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THINGS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY

The Fourth of July is next. St. John's parochial schools closed yesterday.

A new flagstone pavement was put down around the Lutheran church this week.

Henry Lowery has the contract for remodeling George Kachick's hotel at Clarence.

The Yeager Swing company is installing a new and larger boiler at their factory.

Landlord H. S. Ray and M. A. Lundy took an automobile run to Altoona, on Tuesday.

Dr. Thomas R. Hayes is having a stone driveway put down from the street back to his stable.

Now that everything else is over you can begin making preparations for the big Undine picnic at Hecla park on July 4th.

John Martin, a plumber in the employ of Charles Sobad, was overcome by the heat, on Tuesday, but has recovered at this writing.

Proprietor John Noll has had his steam laundry delivery wagon repainted and it now looks as epic and span as the clothes he turns out.

Many Centre county comrades attended the reunion of the Clearfield County Veterans' association, at Houtzdale, last Thursday.

Judge John A. Lindsey, a former Phillipsburger but late of Trinidad, Cal., fell from a high cliff, on Sunday, June 11th, and was instantly killed.

William S. Faust Esq., of Philadelphia, has notified the trustees and faculty of the Bellefonte Academy that he will give ten dollars in gold for a yearly oratorical contest.

On Tuesday William Garman and John Bair went down to William Zimmerman's, near Zion, for cherries and, though they quit picking at noontime they brought home a bushel each.

While Bellefonters will all take in the Undine picnic on the Fourth everybody out around Snow Shoe will go to the big undine picnic at the opening of the new driving park out there.

Children's day services will be held in the Methodist church, Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. A special program has been arranged for the evening and the public are cordially invited to attend.

If the Y. M. C. A. does not have the money to complete that big gymnasium the members might exercise their muscles cleaning up around the place. It would improve the appearance mightily.

John Porter Lyon has had erected a new incline runway from Water street into the rear part of the Bush Arcade, as a more convenient means of driving his automobiles in and out of his ware room.

Among the seventy-nine graduates of the Lock Haven Normal who received diplomas on Wednesday were Misses Miriam Dreese, of Lemont; Helen Linn, of Snow Shoe; Alice Long and Mr. Arthur Long of Howard.

At a meeting of delegates to arrange for the places for holding the farmer's institutes during the coming year the following places were selected: Phillipsburg, two days; Pleasant Gap, one day; Rebersburg, two days. The time for holding these institutes will be fixed later.

Nothing of importance was done at the meeting of the Merchants' association, Monday evening, owing to the fact that the committee appointed to draft the by-laws was not ready to report. The next meeting will be held just as soon as the committee have their reports in shape.

At last the iron superstructure of the race bridge is here and a force of men are now at work getting same ready to put in place; a fact for which we all are thankful as the unsightly appearance of High street the past month, so near the Pennsylvania railroad station, was not of a nature to give strangers the best of impressions as to the town's progressiveness.

Our best wishes and hope of long life to Mrs. Hattie T. Stover, of Millheim, who has had the WATCHMAN ever since she was a child. Since the death of her husband, the late J. W. Stover, one of Millheim's most prosperous merchants, she has been busy closing up his affairs, but not too busy to assure us of her appreciation of our efforts to publish a good paper.

Cap't. Seebler, of the Salvation Army, with her two little girls have left Bellefonte for good. The captain was stationed here a little over a year and in that time conducted 469 meetings, with a total attendance of 14,520; spent 1,165 hours in visiting 1,560 homes, in most of which religious services were held. She also claims seventy-eight conversions as the reward for her labors.

The Street committee has had a force of men at work this week making much needed improvements on High street from the Diamond west. The old gutters are being dug out and in their place will be laid broad flat stone slanting to the curb. The middle of the street is being filled up and will be covered with finely crushed stone, so that when completed this thoroughfare should be in a good condition.

