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PATTON TO HAVE REPUBLICAN BURGESS

With the election of Melvin H. Gardner, Patton will have a Republican Burgess for the first time in 20 years. In both the primaries and in the general election Mr. Gardner carried both wards on the Republican and Democratic tickets. Although this is his entrance into politics, he has long been interested in borough affairs. A respected citizen and progressive business man, Mr. Gardner, who came to us from Pittsburgh in 1909 and who at the present time is manager of the Truer Jewelry Co. Store, showed so clearly his capability, that he won his election with little or no opposition.

The complete election returns are given below:

First Ward, County.
 Sheriff—R. Custer, Rep. 139, Pro. 12.
 Wash. I. Brennan, Dem. 136. J. H. Murphy, Soc. 1.
 Director of the Poor—Evans, Rep. 140, Pro. 14, Wash. 2. Rouser, Dem. 134. Feiboy, Soc. 19.

Second Ward, County.
 Sheriff—Carter, Rep. 88, Pro. 11.
 Wash. I. Brennan, Dem. 108. Murphy, Soc. 7. Stutzman, Soc. 2.
 Director of the Poor—Evans, Rep. 91, Pro. 17, Wash. 1. Rouser, Dem. 80. Feiboy, Soc. 7.

BOROUGH
First Ward.
 Burgess—Gardner, Rep. 148, Dem. 108. Thornhill, Soc. 27, Pro. 28.
 Council—Heist, Rep. 107, Soc. 29, Pro. 4. Callahan, Dem. 178.

Second Ward.
 Burgess—Gardner, Rep. 112, Dem. 78. Thornhill, Soc. 19, Pro. 9.
 Council—Crowell, Rep. 94. Kelsall, Rep. 85. Bender, Dem. 68. Billee, Dem. 64. Shotz, Ind. 78.

Third Ward.
 Burgess—Gardner, Rep. 124, Dem. 78. Thornhill, Soc. 19, Pro. 9.
 Council—Crowell, Rep. 94. Kelsall, Rep. 85. Bender, Dem. 68. Billee, Dem. 64. Shotz, Ind. 78.

Fourth Ward.
 Burgess—Gardner, Rep. 124, Dem. 78. Thornhill, Soc. 19, Pro. 9.
 Council—Crowell, Rep. 94. Kelsall, Rep. 85. Bender, Dem. 68. Billee, Dem. 64. Shotz, Ind. 78.

Fifth Ward.
 Burgess—Gardner, Rep. 124, Dem. 78. Thornhill, Soc. 19, Pro. 9.
 Council—Crowell, Rep. 94. Kelsall, Rep. 85. Bender, Dem. 68. Billee, Dem. 64. Shotz, Ind. 78.

Sixth Ward.
 Burgess—Gardner, Rep. 124, Dem. 78. Thornhill, Soc. 19, Pro. 9.
 Council—Crowell, Rep. 94. Kelsall, Rep. 85. Bender, Dem. 68. Billee, Dem. 64. Shotz, Ind. 78.

Seventh Ward.
 Burgess—Gardner, Rep. 124, Dem. 78. Thornhill, Soc. 19, Pro. 9.
 Council—Crowell, Rep. 94. Kelsall, Rep. 85. Bender, Dem. 68. Billee, Dem. 64. Shotz, Ind. 78.

Eighth Ward.
 Burgess—Gardner, Rep. 124, Dem. 78. Thornhill, Soc. 19, Pro. 9.
 Council—Crowell, Rep. 94. Kelsall, Rep. 85. Bender, Dem. 68. Billee, Dem. 64. Shotz, Ind. 78.

Ninth Ward.
 Burgess—Gardner, Rep. 124, Dem. 78. Thornhill, Soc. 19, Pro. 9.
 Council—Crowell, Rep. 94. Kelsall, Rep. 85. Bender, Dem. 68. Billee, Dem. 64. Shotz, Ind. 78.

