

NEWS OF CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA AND CITY'S SUBURBS

Stolen Insurance Policy Is Mysteriously Returned

Wellsville, April 30.—The \$10,000 government insurance policy and other valuable papers stolen from the home of Mrs. Elizabeth March, residing near here, three weeks ago, have been returned as mysteriously as they were stolen by the thief. The money, however, was not returned. The robber, evidently, had been conscious of the fact that he was believed, since the insurance policy and papers had been the property of Mrs. March's son, Clarence March, who went to France with the American Army, and gave his life for the cause of democracy. The theft was made only several days prior to the time Mrs. March received word of her son's death. The insurance policy was received in the house, while the other papers were found in the straw in the barn. Mrs. March has placed the policy in the hands of Justice of Peace C. E. Artberger, who will arrange for its payment by the Government.

Boy Unhurt When Roller Passes Over Him in Field

Gettysburg, Pa., April 30.—George Riley, 10-year-old son of Simon Riley, tenant of the Buttonwood Stock Farm, was caught beneath a land roller, and, except for a bruised back, was unharmed. The lad was operating the roller in the field and while engaged in his work in some manner slipped off the machine. In making an attempt to again get on the roller without stopping the horses he excited the animals a little and they quickened their pace, resulting in his being caught by the roller and thrown to the ground before he could either get on the seat or out of the way. Soft plowed ground on which he fell yielded as the roller passed over his body and accounts for the fact that he was not seriously injured.

Calves Stolen in Perry County Found at Carlisle

New Bloomfield, Pa., April 30.—On Sunday night Roy Zimmerman, of near Falling Springs, had three calves stolen and traced them to Carlisle, where he found them at a butcher's establishment and identified them. One had already been slaughtered. The butcher had paid for them. He said he did not know the party, but could identify him. They found the man at one of the hotels and he proved to be Benjamin Baxter, of Sandy Hollow, who was arrested and brought to the Perry county jail Monday evening. He protested his innocence, but when he had a slight chance to get away he took to his heels but was brought to a stop by several shots from the policeman's pistol. Baxter has served a term in the penitentiary for holding up several persons and robbing them in Carroll township.

MITE SOCIETY MEETS

Dauphin, Pa., April 30.—The Mite Society of the Presbyterian Church met at the home of Mrs. Sarah Spenser. After the business meeting and social time, refreshments were served to: The Rev. and Mrs. Robert Ramsey, Dr. and Mrs. W. P. Clark, Mrs. George Gilday, Mrs. Freeman C. Gerberich, Mrs. C. D. M. Reed, Mrs. Jane Sellers, Mrs. Harry Reed, Mrs. Bion C. Welker, Miss Margaret Brooks, Miss Ann R. Miller, Miss Ruth Deibler, Misses Mary and Dorothy Kline, Miss Elizabeth Nagle, Paul Gilday and Mrs. Sarah Spenser.

WOMAN FALLS DOWN STAIRS

Liverpool, Pa., April 30.—Mrs. Emma Robison met with a painful accident. In coming down a flight of steps early in the morning carrying a lighted lamp she lost balance and fell to the bottom. In the fall the light went out. No bones were broken, but ligaments of a knee were torn and many bruises were sustained.

MACHINE TURNED TO JUNK

Milton, Pa., April 30.—When his automobile was struck by a freight train near Dewart, Elwood Yeagie, of that place, was thrown high into the air and his machine was reduced to junk. He was only slightly hurt, but says he thought sure his "time" had come to die.

CUMBERLAND VALLEY ITEMS

TOKEN FOR EVERY COUNTY SOLDIER

Cumberland Association Preparing Hearty Welcome For Men Coming From France

Carlisle, Pa., April 30.—Interest in the Cumberland County Victory and Peace celebration to be held here July 2, 3 and 4, to welcome home soldiers and sailors and mark the coming of peace, is increasing. From present indications every section of the county will take an active part. On Monday evening meetings were held at Shippensburg and Newville. Plans are being made to present some token of appreciation to every soldier and sailor and a campaign was begun to-day to complete the honor roll of the county so that the name of every man who entered the service will be included.

Suburban Notes

YORK HAVEN Twenty-six members of the York Haven Girl Scouts who qualified for the tenderfoot test were awarded the tenderfoot pin.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Warner and Mrs. Charles Runk, of the latter of York, motored on Sunday to High-spire and Dauphin, where they visited.

The Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Schmitt were entertained at dinner on Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. David T. King, at Manchester.

