

Democratic Watchman

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NEWS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY.

The regular Thursday half holiday instituted some years ago by Belleville business men will start on May 5th, this year.

The Belleville Academy will open the baseball season on Hughes field tomorrow (Saturday) afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock with the Altoona High school nine as opponents. Admission only 25 cents. Go out and see it.

Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Eugenia Gravatt, daughter of Prof. and Mrs. Thomas E. Gravatt, of State College, to Dr. Ardin Kimmel, of the Geisinger hospital, Danville. The wedding will take place the latter part of May.

On Tuesday morning the firemen were again called out by a fire at the "Gazette" office. Waste paper in the metal melting room became ignited and the blaze quickly assumed dangerous proportions but it was extinguished before much damage was done.

After cutting down another tree over the electric lines of the West Penn Power company, at Howard, last Thursday, the Butler men gave up the fight against the company, posted their deposit of \$7.50 and had the current turned on their line, on Monday.

The Penn State Glee club, as champions of Pennsylvania, won third place in the National inter-collegiate contest at St. Louis last week. The club will give a special concert in the college chapel, Friday evening, May 6, in honor of the mothers who will be there to observe Mother's day with their sons and daughters.

Miss Anna Hoberman, 19 year old daughter of Max and Bessie Hoberman, of Lock Haven, critically injured in an automobile accident at Port Matilda on April 10th, died at the Altoona hospital on Monday afternoon. During her eight days in the hospital she partially regained consciousness for a brief time only. A fractured skull and concussion of the brain were the causes of death.

An illustrated talk on "English Gardens" will be given this Friday evening at 8 p. m., in the Presbyterian chapel. The speaker, Miss Anna Linn Bright, of Philadelphia, has collected a number of beautiful pictures of the gardens of Europe and will give an illuminating description of them. This is being sponsored by the Woman's Club and the Garden Club, of Belleville. An admission fee of 25 cents will be charged.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Grytko were hosts to a number of friends at a "500" party at the Penn Belle hotel, last Friday evening. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. Willis M. Bortoff, Mrs. Benjamin Bradley, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Emerick, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fortney, Mr. and Mrs. John Garbrick, Mr. and Mrs. George Hazel, Mr. and Mrs. William Hurley, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Hartman, Mr. and Mrs. George A. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Runkle, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Rishel, Mr. and Mrs. William Smeltzer, Mrs. H. P. Schaeffer, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Tanner. The prize winners were Mrs. Hurley and W. J. Emerick.

The Associated Charities of Belleville co-operating with the Red Cross, has free garden seeds for distribution, but they are not giving it out to every Tom, Dick and Harry without positive assurance that it will be used by the individual to whom it is given. Last week so many applications were made for free seeds that some of the officers decided to do a little personal investigating. They visited about twenty places and at fifteen of them there were no indications that there had ever been a garden or ever would be. Of course the seeds were not given. Because of this fact seeds will only be given to those who can demonstrate their reliability by digging the garden as evidence that they mean to use them.

George G. Glenn had his repair shop moved from south Water street to a foundation on the rear of his lot on east High street, on Wednesday morning. The shop was literally picked up bodily, placed on a truck and hauled to its new location. And thus passeth an old landmark that has stood on Water street for over a quarter of a century. It was originally a portable photograph gallery used by Mr. Glenn's uncle, Charles Glenn, who for some years traveled in it through the country districts taking old-fashioned tin-types for the boys and girls. As he grew advanced in years he located permanently in Belleville and for a number of years his car stood on west High street where the Potter-Hoy Hardware company store is now located. When the latter company purchased that location Mr. Glenn moved his car to south Water street. When he died many years ago George Glenn inherited the car and being a better "Jack of all trades" than he was a photographer he has used it as a workshop ever since. Now that the shop is gone there is a probability that the point of the hill there will be blasted away to widen the street at that point.

DEATHS OF THE WEEK HERE AND ELSEWHERE

NEESE.—Mrs. Ella Blanche Neese, wife of William A. Neese, of Spring Mills, died on April 7th following an illness of several months with a complication of diseases.

She was a daughter of John F. and Fietta Fisher Heckman and was born in Gregg township on April 17th, 1874, hence was within ten days of being 58 years old. She was a lifelong member of the Reformed church, Lady Violet Rebekah lodge and Centre Temple Ladies of the Golden Eagle, of Spring Mills.