FISH AND FISH COMMISSIONERS.—In connection with the meeting of the State Fisheries Association here this week the semi-annual meeting of the State Board of Fisheries Commission was held on Tuesday. The board is composed of W. E. Meehan, fish commissioner; Henry C. Cox, of Wellsboro; John Hamberger, of Erie; Charles L. Miller, of Altoona; Andrew R. Whitaker, of Phoenixville; and Barton D. Evans, of Harrisburg, clerk.

In his report to the board Commissioner Meehan stated that the total output from the five hatcheries for the six months ending June 1st was 145,157,918 fry. This breaks all records made by any State excepting on one occasion when the year's output was 164,000,000. But that year was an exceptionally favorable one on the lakes and the output included 102,000,000 lake fry. The first six months of this year's output will be increased by about 5,000,000 hatched out after June 1st. Of the above output about eighteen millions were purely interior water game fish, such as pickerel, brook and lake trout. Following is the kind and number of fry sent out: Blue pike, 9,450,000; pickerel, 8,950,000; white fish, 34,489,000; lake herring, 22,840,000; Susquehanna salmon, 57,300,000; brook trout, 7,800,000; lake trout, 1,000,000; shad, 3,326,900; other fish, 2,018. In addition to the above one million trout fry have been hatched out since June 1st and many hundred thousand lake bass, yellow perch, frogs, sunfish, gold fish and outfish. The output from the different hatcheries was as follows: Erie, 124,079,000; Wayne, 10,450,000; Corry, 5,000,000; Torredale 3,326,900; Bellefonte, 2,300,000.

For the first time in the history of fish culture pickerel were successfully cultivated at the Wayne hatchery and the problem of frog culture successfully solved for the first time at Corry. The culture of yellow perch last year was the first practical cultivation of this fish in the United States. During the past six months Pennsylvania's output of trout fry was greater than that of the United States hatcheries and, excluding New York state, the output of fish exceeded that of any three States in the Union, and will exceed New York's output of last year by about ten millions.

Commissioner Meehan reported that by autumn of this year the Bellefonte hatchery would be completed as a trout station. Thirty ponds will be built and fifty nursery troughs, making a total of about sixty ponds and one hundred and twenty nursery troughs. A large number of trees will be planted this fall and it is hoped to lay out the upper grounds with walks and drives. It is expected that black bass work will be begun at the Bellefonte hatchery next spring.

Commissioner Meehan further stated that during the year 202 arrests were made and fines to the amount of over \$3,000 were collected. There were 185 convictions and seventeen were discharged by justices of the peace or county courts. Seven of the number convicted refused to pay their fine and went to jail. Seven cases of those discharged were appealed to the Superior courts, in two of which decisions were given in favor of the department, one of them being for using fish baskets and the other fishing on Sunday.

In view of the magnificent records made by the superintendents of the hatcheries under the direction of the Commissioner, the board adopted a resolution directing the commissioner to express its appreciation of the splendid and intelligent services rendered by superintendents William Buller, of the Corry hatchery; A. G. Buller, of Erie; Nathan R. Buller, of Wayne; Howard M. Buller, Bellefonte, and of the faithful work of the assistant in charge at Torredale, J. F. Brower, formerly steward of the Nittany Country club house.

The board approved the site for one of the three hatcheries provided for by the last Legislature recently selected by Commissioner Meehan, in Montgomery county as the request of the State Fisheries society. He has also viewed a suitable site in Bedford county but the place has not been definitely selected. Next week he will go to the western part of the State to view sites at Conneaut Lake, Crawford county, and Sharon, Mercer county; and also to look up two sites for an auxiliary hatchery in Erie county.

THE STATE FISHERIES ASSOCIATION. The association met at the Bush house Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock. At 11 o'clock they were driven in carriages to the fish hatchery where a luncheon was served. The afternoon was devoted to the reading and discussion of various papers pertaining to fish and fish culture. At 5 o'clock the visitors went to the Nittany Country club where they were entertained at dinner by the citizens of Bellefonte. Yesterday was devoted to visiting Pean Cave and other places of interest and today the members will try their luck as anglers on some of the Centre county streams.

