

Around Patton

Patton VFW Post To Elect Officers Tuesday, Mar. 20

John White Post 778, VFW, has announced that its annual election of officers will be held on Tuesday, Mar. 20 at the post home. Additional nominations also will be accepted at that time.

Chair Gill spoke on behalf of the Red Cross Bloodmobile visit slated for next week at Patton. He cited the need for blood. The local VFW gave its stamp of approval to the visit of the mobile unit and a number of members turned in pledge cards following the meeting. The unit also voted \$25 to the Boy Scouts.

Those nominated for office at Tuesday's meeting were:

Commander—Michael Boback, Leo O'Brien, and Tony Zungali; senior vice commander—Stephen Mannon and John Shebeck; junior vice commander—William Le-mont and Albert Bardegal; quartermaster—Albert L. Halaska; post advocate—Albert Petrusak; Howard Brown and Edward Ros-sel; sergeants—Dr. Edward B. McGovern and Dr. Richard Mur-ray; chaplains (two to be elected)—Rev. Father Rupert Stadler and Rev. Thomas A. McQuillen; trustee (three years)—Leo O'Brien, Joseph Geronimo, Edward Holsko, Victor Hauer, Albert Petrusak, and John Choby; Michael Tanski, Andrew Baranich, and Raymond Chian; delegates to the County VFW Council—Stephen Mannon, Maurice Baber, Samuel Reed, Walter Burke, Albert Petrusak, Joseph Paddock, Howard Murphy, William Lamont, Joseph Geronimo, James Chase and Lawrence Yost.

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Barnesboro Group Presents Variety Show Here Tuesday

Following a brief business session, the Barnesboro High School Dramatic Club presented a variety show at the regular meeting of the Patton Music Club on Tuesday evening of this week in Moose Ballroom, Patton. The program was as follows:

Joe Pesarchick, announcer; Barbara Leonard and Mary Ellen McMillen, commercial; Barbara Leonard and Mary E. McMillen, pantomime; Arvilla Funk and Marsha Ulrich, duet; Jennie McKeage Patchin, two dances; Betty Zieminski, solo; Nancy Mitchell, Lila Lee Woodside, Joe Saway and Bob Mitchell, silent movie; Jennie McKeage Patchin, gypsy dance; Bob Mitchell and Joe Pesarchick, student director.

Skit, "Twelve Old Maids," by Ben Hara. Cast was: Mirtha Ulrich, Dorothy Koppa, Lila Lee Woodside, Joanne Paterzo, Shirley Taylor, Arvilla Funk, Geraldine Kelly. Beverly Kirtley, Nancy Mitchell, Barbara Leonard, Mary McMillen, Fay Kingston, Betty Ann Watters, Pat Gray, Jennie McKeage Patchin and David Byrnes.

Sponsors of the event were Miss M. Delores Kline and Mrs. Angelo Laurito. Mrs. James Mitchell was accompanist.

Betty Baranich Is Lovely Bride Here

Miss Betty Baranich, daughter of Mrs. Mary Baranich, became the bride of John Simmons of Danville, Ohio, last Sunday, Mar. 4, at 2 p. m. in St. Peter and Paul's Russian Orthodox Church, Patton. Rev. Levkianoff of Colver performed the ceremony.

The bride was given in marriage by her brother-in-law, Benny Chancoural of Detroit, Mich. Ruby Davis of Washington, D. C., was the maid of honor and a sister of the bride, Mrs. Mary Ribot, was the matron of honor. Paul Baranich, brother of the bride, served as best man.

The bride was attired in a white satin and net ballerina gown and a finger tip veil held in place with a tiara of seed pearls and carried a bouquet of white carnations with streamers. The maid of honor wore a brown net gown with matching hat and a corsage of yellow carnations. The matron of honor wore a metallic gown with black accessories and a corsage of yellow carnations.

A wedding dinner and a reception were held at the home of the bride.

The bride is a graduate of the Patton High School. The couple plan to reside in Washington, D. C., where they are both employed.

Luther Twins to Be Among Inductees

The following boys from Patton will be inducted into the U. S. Army this Thursday, Mar. 5, at the Altoona Induction Center:

Richard and Robert Luther, twin sons of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Luther of Patton. R. D. Richard was employed at the Bethlehem Steel Co. and Robert worked at the Willard Battery Co., Cleveland, Ohio.

Charles Swab Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Swab of Fifth Avenue. He was employed by the State Highway Department Surveying Crew.

James Ducho, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ducho of Patton R. D. He was employed at a Lumber Camp in West Virginia.

Francis J. Kirkpatrick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Kirkpatrick of Patton R. D. Francis was employed at the PIR Shops in Altoona.

