Democratic Watchman.

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## NEWS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY

——"Cappy Ricks" at the opera house tonight.

——Mrs. R. Harold Smith has accepted a position as clerk and stenographer in the office of the County Commissioners.

——Centre county is one of the largest barley producing counties in the State, and now there is no market for barley mash.

——The insignificant little penny box of matches was increased in price just one hundred per cent. yesterday morning by Bellefonte dealers.

——Just forty-six more days until the election, and up to this time there is very little indication that an important Presidential campaign is in progress.

——Mrs. Edward P. Irwin, who is a surgical patient in the Bellefonte hospital, is rapidly recovering from the effects of the operation she underwent last week.

——Mrs. John Noll was taken quite ill on Sunday at her home on Bishop street, but her condition is now enough improved to relieve the anxiety of her family and friends.

——This (Friday) evening Schlosser's Serenaders will play for a dance in the Bush Arcade. They are the musicians who so greatly pleased at the High school reception on June 4th last.

——In celebration of her little daughter, Mary Catharine's second birthday anniversary, on Tuesday, Mrs. William Bottorf had Mary Louise and Charlotte Walker and Paul Emerick in to spend the afternoon and early evening with her.

——The Titan Metal company has leased the rooms in Temple Court formerly occupied by Orvis & Zerby and will move their offices there from the Eagle block. The question of heat during the winter is the main question at stake in their moving.

——In accordance with the president general's request that constitution day be universally observed by the Daughters of the American Revolution, Mrs. Callaway and her daughter, Mrs. George B. Thompson, of Alto, will entertain the Bellefonte chapter at the home of Mrs. D. G. Bush tonight.

——James I. McClure was successful in compelling the Bell Telephone company of Pennsylvania to remove the pole at the corner of his residence on Spring and Logan streets, but in doing so they erected two poles just inside the curb along his property, so that instead of one pole there are now two, but they are not on his property.

——The eminent gentlemen who look after the affairs of the village of Pine Grove Mills are up in the air because some one stole their speed limit signs. That's nothing. In Bellefonte they throw the "no parking" signs into Spring creek, knock down our silent policemen and last Saturday an out of town autoist almost ran down a member of the police force, notwithstanding the protection of a traffic ordinance about a foot long.

——A number of counties in the State failing to take advantage of the law appropriating money for the improvement of township roads left a fund of $221.651.17 in the state road fund which has been apportioned among twenty-one counties making the best showing in the matter of upkeep of township roads, and Centre county is included in the number with an appropriation of $7020.30 in addition to the regular apportionment announced some time ago.

——State College has been rather fortunate in the success the contractar who has the street paving job there has met with in prosecuting his work. With a mile of brick paving to do he will be able to get his work completed in less time than it has taken to lay four blocks in this place. All of the concrete base and curbing is completed up there and nothing remains to be done but the laying of brick. That goes very fast and a month of fair weather will find State College enjoying the great improvement that the new work will effect.

——H. S. Ray will retire as landlord of the Brockerhoff house on October first and probably move into the home of Mrs. Ray' father, Mr. Monroe Armer, on Linn street. Mr. Ray has been in charge at the Brockerhoff house the past seventeen years, coming here from the Altamont, Altoona. Just what he will engage in after his retirement has not yet been definitely decided. Up to the present time no one has been secured as Mr. Ray's successor, though efforts are being made upon the part of the owners of the hotel to secure some one to take charge at once, so that the house will not be closed to patrons.

——Published in the "Watchman," issue of September 3rd, was an item relative to Mr. Nathan Ichkowitz's truck being driven through the barricade and up on the green concrete of the new state road at Snow Shoe Intersection, being put down by the Vipond Construction company, of Altoona. The item was furnished the "Watchman" by the State Highway Department and carried the inference that Mr. Ichkowitz personally was driving the truck. This was not the case, as the truck was driven by his hired man, Hogan Parks. Naturally Mr. Ichkowitz was somewhat wrought up over the fact that the public might consider him at fault and this explanation is made at the request of the Highway Department.

