

## TRAVEL CLUB CALLING FOR MORE ENTRANTS

### SUNSET BECOMES PENNSYLVANIA'S FINEST BALL ROOM

Decorations of German Design Will Be Revelation to All Dance Patrons.

#### OPENS ON EASTER MONDAY

The Easter Monday Dance at Sunset Park auditorium this year, will give the musically inclined from the Central Pennsylvania section a thrill indeed. The music, of course, Mal Hallet and his band, will be the best, but the auditorium will be the feature attraction.

Last season, Manager Fred Luther, of Carrolltown, who also manages the Auditorium at Johnstown, made extensive permanent decorations to his Sunset property, but few people who patronized the amusement place realized that the decorations and trimmings then made were but the foundation for the finished job.

Sunset, a place of beauty, is now complete. All through the winter months a corps of workers have been busy carrying out the plans for Sunset as originally planned, only matters have really been improved upon the original specifications.

Last year Sunset presented a glitter of silver beauty, but it was somewhat of the glittering nature. On Easter Monday of this year, folks attending the opening dance will be greeted with the most dazzling, cozy, harmonious blend of interior decoration of its kind in America.

The decorations are of German design, and were imported to this country from there. Thousands upon thousands of so-called German gleamers, resplendent with variegated colors, hang from overhead, and the movement of the dancers causes these gleamers, which are made of copper, to sway, so that the result is pleasing and fascinating to the eye.

One of the finest engineering feats of subdued lighting has been schemed in the general plan of things. Thirteen huge parchment bulbs, in various colors, two feet in diameter, augmented by subdued flashlights, make up the major illumination plan. In addition to this scores of one-foot parchment shades, globe-like, also add to the beauty of the decoration, and aid in the lighting arrangement. The scheme for the moonlight dance lighting is unique, and is one that will prove pleasing.

A description of the newly decorated Sunset auditorium in black and white is difficult to give. A visit to the park on Easter Monday will convince the most skeptical.

Incidentally, Mal Hallet, who appears for the 20th annual opening of Sunset comes in person with the orchestra and nationally famous radio and record artists. This will be their first Carrolltown appearance. The Hallett band was featured for seven consecutive years on Broadway. They are WOR broadcasting stars, and Columbia Okeh, Perfect and Harmony recording artists. The coming direct from the Million Dollar Arcadia Ball Room on Broadway, to Sunset—Pennsylvania's finest ballroom.

### SEEK VACATION OF TWO COUNTY ROADS

Court Appoints Special Board of Viewers Last Friday to Investigate the Petitions.

Attorney A. M. Shoemaker, Adam Shuman and J. D. Ritter were appointed by the Court as a Board of Viewers to determine the expediency of vacating a road in Cresson and Gallitzin Townships extending from the Borough of Gallitzin to the William Penn highway. These appointments were made upon petition of citizens and property owners of the two townships who state that the reason for vacating the road is that since the construction of the new improved road between Gallitzin and Cresson the road has fallen into disuse and is burdensome to the taxpayers and the township.

The above board also was appointed to ascertain as to the propriety of vacating an old public road, known as the Germantown road leading from the Borough of Gallitzin, through Gallitzin township for a distance of approximately 3,210 feet. The petitioners state that the road sought to be vacated has become useless and is inconvenient and burdensome to the taxpayers of the township.

### BARNESBORO YOUNG MAN IS INJURED IN SMASH-UP

Dr. G. R. Anderson left Barnesboro on Saturday in response to a telegram notifying him of the serious injury of his son, Joseph C. Anderson, aged 19, a student at the University of North Carolina, who suffered a fracture of the skull last Friday when an automobile in which he was riding collided with another car. Dr. Anderson was accompanied by Attorney W. F. Dill of Barnesboro.

While details of the accident were lacking, it is said that the young man was unconscious for several hours, but that his condition is now fairly good.

### COUNTY MUST PAY BULK OF ROAD DIFFERENTIAL

Highway Department Will Assume Only Three Thousand Dollars Over Any Estimate.

