

# Democratic Watchman

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## NEWS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY.

The Penn State Thespians at Garman's this (Friday) evening in "Stop Thief."

The Budinger family, of Snow Shoe, have gone south for the winter, and will be located in St. Petersburg, Florida.

If you don't care to buy your Christmas gifts at the Episcopal bazaar to be held in the parish house on November 20th, be sure to go for coffee and doughnuts.

Valentine Gamber, one of the oldest employees of the Altoona Tribune, has given up his job in that office and last Friday moved onto a farm he purchased near State College.

The regular meeting of the thimble bee of the W. C. T. U. will be held at the home of Mrs. Brouse, on Thomas street, Friday afternoon, November 14th. All the members are cordially invited to attend.

Effective December 1st the name of Lewistown Junction on the middle division of the Pennsylvania railroad will be changed to Lewistown, and what has heretofore been Lewistown will be made Lewistown, Chestnut street.

The scenic has been a popular place with the school teachers this week, the majority of them taking advantage of the early shows, all of which is evidence that they appreciate a really good motion picture show, such as the scenic is at all times.

The U. S. weather man at Washington deserves a chromo for the correctness of his predictions of the weather a week in advance, but it is depressing enough to have to endure the kind he has been handing out lately without knowing it a week in advance.

When you hear the cry "Stop Thief," you naturally will stop and look to see where the thief is. But this evening "Stop Thief" will be presented at Garman's opera house by The Thespians, of State College. Don't fail to see them, as the play is somewhat of a departure from the usual role essayed by The Thespians.

The Emergency Fleet Corporation is now offering for sale a lot of surplus material it has on hand. The material comprises various commodities in iron and wood, and contractors and dealers in Bellefonte might secure such materials at a bargain by getting into communication with the Emergency Fleet Corporation, Philadelphia, Pa.

Up to ten o'clock yesterday morning just 5082 hunter's licenses had been issued at the county treasurer's office for this year, which is one thousand more than last year. Another thousand licenses have been ordered in anticipation of the final demand of the deer hunters. With five thousand licenses now abroad in Centre county what will become of the wild turkeys tomorrow?

Late Wednesday evening of last week William Courter, of Curtin, was on his way home from Nittany valley with a load of corn when he was held up on the public road about a mile south of Howard by a bold highwayman. Mr. Courter managed to secrete his pocketbook in the corn and when the highwayman went through his pockets he found nothing. As it was quite dark Mr. Courter was unable to tell what the man looked like.

Warden John Francies, of the western penitentiary, was the principal speaker before the membership meeting of the Harrisburg Chamber of Commerce, held at the Penn-Harris hotel in that city on Wednesday. The warden told the Harrisburg people all about the model penitentiary that is being built at Rockview, this county, which is a child of his own fertile brain, and which eventually will be the model prison in the whole world.

The play, "A Daughter of the Sun," a story of a Hawaiian butterfly, deals with the Hawaiian people and the Hawaiian islands. The atmosphere of the islands is maintained by a band of native Hawaiian musicians, who play and sing their native melodies throughout the action of the play. The cast is a large one and the scenic embellishment is very elaborate and wonderful. This play will be the attraction at Garman's next Monday evening, November 17th.

While Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Sunday, of Pleasant Gap, were visiting friends in Lewistown on Sunday their house caught fire and burned to the ground. Mr. Sunday's brother was the only occupant of the house at the time and it is believed the fire originated from sparks from the chimney. With the assistance of neighbors most of the household furniture was saved. The house belonged to the Whitlock quarries and the owners estimate the loss at two thousand dollars, on which there was partial insurance.

Miss Martha Barnhart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James K. Barnhart, of Bellefonte, and who is now teacher of English in the High school at York, Pa., appeared in the role of an amateur actress in that city three nights last week when six hundred young folks presented "Fi Fi of the Toy Shop" under the auspices of the Y. W. C. A. Miss Barnhart took the part of the leading character, Bonnie, the toymaker's daughter, and the part of that city in speaking of her acting says that "she could not have more perfectly acted her role, in which her every move was one of perfection."

