

### PATTON BRIEFS

**SCHOOLS ARE CLEARED QUICKLY AT FIRE DRILLS**

In a fire drill at the Patton Public School on April 18 the school was cleared in one minute and 25 seconds. Cooperation of the principal, William Bouserman and the rest of the school staff is greatly appreciated by the Fire Company. The school has 780 pupils enrolled. A fire drill was also conducted with the cooperation of Rev. Falber Bertrand and the Sisters in the Parochial School, which was cleared in one minute and 11 seconds. This school has approximately 285 pupils enrolled.

### GARDEN CLUB NEWS

Bring your vases to the Garden Club Tuesday evening, April 23. Mr. Hugo Erdman, Johnstone Florist and teacher of flower arrangement will be the lecturer at the meeting. So if you can bring that vase that you've never been able to use, or that cute one picked out at an auction, Mr. Erdman will tell you the flowers to keep in it and how to put them in.

Mrs. Charles A. Snyder held a meeting of the Garden Club Board of Directors in her home on Tuesday, April 22.

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Martha Dell Campbell and Russell Winslow spent the week end fishing at Benzette, Elk County.

Miss Lucy Baker and Mr. Lewis Baker of Washington, D. C. spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Baker of Patton.

Don't forget the Bingo at the St. George Church Hall on Sunday, April 27, at 8 p. m. You and your friends are cordially invited to attend. Cash prize each game, two door prizes, and a \$10.00 free game with each ticket purchased.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph B. Fields of Newton Hamilton announce the marriage of their daughter, Margaret Agnes to Glenn H. Shaffer of Mount Union. The ceremony was performed Saturday, April 12, in the St. Paul Methodist Church, Hagerstown, Md. by the pastor Rev. J. E. Kemp Horn. Mrs. Shaffer is a member of the Patton High School faculty. Her husband is employed in the offices of the North American Refractories Co. Mt. Union. After June 1 Mr. and Mrs. Shaffer will receive their friends at their cottage on the Methodist Training Camp grounds at Newton Hamilton. Mr. Shaffer is the son of Mrs. Mary Shaffer of Mount Union. Mrs. Shaffer was the guest of honor at a surprise shower given by Mrs. Russell Somerville and members of Mrs. Shaffer's bridge club at the Somerville home on Tuesday evening. After cards, lunch was served.

Miss Patricia Overberger of New Rochelle, N. Y. is spending some time in the home of her grandmother, Mrs. H. J. Overberger.

Miss Nellie Champagne of Wellboro was a week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Snyder. Mrs. Champagne is a sister of Mrs. Snyder.

Miss Anna Mary Bortman is vacationing this week in New York City.

Mrs. Ann Jacobs and Miss Kathryn Ring motored to Kayler, Pa. Tuesday.

Mrs. Margaret Ross returned to her home after spending several months in Pittsburgh.

The set of dishes chanced off by the Women's Democratic Club was won by Frances Zern.

Rev. and Mrs. James A. Turner and their two daughters spent the latter part of last week attending the Methodist Conference in Harrisburg.

William D. Simpson, former Pattonite and now the music supervisor of the Coropilos Schools, reports that the school orchestra, directed by him, took first place in the State Championships.

for Class B Orchestras at Newcastle on Saturday.

On Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, April 13 and 14 St. Mary's School presented "Rainbow's Treasures," an operetta and musical recital. The musical numbers included: "Christus Vincit" (Nebelle and "Fair Wind and Weather" (Mexican Folk), sung by the pupils of the seventh and eighth grades. The piano numbers were: "A Sailor's Life for Me," played by Ronald Stoltz; "A Strange Tale," by Mary Ann Semelberger; "Lullaby," by Suzanne Smithbauer; "Arpeggio Waltz," by Veronica Weller; "Summer Days," by Regina Ruffner; Duet—"The Clown," by Robert and Charles Swab; Trio—"Spring Violets," by Wanda Smithbauer, Elizabeth Good and Jean Ann Squires; "Song of the Sea" by Bertha Karlheim; "Clair de Lune," by Leona Karlheim; "Intermezzo," by Eileen Owens; and a Duet—"Invitation a la Valse," by Leona and Bertha Karlheim.

Don't forget the Card and Bingo and Raffle on Tuesday, May 6, for the St. Mary's Church.

Miss Yvonne Helder of Johnstown became the bride of James Campbell a former resident of Patton, now residing in Johnstown, at Richmond, Va. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Vincent Campbell, a cousin of the bridegroom.

All 1940 Property Tax in Patton Borough not paid before May 1st, 1941, will be assessed by the County Treasurer at Hagerstown and a penalty of one percent will be added monthly.

The Patton High School Alumni will hold a meeting on May 17th.

Decoration Day falls on Friday this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Weakland and children, Helen, Hilda, Leo and Leona. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Campbell and daughter Betty Joan of Akron, Mrs. R. J. Dinehart and sons Herman, Donald and Paul. Mr. and Mrs. James Campbell of Johnstown; Miss Leona Miller and Frank Campbell of Baltimore, Md.; Miss Naomi Thomas of Hastings; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Swope and daughter Jean of Westover, were recent visitors at the Swope home.

Miss Geraldine Stauffer of the Grand Theatre is spending ten days vacation in Florida.

Mrs. Raymond Buck and daughters Glenna and Mary spent the week end in Annapolis where they visited with Midshipman Richard H. Buck. The Misses Buck attended the formal Saturday night hop at the naval academy as the guests of Midshipman Garvin of Chicago and Midshipman Whitehurst of North Carolina. Miss Mary Buck also accompanied Midshipman Whitehurst to the Admiral's Reception on Sunday afternoon. On their return they came by way of Washington, where they took in the display of the Cherry Blossoms.

