

Democratic Watchman

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THINGS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY

—Next Thursday will be Thanksgiving day.

—If you want to see "New York Day by Day" go to Garman's next Monday evening.

—Send us in a report of all the deer killed and brought into your locality, and by whom.

—Communion services will be held in the Reformed church at Zion, next Sunday at 2:30 p. m.

—Prof. and Mrs. Frederick Hillary, of State College, are the happy parents of a nice big baby boy.

—The warm weather of the beginning of this week came as a surprising change from that of last week.

—After their last week's vacation the school children have all been hard at work with their studies this week.

—The new chapel of St. John's Reformed church on Spring street is being pushed rapidly toward completion.

—Benner Graham moved his family to Philadelphia on Thursday of last week, where they expect to make their future home.

—Next Sunday will be World's Temperance day and the same will be duly observed in all the churches and Sunday schools in the land.

—The lime and limestone industry in and around Belleville is booming. In fact the operators are unable to secure all the workmen they can use.

—Next week will be the first week of the November term of court. The criminal list for that term is not nearly so large as that gone through at the August term.

—The Howard Iron and Tool Co. are now making brake beams for the Pennsylvania railroad company. The contract is a large one, and with satisfactory work, may prove perpetual.

—Mrs. Wallace C. Musser, of Warriorsburg, who was admitted to the Belleville hospital last week for treatment, underwent a serious operation, Monday morning, and since is getting along very nicely.

—The Belleville Ministerium held its regular semi-monthly meeting on Monday morning at the M. E. parsonage. Rev. James B. Stein, as host, read a well prepared paper on temperance and a number of very good remarks along the same line were made by some of the other ministers present.

—W. C. Lingle is making quite extensive improvements to his house and property on East Linn street. In addition to remodeling the house inside he is repainting the exterior and regrading and fixing up the yard surrounding it so that when completed it will look like an entirely different place.

—Street commissioner William Ferguson, of Phillipsburg, recently went off on a little trip to Ohio and while there was married, on November 13th, to Mrs. Josephine Bowsher. The event was quite a surprise to his many Phillipsburg friends who had no thought that he even contemplated another voyage on the sea of matrimony.

—Just one week more of the deer hunting season; in fact the open season for all kinds of game except rabbits, and muskrats who have not yet had their fill of hunting had better get a move on. From all accounts there are still a few birds left in the woods and there will likely be some there after the last shot is fired on November 30th.

—The congregation of St. John's Episcopal church in this place have already pledged about \$2,700 for the erection of the proposed new church house for Sunday school purposes, in the rear of their church on Lamb street. Plans are being prepared for the same and it is the intention to begin work just as soon as arrangements can be completed.

—This will be "Pennsylvania Day" at the Pennsylvania State College and with fair weather should draw quite a crowd. In addition to the addresses of Robert H. Murphy, Henry Honck, Miss Kate Cassatt McKnight and others, this morning, there will be an exhibition drill of the cadet battalion and a good game of football this afternoon. Belleville ought to be well represented.

—The first turkey raffle of the season was held at Ferd Bezer's, up Spring creek, on Monday night, when thirteen nice fat turkeys and a number of ducks were raffled off. A party of Bellevillers went up to try their skill at turkey getting but the only man in the crowd who succeeded in bringing home any was Harry L. Garber, who got three fine fowls; and, of course, somebody has been living on roast turkey the past day or two.

—Herald Fisher and William Buck, two Unionville boys, were given a hearing before Justice of the peace John M. Keichline, in this place on Wednesday morning, on the charge of disturbing a religious meeting. The affair happened Sunday night at the Free Methodist meeting when, according to the evidence, the boys laughed during services. They were arrested on Monday and at the hearing on Wednesday were bound over for trial in court.

