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PATTON, CAMBRIA COUNTY, PA., THURSDAY, JULY 11th, 1929.

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\$2.00 PER YEAR IN ADVANCE.

LORETTO GARAGE OWNER IS KILLED

Nash Hoover, 32, Hurlled from Motorcycle; Found on Road by Passing Motorist

Hurlled to the concrete roadway and striking his head with considerable force when the front tire of his motorcycle blew out...

The victim was found lying in the roadway by Kenneth Weiland, of St. Augustine, a passing motorist. Mr. Hoover was carried into the Malloy residence and Dr. John Murphy of Loretto was summoned...

Mr. Hoover was born October 19, 1896, in Gallitzin, and was the son of Mrs. Mary Hoover, recently of East Carroll township...

The funeral services were held at 9 o'clock on Tuesday morning at St. Michael's church in Loretto...

JOHNSTOWN AIRPORT DEDICATION SOON

Dedication of the Johnstown Municipal Airport on July 17th promises to attract thousands of guests to the big steel center.

Scores of visiting airplanes are expected to drop in at the big Westmont landing field for the ceremonies.

The principal speaker of the day will be Assistant Secretary of the Navy, David N. Ighalls.

Spouses of the airport dedication are Air Service, Inc., operators of the airport; the local Chamber of Commerce and the Johnstown Legion Post.

The Johnstown airport started business two and a half months ago. A thousand passengers have been safely carried in that short time.

BURN ARE FATAL TO A SOUTH FORK CHILD

As the result of severe burns received last Thursday night when her dress caught fire from a sparkler while celebrating the Fourth of July...

The Phillips child is survived by her parents and five brothers.

FREDERICK LUNDQUIST IS CALLED BY DEATH

Well Known Patton Resident Was In the Sixty-Fifth Year of His Age

Frederick Lundquist, a well known Patton resident, aged 65 years, died at his home here on Thursday evening of last week...

The deceased was born in Sweden. His wife died eight years ago. He is survived by these children: Edward and Oscar, of Akron, Ohio; Carl, of Cresson, and Emma, Warren, Helen and Edna at home.

The funeral services were held on Sunday afternoon in the local Swedish Lutheran church.

BEN BERNIE AND HIS ORCHESTRA

Famous Roosevelt Hotel Outfit Will Be At Sunset Next Wednesday

Music is one of the most vital factors in the betterment of mankind, and every musician is obligated to give the public not only entertainment but also an honest interpretation of what he feels down in his heart...



BEN BERNIE.

Park on Wednesday evening of next week, July 17th, with his celebrated Hotel Roosevelt Dance Orchestra...

"There are three important things necessary for the proper interpretation of popular, modern music," asserted Mr. Bernie in a recent interview.

"First you must have a tangibly appealing tune; second, you must have an intelligent orchestration; and third, you must have good direction—technical training intelligently used."

"However, there is another factor that will improve and embellish all these, and that is the claim service to mankind. If you know or realize that the thing you are doing or making is going to help develop better men and women, then there is an appeal to the character that is inside of you which will put fire and enthusiasm into your work."

"Music goes into the minds and the souls of men and women. This adds an obligation upon our task to please, for it helps to form their characters. It makes of music not a passing fancy or a toy, but a force for right or wrong as well. Music is the greatest lever in the world, for it reaches people who have never entered a church, folks who have been denied the opportunities and advantages of an education—folks who cannot even read or write, but are influenced by what they hear and see. Therefore, it is a musician's duty to help all these people who appreciate the beauties of life, the restful relaxation of happy music, and to feed their minds and souls with pleasurable harmonies and euphonies."

STOLTZ-YAHNER REUNION WILL BE HELD EARLY NEXT MONTH

The second annual reunion of the Stoltz and Yahner families will be held on Saturday August 3rd, at Chest Springs, and all members and friends and members of the family are cordially invited to attend.

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MYSTERY AUTHOR FILMED AT LAST

S. S. Van Dine Permits Identity to Become Known in Detective Yarn

S. S. Van Dine, the mystery author of the most successful series of detective stories in modern fiction history, who thus far has shielded his identity behind his nom de plume...

Van Dine is seen on the screen for the first time in "The Canary Murder Case," his famed mystery story which will show at the Grand Theatre on Monday and Tuesday next.

At first, loath to give the world at large an opportunity to discover his identity, the author, whose name has become a by-word in the world of books throughout the country...

The exact manner in which the author appears when the picture is shown on the screen will not be revealed. However, he has famous companions, for the cast of "The Canary Murder Case" includes William Powell, as Philo Vance, the super-detective; Louise Brooks, James Hall, Jean Arthur, Charles Lane, Lawrence Grant and Gustav von Seyffertitz.

