

Bellefonte, Pa., August 7, 1908.

To Correspondents:—No communication published unless accompanied by the real name of the writer.

THINGS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY

A baby boy arrived in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Mignot last week.

Miss Mary Thomas is quite ill with blood poisoning in a Pittsburg hospital.

A party of eighteen men and women from Creson are camping at Hecla park this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith, of Coleville, are the parents of a big baby boy on Tuesday morning.

The State College Times came out last week with a lengthy article extolling the beauties of Penn. cave.

Henry Lowery and family are down at Hecla park spending the week with James Lowery and family.

Tuesday night and Wednesday's rain improved the gardens and helped growing crops a big percent.

Miss Mary E. Penny, of Snow Shoe, has been elected to teach the primary department of the State College schools.

The huckleberry market is on a decline, as the berries can now be bought at six cents a quart delivered in Bellefonte.

Miss Ruth Baylerts is in the Bellefonte hospital suffering with blood poison as the result of pricking her finger with a safety pin.

Miss Louise Armor, who was taken seriously sick several weeks ago, is very much improved and will no doubt soon be entirely well.

During Tuesday evening's storm the flag pole on the Beta Theta house at State College was struck by lightning and pretty badly splintered.

The Masons are having a jolly time of it down at Camp Constant this week and with Wally Kerstetter as cook are virtually living in luxury.

The Bell Telephone company of Pennsylvania has another of their very attractive advertisements in this issue of the WATCHMAN. Don't fail to read it.

The American Lime and Stone company is gradually increasing their force of workmen and expect to be running to their full capacity before the end of the summer.

A little baby girl made its arrival in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Blair Yarnell, of Snow Shoe, last Friday. Mrs. Yarnell was formerly Miss Margaret McClellan, of this place.

Mrs. Lillie G. Reeder entertained a party at bridge at the home of Mrs. Louisa Harris, on North Allegheny street, Tuesday afternoon. About two dozen ladies were present.

Members of the State College camp, Modern Woodmen of America, had a very pleasant time at their annual picnic at Hunter's park last Saturday, which was largely attended.

Charles Heisler last Saturday made the record bass catch of any Bellefonter this season. He landed fifteen from the Bald Eagle creek, one of which weighed over two pounds.

William Chambers last Thursday purchased from Will Keibline a four cylinder Ford runabout with a rumble seat and is now as happy as any automobilist in Bellefonte.

Workmen are now engaged reparing a number of the rooms in Hugh N. Crider's house on East Linn street where he and Mrs. Crider expect to be costily located by August fifteenth.

A new baby boy made its appearance in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rhoades on Sunday and from the welcome it was given it will likely become a permanent member of that household.

Carl Stover, a machinist employed in the Bellefonte Central Railroad shops, went out on the road as a brakeman last Saturday and was unfortunate in having his right arm crushed between two joars at Hunter's park.

James Harris has retired from the tailoring business in his shop on High street. He expects to leave Bellefonte in the near future and locate in some other town, though he has not yet decided just where it will be.

Having completed the state road through Milesburg borough R. B. Taylor is now hard at work on the contracts he was recently awarded for building a piece of road in Harris township and also a piece in Rush township, near Phillipsburg.

Mail agent Jones, of the Lewisburg and Tyrone railroad, has leased the house on Willowbank street now occupied by F. R. Bastler and family and will move there just as soon as the latter vacates; which he will do by storing his household goods in the Bush Arcade.

Thomas Harter Mench will now have to take second place in the Harter-Mench household as another little son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mench on Wednesday morning. But then Thomas has grown to be quite a little man, already, and probably can take care of himself.

Bellefonte disciples of Isaac Walton have not been able to break off entirely from the fishing habit, at least some of them. They now lie away to the streams inhabited by snokers and fish for them, and it is not stretching the truth to say that they are bringing in bigger catches now than when they went after trout.

