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THINGS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY

The Pennsylvania State College will open the fall session on Thursday, September 19th.

The Bellefonte shirt factory will be closed the next two weeks to allow the employees their usual summer vacation.

Miss May Walker, an operator in the United telephone company's exchange, has almost recovered from a mild attack of appendicitis.

The Bellefonte Central railroad company has resumed its winter schedule of three trains a day each way between Bellefonte and State College.

Residents on east Lamb street are complaining about the bad condition of the crossing over the alley at almost the extreme end of the street.

The Bellefonte Academy opens its fall term on Wednesday, September 11th, at 1.30 p. m. It is desirable that all prospective students report promptly.

Rev. J. Hal Orison and family went to Philadelphia on last Friday where they will spend the winter, the reverend having secured a church in the Quaker city.

The Whitrock Quarries have leased the corner rooms on the third floor of Temple Court, formerly occupied as broker's office, and will make those their head offices.

Last Friday Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Marks, of Philadelphia, celebrated their silver anniversary in a happy little party which was attended by about fifty invited guests.

Mrs. Thomas Caldwell, who underwent treatment in the Bellefonte hospital the past few weeks, has so far recovered that she was able to be taken home on Sunday evening.

At council meeting on Monday evening the Street committee was empowered to put down the sewers on Allegheny, Bishop and Howard streets recently authorized by action of council.

While at work in the swing factory, Monday afternoon, John Emerick had two fingers badly crushed, because of which he will be compelled to lay off work for several weeks or longer.

During the past week a number of Pennsylvania telephone company linemen have been in Bellefonte for the purpose of chasing wire trouble out of some of the large cables in Bellefonte.

A freight wreck occurred near the Milesburg station on the Bald Eagle valley railroad at an early hour yesterday morning, when six cars left the track and became more or less mixed up. The road was cleared, however, in time to allow the passenger trains to pass on schedule time.

On Monday evening F. R. Bussler was at the skating rink and in making the last round he got going so fast he could neither stop nor guide his skates with the result that he bumped against the front door and ran his hand through the large frosted glass, cutting that member quite badly.

Hunting season is coming on apace and local tiradors ought to feel somewhat elated over the announcement by Dr. Kalbfus, secretary of the state game commission, that game will be unusually plentiful this fall. Of course it is always plenty enough before the hunting season opens.

A. Linn McGinley has been confined to his home the past three days on account of an abscess in his neck; occasioned, it is thought, by an ulcerated tooth. Just how bad he has been can readily be understood by the fact that for over forty-eight hours he has not been able to eat or drink.

The skating rink opened in the armory on Monday afternoon and evening with a large attendance, notwithstanding the fact that there were counter attractions in the Auditorium and the Herald Square Stock company at the opera house. Quite naturally it being the first skate of the season it was thoroughly enjoyed by all who attended.

Invitations have been issued for the wedding of W. S. Mallalieu, manager of the Pennsylvania telephone company in this place, and Miss Florence Denis, late head stenographer with the Potter-Hoy Hardware company, which will occur at the home of the bride's parents in Turbottsville, Lycoming county, on Thursday, September 19th.

Bellefonte's population is exactly 5,547, according to a census just completed by the Elks of the town. The census was taken by Claire Seibert under the direction of D. Paul Fortney and is in every way accurate. The census of 1900 gave Bellefonte a population of 4,216, so that the increase in seven years has been just 1,331, or over twenty-five per cent.

The public schools of Bellefonte opened on Monday with a good attendance of pupils. In the high school, however, there is a shortage of one teacher, as James H. Thompson, of Carlisle, who had been engaged to take the place of C. E. Dunning came here last week and after spending a day in town notified the board that he had decided he would not take the position and up to this time no other teacher has been secured.