Milton Malehorn is spending the week with relatives at Baltimore. The Misses Josephine and Carrie Pfister, of Goldsboro, were weekend guests at the home of Mrs. George Barry.

Mrs. Harry J. Myers and Mrs. William Streivig spent Sunday at Le-moyne, as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Elshiser.

MOUNT WOLF

Charles Shearer, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Shearer, has been discharged from the National Army. He has returned home after serving in domestic service for a year.

Guests entertained on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Kohrbaugh, were: Mr. and Mrs. Eber Seyler and daughter Helen, Mr. and Mrs. James Seyler and daughter Sarah, Miss Hilda Seyler, Ralph Freeman, of York; Roy Harrigist, of South Dakota, and Miss Sarah Harrigist.

LIVERPOOL

Dr. Elizabeth Refsynder is spending several days at Downingtown. David Roush and family, Mrs. Mary Finkard, Misses Annie and Hazel Shumaker, of Harrisburg, were recent visitors here with Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Giest.

Charles H. Snyder, who is employed at Philadelphia, spent the weekend at his home here. George Kirchner, an inspector connected with the State Department of Labor and Industry, at Harrisburg, spent a day here with his cousin, Mrs. Emma Robison.

Mrs. Luther Erlenmeyer and daughter were recent visitors at Bellefonte. Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hebel and son, Miss Carrie Brown and Frank Brown, of Harrisburg, visited at their home here.

Professor George C. Lyter, of Montoursville, was a recent visitor here with J. L. Erlenmeyer and family. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Moyer, of Williamsport, visited here with his mother, Mrs. Sarah Moyer.

BLAIN

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Sheaffer and sons, Paul, Thurman and Burke Sheaffer, spent Sunday at the home of A. A. Nesbit, at Green Park. Dr. J. W. Weaver, D. D., of New Bloomfield, supplied the pulpit of the Zion's Lutheran Church on Sunday evening.

Mrs. Vera Martin, of Ickesburg, has returned home after spending the winter at Orlando, Florida. Private James G. Mort, who was in France since last summer, returned home on Saturday, being discharged at Camp Dix, N. J.

Delegates appointed Sunday to attend the annual county convention to be held May 14 and 15 at Ickesburg are Mrs. Ralph B. Kell and Mrs. George D. Martin. Miss Mary B. Gutshall and Mrs. H. W. Gutshall visited friends in Juniata county on Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph E. Shreffler and son, Gerald Shreffler, of Palmyra, visited here. They were accompanied Saturday by Mrs. Malinda Shreffler, Paul Shreffler and daughter, Charlotte Shreffler.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Loudon, of Millersburg, were guests of Mrs. Emma Hess, on Sunday. A district Sunday School Convention was held at the home of Mrs. W. D. Reel, a state field worker of Philadelphia, will deliver an address. Delegates will attend from the schools at Harrisburg, Carlisle, Gettysburg, York, and Matamoras. Mrs. Anna Griffith of Duncannon, spent the week-end visiting Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Steffen, of York. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Cornitz, of Penbrook, were guests at the home of his mother, Mrs. Harry Cornitz. G. W. Shumaker, of Liverpool, visited at the home of his son, Austin Shumaker and family, on Sunday. Ellsworth Grove, of Elizabethtown, spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. Morrill Grove. John Beitzel, of Carlisle, was a visitor to the home of his parents, at South Amboy, N. J. Charles Matter and son, Martin, of Harrisburg, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Matter Sunday. Misses Gladys and Grace Koppenhoffer spent the weekend at Sunbury, at the home their brother, Clarence Koppenhoffer. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Baesehoff and Miss Eva Stoudt, of Harrisburg, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Urban Lebo, Sunday.

PINE TREES ARE BEING BLIGHTED

New Species of Affliction Is Found in Forests on Mountains of Franklin County

Waynesboro, Pa., April 30.—Visitors to the mountains at Pen Mar this spring have noticed that many pine trees are attacked with some sort of blight, beginning at the tops and which will eventually kill the trees. If it should spread like the chestnut blight the destruction would be incalculable. The same blight is affecting some pine trees in Waynesboro and vicinity. No one hereabouts seems to be able to suggest a remedy and the blight bids fair to be as destructive in its ravages as the chestnut blight that has prevailed over a wide area of this country for several years, and which has in this section destroyed thousands of dollars' worth of chestnut timber and ruined the crop of chestnuts for years to come.

