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THINGS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY

James Harris is having his house on Spring street repainted. A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Earl C. Tuten last Friday morning.

A number of Belleville weddings are booked for the first week in June. Miss Sara Potter entertained twelve of her friends at a card party Wednesday afternoon.

Dr. T. C. VanTries is having the exterior woodwork of his house on Spring street repainted.

From the kind of weather we have had this week it looks as if summer is here at last.

Gerald, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Nofan, fell from a wagon on Friday and broke his collar bone.

The Undines want it understood that they will have their customary big picnic at Hecla park on the Fourth of July this year.

Owing to the flurry in the Chicago wheat market on Monday Belleville dealers put up the price of flour sixty cents a barrel.

John Nolan, who has been transferred from Belleville to Look Haven, intends moving his family to the latter place in the near future.

Since Dr. M. J. Locke has had his Buick runabout equipped with a top it looks the noblest of any of the smaller machines in Belleville.

Last Friday the judges in the J. C. Meyer biographical essay prize announced the winner as Miss Harriett D. Ray, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Ray.

C. V. Tuttle, who last week opened a brokers office in the Crider building, has returned to his old office in Huntington and put Mr. Chapman in charge here.

Henry Lowry, contractor, and F. W. Crider, for P. B. Crider & Son, have signed the new scale demanded by the carpenters union and the men have all gone to work again.

A heavy frost and one-eighth inch of ice greeted the early risers Sunday morning. Naturally some damage was done the fruit but it is not believed to be as great as the pessimists predict.

Last Saturday and Sunday the weather was down to the freezing point. Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday it was hot as July and yesterday it was again cold enough for an overcoat.

Mrs. Heckendorf, a sister of Mrs. C. Y. Wagner, died quite suddenly at her home in Snow Shoe township on Wednesday. She was cooking supper and while standing at the stove fell to the floor and expired.

On Monday John Cherry caught a trout below the dam at the Phoenix mill which measured 21 1/2 inches and weighed three pounds. He states that he also hooked a much larger one but it broke loose and got away.

George L. Kneisely suffered a slight attack of appendicitis the fore part of the week but by the prompt application of an abundance of ice the physicians succeeded in allaying the inflammation and he is now very much improved.

We have thus far omitted to call attention to the fact that F. E. Naginay just recently purchased one of the noblest furniture delivery wagons in town; from which it is evident that his business must be prospering accordingly.

The ladies of the Episcopal church will hold an exchange in Petriken hall tomorrow. Pies, cakes and candies, as well as various fancy articles, will be offered for sale. This will just be the proper place to get your pies and cakes for Sunday.

George Switzer and Thomas H. Fink, of Hannah, and Alfred K. Barr, of Gatesburg are three more Centre county young men who recently enlisted for service in the U. S. Army. They went to New York to be mustered into service.

Philip Bezer is making some decided changes in his meat market in the Benner building. A small office has been built in the left of the room and the counter set in a half square. This will prove much more convenient than the room was before with the office in the rear.

A big festival will be held in the town hall at Boalsburg on the evening of Thursday, May 30th, (Memorial day) at which sandwiches, coffee, ice cream and cake will be served. Music will be furnished by the Cadet band of State College. The public at large is invited to attend.

Charles R. Kurtz, editor and proprietor of the Centre Democrat, has under contemplation the installing of a duplex cylinder press and a typesetting machine. If typesetters grow much scarcer in Belleville all the newspaper offices will be compelled to put in machines before many years have passed.

The old house at the entrance to the Union cemetery has been raised about two feet and will be put in thorough repair throughout. The raising of the house became necessary owing to the fact that in passing through the gates the overhead extension was so low that the driver of the hearse had to get off to keep from being hit on the head.

AN INTERESTING EVENT IN LOCAL ATHLETICS.—A new and very interesting epoch in the athletic life of the Belleville Academy will be ushered in next Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, when the Kiskiminetus Springs school base ball nine—the leading "Prep" school team of Western Pennsylvania—will inaugurate athletic relations with the Belleville Academy—the leading secondary school of Central Pennsylvania—on Beaver field, at State College.