VACCINATION REQUIRED FOR SCHOOL ENTRANCE

In a statement issued this week by Dr. J. Bruce McCreary, Deputy Secretary of Health, the attention of Parents, school boards, school principals and teachers was called to the importance of securing successful vaccination against smallpox...

"The law requires," said Dr. McCreary, "that a certificate of successful vaccination be submitted only in case no successful result has been obtained after two attempts, the authorized school medical inspector's certificate of vaccination before any new entrance may be admitted to school."

Dr. McCreary particularly cautioned principals and directors against permitting children to enter school without presenting legal certificate required, as such action is against the law.

PROMINENT GALLITZIN MAN AND PIONEER ANSWERS CALL

Frank C. Platt, 83, one of the most prominent and best known residents of Gallitzin, died on Monday at the home of his son, Charles Platt, following a lengthy illness.

The deceased was a pioneer resident of the north of the county, having been born Nov. 23, 1846, at Plattville. He was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Platt. He spent his early boyhood in Ebensburg and Feb. 24, 1879, he and Miss Lavina McDermott of Altoona, were married.

Mr. Platt is survived by three sons: Charles, editor of the Gallitzin "Item," Wilfred J., of Detroit, and George of Altoona. Two brothers, Herman Platt of Johnstown, and Arthur Platt of Johnstown, and a sister, Miss Henrietta McNally, of Jeannette, also survive.

Funeral services were conducted at nine o'clock on Wednesday morning, with a solemn high mass of requiem in St. Patrick's Catholic church at Gallitzin. Interment was in the church cemetery.

MISS ANNIE SKELLY DIES AT HOME IN SUMMERHILL

Miss Annie Skelly, aged about 70, a native and lifelong resident of Summerhill, died at her home on Sunday afternoon at the Skelly home. Miss Skelly's health had been impaired for a long time, but her condition had not been such as to cause apprehension.

Funeral services were conducted at nine o'clock on Tuesday morning in St. John's Catholic church at Summerhill, and interment was in St. Bartholomew's cemetery at Wilmore.

JOHN NISSELL, SR.

John Nissell, Sr., aged 87 years, a widower, died at eight o'clock last Thursday at his home near Colver. Death was caused by general debility.

The deceased leaves three sons, William J., of Harrisburg; John N., Jr., and M. P., both of Nicktown. Funeral services were held at nine o'clock on Saturday morning in St. Nicholas Catholic church at Nicktown, and interment was in the church cemetery.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish through the columns of the Courier to express our heartfelt appreciation to all those who assisted us in any way during our recent bereavement, the illness and death of our father, Lawrence Kruse.—The Children.

1929 ISSUE OF TOURIST GUIDE IN CIRCULATION

"Pennsylvania Highways" Is Title of Department of Highways' Annual Just Off Press

"Pennsylvania Highways" the 1929 edition of the Department of Highways' tourist guide, is just off the press and released for distribution this week.

The new guide is larger, a handy 9 by 12 inches, with many scenic views and containing a wealth of information for tourists and motorists generally.

Governor John S. Fisher, utilizes the title page to extend a hearty welcome to tourists everywhere, reminding them that state markers at the borders bearing the word "Pennsylvania" may be interpreted as meaning "welcome."

Chief Engineer Samuel Eckels in fact the engineering problems which face the road builder of today.

Frederic Godcharles, state librarian, and an historical authority, describes the Commonwealth's historic landmarks, locating the early landmarks of national and state development.

"Historic Landmarks" is a directory divided by counties and listing every important site of historic significance, with a summary of the facts.

The cover photograph is a view from Friendship Hill, home of Albert Gallatin, Swiss emigrant who became Congressman, secretary of the United States Treasury, and for twelve years was the diplomat.

Detailed travel directions between important junction points, linked with an outline map of the state, are calculated to enable motorists to plan route, triangle, and business tours of any length.

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SEEKING COUNTY AID FOR ROAD IN PATTON SECTION

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\$30,000 DAMAGE BY BLAZE AT DEER RUN COAL TIPPLE

The coal tipple, bin, conveyor and electric equipment of the Deer Run Coal Mining Company at Mahaffey, was destroyed by fire last Thursday afternoon with a loss estimated at thirty thousand dollars.

Although showing a slight decrease over the May report, loadings at the central Pennsylvania coal mines last month exceeded the total loadings of June, 1928.

MINER LOSES HIS LIFE THE FIRST DAY IN MINE

Working his first day in the Monroe Coal Company mine at Revloc, John Gromdi, aged about 40 years, was instantly killed about 8:30 o'clock Monday morning when caught beneath a fall of rock.

