

Democrat Watchman

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THINGS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY.

The second meeting of "The Woman's Club" of Bellefonte will be held this (Friday) afternoon, in Petriken hall, at 3:30 o'clock. All women of the town are cordially invited to be present.

The scenic is being given a thorough housecleaning this week, the floors and all the woodwork being scrubbed from front to rear.

Wednesday was the day for turning off the steam heat but the weather was so much like winter that Col. Taylor kept the plant in operation.

The Tyrone Country club house at Pennsylvania Furnace was formally opened yesterday, and was visited by from one to two hundred people during the day.

Rev. H. G. Finney, one of the best known Presbyterian ministers in Central Pennsylvania, died at his home in Williamsport last week and was buried on Monday.

The Academy-Lock Haven Normal baseball game that was to have been played on Wednesday will be played on Hughes field tomorrow (Saturday) afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

There will be a festival on Half Moon Hill Saturday evening, June 4th. Ice cream, cake and other refreshments will be served. All are invited to attend. The proceeds will be for the benefit of the U. B. church.

Tomorrow is the day for the primaries for the nomination of candidates to be voted for at the fall election. If you don't turn out and do your duty tomorrow don't growl at the nominations made by the other fellows.

The editor of the *Republican* has been treading kind of high ever since yesterday morning and its not because of any political affair, either. In fact it is entirely domestic, as a nice little girl arrived at his home yesterday morning.

Santaneli, the hypnotist, did not prove a drawing card at the opera house last week, notwithstanding the fact that manager Garman considered him a much cleverer man than Pauline, who created quite a sensation here two years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. James Parsons have moved from State College to McKeesport where Mr. Parsons has a good position. For the present they are boarding but they expect to go to housekeeping just as soon as they can secure a suitable house.

The Grove family reunion will be held at Grange park, Centre Hall, on Wednesday of next week, June 8th. All members of the Grove family as well as their friends are invited to attend. The gathering will be in the shape of a basket picnic.

A brand new baby boy arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Leopold on east Lamb street, Tuesday evening. He is the fifth child in the family and Mr. Leopold naturally thinks that he is entitled to have the young man named after him, which will probably be done.

Floyd Davis, a brakeman on the Bellefonte Central railroad, fell from the top of a hopper car to the roadbed last Saturday afternoon, badly injuring his hip. He was taken to the hospital and given treatment and by Sunday had so improved that he was able to be taken home.

Miss Emma E. Payne, of Ashland, Pa., for the past five years a worker in the mission field of Mexico, and at present home on a furlough, will talk of her work to the people of the Methodist church next Sunday at both the morning service and during the Sunday school hour.

On Saturday night about ten o'clock an alarm of fire caused considerable excitement for the time being but it did not last long. The fire proved to be a small blaze in a house in the Brown row, but before the fire companies got on the ground the incipient blaze had been extinguished.

Last week A. W. Moore, manager of the Western Union telegraph office in this place, moved his household furniture here and into one of the Haag houses on Penn street. On Sunday morning he went to Lock Haven and met his wife and daughter, and brother and accompanied them to this place and henceforth they will make this their home.

Since Wednesday afternoon there has been an exhibition in the show window of Blair's jewelry store a handsome oil painting of the two little grandsons of John K. Lloyd, president of the First National bank, of Altoona. The painting is the work of the well known firm of Antrim & Lansdy, portrait painters of Philadelphia, and is a marked credit to their ability.

On Monday, William Orner, who lives in Stone valley, was moving a stone crusher over Shaver's creek when the bridge broke down and the crusher fell through into the water. Mr. Orner was caught between the crusher and broken timbers and was badly crushed about the hips so that his condition is quite serious. He was born in this place and is quite well known throughout Centre county during the Civil war he served as a private under General Curtin, of this place,

HONORING THE NATIONAL DEAD.—Monday was Memorial day and all over the country—throughout the entire United States, in fact—surviving soldiers of the Civil war paid homage to their departed comrades by decorating their graves with garlands of flowers. On Sunday, the day previous, special memorial services were held in all the churches in the country, those in Bellefonte being held in the Methodist church at 10:30 o'clock in the morning when the pastor, Rev. Thomas S. Wilcox, preached an interesting discourse. His various references to the men who died on the field of battle and those who braved all the dangers and horrors of those years of strife and have since died, were touching and pathetic.

