

SOMERSET

Dr. and Mrs. H. E. Norris have returned home after spending several days with relatives and friends in Johnstown. Dr. Norris is a member of the staff at the Somerset Hospital.

Miss Margaret Schrock, of Wilkensburg, is a guest at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Norman B. Knepper.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Simpson are visiting relatives and friends in Chicago.

Misses Emily and Elizabeth Parker, are visiting relatives and friends in Bellefonte.

James F. Scott, of Ursina, was transacting business in Somerset Monday.

Mrs. John S. Miller, wife of the well-known Somerset attorney, underwent a successful operation for appendicitis by Dr. Chalfant in Allegheny General Hospital, Pittsburgh, on Monday, and her condition is daily improving.

"Tom" Pullin, former postmaster of Confluence, was a business visitor in town Monday.

There will be preaching service in Somerset Church of Christ both morning and evening next Sunday. Preaching by a minister from Howard, Pa.

U. S. Werner, of Rockwood, was transacting business in Somerset yesterday.

There will be a parade in the interest of the Y. M. C. A. war fund Friday evening, November 16th, at 7:15 o'clock.

Rev. J. C. McCarney, of Friedens, will occupy the pulpit of Trinity Lutheran Church next Sunday evening, November 18th.

Mrs. George Shoemaker is ill at her home on Patriot St.

J. H. Tissue, of Ohio Pyle, was transacting business in Somerset yesterday.

Attorney and Mrs. Joseph Levy are visiting relatives and friends in Windber, and on their return trip they will stop

at Stoyestown where they will address the meeting of the Red Cross.

I. S. Pyle, County Surveyor, of Barronvale, was transacting business in Somerset Wednesday.

Mrs. R. A. Kirkpatrick has returned from a two week's visit with Mrs. C. E. Witt, in Akron, Ohio.

Mrs. E. C. Berkley and Mrs. John Pyle, of Somerset, visited several days with Wheeling, W. Va., and Pittsburgh friends Mrs. James Lefferty and son, Samuel, of Listie, and Mrs. George Lafferty, were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Barnhart.

Mr. Clay Lafferty, of Listie, spent several days in Greensburg.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lafferty had as their guests recently, Mr. and Mrs. Hal Miller and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Mowry.

County President of the Red Cross, District Attorney Virgil R. Saylor, has received a hurry call for thousands more sweaters for the soldiers, who are suffering from cold in the army cantonments. All Red Cross members and others are urged to redouble their efforts to produce sweaters as rapidly as possible and send them forward with all possible expedition.

The William Hanna farm in Milford township was sold at trustee's sale last Saturday to John W. Hanna, of Rockwood, for \$10,500.

The farm contains 213 acres and is among the most beautifully situated plantations in Somerset county. Mr. Hanna, it is reported, will operate the farm himself next summer.

Levi Wolf, the Rockwood lumberman, was a Somerset visitor last Saturday.

Miss Bernedette Crowe, spent over Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Crowe.

Attorney John A. Hartman, of Windber, was in Somerset on professional business Saturday.

Robert Craver, spent Sunday with Meyersdale friends.

Mrs. W. F. Cleaver and daughter, Eleanor, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Metzger.

Mrs. R. W. Caddell is visiting relatives and friends in Conneltsville.

Farm Agent, C. C. McDowell is transacting business in Virginia.

J. H. Tissue, of Ohio Pyle, was a Somerset visitor yesterday.

Mrs. G. N. Schrock is the guest at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. John Auman, of Ashland, Ohio.

Charles I. Shaver is attending court at Pittsburgh this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Coleman and children spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Critchfield, of Rockwood.

Leroy Forquer, of Ursina, was a recent caller to Somerset.

Walter Frazenbaker, of Addison, spent several days in Somerset.

Misses Ethel and Lillian Buckman and Rae and Marie Heffley and Messrs. Jay Musser and Dalphon Landis all of Berlin, were recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bittner.