She is survived by her husband and six daughters, Mrs. C. A. Zettle and Mrs. Raymond Boob, of Spring Mills; Mrs. Edward Smeltzer, of Belleville; Mrs. Fiegal, of Maywood, N. J.; Miss Mona, dental hygienist in the schools at Tionesta, and Miss Mary, a student nurse at the Jefferson hospital, Philadelphia.

She also leaves two sisters and one brother, Mrs. Samuel Kermison, of Denver, Col.; Mrs. Mary Miller, of Battle Creek, Mich., and Oscar Heckman, of Cameron, Mo.

Funeral services were held at her late home, at two o'clock on Monday afternoon of last week, by Rev. D. R. Keener, burial being made in the Heckman cemetery.

GEHRET.—Miss Viola Bell Gehret, a native of Belleville, died at 2:45 o'clock last Friday morning, at the home of her sister, Mrs. Guy C. Linn, at Beaver Falls, following a prolonged illness with a complication of diseases.

She was born in Belleville 64 years ago and lived here until going to Beaver Falls twenty-five years ago.

In that city she was employed at the Bogs and Brandon store where she was well liked and made many friends. She was a member of the First Presbyterian church of Belleville, having retained membership here during all the years she lived at Beaver Falls. Her only survivor is one sister, Mrs. Linn, of Beaver Falls.

Funeral services were held at the Linn home at 7:30 o'clock on Saturday evening and on Sunday the remains were brought to Belleville and taken to the home of her cousin, Mrs. O. A. Kline, on east Bishop street, where funeral services were held on Monday afternoon, burial being made in the Union cemetery.

LUSE.—Mrs. Esta Verdella Luse, wife of Perry H. Luse, died at her home at Centre Hall, on Thursday morning of last week, following four months' illness with a complication of diseases.

Her maiden name was Esta Spayd and she was born near Lamar, in Nitany valley, 57 years ago. All her married life had been spent at Centre Hall where she was a member of St. Luke's Lutheran church. She is survived by her husband and three sons, Ralph F., George A. and Fred E. Luse, all of Centre Hall. She also leaves three brothers and one sister, Albert H. Spayd, of Centre Hall; Samuel, James and Miss Metta Spayd, and a half-brother, George Spayd, all of Bellevue, Ohio.

Funeral services were held at her late home, at 2 o'clock on Sunday afternoon, by Rev. S. F. Greenhoe, burial being made in the Centre Hall cemetery.

HASSINGER.—Mrs. Emma Hassinger, widow of the late George A. Hassinger, died at her home in Boggs township, on Saturday morning, following a lingering illness. She was 72 years old and was born in Bonner township, where a good portion of her life was spent.

Her husband has been dead for some years but surviving her are the following children: Mrs. W. I. Reeder, of Belleville; Mrs. William Brandt, of Milesburg; Mrs. Arthur Hull, of Belleville; William, of Monumet; George and John, at home. She also leaves two sisters, Mrs. Clara Marshall and Mrs. Margaret Hunter, both of State College.

Rev. M. C. Piper had charge of the funeral services which were held on Tuesday afternoon, burial being made in the Curtin cemetery.

JOHNSON.—Mrs. Abraham Johnson, native of Centre county, died in a Columbus, Ohio, hospital on April 10th, as the result of a collapse following an operation. She was a daughter of John and Martha Barnhart, was born near Belleville and was 59 years old on January 25.

In addition to her husband she is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Roy Grove, of Columbus, and Mrs. Clement Buck, of Powell, Ohio. She also leaves one brother and three sisters, Harry Barnhart, of Steubenville, Ohio; Mrs. D. A. Grove, Miss Carrie Barnhart and Mrs. Chas. Hassinger, all of Belleville. The funeral was held on Wednesday of last week, burial being made at Columbus.

KUNES.—Howard K. Kunes died at his home, at Blanchard, Wednesday morning, following three months illness with a complication of diseases. He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Kunes and was born at Blanchard 47 years ago. He followed lumbering most of his life. He is survived by his mother and one brother, George Kunes, of Johnsonburg. Funeral services will be held at his late home at 2 o'clock this afternoon, by Rev. David Neilson, burial to be made in the Disciple cemetery.

MUFFLY.—Mrs. Mary Muffy, wife of C. M. Muffy, passed away at her home at Howard, last Thursday, following an illness of some weeks.

