

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

THINGS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY

The 'dog days' began last Sunday. Miss Anna McCoy entertained with a porch luncheon Thursday morning.

John Bullock and his wife and child are spending the week at Laird Curtin's cabin.

Workmen on Monday began laying the brick for the walls of the Millheim Banking company's new building in Millheim.

The Methodist Sunday school at the Ross church will hold their annual basket picnic in the grove at Marengo on Saturday, August 7th.

A large building on Market street, opposite Saellenberg's in Philadelphia, collapsed during the storm yesterday afternoon and sixteen persons were killed.

Striking tin plate workers and policemen had a fight on the streets of Pittsburgh yesterday and more than twenty were wounded; ten or more of them fatally.

John Strunk recently purchased a lot on North Thomas street near the residence of W. Homer Crisman and on Monday broke ground for the erection of a house thereon.

Farmers or others wanting a good paying job for their teams will find the opportunity in the advertisement of the Eyer-Shoemaker Co. in this issue of the WATCHMAN.

Harris Sourbeck who has been for the past six months in the Orthopaedic hospital in Philadelphia is so much improved that he is able to be in his chair the greater part of the day.

Charles Kootz, the blind man, has had the Commercial telephone installed in his home on High street and is now prepared to deliver ice cream cones promptly. Give him a call.

Mrs. Mary Goodhart, who has been undergoing treatment in the Bellefonte hospital the past few weeks, has recovered sufficiently to be taken to her home in Centre Hall this week.

T. S. Strawn, the broker, has decided to lease the flat over Ceder's bakery and with Mrs. Strawn and their little daughter Helen, will go to housekeeping there in the near future.

Clyde A. Oberlin, a recent Bellefonte Academy student and one of the most popular boys on the Hill in his time, died last week at his home in Johnson City, Tenn., of typhoid fever.

Paul D. Sheffer and his family with Mrs. Donald Potter and Miss Prince as their guests, spent last week at the Masonic camp. Harry Jenkins and his family are occupying the camp this week.

Last Sunday evening Rev. C. C. Shuey gave an instructive address in the Children's day service in the Coleville Olive Branch chapel, interesting the little children as well as the older folks.

Frederick Moge, of Pittsburgh, won the James Potter Hughes mathematical prize of ten dollars for excellence in mathematics during the past year. Samuel Gray, of Bellefonte, was awarded the latin prize of \$5.00.

Eleanor Bezer, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Bezer, has been quite a sick child the past few days with a bad attack of cholera morbus, though we are glad to say she is slightly improved yesterday.

Philip Shoemaker, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Shoemaker, was riding his pony a few days ago when the animal stumbled and fell, throwing the lad to the ground. He sustained a few bruises and abrasions but no serious injury.

Harry Otto went to Allentown on Monday to hold down the third bag on the Allentown team of the Eastern baseball league. This is the same team on which Wilbur Twitmore is one of the pitchers and Port, of Huntingdon, the catcher.

On Wednesday David Pratt, of Unionville, was out driving with his wife and daughter when his horse frightened and ran away throwing the three occupants out of the vehicle. The ladies were not hurt in the least but Mr. Pratt sustained quite serious injuries.

Jacob Finkelstein may be doing a five and ten cent business at his store in the Bush Arcade but that is not a five or ten cent girl by any means who came to his home just two weeks ago. In fact both Mr. and Mrs. Finkelstein think it just about the nicest little daughter that ever arrived in Bellefonte.

The Methodist congregation at Coleville will hold an ice cream and cake festival on the lawn at the church next Thursday evening, July 22nd. In addition to ice cream and cake there will be candies and various other things on sale. The public in general is invited to attend and all are assured of a good time.

Hon. A. G. Morris, of Tyrone, last week bought the handsome home of Hon. W. C. Lingle, on east Linn street, this place, and expects to move here and make Bellefonte his home in the future. Mr. Lingle and family will move to Philadelphia within a few days, having leased the John Erb home. The Morris' will move here next week.

AGAINST FIREWORKS.—In view of the numberless accidents which happen all over the country on the fourth of July through the careless handling of fireworks, and the growing sentiment in doing away with them altogether, a petition is now being circulated in Bellefonte for signers which will ultimately be presented to the Bellefonte borough council asking for the passing of an ordinance forbidding the use at all times of fireworks within the borough limits. The petition is being signed by most of the leading citizens of the town, or by about four out of every five to whom it has been presented.