## AVIATOR STEVENS KILLED.

### Both He and His Mechanician Burned to Death in Junker Machine.

Walter Stevens, the dean of pilots in the aerial mail service, and Russell Thomas, his mechanician, were burned to death when the Junker all-metal plane they were driving from Cleveland to Chicago caught fire about 2:30 o'clock on Tuesday afternoon, while sailing along about five hundred feet in the air near Pemberville, Ohio. Pilot Stevens left Cleveland at 12:20 p. m. with four hundred pounds of mail for Chicago, having taken the place of William Riddlesbarger, the regular pilot, who met with an accident just as he was taking off the field, damaging his plane and suffering slight injuries. Stevens was then called upon to take the mail through and his tragic death was the result.

Following so close upon the burning to death of pilot Max Miller the deplorable fate of pilot Stevens is an even greater shock to the people of Bellefonte for two reasons, because he was so well known here and also because the fatality was exactly similar to that which befell pilot Miller and with the same kind of plane.

Pilot Stevens drove the Junker plane from New York to Bellefonte last Saturday with a load of mail and when he reached here it was discovered that his radiator was leaking, so the mail was transferred to another ship and he was held here until his machine could be repaired. He stayed here until Tuesday afternoon and took occasion to tell his friends that that was his last trip, as he was going to leave the service. When he left here on Monday afternoon for Cleveland he was accompanied by Charles E. Gates, stock clerk at the aviation field, who went to Cleveland to see about material for completing the steel hangar on the Bellefonte field. The latter returned home by train on Wednesday and stated that on the trip to Cleveland the machine was all right with the exception that the motor missed fire once or twice, but pilot Stevens didn't consider that anything alarming. They arrived at the Cleveland field at six o'clock in the evening and went into the city together. Tuesday morning they went out to the field and Mr. Gates saw pilot Stevens take off for Chicago, waving good-bye to him. He left the field a half hour later and went into the city, and although he did not leave Cleveland until after eleven o'clock Tuesday night he failed to hear of Stevens' death, and the first knowledge he had of it was when he got a paper in Pittsburgh Wednesday morning.

Stevens was in the neighborhood of forty years of age and a native of Michigan. He had been flying for two years or longer and although he had been compelled to make forced landings at times he had never been injured and had one of the best records of any flyer in the service.

### Thoughtlessly Frightened.

On Sunday moning Jacob Gross received a telephone call from Lock Haven and the person at the other end of the wire asked for particulars of the death of his son Philip, who, the speaker averred, had been killed by the fall of an airplane while en route to the Pacific coast. Both Mr. and Mrs. Gross almost collapsed under the shock of the information conveyed, as they had not heard of any such accident. Philip has been working at an aviation field in Cleveland and Mr. Gross promptly called the company by which he is employed, on the telephone and asked for information as to the truth or falsity of the report. The man who answered the telephone told Mr. Gross to hold the wire a minute and he called up Philip's lodging house and promptly got him on the phone and he was able himself to deny the fact that he had been killed.

The only explanation he was able to give for the story was that not long ago he did take a trip in an airplane to Oklahoma and that last week the same machine came down while on a flight to the Pacific coast and the pilot was killed, but Philip was not a passenger on that trip. Of course it was joyful news to the Gross family to know the young man was safe in Cleveland, but they were quite badly frightened until they had definite word of his whereabouts.

### Secretary of War Baker Visited State College.

Secretary of War Newton D. Baker visited State College on Wednesday as the big attraction for the opening of the college year. He came to the College from Harrisburg as a motor guest of Vance C. McCormick and on the trip over the Seven Mountains he rather significantly inquired as to the character of the rustic place he was being taken to. Of course, when he got out of the mountains and into broad and fertile Pennsvalley he began to open his eyes, and when he was finally landed at the College he stood aghast with amazement at the scope of the institution. Of course his approach to the College was not unheralded as he was met some distance outside of the town by the cadet band and battalion and escorted right up to the doors of Old Main.

Secretary Baker delivered his address from the terrace of old Main to the several thousand students massed on the front campus. Of course it had mostly to do with military training and the possibilities it opens up for the energetic young man. Secretary Baker and Mr. McCormick were entertained at luncheon by Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Sparks.

——Subscribe for the Watchman.

