

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 Tozer Jewelry Co.

F. J. Casey, representing the Johnson Paper Company of Harrisburg, called on trade in Patton on Tuesday.

Mrs. Edgar F. Bradley, formerly Miss Sally Douglas, of this place, returned to Carrolltown on Sunday evening last from Tucson, Arizona, where she has resided for the past eighteen months. Mrs. Bradley left Patton with her mother and family in August of 1927. Her marriage occurred last July in Tucson, and Mr. Bradley returned to the north of the county about three weeks ago. For the present the couple will reside in Carrolltown.

The Ladies of the American Legion will hold a cinch and bridge party in the Community building on April 15th. Tickets at 25 cents are now on sale.

Miss Velma Hartzog visited friends in Colver recently.

We surely have some regular spring weather this week.

The Ladies Auxiliary of the A. O. E. have selected Wednesday, April 3rd as the date for a cinch and bridge party to be held in the Community building.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Ratowsky have returned from a visit of ten days in New York City as well as other points and while in the east purchased the latest in spring and summer goods for the Ratowsky department store.

Miss Grace Hartzog was a Sunday caller in Carrolltown.

The First National Bank of Patton this week is moving from their temporary quarters in the Grange Bank Building to their new and attractive new banking home on Magee avenue, and announce the inspection day of the new quarters for Friday of this week. Detailed announcement of the new banking building, etc., will appear in next week's Courier.

G. B. Plunket, who resides on a farm between Chest Springs and Ashville, announces a sale of farm stock, machinery and equipment for Saturday, April 6th, beginning at 9 a. m.

Under the auspices of the Patton Music Club "The Bethlehem Steel Male Chorus" will entertain in the Methodist Church on Thursday evening, April 4th, under the auspices of the Patton Music Club.

Mr. Thomas Chapman and child-

ren of Cresson visited friends and relatives here on Sunday.

Anna Sholtis was a Johnstown visitor on Sunday afternoon.

Miss Mary Lorraine Homyak a student of Indiana Normal School is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Momyak for the holidays.

Miss Pearl Capute, who had been a visitor of Altoona for the past week is now with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick of Brown Avenue.

Mr. Agostine Lairrito and daughter Josephine and Theresa, and Amelia Pamblico were Cresson visitors on Sunday.

Stephen Wartko Jr. son of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Wartko of this place has returned to his home after a week-end visit in Ambridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hickson and daughter, Alice and Mr. and Mrs. Louise Doms and son, Herman, were Barnesboro visitors on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lallemand and Mr. Henry Mr. Gallatin were week-end visitors of friends and relatives.

Miss Norma Brunner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. Brunner, of West Magee avenue, entertained a number of little friends in honor of Hazel and Irene Brumgart, who later left for their home at Rebersburg, Centre County. After a program of games a dainty lunch was served by the little hostess. The guests were: Frances Petroni, Doris Nehrig, Sarah Sperry, Burney Weakland, Louise Lynn, Irene and Hazel Brumgart, Sarah Clark, Renelda Lacue, Frances and Ruth Kinkadee, Betty Nehrig and Chulue Elms.

FOR SALE—3/4 acres, with good building site on improved road, good spring, price \$1,200, one-half cash balance terms. Write Box E. Patton Courier, Patton, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hodge, of Lang avenue recently entertained a number of little folks in honor of the fifth birthday anniversary of Betty Grace Petticoord Hodge.

Mrs. Frank Maykovich was a Cresson visitor on Thursday.

Charles P. Rowland, of Ebsenburg, was a recent Patton visitor.

Mrs. Joseph Graf and son Joe, Jr., of Ebsenburg, were the recent guests of Mrs. Graf's mother, Mrs. Mary Litzinger, of Fourth avenue.

Mrs. Daniel Hopkins has been admitted to the Spangler hospital for medical treatment.

Ernest Rudy has been admitted to the Spangler hospital for medical treatment.

The Misses Leora and Mildred Kane of Pittsburg were recent visitors here at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Kane.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Blankfeld were visitors with friends in Pittsburg recently.