## Official Vote Cast at the Election in Centre County.

The official count of the vote cast at the election on Tuesday last week was made on Thursday afternoon by Judge Quigley, prothonotary D. R. Foreman, J. Thomas Mitchell and Ivan Walker. The compilation shows some very decided changes from the totals published last week but they do not affect the results in any way. In fact most of the changes increase rather than diminish the Republican majorities. The vote on county auditor was increased on each candidate and brought the two Democratic candidates so close together that Stover has a bare majority of six over Condo. Following is the complete official vote cast in the county for all candidates on the county ticket:

Judge of Superior Court	William H. Keller, R. P.	3446
Sheriff	Dukeman, Rep.	4217
	Dukeman, Pro.	3572
	Taylor, Dem.	3734
	Johnson, Soc.	73
Prothonotary	Wilkinson, Rep.	4154
	Wilkinson, Soc.	52-4236
	Meyer, Dem.	2612
	Meyer, Pro.	100-3712
Treasurer	Mayes, Rep.	4597
	Mayes, Pro.	66-4693
	Harter, Dem.	3035
	Hartwick, Soc.	313
Register	Sasseraman, Rep.	4216
	Sasseraman, Pro.	67-4283
	Smith, Dem.	3228
	Smith, Soc.	64-3690
Recorder	Brown, Rep.	4045
	Brown, Pro.	62-4107
	Geiss, Dem.	3722
	Erb, Soc.	105
County Commissioner	Austin, Rep.	4049
	Austin, Pro.	3750
	Yarnell, Rep.	3353
	Fry, Dem.	3825
	Harter, Dem.	3035
	Glouck, Pro.	530
District Attorney	Furst, Rep.	4520
	Furst, Pro.	54-4574
	Dowse, Dem.	3279
County Auditor	Gramley, Rep.	4329
	Gramley, Pro.	59-4358
	Pletcher, Rep.	4111
	Pletcher, Pro.	65-4176
	Condo, Dem.	3210
	Stover, Dem.	3216
	Smull, Soc.	195
Coroner	Heaton, Rep.	4313
	Heaton, Soc.	51-4364
	Irwin, Dem.	3598
County Surveyors	Shuttuck, Rep.	4872
	Shuttuck, Dem.	2109-6981
	Ayers, Pro.	469
	Ayers, Soc.	103-6082

## Historic Home to be Moved to State College.

Dr. G. G. Pond, of State College, last Thursday purchased at public auction the Dr. Priestly homestead at Northumberland for \$6,000. Dr. Priestly came from England in the early part of the eighteenth century, having been one of the leading chemists in that country before being driven out by persecution. He located at what is now Northumberland, being one of the pioneer settlers of that part of the Susquehanna valley. There he built a home and in the later years became celebrated as the discoverer of oxygen. His old home is one of the most historic in the State, and the room in which he conducted his chemical experiments has been kept practically as it was during his life, through the biggest part of two centuries.

Dr. Pond, who is head of the chemistry department at The Pennsylvania State College, announced after purchasing the homestead that he will have it moved to State College. It will be set upon the spacious grounds surrounding the college and will be used as a memorial to Dr. Priestly, the discoverer of oxygen and one of the greatest chemists of his day. The building, which dates back to the Revolutionary period, will be moved in sections. Dr. Pond stated that he hoped to have the engineers there to begin work of the removal this fall. The task of moving the building will be quite a feat of engineering.

## Two Big Football Games.

Two big football games are scheduled for Hughes field, Bellefonte, one tomorrow and the other on Saturday of next week. They promise to be "hair raisers" and thrill the crowd on the side lines, which ought to be large on both occasions. The contest tomorrow will be between the Mansfield Normal and the Bellefonte Academy teams, and game will be called promptly at 3 p. m. The Mansfield team is among the strongest prep elevens in the State.

The game on Saturday of next week will be between the Academy and Dickinson Seminary, of Williamsport. This also should be a struggle worth seeing, as Dickinson always has a strong eleven. This game will be called at 3 p. m.