Tenth Ward.
 Burgess—Gardner, Rep. 124, Dem. 78. Thornhill, Soc. 19, Pro. 9.
 Council—Crowell, Rep. 94. Kelsall, Rep. 85. Bender, Dem. 68. Billee, Dem. 64. Shotz, Ind. 78.

Eleventh Ward.
 Burgess—Gardner, Rep. 124, Dem. 78. Thornhill, Soc. 19, Pro. 9.
 Council—Crowell, Rep. 94. Kelsall, Rep. 85. Bender, Dem. 68. Billee, Dem. 64. Shotz, Ind. 78.



M. H. GARDNER
 Patton's First Republican Burgess in
 Twenty Years.

LETTER CIRCULATED IN BEHALF OF RED CROSS

The following circular letters are being mailed to the lady members of the Patton Red Cross Association this week:

To the Patriotic Women of Patton and Vicinity:

Your name appears as a member of the American Red Cross Association, how about your neighbor? Will you not make it your business to increase our membership, and impress upon your friends that every person should be willing to do something; we should have at least one thousand lady members in Patton. But our obligations to our country and our noble Soldier Boys is not limited to simple membership in the Red Cross Organization. The women of this country have a duty to perform as well as the men in order that we may win this war with the least sacrifice of life and treasure.

Your Boy may not be on the battle fields of Europe, but some other woman's Boy, Brother, Husband, or Sweetheart is, and soon will be. The President of the United States earnestly appeals to those of us who cannot answer to the call at arms to do our part.

The Ladies Auxiliary earnestly requests your support and co-operation, do not wait for some one to personally solicit your services, this is your work, our work, your country's work, it is a work necessary to humanity.

We meet every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday afternoons in the Masonic Club rooms, second floor, Yeager building, corner of Fifth and McGee avenues. Come and see what you can do to relieve the distress and suffering on the battlefields and hospitals of Europe; also what we are doing to add to the comforts of our Boys in Camp. There is not a woman in Patton that cannot do something. Of over four hundred lady members we have only about twenty-five or thirty that are helping in this work. We earnestly request and plead that you do your part to win this war.

W. H. Denlinger, Chairman Red Cross Association.
 Mrs. E. C. Brown, Chairman Women's Auxiliary.
 Mrs. W. H. Denlinger, Vice Chairman Women's Auxiliary.
 Mrs. Wilda Bennett, Secretary Women's Auxiliary.
 Mrs. D. E. Shannon, Treasurer Women's Auxiliary.

SERVICE FLAG WITH THREE STARS

Service flags are becoming more and more in evidence in Patton each day. On every street we travel we see them in the homes from which men have gone into the service of their government. The white star on a field of blue, bordered in red is very attractive and each star stands for one man gone.

For this reason the flag on display at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hodge, Sr., on Lang Avenue, is attracting a great deal of attention for on it gleams three stars indicating that 3 men have gone from this home to fight for the cause of humanity: John on the U. S. S. Seattle; Matthew at Camp Hancock and Alex at Camp Lee. Surely no home has greater cause for pride than this and no service flag a greater right to unfold itself than this one with its three stars.

WANTED—A competent Stenographer and bookkeeper. Lady preferred. Address P. O. Box N, Patton Penna.

THE WEEK'S WORK OF THE PATTON BRANCH OF R. C.

The appeal made last week by the Red Cross was most heartily responded to this week, twenty-five women appearing at the headquarters, corner of McGee and Fifth avenues, for sewing and knitting, but still we need more. The American Red Cross has received a cable from Major M. P. Murphy, who went abroad to investigate the needs of our soldiers and the allies in the war zone.

"Begin shipping at once 1,500,000 each, knitted mufflers, sweaters, socks, and wristlets," says the cable. "These are desperately needed before cold weather. Last winter broke the record for cold and misery among the people here. They inexpressibly dread the coming winter find without supplies to meet the situation. I urge you on behalf of our soldiers and those of our allies who will suffer in the frozen trenches."

