

PERSONAL AND LOCAL NEWS NOTES OF PATTON AND THE IMMEDIATE VICINITY

SEND US ALL THE NEWS YOU KNOW AND HELP FILL THIS DEPARTMENT. EVERY LITTLE ITEM HELPS MAKE THIS PAPER JUST A LITTLE BETTER FOR ALL. SEND, BRING, MAIL THEM.

M. H. Gardner, Notary Public, at the Toler Jewelry Co.

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Miss Berta Christoff was the guest of Spangler friends last week.

Master Hoover, of near here, has returned from State College where he was one of the county contestants who won third prize in the Dairy Cattle Judging contest of Pennsylvania.

Miss Aline Kartheim of this place has gone to Wilkes-Barre, where she has accepted a position, and has joined her sister, Miss Marie Kartheim, who was formerly of this place.

Simon Conrad, of Wilkes-Barre, who is employed by the Wilkes-Barre Radio Company, has returned to this city after a few days visit with his mother, Mrs. Harriet Conrad, of Chest Springs.

FOR SALE AT A SACRIFICE. Property of W. A. Dinsmore, on Fifth Avenue, Mr. Dinsmore can be seen in Patton on the balance of this week.

Mrs. Mary Litzinger had as her guests the early part of the early part of the week her daughter, Miss Josephine Litzinger, of Akron, Ohio, and Mrs. J. R. Graf, of Pittsburgh.

James Gillice, of Baltimore, Md., was a recent guest at the home of his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Shannon.

Mrs. Barth Young of South Fifth Avenue was the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. T. Breth, of Clearfield, last week.

Mrs. George Boyer has returned from State College where she was the guest of friends.

Mrs. George Hopple, of West Magee avenue, has as her house guest her mother Mrs. T. F. Foley of Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Hayes Cornelius and visitors over the Fourth of July at the Battlefield of Gettysburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kinkead and Miss Martha Kinkead spent the week end at the Fourth among relatives and friends in Clearfield and Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Holland and son, of Shamokin, spent several days this week as the guests of the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Morey.

On July 23, a 75-mile automobile race will be staged at the Carrolltown Fair Grounds. Twelve machines will enter the race. The Mid Atlantic Auto Contestants Association of Pittsburgh will put on the meet.

Disciples of Izaak Walton had put their fishing tackle and gear in the hands of the fishing tackle and gear store, set for July 1st.

In addition to bass 10 other species are included in the pen season starting July 1st.

All resident fishermen over 16 years of age and all non-resident fishermen of any age must have licenses.

Resident licenses are \$1 plus a fee of 10 cents if secured through a county Treasurer, and non-resident licenses are the same as charged by the home State of such anglers, not exceeding \$2.50.

The season opening July 1, with the sizes and catch limits are: Bass, small and large mouth, July 1 to November 30; not less than nine inches; 10 of combined species may be taken in one day.

Bass, white, rock, crappie, stawberry, or calico, July 1 to November 30; not less than six inches 15 of combined species may be taken in one day.

Two rods. Pike perch, otherwise known as well-eyed perch or Susquehanna salmon, July 1 to November 1, not less than 12 inches; 10 in one day.

Pickerel, July 1 to November 30; not less than 12 inches; 15 in one day.

Muscalonge, or western pike, July 1 to November 30 not less than 28 inches long; three in one day.

The regular trout season, which was opened April 1, is to close July 31, was lake or salmon trout will be legal from July 1 to September 29. There is no size limit. Twenty-nine may be taken in one day.

Two rods and two lines and one hand line with no more than three hooks to each line are permitted, angling for game fish. The rods and lines must be under the immediate control of the person fishing according to the law.

A gift of landing net may be used to land a fish already hooked. No other devices are legal.