Both nines are playing fine ball and a most interesting and exciting contest may be expected. The "Kiski" nine defeated the State Reserves at Salsburg recently by the score of 5 to 1.

A very interesting incident in the approaching contest will be the fact that the Fallerton brothers will be the opposing pitchers and that fact in itself promises a good game.

For many years past the Academy has had strong foot ball and base ball teams but has never been able to compare their strength with the respective teams of the standard schools of her own class because of the distance that separates these institutions and the expense necessitated in bringing their teams together. State College, with her wonted foresightedness, has approved in mass meeting the plan suggested by Mr. Jas. R. Hughes to have one base ball game in the spring and one foot ball game in the fall of each passing year played on Beaver field between the Academy and some standard preparatory school team.

The State College students voted to give these games their heartiest financial support, which means much for the Academy. Such a plan will not only benefit the Academy by giving it an opportunity to advertise its desirable location and its worthiness as an opponent to the "Prep" schools of its class and to the public at large, but it will demonstrate to the students of the visiting teams the attractiveness of The Pennsylvania State College both as to its beautiful environment, fine buildings, and its high grade of practical intellectual work done. The influence that will react upon both institutions can never be measured.

A large number of friends of the Academy should attend this interesting occasion. The State College cadet band will furnish the music. On Decoration day the Academy will play a return game at Kiskiminetus. The tickets at State will be sold by the College students who prepared at the Academy.

Prof. Wilson, who is at the head of the Kiskiminetus school, was a college mate of Mr. Jas. R. Hughes at Princeton.

LAST FRIDAY'S BENEFIT BASE BALL GAME.—The base ball game played on the Meadowbrook park grounds, last Friday afternoon, between the State College reserves and a mixed Belleville team resulted in a victory for the former by the score of 9 to 2, but more important than all the neat sum of about \$110 for the benefit of the pathological department of the Belleville hospital.

The State College Varsity team had agreed to come down but at the last moment was unable to do so and the reserves were sent instead. The Belleville team was made up of mostly Academy players, though for six innings Otto caught Fallerton, the Academy pitcher, while Scott played first and Gephart middle field. The game was not as interesting as expected and there was the usual after talk of unfair decisions, spit ball and liquor, but with all that none of the spectators begrudged the money spent because they knew it was going for a worthy cause.

And in this connection we might say that those who had the benefit in charge wish, through the columns of the WATCHMAN, to convey their special thanks to the Coleville band, who furnished their delightful music free; to the Y. M. C. A. for the loan of their chairs; to the Belleville Central railroad company which transported the College team to and from Belleville for nothing as well as for their liberal excursion rates; to the Brookerhoff and Bush houses for entertaining the visiting team free and to any and all persons who in any way contributed to the success of the benefit.

ALLEGED SHOOTING EPISODE.—Some excitement was caused on Sunday evening by a hurry call for the police, which was followed a few minutes later by James Jodon, a young man of Coleville, making his appearance in Belleville in quest of officers, stating that his younger brother, Ollie, had shot at him three times and displaying a hole in his coat under the left sleeve which he said was made by one of the bullets. The young man was very much excited but at the time failed to locate a policeman, and when he finally did so the officer declined to go to Coleville and investigate the affair, as it was out of his jurisdiction and Jodon had no warrant for the arrest of his brother.

As near as can be gleaned the facts of the affair are about as follows. Ollie Jodon was walking with a young woman of Coleville and in passing his brother James the latter made some remark that angered the former to that extent that he went home and got his revolver and when he again met his brother indulged in a little gunplay. While James in his excitement Sunday evening showed a hole in his coat which he averred was made by one of the bullets, his brother Ollie declared that he shot in the air every time and had no intention of doing anyone any harm. On Monday James went before Squire Keichline, swore out a warrant and had his brother arrested. He gave bail in the sum of one thousand dollars for a hearing on Saturday June 1st, when the true story of the affair will likely be revealed.

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Mr. James Kane, who has been in a Philadelphia hospital the past six weeks undergoing treatment, was brought home on Wednesday, his condition being such that the doctors can do nothing for him.

