

PINE GROVE MENTION.

Our township schools will reopen on Labor day.

The new arrival at the Roy Louck home is a boy.

A wedding is booked for this place in the near future.

Miss Esther Neidigh is visiting friends in Williamsport this week.

Prof. Lenhart and wife are visiting his parental home in Pittsburgh.

Mrs. Frank, of Williamsport, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. N. Walker.

One of Eugene Irvin's prize Guernsey's broke a leg, on Friday, and had to be killed.

Pine Grove defeated the Gatesburg ball team, last Saturday, on their own field, 7 to 4.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Corl and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bilger are on a motor trip to Canada.

W. G. Gardner has returned home from the Centre County hospital very much improved.

W. K. Goss and Anna Mary Corl have both returned home from the Clearfield hospital.

Misses Catherine and Margaret Groh, of Carlisle, were guests of Mrs. Viola Smith, on Thursday.

J. D. Neidigh and wife and C. H. Meyers and wife left, on Monday, on a motor trip through Ohio.

Miss Helen Kepler returned home, on Saturday, from spending her vacation in Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Mildred Campbell Black is here from Allentown to spend several weeks among her many friends.

The condition of Mrs. Nannie Walker, a patient in the Clearfield hospital, has shown no improvement.

Mrs. Alice Buchwalter has returned to her home in Lancaster, following a ten day's visit in this section.

Paul Tate and wife, of Pittsburgh, are spending their vacation among friends here and at State College.

W. M. and Jett Neidigh, Mack and Brooks Fry, attended the American Legion convention, at Uniontown, last week.

Mrs. Mary Coombs, of Washington, D. C., was an over Sunday visitor at the home of her parents, Hon. and Mrs. J. Will Kepler.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Elder left for their home in Medina, Ohio, on Saturday, after a delightful visit among Centre county friends.

Prof. Musser will conduct a musical concert in the I. O. O. F. hall on the evening of September 6th, when an effort will be made to organize a class in music. The concert will be free.

The potato club returned home, on Saturday, from an inspection trip through the potato growing section of Michigan, and report that they did not see a field that excelled in appearance the one on the A. C. Kepler farm.

The Citizens band will furnish the music for the Labor day celebration at State College, and also for the Woodsmen's gathering in the Holmes grove that evening.

Charles Lutz, of the Sunflower State, arrived here the latter part of the week to visit his sister, Mrs. Mary Meyers, but as she had already packed up and gone to camp on Grange park he decided to follow and is spending the week with her there.

Rev. J. S. English has returned from his three weeks vacation which he spent in the Adirondacks. He will fill his pulpit in the Lutheran church at 10.30 a. m. Sunday. Rev. J. Max Kirkpatrick has also returned home and will preach in the Presbyterian church on Sunday evening.

Among the family reunions held during the week were the Keller-Irvin family, at Alfaretta park, on Saturday; the Walker family at the same place on Sunday; the Snyder clan at Holmes park, on Saturday, and the Neidigh-Kustaborder gathering, at Pine Hall, on Saturday. All of them were well attended.

WINGATE.

Most of our people attended the funeral of James Davidson, on Monday morning.

The Fisher family reunion, last Saturday, was well attended and all had a good time.

Rev. M. C. Piper, of Milesburg, made a number of calls in our village, on Saturday.

Carl Poorman and family, of Milesburg, were recent visitors at the home of Mrs. Ida Witmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Reeder and two children, of Clarence, were brief visitors with friends here, on Tuesday morning of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Summers and children motored down from Tyrone and spent Sunday at the parental home of Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Summers.

Mrs. Lydia Irwin has a large crop of crabapples which are now ripe and ready for market. They are splendid for jelly and pies and will be sold at a reasonable price.

Dr. and Mrs. George Tibbens, with their daughter and husband, and little grand-child, motored up from Beech Creek, last Wednesday, and spent a short time with friends.

Mrs. Irwin and two daughters, Edna and Florence; Ruth Witherite and Donald Irwin, motored up to Runville, Wednesday evening, for a call on Mr. and Mrs. Michael Witherite.

A quartette of singers from the Methodist home, in Tyrone, attended services in the Methodist church, at Milesburg, on Sunday morning, and favored the congregation with three selections, which proved an enjoyable treat to all who heard them. The singers ranged in age from 75 to 88 years.

Bell Telephone Service Connection Charges Reduced

SERVICE CONNECTION CHARGES which apply when a telephone is connected or moved, or when there is a change in the type of instrument, have been substantially reduced for all residence telephones and for certain classes of business telephones.

