

Democratic Watchman

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THINGS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY

Only one more week and then the country store will be opened in the Petriken hall cafe.

A little son of John Wagner was taken to the hospital on Monday to be treated for a rupture.

If you want to be amused go and see the Wild & Rich company, at Garman's opera house every night next week.

Mrs. W. Harrison Walker received yesterday afternoon from three until six o'clock in honor of her guest, Miss Shugert.

Rev. John A. Wood, Jr., received ninety-two probationers into full membership in the Bellefonte M. E. church last Sunday.

Is it from physical impairment or to cheer that our friend Mr. William Burnside again needs the soothing presence of a nurse?

About two hundred bushels of peaches froze in the orchard of G. W. Kister, of Millheim, during the early frosts of a few days ago.

Mrs. Thomas Shoemaker will entertain a few friends, in honor of Miss Roder, at the Nittany Rod and Gun club, tomorrow evening.

Miss Snyder will have her millinery opening on Tuesday, October 18th. French models, tailored hats, and the renowned Phipps' and Atchison hats will be shown.

Mr. Joseph Lose and family, who since spring have been living with the Currys on Logan street, have moved to Altoona where Joe has a good position with the electric light company.

In the Methodist church on Sunday Rev. John A. Wood, Jr., will preach a sermon especially to the firemen of Bellefonte and both companies have been invited to attend the services in a body.

Mr. Warden Willard, who had been employed as a clerk in the Pennsylvania freight station here, has resigned his position and accepted the pastorate of the Fairview Methodist Episcopal church, at Altoona.

A few days ago Frank Wian had a narrow escape. While baling hay for Frank Lee near Nigh bank, he dropped into the baler, but made his escape just in the nick of time to prevent one of his legs being torn off.

B. H. Arney has purchased from his brother, Dr. George Arney, of Altoona his one-half interest in the old homestead near Centre Hall. The price paid was \$3,800. The Arney farm is one of the best in Pennsylvania.

The corner stone of the new United Evangelical church, in Marion township, will be laid Sunday afternoon. The dedicatory sermon will be preached by Rev. W. B. Cox, who will also assist the pastor, Rev. D. A. Artman, in the laying of the stone.

By tomorrow night the repairs at the Bellefonte furnace will be completed. It will take all of next week for the new lining of the stack to thoroughly dry, and it is expected to put the furnace in blast the beginning of week after next.

Tomorrow's foot-ball game at State College will be between State and the West Va. University eleven. It should be an easy game for State after the good work of a week ago when the State team held Yale down to the score of 24 to 0.

Next Tuesday is the day named for argument on the reasons for a new trial for Ira Green and William Dillen and, in accordance with the court's deliverance when a continuance was granted last week, the case will have to be argued then whether counsel are ready or not.

Saturday the hunting season for small game, except rabbits, will open and every man and boy who owns a gun or can borrow one will be out in the woods; and the hunting stories that will be told Saturday evening will be second only to the stories usually told the first day of the trout fishing season.

Mr. Ray, of the Brookerhoff house, on Tuesday, took a party of friends in his automobile for an evening at the House of Lords. Well might old Nittany, like Vesuvius, have rained fire and shaken with earthquakes to have her decades of isolation and calm disturbed by such Mephistophelian means of progression.

This has been a big week for the Bellefonte hotels, owing to the meeting here of the State board of agriculture. The Bush house had every room filled and cots in all available places while the Brookerhoff house had every room full with five cots in the parlor, four in the reading room one in the bath room and others wherever they could be placed.

Milton Johnson with a force of men are now at work putting down the flagstone pavement along Spring Creek on south Water street. The stone are some of the best that ever were brought to Bellefonte, being four inches thick and trimmed so that the pavement when laid will be six feet wide in the clear. When down it will be even a better walk than the patent pavement along north Water street. As fast as the stone are put down by Mr. Johnson and his crew an iron railing is put up by Supt. Samuel Rine and his men.

