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## SCHOOL BEGINS ON MONDAY

### Summer Vacation Is Over And Another School Year Is On

Prof. Work, who has been spending the summer on his farm at Oak Tree, has arrived home and announces the opening of the public schools of Indiana on Monday next. Prof. Work will meet with other members of the faculty this week.

Oh! Sad the news! Those joyous vacation days are over, and school begins Monday for the fall and winter terms. Johnnie, Joe and Tommy will again have to submit to the painful operation of having their ears dug out and their faces and necks washed by fond mothers, and they will have to waste at least five precious minutes, and Annie, Susie and Maggie will have their hair curled, a brand new ribbon and the new school dress will appear.

Where are the books? Oh, under the bureau or up in the attic somewhere. The darned old books.

Just at this time the youngsters all think that school is a useless institution, inaugurated purposely to keep them out of mischief the major part of the day, and they feel like giving it up and going fishing—and he sometimes does. In after years they look back over the old years and find the hared school days were, after all, the happiest in all their lives. Who would not welcome them back once more?

### Reunion of the Fifty-Fifth Regiment Penn. Volunteers

The Fifty-fifth Regiment Pennsylvania Volunteers, held their twenty-fourth annual reunion here Wednesday. Mrs. M. C. Watson and Mrs. S. J. Telford, daughters of the late commander, Col. "Dick" White, perfected the arrangements and had charge of their entertainment which was a success. After a sumptuous dinner at Mrs. Telford's home, a business meeting was held. In the evening the veterans enjoyed a campfire which was held in Municipal hall.

### Fire on Monday Night

Fire totally destroyed the barn of J. Hoover, on West School street, Monday night. Hay and farm implements were destroyed to the value of \$500 partially covered by insurance.

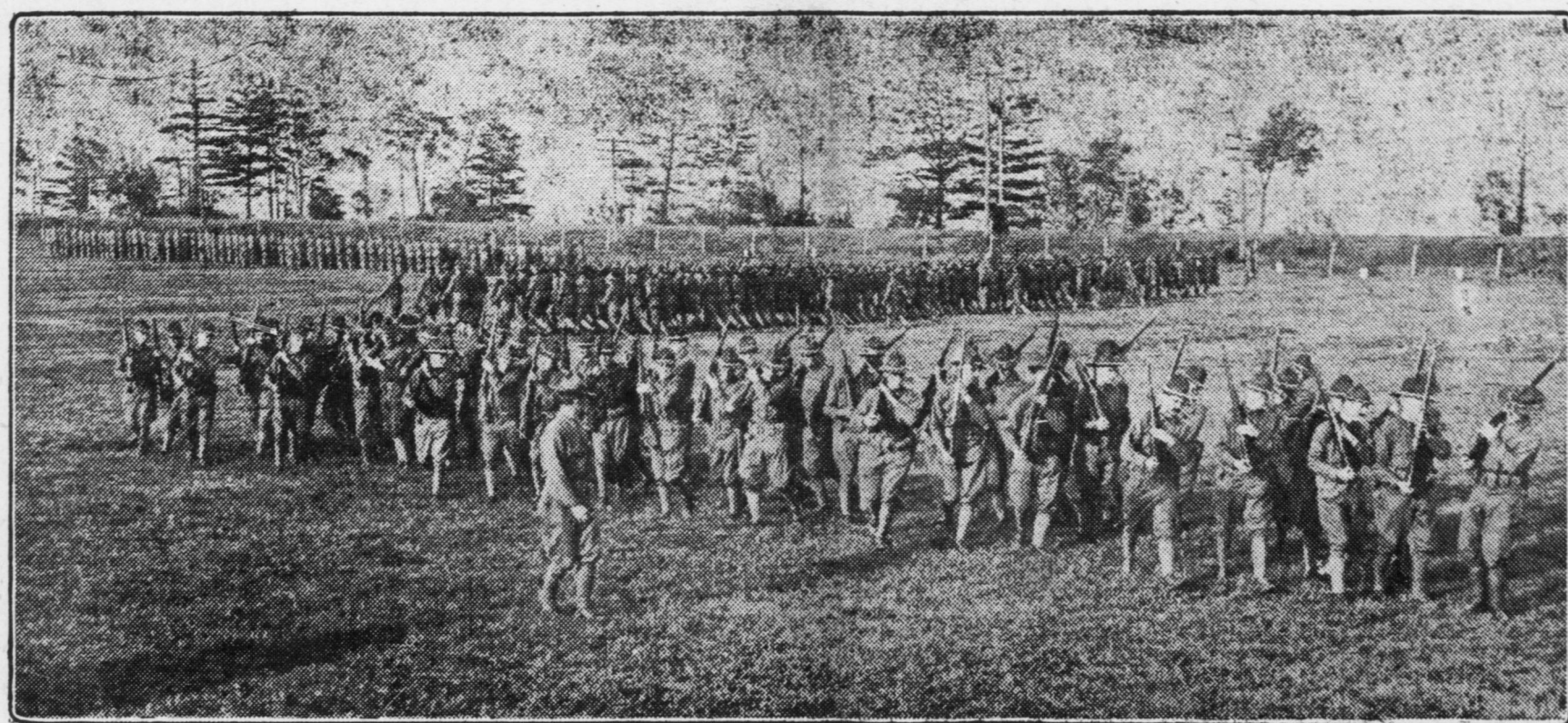
—The funeral of Rev. Lewis Hay, who died suddenly last Friday afternoon was held from the Lutheran church Sunday afternoon and was largely attended.