In a communication received from the state highway department this week, the county commissioners were notified that the county would be expected to assume \$35,000 of the difference in the estimated price and the contract price for the construction of Route No. 234 from Ashville to Frugality, a distance of about six miles in Dean township.

The estimate on the road as prepared by the highway department's engineer, placed the cost of construction at \$376,000, but the lowest bid and the one on which the contract was let, was for \$414,000, leaving a difference of \$38,000, of which the state will assume \$3,000, making the total of \$39,000 allocated to the project by the state. In addition to the \$39,000 which the county must pay for the road, it must assume payment of property damages arising from the grading and filling of the road.

### FUNDS FOR HIGHWAYS NOT AVAILABLE NOW

Commissioners of County Turn Down Request of Reade Township for An Improved Road.

County aid will not be forthcoming this year or next for highways because the county is already too far in debt according to the county commissioners who, following a conference at Ebensburg on Monday, declined to take favorable action on a petition bearing signatures of residents of Reade township and Clearfield county in which the completion of the paved highway from Van Ormer to Allemanville was sought.

The petitioners pointed out that about three miles of the unimproved portion of the road, designated as Route No. 276, by the state highway department, lies in Cambria county and that it is an important link in a state wide road system. The commissioners, on the other hand, set forth that approximately \$850,000 already has been spent for improved highways in Reade township and that no funds, either state or county, are available for work at this time.

Members of the county commissioners, however, did tell members of the delegation, which included J. T. Glasgow, and L. E. Troxell of Reade township, and M. F. Fern and Clair Alleman of Clearfield county, that they would be glad to accompany the commissioners of Clearfield county to Harrisburg to urge upon the state highway department the advisability of building a road as a state project.

### BENTZ RE-ELECTED TO HEAD SCHOOLS

County Superintendent Is Again Unanimously Chosen By Directors With Salary Boost.

Dr. Martin S. Bentz, for the last 19 years superintendent of schools of Cambria County, was re-elected for another term of four years at a meeting of the school directors of the county at Ebensburg on Tuesday. His salary was increased from \$6,000 a year to \$7,000 and the salaries of each of the three assistants were increased \$500 a year to \$3,500.

The election of Dr. Bentz was unanimous but there was considerable discussion as to increasing the salaries of the superintendent and his assistants. Many of the directors took the position that, inasmuch as many of the coal miners in the county had been forced to accept salary cuts, it would be no more than fair to decrease the salaries of the school officials, or at least keep them on the same level. The increase was carried by a vote of 115 to 94.

Assistant superintendents are Miss Sara Jones of Westmont; Miss Clara M. Shryock of Wilmore, and George W. Stevens of Barnesboro. In addition to the salaries paid them, the superintendent and each assistant is allowed \$500 a year for traveling expenses, the entire sum being paid out of the state fund.

### C. D. OF A. TO WITNESS ILLUSTRATED LECTURE

The Ladies' of Barnesboro Court, Our Lady of Victory, Catholic Daughters of America, at their regular Study Hour Meeting on Monday evening next, will have as an extra feature, an illustrated slide lecture on "The Oberammergau Passion Play," given by Miss Hattie M. Sharbaugh, of Carrolltown, who has imported the slides from Germany, and who attended the Passion Play in her home town, and the lecture is interesting and pleasing to all who hear it. The membership of the C. D. of A. is urgently requested to attend the gathering at Barnesboro on Monday evening next.

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### LOCAL AND STATE NEWS OF INTEREST

Condensed Items Gathered from Various Sources for the Busy Reader.

Following a hearing before the Cambria county court last Thursday, Jesto Mordanti, of Cardiff, was admitted to bail in the sum of \$2,000 for his appearance before the June term of court to answer a charge of involuntary manslaughter. Mordanti is charged with the death of Virginia Cicotta, who was fatally injured in an automobile accident on the highway near Twin Rocks on Sunday evening, March 30th.

