

Democratic Watchman

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THINGS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY

—Hook Tower lost a valuable horse on Sunday.

—John Kane has accepted a position as bartender at the Garman house.

—This section of the State was visited by a nice rainfall on Monday and Tuesday.

—Mr. John P. Harris is confined to his home on Linn street with a slight illness.

—Mrs. Harry Keller entertained a three table bridge party on Tuesday afternoon.

—Hard P. Harris is a candidate for delegate to the Republican State convention.

—It is with regret that we announce the serious illness of the venerable Jacob Gross, of Axe Mann.

—Budd Lucas, of Snow Shoe, a brakeman on the Snow Shoe train, is off duty on account of a badly mashed finger.

—Councilman W. H. Derstine is having a new flagstone pavement put down in front of his property on Penn street this week.

—Conny superintendent David O. Ethers has been appointed a member of the board of examiners for the State Normal school, at Lock Haven.

—On Tuesday Governor Stuart signed the bill appropriating \$179,530.92 to pay for buildings and repairs at the Pennsylvania State College.

—The first two young men to enlist for service in the regular army at the recruiting station in Crider's Exchange were Joe Green and Robert Switzer.

—The Ladies Aid society of the Presbyterian church will serve one of their always appetizing suppers on Thursday evening, May 16th, in the chapel. All are invited.

—Frank E. Naginey, George A. Beezer and T. S. Strawn are now talking automobiles and it will not be surprising to see all of them tooting it around town in the near future.

—The venerable Henry Heaton suffered two strokes of paralysis the forepart of the week and his condition is now one of entire helplessness as well as so critical that his life is despaired of.

—The friends of Mrs. David J. Kelly, who was reported quite poorly Wednesday night, will be glad to learn that her condition is now so much improved as to warrant the hope of her speedy recovery.

—Samuel McMurtrie, who is now in his seventy-seventh year and is one of the oldest residents of Coleville, is confined to his home with an illness which his many friends hope will be of short duration.

—The Carlisle Indians defeated State's track and field team in their annual dual meet at Carlisle on Monday by the score of 69 to 25. The events were contested after a hard rain and on a very wet and muddy field.

—Paul Sheffer and family on Tuesday moved from Curtis street into the Hamilton house on Allegheny street recently vacated by the Misses Butts, and which has been repaired throughout for their occupancy.

—Miss Lois V. Calderwood, superintendent at the Bellefonte hospital, is mourning the death of her brother, which occurred at Buffalo, N. Y., on Monday morning, from a tumor on the brain. The body was taken to Ohio for burial.

—The Haupt brothers are now busy manufacturing the concrete blocks for the walls of the new parish house of the Episcopal church. The blocks are made with one side rough so that when completed the building will look very much as if it were built of stone.

—H. L. Garber reopened his broker's office in Temple Court on Monday morning with the opening of the market at ten o'clock. His home is H. C. Harvey & Co., of Pittsburgh. His service is over a Pennsylvania telephone company copper wire and is fast and accurate.

—The Bellefonte Academy management now have men at work grading and sodding the lot recently purchased from Philip Bezer and will throw the whole into the Academy campus. This will very much improve the surroundings of that very creditable institution.

—William Miller, agent for the American Express company, wears a very broad smile these days, just because his wife presented him with a big baby boy on Sunday morning. And now if he happens to get your express packages mixed in the next week or so, you must overlook it.

—Charles F. Richard has rented the room on the second floor of the Bush Arcade, formerly occupied by S. E. Goss as an insurance office, and has located there for the repairing of watches, clocks and all kinds of jewelry. He is a good workman and will be pleased to have your patronage.

—William P. VanTries, son of our townsman, Dr. F. C. VanTries, was one of the graduates from the Princeton Theological Seminary on Tuesday. After a brief visit at his home in this place he will go to Newark, N. J., where he has accepted a call to the pastorate of the Presbyterian church.

THE PRUNER LEGACY.—Inasmuch as the people of Bellefonte are directly interested in a legacy which the late Col. E. J. Pruner left for the establishment and maintenance of a home for the friendless and orphan children of this place and Tyrone we publish in full the statement of receipts made to the Tyrone council on Monday evening by Mr. Frank M. Waring, who has had charge of the trust since Col. Pruner's death.

