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A CIRCULATION THAT WE ARE PROUD OF.

With this issue of the Patton Courier, the newspaper goes into far more homes than ever before in the history of any Patton newspaper.

Our circulation campaign recently ended far exceeded the expectations we had set for it in the way of subscriptions to the Courier.

With upwards of 1700 names on our subscription list, and with what amounts practically to a blanket coverage in Patton and surrounding territory the Courier likewise circulates greatly in Carrolltown, Hastings, Chest Springs, all the Patton R. D. Routes, in Cresson, Spangler, Barnesboro, Blandburg, Glasgow, and, in fact all over the northeastern section of Cambria county.

We can, without fear of contradiction now justly claim the largest paid-in-advance circulation of any weekly newspaper in Cambria county.

The value of the Patton Courier as an advertising medium should not be underestimated. Primarily the circulation campaign was conducted for the sole purpose of gaining an advertising prestige that should be as good as was humanly possible to obtain, and that end has been accomplished by the score of candidates that took part in the Travel Club from the time of its beginning eight weeks ago.

But not only is it the intention of the Courier management to conduct the paper for its value as an advertising medium. We will endeavor to give all of our readers a good weekly newspaper, as well. We expect to do this just a little bit better from week to week as time goes on, so that when your subscriptions eventually expire, you will feel that you want our paper, and will renew your subscription.

The United States Government requires that all newspapers be paid in advance. The management of this newspaper had to file a report a few weeks back, and we had the pleasure to file a mighty clean report. Had the call from the government been made this week, we could have shown subscription list that was 100 per cent paid-up.

We have no delinquent readers to the Patton Courier. We won't have to remind you about subscription unpaid for from one to five years to come. The management of the Courier joins with all the candidates in thanking everybody who helped in any way in making the recent subscription campaign the great success it was.

REAL ACCIDENT PREVENTION NEEDED.

The automobile accident record continues its upward trend. So important has this problem become that President Hoover recently called another conference to consider means for reducing fatalities.

One thing, at least is clear—the methods of the past have failed. Compulsory insurance, heralded as the long-awaited panacea, has not decreased accidents. Traffic laws in most states outmoded or are inadequately enforced. Traffic congestion on streets and highways grows steadily more severe.

An authority on safety says that the most important single step is the licensing law for drivers. Thousands of automobiles are being operated by incompetent or reckless persons all of whom are potential killers and destroyers of property.

Defective cars, turning in the middle of the road, cutting in, passing on curves, failure to give turning signals, etc., are leading causes of accidents. Every state should have a driver's license law and a modernized, rigidly enforced traffic code.

A SMALLER WORLD.

Telephone communication is making the world smaller.

A little more than three years ago the first commercial radio telephone channel between Great Britain and North America was opened. There are now four such channels and the demand for facilities is steadily increasing.

Last April, telephone service was inaugurated between North and South America, thus linking the 20,000,000 telephones in the United States, as well as those in Cuba, Mexico and Canada, with several of the principal countries of the South.

Practically every important center of population in the world can now be reached by telephone from any home or office in this country. The telephone has given the old saying, "It's a small world after all," a new meaning.

CAUSING CRIME.

The National Crime Commission has suggested that a local commission be formed in every community, for the purpose of enforcing laws with reference to local conditions.

This is a sound suggestion. The law cannot change the public attitude or remodel public habits. Those reformers who advocate such "cures" as, for instance, a Federal revolver law which would seek to impose exactly the same restrictions on communities thousands of miles apart, with entirely different problems to cope with, have too much zeal and too little logic.

The best thing State and Federal government could do toward preventing crimes would be not to pass more laws but to weed out the unenforceable, unnecessary and burdensome laws that now infest the land. Apparently their sole result, aside from "creating" criminals has been to so burden the process of law with technicalities that intelligent and swift dispensation of justice to criminals is impossible.

Single American cities have more major crime than many of the great European countries. Part of this is due to political-criminal alliances, part to the activities of misguided mob systems part to incompetent police systems. But it is probable that a leading cause has been our mania for passing impractical or unenforceable laws.

THE GREATEST FIRE MENACE.

The arsonist is an acknowledged enemy of society. But arson, be it a large degree, controlled by the judicial and police authorities of the nation.

A far greater menace is presented by those millions of Americans who might be termed "unconscious arsonists." All of them have not started fires. But many of them knowingly take risks that may produce conflagrations.

They are careless in disposing of cigarettes and matches. They throw piles of oil-soaked rags and rubbish in corners. They allow old wiring to go unattended. They use pennies or wire for blown-out fuses. They make hit-and-miss repairs to defective electrical connections. They are careless with gasoline and other explosives found in the household.

