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A Primary Canard.

The report that has been circulated to the effect that I have withdrawn from the contest for nomination for County Commissioner is entirely without foundation. I am still in the race and would be very grateful for your vote at the primaries tomorrow.

D. A. GROVE.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL NEWS.

—Miss Anna Keichline, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Keichline, of this place, is the architect who designed the new brick building now being erected at State College by Dr. Fred Robinson. Miss Keichline is a graduate of Sage College, Ithaca, N. Y., and has already won high commendation for her skill and originality in her chosen profession.

—During the past week a corps of civil engineers have been at work making surveys and measuring the water supply in Potter township, and while they have not admitted their business there is hardly any doubt but that they represent the state prison board commission and are making surveys of available sites for the new penitentiary. While in Centre county they will also go over the Benner township location as well as any other place considered available in the county, and very much will depend upon their report as to the site finally chosen. Warden John Francis was to have been in Bellefonte last week but was sick and unable to get here. He is liable to arrive in Bellefonte most any day, when he may have something more definite to give out.

—Here is a little incident which happened on Tuesday noon. A stranger walking up High street found a small tortoise-shell handkerchief. Three little girls on their way home from school saw the man pick up the knife and one of them immediately claimed it. The man without any hesitation and unsuspectingly turned the knife over to the claimant and proceeded on his way up street. As soon as he got a safe distance away the three little girls began to examine the knife and giggle over how easily they had obtained it from the finder. A passerby witnessed the entire transaction and was shocked to see how glibly the little girl told a falsehood to obtain the knife, as it was very evident to him that it did not belong to her. If the little girl's mother happens to read this item we hope she will endeavor to impress upon her mind what a despicable thing it is to tell a lie, even one apparently harmless as the above.

HOSPITAL NOTES.—Operations at the Bellefonte hospital the past week were Mrs. Mae McCoy, Mrs. Mary S. Strouse and Mrs. Rebecca Welsh, all of Bellefonte. Mrs. Mary Leathers, of Howard, and Sidney Keefer, of Bellefonte, were admitted for treatment. The latter, who had his eyes badly burned in an explosion of acetylene gas, last Thursday evening, is getting along as well as can be expected. The physicians expect to save the sight of one eye, but the sight of the other may be somewhat impaired. Mrs. John Lyon and Mrs. Fred Davis were discharged from the hospital. There are now twenty-three patients in the institution.

James Krape, who for almost two years has been man-of-all-work at the hospital, this week tendered his resignation as he has something better in view. He was a faithful attaché of the institution and it is with regret that the superintendent parts with his services.

Boy's LIFE CRUSHED OUT.—While playing about a pile near the old pump house on South Potter street, last Saturday evening, a heavy tie fell upon little eight year old Archie Woerner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Woerner, of the Brown Row, crushing him so badly that he died from internal injuries in less than an hour. He and a younger sister were playing by jumping from one pile of ties to another and it is the supposition that the boy made a misjump and falling pulled one of the ties down upon him. His screams brought to his help Mrs. Anna Gordon, who found him lying upon the ground with the tie on his leg. She released him and assisted in carrying him home. A physician was hastily summoned but the lad died within an hour. He was one of a family of six children, a bright little boy and his death is a severe blow to his parents. Funeral services were held at the Woerner home at 9:30 o'clock on Tuesday morning, by Rev. C. W. Winey, after which the remains were taken to the Meyers cemetery for interment.

—Vote for J. M. Keichline for District Attorney who was admitted to the Supreme court at Philadelphia on the 8th day of May, 1911. This makes him eligible to try Commonwealth cases at the Supreme court in case of his nomination and election to this office. Adv

GINGERICH.—Following an illness of six weeks, the result of a general breaking down in health, the venerable John G. Geringer died at his farm home near Martha Furnace early Monday morning, and in his death one of the oldest residents of that section has passed away.