His report for the two years is as follows:

Income.	
Balance forward from estate	\$119 71
Rents collected since April 18, 1905	\$885 38
Total income	\$1,005 09
Expenditure—Ordinary	
Cash	\$415 20
Gas and water	237 32
Electric light	282 18
Fires and janitor service	910 70
Night watchman	81 00
Ordinary repairs and supplies, including labor and material	374 97
Insurance	674 51
Taxes, Tyrone prop., \$948 13	
Centre Co. lands	60 39
1008 82	
Total ordinary expenditure	\$3,984 29
Expenditure—Extraordinary	
Collateral inheritance tax	1,505 00
Permanent physical improvements to the properties, by which the value of same has been enhanced, and the income increased, and necessary, because of the absolutely run down condition of same, including new roofs, sidewalks, curbing, street paving, concrete work, fences, new stairway, new plumbing, electric wiring, new inside woodwork, painting and papering, including all material and labor	\$1,700 00
Total expenditure	\$7,190 19
Balance on hand	\$2,861 00

According to these figures it would appear that the average yearly income from the properties is \$4,232.69. The average expenditures, ordinary, being \$1,992.28, there should be a net annual balance of \$2,240.41.

In the event that Tyrone should exempt the property from taxation \$474.06 should be added to the net balance increasing it to \$2,714.47. In the event that Tyrone should be asked to remit the taxes on this property the council of that borough would probably require, and fairly, that Bellefonte borough should pay half the amount which would be \$237.03 annually. This condition is based on the fact that all the taxable property being located in Tyrone would hardly be fair to require that borough to remit all of it as against no offset of a like amount by Bellefonte; especially as the home is to be located here and practically all of the money for its maintenance expended where it would benefit only the tradesmen of this town.

Assuming that there would be an annual net income of \$2,714.47 a home could probably be maintained on that sum, but we fear that Mr. Waring has not estimated his expenses as high as would be required for the proper and economic administration of such a trust. In the first place he has made no allowance for services of a superintendent or trustee. According to his own opinion expressed to us this service would be worth at least \$300 per annum. Such being the case the annual net income would be reduced to \$2,414.47. In our judgment his estimate of \$187.48 for annual repairs, such as painting, papering, carpenter work, plastering, plumbing, etc., on property that he says is worth \$45,000 is far too low; in fact not half as much as it should be, since the property is of such a character as would require a maximum rather than a minimum of repairs in order to retain a desirable class of tenants. If \$187.48 be deducted from the amount above there would be left \$2,226.99 or about 5 per cent. on \$45,000. Mr. Waring's estimate of the value of the property.

If the property is worth \$45,000, why would it not be a better proposition to sell it all at that figure and place the money in some good 6 per cent. investment and thus be assured of an annual income of \$2,700.00, without the danger of losses through defaulting tenants, depreciation and other similar causes that owners of renting properties are so thoroughly familiar with.

From the very first the WATCHMAN has been of the opinion that a greater good could be served by diverting this legacy to the endowment of hospitals in Tyrone and Bellefonte, but if that cannot be done there can be no harm in trying the orphanage, though we frankly confess that neither the past history of this town, nor the present exigencies reveal any need for an institution such as the perniliar provisions of Col. Pruner's will would provide.

COL. CHAMBERS OUSTED.—On Wednesday Auditor General Young deposed Col. E. R. Chambers, of this place, as traveling auditor under his administration. Col. Chambers was first appointed under the administration of Governor Stone and was re-appointed at the solicitation of Governor Pennypacker four years ago, so that he has held the position close to eight years. He also sought a re-appointment under Auditor General Young but that gentleman has now turned him out and announces as a reason that he wants to appoint men who have no outside interests and who will give all their time to the State. So far no successor has been named but it is known that the place was offered to another Bellefonter, though it is hardly likely that he will accept it. The job carries with it a fifteen hundred dollars a year salary and all necessary traveling and other expenses.

EPWORTH LEAGUE OFFICERS.—At its last regular meeting the Epworth League of the Bellefonte Methodist church elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, Miss Grace Blackford; first vice president, Sydney A. Keifer; second vice president, Miss Olive Steele; third vice president, Miss Sadie Caldwell; fourth vice president, Miss Nora Loveland; secretary, Miss Elizabeth Smith; treasurer, Miss Viola Robb; chorister, J. P. Smith.

