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## Women Must Pay Tax Too

### Amendment of Laws Makes Payment of Same Compulsory for All.

Tax collector William J. Gill, this place, having learned that some of the women of Patton are questioning the collection of borough and school personal taxes from them, such as all men voters and taxpayers have been accustomed to pay, has furnished The Courier the following information relative to the right of the borough and schools to collect the taxes and further states that the local school board and council holds him responsible for the collection of the same according to law:

An extract from "Digests of Acts of Assembly of the Session of 1921 Amending the School Code or Affecting Educational Interests" reads: "Act 536, Code Sec. 537, Section 544 of the School Code has been repealed, and amendments have been made to sections 537, 539, 541, 542, 543, 554, 557 and 558, in order to clear up the confusion existing in regard to occupation taxes.

"The occupation tax, so far as it affects school districts, has been repealed entirely and there has been provided in place of it a per capita tax. School boards are not required to levy this tax, but they are authorized to do so if they wish. If they do levy it, however, it may not be less than \$1, nor more than \$5, and they may determine by resolution. It shall be levied upon all persons living in the district, both men and women, over 21 years of age. It shall be in addition to all other taxes which may be paid by them for school purposes and must be uniform upon all persons affected thereby.

Following also is an extract from an opinion furnished by an attorney, one of the collectors, governing the collection of all personal taxes, especially from women.

"It would be perfectly proper for a levy to be made upon any personal property owned by a female for the purpose of collecting thereout of any taxes assessed against her the same as in the case of those of the opposite sex."

## ST. AUGUSTINE NEWS

Miss L. M. Walker, Parish of St. Augustine, was the guest of Mrs. J. E. Adams, of Carrolltown, on a recent visit here.

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## St. Augustine Resident Passes Away

Frank A. McGuire, a retired farmer of St. Augustine, died Thursday at the home of his son, Richard P. McGuire, of Altoona. He was born in St. Augustine Dec. 8, 1839, and had been a farmer practically all his life. He was a member of the Catholic Church at St. Augustine. He is survived by three children and two sisters, including Mrs. Albert Fleck, of Carrolltown.

The body was taken overland to St. Augustine Saturday where the funeral took place from St. Augustine's Catholic Church. Interment was made in the church cemetery.

## BOIL THE WATER

The Patton Board of Health has a notice relative to the advisability of boiling all water used for cooking, drinking purposes, teeth cleaning, etc., regardless of the source from which the said water is obtained. The lack of rains for some time makes this notice imperative and it should be obeyed to the letter in order that a typhoid epidemic may be eliminated. It is careless in this matter, and you are you may have good reason to regret it later.

## JOHN D'ANDREA PURCHASES STOCK

The stock and fixtures of the Allison Allison Plumbing shop located on Magee avenue, was sold by Sheriff Roscoe C. Custer last Thursday morning, and but a small crowd of bidders were in attendance. John D'Andrea, of this place, was the highest bidder and secured the equipment for \$110.00.

## FOOTBALL TEAM IS ORGANIZED

Patton is to have a football team this fall, if the material can be secured and the citizens support the team. Practice periods will be started at once, and it is planned to have the first game on October 8th.

If plans materialize, the local boys will purchase new uniforms, but in order to do this the patronage of the people is needed at the games. All players interested should hand their names in to Walt Williams at the post office.

Collection for Cumbria Orphanage. Margaret Money, a visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Blair this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Culp and daughter Merion are spending the week-end in Altoona.

Miss Margaret Adams of Ebsenburg spent Sunday with her sister Miss Jennie Adams.

Miss Mae Bradley of Philadelphia is spending a few weeks at the home of her nephew, John Adams.

George McDermott is attending high school at Crosson.

The funeral of Frank McGuire of Altoona was held at St. Augustine, Pa. Mr. McGuire was born and lived at this place until a few years ago. From here he went to Altoona to live with his son Richard.

The funeral of Miss Mary Gates of Propriety was held here Tuesday morning with a solemn high mass. Interment in the church cemetery.

VISIT PASTOR'S HOME. At the invitation of Rev. and Mrs. Graham, the congregation of the M. E. Church Thursday evening visited at the parsonage and inspected the newly remodeled home of the Graham's. A pleasant evening was spent.

BOX SOCIAL. If you want a good time go to the box social in the primary room of the Baptist Church on Monday evening. The affair is under the supervision of several classes of the Sunday school. Ice cream and cake will also be served.

CONVINCING EVIDENCE. Mahaffey, R. D. 2, Pa., Sept. 2, 1922. This is to certify that I am 78 years old and have been troubled with indigestion and constipation for 50 years and had high blood pressure, so that I could hardly walk at all, and sometimes I was unable to get out of bed. I had been told by my doctor that I should take an adjustment and I did take an adjustment and now I speak of my new life.

It is Substituted. The name of George E. Wertz, Johnstown, has been filed as substitute nomination for Congress in the Cambria county district, taking the place of Anderson J. Walters, who withdrew.

## ROAD WORK IN THE PATTON SECTION

The Bell-Bockel Construction Company have finished their paving contracts in Patton Borough and have removed their equipment elsewhere. The streets improved by them have all appearances of being satisfactory. Work on the Hastings-Patton Road is reported as progressing nicely. Considerable work has been done at Highland Grove where a retaining wall of considerable length has been erected of concrete on the lower side of the road. Trolley tracks in this section were also moved during the week and the patrons of the company had a considerable distance to walk from one car to another while the work was in progress.

