

Bellefonte, Pa., March 24, 1911.

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

THINGS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY.

—Dr. W. W. Feidt has been quite ill the past week at his home on High street.

—Mrs. H. L. Hagan a daughter of Dr. Hafer of Bellefonte, is critically ill at her home at Hollidaysburg.

—Ladies do not fail to see Miss Longwell's new art embroidery linens on display now. Also art linen by the yard.

—William Lyon and family have moved from Howard street to the house vacated by John Watson, on Penn street.

—A little girl arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Johnson, last Thursday evening, making a family of ten children.

—The Lemont summer normal will open April 17th and continue eight weeks. For further information address PAUL O. NOLL, Principal.

—George Eckley and family moved to Dayton, Ohio, last week where the former has secured a position with the National Cash Register company.

—Constable H. H. Montgomery went to Tyrone on Monday and arrested Frank Beck on a warrant charging him with non-support. He was brought to this place and lodged in jail.

—The State College mandolin and glee club will hold their annual musical entertainment in the auditorium at the College this (Friday) evening. A very good program will be rendered.

—The Bellefonte Y. M. C. A. basketball team defeated the strong Altoona Y. M. C. A. team last Friday evening by the score of 44 to 17. It was the last game to be seen in Bellefonte this season.

—L. A. Gessner, who has been living for a number of years at Kane, Pa., has within the past month moved with his family to Arnold. Mr. Gessner is a son of Mrs. Joseph Gessner, of Coleville.

—Mr. Aaron Katz is housed up at the Bush house with an attack of the grip and nursing a badly infected hand, the result of a bruise and contusion sustained when Alf Baum's horse ran away last Friday.

—Representatives of the State Retail Merchants association were in Bellefonte last night and present at a meeting held in W. Harrison Walker's office for the purpose of forming a local branch of the association.

—Miss Margaret Mufinger will leave Bellefonte in the near future for Chicago where she will be married to Harry Showers, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Showers, of this place, but who is now employed in the Windy City.

—Forney Winner, a Lock Haven butcher recently bought two beavers from a farmer near Madisonburg each of which weighed 2.155 pounds. It took three days to drive the animals from Madisonburg to Lock Haven.

—Last week Robert Barnes resigned his position as night clerk at the Brockershoff house, where he had been for more than twenty years. He will spend the remainder of his days in retirement at his comfortable home at Pleasant Gap.

—The Ladies Aid society of the Lutheran church will hold a baked bean supper Thursday evening, March 30th, in the Brown building, corner of Allegheny and Bishop streets, from 5 until 9 o'clock. Price of supper 15 cents. Ice cream and cake extra.

—Among the large list of nurses recently granted registration by the Pennsylvania State examining board is Miss Artie M. Keller, of Bellefonte, who has practically completed her course in the nurses training school connected with the Bellefonte hospital.

—Edward P. Irwin went to Cherry Tree on March 6th, where he has accepted the position of secretary and treasurer of the Cherry Tree Iron company. He has arranged for apartments by the first of May when Mrs. Irwin will go out and join him in their future home.

—John Corman and family moved on Tuesday from south of Centre Hall to Boggs township, near Milesburg. It was a regular old-fashioned country fitting, in which many of the neighboring farmers joined and helped haul Mr. Corman's household and other belongings.

—"The Thief," as presented at Garman's on Saturday evening was well worth the price of admission. The dialogue is so interesting and was so evenly balanced and well carried along by the cast that the audience lost nothing through absence of any startling scenic effects.

—The wheat crop has come through the winter looking fairly well, although it is yet too early to make any predictions as to what it may be at harvest time. This is really one of the hardest seasons on the young crop as it is yet liable to be frozen out or drowned should there come a prolonged rainy season.

—Recently blackleg broke out among the cattle in Huntingdon, Bedford and Fulton counties and on Wednesday veterinary surgeon S. M. Nissley went over into that district to vaccinate seventy-six head for the disease. The work will take him about three days, so that he expects to return to Bellefonte tomorrow.

DOINGS OF BELLEFONTE BOROUGH COUNCIL.

—Just five members, president Harper and Messrs. Grimm, Judge, Keller and Musser were present at the regular meeting of borough council on Monday evening and the sensation of the session was the resignation of Dr. M. A. Kirk as a member of the borough law makers.

Following the reading of the minutes of the last meeting Mr. H. B. Pontius addressed council relative to furnishing plants for a hedge it has been proposed to plant on the line between the water works at the spring and the Twitmore property. Mr. Pontius recommended the California pivot hedge and stated that the cost would be about twenty-five dollars. No action was taken on the matter.

A petition was received from residents of north Allegheny street relative to a new walk from Gen. Beaver's property to the northern borough line and the matter was referred to the Street committee. Then followed the reading of Dr. Kirk's letter of resignation, which is as follows:

To J. C. Harper, President, and Members of Bellefonte Council.

