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RECENT DEATHS

Matthew Murphy

Matthew Murphy, aged 68 years, died at his home in West Patton, on Wednesday morning. Death was due to cancer, of which Mr. Murphy had suffered for some time. Funeral services will be conducted in St. Mary's Catholic Church on Saturday. Interment in the church cemetery.

Evelyn Crowell

At the time the Courier goes to press we learn of the death of Evelyn Crowell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Crowell at 11:30 a. m. Death was due to blood poisoning. Funeral services have not yet been arranged. Paraphernalia will be given in this paper next week.

Mrs. Nell Fitzsimmons

Mrs. Nell Fitzsimmons, formerly Miss Nell Slinger, of Barnesboro, and well-known in Patton, died of influenza at her home in Miami, Ariz., the other day. The husband of the deceased is interested in the copper business at that place. The body will be brought to Barnesboro for interment and will likely arrive about the last of the week. She was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Slinger, of Barnesboro.

Mrs. Mary A. Bell

Mrs. Mary Matilda Bell, widow of James Bell, a former Patton resident, was found dead at her home in Moxham, Johnston, on Sunday morning. Mrs. Bell was not well on Saturday night when she was attended by some of her relatives who asked for the privilege of remaining with her over the night, but she said she would be all right in a short time. Her husband, James Bell, died in 1919. Funeral services were held at Johnston with interment in Grandview cemetery.

Vincent Cosciortor

Vincent Cosciortor, aged thirty-one years, died at his boarding house near the Silk Mill last Monday morning at an early hour, following an illness of a week of pneumonia. He was commended to the rest of the Patton community for a number of years. Had he lived until next month it was his intention to return to Italy, the land of his birth, and he had already made the necessary arrangements for his departure. He is survived by several relatives in Italy and has two younger sons in Italy.

Mrs. Lucinda Kline

Mrs. Lucinda (Dietrich) Kline, aged 50 years, wife of Edwin Kline, of Carroll township, died at 11:40 o'clock Tuesday night at her residence, death being due to a complication of diseases. She had been in poor health for the past year. The deceased was a daughter of Frank and Matilda Dietrich. She was born on May 21, 1871, in East Carroll township. The deceased is survived by her husband, her parents and the following children: Mrs. Ruth, Alma, Paul, Mary, Bessie and Helen, all at home. The children range from 1 to 10 years of age. Mrs. Kline also is survived by the following brothers and sisters: Mrs. Ralph Nagle, of St. Augustine; Callista Dietrich and Loretta Dietrich, both of Pittsburg; Elizabeth, James, Gilbert and John Dietrich, of Carroll township; Lucinda Dietrich and Edwin Kline were married in June, 1911.

William J. Conrad

William J. Conrad, aged 40 years, very well-known in Patton, a director of the Northern Cambria Telephone Company, and secretary of the Cloverfield farming school board, died very suddenly at his home on Saturday morning, following a short illness of pneumonia. He had been in Patton only a few days before his death. He is survived by his widow and the following children: Mary, Loretta, Mildred, Grace, Edward, Lewis, Florence, Rita, and Louis; also by his mother, Mrs. Jennie Conrad and the following brothers and sisters: Paul and Weldon Conrad, of Ash Grove; Anthony, of Alton; Mrs. Laid Orman, of Ash Grove; and Mrs. Edward Horn, of Chesapeake.

Mrs. Helen Roy

Funeral services were held Tuesday morning in St. Augustine's Catholic Church at St. Augustine where a high mass of requiem was said by the Rev. Father Farren, the pastor. Interment was made in the church cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy

Mr. and Mrs. Roy, of Chesapeake, were here last week and made the acquaintance of Mary Marie, the sweetest girl, you will have the opportunity, for it is to be printed as a serial story.