One of our own boys wrote that they could not use coal for anything but transportation, so "please mother, send us socks and gloves for Xmas, along with anything that you would give boys ordinarily if they were at home. We are so lonely when off duty. I have taken to stamp collecting and get many an hour's pleasure from that. The boys are crazy about something to read."

You can readily see why we are so anxious to have people knitting and why we are urging a simple Christmas.

Mrs. William Henry Denlinger, Vice Chairman of the Patton Red Cross was in Johnstown Wednesday attending a meeting of "The Mother's Assistance Board." While there she arranged for more yarn that we can supply a large number of knitters. If you do not know how to knit, come and learn. Most of us had to learn, as it had become almost a lost art.

You will be glad to read the letter from Headquarters, which is so very encouraging to your executive committee and those of us who had to do it. Mrs. A. C. Winslow who is chairman of the Sewing, deserves the credit for her untiring efforts in producing this good work.

November 5th, 1917.

Mrs. E. C. Brown, Chairman
 Patton Branch, Jkt. Chapter,
 American Red Cross,
 Patton, Pa.

My dear Mrs. Brown:

We duly received the garments returned to us for shipment to Headquarters—a nice quantity, and beautifully made—which helped us send off the largest shipment we have yet made (sixteen large boxes).

Please inform Mrs. Bennett, Chairman of your Knitting Committee, that we have plenty of yarn now and can supply you promptly if you can use more.

RED CROSS FOOD CONSERVATION

To the busy housewife, it is not so much a question of how to cook as what to cook.

You hear women saying repeatedly: "Don't you get tired of thinking of three meals a day?" or, "What are you cooking these days?" or, "Do tell me something new to cook."

In the effort being put forth by our Country to save meat and wheat the Red Cross is trying to answer these questions, or any others, the women of Patton may wish to know about the conservation of the particular food stuffs our Army, Navy and Allies need. As you have heard time and again, these foods are wheat, fats and sugar, because they are the forms of food most easily shipped across the water to France. These foods produce heat and energy for the body, which heat is measured by calories, a calorie is from 1 degree to 4 degrees F., and is just as definite within its limits, when once you understand, as a yard is used to measure distance or a pint is used to measure milk or other substances. So foods are spoken of as containing so many calories or heat producing units, from 2,000 to 2,500 a day being required by a per-

son of sedentary habits.

Our government in asking the women to save food, does not mean to do without food. It means prevent waste, and use other foods, than meat, fats and sugar, at least two days very week, which produce the same calories or food units.

Therefore the Patton Branch of American Red Cross in order to assist Uncle Sam in conserving his food, will try to give the women of Patton a menu each week for a meatless and wheatless day, that will provide a proper amount of carbohydrates, fat, protein, mineral salts, and bulk. Carbohydrates should predominate in the diet, with fats next in amount and then protein. Every meal should have a food that contains bulk, then we should eat freely of food containing mineral salts. These you will find in the menus given.

A Meatless Day.

Breakfast—Orange Juice, Corn Cakes and Coffee.
Lunch or Supper—Tomato and Cheese Sandwich, Apple Roly Poly.
Dinner—

Potato Soup, Bean Loaf and Sauce Creole, Beet Salad, Canned Fruit, (hom-made), Cornmeal Wafer.

Recipes.
Corn Cakes—4 eggs, 1 pt. butter-milk, 1 tablespoon sugar, 1 teaspoon salt, 1 tablespoon melted butter, 1 teaspoon soda.

Scald two cups cornmeal with cup of boiling water, add to milk, stir briskly until smooth, add melted butter, sugar, salt and soda dissolved in hot water a tablespoon. Add enough white flour to make right consistency and let the eggs beat separately. Bake on cake griddle.

Tomato and Cheese Sandwich—2 cups stewed tomatoes, seasoned to taste, 1 tablespoon, cornstarch, 1 cup (1/2 lb) grated cheese, a little chopped onion and parsley, cooked with tomatoes, 8 slices of toast.