A fuller report of the meeting of the Association will be published next week.

THE UNDINE PICNIC.—Less than two weeks intervene until the Fourth of July and the big Undine picnic. This yearly gathering of the Undines has become so well established as an event of more than the ordinary that it is looked forward to by hundreds as the one picnic in the year for them. And this year the Undines are making arrangements to have as big if not a bigger time than ever before. There will be amusements galore, chief among which will be the second ball game between the Logans and Undines. There will be racing, trap shooting and all the little side amusements. There will be lots of band music during the day and dance music at night. You don't need an invitation to go—this picnic will be held for you as well as others, so just go.

Howard, Look Haven, Renovo, and Avis are considering the organization of a four team base-ball league. What is wrong with Bellefonte joining in?

William B. Cupps, of Apollo, Pa., and Miss Verna P. Kluga, of Salina, were married at the Reformed parsonage, on Tuesday, by Rev. Ambrose M. Schmidt.

Fewer Gallons; Wears Longer.

Mr. James Summers, who has had a very extensive experience as a cook, has hit upon a novel idea that may turn out to be a decided convenience to people in this community, especially during the summer. He proposes to furnish luncheon for picnic parties and is prepared to furnish hard and soft shelled crabs, deviled crabs, cold ham, saratoga chips and other edibles upon short notice for any size picnic, evening party or luncheon. All you need do is call him at No. 9 St. Paul street, place the order and the luncheon will be delivered on time and in the most palatable condition.

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THE LOGAN PICNIC.—As usual the Logans came in for a wet day, yesterday for their picnic, and consequently the attendance was not as large as it otherwise would have been. Those who braved the elements and did attend managed to have a pleasant time, despite the rain. The parade of both companies, Wednesday evening, was one of the finest ever seen in Bellefonte. It was the first occasion that the Undines had to show off their new uniforms, and they looked splendid.

THE CUPP FAMILY.—Eight members of the well known Cupp family, of Halfmoon township, held a reunion in Tyrone, on Tuesday. There were present Henry, William, Samuel and Perry, of Halfmoon township; David, of Dry Hollow; Frank, of Port Matilda; John and Joseph, of Tyrone, and Mrs. Susan Meyers, of Thomastown. There was only one absentee, Mrs. Polly Tate, of Franklinville. Of the family Henry, the eldest, is 84 years and the youngest is but half that age.

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While fishing for trout with Capt. Quigley's party on Saturday Billy Bridgens, of Engleville, was bitten on the finger by a large rattlesnake. He laid his arm over a log that was across the stream and was all unconscious of the rattler sunning itself on the log until he received the full charge of poison from both of its fangs. Immediately his companions put a twitch about his wrist and got as much whiskey into him as they could with safety. When he got to camp the wound was out open and the finger immersed in whiskey with the result that the poison made it black as ink. Bridgens' hand and arm swelled to monstrous size, but by Tuesday the swelling was all gone and he appeared none the worse for the bite. The accident happened on Big run.

GARDNER—WILLIAMS.—A very happy event was solemnized last Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Williams, at Blanchard, when their only daughter Mabel was united in marriage to Milford Gardner of the same place. The beautiful ceremony was performed by pastor Dudley of the Disciple church, the ring being used.

The bride's attendants were Miss Nora Kanes, as bridesmaid, and Martha Johnston, as maid of honor. Maggie Heverly, a niece of the bride, acted as flower girl. Otis Steel was groomsmen and Hugh Glosser best man. Miss Gertrude Confer, of Yarnell, played the wedding march and was escorted to the organ by Chasney DeLong.

The happy couple left on the 9 o'clock train for Niagara, Buffalo and other points and were accompanied as far as Look Haven by a number of their young friends who made things very lively. A number of useful and beautiful presents were received by the bride.