### Plans Discussed for Setting Up Courses in Democracy

Supervising principals of Cambria County discussed plans for courses in democracy at the final meeting of the current school year last Wednesday evening at Von Lunen's in Gettysburg.

Reports delivered at the meeting on suggested programs worked out by the principals and teachers at meetings held in each district during the past month.

Suggestions offered by the faculty in each district will be compiled in a pamphlet during the summer months for distribution at the start of the next school term.

The task of preparing this pamphlet containing suggested plans for training students in the appreciation of democratic living will be in charge of a committee appointed at the session.

Members of the committee are D. B. Lovette, Spangler; Miss Anna Murphy, West Carroll Township; Miss Clara Shryock, assistant county superintendent of schools; Frank Keller of Ferndale and E. D. McQuire, Beaverdale.

According to reports delivered at the meeting, practically all of the school districts are working on specific plans for conducting courses in democracy, beginning next September.

The pamphlets to be prepared this summer, it was pointed out, will serve as a guide to schools in mapping out their courses.

### Mrs. Scanlan, the Oldest Resident of Carrolltown, Dies

The oldest resident of Carrolltown, Mrs. Wulberga Scanlan, 91, died Tuesday afternoon at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Michael Buck of Carrolltown.

Born in Germany in 1848, Mrs. Scanlan was the daughter of Lucian and Louisa Binder. She came to the U. S. in 1861, settling in Carrolltown and had spent the past 84 years as a resident of that community.

Her husband, the late Attorney T. R. Scanlan, died 45 years ago. Surviving are these children: Lucian Scanlan Lambert Scanlan, Mrs. Miles Harrigan; and Mrs. Buck, all of Carrolltown.

Mrs. Scanlan was a member of St. Benedict's Catholic Church and of the Altar and Rosary societies. High mass of requiem will be celebrated Friday at 9 o'clock in St. Benedict's Church. Interment will be in the church cemetery.

### Heart Seizure Fatal to Fallentimber Miner

Worried because his father, Michael Hempsey, 48, had not returned home Tuesday, Dale Hempsey of Fallen Timbers found his father dead in the coal mine which he operated near Zionsville. Coroner Patrick McDermott said the father had apparently died of a heart attack. He learned that the father had been at work in the mine Tuesday morning about noon the elder Hempsey had told his son to go to work, assuring him that he would "clean up" the remainder of the work.

When the father failed to reach his home by 5 p. m., Dale returned to the pit and found his father lying in the heading beside a loaded coal car which had become wedged in a low place in "he mine roof. Apparently Hempsey had been pushing the car when it became stuck and was walking around to the front to move it backwards as he was stricken and collapsed.

### 2,500 MILES OF TROUT STREAMS IN FORESTS

Hagerstown—G. Albert Stewart, the secretary of the Department of Forests and Waters, today said there are more than 2,500 miles of well-stocked trout streams located within the state forests, all of which are open to the public.

The density of the forest growth along many of the forest streams provide excellent shade food and protection for trout, and are favorite haunts for fishermen.

To facilitate fishing in the state forests, it is the aim of the Department of Forests and Waters to develop good forest roads and trails in each forest district. These roads and trails are posted with signs so that those using the state forests can readily locate themselves.

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### Proposes New Name for Indiantown Gap

Hagerstown—Back in 1776 a young Lutheran minister, the Rev. John Peter Galbreath, walked into his pulpit one Sunday morning. His congregation settled back to hear the usual Sabbath discourse. But suddenly Pastor Galbreath riveted their attention.

"There is a time in prayer and a time to fight." Throwing back his clerical robes he stood before them in the uniform of a colonel of the Revolutionary Army.

The distinguished services led to his promotion to Major-General and following the Revolution he served Pennsylvania as a member and vice-president of its Supreme Executive Council, and later as Congressman and Senator from Pennsylvania at Washington.

Respectfully Representative Albert S. Baughman, Berks County Democrat, introduced a bill providing that the military reservation at Indiantown Gap be hereafter known as "Camp Galbreath" in honor of one of Pennsylvania's most distinguished sons.

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### Three Young Persons Injured in Crashes

Three young people injured in highway accidents in Northampton County last Friday night remain in a critical condition in Mason Hospital, Spangler. Both Tullio Tavernini, 23, of Smith and Miss Lillian Lakatos, 16, of Barnesboro R. D., injured when the car in which they were riding, suffered head-on skulls.

The third victim was Robert Weirick, 21, of Hastings, who suffered a skull fracture when the car in which he was riding wrecked on the Hastings-St. Boniface road Edward Legros of Hastings was listed as the driver of the machine. Alexander Legros, brother of the driver, was admitted to the hospital, also suffering from a possible skull fracture.

### Young Democrat Party Planned at Altoona from

Young Democrat leaders in Cambria and Bedford counties will attend a county regional conference scheduled for Saturday, April 26, in the Penn Alto Hotel in Altoona.

Raymond Kirby of Shippensburg is the treasurer of the regional group.

### ALTOONA WILL GO ON DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME STARTING ON SUNDAY

Altoona—For the first time since the World War, Altoona will go on Daylight Saving Time, April 27.

City Council approved the necessary resolution recently. It was introduced by Mayor Charles E. Rhoads.

### DANCE AT NICKTOWN

A Square Dance will be held in St. Nicholas Hall at Nicktown on Saturday, April 26, for the benefit of St. Nicholas Church. Music will be furnished by The Harmony Boys, a Patton orchestra. All ticket holders will be entitled to a chance on a five-dollar door prize.

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