PORTAGE MAN KILLED IN AUTOMOBILE WRECK. John ("Skip") James, aged about 34, one of the first casualties of the world war, who came home to Portage last week to spend July 4th, was instantly killed about 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon when an Automobile in which he was riding with Anthony Bradley on the cement road near Jamestown, the machine left the road and overturned, pinning James beneath. Bradley escaped with minor injuries. Both men had been patients at the Walter Reed hospital, Washington, D. C.

The two men had been home for the holiday. James, son of the late William James, of Jamestown, was staying at that place with his sister, Mrs. Robert Inman. He was one of the first to enlist from Portage and was permanently disabled April 3, 1918, on the Verdun front when shot about the legs. At the time he was fighting as a private with the second trench mortar battalion. Since then he has been in government hospitals.

Mr. James was a member of the Portage American Legion Post, and was accorded a military funeral at 2 o'clock on Tuesday afternoon.

WILL HOLD MINE FOREMAN'S EXAMINATIONS ON JULY 11th. Examinations for mine foreman, assistant mine foreman and fire bosses will be held by mine inspectors at 11 places throughout the bituminous field of the state July 11, 12, and 13, with special examinations at State College July 20, 21, and 22. The work will begin on Monday morning July 11th at 9 o'clock for mine foremen first grade and mine

Educated Fingers



Madge L. Lockwood, 22, of Zeigler, Ill., detected counterfeiting \$20 bills by the feet—she worked in the local bank. She tipped-off Federal officers and a gang which had circled \$400,000 of spurious notes was caught.

PENNSYLVANIA GAS TAX BUILDS ROADS

Pennsylvanians Friday began paying an additional one cent per gallon for their gasoline.

State officials predicted that the new tax would increase the State revenues by approximately \$12,000,000 during the next biennium.

Under the terms of the measure authorizing the tax the three-cent tax will remain in force for two years.

A permanent tax of two cents per gallon was approved by the Legislature and the emergency tax of one cent added.

The money derived from the tax will be used in the construction of roads in the Commonwealth. Practically all of the last \$50,000,000 road bond issue has been used and officials of the State, in forcing through the three-cent tax levy, pointed that it would be impossible to continue the State's road building projects if the levy was not approved.

Next year the electors will vote on a constitutional amendment which would provide an additional \$50,000,000 bond issue for road construction work.

Much increase in revenue is expected under the new law from the fact that large consumers of gasoline who formerly purchased the fuel in car-load lots in other States and evaded the State tax will now be forced to make quarterly returns to the State the same as dealers.

ST. AUGUSTINE NEWS.

Leo Lilly, of Cresson spent the last of the week here with friends.

Miss Marie Link has returned to Altoona after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Link of this city.

Philip Luther of this place was a recent visitor in Ashville.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Link of Bradock spent the week end here with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Pearl Dunmore of Patton was a recent visitor here.

Charles Burzoon of Altoona called on friends here recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Burzoon and family of Dean spent Sunday with the former's sister, Mrs. Joseph O'Leary.

Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Horne and children, Joseph and Jane, are visiting relatives and friends in Greensburg and Uniontown.

Mrs. Matilda Kries of Altoona is visiting friends and relatives here.

John Adams of Bradock spent the week end here with friends and relatives.

John Trexler of Cresson called on friends here recently.

Mrs. Pearl Dunmore of Gallitzin spent Sunday here with her father, T. J. Warfield and family.

Bernard Bradley of Loreto spent the week end here with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Nagle of Altoona recently called on friends here.

Crude Water Heaters Used by Old Romans

Even so generally used and useful a thing as hot water in generous quantities is a development of very modern times. For thousands of years primitive, laborious methods were the only means for having hot water. This condition was but little improved up to less than a generation ago.

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East Credited With Idea of Gunpowder

Gunpowder was made in the Middle Ages much as it is now, except that the processes were not so refined, and the product cruder and weaker. Gunpowder is a mixture consisting of potassium nitrate, sulphur and charcoal. The origin of it is involved in considerable uncertainty, but it is believed to have been discovered in the ancient East.