In Bellefonte the Memorial services were concluded on Monday afternoon with the decoration of the graves of the soldier dead in the Union cemetery. At the usual hour, two o'clock, Gregg Post escorted by the new City band and Company L, marched from the Diamond to the cemetery and after the regular brief and formal services in general usage placed a bouquet or wreath of flowers on the grave of every known soldier. The day was observed universally and the people of the town and community were lavish in the decoration of the graves of their loved ones, so that the Union cemetery was more liberally strewn with flowers than it has been in years. The grave of the late Andrew G. Curtin, Pennsylvania's "Old War Governor," was marked with the customary garland of flowers sent by the Pennsylvania Reserve association from their headquarters in Philadelphia and special services were held at his tomb in honor of his life and his work. The address at these services was made by Hon. William C. Heinle.

At the conclusion of the services in the cemetery the crowd returned to Petriken hall where the regular address of the day was delivered by Rev. Fred W. Barry, of the Lutheran church. It was not only a patriotic talk but one in which great praise was given the men who sacrificed so much for their country in the war of the rebellion, as well as other wars, and a touching tribute was paid to the memory of those who have fought their last battle in life and whose remains now help to compose the city of the dead.

AT MILESBURG AND VICINITY.
Geo. L. Potter Post of Milesburg, had charge of the services in that place and vicinity. A detail of the Post went to the Fairview cemetery, three miles north of Curtin, where services were held at 8:30 o'clock in the morning, a good sized crowd being present. The committee in charge was composed of Austin Curtin, Simeon Bathurst and Henry Heaton. Comrade John A. Daley made the address and a choir from Romola sang several appropriate songs. From Fairview the detail went to the Advent church where they met the other members of the Post and joined in honoring the heroic dead buried there. The crowd at that place was unusually large, people being present from Marsh Creek and Runville. Col. Austin Curtin had charge of the services, which began at 10:30 o'clock, and he was assisted by comrades Boyer, Haupt, McMullen and Wilson. Miss Ambie Confer, of Marsh Creek, read Lincoln's speech at Gettysburg in a very impressive manner, while the choir from the Marsh Creek Sunday school furnished the music. The address was delivered by Rev. Hamilton, of Runville.

At 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon services were held in the cemetery at Curtin, at which the address was made by Rev. R. S. Taylor, of Howard. The final service of the day was held at Milesburg at 4:30 o'clock. The parade was made up of the Milesburg band, George L. Potter Post and the children of the various Sunday schools. Colonel Austin Curtin also had charge of the services at that place. Lincoln's Gettysburg speech was read by Miss Ophelia Haupt and the regular address was made by Rev. Oyler, of Milesburg.

DOWN AT BLANCHARD.
The Memorial sermon for the soldier dead of Liberty township was preached in the Baptist church at Blanchard on Sunday morning by Rev. J. B. Eldridge, the church being appropriately draped with the national colors. The regular Memorial exercises were held on Monday morning at 9:30 o'clock and were very largely attended. Large delegations were present from Beech Creek, Howard and the surrounding country. Both the Blanchard and Howard bands turned out and in addition to the old soldiers there were in the parade the Old Fellows, Patriotic Order Sons of America, Red Men and Sunday school children, as well as the Beech Creek drum corps. Services were held and the graves decorated in both the Baptist and Disciple cemeteries after which the crowd marched to the Disciple church where the address of the day was delivered by A. A. Dale Esq., of Bellefonte. He spoke quite eloquently and paid a fitting tribute to the men in whose honor the services were held. The Baptist church choir, in charge of Joseph L. Pletcher, furnished most of the music, Dean Goodwin presiding at the organ. Miss Mabel Bitner gave a patriotic recitation which was much appreciated by all.