The shooting off of fireworks and all kinds of noise has always been closely identified with a fourth of July celebration and while at first it might appear a little unusual to celebrate the nation's natal anniversary without the customary din and smoke, the fact that every year scores of human lives are sacrificed and hundreds maimed for life in perpetuating the custom should be a strong argument for its abolishment. Another argument is the wanton waste of money, a large per cent. of which is by that class which can least afford to spend it.

Naturally there are those who argue that a Fourth without fireworks would be no Fourth at all, but there are many other ways in which the day could be celebrated than by burning powder, and none of them would entail the danger to life and property that always follows in the trail of fireworks. For this reason the WATCHMAN is in sympathy with the movement to have an ordinance passed forbidding their use entirely within the borough limits, and we believe it will be sustained by nine out of every ten good thinking people of the town.

BELLEFONTE MOTOR CLUB MEETING.—A regular meeting of the Bellefonte Motor club was held in the commissioner's office in the court house on Monday evening. In the absence of Robert F. Hunter, the president of the club, vice president John S. Walker presided.

Through Col. H. S. Taylor the executive committee recommended that the club heartily support the movement for a good roads convention to be held in this place on Thursday, August 5th, at which time State Highway Commissioner Joseph Hunter, of Harrisburg, will be in Bellefonte and make an address on the advantages of good roads and how best to improve them and keep them in good condition. It is very likely that one or two other speakers will be present and give some practical talks. Road supervisors especially throughout the county are urged to attend this convention, full details of which will be given them in ample time to make arrangements to be here.

The condition of the pike through the Woodward narrows into Union county was brought to the attention of the club. Through Haines township, right up to the Union county line the supervisors have the road in excellent condition, but as soon as the line is crossed into Union county the condition of the road is so bad as to be a nuisance and a menace to drivers of all kinds of vehicles. The secretary of the club was authorized to communicate with the supervisors in the townships in Union county through which said road passes and notify them that if the same is not put in better repair within a reasonable time legal action will be taken.

A few minor matters were attended to after which the club adjourned.

HURT ON THE FOURTH.—The fourth of July was a quiet day in Bellefonte, many people going down to Hecla park to spend the day with the local Y. M. C. A. In the evening there was the usual racket of fireworks and one unfortunate accident to mar the day's celebration. It occurred about seven o'clock in front of P. F. Keichline's store where a number of people were putting off fireworks. Some person threw a bunch of crackers into the street and only about one-half of them exploded. Thomas McClure, son of Mr. and Mrs. William McClure, ran out to secure the unexploded crackers when somebody threw a big dynamite cracker which lit close to the boy and went off just as he was stooping down. The flesh on his side was badly torn and bruised and for two or three days it was a question whether he would live or not. Of course, it was an accident, but it only shows what can happen through the careless use of snob high-power explosives, and this is the reason a campaign for their complete abolishment is now being waged all over the country.

In relation to young McClure's injury it might be said that he is a boy who can lay claim to more hard luck than the average lad. Several years ago he suffered with an affection of the knee joint which it was feared would develop into tuberculosis of the bone, but which fortunately did not. About a month ago he fell and broke his arm and was still carrying that member in a sling when he met with his last accident.

TO COMPLETE HOSPITAL.—At a meeting of the board of managers of the Bellefonte hospital held on Monday evening it was decided to go ahead with the erection of ice cream and cake there will be candies and various other things on sale. The public in general is invited to attend and all are assured of a good time.

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The Baum family are occupying The Willows this week.

The various churches and Sunday schools at State College picnicked at Hunter's park yesterday.

It has been suggested by a number of Bellefonters that we follow the custom of many of the towns throughout the State and county in observing an old home week and inaugurate it this year at the time of the dedication of the new school building.

The drought which has prevailed in this section the past month was broken on Wednesday afternoon when a nice shower of rain fell and again yesterday afternoon when Centre county was visited by a severe thunder storm, with a hard downpour of rain.

While in our office on Monday a prominent Bellefonter told us a fact which we know very well, that the DEMOCRATIC WATCHMAN not only circulates through the south and west but is regularly read with keen interest by Yankees in New England.