Nicholas Schmitz, agronomy specialist of State College, was a speaker on "Potato Production," at the annual meeting of the Cambria County Potato Growers' Association held on Tuesday evening of this week at the Concord Grange hall between Patton and Carrolltown. A business meeting was held at two o'clock in the afternoon, and the evening session began at 8 o'clock. Both meetings were open to all.

John Lingle, Civil War veteran, and one of the oldest of Cambria County's native residents, died at his home in Wilmore last Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, death being attributed to the infirmities of age. He was born at Wilmore in 1841 and with exception of the time spent in the Union army, spent all his life in that community. He is the last of a family of five, and is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Lyman Sherburne and Miss Sara A. Lingle, both of Wilmore. A full military funeral was conducted on Saturday afternoon in the Wilmore Lutheran church and interment was in the church cemetery.

Bail in the sum of \$6,000 was posted to secure the release last Thursday of Hyman Rose of Johnstown on a charge of abortion. Rose is jointly indicted with Max Dezin and Mrs. Carrie Clark, both of whom are serving jail sentences following their conviction at the last term of court.

The master's report, recommending a divorce for Carmelo Scaramuzzino of Barnesboro from Jennit Scaramuzzino of New Brunswick, N. J., on grounds of desertion, was filed in the office of the prothonotary at Ebensburg on Friday.

Frank D. Sapp, 57, a Pittsburgh automobile dealer since 1904, died on Friday at Rochester, Minn. He was born in Loreto and educated in St. Francis college, there. He was unmarried.

Funeral services for William J. Yost, whose death occurred on Monday of last week in Altoona, were conducted on Friday morning in St. Francis Xavier's Catholic church at Cresson. Interment was in the church cemetery.

Miss Mildred N. Jones of Ebensburg, and Peter N. Fields of Loreto were married in the Congregational church at Ebensburg on Monday.

William Jones, aged 21, of Cresson, who had been a patient at the Cresson Sanatorium for several weeks, died on Friday night at the Altoona hospital. He was removed to that institution on March 28th.

Mrs. Mary Alice Washburn, aged 77, died on Monday at her home in Nanty-Glo.

### AGED AMSBRY MAN FATALLY INJURED

Joseph Cox, Aged 73, Suffers Fracture of Skull When Struck on Head By Heavy Wrench.

Without regaining consciousness from the time of his admission to the Altoona Mercy hospital last Friday, Joseph Cox, 73 of Ambsry, died on Monday morning at that institution. Death was attributed to a fracture of the skull, suffered when struck on the head with a heavy wrench.

The victim was employed as a caretaker by the State Highway Department and the accident occurred along the highway between Ambsry and Gallitzin. Shortly before the accident, Mr. Cox was attempting to open the drop bottom of a railroad car loaded with cinders for use of the highways. In some manner the wrench slipped from the hands of a fellow workman, striking the victim on the head.

The deceased was well known in the Ambsry and Gallitzin section, having served the highway department for the last 18 years and for a number of years prior to that he had held the post of township road supervisor.

Funeral services will be held at 2:30 o'clock this Thursday afternoon in the Ambsry Methodist Church and interment will be in the Ambsry cemetery.

### GERALD E. SMITH

Funeral services for Gerald E. Smith of Bakerton, aged 58, whose death occurred on Wednesday of last week at his home, were conducted at 2 o'clock on Friday afternoon at the M. E. Church in Bakerton and interment was in the church cemetery.

Mrs. Mary Dugan, aged 66 years, of Wilmore, died last Friday at the Mercy hospital in Johnstown where she has been a patient since March 6th. The funeral was held on Monday morning at Wilmore.

### ASSESSORS TOLD OF 1930 TAXATION LAW

Announcement Is Made of Triennial Assessment to Start June 1st and to End By September 1.

Assessors in every district in Cambria county were notified this week that necessary supplies for the triennial assessment of 1930 would be furnished to them prior to June 1st, when work of making the assessment is to start, and that complete returns must be made to the county commissioners not later than September 1st.