CLOSE OF THE BIG FAIR.—Centre county's big fair closed last Friday with a fine crowd in attendance. The day was a fine one and for once the managers of the fair had no cause to complain, either on account of the weather or the crowd. Every feature of the fair was, if anything, superior to what it was advertised to be, and the last day's races were the most exciting of the week. It was the expectation to be able to publish in the WATCHMAN this week a full list of all the exhibits with all the names of the premium winners, but the list is so long that the people who have the matter in charge have not yet completed it in full. Next week, however, the WATCHMAN will have the list and, if you had anything on exhibition, look it over carefully and see if you got a premium. If you did, and it has not yet been paid you, the fair managers request us to say that it will be paid promptly upon application. Friday's races were as follows:

2:27 TROT AND PACE.
In this race there were four starters but in the first heat Dr. Jones' Ben H. went off his feet and his driver could not recover him in time to get him inside the distance flag when the others passed under the wire. This left but three in the field and of these Dutch was an easy winner in straight heats, as follows:

Dutch, Davis Wise, Minersville.....1 1 1
Village Boy, W. V. Larimer, Bellefonte.....3 2 2
Majoretta, Irvin Gray, Stormstown.....2 3 3
Time, 2:27½, 2:28, 2:27½.

THE GREAT FREE FOR ALL.

But of all the races of the week it was the great free-for-all that proved the most exciting. Five horses started in this race with Sallie Derby the favorite, although the horsemen gave out that Will Leyburn would be an easy winner. In this, however, they were mistaken. Highwood Spider took the first heat and Sallie Derby was forced under the wire first in the second heat. The third was taken by Ada D. and the fourth by Woodshine. This gave four horses one heat each and before the field could get out for the fifth heat the sun went down and Starter Frank Smith declared the race ended in accordance with the new rules of the National Trotting association, which provide that on the last day of a meet no race shall be run after sundown and that if the race is not ended the purse shall be divided among the horses standing first, second, third and fourth when the race is declared closed. This decision of Starter Smith caused some dissatisfaction among the horsemen, who wanted to finish the race on Saturday, but Smith's decree was law. The starters in the race and the four money-winners in one, two, three order were as follows:

Highwood Spider, E. J. Middagh, Paterson.....1 2 2
Sallie Derby, Irvin Gray, Stormstown.....2 1 5
Ada D. C. P. McCurdy, Chatham.....3 1 4
Woodshine, J. M. Noddy, Hastings.....5 4 1
Will Leyburn, Jas. Mahaffey, Mahaffey 4 4 2 3
Time, 2:17½, 2:17½, 2:18, 2:19.

CONDUCTOR SNYDER ASSAULTED.

Conductor William Snyder, of the Tyrone division, was brutally assaulted Saturday evening, while making his south-bound run over the Tyrone and Clearfield railroad, by a gang of five men from the steel works at Hyde City, near Clearfield. The men, somewhat under the influence of liquor, boarded the train without tickets. When the conductor came along one of the men, John McClure, handed him a ten dollar bill. The conductor told them he did not have the change but would get it in a few minutes when McClure at once attacked the conductor. Snyder was getting the best of his man when the other men in the party joined in. Together they got conductor Snyder down in the aisle of the car and hammered him pretty badly. A message was sent to Philipsburg to have officers on hand when the train arrived but at Woodland one of the gang, William Mastestone, jumped from the train while McClure jumped off just as the train was pulling into Philipsburg and both made their escape. The other three, Thomas Powell, Raymond Miller and Pat McQueeney were arrested when the train reached Philipsburg. They were locked up until Monday morning when they were given a hearing before Justice M. S. Adams who held them in \$500 bail each for their appearance at court. Conductor Snyder, though very badly used up, is able to be around.

REUNION 22ND PA. VOL. CAV. POSTPONED.

The annual reunion of survivors of 22nd Pa. Vol. Cav. was to be held this year October 21st at Mapleton, Huntingdon county, Pa. M. L. Rex, of Co. I, being president for the year. Comrade Rex has had so much sickness in his family that he could not make such arrangements for entertaining the visitors as he desired, and because of this, and because of the epidemic of scarlet fever prevailing in Mapleton, it has been decided to have no reunion this year. A reunion will be arranged for next year, to be held probably at Mapleton, of which due notice will be given.

WE LOSE SOMETHING MORE.

The closing, even temporarily, of the Reeder home means the loss to us of perhaps the most delightful entertainments ever given in town and the removal from the social world of a host and hostess who knew how to be so charming and gracious that the pleasure of this alone is cause for selfish regret in its passing. The beautiful homes as well as the distinguished people have given us our prestige and just as the death of Col. Reeder was a great loss, so is the closing of his handsome home.