A dead infant was found in Hamilton's orchard at State College by some boys one afternoon last week. It had been dead at birth and the heartless parents carried it into the orchard where it was not even covered with earth. Decent burial of it was made later in the cemetery.

On Monday night two masked men broke into the house of John Six, who lives on the Tyrone pike a mile south of Phillipsburg and at the point of a revolver compelled Mr. Six to deliver to them one hundred and twenty dollars. Before they made their escape the mask of one of the men fell off and it is hoped this may be the means of their capture.

The work don't take any fourth of July vacation or stop business because of hot weather and the result is that word has reached Bellefonte of the arrival last week of a nice little girl-baby in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Latimer Curtin, at Carroltown; and also a baby girl in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Brett, in Perry. Mr. Brett was formerly from Pine Grove Mills while Mrs. Brett was Miss Alice Neff, of Curtin.

The hot weather of the past few weeks has not interfered with the work of cupid in the least. Two recent weddings in which Bellefonters will be more or less interested were those last week of Howard Curtin, son of the late A. G. Curtin Jr., and Miss Mann, of Philadelphia; and Arthur B. Badinger, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Badinger, of Snow Shoe, and Miss Mary Croyle, of Clearfield. The first couple will reside in Philadelphia and the latter in Clearfield.

Yesterday morning a number of gentlemen were standing in front of Sim Baum's clothing store when there was a report like a pistol shot. It took some time to discover where the noise came from but it was finally located, and was caused by the breaking of the corner of one of the large plate glass windows. As no one was near the window at the time, the broken glass can only be explained by the fact that the building must be settling and the pressure on the glass caused it to break.

About 8.30 o'clock Monday evening Dr. J. J. Kilpatrick had Mrs. Kilpatrick out for an automobile ride and were going east on Linn street at a very moderate speed, when the bolt which held the knuckle on the steering gear was lost and on the crossing at Green's corner the knuckle itself fell off and the front wheels started in opposite directions. Fortunately the doctor was able to stop the machine almost instantly, before doing any further damage and without injury to himself or wife.

Jim Miller, the porter at the Brookborough house, evidently intends to give up portering and go in for athletics, as on Tuesday he started practicing on the double somersault and high dive. He was driving down street in the Brookborough house baggage wagon, standing up as usual. The horse was jogg-trotting along and when in front of the WATCHMAN office stumbled and fell down. That was when Jim started athletics. With a nimbleness surprising in one of his age he turned a flipper in the air but as it was his first attempt he did not have the lighting down to fine points, and consequently lit on his head. But he got over the horse all right and as he lit on his head he wasn't hurt. Neither was the horse or wagon.

Last Thursday morning R. B. Taylor with two of his children took a carriage drive, going up the back road past the street, Mr. J. Valentine place. Coming down the hill on the return trip, and when just opposite the home of Frank Bezer, one of the holdback straps broke allowing the buggy to run forward against the horse. Fearing a runaway Mr. Taylor attempted to stop the buggy by grabbing hold of one of the front wheels with the result that he was thrown out of the buggy on his head and left shoulder, being knocked partially unconscious. He maintained his hold upon the lines pulling the animal against the bank and stopping it, though not until after he had been dragged some distance. The children were not hurt in the least and as soon as the horse stopped climbed out of the carriage and went for assistance for their father. The men who responded found him unconscious, badly cut and bruised and his left arm paralyzed from the fall he sustained and being dragged upon it along the stony road. He was taken home and put under a doctor's care with the result that he is now about as good a man as ever.

THE BASKET SHOP.—Most everybody in Bellefonte has heard of The Basket Shop being conducted by Miss Mary Blanchard, at the Blanchard home on east Linn street, but few people realize that it is becoming quite an industry. When it was started several years ago it was conducted by Misses Blanchard and Merriman, with one or two assistants. They made their own baskets and when a consignment was shipped to a distant city they went along to personally superintend the sale thereof. In this way they not only disposed of their baskets but succeeded in acquiring such a reputation and demand for them that large department stores are now only too willing to take them on commission. In fact the fame of The Basket Shop has spread far and wide and its output is sent to many cities and States, one consignment being only recently shipped to Wisconsin. Fifteen people, all women, are now regularly employed in the shop and their original rooms in the Blanchard residence are not large enough to accommodate all the working force, and this week the Blanchard barn is being fitted up as a convenient workshop for the dyeing department of The Basket Shop. If it continues to grow in the future as it has in the past it will not be many years until The Basket Shop will be a big industry in Bellefonte.

