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Violin Recital to Be Event Worth While

Wednesday Evening, December 27th in the Methodist Episcopal Church

The music lovers of Patton are promised a rare treat by Richard Lilly, violinist formerly of Patton and Philadelphia but soon to be of the wide world, who on Wednesday evening, December 27th, assisted by Mrs. W. A. Graham, soprano, and Mrs. Marie Drake Fuller, reader, and Mrs. James Mitchell, accompanist, will give a recital in the Methodist Episcopal Church of Patton.

An evening of high class music by our own "Dick" Lilly, with a varied program of singing and readings of art and artists. Patton knows "Dick" Lilly, and loves him for his high patience and perseverance, as much as for his clean life and manly character, and rejoices to know that the artist of this Patton boy is soon to be known and appreciated by the world. The ability of Mrs. Graham

The program for the event is as follows:
Concerto in E Minor, Mendelssohn
Allegro molto appassionato, Andante, Allegro molto vivace
Richard Lilly Selected
Reading, Marie Brake Fuller
Gavotte Minature, Hahn
Ave Marie, Richard Lilly
Calm as the Night, Carl Bohm
Capriccio Valse, Weiniawski
Reading, Richard Lilly
The Page's Song ("The Huguenots"), Meyerber
Zigennerweisen, Richard Lilly

Methodist Church.
Sunday School 10:00 p. m. Santa Claus will visit the Sunday School regular preaching services at 11:00. Special music will be furnished. Richard Lilly who will play a violin solo and a mixed quartette by Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Fuller and Mr. and Mrs. Graham.
The subject of the sermon will be "Christmas".
The Sunday School will have a cantata at 7:30 o'clock. Everyone is invited.

Alumni Dance.
An Alumni dance will be held in the Municipal Hall of this place on Thursday December 28. The proceeds of this dance go to help equip the new high school. This is a worthy cause and the dance should be well attended. Good music will be furnished by the Imperial Seven Orchestras of Barabores. This orchestra has played here several times before and has a reputation for furnishing good music for dancing. During intermission, refreshments will be served. Dancing from 9 to 12:30. Admission \$1.00 extra ladies 50c. Everyone is cordially invited to come. Come and tell all your friends to come.

Calvary Chapel.
The word is a lamp unto my feet and light unto my path. The Psalmist knew the value of God's word, and all who attend services at the Baptist Chapel also know what a blessing the study of the Bible and the worship of God brings to us. Let us all make this Christmas season a time of special joy by attending the meetings. Sunday School 10:15 A. M. If the weather at six o'clock instead of the usual services, there will be the Sunday School Christmas service. A fine program has been prepared and the Christmas feast will be given at 6:30. Let us all attend the service with glad hearts.

Card of Thanks.
I desire to express my sincere thanks to the friends and neighbors who have so kindly and generously contributed to the fund for the purchase of the new high school building. The fund has been placed in the hands of the Board of Trustees and the building will be completed in the near future. I am sure that the new building will be a credit to our community and a blessing to our children. I am, dear friends, ever your truly,
Richard Bartholmess
in Jesus David

Patton Lady Is Called By Death

Miss Ida Adams Dies at Her Home Aged 45 Years; Funeral Saturday

Miss Ida Adams, aged 45 years, of Patton died at her home at 3:45 o'clock Thursday afternoon. Her death was due to erysipelas. She was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Augustine Adams, residing near Chest Springs. The deceased is survived by her parents and the following brothers and sisters: Mrs. A. G. Maloney, Ashville, Mrs. E. A. Williams, Whitewood Springs, Mrs. Frank Johnson, Ashville; Mrs. Frank Land, Ligonier; Mrs. Raymond Bauman, Bradley Junction; Benjamin Adams, Westover; and William, Robert and Chester Adams, all at home. The body was removed to the parsonage near Chest Springs and funeral services were held Saturday morning in St. Monica's Catholic church, Chest Springs, with burial in the church cemetery.

Sewing Club.
Miss Louise Young, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Barth Young, entertained the sewing club at her home on Fifth avenue last Monday evening. The evening was spent in quipping games and conversation. Those present were Romayne Weakland, Ruth Kasher, Dorothy Sommerville, Betty Fitzgerald, Betty Grant, Katherine Dillon, Doris Kane, and Florence Kahley. At nine o'clock a light lunch was served, and at an early hour the guests parted for their homes.

Patton Wins Victory.
The first basket ball game was played in Patton this season last Monday evening by the Patton Whirlwinds and Hastings Midgets. At this game Patton was victorious. We congratulate the boys and hope all other Patton teams will be just as victorious. The Whirlwinds have reinforced their team since last year by ready to meet any Midget team by seeing their manager.

Notice.
All skating, sliding, sledding or loitering in or upon the dam or source of supply of water of the Borough of Patton is prohibited, and all forms of pollution of the water supply of water shed is prohibited under penalty of \$100.00.