Adam Heist was a recent visitor in Altoona.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thomas announce the birth of a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Clair Smale were visitors in Altoona recently.

Dr. and Mrs. V. A. Murray entertained Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Schlick of Blairsville at their home recently.

Harold Cronmiller of Huntingdon spent the week-end here at the home of his parents.

Miss Betty Green, who has been ill at her home here, is reported improved.

Miss Mildred Moren was a recent visitor in Johnstown.

Miss Isabella Houge was a recent visitor in Pittsburg among friends and relatives.

Announcement has been made of the marriage of James Moyer of Altoona and Miss Alberta Hofer.

FOR SALE—65 acres, on improved road, fair building, water in house and all kinds of fruit; timber, if worked, to almost pay for place. Five minutes walk from railroad station. Price \$3,200. Write Box E. Patton Courier, Patton, Pa.

Mrs. Margaret Gill of Hastings, aged 47, died Thursday morning of last week at the Miners' hospital, where she had been a patient since Friday, March 15. She is survived by her husband, Louis Gill, and several children.

The funeral took place on Saturday afternoon, burial being made in the Union cemetery near Hastings.

The Officers and Past Matrons of the Eastern Star held a tureen supper Monday evening in honor of Mrs. Louise Snyder, and Mrs. A. D. Bennett at the home of Mrs. T. Wesley Guyer. The Officers and Past Matrons presented Mrs. Snyder with a leather bag and Mrs. Bennett with a bracelet set with Amethyst stones. All had a wonderful time, those present were: Mrs. Dingle, Mrs. A. D. Bennett, Mrs. Hayze Cornelius, Mrs. William Martin, Mrs. Louise Snyder, Martha Way, Andrew Heist, Mrs. Janet Heist, Gail Johnson, Mrs. David Rishel, Mrs. Frank Brown, Mrs. Catherine Minteth, Mrs. and Mrs. T. Wesley Guyer, all of Patton, Mrs. J. Kauffelt, Mrs. Ralph Benedict, Mrs. J. Daughterty, Elizabeth Crago, Mrs. E. McAnulty, of Barnesboro, Mrs. Dr. Garmen, of Emnghy and Ruby Williams, of Barnesboro.

FOR SALE CHEAP—to quick buyer 1 oil stove. Inquire at 1002-Fourth Ave. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Blankenhorn entertained friends Wednesday evening.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Earl Young, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sherry, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Albert, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Welty, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kunhley, Mr. and Mrs. George Woomeer, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Young, and Mrs. Sallie Woomeer. Delicious lunch being served.

Mrs. Rose Kusner, of West Beech avenue, has as her holiday guest her daughter, Miss Ruth Kusner, who is a student at Indiana State Teachers' College.

Miss Rose Farabaugh, of Highland Grove, was the guest of Altoona friends last Saturday.

Harry Buch, Jr. of Johnstown, spent the week-end with his parents Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Buch, of Beech avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rumbaugh, of holiday guest of their daughter, Miss Olive Rumbaugh, who is enrolled as a

student in the Home Economics Department of Indiana State Teachers' College.

Mrs. Gust Tague, of Columbus, O., is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Frank Campbell of North Fifth avenue.

Mrs. Gertrude Durbin, who is a student at Indiana State Teachers' College is spending the Easter vacation with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Link and children, of Trafford, were the week-end guests of Patton friends and relatives. Before moving to Trafford a year ago Mr. and Mrs. Link resided in Patton.

Mrs. M. J. Shannon, of Palmer avenue, was a recent Altoona caller.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruel Sommerville, of West Beech avenue have as their guest their daughter, Miss Dorothy Sommerville, who is enrolled as a student at Dickinson College, at Carlisle.

Clair Ulrich, of Hastings, spent the last week-end with his parent Mr. and Mrs. John Ulrich, of North Fifth avenue.

