

Democratic Watchman

Bellefonte, Pa., August 9, 1907.

Correspondents.—No communications published unless accompanied by the real name of the writer.

THINGS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY

The Hubbard bridge near Beech Creek will be completed this week. The ladies of the United Brethren church will hold a festival tomorrow evening. Don't fail to see the big ball game on the glass works meadow grounds this afternoon. The old Thomas home near Roopsburg was totally destroyed by fire early Sunday morning. The origin of the fire is unknown. Lieutenant Harry Ressler arrived in Bellefonte on Wednesday last week and is now in charge of the local branch of the Salvation Army. Dr. and Mrs. E. J. Ward are making preparations to entertain a house party next week, when a number of friends from a distance will be their guests. Quite a hard thunder storm passed over the lower part of Bald Eagle valley on Wednesday evening but so far as can be learned no serious damage was done. The Bald Eagle telephone company is arranging to string another pair of wires between Howard and Lock Haven in order to accommodate their through service. Miss Emma Aiken has issued invitations for a reception to be held at her mother's home on Allegheny street, from 8 to 10 o'clock Thursday evening, August 15th. Dr. M. J. Locke will entertain the members of the medical society at luncheon at their regular meeting at the Bellefonte hospital at two o'clock next Tuesday afternoon. Treasurer F. K. White was over during the fore part of the week suffering with a cold that he might have been proud of in January, but now there is positively no excuse for it. The reformed congregation have started in to finish their chapel erected some months ago at the rear of their church on Spring street. It is the expectation to have it ready for dedication in six weeks or so. When the new addition to the Bellefonte hospital is completed it will contain a room to be known as the "Howard room," which will be furnished by the ladies of Howard, they having already selected the furniture for it. On Monday morning Henry Lowery's bay gelding stepped a trial mile in 2:33 at the fair grounds. He did it without much effort and did not make a skip. Henry is all smiles now and is looking for something bigger than the county race. Frederick Blanchard, formerly of this place, has been made credit manager, in charge of the credits and collections of the Universal-Portland Cement Co., of Chicago and Pittsburg. It is a subsidiary plant of the Illinois Steel Co., of Chicago. During the month of August and while Mr. Stein is taking his vacation at Ocean Grove, the pulpit of the Methodist church will be filled Sunday, August 11th, both morning and evening, by Dr. Robbins, of Williamsport, and on the 18th in the morning, by Rev. Hal Orison. The balance of the month the church will be closed. You will miss a whole lot of fun if you don't attend the ball game on the glass works meadow this afternoon. The game in itself will be worth double the twenty-five cents charged for admission, but there will be a lot of other doings to help entertain the crowd; and the promoters are keeping it all quiet so as to surprise everybody. Having tried the experiment of tall signal posts in this place the Pennsylvania railroad company has found them unsatisfactory owing to the fact that they cannot be seen from the operator's office in the depot. It is their intention now to build a tower house in which the operator will be installed and from which the signals will be operated. Several years ago Miss Helen Overton, of the Bellefonte Academy, entertained the Messrs. Cray, of Shickelbinny, for a week or more, and the people of Bellefonte who had the pleasure of meeting them at that time will regret to learn that they have lost their mother, who died the latter part of last week. Mrs. Cray was an aunt of Miss Overton. On Wednesday John S. Walker took Messrs. F. H. Thomas, James H. Potter, Charles M. McCarty and Col. W. Fred Reynolds to Alexandria, Huntingdon county, in his Franklin car. They left here at three o'clock in the afternoon, had supper in Alexandria and arrived home at eleven o'clock, having gone by the way of Pennsylvania Furnace and Spruce Creek. The Nittany Iron company last week sold their big cinder dump south of the furnace to McMenamin & Sims, railroad contractors of Philadelphia, who will use it in concrete and other work, in building railroad bridges, etc. This will mean not only getting rid of that big pile of what has hitherto been regarded as useless matter, but getting a fair price for it at the same time. The purchasers will remove the cinder as fast as they can use it and it will be only a question of time until the entire flat south of the furnace will be cleaned off.

