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CONCERT PROVES FINE SUCCESS

And the Patton Community Chorus is Organized As a Result of It. The chorus under the direction of Mrs. W. A. Graham and Mrs. Mae L. Mitchell gave a concert in the Methodist church last night...

Immediately after the concert a meeting was held at which it was decided to make this a community chorus. The following officers were elected...

Mrs. J. Ross Harris of Johnstonville rendered some very pleasing solos which were much appreciated by the audience...

The program as rendered last night is as follows: "Awake with the Lark", "Night Winds", "Spring Song", "Pond Lilies", "Melody", "Ebensburg Contractor Low", "Bids were opened Wednesday morning for the construction of a new one-quarter mile of improved highway on Route No. 63...

John L. Elder, of Ebensburg, submitted the lowest bid, which was \$208,633.60. Other bidders were G. & Plummer, Inc., Johnstown, \$218,771.65; Burnside Construction Company, Burnsides, Indiana County, \$214,612.

Supervisors of Seneca County have taken the bids under advisement before awarding the contract. W. A. B. Little 81 Years Old. EBENSBURG—W. A. B. Little, formerly of Loreto, now of this place, who is one of the best known and most respected citizens of the county...

OWEN J. FLANNIGAN FOUND NOT GUILTY

Mine Foreman Acquitted of Involuntary Manslaughter—Growing out of Disaster. OWEN J. FLANNIGAN, a resident of Patton, was acquitted of involuntary manslaughter...

With him at the time of the accident was Murray Bloom, who was injured. The jury returned its verdict after a deliberation of about two hours...

St. Bonifacio News. Mass Action Taken by a Chapter in Hastings, Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Paul H. Heston of Hastings have recently announced...

St. Benedict School. The school opened on Monday morning and the Silver Sox, a school organization, was organized...

Children's Day. The American Baptist Publication Society always puts out a splendid program for Children's Day. This year the program is just what we need...

Adoptive His Stepson. The Court Monday granted the petition of Roy Gray for the adoption of Aloysius Robertson of Johnstown. The petition stated that Coosia Gray, wife of the petitioner, is the mother of the minor child, Aloysius Robertson...

Plan Regional Headquarters. HARRISBURG—Plans for establishment of regional headquarters in Harrisburg, Philadelphia and Pittsburgh, were discussed by the State Board of the Pennsylvania League of Women Voters here Monday...

TELEPHONE MAN IS ELECTROCUTED

George Mellow Meets With Accident Causing Death Five Hours Later. GEORGE MELLOW, a resident of Patton, was electrocuted while at work on a telephone line...

Following the mass a reception was held at the Knights of Columbus rooms at 222 Market. This was followed by the exemplification of the third degree at 7 o'clock. More than 400 members of the Knights of Columbus...

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The Degree Exemplified

Barnes A. Council, Knights of Columbus Holds Impressive Ceremony. BARNES A. COUNCIL, Knights of Columbus, held a very impressive ceremonial at the Patton High school...

The Knights and the class of candidates attended high mass celebrated in St. Mary's church at 7 o'clock in the morning. The Rev. Father Frankovsky, pastor of the church, celebrated the mass. A very impressive sermon was given to the Knights and candidates...

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WILMORE LADY RUN DOWN BY AUTOMOBILE

Mrs. Barbara Reider, Aged 80 Run Down Near Nicktown Expires at Spangler. Mrs. Barbara Reider, aged 80, was run down by an automobile near Nicktown and expired at Spangler...

As a result of injuries suffered about 2 1/2 weeks ago, Mrs. Reider died at Spangler. She was on her way to visit her daughter in the Nicktown Hotel. She suffered a fracture of the skull in the accident and severe laceration of the face, hands and arms.

Mrs. Reider was traveling in an automobile with her son, Mrs. Charles Reider, and her husband and son, and Mrs. Barbara Weiser. The party was en route to Spangler and while traveling along the Nicktown road stopped for a short time. Mrs. Reider was attempting to cross the road when she was struck by the automobile.

The body of Mrs. Reider was turned over to Undertaker Jeff Evans of Phoenix, Pa. to be buried. Burial services were held Wednesday morning in the New German Catholic church. Interment was made in the church cemetery.

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CORNER STONE WAS LAID LAST SUNDAY

Three Thousand Present at Services, Including Many Priests. ABOUT \$1800 TAKEN IN. NANTY GLO. With impressive services in charge of Bishop John J. Mcort, the cornerstone of the new St. Mary's school building was laid last Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The services were attended by 3000 people. The dedicatory address was delivered by the Rev. Father Christopher Murphy of Altoona. The Rev. Father Murphy talked on education in general and then discussed the Catholic phase of education. He paid tribute to the bishop, the pastor of St. Mary's church and to the members of the school congregation for their untiring work in making such a fine project possible for Nanty-glo.