Deceased was a son of Joseph and Fannie Stauffer Geringer, and was born in Juniata county August 27th, 1827, hence at his death was 84 years and 29 days old. When he was a child his parents moved to Lancaster county and in 1840 the family moved to Centre county, settling at Houserville. Ever since he had been a resident of this county living at various places until 1888 when he located on the farm near Martha where he lived ever since and finally died. Farming was his life-long occupation and he was a progressive and successful citizen.

He is survived by the following children: A. C. Geringer, of Martha; Mrs. George Stevens, of Port Matilda, and David J., on the old homestead. One son, William, died in 1893. Of his father's family of thirteen children only three are now living, namely: Reuben Geringer, a retired coal dealer at Tyrone; Miss Catharine, of Port Matilda, and David, in Missouri. Mr. Geringer was a member of the Baptist church for forty-three years and lived a consistent, christian life.

The funeral was held from his late home at ten o'clock on Wednesday morning. The services were in charge of Rev. Ellis, resident pastor, assisted by Rev. G. W. Downing, of Alexandria, a former pastor, and burial was made in the cemetery at Martha.

HINTERLEITER.—It was quite a shock to her many friends in Bellefonte to learn of the sudden death at nine o'clock on Wednesday morning, at her home in Clearfield, of Mrs. H. J. Hinterleiter. Though she had been a sufferer for some months with kidney trouble her condition had not been considered serious, but she was taken quite sick on Sunday and her death was the result.

Deceased's maiden name was Nancy C. McClain and she was a daughter of Col. and Mrs. James A. McClain, having been born in Bellefonte about thirty-two years ago. Her girl life was spent in this place and fifteen or more years ago she moved with her parents to Spangler where she lived until her marriage to Harry J. Hinterleiter about four years ago. Most of her married life has been spent in Clearfield county. She was a faithful member of the Catholic church and a young woman of charming personality and pleasing disposition, and her untimely death is deeply deplored by all who knew her.

She is survived by her husband, but no children; her father, step-mother and a little half-sister, living at Spangler; one brother, Thomas McClain, of Philadelphia, and a sister, Mrs. Harvey Lingle, of Olcott, W. Va. The funeral will be held at ten o'clock this (Friday) morning from the Catholic church in Clearfield, interment to be made in the cemetery at that place.

KREAMER.—William Kreamer, a well known resident of Bellefonte, died in the hospital at Danville on Monday. He had been in poor health for some time and about a month ago was taken to Danville for treatment but he grew steadily worse until the end.

Deceased was about sixty years of age and had lived in Bellefonte most of his life. He was a painter by trade and a hard working, industrious man. He was a member of the Methodist church and a good citizen. Surviving him are his wife and the following children: Mrs. Clarence McCafferty, of Bellefonte; Mrs. William Rishel and Mrs. Pennington, of Pittcairn; Morris, Edith, Harry, Helen and Charles, at home.

The remains were brought home on Tuesday afternoon and taken to his late home on Quaker hill from where the funeral was held at ten o'clock yesterday morning. Rev. E. H. Yocum had charge of the services and burial was made in the Union cemetery.

HOLT.—A. H. Holt, a well and highly esteemed resident of Snow Shoe, died at his home in that place on Wednesday of last week of apoplexy, after a brief illness. He was about sixty-one years of age and had lived in Snow Shoe practically all his life. He was a laborer by occupation and an upright, honest gentleman. He is survived by his wife, and several brothers and sisters. The funeral was held on Saturday afternoon, and was in charge of the Order of United American Mechanics, of which he was a member. Burial was made in Askey's cemetery.

FOR A NEW BRIDGE.—The grand jury this week approved the report of the board of viewers for a new bridge on High street over Spring creek and there is now hope of securing such a structure some time in the future. The court also approved the petition nisi, but it will have to be approved absolutely before any work can be done, though it is possible contractors will be asked to bid on the construction of the bridge in the near future. At the best it is hardly likely the bridge will be built before next Spring.