DALE FAMILY REUNION.—The second annual reunion of the Dale family was held in the Orange hall at Oak Hall on Saturday and was largely attended, not only by members and descendants of the original Dale family but by many of their friends. At ten o'clock George Dale, president of the association, called the meeting to order and after prayer by Rev. W. H. Dale, of Cleveland, Ohio, the secretary, Dr. J. Y. Dale, read the minutes of the organization of the association in December, 1905, and of the first annual reunion held on August 4th, 1906. Dr. Dale also read a paper detailing the history of the Dale family from the time their ancestors emigrated to this country from Germany in 1749. Promptly at twelve o'clock all business was laid aside and everybody was invited to partake of a dinner such as only the women of the Dale families know how to prepare. The tables were spread in the shade of the big trees on the lawn and were loaded down with all kinds of good things to eat. In the afternoon brief speeches were made by Dr. A. H. Tuttle, of the University of West Virginia, and Prof. W. A. Buckhout, of The Pennsylvania State College, who were among the guests present. Mrs. Sarah Dale, Mrs. Carrie Dale, and Misses Catharine Dale, Annie Dale, Luella Dale, Mamie Dale and Edwin Dale, members of the fifth and sixth generations of the Dale family, entertained the crowd with music and recitations for an hour or so after which historian Clement Dale read a paper which dealt largely with the first, second and third generations of the family after their emigration to America, not one of whom is now living. Brief speeches were also made by Rev. J. I. Stonecypher, Rev. W. H. Dale, John S. Dale, Willard Dale, A. A. Dale, W. J. Dale and Henry Hoy. The officers elected for the ensuing year are as follows: President, George Dale; vice president, David E. Dale; secretary, Dr. J. Y. Dale; assistant secretary, John S. Dale; treasurer, W. J. Dale; chaplain, Rev. W. H. Dale; historian, Clement Dale; executive committee, A. A. Dale, A. W. Dale, Philip S. Dale, Dr. James S. Dale and Edmund Dale.

BELLEFONTES TO PLAY BALL.—A great game of ball is scheduled to be played on the glass works meadow grounds this afternoon between a team made up of professional men of the town and a team composed of business men. Dr. W. W. Feldt will manage the professionals and, though nobody has been able to discover the place, it is said that he has had them down to hard practice for some time past and that the most of them have become so proficient that they can tell a fair ball from a fowl. Sydney Kramline, the druggist and one of the best informed "fans" in Bellefonte, will manage the business men's team and so confident is he that his team will win that he goes around with an air of complacency and a self-satisfied smile wonderful to behold. As the proceeds are to be for the benefit of the pathological department of the Bellefonte hospital the game should be well patronized. And, in addition, the patrons will no doubt see a great contest. Game will be called at three o'clock. As an evidence of just how hard a contest this will undoubtedly be we herewith give the line-up of both teams, and if you read the list over carefully you will notice the names of men who are players that Pop Anson might have rejoiced to have when he was in the zenith of his glory: Professionals.—Blanchard, ss.; Garlick, 3b.; Keller, c.; Locke, 1b.; Dale, p.; Feldt, 2b.; Fortney, rf.; Meyer, cf.; Hayes, lf.; subs., Zery, Boer, Kilpatrick, Walker, Miller, Tate, Chambers, Tryon, Solberg. Business men.—Ott, c.; Irwin, 3b.; Curtin, p.; Kramline, 1b.; McGinley 2b.; Harper, ss.; Harris, cf.; Hunter, lf.; Cassidy, rf.; subs., Miller, Green, Herr, Conley, Naginay, etc., etc., etc.

WHAT THE SCHOOL BOARD DID.—The Bellefonte school board had a busy as well as rather interesting meeting on Monday evening. The resignation of Miss Frances Elmore as teacher of one of the grammar schools in the Stone building was accepted and when it came to discussing the question the board decided to do away with one of the schools by consolidating two under the grade of intermediate grammar and selecting Miss Helen Harper as teacher. To do this will necessitate remodeling the second floor of the Stone building. As it is now laid out there are three rooms, one big one in the middle and a small one at each end. It is the purpose to tear out the two partitions and put one through the centre of the building, thus making two good sized school rooms, and which will afford ample room for the schools to be taught by Miss Edie Snyder and Miss Harper. It will also result in giving better light in both rooms than was had heretofore in either of the three. The work will be done at once. The board also decided to put down an entirely new tar pavement around the Brick school building. Some of the directors thought it would be economy to put down either brick or stone, but as either one would easily coat with ice and become very slippery, hence dangerous, in the winter time, they understood the wisdom of making the pavement of tar, and such it will be. This work will also be done before the opening of school in September.