At the annual convention of the Harrisburg diocese of the Episcopal church, in session at Sunbury, on Wednesday, Col. W. Fred Reynolds was elected a lay delegate to the general convention of the church.

The Van Amringe company now have men at work putting on the balance of the Centre county soldier's monument and this time they expect to complete the job before leaving Belleville.

H. J. and Lewis Weidman and Geo. Walizer, of Look Haven, were in lower Pennsylvania last week buying horses for draft service. They found three that suited and bought them, two from the Eisenhuth brothers and one from H. G. Stover.

Sydney Bartlett, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Bartlett, of this place, and well known by everybody in Belleville was slightly hurt in a freight wreck on the middle division of the Pennsylvania railroad last Friday morning. Bartlett was a brakeman on the train wrecked.

The stork has been busy in Belleville this week. On Tuesday it took a double turn and brought girl babies to the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Martin and Mr. and Mrs. William Dreiblebis and Wednesday night it made another trip and left a big boy baby at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Waite.

Three weeks ago Rosa Miller, colored, formerly of this place, had her right hand badly mangled and burned by getting it caught in a hot mangle in the laundry at the Park hotel, Williamsport. The doctors at first thought they could save the member but it was so badly injured that last week it was found necessary to amputate the hand and forearm in order to save her life.

Last Wednesday William Rhine-smith left the Palace stable and exchange stable, where he had been in charge since the resignation of W. F. Larimer, and Geo. A. Bezer has taken charge of the same. Mr. Bezer is not only a good liveryman but a thorough horseman and under his management the Palace stables will undoubtedly become more popular than ever.

The Pennsylvania telephone company now has a big force of men at work stringing another pair of No. 12 copper wires for trunkline service between Belleville and State College. As soon as it is completed a similar trunk line will be strung between here and Millheim. These additional lines have been rendered a necessity because of the constantly increasing business of the Pennsylvania company between the above points.

The Belleville Academy base ball team went up to State College last Saturday to try conclusions with the Varsity nine and were defeated by the score of 17 to 1. On Monday State played the strong University of West Virginia team on Beaver field, defeating the visitors by the score of 5 to 0, thus winning her fifteenth straight victory. On Tuesday the State team left on an eastern trip and while away will play West Point, Fordham, Villa Nova and Lehigh, four hard games.

With the approval of the board of directors superintending principal John D. Meyer has out the last day entertainments in all the schools in the borough. This action was taken after careful consideration and for various reasons, one of the principal ones being that it so greatly interfered with the studies of the younger pupils during the last month of school, or else they were physically and mentally overtaxed. Of course this does not conflict with the regular high school commencement exercises.

W. B. Fickes, of Altoona, who is at the head of the Central Pennsylvania division of the Union News company has installed a newspaper service on the Bald Eagle valley railroad running between Tyrone and Look Haven. For the past two years there has been no newspaper service on this road and patrons were unable to obtain newspapers or reading matter of any kind. Knowing this and realizing the advantages of such a service Mr. Fickes decided to install one and it was put into effect on Monday.

Clarence Weaver, John A. Reish and Orrie Harpster, three Ferguson township young men, the two former being school teachers, have gone to Norfolk, Va., and wishing to see as much of the Jamestown exposition as possible each hunted up a good job and now they are located there permanently for the summer. They have already gathered considerable knowledge of the place and the exposition and will be glad to give information to any person from Centre county who will write to them. They are located at 102 Charlotte street, Norfolk.

If you are thinking of buying either a new or second hand buggy this spring it will save you money to call on S. A. Moquist & Co., in this place. They constantly carry a full line of new stock which they sell at surprisingly low prices. All their work is not only guaranteed but the cost is considerable less than the same rig would cost at any factory in the country; and the material used in the construction thereof is always several grades better. All second hand rigs have been thoroughly overhauled, and you will be surprised at the bargain prices they are offered at. Give them a call.