It having become so very apparent that the ideas of a majority of the borough council and those of myself upon borough economies are so radically at variance that I can be of no further benefit to the borough, and, therefore, in justice to the borough and myself, I hereby resign as a member of Bellefonte borough council.

March 20, 1911. M. A. KIRK.

Following the reading of the above letter of resignation president Harper asked what action council desired to take. Mr. Musser moved that the resignation be accepted. Mr. Keller stated that inasmuch as it seemed to be the doctor's desire to be relieved of the onerous duties of a member of borough council he would second the motion. When the vote was taken there were more ayes than nays and the president declared Dr. Kirk's resignation accepted. The question now is how will his successor be chosen? Lawyers differ. Some contend that the council will choose a man to serve until the next election while others are of the opinion that it is up to the court to appoint a man. In any event there is now an opening for some good statesman in the West ward.

When the Dr. Kirk resignation had been disposed of a letter was read from Miss Mary E. Kelly making application for the appointment as water tax collector.

None of the committees had anything special to say in their general reports but as a special matter the Water committee recommended that the request of the Y. M. C. A. that the borough furnish free of cost the water necessary for the new swimming pool Mrs. Wilson proposes to erect be granted. H. C. Quigley Esq., was present and in support of the above recommendation stated that Mrs. Wilson's proposition was contingent upon agreement of the Y. M. C. A. to maintain the pool and as the Association is already heavily taxed to meet current expenses they asked that the borough furnish the water free. He stated that the plans and specifications for the pool had been received and they provided for a pool 60x20 feet in size and varying from four feet in depth at one end to eight at the other, and that such a tank would hold approximately 54,000 gallons of water. To fill the pool twice a week would require 108,000 gallons, but in order to provide for all emergencies in the future the Association placed the limit at 75,000 gallons. After the matter had been thoroughly discussed council voted to accept the recommendation of the Water committee and grant the request. The committee then presented an ordinance providing for the same which was read and adopted at once, inasmuch as the Association desires to begin work on the new pool as soon as possible.

Mr. Quigley inquired what was being done in the James Noonan claim for damage for the injuries his wife sustained in falling into a hole on the corner of Allegheny and Bishop streets and the Street committee reported that they were doing everything possible to reach a satisfactory settlement to all parties.

On the recommendation of the Water committee W. A. Ishler was re-elected collector of water taxes, his statement showing that of the 1910 taxes and meter rents there were only about two hundred dollars uncollected.

On motion an order was drawn placing \$2,000 in the sinking fund and another order for \$292.91 was ordered paid to the Fireman's Relief Association. The renewal of notes for \$5,000, \$2,000 and \$1,200 were authorized and two new ones for \$500 each sanctioned. Bills to the amount of \$2,828.75, which included the sinking fund and fireman's relief order, were approved and ordered paid after which council adjourned.

AT WORK ON HIGH STREET BRIDGE.

On Wednesday of last week the iron structural work for the rebuilding of High street bridge arrived in Bellefonte and the next day a number of bridge builders from the York Bridge company arrived. On Saturday afternoon work was begun on tearing up the flooring of the old bridge and the work of rebuilding is being pushed as fast as possible with the force of men at work. Only one side of the bridge will be torn up at a time so that traffic will not be blocked on this busy thoroughfare. Of course the usual crowd of onlookers is present to see that the work progresses all right.

—George T. Bush has been elected a delegate of the Bellefonte Tent of Macabees to the convention to be held in Altoona on April 15th.

DELIRIOUS PATIENT GOES ON RAM-PAGE.

—The nurses and attendants at the Bellefonte hospital had the scare of their lives on Sunday night when a delirious Italian patient became obstreperous and chased them all out of the ward. The man was suffering with a bad attack of pneumonia and shortly after midnight he got out of bed and grabbed the iron rod off the bed posts and made for the nurse. The woman managed to evade him and get out of the room, pulling the door shut after her. Miss Beltz and the two men working in the hospital were called, but they were all afraid to go in and in order to keep the man from getting out they tied a rope around the knob of the door and the men held it shut. There was another patient in the ward and one of the nurses watched through the transom to see if the Italian would attempt to do him harm, but he did not, all his efforts being exerted in pounding the door and trying to get out of the room.

In the meantime one of the nurses telephoned for the police and policeman Justice and Fred Lane went to the rescue. When they got to the hospital the man was still in a raving condition and opening the door Justice stepped into the ward when the Italian struck at him with the iron rod. Justice threw up his arm to ward the blow from his head and was struck on the hand with force enough to draw blood. Before the Italian could strike again Justice grabbed him and with the help of others soon had him under submission. He gave the nurses no further trouble that night. The next morning when the doctor went out to the hospital and asked the man what was wrong during the night he said he was bad and fought, and declared that he had "licked" two policemen, two other men and six women. Though the nurses all escaped without injury they were badly frightened.

MILL HALL'S MILK CONDENSARY.