—Mrs. George W. Packer, of Beech Creek, has announced the engagement of her daughter, Miss Ada Eolalia, to Guy H. Thompson, of the same town.

—Two cows belonging to C. H. Heckman, of Buffalo Run, were killed by the Bellefonte Central train last Friday and a third one badly hurt. Mr. Heckman places his loss at sixty-five dollars.

—The Joseph Meyer farm in the eastern part of Harris township was recently purchased by Dr. L. G. Kidder, of Boalsburg, for \$7,500, a price estimated to be just about fifty per cent. what the farm was worth at the time of Mr. Meyer's death.

—The State college track and field team went to Carlisle last Friday and on Saturday engaged in their first dual meet for this season with Dickinson, winning by the summary of 92 to 12 points, from which it can be seen that State's track team is just about as fast as her baseball team.

—Are you going to the College tomorrow afternoon to see the State—W. U. P. baseball game? Remember the college baseball season is about half over and you should lose no opportunity to see State play. They will also play the University of West Virginia nine next Monday, May 13th, which will be the last game on Beaver field until Friday, May 24th.

—The girls of The Pennsylvania State College will give an entertainment in the old college chapel on Friday evening, May 27th, for the benefit of the Young Women's Christian Association. Two short plays, "The Minister's Wife" and "The Ghost of an Idea," will be given. The price of admission will be but thirty-five cents and the public is invited to attend.

—On Tuesday a committee, composed of C. H. Lucas, of Centre Hall; Rev. S. E. Koutz, Windfield; Rev. J. T. Shultz, Bellwood; I. S. Frain, Jacksonville, and Rev. J. C. Reeser, Carlisle, was in Bellefonte looking for a parsonage for the presiding elder of the Centre district of the United Evangelical church. Both Mifflinburg and Bellefonte are offering desirable locations but as yet no selection has been made.

—Hard P. Harris' venture as a chicken raiser had quite a setback on Sunday night. He was not satisfied to hatch and raise chicks in the good old way but this spring made a brooder and ever since has had visions of perpetual dinners of spring chickens. On Sunday evening, however, the oil lamp in his machine was upset and exploded and before Hard could extinguish the flames they had not only consumed his brooder and thirty little chicks that were mothering in the box; and now he will have to keep chewing beefsteak as formerly.

—Ex-county treasurer Harrison Kline, who has been in poor health the past month or so, was taken to the University hospital, Philadelphia, last Friday by Dr. R. G. H. Hayes and sheriff Henry Kline, his son, for a thorough examination and consultation as to his ailment and treatment. The hospital physicians diagnosed his trouble as nervous indigestion. Mr. Kline was brought home on Monday evening and the next day appeared some better, probably the result of the little change of scene and excitement of the trip to Philadelphia and back.

—On Sunday six State College students started out for a walk. As they did not expect to go far they went without hats. After going as far as Centre Furnace one of the number proposed they go as far as Lemont and when they reached that place one of the others dared the party to walk to Bellefonte. They all started but one after another turned back until by the time they reached Rockview only two, Hulings and Watson, remained and as neither one would say go back they kept on walking, finally reaching this place about six o'clock. They then had to skirmish around and get hats in order to be presentable.

—The grammar school in the stone building in this place has been in hard luck this winter so far as keeping a teacher is concerned. Starting in the season with Francis E. Pray as teacher it had only progressed a few months when he resigned. Charles A. Knupp, of Harrisburg, was then secured but after teaching less than a month he got a bad attack of nervous prostration and also quit. Charles Noll, of College township, was then secured and he taught until last Thursday evening and when Friday morning came left for Philadelphia to take the civil service examination for a government position. Now the school is in charge of Miss Sallie Fitzgerald, and as there are only fourteen days more it is likely she will complete the term.