Mrs. Daniel S. Miller has returned home after spending several days with relatives and friends in Meyersdale.

Mrs. C. A. Deal and Harry and Margaret Deal, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Deal and Mrs. Ed. Leonard, all of Meyersdale, visited friends in Somerset recently.

Mrs. Mary Swartz is seriously ill at her home in North Somerset.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Baer and children spent Sunday with relatives and friends in Rockwood.

H. P. Hoffman and Joseph P. Miller, were recent Confluence visitors.

A. D. Shaffer was calling on friends in Confluence recently.

J. B. Davis, of Ursina, was a Somerset business caller recently.

Mrs. Robert Gibson, of Somerset, has returned home after visiting at the home of her father, Josiah Durst, at Grantsville.

Miss Nettie Miller is a guest at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey H. Miller, of Grantsville.

Harry E. Bowman was calling on friends in Meyersdale recently.

Miss Rachel Glessner has re-

turned home after spending several days with relatives and friends in Johnstown.

Misses Anna Halbrock and Anna Lape have returned home after spending several days with Miss Lape's sister, Mrs. T. C. Cowher, who is a patient at the Memorial Hospital in Johnstown.

Miss Althea Walker and Mrs. Joseph Kantner, were recent visitors to Johnstown.

Mrs. Mansfield Bowman has returned home after spending several days with relatives and friends in Johnstown.

Esquire Levi C. William, of Jefferson township, has purchased the home of John A. Marteeny, on West Patriot St., and has moved his family into the newly acquired domicile.

Mansfield Bowman spent over Sunday at his home on Patriot street.

ST. PAUL

Class No. 9, of the Reformed Sunday school, met at the home of Mrs. Wm. Sechler, who is a member of the class, on Wednesday of last week. Those present were: Mesdames Mamie Sechler, Laura Sipple, Minnie Engle, Savannah Sipple, Mary Lepley and Nan Engle, teacher of the class. The members of the class spend their time sewing and doing fancy work. The product of their labor is usually sold and the money used for church purposes.

Butchering is the order of the day. Quite a number of our people have put the pork into winter quarters.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Loechel, of Salisbury, were helping Mr. Richard Sipple to butcher on Thursday. Mrs. Loechel is a sister to Mrs. Richard Sipple.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Walker, of Summit township, spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Walker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Sipple.

Mr. Earl Engle, of this city, and Miss Caroline E. Oesterling, of Pittsburgh, were united in marriage on Sunday, November 4th. We wish them a long and a happy life.

Mr. Charles Wise, of West Moreland county, is here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Wise.

Miss Emma Sipple, of Meyersdale, spent Sunday at her home.

Mrs. Nan Engle spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ephraim Livengood, of Fort Hill.

Joseph Tennesfoss, the two year old stepson of H. G. Lepley, is convalescing from a case of measles.

Mr. Jack Kreen, of Pittsburgh, domiciled at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Boches, during last week. His time was spent in hunting.

The St. Paul Missionary Society met at the parsonage Saturday afternoon.

LIBERTY LOAN

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"I congratulate the American people upon the phenomenal success of the Second Liberty Loan. The final returns just received from the 12 Federal Reserve Banks show that the total subscriptions were \$4,617,532,300, an over-subscription of \$1,617,532,300, or approximately 54 per cent of the amount offered. This is a more gratifying result even than was the first Liberty Loan when \$2,000,000,000 of bonds were offered and a subscription of more than \$3,000,000,000 was received.

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We are now enjoying our Indian Summer. The days are very pleasant.

SOMERSET

Only two bids for the construction of the new Jenner-Lincoln highway were received by the State Highway department at Harrisburg last Thursday.

Daniel E. Keller, of Somerset, gave in his proposal for the construction of the seven and nine-twentieth miles of reinforced concrete roadway for the sum of \$294,826.74.

The Donald McNeil company, of Pittsburgh, offered to construct the same roadway of bituminous construction for \$345,563.80.