Gromdi had been a resident of Colver only three days.

FOR BENEFIT OF THE AMERICAN LEGION

"Behind the German Lines" On Friday at the Grand Is Worth Seeing

One of the greatest pieces of military strategy ever executed in the last war was that of the Battle of Tannenberg in 1915 when Gen. Von Hindenberg successfully routed the Russian Army and captured 90,000 prisoners.

"Behind the German Lines" will be shown at the Grand theatre Friday evening of this week for the benefit of the American Legion of this place, and to which the patronage of the public is urgently asked.

The appointment given Attorney Kress is a notable promotion in the state government. He assumed his new duties on Monday of this week.

MRS. MARGARET SCHENK EXPIRES IN CLEARFIELD

Mrs. Margaret Schenk, formerly of Chest Springs, died last Thursday morning at the Clearfield hospital, after an operation that climaxed efforts to restore her health for the last year.

What is considered one of the strangest incidents reported to the board was the recent killing of six deer by the Lehigh Valley railroad trains near White Haven.

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CAMBRIA COUNTY SOLDIER FATALLY INJURED IN FALL

Patrick J. Seabolt, aged 27 years, a soldier in the United States army, and a son of Mrs. Bert Seabolt-Plummer, residing at Jamestown, near Portage, died Saturday in a hospital at Pottsville, Pa., as the result of a fractured skull sustained when he accidentally fell from a second story window of a hotel building in Pottsville.

Mr. Seabolt is survived by his mother and these brothers and sisters: Michael of Sonmar; Mrs. Eugene Sheridan of Jamestown; and Mrs. Walter Little, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Blankenhorn, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Tarr, Mr. and Mrs. Fred McCann, Mr. and Mrs. J. Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Coder, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Jacobs, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Swab, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Buck, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Gardner, Mrs. Sally Woomer, Mrs. William Grant, Mrs. Joseph Work, Miss Ruth Whitehead, Miss Ruth Grant, Miss Edith Mitchell, Mrs. John Dingle, Robert and Elizabeth Little, Mr. Danny Link, Mr. Leonard Kusner, Mr. Thos. Quinn Jr., Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Welty, and Miss Helen J. Welty.

IMPORTANT MEETING OF THE AMERICAN LEGION

An important meeting of the American Legion will be held in the Legion room in the Municipal Building this Thursday evening and the attendance of the entire membership is urgently requested.

A CORRECTION.

In a recent issue of the Courier under the caption of "Altoona Youth Is Slain As Bandit in Oklahoma" the statement was made that "Robert L. Yon was sixteen years of age and a brother of Edward Yon, who is now serving a sentence in the Western Penitentiary. Our attention has been called to the fact that Robert L. and Edward Yon are in no way related whatsoever. The name Yon is a common one over in Blair county and in justice to all concerned we take this means of making this correction."

HOLY TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

Rev. H. A. Post, pastor. Sunday, July 14th, evening prayer and sermon, at 4 p. m.

MERITED PROMOTION GIVEN WALTER KRESS

Johnstown Attorney Appointed Secretary of the Board of Finance and Revenue

Walter J. Kress, of Johnstown, Wednesday of last week was elected Secretary of the State Board of Finance and Revenue.

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TRAINS, AUTOS, ARE DEATH TO 200 DEER

Almost 200 deer have been killed by automobiles and trains since Jan. 1, according to records of the board of game commissioners at Harrisburg.

Officers of the board this week asked motorists to drive carefully in the sections where deer are abundant not only as a game conservation measure but as a matter of self protection.

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CONTAGION DECREASE DISCLOSED BY REPORT

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Contagion in the county dropped to 139 cases in June, with measles, numbering 80, which is a falling off at the top of the list.

FARM PROPERTY NEAR LORETTO IS DAMAGED

Fire, which for a time waged beyond the control of firemen from Cresson and Ebensburg late Tuesday threatened destruction to the large property of Mitchell Bozin on the Loretto road about a mile west of Loretto.

MISS ANNIE QUASHNIE.

Miss Annie Quashnie, aged 17 years, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Quashnie, died at the parental home at South Fork at 6 o'clock last Thursday evening. She was taken ill recently in St. Louis, Mo., where she had been working and was brought to the parental home in South Fork on Tuesday of last week.

The deceased is survived by her parents and several brothers and sisters. The funeral services were held on Sunday in the Lutheran church at South Fork and interment was in the South Fork cemetery.

MRS. MARY ALMASI.