Mrs. James Ponce has returned to her home in Irvine after having been the guest of Patton friends and relatives for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Little, of West Magee avenue, had as their recent guest their son, Richard Little, who is employed in Pittsburg.

A slight improvement is noted in the condition of Patrick Callahan of West Beech avenue, who has been ill at his home for the past couple of weeks.

Mr. John Lowes and Miss Mildred Lowes were the recent guests of Altoona friends.

Mrs. Charles Snyder was the recent guest of friends of Johnstown.

Miss Mary Homyak, who is enrolled as a student at Indiana State Teachers' College, is the holiday guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Homyak, of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Coder and children have returned from Cumberland, Md., where they spent the week-end with friends.

Mrs. W. Bosserman was a recent Altoona visitor.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Winslow, of West Magee avenue, had as their week-end guests, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Dow, of Vintondale.

Mr. and Mrs. William Blatt and daughter Jean Anne were the week-end guests of friends and relatives of East Brady.

Orth Crowell, who is employed at Ehrenfeld, spent the week-end at his home on Linwood avenue.

John Churella, of this place, is the guest of friends and relatives of Cleveland, O.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Maykovich were the guests of Clearfield friends on Sunday.

Leona Bender, a student at Indiana State Teachers' College, is spending the Easter vacation with her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bender, of this place.

Miss Bernadine Dumm, of Pittsburg, was the week-end guest of Patton friends.

Mr. and Mrs. George Permetti and children have returned from Johnstown, where they were recent guests.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Kuttruff, of St. Lawrence, were the recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Kruse, of Linwood avenue. Mr. and Mrs. Kuttruff stopped en route from Philadelphia where Mr. Kuttruff was a patient in one of the hospitals.

Miss Florence Jones, who has been ill for the past several months, has returned to Hazelton, where she is employed.

Miss Margaret Co-Chran, who is enrolled as a student at Central State Teachers' College Lock Haven, is the holiday guest of her parents.

William J. McLaughlin, of South Fifth avenue, was the recent guest of friends and relatives of DuBois.

Miss Anne Homyak was a recent Clearfield visitor.

John G. Palcho, of West Magee avenue, has been ill at his home for the past several weeks.

Miss Esber Sherry who had been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Sherry, of West Mellon avenue, has resumed her work at the Memorial Hospital, Johnstown.

**BIG CONTRACT FOR
BAKERTON MINES**

Bakerton faces a year of prosperity owing to the order for 200,000 tons of coal, which the mines are contracted to yield from April 1, 1929, to April 1, 1930. Sterling mines Nos. 1 and 6 will produce the fuel, more men to be put to work in the former colliery the first of next month, when the contract orders will be started. Due to the bright outlook for a membership of about 40 men and this organization will not stand still during the year of better business in their valley town, which numbers approximately 2,000 inhabitants.

FUNERAL OF MRS. UHRYNOWSKI

Funeral services for Mrs. Edward Uhrynowski, aged 21 years, formerly a resident of Barnesboro, whose death occurred March 14 in Detroit, Mich., were held last Friday in St. Stanislaus' Polish Catholic Church. Burial was in the church cemetery.

The deceased is survived by her husband, her mother, Mrs. Anna Daino, daughter, Mrs. Ruth Kusner, of Barnesboro, and two sisters, Frances of Detroit and Mrs. Julia Stahun, of Marsteller.

MRS. MARY SHEVLOCK

Mrs. Mary Shevock, aged 23, wife of Joseph Shevock of Bakerton, died at 2:45 o'clock Monday afternoon at the Spangler hospital. She is survived by her husband and her parents, George and Benedicta Leone of Somerset.

DESCRIPTIVE TERMS OF THE STRUCTURE OF ROCK MASSES

(By John Connelly)

A close inspection of a piece of rock in the hand reveals its internal characteristics. If it be made up almost entirely of the same kind of matter, the rock is homogeneous. When its particles are of grains, perceptible to the touch or plainly visible, the specimen is granular. Occasionally the material is arranged in fibers, as asbestos; it is then fibrous. When the fibers are distinct, long, fine crystals, it is said to be acicular (needle-like). A compact rock has its particles in close and firm proximity, but one which is friable permits of being crumbled. A porous specimen is full of holes, like pumice stone, but when the pores are small it is said to be cellular, or vesicular.