PHS Honor Roll List Includes 42

The following honor roll for the past report period was announced this week by Patton High School authorities:

Seniors—Gretchen Bieder, Colleen Callahan, George Churella, Roberta Cogley, Betty Halaska, Gladys Halaska, Mary Margaret Ivory, Rose Marie Lunn, Elizabeth Lenden, Silva Luster, Bruce Metzger, Jane Petrusyak, Barbara Rhody, Nell Sheehan, Janet Stevens, and Leo Leo Zajack.

Juniors—Patricia Barrett, Elaine Bertison, Shirley Caplo, Margaret Cogley, Patricia Costello, Janet Dietrich, Donna Drachak, Mary Lee Garity, Sally Little, Nancy Lowry, Janet Moran, Marshall Schwab, Betty Ann Shauer, Catherine Tirpak, and Marjorie Turnbull.

Sophomores—Rousayne Al-hart, Joanne Donahue, Eleanor Gobert, Elaine Solomon, Dorothy Sumner and Melvin Wierick.

Freshmen—Joan DeMatre, Shirley Ryan, Faye Sherry, Carole Steir, and Marlene Yarger.

Betsy Dummyer Feted At Birthday Party Here

A birthday party was held in honor of Betsy Dummyer on Sunday, Mar. 4, from 2 to 4 p. m. at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dummyer of Magee Avenue. Miss Dummyer celebrated her 10th birthday anniversary on Monday, Mar. 5.

The youngsters enjoyed games followed by a lunch. Attending were the following:

Margaret and Betty Lou Crow-ell, Mary Kay McKee, Carole Lacava, Janet Beriah, Sandra Houck, Marjorie Lamont and Karen Bair, all of Patton, and Cecelia and Ariene and Darlene Easty of Hastings.

Patton Young Man Is Named to Dean's List

Work has been received here that Robert Swab, Patton High School Class of '28, has been placed on the Dean's List of the School of Engineering at Penn State College for the 1930-31 fall semester.

The Dean's List includes the names of those students who earned a semester average of 2.5 or higher.

ATTENDING CAREER SESSION

Roberta J. Cogley, senior student at Patton High School, attended a Career Conference held at Juniata College, Huntington, Pa., this past week end.

Emery Dietrick Gets Promotion to Major

Capt. Emery Dietrick of the U. S. Air Force, son of Mrs. Rose Dietrick, has been promoted to the rank of major. Maj. Dietrick at present is stationed in Japan. His wife, the former Marjorie Buck, and two children are residing in Patton.

Benefit Bake Sale to Be Held Here On Saturday

A bake sale for the benefit of the veterans in the Altoona VA Hospital will be held in the win-dow of Sheffield's Furniture Co. on Magee Ave. this Saturday.

The Ladies Auxiliary of John White Post 778, VFW, is conduct-ing the sale, which will begin at 10 a. m.

All those wishing to donate goods for the sale are asked to bring it to Sheffield's between 9 a. m. and noon on Saturday.

The VFW ladies will nominate and elect officers at a meeting on Thursday of next week.

Take Aptitude Tests

Thomas Swab, Gladys Halaska, Roberta J. Cogley and Ellen Sheehan, were members of the members of the Senior Class of Patton High School who took the Carnegie aptitude tests at Pitts-burgh last Saturday.

This is the second group of PHS Seniors to take the exam. Another group will take the tests next Saturday, Mar. 17.

Mrs. Anna M. Rosian of Ebe-nsburg R. D. visited with her daughter, Mrs. Anna Rudy, and son, Fred Rosian, last week. She was admitted to the Miners' Hospital on Monday of this week for medi-cal care and observation. Mrs. Rosian is 53 years of age and resided on Patton R. D. until a few years ago.

Les Christy, stationed with the U. S. Navy in Massachusetts, visited the week end here among relatives and friends.

Pvt. Paul Rosian returned to Ft. Dix, N. J., Monday after spending the week end here with relatives in Patton.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sosinski and son, Timmie, visited with their parents over the week end at Claridge, Pa., and Norvelt, Pa.

Mrs. Max Gill is spending this week with relatives in Pittsburgh.

Pfc. James Milton Platko of the U. S. Marine Base, Quantico, Va., spent Monday and Tuesday with his wife at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Klemann of Patton, R. D. Pfc. Platko was accompanied back by his wife, who will spend some time in Virginia. Pfc. Platko will be admitted to the Maryland Hospital next week for observa-tion.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Klemann left last Sunday for Cleveland, Ohio, where Mrs. Klemann was admitted Monday to the Cleve-land Clinic for observation.

