

TIMELY NEWS OF CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA AND CITY'S SUBURBS

1867 GRADUATE MAKES ADDRESS

Justice J. Hay Brown Attends Gettysburg College Graduation Exercises

Gettysburg, Pa., June 14.—Three Harrisburg young men were in the class that yesterday graduated from Gettysburg College—Paul Edward Laudenslager, George William Schilling and William Andrew Boyson. Three others took honors in scholastic work during the year, Lawson Deason Matter receiving class honors in the junior class; William Andrew Boyson the high honor in the biology department, and Raymond Harrison White honorable mention in mathematics. At the graduating exercises the address to the class was delivered by J. Hay Brown, chief justice of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania. Justice Brown graduated from Gettysburg fifty years ago in the class of 1867, and with him to-day were the six other surviving members of the class for their fiftieth reunion. Honorary degrees of Doctor of Divinity were conferred upon the Rev. Victor Miller of Hagerstown, the Rev. G. Albert Getty of York, the Rev. Albert Bell of York, the Rev. Henry Anstadt of Washington, D. C., and the Rev. Luther A. Weigle of New Haven, Conn.; Doctor of Science, Edgar M. Green, M. D., of Easton; Doctor of Literature, James McConaughy of Philadelphia; Doctor of Laws, Arthur G. McGiffert of New York City; Civil Engineer, Charles Alvin Emerson Jr. of Harrisburg.

COL. A. FRANK SELTZER DIES

Lebanon, Pa., June 14.—Colonel A. Frank Seltzer, aged 73 years, died yesterday at his home in Hatfield Park, this city, following a long illness. For fifty-two years he was a member of the Lebanon County Bar Association and served a term as district attorney from 1893 to 1896. He won a captain's commission in the One Hundred Fifteenth Pennsylvania volunteers, serving with the army of the Potomac, and was appointed an aid de camp on the staff of Governor William A. Stone. He delivered lectures and contributed many humorous articles to the newspapers and other publications under the pen-name of "Paul Grave."

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Big Class to Graduate at Bucknell University

Lewisburg, Pa., June 14.—Bucknell University has been but lightly hit by war conditions and all its plans for the sixty-seventh annual commencement, from June 15 to 20, will be carried out as arranged. Degrees will be conferred upon a class of 121 students and diplomas will be granted to twenty-one students in domestic science and twenty in music. Only a few of the graduates have left for military service and these will be granted their diplomas.

On Sunday the first important exercises will take place when in the morning President John Howard Harris will deliver the baccalaureate sermon and in the evening the Rev. Charles Abbot Walker, of West Chester, will give a sermon. Tuesday of next week will be the big alumni day.

MISS NISSELY TO GRADUATE

Hummelstown, Pa., June 14.—Miss Catharine Nissley, daughter of the late J. Paul Nissley, will be graduated from Smith College, Northampton, Massachusetts, this week. Miss Nissley is a Hummelstown girl, being the granddaughter of the late John J. Nissley and of the late Dr. Thomas Fox. She is very popular here and her host of friends will be glad to hear of her graduation. She is an alumna of the local high school, class of 1912. During the past year she and her mother have lived in the college town returning to Hummelstown during vacation. Her aunt, Miss Mary Fox, left yesterday for Northampton to attend the graduation exercises.

MAY BE MURDER MYSTERY

Hagerstown, Md., June 14.—Sheriff Isaac Long was called to Downsville district yesterday to investigate the discovery of the bloodstained clothing of a man found in the bushes at the edge of a wood. A thorough search of the wood was made without finding any clue to what the officers believe is a murder mystery. There was no evidence of a struggle where the clothing was found.

FUNKTOWN MERCHANT KILLED

Hagerstown, Md., June 14.—George W. Riner, a well-known merchant of Funkstown, died at the Washington County Hospital here from injuries sustained by his horse scaring at a passing automobile, throwing him out upon his head on the state road. His skull was broken.

COMPLAINT AGAINST RATES

Carlisle, Pa., June 14.—That the increase was not properly advertised and that the rates were exorbitant were the principal features of the complaint to the Public Service Commission sent by the Carlisle Chamber of Commerce today against the raise in rates of the Cumberland Railway lines.

News Items of Interest in Central Pennsylvania

Pottsville.—Good roads day was observed here yesterday under the leadership of the Tamaqua Motor Club. Over 200 men and boys with fifty teams and auto trucks aided in improving several miles of roads.

Hazleton.—Soldam James, lieutenant of Battery A, Third Field Artillery, and son of former Senator Edward F. James, sustained a fractured jaw by being struck by the crank of his father's automobile.