DR. WADSWORTH RESIGNS.—Dr. Maishman Edward Wadsworth, dean of the school of mines and professor of mining engineering and geology in The Pennsylvania State College, has tendered his resignation to the board of trustees in order to accept a professorship in the new school of mines now being established at the Western University of Pennsylvania, for which the last Legislature appropriated the sum of two hundred thousand dollars. Dr. Wadsworth is a graduate of Bowdoin and Harvard colleges and during 1885 and 1886 was dean of the school of mines in the Michigan University. He came to State College in 1901 as professor of mining engineering and geology and later was made dean of the school of mines. In 1902 he was appointed geologist on the state board of agriculture, which position he held ever since. Dr. Wadsworth is a very able man and an effort will be made to have him stay at State College. If, however, he cannot see his way clear to doing so, he will leave for the Western University just as soon as his release can be obtained from the board of trustees of The Pennsylvania State College.

Coincident with Dr. Wadsworth's resignation is an authoritative report that Prof. Louis E. Reber, head of the mechanical engineering department at the College, has received a very flattering offer from the Wisconsin State University to accept a similar position in that institution. Up to this time, however, Prof. Reber has made no decision in the matter. While the offer is a much better one than he could ever hope to have at State College, yet he has been connected with the latter institution so long that he is loath to leave it; especially now when it is so fast becoming one of the foremost technical schools in the country. For both Dr. Wadsworth and Prof. Reber the WATCHMAN has always had the highest regard and it is our earnest hope that both gentlemen will decide to stick to Old Penn State.

BIG ENGINEERING BUILDING FOR THE PENNSYLVANIA STATE COLLEGE.—During the past week dispatches have appeared in various newspapers throughout the State announcing that Charles M. Schwab intended building a one million dollar technical school at State College. In the main the story is correct, the facts being as follows: Several years ago, prior to the death of Dr. George W. Atherton, president of the College, and on the occasion of one of Mr. Schwab's visits to that institution he and Gen. Beaver were walking across the campus when Mr. Schwab told the latter that as soon as he could see his way clear to do so he was going to build for the College the finest engineering building in the world.

As an evidence that he meant what he said he had an architect make the plans and drawings of a magnificent building, the estimated cost of which will be from \$1,000,000 to \$1,500,000. And the announcement now comes as no surprise to those closely connected with the College, as Mr. Schwab reiterated his promise but a little over a month ago to Gen. Beaver and Judson P. Welsh, vice president of the College. The two gentlemen were in New York city and went to see Mr. Schwab and he then told them that he intended to erect the building and though he did not state definitely just when he would begin he left both gentlemen under the impression that it would be within the next year or two. And that the College is eventually certain of getting the building is shown in the fact that Mr. Schwab also said that even in the event of his death the building would be erected, as he had already made provision for it.

BELLEFONTE FURNACE BLOWN IN.—At eight o'clock on Tuesday morning Miss Elizabeth Gephart applied the torch which started the fire in the Bellefonte furnace and the plant is again in blast after being out of commission since July 23rd. In that time the furnace was relined and the entire plant thoroughly overhauled so that now it is as good as new and when they get rightly started will be able to turn out over one hundred and twenty-five tons of metal per day.

While the job of relining the furnace was completed in record time it could have been done almost a week sooner had the work not been delayed because of the failure to get the brick here on time. When the fires were lighted there were present Col. C. M. Clement, of Sunbury, president of the furnace company, superintendent L. T. Munson and quite a crowd of spectators.

AT THE Y. M. C. A.—Up to this time the board of directors of the Young Men's Christian Association have been unable to secure a suitable man to take the place of L. C. Godfrey, who left the first of August. Several weeks ago an offer was made to a gentleman in Rochester, N. Y., but he was unable to come. Since that time correspondence has been had with persons in various other towns but so far no one has been secured.

At a recent meeting of the directors C. C. Shuey, the president, announced the chairman of the various committees, as follows: Finance, J. R. Hughes; devotional, C. K. Hickles; educational, J. E. Wagner; physical, John Bullock; boy's work, H. J. Hartranft; membership, Edward L. Gates; auxiliary, Mrs. C. N. Meserve.

