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# THE INDEPENDENT

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THURSDAY, JUNE 29, 1939

## Flag Company Employees Hear About Hospitalization Plan

The employees at the Fourth avenue plant of the Collegeville Flag Company recently received an explanation of the Inter-County Hospitalization Plan from the plan representative Wilson W. Lyster who resides in Collegeville. Many of the group expressed their interest in subscribing to this non-profit, community service which protects its members against hospital bills thru the "3 cents-a-day" pre-payment plan and is good at any hospital in the county. The first plan member to be hospitalized in the New Montgomery Hospital was Prof. Harvey L. Carter of the History Department at Ursinus College. This will be the fourth case taken care of by his membership since subscribing to the plan about two years ago.

## LATE JUNE WEDDINGS

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carried a bouquet of white larkspur and blue delphinium. Miss Schell-hase also wore a wreath of the same with yellow daisies. Mrs. Allebach, mother of the bride, wore a becoming gown of blue lace over satin. Her wide-brimmed hat was white and a corsage of gardenias lent a pleasing touch of contrast to the costume. The bridegroom's mother was attired in a figured sheer dress. Her corsage of gardenias carried out the effect of the ensemble. Robert Mickels of Buck Hill Falls, Pa., served as best man, and the ushers were Harold T. Allebach, brother of the bride, and Thomas H. Moore, Jr., of State College, Pa. The ceremony was performed at the church altar which was decorated with palms and baskets of pink and blue larkspur. Mr. Alvin Ziegler, brother of the bridegroom, sang, "I Love You Truly," and "Because," and was accompanied by Miss Helen Bartman who also played the bridal procession.

## Bean-Kirkpatrick

The wedding of Miss Emma Kirkpatrick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Kirkpatrick of Conshohocken, and Winifred H. Bean, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clement H. Bean of Creamery was solemnized Saturday afternoon in Calvary Episcopal Church, Conshohocken. The couple were attended by Miss Kathryn P. Hart as maid of honor and Virgil G. Sommers of Ardmore as best man. The bride is a graduate of Ursinus College and a teacher on the Conshohocken High School faculty. Mr. Bean is a graduate of Collegeville High School and West Chester Teachers College.

## Richards-Hitchcock

A wedding of local interest was solemnized Saturday afternoon in Jeffersonville Presbyterian Church when Miss Margaret Hitchcock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hitchcock of Riverside Avenue, Norristown, became the bride of Harvey C. Richards, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Cleaver Richards of Providence Square. After a wedding trip through the New England States and Canada the couple will reside on Riverside Avenue. The groom is Norristown manager for the Canteen Company.

## Stahley-Clemmens

Miss Dorothy May Clemmens, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Clemmens, of Royersford, became the bride of William E. Stahley of Schwenksville, on Saturday morning in Goshenhoppen Reformed Church, the pastor Rev. C. H. Brown, officiating. The couple are on a two week's honeymoon trip thru the New England States. They will reside at Rahms.

## Hendricks-Pfleger

The wedding of Miss Dorothy Pfleger of Red Hill and Roy E. Hendricks of Yerkes, took place last Saturday in St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Red Hill, the pastor Rev. H. H. Krauss, officiating. The couple are residing in Red Hill. Mr. Hendricks is employed with the Landes Motor Company.

## EVANSBURG NEWS

On Monday evening the church school class of boys from St. James' and their guests enjoyed a campfire party, swimming and canoeing at Salford Station. The party was arranged by their teacher Miss Marjorie Brosz.

Miss Eleanor Rogers has returned to Northeastern Hospital in Phila., after spending her vacation with Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Longaker. Miss Rogers was unanimously elected president of her class.

Fourteen registered Ayrshire cows in the herd of William Stephens averaged 1,109 pounds of milk and 40 pounds of butterfat. Mr. Stephens cattle were second in average in the cow testing association in which are entered.

William Stephens, Jr., Joseph Chappelle and Robert Mathieu enjoyed the Athletics-Yankees game in Philadelphia on Monday night.

Miss Doris Gill, Mr. Sylvester Toal and Miss Louise Toal were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Gehret, Friday evening. Mr. Toal is a member of the Church Army of the Episcopal Church and is home on vacation. He plans to attend the Episcopal Conference being held at Ursinus College this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Russel Cowl, Mrs. James Kenyon and Miss Frances Kenyon, of Troy, members of a church of which Rev. Carter was formerly pastor, were week-end guests of Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Carter. Their daughter, of Camden, was also home for the week-end.