The local rooters should attend both these games and encourage the boys from the hill in their efforts to win laurels for Bellefonte. The Academy team is worthy of your support, as shown in their victory over the Altoona All-Scholastics and the great fight they put up two weeks ago at State College against the Freshmen team when they kept them from crossing the goal line and only allowed them to score a safety touch-down.

## A Christmas Bazaar.

Don't forget the Christmas bazaar to be held in the Episcopal parish house Thursday of next week, November 20th, at two o'clock p. m. Unusual Christmas cards, practical and fancy articles suitable for gifts, and all kinds of good things to eat, including coffee and doughnuts, will be offered for sale both afternoon and evening. The Jack Horner Christmas pie will not be good to eat, but it will be full of "plums." Go and try one.

## If you want to see the Penn State Thespians in "Stop Thief," go to Garman's this (Friday) evening.

Sheriff-elect Harry Dukeman on Wednesday tendered his resignation as chief of police of Bellefonte borough to take effect at once.

Dr. H. S. Braucht has been appointed medical inspector of the public schools for Miles township, and Dr. J. V. Foster for Ferguson township.

At the recent session of the A. M. E. conference Rev. L. V. Jones was transferred to Altoona and Rev. R. France Hurley, of West Virginia, has been assigned to the Bellefonte church.

The Buick car of H. C. Sontz, of State College, was stolen on Saturday night between the hours of 9:30 and 11 o'clock. It was a model 44, painted blue with black stripes and yellow wheels and carried tags No. 349,552.

Aviator Gilbert C. Budwig, accompanied by pilot Biffle, both driving Curtiss machines, flew to Bellefonte from Williamsport last Friday and after spending the night here flew to State College on Saturday and gave exhibitions for the entertainment of the Pennsylvania day crowd. They returned to Bellefonte on Sunday and at noon Monday left here on a flight to Cleveland, Ohio.

At the masquerade social given by the Daughters of the Rebekah in the I. O. O. F. hall Tuesday night, one hundred and fifty guests were present, the evening being spent in playing games and dancing, music for which was furnished by the organization band. Mrs. Edward Gehret and Miss Freda Weaver were awarded prizes for the most artistic costumes, while Clair Clevenstine and Miss Emma Gehret, for the most grotesque. In all it was one of the most successful entertainments ever given by these women.

The act of Congress increasing the salaries of postal employees became a law without the President's signature last Friday, the time limit for presidential action on the bill. Under the new act all employees in the service receiving \$1,000 and less than \$1,200 are to be increased \$200 a year; between \$1,200 and \$1,600 to be increased \$150; \$1,600 to \$2,000, \$125; \$2,000 to \$2,500, \$100. Salaries of rural carriers are increased on basis of the mileage of their routes. The increases are given in the hope of improving the service.

The masquerade ball held in the Moravian hall at Snow Shoe on the night of October 28th in the interest of the fund to purchase a clock for the new municipal building was a great success. The net proceeds of the ball were \$181.50. An additional \$20.00 was subscribed by Mrs. T. B. Budinger, making a total of \$201.50, which amount is now on deposit in the Snow Shoe bank. The young ladies who had the ball in charge hereby express their thanks to the people of that community for their hearty co-operation and liberal patronage.

According to chairman W. Harrison Walker's latest report on the sale of war savings stamps and certificates in Group 3 Centre county now has a per capita of \$2.37 and still stands second in the list of counties in the eastern district of Pennsylvania. Chairman Walker attended the meeting in Harrisburg last Thursday, called by Governor Sprout to consider means to reduce the high cost of living, and among the theories advanced were thrift and savings. Such, as invest your surplus money in savings stamps and certificates and make every cent you spend go for something actually needed.

Last Friday while Mr. H. L. Hartranft, miller at the Gamble mill, was assisting in unloading a load of wheat which was being drawn up by means of the usual rope hoist, he was the victim of a bad fall. Whether he got hold of the wrong rope or the railing around the opening gave way he is unable to say, at any rate Mr. Hartranft fell down through the opening to the ground, a distance of about ten feet. He lit on his left hip and left ankle and, although no bones were broken he was unable to move for several days. He is now able to be up and can move around a little with the aid of crutches, but it will be some days yet before he will be able to get to work.

On Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Cunningham took a run down Nittany valley in Mr. Cunningham's roadster and out near the John Hines property Mr. Cunningham saw a Ford car ahead of him, the driver of which did not seem to have very good control of the machine. He ran up pretty close and when the ears reached a good stretch of road Mr. Cunningham ran around the Ford. As he did so the latter car swerved and almost ran into the Cunningham car, and the latter had gone only a short distance when Mr. Cunningham heard a crash. Stopping his car and looking around he saw the Ford lying upside down in the road. He ran back and as he did so the driver of the car and a small boy crawled out from beneath the overturned car. Two more children and two women were also caught under the car and they were all released and miraculously as it may seem not one of them was hurt. It then developed that the driver of the car, realizing that he had almost run into the Cunningham car turned sharp to the right, ran up the bank and into a telephone pole, which upturned the car. The machine was badly damaged. The party was from Logan-ten.

## October Weather Unusual but Not a Record Breaker.

There is a wide-spread impression that the October weather this year was a record-breaker for high temperature and for wetness. The records of the Pennsylvania agricultural experiment station weather observatory for the past October do not show that in the mountain region of central Pennsylvania the conditions were at all record breaking, according to Dr. William Frear, director in charge. The mean daily temperature for the month of October was 55.2 degrees Fahr., as compared with 51.1 degrees Fahr., for the previous thirty-nine years. The 41 excess of temperature above the average was equalled or exceeded in four years of the previous thirty-nine, with 57.5 degrees for October, 1900, as the highest.

The maximum of 86 degrees F. for October 3 of this year, 84 F. for October 4, 71 degrees for October 28, and 74 degrees for October 31st are the highest on record for those days of the month, but for all the rest of the days of the month, the maximum temperatures were lower than in other years of the thirty-three year period beginning with 1886. The highest maximum observed, 1886-1918, for an October day was 88 degrees on October 6, 1900.

The average minimum temperature for October of this year was 46.4 degrees F.; for the period, 1886-1918, 41.3 degrees. The monthly average of daily minimum temperature was 48.7 degrees for October, 1900, and for 1914.

The average date for the first killing frost from 1886-1918 was October 2nd; this year, the first killing frost occurred October 8th; the corresponding date for 1905 was October 17th.

As to wetness: The rainfall for October, 1919, totalled 4.64 inches. The average for the period 1886-1918, was 2.88 inches. The excess over average or normal, this year, was 1.75 inches; but the October rainfall was 5.24 inches in 1890; 6.51 inches in 1898; 6.14 inches in 1911; 5.56 inches in 1913 and 4.63 inches in 1917. In four years during the period, 1886-1918, the October rainfall was higher than this year; and in one year additional, was practically equal to this year.

The number of days during which .01 inch or more of rain fell was 18; the average for October, 1886-1918, was 9.8 days. There were 21 such days in 1890. This year shows the next highest number. No other year shows more than fourteen such days. In other words, October for this year was both much warmer and much wetter than the average October, but was not record-breaking in either of those climatic elements.

## U. S. Recruiting Officer Here.

Sergt. John Moran, of the Williamsport recruiting office of the U. S. army, is in Bellefonte to get recruits for the army. Any ex-soldier who has any back pay coming or allotments that have not been paid in full can see the recruiting officer in the vicinity of the Bellefonte postoffice. Sergt. Moran will be in town all week and any discharged soldier desiring a Victory button should see him for information as to securing the same. He will be glad to answer any and all questions concerning the U. S. army, either enlistments or other things. This includes Liberty bonds, if any soldier has failed to receive his, and also the reinstatement of war risk insurance, or the conversion of same into standard insurance for any amount the soldier may feel able to carry. This latter is of especial importance and all discharged soldiers who have dropped their insurance ought to attend to the matter promptly.

## With the Sick of Bellefonte.

Mrs. Harry Walkey is so critically ill at her home on Bishop street that no hope is felt for her recovery. Although not being well for a year or more her condition did not become serious until Saturday.

