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WEST SHORE NEWS

SHIREMANSTOWN FLAG SERVICE

Demobilization of Community Emblem in Honor of War Veterans Wednesday

Shiremanstown, Pa., June 26.—Great enthusiasm pervades Shiremanstown regarding the service of the demobilization of the community service flag, general committee of which Jacob B. Frey is chairman, and Scott J. Hoke is secretary and treasurer, is perfecting plans for the celebration.

The event will be held next Wednesday evening at 7.30 on the lawn of Mrs. H. M. Rupp's property. The celebration will open with a parade of white and blue, led by a community chorus of over seventy-five voices. The chorus is being trained by the Rev. H. K. Lantz, pastor of St. John's Lutheran church. Their singing of the community service flag features of the community service flag.

A large platform will be erected this week by the patriotic carpenters of the town and will be occupied by a community chorus of over seventy-five voices. The chorus is being trained by the Rev. H. K. Lantz, pastor of St. John's Lutheran church. Their singing of the community service flag features of the community service flag.

The demobilization of the community service flag will be an interesting and solemn service.

Personal and Social Items of Towns on West Shore

Mrs. Ralph Smyser and Tuesday of Shiremanstown, spent Tuesday with her sister, Mrs. George Romberger at Harrisburg.

Harry Eberly, city controller of Williamsport, is spending some time with his sisters the Misses Sarah and Kathryn Eberly at Shiremanstown.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon P. Walters, Miss Martha Miller and Miss Dorcas Miller, of Penbrook, and Mrs. Chapman Neibinger, of Hillside, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Neibinger at Shiremanstown.

Mrs. John L. Mumma and daughter, Miss Leona Mumma, of Lehigh, spent a day recently with her mother, Mrs. J. H. Kohr, at Shiremanstown.

Miss Martha Miller, of Penbrook, is spending some time with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Neibinger, at Shiremanstown.

Miss Charlotte Snyder, of Harrisburg, spent several days with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John P. Snyder at Shiremanstown.

Miss Nellie Kestler, of New Cumberland, has returned from a visit to friends at Thompsett.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Kohr, of New Cumberland, attended the commencement exercises at Millersville.

The Rev. and Mrs. B. D. Rohm and daughter, Lena, of Yoe, York county, visited friends at New Cumberland this week.

Enjoyable Recital Given by Miss Fisher's Pupils

New Cumberland, Pa., June 26.—A large audience was at Baumhart Memorial Methodist Church on Tuesday evening to hear the recital given by the pupils of Miss Marguerite Fisher. They were assisted by Miss Anna Hammelbaugh, reader, and Miss Lillian Grove, soloist. The program included:

Invocation, the Rev. V. J. Rue; "Babes in the Woods," Rosema Hager and Marie Kilmore; "Frisky Gallop," Raymond Hager; "Pistols Ballet," Sara Hull; "Playful Rondo," Rosema Hager; "Le Secret," Marie Kilmore; "Success," Mazurka Helen Drayer; reading, Miss Anna Hammelbaugh; "Chirping Sparrow," Wilma Drayer; Helen Drayer and Hazel Nonemaker; "La Fountain," Wilma Drayer; "Market Maid," Hazel Nonemaker; "Eyes of Irish Blue," The Little Dutch Garden; "Slave Song," Miss Lillian Grove; "Con Amore," Helen Reiff; "Valse Arabesque," Beulah Hartman; "Les Sylphes," Helen Reiff and Beulah Hartman.

INSTANTLY KILLED

Hagerstown, Md., June 26.—The seventh fatality in Hagerstown and vicinity and the second one at Security since last Saturday evening occurred yesterday when Guillu Buccella, an Italian aged 27, employed by the Security Lime and Cement Company, was instantly killed by a large rock falling from the side of the quarry upon his head. His skull was crushed and death resulted instantly.

ADAMS COUNTY BOYS' BRAVERY

Three Who Were in World War Cited by General Kuhn For Meritorious Service

Gettysburg, Pa., June 26.—Just before the Three Hundred and Sixteenth Infantry of the Seventy-ninth Division was mustered out at Camp Dix, General Kuhn cited three Adams county boys for gallantry in action and meritorious service. First Sergeant Albert Musselman, of Fair Company A, Three Hundred and Sixteenth Infantry, held the company together for the last two weeks before the armistice was signed, when Lieutenant Dyer was incapacitated by shell shock October 28 to November 11. Sergeant George D. Liversberger, of Sedgewick, a member of the first company that left Adams county in September 1918, was cited for gallantry in action for leading the platoon around the left flank of an enemy spur trench, in which were planted several machine guns and put his men in a charge upon these guns. As a result of this action the enemy gunners abandoned their guns and those who were not killed retreated in disorder. This particular group of guns that held up the advance of our troops and just before being put out of action had caused the retirement of the company on the right. Private Abraham W. Longenecker, Headquarters Company, Three Hundred and Sixteenth Infantry, was the third man mentioned. "Private Longenecker, a regimental runner, worked constantly from the time the regiment took over the Grande Montang Sector, Hill 378, north of Verdun, from October 28 to November 11. He worked day and night carrying messages from the regimental command to the battalion and to the front lines, showing unusual bravery and devotion to duty under shell fire. Although weak from the effects of gas and lack of rest, he at all times displayed admirable willingness to carry out the tasks assigned to him."