PATTON—WEIDLEY.—Many of the WATCHMAN's readers will be interested in the announcement of the wedding of Roy J. Patton, of Warriorsmark, and Miss Mary Ruth Weidley, of Tyrone, which event occurred last Wednesday evening at the home of the bride's parents. Rev. F. L. Bergstresser officiated while the attendants were Miss Lulu Patton and Albert Weidley, and the flower girls Winifred Hutchinson and Alice Weidley. Mr. and Mrs. Patton will go to housekeeping in Altoona.

FRY—SONES.—James Fry, of Northumberland, and Miss Mand V. Sones, of Julian, this county, were married at the home of the bride's parents, at 8 o'clock Thursday evening of last week. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. F. Tall-ham, a retired minister of the United Brethren church. Mr. and Mrs. Fry will make their home in Northumberland, where the groom has a good position in a large foundry.

BAUERLE—BAKER.—John C. Bauerle, a prominent young electrician of Windber, and Miss Emma C. Baker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Baker, of Phillipsburg, were married at the home of the bride's parents last Wednesday evening, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Geo. D. Penny-packer. The bride's maid was Miss Gussie Baker and the best man Bernard Murray, of Windber.

GILLEN.—John T., the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward I. Gillen, died at 8 o'clock last Friday morning, of irritation of the brain, aged one year, eleven months and six days. The funeral was held at 9 o'clock Saturday morning, interment being made in the Catholic cemetery.

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WHAT COUNCIL DID.—Every member was present at Monday evening's meeting of borough council with the exception of Dr. Kirk. The minutes of the last meeting were approved and the various committees made cursory reports. Burgess W. Harrison Walker returned the ordinance relating to the Primer orphanage unsigned, but as he held the same over the time limit it is effective without his signature.

On recommendation of the Water committee the water tax of Mrs. Jane Brown was reduced from \$4.00 to \$2.00. Chairman Joseph Wise, of the Fire and Police committee, called the attention of council to the bad condition of the floor in the room occupied by the Logan Fire company's engine and apparatus; stating that it was the company's desire to have a concrete floor put down and that they had already secured bids from James McCafferty, G. E. Haupt and M. R. Johnson, the same being submitted to council. Mr. McCafferty's bid being the lowest, (14 cents per square foot for a floor with twelve inches foundation, six inches concrete and two inches top finish) the contract was awarded to him.

The long deferred police question was finally settled by the recommendation of the Fire and Police committee that an additional officer be appointed at a salary of \$40 per month. That officer Jodon be retained at a salary of \$40 per month and that Mr. Mullen be retained at a salary of \$30 per month; and that these three should at all times do the work without requiring the appointment of extra police at any time. On the committee's recommendation William Bezer was appointed on the force. The services of Thomas Shangehney were permanently dispensed with as street commissioner and Samuel Rine was selected to take charge of the work at present in connection with his duties as water superintendent. For the additional labor involved council agreed to pay him twenty-five cents a day, or \$3.00 in all, half of which is to be charged to the water fund and the other half to the street fund. The matter of a sewer on High street was referred to the Street committee with power to act.

The following bills were approved and orders drawn: Street pay roll \$194.26; P. R. K. Co. 4.00; Police pay roll 48.00; Water works pay roll 67.75; W. T. Kelly 5.00; B. F. Williams 5.00; American Lumber & Stone Co. 26.40; W. Harrison Walker 37.50; D. E. Fortney 2.00; R. B. Taylor 25.25; James H. Corl 2.00; Total \$538.06

JAMES CHAMBERS AND SON SHOT.—James Chambers, a brother of Col. E. R. Chambers, of this place, and his son William were both shot in the office of the Logan house, DuBois, of which Mr. Chambers is proprietor, on Monday evening. A man by the name of Brint Rowland is charged with the shooting and is now in jail at Clearfield. Rowland entered the bar room and asked for a drink but was refused because he was already intoxicated. He went into the office and began to expostulate with Mr. Chambers but was ordered out of the office. He went out but on the sidewalk pulled a revolver and began to shoot, emptying the weapon. Chambers received three bullets in the left leg and two in the right. His son William was shot in the eye, the ball glancing and coming out at the side of his head. George Harvey, a bystander, received a slight wound in the leg.

