

### FALLEN TIMBER

#### Sportsmen's Organization Is Being Formed Here

A large group attended the meeting held on Tuesday evening at the school house to organize a Sportsmen's Club. Another meeting of the group will be held on Monday evening at the school house at which time a regular meeting night will be decided upon. All interested sportsmen are invited to attend the meeting and are asked to interest their friends.

Mr. William B. Edmiston and Mr. Jack Kephart spent Tuesday in Altoona.

Mrs. David I. Dixon visited in Coaltport on Tuesday.

Mrs. Carl A. Campbell, Jr., and daughter Janet and Mrs. Howard F. Glass were Tuesday shoppers in Coaltport.

Mrs. C. Hildebrand of Dyars visited at the home of Mr. Earl F. Kopp on Wednesday.

Mrs. Glenn L. Glass and sons, Eugene and Dwight, spent Wednesday visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hill of Altoona.

Mr. Ardell Igou of Altoona recently visited among friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl A. Campbell, Jr., and daughter Connie Louise visited on Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William A. Campbell of Frugalton.

Mr. David Blair Snyder visited in Coaltport on Thursday.

Rose Simmers visited on Friday at the home of her sister Mrs. Clarence Conrad of Holletown.

A number of persons greatly enjoyed the singing service held at the Fiske E. U. B. Church on Wednesday night. The services are sponsored by the Young People's Organizations of the district.

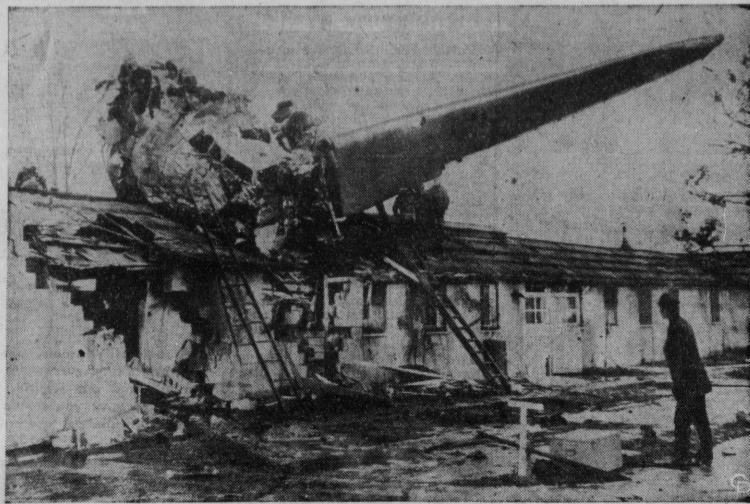
Mrs. John Igou of Glasgow recently spent several days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Youngkin.

Miss Olive Florio of Pittsburgh spent several days visiting with her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. John Toohy.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn L. Glass visited on Friday evening at the Lloyd Gates home in Beaver Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl A. Campbell, Jr., were business callers in Altoona on Friday.

### ONE DEAD AND FOUR HURT IN C-47 PLANE CRASH



THE FORWARD END OF A NATIONAL GUARD C-47 transport plane rests atop a parachute rigging building shortly after crashing into it at Andrews Field, U. S. Air Force base near Washington, D. C. The pilot of the wrecked craft, Lt. Charles R. Ryerson, Arlington, Va., was killed instantly. The injured were Lt. Theodore Williams, Sgt. Harry Hovemill, Wava Dorothy H. Lawrence and Cpl. Clarence A. Heatwell. The latter was in the building when the plane's wing sheared into the air base structure. (International Soundphotos)

Mrs. Robert C. Beers, Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Miller and sons Roger Clyde and Robert Edward, and Mrs. Luther V. Miller and daughter Nancy Catherine are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Darrell K. Beers and family at Akron, O.

Mr. Allan Glass, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dolphus Glass celebrated his twelfth birthday on January 26.

Miss June L. Lovell, a nurse at the Altoona Hospital spent the week end visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell J. Lovell.

Mr. Edward Rafacz and Miss Pauline Oliver, of Coaltport, were united in marriage on Saturday January 24 at St. Mary Magdalene Church at Frugalton on January 24 by Rev. H. G. Sanders. Their many friends extend their congratulations and best wishes.

Mr. William H. Sneed celebrated his 93rd birthday on Sunday, January 25. His many friends extend their best wishes to him.

### WESTOVER

#### Hastings Fire Co. Extinguishes Blaze Here

Last Saturday evening a fire broke out in the Isaac Straw Bldg. at the Barts Hardware Store. It is believed the cause of the flames was a defective fuse. Mr. Ned Frye noticed flames coming out the side of the structure and immediately notified the Hastings Volunteer Fire Co., who made quick time in coming to Westover. A few minutes after arriving the flames were extinguished. A small amount of damage was done.

#### Charles McCulley Weds Miss Katherine Watkins

Charles McCulley, son of Mrs. Margaret Troxell of this place, was married to Miss Katherine Watkins of Flemming, according to word received here. The couple were united on Nov. 29, 1947, in Bellefonte.