Another soldier to be honored was Joseph P. Miller, formerly a sergeant with the Seventh United States Infantry, who was awarded the Distinguished Service Cross for gallantry in the battle of Belleau Wood. Miller originally came from Louisiana, but since coming to Gettysburg he has been in the army since the summer of 1917. He claims the place as his home. He is now a member of the Pennsylvania State Constabulary with Troop A at Greensburg.

Patriotic Americans Surprise Mrs. Bratton

Marysville, Pa., June 26.—Marysville Camp No. 132, Patriotic Order of Americans, held a pleasant birthday surprise party at the home of Mrs. Margaret Bratton in Valley street, on Monday evening celebration of Mrs. Bratton's birthday anniversary. Included among the members in attendance were: Mrs. Alice Ensminger, Mrs. George Ensminger, Mrs. Elizabeth Mendinghall, Mrs. Milton Dissinger, Mrs. Margaret Roush, Mrs. Minnie Leonard, Mrs. Mary Fessler, Mrs. Mabel Baker, Mrs. Frank Ruppel, Mrs. Sara Garber, Mrs. Ellen McQuinn, Mrs. Samuel Nace, Mrs. W. H. Quickel, Mrs. Harry Heck, Mrs. Verna Crowe, Mrs. Mary Fortenbaugh, Mrs. Elizabeth Heppner, Lulu Clouser, Mrs. Reba Bistline, Miss Mathias Morris, Miss Marie Harrod, Miss Pauline Straw, Miss Myrtle Shope, Miss Anna Stewart, Miss Lottie Mendinghall, Miss Augusta Mendinghall, Miss Margaret Clouser, and Harvey Bratton, Louis Bratton and Gilbert Quickel.

DINNER ON BIRTHDAY New Cumberland, Pa., June 26.

On Monday evening, Mrs. Joseph Nagle entertained at dinner at her home in New Market in honor of her husband's birthday. Miss Pauline Wright sang several selections on the piano. Theodore Snyder, of Ohio, also assisted in entertaining. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. L. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. William Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Emma Deliz, Edith Snyder, Pauline Wright, Lieutenant Geiger, Ralph Mathias, Earl Fisher, Bruce Mathias, Allen Snyder, Theodore Snyder, of Ohio; Rachel Mathias, Mr. and Mrs. J. Nagle.

PREPARING FOR CHAUTAUQUE

Plans are being made and committees selected for the Chautauque, which will open here on July 17 and continue until July 23. The officers of the organization are: President, H. Hall Sharp; first vice-president, J. Nelson Clark; second vice-president, J. Harry Shoop; secretary, L. Dick; Miss Fannin, the advance agent, was present at the meeting on Tuesday evening and assisted in the arrangements.

RAILROAD MACHINIST HURT

New Cumberland, Pa., June 26.—John Lantz, of Market street, had several bones broken in his wrist while at work at the Enola yards on Tuesday. He is assistant mechanic and was helping to repair an engine when the accident happened.

ACCUSED OF FORGERY

Gettysburg, Pa., June 26.—John Fletcher, colored, was arrested by Detective Charles H. Wilson and held under eight hundred dollars bail for court. Fletcher appeared at the Citizens' Trust Company on Monday and presented a check for \$45, payable to James Jackson and signed by Freeman Starton. Harry Snyder, treasurer of the trust company, says that Fletcher represented himself to be James Jackson. Fletcher denies every accusation and says he is not guilty of the forgery.

AID SOCIETY OUTING

Gettysburg, Pa., June 26.—The Ladies' Aid Society of the Reformed Church had an outing Monday at Caledonia, transacting their regular weekly business while at the mountain resort. Automobiles were used to convey the members back and forth.

SUFFERED THIRTEEN YEARS

Milton, Pa., June 26.—After suffering of paralysis for thirteen years Robert L. Montgomery, 64 years old, of Parkersburg, near here, is dead. He was for many years a prominent farmer in this district.