—General James A. Beaver certainly had a bunch of hard luck in Philadelphia last week. He started home on Wednesday evening and when at the Broad street station he reached in his pocket to get his wallet in which were his mileage book, money, etc., and what was his chagrin to find not only the wallet but everything else gone, leaving him stranded at the gates of the railroad yard with less than a dollar in his pockets. He tried to explain the situation to the guard in the hope that he would be allowed to pass and could eventually reach home but that official was obdurate and in despair he looked around for some one to whom he could appeal. Fortunately, Col. E. R. Chambers, who had been in Philadelphia, was coming home on the same train and the general espied him in the depot, told him the plight he was in and borrowed enough money to pay his way home.

THAT BASE BALL GAME TODAY.—This is the day for that big game of baseball between the State College Varsity nine and the Bellefonte team. It will be played on the Meadowbrook park grounds in this place and you will miss a rare bit of sport if you fail to attend. The strength of the State College team is well known. It has played fourteen games so far this season and has won thirteen out of the fourteen, a record not made by any other college team in the land. Its ability to pull out of a tight place was never better shown than in the game with Dickinson last Friday. At the beginning of the eighth inning the score stood 4 to 2 in favor of the visitors. State blanked Dickinson in her half and scored one run for herself in the last half, making the score 4 to 3. In the ninth inning Dickinson again drew a goose egg and in State's half it looked as if she was doomed to defeat, as there were two men out and the man at bat had two strikes when he fortunately made a single and the next man at the bat knocked out a three bagger. In the tenth inning Dickinson again failed to score and State won the game with but one man out. Such is the makeup of the college team.

As to the Bellefonte aggregation that will be pitted against the visitors, it has not yet been made public in its entirety, but it is certain that Fullerton, of the Bellefonte Academy team, the famous spitball thrower, will pitch. And this will mean much toward making the game exceedingly interesting as Fullerton has lost but one game this season. He won his second game last Friday from the Williamsport High school nine by the score of 7 to 2. In addition to the best of the Academy players a number of Bellefonte stars will be in the game. The price of admission will be but twenty-five cents and as the band will be there it will be a game you don't want to miss. And as it is for the benefit of the pathological department of the Bellefonte hospital you want to be sure and take your quarter with you.

The college team and all students desiring to attend the game will be brought to Bellefonte on the regular train leaving the College at twelve o'clock and will be taken back on a special train which will leave Bellefonte after Miss Crissman's dance in the Bush Arcade. The fare for the round trip will be seventy-five cents, including admission to the game. This very cheap rate and the fact that the students will thus be able to spend a half day and evening in Bellefonte will doubtless result in a large crowd of them coming to the game.

AND STILL THEY COME.—Bellefonters must be considered good money by Pittsburgh brokers. About fourteen months ago John Larkin & Co., of the Smoky city, opened an office in this place and it had not been in operation over two months until Henry J. Spuhler & Co., also opened an office here. A broker's office was not a new thing for Bellefonte, as the experiment had been tried here on several occasions previous and it was always a case of a boy picking up a bar of red-hot iron.

When the Larkin & Co. office was opened here it was given six months as the limit of its existence by the wise-ones, and when Spuhler & Co. opened up the life of both was placed at even a shorter period, but a year has passed and the Spuhler office is still here and Larkin's likely would have been had they not sold out to Spuhler, because the owners had made money enough and wished to retire from the business. But the passing of Larkin & Co. was not the permanent closing out of one office in this place but rather an incentive for the establishing of more, and representatives of Pittsburgh brokers came to Bellefonte in plenty.

The result was the opening by H. L. Garber of another office in Temple Court on Monday morning as the representative of H. C. Harvey & Co., and yesterday a third office was opened in the rooms on the first floor of the Crider building, formerly occupied by Dr. Harris as offices, by C. V. Tuttle, as representative for the Adler Commission company, so that there now are three broker's offices, or bucket-shops in Bellefonte.

It is not the purpose of the WATCHMAN to make any comment on the stock-dealing business. Every man who goes into it does so with eyes open and knows what he is up against, but there are two things certain: One is that the Pittsburgh brokers are not keeping their branch offices open here for nothing and the other is that very few of the reputed dealers are riding around in automobiles.