CANDIDATES REGISTERED.—Last Saturday was the last day for the registering of candidates to be voted for at the June primary election and the limited number who registered is evidence of either one of two things. Either that there are not very many men who aspire to the two offices to fill in the county this year, or the people at large have as yet no understanding of the new primary law and failed to comprehend the fact that in order to be eligible to be voted for a man must register his name twenty days prior to the election. While there are only three offices in the county to fill, two of them, prothonotary and district attorney, are fair salaries ones, now that the office of district attorney will pay the next incumbent a salary of one thousand dollars a year.

Of course, in the Democratic party both of the present incumbents, prothonotary A. B. Kimpfort and district attorney W. Groh Runkle, are entitled to renomination for a second term, and naturally they are the only two Democrats registered. But not a Republican registered for either office, and this is the surprising part of it, as they are not usually so willing to allow an office to slip away from them without even making an attempt to grasp it. And the only explanation we can arrive at is that they all realized the utter futility of trying to beat two such good officers as Mr. Kimpfort and Mr. Runkle and hence decided to save their time, wind and money.

For the three delegates to the Republican State convention four candidates registered: Hard P. Harris, of Belleville; H. K. Hoffer, Phillipsburg; Charles A. McClure, Belleville; and W. L. Foster, State College.

On the Democratic ticket four candidates registered as delegates to the State convention and all are entitled to be voted for. They are: W. B. Mingle, Centre Hall; W. H. Fry, Ferguson township; E. A. Faulkner, Phillipsburg, and Charles Schad, Spring township.

D. W. Pletcher, of Howard, registered on the Republican ticket for county surveyor and Harry Keller for chairman of the county committee, while no Democratic candidates registered for either office.

COURT NEXT WEEK.—The first regular term of May court will begin next Monday and will naturally be one of more than ordinary interest. The criminal list is not an exceptionally large one. Possibly the only case of universal interest on the list is that of the Commonwealth against Jacob Dale, charged with the killing of Josiah Dale, of Centre Hall. At this late date there is nothing newer in the case, so far as has been made public, than WATCHMAN readers already know. Mr. From continues to maintain his innocence of the crime or any knowledge in connection with it, while the Commonwealth evidently believe they have evidence enough to connect him with the commission of the foul deed.

One thing is certain, however, and that is that so far it is a case of purely circumstantial evidence as there as yet has been brought to light anything near like direct testimony to fasten the crime on Mr. From or any other man. That it was a most cowardly and dastardly deed no one can help but admit, and the perpetrator deserves the full penalty of the law. The only question at issue is to be reasonably certain of having the right man.

Col. E. R. Chambers was this week retained by Mr. From to assist in his defense so that the array of legal talent who will fight for his acquittal now includes John M. Keichline, J. C. Meyer and Col. Chambers. They feel very confident that they will have little trouble securing Mr. From's full and entire acquittal of not only the awful charge of murder but of even any knowledge of or complicity in the deed, as they aver that they have an exceptionally strong defense.

THE LOGAN'S BENEFIT.—It is a fact much to be regretted that the young people of Belleville who worked so hard for several weeks in practice and then gave such a creditable performance of "The Rector of St. Marks" for two nights last week had as their reward the meagre sum of possibly forty-two dollars as the net results of the benefit to the Logan fire company.

The young men and women employed in the cast as well as those who took the minor parts gave a really creditable performance and they were deserving of far better patronage. And aside from this fact the Logans were deserving of more manifest support at the hands of the people of Belleville. When there is an alarm of fire the members of the company are always ready and willing to turn out and never leave their post of duty until all danger is past, so that last week's benefit was a poor financial testimony on the part of the people of Belleville, who should have turned out and given them royal support.

ROUND TABLE CONFERENCE.—Programs are now being sent out for the annual Round Table conference of school principals and superintendents of Central Pennsylvania which this year will be held in Altoona on September 2nd and 3rd. There will be no program of set speakers but a list of forty-five questions has been arranged and these will be discussed promiscuously by the members present. Two years ago the conference was held in Belleville.

CHILDREN'S DAY SERVICES.—Children's day services will be celebrated in the M. E. Sunday school on Sunday, June 9th. As has been the custom in years past the day will be made one of special exercises and an elaborate program is already being prepared. There will be special music appropriate to the day, speeches and recitations by the children and opportune addresses by the pastor and superintendent of the school.