The newlyweds now are residing in that town, where "Bud" is employed in the Egyptian Lime Quarry.

### BLANDBURG

#### Parent-Teacher Assn. Here Names Delegates

The Blansburg Parent-Teacher Assn. named one delegate to attend the Founders day meeting in Fort Stanwix Hotel, Ohnstown next month. The delegate appointed at the Wednesday evening meeting was Miss Weaver. The unit will also mark Founders Day at its next meeting on February 15th.

#### Mr. and Mrs. Preston Hollen of Holletown were recent visitors at the Dave Nash home.

Mr. and Mrs. Hescox are the proud parents of a new baby girl. Both mother and baby are getting along fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wilkinson and family moved into their newly-constructed home recently.

Miss Shirley Mann of this place has been bedfast for a number of days due to illness.

Dave Nash and son Thomas, motored to Coaltport Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Garman and children of this place motored to Altoona on Saturday.

A large attendance marked the soup dinner held by the Loyol Legion Class last Thursday. The class wishes to thank all those who helped make it a success.

Mrs. Olive Witherow and Mrs. Marie Witherow and children of Holletown were visitors here on Thursday.

The Blansburg American Legion Post has resumed a door show again. They are to be held each Saturday evening.

Mrs. Hazel Evans, president of the Assn. gave a reading on the March of Dimes. A question by parents pertaining to problems at school was answered by Mrs. Marie Martz. The book of the month was won by Mrs. Martz.

Mrs. Emma Scott has returned home from the Phillipsburg Hospital where she had been a patient for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hescox are the proud parents of a baby girl. This is the couple's second child.

Miss Martha Turner was a visitor in Bellwood on Friday afternoon.

Miss Bonnie Cruise of Glasgow spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Garman were business callers in Altoona on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Knotts were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cree of Glasgow on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Warner visited at the home of Mrs. Warner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Bolinger of Altoona on Tuesday.

Miss Martha Turner spent Sunday visiting with her sister Mrs. Emma Scott of Mountaineer.

#### in Hastings where Mr. Selastok is employed by a coal company.

William Miller was a business caller in Altoona on Monday.

Misses Evelyn Lee and Gertrude Lee and Mrs. Violet Phillips were callers in Clearfield Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emerson O. King has been transferred from the USS Rochester to the USS Missouri, which now is at the pier in New York City.

### Miners' Hospital Patients' Record

#### Patton Couple Become Parents of Twin Sons

Following is the list of patients admitted and discharged at the Miners' Hospital, Spangler, for the period Jan. 19 to Jan. 26, 1948:

**MEDICAL ADMITTED**

Mrs. Zella Booterbaugh, Patton; Mrs. Armellina Gioacchini, Colver; Joseph Karasek, Spangler; Mrs. Clara Miller, Barnesboro; Lynn Gould, Spangler; Mrs. Helen Petrisko, Barnesboro; Samuel Rummel, Spangler; William Kellchner, Marsteller; Mrs. Letitia Patterson, Cherry Tree; Marie Garrity, Patton; Robert Conner, Barnesboro R. D.; Orlando Mastran, Barnesboro; Amelia Dandrea, Patton; John Courtiaux, Jr., Patton; Mrs. Anna Hovan, Bakerton; Fred Rogers, Patton; Elizabeth Logue, Spangler; Peter Gornish, Carrolltown; Charles Jodon, Barnesboro R. D.; and Mrs. Isabel Ahlstrom, St. Benedict.

**STURGICAL ADMITTED**

Albert Daisley, Barnesboro; Helen Ceschini, Carrolltown R. D.; Janet Tubo, Emigh; Peter Inzana, Bakerton; Mrs. Alice Tobin, Ebensburg R. D. 2; Geo. Hnatkovich, Hastings; Benjamin Huggill, Patton; Fred Britton, Barnesboro R. D. 2; Mrs. Margaret Stock, Nicktown; Mrs. Julia Scleskey, Patton R. D. 1; Mrs. Arlene Donnell, Spangler; Mrs. Martha Callahan, Spangler; Alvin Bender, Ebensburg; Oscar Kough, Shelocra R. D.; Dorothy Knotts, Bakerton; Mrs. Matilda Flook, Barnesboro; Mrs. Sarah Galino, Bakerton; and Mrs. Janet Berish, Patton.

**MEDICAL DISCHARGED**

David Schelle, Marsteller; Nevill Davis, Patton; Mrs. John Emerick, Jr. and Mrs. John Ludington Jr. won the prizes.

A card club was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Williams last Thursday evening. Jane Hunter was the extra guest.

Melvin Anderson, Bob Hunter, Ed White, and Bernard and Marvin Swanson attended the baseball banquet held by the Carrolltown American Legion Post in Bakerton recently.

The home of Mrs. Harry C. Ream was the scene of a quilting party this week. The following attended: Miss Ann Symons, Miss Jane Hunter, Mrs. Tillie Lang and Mrs. Caleb Symons.

The Presbyterian Choir sang in Barnesboro on Sunday.