HIGH SCHOOL ALUMNI RECEPTION.—The fifth annual reception of the Bellefonte High school alumni association to the graduating class of 1907 will be given in the armory on Tuesday evening, May 28th. The committee selected to arrange for the same is as follows: J. H. Robb, chairman; Misses Eva Crissman, Daise Barnes, Elsie Rankin, Louise Brackbill, Edna Meyer, Helen Schaeffer, Adaline Olewine, Jennie Longacre, Pearl Knisely, Bessie Bronse, and Charles Barnes, James Harshberger, Milan Walker, Jesse Derstine, Paul Wetzel, Edward Gates and Calder Ray. These receptions have grown to be one of the most pleasing diversions of the High school commencement week and no effort will be spared to make this year's as successful as those held in the past.

THOMPSON — MCKINLEY.—Homer Thompson and Miss Sarah H. McKinley were quietly married at nine o'clock, Wednesday evening of last week, at the United Evangelical parsonage on Willowbank street, by the pastor. The young couple will make their home in Bellefonte, the bridegroom being employed in John Porter Lyon's garage.

News Purely Personal

—Mr. and Mrs. Albert Long, of Wingate, spent Sunday in Bellefonte.

—Mrs. George B. Brandon, of Honesdale, is visiting relatives in Bellefonte.

—Mrs. Edward Richard left on Tuesday for a visit with friends in Philadelphia.

—Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Gray and baby spent Sunday with friends in Phillipsburg.

—William P. Humes transacted business in the western part of the State this week.

—Henry Linn left on Monday evening for a week's trip to New York city and Boston.

—Miss Mary Harris Weaver spent several days this week visiting friends in Lock Haven.

—Mrs. Ella Saltzman, of Lock Haven, was a visitor at the Hastings home the past week.

—Hon. Robert M. Foster, of State College, transacted business in Bellefonte on Monday.

—Ex-Judge John G. Love made a business trip to New York in the beginning of the week.

—Hon. Leonard Rhone, of Centre, Hall tarried in Bellefonte a short time on Monday on his way east.

—Mrs. N. D. Orblin left on Monday for a three week's sojourn with friends at Princeton, N. J.

—W. D. Zerby Esq., was in Scranton this week, serving as a juror in the United States circuit court.

—Miss Margaret Seehler came home from Baltimore on Saturday evening on a visit to her parents.

—H. S. Liagle, of Patton, spent Sunday in Bellefonte on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Liagle.

—C. T. Gerberich was away on a business trip to Huntington and Harrisburg the fore part of the week.

—James B. Barger, of Brownsville, stopped off here a few days last week while on his way to Atlanta, Georgia.

—Mrs. John Hinson Gibson is spending the month of May with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Cook, on Linn street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Claude Cook left on Tuesday for Atlantic City where Mrs. Cook will sojourn for a month for the benefit of her health.

—John Pearl, so well known in this place, has changed his work from Utah Junction, Utah, to Globe, Arizona, where he is now residing.

—S. Ward Gramley, principal of the Mt. Union schools, passed through Bellefonte on Tuesday on his way home to Spring Mills for his summer vacation.

—Mrs. Albert Owen, who has been spending the winter in Lancaster and York, is the guest of her sisters, Miss Sarah and Miss Mary Owen, on Howard street.

—Leland Struble, who has been for some time in the employ of the Cambria Steel company, in Johnstown, is spending the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Struble.

—Mrs. Wesley O'Day and daughter Mary, of Baltimore, Md., spent several days in Bellefonte this week visiting friends and relatives, leaving Wednesday for Chicago Junction, Ohio, where Mr. O'Day works.

—Hon. Phil E. Womelsdorf, of Phillipsburg, was a Bellefonte visitor last Friday; and this time his trip was undoubtedly one of business as there are now no political bees flying around waiting to be hired.

—Will Rerick, who holds a good position as foreman in the carbide works at Niagara Falls, spent several days in Bellefonte the past week visiting his parents and other friends, returning to the Falls on Tuesday.

—Mrs. Annie Sager, who the past year has been making her home with her daughter, Mrs. John L. Nighthart, on Bishop street, left on Monday for Jeanette, on a visit to her son. She was accompanied as far as Altoona by Mr. Nighthart.

—Miss Alma Baird, who for some months has been bookkeeper for Gamble, Green & Co., at their mill in this place, has been compelled to resign her position and return to her home in Williamsport on account of the serious illness of her father.