Mrs. Jackson and Mrs. Reeder went to the Brookerhoff house this week where they will spend the winter.

Mr. F. M. Pecht will move his family from Hecla to McVeytown, whither the McNitt brothers have moved one of their saw mills.

Theatre goers will have ample amusement next week, as the Wild & Rich company will open Monday night for a week's stand.

Mr. Bruner Williams and Miss Myrtle Yarnell, both of Salona, were quietly married Tuesday evening at the M. E. parsonage by the Rev. J. I. Dresser.

Harry Humphrey, Jr., of Philipsburg, and Miss Annie Knowles, of Point Lookout, were married Monday morning at the home of the bride's parents, Rev. F. J. Clerc performing the ceremony.

Have you got one of those advertising souvenirs now being distributed by Mr. Frederick K. Foster? It is a very neat finger nail file and cleaner in a case bearing Mr. Foster's card, and is a very convenient little pocket piece.

Trout blanks for application for trout for spring delivery are now ready at the State Fish Commissioner's office in Harrisburg. All applications must be in by January 1st, and endorsed by a Senator or Member of the House.

Mr. John Sloppy, of DuBois, and Miss Bessie Richards, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. I. Richards, of Philipsburg, were married in Clearfield last Thursday. Rev. Fierby, pastor of the Clearfield Lutheran church, performed the ceremony.

Ricker Brothers, dairymen, in the east end of Nittany Valley, brought from Buffalo a car load of thirty seven head of fine grade Aberdeen Angus cattle. Most of this lot are young heifers, the first of the breed that was ever brought to that valley. They are a nice bunch and will be sold to the farmers for stock cattle.

Invitations are out to the marriage of Jesse Starr, eldest son of Eugene Starr, of Barnesboro, formerly of Philipsburg, and Miss Juno Anna Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Davis, also of Barnesboro. The ceremony will take place in the Presbyterian church at Barnesboro, Wednesday, October 19th, at twelve o'clock.

About six months ago Miss Ida, daughter of Mrs. Susan Lehr, of Philipsburg, went to Trenton, Mo., to visit her aunt, Mrs. E. L. Warner. While there she met Mr. Charles Embry, an attachment sprang up between the two young people with the result that they were quietly married Wednesday of last week at the home of Mrs. Warner.

The Free Methodists will hold their first quarterly meeting for the conference year, in the Advent church on the Divide, beginning Friday eve. the 14th and closing on Sabbath evening. Preaching Friday evening, Saturday evening and Sabbath morning at 10:30; also Sabbath evening. Rev. Albert Bean, D. D., will be present. All are invited. I. K. Muma, pastor.

Two thousand rainbow trout and 1800 brook trout were placed in Penns creek, near Penns cave, and in Synagogue creek two miles above Synagogue church, where the creek emerges from the mountain. Five hundred bass were placed in Penns creek, below the Spring Mills dam, and 14 cans of tadpoles were distributed in Penns and Sinking creeks.

Friday of last week while Herbert Hosterman, a son of C. W. Hosterman, of Woodward, was handling a target rifle the gun was accidentally discharged, the ball penetrating the young man's right cheek. Dr. G. S. Frank, of Millheim, probed for the bullet but could not find it. The wound is a painful one but not necessarily dangerous.

James F. Stott, who has been one of the liveliest coal operators the Philipsburg region has known in recent years, last Friday disposed of his double house on Laurel and Fourth streets, Philipsburg, and left with his family Wednesday of this week for San Francisco, where he intends to make his future home and have a try at the black diamond business out there.

What promises to be a very interesting and close football contest is a game between the Altoona High school team and the Bellefonte Academy, on the fair ground field, tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. This is the first time in three years these two teams will have come together and an exciting game is anticipated. An admission of only 250ts will be charged and a good crowd should be present.

Mrs. E. K. Noll, of Clearfield, on Monday went to Madisonburg with the corpse of her 5 months old infant son, whose body was interred in the Madisonburg cemetery. Mrs. Noll, although quite a young woman, has had a large share of trouble. Just about one year ago her husband was killed on a saw mill by being struck in the stomach with a flying board while at his work, and now comes this second bereavement.

