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A Windy Platform

The Pittsburgh Fress is a Republican newspaper. If it were not and Mrs. Ellis Foreman and childen. Charles, Billy, Dick and Jim a Republican newspaper we would not take an editorial published in Portage; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sept 11, is interesting, to say the least, and we herewith publish it Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schmittle gan attended the Gallitzin-Spang-John Schmittle and Mrs. Laura Saturday. in full: Schmittle, all of Glasgow.

"The way politicians write party platforms each campaign year is a caution. They wait until the last minute. Then they haggle and fly-speck and wind up with a hodgepodge of planks offered by pressure groups or special interests. The Republican platform for 1950, as adopted by the GOP State Committee, is a prize example. It takes 3,500 words to say what could have been said in 500. When it is vague, it is wordy. When it is specific, it is oversimplified. It says in one place that nothing is important except the war effort. Then it devotes page after page to what obviously is an overdone effort to out-promise the Democrats. It is the most "promising" Republican platform in many years.

"It looks like the Platform Committee simply pasted up everything anybody had to offer. It deplores waste and extravagance in the Democratic Administration at Washington. Properly so. This in a plank especially written by Gov. James H. Duff, the party's candidate for the U. S. Senate. Then it proceeds to promise all kinds of Leta Marshall, primary teacher, and Mrs. Olive Troxell, grammer

"It offers something to everybody: A constitutional convention to "modernize" the State Constitution. Increased pay for teachers, better retirement benefits for teachers, more aid to teachers' colleges, more aid to local school districts, new medical dental and veterimarian schools at State College, a free college in Philadelphia. More help to municipalities for highway construction. More health services, including contagious disease hospitals run by the state. More benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law. More benefits under the Occupational Disease Law. And more of every program which has been under way since Mr. Duff took office.

"All this will cost money. Lots of money. Where is the money ers, coming from? The platform doesn't say. It recommends repeal of prize, dahlias, Mrs. Charles Mattcoming from? The platform doesn't say. It recommends repeat of hews. Second group First prize, the pop tax. That would put a 14 %-million-dollar-a-year hole in the dahlias, Mrs. Charles Matthews: -state's pocketbook. What do the Republicans propose to take its second prize, assorted flowers, his home in Bronx, N. Y., place? The platform doesn't say. Where do the Republicans propose Charles Jones, third prize, assort. Mrs. David Gates of Colve to get the money for all the extra spending they have recommended? ed flowers. Mary Bowman. to pay off the half-billion-dollar war veterans' bonus? The platform Richards, large pumpkin; Nahey the former Alice Flemming, a reis thunderously silent. So are the Republican candidates. So are the Bowman, assorted vegetables, Ro- sident of Van Ormer, who is Democratic candidates. You can't spend without getting the money ger Troxell, carrots; Mra. Charles patient in the Philipsburg Hossome place either by borrowing or new taxes. Here it is two months Matthews, assorted vegetables, pital. Her many friends wish her before the election. And not a single candidate has even hinted at a plan for raising money! plan for raising money!

"The Bepublican platform promises other things it has mised before—which never were delivered. Legislative repromised before—which never were delivered. Legislative re-apportionment being a prime example. It promises a lot of things it probably can't deliver. It promises things it shouldn't deliver if it follows the most important policy laid down in the platform—everything takes a back seat for anything that may contribute to the way effort. Much of the Republican platform is so much shifty-shally. Much of it would have been better un-

UNION PRESS COURIER

AMSBRY

Lewis were visitors in Patton on

Mr and Mrs. Richard Beiswan-

Joseph Beiswanger home.

ited in Altoona last Friday.

Saturday evening.

Lloyd Gallagher home.

recently.

Thursday.

GLASGOW

By JANET C. KUHN

Mrs. Laura Schmittle

Marks 71st Anniversary

A surprise birthday dinner was

held last Sunday in honor of Mrs.

Laura Schmittle, who celebrated

Mrs. Samuel Heverly and Mrs.

Grace Foreman, each baked a

birthday cake for the event which

was held at the home of Mr. and

Mrs. John Schmittle, All of Mrs. Schmittle's children, grandchild-

ren and great-grandchildren, at-

Robert Pontall, stationed with the

armed forces in California. The

lady received many gifts. Attend-

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Schmittle and children, Budd, Vivian, Carl,

Bobby and Marian and Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Heverly and daugh-ter, Dawn, all of Bellwood; Mr.

. . .

The first meeting of the 1950-51 school term of the Glasgow

held last Tuesday evening in the

The meeting was opened by the

ollowing the business session the

group was favored by remarks

Local PTA Flower Show

Proves Big Success

chool building.

eachers

room.

man;

tended the affair, except-

included the following:

71st birthday anniversary.