—Mrs. Channocy F. York with that bright little son of hers, Carlton Noll York, of Warriorsburg, arrived in Bellefonte last Saturday and have been guests the past week at the home of Mrs. York's father, Mr. Emanuel Noll, on north Allegheny street.

—Mrs. W. J. Carlin, of Rebersburg, left on Monday for Philadelphia where, as a delegate from Centre county she attended the general convention of the Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary society of the Evangelical Lutheran church, which was held in St. Matthew's Lutheran church from Tuesday morning until today.

—Jerry Condo, son of the late Jerry Condo who met his death at the hands of escaping prisoners while on duty as turnkey in the Centre county jail almost two years ago, is now agent for the Mifflinburg Buggy Manufacturing company and has been hustling around Bellefonte the past week, with headquarters at the Garman house.

—D. L. Tressler, of Linden Hall, was a Bellefonte visitor on Tuesday; having come down to attend to some business, part of which was to procure repairs for his cream separator. This latter speaks well for the Tressler cows, for had they not given so much milk the wear and tear on the separator would not have been so great.

—For once we can't tell you how long William Musser, of East Lamb street, broke through his mill and on Sunday went to Altoona to visit his son Boyd and wife. Mr. Musser has remained close at home so long that if he don't look out this little taste of go-away-tiveness may result in a chronic attack, and then who would operate that dairy business of his.

—Michael Sennet, of Runville, was in town on Tuesday and was extremely sorry to discover that his eyesight, instead of improving, is gradually getting worse, in fact so bad that he has to be led on the streets. If there can be any consolation to one thus afflicted Mr. Sennet has a lot of it in the dutiful little son who accompanied him and guarded so carefully his almost blind father.

—Squire W. J. Carlin, of Rebersburg, was a business visitor in Bellefonte on Monday and one of the important things he had to attend to was to lift his sixth commission as justice of the peace in Miles township. Mr. Carlin has served twenty-five consecutive years as a justice of the peace and when he serves out the term on which he has just entered he will have been in the office thirty years.

—County Commissioner John L. Dunlap spent Monday and Tuesday in Harrisburg. He went down to the capitol on a little business trip and while there visited the state law-makers while they were in session and also took a look at that thirteen million dollar capitol building. Of course he got no insight there to the most economical way to run either the state government or the affairs of Centre county.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Williams, of Jersey City, were arrivals in Bellefonte last Saturday morning. Mrs. Williams with her little son Frederick came to Bellefonte several weeks ago on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lyon, but early last week went home to arrange their furniture so that workmen could re-paint and paper their house throughout. She left Frederick in Bellefonte and quite naturally Claire felt it incumbent upon him to not only accompany his wife to Bellefonte but come up and see how his son was getting along. He returned home on Monday evening while Mrs. Williams and Frederick will remain an indefinite time.

—Mrs. Gilbert A. Beaver is visiting friends in Harrisburg.

—Miss Mary Hoy and Mrs. W. F. Reynolds are in Philadelphia having gone down Wednesday.

—After a two weeks visit among friends in Pittsburgh Mrs. Morris Vreut returned home last Friday.

—Misses Pearl and Susan Mewshaw and Miss Della Clark are visiting friends in Punxsutawney this week.

—Miss Sara Collins and Miss Hendrixon journeyed to Ebensburg on Wednesday morning for a few days stay.

—Miss Marie White came up from Williamsport to spend Sunday with her aunt and sister at the Brockerhoff house.

—Edward L. Rhoads had business in Lock Haven on Monday and was accompanied on his trip by his sister, Miss Rebekah.

—Charles Norris, of Philadelphia, and John Norris, of Harrisburg, were over Sunday guests of their sister, Mrs. Bogie.

—Lawrence McMullen, of Hecla, was in Bellefonte on Monday to attend the forty hours devotion at St. John's Catholic church.

—Capt. A. C. Mingle and family automobilized to Centre Hall on Sunday and spent the day with his brother, W. B. Mingle and family.

—Miss Hibbs, who spent the past month as a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Richard, left for her home in Philadelphia on Monday.

—Mrs. Cyrus Strickland left last Friday for Milroy where she will spend the summer with her daughter, Mrs. Lester Sheffer and family.