T. Clayton Brown has always enjoyed an enviable reputation as a fisherman but his luck is evidently deserting him. So far this season he has been able to catch but one or two of the big trout in Spring creek, while others are getting away with the prize beauties. And then one day the latter part of last week he and T. S. Strawn went up Bald Eagle valley to Unionville to fish for pike. Strawn hooked one that he imagined was half as long as his rod but it got away. Brown hooked three but they all got away, although to do so the biggest one was compelled to take part of the line with it. The next time these two go for pike they will probably take a rope and tackle along.

News Purely Personal

Miss Rachel Lambert, of this place, is visiting friends at Curtin, for a week.

Margaret Haupt is down in Lock Haven for a two weeks visit with her sister, Mrs. LeRoy Fox.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Garbrick, of Philadelphia, are visiting the former's mother, Mrs. George Garbrick.

Mr. Edward Murphy, of Philadelphia, is in Bellefonte visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ralph Malory and family.

James McGinnis, of Newark, N. J., spent last Sunday with his family, who are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lyon.

Douglas Orblson, of Princeton, is spending some time with his grandmother, Mrs. Nancy Orblson, on Spring street.

Mrs. Emma Lebkicher, of Johnstown, was in Bellefonte Wednesday attending the funeral of Miss Clara Anderson.

Mrs. George Kerstetter, of Harrisburg, spent Wednesday night and part of yesterday with her sister Mrs. Harry Yeager, on Spring street.

Mrs. Lawrence Fusser and daughter, Mr. Harry Kane, of Kane, were in Bellefonte this week attending the funeral of Miss Clara Anderson.

John Smith, who for some time past has been working in a drug store in Philadelphia, came home on Tuesday to spend two weeks with his mother.

Miss Blanche Fitzgerald and little niece Jean, of Germantown, are in Bellefonte for a several weeks visit at the home of Mrs. Alice Parker on east Bishop street.

James McCloskey was in town yesterday and while here decided to surprise his wife by sending the WATCHMAN to her. He is working at Glenn Harris but lives at Howard.

Mrs. D. L. Auchmuty, of Albany, N. Y., is in Bellefonte visiting her sister, Mrs. George Ingram, on east Lamb street. Walter H. Haines, of Altoona, was also a guest at the Ingram home on Sunday.

After an absence of nine years Francis Dooley, a brother of Matthew Dooley, has been in Bellefonte the past two weeks visiting friends. He has been in New York State most of the time during his absence.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard R. Ruger and child returned a few days ago from a month's visit at Mr. Ruger's old home in Janesville, Wis., just in time to help the Lingle family get things in shape to move to Phillipsburg.

Mr. Worth, of Kennet Square, the father of Mrs. E. R. Chambers has been with his daughter for a short time. Mr. Worth returned home to adjust his business, that he might make a long visit with his daughter and her family.

Rev. J. T. Scott, wife and son, of Lamington, N. J., spent the past week in Bellefonte on their way to visit friends in Ohio, leaving for there yesterday. Rev. Scott will be well remembered by many people here as having lived here a number of years ago, the Bellefonte charge being his first appointment after his graduation from college.

J. S. McCargar left in the early part of the week for New York where he has joined the other agents of the Equitable Life Insurance company for their annual summer vacation which this year will be spent in Maine. These outings are always very much enjoyed by the agents because the expenses are all defrayed by the company.

Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Hoy, of Willowbrook street, are entertaining their daughter, Mrs. Shuey, wife of Dr. A. Shuey, of Prospect, Ohio, who is making an extended visit among friends. Another daughter, Miss Caroline Hoy, who has charge of the kindergarten department and is a critic teacher in the model department of the Keystone State Normal school, Kutztown, is spending her vacation with her parents.

Miss Mary Snyder, of Lancaster, is the guest of Mrs. R. G. H. Hayes.

Miss Margery McDermot is spending some time with relatives in Lock Haven.

Harry Dickinson is now in Cherrytree, Indiana county, for a two week's visit.

Mrs. William Clark, of Tyrone, visited Bellefonte friends several days last week.