Hazleton.—Henry Wolfe was fined \$35 here, and Newton Davis, John Reinhardt and Lionel Zierdt were fined \$10 each by Mayor Harvey when arraigned on the charge of being involved in the sounding of a false alarm.

Shenandoah.—John Hancheck, 27 years old, of Mahanoy Plane, was instantly killed at Lawrence Colliery when squeezed between cars. He had a wife in the old country.

Manheim.—The estate of George H. Danner, who left the bulk of his wealth to found a charity here, has been estimated at \$139,161. The famous museum is valued at \$15,000.

Stony Creek Mills.—Mrs. Pearson Groff, who some time ago shot her husband in the legs, was sentenced to pay a fine of \$50 and serve a year in the Berks county jail. The husband asked for a lenient sentence for his wife.

Ashland.—John Obenezer, 28, of Frackville, Pa., is dying at the State Hospital, from razor wounds on the head, face and neck. Sheriff police are looking for Louis Lewy, his alleged assailant.

SHOT, THEN BURNED ALIVE

Pittsburgh, Pa., June 14.—The body of an unknown white man, badly charred from the hips up, was found in a thicket near the Westmoreland-Allegheny county line, a short distance from Pitcairn, to-day. He had been riddled with bullets, and then saturated with carbon oil and burned, for the evident purpose of hiding the crime. Physicians are of opinion that the man was not dead when the torch was applied to his oil-soaked clothing. Shots were heard in the vicinity where the body was found at a late hour last night.

SCHOOL TEACHERS ELECTED

Hummelstown, Pa., June 14.—On Tuesday evening the school board elected teachers for the three vacant positions in the borough schools. Miss Gertrude Kraber, of Hanover, was elected to the sixth grade as departmental teacher in B, as well as the seventh and eighth grades. Miss Margaret Wetzel was elected to the vacancy in the fourth grade and the second grade choice was held over until the next meeting of the board on July 2.

Suburban Notes

HALIFAX. Jacob Sponsler and family of Lucknow spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lebo.

Miss Emma Miller is visiting relatives at Washington, D. C., and Philadelphia.

The Halifax Grange will hold a big festival in the Halifax Athletic Park on Saturday evening. All kinds of refreshments will be sold.

Washington Camp No. 576, P. O. S. of A., will hold memorial services for deceased members on Sunday evening, commencing at 5.45 o'clock. The graves will be decorated at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Bowman of Altoona were week-end guests of Mrs. G. W. Westfall.

Peter Bressler of Duncannon is visiting at the home of Z. E. Lebo.

Frank Brubaker of Coatesville is visiting his father, Harry Brubaker.

Harvey Enders is spending some time at Logansport, Ind., and Spokane, Wash.

Children's Day exercises will be held in the United Brethren Church on Sunday evening, beginning at 6.30 o'clock. A special program will be rendered and there will be some good music.

HUMMELSTOWN. Miss Annie Nye spent a day at Harrisburg.

The sale of Liberty bonds in Hummelstown has now reached the \$53,000 mark.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Hershey and children, of Hershey, was callers on Mrs. Hershey's mother, Mrs. B. F. Rorer.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Gates are visiting Mrs. Gates' parents preparatory to leaving for Indianapolis, Ind. Miss Minnie Basom is spending the week at Frederick, Md.

WEST SHORE NEWS

Social and Personal News of Towns Along West Shore

Frank E. Ebner, attorney-at-law of Brainerd, Minn., spent several days with his sisters, Mary and Flora Ebner and Mrs. Clayton Miller, all of Market street, New Cumberland.

Mr. and Mrs. John Spangler and son Curtis of Wellsville motored to Shiremanstown, where they visited Mrs. Spangler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Bentz.

Mrs. Hattie Berger has returned to Harrisburg after visiting Mrs. H. M. Rupp at Shiremanstown.

Miss Effie Brinton and Miss Grace Brinton of Shiremanstown are visiting their brother at Camp Hill.

Mrs. William Bates has returned to her home in Harrisburg after being the guest of Mrs. James Bates and Miss Susan Zentgraf at Shiremanstown.

Mrs. Scott Brinton and son Charles of Camp Hill spent Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Brinton, at Shiremanstown.

Mrs. Benjamin Clark and Mrs. Elizabeth Bender of Letort Springs spent Tuesday with the latter's relatives at Shiremanstown.

Mrs. Rae Harlacher of Harrisburg spent a day recently with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Stansfield, at Shiremanstown.

Mrs. Bertha Stroek and two children of Harrisburg are spending some time with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Zeigler, at Shiremanstown.

Mrs. Clarissa Sterritt, of Pittsburgh, Kansas, visited her niece, Mrs. Jessie Sipe, at New Cumberland.