Among those attending the Episcopal conference at Ursinus this week are Mrs. N. Reeves, Mrs. I. Basler, Miss Ethel Brosz, and Miss Gergette Dungan.

Miss Betty Jane Addis of Tally-Ho Farm is visiting Mrs. Charles Bradley of New Haven, Conn.

Mrs. Clarkson Addis and sons have returned from a pleasant stay at Ridgefield, Conn.

## CREAMERY NOTES

Mrs. H. Fox and family of Bergenfield, N. J.; Mrs. L. Jetter and family and Miss Alice Dungan of New York City visited last week with Mrs. Jesse Dungan of Creamery. They came to see Miss Gergette Dungan graduate from Collegeville High School.

Georgette Dungan of Creamery, is spending some time in New York City.

Rev. and Mrs. Wm. Detwiler and sons of Orville, Ohio, are visiting friends and relatives in the Creamery section for the week.

Miss Lavina Fretz, aged 86 years, formerly of the Creamery section, is making her home with Mr. and Mrs. Markley Johnson of Creamery after residing with the family of John Buckwalter, Royersford, for a number of years.

Carolyn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Reiff, and Lester, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry M. Andes, both of Creamery, underwent tonsil operations at Riverview Hospital, last week.

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EDWIN WINNER

of Upper Moreland township, who is serving his third term as a representative of the Third Legislative District in Montgomery County, last Wednesday announced his candidacy as a Republican candidate for County Commissioner.

Mr. Winner is 39 years of age. He was born in Harboro, where he is engaged in the retail coal and lumber business. He is a director of the Harboro National Bank, president of the Harboro Building and Loan Association, and is prominent in civic and community organizations. He has the endorsement of many prominent and influential lower end businessmen and politicians.

In the Republican membership of the commissioner's office, both Fred Peters and Foster Hillgass have announced they were candidates for re-election.

Rumor about the Court House has it that John Hoffman, titular county leader, will endorse Winner and place a full slate in the field against the Peters-Bechtel combine who will also line up a full slate in one of the bitterest primary factional fights the county has ever witnessed.

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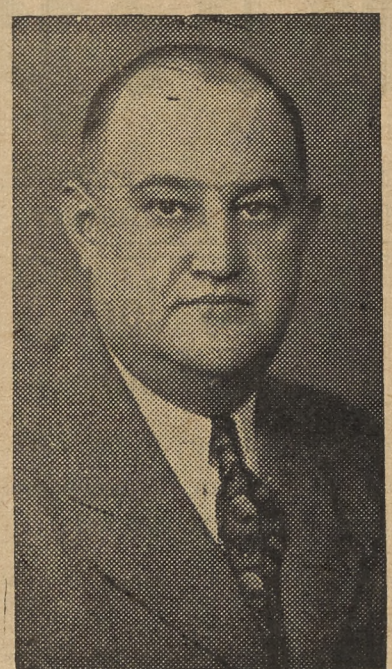
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RAYMOND K. MENSCH

a prominent and well-known upper end Democrat and proprietor of the Gilbertsville Motor Company, has announced his candidacy for the office of county commissioner. He is 42 years of age and has served his party as a committee-member for 13 years.

He is a charter member of the Gilbertsville Fire Company, a member of the Lions' Club and the Fraternal Order of Orioles. He is a member of St. Luke's Lutheran Church, Gilbertsville.

Mensch, a former jury commissioner, will seek the post now held by James W. Potter, who also has announced his candidacy for re-election. Potter was elected to the minority board post in 1935. Potter claims New Deal support while Mensch is a life-long old line Democrat and at present patronage dispenser for the Guffy regime in the county.

Mensch will probably draw support from the Peters-Bechtel faction on the G.O.P. side while Potter leans toward the Hoffman faction.

## Other Hats in the Ring

Others who have announced their candidacies for the thirteen court house offices that will be open this fall include:

Paul G. Hunsberger, Rep. for clerk of courts, present incumbent. David E. Groshens, Rep., for district attorney, Fred Smillie, Rep., present incumbent, will also be candidates.

William G. Hower, Rep., for recorder of deeds, present incumbent.

## NEW EGG AUCTION BUILDING TO BE DEDICATED JULY 12

The Tri-County Producers Co-operative Association, better known as the Center Point egg auction, invites the public to the dedication of their new building at Center Point on Wednesday afternoon and evening, July 12. There will be an appropriate program at 3 p. m., followed by refreshments.