DALE FAMILY REUNION.—This is the season of the year for the holding of family reunions and they have been quite numerous in Centre county the past few weeks, but of all those held none proved more interesting than that of the Dale family, near the old family homestead at Oak Hall, last Saturday. It was very largely attended and when 10 o'clock arrived, the hour for calling the association to order, representatives of the Dale family were present from all parts of the county while scores of friends joined with them in the happy reunion.

George Dale, president of the association, presided at the meeting and an interesting incident to him was the fact that it was the seventy-seventh anniversary of his birth. Prayer was offered by Rev. W. H. Dale, E. q., of Pittsburg, while A. A. Dale, E. q., of this place, made an impromptu talk extolling a hearty welcome to all. The address of welcome was responded to by Hon. Leonard Rhone, of Centre Hall, who paid a glowing tribute to the Dale family for the part they had in making the history of Centre county.

Clement Dale, E. q., the historian of the association, read an interesting paper beginning with the landing of Christian Dale, the first in America in 1749, tracing the different members of the Dale family through the first, second and third generations, all of whom have passed away. He closed his address by referring to the schools, churches and customs of the people in early days, as gathered from the records and traditions.

After the reading of this paper the dinner hour was announced and the gathering repaired to a grove near by where a most sumptuous repast was prepared, and relatives, neighbors and friends partook of the many good things that had been prepared for the occasion. Almost two hours were passed in thus replenishing the inner man and in social intercourse, after which the gathering reconvened in the commodious grange hall where all the sessions were held.

Arthur C. Dale read an interesting paper on the Dale families in the west which had been prepared and sent by Mrs. Maggie Clippell, of Wahpeton, South Dakota, and Edward Dale, of South Dakota. Edwin Dale, of Hartleton, read a well prepared paper on the Dales of Union county.

Earl Musser, a descendant of the Dales and a recent graduate of Susquehanna University, spoke on the benefits of social reunions and the necessity of preserving the information derived at these gatherings. The little folks were not forgotten and well selected recitations were rendered by Norman Dale, Edwin Dale, Rosetta Dale and Luella Dale.

Three members of the association died within the past year. They were Dr. J. Y. Dale, of Lemont; Mrs. Helena M. Dale, wife of Geo. Dale, of Dales Summit, and Hannah J. Dale, wife of Geo. Dale, of Lansing, Mich.

It was thought proper to have a suitable memorial service in memory of those who have passed away. A committee on resolutions was appointed which reported through its chairman a sketch of the lives of those who had died. Dr. W. A. Book out, of the State College, a warm personal friend of Dr. Dale, sent a beautiful tribute to his late friend. Mr. and Mrs. D. L. White, of Michigan, sent a sketch of the life of Hannah J. Dale, of Lansing, that State, and a sketch of the life of Helena Dale was prepared by the committee. Appropriate resolutions were adopted, after which Rev. J. I. Stonecypher, of Boalsburg, and Rev. W. H. Dale made suitable and impressive remarks on the life and character of the deceased.

All the old officers were re-elected except secretary, John S. Dale being elected to that position to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Dr. J. Y. Dale.

The oldest person in attendance of the Dale descendants was Mrs. Susanna Dale Musser, who is eighty-one years old. Another aged person present was Mrs. Margaret Keller, a relative of the Dale family, who is eighty-four years old. The next reunion will be held at the same place on the first Saturday of August, 1909.

HOSPITAL OFFICERS ELECTED.—At the annual meeting of the corporation of the Bellefonte hospital, held in the arbitration room in the court house last Friday evening, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, C. C. Shuey; secretary, George R. Meek; treasurer, A. Lukenbach. The first two were re-elected while Mr. Lukenbach was elected to take the place of W. Harrison Walker, who declined a re-election.

Ex-Judge John G. Love, A. Lukenbach, H. E. Fenlon, J. L. Montgomery, Thomas A. Shoemaker and Dr. John Sebring, of Bellefonte, and Dr. C. S. Musser, of Aaronsburg, were elected as members of the board of managers for a term of four years.