Soldiers Selected to Go to English Universities

Chambersburg, Pa., April 30.—Among the two thousand members of the American Expeditionary Force who were selected to attend universities in England, are J. Charles Runk, of York, and John M. Runk, and Captain Richard Walk, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Walk, all of Chambersburg. Runk was with evacuation hospital No. 31, at Camp Meade, Md., and Captain Walk, of the 7th Division, Regiment (Regulars) of the 3d Division. He was gassed and shelling in the Argonne forest fighting and at one time had six men killed around him by a shell, but he was only stunned by the explosion.

William Nunemaker Dies Waynesboro, Pa., April 30.—William Nunemaker, one of the best-known men in the Blue Ridge mountains, died suddenly yesterday of heart disease at the residence of W. L. Maurer, Blue Ridge Summit. He was aged 65 years and employed as a clerk in the Maurer store, formerly connected with Monterey Inn and later the Rock Forge distillery, near this city. He was a native of Emmittsburg, Md., and is survived by his wife and three children, Miss Edith Nunemaker, at home; Guy Nunemaker, Chattanooga, Tenn., and Clay Nunemaker, in the Marsh, near Waynesboro.

WILL OBSERVE ANNIVERSARY Shippensburg, Pa., April 30.—The Senior Christian Endeavor Society of the Messiah United Brethren church will observe their anniversary on Sunday, May 4. A sunrise prayer service will be held in the morning at 6.30. The Rev. Jay Yoho, of Fayetteville, will preach the sermon in the morning. A special program will be given in the evening.

JOSEPH GENSLEIN DIES Mechanicsburg, Pa., April 30.—Joseph Gensler, of Churchtown, well known in this vicinity, died on Monday evening after a long illness. He was aged 68 years and was a member of Allen Lodge, Knights of Chastanota, Surviving are his wife, one child, and a daughter, Mrs. Clara Cover, both of Mechanicsburg.

SOLDIERS BECOME CITIZENS Carlisle, Pa., April 30.—An interesting session of court was held to-day at which twenty-eight veterans stationed at the United States Army General Hospital were naturalized as citizens. They were mainly Italians and Russians.

FILL BOAT RESERVATIONS Chambersburg, Pa., April 30.—Ten applications have been received at Victory Liberty loan headquarters here from relatives of the boys of Company C. One Hundred and Twelfth Infantry, for reservations on the boat which will meet the returning heroes on their arrival at Philadelphia.

WOODSHOPPER LOSES EYE Chambersburg, Pa., April 30.—Isaac H. Diffenderfer had one of his eyes removed at the Chambersburg hospital as a result of an accident which occurred at his home here. Diffenderfer was chopping wood when the hatchet flew off the handle. The handle struck him in the eye causing an injury which necessitated its removal.

MISS WATTS AT NEW YORK CITY

Harrisburg Girl in War Work For Long Time Comes Home on Furlough

Mechanicsburg, Pa., April 30.—Anxiously awaiting a telegram from her daughter, Miss Marian B. C. Watts, telling of her safe arrival home from France, Mrs. David Watts, East Keller street, was surprised last evening when the telephone rang and upon answering the call heard her daughter's voice in New York, telling of her safe arrival in this country.

Miss Watts landed at Boston, Mass., on Monday afternoon, on the Pretoria. Her sister, Miss Anna Watts, of Mechanicsburg, with a number of Harrisburg friends, met her, leaving for New York on Tuesday morning. Instead of telegraphing Miss Marian said she wanted to hear her mother's voice and telephoned.

Miss Watts, who was among the first to enlist in war work, has recently been with the Forty-second, or Rainbow Division, in Y. M. C. Camp, near the mouth of the Rhine river. She has a six weeks' furlough, and expects to arrive here in several days.

Capt. B. S. Behney at Carlisle U. S. Hospital

Carlisle, Pa., April 30.—Captain B. S. Behney, a well-known dentist of Harrisburg, formerly of Carlisle, is among the latest patients sent to the general hospital here. Captain Behney is under treatment for illness contracted while in service. He served on the border on the staff of General Clement and was with the Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth regiments during its service in France.

CATARACT REMOVED

Waynesboro, Pa., April 30.—The Rev. Dr. J. Lower Grimm, of Shippensburg, former pastor of the First United Brethren church at Waynesboro, recently underwent a successful operation for the removal of a cataract of the left eye. The operation was performed at the home of his daughter, Mrs. George Newbold, at York. One year ago Dr. Grimm underwent a similar operation, which was performed by the same specialist to restore the sight of his right eye.

MRS. JENNIE WATSON DIES Shippensburg, Pa., April 30.—Mrs. Jennie Watson died suddenly at the home of her daughter, Mrs. William Bashore, in East King street. She was a member of the Messiah United Brethren church and is survived by her husband and several children.