UP IN FERGURON TOWNSHIP.
The Memorial sermon at Pine Grove Mills was preached in the Lutheran church on Sunday evening by Rev. J. S. Shultz. The regular services and decoration of graves was held at two o'clock in the afternoon and the old soldiers were assisted by the Sons of Veterans

and Sunday schools. The address was delivered by Rev. S. C. Pettinger. From Pine Grove Mills the old soldiers went to Pine Hall where services were held at 5:30 o'clock in the afternoon. Hon. Alva Agee was the orator of the day at that place and his address was a very affecting one. The State College band and a selected choir furnished the music.

Five persons in Bellefonte won life memberships in the Booklover's library for creditable lists of answers sent to the Philadelphia Press in that paper's book-lovers' contest. They are Miss Myra Humes, Miss Helen Overton, Mrs. B. W. Shaner, Harry Keller and Prof. A. H. Sloop. The first prize, a fifteen hundred dollar Maxwell automobile, was won by Miss Ray Bradshaw, a sixty-year old maiden lady of Philadelphia.

Edgar Poorman, who six weeks ago had his legs so badly crushed in a railroad accident on the Bellefonte Central railroad that it was necessary to amputate both of them, has entirely recovered under the good care and attention he got in the Bellefonte hospital and was able to be taken from that institution to his home at Coleville in the beginning of the week. He will be supplied with one cork leg and then with the aid of crutches will be able to get out and around.

There are many reasons why you should be a regular patron of the Scenic but one of the most forceful is that if you miss one night you are almost sure to miss some good pictures. That is because every evening's program is new and different from every other evening. No picture shown twice. If there is an exceptionally good one this evening you will have to be there to see it, as it will not be shown tomorrow evening. That is the reason you should attend every night. If you don't you are sure to miss something good, and perhaps the very picture you have long wanted to see. And the price of admission is a mere bagatelle, only five cents each evening. If you don't attend regularly try it awhile and see how you like it.

On Sunday afternoon J. Mitch Cunningham, with his wife and mother, were coming in the pike from a spin in his automobile, intending to turn the corner at the Yeager swing factory and take a run out towards Roopsburg. Dr. Locke had been out to the hospital and on his way back had a visit to make out the pike and attempted to turn the corner at the same time Cunningham did. The result was that to avoid a head-on collision the doctor turned his car at a sharp right angle and ran it down the railroad track until he stuck in the switch rails. Mr. Cunningham also turned his car quickly to the right and ran into a railroad sign post. Dr. Locke's car had to be pushed out of the switch and off the track but it was not damaged in the least. Mr. Cunningham, however, was not so fortunate. His radiator was stove up several inches and one of the rods of the steering gear badly bent. Fortunately, however, nobody was hurt, though the ladies were pretty badly frightened.

The writer apologizes to Halley's comet for calling it a tailless thing in last week's WATCHMAN. Since that time it has been plainly visible in the western sky every night and it now presents a tail of great length and magnitude. In fact its size depends very much upon the eyesight and imagination of the observer. But there is no contradicting the fact that it has a tail, though it must be admitted that there is considerable disappointment felt on the comet in its entirety. From the way its wonders had been heralded by scientists and astronomers it was naturally expected that it would be a heavenly body of great brilliancy with a tail so phosphorescently bright as to illumine the night, while it is much less conspicuous so far as brilliancy and scintillation is concerned than scores of planets and stars. But then it is Halley's comet; it comes only every seventy-six years or thereabouts, and we all should be thankful that we have at least been able to see it on this trip around its orbit, as it will likely be out of our line of vision on its next trip.

JAKE FROM AGAIN SENT TO THE PENITENTIARY.—Early in the spring Jake From nailed up his house at Centre Hall and left the town. Shortly thereafter he turned up at the farm of Daniel Keller, in Chester county. Mr. Keller was a former resident of Centre Hall and ex-county treasurer, and knowing Mr. From gave him work upon his farm. Some time ago he was caught in the act of burglarizing a hardware store and on Monday of last week pleaded guilty to an indictment for attempted burglary, in the courts of Chester county, and was sentenced to pay a fine of two hundred dollars and not less than nine months nor more than three years in the eastern penitentiary. It is less than two years since Mr. From was released from the western penitentiary where he was sent by Judge Orvis for stealing corn.