Next Week

PATTON CAGERS BEAT PORTAGE FIVE, 26-17 IMPROVEMENTS

The fast Portage aggregation went down to defeat at the hands of the local Big Five at the Miners' Hall here Saturday evening, score 26-17. The game was unusually rough on the part of both sides, and was hard fought throughout. At the end of the first half the score was tied at 11 each, but the locals forged ahead in the second stanza, the visitors being held to one field goal in that period, Yarger making that by a fine shot from the center of the floor. The teamwork of the locals was not up to form, due to the absence of a couple of regulars from the line-up, including Captain Keim. E. Apel did stellar work for the winners, ending the double deckers and playing a good floor game. Yarger starred for the visitors, scoring 11 points, and playing a whirlwind game on the floor. The two teams will battle in the Portage floor in the near future.

Portage—17.
Greenway
C. Larimer
W. Larimer
M. Larimer
E. Apel
Substitutions—E. Apel for Christoff, Christoff for Apel, Goldstein for Rabey, Field Goals—Christoff 2, Apel 5, Greenway 2, Varner 1, Yarger 2, Fouls—C. Larimer, 12 out of 22; Yarger, 7 out of 12. Referee—George Sticker, of St. Benedict. Scorekeeper—J. Goldstein, of Portage. Timekeeper—McDewitt, of St. Benedict.

"WINKIE" FAVORS THE POSTOFFICE TELEPHONE

A few months ago Postmaster Claire Smale, acting on the suggestion of the Postmaster General, had a public telephone booth installed in the lobby of the local postoffice. The booth has proved to be of service to many since that time.

The other evening before the lobby was closed "Winkie" Dunn, well-known Patton young man, had occasion to use the post-office telephone, and entered the booth some time before the lobby was closed. It certainly must have been an interesting conversation, for "Winkie" remained in the booth for an hour or so after the post-office hours. The lobby door was closed and departed for the night.

At any rate postoffice in the lobby was attended by a customer. "Winkie" will be the subject of a tabular year.

HAS RESOLUTION SURPRISE PARTY IN HONOR OF MRS. DINSMORE

Jerry Ford, a former resident of Dubois, who is in attendance at the miners' convention, has been endeavoring to get a resolution before the convention endorsing the stand taken by the International convention of about a week ago. Mr. Ford has been unsuccessful in this regard on two different occasions, but in each instance has been ruled out of order. But that does not phase Jerry and he will make another effort.

It is extremely improbable that the resolution will get before the convention, as it takes unanimous consent to introduce a resolution after the resolution committee starts to work. It is not likely that this unanimous consent will be granted.

ST. BENEDICT NEWS ITEMS

Mrs. T. J. Kenwick of Brockwayville, Pa., returned to her home on Tuesday after spending the past week with her mother, Mrs. Nell White.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cowan were Sunday visitors in Ensign.

Mr. James Lang returned home on Monday after attending the U. M. W. of A. convention at Dubois.

Mrs. Jean White, a visiting daughter, Mrs. J. A. Dougherty at Ensign.

Mr. Hugh McQueen was a Spangler visitor on Sunday.

Telford Bayler is slowly recovering from a serious illness, at home in Wm. S. Bemie, Jr. of Brookings, Pa., returned to his home after visiting at the home of his uncle, Mr. Wm. S. Bemie in town.

Miss Joan Cowan returned home after spending the past two weeks with relatives and friends in Croshaw and Portage.

Miss Kate Craver and Miss Mary Margaret Wilson, of Ensign, spent Sunday in town.

Mrs. Lieta Cowan is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Eli Royer, in Dubois, Pa.

Mrs. Joseph Evans is a patient in the Winkler hospital, having undergone a serious operation on Monday.

Miss Belle White, who has been here the last two weeks with an attack of pneumonia, is much improved at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Duhon and family visited relatives and friends in Johnston, Sunday.

Dr. Bowers is very busy with his numerous patients in and around St. Benedict.

Robert Bradford is able to be about after an attack of the flu.

James Horn, Regnier, News, has been very busy looking after the sick.

COMING Mary Marie

Best story ever written by ELEANOR H. PORTER
Author of "Palmer House" and "Dead-end"

Dumas, studies, still as a mouse while Mary; gay, lively, lovable when Marie, she will smile or dance her way into the affections of every reader and leave a glow in the hearts of all grownups and children.

If you have not read this wonderful novel and made the acquaintance of Mary Marie, the sweetest girl, you will have the opportunity, for it is to be printed as a serial story.