THE BALD EAGLE TELEPHONE COMPANY.—When the telephone was first introduced for general use to the public it was considered a wonder, but it was then little more than a wonder than has now been the organization and growth of the Bald Eagle Telephone company. When the many advantages of farmers' telephone lines, covering the rural districts, were advocated less than eighteen months ago in this county, the idea was scouted by many as impracticable, and it was only the most hopeful who had courage enough to take hold of the movement. Now Centre county is literally covered with a network of farmers' telephone lines, and what was only a short time ago regarded as a luxury far beyond the reach of the man living in the country is now recognized as much of a necessity as the United States mail service.

After most of the farmers' lines throughout the county had not only been organized, but many of them built and in operation, a number of farmers and others living in Bald Eagle valley conceived the idea that it would be a good thing to have a farmers' line throughout that locality. Meetings were held and on April 17th, 1906, the Bald Eagle Telephone company was incorporated with a capital stock of \$15,000. At that time the project had not gone farther than for the building of a line from Howard to Mill Hall. Work was begun soon after the charter was secured and as the work advanced, and the residents of the various communities realized the advantages of telephone connection with all parts of the county, extensions to the original line were planned until what was at first intended to be but a farmers' line resolved itself into an independent telephone company of proportions far beyond the knowledge of any but those interested.

The lines now owned and operated by the Bald Eagle Telephone company, with mileage, are as follows: Beginning at Howard, as the central point, thence down Bald Eagle valley, thence to Beech Creek and on to Mill Hall, a distance of thirteen miles, where connection is made with the lines of the United Telephone and Telegraph company, extending to its exchange in Lock Haven. Another line runs from Howard through the gap to Jacksonsville, extending east and west through little Nittany valley, across the ridge to Hagersburg, a distance of over thirteen miles, where connection is also made with the lines of the United Telephone and Telegraph company, extending to its exchange in Bellefonte. Another line runs from Howard to Romola and Orvis, where the plant of the Hayes Run Fire Brick company is located. This line is eleven miles in length. A fourth line runs from Howard to Mt. Eagle and Roland, a distance of seven miles, making in all a total of between forty-four and forty-five miles of line.

The first line was opened for operation about July first when an exchange was installed in Howard, in the Jackson Kline building, corner of Main and Walnut streets. And this exchange far eclipses any other in this and adjoining counties. The switchboard and telephones were manufactured by the Dean Electric company, of Elyria, Ohio. The apparatus is known as the Dean Electric Harmonic Selective Signaling system. It is the most up-to-date system known in the world. In fact, there were only two other systems like it in the State of Pennsylvania prior to the installation of the plant at Howard. Its superiority lies in the fact that the operator at the switchboard is able to call any subscriber on a party line without ringing the bells of any of the other subscribers on the same line, while a subscriber on a party line can call the exchange without ringing the bells of any other subscriber on the same line, a fact which practically gives each subscriber a private line, insuring greater privacy and vastly improved service, as there is none of the annoyance of one or more subscribers answering the wrong call.

As to the personnel of the company: As stated in the beginning of this article, its capital stock is \$15,000. This is divided into 1,500 shares at \$10 per share, all full-paid and non-assessable. The company has only been in operation since the first of July and its earnings have been such that it has already been decided to pay a first dividend of three per cent. on January 1st, 1907. The company already has about seventy-five subscribers on the Howard exchange.

The present officers of the company are as follows: President, W. I. Harvey; vice president, Ellis L. Orvis; secretary-treasurer, Nelson E. Robb.

BETTER OUTLET FOR THE CENTRAL RAILROAD OF PENNSYLVANIA.—From reliable source comes the news that it is now almost certain that a new passenger train is to be put on the New York Central railroad between Williamsport and Mill Hall where connections are made with the Central Railroad of Pennsylvania for Belleville. These rumors have not been verified by the officials but come from a reliable source. The new train will make two round trips each day, according to the report. It will go down in the morning, arriving at Williamsport about 8 o'clock, and returning will leave that place about 11 o'clock. Then it will go down again about 5 o'clock in the afternoon and return at 8 p. m. Such a train would increase traffic on the Central without a doubt and prove a great convenience.