Assessors are required to assess each property with the improvements thereon, and all personal property made taxable by the laws of the state, at the rate or price which, after due examination and consideration, they believe the same would sell for if sold singly and separately at a bona fide sale after full public notice. They are privileged to solicit the aid of school boards and of councils. No assessor will be paid for any time spent at his labors after the first of September.

### NORTHERN CAMBRIA TALKS ORDINANCES

Northern Cambria Business Men Had Council Heads as Guests At Recent Sessions.

The Northern Cambria Business Men's Association met with Presidents of Borough Councils and with Borough Solicitors in the Legion home at Carrolltown one evening last week at which time "uniform ordinances" for the various towns in this section was one of the important matters considered. Uniformity of ordinances has been a subject for argument at several of the meetings held by the Northern Cambria Business Men's Association and at each session the matter is more strongly whipped into shape. The argument is that some present ordinances are inconsistent and confusing whereas a changing would be of benefit to all of the peoples in the towns of Northern Cambria county, the traffic ordinance being particularly among the outstanding ones.

In attendance at the recent meeting were President Elmer Routh and Secretary P. O. Holtz, of Hastings, officers of the Northern Cambria Business Men's Association; George E. Prindle, president of the Patton Borough Council; and P. A. Seymore, president of the Carrolltown Borough Council.

An election of officers for the Northern Cambria Business Men's Association will be held in the near future. Plans will be formulated to hold a banquet for the members and guests, ladies to be included.

A set of new ordinances will be drawn by a solicitor and these will be presented for consideration at the next meeting of the merchants, who will be invited to the consideration of heads of other organizations of Northern Cambria.

### BOY SCOUTS WERE KIWANIS GUESTS

Attorney David R. Perry of Altoona Speaks At Special Meeting of the Club on Monday.

An excellent meeting of the Northern Cambria Kiwanis Club was held at the Brandon hotel, Spangler on Monday evening, when "Boy Scouts" night was observed. Quite a number of scouts in uniform were present, as were many other boys, all guests of the Kiwanians. Frank Brown, of Patton, was in charge of the program, and the speaker, Attorney David R. Perry, of Altoona, presented a fine talk on "Young America." Mr. Perry is district president of the Lions Club.

Prof. Joseph Yoder, of Juniata College, Huntingdon, was a guest singer, and William Ellick, a member of the organization rendered several vocal selections.

A report of the Tiny Tim Club was given, and there is still room for improvement in some sections.

### DAMAGES DISCUSSED.

Members of the Ashville Borough Council, accompanied by other taxpayers of that place, called upon the Board of county commissioners at Ebensburg on Wednesday morning in regard to the property damages resulting from the construction of that portion of Route No. 234 lying within the borough limits. The delegation desired to learn who would be responsible for the damages resulting from the improvements.

The matter has been referred to the county solicitor for an opinion.

### GIRL SCOUT DOINGS.

Our meeting last week was very short. We were taught the Virginia reel, which is a dance similar to square dancing. Dues were collected and inspection was made by the patrol leaders. The third patrol prepared a game called "Scramble." Taps were blown and sung. Our camp fund has increased rapidly and we now have \$96. Miss Montanaro donated some books for which we are very grateful.

## Mammoth Subscription Drive Under Way In Earnest This Week; More Workers Needed

### BREWERY TURNING OUT CANADIAN ALE IS RAIDED

One of the Biggest of All Illicit Liquor Plants Disposed of at Barnesboro.

Ale drinkers throughout western Pennsylvania have been smacking their lips over the "Genuine Imported Canadian Ale," which has been on sale at various places during the last year, but they are due for a double disappointment. In the first place the "ale" was not imported from Canada and, secondly, it will not be available for some time to come as the brewery at Garman's Mills, where the ale was manufactured, was demolished last Friday and the plant demolished.