Mrs. Sarah J. Kelly returned last week from a two week's visit with friends in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Struble spent Wednesday and yesterday with friends at Centre Hall.

Mrs. John Rumberger and young son spent several days last week visiting friends in Unionville.

Misses Helen and Roxie Mingle left yesterday for an extended visit with friends throughout Ohio.

Mrs. C. D. Casbeer left this week for a month or six week's sojourn at her old home at Somerset.

Thomas Fleming, of Pittsburg, is here for a brief visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Fleming.

Mr. and Mrs. Ogden, formerly of this place but now of Wellsboro, spent last week with friends in this place.

Mrs. J. D. Valentine with her three interesting little children, of Pittsburg, are visiting friends in Bellefonte.

Miss Myra Humes, Mrs. Archibald Allison and Miss Mary Ann Magill will leave next week for a two week's sojourn at Atlantic City.

Miss Daisy Potter has returned to her home in this place after spending the winter and spring with the Steetons, in Philadelphia.

Mrs. George Steele, of Pittsburg, was with Mrs. Callaway two days the forepart of the week, on her way home from a visit in Williamsport.

Mr. and Mrs. John Blanchard will go to Geneva, N. Y., tomorrow to attend the funeral of late Thomas Merriman, Mrs. Blanchard's brother.

Clarence Hamilton, of New York, has been in Bellefonte the past week or so for his summer vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thad Hamilton.

F. D. Ray Jr., of the hotel New Albert, New York city, has been in Bellefonte this week visiting his brother, Horton S. Ray, at the Brookborough house.

Mrs. George M. Van Dyke and little daughter, of Altoona, have been guests the past two weeks at the home of the former's parents, Hon. and Mrs. John Noll.

Mrs. George A. Bezer and children, Herbert and Eleanor, and Mrs. David J. Kelly and children spent all of last week in Snow Shoe, returning on Saturday evening.

Eleanor Parker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. Ross Parker, will go to Somerset next week, expecting to spend the remainder of the summer there with Mr. Parker's family.

After a pleasant six week's visit in Bellefonte, guests at the Bush home, Mrs. George T. Brew and little daughter Janet left on Saturday for their home in Ronover, W. Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Reynolds and two daughters left last Saturday for a visit with friends in Altoona. Miss Nellie Solt also went to the Mountain city the same day for a visit of two weeks.

Dr. M. A. Kirk and son Norman went to Clearfield county last week for a little visit. The doctor returned home early in the week while Norman will stay a few weeks and do some harvesting.

Mrs. Tom Mallory and Mrs. Detwiler, of Altoona, have been the guests of Mrs. Wm. T. Speer the greater part of the week; from here they went to Pine Grove Mills, to visit with Mrs. Mallory's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fry.

Mrs. Moses Levi and son Leopold left yesterday for Philadelphia to visit the former's sister, Mrs. Ed. Swiler, after which they will go to New York to spend some time with Mr. Levi's relatives. They will be gone about one month.

Mr. and Mrs. John P. Harris and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Warfield were at Mill Hill last Friday attending the funeral of Mr. Harris' nephew, Samuel D. Harris, who died suddenly last Tuesday morning as the result of a stroke of paralysis. Burial was made in the Cedar Hill cemetery.

Clarence G. Harper, of Lynn, Mass., spent all of last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Harper, leaving for home on Sunday morning. It was his intention to bring Mrs. Harper and the baby with him but the latter had a spell of sickness about the time he was ready to come to Bellefonte and he was compelled to come alone.

Miss Esie Boyd, of Danville, is the guest of Miss Elizabeth Gephart.

Miss Fannie Elmore, of Pittsburg, is a guest at the Rankin home on east Curtin street.

Mrs. W. E. Gray and son Samuel left yesterday for a ten days sojourn at Atlantic City.

Mrs. Wm. Rankin and her daughter Miss Esie are in Atlantic City for a two weeks stay.

Mrs. T. K. Morris, with her son Thomas King Jr., will be in Bellefonte today for an indefinite time.

Miss Helen Wain spent last week visiting friends at Boalsburg and Millheim and had a most delightful trip.

Mrs. M. A. Kirby, of Baltimore, Md., is in Bellefonte visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hammon Sechler.

Mrs. Jack Gibson with her little daughter, of Lansdowne, is visiting Mrs. Gibson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Cook.