Bishop Mcort also made an address which commended the Rev. Father Michael T. O'Connor and members of St. Mary's congregation for their untiring efforts in making the school possible. The Rev. Father Murphy also commended the Rev. Father Michael T. O'Connor and members of St. Mary's congregation for their untiring efforts in making the school possible.

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ANNIVERSARY OF WEDDING HELD

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert H. Springer Married Twenty Years on Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert H. Springer last Saturday observed the twentieth anniversary of their wedding. They received their nuptial vows at a high mass in St. Mary's Catholic church, this place in the presence of a large number of relatives and friends. The ceremony was held at the Springer residence at noon at which the relatives of and a number of friends were present, and the evening witnessed a reception at which a great number were in attendance. Mr. and Mrs. Springer were married at St. Benedict's church, Carlisle, on June 10th, 1903, by the Rev. Father Amador, O. S. B. The following were present at the reception on Saturday evening.

Rev. Father Henry and Edwin Peterson, O. S. B. Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Weitz, Mr. and Mrs. James Link, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Nagle, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gregory, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Springer, Mr. and Mrs. John Springer, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Springer, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Springer, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Stoltz, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Sweeney, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Stryker, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Foley, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Link, Mr. and Mrs. John Link, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. John Long, Jr. and Mrs. G. H. Sloan, Mrs. Luella Berg, Mrs. Frank Springer, Mrs. Mary Springer, Mrs. Mary Fisher, Mrs. Victor Lauer, Mrs. Paul Biler, Mrs. Aaron Winkland, Elmer Springer, Vincent Springer, Mrs. Fred Sloan, Mrs. Messinger, Mrs. Anna Springer, Mrs. Adeline Springer, Mrs. Annie Springer, Evelyn Springer, Margaret Gregory, Rita Lita, Sylvia Lauer, James Springer, Billie Springer and David Springer.

Favors were awarded as follows: Mrs. John Long ladies king prize, and Aaron Winkland, gentlemen's king prize, and the consolation prizes were awarded to Mrs. John Link and Steve Cooper.

A class of approximately 540 men and women received diplomas at the commencement exercises of the Pennsylvania State University at University Park. This was the largest class ever to be graduated from the institution. In addition to the graduates were women. Included among the graduates was Penn State's oldest woman student, Mrs. Sarah Shoemaker Farley, of Swartzville, who is proud of the fact that she has twelve grandchildren. Mrs. Farley is 77 years old and before entering Penn State had put two sons through the institution and another son through medical college. She completed the course in Botany and new expects to continue studying an advanced degree.

The unique situation of a mother and son both completing their college courses in the same year is also to be found at Penn State. This year, Mrs. Susan Porterfield of State College was among the graduates on Tuesday while her son Henry, a world war veteran, needs but an additional three credits and will complete his work this summer.

A number of graduates were war veterans including some rehabilitation students sent here by the government. Although other states and foreign countries had representatives in the graduating class, more than 95 per cent of the graduates hail from Pennsylvania. The Baccalaureate session was preached last Sunday. Grad Day exercises were on Monday and the Commencement proper on Tuesday. President John M. Thomas awarded the degrees.

The following students from Cambria county received their diplomas at the commencement exercises: William Richard Linnas; Johnstown, Commerce and Finance; Harry Newsham Bentz, Ebensburg, Commerce and Finance; Albert George Engelbach, Johnstown, Pre-Medical; Cletus Francis Faranaguet, Carlisle, Electrical Engineering; William Joseph Fleming, Colver, Electrical Engineering; Joseph Moses Kadetsky, Johnstown, Electrical Engineering; Gerald Thompson Keninger, Beaverdale, History and Political Science; Emory Mayross Leonard, Johnstown, Electrical Engineering; Joseph Vincent Maucher, Carlisle, Industrial Chemistry; Oliver Richard Strittmatter, Patton, Electrical Engineering; William Edwin Farnish, Johnstown, Electrical Engineering.

Pittsburgh Salesman Injured. A. Goldstein, a traveling salesman for a Pittsburgh firm, suffered a broken right collar-bone and possible internal injuries Friday afternoon, when an automobile in which he was driving turned turtle near the Pennsylvania railroad crossing at Hogueville, Goldstein being pinned beneath the machine. Another occupant, whose name could not be learned, escaped with minor bruises. A broken steering knuckle is said to have been responsible for the accident. Motorists associated in lifting the machine from Goldstein and he was taken to the office of Dr. H. T. Prudeaux, who ordered his removal to the Altoona hospital. The machine was badly damaged. A typewriter which writes music has been invented by an Italian.