——Policeman Jack Robinson resigned from the force last week because he considered he had a just grievance against the borough council and substitute George Glenn was on duty until late Saturday night. Saturday evening the burgess and Fire and Police committee held a meeting and decided to appoint Thomas Howley to the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. Robinson, subject to the approval of council. Mr. Howley has been on duty this week.

——Democratic county chairman G. Oscar Gray has appointed Mrs. Frank M. Fisher, of Centre Hall, as chairman of the woman's committee of the Democratic party for Centre county and she has accepted. A full committee, consisting of one woman in each voting district in the county, will be appointed and it will be their special work to get out the women voters. Mr. Gray was very fortunate in securing Mrs. Fisher as chairman, as her acquaintance extends over all of the south side and she has the executive ability to do the work assigned to her.

——The Granger's did not have a very good wind up for their picnic at Centre Hall last week, as it rained all Thursday afternoon and the result was the grounds became a regular quagmire and the only man who made money was W. C. Krader with his tractor pulling out automobiles that got stuck in the mud at the rate of one dollar per. In fact business was so good in this respect that he was kept hard at it until almost midnight. Of course the biggest crowd of the week was there on Thursday and the most of them got pretty well soaked before they got home, but the soaking was all on the outside.

——Contractor Edward Hepburn began work on Tuesday morning on his contract to remove the tall steeple from the Methodist Episcopal church. For a year or more the steeple has been condemned as unsafe and the official board of the church decided that the most sensible thing to do was to take the steeple down to the brick and then put a suitable top finish on the brick portion of the steeple. The steeple will be removed in sections from the top downwards and it will probably take ten days or two weeks to complete the job. The present church was completed in 1876 and in the forty-four years that the steeple has stood there the wood has disintegrated to such an extent that there would be constant danger of its being blown over by hard winds, were it allowed to stand.

### William Jennings Bryan to Lecture at Millheim.

William Jennings Bryan, the Nebraska Commoner, will lecture at Millheim on Wednesday night of next week, September 22nd, as one of the stars of the Millheim lecture course. Single admission, $2.00. Course tickets may be purchased on and after Saturday night for $1.50. Preference in admission will be shown to course ticket holders.

### Col. Spangler Enters State College.

Two weeks ago the "Watchman" told of Rev. H. F. Babcock giving up his pastorate at Stormstown to matriculate as a student in special work at State Colege, and now comes the announcement that our own Col. J. L. Spangler, of Bellefonte, has also matriculated as a student in economics. There is an old adage that it is never too late to learn and the Colonel evidently must have faith in the saying and will prove it out to his own satisfaction.

### "Jim's Girl."

Now that it is an assured fact that "Jim's Girl" is coming to the Garman theatre on Thursday, September 23rd, everybody is asking, "What sort of a girl is she? Is she blond or brunette? Is she tall or petite? Is she of the clinging ivy sort, or does she vote?" To all of these and innumerable other queries the man in the box office smiles blandly and winks his left eye. When asked why he manipulated the left optic, he said because it was right. All of which may or may not be pertinent as to what an accurate description of "Jim's Girl" is like, but it sure shows healthy interest in the forthcoming production, and that this interest will be thoroughly justified when the little lady finally arrives may be readily taken for granted.

### Booze Sensation in Philipsburg.

The people of Philipsburg had a booze sensation last week which may lead to further developments if all the accusations and recriminations that have been made are correct. It appears that on Saturday night, August 5th, a new policeman by the name of P. A. Hilt was on duty in Philipsburg and along in the early hours of Sunday morning he captured a motor truck loaded with three barrels and two cases of whiskey. The truck was in charge of Harry Frank, of Wilkes-Barre, the same man the state cops of Bellefonte nabbed near Centre Hill two months ago and brought to Bellefonte. The cargo of whiskey was confiscated but Mr. Frank was not detained.

Rumor has it that some persons in Philipsburg had granted Frank immunity on previous trips through there for which they received a case or more of the wet goods as a present. The present so whetted their appetites, it is said, that on this trip they demanded a barrel of it and that being too much "grease" for Frank to part with, his movements were tipped off and the officers got him.