Raiders under the direction of Constable Frank Maser of Johnstown and Deputy Prohibition Administrator A. G. McDuffie, swooped down upon the place on Friday, seized about 2,000 gallons of mash and the machinery in the brewery, and continued on to Barnesboro, where they raided a house used for storage purposes, securing ten half barrels of the so-called ale and 500 gallons of three-year-old rye whiskey.

Both the brewery and ware house were operated by the same group and the officers arrested Peter P. Antonucci, 35; Sam Melicia, 36; Paul Valenti, 35; and Joseph Valenti, 34. The prisoners were taken to Johnstown where they posted bail in the sum of \$1,000 each for preliminary hearings before Alderman S. J. McClune.

According to members of the raiding party both the brewery and the storage place were among the best equipped ever discovered in this county. At the brewery they discovered a bottling machine capable of bottling two cases of pints a minute, while the storage place was a veritable maze of trap doors and secret hiding places.

Reum runners smuggling ale into the United States from Canada carry their product packed 24 pints to the burlap sack. The sacks are known as "hams" in trade circles and the raiders discovered numerous "hams" at the brewery.

Included in the contraband seized at the storage place, now sides in two story brick dwelling and store building in Barnesboro, was a high speed motor truck, used in transporting the finished product to market. This truck was geared to make a maximum speed of 60 miles per hour, officers said, and was equipped with false sides which formed secret panels in which liquor could be concealed. As the officers were searching the place another truck drove in from Altoona bearing supplies for the "ale" makers, its cargo including several cases of empty bottles and a number of bags of hops.

The brewery, which according to members of the raiding party, had been in operation for a few years, was housed in a two-story frame dwelling on the outskirts of Garman's Mills and was taken in every detail.

Following the raid the contraband was taken to Johnstown where it was dumped into a sewer.

### COUNTY GRANGES HOLD MEETING IN EBENSBURG

The quarterly meeting of the various granges of Cambria County, was held last Saturday afternoon and evening in the Firemen's hall at Ebensburg. At the session held in the morning reports of the various committees and subordinate granges were received, committee assignments were made and other routine business transacted. Following the business session a luncheon was served by the ladies of the Mt. Hermon grange.

### AWARD MATTRESS CONTRACT.

A contract for furnishing 50 mattresses for use at the Cambria County Jail at Ebensburg was awarded on Monday to Gearhart and Heisel of Conemaugh at their low bid of \$212.

## If You Are A Real Hustler, Get in the Race and Win—Competition Still At A Low Ebb in Many Sections—Plenty of Room Left For Live-wires Who Can Win Cash, Automobiles or Tours —Do You Want \$1,000?—Send in Your Name At Once.

The bar is up! The track is clear! They're off to a flying start! That's the way the ambitious club members in the Courier's mammoth subscription campaign have taken the right of way to the winning of the wonderful prizes being offered to the men, women, boys and girls of Northern Cambria County for their spare time in the next seven weeks. It's the talk of the town and the whole county. From now on the chief topic of conversation will be—who is going to win that wonderful grand Capital Prize?

With the announcement last week that the Courier is making an endeavor to increase its subscription list, the public has placed its stamp of wholehearted approval on the Travel Club and its gain in popularity has been unanimous. It's up to you—and you—everybody in this section of the county to back us up in the form of new subscriptions to the Courier. We want five thousand subscribers—and we are counting on yours! Give it to some of the club members whose names are listed elsewhere on this page. Help them to be THE winner on May 24th.

### Two Counts Each Week.

Starting next Monday, April 14th, there will be two counts made each week. The first account will be published in the window of the Courier Travel Club's office in the Grand Theatre Building every Monday morning. The second count will be on Thursday and it will appear in this issue of The Courier and also on the bulletin board. All club members are required to report twice each week—on Wednesdays and Saturdays.

### To Those Who "Haven't Decided".

If you are one of those who have

been putting off entering the Club from day to day it is due time that you "stepped on the gas" and got busy. Each day counts while the BIG Credits are in order. Nothing can be gained by waiting any longer—but much can be lost.