—After a sojourn of several weeks in Atlantic City for the benefit of her health Miss Freda Baum has returned home very much improved.

—Mrs. Elmer Campbell, of Indian Hall, spent Wednesday and Thursday in Bellefonte. While here Mrs. Campbell was the guest of Miss McQuiston.

—Snyder Tate went to Philadelphia on Wednesday afternoon, taking his daughter, Miss Olive, there to have her eyes treated by a specialist.

—Mrs. James Schofield left last Saturday for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Charles Larimer, in Clearfield, and with friends in Phillipsburg and Ocoola Mills.

—Mrs. Bower Heller, of Johnsonburg, who prior to her marriage was Miss Julia Steele, is in Bellefonte visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Steele.

—Dr. A. W. Hafer left on Tuesday for Scranton where he is attending the state convention of the Royal Arcanum as a delegate from the Bellefonte Chapter.

—Mrs. John I. Olewine attended the Lock Haven High school commencement exercises on Tuesday, her nephew, Herbert Waite, being one of the graduates.

—Mrs. D. Wagner Geiss left on Monday for a two week's visit at the home of her parents, ex-county commissioner and Mrs. George L. Goodhart, of Centre Hall.

—Miss Florence Love, one of the compositors in the Warrax office, and Miss Grace Beck spent last Sunday in Centre Hall and attended the funeral of Mrs. From.

—Robert A. Way, one of Halfmoon's most progressive farmers, transacted business in Bellefonte on Wednesday, looking not a day older than he did twenty years ago.

—Col. Austin Curtin surprised his friends by returning from the hospital in Philadelphia on Tuesday night and the very next morning started on a journey to Vicksburg to see his wife.

—W. N. Keller, who the past winter taught the grammar school at Mt. Union, and which closed this week, passed through Bellefonte on Tuesday on his way home to Pine Grove Mills.

—Charles Barnes left yesterday for New Haven, Conn., where he has accepted a position as book-keeper for the same contracting firm with which John Munson is employed as a civil engineer.

—Among our callers yesterday were county auditor James W. Swab, of Linden Hall, and W. A. Neese, of Spring Mills, both of whom realize that a newspaper cannot run entirely on wind.

—Mrs. Harriet Thomas Kurz will leave for Kansas, Saturday, expecting to be from Bellefonte until the middle of July. Mrs. Kurz expects to stop in Pittsburgh and in Ohio on the way out, not reaching Leavenworth until the first of June.

—Harry F. Yearick, at one time a teacher in the Bellefonte public schools but now postal clerk on the Pennsylvania railroad between Pittsburgh and New York, has been enjoying a vacation the past week and visiting his parents at Jacksonville as well as friends in Bellefonte.

—The Hon. Gassaway Davis, the remarkable eighty-four year old West Virginia millionaire and late Democratic nominee for Vice President, is expected in town today to be the guest of Mrs. Hastings for a short visit. Mr. Davis is a widower and probably the most distinguished man in his state.

—Mr. H. E. VanNorman, of The Pennsylvania State College, went to Pittsburgh yesterday and tomorrow evening will make an address before the Anti-Tuberculosis Society and on Monday evening before the Society of Physicians and Surgeons on the subject of "The Production of Clean Milk."

—Monday morning Mr. F. W. Crider was down in the cellar of his house and desiring a heavy box moved from one place to another forgot that he was not the boy he used to be and undertook the job himself with the result that he sprained his back and was laid up for a day or two. Notwithstanding this fact, and though he was just able to get around in a creaky kind of way, he left yesterday for Philadelphia for the purpose of bringing his wife home today. It will be recalled that Mrs. Crider has been quite sick for a month or more at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Charles E. Dorworth, at Ardmore, but she has now almost entirely recovered, she had an attack of creeping paralysis and her attending physicians said her recovery is a case of about one in fifty thousand.

Bellefonte Produce Markets

Corrected weekly by Seehler & Co.	
Potatoes per bushel	50
Onions	75
Eggs, per dozen	15
Lard, per pound	11
Country Shoulders	10
Sides	19
HAMS	15
Tallow, per pound	3
Butter, per pound	25

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