Mr. J. H. Eskridge, of Philipsburg, the bustling agent of the Equitable life insurance company, of New York, is proud once again. We say "once again" because it is of such frequent occurrence that Mr. Eskridge has reason to feel proud over his prize trophies he receives from his company as testimonials to his worth as an agent. This time it is a brace of handsome silver cups, given for the largest number of lives insured and the largest amount of insurance written during the month of July. The cups are beauties and are now displayed in the show window of Crissman & Brown.

SHE SHOT TO HIT.—Constable Henry Montgomery, of this place, had a narrow escape on Wednesday morning and as it is he is now nursing a couple of sore fingers, the result of a revolver shot fired by a woman. For some years past the Bellefonte Central railroad company has had the water right on the old Fabian Matz farm in Buffalo Run valley. Sometime ago the farm was purchased by Mrs. Mary Reed, widow of the late William Reed. Ever since she has been in possession of the place Mrs. Reed has disputed the railroad company's right to the water. Of late, however, she became decidedly aggressive in her endeavor to oust the company from its rights and last Saturday she went so far as to hire one of the company's employes with a stick. Tuesday when the men were taking water as usual Mrs. Reed came out and, pointing a revolver at them, threatened to shoot if they did not at once leave. This was carrying matters a little too far and Tuesday afternoon superintendent F. H. Thomas swore out a warrant for the woman's arrest on the criminal charge of pointing a revolver and threats. Wednesday morning constable Montgomery went up on the train to serve the warrant. He found the woman outside and read the warrant to her and she made no demonstration of any kind but asked him to come into the house so that she could sign a bail bond. On arriving at the house the front door was found locked and Mrs. Reed requested Mr. Montgomery to wait there until she went around and in the rear way to unlock the door. The constable waited, and would likely be there yet if he had waited for Mrs. Reed to open the door as she not only did not unlock the front door but locked the rear door leaving Constable Montgomery out in the cold. To be thus hoodwinked aroused the ire of the constable and he forced an entrance by pushing the front door open. When he entered the house Mrs. Reed was just coming down the stairs with a revolver in her hand and she at once began to shoot, firing four shots, three of which went wide of the mark and the fourth passing between the first and second finger of Mr. Montgomery's left hand, cutting the flesh on one finger but fortunately, not breaking any bones. Mr. Montgomery did not retreat, but sprang for the woman and took the revolver from her, after which he finished the official business at that time. Mrs. Reed is under \$300 bail for her appearance at a hearing before Squire Keichline tomorrow, at which time she will likely be again put under arrest on a warrant sworn out by Mr. Montgomery.

STATE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE IN SESSION.—The State board of agriculture, in its regular fall meeting and normal farmers' institute, convened in the court house, Bellefonte, at 10:30 o'clock Tuesday morning. The opening session was presided over by vice president of the board, Jason Sexton, of North Wales. The roll call and minutes of the previous meeting were read by secretary N. B. Critchfield, of Harrisburg. At Tuesday afternoon's session the address of welcome was delivered by Col. James P. Coburn, in place of Gen. Beaver who was unable to be present. Deputy secretary A. L. Martin made the response. At Tuesday evening's session Hon. John Hamilton made an address on "Normal schools of agriculture for insitute workers" which was characterized as one of the best deliverances of the week. Wednesday's and yesterday's sessions were held at State College, the delegates going up each morning at 8:15 o'clock on a special train over the Bellefonte Central railroad, returning in time for supper and the evening sessions in the court house here. About one hundred and twenty-five delegates are present and the exercises of the past three days have been almost identical with the program published in the WATCHMAN last week.

LET US BE GENEROUS FOR OUR OWN IMPROVEMENT.—Phoenix-like there is rising from the ashes, a beautiful new-old Academy building that pleases architecturally and intellectually and is a fitting crown for the most conspicuous spot in town. Since Mr. Hughes and the trustees have given to the town a structure that is such an improvement what more fitting than that the town should contribute suitable surroundings. There are hundreds of men and women proud to claim the old academy as their alma mater and if each were to contribute even a small sum improvements, as great in the grounds as in the building, would be possible. If a movement toward this end were started and the alumni and every citizen in town became interested and contributed his or her mite, we would see the grounds terraced and covered with grass and beautiful flowers and what would be more of an improvement to the town than to have the hill facing the Big Spring brought under the skill of a landscape gardener. Let us start a public subscription, print the names of contributors from twenty-five cents up and see the fund grow to a thousand dollars.