Mrs. Charles F. Cook and son Marshall left on the 1.23 p. m. train Wednesday for a two week's visit with friends at Erie.

Mrs. Andrew Young and three children, of this place, spent several days in Jersey Shore visiting friends last week.

Miss Nell Vandewater, of Bloomsburg, was in Bellefonte on Wednesday attending the funeral of the late Miss Clara Anderson.

Miss Sarah Hill and Miss Margaret Aull, nieces of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Richard, are in Bellefonte the guests of their uncle and aunt.

Mrs. Cyrus Labe and little child are down from Altoona for a week's visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Lobe.

Mrs. Harry Keller and children have been at Ocean City, N. J., the past two weeks with the family of W. H. Keller Esq., of Lancaster.

Miss Lois Caldwell, superintendent of the Bellefonte hospital, left on Tuesday to spend her summer vacation at her home in Denison, Ohio.

Ruth, the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert L. Bartley, of Lock Haven, spent the past week at the home of her grandparents in this place.

Mrs. George F. Harris and Mrs. Harry Curtin went to Pittsburg last week to see that new grandson of theirs, the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Mac Curtin.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Moore spent last week on an automobile trip through New York State, during which they visited Mrs. Moore's old home at Lockport.

Miss Daisy British, a teacher in the Chester Springs soldiers orphan school, is in Bellefonte for her summer vacation at the home of Col. J. L. Spangler.

Senator J. K. P. Hall and Dr. William Kauf, of Ridgway, and Senator Dimeling, of Clearfield, autoed to Bellefonte on July 3rd and spent the night and part of the next day in town.

Col. and Mrs. W. Fred Reynolds, with their two sons, Frederick and William, took an automobile trip the latter part of last week to Beach Haven, N. J., where they expect to spend some time.

Miss Eleanor Cook left yesterday for a two weeks visit with friends in Pittsburg. She was accompanied to the Smoky city by Mr. and Mrs. Harry Crisman, who had been in Bellefonte for a brief visit.

Mr. and Mrs. German, of Lynch Station, Va., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Peters on Spring street. It is Mrs. German's last visit with her parents in Bellefonte, before they leave for their new home in Lancaster.

Mrs. John Hoffman with her daughter Leona, of Williamsport, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Spigelmyer the fore part of the week, returning home on Wednesday and being accompanied by Mrs. Spigelmyer.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Josenhaus, of Pittsburg, have been in Bellefonte the past two weeks guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McCaffery and Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Gherry. Mrs. Josenhaus will be better remembered as Miss Name Charles, formerly of this place.

Mr. Walter O'Bryan, of Pine Grove Mills, was in Bellefonte on a business trip on Tuesday and made a hurried call at the WATCHMAN office. He stated that at that time some of the Ferguson township farmers had finished cutting grain and were already engaged in hauling it into the barn.

Charles Hughes, wife and son, of Brooklyne, N. Y., accompanied by Miss Daisy Graham, also of Brooklyne, N. Y., arrived in Bellefonte on Tuesday. Mr. Hughes will work with his brother, James R. Hughes, during the next few weeks in the interest of the Academy for the coming year.

James C. Furst, J. Norman Sherer and Wallace H. Gephart will leave today for Arislock Lake, Maine, where they will spend several weeks on a fishing expedition. They have engaged the services of experienced guides who have lodges already furnished on the border of the lake as well as canoes and a full fishing outfit. These will all be at the disposal of the visitors and they can put in as much of their time as they see fit fishing for lake trout and various other species of fish.

Bellefonte Produce Markets.

Corrected weekly by R. S. Bronse, grocer. The prices quoted are those paid for produce.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Potatoes per bushel, Eggs per dozen, Lard per pound, Country Shoulders, Sides, Bacon, Tailor per pound, Butter per pound.

Bellefonte Grain Market.

Corrected weekly by C. Y. Wagoner. The following are the quotations up to a 2 o'clock, Thursday evening, when our paper goes to press.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Old Wheat, New Wheat, Rye, Corn, Oats, Barley, Ground Plaster, Buckwheat, Timothy seed.

Philadelphia Markets.

The following are the closing prices of the Philadelphia markets on Wednesday evening.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Wheat, Corn, Oats, Flour, Rye, Barley, Baled Hay, Straw.

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