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**THINGS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY**

Mrs. Frank Warfield entertained at dinner Saturday evening.  
 Mrs. B. F. Shaffer is very seriously ill at her home at Nittany.  
 Mrs. Joseph Ceaser entertained Tuesday night with "five hundred."  
 Workmen are now engaged painting the exterior woodwork of Dr. David Dale's residence.  
 J. A. B. Miller Esq., was last week admitted to the Bellefonte hospital for treatment.

Collins Johnston and family last week moved from Reynolds avenue to a house on east Lamb street.  
 Mrs. Calvin Hess is quite ill at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Wyland, on Thomas street.  
 Mrs. John W. Dale has closed her house on Lin street, expecting to spend the winter at the Bush house.  
 Mrs. George Williams entertained a number of the younger set with a Halloween party Friday night of last week.  
 Mrs. Tom Hamilton entertained last week with dinner and cards in honor of her house guest, Mrs. Haber, of Williamsport.

L. A. Gessner, an old Bellefonte boy who has been located at Kane for a number of years, has moved to Coffeyville, Kan.  
 Since the death of Capt. W. C. Patterson John W. Stuart has been acting president of the First National bank, of State College.

Dr. and Mrs. Seibert entertained a number of their friends at dinner Monday night in celebration of their thirty-sixth wedding anniversary.  
 Miss Mary Todcock has resigned her position in the office of J. A. B. Miller to accept the position of stenographer and timekeeper for Thomas A. Shoemaker.  
 The Ladies Aid of the U. B. church will hold a chicken, omelet and oyster supper on Thursday evening, November 11th, in their room adjoining the parsonage.  
 Miss Jennie Morgan has an unusually good display of the present very popular jewelry and ornaments, at her shop on Spring street, it would interest any one to see.

Edward Haupt has purchased from Thomas A. Shoemaker three lots adjoining the Schaefer property on Thomas street, and expects shortly to build inexpensive rental houses.  
 Mrs. Sparks, Mrs. Harry Valentine, Mrs. Reeder, Mrs. John Porter Lyon and Mrs. Dinges are members of the Bellefonte Chapter of the D. A. R. who are in Philadelphia this week.

The wedding of John I. Thompson, of Lemont, and Miss Margaret Johnson, of Boalsburg, will take place in the Presbyterian church in Boalsburg, on Wednesday the seventeenth of November. No invitations will be issued.  
 The Ladies Aid society of St. John's Reformed church, will hold a "Thanksgiving market," Tuesday and Wednesday of Thanksgiving week. Remember the date and get from them all good things for your Thanksgiving dinner.  
 The Centre Hall Hospital Aid society sent a large donation to the Bellefonte hospital yesterday. It included sixty quarts of canned fruits, green fruits, vegetables, etc., for all of which the hospital management are very thankful.  
 While Miss DeSales Walsh was fixing the fire in the furnace, in their home on High street on Monday afternoon, there was an explosion of gas with the result that her hair was badly singed and she was slightly burned on the face and hands.

Russell Caldwell and J. O. Heisterer attended an old time shooting match at Howard last Friday and as evidence that they are pretty clever shots took home with them to Mill Hill or their share of the spoils seven turkeys, three chickens, a goose and a duck.  
 Dr. and Mrs. Sparks' reception at State College, last Friday night, was given to the Senior class; Dr. and Mrs. Welsh's dinner Thursday, was in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Hostetter, and Mrs. Hunt's luncheon Saturday, will be to the brides of the College of Agriculture.

Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Muroh Jr., of Cleveland, and Mrs. Balevin, of Tioga, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Daggett, are occupying the House of Lords on top of the Nittany mountain. Mr. Muroh will spend the ten days they expect to be there in hunting over that district.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Harveth, Mr. and Mrs. Wentons and Dr. Geiver, all of Atlantic City, composed a hunting party camping on Nittany mountain for some time. The men were very successful in their search for game which they generously shared while entertaining Bellefonte people.

The ladies of the Lutheran church will hold a sale and exchange in the rooms formerly occupied by Ross's grocery store on Bishop street tomorrow afternoon and evening, November 6th. They will have for sale bread, rolls, pie, cakes and aprons. The patronage of the public is earnestly solicited.