MINERS ON A STRIKE.—All the miners of the Lehigh Valley Coal company in their operations in the Snow Shoe region went out on a strike on Wednesday. For some time past there has been trouble brewing because the superintendent insisted on having the high coal mined by the car instead of by the pound, and this trouble was precipitated into a general strike on Wednesday because of the discharge of one man. At this writing no indication of a settlement of the question and a return to work of the miners is in sight.

Clarence Smith, son of Jacob Smith, has gone to Altoona where he has accepted a position in the Kline brothers large department store.

News Purely Personal.

F. W. Crier transacted business in Lock Haven on Tuesday.

Judge John G. Love was a business visitor in Altoona on Tuesday.

Mrs. John M. Shugert went to Williamsport Tuesday for a short stay.

Mrs. Joseph Strouse, of Pine Hall, was in town doing some shopping on Monday.

Miss Thelma Potter left yesterday for a visit in Baltimore and Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Mary Hunter Linn has been visiting with friends at Allegheny Furnace since last Saturday.

Miss Marie Roder, of Baltimore, is in town for a visit of several weeks with Mrs. Thomas A. Shoemaker.

Miss Caroline Orris left, on Wednesday, for Philadelphia and Wynette where she will make one of her long visits.

Mrs. Barbara Rankin and Mrs. Kinslow went to Oak Hall to spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Frank McFarlane.

Mr. T. B. Buddinger, Snow Shoe's hustling merchant and coal operator, was a business visitor in Bellefonte last Saturday.

Mrs. C. F. York, of Warriorsmark, is a guest at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Noll, on north Allegheny street.

Mrs. Harry Cooper and Emmeline went to Johnstown on Wednesday to spend a few days with Mrs. Cooper's father, Mr. Morris.

Mrs. Coolidge, of Scranton, who had been visiting her sisters, Mrs. L. A. Schaeffer and Mrs. S. D. Ray, departed on Monday afternoon.

Miss Olive B. Mitchell, the efficient stenographer for Gen. Beaver, departed Tuesday morning to spend a well-earned vacation in Philadelphia and Atlantic City.

Mrs. Louisa Bush and Mrs. Calloway expected to leave, Tuesday morning, for the St. Louis fair, but unfortunately have to delay their trip, owing to the illness of Mrs. Calloway.

Miss S. C. Iglehart, of New York, is a guest at the Bush house. She is here for a few weeks as designer for Miss M. Snyder during her preparation for the fall and winter millinery trade.

Miss Jennie Harris started, Thursday, for an extended visit with a school friend, in Emporia, Kansas. On her way there she will stop in Pittsburg and spend some time at the St. Louis fair.

Mrs. Isaac Smith and her daughter, Miss Grace Smith, returned Monday to their Centre Hill home after a pleasant visit at the home of Mrs. Smith's son, Mr. Witmer Smith, on east High street.

Mr. Wilbur F. Harris, of Mechanicsburg, and who is associated with the firm of Hench & Co., wholesale novelty dealers of Harrisburg, came up on Monday to visit his parents and also to take a look after the firm's trade in this county.

Mr. and Mrs. Chaney F. Hicklin and daughter departed on Monday for a sight of the big fair at St. Louis. They expect to be absent three weeks and before returning home will visit Mr. Hicklin's brother at Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas R. Hayes, who are now at the Chalfont, Atlantic City, will leave there on the 17th inst. for Santa Barbara, California, and be joined in Tyrone by their two maids who will accompany them west, where they will all spend the winter.

H. C. Rice, of Philipsburg, an old friend whom we don't see as frequently as we did in the days when he was actively interested in Rush township school affairs, was in town on Friday taking in the fair and shaking hands with his acquaintances.

Miss Mary Nolan is spending a few days with friends in Snow Shoe and Pine Glen. There perhaps more than here will see noted changes since the time when the Mountain house and, in fact, the whole country side was a resort favored by visitors from everywhere.

Messrs. Thomas A. Shoemaker, John M. Shugert, Joseph L. Montgomery, Harry Curtin, Hard P. Harris and George R. Meek went to Bloomsburg on Tuesday to spend a day at the Columbia county fair, just to see how it compared with Centre county's big fair of last week.

