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Terms of Subscription:—Until further notice this paper will be furnished to subscribers at the following rates:

John H. Close Killed in Railroad Accident.

John H. Close, of Boalsburg, was instantly killed at Mill Hall on Wednesday afternoon when his big truck was struck by the Lehigh-Pennsylvania train on the crossing at that place.

The unfortunate man was a son of William S. and Sarah A. Close and was born at Oak Hall about forty-eight years ago.

State College Offers Free Coal Mining Course.

Owing to the demand for trained men in the coal mining industry a short course in that subject will be offered this summer at The Pennsylvania State College.

Musical and Dramatic Recital at Stormstown.

A combined musical and dramatic recital will be held in the Methodist church at Stormstown next Monday evening, June 16th, at 8 o'clock.

Changes in Plans for Y. M. C. A.

Some delay has been occasioned in the starting of the work of remodeling the Y. M. C. A. owing to the fact that some changes have been decided upon in the plans as originally prepared.

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McClellan.—Following an illness of two weeks as the result of an attack of indigestion and Bright's disease William McClellan, a well known and highly esteemed resident of Bellefonte, died at his home on east Lamb street at five o'clock last Friday morning.

He was a son of William and Elizabeth McClellan and was born in Bellefonte on October 10th, 1850, hence was 68 years, 7 months and 21 days old.

In 1877 he was united in marriage to Miss Myrtle Munson, daughter of Levi W. and Margaret Munson, of Philipsburg, and she survives with eleven children, as follows: Mrs. J. B. Yarnell, of Snow Shoe; Mrs. Harry Rosman, of Bellefonte; Mrs. John Watson, of Bellefonte; Mrs. Thomas, of Unionville; Mrs. John McNichols, of Bellefonte; Mrs. Glenn Weaver, of Tyrone; Mrs. James Meyers, of Pleasant Gap; Mrs. F. C. McKinley, at home; Mrs. Edward Sunday, of Pleasant Gap, and Miss Sarah, at home.

Rev. Alexander Scott, of the Methodist church, of which deceased was a member, officiated at the funeral services which were held at his late home at 2:30 o'clock on Monday afternoon, being assisted by Rev. C. C. Shuey. Burial was made in the Union cemetery.

DONAT.—Mrs. Sarah Amelia Donat, wife of Rev. W. D. Donat, of Aaronburg, died on Thursday, May 29th, following an illness of several years with tuberculosis, aged 48 years, 9 months and 22 days.

Funeral services were held in the Reformed church at Aaronburg at two o'clock on Monday afternoon of last week. Rev. R. Raymond Jones, of Centre Hall, had charge and was assisted by Rev. C. B. Snyder, of the United Evangelical church, and Rev. J. J. Weaver, of the Lutheran church.

ELLIOTT.—William Wilson Elliott, son of the late Rev. and Mrs. George Elliott, died on Sunday morning at his home at Grove, Oklahoma, of heart trouble, following an illness of a number of years.

BARTO.—Henry Barto, a Civil war veteran, died at his home near Marengo on Monday afternoon of diseases incident to his advanced age, he being 82 years old.

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KATZ.—Aaron Katz, who for almost a quarter of a century has been prominent in the business life of Bellefonte, passed away at 6:45 o'clock on Sunday morning at the home of his son William on High street.

Mr. Katz was born in Philadelphia on May 31st, 1844, hence was 75 years and 8 days old.

Mr. Katz came to Bellefonte with his family in April, 1895, and started the Globe store and the business has continued at the same stand to the present time.

SHADMAN.—Edward Shadman, a former Ferguson township boy, died at the home of his sister Emma, in Lima, Ohio, last Sunday, following a long illness with stomach trouble.

GRENOBLE.—Following more than a year's illness as the result of a stroke of paralysis Mrs. John Grenoble passed away at her home at Woodward on Saturday morning.

The Emerick families contemplate leaving next Monday on their trip to the Pacific coast and back in their new auto home.

The "Watchman" in Error.

It is not often the "Watchman" goes wrong in its local news, but it seems to have been very far away from the facts in its announcement last week that Mr. W. S. Zeller was seeking to relieve himself of the active management of his pharmacy in this place.

Upon his own authority we make the announcement that Mr. Zeller has no such intention.

So much complaint has been made about the children making a play ground of the cemetery that the association will be forced to make some arrests if it is not stopped.

DuBois is planning a big reception to returned soldiers of Clearfield, Elk and Jefferson counties to be held in that city next Wednesday, June 18th.

Bayard—Rhone.—A wedding of interest to Centre countians was that on Wednesday of this week of Roger T. Bayard, of Tyrone, and Miss Florence Sankey Rhone, of Centre Hall, which occurred at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Dunlap, wife of Rev. Wilton Clyde Dunlap, pastor of the Highland avenue Lutheran church, Louisville, Ky.

The bride is a daughter of the late Hon. Leonard Rhone and has lived in the vicinity of Centre Hall all her life.

The bridegroom is a son of the late Major George F. Bayard, of Bellefonte, but has been located in Tyrone the past twelve or fifteen years as city editor of the Tyrone Herald.

Dale—Reynolds.—Lieut. William Raymond Dale, of near State College, and Miss M. Claire Reynolds, of Bellefonte, were married in St. John's Episcopal church at 2:30 o'clock on Tuesday afternoon by the pastor, Rev. M. DeP. Maynard.