ON ANOTHER PAGE
Read two testimonials on chiropractic on another page.

T. Stenton Davis Proves Popular A Candidate for Congressman

T. Stenton Davis is a man of broad business experience and is in every way qualified to represent the new Twentieth district, comprised of Cambria county, in Congress. As a secretary to National officials for several years, he is well versed in the routine of Congress. As a county commissioner, he has been courteous, painstaking and economical. An advocate of good roads, he with his colleagues in the commission office, have endeavored to improve all county roads fairly.

T. Stenton Davis will make a capable congressman, if elected.

REV. CONFERENCE THANKS RED CROSS

A recent meeting of the Walter McCreary Post, American Legion, it was unanimously resolved that the Directors of the Ladies' Auxiliary, American Red Cross, Patton branch, be extended a vote of thanks for the donation of \$230.04 to the Legion, this amount representing the balance of the Comfort Kit Fund.

The Legion has deposited this entire amount under a special Building Fund account, and will endeavor to raise a sum which will be a proportion sufficient to undertake the building of a permanent American Legion Home and community building.

JUST A REMINDER TO ALL PATRONS OF THE COURIER

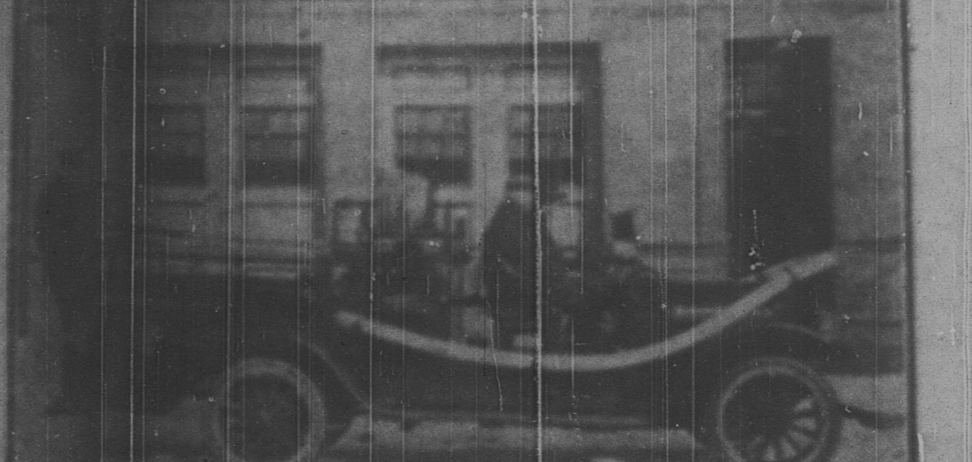
This is the particular time of the year that The Courier has extra offerings to meet, and whether you are a subscriber or an advertiser, you are one who are indebted to us, a prompt remittance will be appreciated by us. Don't neglect this matter. Collections have been very poor lately, and we can't maintain a printing office without funds.

Patton Fire Engine Proves Efficient

The Patton fire engine made the run of about nine miles over bad country roads last night when throwing water from the river that runs through Cherry Tree at about forty minutes.

The engine, built by the Patton Fire Engine Co., is a fine specimen of modern fire fighting equipment. It was built at a cost of about \$2,500. It has a capacity for 200 gallons of water, and is equipped with a powerful motor.

The Patton fire engine was used last night to extinguish a fire at the Patton Auto Company. The engine arrived at the scene in a few minutes and was able to throw water from the river. The fire was quickly extinguished.



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INJURED IN A FALL

Charles Kings, aged about 34 years, was severely injured in a fall Monday from the roof of the new garage being built for the Patton Auto Company in this place. In landing, Mr. Kings' leg crashed against a large pipe, tearing an ugly gash in his thigh. He was otherwise badly bruised.

GREEN TEA TONIGHT

The local members of the Catholic Daughters of America will entertain a Green Tea in the Orange Bank Hall, tonight, St. Patrick's Night. Auction bridge and club will be played. The admission price is 50 cents and the public is cordially invited.

Robert Cook is lying quite ill in his home here, suffering from pleurisy.