**COUNCIL'S DOINGS.**

It was rather a quiet session so far as business was concerned, held by the borough council on Monday evening. Probably the principal discussion was over the building of the state highway through Bellefonte, inasmuch as the project has now advanced to that point where advertisements for bids for the building of the road are being published. In accordance with the permission of the State Highway Department council has the say as to the kind of a road to be built and they have decided on the regular limestone road from the north side of the borough line in Lin street to Allegheny. From there Parrish's druggists the street will be paved with brick to a width of twenty-five feet; from Parrish's druggists to Bishop street it will be brick paved from curb to curb and on Bishop street to the eastern borough line will be limestone road. The bids will be opened on Tuesday, November 23rd, and the contracts awarded. And as soon thereafter as possible the work of building the road might be begun, and as all awards call for the completion of the road within sixty days it would be possible to have it completed during the winter, providing the weather is not too inclement.  
 About the only other thing of importance transacted by council was the passing of an ordinance providing for the building of a sewer on east Logan street from Ridge street to Allegheny street.

**WELSH SINGERS WELL WORTH HEARING.**

The Cambria Glee society of Welsh singers which will appear in Bellefonte this evening under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. are one of the best, if not the best, musical aggregations traveling the country today. There are upwards of thirty people in the society, young men and women, and their singing is little short of marvelous. The wonderful boy soprano, master Trevor Watkins, who is less than fourteen years of age, is a singer who has attracted attention world over, and likewise cannot fail to please the people of Bellefonte. And he is only one of the many good voices to be heard in tonight's concert. Every member is a soloist and all comprise a party of artists. The Cambria Glee society has in the past two weeks appeared in many towns in Central Pennsylvania and the WATCHMAN can cheerfully recommend them to the people of Bellefonte and further state that anyone failing to hear them will miss a musical treat such as they may not have another opportunity of hearing in years. Remember they will appear in Petriken hall this evening and the price of admission will be but fifty cents.

**CURTIN HEIRS DONATE BOOKS TO WILLIAMSPORT LIBRARY.**

During the past month or so the heirs of the late ex-Governor Andrew G. Curtin have been engaged in dividing up the household effects and dismantling the old homestead on High street. In so doing they naturally had to dispose of the library, which consisted of hundreds of volumes of works of all kinds, including histories of the United States, of Pennsylvania and of various military organizations, valuable books of reference, congressional and legislative records, etc. Inasmuch as none of the heirs cared for the entire collection and as Bellefonte has no public library, the books were presented to the John V. Brown library, of Williamsport. They were shipped there last week and the donation was so large that it took four or five big boxes to hold it.  
 This was a worthy act on the part of the Curtin heirs and one greatly appreciated by the trustees of the Brown library as well as the people of Williamsport, inasmuch as the donation was one of the largest and most valuable ever received by them.

**PROCEEDINGS OF BELLEFONTE MINISTERIUM.**

The Bellefonte ministerium met in the Y. M. C. A. rooms on Monday morning and among the business transacted was the following: Arrangements were made to hold a union layman's missionary convention in the Presbyterian church on Tuesday afternoon and evening, November 18th. Prominent speakers will address the meeting, more definite information of which will be given next week.  
 The Union Thanksgiving service will be held in the Methodist Episcopal church this year, and Rev. J. F. Hower, of the United Evangelical church, will preach the sermon.  
 The following officers were elected: President, Rev. Fred W. Barry; secretary-treasurer, Rev. C. W. Miney.

**SPECIAL TRAIN TO STATE—BUCKNELL GAME.**

A special train will be run to Lewisburg tomorrow to accommodate the college students and others wishing to attend the annual State-Bucknell football game. The train will leave Bellefonte at 8.15 a. m., and from Lemont will be run in two sections. There will be no special rate of fare from Bellefonte but Bellefonters wishing to attend the game can pay regular fare to Lemont and there receive through the manager of the State team an excursion ticket for the round trip for \$1.71. In the evening the return train will leave Lewisburg for Bellefonte at seven o'clock. It is expected that fully eight hundred college students will accompany the team on the trip.

