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LOCAL AND STATE NEWS OF INTEREST

Condensed Items Gathered from Various Sources for the Busy Reader.

Mrs. Mathilda Spiegelhalter, of Huntingdon county, a native of Wilmore, died at the Mercy hospital in Johnstown last Thursday, aged 67 years.

The E. M. Burns property on East Main street, Ebensburg, has been leased by Major Lynn B. Adams, superintendent of the state police, for a permanent barracks. The property includes two lots and a house with room in the rear for stables. There are six state policemen at Ebensburg now and three at Big Bend.

Harold Krider, aged 35, a farmer of near Tyrone after overcoming an attack of blood poisoning, died at the Altoona hospital on Saturday from a sudden attack of lockjaw. The young man stepped on a nail some time ago and this caused the blood poisoning.

Forrest Gindelsberger, aged 28, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon H. Gindelsberger of Sealb Level, was killed on Thursday evening last in an accident in the plant of the Goochey Rubber Company in Akron, Ohio.

Policeman F. W. Lumadue of Hastings, recently experienced a thrill while on night duty. Hearing an unusual noise he began to investigate at the rear of a store, when someone hurried down the alley, and a shot was fired at him. The officer is at a loss to explain why this was done.

Donald, four year old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Sybert of Hastings, sustained a bad wound to his right foot recently when he trod on a broken glass jar. The foot was almost severed in two and the lad was much weakened with loss of blood.

Thirty three new patients were admitted on Thursday to the State Sanatorium at Crescon. There are now 751 patients receiving treatment for tuberculosis at the institution.

The Hastings Borough Council has decided to again enforce the curfew ordinance at that place.

Committees have been appointed and are working for the success of the annual reunion to be held at St. Aloysius church at the Summit on the 27th, 28th and 29th of August.

A charge of dynamite placed under the private garage of William Nimmo Sr., late Wednesday night of last week, awakened the inhabitants of Nanty-Glo and caused considerable damage to the building and to the car housed therein. State police state they have several good clues, but no arrests have been made.

The department of highways has a grave problem on hand, the only solution of which would seem to be a move seeking to regulate the dress of women drivers, as many complaints have been received regarding the large, floppy hats worn by the fair sex. It is claimed the vision of the operator is obscured by the ungainly headgear.

The bituminous coal suspension, now beginning the 17th week, finds little change in the position of the miners and operators. No real struggle is anticipated as long as the present poor market for coal continues.

A new record in construction of permanent highways has been established for this year, 206.4 miles having been completed, exceeding by 2 miles the amount completed during a similar period last year, the State Highway department has announced.

Miss Catherine Burns of Barnesboro and John R. Easley of Hastings were united in marriage at the Cathedral in Baltimore last week.

John Bloom of near Ebensburg is erecting a couple of large sale barns on his premises and will have plenty of room for the horses he handles for auction from time to time.

A landing altimeter, which its inventor, C. Francis Jenkins, asserts will indicate an airplane's distance from the ground in a fog, has been announced.

Nearly everybody wants to be a prohibition agent and the rest want to be prohibition officials. There are 19,000 applicants for 2,600 prohibition jobs in the country to filled by civil service.

Fire of an unknown origin destroyed the residences and contents of Joseph Salvo at Bakerton last week.

Service on the trolley car line between Indiana and Clymer will be discontinued, autos, buses and trucks having put it out of business.

Louis Glosser, founder of Glosser's store in Johnstown, died at his home in that city, Sunday, at the age of 61 years.

Engagement has been announced of Amelia Marie Puma, a Johnstown girl and Count Rosario Sagrasso, who is stationed at Johnstown as Italian consul for that district.

Frank P. Barnhart, well known Johnstown attorney, and Robert B. Bender, formerly of Ebensburg, have formed a partnership to practice under the firm name of Barnhart and Bender.

The annual Simmons reunion, one of the pioneer families of Jackson township, will be held at Albauz park, near Vinco, Saturday.

Joseph E. Thropp, aged 79, a former congressman from this district, died in a hotel in Quebec, Canada, last week.

A. H. Lewine, a prominent Jewish merchant, aged 62, died at his home in South Fork on Wednesday evening of last week.

"EDDIE" SHORT JOINS THAT GREAT ARMY OF MEN—THE BENEDICTS

Takes Marian Sharbaugh, of Ebensburg, As Bride, at Nuptial Mass Last Monday.