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Morocco a Safe Country

The days of roughing it, exploration, freedom of action, are gone—as far as Morocco is concerned. Fifteen years ago a man could take a pack outfit and a bunch of natives and go wherever he wanted to. No more; the French and Spanish are in control, says Adventure Magazine.

"Mix together saltpetre with lura num cum ure and sulphur, and you will make thunder and lightning, if you know the mode of mixing." The four seemingly meaningless words in the middle are simply a transposition of the letters of carbonum pulvere or charcoal.

Only a Dream

Hubby listened intently. His wife and her mother were talking. The latter was saying: "You have indeed secured a splendid husband, and I think you ought to treat him with a little more tact and consideration. Don't always want to know where he is going, and if he comes home a little late be agreeable and wait until he explains before you begin asking a lot of awkward questions. He's just the sort to appreciate your generosity on your part. Be kind to him."

Hubby stirred uneasily, trying to hear more, when—he awoke.

Boo!

She had been turning over every article the weary salesman had placed before her on the counter, but nothing seemed to be exactly the thing she wanted.

"I am afraid there's nothing here to suit," she decided at last, and then, in a burst of confidence, whispered: "You see, tomorrow is my husband's birthday and I wanted to surprise him."

The weary man behind the counter gave her a scathing look.

"Well," he suggested in icy tones, "why not hide behind the armchair and yell 'Boo' at him?"

Blissful Beginning

Owing to the absence through illness of the woman who taught the senior girls' Bible class, the young assistant minister was asked to undertake the duties for the day.

He consented, but before beginning he said, smilingly: "Now, girls, I want to conduct your class just as your teacher does, so you might tell me what she does first."

A short pause, then the answer from a pert miss of sixteen: "Well, she always kisses us all round!"

Mahomet's Career Short

Mahomet became a prophet and an international figure after he was forty years old, and finished his epoch-making career in 23 years. At the age of forty he began to get the "visions" which gave him the precepts for the Koran and commanded him to preach them to the world. "There is only one God, and Mahomet is his prophet," is the keynote he gave to the religion he founded—a religion whose adherents today number more than 220,000,000.

-Grand- THEATRE - - - PATTON

THURSDAY AND FRIDAY, JULY 7th and 8th

A JAMES OLIVER CURWOOD STORY.

THE Flaming Forest

With ANTONIO MORENO and RENEE ADOREE. A drama of the Northwest Mounted Police.

SATURDAY, JULY 9th.

A Hero of the Big Snows

The Wonder Dog, more resourceful, more alert and more beautiful than ever. Also COMEDY and NEWS. EXTRA FOR SATURDAY MATINEE ONLY. BEN WILSON in

The Baited Trap

A six-reel Western Picture and a two reel comedy. Matinee at 1:30 P. M.

The Gay Deceiver

And PAULINE STARKE and ANTONIO MORENO in LOVES BLINDNESS. Also a two-reel Comedy. Admission 10c-15c-25c.

The Scarlet Letter

A story of the early Puritan settlements in New England. One of the world's greatest love stories.

NOT SO MANY WEDDING PERMITS ISSUED THIS YEAR

Dan Cupid, the elusive youngster who hobs up quite often in unexpected places, married off close to 200 couples in Cambria County in June, according to records from the Ebensburg office of Charles A. MacIntyre, registrar.

Little Dan added to his many romances during the months of brides and roses four less than in June of 1926. A total of 189 licenses were issued at the courthouse to persons of all ages and many nationalities. Last year 193 June licenses were granted, and in 1925 applications totalled 182.

Thus it appears that Dan is holding his own in Cambria County and is no less skilled in the use of his bow and arrow than in recent years. The young sharp shooter has been doing splendidly not only in June but during the months of May, July and August, records show.

KIBLER REUNION AT ST. LAWRENCE, JULY 23rd

The sixth annual reunion of the Kibler family will be held in the grove at St. Lawrence on Saturday, July 23rd. It will be a basket picnic. Those not caring to take a basket can secure a chicken dinner and supper which will be served on the grounds by the Ladies' Aid Society of St. Lawrence. Reservations for meals served on the grounds must be made of B. J. Gill, secretary-treasurer, 1002 21st avenue, Altoona, Pa., on or before July 15th.