**CHURCH REOPENING.**

St. Mark's Lutheran church at Snydertown, Centre county, Pa., which has been undergoing repairs recently, will be re-opened for public service on Sunday, November 7th, at 10:30 a. m. The improvements consist of a new roof, repainting outside and inside, re-papering the lecture room, a new carpet, etc. Rev. John Brubaker, D. D., of Avia, Pa., a former pastor, will assist the pastor in charge, Rev. L. N. Flick, in the services of the day. A very cordial invitation is given to all to be present on this occasion.

Harry Baum on Friday evening changed off a horse and T. Clayton Brown was the lucky winner of the animal. However, when he found the horse was valued at only fifteen dollars he took Harry's offer of ten dollars instead of the horse and the latter was left with the valuable animal still on his hands.

Irwin W. Musser, of Centre Hall, last week purchased the hardware store of S. W. Woodgraze, in Millburg, taking hold of the same as soon as an inventory of the stock was taken. Just as soon as he can secure a suitable house Mr. and Mrs. Musser will move from Centre Hall to Millburg and take up their residence there.

From all indications quite a number of Bellefonters will go on the excursion to Lewisburg tomorrow to witness the State-Bucknell football game. Both teams are keyed up to a high pitch and while State will go down confident of victory the Bucknell players will fight their best to wipe out the stigma of defeat which they suffered in State's very decisive victory last season.

Miss Pearl Knisely entertained the twelve members of the girls' club at her home on Thomas street on Monday evening and after giving the ghost dance and showing them a graveyard filled with tombstones and their own epitaphs each girl was given one end of a piece of twine and on following it up found a young man attached to the other end. The party wound up with a dance.

The third quarterly conference services in the Methodist church the latter half of last week and Sunday were not only well attended but exceedingly interesting and spiritually uplifting. The new hymnals and the new individual open communion service were used for the first time on Sunday. A large number of communicants were present at both the morning and evening service.

The buckwheat crop in Centre county this year, especially in some sections of Bald Eagle valley, is the largest it has been in years. Out on Marsh creek and in the neighborhood of Yarnell a number of the farmers have threshed crops of from one hundred to two hundred and fifty bushels, and the grain is of a fine quality, so that there is a fine prospect for buckwheat cakes and sausages the coming winter.

Invitations have been issued by Mrs. Charles Mortimer Hogan, of Philadelphia, for the marriage of her daughter, Edith Mortimer, to William Martin Mattern, of the wedding to take place in the Bethlehem Presbyterian church of that city on Thursday evening, November 18th, at seven o'clock. Immediately following the ceremony a reception will be held at the Bellevue-Stratford. Mr. Mattern is a native of Halfmoon valley, this county.

W. G. Laye, who has been in Bellefonte for over six months as singer at the Scenic, will terminate his engagement tomorrow evening. He has accepted a position in Philadelphia which will afford him an opportunity of taking voice culture at the same time. He will be succeeded at the Scenic by Miss Julia N. Goldsborough, of Philadelphia, who comes to Bellefonte with a reputation of possessing a very sweet soprano voice.

The music loving people of Bellefonte are in luck this season. Following close after the Welsh singers tonight comes the Ithaca Concert company on Monday night, as the second number on the list of the Y. M. C. A. star course of entertainments. While there are only four people in the Ithaca company every one of them is a star and their various renditions are of the highest class order. You can hear them in Petriken hall Monday evening for only fifty cents.

The repairs at the Bellefonte furnace are nearing completion and the company expects to have everything in good shape to start the fire on or about November 14th. The furnace stack has been relined, the boilers have been overhauled and put in first class condition, a water purifying plant erected and everything put in good shape. A good stock of ore and coke is already on hand and once started there is no reason why they should not have a very successful run.