Mrs. Thomas Howley, who has been a patient in the Bellefonte hospital for a month, has become very seriously ill during the past few days.

Mrs. Harry Flack's condition, which was regarded as serious within the week, is such as to encourage her family in hoping for her recovery.

Mrs. John S. Walker is slowly recovering from a nervous collapse, which occurred the early part of the week.

Mrs. G. Ross Parker is a patient in the Bellefonte hospital, having entered last Sunday as a medical patient.

## Wild Turkey Season Will Open Tomorrow.

Wild turkey season will open tomorrow (Saturday) in Pennsylvania and game wardens throughout the State report the big birds as more plentiful this year than at any time in the past twenty-five years. Quite a number of turkeys have been seen in the woodlands of Centre county. The largest flock recorded was seen on Nittany mountain less than two weeks ago. It contained approximately seventy-five birds. Three weeks ago a good sized flock flew over Bellefonte and they are holding forth on Muncy mountain. Turkeys are also reported fairly plentiful in the foothills of the Alleghenies.

Boggs-Wilson.—Andrew T. Boggs, of Milesburg, and Miss Eleanor Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wilson, of Phillipsburg, were married in the Church of Christ, Phillipsburg, at 8:30 o'clock on Wednesday morning, by the pastor, Rev. H. S. McClintock. Mr. and Mrs. Boggs will make their home in Phillipsburg.

## NEWS PURELY PERSONAL.

Ferguson Parker came in from Pittsburgh last week, to spend Pennsylvania day at the college.

Mrs. V. Lorne Hummel, of Harrisburg, has been spending a part of the week in Bellefonte with her mother, Mrs. George Williams.

Miss Helene Williams is arranging to go to Harrisburg Sunday, to be there for the wedding Tuesday, of Miss Margaret Pomeroy.

Henry Illingsworth, of near State College, was a "Watchman" office visitor on Wednesday while in Bellefonte on a business trip.

Mrs. George Boak, of Pine Glenn, and Ophelia Baldwin, spent the early part of the week in Bellefonte, guests while here of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Heverly.

Miss Margaret Broeckerhoff is making a six week's visit with friends in Philadelphia, going down the middle of October. She will not return before the first of December.

Mrs. John Muser spent last week in Centre Hall, visiting her sister, Mrs. John Slack, and since her return to Bellefonte has been entertaining Mrs. Mary Miller, of Millheim.

Mrs. M. B. Garman, who has been in Tyrone a good part of the time since leaving Bellefonte several weeks ago, left on Saturday for California, where she expects to spend the winter.

Mrs. and Mrs. Joseph Grossman and their daughter, Miss Ida, came here from Williamsport Wednesday, called to Centre county by the death of Mr. Grossman's brother, Ira Grossman.

Mrs. Clyde Shreffler, of State College, and Miss Cassie Mapes, of Clearfield, were guests on Sunday of Mrs. John R. Shreffler and daughter, Miss Kate, at their home on Thomas street.

Mrs. Edward L. Gates and daughter Betty came over from Phillipsburg on Saturday and spent the week visiting the little girl's grandparents. They expect to return home tomorrow or Sunday.

Joseph Wise, of Spring Grove, visited in Bellefonte last week, being a guest in the home of Mrs. W. J. G. and while here of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Dan O'Leary, at their apartments in the Pierpont building on Bishop street.

Judge Henry C. Quigley went out to Pittsburgh last Friday to see the Pitt-W. & J. game and to be on hand for the opening of court on Monday morning. He is presiding on the bench there all of this week.

Joseph Steinknecht stopped in Bellefonte for the day last Thursday while on his way back to his home in Newton, Kansas, from a business trip to New York, spending the time with his aunt, Mrs. Joseph Fox.

Mrs. and Mrs. Harrison Dukeman and Hunter Dukeman moved over from Clearfield this week to be on hand for the opening of the wild turkey season tomorrow expecting to spend a fortnight in Centre county hunting small game.

Miss E. M. Thomas left Bellefonte Wednesday for Burnham, for a visit of several days with her nephew, Joseph D. Mitchell and his family, before going to Overbrook, where she will spend the winter with Mrs. Wistar Norris.