By KATHLEEN BUCHANAN

Lloyd Gallagher and son. Stephen, of Washington, D. C., are Garden Heights were recent visi-spending some time here at the tors at the R. D. Yingling home. Elray Fo Elray Fortney was a last Sat-Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shank urday visitor in Altoona. Paul Madigan, Mickey Godfrey and famili and Florine Madigan, attended a Coalport.

and family were recent visitors in Misses Jean and Patty Thon, twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. party for Peggy Stiger in Coupon Mr. and Mrs. Tom Nash and Robert Thon, returned home after daughter, Judy, visited in Altoona spending a week with relatives in Clearfield.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gaida and last Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Matt- Mrs. Stuart Saylor was a recent family of Colver visited here on Sunday with Mrs. Elizabeth Pier-wola. Mrs. Alfred Frank and Mrs. James Frank, visitor in Altoona. Mr. and Mrs Harry Fishel of Mrs. O. E. Miller and Mrs. Gib ewis were visitors in Patton on hursday. Patty Orbine, Luella Scott, Irene Mrs. Esther Fortney and son Letcher, Mrs Elizabeth Wilkin- were recent visitors in Altoona. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Snyder of

ger and family of Altoona were last Thursday visitors here at the and Mr. and Mrs. George Gardner Mount Jewet were last Friday were included with folks from visitors at the Dave Nash home. Mr. and Mrs. Leo Graham of Mr. and Mrs. Don Hartman and town who attended the Mine Op-family visited the Bud Frazier erators turkey banquet at the Riggles Gap were visitors here

family in Alexander, Pa., recently. Jaffa Mosque in Altoona last last Wednesday. Wednesday evening. Mrs. Elizabeth Pfiester and Mark, and daughter, Sherill, and Helen Racz and Donna Buchan- Wednesday evening. Heien Racz and Donna Buchan- Wednesday evening. an atterded a surprise party for Mrs. Elizabeth Pfiester and Erma Erickson at the young Mrs. Edith Kaiser of Altoona vis-lady's home in Spindley City last ited here a week recently at the Walter Wille was a visitor in

Harry McAteer home. Mr. and Mrs. John Knotts of Coaport recently.

Baltimore, Md., spent several days ited in Altoona last week. Mr. and Mrs Kenneth Douglass Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Lewis vishere recently at the Alfred Frank home. Mrs. Siegel is the former and sons visited here at the Dave Nash home on Monday. They are Mr. and Mrs Bob Blakney and Reatrice Frank. The ladies of the local Am- residents of Bellwood.

son, Billie, were recent visitors in erican Legion Auxiliary served a A Prayer Meeting was held by turkey supper on Sunday evening the Brethern In Christ Church at James McCoy of Baltimore, Md. to the Clearfield-Cambria Base- the George McCloskey home here visited relatives and friends here last Friday evening. Those attendball League players.

Parent-Teachers Association was over the past week end. Jack Lucas of Ohio visited his ing included: Sunday visitors at the Oscar uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. Enlaw Campbell, Sylvester Mann here over the Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Fortney and Miller and Ross Buchanan homes included Mr. and Mrs. Al Kelly and children, Jerry and Judy, and week end.

Darwin Fishel and Marlin Trox- and son, Samuel, daughter, Gwenew president, Mrs. Alesta Glass. Mrs. Leo Link and Eugene Link, ell were last Wednesday visitors dolyn. Rev. and Mrs. Andrew in Bellwood. McNevin and son, Donald, Mr. all of Hastings. Gladys Booterbaugh and Laver-Olive Johnston and family and Mrs. Harold Rickard and rom Harold Troxell and John ne Bevis spent last Thursday in

visited her mother, Mrs. Mary family, Frank Ditner, Mr. and Mrs. Cloyd Irvin and granddaugh-Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fisher of ter and Mrs. Dave Nash, all of Bender in Dysart, recently.

Flemmington spent Sunday at the Blandburg; Mrs. Olive Witherow of Hollentown; Harry Gibney of Mountaindale, Mr. Simmers of Mrs. Kidwell and son, Lynn, vis- Mountaindale, Henry Hollen home. ited in Altoona last Monday. Misses Louella Scott and Patty Spenser and daughter of Bumble-Glasgow, and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Mulhollem of this place and Geo. Be

Marsteller Girl Is Mr. and Mrs. Cloyd Hollen and children. Cyold Jr., Dorothy and Margaret, of Mountaindale and Bride On Saturday Mr. and Mrs. James Calwell and

Mr. and Mrs. Enlaw Campbell.

son, David, Mrs. Ambrose Smith

Miss Albina Verchick daughter sons, Henry and Sam and Ralph, of Fred Verchick of Marsteller, became the bride of Joseph Glinof this place, visited in Hershey,