And the grading on Carrolltown stretch of road at the end of the Patton brick will likely be completed this week. Gifford & Pritchard, of Philadelphia, has this contract and they are pushing things in a lively manner. It is to be noticed that several Patton men have responsible positions with the contractors.

## VISITORS IN PATTON

Mr. and Mrs. So-and-So, of were callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Doe, of Patton, on Tuesday. This might have been your visitor and your name Mr. and Mrs. Courier reader, if you had taken the trouble to let us know about it. Just think how much better the Courier would be, if everyone would let us know the little news items. Don't be bashful. If you have visitors or have been visiting, let us know about it.

## DEMOCRATS HERE TONIGHT

A Democratic Political Rally is scheduled to take place in Patton tonight, when speaking will occur from the Palmer House porch. Among those scheduled to speak are Judge John H. McCann, of Ebsenburg, and Warren Worth Bailey, candidate for Congress on the Democratic ticket from the Twentieth District.

## PLAN INSTALLATION

The Degree of Protobator will be given by the women of that order in Patton on the 10th of October. The Local Lodge of Red Men will be invited to attend the Degree Services and a lunch will be served following the installation.

Meets on October 10th. The members of the Democratic Club are meeting for the purpose of organizing a committee to be sent to the State Convention to be held in Altoona on October 10th.

Both the 8-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. McCoy, of Bakerton, is a patient at the Spangler Hospital, suffering of a fractured skull, the result of being struck by an automobile Tuesday evening about 6 o'clock. The accident was apparently unavoidable. The little girl was crossing the street and stepped out from behind one car in front of another.

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## BIG NEW SERIAL COMING ROBINSON CRUSOE

Matinee at 1:30 TOMORROW At the MAJESTIC THEATRE

## HELP

the members of the PATTON HIGH SCHOOL TRACK and FIELD TEAM defray their expenses to the big FIELD MEET At Ebsenburg

By purchasing a ticket from H. S. Students. Good for 25 cents in trade at the PALMER HOUSE ICE CREAM PARLOR This SATURDAY and SUNDAY

## Excellent Speaker Coming to M. E. Church Sunday.

Rev. W. D. ... Sunday ...

## STUDENTS RESUME THEIR STUDIES

Several local students left in the course of the past week for various colleges and universities following vacation periods spent at their homes here.

## DICK WELSH IS LEAVING PATTON

Dick Welsh, for the past several years the manager of the J. G. McGee Grocery and Ten Cent Store here, will this week sever his connection with the McGee concern.

## THIRD ANNUAL BIRTHDAY

A few of the ...

## STUDENTS BACK MEET

Patton High School students are hard at it in preparation for the coming year.

## STORES MONDAY

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## PARTY AT HOME

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## MISS REGINA HOOPER BRIDE

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## Building and Contents Are Buried

The barn belonging to Edward Traylor, of West Carroll Township, was totally destroyed by fire Saturday night. Along with the building the season's crops, a threshing machine, a gasoline engine, a mowing machine, a grain drill, two horses and a coll and three pigs were also consumed.

## ON TRIP EAST

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Rhody and Mr. and Mrs. James Mitchell left Wednesday on a trip to the east where they will spend the remainder of the week. The first stop was at Chambersburg, Pa., where they visited Miss Aldine Rhody, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rhody, who is a student at Penn State.

## LOCAL FOLKS ENTERTAINED AT EBENSURG

On Friday evening of last week a party of young folks motored to Ebsenburg, where they were entertained by the Misses Allen and Leah Shambaugh, daughters of Attorney and Mrs. F. Shambaugh, who were with the company.

## RESIDENCE CONSTRUCTION RAPID

The handsome new brick mansion being constructed on Overberger Heights by Mr. and Mrs. Harry Good, of this place, is rapidly nearing completion and will be one of the most handsome homes in the north of Cambria County.

## THE OLD MELLON HOTEL

The Old Mellon Hotel, Patton's first history, now the property of George Good, in a few more days will be no more. Workmen are busy tearing it down. Located at the northern end of town, it was built at a point that at that time was presumed to be the logical point for Patton's business center.

## CHEST CREEK SORRY LOOKING

Chest Creek is sorry looking, indeed, these days. Lack of rain for a long time have reduced the estate while near river to practically a pebble path. Patton's swimming hole, this summer, despite improvements, didn't amount to much. It requires water to swim.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL TIME

On Sunday the Sunday School of the Baptist Church will go back to two o'clock for the winter. It is requested that all who see this notice tell others about the change in time.

## PARDON BUSH HAS MANY CASES

HARRISBURG—The state board of pardons will start off its October calendar with 25 cases. These represent cases continued or held under advisement at the Wednesday session and some new ones filed.

## FINES AND IMPRISONMENT

NORRISTOWN—Dr. L. A. Saltzman, of Philadelphia, was sentenced by Judge Solly Friday to three months imprisonment, with a fine of \$100 and costs. He pleaded guilty to extortion yesterday.

## Local Folks at Reception

M. E. Parishioners Attend Reception for Bishop at Altoona Monday. A number of the members of the congregation of the Patton, M. E. Church were in Altoona last Monday where they were in attendance at a reception and luncheon in honor of Bishop Fred R. Fisher, of India, who is at present touring America.

## CAMP CROWD HAD PARTY

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FIFTH AVENUE PATTON, PA.

1 lb. Box Special TOMAHAWK ASSORTED CHOCOLATES 49c

With one 35c tube of Melba Shaving Cream, one 25c box of Melba Talcum will be given free.