For a month or more everybody has been hoping and praying for rain and their prayers have been answered very satisfactorily this week in a good two days rain which not only broke the severe drought but did it so effectually that crops and vegetation are not likely to suffer again for many days to come.

The hornets nest, the goose bone and the corn husk weather prophets are already putting forth their prophecies for the coming winter, which they predict will be a very mild one.

The primaries of the Academy have very attractive and comfortable quarters provided for them in the Beezer house on the corner of Spring and Bishop street. This improvement will doubtless bring about an increase in the attendance of this department this year.

The County Commissioners desire the readers of the WATCHMAN to know that their office will be closed during the 10th, 11th and 12th of the present month. They propose attending the annual meeting of the county commissioners of the State which will be held in York, on the days stated.

The Allegheny conference of the United Brethren church will convene for its annual sessions at Ansville, Clearfield county, on Wednesday, September 18th. The Bellefonte charge is in the Allegheny conference and Rev. W. H. Spangler will close the work of the conference and preach his last sermon next Sunday.

On account of Monday being Labor Day Wall street took a vacation and the broker's office in this place was likewise closed. And taking advantage of the occasion Harry L. Garber had his offices moved from the corner rooms on the third floor of Temple court to the rooms he formerly occupied next to the Reynolds building on the same floor.

After having won the championship cup in the tennis tournament at Erie several weeks ago Wilson Gephart and Love Lane went to Altoona last week for the tournament there and in their first drawing were pitted against district and interstate champions. Of course they were defeated but on the final day Lane won the cup in the consolation contest, so that they did not come home entirely devoid of honors.

A meeting of Spanish-American war veterans was held in the Armory last Friday evening and it was the sense of those present that a camp be organized in this place. Another meeting will be held at three o'clock on Sunday afternoon and it is requested that all those who are in favor of the movement and wish to become members of the camp be present, as an organization will likely be made at that meeting.

Roy Gentzel, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. Perry Gentzel, who was so lately hurt in an automobile accident at State College several weeks ago, has been getting along so well that it will only be a question of a week or so until he can be taken from the Bellefonte hospital to his father's home. Edward Harper, who was operated on for appendicitis on Monday last week, is also getting along nicely and on a sure way to a complete recovery.

The big Williams family reunion will be held in Miles grove, in Huston township, tomorrow and like in all former years will undoubtedly be very largely attended. Addresses will be made by G. E. Arbery, of Martha, and Revs. A. C. Lathrop, G. W. Downing and G. A. Williams. The Scotch band will be present and furnish the music. All connections of the Williams family are urged to attend while the public in general is invited.

On Sunday C. D. Keefe, of the Tyrone Motor company, drove a party of Warriors to Penn Cave on a sight-seeing expedition. They went to the cave by the way of State College, had dinner at the Old Fort and on their way home went by way of Graysville, where they had supper. In the party were Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Burket, Miss Margaret Nearhoff, Eddie Grant, Misses Bertha Harris, Margaret Fank and Alice Burket, Dr. C. W. Burket, R. G. Beck and A. G. Irvin.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Wagner Geiss on Monday broke up housekeeping and moved their household goods from the old Beezer house on Spring street, now the property of the Bellefonte Academy, to a room in the Bush Arcade where they will store them until Spring. In the meantime Mrs. Geiss and the children will go to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George L. Goodhart, in Centre Hall, and on the first of next April they will go to housekeeping again in their own home on Thomas street.

The Logans and the professional and business men of the town will play a game of base ball on the Meadow this afternoon to which you are invited. More formal invitations can be had for 25c. each. It will be a great game, greater than the professional-business men's show of a few weeks ago and if you are not there you are going to miss some fun. The season is getting late and there is little left of outdoor amusement other than the Granger's picnic and the fair so wise people will take advantage of every opportunity they get, and this is one of them.