Board of Health.
The Board of Health has posted bills around the town, pertaining to this. We hope the organization, Officers, members are John Brophy, President; James Marks, Vice President; and Roland Gilbert Secretary-Treasurer.

Father Peters a Spangler.
The Rev. Father Peter, of Spangler in the absence of Father James Spangler who was out of town last week. During Father Peters stay in town he visited the Parochial schools in Spangler and the surrounding towns.

Return Home.
Freeman R. W. Jones of this place who has been visiting in Ohio, stopped off Saturday to visit friends in Johnstown on his way home.

Mrs. Williams Convalescent.
Mrs. Freeman B. Williams of this place who has been sick for two years is convalescing, under the care of Dr. Rice, of Ebensburg.

Fogarty for Whitsmen's Sampler.

Merry Christmas



and sweet contentment of all our readers.

Re-elected Samuel O. Shoemaker Passes Away at Mercy Hospital

Samuel O. Shoemaker, of Patton, Pa., died at the Mercy hospital, Johnstown, last Friday of diabetes, aged 78 years. Mr. Shoemaker became ill at the Bender hotel where he was stopping and was removed to the hospital Wednesday. Mrs. Shoemaker formerly was Miss Ellen O'Hara of Ebensburg. Mr. Shoemaker is survived by his widow and five children, one of whom is Oliver Shoemaker of Big Bend. The body was taken to Carrick for burial.

Ebensburg Court Elects Officers.
At a meeting held at Ebensburg recently by Ebensburg Court, Catholic Daughters of America, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Grand Regent, Regent, Miss Laura Sawyer; Prophetess, Miss Nell Nelson; Monitor, Miss Leanta Englehart; Financial Secretary, Mrs. Elizabeth Plummer; Sentinel, Miss Alice Mahoney; Organist, Miss Lucille Lacher; Treasurer, Miss Olive Parrish; Trustees—Mrs. Elizabeth Boney and Mrs. Edna McEwen.

Mrs. Chas. H. Boyd of this place was ill at Tyne on account of the illness of her sister.

Who Said Santa Claus?

When Santa Claus is hitching up
The reindeers to his sleigh,
I'm going to bring a great big bag
Of love to him, and say—
Dear Santa Claus, please take this bag
And on each Christmas tree
Tie just a little bunch of love,
Fast with a memory.

To you dear friend I wish the best
Of all good gifts that are,
Good health, and wealth, and fame, and love,
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PERSONAL AND LOCAL NEWS

Romayne Worrell is spending the Christmas holidays at the home of her parents in and Mrs. S. W. Worrell.
Warren Brothers was a Sunday evening caller in town.
Miss Catherine Simpson was an Altoona shopper Saturday.
Bob Scudera of Harrisburg was a Saturday evening caller in town.
Rev. French McKee attended a meeting of the Presbytery in Jeannette last week and later went to Pittsburgh and Wooster, Ohio where he has a son in College.
Gella Lucas of Gaffney, Ohio, is spending the Christmas holidays at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Lucas of Magee avenue.
Mrs. Reed Corroll was a Johnstown shopper on Wednesday.
Walter Sherman of Harrisburg was a Wednesday evening caller in Patton.

Elect Officers at Wilmore.
WILMORE—Catholics of America, electing the following officers at a recent meeting: grand regent, Mrs. T. F. Farrell; vice grand regent, Miss Mary McDonald; prophetess, Miss Margaret White; monitor, Miss Vera M. Boyer; sentinel, Miss Anne McConnell; financial secretary, Mrs. Myrtle Comauer; treasurer, Miss Thea Belter; organist, Miss Helen White; organist, Miss Vilma Koon; assistant organist, Mrs. T. Long; trustees—Mrs. Doris Meyers and Mrs. Martina Belter.
Parish Court will hold a meeting in January, at which time a number of candidates will be nominated. A Christmas party will be held within a few days for the children of this vicinity.
The C. D. A. Bridge Club of Patton court was organized recently. Mrs. Martina Belter was elected president of the organization and Mrs. Dougherty was elected secretary-treasurer.

Ebensburgers Get Bear.
EBENSBURG—While on a hunting expedition in Potter County, A. J. Benint, manager of the local drug store, and Recorder of Deeds Ross Cabin both of this place, killed a large black bear, weighing 405 pounds. The bear has been placed on exhibition in Patton, Pa.

State Refuse Approved to Sale.
HARRISBURG—The public service commission, in an opinion issued recently, approved the proposed sale of property of the Red Bank Telephone Company, north of the Clarion river, to the Forest Telephone and Telegraph Company, subject to a provision in the contract whereby subscriber stockholder are given the option of \$5 in cash or a rural telephone with a \$5 credit in exchange for stock in the Red Bank Company.