—Last Friday G. W. Walk, of Hanover, shot and killed a bear which dressed three hundred pounds. The carcass was sold to an Altoona butcher.

—The Belleville Academy defeated the Good Will football team, in Phillipsburg last Saturday, by the score of 10 to 0.

—For universally disagreeable weather this week will certainly hold the record. It can all be summed up in rain overhead and mud under foot.

—Rev. Joseph D. Matthews, of Lock Haven, has accepted a call to the pastorate of the Liberty Baptist church at Blanchard and entered upon his duties last Sunday.

—James Sharp and family have moved from Belleville to Pittsburg, where he has secured good employment. The house on Lamb street vacated by them has been occupied by Dale Musser and wife.

—The union Thanksgiving day services will be held in St. John's Reformed church at 10:30 next Thursday morning, November 29th. Rev. J. Allison Flatts, of the Presbyterian church, will preach the sermon. All are invited.

—It is now almost six months since the dedication of the Centre county soldier's monument and the same is no nearer completion now than it was at that time. Not one of the rear name plates have been received and put in position and so far as known there is no certainty when they will be.

—The first drawing for the elegant forty-two-piece, hand painted dinner set, being given away by Yeager & Davis, the shoe men, was made last Saturday night and the lucky ticket was \$311. Whenever the lucky holder, whoever he or she may be, presents the ticket, they will be given the dinner set.

—The encampment committee of the county grange have in contemplation the erection of a large exhibition building to take the place of the several big tents heretofore used for exhibition purposes. This with a number of other contemplated improvements will be made before the date of next year's picnic.

—The Huster is authority for the statement that the Centre Brick company, of Howard, is preparing to erect a large red brick plant near that place early next spring; and then goes on to advocate the organization of a stock company and the building of a plant for the manufacture of ganister rock furnace brick.

—After defeating the Massillon Tigers by the score of 10 to 5, last Friday afternoon, the Canton (O.) All-Stars football team returned to State College on Monday for a few days more practice before their second game at Massillon tomorrow. On Thanksgiving day they will play the Latrobe professionals at Canton.

—Rev. L. I. Haugawout, a retired minister of the Presbyterian church and who was well known throughout Centre county, died in the Presbyterian hospital, Philadelphia, on Sunday morning. He has lately been making his home in the Kishacoquillas valley and the funeral services were held in the Redwood Presbyterian church on Wednesday afternoon.

—Readers of the WATCHMAN will recall the fact that Benjamin Finkelstein, father of Harry L. Finkelstein, proprietor of the five and ten cent store in this place, was one of the victims of the recent horrible wreck on the railroad at Atlantic City. His aged mother, Mrs. Mary Finkelstein, brooded so over her son's untimely death that she died at her home in Philadelphia on Tuesday last week.

—C. C. Cooke, of Howard, has been granted a patent on a metallic telegraph or telephone pole, which is something entirely new and original, and considering the growing scarcity of timber, may in years to come be of great value. Mr. Cooke is now considering the question of the organization of a stock company with a capital of one hundred thousand dollars to manufacture his patent and put it on the market.

—Once more did State's warriors prove victorious on the gridiron when they defeated their old-time rivals, Dickinson, in Williamsport last Saturday, by the score of 6 to 0. Six thousand people saw the game, which included six hundred or more State College students and quite a number from Belleville. This afternoon State will play the University of West Virginia eleven on Beaver field. Forkum, State's old full-back, is the West Virginia coach and has a team that will give State a good game.

—The many friends of John L. Kuieley will learn with sincere regret the fact that he is laid up with a bad attack of inflammatory rheumatism. For the past six weeks or two months he has been working at Tamaqua, putting down concrete abutments for a bridge. Several weeks ago he was seized with rheumatism and came home on Thursday of last week. The disease developed into inflammatory rheumatism and has left him in an almost totally helpless condition, though he has rested a little easier the past day or two.