She was a daughter of Balser and Anna Weber and was born at Howard seventy years ago. She was a lifelong member of the Methodist church, a faithful mother and homemaker, and leaves many friends who during her life profited by the influence of her kindly, christian character.

On June 26th, 1883, she married Mr. Muffy who survives with four children, Miss Anna J., at home; Walter W., of Wenatchee, Wash.; Mary Josephine, of New Paltz, N. Y., and Harry P., of Morgantown, Va. She also leaves one brother, William Weber, of Howard.

Funeral services were held at her late home, at 2:30 o'clock on Sunday afternoon, by Rev. J. F. Winkler, burial being made in the Schenck cemetery.

ZIMMERMAN.—Clara Zimmerman, of Mingoville, died at the Phillipsburg State hospital, on Sunday, as the result of general infirmities.

He was a son of Lewis and Catherine Zimmerman and was born in Walker township on February 20th, 1852, hence was 80 years, 1 month and 17 days old. For a number of years he was engaged in business in nearby towns but for twenty years had lived with his brother Shuman on the farm, near Mingoville. After the latter's death he lived with his brother William. He never married but is survived by two brothers and a sister, Lewis, of Lemont, Okla.; William, of Belleville, and Mrs. Horace Robison, of Milesburg.

Funeral services were held, on Tuesday afternoon, at the A. A. Pletcher home, at Howard, by Rev. David Neilson, burial being made in the Hubbersburg cemetery.

HOUSER.—Mrs. Lydia Rebecca Houser, widow of the late John Houser, died on Monday afternoon, at the home of her son, E. P. Houser, at Pine Hall, as the result of general infirmities.

She was a daughter of Frederick and Susan Decker and was born at Slab Cabin 80 years ago. She had been a member of the Methodist church, at Houserville, most of her life. Her husband died fifteen years ago but surviving her are three sons, E. P., Thomas and Jacob Houser, all of State College. She also leaves these sisters, Mrs. Sue Dugan and Mrs. Wesley Decker, of State College; Mrs. Reifsnnyder and Mrs. Musser, of Altoona.

Rev. Kitterer had charge of the funeral services, which were held at 10 o'clock yesterday morning, burial being made in the Houserville cemetery.

BOWERSOX.—Mrs. Perit Ann Bowersox, widow of the late Adam Bowersox, died on Wednesday afternoon, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. William Witmyer, of Belleville, as the result of a blood clot at her heart.

She was a daughter of William and Celinda Bower and was born at Aaronsburg 75 years ago. Her husband died four years ago but surviving her are two daughters, Mrs. Howard Stover and Mrs. Witmyer, both of Belleville; and one son, Harry Bowersox, living in New Jersey. She also leaves two brothers and a sister, Warren Bower and Mrs. Alice Stover, both of Aaronsburg, and Edward Bower, of Belleville.

The funeral will be held Saturday morning, burial to be made in the Union cemetery.

EMERICK.—George F. Emerick, a well known retired farmer, died at his home in Centre Hall, on Friday morning, as the result of general debility. He was 85 years old and was born in Potter township, though a good portion of his life was spent in Gregg township. He is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Martha Fetterolf, of Centre Hall; also one brother and a sister, Harvey Emerick, in Oregon, and Mrs. Mary Price, in South Dakota. Funeral services were held at his late home at two o'clock on Monday afternoon, by Rev. S. F. Greenhoe, burial being made in the Union cemetery, at Farmers Mills.

STEELE.—Newton Steele died at 7 o'clock, Wednesday morning, at the home of his niece, Mrs. Edward Downs, at Mill Hall, as the result of general infirmities. He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Steele, and was born at Axe Mann, Centre county, 81 years ago. He had made his home with his niece for twenty-four years. He never married but is survived by one brother, whose whereabouts are unknown, and several nieces and nephews. Arrangements for the funeral are not known at this writing.

CAMP.—Nine days after the death of her father, the late William R. Camp, Miss Lauretta M. Camp died at the family home in Tyrone, on Tuesday, following an illness of several months. Her only survivor is one brother, Harry L. Camp. Burial will be made in Tyrone this morning.

VIRGIN TIMBER

Of the more than 13,000,000 acres of woodland in Pennsylvania, slightly less than 20,000 acres remain in virgin forest according to the Department of Forests and Waters.