BAKER.—Mrs. Mary M. Baker, widow of the late John R. Baker, of Howard, died at the home of her niece, Mrs. Robert Malone, in Snow Shoe, on Monday night, following weeks of poor health from infirmities due to der advanced age, which was seventy-six years. She was a member of the Methodist church and a good christian woman. She is survived by two brothers and one sister, namely: John Chessman, of Indiana; Irvin, of Altoona, and Mrs. Thomas Taylor, of Milesburg. The funeral was held on Wednesday burial being made at Howard.

NORRIS.—Mrs. Gertrude Norris, wife of ex-burgess Daniel B. Norris, of Juniata, and a niece of Mrs. Henry Tibbets, of this place and George W. Rumberger, of Unionville, died at her home in Juniata on Sunday night. She had been in poor health for some time with dropsical heart trouble but last week was so much improved that her friends felt encouraged over her condition. She retired to bed on Sunday evening in a happy and cheerful frame of mind and during the night calmly slept away, as when Mr. Norris went to awaken her Monday morning he found only her body, cold in death.

Deceased was about fifty-five years of age and was born at Buffalo Run, this county, being a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Balsor Rumberger. In 1874 she was married to Mr. Norris at Unionville and the young couple spent the first six years of their married life in this county, moving to Juniata in 1880, when that borough was yet in its infancy. Mrs. Norris was identified with almost every movement of progression in the growth of that borough and her influence for good has manifested itself in many ways. She was a member of the Trinity Lutheran church and a sincere christian woman. She was prominently identified with the Ladies Aid society and the ladies auxiliary of the Young Men's Christian Association, being treasurer of the latter organization. A short time ago she instituted a movement for the organization of a ladies auxiliary to the Rogers fire company No. 1, and her last evening away from home was that with this preliminary organization of the auxiliary was made.

In addition to her husband she is survived by the following children: Mrs. E. C. Hallett, Mrs. E. H. Young, Joseph M. and Walter M., all of Juniata; Mrs. Roy T. Ake, of Syracuse, N. Y.; Margaret, Agnes, Russell, George and Gertrude, at home. She also leaves one half brother and two half sisters: Green Matts and Mrs. Andrew Logherman, of Juniata, and Mrs. Eva Ross, of Tyrone. The funeral was held from the Trinity Lutheran church at Juniata on Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock. Rev. H. E. Weiland officiated and burial was made in Greenwood cemetery.

HASTINGS.—William Hastings, of Gatesburg, and one of the well known residents of Ferguson township, died in the Jefferson hospital, Philadelphia, at five o'clock last Friday morning. He had been in poor health for some time; two weeks or more ago went to the hospital and underwent an operation. Instead of improving peritonitis set in and his death followed.

He was born in Blair county on July 1st, 1844, hence was almost sixty-six years old. When only eighteen years old he enlisted as a member of Company I, Twenty-second Pennsylvania cavalry, and served through the Civil war. Returning he located in Centre county and ever since lived in Ferguson and Halfmoon townships. Forty years or more ago he was united in marriage to Miss Emeline Rider who survives with five children, as follows: John and Charles, of Tyrone; Mrs. Myrtle Rumberger and Mrs. Lizzie Snyder, of Hollidaysburg, and Miss Athalia A. at home. He also leaves one brother, John, in Colorado, and one sister, Mrs. William Cupp, of Centre Line.

The remains were brought from Philadelphia and taken to his home in Gatesburg last Saturday and the funeral was held on Sunday. Rev. J. S. Shultz, of the Lutheran church, of which he was a member, officiated and burial was made in the Gatesburg cemetery.

ASKEY.—Taylor Askey died at his home at Cold Stream, near Philipsburg, on Wednesday evening of last week after a lingering illness with a complication of diseases. He was born in Nittany valley and was sixty-three years old last January. He left Nittany valley many years ago and located in Philipsburg where he lived a long time. About a year ago he moved to Cold Stream, where he followed the occupation of a miner.