—Why not support the one who is a member of the Supreme court, making him eligible to try all cases before this court? He has never held a county office. You know him—the man who promised you in a letter several weeks ago, saying, "I have but one promise to make, and that is, if nominated and elected I will be District Attorney for all people, and will try cases without fear or favor. Respectfully, J. M. Keichline." Adv

COMPLIMENTARY DINNER TO COL. WOODWARD.—At the Spruce Creek Rod and Gun Club on Monday, September 25th, there was given by the members of the Board of Trustees and of the faculty of The Pennsylvania State College a complimentary dinner to Col. John A. Woodward, of Howard, who for twenty-seven years has been a trustee of The Pennsylvania State College.

President Sparks was toast master and toasts were responded to by General Beaver, Mr. Chester J. Tyson, Dr. Armsby, Deans Jackson and Hunt and the honored guest.

The trustees present were General Beaver, Judge Orvis, Messrs. Bayard, Lowry, Mitchell, McCormick, and White. The faculty members were President Sparks and Messrs. Agee, Armsby, Breneman, Barbery, Braman, Crane, Cochel, Frear, Fries, Gardner, Given, Gooding, Hunt, Jackson, Mairs, McDowell, Pond, Shaw, Torrence, Thomas, VanNorman, Watts, Walker, S. E. Weber, Whitmore, Colonel Reynolds, of Bellefonte, and Mr. C. J. Tyson, of Florida.

For forty years Colonel Woodward has taken a deep interest in the College, having in this period missed but two commencements. He was elected a member of the Board of Trustees in 1884. In 1891 he was appointed a member of the executive committee of the Board of Trustees, and in the same year was appointed chairman of advisory committee of the Experiment Station. In these capacities he served continuously until June 30th, 1911.

While a member of the General Assembly of the State, where he served two terms on the appropriation committee, he succeeded in securing an appropriation for The Pennsylvania State College of \$112,000, which, up to that date, was the largest appropriation that had ever been secured.

BOOMING THE Y. M. C. A.—Final arrangements for the Doubters campaign to boom the membership of the Bellefonte Y. M. C. A. were completed at a supper and meeting held at the Association building on Monday evening. The teams and their captains were all selected and the plan completely outlined for the four days work of soliciting members, which started on Tuesday morning with ten teams in the field. The first day fifty-four members were turned in and the second day the total score was forty-six, or one hundred in the two days. Yesterday's score had not been returned at the time the WATCHMAN went to press, hence we are unable to give it. Today (Friday) will be the final day of the Doubters campaign and if you have any intention of joining the association and have not yet done so, hand in your name today. The score of the various teams for the first two days was as follows:

TEAMS	1ST DAY	2ND DAY
Athletics	4	2
Giants	4	1
Pirates	1	1
Cubs	1	1
Tigers	9	9
Red Sox	9	9
Ladies:		
Pansies	5	3
Roses	1	2
Blue Bells	3	2
Violets	3	3
Totals	54	46

ACADEMY FOOTBALL SCHEDULE.—The Bellefonte Academy football schedule is the hardest in its history but coach Weller with his excellent system of coaching expects to have his eleven meet every emergency satisfactorily. He has a large squad of fine material to depend upon. By the way, Mr. Weller was one of the best all around athletes that Franklin and Marshall College ever had. He played four years in the backfield for his college. The schedule as arranged is as follows:

Sept. 30—Tyrone P. R. R. Y. M. C. A. at Bellefonte.
Oct. 7—Lock Haven Normal at Lock Haven.
Oct. 14—Indiana Normal at Indiana.
Oct. 21—Dickinson Seminary at Bellefonte.
Oct. 28—Lock Haven Normal at Bellefonte.
Nov. 4—Open.
Nov. 11—Williamsport High School at Bellefonte.
Nov. 18—Bucknell Academy at Bellefonte.
Nov. 25—Bloomsburg Normal at Bloomsburg.
Nov. 30—Williamsport High School at Williamsport.