Bring tomatoes to a boil, add cornstarch which has been dissolved in cold water. Boil three minutes. Put the toast on platter. Pour over it the tomatoes. Sprinkle cheese on tomatoes. Bake in oven ten or fifteen minutes. Sprinkle with parsley and serve white hot.

Apple Roly Poly—1 qt. of chopped apples, 3/4 cup brown sugar, 1 teaspoon cinnamon, 2 cups flour, 2 teaspoons baking powder, 1/4 teaspoon salt, 2 tablespoons shortening, 1 tablespoon melted butter, milk.

Sift flour, salt and baking powder into a bowl; add shortening; rub in lightly; moisten with milk to make dough so that it may be rolled out 1/4 inch thick; brush with butter, cover with apple, sugar, and dust with cinnamon. Roll same as jelly roll. Cut into pieces two inches wide. Place cut side down in buttered bake dish. Bake in slow oven 40 to 45 minutes.

Potato Soup—Pare and slice a half kettle of potatoes. Add four sliced onions, a stock of celery cut into small pieces and 3 grated carrots. Cover entirely with water. Cook until tender. Thicken with flour thickening. Season with salt, paprika and butter. Sprinkle with finely cut parsley. Serve with croquettes, toasted bread, cut in inch squares.

Bean Loaf Sauce Creole—3 cups lima or white beans, 2 tablespoons grated onions, 1 tablespoon chopped parsley, 1 tablespoon drippings or butter, 1 teaspoon salt, 1/4 teaspoon white pepper, 1 teaspoon grated nutmeg, 1/2 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce, 2 tablespoons butter crumbs, 2 eggs, 1 cup cold mashed potatoes.

Wash and soak beans 24 hours; drain, cover with boiling water, boil slowly 2 hours. Drain, mash through colander, add onion, dripping or butter, parsley and seasoning. Add the mashed potatoes with the well beaten eggs. Mix well. Bake in buttered baking dish 35 minutes. Serve with Creole Sauce.

Creole Sauce—2 tablespoons of dripping, 1 cup tomatoes, 2 tablespoons cut onions, 1 teaspoon salt, 2 tablespoons chopped pimientos, a little paprika, a pinch of cloves, allspice and nutmeg. 1 tablespoon chopped parsley, 1 tablespoon caramel, sugar browned.



CHIEF W. J. GILL
 Elected Tax Collector of Patton
 Tuesday.

PARTY AT HOME OF MR. AND MRS. BAKER

A very pleasant party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Baker Wednesday evening. The evening was enjoyably spent and at a late hour refreshments were served, after which the guests departed for their homes. Among those present were: Agnes Kearns, Monica Strittmatter, Beal Detrick, Margaret McKennett, Madeline Kriss, Jane McDermott, Helen Beaser, Hilda Schumaker, Clemmie Prosser, Gertrude Prosser, Elizabeth Luce, Chadwick Burley, Thomas Trexler, Harry Detrick, James Baker, Joe Wankland, Oliver Strittmatter, Leo Wankland, George Trexler, Andrew Trexler, Roy Baker, Milton Beaser, Bob Baker, Hermann Trexler, Aaron Prosser, Gilbert and Jim Detrick, and Leonard Wankland.

FOOTBALL GAME TUESDAY

One of the most exciting football games of the season was played on the local grounds Election Day when the Patton High School team defeated the Patton second team with a score of 24-6, both teams playing a splendid game.

Lineup.

P. H. S.	L. E.	P. S. T.
Gill	Smith	Smith
Dinsmore	L. T.	Gibbons
Withrow	L. G.	Hixon
Allison	C.	Winslow
Clouse	R. G.	Cumberland
McQuillan	R. T.	Bertelstein
MacNamara	E. E.	Davis
G. Christoff	Q. E.	Mosko
E. Christoff	L. H. B.	Callahan
Brown	R. H. B.	White
Reformer	F. H. B.	J. Callahan

Referee—H. Winslow—Touchdowns, Brown 1, E. Christoff 1, E. MacNamara 1, G. Woerner 1, E. Smith.