News Purely Personal

Miss Jane McCalmont has been visiting Milroy friends this week.

Miss Helen White visited friends in Lock Haven several days this week.

Dr. R. S. Branch, of Spring Mills, transacted business in Belleville on Tuesday.

Henry L. Linn returned on Tuesday from a ten days' trip to New York and Boston.

Ed. Woomer went to Altoona on Saturday to spend Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Harry Yerick.

Col. J. L. Spangler and Miss Catharine Brisbin made a trip to Ebensburg the fore part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lose and little son, of Altoona, spent Sunday with their friends in this place.

George D. Bayard left on Monday for Houtzdale to assist Dr. Good in his drug store for a week or two.

W. V. Larimer went over to Clearfield on Saturday to spend Sunday with his son, Charles Larimer and wife.

Harry Hasen, of Washington, D. C., was a guest this week at the home of Thomas Howley, on east Bishop street.

Miss Grace Bingham, of Harrisburg, was in Belleville several days the past week, the guest of Miss Barbara Levy.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Potts Green returned on Monday from a fortnight's visit with friends in Mifflin and Union counties.

Mrs. A. O. Furst returned home on Tuesday from a several week's visit with friends in Williamsport and Philadelphia.

Mrs. Herbert Bellinger with her son Nestor are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John D. Sourbeck, on Bishop street.

Mrs. James Clark returned on Tuesday evening from a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Wilson and family, in Williamsport.

Harvey McClure, who now holds a good position on a railroad contract at Mt. Union, was home over Sunday to see his parents.

Mrs. M. A. Kirk spent Tuesday in Williamsport consulting Dr. Haskins concerning her eyes and devoting a portion of the day to shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Norris with their little baby came down from their Altoona home on Saturday to spend a few days at Grandpa Rine's home.

A. J. Reesman, of Centre Hall, with his little grandson, Robert McCormick, were in Belleville on Tuesday and very agreeable callers at the WATCHMAN office.

Mrs. John Olewine spent the latter part of last week in Williamsport the guest of Mrs. Boyd Wilson. While there Mrs. Olewine was under the care of Dr. Haskins.

Wm. Wolf left on Monday for Howard, where he has the contract for the new mattress factory. No doubt William will do a good job as he is a first-class brick layer.

After spending several days at the Bush home in this place Mrs. George B. Thompson with George B. Thompson Jr., returned to her home at Alto on Tuesday.

H. S. Ray, DeLann Stewart, Edmund Blanchard and Squire-Sergeant H. Laird Curtin went to Williamsport in the former's automobile on Tuesday, returning the next day.

S. D. Gettig Esq., was in Harrisburg this week attending a convention of the Knights of the Golden Eagle, while the Temple was represented by Mrs. Thomas Hazel.

Boyd A. Musser and wife, Leo Sherry and Lee Derstine came down from Altoona on Sunday to spend the day. The two latter were each accompanied by two young friends.

W. Harrison Walker Esq., attended the sittings of the United States district court in Scranton this week, being interested as counsel on a case which came up for trial before that tribunal.

Col. W. C. Patterson, of State College, attended the annual reunion of company B, Fifth Pennsylvania reserves, at Northumberland last Thursday. Out of eleven hundred men who enlisted in this regiment only one hundred and ten answered the last roll call.

W. D. Weikle and L. B. Wampler, of Philadelphia; R. H. Toole, of Baltimore, and D. M. Hinkle, of Williamsport, all of whom have a financial interest in the Pennsylvania Match company of this place, were in Belleville on Tuesday on a business mission.

Mr. and Mrs. John P. Harris left on Monday for Waynesburg, where Mr. Harris has business in regard to the settling up of the affairs of the second Waynesburg National bank. From there they will go to Butler to visit their son, Dr. Edward Harris, before returning home.

Rev. Edwin G. Richardson, Col. W. Fred Reynolds and C. F. Montgomery attended the annual meeting of the Harrisburg diocese of the Episcopal church held in St. Matthew's Episcopal church, Sunbury, this week. Gilbert S. Burrows, Burgess of Sunbury, made the address of welcome to the visiting preachers.