VETERAN CLUB PICNIC.—A meeting of the executive committee of the Centre county veteran club was held in the office of W. H. Musser on Saturday morning to make preliminary arrangements for holding their regular annual reunion. It was decided to hold this year's gathering on Saturday, September 12th, on the fair grounds of the Centre County Agricultural Exhibiting company, in Bellefonte. Various committees were appointed to complete the arrangements.

EPWORTH LEAGUE FESTIVAL.—The Epworth League of Pleasant Gap will hold an ice cream and cake festival in Noll's grove at that place tomorrow (Saturday) evening. Everybody is invited from far and near. It will be a delightful place to spend a pleasant evening and you can't do better than attend.

Ira D. Garman, of Philadelphia, is chairman of the entertainment committee of the Pennsylvania retail jewelers' association which will hold its annual convention in the Quaker city next week.

Burglars blew the safe in the office of the Atlantic Refining company at Phillipsburg on Saturday night but got only six cents for their trouble. Nitro-glycerine was the explosive used and the safe was completely wrecked.

William and Marshall Foster, of State College, were each awarded prizes of fifty dollars cash by the Curtis Publishing company, of Philadelphia, for the largest increase in sales of the Saturday Evening Post of any agents in the United States.

Many farmers throughout Centre county have the bulk of their fall plowing done and are waiting the time to come for sowing the grain. Of course there are some who have hardly begun their plowing, but these are the fellows who are always behind.

The biennial reunion of the Sobenok family will be held at the old Sobenok homestead on the mountain, a mile east of Howard, on Thursday, September 3rd. Not only members and relatives of the family but the public in general is invited to attend.

Fred R. Bussler last Saturday resigned his position as superintendent of the Bellefonte Electric company and was succeeded by Charles G. McAvoy, of Harrisburg. Mr. Bussler left on Wednesday for Boston, Mass., where he has accepted a similar position.

It would have been very apropos if the Street committee at Monday night's meeting of borough council had reported the bad condition of the Diamond at the same time it reported on the number of bad pavements in the town. Council then might have directed the clerk to notify the borough directors to repair the same.

Saturday evening Anthur Haupt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Haupt, went to Mrs. Jacob Valentines to deliver milk and was attacked by the bird dog belonging to George Valentine and quite badly bitten on the left leg just below the knee. He was taken to a physician and the wound promptly cauterized and dressed and the boy has been around as usual since.

The marriage of Miss Emilie E., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas B. Holahan, of Lancaster, to Mr. John Sanderson Barlow, occurred at the home of the bride Saturday, the first of August. Mr. Barlow is the only son of Thomas Barlow, of Philadelphia, and has many friends here and at State College, where he spent six months last year in special work in agriculture.

On Tuesday of last week a number of friends of Mr. and Mrs. John Liggett, of Beech Creek, gave them an old-fashioned surprise party as a reminder of the fact that they had just passed the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage. Mr. and Mrs. Liggett are among the oldest and best known residents of Beech Creek and their legion of friends hope for them many more years of life together.

On Tuesday evening Al Baum took a back load of girls, about eighteen in number, up to the top of Nittany mountain where they had supper on the green. They got caught in the big storm which broke a little after seven o'clock in the evening but that didn't matter in the least to them, judging from their happy mood when they returned to Bellefonte about nine o'clock in the evening.

Chester Daughenbaugh, the young man who was so seriously injured while walking along the railroad track a mile east of Howard about a month ago, was discharged from the Lock Haven hospital last week and returned to his home at Howard. Though the injury on his head has healed it left him with one leg partially paralyzed, though it is the opinion of the physician that this will gradually wear away.

Saturday was the twenty-fifth anniversary of the marriage of editor and Mrs. Fred S. Dunham, of Howard, and they celebrated the event by entertaining a number of their friends at dinner. Mr. and Mrs. Dunham have lived in Howard most all their lives and as editor and publisher of the Herald the former has been successful to that extent that he has accumulated several properties in the town, of which he is now burgess. May continued success be his portion.