Miss Marian Sharbaugh, daughter of Attorney and Mrs. Frank C. Sharbaugh of Ebensburg, and Edwin S. Short, of Patton, were united in marriage at 7:30 o'clock on Monday Morning at the Holy Name Catholic Church in Ebensburg, by the pastor, the Rev. Father Hugh M. O'Neill, the Rev. Fathers Adrian and Henry O. S. B., both of this place, being in the sanctuary. The nuptial high mass, during which the wedding ceremony took place, was served by Joseph and Robert Sharbaugh, twin brothers of the bride, the attendants being Miss Leah Sharbaugh, a sister of the bride, and Ronald McCormick, of Barnesboro. After the church ceremony a wedding breakfast was served at the New Highland hotel, after which there was a reception at the home of the bride.

The Courier joins with "Eddie's" large host of friends in Patton in wishing he and his bride a long, happy and prosperous wedded life.

FAMOUS ORCHESTRA COMING TO SUNSET

Egyptian Seranaders Have Been Booked for Wednesday of Next Week.

Fred Luther, manager of Sunset Park Auditorium, announces that he has secured the Egyptian Seranaders of Chicago, Ill., to play a dance engagement at Sunset on Wednesday evening of next week. This orchestra is one of the best, and most music lovers need no introduction to its merits.

Much humor in music is interspersed with their programs. The slogan "They Even Made the Sphinx Laugh" which they have adopted, has become nationally famous. Every musician in their band is an artist on his respective instrument.

The coming of the Egyptian Seranaders to Sunset Park, direct from Chicago, will no doubt attract a considerable crowd to Sunset next week.

WILL PREACH ON SUNDAY.

The Rev. John Stewart, of Lake Worth, Florida, will preach at the services at the Presbyterian church on Sunday morning next.

The Rev. C. W. Kairns, of Altoona Pa., will be the preacher at the M. E. Church on Sunday morning.

SEALED BIDS.

Sealed bids will be received by the Patton Borough School Board up to 10 o'clock, Thursday, August 18, 1927, for the furnishing of coal and kindling wood for the fiscal school year ending July 4th, 1928. The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

PATTON BOYS SCHOOL BOARD.

J. Fred Blankenhorn, Sec'y.

JOHN HETSKO EXPIRES AT HIS HOME IN PATTON

John Hetsko, a well known resident and miner, of this place, died of an illness of some time, at his home on Fourth avenue, on Saturday. He is survived by his widow and several children. He also leaves a brother, Steve Hetsko, of this place.

The funeral was held at nine o'clock on Tuesday morning at St. George's Catholic church. Following a high mass of requiem over the remains, interment was made in St. Mary's cemetery.

MRS. MARGARET DELOZIER.

Mrs. Margaret DeLozier, the oldest resident of Altoona, died on Thursday last week, just two weeks before her 100th birthday anniversary which would have occurred on August 11th.

Born in St. Augustine, a daughter of Henry and Margaret Krise, Mrs. DeLozier was one of the few remaining persons baptized by Rev. Demetrius A. Gallitzin. She resided in Altoona 42 years, going to that city after the death of her husband, Henry DeLozier at St. Augustine. She was a member of the Sacred Heart Church at Altoona.

She is survived by three children: Mrs. John C. Maloney of Altoona, with whom she resided; John DeLozier, of Philadelphia, and Linus DeLozier, of Patton. Twenty-nine grand children, 70 great grand children and 12 great great grand children also survive.

The funeral services were held on Saturday morning with a requiem mass at nine o'clock in the Sacred Heart church, following which the remains were brought to St. Augustine for burial.

The supply of hunters licenses for Cambria County for 1927 was received on Wednesday of this week at the office of Lester Larimer, County Treasurer, and the licenses are ready for distribution to those making application. The license fee this year is \$2, it being raised from \$1.25 by the last legislature. Those making application by mail for licenses must enclose \$2.05.



CAMBRIA COUNTY JAIL MANAGEMENT IS GIVEN MUCH PRAISE BY BODY

State Secretary of Welfare Sends A Letter of Commendation to the Prison Board.

Exceptionally high praise of the management of the Cambria county prison is contained in a letter from Mrs. E. S. H. McCauley, State Secretary of Welfare, to John D. Walker, President of the Board of Prison Inspectors. The letter follows a complete inspection of the jail made by the state officials.

Mr. Walker is a member of the prison board through his capacity as county commissioner, and the other commissioners Homer C. George and William J. Cavanaugh, are also members of the board. The present commissioners have given every co-operation to Warden E. H. Kneebone and have also taken an active interest along with their other duties, in making every improvement to the jail.