## TOLLS MAY BE ABOLISHED.

### By Compromise on Telephone Rates Within Certain Radius.

In a communication from James A. Gleason Esq., of DuBois, one of the five attorneys in the state-wide fight against the increase of telephone rates, the "Watchman" has been informed that an agreement has been reached upon a compromised reduction in flat rates and toll area, which is considered a substantial victory for the users of the Bell telephone.

According to the agreement free toll is to be restored between Bellefonte and State College, Boalsburg, and Centre Hall. Owing to the large amount of detail work in connection with Spring Mills and the Millheim exchange no definite announcement has been made regarding the agreement on these places.

The agreement, however, carries an increase in flat rates for business places of six dollars a year on individual and two-party lines. Of course the agreement is not yet effective, as it will have to be ratified by the Public Service Commission and due notice given the public. The flat rates agreed upon are as follows:

**BUSINESS PHONES.**

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| Individual lines | $54.00 per annum |
| 2-Party line | 48.00 per annum |
| 4-Party line | 42.00 per annum |
| Extension Station | 12.00 per annum |

**RESIDENCE PHONES.**

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| Individual line | $36.00 per annum |
| 2-Party line | 30.00 per annum |
| 4-Party line | 24.00 per annum |
| Extension Station | 6.00 per annum |

Multi-Party line (over four and hardly exceeding fifteen on same line.)

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| Business | $36.00 per annum plus mileage |
| Residence | 24.00 per annum plus mileage |

The multi-party line rate will apply with a zone-two miles air line radius beyond the base rate area; beyond this zone mileage will be added at $3 per annum for each two miles or fraction air line.

### State Centre Company Sells Supply Stores.

The State-Centre Electric company has disposed of its electric supply stores in Bellefonte and State College to William Wrigley, son of John Wrigley, of Clearfield, the latter taking charge last Saturday morning. For the present the Bellefonte store will be continued in the State-Centre building and in order to afford necessary room for the new store and also give the State-Centre ample room for the storage of their material for new work, etc., the company will build an addition to the rear of its present building. Mr. Wrigley, however, will endeavor to secure another location for the store and as soon as he can do so will move it and the State-Centre will then occupy the entire building as an office and storage room.

Mr. Wrigley already owns supply stores in Clearfield and Philipsburg and the purchase of the store here and the one at State College will give him a chain of four stores which will enable him to purchase all kinds of supplies in large enough quantities to get the benefit of lowest prices. He will also be able to carry a more complete stock than the State-Centre was able to do. The purchase of the Bellefonte store carried with it the right to occupy the rooms over the store, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter McCullough will be compelled to vacate the rooms, as they will be occupied by the new manager of the store, Ward Fisher and family.

**Witmer—Spotts.**—Harrison C. Witmer, son of James Witmer, of Bellefonte, and Miss Mae W. Spotts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Spotts, were united in marriage at noon on Wednesday at the Lutheran parsonage in Pine Grove Mills by the pastor, Rev. A. M. Lutton. They were attended by Miss Edna Dreiblebis, of State College, and Chares Stong, of Altoona. Mr. and Mrs. Witmer departed yesterday morning on a honeymoon trip to Atlantic City and other eastern cities.

**Conrad—Connelly.**—A wedding in Pittsburgh on Tuesday of this week was that of Joseph C. Conrad, of that city, and Miss Mary Connelly, daughter of Mrs. Julia Connelly, of Bellefonte, the ceremony being performed at the Sacred Heart parish house by Rev. Father Kane. The bridegroom is fairly well known in Bellefonte from having spent a year on duty here as a state policeman.

**Stickler—Snyder.**—Russell J. Stickler, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Stickler, of Bellefonte, and Miss Mary Bell Snyder, of Tyrone, were married at the Lutheran parsonage in Hollidaysburg on Wednesday of last week by the pastor, Rev. M. Stanley Kemp, D. D. The bridegroom is employed by the Pennsylvania railroad company in Tyrone and it is in that place the young couple will make their future home.

**Laurie—Kealy.**—William L. Laurie, son of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Laurie, of Tyrone, and Miss Marie Kealy, of Jeannette, were married in Grace Reformed church on Wednesday morning by the pastor, Rev. James Runkle. The young couple will take up their residence in Altoona where Mr. Laurie, who is a baggage master on the Pennsylvania-Lehigh train, makes his headquarters.