Mrs. and Mrs. Harry Rheam and children, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fred Houck, at New Cumberland, have returned to their home in Bellwood.

SUIT FOR EMBEZZLEMENT

Carlisle, Pa., June 14.—Charged with false pretense and embezzlement, John C. Gill, a Harrisburg real estate dealer, has been committed to jail by Justice W. G. Hughes in default of \$800 bail. A detainer from Dauphin county has also been lodged on another charge against the man. It is claimed that Gill had a contract for the sale of real estate of J. H. Reardon, of Mechanicsburg, and that after this had expired he sold the property in question to Seymour Sherman, of that town, securing \$100, and that he never made a report to his principal.

PARTY ON BIRTHDAY

Enola, Pa., June 14.—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Weigle entertained at their home last night in honor of their daughter Mary's seventh birthday. The home was decorated with flags and flowers. Refreshments were served to Gladys Kline, Elizabeth Concklin, Marguerite Tarmann, Isabel Ringland, Martha Whistler, Dorothy Horting, Mary Ringland, Gladys Haehle, Helen Concklin, Catherine Welker, Mildred Rockey, Leslie Patterson, Edna Kuntzelman, James Rockey, Donald Vogelzong, Frederick Rockey, Edwin Shell, Mr. and Mrs. Cripple, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Rockey, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Welker and Mr. and Mrs. Weigle.

WEATHER PREVENTS OILING

Lemoyne, Pa., June 14.—Rainy weather of the last ten days has proven disastrous to the oil fund of the Lemoyne Welfare League. The league was unable to have the oil placed on the streets on account of the weather and was compelled to pay a demurrage on the car where the oil is stored. The car has been on a siding at the Indian Refining Company for more than ten days. Some of the oil has been applied and efforts are now being made to have the work finished.

HEALTH BOARD REORGANIZES

Wormleysburg, Pa., June 14.—At a meeting of the Board of Health Tuesday night, officers were elected and the board reorganized. Burgess J. Fred Hummel swore in George R. Linger as president of the board. Roy Bruce was made health officer and Coover Neidhammer was named a member of the body. Other members of the body are: Harold Danner, Booker Myers and J. S. Ort. There are yet two vacancies in public officers in the town's health board, and a constable are yet to be elected.

CHURCH PICNIC

Camp Hill, Pa., June 14.—The Camp Hill Methodist Church held its annual picnic at Bolling Springs Park to-day. Two cars conveyed the picnickers to the parks and many went in automobiles and on the regular cars. A fine program of races, contests and usual picnic sports was followed out. The picnickers will return at 9 o'clock tonight.

SOLDIER PROMOTED

New Cumberland, Pa., June 14.—Howard Nelson, who came to New Cumberland May 6, with five other members of the Company A, 101st regiment, U. S. N. G., to guard the railroad bridge at the mouth of the Yellow Breeches creek, has been promoted to corporal and was sent to Philadelphia yesterday to recruit men for the company.

NO PREACHING SERVICES

New Cumberland, Pa., June 14.—There will be no preaching services in the Church of God, Lutheran or Trinity United Brethren Churches on Sunday night. At Baughman Memorial Methodist Church the baccalaureate sermon will be delivered by the Rev. A. G. Wolf, pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran Church.

ADDRESS BY EDITOR

Enola, Pa., June 14.—C. William Thompson, editor of the York Labor News, gave an open air address last night on the subject, "The High Cost of Living; How to Meet It." Mr. Thompson came here in the interest of the local Socialist organization.

ALUMNI ENTERTAINMENT

Lemoyne, Pa., June 14.—Lemoyne High School Alumni Association will hold a public meeting and entertainment in the high school auditorium this evening. One of the most interesting debates will be discussed at this meeting. The subject is, "Resolved, That United States should send an army to Germany." An extensive program has been arranged.

CAMP HILL COUNCIL MEETING

Camp Hill, Pa., June 14.—Borough council will meet at the Camp Hill firehouse to-night. Debts incurred in repairing and oiling Market street will be paid. An ordinance to regulate the water company and the gas company to lay pipes next spring in preparation for having Market street will be introduced.

ANNOUNCE BIRTH OF SON

Enola, Pa., June 14.—Mr. and Mrs. L. B. McCall, Wyoming avenue, announce the birth of a son on Sunday, June 10.

Hailstones Hauled Away Week After Big Storm

Waynesboro, Pa., June 14.—As in the case of the poor, we seem destined to have the hail ever with us. Last Wednesday the storm and flood lifted the Bank of Waynesboro building, in which the post office is located, with tons and boatloads of hail, swept from the public square in the swirl and lashing of the deluge at that point. They are still harvesting hail there. Yesterday several cartloads of hailstones were taken from the cellar and hauled out to the dump. Some as large as walnuts were removed from the building after they had been there for a week.