When Rowland quit firing he was jumped on by a crowd and roughly handled but was finally rescued by the police. Chambers suffered considerable from the loss of blood and shock but a telephone message from DuBois yesterday stated that both he and his son are getting along all right now.

FIVE THOUSAND BUSHELS OF PEACHES.—We'll wager that very few of the WATCHMAN's readers have any idea of the enormous peach crop Centre county will return this year. The biggest crop will undoubtedly be gathered from the big orchard on the farm of Col. W. Fred Reynolds, near Rockview, in Benner township. Col. Reynolds has an orchard of ten thousand trees and an estimate of an expert fruit grower is that the crop from this orchard this year will exceed five thousand bushels of fine peaches. The trees are now laden with fruit and a force of men are now at work in the orchard going over the trees and pruning off everything in the shape of unsound and imperfect fruit in order to relieve the trees and also to render more perfect the big crop. In addition to Col. Reynolds' orchard there are a number of orchards in lower Pennsylvania that also promise good yields, so that Centre county should be able to get a good allowance of this luscious fruit.

A STAG DRIVING PARTY.—While the ladies of Bellefonte are enjoying themselves with various social festivities the gentlemen are not lying idle in the shade, as is evidenced by the fact that a party of eleven congenial mortals composed a stag driving party which left here yesterday noon and drove to Lewistown where they spent the night in real bachelor fashion with Thomas A. Shoemaker on his railroad contract. Accompanied by Mr. Shoemaker they will leave here some time this afternoon on the return trip, arriving here tonight. The gentlemen in the party are (Col.) Charles M. McCurdy, J. L. Montgomery, John M. Shugert, Col. W. Fred Reynolds, H. E. Fenlon, Hon. Harry R. Curtis, Harry Keller, Hard P. Harris, John Blanchard, G. R. Meek and W. C. Snyder, of Snow Shoe.

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News Purely Personal.

Miss Irene Miller, of Tyrone, was a guest of Miss Mary Brockerhoff, the past week. Mrs. W. C. Cassidy went to Williamsport, on Tuesday, to undergo treatment for her eyes. Mrs. D. S. Rank, of Lebanon, is visiting her brother, Mr. C. T. Gerbrich, on north Thomas street.

Mrs. A. T. Landis has returned from an extended visit with friends at Philadelphia, Atlantic City and Altoona. John VanPelt came over from Hastings, last Thursday, to take in the Academy centennial then remained in town over Sunday.

Charles Larimer came over from Clearfield, last Saturday, to spend Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. V. Larimer.

Mr. Philip Waddle went to Pittsburgh, on Wednesday, to attend the funeral of his wife's sister, Mrs. Eberis, which occurred yesterday.

Joseph and Samuel Smith have returned; to Bellefonte from Washington, Pa., the glass-blowing season for this year having closed on Tuesday.

Mr. C. D. Houtz, of Lemont, was in town on Tuesday, looking like all the rest of us as if he would give anything to find a nice cool spot to sit down in.

Mrs. Schmidt, wife of Rev. Ambrose M. Schmidt, with her young son William returned, Saturday evening, from a three weeks visit with her brother at Chambersburg.

Rev. R. Crittenden departed, on Tuesday, for Toronto, Canada, where he goes as a delegate to the annual convention of the International Sunday School association.

Clarence Garbrick, who is now engaged in teaching in Philadelphia, is home for a brief vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Garbrick, on east High street.

Miss Alice Toner, of Philadelphia, is in town for a three week stay at Mrs. A. M. Hoover's and other relatives. At present she is a guest at the H. P. Harris home on Howard street.

Miss Daisy Brislin is in town for the summer after her year's work as an instructor in the Soldier's Orphan school at Chester Springs. She is visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. L. Spangler.

Charles W. Triple, of Philadelphia, spent Sunday in Bellefonte, not at all changed from what he was when he was agent for the Adams Express company in this place.