—While the list of criminal cases for next week's term of court is quite a large one there are no very important ones, but with quite a number of civil cases on the list the first week will likely prove a pretty full one. And, by the way, this will be the last term of November court held in Centre county under the old schedule as under the new rules recently adopted by the Centre county bar and approved by the court the term of court which has always begun the fourth Monday of November for a half century or over will begin one week later, or on the first Monday in December.

WITH THE HUNTERS.—With the large number of Centre countians now out on the hunt for deer it is only natural that the ordinary question one hears nowadays is how many deer do they have. The WATCHMAN has endeavored to get accounts from all the hunting parties out but so far has proven a pretty difficult thing to do, for the simple reason that very few of the large number who went out for the opening day have returned. Of one thing, however, we are firmly convinced, and that is, that while quite a number of deer have been killed in Centre county so far this season, the biggest part of the total were killed on the first two days when there was a tracking snow in the mountains. So far as we have been able to get information reports from the different camps are as follows:

Roger Brouse came home on Wednesday evening with the disappointing story that so far the Panthers have no deer. Though they left here on Wednesday of last week they did not get located in camp until Friday, after the snow had disappeared, consequently missed the only two real good hunting days. But then Brouse is still hopeful.

The Confer—Lucas—Botler party, of Howard, have a five pronged buck and a 180 pound doe.

The Weaver boys of Romola, have four deer and a 150 pound bear.

The Betz hunters from Jacksonville have three deer and a bear.

Bob Maun's outfit has one small doe. Charlie Daley's party has a big bear, one of the biggest on record.

The Kermoor crowd on the pike above Flatrock have three or four deer. The Port Matilda boys in Fogate hollow have one deer.

The Gatesburg crowd, Capt. John Lemmon's "Rooseveltians," located at Wolfs Rocks, had a 200 pound bear when last heard from.

The Williams—Mattern—Clemson party at Six Mile run captured two deer the first day but no late report has been received from them.

On his way to join a hunting party over in Stone Valley, Mr. Geo. Rosman, of Pine Grove Mills, shot a fine two pronged buck, just above that town, on Wednesday morning.

The Ewing—Lightner hunting party who are camping on the mountain above Pine Grove Mills, captured two fine deer the early part of the week.

A crowd of Phillipsburgers at Six Mile run have two deer.

Woomer's Morrisdale club at Black Moshannon got one deer, while the Gillen-town club located at the same place got four.

Rube Comley's party at Rattlesnake got two deer the first day.

A party of Tyroneans hunting in Sugar valley got a spike buck.

A party from Lemont headed by Jack Mitchell went into the Bear Meadows just for the first day and came out with a fine doe.

The Modoes of Boalsburg had one deer at last reports and a 320 pound bear.

The Bradford party, of Centre Hall, got a nice doe the first day.

The State College crowd got a fine buck shortly after daylight on the opening day. The animal was shot just back of Shingle town.

Emanuel Houser, of College township, brought in a large buck he shot near Pine Swamp.

Geo. Walk and W. Price killed a 250 pound bear at Flat Rock while a Bellwood party killed a cub at the same place which weighed 100 pounds.

The Uzzle party from Snow Shoe, hunting up at the head of Little Sandy creek, have six deer.

The Gentzel—Zimmerman party in the Green woods have three deer.

Poe valley hunters have seven deer. Last Friday morning a 200 pound doe came off of Tussey mountain right down into Baileyville and got tangled in a wire fence. It was killed with a revolver by Daniel Irvin. On examination three other bullet holes were found in the animal.

The above totals fifty-two deer and six bears, though it is likely more have been killed. Trappers on the Lewisburg and Tyrone railroad say there is hardly a day they do not have a deer to handle. On Tuesday five deer were shipped east from the lower end of the county and on Wednesday they brought three deer and a bear up the valley. By next week it may be possible to give a fuller report of the number of deer killed.