LITTLE LAD FALLS UNDER STREET CAR

Joseph, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mertens sustained a severe cut in the head Friday morning when he fell from a wagon belonging to M. J. Connors & Sons, directly under the cow-catcher of the street car. Catching hold of a bar underneath he held himself in such a position that the car did not run over him but carried him along. When the car was finally stopped, the youngster crawled from under the other end and ran home, apparently unharmed. It was found, however, that his head had been badly bumped and cut open and it was necessary to have six stitches put in it. Aside from his bandaged head the little lad is none the worse from his experience.

GERMANS CUT THROAT OF AMERICAN VICTIM OF RAID ON TRENCH

AMERICAN FIELD HEADQUARTERS, France, Nov. 7.—One of the American soldiers killed in the recent German trench raid had his throat cut. He was overwhelmed by Boches, backed up against the trench wall and a knife was drawn across his neck.

The wound was inflicted with a trench-knife—a deadly tool carried by the fighting men for hand-to-hand battling.

All wounded Sammies now in the base hospital were improving today. They will probably return to their units, eager for revenge when the army surgeons pronounce them fit for active service.

Artillery fire in the American-manned sector continued unusually brisk today.

RED CROSS WILL HOLD CONCERT

Plans to give concert early in Dec. Plans for a Red Cross Concert are nearly completed. The Community Chorus, under the direction of Miss May Lilly, is making splendid progress and it is hoped that rehearsals can be completed soon so as to give this concert early in December. Already five choruses have been taken up and the program in detail will be ready for publication soon.

As has been stated before, it is the intention to combine this chorus with the choruses from the neighboring towns making a total of more than a hundred voices.

Greatest interest is manifested by those taking part and there is no reason why this affair should not be a tremendous success as the Red Cross Association is constantly in need of such funds as they can obtain, and it will give the music lovers a chance to hear something worth while in their own home town.

The people who are spending their time each week in preparing for this event are doing their bit. You do your by showing your appreciation and boost the Red Cross Concert.

BAKERTON FARMER IS LATE REGISTRANT

Didn't Know About Army Draft Until Told By His Brother

EBENSBURG, Nov. 7.—Anthony T. Nowak of Bakerston came to Ebensburg today to be registered by the local registration board. He will be 31 years old next September and is married and is the father of two children, but he wants to go and fight the Kaiser he said today.

"Why didn't you register before," asked County Commissioner T. Stanton Davis, chairman of the exemption board.

The Bakerston man laughed and became quite voluble.

"Why, man, dear man," said he, "I'm only a poor ignorant farmer and didn't know anything about it until my brother came to see me the other day and we got to talking about the war. Then he explained it to me when he learned that I had not registered. He told me I'd best see about it and today I came here to the district attorney's office and the district attorney's office sent me to you. So here I am, ready for anything this country wants me to do."

"Would you like to go to war?" asked Mr. Davis.

"Me? Certainly I go. I swear for this country and for this country I fight. I served one time three months in aviation school, and that's where I'm going to try to get sent now. I betchu I can help lick Kaiser some, anyhow."

The interview took place in the county commissioners' office, and Mr. Davis gave the man a note to attach to the board in the Trust company building, instructing Nowak to go there for registry. Twenty minutes later the Bakerston man was on his way home. He did not make a claim for exemption. He resides on a little farm between Bakerston and Carrolltown. The farm, he said, is owned by his wife and his mother-in-law.

ORGAN RECITAL IN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Gatty Sellers Plays to Large Audience

Gatty Sellers, world famed English Organist, gave a recital in the Presbyterian church Wednesday night, which afforded a rare treat to the music loving people of Patton.

His program was so arranged and selected as to please everyone or anyone, his own compositions being especially liked.

The Storm piece, as played at LeCern Cathedral on account of its history and notoriety, was the feature of the program, cathedral chimera being installed for the purpose.

Mr. Sellers excelled in his descriptive powers although he displayed a wonderful technic.

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