> at Marsteller, Rev. Father John Marnecheck performed the double-

ring ceremony. The bride was given in mar-riage by her father. Missi Cather-riage by her father of the bride. Verchick, sister of the bride, was maid of honor, and Thomas Glinsky, brother of the bridegroom, was best man. Miss Lois Verchick, niece of the bride, served as bridesmaid, and John Verchick, another brother of the bridegroom, was usher. Mrs. Glinsky is a graduate of Barnesboro High and is employed



ployed in Mine 15 of Barnes & tion at the Verchick home. The Tucker Coal Co., Bakerton. By SHIRLEY JEAN NASH Mr. and Mrs. Sam Yingling of arden Heights were recent visition of Altown and Mrs. Ray Fishel of Irvona, Mr. and Mrs Arthur Hollen and

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Pa., on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Richey of New York were week end visitors Mrs. Irvin Ifert of Pittsburgh, Mr. Spangler, at a pretty ceremony performed at 9 a. m. Saturday in COMMUNITY RESTAURANT HASTINGS, PA. Walter Schall, Prop SATURDAY NIGHT SEPTEMBER 23 9:00 to 12:00 DANCE TO THE MUSIC OF

Ruth Kuhn were visitors in Al- Frank Harpster of Roaring Springs, spent the week end at

Mrs. Harry Harpster. Irene Strayer of Johnstown visome time in Washington, D. C. Mr. and Mrs Foster Troxell and daughter, Patty, visited with the ited over the week end at the lady's parents in Ansonville last nome of her mother, Mrs. Mary

Sr., observed their 44th wedding and Lawrence Glasgow were vis anniversary on Monday, Sept. 18. itors in Wheeling, W. Va., re-They are the parents of the ollowing children: Mrs. Mildred Smiley of Roseland; John of Ber-windale; Vaughn of Pittsburgh;

Mrs. Ray Westrick, Patton; William of North Carolina; Samuel Jr of Patton, and Mrs. Dorothy Fow-

at the Harvey Lenhart home. Ralph Moser has returned to his home in Bronx, N. Y., after

The next meeting of the group turned home after spending two weeks with Mrs. Pearl Thomas in

will be held on Oct. 10. Mrs. Charles Bricker and Mrs. former resident of this place.

Mrs. Ray Hamilton is spending the home of his parents, Mr. and oona last Wednesday.

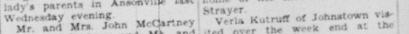
Two movie films were shown, which were enjoyed by the child-Judges for the nower and vegetable show were Harold Troxell, John Hommer, Foster Troxell, Franklin Troxell and Walter Es-

Flower show prizes were awarded in two groups. First group First place, gladiolas, Nancy Bowsecond prize, assorted flow-

Miss Leta Marshall; third Second group-First prize,

Mrs. David Gates of Colver and Vegetable show awards were Mrs. Harry Harpster of this place

Coalport. Mrs. Thomas was a



Hommer, members of the Reade Township School Board. During the meeting two new **Beaver Valley** were introduced, Miss room teacher. The book award Local Couple Observes was given to Mrs. Olive Troxell's 44 Years Married Life

Altoona.

Colver.

School Bond Issue

George McCartney and Mr. and ited over the week end at the The Patton School Board has announced tentative plans for a Mrs. James McCartney, spent the Philip Kutruff home.

family of Johnstown, spent Sun- ber.

The Patton School Board has announced tentative plans for a referendum on a proposed bond issue of \$70,000 to be placed before the voters at the November 7 election. The purpose of the project is for installation of a lighting system, new heating plants and represent time lighting facilities in both grade school buildings are entirely inadequate—as may be attested to by the fact that many of the classrooms have only one light because present wiring is unable to stand a larger load. Mrs. James McCartney, spent the week end at the Leo Tateuis reweek end at the home of Sunday visitors at the home of Mrs. Annie Kuhn included Mr and Mrs. Luther Borings and Mr and Mrs. Luther Borings of Hast- and Mrs. Robert Borings of Flor-Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Roger and McKee spent the week end with unable to stand a larger load. Mr and Mrs. Merie Lehman and relatives in Johnstown and Wind-

Another fact is that one of the old hot-air furnaces was installed away back 50-odd years ago, and has long outlived its usefuliness and efficiency. Without question, these and a number of other things are badly needed. A great portion of the school plant and properties has served the public for three full genera-tions and something will have to be done in the near future in the way of repairs and improvement. The public will be familiar with these needs, according to board members, so that they can understandingly cast their votes when election day comes.