LIST OF JURORS FOR MAY TERM OF COURT.

Jury commissioners J. C. Condo and J. Cal. Gates, on Friday, drew the list of jurors for the May term of court. The grand jury will meet on May 9th and court will convene on the 6th. Following is the list:

LIST OF GRAND JURORS
Andrew C. Sheasley, laborer, Gregg Twp.
W. F. Fetterolf, laborer, Potter Twp.
G. S. Cori, farmer, Ferguson Twp.
Frank Campbell, laborer, Spring Twp.
Harry A. Hoy, laborer, State College.
Charles Houser, laborer, Bonner Twp.
Charles Bowes, laborer, Howard Boro.
B. M. Stover, carpenter, Spring Twp.
C. W. Heverly, clerk, State College.
W. D. Bair, clerk, Phillipsburg.
Luther Peters, farmer, Ferguson Twp.
Edgar Miller, clerk, Centre Hall.
Mrs. F. A. Buser, Hk., Spring Twp.
John Wagner, barber, Howard Boro.
Sarah Solt, Hk., Taylor Twp.
Mrs. George Smith, Hk., Boggs Twp.
Carl Gates, farmer, Ferguson Twp.
D. F. Houser, laborer, Belleville.
S. H. Bitner, laborer, Centre Hall.
George Berryhill, laborer, Liberty Twp.
Charles Gates, reporter, Belleville.
Virginia Bigelow, Hk., Rush Twp.
Rose Demt, Hk., Phillipsburg.

TRAVERSE JURORS, FIRST WEEK
Wallace F. Musser, laborer, Gregg Twp.
Thomas Cook, mail carrier, Liberty Twp.
L. C. Heineman, clerk, Belleville.
Albert Hazel, mechanic, Unionville.
Paul Reed, foreman, Snow Shoe.
M. N. Vonada, farmer, Walker Twp.
Paul B. Rishel, laborer, Phillipsburg.
Claude Gette, Sr., Act., Phillipsburg.
C. E. Spackman, farmer, Worth Twp.
Fannie Richards, Hk., Rush Twp.
William R. Neff, assessor, Potter Twp.
Chester Gearhart, carpenter, Rush Twp.
Clayton Shope, laborer, Belleville.
R. A. Baird, laborer, State College.
Catherine Phillips, Hk., Haines Twp.
W. T. Dillen, farmer, Huston Twp.
Harry Isler, farmer, Spring Twp.
Ella Bortoff, Hk., College Twp.
James Barrett, farmer, Boggs Twp.
Forest Willis, farmer, Worth Twp.
Herbert Stover, laborer, Miles Twp.
E. J. Anderson, Ex. Dept. State College.
Charles Lambert, laborer, Haines Twp.
S. O. Mallory, laborer, Miles Twp.
D. M. Wieland, Ins. Agt., State College.
J. H. Bailey, laborer, Ferguson Twp.
William Florey, carpenter, Spring Twp.
C. B. Struble, farmer, College Twp.
John E. Neese, laborer, Gregg Twp.
Harry Heverly, laborer, Liberty Twp.
John Files, clerk, Worth Twp.
Paul Sharp, clerk, College Twp.
Amanda Lose, Hk., Haines Twp.
Walter Dreihelb, farmer, Ferguson Twp.
Arabelle Wingard, Hk., Walker Twp.
Jennie S. Fisher, Hk., Unionville.
J. B. Miles, farmer, Huston Twp.
D. H. Bartley, laborer, Belleville.
J. W. Koyler, farmer, Ferguson Twp.
George Batright, laborer, Milesburg.
J. E. Taylor, farmer, Patton Twp.
C. L. Bungardner, mech. State College.
Wallace Kridler, laborer, Miles Twp.
Charles Sharpless, laborer, Rush Twp.
Mrs. B. E. Runkle Hk., Potter Twp.
Lloyd Stover, laborer, Spring Twp.
Jesse Huston, inspector, Rush Twp.
Alma Smith Hk., Rush Twp.
Lawrence Cingle, miner, Snow Shoe.
C. F. Rhoads, farmer, College Twp.
G. H. Clemson, salesman, State College.
Ida Hagenbach, Hk., Howard Boro.
Hazel P. McClellan, Hk., Potter Twp.
Blanche S. Ferguson, Hk., State College.
Benjamin Alkey, farmer, Boggs Twp.
P. A. Frost, Ins. Agt., State College.
C. B. Thomas, laborer, Taylor Twp.
Frederick Kennedy, clerk, State College.
Mrs. Miriam Osman, Hk., Port Matilda.
W. C. Shoemaker, farmer, Ferguson Twp.