The list of offenses could be continued for pages. None of them are illegal. None of these people purposely start fires. Their faults are carelessness and ignorance.

Mainly because of them thousands of lives and millions of dollars worth of property are destroyed yearly. Workers are thrown out of employment. Factories are shut down. And the result is a blot on our record of prosperity and progress.

If each citizen would resolve to do away with the every-day fire, risks existing in his home garage and place of business, the fire menace would be conquered.

SELECTING CANDIDATES.

HERE IN PENNSYLVANIA a goodly number of the people were interested and alert Tuesday in the business of selecting candidates for the various state and district offices to be filled next November.

As the contest was one of unusual bitterness as between certain of the aspirants, it is probable that some time will elapse before the disappointment of the defeated will be dulled. There are some almost tragic incidents in human life. Among them many citizens are apt to count the results of a primary election. In the nature of things somebody is quite certain to be defeated.

Popular government has advanced by leaps and bounds since our ancestors formulated the Declaration of Independence and sent that immortal document out to the uttermost ends of the earth carrying the marvelous message to the listening ears of the human family. The arrogant and self-willed ruler has vanished and popular government has achieved astounding victories.

Our scheme of government—the ultimate supremacy of the people—is the finest the world has ever seen. But not even the most marvelously efficient plan is worth anything unless it is properly and intelligently administered. Hence the value of episodes like the recent primary election in our state. All the people have a chance; the larger the number vitally interested in the selection of candidates for public office and in the final choice in November the better.

Thus far our republic has achieved a remarkable history. It has wonderfully stimulated public sentiment in behalf of self-government and was the

forerunner of changes in Europe and other parts of the planet which have been very effective by way of the increased comfort of the common people. This is a world upon which the influence of our Revolutionary fathers is still at work with ever increasing effect.—Altoona Mirror.

HASTINGS

Attorney F. C. Sharbaugh and daughter, Miss Leah Sharbaugh, of Ebensburg, and Miss Hattie Sharbaugh and Doris Bloom of Ebensburg, were recent motorists in Hastings.

L. A. Sharbaugh and children of Carrolltown, were recent visitors at the A. J. Houck home.

A testimonial entertainment was given recently in the local Parochial School in honor of the silver jubilee of the Rev. Father Stephen, O. S. B., the pastor of St. Bernard's church. A purse and bouquet of white roses were presented the jubilarian by the children of his parish.

Miss Kathryn Link was hostess to members of her club at her home Friday evening. Awards for card scores were presented to Miss Beatrice Lantry, Miss Mary Johman and Miss Mary Strittmatter.

James Spence, Jr., Rudy Miller and Oscar Binder motored to New York City recently and returned to their homes here Sunday evening.

Mrs. Vincent Lloyd and son of Irwona, are guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Spence.

Dr. C. P. McCoy and James McNeilis recently motored to Pittsburgh to attend a baseball game.

Students of the violin and piano will give a recital in St. Bernard's hall on Thursday afternoon of this week. Instruction was given the pupils by the local nuns.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jenkins of Altoona were the recent guests of local relatives and friends.

James Conzanzo recently left for Altoona to remain for an indefinite time visiting a brother.

The local public school is to be remodeled between the closing and beginning of school, this year, extra rooms to be built to the present structure. The additional part and the old part of the building will be in conformity with state requirements when completed. Bids for the work are advertised, the plans have been approved at Harrisburg.

Miss Veronica Lescovan, of Hastings, and Joseph Proch, of Butler, Pa., were married at St. Bernard's Church, this place, at 9 o'clock, Monday morning. The Rev. Father Stephen, O. S. B., pastor, officiating at the ceremony. A nuptial high mass followed the taking of the vows. Miss Anna Shultz and Frank Galinus, both of Hastings, attended the bridal couple. Mr. and Mrs. Proch will reside in Cleveland, O., where the bridegroom has employment.

In recognition of being the mother of the second largest family in the number of mothers present at the Mother's Day program and banquet given by the Altoona Quota Club at the Penn-Alto Hotel, Altoona, Mrs. H. J. Eady, of this place, and the mother of 12 children, was awarded second prize, a lovely silver bonbon dish. An Altoona lady, mother of 16 children, was awarded first.

Since the reception of 42 more members into the Holy Family, a new organization now numbers about 300 men of St. Bernard's parish. The new class was received into the society recently, at St. Bernard's edifice.

Miss Helen Thiel, of Susquehanna Township and William Drass, of St. Lawrence, were united in marriage by Justice of the Peace B. J. Walz at the office of the latter, Friday, May 16.

The value of principal field crops produced in Pennsylvania during 1929 exceeds the combined totals of seven other eastern states—Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut and Delaware, according to the estimates of the Federal-State Crop Reporting Service. The Pennsylvania total was \$210,703,000.