The many patients of Prof. J. Angel, the eye specialist of Williamsport, will be glad to know that he is going to renew his visits to Bellefonte after two months absence, and that he will be at the Brokerhoff house on Wednesday and Thursday of next week, September 11th and 12th. Prof. Angel has been coming to Bellefonte for about two years and this fact in itself is recommendation enough for him. Therefore, if your eyes are bad or you are troubled with nervous headaches and wish to avail yourself of his services you can see him at the Brokerhoff house next week.

THAT HYDRATING PLANT.—Several weeks ago the WATCHMAN published an item relative to the hydrating plant the American Lime and Stone company were starting to build at this place. The work is now far enough under way to show what an industry it is going to be. The main building will be 36x96 feet in size and three stories high. It will rest on a cement foundation built by the Haapt brothers. On the first floor of the building will be the engine room and roller room. The latter consists of large iron rollers in which the burnt lime is rolled as fine as powder. From the first floor the rolled lime is carried by elevators to the second floor where the pan room is located. There it will be thoroughly mixed in an immense pan then carried to the third floor where it is screened and sacked ready for the market. Hydrate of lime is used for plastering purposes and being already the nature of cement the method of handling it is much more rapid and satisfactory than by the old process.

The machinery for the plant is already on the ground and it is the intention to push the work of its erection as fast as possible. When completed and in operation it will require the labor of about twenty skilled men to operate it. It is also the intention of the American Lime and Stone company to put up a plant to make phosphate by grinding together lime and wood ashes. This plant will be located near the railroad, opposite the home of David J. Kelly.

BIG IMPROVEMENTS AT THE BROCKERHOFF HOUSE.—Workmen began yesterday making improvements which will mean a partial remodeling of the Brockerhoff house and which, when completed, will make it as up-to-date as any hotel in Central Pennsylvania. The small room to the left of the main entrance, in which a handsome tile floor has just been laid, has been taken by landlord Ray and will be used as a writing room, though a small portion in the rear will be cut off by a wainscoting partition for a private office for the landlord. These rooms will both be furnished with the most comfortable and up-to-date furniture.

The present writing room at the head of the stairs will be converted into a parlor while the present parlor will be furnished as a large bed chamber, and which can also be used as a sample room. Room 39, the big room at the left of the stairs will be made into two rooms with bath attached to each. In fact the two bath rooms will be so conveniently located that they can be connected with either rooms 38, 39, 40 or 27, or the four rooms can be used as a suite with two private baths. Naturally these will make very desirable rooms, being located on the first floor and all in front, so that when the improvements are completed the New Brockerhoff will be newer than ever.

A ROAST.—The families of Hon. J. W. Merrey, H. B. Clark, E. T. Quigley and Dr. J. E. Tibbens, of Beech Creek, with Mrs. Phillips and son, of Tyrone, as guests, indulged in a big corn roast in Orly Merrey's woods near Beech Creek last Saturday evening. To any of the WATCHMAN readers who have ever participated in a corn roast it is not necessary to dilate on the pleasure the party undoubtedly had; and to those who have never enjoyed the delicious taste of corn as roasted on a hot stone in the woods and eaten with a generous supply of butter, pepper and salt, we say, you don't realize what a good time and a toothsome repast you have missed. In fact, knowing how delicious corn is when roasted in this way, and also how delightfully pleasant it is to spend an evening at a corn roast, it is a wonder that they do not become more popular during the green corn season.

POST-OFFICE NOTICE.—Hereafter the lobby of the Bellefonte post-office will be open on Sunday from 9 o'clock in the morning until 4 o'clock in the afternoon, which will enable persons holding boxes to get their mail at any time during the intervening hours. Those who have their mail delivered by carrier or through the general delivery must call at the usual hours, namely, between 9 and 10:25 o'clock. After that hour no stamps will be sold and none of the windows will be open for the delivery of mail.