Staley—Curtin.—Only a small coterie of intimate friends were in attendance at the wedding of Eugene Earl Staley, of Philadelphia, and Miss Julia Gregg Curtin, of Bellefonte, in the Presbyterian church at 8:30 o'clock on Wednesday morning.

Dawson—Straub.—Victor P. Dawson and Miss Louisa A. Straub went to Johnstown on Wednesday and that evening were united in marriage at the home of the bridegroom's sister, Mrs. Johnson.

Taylor—Rankin.—Capt. William Earl Gladstone Taylor, son of Mrs. Hugh Taylor, of Bellefonte, and Miss Nellie Grace Rankin, of Washington, Pa., were married in Pittsburgh on May 28th.

Bubb—Hart.—On June 5th, at the Reformed parsonage, Boalsburg, Mr. Charles H. Bubb, of Centre Hall, who on several occasions went "over the top" in France, made another venture since returning home by taking unto himself a wife in the person of Miss Catherine Hart, of Berwick.

Walker—Archey.—The cosy home of Mrs. Catherine Archey, in Pine Grove Mills, was the scene of a pretty twilight wedding on Tuesday evening when that lady was united in marriage to Homer M. Walker, of Ferguson township.

Bezer—Bernhammer.—Ralph T. Bezer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bezer, of Bellefonte, but who has made his home with his sister in Altoona for some time, and Miss Margaret Bernhammer, of Weehawken, N. J., were married in the latter place on Sunday, June 1st, by Rev. Father Bennett.

Herbert—Dorn.—George L. Herbert, of Pleasantville, Venango county, and Miss Helen I. Dorn, of Crawford county, were married at the Methodist parsonage in this place on Monday by the pastor, Rev. Alexander Scott.

Red Cross Baseball League.

Table with columns: North ward, South ward, Mylesburg, West ward. Rows: Won, Lost, P. C.

The Red Cross baseball series are growing in interest every game and the three teams in Bellefonte want to keep an eye on Mylesburg.

T. Clayton Brown Takes Over Lyric Theatre.

T. Clayton Brown, manager of the Scenic theatre, this week leased the Lyric theatre from Roy Brandman and will take charge of the same next Monday.

Woman's Club Elects Officers.

At the last meeting of the Woman's club of Bellefonte the following officers were elected for the coming year: President, Miss Isabel S. Hill; vice president, Mrs. Robert M. Beach; recording secretary, Mrs. John S. Walker; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Charles Keckhine; treasurer, Miss Helen Williams; delegate at large, Miss Margaret Farey; auditor, Miss Emma J. Aikens; chairman charity committee, Mrs. R. S. Brouse; chairman Educational committee, Mrs. John P. Lyon; chairman Civic committee, Miss Mary Gay Meek.

Elks Will Observe Flag Day Tomorrow Evening.

The Bellefonte Lodge of Elks will observe Flag day tomorrow (Saturday) evening, with a fitting program of exercises.

John Bottorf, who works for J. M. Heinle, had a narrow escape from very serious injury yesterday morning shortly after nine o'clock.

Some weeks ago the "Watchman" published an article descriptive of the six pictures painted by Cameron Burnside, of Paris, a cousin of Mrs. H. C. Valentine, of Bellefonte, illustrating the great work of the Red Cross in France, which pictures have been sent to Washington to adorn the rooms of the American Red Cross headquarters.

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Commencement Exercises of St. John's School.

The commencement exercises of St. John's parochial school began on Friday evening with an entertainment in the school hall, which was largely attended by the parents and friends of the graduates, and all were pleased with the efforts made by the children to entertain.

On Sunday morning, at the High Mass, the final exercises took place. Diplomas were awarded the following:

Thomas Aloysius Tatosock, Andrew George Knapik, Margaret Adaline Mignot, Louise Cecilia Hartle.

The Knights of Columbus prize of ten dollars for highest general average, was awarded to Thomas Tatosock.

Five dollar gold piece for christian doctrine, donated by Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Penlon, awarded to Andrew Knapik.

Five dollar gold piece for mathematics, donated by Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Hamilton, awarded to Margaret Mignot.

Five dollar gold piece for English, donated by Rev. W. E. Downes, awarded to Andrew Knapik.

Five dollar gold piece for typewriting, donated by a friend, awarded to Louise Hartle.

Five dollar gold piece for book-keeping, donated by Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Hamilton, awarded to Margaret Mignot.

Five dollar gold piece for deportment, donated by the former graduates of the school, awarded to Louise Hartle.

First honors in the Senior class awarded to Thomas Tatosock. Junior class, highest general average, George McNichols.

Ninth grade, Elizabeth Hazel. Seventh grade, Catherine Hartle. Sixth grade, Rose Carpeneto. Fifth grade, Evelyn Rogers. Fourth grade, John Martin. Third grade, Mary Rogers. Second grade, Charles Carpeneto. First grade, John Smead.

Penn State Commencement Largely Attended.

More old students registered at the annual commencement exercises at State College the past week than ever before returned for such a gathering.

The Appropriations committee has recommended a two year appropriation for the Bellefonte hospital of \$20,000.

The Appropriations committee also recommended appropriations of \$603,985 for the western penitentiary at Pittsburgh and \$500,000 for the western penitentiary at Rockview, Centre county.

A fire in Chicago on June 3rd practically destroyed the large picture frame factory of Levy Johnson, husband of Miss Stella Nolan, formerly of Bellefonte and Snow Shoe.

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