Do you appreciate the fact that there is one place of amusement and entertainment in Bellefonte where you can spend from a half to three quarters of an hour every evening for the small price of five cents, and that place the Scenic. It is always there, open every evening with a program of moving pictures and illustrated songs that cannot be excelled. It is the one place you can go and take your wife, your sister or your sweetheart and know that everything will be all right—only the best and most up-to-date pictures and perfect order. If you don't know it, try it.  
 W. T. Twintie and his force of workmen this week finished putting the new copper roof on the court house and the improvement over the old tin roof is a very decided one. The masons are well along with the walls of the first story for the new addition and at the rate the work is now being done it will be only a matter of two or three weeks until the walls are completed and the building ready for the interior finishing. The work of putting up the wall is not near as tedious as that of digging out the foundation and while the building will not be completed for the December term of court it very probably will be by the February term.

The Bellefonte Academy football team added another scalp to their string on Saturday when they defeated the strong Anderson school eleven by the score of 6 to 0. Inasmuch as the Anderson school had the week previous played the strong Kicki team a tie and no score game it places the Academy team as the superior of that famous western Pennsylvania preparatory school eleven. Tomorrow the Academy boys will go to Look Haven where they will play the Normal team. The Normal team this year is even heavier than the Anderson school team, though the latter defeated them by kicking a field goal, the score being 3 to 0. On Saturday the Normal boys were defeated by Williamsport Dickinson Seminary by the score of 18 to 11, and as only the week previous the Academy boys played the Seminary boys a no score game there is every reason to believe the Academy ought to be a winner tomorrow, though at that it will doubtless be a close and hard-fought contest.

The Bellefonte friends of Harry F. Good, son of George R. Good, of Look Haven, will be interested in learning that he is now making a fight for the guardianship of his six year old daughter, Kathryn Good, heiress to five hundred thousand dollars left her by her mother, Mrs. Good, who was killed in an automobile accident at Buffalo, N. Y., shortly after she had been divorced from her husband. The money was left in trust for the child until she becomes eighteen years old when it is to be paid her outright. In the absence of the father on a hunting trip Mrs. John R. Hoxie, of Chicago, the child's grandmother, was appointed guardian and it is to set aside this appointment and secure possession of the child that Mr. Good's fight is being made. Inasmuch as he can in no way benefit by the bequest to the child Mr. Good's only interest in seeking her guardianship is a fatherly love for his daughter.

The Bellefonte Central company now have their siding completed out to the big slag pile at the Bellefonte furnace and have begun the shipment of slag to Northumberland. In loading the cars they have in use the largest steam shovel ever seen in Bellefonte. It is a ponderous piece of mechanism and so powerful that it is forced right into the slag pile without the latter being loosened in any way. It is also so large that with it a car can be loaded in a very short time. When they get everything in smooth-working order the company expects to ship one train load, or from twenty-five to forty cars a day from here to Northumberland to be used as filler in the big classification yards now being built there. An idea of how rapidly the shovel work may be had from the fact that on Monday it loaded a sixty thousand car in five minutes with just fourteen shovels full.

Mr. and Mrs. Chaney K. Hicklen entertained a number of young people at a Halloween party on Saturday evening and the guests were treated to as near a ghost-like gathering as it is possible to have without the real thing. On entering the house the guests were confronted with a ghostly figure with arm extended up the stairway. They were escorted to the attic where there were other ghostly figures and where part of the evening was spent in various Halloween pastimes. From the house the guests were taken on a trip to ghostland in the barn where there were ghost stories, ghost dances and other ghostly things. But notwithstanding the 'ghostliness' of the gathering it was a very pleasant evening for all who were privileged to be there.

One week from tomorrow, or on Saturday, November 13th, there will be a general exodus of deer hunters from all parts of Centre county, going into camp on the mountains to be in readiness for the opening of the season on Monday, the fifteenth. The Panthers, of this place, will go out in the same section of country they have been in for a number of years though they will not occupy the same location they did last year. The various other clubs in the county will go out to the same localities they have hunted in in former years. There are various opinions as to how plentiful deer are this year, but the success of the hunters will likely depend more upon their ability to get the deer than upon the number of them in the woods.