CUMBERLAND VALLEY ITEMS

NORMAL SCHOOL COMMENCEMENT

Ninety-Five Graduates Given Certificates at Shippensburg Institution

Shippensburg, Pa., June 26.—A large audience filled the chapel at the Cumberland Valley State Normal School early Wednesday morning to witness the commencement exercises of the class of 1919. Principal Lehman and Superintendent John P. Garber, of the Philadelphia schools, occupied seats on the rostrum. The exercises were opened with prayer by the Rev. J. M. Hoover, of Grace Reformed Church, Shippensburg, after which came a vocal duet, "Greeting," Mendelssohn, by Martha Shambaugh and Richard Horton. Marguerite Howe then delivered the first honor oration, "America a New Nation."

Address by Dr. Shope
Dr. S. Z. Shope, '89, of Harrisburg, delivered an address interspersed with amusing comments on public events. He urged the alumni to adopt the suggestion of the principal in regard to a more aggressive campaign for the school. He spoke of the influence of the school upon its graduates. He urged the teachers to stand for highest and loftiest ideals in their work.

H. Frank Hare, '17, spoke of the influence of the school upon his students and urged the teachers to stand for highest and loftiest ideals in their work.

An impressive short memorial service followed. Four chairs draped in flags and covered with laurel wreaths stood upon the platform. The names of the fact that four of the alumni, Frank Carbaugh, '17, Quincy Charles Kell, '16, Carlisle and Harry Taylor, ex-'18, Ardentsville, had died in the service of their country.

Certificates were conferred upon 95 young men and women who had completed the regular course.

Susie Shive was awarded the prize offered by a Central Pennsylvania group of 1908 for the four-year student. Marian Browne, of Harrisburg, was the winner of the 1916 prize for the best number in the oratorical contest. The first prize was awarded to Mrs. Mildred Haar, Luella Schue and Ruth Shoemaker. The second honor group was made up of Elva Baker, Edna Bistline, Reba Charrington, Claire Fry, Ginevra Garber, Grace Heisey, Christine Hummelbaugh, Christabel Lamberson, Frances Oyer Nellie Reinger, Martha Shambaugh, Susie Shive, Catherine E. Sta. Slay-Shive, Catharine Spangler, Mary Skelly and Paul Kurtz.

The following students received honorable mention in singing: Edith Bistline, Frances Oyer, Luella Schue, Nora Spangler.

Alumni Rally
The alumni were in force on Tuesday afternoon for the big event of the day, the Alumni Procession. Nearly every class from '74 to '19 was represented. This thirty-year came back to action its thirty-year reunion. This is a class that has produced a number of noted teachers among whom are Superintendent Dr. Adams county for the past 20 years; Superintendent Albert S. Cook, of Baltimore county, Md., regarded as one of the greatest authorities on rural education in the United States; Dr. Ezra Lehman, principal of the Normal School, and Florence Waiters, of Wayne, well known as a superintendent of primary and intermediate work. Among the other notable members are: Dr. S. Z. Shope, of Harrisburg, and S. M. Kitzmiller, of Shippensburg. The classes of '99, '09, '16, '17 and '18 also had large representations of the alumni.

At the conclusion of the alumni procession, Dr. L. A. Carl, of Newport, called the meeting to order, and Dr. Lehman delivered the address of welcome.

Chambersburg Labor Men to Join Commerce Chamber

Chambersburg, Pa., June 26.—After threatening to organize a board of trade because the local Chamber of Commerce failed to act on the applications of three of its representatives for membership in the chamber, the Central Labor Council, embracing 2,300 trades unionists in Chambersburg, held a conference on Tuesday night with the executive council of the Chamber of Commerce and finally decided to cooperate with the chamber and reorganize that body into one great organization, whose purpose will be the betterment of Chambersburg, the bringing of new industries here, the improvement of housing conditions, the accomplishment of civic cleanliness and the uplifting of morals.

The labor unions had already held two public meetings to discuss the formation of a board of trade, which would work along the same lines with the Chamber of Commerce, but as a separate organization.

At the second meeting a general committee of twenty-four members was appointed to hold a conference with the executive council of the Chamber of Commerce, which committee also composed of twenty-four men.

HIGH PERCENTAGE

Chambersburg, Pa., June 26.—With the announcement of the percentages obtained by the members of the graduating class of the local high school in their four years of study, it is revealed that twenty-seven out of the seventy-three members of the class made an average of more than ninety per cent for their four years. The five students with the highest percentages were granted the honor of delivering orations at the commencement exercises which will be held on July 2. All five are girls: Marie Shriver, 96; Edna Stamey, 95; Helen Metler, 94.98; Irene Elter, 94.60; Anna Palmer, 94.18.