Mrs. C. M. Bower, who spent the winter with friends in Williamsport and adjoining towns, returned to Belleville on Tuesday, accompanied by her two grandchildren, who spent two weeks with her in the Lumber city. Mrs. Bower will at once open up her house on East Linn street and her son, John J. Bower and family will go there from the Curtin home for the summer.

Miss Gertrude McFadden accompanied by a lady friend were pleasant callers at the WATCHMAN office on Monday, a visit made without doubt because Michael Hays was too busy to come himself and yet would not allow his paper to go a week without being paid in advance. It is such subscribers who make a newspaper man's thorny path seem for one moment at least like a bed of roses.

Ed. Shaffer, who a number of years ago clerks for the Spigelmyers in this place but who is now in business for himself in Hanover, Pa., came to Belleville from his old home in Rebersburg on Wednesday and spent the night with friends in Belleville; the same joyful, good fellow he used to be when claiming Belleville as his home. He was accompanied by Mr. Bollinger, a young attorney of York, Pa.

Lee Walker, son of ex-sheriff and Mrs. W. Miles Walker spent several days the past week in Belleville visiting his parents. The young man is now a civil engineer in the employ of the J. G. White company, of New York, and his employers are sending him to Puerto Rico to superintend the building of thirty miles or more of railroad through that province. He left Belleville on Wednesday and will sail from New York city on Saturday for San Juan.

A delightful visitor at the WATCHMAN office last Saturday was Mrs. Twimire, wife of Prof. G. W. Twimire, of Wilmington, Delaware. The lady will probably be better remembered by Centre countyans as Miss Johanna Reese prior to her marriage. She has many friends in Centre county and has taken advantage of this very pleasant season of the year to pay at least a small part of them a visit. At present she is at Julian visiting her mother, who is ninety-two years of age.

As told exclusively in last week's WATCHMAN the Hon. Charles Cassady Davis, of West Virginia, arrived in Belleville on Friday and during his stay here was registered at the Brookerhoff house. Mr. Davis, though eighty-four years of age, does not look to be more than sixty. He is a very dignified looking man, alert and spry enough to justify the prediction that he is good for quite a number of years to come. During his stay in Belleville he met quite a number of people.

Mr. W. C. Lingle made a business trip to Phillipsburg on Tuesday.

B. S. Munch, of DuBois, transacted business in Belleville on Tuesday.

Sheriff Henry Kline transacted business in Lewistown on Wednesday.

Mrs. Charles T. Noll returned on Wednesday from a two week's trip to Pittsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Bell attended the funeral of Mrs. Aaron Hall, at Unionville, Thursday.

Miss Zeller, of Lock Haven, is the guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Zeller.

Miss Emma Kreider attended the funeral of the late Hugh Copelin in Tyrone on Wednesday.

Charles Scott left on Wednesday for Erie where he goes to play first base on the Erie ball team.

Mrs. John Price Jackson, of State College, was in Belleville on Wednesday doing a little shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Snyder, of this place, spent Sunday and Monday in Shamokin visiting their parents.

Miss Sarah and Clara Keller, of Boalsburg, spent Wednesday as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Keller, on east Linn street.

Mrs. Stewart Gambler, of Sunbury, who was a guest of Mrs. Frank Eckenroth for a week or so, returned to her home on Tuesday.

Miss Mary Cowdick left yesterday for her home in Niagara Falls, after spending a month very pleasantly with friends in Belleville.

John Dabbe, route agent for the Adams Express company with headquarters at Huntingdon, was a Belleville visitor the fore part of the week.

Mrs. Charles Chamberlain, of Cumberland, Md., and Mrs. Hannah Barnett, of Reading, are guests at the home of Dr. Tryon, on Howard street.

Mrs. F. W. Crider, who was brought home last Friday, stood the journey very well and since has shown continued improvement from her recent illness.

Col. R. A. Cassidy, of Canton, Ohio, was in Belleville last week on a visit to his son, W. C. Cassidy, and while here dropped into the WATCHMAN office for a friendly chat.