L. A. Schaeffer has gone to Cambria, Va., where he is superintendent of the Montgomery Lime company, a new organization that has just begun operations in that locality. Cambria is about thirty miles west of Roanoke and is right in the belt of timber and coal lands, as well as limestone.

Miss Annie J. Fisher, of Lock Haven, has been elected to teach the intermediate grade of the schools at Eagleville.

Don't forget that the Centre-Clinton counties business men's picnic is less than two weeks off and make your arrangements accordingly.

A fine young son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Sommerville Potter on Saturday night and the happy parents are now receiving the congratulations of their many friends.

Irvin G. Gray, who is now working out a string of horses at the fair grounds in this place, was called to his home at Stormstown on Saturday owing to his young son being seriously injured by falling off of a load of hay.

The entire plant of the Ardell Lumber company will be offered at public sale on Wednesday, August 14th, by Edward L. Hoy, administrator of the estate of the late Newlin Irwin. The plant is a valuable one and there will no doubt be sharp competition for its purchase.

Alexandria, Huntingdon county, has prepared an elaborate program for the celebration of Old Home week August 26th to September 1st, and on Wednesday, August 28th, there will be a school reunion with John D. Meyer, supervising principal of the Bellefonte schools, presiding.

The farmers throughout the county have their wheat all housed and some of them have begun to cut their oats. There is still considerable hay to make, if the farmers can find room to store it. The oats crop, by the way, is a great deal better than was expected; in fact, is a pretty fair crop.

The new machine shop of James Seibert, on the rear of the McQuestion lot on Thomas street, is almost completed and in a short time will be fully equipped with the latest and best machinery. Mr. Seibert is known as one of the best machinists in the town and will no doubt build up a good business.

The corner stone of the new building for the Old Fellows' orphans home of Central Pennsylvania, at Sunbury, will be laid next Thursday, August 15th. Quite an elaborate program of exercises has been prepared, which will take up the entire day. All the Grand Lodge officers are expected to be present on that occasion.

Centre Hall had quite a fire Saturday night when the stable on the property of Harry Shirk was completely destroyed, including one horse, a lot of chickens, buggy, harness, etc. The fire company had some difficulty in keeping the flames from spreading to the adjacent buildings but fortunately succeeded in doing so. The origin of the fire is unknown.

Miss Garner, of State College, was brought to the Bellefonte hospital on Monday morning, by Dr. W. S. Glenn, suffering with a very bad attack of typhoid fever. The young woman was formerly a nurse in the hospital and of late nursed Raymond Lingle through a hard siege of typhoid and immediately afterwards took charge of Mrs. Brachbill during her last illness. Her system was thus very much overtaxed and she went to her home at State College for a much needed rest but last Thursday she was taken sick and typhoid fever rapidly developed. Her sister was also brought to the hospital yesterday for treatment for spinal trouble.

The buttonless suspender manufactured by S. D. Ray in connection with his shirt factory in this place, is proving a success and the demand for it is increasing right along. In fact the demand is far greater than the output owing to the inability to secure the material. If this difficulty could be overcome Mr. Ray could easily double if not triple his output and naturally would be compelled to increase his force of employees. The buttonless suspender is not an experiment having passed beyond that stage, and it would not be surprising to see it come into universal use in a very few years and the plant here increased to ten times its present dimensions and output.

Charles Koozitz, who went blind so suddenly about five weeks ago and was taken to the Wills Eye hospital, Philadelphia, for treatment, is still in that institution. The last information received from there was that there was yet no signs of him recovering his sight, even partially, but the doctors evidently have not given up all hope and are still resorting to every means possible to restore his vision, though they hold out no definite hope of doing so. It is just possible that an eminent eye specialist in New York, said to be the best in the world, may yet be called in consultation on the case. In the meantime Mr. Koozitz is hoping against hope and keeping as cheerful as possible under the unfortunate circumstances.