THANK OFFERING SERVICE

Mechanicsburg, Pa., June 26.—An interesting session of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society and Standard Bearers of the Methodist Episcopal Church last evening in the lecture room marked the annual thank offering service. Mrs. J. Ellis Bell, the president, was in charge, and the program included: singing; prayer; Mrs. A. H. Egolf's lesson, Mrs. E. E. Brindley; song by Marie Gelwicks, Doris Hersham, Mary L. Garrettson, Elva Arnold, Virginia Esch and Helen Scott; sermon by Rev. A. C. R. Kirschbaum, of the One Hundred and Twelfth Infantry.

MARRIED AT HARRISBURG

Hagerstown, Md., June 26.—Miss Ruth L. Beck and John E. Stoll, both of Harrisburg, were married on Tuesday afternoon at the parsonage of Washington Square Methodist Episcopal Church here by the pastor, the Rev. L. M. Ferguson.

BALL PLAYER HURT

Chambersburg, Pa., June 26.—During a game of baseball at White Pine Sanatorium at Mont Alto, near here, between the Sanatorium team and the nine of Columbia Lodge of Odd Fellows, Mrs. E. C. Owen Fleet, a member of the latter team, was struck on the head by a pitched ball and injured, although not seriously. The game was suspended at 8 o'clock. State Health Commissioner Edward Martin, who was a spectator of the game, gave the injured player his personal medical attention. Fleet was kept overnight at the sanatorium for treatment.

FIREMEN ELECT OFFICERS

Mechanicsburg, Pa., June 26.—At a meeting of the board of directors of the Citizen Fire Company on Tuesday evening in the engine house in South York street, A. S. Hertler was elected president and Herman Albright, secretary. The following compose the board of directors: A. S. Hertler, Albert Albright, A. C. Rich, Daniel Walters, John Clever, S. S. Brenner and George W. Hersman.

SUMMER CAMP AT MONT ALTO

State Health Commissioner Martin Opens Extension Training Session

Chambersburg, Pa., June 26.—Planning a State-wide organization of 60,000 under direction of the State Health Department, the first summer camp established by that department, opened an extensive training session for all employees of the organization at Mont Alto Sanatorium on Tuesday. Colonel Edward Martin, State Health Commissioner, was personally in charge of the arrangements, and half the force of his department, consisting of physicians and 100 nurses, were in attendance. This course will terminate July 2. On July 6 the remainder of the force will attend and those now training will be enabled to return to their respective counties competent to instruct the additional force expected to be enrolled.

Colonel Martin's plan of operation is to utilize the 600 members of his department in the State, in securing 10 additional volunteers each among those who were until recently identified with welfare work during the past year. The tented camp at the outskirts of the great White City of Hope embraces 60 tents now and more will be erected as needed.

AMERICAN LEGION POST

Chambersburg, Pa., June 26.—Following the organization of a post of the American Legion here last Saturday afternoon, headquarters of the post have been temporarily established in the office of Public Opinion, a morning newspaper, and the membership committee of the post will sit at headquarters each evening until July 12 to take applications for membership. At the head of the committee is Captain Roy R. Kriebbaum, formerly commander of Company C of the One Hundred and Twelfth Infantry.

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DINNER IN HONOR OF SOLDIER BOYS

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Mixell Entertain Returned War Veterans at Linglestown

Linglestown, Pa., June 26.—Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Mixell entertained at dinner on Sunday at their home here in honor of the soldier boys who have recently returned from overseas. The house was beautifully decorated with bunting, American flags, rambler roses and lilies. The soldier boys who enjoyed the entertainment were: Nevin W. Moyer, Martin Goss, Walter Etzweiler, Arthur Eby, John Grove, Edward George, Edgar Shuey, Clement Care, Harry Gastrock, Ross Look, Dr. F. L. Shenk, Fleck Mixell, Nile Cassel and John Simmons.

Other guests included: Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Parthomere, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shambaugh, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Shambaugh, Mr. and Mrs. George Parthomere, Mrs. Alice Weakley, Mrs. John Hotrick, Mrs. P. P. Mixell, Pearl Kauffman, Hulda Longenecker, Esther Farling, Irene Shambaugh, Flora Shambaugh, Paul Kreider, Earl Shambaugh, William Shambaugh, Chester Burd, Francis Wilson and Albert Shambaugh.

PREPARING BRANCH FACTORY

Columbia, Pa., June 26.—The Fellemer-Clogg Umbrella Company, of Lancaster, has purchased a property here and July 1 will begin alterations to convert it into a branch factory, giving employment to a number of hands.

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HUNTING PHILIP DUNN

Shamokin, Pa., June 26.—Relatives and friends are showing much concern over the whereabouts of Philip Dunn, of Mahanoy Valley, who has been missing for ten days. He was last seen June 14, when he started for a visit to Lykens, but never got there. He is five feet, six inches tall, slenderly built and wore a blue cap, dark shoes and suit. A wife and five small children are left behind.

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