown, Conn., on November 2, 1900. On June 29, 1923, she was married to Harold F. Graves, who survives with a son, John W., in the armed forces at Camp Livingston,

La., and a brother and two sisters: John T. Joyce, Mrs. R. H. Hassett and Mrs. W. E. Stroud, all of Middletown, Conn. Funeral services will be held at 9 o'clock Saturday morning at Our Lady of Victory Chapel, State College, with the Rev. Father Joseph J. Gallagher officiating. Interment will be made at the Centre County Memorial Park. Mrs. Graves was a member of the Catholic church.
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Bright as the Star of Bethlehem is our deep faith that this year will yet see complete peace on earth and a speedy return of our boys.

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THE nearness of Yuletide is unmistakable. Whether snow festoons the fir trees or whether earth still awaits its mantle of white, woods and fields, city and town breathe Christmas and its spirit of kindness.

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| Toys of All Kinds | "Dream Chair" and Matching Ottoman |
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- Kellogg's Corn Flakes Giant Size - 2 for 27c
- Fancy Hard Candy - - - 2 lbs 55c
- CRISCO 3-lb jar 73c (One-pound jar 25c)
- RAISINS—Seedless . . 2 for 29c (SEEDED 2 for 35c)
- PUMPKIN 2 No. 2 1/2 cans 33c
- CURRENTS 2 for 41c
- PERK SOAP POWD. 2 for 49c
- Apple Sauce (50 points) - - - 2 No. 2 Cans 31c
- Heinz Grapefruit Juice - - - - 37c
- Heinz Baby Food (STRAINED) - - - 3 for 21c
- Heinz Baby Food (CHOPPED) - - - 3 for 25c

- Quality Meats
- Fancy Produce
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