

HASTINGS NEWS

John Buck attended the bankers' meeting held in Altoona on Monday afternoon of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Campbell of Shenandoah, spent the past week at the F. L. Soisson home.

Eugene Baker, CCC enrollee of Camp Heiner, Lock Haven, is spending the week at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. William Huether and

son, Bill, of Altoona, spent the week end at the H. J. Huether home.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Weakland and Mrs. Walter Elder motored to Pittsburgh Sunday afternoon where they will spend some time with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Dietrick and children of Patton were Sunday callers at the M. L. Buck home.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Commons and son, David, spent the week end at the Brazil home on Harvey street.

Mrs. John Brazil entertained a number of youngsters at her home on Harvey Street, Monday evening of last week, the occasion being her daughter, Sidney Lee's, 10th birthday anni-

versary. The entertainment program consisted of games, music and tap dancing. The hostess also served an excellent lunch. The guest list included the following: Regina Kosic, Louise Hricko, Doris Dietrick, Margaret Jane Hill, Mary Ruth, Catherine and Bridget Dillon, Thelma Thomas, Alice Strittmatter, Rita Marcuzzo, Eleanor Nebauer, Dorothy McDermott, Nancy McNelis, Kenneth Holtz, William Holtz, William Hoover and Freddie Soisson, of this place; Donna Lou Miller, Rita Schonberg, and Rita Wildeman of Barnesboro; and Janet Johns and David Commons of Cherry Tree.

Newly elected officers of the Hastings Fire Company have been installed as follows: Edgar Dillon, elected president to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Paul Easley; George Fiasca, vice president; Eugene McDermott, secretary; D. A. Westover, treasurer; A. J. Dillon, Amandus and Russell Cunningham, trustees; Raymond Kiene, fire chief and Anthony Fiasco, assistant fire chief.

Local firemen selected to attend the Barnesboro branch of the training school, sponsored by the Volunteer Firemen's Association of Cambria County and vicinity, are Raymond Kline, Louis Marcuzzo, Anthony Fiasco and Russell Cunningham.

Bruno and Nello Feretti of Pittsburgh were recent callers at the John Feretti home on Beaver street.

Dennis Abel, St. Francis College student, spent the week end at the V. R. Kline home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sasway, Jr., and children spent Sunday at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Sasway, Sr.

The ladies of St. Bernard's parish are sponsoring a card party in St. Bernard's hall on Tuesday, Feb. 21. A door prize, card prizes and lunch. Admission, 50 cents.

Miss Margaret Kirkpatrick entertained the members of her card club last Thursday evening. Lunch and cards featured. Those following attended: The Mesdames Edwin Link, David Elden, Walter Elder, Stephen Jansure and Frank Gill.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Buck and children were recent callers in Carrolltown at the home of the latter's sister, Mrs. Rosetta Donahue.

Louis Lieb of Cresson was a Tuesday business caller in town.

Valentine Dance! Moose hall, Hastings, Friday, Feb. 17. Red Haskins and his ten piece orchestra. Dancing 9 to 1. Sponsored by the Hastings Dramatic Social Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Strittmatter attended the Lumbermen's Convention in Pittsburgh last week.

Miss Frieda Weakland of Johnstown is spending several weeks at the J. M. Bearer home in East End.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bearer and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Abel left Friday for Florida where they expect to spend a number of weeks.

Mrs. Gervase Kinsey of Barnesboro spent Sunday here with relatives.

Mrs. B. A. Lantzy and daughters, Mrs. Eugene Endler and Helen Lantzy, spent Saturday in Altoona.

FIRES DESTROY 4,137 ACRES IN GALLITZIN AREA DURING A YEAR

Forest fires during 1938 devastated 4,137 acres of land entailing a total damage of \$5,895.25 in the Gallitzin District of the Department of Forests & Waters, it was revealed in the annual report compiled last Thursday by District Forester Thomas M. Gray.

The district includes Cambria and Indiana Counties and parts of Clearfield and Blair Counties.

Forester Gray's report revealed that 201 fires were extinguished during the fall while only 181 were reported in the spring. The total number of fires for the year was 382.

He also indicated that the fall season was one of the worst in recent years. In order to keep the fires to a minimum several reserve crews were pressed into service during the season.

Despite the large number of fires and the large area burned over the total extinction costs were held to \$11,183.25. The report showed that the average cost of extinction per acre was \$2.32, which was only 16 cents above the previous year when only 1,138 acres were burned over.

Gray's report showed that 1,332 acres of timberland were burned over and 3,021 acres of brushland and 463 acres of grassland were destroyed by fires during the year.

Nearly one-fourth of the total fires occurred during the month of October the report showed. Forester Gray pointed out that October was the driest month of the year and forestlands were virtual tinderboxes during the entire month.

Approximately 700 acres of brush and timberlands were destroyed in the largest fire of the year which broke out in Chest Township and burned into adjoining Clearfield Township. The fire burned nearly two days before being brought under control.

During 1937, which was a banner year in the Gallitzin District, the largest fire reported for the year burned over only 65 acres.

The number of fires and average acres per fire were as follows: Cambria, 191 fires, averaging 10.79 acres; Indiana, 74 fires, averaging 14.32 acres; Blair, 62 fires, averaging 10.74 acres, and Clearfield 55, averaging 16.72 acres.

RESUME OPERATIONS AT MARSTELLAR MINE

Operations were resumed Monday at two mines of the Pennsylvania Coal and Coke Corporation at Marstellar. The mines had been closed since December 27 when fire of undetermined origin destroyed the large tippie serving both mines.

More than 500 men were thrown out of work. A temporary tippie was erected, work on the structure being completed last week. Sufficient orders are now on hand to insure operations for five days a week for the next few weeks.

Italy's frontier consists of 1,200 miles of land and over 5,000 miles of water.

Administratrix's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that Letters of Administration upon the estate of Frank W. Cunningham, late of the Township of East Carroll, Cambria County, Pennsylvania, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons owing said estate will please make payment and those having claims or demands against the same will present them, properly proven, for settlement.

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FRESH LEAN GROUND BEEF, lb. 15c
WEINERS, RING OR JUMBO BOLOGNA, lb. 15c
BEST QUALITY PURE LARD, 2 lbs. 15c
LEAN SMOKED PICNICS, lb. 15c
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RED RIPE SLICING TOMATOES, lb. 10c
FRESH BEETS AND CARROTS, 2 lge. bunches 9c
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