FAMILY REUNION.—Thirty-eight years ago Mrs. Mary A. Shaw, nee Sheasley, left Clinton county and with her young husband went west and located in Illinois. She is now east for the first visit in all these years and this fact was taken advantage of by her brother, George Sheasley, to hold a family reunion at his home at Flemington last Thursday. The occasion proved a most enjoyable one and of the children of Mr. and Mrs. George Sheasley all were present except one, Martin, of LaGrande, Oregon. Those attending the reunion were: Charles B. Sheasley, State College; John C., wife and children, Altoona; Mrs. Julia R. McKissie, husband and son, McKees Rocks; Samuel J., wife and daughter, Cedar Springs; Mrs. Lizzie H. Meyers, husband and daughter, Beech Creek; Milton G., wife and son, Mill Hall; Mary C., Lewis G., Almond A., Ernest E., Walter S. and Ella M., at home. One brother and a cousin of Mr. Sheasley were also present.

—The Woman's Guild of St. John's Episcopal church had a very enjoyable as well as profitable time at their birthday party at the Mrs. Wilkinson home last evening.

FOOTBALL TOMORROW.—What will probably be the last game of football in Belleville this season will be played at the fair grounds tomorrow between the Belleville Academy and Williamsport High school teams. When the Academy played the same team in Williamsport on election day they came off victorious by the score of 5 to 0 and this very fact will likely spur the Lumber city lads on to try and get their revenge here tomorrow, and to do this they will probably come here with a strong team. In any event the game promises to be a very good one and should draw a large crowd. The Academy has been playing good ball this season, having been defeated but once by a team in its own class and they will certainly do their best to win tomorrow. The price of admission will be but twenty-five cents and everybody who goes should pay.

PETERS—FORSHEY.—George Peters and Miss Nell Forshey were married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Forshey, in Phillipsburg, Wednesday evening of last week. The ceremony was performed by Rev. G. H. Higby, in the presence of only the immediate friends of the contracting parties. The young couple will make their home in Phillipsburg where Mr. Peters holds a good position with the Pennsylvania railroad company.

HOLTER—MILLER.—James A. Holter and Miss Gertrude O. Miller were married at the Evangelical parsonage, Howard, on Tuesday of last week, by Rev. J. F. Shultz. Both young people are well known and highly respected by the people of that community.

—Hon. J. Will Kepler was out with the Pine Grove Mills crowd hunting deer and failing to get any of the fleet-footed animals, and not to come home empty-handed, brought in a twenty-nine pound wild turkey gobbler yesterday afternoon.

News Parley Persons I.

—W. D. Zerby Esq. went to Buffalo, N. Y., on Monday.

—Miss Overcash, of Altoona, is visiting friends in Belleville.

—Charles Lukensbach spent Sunday with friends in Phillipsburg.

—Mrs. Frank McFarlane, of Boalsburg, spent a day or two in Belleville this week.

—Wilson Gephart and Hugh Cridler took in the Yale-Princeton game last Saturday.

—John L. Nighthart spent most of the past week on a business trip to Lewisport.

—Mrs. A. A. Black, of Boalsburg, visited relatives in Altoona the fore part of the week.

—Miss Hassell, of Philadelphia, is in Belleville visiting her sister, Mrs. C. F. Montgomery.

—Mrs. Guy Linn, of Beaver Falls, is in Belleville visiting her mother, Mrs. Catharine Garrett.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. Thomas Mitchell returned last Friday from a several day's trip to Philadelphia.

—Mrs. B. C. Achenbach, of Lock Haven, visited friends in Belleville the early part of the week.

—John and Clarence Gallagher have gone to Erie, near Pittsburg, to visit their brother Daniel.

—Mrs. Joseph Loss and little son Joe, of Altoona, spent the past week with friends in Belleville.