The barn, carriage shed, hog pen and other outbuildings of W. H. Long, at Howard, together with all this year's crops were entirely destroyed by fire last Friday. The fire originated in the threshing and from there was carried to the straw stack which was all on fire so quickly that it was impossible to extinguish the flames. From the straw stack the fire communicated to the buildings in so short a time that it was hard work to save the stock in the barn. The property was insured.

HELPA PARK DANCES.—The Friday afternoon and evening dances have not been called off, as some supposed. Christy Smith and his orchestra, will be on hand as usual this Friday afternoon, September 6th. The management is not disposed to discontinue these pleasant affairs so long as they are patronized by so large a number of our young people.

What has become of the railroad police who were going to break up the habit of so much loafing at the Pennsylvania passenger station in this place? The nuisance is as big as ever.

LOST.—A round breast pin set with diamonds possibly on east Linn street. Finder will please leave at the WATCHMAN office and be rewarded. 53-35-4t

News Purely Personal

Mrs. George D. Green, of Lock Haven, spent several days with friends in this place the past week.

H. S. Ray and family returned last Friday evening from their month's sojourn at North Fairhaven, N. Y.

Boyd Musser, of Altoona, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Musser, on east Lamb street.

Dr. John M. Keichline came over from Petersburg on Sunday and visited his parents until Monday noon.

Frank Derstine came down from Altoona on Sunday and spent the day with his parents and friends in this place.

Mrs. E. E. Davis and Miss Ida Orris left last Thursday evening for a month's visit with friends in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Feidler, of Williamsport, were guests on Monday of Mr. and Mrs. F. Clayton Brown.

Mrs. F. R. Bussler arrived home on Wednesday evening of last week from an extended visit with friends in Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. James Noonan are entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Seymour and daughters, Ruth and Louise, at the Brant house.

James O. Brewer left on Wednesday to join his wife in Syracuse, N. Y., where he will enjoy a much deserved two weeks vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Achenbach, of Clearfield, spent Sunday and Monday as the guests of Mrs. Sabra Garman, at the Garman house.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Garber went out to Greenville last Friday afternoon on a visit to the formers family, returning on Tuesday morning.

Al. S. Garman, of Tyrone, is now on a trip through the southern States, intending to take in the Jamestown exposition before he returns home.

Thomas Moore, of Philadelphia, was called to Bellefonte this week on account of the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. William Dawson.

Miss Ange Jones, daughter of the late Capt. G. W. Jones, and Miss Study, of Tyrone, spent several days at the Country club last week.

Capt. W. H. Fry, of Pine Grove Mills, attended the semi-annual meeting of the State Veterinary association which was held in Harrisburg on Tuesday.

J. Mac, Heine, of Rochester, was an arrival in Bellefonte on Saturday evening to see Mrs. Heine and their little son, as well as visit his father, Hon. W. C. Feinle.

Mrs. Clara H. McClain, who spent two weeks very pleasantly at the W. L. Fleming home in this place, left on Saturday evening for her home at Linden, near Williamsport.

H. W. McCracken, one of the old-time residents of Ferguson township, transacted business in Bellefonte on Tuesday, part of which included a call at the WATCHMAN office.

Fred Blanchard, who is now temporarily located in Pittsburgh, was an arrival in Bellefonte on Friday evening and spent Saturday and Sunday with his many friends in this place.

Louisa Bush returned on Saturday from a visit with friends in Philadelphia. She was accompanied by Miss Eleanor Stockham, who will be her guest for ten days or two weeks.

Mr. Frank McCoy with his son John, his daughter, Miss Anna, and Miss Kate Shugert left on Tuesday for a ten days or two weeks trip to Buffalo, Niagara Falls and down the St. Lawrence.

The chicken raising business having become somewhat monotonous Randolph Hoy left last Thursday for Pittsburgh where he accepted a position with the Universal Portland Cement company.

A. Trude Bidwell was an arrival home from the Naval Academy, Annapolis, last week on a visit to his parents. Trude has just one more year in the Academy, then he will graduate with the rank of an ensign.