For some time past the newspapers throughout the western part of the State have been publishing items about the journeyings of a tramp who goes by the cognomen of "A No. 1," refusing to give any other name. The individual in question made his appearance in Bellefonte on Thursday evening last week and for some time entertained a crowd in Keichline's green grocery. In appearance the man resembles a traveling man more than he does a hobo; in fact, he is just smart enough to realize that his peculiarities are what is needed to make his life as a tramp more like a "bed of ease" than anything else would do and, incidentally he "worked" our friends Ad Fumble, A. Katz and the Josephs right up to the limit nicely.

THE CENTRE COUNTY FAIR.—The big Centre county fair will this year be held on the 8th, 9th, 10th and 11th of October, and now is the time for Centre county farmers to begin planning for their exhibits of stock and agricultural products. It is the intention of the management to make the fair this year bigger and better in every way than it has ever been in the past. The rain of Monday and Tuesday last year and the unusually cold weather which followed during the rest of the week not only interfered with the bringing in of many exhibits but also kept many people away so that the attendance was not up to what it might have been. But the managers of the fair association are not discouraged and this year, with good weather, will show the people of the county what a big fair it is. But to do this they will need the cooperation of not only the farmers, but business men and the women of the county. To have a successful fair there must be plenty of exhibits and it remains with the people of the county to furnish these. And it is now none too early to begin planning for these exhibits. If you have some good wheat, and we know most every farmer in Centre county has, save a little of the best of it. If you have some promising fruit, please around it carefully so it may become as perfect as possible. If you have stock that is blooded and thrifty give it the proper attention so that when the fair time is here you will know that your exhibit is not only a worthy one but one which will likely win you money.

DEPARTMENT REORGANIZED.—When the students assemble at The Pennsylvania State College at the opening of the college on September 12th they will find the department of agriculture completely reorganized. It will be remembered that last fall a call was extended to Prof. Thomas F. Hunt, of Cornell, to take charge of the school of agriculture. After carefully considering the matter and looking the field over he decided to do so, and assumed charge of the department on July first. He will have to assist him in his work Prof. Alva Agee, as professor of agricultural extension; Dr. H. P. Armby, director of the institute of animal nutrition; John W. Gilmore, of Cornell, as professor of agronomy; Prof. Bailey E. Brown, of the U. S. bureau of soils, as assistant professor of agronomy, with Prof. J. J. Shiner as his assistant; Prof. John H. Barrow, of Cornell, has been appointed assistant in experimental agronomy with special reference to soils. Agronomy has also been made for an assistant and an instructor in poultry husbandry. Prof. I. C. Mairs will have charge of the correspondence courses, while Prof. J. P. Stewart will have charge of the experimental horticultural work. C. L. Goodling, who graduated last June, has been appointed an assistant in dairy husbandry. Dr. William Frear, who has so ably filled the position of professor of agricultural chemistry in the past, has been made vice director of the station and professor of experimental agricultural chemistry, and Prof. M. S. McDowell has been promoted to be his assistant.

LECTURING TO RAILROAD MEN.—Wednesday morning about eight o'clock Dr. H. W. Pownall, chief medical adviser of the Tyrone division of the Pennsylvania railroad, accompanied by train-master R. B. Freeman and assistant engineer J. W. Stone, all of Tyrone, arrived in Bellefonte in a special train over the Bald Eagle valley railroad and for half an hour held a short course medical school for railroad men. The purpose is to instruct all train crews as well as trackmen the science of "first aid to the injured." Or to put it more plainly, Dr. Pownall, in a comprehensive talk, told the men just what to do in case of an accident where any person or persons were injured to relieve them or possibly save a life. In the event of an artery being cut they were shown how to properly bandage the limb to stop the flow of blood until an experienced physician could be obtained. Likewise if a bone was broken or any other kind of an injury, how to properly dress it to do until the injured one could be removed or have the attention of a doctor. Dr. Pownall will go over the entire Tyrone division and lecture to all the employees.