—Harry Hason, of Wilmington, Delaware, has been a guest the past week at the home of Mr. John Howley.

—Benner Graham and family left last week for Philadelphia, where they expect to make their future home.

—Miss Margaret Brachbill, of Williamsport, is visiting at the home of her uncle, C. C. Shuey, on East High street.

—Mrs. Jacob Hassell and three children, of Ohio, are visiting the former's father, Mr. A. Baum, on Bishop street.

—After a week's visit with friends in Johnstown Mrs. Simon Harper returned to her home in Centre Hall on Monday.

—Frank Shaugenency, of Pittsburg, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Shaugenency Jr., on East Howard street.

—John F. Potter and Miss Mary Linn were two Bellevillers who attended the funeral of Mr. Mitchell, in Lewisburg, yesterday.

—After a pleasant visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Davis, Miss Hilda Thomas has returned to her home in Phillipsburg.

—J. P. Hazlett, of Atlantic City, is in Belleville the guest of T. Clayton Brown, the two of them spending their time in hunting.

—G. S. Walker, of Pittsburg, road man for John Larkin & Co., brokers, spent two days in Belleville the latter part of last week.

—After a very pleasant visit with their daughter, Mrs. W. Harrison Walker, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hoffman left for their home in Pleasantville on Monday.

—Miss Grace Hutton, who has been visiting Belleville friends for some time, left on Saturday to resume her duties as a nurse in the University hospital, Philadelphia.

—Thomas Moore, who spent the first week of the deer hunting season with the Panthers in the Scotia region, went to his home in Philadelphia on Tuesday night.

—Woods Sebring, of Philadelphia, spent part of last week in Belleville visiting his brother, Dr. John Sebring. On Saturday he went to Lovellville to visit his father, John P. Sebring.

—Will Dolt, the baker, left on Monday on quite an extended trip. He went to Baltimore and from there will go to Philadelphia and New York, while on his way home he will take in Altoona, Clearfield and a few other nearby towns.

—Miss Mildred Ogden went to Canton the latter part of last week to attend the funeral of her cousin, Luther Ogden, who died as the result of injuries sustained one day last week while working on the Pittsburg, Binghamton and Eastern railroad.

—Mrs. Samuel E. Goss and children left on Wednesday for Altoona to visit Mrs. Goss' sister. Today or tomorrow Mr. Goss will leave Belleville and join his family in the Mountain city where they will spend about a week prior to leaving for their new home in Ladysmith, Wisconsin.

—Major C. G. McMillen, of Dayton, Ohio, spent from last Friday evening until Monday morning in Belleville. The Major has a warm spot in his heart for Belleville and has hosts of friends here who are always as glad to see him as he is to see them. He is now on his homeward trip and expects to reach Dayton before the first of December. Mr. McMillen was one of the men who countenanced the organization of the Ohio Hotel Clerk's association and presided at their first annual banquet; and he is now in receipt of an invitation to act as toastmaster at their banquet this year, which will be held in Mansfield, Ohio, December 29th.

BELLEVILLE BOROUGH COUNCIL.—Eight members were present at Monday night's meeting of borough council and more business was transacted than at any meeting in the last two months or more.

The Street committee reported that the pavement along the property of Frank Warfield and that occupied by Mrs. Merriman, on Curtin street, had been lowered to grade. The Water committee reported a number of improvements at the water works, and that meter bills for the October quarter to the amount of \$840 had been given to W. A. Ishler for collection. The Village Improvement committee reported having taken up the question of posting bills on telephone and electric light poles. The companies interested oppose this method of advertising and council decided to notify the burgesses to see that the nuisance is abated in the future.

The repairing of the lock-up was given some consideration. There is no question as to the place being in a bad condition and Mr. Seibers presented a proposition from a firm to furnish six steel cells of modern construction at a cost of \$250. The matter was discussed from every standpoint but finally held under consideration until next meeting.