Eight Pennsylvania counties each grew important crops valued at more than \$5,000,000 in 1929 and only six produced less than \$1,000,000 worth of these crops. Lancaster county farms raised almost twice as much in crop value as the state of Delaware, and 29 counties each produced more than the entire state of Rhode Island.

PATTON CHURCH NOTES.

Baptist Church and Reilly Mission. Lord's Day Services. Rev. M. H. Jones, pastor.

At Reilly, 9:00 A. M., Bible School following with Sermon by the pastor. Patton 10:30 A. M. Bible School followed with Sermon by the pastor. 6:30 P. M. B. Y. P. U., President Miss Mildred Jones.

7:30 P. M. Evening Worship with Sermon by the pastor.

Wednesday evening at 7:30, Prayer and Bible Study.

The Board of Co-operation will meet every last Wednesday evening in the month, after the prayer meeting.

Communication, every first Sunday evening in the month.

The church, where you are a stranger but once.

WESTOVER

Ross Dunbar of Echo, Pa., is visiting among relatives and friends here. Mrs. Martha Ister of Braddock, Pa., spend the week end with her sister, Mrs. Martin Mulhollen and her brother, Mrs. Clay S. Weaver, of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Campbell and daughter, of Hastings, were town visitors last week.

Mr. Maude Pronk has returned to her home after spending several weeks at Meadeville, Pa.

James A. Weaver spend Friday and Saturday at South Fork.

Blair Markle was a Tyronne visitor recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Jean Kitchen and family spent Sunday with relatives and friends in this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Jean Moore of Kitchener, Canada, spent Sunday with Mr. Moore's father, Harry Moore, of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. David Yingling and family of Clearfield, formerly of this place, spent the week end at their home.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ferguson and daughter, Almeta spent Sunday with friends and relatives here.

Mrs. George Barto spent Thursday in Altoona.

Little Joyce Steiner is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Rankin.

Miss Irene Roland, who is employed at Altoona, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. K. Rowland, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Westover of Altoona, were in town last week.

Mrs. Frank Stitchey spent Sunday at her home in Osceola, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Murphy were Clearfield shoppers Saturday.

Miss Christine Weaver has gone to spend several weeks with her sister, Miss Florence Weaver, and with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Davis, of Braddock, Pa.

Joseph McCully was taken to the Clearfield hospital, where he underwent a serious operation. He is getting along nicely.

Edwin McCully was a Clearfield visitor Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Olsen and son of Kitchener, Canada, visited Westover on Saturday. Mr. Olsen left for his home early Sunday morning. Mrs. Olsen and son remained to visit Mrs. Olsen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. North Yingling.

Class Night for the Westover High School was held Thursday evening in the Baptist church. It was well attended both by town folks and out of town folks.

The Senior Class consists of five girls and five boys. Some of the features of the evening were: Class History—Wendell Lloyd; Class Prophecy—Eunice Rowland; Class Donor—Martha Rankin; Class Will—Daniel Pronk, and Class Poem—Beatrice Wagner.

Commencement will be held on June 4th, 1930, in the Baptist church, this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wagner were Altoona visitors recently.

Miss Sally Riddle and Mrs. Emma McCordie were town visitors last week.

Harry Rowland was in Spangler on business this week.

On June 8th there will be a rally in the Evangelical church, this place. All are invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Knight and daughter were Clearfield visitors Monday.

Beggars Can Choose

By MARGARET WEYMOUTH JACKSON

Art is a jealous mistress. The difficulty with which Ernestine adjusts her own desires to the consuming flame of Will's genius is absorbing. Ambition culminates in drama, a great disgrace threatens, a sacrifice is made. The author frankly loves her characters and makes you share this genuine affection.

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PLEADERS APPEAR BEFORE COURT AND ARE SENTENCED

The following persons appeared before the court at Ebensburg on Tuesday the grand jury, and pleaded guilty to the charges preferred against them:

Mason McCreary of Portage, charged with aggravated assault and battery was sentenced to pay the costs and to serve not less than 30 days nor more than three years in the county jail.

Charles Erzal of Portage, charged with operating a motor vehicle while intoxicated, was sentenced to pay the costs and to serve thirty days in the county jail.

David Smith of Lilly, charged with violating the liquor laws, was sentenced to pay the costs and to serve not less than 10 days nor more than three years in the county jail.

Frank Bradley and George Dunmire, both of Lilly, charged with violating the liquor laws, were sentenced jointly to pay the costs, a fine of \$200, and further sentence suspended.

Madeline Oppy, charged with assault and battery, was sentenced to pay the costs.