JOINT BIRTHDAY PARTY

York Haven, Pa., April 30.—A joint birthday party for O. H. Shepp and daughter, Gertrude, was held Saturday night at the Shepp home. These were present at the function: Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Myers, Misses Clara Markel, Ethel Shilling, Charlotte Free, Reba Hoover, Pauline Ruppert, John Austine, Jerry Kohler, Earl Kehoe, Andrew Euler, Charles Ludwig, Carl Kehoe, Harvey Naylor, Edward Kehoe, Charles Hesse, Robert Knaub, York; Bertha Sipe, Jacob Sipe, Mount Wolf; Emma Swan, Mary Jennings, Myrtle Weaver, Miriam Hoffman, Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Shepp and Mrs. O. H. Shepp and daughter Ruth.

ARABIAN DEGREE OFFICERS

Harrisburg, Pa., April 30.—The Arabian Degree Klan of the P. O. S. of A. has elected the following officers: Imperial high potentate, H. S. Potter; grand wizard, John C. Miller; grand magi, Dewey Cooper; prophet of clan, George Lauderbach; grand advisor, James Schroyer; first regulator, Miat Cornitz; second regulator, George Shumaker; grand inklinger, C. E. Cornitz; grand hoodler, W. B. Rutter; inside dictator, Harry Lauderbach; outside dictator, Chas. Zimmerman.

OLD TICKET AGENT DIES

Northumberland, Pa., April 30.—J. Howell, aged 76 years, died at his home here, of heart failure. Mr. Howell was for more than forty-five years in the employ of the Pennsylvania Railroad and for many years served as ticket agent for that road and the Lackawanna at this junction and became known to a large number of travelers.

Mother Notified of Son's Death on Transport Rijdam

Sunbury, Pa., April 30.—Word was received here from Newport News, Va., by Mrs. Alice Mulliner, telling her that her son, Corporal George Mulliner had died on board the transport Rijdam, on his way home from France. While the telegram did not tell the cause of death, his mother had previous information that the boy was ill of diphtheria, influenza and pneumonia. It is assumed that while recuperating he suffered a relapse. He was attached to the Forty-fourth Coast Artillery. He saw previous service in the Philippine and went through the war with Germany without suffering any wounds.

WELCOME FOR PERRY SOLDIERS

Green Park, Pa., April 30.—Green Park will give a big welcome to the men who have returned from the army on the evening of July 4. Arrangements are being made by the Red Cross of Green Park for what they term a "Welcome Home Evening" for the men of Tyrone and Spring township and surrounding country. The committee in charge of the arrangements includes: H. N. Bernheisel, R. J. Makibbin, F. W. Bernheisel, Green Park; W. H. Gray, E. S. Kell, Raymond Kistler, Elizabethtown; C. T. Smith, F. P. Lightner, George Keil, Loysville.

ADVANCE IN FLOUR PRICE

Sunbury, Pa., April 30.—Central Pennsylvania bakers received notice to-day of an advance in wheat flour of 75 cents a barrel, making it \$14. The advance came as a surprise, they said, as they had bought flour last week with no intimation of a rise in price. Three weeks ago it was \$11 here.

MARRIED AT HALIFAX

Halifax, Pa., 30.—Edward E. Sheop of Millersburg, and Miss Mary E. Dempsey, of Enterline, were married Saturday evening at the Reformed parsonage here by the bride's pastor.

Newport U. E. Church to Build New Parsonage

Newport, Pa., April 30.—Preparations are being made by officials of Newport Calvary United Evangelical Church for the erection of a new parsonage to cost approximately \$4,000. The building will be erected on the lot adjoining the church in North Fourth street. It is expected to break ground within the next two weeks and to push the building arrangements rapidly. The lot on which the building is to be located is already the property of the congregation, having been purchased one year ago and since then been fully paid for. About six years ago the congregation erected a \$10,000 church building and this cost is paid with the exception of \$1,000.

BIG LOAN SUBSCRIPTION

York Haven, Pa., April 30.—The York Haven Water and Power Company has subscribed \$25,000 toward the Victory Loan. Its employees purchased upward of \$3,500 worth of the bonds, while about 200 employees at the York Haven Paper Company's plant subscribed to the extent of \$25,000. Six individual residents alone took the borough's quota of \$25,000. The paper company will be a heavy subscriber.

Rev. J. C. Pease, of the Reformed Church. The groom is a son of Elias Shook, of Carsonville, and the bride a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Austin Dempsey, of Enterline.

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