Mr. George Mallory went to Williamsport, on Wednesday, taking his son Paul down to have his eyes treated by a specialist. He also took his son Russell along down to see the sights.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Nagley returned, Monday afternoon, from Milwaukee, Wis., where they spent the past ten days, the former as a delegate to the national convention of Hepiastoph.

Mr. and Mrs. James Harris left for Williamsburg, on Thursday, expecting to make a short visit with the Holmes in that city. Upon their return they will stop a few days at Birmingham.

Miss Luella Reynolds, of Reedsville, and Miss Taylor, of Lewistown, who were guests of Mrs. C. K. Hickley during the Academy centennial, departed for their homes the beginning of the week.

Our venerable friend, Chas. Wilson, who for so many years was the efficient train master at Altoona, and who is now on the P. R. retired last week in town calling on his friends on Saturday.

Mr. Nat. O'Bryan, of State College, was a Bellefonte visitor on Monday and part of the business of his day here was to make the editorial title a little fatter by a deposit that was acceptable.

Miss Louise Calloway went to Pittsburgh on Saturday to be present at the wedding of Miss Tiers, one of her school mates. Before returning home she will spend some time with Mrs. Thomas, of Graham street, in East End.

Col. John W. Hague, of Pittsburgh, secretary of the State Fisheries association, and Hon. John M. Reynolds, of Bedford, ex-Congressman from that district, were two of the prominent men who were members of and attended the meeting of the association here this week.

Miss Ruth Kase, of the Academy, left yesterday for Trout Run, Lycoming county, ostensibly to visit her brother, Charles H., and his wife, who is Miss Maude Spigelmeyer, of this place, but in reality to do homage to their fine new baby.

Professor Gill, dean of the school of languages and literature at State College and one of the most popular men of the community as well as a favorite instructor, has gone to California to spend the summer with his daughter, Mrs. Oliver. He started on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Eldredge, and two children of Cape May, N. J., came up to Bellefonte last week for the Academy centennial celebration. Mr. Eldredge went home, on Tuesday, but Mr. Eldredge and children will spend a couple weeks at her parental home, Rev. and Mrs. Wm. Laurie.

Miss Daisy Potter left, Saturday, for Philadelphia where she will join a party going up to Harvard for its commencement. From there she goes to Baltimore expecting to go with her uncle, George Potter, and his family to the Pacific Coast, the objective point being the Exposition at Port land. The party, however, will spend sometime at the Yellowstone Park and other places of interest in the Northwest.

The gay house party now in session at the Wm. A. Lyon home on Allegheny street is somewhat of a family reunion, since it consists of Mrs. C. A. Williams, of Jersey City, Miss Adeline Lyon, who has been for months in training at the school for nurses in connection with the hospital at Ridgway, and James Ginnness of that place. Mrs. Lyon will accompany her daughter, Mrs. Williams, when she returns to her home.

Mr. C. R. Hie, who since leaving Centre county has worked his way to the responsible position of Vice President of the West End Traction Co., of Boston, come on for the College commencement and after it was over spent the time until Wednesday with friends here and at Pleasant Gap. Time has marked little change in Harvey and aside from appearing more of a man of affairs he is the same old boy who was so generally liked when he was just a clerk in one of Bellefonte's stores.

Clayton A. Woodward, of Howard, was a Bellefonte visitor on Tuesday, still some what sore for his accident when his horse ran away four weeks ago and threw him out of the buggy, breaking three ribs and otherwise bruising and crippling him, "for all the world like a big pumpkin" would be smashed if you were to throw it out of a wagon," was the way he explained his injury. Though still hobbling around with a stick he is getting along all right and it is only a question of a short time until he will be as strong as ever.