Mrs. George S. Grimm, of North Tonawanda, was in Bellefonte Monday night and Tuesday, stopping here for a short visit on her way to Milton to spend a week with her younger daughter, Mrs. Grimm will join her there for several days.

The Misses Cora and Margaret Campbell are guests of their sister, Mrs. James K. Barnhart. Having rented their home and closed out their business at Punxsutawney, the Misses Campbell expect to spend the greater part of the winter with Mr. and Mrs. Barnhart.

Mrs. Satterfield returned Tuesday night from a six week's visit with friends in Pittsburgh, where she had been ill for several weeks with an infected hand. Although better, Mrs. Satterfield's return at this time was made that she might be under the care of her family physician.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Lentz spent the greater part of the past week here, packing their household goods for shipment to Harrisburg. Having sold their interests to Harrisburg, Mr. and Mrs. Lentz will leave today to make that place their permanent home.

Mrs. Henry Wetzel returned to Bellefonte Tuesday, from Bellington, W. Va., where she had been for two months, visiting with her son, Nevin Wetzel. Mrs. Wetzel left Bellefonte the middle of August, going from here to Stoyestown, where she spent five weeks with Rev. and Mrs. Frank Wetzel.

Mrs. Robert Morris and her two sons, who have been spending much of their time with the children's grandmother, Mrs. Titcomb, at Kennebunk Port, Maine, are expected to come to Bellefonte to join Mr. Morris, all to be guests of Mr. Morris' father, A. G. Morris, and his daughter, Miss Lida, for the winter.

Miss Rebecca Rhoads, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Weston and their daughter, Miss Ellen Weston, returned Saturday from a motor trip north to the eastern part of the State. Leaving here on the 30th of October, they went to Philadelphia, the time being spent there and at Kennett Square, where the Weston wedding took place on the 6th of November; Richard Weston, the groom, being the only son of Mr. and Mrs. Weston.

Squire J. T. Merryman, of upper Bald Eagle valley, was a Bellefonte visitor on Tuesday and an interesting caller at the "Watchman" office. Like all good Democrats he deprecates the fact that so many of the good men had to go down in defeat at the election on Tuesday of last week and has his own ideas of why it happened, and as Mr. Merryman is a pretty close observer we wouldn't be surprised if he is not pretty nearly correct.

Mrs. D. G. Bush went to Jersey Shore Tuesday, owing to the critical illness of her sister-in-law, Mrs. John Tomb. Mrs. Bush's leaving Tuesday is for the winter, as she will go from there to Philadelphia, then on to Atlantic City, where she and her daughter, Mrs. Callaway, will spend the winter. Mrs. Callaway, who is now in Philadelphia, will return to Bellefonte early in the week to make final preparation for joining her mother, remaining here but a few days.

Edgar B. Greene will leave Bellefonte Monday to return to his home in Ocala, Florida. Mr. Greene came north in August, on account of ill health, and has been in Bellefonte since the first of September, a part of the time having been spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hazel, and the last five weeks at the Bellefonte hospital. Mr. Greene's ten week's stay here has been of such great benefit to him that he returns home in his normal health.

Miss Nina Lamb is at Luzerne, visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris Cook spent the week-end and Armistice day in Bellefonte, with Mr. Cook's father, Charles F. Cook, and his daughter, Miss Anna.

The Misses Louise and Alice Whitaker left Saturday for a visit of several weeks with their sister, Mrs. Edward Russell, at New Haven, Conn.

Mrs. R. M. Gresham and Miss Catherine Baker, of Norfolk, Va., spent Tuesday night in Bellefonte as guests of the Misses McCurdy, of Linn street.

Mrs. Earl Gehret and her youngest son returned from New Castle last week, after a visit there of ten days with Mrs. Gehret's sister, Mrs. Harvey Weaver.

Mrs. J. R. Walter, of Somerset, is with her daughter, Mrs. C. D. Casbeer, having come to Bellefonte to spend the winter with Mr. and Mrs. Casbeer.