TRAVERSE JURORS SECOND WEEK
Mrs. Myrtle Ash, Hk., State College.
William Sprinkle, carpenter, Spring Twp.
William Yates, mechanic, Belleville.
Robert Gehret, clerk, Belleville.
James A. Price, laborer, Port Matilda.
Homer Yearick, farmer, Marion Twp.
Malcolm Alkey, clerk, Spring Twp.
L. K. Metzger, merchant, State College.
Luella Cheesman, teacher, Belleville.
C. E. Osterhaut, farmer, Taylor Twp.
Fred Best, farmer, Miles Twp.
Pat Murphy, miner, Rush Twp.
Fred Moore, inspector, Phillipsburg.
Claude Hinds, gentleman, Haines Twp.
William Young, laborer, Spring Twp.
Lee Bolopue, farmer, Liberty Twp.
Morris Haley, laborer, Rush Twp.
Helen Benson, Hk., Rush Twp.
Cashmere Fike, laborer, College Twp.
Verna Rowe, Hk., Centre Hall.
Adam Dixon, laborer, Snow Shoe.
W. F. Ard, farmer, Haines Twp.
H. A. Kessinger, farmer, Haines Twp.
John Kane, clerk, Belleville.
Paul Houser, mechanic, College Twp.
Joseph S. Swabb, farmer, Gregg Twp.
James Bower, laborer, Belleville.
N. C. Neidigh, laborer, State College.
Elfrida Confer, clerk, Howard Boro.
Mrs. W. E. Crossley, Hk., Spring Twp.
C. E. Shope, laborer, Boggs Twp.
Roy Lomison, laborer, Curtin Twp.
Edward Hosterman, laborer, Gregg Twp.
Ellis H. Bieley, mechanic, State College.
Howard Blair, laborer, Snow Shoe Twp.
P. E. Mohrner, merchant, State College.
Frank Grove, farmer, Marion Twp.
Ernest Stover, gentleman, Haines Twp.
C. E. Ale, mechanic, Marion Twp.
I. M. Gilliland, clerk, Snow Shoe.
Elias C. Zerby, farmer, Penn Twp.
James Pinge, barber, Belleville.
P. D. Waddle, laborer, State College.
Fred Hoffer, clerk, Phillipsburg.
E. F. Dorman, mechanic, Walker Twp.
Earl Gentsel, farmer, Spring Twp.
E. B. Keen, farmer, Spring Twp.
Elwood Way, laborer, Unionville.
E. G. Myers, farmer, Patton Twp.
Edward Kelchline, agent, Belleville.
Annie Krape, Hk., Walker Twp.
M. H. Crawford, minister, Milesburg.
Mary D. Dengler, Hk., State College.
Forest Lucas, laborer, Unionville.
William Hoffman, Jr., farmer, Spring Clair Galbraith, laborer, Liberty Twp.
Leonard Wilson, laborer, Harris Twp.
William Breen, laborer, Millheim.
George Immel, farmer, Miles Twp.
R. F. Stine, proprietor, State College.

Just about the noon hour, last Saturday, John Rhine, of Centre Hall, an employee at the Whitrock quarries, was helping push a loaded car of stones away from the face of the quarry when a falling stone knocked him against the bumper of the car fracturing his leg below the knee. He was brought to the Centre County hospital where he is receiving treatment.

NEWS PURELY PERSONAL.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. West are entertaining Mrs. West's sister, Miss Lydia Jones, of Greensburg.

—Guests at the Walter Cohen home, during the week, have included Mr. and Mrs. Rosenblum, of Sunbury, and Alfred Cohen, of Baltimore.

—Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Stevens and their two children, Dorothy and Frank, drove to Harrisburg, Sunday, where they were guests for the day, of Mrs. Stevens' sister.

—Dr. Nannie M. Glenn returned to State College, last week, from West Palm Beach, Florida, where, according to a custom of many years, she had spent the winter months.

—Miss Janet Potter, a field worker at Polk, drove in from Venango county, late last week, to spend several days at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James H. Potter.