He was a soldier of the Civil war and served his country faithfully. He was a member of the Presbyterian church and an upright, honorable citizen. Surviving him are his wife and the following children: Clayton, of Blairsville; Harry, of Avemore; Mrs. Harry Bowser, of Winburne, and Mrs. Thomas Evans, of Blanesburg. He also leaves two brothers and two sisters, namely: Thomas Askey, of Philipsburg; John, of Buffalo, N. Y.; Mrs. D. H. Yeager, of Jersey Shore, and Mrs. John Lytle, of Sinnamahoning. Rev. R. P. Miller, of the Philipsburg Presbyterian church, officiated at the funeral which was held on Saturday, burial being made in the Philipsburg cemetery.

AMMERMAN.—John T. Ammerman, a native Centre county, died at his home in Altoona on Saturday morning of diseases incident to his advanced age, after an illness of a number of weeks. He was born at Eagleville, this county, and was 71 years of age. He served during the Civil war as a member of Company G, Fifty-first regiment. Thirty or more years ago he moved to Altoona and went to work for the Pennsylvania railroad company in the shops at that place. A year or so ago he was retired on account of the age limit and placed upon the pension list. His wife died a number of years ago but surviving him are ten children and one adopted daughter all but one of whom live in Altoona. The funeral was held at two o'clock on Monday afternoon, burial being made in the Fairview cemetery, Altoona.

NEWS PURELY PERSONAL.

—Mrs. Jane Marshall, of Centre Hall, is visiting friends in Bellefonte.

—Edward Sebring, of Jersey Shore, was an over Sunday visitor with Bellefonte friends.

—Miss Leda McFarlane, of Cherrytree, is in Bellefonte visiting her friend, Miss Hazel Dickinson.

—Mrs. George Fisher and two children, of Boalsburg, are visitors at the Rine home in this place.

—Mr. and Mrs. William Tibbets were in Altoona Wednesday, attending the funeral of Mrs. Gertrude Norris.

—Guy Linn, of Beaver Falls, came to Bellefonte on Saturday and spent several days visiting friends in Bellefonte.

—Mrs. T. S. Strawn and daughter Ellen spent from Saturday until Monday with the former's father in Johnstown.

—Miss Mary Love Campbell, of Linden Hall, has been spending a short time in Bellefonte, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cook.

—Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Musser and little son, of Altoona, spent a few days this week at the W. J. Musser home on east Lamb street.

—Miss Catherine Edwards, of State College, has been spending the week in Bellefonte with Miss Ethel Gettig, at her home on Thomas street.

—Mr. and Mrs. John L. Nighthart and daughter Margaret went over to Lewistown on Sunday and spent several days at Mr. Nighthart's old home.

—J. Linn Harris and J. M. Cunningham went to Lock Haven yesterday to see what can be done about organizing the Central Pennsylvania baseball league.

—James A. Blythe, an expert carpenter who has been working at State College for some time past, left on Tuesday for Pittsburgh where he has secured a good job.

—After spending the winter with his sister, Mrs. James A. Depler, in Pittsburgh, Miss Besie G. McCafferty, returned to her home on east Lamb street last week.

—Rev. Father McArdle was in Snow Shoe on Monday assisting Bishop Garvey, of the Altoona diocese, in holding confirmation services in St. Mary's Catholic church.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Singiser and baby Ray, of Renovo, came to Bellefonte last Friday and were with relatives here until Wednesday of this week when they returned home.

—C. T. Gerberich has as his guests at his home on Thomas street his cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Cobb, of Philadelphia, and his daughter, Mrs. C. U. Hoffer, of Philipsburg.

—Dr. and Mrs. M. A. Kirk have had as their guests during the commencement week, Mrs. Sue Wilson, state organizer of the W. C. T. U., and Miss Bess Sensor, both of Reynoldsville, Pa.

—Edward Lyon, of Elk Horn, Va., is visiting his mother, Mrs. Shuman Lyon, at Lyontown, having timed his visit so as to be present at the graduation of his niece, Miss G. Adaline Lyon.

—William Rice, who is now employed in the office of the daily *New Era*, at Huntingdon, was home over Sunday on a little visit and to transact some business demanding his personal attention.