Misses Anna and Kathryn Pearl departed Tuesday morning on quite a little trip. They will first go to Media to visit their sister Ella, who is a Sister in the convent there, from which place they will go to Philadelphia, then to New York to see the latest in styles and fashions of dresses.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Pell, formerly of Bellefonte, but for the past three years residents of Wilkensburg, with a party of friends will spend the month of November in and along the Nittany mountains where Mr. Bell takes his "annual outing" in the way of hunting for wild turkeys, and other small game. They will find a warm welcome awaiting them from their hosts of friends hereabouts.

Business required the presence of Harry Keller in Harrisburg Wednesday and Thursday. Had the business not been so urgent he would have been one of the party of "distinguished visitors" to the Bloomsburg fair, for we do not always appreciate how great we are until exploited in the newspapers. Anyone to read the Bloomsburg Sentinel of Wednesday will realize there are yet notes in Bellefonte appreciated abroad, if not at home.

Mrs. Walter B. McCaskey, nee Edna McClelland, who has a number of friends in Bellefonte and State College, expects to sail for the Philippines again in February. Her husband, who is a lieutenant in the regular army, has been at Ft. Leavenworth, Kansas, for a few months, taking a course of special study. In their party sailing will also be Lieut. and Mrs. V. P. Kitts, 21st U. S. Inf., of Ft. Snelling, Minn. Kitts will be remembered as Miss Annie Dunkle, of Beech Creek and Jersey Shore.

Mr. M. L. Gardner spent several days in Philadelphia this week transacting business in relation to the Nittany valley railroad. Those who see Mr. Gardner at his desk in the prothonotary's office would not suspect that he was the general superintendent and manager of an entire railroad system, but such is the case and it was for the purpose of making a general report on the condition of the road he superintends, as well as to draw his salary we presume, that took Mr. Gardner to the Quaker City.

Mr. George G. Hutchison, of Warriorsmark, is one of the delegates to the State board of agriculture meeting in session here and at State College this week, and the very first morning of his arrival he favored this office with a call—just for a remembrance chat. By the way, it may not be generally known, but Mr. Hutchison was the first delegate elected in the State to the Republican convention which nominated Gen. Beaver for Governor in 1882. And whether it is because of that or for some other reason Mr. Hutchison has ever since managed to stand in with the political powers that be.

Mrs. George Beizer and her son, Herbert, with Miss Love, went Tuesday evening to Philadelphia and Atlantic City for a ten day's stay. While in Atlantic City they will be guests at Hall's cottage, which is rapidly coming to be one of the most popular in that place and attractive, for nothing is lacking to make it most desirable and comfortable. No foreign chef could vie with Mrs. Hall in serving toothsome viands and after all that is what makes the reputation of a place, especially at the shore where the appetite is so keen. Evidence of Mrs. Hall's success is the fact that she has had to lease a much larger cottage in order to accommodate the guests for the coming season.

—Sinus W. Stamm, of Parvin, was in town yesterday attending to a little business, part of which was to make arrangements for his sale on Nov. 9th.

—Miss Elizabeth Blanchard went to Philadelphia this week to resume her work there, an earlier return being delayed on account of her health.

—Capt. C. T. Fryberger and son, Mr. John Fryberger, of Philipsburg, were in Bellefonte yesterday attending the funeral of the late Geo. Campbell. They returned home on the 4:44 train.

—John Speary, who is farming the No. 1 Reynolds farm, was in town yesterday, suffering with a bad cold. John isn't as frequent a visitor as he was when employed at Wagner's mill, but he is one of the kind of fellows who is always very welcome.

—The Misses Anne and Christina Blanchard, of Chicago, arrived Monday to spend several weeks with friends at their old home here. Tomorrow their brother Frederick will be here to join a hunting party that expects to spend a week at the "House of Lords" gunning for pheasants and divers other birds that may be sailing round up there on Nittany. In the party will be Edmund Blanchard, H. C. Quigley, Edgar Burnside, Edward L. Hoy, H. S. Ray, Tom Beaver and a few other old cronies who have annually contributed to the success of this outing.