About four o'clock last Saturday afternoon the three-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Winkler, of Osceola Mills, was in the attic of their home and was evidently playing with matches as a fire started in the attic and was not discovered until the roof was all ablaze. It was impossible to reach the attic to get the child out and before the flames were extinguished the roof was entirely consumed. The body of the boy was found later with the arms burned off and the flesh burned to a crisp.

For some time past a movement has been on in Howard for the establishment of a national bank and the project has met with such favor at the hands of the business men of that place that it now looks as if it would be a success. It is the purpose to start with a capital of twenty-five thousand dollars and to call it the First National bank of Howard. The gentlemen interested are Abe Weber, Capt. S. H. Benison, Dr. W. J. Kurtz, J. Will Mayes, Mathew Rogers Sr. and Mathew Rogers Jr.

CENTRE COUNTY ELOPERS CAUGHT.

Emery Grenoble and Miss Edna Limbert, two young people of Madisonburg, furnished more or less excitement and no little sensation for the people of that town as well as for the authorities at Lock Haven the latter part of last week when they attempted to elope but were caught in time to prevent their marriage.

The would-be bridegroom is a son of George Grenoble, a farmer of Miles town, ship, and is twenty-eight years of age. Miss Limbert is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Limbert and is but eighteen years old. Of late they were seen together quite frequently and it was apparent to the casual observer that they were infatuated with each other but for some reason the parents of the girl did not look with favor on the attentions of Mr. Grenoble to their daughter.

Last Friday, however, the young people decided to take matters in their own hands. In order to throw their friends off the track they decided to walk from Madisonburg to Lock Haven, a distance of twenty-five miles, and from there go by train to Buffalo, N. Y. They left Madisonburg at eleven o'clock Friday morning on the long jaunt to Lock Haven, stopping at a farm house by the way for dinner.

In the meantime a neighbor who had seen the young people go away together told Mr. Limbert and they correctly concluded that it was a case of elopement and consequently the elder Limbert got busy with the telephone. He called up the police officials of Lock Haven and told them to keep a sharp lookout for the couple and to arrest them on their arrival and detain them until he got there, at the same time giving a minute description of his daughter and Grenoble.

It was almost one o'clock Friday night before the pair completed their twenty-five mile tramp and reached Lock Haven, evidently happy in the thought that they had gotten away so easily. But they had not been in the town ten minutes when they were discovered walking down Bellefonte avenue by patrolmen Mack and Beck. The officers followed them just long enough to be certain that they were the elopers when they took them into custody, much to the chagrin of both. As there was no serious charge against them they were not lodged in jail but simply detained at police headquarters until the arrival of Mr. Limbert Saturday morning when his daughter was given in his care and he took her back home with him.

As no particular offense had been committed Mr. Limbert declined to prefer any charges against Grenoble and he was discharged at the same time, returning home later in the day. Both young people appear determined in their love affair but whether they will again attempt the elopement route or not remains to be seen.

THREE MEN INJURED BY FALLING SCAFFOLD.

Ross Wallace, of Milesburg; his brother, Brent Wallace, of this place, and their nephew, Carl Wallace, a son of Lewis Wallace, also of this place, were badly injured by the breaking of the scaffolding on which they were working at State College, on Thursday afternoon of last week, precipitating them to the ground, a fall of about twenty feet, where they lit on a pile of stones and broken slate. Ross Wallace had several ribs broken, Brinton had one hand badly lacerated and the thumb on the other hand broken while Carl sustained a severe scalp wound, and all three were more or less bruised and suffering from shock.

The men, who are all expert bricklayers, were working on the annex to the ladies cottage. They were at a height of twenty feet from the ground and instead of using the customary trestle work erected a scaffolding by nailing planks to square uprights. James Delidge, a bod carrier, had just emptied a hod of brick upon the scaffold when it gave way under the combined weight of the brick, mortar and workmen. James Wallace, who was working close to a window, jumped into the opening and pulled Delidge with him, and the two escaped without injury. Local physicians at State College, attended to the injuries of those who were hurt and the same evening they were brought to Bellefonte on the Bellefonte Central train and taken to their respective homes, and all are getting along very well at this writing.