FOR THE NEW HOSPITAL.—Contractor Henry Lowery now has a force of men at work grouting for the foundation walls of the front part of the main building of the new Bellefonte hospital. It will be remembered that in the spring the walls were built for the rear portion of the building. The front portion will be 40x50 feet in size and the rear portion 30x40 where it connects with the front and 20x40 in the rear. This will simply be the main building, the original plans providing for both an east and west wing, which will be built in the future when the necessary funds can be raised. The entire building will be of brick and will be furnished and equipped in modern style. It is the intention to push the work on the main building right along to as early a completion as possible; a fact that will be appreciated by the hospital authorities on account of the always crowded condition of the present hospital building.

BIG GUN CLUB SHOOT.—The Lock Haven Gun club will hold its third annual tournament on their grounds near that city next Wednesday and Thursday, August 14th and 15th. This tournament always brings together some of the best shots in the country and this year will likely be no exception. A large list of prizes is offered, those for the first day aggregating in value \$141.75, and those for the second day \$181.25. Quite a number of Centre county's best shots expect to attend.

News Purely Personal

Miss Emma Hall spent Sunday with relatives at Blanchard. Miss Carolyn Anderson is visiting the Wilsons, at Salona. Mrs. William Cowdick, of Niagara Falls, is visiting friends in Bellefonte. Mr. and Mrs. George Sunday are visiting friends in Altoona and Philipsburg. Miss Julia McDermott is visiting her sister, Mrs. Andrew Harris, in Lock Haven. Mrs. Thomas Jenks, of Philadelphia, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Lese. Mrs. Carrie Graham and son George, of Williamsport, are in Bellefonte for an extended visit. William P. Kuhn, of Williamsport, greeted his old friends in this place in the beginning of the week. Ex-county commissioner George L. Goodhart, of Centre Hall, transacted business in Bellefonte on Monday. Mrs. Charles Heister left on Saturday for a ten day's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gentzell and family at Beaver Falls. Miss Mari McDermott, of east Bishop street, departed Thursday noon for a visit with friends in Williamsport and Milton. Mr. and Mrs. John M. Keichline went over to Petersburg in the beginning of the week to visit their son, Dr. John Keichline. After spending several weeks in Bellefonte with her mother Mrs. Guy Linn left on Wednesday for her home in Beaver Falls. Miss Grace Blackford is spending her vacation as a member of a camping party located near Lumber City, in Clearfield county. Hon. and Mrs. James Schofield have this week been entertaining Mr. and Mrs. William Rapsner and their son, of Philadelphia. W. W. Hicken, of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, who was called to Bellefonte on account of the death of his mother, left for home on Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Eberhart with their daughter, Mrs. Harry Badger, are in Bedford this week helping to celebrate the Old Home week. M. L. Gardner made a trip to Philadelphia this week on business connected with the Nittany Valley railroad, of which he is superintendent. Rev. Father McEardle will return tomorrow from a short sojourn at Atlantic City. That is if he don't miss the trains coming as he did going. Dr. Albert Engles Blackburn, of Philadelphia, spent Sunday with Mrs. Blackburn and their two children at the Col. Spangler home in this place. After spending seven weeks with friends in Aaronsburg and Millheim Miss Esther McElhatton returned to her home in this place last Friday. After a short visit at the home of his parents, remembered as one of the county's noted school teachers in days gone by, but he is now doing journalistic work at Niagara.

Mrs. C. J. McHugh and family, who have been in Bellefonte since the death of her father, the late W. W. Montgomery, left yesterday for their home in Pittsburg. They were accompanied by Miss Nettie Bair, who will spend some time with them in the Smoky city. Herbert Bartley, of Lock Haven, but an old Bellefonte boy, passed through this place last Saturday afternoon on his way to Beaver Falls and Ohio for a two week's vacation. Mrs. Bartley and their daughter Ruth will spend the time visiting their friends in this place. Ex-Judge Cyrus Gordon, of Clearfield, and his brother, I. Newton Gordon, of New York, were Bellefonte visitors the early part of the week. The latter gentleman after spending a few days in Clearfield will return to Bellefonte and will be the guest of Mrs. Joseph L. Montgomery. H. Laird Curtis and Hugh N. Crider accompanied Charles Gustenoffor to Sunbury on Saturday afternoon, the three spending the Sunday at that place. On Monday Mr. Gustenoffor left for his home on Staten Island and Messrs. Curtis and Crider returned home.