Mrs. Gerald Skurky and son have returned to Philadelphia af-ter spending two weeks in town with relatives. Her husband spent the week end in town and was accompanied to Philadelphia by his wife and son. They also vis-ited Jerry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Skurky and daughter of Altoona.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Short of Patton and Miss Rose Little of Lovett are vacationing in Flor-ida.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Lester Yahner of Magee Avenue—a daughter, Sunday, Mar. 4, at the Miners Hospital, Spangler.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Mertens announce the birth of a son, Mar. 4, at the Miners Hospital in Spangler.

Cpl. Leonard Yeckley of the U. S. Army at Fort Wood, Mo., vis-ited here Sunday with his grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Yeckley.

Mrs. and Mrs. Ray Martin and daughter, Doris, of Swissvale, spent Sunday with the lady's mother, Mrs. Ann Overack of Third Avenue.

21 Juveniles Appear In Court This Week

Twenty-one juveniles appeared before county juvenile court in Ebsenburg on various charges on Tuesday of this week.

One youth, a 15-year-old Nick-ler, boy, was committed to George Junior Republic by Judge Ivan J. McKeenick. All others were placed in the custody of their parents.

The complete story of the Nick-ler boy's recent venture will be found on Page 2, column 5, of this issue.

FARMER HURT AT WORK

John Oaker, 67-year-old Mahaf-ey R. D. farmer, is being treated at the Miners' Hospital, Spangler, for an injured right ankle. He was hurt Monday afternoon while cutting down a tree. His condi-tion is listed as good.

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Chest Springs Club Meets Father Lenz

Introduction of the 27 members to the newly appointed Assistant Pastor, Rev. Father Lenz, was the feature of the regular monthly meeting of the St. Monica's Mo-nichs Club on Tuesday, Mar. 3. The session was held in the school basement.

Plans were made at the meet-ing to hold a special round and square dance, date to be announ-ced later. A committee was chosen to prepare for a series of card parties to be held on Tuesdays, Apr. 3, 10 and 13. Repairs for sanitary needs were paid from the club fund and a purchase of a water fountain for the school was discussed.

Following the business ses-sion, Father Lenz held discussion with the ladies and spoke of encou-agement and the great need and effort for their success.

George Tokarchik Indicted Tuesday By Grand Jurors

A 28-year-old prisoner charged with attacking an Ebsenburg woman was indicted on two counts Tuesday by March grand jury in session in the Ebsenburg Courthouse.

Defendant is George Tokarchik of Johnstown, identified as the man who attacked and severely injured the woman on an Ebsen-burg street early on the evening of Dec. 5.

Jurors indicted him on two counts—assault and battery with intent to ravish and aggravated assault and battery.

The incident which led to the charge touched off a prison break-out investigation which resulted in the resignation of the late Edward W. Beattie as warden of Cambria County Jail. His deputy, Pat McCann, also resigned.

Tokarchik was out of the county jail without a guard at the time the woman was attacked. He was one of the three prisoners who were sent—without guards—to gather Christmas decorations on the date of the attack.

The prisoner has not admitted the charges against him. The other two prisoners have told officials that Tokarchik had left the group and was not with them when the attack occurred. Tokar-chik was arrested at the jail later the same evening.

Tokarchik's trial will be sched-uled for criminal court during the week on Mar. 18, along with the trials of other defendants indicted by the grand jury Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

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2 Killed, 26 Hurt On County Roads

Two persons were killed and 26 injured in mishaps on Cambria County highways in February.

The report of state police in Ebsenburg covers all accidents in the county except those in the City of Johnstown and also in boroughs of the county which have their own police forces to investigate traffic mishaps. A total of 24 accidents were investi-gated by state police last month.

Last month's fatalities bring the 1931 death toll to four. Two persons were killed on county highways during January.

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FAIR STATE

The report shows an accident increase this year over 1930. Fifty-nine accidents have been in-vestigated during the first two months of the year. In 1930, only 43 accidents were investigated during the same period. The total of persons injured—41—is seven above the total for the like pe-riod in 1930.

New Application For Joint School

A new application has been filed for the construction of a new school in the Cherry Tree-Westover area.

The Harmony Joint Board has applied to the State Public School Building Authority for \$448,000 to build a new high school at a pro-posed site in Burnside Twp. The board is composed of Chant and Burnside Twp. and Westover and Cherry Tree Boroughs.

The application replaces one filed previously by the Chertoph-hanna Joint Board composed of the four districts named and of Newbury (LaFare), New Washington and Burnside Bur-oughs and Mahafey and Bell Twp., all in Clearfield County.

Friday of last week was the deadline for the nine-district group to agree on a site.

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