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## SCENE AT THE PLATTSBURG, N. Y. TRAINING CAMP



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PLATTSBURG, N. Y.—A scene at the drill grounds of the Business Men's Military Training Camp here, showing a number of companies out

for their first drill, fully equipped. The men in the immediate foreground who seem to be very awkward soldiers by the way they handle their

guns, have merely been given the order to change guns from right to left shoulder. In this picture there are some of the most prominent men

in the different walks of life in the United States.

These men are paying all their own expenses.

## SUFFRAGETTE DAY AT CHERRYTREE

### Parade and Speeches by the Seekers of the Ballot

Cherrytree, Aug. 27—Today is a big day here for the suffragettes. The Tri-county Suffrage rally is in full swing, and many are the women in attendance. The program is being carried out within sight of the old tree from which the town derives its name. A big parade will be held this afternoon and this will be followed by speeches.

Many from this place attended on a special car this noon, and others made the trip by automobile.

### Reunions

The Ferrier and Sheelsy reunion will be held in the James E. Ferrier grove in Montgomery township.

The annual reunion of the Mabon families was held at the home of Steele Mabon, near New Florence, yesterday.

The former students of D. C. Wolfe, veteran Cherryhill township schoolteacher, held a reunion at the Wolfe home, near Penn Run, Wednesday.

The 63rd wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wiggins, of Armstrong township, will be celebrated with a reunion of the connection at the Wiggins homestead to morrow.

Mt. Pleasant Grange, No. 1612, of Center township, held its annual picnic in the grove near the No. 10 schoolhouse, yesterday. James C. McSpaen, state grange president, addressed the meeting.

The Neals assembled at the John Neal farm near North Point for their annual reunion last Tuesday. The Citizens Band, of Punxsutawney, was on the job, and reports say it was one of the biggest and best reunions in the history of the Neal clan, over three hundred were in attendance and they all enjoyed themselves.

## People You Know

—Miss Joy Douglass is spending the week with friends in Pittsburg.

—C. C. Dinsmore, of North Seventh street, is on a business trip to New York City.

—Miss Margaret Lockard, of Church street, left Tuesday evening for Boise City, Idaho, to attend teachers' institute, and will then take up her duties as teacher in the Hailley, Blaine county, schools in that state.

### Shoe Store Changes Hands

Alexander McKinstry, one of Indiana's best known business men, on Wednesday disposed of his shoe business to W. A. Hartsock, of Renova, Pa., to take effect on September 1. During his stay in Indiana, "Mac" has made many friends who will regret to see him leave. He will spend some time in Seattle with his brother and may locate there.

### Elks' Outing Yesterday

About 127 local Elks and their friends gathered yesterday at Elk Lick and held their annual corn roast and big feed. The outing was a big success. Part of the Indiana Band attended in the evening and with a new member, John Barr, playing the cymbles, enlivened the evening.

### Postmaster Gets Medal

Postmaster Harry W. Fee, of this place, has received a handsome medal as a reward for his dexterity in qualifying for 20 continuous years on the rifle teams of the National guard. The medal is of sterling silver and shows on one side a design of a guardsman on the firing line, while on the other side is a bust relief of ex-Governor John K. Tener, under whose administration Mr. Fee completed his service as major of the Tenth Regiment. Mr. Fee has reason to feel proud of the trophy, he being the only guardsman in the county to attain this record.

## Weddings

WOODWARD-STONE

Clyde C. Woodward, of town, and Miss Nera Louise Stone, daughter of Mrs. Lester Stone, of Scranton, were married at the bride's home on Monday evening in the presence of a number of friends of the couple, by Rev. Dr. E. W. Johnson, of Waverly, N. Y. They will reside in this place after an extended wedding trip.