Rocks are hard or soft, but beyond a general application these terms are not much used. In mineralogy we find that much stress is laid on the comparative hardness of minerals. Rocks which are composed of water-worn pebbles cemented together are conglomerate. If angular fragments take the place of the pebbles, a breccia is the result, which word is Italian for "fragment." A pebble is a piece of mineral matter worn round by the action of water. When the sea beach is not sand, but stones rounded by the waves, the accumulation of pebbles is a shingle. If the size of a pebble exceed a few pounds in weight it becomes a boulder.

A stratum which has been deposited by aqueous agency is one of three characters. It is either of an arenaceous quality, that is sandstone; is argillaceous, that is clay, or is limestone. In each of the great systems in which are classified, these three species of rock appear. Each system has its limestone, its sandstone, and its argillaceous rock, or clay beds.

Sand, of which arenaceous rocks are composed, is properly small particles of quartz, which is the hardest constituent of granite and therefore most successfully resists the process of attrition. Quartz is pure silica, or flint, and may at once be recognized in a specimen of granite as those clear, semi-transparent grains. When granite decomposes, these grains remain intact, or nearly so, for silica is most difficult to dissolve.

Particles of sand are always rounded as if by the action of running water. Sandstone is an aggregate of these particles, which are held together in some cases without any apparent cement, but often calcareous or siliceous matter is present in a small quantity, which binds the arenaceous particles together. Sometimes clay or oxide of iron forms this cement, and to this latter substance the red color which frequently tints sandstone is due. Some fine grained sandstones are found which contain minute scales of shining halter. This is mica, another constituent of granite, and such rocks are known as micaceous sandstones. These sandstones are found among the earlier formations. Grit is applied to sandstones whose grains are very coarse.

Argillaceous rocks.—Earth which is sufficiently plastic to be kneaded by the hand is, in common language, a clay. Strictly speaking, clay is composed of siliceous and aluminum particles. Kaolin, or porcelain clay is the finest of the clays.

Brick clays contains—silica, 49.44; alumina, 34.25; iron oxide, 7.74; lime 1.48; magnesia, 5.14, and water, 1.94.

Clays are formed by the fine disintegrated particles of water-worn rocks. Mud is matter also formed of such particles, but it contains a mixture of animal or vegetable matter, or both. Shale is hardened clay, but if it be softened by water it will exhibit the plastic properties of that which it was when breathed upon to emit a peculiar earthy smell.

Calcareous rock.—All rocks of this description may be at once discovered by the application of a few drops of any acid. Effervescence at once takes place, owing to the escape of carbonic acid gas which is always associated with lime, forming carbonate of that base. There are many varieties of limestone.

Chalk is due to the incessant work of minute animals, which separate the lime from the sea to form their calcareous coverings, mixed with the shells of larger organisms of the fine ocean. Marble is also carbonate of lime which has been submitted to the action of heat, and thereby rendered crystalline. Mountain limestone is so called because it appears in ranges of hills. It is very compact and dairy colored. The walls in many parts of Ireland are built of this excellent material, which is found in great quantity in that island.

Oolite is a species of limestone which appears in little round grains, like fish eggs. Each of these grains has a particle of sand for a nucleus, round which the limestone seems to have congregated. When magnesia is present as much as 35 per cent in quantity, the rock is termed dolomite.

When clay sand are mixed in a considerable quantity with lime, a roam is formed. When only a little sand is present and the mixture is of a more firm texture than a loam, it is called a marl.

It is not a usual thing to find any limestone pure. They all contain an admixture of foreign matter. These are the general characteristics of the great divisions of rocks.

Luckily, aluminum is contained in common clay, and in a great number of rocks. The supply of this ingredient is practically unlimited in the soil and rocks in the region of Nanty-Glo.