The new building is located on Valley Forge Road, route 363, one-half mile south of the old auction building.

## Schwenksville Teachers Named

Miss Charlotte Lehr, of Philadelphia, a graduate of Temple University, has been elected to teach the fourth grade in the Landis Consolidated School at Schwenksville. She replaces Miss Ebst who recently was married and resigned.

Miss Julia Bresel, of Hatfield, a graduate of West Chester Teachers College was elected an elementary grade teacher replacing Miss Hag-enbuch who also resigned since her marriage.

## NOTES from HERE and THERE

Alvin Mogel, 47, Limerick carpenter sustained a sprained right ankle when he fell eight feet from a scaffold on a Pottstown job last week.

A daughter was born last week at Sacred Heart Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. William Hoff, Graterford. Mrs. Hoff was the former Miss Margaret Emert.

Miss Estella Kline and Miss Esther Dannewer, teachers in the Schwenksville High School and Miss Beatrice Saylor of Pennsburg, a teacher in the Pennsburg school, are on a six-week trip to California by car.

Mrs. Wilson Bergey, of Schwenksville R. D., who had been seriously ill following the amputation of her right leg in Riverview Hospital, is greatly improved.

Miss Edna Meng, science teacher at the Landis high school, Schwenksville, is recuperating from an appendectomy in a Riverside, N. J., hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Posen, residing east of Evansburg, enjoyed several days at the New York World's Fair.

The Kratz road in Skippack Twp., a county-aid project begun last Summer has been finished. Work on the Wayland road, near Cassel's school, will begin shortly.

Miss Kathryn Faust of Schwenksville was admitted to Homeopathic hospital for a chronic appendicitis operation on Tuesday.

George Williams of near Fairview Village was admitted to Homeopathic hospital for a tonsil operation last Friday.

## POTTSTOWN WOMAN DIES FROM COAL GAS IN HOME

Overcome by coal gas escaping from a cellar furnace, Mrs. Fretta Fawkes, 58, was found dead on the floor of a second-story bedroom and her husband, Daniel S. Fawkes, 61, unconscious, crosswise over a bed in their home at 545 King Street, Pottstown, last Wednesday afternoon.

The tragedy was discovered by I. B. Benner, an official of the Keystone Agricultural Works where Fawkes is employed as an engineer. Investigation was made when Fawkes failed to report to work.

Fawkes has since recovered. He said a fire was kept during the summer to heat hot water and save valuable wood working machinery located in a basement shop from rusting.

## Graduates from Amherst College

Samuel D. Miller, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Miller, Sr., of Providence Square, was graduated recently from Amherst College, Mass.

## Fuel Tax Refund is \$136,112

Montgomery County will receive a total of \$136,112.23 for their share of the liquid fuels tax money payable to the counties of Pennsylvania for the six-months period ending May 31.

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Dutch Culp, Jock McNeal and Russ Campbell are among the 37 drivers entered for the big mid-summer championship automobile races to be staged at the Fair Grounds track, Hatfield, on Sunday afternoon.  
The Hatfield Speedway will be the only one in action on July 2, and drivers never seen before at Hatfield, and others widely known to North Penn fans, have been attracted by the special twelve and a half mile race which is to be an annual feature.  
More calcium is being added to the track surface in the dust-proofing program, and several tons will be added the night before the race.  
Motorcycle races, with A. A. A. sanction, are to be introduced on the track for the first time, July 9.

**L. P. BAPTIST CHURCH NOTES**  
Services are announced for Lower Providence Baptist Church, Rev. J. H. Carter, pastor, as follows:  
9:30—Church School; 10:45—Church Worship with sermon, "The Long Wrong Road." The Lord's Supper will be observed.