**Wian—Eberhart.**—Harry M. Wian, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Wian, and Miss Mildred A. Eberhart, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Eberhart, both of Bellefonte, were married at the Methodist parsonage on east Linn street on Saturday evening by the pastor, Rev. Alexander Scott. The young couple will reside in Bellefonte.

## NEWS PURELY PERSONAL.

—Mrs. Thomas W. Cairns returned home on Sunday from spending a fortnight with friends in Philadelphia, with side trips to Atlantic City.

—Mr. and Mrs. G. Fred Musser went to Atlantic City the latter part of last week, hoping for Mr. Musser's entire recovery during their several week's stay at the Shore.

—Mrs. William Brouse and her mother, Mrs. Landis, went to Philadelphia Saturday, for a visit with Mrs. Landis' sisters at Ardmore, and to do some shopping for the winter.

—Miss Margery McGinley came home from Washington yesterday and will spend the greater part of her month's vacation here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. McGinley.

—Miss Celia Haupt and her two nephews, Richard and George Fox, have been at Moshannon with Miss Haupt's uncle, William Kerin and his family, since the middle of August.

—Mrs. Nissley, of Harrisburg, and her daughter, Miss Nissley, are visiting in Bellefonte with Mrs. Nissley's son and his wife, Dr. and Mrs. S. M. Nissley, at their home on Spring street.

—Mrs. J. M. Curtin and her two children returned to their home in Pittsburgh yesterday, after spending the greater part of the summer in Bellefonte with Mrs. Curtin's mother, Mrs. George F. Harris.

—Mrs. Samuel Harris, of Mill Hall, will come to Bellefonte today to visit until Tuesday with her cousin, Dr. Edith Schad. J. Linn Harris is also his sister's guest, being ill at her apartments in Petrikin hall.

—G. W. Lauck, who has been working in Williamsport the past few months, has accepted a position with the Beatty Motor company and at present is stopping at the George Weaver home on south Water street.

—Arthur Stewart, a son of William Stewart, of Seattle, Washington, arrived in Bellefonte Saturday for a short visit with his grandmother, Mrs. Miller Stewart, before going to begin his college work at Cornell.

—Mrs. Hiram Hiller, and her two daughters, Margaret and Virginia, drove to Swarthmore yesterday, returning home that the girls might enter school. Dr. and Mrs. Hiller expect to spend a part of the autumn in Bellefonte.

—Mr. and Mrs. Horace Hartranft went to Pittsburgh yesterday, from where they will leave Saturday for Tulsa, Oklahoma. Mrs. Hartranft has been east since the 30th of June, while Mr. Hartranft joined her here three weeks ago.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ephriam Fetterhoff, of Steelton, have been guests of Mr. Fetterhoff's brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Fetterhoff, coming to Bellefonte on Tuesday, from Greensburg, where they had been for a visit with their daughter.

—Charles Tripple, of Rochester, N. Y., has been in Bellefonte since Saturday, coming here to spend his vacation with his two sisters, Mrs. Geissinger and Mrs. Yeager. Mrs. Kerstetter, of Harrisburg, spent Sunday with them, completing the family party.

—David K. Geiss will return to Philadelphia this week, after a short visit with his friends in Centre Hall, and with his son, D. Wagner Geiss, in Bellefonte. Since leaving Centre county it has been Mr. Geiss' custom to make his annual visit back home at this season of the year.

—Mrs. Earl C. Way, of Waddle, will join her daughter and son, Margery and Earl Creighton Jr., at the Brant House, the middle of October, expecting to spend the winter in Bellefonte. Margery is taking her first year in High school work, while Creighton is with the Beatty Motor Co.

—Mrs. Durrett, of Washington, Ky., was a guest from Thursday until Tuesday of Mrs. Frank McCoy, going from here to Philadelphia. Mrs. Durrett, who before her marriage was Miss Margaret Allison, a daughter of James Allison, has not visited in Centre county for twenty-five years.