—Jesse Briggs Churchill and Harry P. Wood, instructors from State, were wandering about the streets of Bellefonte yesterday, with avidity nothing to do, but no doubt, down to see the latest displays in the haberdashery for what men from the chemistry or electrical engineering departments would acknowledge to "nothing to do" unless to divert suspicion. It surely was not to get political tips as they would not even look at the Parker picture in the WATCHMAN window for fear their strenuous Republicanism might be dissipated by a safe and sane Democratic conversion.

HERE FOR A WEEK.—Wild & Rich's players will open a week's engagement at Garman's opera house, Monday, Oct. 17th, in "The Sins of the Fathers," a powerful melodrama. Five feature specialties are presented between the acts. Some of the plays presented are "The Sins of the Fathers," "The Bosom Friend of Bowser," "A Royal Tramp," "A Man of the People," "A Tragedy of the Mines," etc. Plays and specialties changed nightly.

Popular prices—10, 20 and 30cts. Tickets on sale at Parrish's.

ELOCUTIONARY AT BOALSBERG.—An elocutionary entertainment will be given in Boal hall, Boalsburg, on Friday evening, October 21st, beginning at 7:30 o'clock, by Mr. Stover, late a student under that master of elocution, Byron King, of Pittsburg. The admission will be but 10, 20 and 25 cents, and as the proceeds are for a most worthy cause, the benefit of the George Jack Boal reading room, there should be a large crowd present.

The firm of P. B. Crier & Son recently received a very nice order from the Marlin Fire Arms company, of New Haven, Conn., for two car loads of walnut gun stocks. This will be the first order of the kind ever gotten out by Messrs. Crier & Son and if it proves satisfactory, and there is no doubt but it will, the Crier planing mill company will make the manufacture of gun stocks one of their specialties, and this will give a better home market for the walnut timber in this county.

EIGHTY COLTS AT PUBLIC SALE.—Eighty colts, consisting of thirty yearlings and fifty weanlings, comprising mostly draft animals, with some good drivers, bred from choice Illinois stock, will be offered at public sale, at Hotel Haag, Bellefonte, on Tuesday, October 18th, at 1 o'clock p. m. J. B. GENTZLE & BREZER.

Public Sale.

Nov. 9th.—Three miles north of Clintondale, on Furst brothers farm, S. W. Stamm will sell 6 horses, 18 cows, 7 young calves, 31 head of hogs and a full line of farm implements, all good as new.

Philadelphia Markets.

The following are the closing prices of the Philadelphia markets on Wednesday evening.

Wheat—Red.....	1.12½@1.13
"No. 2.....	1.08½@1.09
Corn—Yellow.....	60@62½
"Mixed new.....	58@59½
Oats.....	35½@36
Flour—Winter, Per Br'l.....	3.65@3.90
"Penna. Roller.....	4.00@5.10
"Favorite Brand.....	4.00@5.50
Rye Flour Per Br'l.....	4.30@4.35
Baled hay—Choice Timothy No. 1.....	11.00@15.00
"Mixed.....	11.00@13.00
Straw.....	8.50@13.50

Bellefonte Grain Market.

Corrected weekly by C. Y. Waxman.
The following are the quotations up to six o'clock, Thursday evening, when our paper goes press:
Red wheat..... 1.05
New wheat..... 1.05
Rye, per bushel..... 60
Corn, shelled, per bushel..... 50
Corn, ears, per bushel..... 50
Oats old and new, per bushel..... 30
Barley, per bushel..... 30 to 30
Ground plaster, per ton..... \$ 10 to 9
Buckwheat, per bushel..... 40
Cloverseed, per bushel..... \$ 7 00 to 8 00
Timothy seed, per bushel..... \$ 20 00 to 22 25

Bellefonte Produce Markets.

Corrected weekly by Sechler & Co.
Potatoes per bushel..... 40
Onions..... 35
Eggs, per dozen..... 20
Lard, per pound..... 8
Country Shoulders..... 10
Sides..... 10
Hams..... 12
Tallow, per pound..... 4
Butter, per pound..... 20

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Papers will not be sent out of Centre county unless paid for in advance.
A liberal discount is made to persons advertising by the quarter, half year, or year, as follows:

SPACE OCCUPIED	3m	6m	1y
One inch (18 lines this type).....	\$ 5	\$ 8	\$ 15
Two inches.....	7	10	18
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