Warden Kneebone, who has been in charge of the county jail for many years, is given credit for the effectiveness of his management in the letter from the state secretary. One of his innovations, the letter states, is being communicated to other county jails in the state, with the suggestion that it be adopted by them. The letter in part follows:

"We learn with much pleasure that our field representative's report of the recent inspection of the county prison that the same high type of management that has for many years characterized this institution is still being maintained in all respects.

"Good order, cleanliness and a well regulated system of discipline, are given special mention in our report, as is also the wise provision by which practically the entire convict population is employed in some form of institutional maintenance work or at work outside on the farm and in the city park.

"Highly creditable improvements in the physical features of the plant are also reported to have been made since our last visit, as follows: installation in the kitchen of a large gas cooking stove in replacement of the former coal burning one; gas burning system from the bread bakery ovens also introduced; a safety device provided for the elevator; and renovation and repainting by prison labor of the administration part of the building.

"Another feature, and one that is particularly gratifying to us is the pronounced improvement in the medical system of supervision under which all prisoners on arrival are held in detention cells until they have been examined by the attending physician.

"Our report also speaks of a decided improvement in the matter of daily variety in the bill of fare provided for the inmates and we consider that your food menu is now exactly as it should be—a nutritious and well balanced one without any tendency to go beyond the point of what should reasonably be provided for the prisoners. We have already written to the authorities of several other county prisons that they would do well to adopt the same or a similar menu.

"We feel that your board and the warden are deserving of high praise for this very creditable record and we want to offer our best congratulations on this record of your interest

YOU SEE THE BEST AT GRAND THEATRE

No Better or Later Pictures to Be Found in the Larger Cities Than Here.

Never has the dashing Tim McCoy played in a better picture than "California," which plays at the Grand Theatre tonight and tomorrow night. It is a stirring romance of pioneering days in the early west. A super western.

On Saturday, Timosa Meighan is seen in "The Canadian," a smashing drama of a man who had to battle for love and happiness against the very elements of nature itself. The scenes were filmed against the majestic mountains and sweeping wheat fields of Canada.

Two features, Marie Prevost in "His Jazz Bride," a vivid story of American marriage, and Goethe's immortal "Faust" will be shown at the Grand, Monday night. It seems to take the Germans to reveal the possibilities of the camera in recording imaginative qualities. The UFA Co. has approached Goethe's immortal drama with deep reverence and feeling.

On Tuesday and Wednesday Lon Chaney comes to the screen in his latest success, "Mr. Wu." All the glamour and mystery of the thrilling east sweep through this amazing film of passion, intrigue and revenge. Love comes strangely into the life of little Wang Ping, daughter of the Mandarin Wu, and tragedy follows on its heels.

A novelty of more than the usual interest occurs in the Fox News reel to be shown at the Grand theatre on Saturday of this week, when a portion of it will be screened in natural color, termed Technicolor, by the industry. This will be the first this has been employed in News reel showing and portrays recent scenes much more vividly. Others will follow shortly.

PENN CENTRAL BUYS LILLY ELECTRIC PLANT

The Lilly Electric Light Co. plant and franchise have been purchased by the Penn Central Light and Power Company, and the new owners took possession on August 1st. The purchase price is said to have been about \$110,000. Penn Central, by this move, widens somewhat its territorial hold in Cambria county.

Mr and Mrs. Jack Cairns of Detroit, are visiting at the home of the former's mother, Mrs. Catherine Cairns, of this place.

Among the Patton visitors on Monday of this week was Byron W. Davis of Ebensburg, who is seeking the Republican nomination for Clerk of Courts at the primaries on September 20th. Mr. Davis is well known to many residents of this section. He was, up until his resignation a few weeks ago, deputy prothonotary in the office of George Walker Williams and is well qualified to fill the position which he seeks.

DR. P. J. KELLY MAKES ELOQUENT PLEA FOR RIGHTS OF THE ALIENS

Aid for Foreign Born Men Advocated by Local Physician at Meeting Held in Portage.

"If Christ were to appear on earth in this Christian age, he would be finer printed, registered, and required to wear an identification tag," declared Dr. P. J. Kelly, of Patton, on Sunday afternoon at a meeting in the Moose hall at Portage of delegates of labor and fraternal organizations to the convention of the Cambria County Council for the Protection of Foreign Born Workers, which sent a resolution to Gov. Fuller of Massachusetts, asking freedom for Sacco and Vanzetti, convicted of murder and sentenced to death.

The resolutions, prepared by a committee, of which Dominick Gelotte of Nanty-Glo was chairman, are as follows:

"We, the Cambria County Council for the protection of foreign born workers, in convention assembled on July 31, 1927, at Moose hall, Portage, Pa., by unanimous vote ask you to use the power at your command to render absolute freedom to Sacco and Vanzetti, falsely accused and unjustly sentenced.