Messrs. Calvin R. Armstrong, L. Max Hayes, Chris Troxell, Austin Cadnor, and Messrs. Mollie Ball, Betty Younger and Margaret Fredericks made up a Lock Haven party who came to Bellefonte in Armstrong's big Pope Toledo automobile on Tuesday and attended a private dance in the hall in the public building which was gotten up by Wilson Gephart and Howard K. Curtin. Mrs. Isaac Gray is entertaining a house party of twenty at her home, "Meadowside Place," in Hafnbaum valley. Among the guests are Mrs. Fisher Liggett, Mrs. Strugles and family, of Cleveland, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Vanderhoof and family, of Canal Fulton, Ohio; Mrs. George Glenn and two children, of Chambersburg, and the Rev. and Mrs. Frank Hartsock and family, of Scranton.

J. Morrison Ewing, of Newport, spent Wednesday night at the Bush house. He was on his way to State College to visit his mother, Mrs. Hezekiah Ewing. Mr. Ewing is one of the Centre county boys who left to make his fortune in other places and from all appearances is doing so. When he left home it was to go to Mill Hill, where he worked in the ax factory for several years after which he went to Newport, Perry county, and started a store and now he is one of the biggest merchants in that place. Of course he is a Democrat and a constant reader of the WATCHMAN and these things may have helped him along the road to success. Last Friday Mrs. E. J. Ward left for a visit with friends in Harrisburg but hardly had she gotten in the capital city when she received a telegram from her husband that they were going to have visitors over Sunday, consequently she returned on Saturday and made ready for the entertainment of Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. John Kuns and child, of Huntingdon, who came over in an automobile on Saturday evening and remained until Monday evening. This week Dr. and Mrs. Ward are entertaining Mrs. M. L. Smyser and two daughters, Misses Jean and Grace, of York, who arrived on Wednesday for a few day's visit.

Miss Edna Meyer has for a guest Miss Mabel Wagner, of Barnesboro. Harriet Foster, of this place, spent last Sunday with friends in Juniata. Miss Anna McCoy and Miss Kate Shugerg have as their guest Miss Ross, of Philadelphia. Miss Lucy Moerschbacher left yesterday morning for a visit with friends in Philadelphia. Dr. R. B. Meek, of Avis, was in Bellefonte Wednesday on his way to State College and Wadfield. Phil McGinley, of Sparrows' Point, Md., was an arrival in Bellefonte on Tuesday for a week's visit. Miss Bertha McAnulty, of Barnesboro, is visiting with Miss Anna Keichline, at her home on Bishop street. Misses Harriet and Mary Ray, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Ray are visiting the Peares at Conneaut, Ohio. Mr. and Mrs. J. Irving Foster, of State College, are spending the month of August in Daysville, New York. Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Ardery are in Juniata valley this week visiting friends at Newton Hamilton and other places. Mrs. S. A. Bell and Miss Tate have been spending the week with David Hall's family, several miles from Unionville. W. S. Zeller, the druggist, left yesterday morning for a two day's vacation which he spent with his sister in Lock Haven. Miss Bettie Heinle was among the crowd of excursionists who left yesterday morning for a ten day's sojourn at Atlantic City. Mrs. S. Cameron Burnside, who is spending the summer at Howard, will come to the Bush house Saturday, where she will be for a week. Ross Parker with his wife and the two young children, will go to Somerset next week where Mr. Parker's vacation will be spent with relatives. Mr. and Mrs. George H. Smull, of Smulton, are now away on a trip to the Thousand Islands, through Canada and down through the State of Maine. Miss Sara Potter is entertaining Miss Katharine Stearns, of Williamsport and Miss Garrison, of Pittsburg, for whom Tuesday night's dance was given. Miss Mary Underwood left on Wednesday for a two week's vacation which she will spend at Atlantic City and in New York, Philadelphia and Woodbury, N. J. Miss Myrtle Longacre, head operator in the Pennsylvania telephone exchange, left on Monday for a fortnight's visit with friends in Philadelphia and Norristown. D. F. Fortney Esq., will go to Marlinton, Forest county, next week where he will make five addresses before the annual meeting of the county school director's association. Misses Agnes and Thessa Shields are entertaining at the Willows this week Miss Margaret Newman, Misses Mary and Anna Snyder, of Altoona, and Miss Terriblah, of Huntingdon. David L. Achenmuth arrived in Bellefonte on Monday and Wednesday, accompanied by his wife, who has been visiting friends here the past two weeks, left for their home in Albany, N. Y. Will Undercoffer is here from Philadelphia on a visit to his father, Joseph Undercoffer. He accompanied his sister Clara home, she having been in Philadelphia visiting friends for a week or two. F. D. Lee, the boss butter maker of Nittany valley—this is just our opinion—was a caller on Saturday and four pounds of his gilt edged product gave him another whole year's reading of the best county weekly in the country. Joseph L. Cass, of Tyrone, his daughter, Mrs. Lippencott, of Columbus, South Carolina, Mrs. Irwin, of Pittsburg, and Miss Ida Anderson of Tyrone, spent Sunday at the Country club, having come over in Mr. Cass' machine Saturday morning. Mrs. Cass, Miss Agnes Cass and Charles Cass will leave for New York Monday, expecting to sail for Europe on the 16th of August, where they will join Miss Annie Cass, expecting to travel until the early part of the summer of '08.