Dr. and Mrs. David Dale left on Wednesday on an automobile trip to Gettysburg. They expect to be gone about ten days and may take in a number of other towns in the eastern part of the State before they return.

Mrs. Lyde Kelly, of Beaver Falls, was an arrival in Bellefonte last week to see her mother, Mrs. Mary Ann Johnston, and also to make arrangements to take her along home with her to Beaver Falls to spend the winter.

Dr. E. J. Ward will leave Bellefonte next Monday for Jamestown, Va., where he will attend the annual meeting of the national dental association. He will be away all week and of course will take a few peeps at the big Expo.

After a pleasant week's visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Richard, J. A. Gibbs returned to his home in Philadelphia on Monday; being accompanied by the Quaker city by Miss Margaret Aul, who had also been a visitor at the Richard home.

George H. Emerick, of Centre Hall, who was in Bellefonte last Friday to attend the funeral of his brother, the late John Emerick, of Altoona, gave the WATCHMAN office a call and did his part toward relieving the unimproved condition of the editor's pocketbook.

Will Keller, of Centre Hall, transacted business in Bellefonte on Saturday and while here dropped into the WATCHMAN office and ordered the paper sent to his nephew, James Keller; and we have no doubt the young man will be as much pleased with it as every other reader of the WATCHMAN is.

Miss Ruth Bortoff was an arrival home from Buffalo last week, where she took a post-graduate course in the conservatory of music. She remained in Bellefonte a day or two as the guest of her sister, Mrs. John I. Oelwein, on Spring street, ere proceeding to her home at Lemont. Miss Bortoff, by the way, has been elected instructor in music at Bucknell University.

Mr. J. H. Roush and Mr. Benjamin Limbert, two of Madisonburg's best and most enterprising citizens, left on Monday last for Jamestown, where they will visit the exposition, take a dip in the ocean at Virginia beach, and afterward enjoy the sights of Washington, Baltimore and Philadelphia. They expect to be absent about two weeks and we hope their trip may be both an enjoyable and beneficial one to them.

After three months and eleven days away from home, Ed. Keichline came up from Sparrow's Point, Md., on Saturday to see his parents. His visit was a very brief one as he left again on Monday. A big sand dredge which was built at Sparrow's Point for the government is being tested this week and Ed. has an idea in his head that if he can get the chance he would like to go along with the dredge which is to be shipped to Panama for use on the digging of the Panama canal.

"Chauncey" Bill Stuart was a caller at the WATCHMAN office last Friday, ere leaving for his western home. Since he and Charles E. Aull came east six weeks ago in their big White steamer they have been at Atlantic City, Saratoga Springs and toured through the New England States to Boston and thence back to Philadelphia from where they shipped their car to Skiatook, Indian Territory. From there Mr. Aull went to Cheyenne, near Pittsburg, to see his parents. Mr. Stuart came to State College to see his family for just one day when he went to Pittsburg where the two met and then back to their big old wells for them.

Mrs. Edward Irwin is visiting friends in Pittsburgh and New Castle.

Mrs. J. H. Decker, is visiting friends in Pittsburgh and at Canton, Ohio.

Miss Annie Curry, of this place, is visiting her many friends in Buffalo, N. Y.

Mrs. George Johnston, of Beaver Falls, is visiting her mother, Mrs. J. A. Aiken.

Judge Cyrus Gordon, of Clearfield, was a Bellefonte visitor the fore part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hughes, of Milwaukee, Wis., were arrivals in Bellefonte on Monday.

Harris Cook, of Altoona, spent Sunday in Bellefonte on a visit to his father, Charles F. Cook.

Hezekiah Hoy, of Willowbank street, was one of the WATCHMAN's most agreeable callers this week.

John Tener Harris came up from Harrisburg on Saturday and spent Sunday with his mother on Howard street.