Stanley Valentine, with the Soliday Cement company, of Syracuse, has been in Bellefonte with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Valentine, for a short vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Johnston have been in the western part of the State this week, spending the time in Pittsburgh and in visiting with their daughter, Mrs. Wayne Sittlinger, at New Castle.

Hugh N. Boyle, of Hazleton, stopped in Bellefonte, the latter part of last week, on his way to State College for Pennsylvania day. Mr. Boyle's time here was spent with Mrs. Boyle's mother, Mrs. C. D. Tanner.

Miss Elizabeth Morrison, of Williamsport, came to Bellefonte yesterday to spend several days visiting and looking after some business matters. During her stay she will be a guest of Mrs. Joseph Massey, of Logan street.

Prof. C. A. Weaver, of Sandy Ridge, was a "Watchman" office visitor yesterday, and his purpose in coming in was to enroll his name as a subscriber to this paper. Prof. Weaver, who is having a large measure of success in his school at Sandy Ridge, was in Bellefonte this week attending the teachers' institute.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman M. Kirk with their young son, Norman Jr., are expected in Bellefonte today from Bridgehampton, Long Island, for a visit of ten days or two weeks at Mr. Kirk's parental home, Dr. and Mrs. M. A. Kirk. Mr. Kirk has completed his work for this season at Bridgehampton and on leaving Bellefonte will go south.

From Pittsburgh, where Miss Rebecca Rhoads has been attending the annual conference of the D. A. R., she will go on to St. Louis for the National convention of the W. C. T. U., then to Seattle, Washington, to look after some property belonging to the estate of her brother, the late Francis Rhoads. On her return she will stop at Des Moines, for a visit of several weeks with Dean and Mrs. Holmes, formerly of State College. Miss Rhoads has planned to come back to Bellefonte some time in January.

## Tickets on Sale for Taft's Lecture at State College.

When ex-President William Howard Taft comes to State College on November 22nd people living in Centre county will have an opportunity to hear an authority of international reputation discuss the biggest question before the world today. Mr. Taft is the only living ex-President, a jurist of established reputation and a man whose judgment is respected in all quarters of the globe. Your opinion on the League of Nations may differ, from his, but he will probably have something to say on the subject which will be of interest to you. He has been speaking on this and other timely subjects in all parts of the country this fall, and everywhere he has been very well received.

Through the efforts of Prof. I. L. Foster, chairman of the committee which has secured Mr. Taft, people of Centre county will have the opportunity of seeing and hearing him. Tickets will be on sale at the Athletic store, State College, this week and Tuesday and Wednesday of next week. At Bellefonte they may be purchased at Montgomery & Co's., today and tomorrow. They will also be on sale at the Schwab auditorium, State College, the night of the lecture.

## Armistice Day.

Just one year ago on Tuesday articles were signed by representatives of the allies fighting in France and the German high command which virtually ended the great European war. The only way the first anniversary of this historical event was celebrated in Bellefonte was by a closing of the stores generally, although it not having been declared a legal holiday the banks and postoffice remained open. There were no exercises of any kind here, not even a parade.

Up at State College the American Legion camp held exercises in the morning at eleven o'clock in conjunction with the student body. These consisted merely of a formal salute to the flag from a piece of light artillery.

Miss Helen Bartholomew, in charge of one of the schools of Centre Hall, attended institute this week, driving over each day in her car. Miss Bartholomew is acknowledged as one of the most experienced drivers in Centre county.

## Earl Fuller's Novelty Orchestra.

Direct from New York city, to be at Market hall, Lewistown, Pa., on Thursday evening, November 20. An engagement extraordinary.

This is America's representative dance orchestra. Makers of the Earl Fuller famous Victor phonograph records. Jazzied jazz for the jazz fiend. A musical treat—it's a tonic. Subscription, \$2.50 a couple. Ladies unaccompanied, \$1.00.

Lost.—Heavy winter overcoat bearing stamp of "Wilson & Co., Pittsburgh." Suitable reward for return to Beatty Motor Co., Bellefonte. 45-1t

Lost.—An Airedale pup, answering to name of Gyp. Suitable reward. Charles R. Beatty, Bellefonte, Pa. 45-2t