—Miss Carrie Hess, State Dispensary nurse in Philipsburg, motored, with her mother, to Bellefonte on Tuesday, where Mrs. Hess visited with relatives while Miss Hess saw a patient and had several conferences on the various health activities in which she is so vitally interested.

—Mrs. S. M. Wetmore, of Florence, S. C., arrived in Bellefonte Tuesday, and Mrs. H. M. Crossman, of Norristown, came here Wednesday, owing to the illness of their mother, Mrs. J. Y. Dale, who entered the hospital last night as a surgical patient. Mrs. Dale will be operated on this morning, by her nephew, Dr. Henderson, of Clearfield.

—Vincent Kroen, express inspector at Pittsburgh, with Mrs. Kroen and their two children, Vincent and Doris, are visiting in Centre county with Mrs. Kroen's relatives, the Wetzel families. Coming here directly from Wisconsin, where they had been for a week, Mr. and Mrs. Kroen spent the first few days of their stay with Dr. and Mrs. M. A. Kirk.

—The relatives of Mrs. Thomas Donachy who were in Bellefonte for her funeral, Friday of last week, included her brother, Christ Schrock, of Beaver Falls; his daughter, Mrs. Lenley, of Akron, Ohio, and his son-in-law, Maurice Tucker, also of Akron; Mr. and Mrs. John Schrock, of Altoona; Mr. and Mrs. James Schrock, of Lock Haven, and Mrs. Jesse Derstine, of Altoona.

—Among the new students at the Bellefonte Academy this year is Homer Lumb, a son of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Lumb, of DuBois. With just a casual reading this item might not carry any significance but Homer's enrollment as a student at the Academy is due to the fact that twenty-five years ago his father was a traveling salesman for Pillsbury flour and spent a good part of his time in Bellefonte and his knowledge of the town, the people and the Academy were the leading factors in sending his son here to continue his education. Mr. Lumb is now in the coal business in Clearfield county and is quite successful.

—The out-of-town relatives who were in Bellefonte Wednesday for the funeral of the late Mrs. Henry Bartley, included her daughter, Mrs. Robert Gentzel, of Beaver Falls, with Mr. Gentzel and their children; Mrs. William Rider, Mrs. Robert McCormick, Frank and Harry Bartley; her son, Austin, of Altoona, and Mrs. Bartley; her son Alvin, of Lock Haven, and his wife; Mrs. Herbert Bartley, of Philadelphia; a sister-in-law, Mrs. Smith, and her daughter, Mrs. Heiss, of Mifflinburg; William Smith, his daughter, and Herbert Smith, of Millheim; Mrs. Olive Eslinger, of Harrisburg; James and Charles Bartley, of Jacksonville, and Mr. and Mrs. Stoner, of Centre Hall.

—Mrs. R. M. Beach and Miss Mary M. Blanchard have been at Atlantic City for the week, leaving here for the Shore Monday afternoon.

—Mr. and Mrs. George M. Gamble and Mr. and Mrs. Max Gamble left Tuesday on a drive to Atlantic City, where they have been spending the week.

—Walter Zeigler and his sister, Mrs. Keefer, both of Sunbury, have been visiting in Bellefonte since Saturday, guests of their cousin, Miss Mary McQuistion.

—Mr. and Mrs. Peter Ferguson and daughter Margaret, with Edward L. Gates as a motor guest, came over from Philipsburg on Sunday and took home with them Mrs. Gates and daughter Betty, who spent two weeks with friends here.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Garthoff had as guests over Tuesday night Mr. and Mrs. Adam Epley, who left for their home in Freeport, Ill., Wednesday morning, after spending most of the summer in Brush valley. Mrs. Epley is a cousin of Mrs. Garthoff.

—Miss Rebecca Naomi Rhoads, of Linn street, left for Washington at noon on Tuesday. She has been appointed by Governor Sproul as a delegate from Pennsylnia to the International Conference against alcoholism, which will convene in that city next Tuesday.

—Frank M. Fisher and John Rossman, of Centre Hall, were among the "Watchman" office visitors on Monday, having come to Bellefonte to attend a meeting of the Farmers Mutual Fire Insurance company. The company, by the way, has not had a serious fire loss this summer.