"Such unjustifiable execution would be a grave travesty of justice and an irreparable disgrace to be inserted in American history. Public opinion in every part of the world has declared them innocent and we believe that your noble conscience will not permit you to extinguish their dear lives."

About 100 members attended the meeting, which also adopted resolutions opposing the proposed compulsory registration of foreigners. All delegates were urged to use their influence in securing the moral support of the United Mine Workers of America in this connection.

Patrick McCrystal was temporary chairman. Dr. Kelly urged the convention delegates to continue their work in opposing proposed legislation providing for the registration of foreign born in this country. The Patton physician stated that this country is a haven for the oppressed, and believes that the majority are not strongly in favor of burdening the foreigner with strict registration requirements.

Attorney Peter P. Jurechak of Johnstown lauded the speech of Dr. Kelly, telling the delegates that foreigners could not hope to become good and loyal Americans without the sympathetic assistance of men of the Kelly type. However good their intentions to emerge from the "melting pot" as Americans, foreigners are at a great disadvantage and are greatly handicapped without the kind and sympathetic guidance of American born men and women, stated the Johnstown lawyer.

BYRON W. DAVIS IN TOWN.

MRS. DANIEL JENKINS, OF PATTON, SUCCEUMS ON SUNDAY MORNING

Native of Wales Passes Away at Her Home Here, at the Age of Seventy.

Mrs. Elizabeth Jenkins, aged seventy, wife of Daniel M. Jenkins of Patton, died at her home on Sunday morning at 5:30 o'clock. She was born in Wales. Besides her husband she is survived by the following children: Mrs. Leona Clifford, of Altoona; Mrs. Joseph B. Jones of Morgantown West Virginia; William B. Jenkins, of Cape May, N. J.; Henry Jenkins of Patton and John Jenkins, whose whereabouts are unknown. Mrs. Jenkins was a sister of Mrs. William Young and Mrs. Edward Leasty of Robertsdale; and Mrs. Catherine Lewis of Six Mile Run.

The funeral services were conducted at the Methodist church on Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock by the Rev. French McAfee and interment was made in a firview cemetery.

CANNON IS SWORN IN AS CONTROLLER

A Short Sketch Concerning the County's Newest Official Given Herewith.

The editor of this newspaper during the past week had the pleasure of meeting the new county controller, Henry L. Cannon, of Glasgow, Reading township, who was, about two weeks ago appointed by Gov. John S. Fisher. He assumed his new duties this week and takes the place of Jacob M. Hoffman, of Johnstown, who recently was appointed by the governor as chief of the bureau of mines in the department of forests and waters.

Mr. Cannon was sworn into office on Tuesday of this week, and will be a candidate for the regular term of four years on the Republican ticket at the primaries on September 20th.

Mr. Cannon is forty years of age, married and has one son; is a mine foreman and formerly was a mine superintendent for the Franklin National Bank interests; has been a member of the Reading township school board for nine years and is its treasurer; is treasurer of the Reading township supervisors. Cannon was educated in the public schools of Latrobe and at Indiana Normal School which he attended in 1910-11.

Mr. Cannon is fond of athletics and sports. He captained football and baseball teams and played a professional football with the famous Latrobe team.

In the World War Mr. Cannon entered the army early as a private in the 305th regiment of engineers, of the 90th division, with many other Cambria countians. He was given successive promotions through all of the non-commissioned offices, and in the Argonne was commissioned second lieutenant on the battlefield. Later he was given a first lieutenancy.

The Engineers, organized for railroad building and construction of defenses, especially tunneling and trench work, found themselves early on the fighting lines, when they dropped their tools to take up arms. Mr. Cannon organized Paul Kuhn Post No. 552, American Legion, and was its first commander. He is a member of the Forty and Eight.

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FARMERS MEET WITH SPORTSMEN AND TALK OVER SOME PROBLEMS

Discuss Deer, Sheep and Dog Situation Earnestly But Amicably at County Association Meet.

The farmer and the sportsmen who very often seem hopelessly at odds over deer, sheep and dogs, got together at the regular meeting of the Cambria County Sportsmen's Association in Ebensburg on Wednesday of last week and talked over things earnestly but amicably and at last reached a basis for further discussion. A large number of representatives from the affiliated organizations throughout the county attended the session, and a large number of farmers from over the county were also there.