S. Steele Hunter, the retired carpenter, of south Allegheny street, is just now very much absorbed in watching the ravages of a small bug that attacks only the leaves of Catalpa trees. He has followed it into many parts of the county and has observed that the bug has attacked nearly every tree he has located, with few exceptions. It is only a matter of a few days until the leaves of the trees curl up and fade and Mr. Hunter is patiently waiting to see the effect on the tree proper.

Bellefonte Produce Markets

Corrected weekly by Secler & Co. Potatoes per bushel..... 10 Onions..... 15 Eggs, per dozen..... 11 Corn, per bushel..... 10 Country Apples..... 10 Apples..... 15 Raisins, per pound..... 3 Butter, per pound..... 18

Bellefonte 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..... 85 Rye, per bushel..... 50 Corn, shelled, per bushel..... 50 Corn, ears, per bushel..... 50 Oats and new, per bushel..... 55 Barley, per bushel..... 48 Ground Plaster, per ton..... 8 80 to 9 50 Buckwheat, per bushel..... 20 Cloverseed, per bushel..... \$7.00 to \$5.00 Timothy seed per bushel..... \$2.00 to \$2.25

Philadelphia Markets

The following are the closing prices of the Philadelphia markets on Wednesday evening. Wheat—Red..... 89 1/2 No. 2..... 85 1/2 No. 3..... 85 1/2 Mixed new..... 87 1/2 Flour—Wheat, per Br L..... 3 39 1/2 to 3 40 1/2 Penns. Roller..... 3 75 1/2 to 3 80 1/2 Favorite Brands..... 3 40 1/2 to 3 45 1/2 Rye Flour, per Br L..... 4 00 1/2 to 4 05 1/2 Baled Hay—Choice Timot No. 1..... 14 00 1/2 to 14 00 1/2 Mixed "1"..... 11 00 1/2 to 11 50 1/2 Straw..... 9 00 1/2 to 9 50

The Democratic Watchman

Published every Friday morning, in Bellefonte, Pa., at \$1.00 per annum (if paid strictly in advance) \$1.50 when not paid in advance, and \$2.50 if not paid before the expiration of the year; and no paper will be discontinued until all arrearages are paid, except at the option of the publisher. Papers will not be sent out of Centre county unless paid for in advance. A liberal discount is made to persons advertising by the quarter, half year, or year, as follows:

SPACE OCCUPIED 3m 6m 1y One inch (12 lines this type)..... \$ 8 10 15 Two inches..... 7 10 18 Three inches..... 6 10 25 Quarter Column (8 inches)..... 12 20 35 Half Column (10 inches)..... 20 35 50 One Column (20 inches)..... 35 55 100