Mrs. James P. Coburn and her nephew, Philip Musser, left last Saturday for a visit with friends in Akron, Ohio.

H. C. Quigley Esq., and family returned last Thursday evening from a month's sojourn at Martha's Vineyard, Mass.

Mrs. Arthur Miller, of Erie, was an arrival in Bellefonte on Tuesday and is now a guest at the Miller home on Bishop street.

Mrs. J. H. Morgan and daughter, Miss Margaret, of Carlisle, are guests at the Dr. E. J. Ward home on Curtis street.

Miss Jane Lloyd, of Pittsburg, who spent the last part of August at the Country club, is visiting with friends in Bellefonte.

Ward Fleming is home for a brief vacation before returning to Philadelphia to resume his studies in the University of Pennsylvania.

Miss Martha Shank, the writer of the "Dorothy Deane" letters in the Williamsport Sun, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Smith.

James A. Keller, of Centre Hall, transacted business in Bellefonte yesterday and increased the WATCHMAN's exchequer one big round plunker.

Gen. James A. Beaver with his sons, Gilbert and Thomas, and the former's wife, returned yesterday afternoon from a six weeks trip to Colorado.

Mrs. James P. Irvin, of Snow Sho, was in Bellefonte Thursday for a few hours while on her way to Bluefield, W. Va., to visit her son, Edgar and his family.

Edgar H. Murphy, of Philadelphia, was an arrival in Bellefonte last Saturday on a visit to his daughter, Mrs. Ralph Mallory, remaining until Tuesday.

Col. John A. Daley, of Romola, was a Bellefonte visitor on Wednesday and spent part of the time visiting William Daley and family on east Lamb street.

Mr. Frank E. Nagney visited her sister, Mrs. George B. Brandon, at Honesdale. Before returning home yesterday she made a trip to New York and Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. Selwak and children, who have been guests at the Smith home on Bishop street the past several weeks, left on Monday for their home in Philadelphia.

Col. James P. Coburn and William P. Humes attended the convention of the State Bankers' association in Pittsburg this week, the social feature of which was a big banquet at the Hotel Schenley yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Blair Yarnell, of Ellyria, Ohio, were arrivals in Bellefonte last Friday evening and spent several days at the William McClain home before going to Snow Sho where they expect to make their home in the future.

The Hon. J. K. P. Hall and Mr. Geo. Simons, of Ridgway, were in town for a few hours Wednesday evening; having traveled this far on their way to Philadelphia by automobile. As soon as it was known that they were in town there was a informal levee of their friends at the Brockerhoff house until they departed on an evening train.

One of the callers at the WATCHMAN office on Wednesday was Mrs. John Grimes, of State College, and to her our editor takes special delight in doling his hat; not merely for the fact that she made herself soild with the paper for a year in advance but for the compliment paid our zealous efforts to produce the best newspaper in the county when she said that she "could not live without the WATCHMAN." So for both we again say thanks, most heartily.

Yesterday afternoon the WATCHMAN office was favored with a call by Mr. Rhodomayer, of Roomsburg, who called to move the tag on his sisters paper up another notch. His sister, by the way, is Mrs. L. C. Ruster, of Scotia, but who has moved back to her old home at Bloomsburg. Worry over the death of her husband less than two years ago and the cares of managing her household alone since have so impaired her health that the family insisted on her going home and she reluctantly consented. And now her many friends in Centre county can only hope for her an early restoration to complete health.

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Bellefonte Produce Markets.

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Bellefonte Grain Market.

Table with 2 columns: Commodity and Price. Includes Wheat, Rye, Corn, Oats, Barley, Ground Flour, Buckwheat, Cloverseed, Timothy seed.

Philadelphia Markets.

Table with 2 columns: Commodity and Price. Includes Wheat-Red, Wheat-No. 2, Corn, Mixed new, Oats, Flour, Penna. Roller, Favorite Brand, Rye Flour Per Br, Baled Hay-Choice, Timothy No. 1, Straw.

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