Indiana Woman Burned.
INDIANA—While fixing a lamp with kerosene oil in an outbuilding at her home in North Buffalo, Mrs. Cabin Sarver ignited some of the fluid on her dress, and when she struck a match to light the lamp her dress ignited. She ran outside the building and jumped into a rain barrel which contained sufficient water to put out the fire. While badly burned, her condition is not serious.

Notice.
The postoffice will be opened until 9:00 p. m. on Saturday evening to accommodate the people.

Sues For Divorce.
EBENSBURG—A suit in divorce was filed here Saturday by Estella Williams against Lash Williams, alleging desertion.

Fogarty for Christmas Tags and Seals.
In Sicily a young woman is usually wed at 13, that being the legal age for marriage.

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Former Cambrian Answers Summons

Dies at Home of Daughter in Altoona; Interment in St. Benedict's Cemetery

ALTOONA—Thomas J. Weakland died at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Cora Gerber, 2201 Eleventh avenue, this city at 4:45 o'clock Saturday morning of a complication of diseases incident to advanced age. He was born in Cambria county, November 29, 1848, and had resided in this city for the past 19 years. Mr. Weakland was a member of St. Leo's Catholic church. He is survived by his widow and the following children: Gilbert P. of Pittsburgh; Frank P. of Chicago; Henry C. Mrs. John O'Hara, Mrs. Cora Gerber, Mrs. August Sosack and Mrs. Elizabeth Weakland, all of this city. The funeral took place Monday morning with requiem mass at 6:30 in St. Leo's Catholic church. The remains were taken by train to Carrolltown at 7:45. Interment took place in St. Benedict's church cemetery here.

COURT NEWS

Meredith Evans, employed as a truck driver by the Galliter Lee Cream Company, of Johnstown, charged with involuntary manslaughter, entered a plea of guilty in court Thursday afternoon. He was directed to pay the costs of prosecution and further sentence suspended. Evans was arrested in Johnstown several weeks ago following an automobile accident in which Benjamin Henry Given, 11-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Given, of Wood avenue, First Ward, Johnstown, was fatally injured when run down by a truck driven by the defendant. District Attorney D. P. Weimer conducted a careful investigation following the fatality and found that the accident was unavoidable.

Attorney Arthur Simler and R. C. Berry, both of Johnstown, charged with contempt of court for having failed to answer to a subpoena, were sentenced to pay the costs and a fine of \$10. These two men had been subpoenaed as witnesses in the case of James P. Lamont and James W. Egan, charged with violation of the liquor laws. Sheriff Logan M. Keller was directed to bring them into court Monday and Berry was imprisoned for ten days for failure to appear.

A verdict of "not guilty" was returned by Judge John H. Egan's court in the case of Herman Roberts, charged with operating an automobile without the owner's consent. The costs were equally divided between the defendant and the prosecutor, Leonard O. Shipp.

David Craig was found not guilty of a charge of larceny and the costs were equally divided between the defendant and the prosecutor, Leonard O. Shipp.

Jacob Goldberg, charged with fraudulent conversion, was acquitted and the costs were placed upon the county by direction of the court. John J. Cabell, charged with larceny was acquitted.

William McDermott, charged with assault and battery, was found not guilty, but directed to pay one-half of the costs and the prosecutor, John Jones, pay the other half of the costs.

Jeff Kowalke, charged with entering a place of business to commit a felony and with larceny, preferred by Samuel Snyder, and with receiving stolen goods on another charge preferred by Martin E. Babark, was convicted on both counts. On the first charge he was sentenced to pay the costs and to serve six months in the county jail. On the second count he was directed to pay the costs and further sentence was suspended on condition of good behavior.

Harry Whitmore, charged with violation of the liquor laws, was found not guilty, but directed to pay the costs.

John Ford, charged with larceny which case grew out of the theft of a handbag valued at about \$12 from the checking room of the Merchants' Hotel, Johnstown, was found not guilty.

Ames Moss, charged with fraudulently uttering a check, was found not guilty, but directed to pay the costs.

Of Interest to Women.
Miss Carolyn Virginia Plattner, an energetic American girl, has sailed for Rio de Janeiro, where she will establish a billiard academy for women.

Mrs. Moll-Weiss is to be the first woman to address the Institute of France. She has been invited to read a paper on the work, which is being done in France, for the children of necessitous foreigners.

Purjury is declared to be quite common among women applying for a marriage license. According to the license clerk of one city, one out of every five brides-to-be purposely gives the wrong name or address.

That the granting of suffrage to women deprived them of the right to any special legislative protection is the ground taken by the Court of Appeals of the District of Columbia in its decision against the minimum wage law for women.

The Workshipful Company of Shipwrights, one of the old city guilds of London, has broken all traditions by making seven women "freemen" of the society. They are the wives of men distinguished in the shipping world, and the honor is accorded in recognition of their own labors in behalf of shipping interests.

Fogarty for Xmas Cards.