(Continued next week.)

DR. FOSTER TO BE HOST TO HIGH SCHOOL HEADS AT GATHERING APRIL 5

To familiarize himself with one of the chief sources of student membership at Indiana State Teachers' college, Dr. Charles R. Foster, new principal of the school, will be host at Ebsenburg the evening of April 5 to all high school principals of Cambria county. County Supt. M. S. Benz and his staff will attend.

Dr. Foster's recent communications with Cambria county educators indicate a desire to raise the standard and qualifications for admission to the state teachers' college. It is pointed out that this section supplies the greater number of Indiana students Dr. Foster will discuss various problems with the county principals. The dinner will be held at Ebsburg inn.

**CAMBRIA COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL
TRACK MEET ANNOUNCED MAY 4**

Preparations for the annual county high school track meet, to be held May 4 at the fair grounds, have already been started, according to information given out at the office of the county superintendent of schools at Ebsburg, recently.

The office mail a letter to each of the high school principals last week, announcing the rules for the meet and the list of events. Plans are going forward to make this year's meet the biggest and most successful ever held in the county. A picnic lunch will be served on the field and all of the schools are invited to turn out in a body and make a day of it.

FUNERAL OF ISAAC JENKINS

Death came to relieve Isaac Jenkins, victim of a factory explosion at Detroit, at dawn of the day on which he was to observe his 42nd anniversary.

The body was taken to his home and on Sunday afternoon was buried in West Barnesboro cemetery, not far from where his wife and children reside. Until two weeks ago, when he left to seek employment, he made his home in Barnesboro, last a week he was caught in the force of an explosion in the plant of the Budd Wheel Manufacturing Co. in Detroit, where he was working and was wrapped in flames. The clothing was burned from his body.

With him at Deaconess hospital, Detroit, when he died was his son Harry, who also had found employment there but a few weeks ago. The father was born March 20, 1887.

Services were held at 2 p. m. Sunday in the Baptist church in Barnesboro.

**JOSEPH WEBER SUSTAINS
DOUBLE FRACTURE OF LEG**

Joseph Weber, well-known resident of Ashville, sustained a compound fracture of the right leg Thursday afternoon in an accident while employed in the erection of a sawmill on his farm. The fracture was reduced at the Spangler hospital and Mr. Weber was removed to his home. Although Mr. Weber is reported resting fairly well, his advanced age gives cause for apprehension.

FRANK PELTON.

Frank Pelton, aged 79 died of heart disease at his home in St. Michael on Friday night. He is survived by his widow and several children.

MINERS' HOSPITAL PATIENTS

Miss Louise Weakland, 12-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Weakland, of Ebsburg, who recently underwent an appendicitis operation, is resting well.

Mrs. Laura Hoffman and infant daughter Margaret, of Chest Springs, were brought to the Miners' Hospital for medical treatment.

Andrew Lukaski, of Patton recently underwent an operation for the removal of his tonsils.

Oliver Spicher, of Cherrytree, was admitted to the hospital for medical treatment.

Charles and Francis Kupetic, of Barnesboro, underwent tonsillar operations.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Gates, of Bakerton announce the birth of a son at the hospital on March 21.

Patrick Dolan, of Spangler, who is a patient at the hospital where he is being treated for a fractured leg received in a fall some weeks ago, is getting along very nicely.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish through these columns to express our sincere appreciation to all those who assisted us during our recent bereavement, the Death of Isaac Jenkins; for the floral offerings and for the use of cars.—Mrs. Jenkins and Family.

Joseph Tresky, of St. Bendict; Peter Welsko, of Patton; John Britton Russell Winburne and Mrs. Christine Gerick, of Marsteller, are medical patients at the hospital.

Mrs. Nathryn Norton, of Nicktown, is receiving medical attention at the hospital.

Theodore Kirk, who had been a patient at the hospital the past six weeks where he was treated for a fractured spine and ribs, was discharged from the institution and removed to his home in Juniata.

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