—Mrs. Charles Schlow's mother, Mrs. Silversmith, of Denver, who has been in Bellefonte with Mr. and Mrs. Schlow since the middle of the summer, left a week ago for a visit with Mr. Schlow's relatives in Philadelphia. Mrs. Silversmith is east to spend an indefinite time with her daughter, Mrs. Schlow.

—C. Edward Cooke, Miss M. H. Snyder, and Mr. Cooke's daughter, Miss Jeannette, drove to Bellefonte from Baltimore last week, arriving here Saturday night. Mr. Cooke returned Tuesday, while Miss Cooke remained for an indefinite stay with Miss Snyder. The Cooke family are contemplating moving here from Baltimore.

—Mrs. Roger T. Bayard, of Tyrone, but who was one of the active leaders in the business management of the Granger's picnic at Centre Hall last week, was compelled to leave for Wichita, Kansas, on Friday in response to a summons announcing the serious illness of her aunt, Mrs. Robert A. Sankey. The completion of her work at the picnic was left to Miss Edith Sankey, secretary of the association.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank McFarlane, of Boalsburg, were Bellefonte visitors on Monday, Mr. McFarlane coming to Bellefonte for the fire insurance company meeting and Mrs. McFarlane to do some shopping. Mr. McFarlane's many friends, by the way, will be glad to know that since his last trip to eye specialists in Philadelphia his sight has very much improved and he has hopes of still further improvement.

—John H. Beck, of Snydertown, was in Bellefonte Monday and a caller at the "Watchman" office. Mr. Beck had been a little under the weather for several weeks but felt well enough on Monday to come to town for the meeting of the Farmers Mutual Fire Insurance company. Speaking of how the farmers are getting along with their fall work down the valley he stated that a few have already started cutting corn and that the crop is sufficiently matured to put on shock.

—Edmund Joseph Esq., accompanied his cousin, Mrs. Louis E. Friedman, from New York to Bellefonte on Sunday, coming here to spend the Jewish New Year among his old Bellefonte friends. Mr. Joseph, who is a practicing attorney in New York, is also engaged in a private banking business and has associated with him his younger brother, "Manny." They are both making good in the metropolis, but have not forgotten the home of their birth which Edmund still characterizes as one of God's selected spots.

—Mr. and Mrs. Samuel A. Solt, of Williamsport, and their two sons, Merrill and Samuel A. Jr., arrived in Bellefonte Monday afternoon, from a three month's drive through Ohio, Michigan and into Canada. Carrying with them a complete camping outfit, the entire time was spent in the open, stops being made wherever their fancy might lead them. The drive combined business and pleasure, Mr. Solt using a part of his time in selling his "Keen Edge Razor Strop dressing," with such great results that he has found himself in possession of one of the most popular sellers of the day.

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——Miss Elizabeth Cooney will have a showing of advanced styles for the early autumn, at The Hat Shop, today and tomorrow. Many of Miss Cooney's hats have been made especially for the boarding school and college girl, but there will be numbers to select from, for every person and for every occasion. 36-2t

### New Prices for Tonsorial Work.

The barbers of Bellefonte have adopted a new scale of price, to be effective Monday, September 20th, as follows: Hair cut 50cts, children's hair bobbing, 35 cts, shaving 20 cts.

**Lost.**—Pair glasses, Monday, between Bellefonte and Coleville. Tortoise shell rims. Leave at City Bakery. 37-1t

**Farmers Take Notice.**—I will insure your crops for six months against fire and lightning for one dollar a hundred.—J. M. Keichline. 34-4t

**Sale of Household Goods.**—On Thursday, September 30th, at 1 o'clock, at residence of Mrs. R. G. H. Hayes, north Allegheny street. 37-2t

——A magnificent photo play of love and passion is "Male and Female," at the Scenic 20-21. 37-1t

**For Sale.**—Fifty houses.—J. M. Keichline. 34-4t

### Sale Register.

**Saturday, Oct. 2.**—At Pine Grove Mills, Pa., Wm. Groh Runkle, executor of Wm. S. Tate, deceased, will sell a full line of household goods, blacksmith tools, carpenter's tools, horse gears, etc. Sale at 1 o'clock p. m.