—On Monday Al. S. Garman drove to Bellefonte in his new Ford car to participate in the Memorial exercises. He brought with him Roger T. Bayard and Misses Ruby Pifer and Rue Logan, all of Tyrone.

—Frederick Schad, fully equipped with a corn, plate fishing outfit went up to Unionville on Tuesday to spend two weeks with his uncle, John P. Harris Jr., expecting to devote a good part of the time to fishing.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Huffman and three children, of Williamsport, came to Bellefonte on Sunday in their automobile and spent Memorial day with Mrs. Huffman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Spigelmyer.

—Randolph H. Hoy came in from Philipsburg on Saturday and spent Sunday and Memorial day with friends in Bellefonte, leaving on Tuesday morning for the Smoky city where he has a good position, and which demands his close attention.

—William McFarlane spent Sunday in Lock Haven with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Kyle McFarlane. Mr. McFarlane, while unable to help himself in any way is in good health otherwise and weighs two hundred and seventy-five pounds.

—W. Harrison Walker Esq., was at Salona Saturday attending the funeral of his sister-in-law, the late Mrs. George Walker, who died on Wednesday afternoon of tubercular trouble. Her maiden name was Rute and she was born near Lamar forty-one years ago.

—Mrs. W. E. Park, of New Milford, Susquehanna county, is spending several weeks with her parents, Capt. and Mrs. George M. Boal, at Centre Hall, and last Friday she and her sister, Mrs. W. Gross Mingle, spent the day on a shopping expedition in Bellefonte.

—Mrs. Charles Weber and daughter Hazel, of Williamsport, arrived in Bellefonte on Wednesday night and will spend the next two weeks visiting friends here and in other parts of the county. They will also attend the Grove family reunion at Grange park next Wednesday.

—Miss Katharine Burnet, who has been studying at the Academy of Fine Arts, in Philadelphia, during the past winter, came to Bellefonte last Friday for a short visit before sailing on June 25th for Europe, where she will join her mother and aunt, Mrs. Mose Burnet, and Mrs. Brees.

—Dr. and Mrs. Charles Thomas, of Lewistown, drove over the mountain Sunday to spend a day with friends at their old home here and in Milesburg. They returned Monday because Charles was afraid that hardware store over there needed his services more than he needed a longer vacation.

—Squire M. L. Rishel, of Spring Mills, was a Bellefonte visitor on Tuesday. He came up to attend to a little business and when that was completed tried to get a line on the political situation for tomorrow's primaries but found every thing about as much unsettled here as it is down in his home precinct.

—Miss Mary Dolan, of Pleasant Gap, spent Wednesday in Bellefonte.

—Mrs. Wm. Krupp, of Huntingdon, is spending some time in Bellefonte with her mother, Mrs. Katharine Gault.

—Mrs. Sarah Satterfield left on Wednesday for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Moore, in Philadelphia.

—Miss Cora Holmes and Betty Stewart, of "The Blue Goose," State College, were guests of Mrs. James Harris on Wednesday.

—Walter Rankin, of Harrisburg, was in Bellefonte over Sunday visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. B. Rankin, of Curtis street.

—After a winter south with her daughter and sister, Mrs. Matilda Dale has returned to Bellefonte to spend the summer with Dr. and Mrs. David Dale.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Griffith left in the beginning of the week for their home in Philadelphia, after spending some time with friends in this section.

—At the end of a week's visit in Bellefonte as guests of Mr. Frank McCoy, Mrs. Finley Shugert and Miss Bradley, left Tuesday for their home in Washington.

—Miss Mary Shorkley, of Williamsport, is expected in Bellefonte Saturday and while here will be a guest of her cousins, Mrs. Charles Gilmore and Mrs. Archibald Allison.

—Miss Marguerite Mann, of Mill Hill, and Miss Helen Geary, of Lock Haven are house guests of Robert Walker, being in Bellefonte for the Academy dance at Mr. Nighthart's old home.

—Earl C. Musser, who for two years or more has been teaching school at Sheffield, Pa., has returned to his old home at State College and will remain there during the summer at least.