STOP! LOOK!! LISTEN!!!—Don't fail to get a card from one of the captains or their committees and attend Epworth League services next Sunday evening at the Methodist church. See the captains or their committees and they will give you a card and full instructions. The colors are red and white and the committees and their captains are as follows:

RED	WHITE
Mrs. Harry Murtoff, Capt.	Alfred Klepfer, Capt.
Anna Conter	Grace Blackford
Ida Green	Sarah Caldwell
Mrs. M. R. Johnson	Mary Grimm
Hazel Johnson	Mary Hill
Thomas Morgan	M. R. Johnson
Oliver Steele	Van Jordan
Harry Murtoff	Keturah Rider
Mrs. Morris Kreamer	Emma Waite
	Grace Vallmont

The leader for next Sunday evening will be Rev. C. C. Shuey. This contest will last until December 3rd, 1911.

CLUB OFFICERS ELECTED.—At the annual meeting of the Tyrone Country club, held at their beautiful club house at Pennsylvania Furnace on Wednesday of last week, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, A. G. Morris; vice president, George C. Wilson; secretary, A. M. LaPorte; treasurer, H. Himmelwright; directors, John Langdon, John B. Kunz, J. A. Atlee, Claude Jones and H. M. Gray.

—To insure a "Square Deal," in all transactions and an honest administration of all matters in the office of District Attorney, vote for D. Paul Fortney who has always dealt squarely and honestly. Adv

—Subscribe for the WATCHMAN.

SHULTZ-REESE.—On Wednesday of last week quite a pretty wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Reese, in Port Matilda, the occasion being the marriage of their youngest daughter, Miss Edna Reese, to W. W. Shultz. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Kelley, of Sunbury, in the presence of about fifty invited guests. The attendants were Misses Margaret Stott, of Phillipsburg, and Bessie Lansberry, of Unionville, as bridesmaids, and Samuel Osman, of Port Matilda, as best man. Mrs. George Woodring was matron of honor and Miss Sarah Stott, of Phillipsburg, played the wedding march. Immediately following the ceremony and congratulations a wedding breakfast was served the bridal couple and the guests present.

The bride is one of Port Matilda's best known and most popular young women, as was attested by the large number of valuable and very useful wedding presents she received. During the past five years she has been one of the most successful school teachers in the upper Bald Eagle valley. The bridegroom is agent for the Pennsylvania railroad at Port Matilda and a worthy young man in every way.

There is a romantic co-incidence in connection with the marriage of these two young people that is worthy of narration. Mr. Shultz was formerly of Phillipsburg and is a great grandson of John G. Shultz, a native of lower Saxony. The bride is a great grand daughter of John Christian Reese, who was born at Hesse Castle, Scotland. Both Mr. Shultz and Mr. Reese came to this country and fought in the Revolutionary war. In 1794 they joined Hardman Phillips and twelve other pioneers who came to Centre county and established a colony where the town of Phillipsburg now stands. At that time the country was only a wilderness, infested with Indians and wild animals, but the brave pioneers cleared the ground, built themselves homes and laid the foundation for the beautiful town over the mountain. One hundred and seventeen years have elapsed since that time and now the two families have again been united through the marriage of their great grand-children. If they live the sterling, courageous life of their great grand-sires, their marriage should prove a blessed union.

—For District Attorney vote for J. M. Keichline who has had many years of practice in the criminal courts. Adv

SHOOK—LONG.—A pretty home wedding took place at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Long, at Spring Mills, on Wednesday, when their daughter, Miss Eleanor Mary Long was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Ralph Shook. In addition to the immediate members of the two families a few intimate friends were present to witness the ceremony which was performed by Rev. W. H. Schuyler, of the Presbyterian church. The bride wore a gown of white satin massaline and carried a bouquet of white chrysanthemums. She was attended by her sister, Miss Mabel Long, as bridesmaid, while Gross Shook, of Franklin and Marshall College, a brother of the bridegroom, was best man. A wedding breakfast followed the ceremony after which Mr. and Mrs. Shook took their departure for a wedding trip through New York State. The young couple have the best wishes of their many friends for a long life of happiness.