MOTORCYCLE RIDER HURT

Hagerstown, Md., June 13.—Arthur Baker, aged 19, of Hoxbury, while riding a motorcycle to this city to go to work at the Western Maryland Railroad transfer sheds, was fatally injured by his machine being struck by a big touring car. The accident occurred on the state road at "Death Curve," where half a dozen fatalities have happened.

SCHOOL PRINCIPAL ELECTED

Marietta, Pa., June 14.—Prof. J. W. Bucher of Ephrata has been elected supervising principal of the Marietta schools and principal of the high school. Miss Gherst and Miss Roddy were re-elected assistants. The tax rate was fixed at eight mills.

2,000 Attend Second Picnic of Cumberland Co. Grange

Boiling Springs, Pa., June 14.—Yesterday the second picnic of Cumberland County Pomona Grange, No. 2, was held here, with about 2,000 grangers and farmers in attendance. Guy Carlton Lee, of Carlisle, member of Penn Grange, made the address of welcome, which was responded to by Dr. Ezra Lehman, principal of the Shippensburg State Normal school, a member of Middle Spring Grange. Dr. H. H. Longsdorf, chairman of committee of canning and drying of Public Safety committee of Cumberland county, arranged a schedule of canning demonstrations throughout the county. The Rev. H. B. Stock, of Carlisle, spoke of the difficulty of getting rural membership to the American Red Cross in a stirring half-hour appeal.

The Pomona Grange endorsed en masse the American Red Cross and pledged efforts to form rural chapters in grange centers.

OLD EMPLOYEE RESIGNS

Waynesboro, Pa., June 14.—Captain William Wallace has resigned his position as engineer for the Emerson-Brantingham Company, his resignation taking effect to-day. Captain Wallace ran the locomotive for the Geiser Company and its successor, the Emerson-Brantingham Company, for thirty-nine years.

Carlisle Buys \$225,000 in Liberty Loan Bonds

Carlisle, Pa., June 14.—The last drive for Liberty Loan bonds was on to-day with a corps of women enlisted to aid in the work. These women, headed by Mrs. E. W. Biddle, raised a fund of \$18,400 among themselves in twelve hours, which was subscribed toward the issue. The latest report showed over \$225,000 given in Carlisle alone, with the county total near three-quarters of a million.

GIRL'S ASSAULT JAILED

Sunbury, Pa., June 14.—Benjamin Povis, of Shamokin, has been committed to jail here charged with the attempted murder of Miss Madeline Madara, at a pleasure park near there several weeks ago. The young woman's clothes were nearly torn off and an arm nearly torn from the socket. The girl, still in the Shamokin State Hospital, refuses to talk about how the injury took place.

BOY DROWNS IN RIVER

Sunbury, Pa., June 14.—His first attempt to go bathing in his life resulted fatally for Leroy Neidig, 10 years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ambron Neidig, of Sunbury, last night. The boy plunged off a flat in ten feet of water, paddled a short distance, went down twice, then a third time, and was seen no more.

FARMERS MUST REPLANT FIELDS

Corn, Wheat, Hay and Potatoes Ruined by Franklin County Hailstorm

Waynesboro, Pa., June 14.—Farmers who lost all their crops of wheat and most of the hay, together with their crop of fruit and some portion of their corn, through the hailstorm, have begun to prepare these fields for other crops. The wheat fields will be planted with corn—mostly sweet corn—beans, potatoes and other truck. It is thought that a large percentage of the early potato crop will be saved, although the vines were cut into shreds and nothing was left by the stalks. The leaves have been left to shoot out again and it is thought that a fair crop will be harvested.

NEW CHIEF OF POLICE

Waynesboro, Pa., June 14.—William F. Gillan has been appointed chief of police for Waynesboro, to succeed Stephen W. Staley, resigned. He entered upon his duties last night.



HAMILTON P. BURNEY, manager of the Claridge Hotel, Times Square, New York City, says: "When I find myself under a mental strain I chew Adams Pepsin Gum and get relief. Its soothing effect on the nerves is remarkable."



Advertisement for Curtains, featuring Rothert Co. at 312 Market St. and listing various curtain styles like Scrim-Marquisette and Dutch Effects.

Large advertisement for Fisk Tubes, featuring the headline 'Safeguard your casings with New FISK TUBES' and a detailed description of the product's benefits for summer driving.

Advertisement for Adams Pepsin Gum, featuring a testimonial from Hamilton P. Burney and the product name in large letters.