Rabbit season opened on Monday but it proved a very unsuccessful day for Bellefonte hunters. Either rabbits are very scarce or the dry weather was against finding them as the majority of hunters came in without a single bunny in their game bag. It was only the very few who succeeded in bagging one and two. With more auspicious weather, however, hunters hope for better luck. Chas. Moerschbacher and Joseph Thal were about the most fortunate ones we heard of. They got sixteen. Christ Beezer's party bagged twelve and a wild turkey while Mike Hazal's famous election day party was almost a fizzle, as they shot only one.

Kirk B. Alexander, a writer on the Journal, Detroit, Mich., is the author of four of the very successful plays of today, "Miss Idlewild," "The Show Girl," "The Isle of Spies" and "A Knight for a Day." All of these attractions have had big runs in the large cities and it might be interesting to the theatre-going public of Bellefonte to know that at least two or more of them will be presented in Bellefonte this season. "The Isle of Spies" to be the next attraction. Mr. Alexander's productions are conceded to be exceptionally clever and their appearance here will undoubtedly be appreciated by the people of Bellefonte.

**News Purely Personal**

Mrs. John S. Walker is home from a short stay in Atlantic City.  
 L. O. Meek is spending the week up Buffalo Run and at State College.  
 Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Decker left on Tuesday on a month's trip to Pittsburgh.  
 Robert Bradley, of Bradford, is in Bellefonte visiting his mother and sister.  
 Rev. J. M. Reardon, of Salona, spent Tuesday visiting old friends in Bellefonte.  
 Mrs. Matilda Dale is in Philadelphia for a visit before going to Baltimore for the winter.  
 Mr. Calvin Stewart, of State College, is a guest at the home of Mrs. James Harris.  
 Dr. John Henderson, of Philadelphia, is in Bellefonte for one of his periodical visits.  
 Mrs. Claude Cook left Bellefonte Monday expecting to spend two weeks in Philadelphia.  
 J. E. McCoy, one of Lewisburg's enterprising merchants, spent Monday night in Bellefonte.  
 Mrs. Harriet Thomas Kurts left Bellefonte yesterday to spend the winter in Philadelphia.  
 Miss Edith Viedorfer, of Pine Glenn, is with her sister, Mrs. J. A. B. Miller, on Curtin street.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Roland Miller are visiting friends in Pittsburg, Ford City, and Youngstown, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Derstine have been in Harrisburg this week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ward Fleming.  
 Mrs. Hoffer and her daughter, Mrs. R. G. H. Hayes, returned last Saturday from a stay in Atlantic City.  
 Mr. and Mrs. George B. Thompson and two children, of Alto, were guests at the Bush home Monday night.  
 Mrs. Isaac Mallard and her daughter, Miss Louise, of Williamsport, are with Mrs. Charles Cruise, on Spring street.  
 Mrs. D. H. Hastings has closed her house for the winter, having gone to Harrisburg to be with her daughter, Mrs. Hickcock.

Mrs. John P. Harris and Dr. Edith Schatz spent Tuesday at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Edward Harris, in Snow Shoe.  
 Mr. Daggett has been for a visit with his son Randolph, who entered the military school at Staunton, Va., in September.  
 Dr. and Mrs. Thomas R. Hayes, who spent the past month in Atlantic City, have gone to their winter home at Asheville, N. C.  
 Mr. and Mrs. James Somerville with Miss Beatrice John, of Winburne, have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Potter this week.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Luther Mendenhall, of Pittsburg, will be in Bellefonte today, the guests of Mr. Mendenhall's uncle, Wm. T. Speer.

G. Murry Andrews has returned to Bellefonte and opened her house for a short time, before leaving Bellefonte for the winter.  
 Harold Gardner, who is at State at school, spent Sunday and the forepart of the week in Bellefonte under the care of Dr. Hayes.  
 Scott Loe, the tailor, left on Wednesday, morning for Reading, where he has accepted a position with a big tailoring establishment.  
 Miss Kate Shugart, on account of her health, resigned her position at Bryn Mawr College and returned to her home in Bellefonte last week.  
 Miss Stella Cooney, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Cooney, left last week for Wernersville where she will take a course in massage.  
 William Burnside was down from Scotia to spend Sunday at his home in this place, and he didn't have any ool story with him this time, either.