—Do not fail to visit Penn Decorating Co., while in town and see our large stock of wall paper, cut out borders, etc., Petriken Hall, High St. xx

SCHENCK—KLINE.—A very quiet wedding took place at the parsonage of the Reformed church in Howard, at 8:30 o'clock on Wednesday evening of last week, when Christian B. Schenck and Miss Bertha S. Kline were united in marriage by the pastor, Rev. H. F. Faust. Immediately following the ceremony the happy couple departed on the night train on a wedding trip to Philadelphia and other eastern cities before settling down to married life at their home in Howard.

—D. Paul Fortney has devoted his entire time and attention to the study and practice of the law since his admission to the bar, and is therefore a safe person to fill the office. Vote for D. Paul Fortney. Adv

PARENT-TEACHER'S ASSOCIATION.—The first meeting of the Parent-Teacher's association for this season will be held in the auditorium of the new High school building on Tuesday evening of next week, October 3rd. Rev. E. H. Yocum, of the Methodist church, will give a talk on "Learning to Read, by a Learner." Persons who have heard this talk say it is excellent. All will be interested and pleased. R. Russell Blair will sing a solo and will be accompanied by Miss Mary Bradley. The "Question Box" that proved so interesting and beneficial last year will be continued. All are cordially invited to attend this meeting, and parents, especially, are urged to be present and thus lend their influence toward bringing the home and school closer together.

The association has some good things promised for the early winter meetings. The State Board of Health has promised to give its tuberculosis exhibit at an early date. At the December meeting Mrs. G. G. Pond, of State College, will give a talk on "Juvenile Literature." Mrs. Pond has made this subject a life study and it will be a treat for all to hear her.

—Vote for D. Paul Fortney the people's choice for District Attorney of Centre county. Adv

HAMILL HOLMES' NARROW ESCAPE.—

On Wednesday night of last week Hamill Holmes, of State College, had what might be termed a hair-breadth escape from a horrible death. He was down Pennsylvania in his brother's Ford runabout and was returning home after dark. About a mile above Linden Hall there are two driveways in the road, one of which is from three to four feet higher than the other one. Mr. Holmes was running along on the high drive way and at a curve in the road met two buggies, one occupied by Amos Koch, of Boalsburg, and the other by J. C. Smith, of Centre Hall. He turned out to allow the two vehicles to pass and got too close to the edge of the bank, which gave way and Mr. Holmes and his machine went down over the bank, the latter turning turtle and landing on top of the driver, pinning him fast beneath. The tumble of the machine did not extinguish the tail light which quickly burned into a flame from the oil in the overturned lamp. In the meantime Mr. Koch and Mr. Smith went to Mr. Holmes' rescue and succeeded in raising the machine sufficiently to allow him to crawl out. They then started for a neighboring house to get buckets of water to extinguish the fire started by the tail lamp and had not gone fifteen steps when the gasoline tank blew up with a terrific explosion and in an instant the whole car was a mass of flames. With buckets of water the men finally managed to extinguish the fire but not before the upholstery, top and rear tires were burned and all the wood work badly charred. The explosion of the tank is explained by the fact that when the car upset the gasoline leaked out of the vent in the top of the tank and coming in contact with the air formed a vapor and gas which caught fire from the tail lamp and communicating to the tank exploded.

Mr. Holmes escaped with a few slight scratches and burns on two fingers of his right hand, but had the accident happened when no one was near to release him or the tank exploded two minutes sooner he would have been incinerated alive. Naturally he is thanking fate for his safe deliverance and vowing that the next time he drives a strange road at night he will be careful to know where he is going when he turns to the side of the road. The working parts of the machine were very little hurt as it was later run to this place for repair under its own power.