Dr. K. Sweeney, of Chesapeake, was a Patton visitor Tuesday evening.

Ebensburg Team Here Tomorrow PATTON BRIEFS

The fast Christian Church team of Ebensburg will invade this territory Saturday, the 18th, to meet the Patton Big Five at the Miners' Hall here. The game will be called at 8:45 P. M.

Much interest is attached in this contest over the fact that the two older Larimer boys, "Philly" and "Tom" will be seen in action on the Ebensburg line-up, while "Budd" "Nig" and "Pidge" Larimer will play with Patton. Paul "Nig" Larimer is attending school at Kink, but will be home Saturday and will get into this battle. Every one of these boys are first class basketball players, and doubtless will display keen rivalry among themselves in this game.

The two Apels and Judy, of the Ebensburg team, need no introduction to basketball fans in this vicinity. Their ability having been demonstrated more than once in games in the end of the county. Elmer Apel played with Patton against Portage last Saturday at the Miners' Hall, and got up a wonderful game, scoring six of Patton's total of eight field goals, and playing a fine floor game.

This Ebensburg aggregation has defeated some of the best teams in the county, and will be hard nut for the locals to crack. Keim, Christoff and Yarger will be seen in the Patton line-up in addition to the three Larimers, and it is assumed that these boys will offer formidable opposition to the county seat lads.

PATTON WONNERS WIN

The Patton Wonders defeated the Boniface Floorwalkers Saturday at Boniface by the score of 27 to 23. The game was rough and a number of fouls were called on both sides. Blake and McCaffery starred for the visitors while Yarger and W. Ott starred for Boniface. Patton was accompanied by the local rosters consisting of Char. Hunter, "Philly" Larimer, Charlie Mendenhall, John Paterson and John Boniface. The line-up was as follows:

W. Ott 4, Fouls—Blake, 6 out of 10; McCaffery, 1 out of 4; Yarger, 0 out of 2; W. Ott, 2 out of 13. Referee—Schaefer—"Pete" Larimer. Timekeeper—Mendenhall.

PATTON MIDGEYS WIN FROM BAKERTON FIVE

The Bakerton Midgeys offered very little opposition to the Patton Midgeys in a one-sided game at the Miners' Hall here Friday night, the score at the close of the final chapter being 46-5. The visitors were held to one lone field goal during the battle, and at no time did they show any signs of becoming dangerous. Swyers did hereabout work on the floor, slipping in 12 double deckers for the winners. Cooper played a fast floor game. The line-up:

Patton—46. Swyers—F. Passarella 10, Montiehl—F. Gavacky 7, Murray—C. Punchock 6, Cooper—G. Solonia 3, Larimer—G. Gonsella 3. Substitution—Winshaw for Larimer. Field Goals—Swyers 12, Cooper 6, Murray 3, Passarella 1. Fouls—Montiehl, 4 out of 15; Solonia, 3 out of 7. Referee—Goldstein.

TRINITY METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Rev. L. D. Ott, Minister. Sunday School at 2:40 P. M., Harry Chapman, Supr.

No other services during the day owing to the pastor attending conference. Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 7:45 o'clock.

TEN YEARS AGO

A. C. Fisher, of Patton, has just closed the agency with the Pittsburg Branch of the Ford Motor Co. for their line of cars for the Northern half of Cambria County, and the first car load of touring cars will arrive here about April 15.

James Thomas, a Patton resident, has bought the Lanark Hotel at Marsteller and moved his family and household goods to that place.

Mrs. M. D. Hester, who has been on patient at the Mercy Hospital, Johnston, returned to her home Monday, and is much improved.

Miss Genevieve McCormick and Romaine Seale, who have been students at the Indiana State Normal, are spending a short vacation at their home here.

A very pleasant birthday surprise party was held Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. C. Ross Lary, it being the anniversary of her birth. The evening was spent in a social and singing after which a splendid supper was served.

Wayland Zwayer, son of Rev. Zwayer, who is a student in the S. W. S. Normal at Chillicothe, Pa., came home last Friday for a short vacation, and will return to school the early part of next week.

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