Subscriptions turned in before April 26th will receive twice as many credits as those reported after that date. It will pay you to pile up as big a lead as you possibly can between now and April 26th—take the lead from the start and stay there.

If you have not already made up your mind to enter the club—do so right now. The returns from all active Club members to date have not even skimmed the surface of subscriptions to be had by some hustler—and this includes Patton and all the surrounding communities. There are hundreds of subscriptions waiting for some active person who will enter this campaign and ASK FOR THEM. Fill out the Entry Blank on Page 7 of today's Courier and bring it to the Travel Club office in the Grand Theatre building—you will then be on your way to one of the valuable prizes. And, once again let us remind you, there are NO LOSERS. You win either a prize or a cash commission of 20 percent, or, in other words, \$1 out of every \$5 that you collect is yours.

### Leadership Valuable.

From this time on leadership will be of almost untold value to the Club Members so fortunate as to secure it. Just now there are but very few subscriptions between the leader and the last place holder. The lead is so small that a good day's work on your part or on that of some other ambitious person.

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## THEY'RE OFF! But Not Very Fast -- Room for More Fast Workers

LOOK AT THIS SMALL LIST OF ENTRANTS—HERE IS A RARE OPPORTUNITY FOR YOU TO WIN A FINE AUTOMOBILE OR CASH.

Many Sections Yet Unrepresented. With Hundreds of Subscriptions Waiting For A Live-wire to Ask for Them.

EVERYBODY WINS! YOU CAN'T LOSE!

Campaign Just Starting—Now Is the Time to Join—Get in and Make Some Big Money!

## LIST OF ENTRANTS TO DATE

Below are listed the names of the entrants to date in the Courier's Prize Travel Club, the most ambitious and live-wire men and women of this and surrounding communities, who are competing for the valuable awards being offered by this newspaper to the one securing the most subscriptions to the Courier. Perhaps you have some one whose name appears below and who is anxious and deserving of your subscription—give him or her a five-year subscription which gains the largest number of credits before April 26th.

Considering the value of these awards in this big subscription drive, the entrants to date is absurdly small. There is plenty of room left for hustlers who wish to make some real money between now and May 24th, work—averaging \$180 a week—is what the First Prize means to the person winning it. Why couldn't that person be YOU? The competition is by no means stiff nor has any one candidate any lead that can't be overcome by a good day's work—and there is plenty of territory to cover with hundreds of subscriptions to be gotten for the asking.

(An Actual Comparative Standing.)	Credits
"BUD" WINSLOW, Patton	112,000
MRS. FRANK CALLAHAN, East Carroll	110,000
MISS JANET (BRUNEAU) HARROWER, Patton	109,000
MRS. MELVIN M. SCOTT, Patton	107,000
T. H. WERTNER, Patton—R. D. 1	105,000
HARRY C. WARNER, Patton	103,000
MRS. LAWRENCE GRIEFF, Carrolltown	103,000
JOHN SEMELSBERGER, Patton	103,000
MRS. ANNE JACOBS, Patton	57,000
MISS JULIA TOBER, Patton	19,000
MRS. SYLVIA KUHNLEY, Patton	16,000
JOSEPH FREGLY, Patton	14,000
MISS LAURA MERRILL, Patton	10,000
GEORGE KRUISE, Patton	8,000

### Those Who Have Not Reported Their First Subscription Yet

WALTER BUCK, Carrolltown	5,000
MRS. BERTHA GIBBONS, Ashville	5,000
ALEX DeDEO, Frugality	5,000
VINCENT FOX, Glasgow	5,000
MISS EDNA KELLY, HASTINGS	5,000
MISS DORIS NOONAN, Patton	5,000
MISS ANNA O'NEILL, Patton	5,000
THEODORE OTT, Patton, R. D. 2	5,000
MRS. GERMAINE SEMELSBERGER, Hastings	5,000
STEVE STEPANIK, Bakerton	5,000