William Hall went down to Millburg on Wednesday to look after the manufacture of his automobiles by the Hopp Carriage manufacturing company in that place.  
 Mrs. William Shaffer, of Millburg, was in Bellefonte this week on her way home from Pittsburg and Altoona. While here she was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Shaffer.  
 Mrs. Louise Comerford left Thursday for Canton, Ohio, where she will join her daughter, Mrs. Theodore Thomas, who with her two children will land Monday from a seven months stay in Europe.  
 Mrs. Wilbur F. Reeder left Bellefonte Monday expecting to spend some time in Harrisburg, Philadelphia and Louisville, Kentucky. She will later go to California for a visit with her son Wallace.  
 Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Richard left Tuesday for Philadelphia, accompanied by their niece, Miss Margaret Aull. Mrs. James Aull, Miss Margaret's mother, who has been for some time in Europe, will meet them in Philadelphia.  
 Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Strawn and little daughter Ellen were in Pittsburg visiting friends from Friday until Tuesday evening; the stock market being closed most of that time on account of the Saturday half holiday and the election on Tuesday.

Ensign and Mrs. W. J. Harvey, of the Salvation Army in Bellefonte, have been entertaining their eldest son, Lieutenant W. Gear Harvey, a stenographer connected with the department of Chautauk and member of the famous Headquarters band.  
 James Dowling, of Renovo, spent last Thursday night with friends in Bellefonte. Mr. Dowling, who is well known in Bellefonte, is a singer of more than the average ability and has frequently engaged in putting on the stage amateur musical performances.  
 Col. and Mrs. W. Fred Reynolds have been in Providence, R. I., this week attending the wedding of Miss Edith Wainman, Col. Reynolds returned Thursday while Mrs. Reynolds will not return until Saturday when she will be accompanied by her brother, Randolph Hoy.  
 Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Moore returned on Tuesday from Homer, N. Y., where they went last week to attend the funeral of Mr. Moore's father, which occurred on Thursday. The senior Mr. Moore was eighty-six years old and for years had suffered with valvular heart trouble which was the cause of his death.

Capt. George F. Rankle, head of the Pennsylvania nautical school in Philadelphia and commander of the schoolship Adams, is at present visiting his various friends in Bellefonte. He only recently returned from his first trip as commander of the schoolship, which was one of the most successful ever made.  
 Mr. and Mrs. James Schofield went to Philadelphia Saturday for a visit with their son Edward, of the crew of the battleship Idaho, before his boat was transferred to New York expecting the beginning of the year to leave for a years cruise. Mr. Schofield returned Monday, while Mrs. Schofield remained in Philadelphia with her sister, who has been seriously ill.  
 Mrs. C. U. Hoffer, of Phillipsburg, came to Bellefonte Monday to be for a few days with her sister, Mrs. L. U. Wetzel, of Toledo, Ohio, who with her husband and three boys were with their relatives here until Thursday, when they left for New York, expecting to sail for England Saturday. Mrs. Wetzel goes to Birmingham for the greater part of the coming year in the interest of the Toledo Computing scale company.

John G. Fynton came home from Washington on Sunday the remained until Tuesday to vote leaving and same day for the national capital. He says there is no question but that business has already improved considerably all over the country, as the enormous demand for freight cars is ample proof that manufacturers and business men everywhere confidently believe it is but the beginning of a era of unusual prosperity.

**ELKS BENEFIT.**

"The County Fair," the charity and hospital benefit to be held in this place on Friday and Saturday evenings, November 19th and 20th, by the Bellefonte Lodge of Elks, promises to be an unique as well as interesting entertainment. It will be given under the auspices of the Book Entertainment company assisted by a big bunch of the best local amateur talent in the town. Every year the Elks give an entertainment the entire net proceeds of which are devoted to charitable purposes. A number of poor families in the town are aided very materially through this benefit and what is not devoted to their use is always turned over to the Bellefonte hospital. For this reason "The County Fair" should be well patronized. You will thus be helping along a good cause and at the same time have an opportunity of enjoying a very pleasing entertainment.