REUNION OF THE FORTY-NINTH.—A number of old soldiers of Centre county went to Port Royal, Perry county, yesterday to attend the annual reunion of the Forty-ninth Pennsylvania volunteers which will be held there today. This was one of the bravest of the many Pennsylvania regiments and the members thereof saw much hard fighting during their term of service.

The mortality list among the survivors is probably less than that of any regiment in the war. Since the last annual gathering at Gettysburg, there have been but nine deaths. The Forty-ninth was dubbed the "Fighting Boys in Blue" because of the warlike qualities of its members. The first colonel was William Irvin, of Lewisport, who was killed at the battle of Spottsylvania, when sixty-seven members were killed, 171 wounded and eight taken prisoners, out of a total membership of 474 men. Col. Irvin was succeeded by Thomas Hulings, of Lewisport.

During the entire Civil war 1597 men enlisted in the Forty-ninth. Out of this number 152 were killed, fifty-one mortally wounded, 403 wounded, 151 died of contagious diseases, twenty-nine were taken prisoners and nineteen died in prison, making a total loss of 806 men. The Forty-ninth belonged to the Sixth corps and today 348 of the original number survive, they being scattered in twenty different States in the Union. R. R. Davidson, of Kirkwood, Ill., is president of the association, and Col. R. S. Westbrook, of Altoona, is secretary. Among the Centre county survivors are Captain James A. Quigley, of Blanchard, and James Krebs, of Milesburg.

Real Estate Transfers.

Jas. T. Martin to Wm. D. Custard, Aug. 15, 1911, tract of land in State College; \$1150.

Frank Azipko et ux to Harry Azipko, Sept. 4, 1911, tract of land in Rush Twp.; \$1.

Emma L. Leebkecker et al to Cora Flynn, Aug. 23, 1911, tract of land in Boggs Twp.; \$600.

Chas. G. Arney et ux to Emma C. Hurley, Sept. 14, 1911, tract of land in Phillipsburg; \$2000.

Frank Pennington et ux to W. B. Taylor, Sept. 18, 1911, tract of land in State College; \$4400.

D. H. Meredith to T. B. Budinger, Sept. 16, 1911, tract of land in Snow Shoe; \$50.

Lehigh Valley Coal Co. to D. H. Meredith, July 24, 1903, tract of land in Snow Shoe; \$50.

Wm. L. Foster et al to Sarah E. Garis, March 9, 1911, tract of land in State College; \$900.

Frank D. Gowland et al to Clara C. Spanogle, Sept. 16, 1911, tract of land in Phillipsburg; \$1525.

Marriage Licenses.

Caleb E. Miller, of Bellefonte, and Elsie L. McCloskey, of Howard.

Ralph H. Shook and Eleanor M. Long, both of Spring Mills.

Wm. Geringer and Chestie C. Confer, both of Potters Mills.

Gottlieb Banks, of Casanova, and Julia Scheam, of Gearhartville.

Leone M. Kunes, of Blanchard, and Florence R. Boone, of Howard.

Wm. Laffin, of Pittsburg, and Florence M. Dubbs, of Phillipsburg.

Our Correspondent's Opinions.

This column is at the service of those of our people who desire to express their views on any subject of general or local interest. The "Watchman" will in no way be responsible for their ideas or statements. The real name of the author must accompany all communications, but will be withheld from publication when the request is made.

AN INTERESTING STATEMENT OF FACTS.

To The Voters of Bellefonte.—When you go to the primaries next Saturday it may be well to ponder over the following facts.

The assessed valuation of all the real estate of Bellefonte borough for 1911 is \$1,515,585.00. Of that amount there is assessed in the names of women, \$497,465.00, or nearly one-third of the total.