George Kibler, of St. Boniface, is president; Joseph Kibler, of Hastings, vice president and B. J. Gill, secretary and treasurer of the organization.

A solemn high mass will be celebrated in St. Lawrence's church at 10 o'clock. Sports of various kinds for the children from 1 to 2 o'clock p. m. Dancing in the pavilion from 2 to 5 and from 7 to 11 o'clock p. m.

GALLITZIN POLICE ARREST DRY AGENTS

Charge with assault and battery as a result of 19 liquor raids staged May 21 at Gallitzin, three Federal prohibition agents were arrested at Pittsburgh last Thursday, on warrants sworn out before Justice of the Peace M. Cosgrove, of Gallitzin. The men accused are Assistant Prohibition Administrator W. B. Murray and Agents James B. Lewis and S. G. Isler. The three agents appeared in Federal Court and each posted \$500 bond for their appearance September 9, at the hearing of the case. One warrant charges assault and battery and the other charges aggravated assault and battery and obstruction of the laws of Pennsylvania.

SNYDER ON PENSION LIST

The state employes retirement board last Thursday approved 16 applications for retirement among them being that of Charles A. Snyder, former auditor general and state treasurer, who has been granted a monthly allowance of \$165.24, or \$1,862.28 a year. Mr. Snyder had ten years state service to his credit under the system eight years as the head of the state's fiscal office and two years as a deputy auditor general. He left the state service June 1.

JOHN DANAS, 78, COMMITS SUICIDE

John Danas, aged about 78 years who lived with Clark Edwards family on a farm situated about two miles north of Colver, committed suicide on the farm late Wednesday afternoon of last week by shooting himself

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Kenneth I. capped serious was driving driven by W. Sixty avenue day and upse Mercy hospit left foot and Citizens of meeting Friday school auditors permanent members, sailed from South served in the City. Mr. Morris also voted the memorial mittie appointing

Appearing Hare of the day Dr. W. F. and Rufus A. to serve on in the Western of prosecution their part in case. This case on Thon Brant house, scious in the ing last Decem- ber of an ap- Grant Con- 66, is in the In broke ribs ar as the result beaten and ro on a road r evening.

Miss Alma Mrs. Mary C. F. E. Curran, married on A Xavier's Catho Father Owen I. Michael Bra- sident of Wash- Lilly died at Death was cau of diseases.

Fire of unki morning at an destroyed the H known as the and one of the Spring Hill, a of Portage too- entailing a lo- which there wa- ferior crossin- don's Economy was arrested l- courts by Jus- Greensburg un- on is alleged- ferior crossin- also with adv- ties than be p- Mr. and C. Carroll townsh- of a daughter, F. H. Curran, Joseph Shero- was recent Rhode Island- A motor truc- taken from P- was broken th- of Altoona las- fire, the truck- Ed. the driver - John Seymor- George Seymor- Mary Weidman- Mrs. Sanford- were married- last week, at 8- Catholic church- O. S. B. The- a gift of land- Latterner, of C- An aviator fr- Ebensburg to- last week in J- landed in a hu- instead of in t- Southmont.

Postmasters- signment of the stamps issued in- case, it is sai- to the robbery- The latest add- ing equipment a- ary is a pack- hunting blood-h- cured about tw- West Virginia- is all the fam- male and fema- The first time- a man hunt w- boys in Milhei- to the robbery- Numerous satisf- been made sinc- at the Rockvie- Frank W. Gre- Thursday at his- after an illness- leaves to dro- These pests ar- which ants indu- juices which ar-

The Chetrem- nounces the fo- ment for the s- tremon vs. Cre- July 16. Chetrem- at Ebensburg; 7- vs. Cresson; 1- handicap tourna- every Thursday- this of July and-