—Mrs. J. C. Butterworth has been here from Wilkesburg, during the past week, making one of her frequent visits with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John L. Kniesley, of south Thomas street.

—Sheldon Hoffman, brother of Dr. Richard Hoffman, has been here from Philadelphia, this week, a guest of Dr. Hoffman and his mother, at their apartment in the Irwin home, on North Allegheny street.

—Katharine Irwin, a student at Miss Illman's school, in Philadelphia, was up for the inter fraternity dance at State College, Friday night, visiting while here with her mother, Mrs. W. U. Irwin, on Allegheny street.

—Mrs. Elmer E. Sager, who was here from Philadelphia, last week, was up on one of her periodical business trips relative to the Thomas estate. Mrs. Sager arrived in Belleville, Monday, and went back to Philadelphia Saturday.

—Mrs. Charles R. Kurtz and her son, Frederick, drove to Lewisburg, Sunday, for a day's visit with Mrs. Kurtz's daughter, Lois, a student at Bucknell. The Kurtz family, while visiting together, were guests of Mrs. Fred Kurtz.

—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Shaugnessy's out-of-town guests, Sunday, were their two sons, Thomas, of Philadelphia, and John, of Lewistown, the latter having come to Belleville for a day with the family while Thomas Jr. was home on a visit.

—Miss Mary Haybold, of Pittsburgh, who had been a guest of her cousin, Mrs. F. E. Nagney, since Monday, went to State College yesterday to join a friend, with whom she will spend Sunday at Warriors Mark expecting to return home from there, on Monday.

—Mrs. George M. Glenn will arrive in Half Moon valley, this week, to open her home on the Gray farm for the summer. Mrs. Glenn will come up from Harrisburg, having stopped there for a visit with her son, George Jr., on her way home from Cambridge, Mass.

—Leo Sherry, manager of the composing rooms in one of the big printing houses of Pittsburgh, has been back home, during the week, visiting with his father and sister, George W. Sherry, of south Spring street, and Mrs. Harry L. Zimmerman, of Reynolds avenue.

—Guests whom Mrs. M. A. Dreihelb entertained at her home on College Ave., during the recent session of Huntingdon Presbytery at State College, included Cloyd B. Ewing, of Mount Union, and the Rev. Warner, of Oriskany. Mr. Ewing is a cousin of Mrs. Dreihelb.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. P. O'Bryan, who were among the State College visitors to Belleville last Saturday, were here principally for Mrs. O'Bryan to spend several hours in the shops of the town. Mr. O'Bryan utilized the time seeing some of his friends and looking after a little business.

—Among those from a distance who were here for the funeral of the late Robert Farrar, last week, were: Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin and their son and daughter, of Homestead, Pa.; Mrs. Rodney Bryen, of Pittsburgh; and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Henderson and daughter, of Jeanette, Pa.

—Mrs. J. Willard Barnhart's three day house party, last week, included all her children. Dr. and Mrs. Fred Seidel having arrived in Belleville from Hazleton, Thursday night, while Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Harper and their younger son drove over from Wyomissing and joined the party on Friday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Free Vogt and their three children, Joan, Mary Katherine and Fred, who left Belleville a month ago to make their home in Lock Haven, were back for a day's visit, Saturday, spending it here with some of their neighbors, on east Bishop street, and with friends in other sections of the town.

—Miss Helen Eberhart, of Washington, D. C., and her brother Doyle, of New York city, left Belleville, Wednesday, to return east, following a week's visit here with their father, Harry Eberhart, and Mrs. Eberhart, at their home, on east Curtin street. Miss Eberhart is an employee of the War Risk Department, at Washington, while Mr. Eberhart is a well known New York architect.

—Dr. H. L. Jacobs, pastor of the Belleville Methodist church, will leave for Atlantic City, on the 29th, to attend the quadrennial general conference of the church. This will be the ninth session he has attended. On the way to the Shore he will stop off at Hanover where he has been invited to be one of the guest preachers of the dedicatory week of the splendid new stone church edifice there.

—Mary Louise Walker, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Harrison Walker, who is now a student at Hood College, was home within the week, for a spring vacation visit, having with her as a guest her room-mate at Hood, Helen Meixel, of Montgomery. Miss Meixel's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Meixel, joined their daughter in Belleville, Sunday, and while here were guests at the Walker home, on Linn Street.