Practically all towns in Cambria county will have fitting observances of Memorial Day tomorrow.

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Men's \$15.00 All Wool Suits **\$7.50**

Men's \$19.50 All Wool Suits **\$10.00**

Large Boys' and Small Men's one of a kind Suits left from regular stock at **\$5.00**

Men's and Young Men's Summer Palm Beach and Cool Cloth Suits one of a kind. Only mostly samples, light and dark. **\$7.50**

Men's and Young Men's \$35.00 Tweed and Homespun Suits, patch pockets. One pair of long and one pair of knickers **\$21.50**

Dolaway's Special \$45.00 Silk and Wool Suits. Embry make. Special **\$22.50**

50 good All Wool Sample Suits Every suit cold water shrunk and made right. \$24.50 to \$35.00 values at the low price of **\$15.00**

Boys' Long Pants Suits. One and two pairs of pants. \$14.50, \$10.50, **\$7.50**

\$15.00 Panama Suits, Mark and Hass make New 1930 suits **\$7.50**

DECORATION DAY NEEDS
White Duck Pants and Boys' Suits, \$1.39, \$1.19 **95c**

Men's White Duck Pants, \$1.95, \$1.39, **\$1.00**

White Caps and Sailor Hats, 59c, 25c and **15c**

Sport Pants for men and boys, \$3.95, \$2.95 and **\$1.95**

Boys' Longies, \$1.95, \$1.39 and **\$1.00**

Sport Sweaters for men and boys, \$1.95, \$1.39 and **\$1.00**

Boys' and Men's Linen Knickers, \$1.95, \$1.39 and **\$1.19**

Wool Sport Knickers for men and boys, \$1.95, \$1.48 and **\$1.00**

Polo Shirts, all fancy shades, for men and boys, \$1.39, 95c and **69c**

Rayon Silk Polo Shirts, long and short sleeves. All shades. \$1.95 and **\$1.48**

Fancy and White Broadcloth Shirts, 14 to 18½, **\$1.00**

\$5.95 Silk Shirts, special at **\$3.48**

\$3.95 Silk Madras Shirts **\$1.95**

STRAW HATS ON SALE 'WAY BELOW THE PRICE
Sailor and Soft Straw \$2.00 Hats on sale at **95c**

\$3.95 Sailors and Soft Straws on sale **\$1.95**

\$3.95 Soft Felt Hats **\$2.00**

\$2.00 Caps, new shades. \$1.48 and **\$1.00**

Thirty-five \$19.50 All Wool New Spring Top-coats **\$7.50**

WORKING NEEDS FOR MEN AT LESS MONEY

Good Heavy Well Made Pants, pair, \$1.39 and **\$1.00**

Men's Khaki Pants, \$1.95, \$1.48 and **\$1.00**

Men's Overalls, Altoona make **84c**

Signal and Sweet Orr Overalls, pair **\$1.50**

Men's Blue and Black Sailor Pants **\$1.00**

Shorts and Shirts for men and boys. Each, 49c, 39c and **33c**

Silk Shorts and Shirts, 95c, 89c and **49c**

Men's \$2.95 Rayon Silk Union Suits **\$1.39**

Oneida Grey Union Suits. Long and short legs, 34 to 50, 87c or 2 for **\$1.70**

95c Balbriggan Union Suits cream—89c, or 2 **\$1.70**

Men's Nainsook Knee Union Suits, 89c, 69, 39c and **34c**

Haines' \$1.69 Union Suits **\$1.19**

Lawrence \$1.48 Grey first quality Union Suits, \$1.19, or 2 for **\$2.35**

Boys' Wash Suits, 69c, 49c and **39c**

Boys' Sport Sweaters, 69c and **49c**

Boys' Linen Crash Pants, 89c, 49c and **35c**

Boys' Coveralls, one piece garment, 89c, 69c and **39c**

Men's Blue Working Shirts **44c**

Brave-man Blue Working Shirts, 79c, 69c and **59c**

\$1.69 Zipper Shirts, tan, black and blue, 14 to 18. Special **\$1.19**

Men's Palm Beach and Panama Cloth Pants, \$2.95 and **\$2.39**

Golf Socks for men and boys, \$1.95, 95c, 49c **29c**

Men's Pajamas and Night Shirts **\$1.00**

Odd Pants left from suits, \$5.00 to \$9.95 pants **\$2.69**

\$5.00 English Broad cloth Shirts **\$2.95**

95c Silk Neckwear **69c**

Beacon White Foot Socks 19c, or 6 pairs **\$1.00**

Bear Brand Black Socks, 25c always, 21c, or 5 pairs for **\$1.00**

39c Fancy Silk Socks, 21c, or 5 pairs for **\$1.00**