The farmers' representatives were much interested in the discussion by the sportsmen of the decision of the state game commission to send experienced hunters into the woods and fields, backed by the commission to kill off the surplus does which are reported doing tremendous damage to farm lands. No action was taken at the meeting, however, approving or disapproving the decision of the commission.

A few weeks ago President Joseph Washington of the Sportsmen met with J. A. Farabaugh, D. V. Sheehan and A. B. Kirsch representing the farmers and particularly the wool growers among them, and invited them to last week's meeting. Mr. Farabaugh next attended the session, committee advocating that the dog law be amended to provide for the keeping of all dog license money in the county until damages to sheep have been adjusted and paid, after which the balance may be devoted to any other purpose; that local constables and other police officers be charged with the duty of making regular investigations to see that all dogs are licensed and that they do not roam, especially at night; and that dogs known to have killed sheep be themselves killed. That damages

ATTRACTIVE PRIZES OFFERED THIS YEAR

At the Cambria County Fair at Ebensburg, Opening on Labor Day.

The second of major events to be conducted this year by the Cambria County Fair Association will be the county fair to be held at the million dollar fair grounds, Sept 5th to 10th, for six days and nights, beginning Labor Day, at Ebensburg.

The fair this year will be conducted on a larger scale than heretofore and many improvements have been made at the grounds. Two additional departments are included for the livestock. A division has been added in the dairy cattle with a full classification for milking Shorthorns and the spotted Poland Chinas have been added to the Swine Department.

The Spotted Poland China Association of America will hold its futurity show at the Cambria County Fair this year. Fred L. Obenchain of Indianapolis is secretary of the association. A pig club class with cash premiums and a silver cup is one of the inducements given the boys and girls of the county. Competition in the beef and dairy cattle will be of the club events this year, with cash premiums being given by Mr. and Mrs. Chas. M. Schwab and J. Leon Reppole of New York City.

In addition to the cash premiums the breeders' association will give a silver cup to the owner of the champion exhibit in this department. A special class has been made in the sheep department in which boys and girls make entries and for the champion pen of three fat lambs the bankers' association offers a silver cup. This is in addition to the prize given by the fair association.

While Cambria County fair is generally considered as one of the big fairs of the county, it is conducted on a state fair basis. Competition is open to the world and premiums in each department are for pure bred stock only. In the horse department \$5,140 is offered in cash premiums, with ribbons and trophies additional. The cattle department in the dairy breeds offers \$1,041 for each of the five breeds.

A total of \$2,253 is offered in the beef cattle department, with special ribbons by the breeders' association. Premiums offered in the swine department total \$4,469 for the six respective breeds. Sheep premiums are liberal a total of \$2,300 being given.

Grading premiums will total \$525 and a silver cup will be offered for the best exhibit. This is in addition to the cash premiums paid.

A new department this year will be that of the farm women's organizations of the county, two of the districts have made their efforts against two other districts selected by the members. The premiums offered in this division are \$50 for the best exhibit and \$30 for the other exhibits, awards to be computed by points on quality, variety, quantity and display.

Another new department is that for caged birds and it is expected that a full entry will be made as bird lovers have been requesting this department for some time. Harz Mountain and St. Andrewsberg Rollers are those classified. A class has been made for unclassified birds that may be entered for exhibition purposes.

Playground and school exhibits give promise of exceeding those of last year, while the home department, flowers, arts and crafts and fancy work will have their usual large number of displays.

Two new buildings are under construction and will be completed for use during the fair. One is at the track for the housing of race horses, the present stables not being large enough, and the other will be placed opposite the present swine barn so that the large number of swine exhibits may be placed in permanent barns.

The newly constructed walkways will make the grounds more attractive and convenient and the midway will be crowded with attractions and riding devices. The exceptionally fine vaudeville program booked by Wirth-Hamid, Inc., of New York city will take place in front of the grandstand during the afternoon along with the regular race program. Cervonne's band furnish the music for these attractions.

C. Lloyd Major with his versatile orchestra will be the attraction at the dance pavilion for the entire week.

MRS. MARY ANN BUREY.

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary Ann Burey, aged 66, wife of William Burey, whose death occurred on Monday at South Fork, will be held on Thursday afternoon at the Mt. Hope Evangelical church, with interment in the church cemetery.

be paid from the dog license fund instead of the owner of a licensed dog. This resolution was put on the minutes of the organization and will be the chief business at the next meeting.

J. L. Passmore of the State Bureau of Animal Husbandry, gave an interesting talk on sheep and dogs.

The exhibit of the sportsmen at the Cambria County fair this year will be conducted on a bigger scale than ever before, it was decided at the meeting. There will be a live game exhibit from the state game commission in addition to the regular local display.