The lower charges are effective September 1.

A decrease of a quarter of a million dollars annually is represented by the change from the old to the new service connection charges.

The following table shows the old and the new service connection charges:

	FORMER CHARGE	NEW CHARGE
For the connection of residence main telephone	\$3.50	\$2.50
For the connection of residence extension or residence private branch exchange telephone	3.50	2.00
For the connection of business extension or business private branch exchange telephone	3.50	2.00
For moving residence main telephone from one address to another	3.50	2.50
For moving telephone from one location to another at same address	3.00	2.00
For changing type of telephone instrument	3.00	1.50

Where there is a telephone on the premises and it is re-used without change of location or change in type of instrument, the service connection charge remains at \$1.50.



THE BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF PENNSYLVANIA

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOR SALE.—Day bed, practically new. Very reasonable. Inquire of Mrs. Esther Gordon, Roan Apts., Bellefonte. 73-33-21.

HOUSE FOR RENT.—No. 26 West Bishop, Bellefonte, 5 rooms and bath. Inquire of S. D. Gettig, Bellefonte. 73-33-31.

GARAGE FOR RENT.—Brick garage, within one square of Diamond in Bellefonte, concrete floor, running water and drain. Will accommodate six or more cars and especially adapted for one or two man repair shop. Possession can be given September 1st. Inquire at this office. 73-32-11.

Allegheny St. Property for Sale.

The House and Lot, on north Allegheny street, Bellefonte, now occupied by W. G. Runkle Esq. is for sale and anyone interested in a home in a good residential section of the town should write for particulars to THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK, Phillipsburg, Pa. 73-34-11.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Following is a summary of the annual Financial Statement of the School District of Bellefonte Borough for the year ending July 2nd, 1928:

Assessed Valuation.....\$ 1873162 00
Per Capita Tax..... 6310 75
For School Purposes, 21 mills. 39525 94
Total Amount of Taxes..... 43838 69
Total Amount Collected..... 44891 82

Account of Charles E. Cook, Treasurer:

RECEIPTS—GENERAL FUND.
To Bal. on Hand July 4, 1927.....\$ 1389 09
Rec'd from Interest..... 100 00
Sales, Insurance, etc..... 408 78
General Property Tax..... 47482 63
State Appropriation..... 20795 00
Tuition, non-resident pupils... 17595 29
All Other Sources..... 62 65

Total Receipts.....\$ 87893 43

EXPENDITURES.
General Control.....\$ 2584 89
Expense of Instruction..... 26187 75
Expense of Auxiliary Agencies 612 51
Expense of Operation..... 8653 01
Expense of Maintenance..... 3318 28
Expense of Fixed Charges..... 1720 78
Expense of Debt Service..... 10780 00
Expense of Capital Outlay..... 3500 91

Total Expenditures.....\$ 85838 41

By Bal. on Hand July 2, 1928..... 2035 02

\$ 87893 43

SINKING FUND ACCOUNT.

Receipts:—
To Amt. Rec'd During Year.....\$ 5000 00

Expenditures—None.
By Bal. on Hand July 2, 1928.....\$ 5000 00

BALANCE SHEET OF SCHOOL DIST.

Assets:—
School Property.....\$ 183000 00
Accounts Receivable..... 10739 74
Sinking Fund..... 5000 00
Bal. in Treasury..... 2035 02

Total Assets.....\$ 190774 76

Liabilities:—
Bonded Indebtedness.....\$ 45000 00

Net Assets.....\$ 115774 76

We hereby certify that we have examined and audited the above accounts and find them correct, and that the securities of the officers of the board are in accordance with law.

D. A. BARLETT,
C. L. GATES,
M. T. BISENHAUR,
Bellefonte, Pa. Borough Auditors.
July 31, 1928. Borough Auditors. 71-32-31

THE undersigned Company is experiencing a little adverse propaganda in Bellefonte, especially in reference to the "service charge", which is part of our Rate Schedule.

It is possible to eliminate this charge by assuming a higher rate for gas consumed, but a just and scientific distribution of charges for a public utility has to include this charge, which is independent of consumption.

This rate will be charged from the day your meter cock is opened to actually supply gas to your appliance, and will be payable thirty days thereafter. All meters installed now are closed and will be opened after the gas is on the line.

If there is any information you want concerning gas service, please call the Company's office, Bell Phone 401.

Central Pennsylvania Gas Company