A. Fred Blair, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Blair, who for some months past has been located at Tacoma, Wash., spent last Friday in Belleville on a brief visit to his parents.

A. P. Zerby, father of our townsman, W. D. Zerby Esq., left on Wednesday for Big Rock, Ill., on a visit to his son, E. P. Zerby. If he likes the country he may spend most of the summer there.

Sidney Bartlett, who was hurt on the Pennsylvania railroad last week, came down from his home in Altoona, on Wednesday, to spend a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Bartlett, while his cuts and bruises are healing up.

Mr. and Mrs. George Traub, of Altoona, have been in Belleville this week spending part of their honeymoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Thal. They were accompanied to Belleville by Walter Shutt and Mr. Hedinger, of Boalsburg.

Noah H. Swayne II, chairman of the board of managers of the furnaces operated by Rogers-Brown & Co., spent Wednesday night among his friends in town. He came up to look over the Nittany furnace and preside at the directors' meeting of Whitetock quarries, of which he is president.

Mercantile L. G. Burket, of Stormont, was in Belleville yesterday on a business mission looking just as fat and sleek as all Halfmooners do. And just here we might state that it will not be many months until there will be a wedding in Stormont in which Mr. Burket will be somewhat interested as his eldest son will be the "best man"—that is, the bridegroom.

Dr. W. S. Glenn, of State College, expects to start on quite an extended tour of the country on June 10th. While his objective point is the annual meeting of the medical association at Los Angeles, Cal., he expects to run down to Orange, Texas, to see his son Harold, who is in business there, for a few days and then after a trip up the coast will return by the Canadian Pacific to Montreal, thence by boat over the St. Lawrence and the Lakes home.

Like thousands of others, Mr. S. E. Goss, who is with the firm of Musser & Musser away out at Lady-smith, Wisconsin, has a hankering for home news and knows where to find it. In renewing his subscription last week he writes: "I could not get along without the WATCHMAN. Its Pine Grove items give me all the news from my old home and its general county news keeps me well booked on everything transpiring in 'old Centre'."

COUNTY GRANGE MEETING.—The Centre county Pomona Grange, No. 13, will meet in the hall of Walker Grange at Hubbersburg, Friday, May 24th, at 10 o'clock a. m. All fourth degree members are cordially invited to be present.

D. M. CAMPBELL, Secretary.

Belleville Produce Market.

Corrected weekly by Seehier & Co. Potatoes per bushel..... 10 Onions..... 10 Eggs, per dozen..... 15 Lard, per pound..... 11 Country shoulders..... 10 Sides..... 10 Hams..... 15 Tallow, per pound..... 8 Butter, per pound..... 25

Belleville Grain Market.

Corrected weekly by C. Y. WAGNER. The following are the quotations up to 12 o'clock, Thursday evening, when our paper goes press: Wheat—R—d..... 80 No. 2..... 75 Corn..... 50 Mixed new..... 57 5/8 Oats..... 45 5/8 Flour—Wheat, Per Bu..... 3 1/2 to 3 5/8 Penna. Roller..... 3 3/8 to 3 5/8 Favorite Brands..... 3 25 to 4 00 Rye Flour Per Bu..... 4 00 to 4 25 Baled Hay—Choice Timot No. 1..... 15 00 to 15 50 Mixed " 1..... 15 00 to 15 50 Timothy seed per bushel..... 22.00 to 22.50

Philadelphia Markets.

The following are the closing prices of the Philadelphia markets on Wednesday evening. Wheat—R—d..... 93 5/8 to 94 No. 2..... 87 5/8 to 88 Corn..... 50 1/2 to 51 Mixed new..... 57 5/8 to 58 Oats..... 45 5/8 to 46 Flour—Wheat, Per Bu..... 3 1/2 to 3 5/8 Penna. Roller..... 3 3/8 to 3 5/8 Favorite Brands..... 3 25 to 4 00 Rye Flour Per Bu..... 4 00 to 4 25 Baled Hay—Choice Timot No. 1..... 15 00 to 15 50 Mixed " 1..... 15 00 to 15 50 Timothy seed per bushel..... 22.00 to 22.50

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