There are to be nominated and elected this fall ward and borough officers, as follows:

OFFICERS.	LENGTH OF TERM.	EQUIVALENT TO ONE PERSON.
Judges of Election.	2 years.	6 years.
Inspectors.	2 years.	12 years.
Constables.	4 years.	12 years.
Councilmen.	4 years.	8 years.
Overseers of the Poor.	4 years.	8 years.
Auditor.	4 years.	4 years.
Auditor.	2 years.	2 years.
School Director.	4 years.	6 years.
School Directors.	4 years.	8 years.
School Directors.	2 years.	4 years.
High Constable.	2 years.	2 years.

This is equivalent to one person in office 76 yrs. The women of the town are asking for two members of the school board for two years, which is equivalent to one office for four years, just one-nineteenth of the offices to be filled this fall.

Would it not be manly, to say nothing of justice and right, for us to concede one-nineteenth of the offices to the women who pay one-third of the taxes. The women of Bellefonte and of every other community are just as vitally interested in the welfare of the people as are the men. Their interests are mutual. Experience has shown, too, that in money matters women, taken as a whole, are the more careful and make a dollar go the farthest.

Women, too, devote more time, thought and effort than men to the upbuilding of the moral and religious side of life, as witness the church and prayer meeting attendance. Going to school nowadays is strenuous business for the boys and girls and many pupils owe their good marks to their ever willing mothers whose help and sympathy and vigilance hold them to their studies after school hours.

For these and other good reasons the writer firmly believes we would do well to heed the request of the women of Bellefonte and nominate and elect without opposition Mrs. Brouse and Mrs. Gilmour, both property owners and both sensible, intelligent women of good judgment.

A VOTER.

THE CIVIC CLUB'S ENDORSEMENT OF THE WOMEN CANDIDATES. At a meeting of the Civic club, recently held, enthusiastic approval was given of the movement to place women on our public school boards. In presenting the cause to the Club addresses were made by several of the ladies and we herewith take pleasure in publishing the nominating speech which presented the name of Mrs. Brouse. At the same time we regret that we do not have a copy of that by which Mrs. Gilmour was presented to the Club.

Convinced that a woman is more sensitive to the needs and comforts of a child and quicker to recognize the shortcomings of its environments, we have conscientiously undertaken to place before the men of our town, at the election in November, two women who will represent us for two years, on the five member board of directors of our Public Schools. A careful consideration of the necessary qualifications has led our women to unanimously choose from the West ward, as their representative, Mrs. Mary Harper Brouse, who having lived her life in Bellefonte, was educated in its public schools; interested through her children in all school work; identified with children in all public or charitable work; in charge of the Primary department of her church for twenty years. A mother herself whose children has been a credit to her study of child life, their later development a credit to her influence: Sincere, earnest and conscientious, she will always stand for the right. Liberal and ambitious for the best interests of the children, their welfare will be her first consideration. Through her husband, who served on the school board for six years, she has knowledge of its workings and will readily familiarize herself with the laws governing this body. The confidence we have in Mrs. Brouse leads us to ask for your endorsement.

OF INTEREST TO COLLEGE TOWNSHIP PAYERS.

To the Tax Payers of College Township. Have you read the financial report of the school directors of your township? Did you notice the amount they charged for enforcing the compulsory school attendance act. \$725.84 to compel the little children to go to school. Also one day at State College \$19.00, which would be \$3.00 a piece and \$1.00 for smoke. Also \$60.00 paid the nine teachers to attend a picnic and have a good time with 253 scholars enrolled. Average attendance 175. For text books \$318.88 and other supplies that amount books \$369.37. I suppose this last amount is for tablets and lead pencils. A total for supplies of \$688.25.

Tax payers did you figure out how much that is for each scholar? Don't these directors know how to spend the people's money. International William have you burnt your books as secretary and how about the president? Had he any finger in the report? Won't he swear at the huckster? Did Elmer go asleep when he audited the account of Frank and George, silent partners. Tax payers you should demand an itemized report and find out where this money went too. More the next time. TAX PAYER.