STRANGE FREAK OF LIGHTNING.

On Tuesday afternoon when the hard electrical and rain storm passed down Pennsylvania Albert Kremer, of near Wolf's Store, in the lower end of Brush valley, had a valuable team of horses killed by lightning. Mr. Kremer and his son had just gone out to the field after dinner to continue harvesting their oats. The self-binder was standing close to a wire fence and the team had been backed into place and the men were just about to hitch the horses when there was a blinding flash. The lightning struck the fence and from there was communicated to the binder killing both horses instantly while the men were only slightly stunned. The peculiar fact is that it was the only hard stroke observed in that section and not a drop of rain fell at the time, or until the storm late in the evening. The killing of his team is quite a loss to Mr. Kremer as they were both young horses and together worth four hundred dollars or over.

Mrs. Morris Monash and daughter Mary, of New York, are visiting the former's father, M. A. Baum.

W. E. Hurley, of Phillipsburg, Republican candidate for sheriff, was in Bellefonte Wednesday night on his way to the lower end of Pennsylvania. While Mr. Hurley is a nice enough young man, and has started his campaign quite early, he has not started it soon enough to beat such a good fellow as Fred Smith, of Rush township, the Democratic candidate.

News Purely Personal

Sydney A. Keeler spent Sunday with friends in Tyrone.

Mrs. McNeal and son John, of Haddonfield, N. J., are guests of Mrs. W. H. Wilkinson.

Mrs. J. Mac Heine and little son William left on Monday for Spangler, Cambria county.

Miss Gertrude Kreamer left on Saturday for Lewisport to visit Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Meserrie are this week entertaining Mrs. W. S. Meserrie, of Batavia, N. Y.

Fred Gray, of Pittsburg, was in Bellefonte the past week visiting his sister, Mrs. George Walte.

Mrs. Thomas A. Shoemaker with her baby and maid left on Monday for a trip to Buffalo, N. Y.

Mrs. Mary Reaser and daughter Irene left on Monday for a visit with friends in Mt. Vernon, Ohio.

C. U. Hoffer and daughter, of Phillipsburg, were visitors at the C. T. Gerberich home this week.

John Hartsock, of Altoona, left for home on Monday after a weeks visit with friends in this place.

Ran H. Roy, who held a good position in Pittsburg, came home on Monday for his summer vacation.

Miss Helen Boynton went to Clearfield on Monday afternoon called there by the serious illness of a friend.

Mrs. James Ruble, of Cleveland, Ohio, was a visitor the past week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. McCargar.

Arthur Beizer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Beizer, left on Monday for a visit with friends in Kane and St. Marys.

Mrs. Roy McCalmont and little son, of Philadelphia, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Meyer on East Curtin street.

Mrs. Frank Gehret with her granddaughter, Margaret Colburn, of Atlantic City, are visiting friends in Bellefonte.

Fred Blanchard spent from Friday evening until Monday in Bellefonte while on his way from Chicago to New York.

Hon. and Mrs. Fred Kurtz left this week for Berlin, to visit their daughter-in-law, Mrs. William Kurtz and family.

Miss Edna Meyer is over in Brush valley for a several weeks' stay among friends in the neighborhood of Rebersburg.

Edward T. Gregory, local salesman for the National Biscuit company, made a business trip to New York city this week.

Mr. and Mrs. George B. Thompson with their little son, of Alto, spent Sunday at the Mrs. Louisa Bush home in this place.

Miss Katharine Schnell, of Junction City, Kan., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Thad N. Hamilton and family on East Howard street.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Fox and little daughter Dorothy, of Lock Haven, visited Bellefonte friends from Saturday until Wednesday.

H. S. Ray, of the Brockerhoff house, left on Monday for Lake Ontario, where he will spend a week with his cousins at their summer cottage.