—Mrs. Anna E. Stonerode who has been with her daughters in Jackson, Michigan, returned to Centre county the middle of April expecting with her two sisters and brother to occupy her own home in Snow Shoe.

—Misses Anna Waite and Margaret McFarlane, of Lock Haven, Miss Catherine Eiders, of State College, Miss Kathryn Lukenbach, of Tyrone, and John Bertram, of Altoona, were here for the High school commencement exercises yesterday.

—Mrs. Bozle has been having as guests at her home, The Forge House, her daughter, Miss Sara Bogie and Miss Wells, of the East Liberty Library, Pittsburgh, and Miss Ballou, of Philadelphia. Miss Ballou expects to be in Bellefonte the greater part of the summer.

—Mr. and Mrs. Claude Cook have been in Philadelphia this week attending the commencement exercises of the Walnut Lane preparatory school, their daughter Miss Grace, whose name has been entered at Wellesley College, being a member of the graduating class.

—James H. Potter who went to Atlantic City, a month ago to recuperate from a slight illness, has been so much benefited by his stay there and visit in Baltimore, that he came to Clearfield county during the week and is now a guest of friends in Winburne.

—Mrs. M. E. Maxon, mother of Mrs. J. Allison Platts, has returned from a visit with friends in Pittsburgh. Her daughter, Mrs. William C. Natch with her little son, William Jr., of Pittsburgh, and Miss Erma Beattie, of Moundsville, W. Va., are also guests at the Presbyterian manse.

—Mrs. Joseph D. Mitchell, of Burnham, is at the home of her brother Thomas Mitchell Esq., on Linn street. She came over several weeks ago, with her two children, for a short visit; which was unpleasantly lengthened when the little one's contracted measles. Both are recovering now.

—Mr. and Mrs. William S. Furst, with their two children, are here for a visit of several weeks with Mr. Furst's mother on Linn street. He has just returned from quite an extended trip abroad and is spending an additional vacation period at his old home here before going back to his law practice in Philadelphia.

THE ACADEMY RECEPTION.—Tonight is the time for the annual reception and dance of the Bellefonte Academy. All past and present patrons, all past and present students, and all friends of the Academy are cordially invited to the reception, which will be held at the Academy main building from eight to ten o'clock. The electric and lantern illuminations, the music by Smith's orchestra and the privilege of meeting friends for a chat on Academy hill make a delightful program. These receptions are always attended with great success and those who stay away miss a social treat. The school rooms are transformed into most attractive reception rooms. The dance under the auspices of the alumni and undergraduates will take place at the armory from ten until three o'clock. The committee in charge consists of Thomas Beaver, Gilbert Meyers, Percy Eisenbeis, Willard J. Boyd and George Lee. No cards issued, the invitation as above being general.

Bellefonte Produce Markets.
Corrected weekly by R. S. Brouse, Grocer.
The prices quoted are those paid for produce.

Potatoes per bushel	75
Onions	35
Eggs, per dozen	22
Lard, per pound	14
Country Shoulders	10
Sides	10
Hams	14
Tallow, per pound	10
Butter, per pound	22

Bellefonte Grain Markets.
Corrected weekly by C. Y. WAGNER.
The following are the quotations up to six o'clock Thursday evening, when our paper goes to press.

Red Wheat	90
White Wheat	90
Rye, per bushel	70
Corn, shelled, per bushel	65
Corn, ears, per bushel	65
Oats, old and new, per bushel	45
Barley, per bushel	60
Buckwheat per bushel	60

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

Wheat—Red	\$1.05@1.06
No. 2	1.01@1.04
Corn—Yellow	65@66
Mixed new	63@64
Oats	45@44
Flour—Winter, per barrel	4.25@4.50
Favorite Brands	5.75@6.00
Rye Flour per barrel	4.25@4.40
Baled Hay—Choice Timothy No. 1	14.00@21.50
Mixed No. 1	17.50@19.00
Straw	7.50@14.00

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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	\$ 10
Two inches	7	10	15
Three inches	10	15	20
Quarter Column (5 inches)	12	20	30
Half Column (10 inches)	20	35	50
One Column (20 inches)	35	55	100