Chairman Kirk, of the Street committee, reported that the telephone pole at the Central Railroad of Pennsylvania station had been moved to the place designated by council. A number of walks on East Curtin street were reported in a frightful condition and property owners are to be notified to make the necessary repairs. Report was also made of the bad condition of the crossings in the Diamond, which, during the recent wet weather, have been almost ankle deep with mud. Just why the report particularly in favor of the crossings in the Diamond could not be learned, for, as a matter of fact, the same muddy condition has prevailed on every crossing in the business part of the town.

Member Hamilton made a motion that catch basins with taps be placed in the sewer on Bishop street at Bauer's residence and the Brant house corner. There was considerable discussion of the advisability of doing so but council finally voted to have the same done.

Residents on Burrow street presented a request for an incandescent light, which was referred to the Street committee for investigation and report.

Chief fire marshal John J. Bower presented a lengthy report on the condition of the equipment of the fire companies and made suggestions as to what was needed, all of which was referred to the Fire and Police committee.

The following bills were approved and orders drawn:

Police pay roll.....	\$50.00
S. E. Shewers.....	1.75
Cridler & Son.....	24.35
Street pay roll.....	43.25
J. T. Mitchell.....	25.60
Water works pay roll.....	60.35
A. Allison.....	26.66
Pennsylvania railroad.....	1.21
Jones Speeding Co., oil.....	7.23
	\$239.79

WANT PAY FOR BURYING THEIR RELATIVES.—At the Centre county teachers' institute last week a resolution was adopted endorsing the new by-law of the state board of education which provides that teachers may attend the funeral of a relative without the loss of salary.

The only proviso is that the deceased must be a teacher's husband, wife, daughter, father, mother, sister, brother, grandparents, uncle, aunt, nephew or niece, and that he or she shall be excused from teaching for just one day. But there is also the restriction that the uncles, aunts, nephews and nieces must live in the same house with the teacher, if he or she is to receive the concession.

Sale Register.

Tuesday Nov. 27.—At the residence of James Clark, five miles southwest of Belleville, twelve miles south of Fillmore, in Benner Twp., four horses, ten milk cows, young cattle, hogs, and all kinds of farming implements. W. A. Ishler, auctioneer.

Philadelphia Markets.

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

Wheat—No. 2.....	74 1/2 @ 75
Do—No. 3.....	74 1/2 @ 75
Corn—Yellow.....	61 @ 62
Do—Mixed new.....	61 @ 62
Do—Old.....	38 @ 39
Flour—Winter, Per Br. L.....	2.80 @ 2.90
Do—Spring.....	3.00 @ 3.20
Do—Favorite Brands.....	4.00 @ 4.25
Rye, Flour Per Br. L.....	3.60 @ 3.75
Barley—Choice.....	12.00 @ 12.50
Do—Mixed.....	13.00 @ 13.50
Straw.....	7.50 @ 12.50

Belleville Grain Market.

Corrected weekly by G. Y. Wagner.

The following are the quotations up to six o'clock, Thursday evening, when our paper goes press:	
Wheat—No. 2.....	70
Do—No. 3.....	66
Corn, shelled, per bushel.....	55
Corn, ears, per bushel.....	55
Oats old and new, per bushel.....	32
Barley, per bushel.....	48
Ground Flaxseed, per ton.....	\$ 50 to 60
Buckwheat, per bushel.....	25
Cloverseed, per bushel.....	\$7.00 to \$8.00
Timothy seed per bushel.....	\$2.00 to \$2.25

Belleville Produce Markets.

Corrected weekly by Sechler & Co.

Potatoes per bushel.....	50
Onions.....	75
Unions.....	75
Eggs, per dozen.....	10
Lard, per pound.....	8
Country Shoulders.....	8
Sides.....	12
Fats.....	12
Tallow, per pound.....	3
Butter, per pound.....	23

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