MALONEY-LANGHAM

Foy L. Maloney, of Beaver Falls, and Miss Louise Langham, of this place, were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents, Congressman and Mrs. J. N. Langham, of North Ninth street, yesterday morning at 10:00 o'clock. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Dr. Preston Barr, of Wilkinsonville, Mass., a cousin of the bride, in the presence of the immediate families of the couple. A wedding breakfast followed the ceremony and the couple left on the noon train for an eastern trip. They will reside at Beaver Falls after October 1.

### Injured in Auto Accident

Miss Della Rader, a prominent nurse of Kittanning is a patient in the Indiana hospital, as a result of serious injuries sustained on Saturday night at midnight, when the buggy in which she was riding collided with an automobile driven by James L. Culp, of town, on West Water street. Her right ear was almost torn off, her right shoulder blade broken, a bad scalp wound, a lacerated ankle and her body badly bruised. It was feared that the injuries would prove fatal, but her condition improved and she is recovering. Miss Rader accompanied by Roger A. Humbert was driving to Indiana, to visit her sister, Mrs. J. B. Fisher, of South Sixth street.

### Justice Elkin at Marchand

Hon. John P. Elkin, justice of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania, delivered an address at the home coming reunion in Marchand yesterday afternoon.

## IMPROVEMENTS AT STATE NORMAL

### New Addition to the West Wing Will Cost \$50,000

The ever-growing Indiana State Normal School is to undergo still further improvements on the main building, where \$50,000 will be expended on an addition to the west end of the north wing, which will furnish modern dormitory room for more than 60 girl students. This will also give the school more library space and additional student rooms with hot and cold running water. A square tower will add to the architectural beauty of the new addition, and will be built on the western end. When completed the present school library will be remodeled into dormitory rooms.

Ground has already been broken and the work will be completed as rapidly as possible.

The construction will be under the personal supervision of the principal, Dr. James E. Ament and a committee from the board of trustees.

### Blacklick Plant Resumes After Two-year Shutdown

The mines of the Graff Coal company at Blacklick, which have been closed down more than two years, are to be opened within the next few weeks.

A big force of workmen is making repairs at the plant. News of the opening of the mines is being welcomed as it means that several hundred men will be given employment. The company is said to have some substantial orders booked, and it is likely the plant will work full time from the start.

—At a meeting of the Central Pennsylvania Bankers Association held in Punxsutawney last Friday, it was decided to reduce the interest on time deposits from 4 to 3 per cent, the reduction to go in effect Jan. 1, 1916.

## RUSSIAN ARMY IS CUT IN TWO

### The Demands of Wilson Yielded By Kaiser

### GEN. WOOD TAKEN TO TASK

Press dispatches say the Austrian cavalry pushing eastward from Kovel has divided the Russian forces into two groups which are now unable to co-operate. Brest Litovsk, the main Russian fortress and concentration center for the Bug river line of defenses, was occupied by the Austro-German forces yesterday.

Russian reports say the ammunition crisis is over, the supply being more than doubled.

All danger of a break between this country and Germany seems to have passed. Germany is prepared to concede all demands of the United States for freedom of the seas.

Germany has informed this government that submarine commanders have been notified that for several months not to sink ships without warning, and will disavow the torpedoing of the Arabic and will make full reparation. The German government will give instructions to Ambassador Bernstorff to take up the matter personally with the state department.

Major Gen. Wood, in a telegram from Secretary Daniels, has been taken to task for allowing Roosevelt to address the troops at Plattsburg, and that no opportunity must be given there or any other similar camp for any such "unfortunate consequence."

### Farewell Banquet to Prof. Cogswell

Last Friday night the members and officers of the Indiana Military Band tendered a farewell banquet to Professor Hamlin E. Cogswell, the founder and director of the organization, at Winters Restaurant. The affair came as a complete surprise to the popular professor, and was a testimonial in recognition of the splendid results achieved by him in organizing and conducting the band. J. Blair Sutton was master of ceremonies and short talks were made by Squire James A. Crossman, J. M. Dixon, Postmaster Harry W. Fee. Attorney William Banks made the principal speech, and in glowing, well chosen words expressed the admiration and respect of the entire band for their director. At the close of his remarks Mr. Banks presented him with a beautiful Roman gold ring. A lion's head surmounts the ring and the eyes are set in rubies, and a beautiful diamond shines from its mouth. Prof. Cogswell responded with a few brief words of thanks, and ended by telling the boys to keep up the band, and showed his own indomitable force by saying, "Let no obstacle come in your way, for what forty men say to do, can be done." The gathering closed with the singing of Auld Lang Syne. Prof. and Mrs. Cogswell left Tuesday for Washington, D. C., where he will be supervisor of music in the public schools.