Mrs. B. S. Burns, formerly Miss Elizabeth Taylor, with her little baby, is here from Ohio for a visit with her mother, sisters and brothers.

Rev. S. H. Deitzel, of Maytown, Pa., who has been visiting his father-in-law, Alfred Durst, at Centre Hall, was a Bellefonter visitor on Tuesday.

Mrs. M. A. Kirk and daughter Lois returned on Monday from an extended trip through the west; visiting friends in Kansas and Nebraska.

Rev. J. Allison Platts returned from Altoona on Tuesday morning where he had been for several days as one of the contestants in a golf tournament.

Mrs. Harriet Thomas Kurtz has returned from an extended sojourn in Philadelphia and at Atlantic City and taken rooms at the Brockerhoff house.

J. Harris Cook, son of Charles F. Cook, came down from his home in Altoona on Tuesday to attend the wedding of his sister, Miss Nettie J. Cook, to Ben R. Curry.

Miss Grace Valliant, of Pine Glenn, was in Bellefonte on Tuesday preparatory to joining a party which left on Wednesday on a trip to Niagara Falls and Buffalo.

The Hon. John G. Love, with Mrs. Love, Katharine and John, went to Atlantic City on Monday for a rest period during John's convalescence from his attack of typhoid.

Mrs. James K. Barnhart and children accompanied her sister, Miss Cora Campbell, to her home in Punxsutaney last Friday, expecting to spend several weeks at her old home.

Ellis W. Shaffer, who for some time past had been confined to his home at Madisonburg with sickness, has recovered and resumed his position as clerk at the Ward house in Tyrone.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Montgomery left last Thursday for Philadelphia where they visited friends several days, going down to Atlantic City where they will spend the month of August.

Lee H. Walker, son of ex-sheriff and Mrs. W. Miles Walker, left on Monday for Albany, N. Y., where he has been tendered a good position in the engineering department of the N. Y. C. & H. R. R. company.

Capt. S. H. Benbison, of Howard, J. R. Pheasant, of Mt. Eagle, and Capt. W. H. Fry, of Pine Grove Mills, attended a meeting of the executive committee of the Centre county veteran club in this place on Saturday.

Mrs. Archibald Allison has been at Atlantic City since last Thursday, expecting to return tomorrow. While she has been away her daughter Katharine has been staying with Mrs. J. F. Alexander, at Centre Hall.

Miss Cecelia Haupt, of Philadelphia, came up from Lock Haven Sunday where she visited last week, and will spend the next month or six weeks at the home of her parents in this place, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Haupt.

Last Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hyde and Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Clawson, of Ridgeville, stopped in Bellefonte just long enough for supper. They were on a touring expedition in Mr. Hyde's big six-cylinder 1908 Stevens-Duryea car.

Edward P. Gamble, deputy factory inspector of Altoona, was a Bellefonter visitor on Tuesday. He made the rounds of the business places and factories in town and had no hesitation in stating that he found them all in very good condition; with the exception of a few minor faults in one or two that will be easily corrected.

Miss Grace L. Beck, of Snydertown, spent Wednesday with friends in Bellefonte.

Mrs. Annie Speer Mann, of Lewistown, is visiting her father, William Speer, West End.

Dr. James A. Thompson, of Port Matilda, transacted a little business in Bellefonte on Tuesday.

John Clark, of Altoona, visited friends in Bellefonte from Saturday until Tuesday of this week.

Lewis Longbery left yesterday for Corning, N. Y., called there by the serious illness of his mother.

Misses Augusta Hendrixson and Nancy McClain are away for an extended visit among friends in Somerset county.

Squire W. J. Carlin, of Rebersburg, transacted business in Bellefonte yesterday and was a caller at the WATCHMAN office.

Miss Naomi Stover, of Altoona, arrived in Bellefonte on Tuesday for a visit of two weeks with friends here and at State College.

Mrs. M. A. Dexter, of Washington, D. C., while in Bellefonte for several days, was the guest of Mrs. John Powers, on Spring street.