**Baseball Summaries**

**Bux-Mont League**  
Saturday's scores:  
East Greenville 9, North Wales 7  
Germantown 11, Harleysville 10  
Red Hill 5, Upper Merion 2

**Sunday's scores:**  
North Wales 3, Red Hill 2  
Harleysville 7, Upper Merion 2  
Perkasie 4, Collegeville 3  
Perkasie 18, Germantown 1  
East Greenville 8, Collegeville 5

**Standing of the teams:** W. L.  
Harleysville ..... 15 4  
East Greenville ..... 13 5  
North Wales ..... 12 5  
Red Hill ..... 9 9  
Perkasie ..... 8 9  
Germantown ..... 6 12  
Collegeville ..... 5 12  
Upper Merion ..... 2 14

**Montco League**  
Saturday's scores:  
Orioles 3, Plymouth 1  
Penn Square 5, Superior 4  
Lindenwold 9, Barren Hill 6

**Sunday's scores:**  
Penn Square 11, Plymouth 6  
Barren Hill 8, Orioles 2  
Lindenwold 3, Superior 0

**Evansburg Methodist Church**  
Services for Sunday, July 2, at Evansburg Methodist Church are as follows: Sunday School at 9:30; Church Service at 10:30; Sermon: "The Irrevocable Law." Evening Service at 7:30; Sermon: "This Christian Mystery." In the Christian Church you will find the answer to all your needs. Come and learn of Him whom to know aright is life eternal. Edward K. Knettler—minister.

**GOLD PROSPECTING PROJECT  
BEGINS NEAR LAYFIELD**

Gold mining operations, directed by John Bauman, 79-year-old Sassamansville man, have been started near the Layfield-Pennsburg highway, north of Hickory Park.

A high-powered drill, operated by two Lebanon county men, is boring into the ground on the farm of Wilson Schweinhart. The drill was bringing forth a thick mud which was poured into a barrel. This mud and silt will go into a prospector's pan and will be rocked back and forth by Bauman until only the heavy particles of ore rest on the bottom.

Forty years ago two shafts were sunk on the Schweinhart farm but operations were halted when they filled with water.

The one shaft, which had been sunk only about 30 feet, now is nothing but a weed-lined crater in the farm field. The other, timbered and braced, penetrated the earth to a depth of 72 feet. This was closed years ago and covered with ten feet of earth.

A well-drilling machine was moved onto the field and operations got under way. The first shaft was sunk a few feet from the abandoned shaft of 40 years ago.

It was explained the men were interested in determining how much water was at the site so they would be able to plan pumping arrangements in the event the ore would prove valuable enough to warrant opening the closed shaft.

Bauman, who said none of the ore taken from the shafts had been sent away for assays, claimed "pretty fair" assays were made 40 years ago.

The sulphurous ore, he said, may run "fairly heavy" with silver or gold content.



**Notes FOR THE KITCHENEER**  
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**HONEY BOILED ICING**  
Bake in a paper-lined greased loaf pan 9x13x2 inches, in moderate oven (350°) for 50 minutes.  
1/2 cup strained honey  
1/2 cup water  
3/4 cups sugar  
1/2 teaspoon salt  
2 egg whites  
Place honey, water, sugar, and salt in saucepan and cook, stirring occasionally, to hard ball stage (254°F.). Remove from flame and beat egg whites until stiff. Pour syrup mixture over beaten egg whites and beat with rotary beater until thoroughly blended. Then beat with spoon until icing will hold its shape. Spread on cake with a swirling motion.

**HONEY SPICE CAKE**  
8 cups sifted cake flour  
3 teaspoons baking powder  
1/2 teaspoon salt  
1/2 teaspoon soda  
1 1/2 teaspoons cinnamon  
1/2 teaspoon cloves  
1/2 teaspoon nutmeg  
1/2 cup butter or other shortening  
1/2 cup sugar  
1/2 cup strained honey  
2 egg yolks, well beaten  
1/2 cup chopped nut meats  
1 teaspoon vanilla  
1/2 cup water  
2 egg whites, stiffly beaten  
Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder, salt, soda, and spices, and sift together three times. Cream butter thoroughly, add sugar, cream together until light and fluffy. Add honey gradually. Beat after each addition. Add egg yolks, nuts, and vanilla; beat well. Add flour, alternately with water, a small amount at a time. Beat after each addition until smooth. Fold in egg whites.

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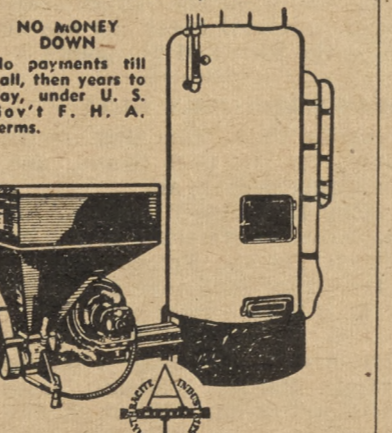
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