—Mr. and Mrs. M. I. Gardner stopped in Belleville, Monday, on their way home to Clearfield, from a visit with Mr. Gardner's son, Harold B. Gardner, in Washington. The object of the visit at this time, was partly for a political talk with some of Mr. Gardner's friends here and also to see Mrs. Gardner's sister-in-law, Mrs. Howard Gearhart, who had been very ill last week, at the Fox home on east Bishop street.

—Dr. and Mrs. Walter Ensfield, of Bedford, were over Sunday guests of Dr. and Mrs. H. L. Jacobs, at the manse on Howard street.

NEW CHURCH ORGANIZED IN UPPER HOLT'S HOLLOW

The people of Upper Holt's Hollow, Boggs township, met on Sunday afternoon, April 17th, in what was formerly the Advent church, at the edge of the cemetery, and organized a society or church, which will be known as the United Congregation of Upper Holt's Hollow.

C. C. Shuey has been serving these people for nearly eight years without any organization and could not ask any one to unite with their church because of that fact.

After devotions they organized with a charter membership of thirty eight persons. Mr. Shuey then retired and gave the people a chance to vote in his absence, which resulted in a unanimous call to serve them indefinitely. He had conducted a revival during the winter at which time thirty professed Christ, and two weeks ago in the Christian Endeavor meeting five more made a profession of christianity. All are doing very well, taking part in the services, Sunday school, midweek prayer meeting, the Christian Endeavor and the preaching service. Last Sunday evening they had forty-two persons at the Endeavor meeting. All are welcome to these services.

GOV. PINCHOT MAKING BIDS FOR FARMER VOTES

Governor Pinchot is a past-master at angling for votes. Two years ago he caught the farmers with promises as to what he would do for them, if elected. Now he is putting forth claims as to what he has done.

His latest claim reached our desk on Wednesday. In it he says that out of the almost \$21,000,000 spent by the Highway Department for rural road construction \$202,462.36 were spent in Centre county. He goes further and states that the total tax collected in all the townships in the county for use during 1931 was \$68,192.38, showing that the State spent on the rural roads \$134,269.98 more than was spent by the townships.

The State now has the upkeep of 280.27 miles of highway system in Centre county and 191.25 miles of rural road, or a total of 471.25 miles, while the total mileage still under control of township supervisors is 503.12. Additional funds available for expenditure by townships under the old award system amount to \$18,781.47, according to the Governor.

BELLEVILLE WOMAN AN HONORED GENEALOGIST

Mrs. N. B. Spangler, who has won local recognition for her work in genealogical and historical research, has been honored by being included in the list of the leading active genealogical researchers in the United States, in the handbook of American Genealogy, of Chicago.

Recognition in this field affords access to the extensive lineage files of the national clearing house for genealogical information, as well as professional contact with genealogists in 1,331 counties throughout the United States and in 16 foreign countries.

It will be of interest to the members and prospective members, and especially to the registrars of the Daughters of the American Revolution, Colonial Dames, and other hereditary-patriotic societies to learn that a local resident has formed these international contacts, because they will make possible the necessary genealogical research to qualify for membership without outside aid.

"CROWD ROARS" RACING CLASSIC AT CATHAUM

Built around the flashing racing cars of the Indianapolis Speedway auto classic, "The Crowd Roars" comes to the Cathaum theatre, State College, on Monday and Tuesday as the most thrilling screen spectacle of the season. Nothing has ever matched it for speed and daring, as steel-nerved drivers hurl their cars through space at a terrifying rate. Twelve world-famous racing drivers including Billy Arnold, Harry Hart and Lou Schneider, participated in the picture—and seven of them were injured in bringing new thrills to the screen.

James Cagney and Joan Blondel are starred in this drama that leaps from ecstasy to tragedy in a second. Youth incarnate crowding every minute with joy and excitement. Women helplessly enslaved by the thrill lust! A heart-pounding romance of the most dangerous sport in the world. "The Crowd Roars" will knock you right out of your chair.

4,020 FIRES

A total of 4,029 fires burned in the forests of Pennsylvania during 1931 according to completed preliminary figures lately compiled by George H. Wirt, Chief Forest Fire Warden of the Department of Forests and Waters.

Belleville Grain Markets.

Wheat	5
Corn	4
Oats	3
Rye	4
Barley	4
Buckwheat	3