Many local young folks spent Monday evening in Moss Creek.

Mrs. Vern Ahlstrom is a patient in the Miners' Hospital.

Correct your own mistakes and you'll be too busy to point the errors of others.

### Glasgow Notes

Mr. and Mrs. John Troxell and children, Roger and Jerry, visited Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Troxell of Fallentown.

Mrs. Mary McClellan and Mrs. Virgil Richards visited last Wednesday with Mrs. Margaret Burns and Mr. Frank Harpster.

Mrs. R. E. Troxell and Mr. John Troxell attended a livestock sale near Sinking Valley last Wednesday.

Visitors last Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Troxell included Mrs. Mary Gubash, Mrs. Boyd Thompson and son, Carl, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gubash of Blandburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lovell and sons visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cree.

Miss Martha Davis is spending some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Davis.

Mrs. Harvey Davis has been ill at her home for the past week. Her condition is reported as much improved at this writing. Her many friends wish her a speedy recovery.

Reade Twp. High School played a basketball game with Beccaria Twp. High on Wednesday of last week. Reade Twp. winning the league contest. Among those from here who traveled to the game were Louise Lender, Janet Kuhn and Patty Troxell.

James Barnett, who is attending school in Philadelphia, spent the week end with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. A. L. Barnett.

Velma Flemming of Beaver Valley visited recently with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Noel.

Miss Janet Troxell of Mountaineer visited with Miss Joanne Troxell on Sunday.

### Van Ormer

Miss Grace Havlin, who is employed in Altoona, spent the past week end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Havlin.

Miss Ertha Bertoni and Mr. William Best of Flinton were recent callers at the home of Jean Shomo.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Myers of Coaltport were recent visitors at the home of Miss Jessie Stevens.

Creighton McClellan and son of Glasgow were Sunday afternoon visitors of Mabel Coulter.

"Dutch" Stutzman spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Havlin.

Mr. Bert Stevens was a caller in Coaltport Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Ellen Beers and Mrs. Katherine Keith of Fallentown were Sunday callers at the Elmer Keith home. Other callers were Mr. and Mrs. Lester Weid of Coaltport.

Robert Keith and Jack Lamar were among those attending the cave game at Beccaria High.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lovell and son, Lynn, were business callers in Altoona last Wednesday.

Miss Jean Shomo and Miss Edith Noel attended the basketball game between Reade and Beccaria High recently.

Mrs. Margaret Britten was visiting her son, Paul Briggs, and family in Bristol, Pa., for some time.

### St. Benedict

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schilling and family of Ebensburg were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Stickler on Saturday.

Shirley Bradford, Vivian Symons, Chloe Ream, Lorraine Lee, Jim Symons and Telford Saylor attended a conference of Blairsville Presbytery at Blairsville on Saturday afternoon. In the evening they were guests at a banquet.

The St. Benedict Ladies' Club held their meeting last Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Bernard Swanson, Mrs. John Emerick Jr. and Mrs. John Ludington Jr. won the prizes.



### Marsteller

Mrs. Mary Fox and family of Loretto were recent visitors at the Laird home. Mrs. James Laird and Mrs. Fox are sisters.

Bob Laird left last Thursday for his station in San Francisco, Calif., after spending a 40-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Laird. The young man's sister, Miss Edith Laird, accompanied him to Pittsburgh, where she spent a day shopping.

Miss Betty Weakland was honored at a shower held for her by her sister in Carrolltown recently.

Among those attending from Marsteller were Anna Clawson, Martha Baron, Jessie Evison, Jean Weakland, Mrs. Walter Weakland and Miss Maseerio. The young lady will be married on Feb. 5.

A bingo party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Davidson on Wednesday evening of last week.

A number of young folks from Marsteller attended a dance held by the Sophomore Class of Barnesboro High School at the Polish Legion Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter McClelland and son of Johnstown visited Sunday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Fred Schrock.

Mrs. Walter Weakland and daughters, Betty and Jean, were recent shoppers in Altoona.

The Westminister Fellowship of the local Presbyterian Church met last Tuesday. A large number attended. The evening was rounded out by a tasty lunch being served.

### A Sharp Bit of Wit From Reader's Digest

Last summer my uncle in Mississippi was campaigning for the office of Sheriff. One night a total stranger knocked at the door. "Need a little help," he said. "My car went dead while I was getting some water out of the spring. How 'bout helping me some?"

"Sure," said Uncle Bob. "We followed the man to the car and he got in. But before we could begin to shove he stepped on the starter and the motor roared. Leaning out, the driver said, 'Just wanted to know if you was the right kind of man to vote for!'"

### BARUCH URGES UNION OF EUROPE



PRESENTING AN ELEVEN-POINT program for world recovery, Bernard M. Baruch (right), the "elder statesman," is shown with Sen. Arthur Vandenberg (R-Mich.), just before he appeared before the Senate Foreign Relations Committee in Washington. Baruch, long a presidential consultant, urged a union of Europe under the United Nations, backed by an American pledge to war on any aggressor nation. (International)

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