Mrs. Mary Almási, aged 56 years, wife of Joseph Almási, of Carrolltown, died at 4:15 o'clock Sunday morning in the Clearfield hospital. Death was caused by a complication of diseases. She had been in ill health for the past two years.

The deceased is survived by her husband and one daughter, Mrs. Mary Gromdi, aged about 40 years, was instantly killed about 8:30 o'clock Monday morning when caught beneath a fall of rock.

LOCAL AND STATE NEWS OF INTEREST

Condensed Items Gathered from Various Sources for the Busy Reader.

Charles Azazza, aged 45, foreman for the Paul Construction Company, is said to be improving following injuries to the head, sustained when he was struck by a falling crane which he and a foreman were loading in Cresson the other day.

Miss Agnes Roberts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Roberts of Turtle Creek and Lloyd Lowman of Barnesboro were married at the Clymer M. E. Church last week.

Strangely shot while sitting on the front porch of her home at South Fork on July 4th, Mrs. John Jarvie, is reported as resting well. What is believed to have been a stray bullet fired from a revolver in the hands of an Independence day celebrator, imbedded itself in the ankle.

Suffering a recurrence of Sleeping sickness, Oscar Mulhollen of Beaverdale, principal of the Benscreek school near Portage, is in a serious condition at a Johnstown hospital. Mr. Mulhollen had suffered from the same malady in the months of March and April.

Injuries sustained in a mine accident on June 22, when he suffered a fracture of the pelvis, caused the death of Richard Fern, aged 44 years, of Dunlo, on Friday afternoon.

Eight new patients were admitted on Friday to the state sanatorium at the Summit. There are now 701 patients receiving treatment for tuberculosis at the institution.

Miss Anna Budosh, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Budosh of Nanty-Glo will enter the order of the Sisters of St. Agnes as a novitiate at the convent in Fond du Lac, Wis., on August 15th. She has been in training at Pittsburgh, on Thursday last as the result of injuries sustained three weeks ago when he fell from an automobile. He was born in Gallitzin in 1879, and was the youngest of a family of 20 children. He was married to Alice McCoy at Gallitzin.

The annual retreat for laymen of the Altoona diocese will be held at St. Francis College, Loretto, starting Friday evening of this week and closing next Monday morning.

Mrs. Sara Hobson Bruno, aged 46, wife of John Bruno of South Fork, died on Friday last at the Mercy hospital in Johnstown. She is survived by her husband, a son and two daughters.

Donald Sunderlin, Jr., aged 12, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Sunderlin of Cresson, died of typhoid fever at the parental home on Saturday morning. He had been ill since June 10th. The child was born in Loretto in 1917 and besides his parents is survived by two brothers and a sister.

Fire of an undetermined origin, destroyed the two story building of the Grater department store and damaged two adjoining buildings in Blacklick on Sunday. The blaze damaged property estimated at \$40,000. The fire started in a flour and feed ware house at the rear of the department store, spread to a ware house containing kerosene, paint and oil, and thence to the store.

Mrs. Rachel M. Coy, widow of Isaac Coy, died in Ebensburg on Wednesday afternoon of last week at the age of 81. The greater part of her life was spent in Johnstown and Conemaugh.

ENTERTAIN IN HONOR OF NEWLWEDS ON MONDAY

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Welty entertained on Monday night a banquet and dance in the Firemen's hall in honor of their son's marriage recently to Miss Gladys Luther of Spangler. The hall was beautifully decorated, the colors being pink and white. The guests included: Mr. and Mrs. F. Dischon, Miss Murray and Mr. F. Story of Johnstown; Mr. and Mrs. F. Lang, and Mr. and Mrs. M. Rhinedollar, of Altoona; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Davidson, of St. Benedict; Miss Ethel Dumm, Mr. Paul Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Luther, Mr. James Luther and Mr. William Luther, of Spangler.

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Larimer, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Sherry, Mr. and Mrs. Barth Young, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Albert, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Young, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. George Woomer, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Little, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Blankenhorn, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Tarr, Mr. and Mrs. Fred McCann, Mr. and Mrs. J. Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Coder, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Jacobs, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Swab, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Buck, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Gardner, Mrs. Sally Woomer, Mrs. William Grant, Mrs. Joseph Work, Miss Ruth Whitehead, Miss Ruth Grant, Miss Edith Mitchell, Mrs. John Dingle, Robert and Elizabeth Little, Mr. Danny Link, Mr. Leonard Kusner, Mr. Thos. Quinn Jr., Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Welty, and Miss Helen J. Welty.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank our many friends and neighbors for the kindness and sympathy shown during our recent bereavement, the illness and death of our beloved father, Mr. Frederick Lundquist. Also for the beautiful floral offerings and use of automobiles.—Children.