Despite the fact that the dam on Chest Creek, which broke last reght months, the stream has been affording the supply from a temporary emergency project. The townspeople at no time felt any monvenience at all. However, the structure is only a temporary mater and the time is at hand when the borough fathers contemplate the reconstruction of a permanent breastworks. Bids will be opened There's mathers

nothing more important to any community than a supply, and Chest Creek's waters, adequately filtered. Patter's population something in the way of really that is the envy of many of our neighboring com-puted the time that the borough new fit to purify supply-back in the 1999's-drawing a tumbler of a bottom to compliance brought forth a liquid that -drawing a tumbler of ought forth a liquid that sh of cr

through a boiling process. They were far from being "good yr" in Patton. The permanent repair of the borough dam by will meet with no opposition from the people of the com-

Note to Doe Petition Signers

We note that the Cambria County Sportsmen's Assn. has voted circulate petitions in the county calling for the closing of the season in this area Nov. 27 and 28. We won't enter into the rument of whether or not the does should be reduced in number Cambria County, but we do share the belief of one veteran hunter o stated:

"If I sign any such petition, it won't read-'I will not hunt does in Cambria County.' It will read-'I will not hunt does anywhere'." He said some hunters sign such petitions, and then go classwhere-to maybe Clearfield, Potter or Clinton Counties-and bring back a doe. So, if you sign, be honest with yourself.

Abandoned Wells Here Hazard

Fire Chief James Blake has called our attention to the fact that here are in the Patton community no less than seven abandoned wills that have no save coverage, and which present a dangerous mand to the safety of children and perhaps adults as well. This is condition that should not exist and property owners who permit is condition should remedy it at once.

rery fact that there have been so many lives lost over a each year just because of abandoned holes and wells, ride publicity that has been afforded in a few outstand-should be sufficient warning to all. In all likelihood, al conditions are not remedied, proper authorities will present the attain angety measures.

Add-fashioned argument that a man's property is his only trespassers would be open to what happened on that's all right and proper to a certain extent. Canada is a coal producing country, yet in 1945, \$1,000,000 tons control tons of its 48,000,000 tons control tons control tons of its 48,000,000 tons control tons control tons of its 48,000,000 tons control tons control tons of its 48,000,000 tons control tons control tons control tons of its 48,000,000 tons control tons control tons of its 48,000,000 tons control tons con

Rev. Gene E. Sease, postor of Harold for appendicitis. the EUB Church, has been as- Charlotte Gates spent the week signed this charge for another end at the Eugene Hill home in year. He had recently attended a Altoona.

day at the Frank Harpster home. Eugene and Harold Dixon are

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bolinda visite ed on Monday evening in Altoona. Harry Cree is now attending Indiana State Teachers College. Ohio, and Evelyn Priscilla Cox.,

Lester Jackson has enrolled in Gallitzin R. D. the Zeth Business School, Altoona. Mrs. Chester Kuhn and daugh-

visitors in Juniata. Mrs. George Fritz of Baltimore. Md., has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Bertha Scott. Mrs. Bertha Scott and Mrs.

toona. Mr. and Mrs. John Knotts of Ohio spent the past week at the Charles Cree home. Mr. and Mrs. Lena Cree and sons and Mrs. Lena Cree were Monday callers in Altoona Mr. and Mrs. Foster Troxell and doubters modered to Weets

and daughters motored to Wash- ing it (or gassy stomach) and as ington, D. C., and then to Virginia where Miss Patty Troxell is enter-ing college. Mary Lou Troxell, who is em-ployed in Pittshurgh spart the vour blood-cells become worn-

Mary Lou Troxell, who is em-ployed in Pittsburgh, spent the week end here at home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Troxell. Mr. and Mrs John Troxell were last Saturday morning visitors in

last Saturday morning visitors in Mrs. Ruth Kuhn spent last Sat-blood and stomach gas until they

urday in Altoona. Mrs. Harold Troxell and daugh-ter, Mary Lou, were Saturday callers in Altoona. The Caroline Troxell and the stormach gas until they got CERTA-VIN. This is the new medicine containing 12 Herbs blended with Vitamin B and Iron; you take it before meale artor;

ter, Mary Lou, were Saturday callers in Altoona. The Caroline Troxell Rebekah Lodge held their regular meeting in the local IOOF Hall last Sri-day evening. Mr. and Mrs. George Scaife and family of Central City were re-cent visitors at the Charles Trox-ell home here. CANADA'S COAL STATUS Canada is a coal producing Canada is a coal producing

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bricker patients in the Miners' Hospital in and Mrs. Ruth Kuhn were recent Spangler. Eugene is being treated for a fracture of the arm, and Mrs. Chester Kuhn and daugh-ter, Joan, were Monday evening IF YOU ARE A PEPLESS PETE

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