Oiling that portion of High street from the office of W. Harrison Walker Esq., to the Diamond proved so satisfactory to the people of that section of the town and those living nearby who could see the good results thereof, as well as the borough officials, that this week oil was put on Allegheny street from the alley at the southern end of the Broeckerhoff house across to the north side of the Diamond. This should result in getting rid of the dust in that section during the remainder of the fall, at least, and do away with the clouds of dust and dirt usually blown about there during the high autumn winds.

On Tuesday policeman Daley Justice was going up High street and when opposite Petriken hall he heard the cry of fire and quite a commotion upstairs in the building. He ran up the stairs and found the trouble in the kitchen of the apartments occupied by Dr. H. W. Tate. The gas stove had evidently sprung a leak as it was enveloped in flames and the whole interior of the oven was ablaze, which naturally had frightened the woman. Mr. Justice succeeded in turning off the gas and the fire went out without doing any particular damage.

The local Salvation Army corps had a number of quite prominent visitors last week. They were Major Berriman, Adjutant Ranico and Ensign Hoffman, of Baltimore, and lieutenant W. G. Harvey, a son of Ensign and Mrs. Harvey, of New York. They all participated in the open air meetings and in the musicale held in their hall. Lieut. Harvey, who is a member of New York's famous Salvation Army band, was in Bellefonte only two days, and regretted that he could not stay longer.

Charles P. Kauffman, agent of the Pennsylvania Society for the prevention of cruelty to animals, arrived in this place Wednesday and spent yesterday investigating several charges against owners of horses in this vicinity that have been made to the Philadelphia office of the Society. Mr. Kauffman is evidently very much in earnest and his visit here should be a warning to those he has come to warn that the next visit may mean a very serious predicament for them.

While hunting rabbits in the woods south of Aaronburg on Monday Pierce Minnick, of Aaronburg, was accidentally shot by Ralph Zimmerman, of Millheim. The boys surrounded a rabbit in a brush pile and when they chased it out Minnick started to run towards it and got in range of Zimmerman's gun just as he pulled the trigger. A number of shot penetrated the boys legs but his wounds are not regarded serious.

Samuel B. Miller has about recovered from the injuries he sustained last week in falling off a load of straw and was able to be in his place as judge of election in the North ward on Tuesday, though he was not feeling as chipper and bright as usual.

**Bellefonte Produce Markets.**

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

Potatoes per bushel.....	60
Onions.....	75
Eggs, per dozen.....	28
Lard, per pound.....	12
Country shoulders.....	10
Sides.....	10
Hams.....	13
Butter, per pound.....	28

**Bellefonte Grain Market.**

Corrected weekly by C. Y. WABER.  
 The following are the quotations up to 2 1/2 o'clock, Thursday evening, when our paper goes to press:

Red Wheat.....	\$1.09
White Wheat.....	1.10
Rye, per bushel.....	75
Corn, shelled, per bushel.....	70
Corn, ears, per bushel.....	70
Oats old and new, per bushel.....	45
Barley, per bushel.....	60
Ground Flaxseed, per ton.....	\$ 30 to \$ 30
Buckwheat, per bushel.....	6.00 to 6.25
Cloverseed, per bushel.....	\$ 7.00 to \$ 8.00
Timothy seed per bushel.....	\$ 2.00 to \$ 3.00

**Philadelphia Markets.**

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

Wheat—Red.....	\$1.09 @ 1.11
—No. 2.....	1.05 @ 1.07
Corn—Yellow.....	69 @ 69 1/2
—Mixed.....	67 @ 68
Oats.....	45 @ 45 1/2
Flour—Winter, Per Br'l.....	4.50 @ 4.75
—Spring.....	4.65 @ 4.85
Rye Flour Per Br'l.....	4.15 @ 4.35
Blind hay—Choice.....	11.00 @ 12.00
—Mixed.....	14.00 @ 15.00
Straw.....	8.00 @ 17.00

**The Democratic Watchman.**

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

SPACE OCCUPIED.....	3m	6m	1y
One inch (12 lines this type).....	\$ 5	8	15
Two inches.....	10	15	25
Three inches.....	15	25	35
Quarter Column (6 inches).....	15	25	35
Half Column (10 inches).....	25	35	50
One Column (20 inches).....	35	55	75