Maurice A. Jackson expects to leave Bellefonte on Sunday on his summer vacation which he will spend with his sister, Mrs. George T. Brew and family, at Ronceverte, W. Va.

Miss Maude Rimer, who several years ago worked as a compositor in the WATCHMAN office but who now is a nurse in the Altoona hospital, spent Monday with friends in Bellefonte.

Mrs. Thomas Moore and daughter, Miss Helen, went down to Howard on Wednesday evening for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Abe Weber and family before returning to their home in Philadelphia.

Hon. John T. McCormick dropped in on us on Wednesday as the bearer of another year's subscription from Miss Sarah Danney, of State College, for her brother, C. S. Danney, of Wadsworth, Ohio.

W. W. Potter, the artist of Philadelphia, who with his wife is spending the summer at his old home in Milesburg, is putting in part of his time looking up subjects for landscape paintings which he expects to complete upon his return to his studio.

Will J. Dorworth arrived in Bellefonte on Monday evening for a two weeks' vacation. Will is employed by the General Electric company at Schenectady, N. Y., and of late has been engaged in supervising the installation of an electric plant in a cotton mill at Greensboro.

Mr. C. B. McCormick, of State College, having housed the best crop that he has had for years—and he always has good ones—found time yesterday to attend to business in town and incidentally to have the tab on the WATCHMAN that reaches him weekly read up to 1909.

James A. B. Miller has been in Hollidaysburg this week as one of the counsel in the matter of the contest over the will of the late Lydia S. Irvine, who left an estate of about fifteen thousand dollars to relatives and cut off her husband with practically nothing.

Mrs. Nancy Confer and daughter, who have been spending the past two weeks with friends in Altoona and Tyrone, have returned to their home in Bellefonte delighted with their trip and our now enjoying the company of Mrs. Confer's grand-children, Mr. Clyde Herr's family, of State College.

John Bartruff, of Boston, Mass., was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. T. Clayton Brown several days this week. Mr. Bartruff twenty years ago was a resident of Bellefonte and conducted the carriage works out near the big spring. Since leaving here he has been around over the country a great deal and now he is engaged in the moving picture business in Boston.

Among the habitues of Atlantic City at this time are Mrs. John Noll and Miss Noll, Miss Humes, Mrs. Archibald Allison, Mrs. Charles Gilmore. Whether the Boardwalk, the fine bathing or a once established habit attracts yearly so many of our citizens is impossible to say but certain it is that this most American of all shore resorts holds first place in the affections of the majority of Bellefonter people.

John B. McGrath Esq., of Houtzdale, was in town yesterday on legal business; having come over expecting to spend the night. He got through earlier than he expected, however, and left home on an evening train. Mr. McGrath is a Clearfield county's foremost Democrat and is well known to all our citizens. He has been a resident of Houtzdale for many years and he says the Bryan sentiment is growing so much over there that he expects to see a greatly increased vote.

J. M. Waldron, familiarly known as "Baldy" class of '89, was in town yesterday on his way to State to see what changes have occurred in fifteen years as it is that long since his last visit. He is another of State's men who has grown opulent and corpulent and the fame that has come to him as a civil engineer in New York, has not crowded out his interest and loyalty to his Alma Mater. It is gratifying to know that he will find New York is not the only place which can show astonishing progress.

Bellefonte Produce Markets.

Table with 2 columns: Produce and Price. Includes items like Potatoes, Onions, Eggs, Country Shoulders, Sides, Tallow, Butter.

Bellefonte Grain Market.

Table with 2 columns: Grain and Price. Includes items like Wheat, Rye, Corn, Oats, Barley, Ground Plaster, Buckwheat, Cloverseed, Timothy seed.

Philadelphia Markets.

Table with 2 columns: Grain and Price. Includes items like Wheat, No. 2, Corn, Mixed new, Oats, Flour, Penna. Moller, Favorite Brand, Rye Flour, Baled hay, Straw.

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