These bids are so unexpectedly high that the Somerset Board of Trade's highway committee recovered its breath and equivoque just in time to telegraph Highway Commissioner O'Neil requesting that unfavorable action on the bids be postponed until the committee can reach Harrisburg for conference with Governor Brumbaugh and Commissioner O'Neil. In other words, if Somerset hopes for a road to Lincoln Highway it must be buried for an indefinite time, the Somerset Committee wants to be there at the obsequies.

It is probable the committee will request that the new road shall now be one of cheaper construction — of macadam and telford base and "tarvia" surface construction, which will cost the State only about \$8,000 per mile, instead of \$40,000 per mile.

Such a roadway will have a long life of usefulness for the projected cross-country highway, with occasional resurfacing and repairs, and the same road bed can afterwards be curbed and surfaced with brick, if desired when road construction becomes cheaper again. The action of the Somerset trade committee may be justly considered as a strictly modern "strategic retreat," but evidently it must win in the end.

The good weather we are having, if persisted in by the "weatherman," will permit of the Brotherton road construction to proceed much farther than its most sanguine promoters had reason to hope for, though it is too much to expect that the road can be completed through the winter months.

CENTER CHURCH

Mrs. S. N. Schrock and Mrs. J. W. Vought visited with their sister, Mrs. John Herwig, of near Meyersdale, Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Marker, who had an attack of pneumonia, is slowly convalescing. We hope she will soon regain her health and can again resume her household duties.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Schafer and Mr. and Mrs. Urias Burkholder attended the sale of George Holtzhauser, late of Rockwood, Saturday.

Mrs. N. J. Judy, of Garrett, visited with her friend, Mrs. Mary Marker, a few days last week.

Mrs. Rosana Walter and Miss Ida Hoover spent Sunday with the latter's sister, Mrs. Jerry Phillippi, of near Markleton.

James Walter, of Garrett, spent Sunday at the home of Austin Walter.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Morgan spent Sunday at the home of Milton Marker.

Mrs. Ellen Horner, who had been visiting at the home of Milton Marker for several days returned to her home in Somerset, last Sunday.

A special service will be held at the Church next Sunday at 2:00 p. m. Everybody is invited to attend.

NEW YORK CALL IS SUPPRESSED

The national edition of The New York Call has been suppressed as a result of action taken by the post office authorities when, on Tuesday, last, just one week after the election in which New York Socialists made such splendid showing, electing 7 city aldermen, 11 state assemblymen, and a municipal court judge, the second class mailing privilege of The Call, the big Socialist daily of the East, was revoked and future editions denied the use of the mails.

The city editions will continue to be published to be sold on the streets by newsboys but subscribers who have been getting The Call by mail will not receive future editions of the paper, at least until action of the postal authorities is either reconsidered or revoked.

The Souvenir McKinley Gold Dollars

Early in 1916 Congress authorized the coinage of one hundred thousand souvenir gold dollars in commemoration of the erection of the McKinley Birthplace Memorial and for the purpose of aiding in defraying the cost of completing the work.

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RESOURCES

Loans and Investments	\$ 632,801.99
U. S. Bonds and Premium	75,179.37
Real Estate, Furniture & Fixtures	64,075.20
Cash and due from Banks	129,888.94
Total Resources	\$ 901,945.50

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock Paid in	\$ 65,000.00
Surplus Fund and Profits	65,934.93
Circulation	65,000.00
Deposits	706,010.57
Total Liabilities	\$ 901,945.50

Growth as Shown in Following Statements Made to Comptroller of Currency.

JUNE 20, 1917	\$852,498.67
SEPTEMBER 11, 1917	\$901,945.50

NET GAIN BETWEEN ABOVE STATEMENTS

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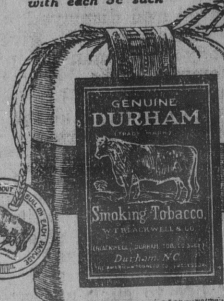
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