Edward L. Powers, who has made money in the harness business and a place of importance for himself in the political circles of Bryn Mawr, was in town over Sunday; having come up to see that his sister, the widow of the late Michael Conley, got settled properly in her new home in this place. When Ed was learning the harness making trade with James Schofield years ago little did he dream that he would be in politics with the president of the Pennsylvania Railroad. Yet that is the fact today. He is one of the commissioners of the township in which A. J. Cassatt is road supervisor and inasmuch as they are both Democrats we imagine things are in the proper kind of shape down there.

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Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert A. Beaver, of New York city, are here for their annual summer visit, at the parental Beaver home on Curtin street.

District Attorney W. G. Runkle departed yesterday evening for Marlinton, W. Va., where he goes to close up a large lumber contract.

Miss Fannie Cordie, of Oil City, was a guest the past week of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson A. Robb, at their home on east Curtin street.

Dr. John Clark, of Windber, was in Bellefonte last week for the Academy centennial and also visited his father, James Clark, of near Bellefonte.

Capt. W. A. Simpson, of Lock Haven, was in town over Sunday on his way home from a week in the mountains prospecting for coal and fire clay.

James G. Taylor, a cadet at West Point, arrived home on a short furlough, Saturday evening, looking for anything more soldier-like than ever before.

Ira R. Burkett, one of Stormstown's leading merchants, was in Bellefonte on Monday transacting a little business and greeting his many friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank K. Lukenbach, of Tyrone, Charles Lukenbach, of Phillipsburg, spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Lukenbach, in this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank F. Green were in Lewisburg over Sunday on account of the death and burial of Mrs. Green's only brother, the late Laird Harris.

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McMILLEN BACK IN THE HOTEL BUSINESS.—Major C. G. McMillen, well-known in Bellefonte from having been proprietor of the Brockerhoff house here for six years in the early '80's, has been selected as the new manager of the Neil house, in Columbus, Ohio, one of the finest hotels in the west, to succeed the late Col. George Hoffer. Major McMillen is a thorough hotel man, with ample experience to successfully conduct any hotel. For years prior to coming to Bellefonte he clerked in various hotels and after leaving here he was in charge of the Dicke house, at Dayton, Ohio, for a period of ten years. After leaving the Dicke house he went on the road as a traveling man and at present is connected with the Beech Nut Packing company.

Major McMillen is a great secret society man, being a prominent Mason, Shriner and Knight of Pythias, a Forester, member of the Royal Arcanum and National Union. He is also a member of the Ohio Hotel Men's association.

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TEACHERS ELECTED.—At a meeting of the Bellefonte school board, Wednesday evening, Jonas E. Wagner was elected principal of the High school to take the place of John D. Meyer, promoted to superintendent. John S. Hosterman, of Centre Hall, was elected as assistant principal to take Mr. Wagner's place. At the same school building Francis E. Pray, of Jersey Shore, was elected to teach the junior grammar in place of Ellis Erney and Miss Helen Harper was elected to the intermediate grade in place of Miss Mildred Smith, who was not an applicant. Miss Daisy Barnes was elected in place of Elizabeth Faxon, while Miss Sallie Fitzgerald was elected substitute teacher. All the other old teachers were re-elected. By a new arrangement with M. I. Gardner the old Logan house on Howard street will be retained for another year for the Midway schools.

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Special Notice to Merchants and Dealers. All merchants and dealers in Centre county are hereby notified that I will be at my office, in the Crider building, Bellefonte, June 26th-29th, for the purpose of issuing special tax stamps for the year 1905-06.

G. W. EES, Deputy Revenue Collector

Philadelphia Markets.

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

Table with 2 columns: Commodity and Price. Includes Wheat, Flour, and other grain products.

Bellefonte Grain Market.

Corrected weekly by C. Y. WAGNER. The following are the quotations up to 6 o'clock, Thursday evening, when our paper goes to press:

Table with 2 columns: Commodity and Price. Includes wheat, corn, and other grain products.

Bellefonte Produce Markets.

Corrected weekly by Seebler & Co. Potatoes per bushel, Eggs per dozen, Lard per pound, etc.

Table with 2 columns: Commodity and Price. Includes potatoes, eggs, lard, and other produce.

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