—The Mill Hall milk condensary was put in operation on Tuesday when five thousand pounds of milk were condensed. The first can sealed and ready for the market was given to the president of the company, R. P. Page. Lock Haven firms have arranged for the first shipments of the product of the mill.

The condensary will undoubtedly be a good industry for Mill Hall and afford a market to the farmers of that vicinity for their milk, but it will also result in a largely decreased output of butter by Nittany valley farmers. In fact this result will be felt in Bellefonte as already a number of farmers of Walker township, who have been serving regular customers here, have given notice that after April first they will give up butter making and ship their milk to the condensary at Mill Hall. It means a lot less work for the farmer's wives, as all they will have to do will be attend to the milking. The price paid per pound free on board cars will yield the farmer just as good, if not better returns than if the milk were turned into butter and marketed. Thus it is a good thing for them but it will make butter scarcer than ever.

NEWS PURELY PERSONAL.

—Charles Lukenbach, of the First National bank, spent last Sunday with friends at Philipsburg.

—Mrs. Donald Potter left Bellefonte Wednesday for a visit of ten days with her mother, Mrs. Prince, at Crafton.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Houser left Bellefonte on Monday for Plains, Montana, where they will make their future home.

—Mrs. A. G. Morris and Miss Lida Morris returned to the Bush house Tuesday night, after spending the greater part of March in Philadelphia.

—W. A. Welsh, of Boston, will be in Bellefonte Thursday of next week, to visit for a few days with his mother, Mrs. D. W. Denius, of Bishop street.

—Miss Margaret McDonnell, of Unionville, spent Sunday with her cousin, Miss Margaret Cooney, at the home of her parents on East High street.

—H. E. Fenlon has been at Ebsenburg since Wednesday visiting with his sister and looking after some business interests which he has in that locality.

—Miss Agnes Orison returned to Bellefonte the forepart of the week, after spending ten days with her sister, Mrs. Beech, at her home at Princeton.

—Mrs. Louis E. Freidman with her little daughter Irene, of New York City, have been since last week guests of Mrs. Freidman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Holz.

—Mrs. M. C. Legget, head nurse at the Bellefonte hospital, has been visiting in Harrisburg since Wednesday, expecting to return to her work tomorrow.

—Mr. and Mrs. John McCoy have returned from their wedding trip and are now with Mrs. McCoy's mother, Mrs. John Harris, at her home on Spring street.

—Mrs. Samuel Harris, who has been spending the winter at Liverpool, Pa., with her daughter, Mrs. Hartsock, has returned to her home at Mill Hall for the summer.

—Miss Louise Garman after spending a few days in Bellefonte, the guest of Mrs. Hugh N. Cridger, returned to her home at Williamsport the fore part of the week.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Achenbach, of Glenn Falls, are spending a short time at Atlantic City, after which they anticipate visiting in Pennsylvania, before returning to their home in New York.

—Miss Lillian Rankin has been in Williamsport since Wednesday, having gone down to be under the care of Dr. Haskins for treatment of her eyes and to do some shopping. She will not return to Bellefonte before the beginning of the week.

—J. F. Krumrine, of State College, while transacting business at Bellefonte Friday of last week, ran against an agreeable surprise which had been awaiting him for several months. Immediately giving the credit to his father-in-law, John T. McCormick, we would surmise that Mr. McCormick has been in the habit of showering these surprises upon his entire family.

WILLIAM BAIRD, OF ALTOONA, SPENT SUNDAY WITH FRIENDS IN THIS PLACE.

—Amos Cole, of Lewistown, was an over Sunday visitor with friends in this place.

—William H. Smith, of Johnstown, was an over Sunday visitor with friends in this place.

—Miss Margaret Kane left last week for Oil City where she will make her future home.

—Miss Lucy Spotts spent Sunday with her cousins, the Misses Lansberry, at Unionville.

—Miss Margaret Garner was at State College over Sunday with her grandmother, Mrs. Stover.

—Carroll Hall, of Philadelphia, is in Bellefonte, the guest of his cousins, Mr. William P. and Miss Myra Humes.

—Miss Stella Cooney has accepted a position at Galen Hall, Atlantic City, N. J., and will leave for that place tomorrow (Saturday).

—Miss Margaret Cassidy, of Canton, Ohio, arrived in Bellefonte yesterday on a visit to her brother, W. C. and Mrs. Cassidy.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Cridger, who have been at Palm Beach, Florida, the past six weeks, are expected home about the first of April.

—Mrs. Richard Gussallus and grand-daughter Mildred left on Monday on a visit to friends at Tyrone, Hellwood, Lewistown and Harrisburg.

—Mr. and Mrs. MacIntire who have been, since their marriage in February, with Mr. MacIntire's family in the South, returned to Bellefonte Thursday of last week and will spend the greater part of their time with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Meyer, until their new home at State College is ready to be occupied.

—Harry J. Goss, who has been with the Keeler company in Williamsport since the first of the month, passed through Bellefonte last Saturday with a new Franklin automobile which he delivered to Dr. S. C. Stewart at Clearfield. Mr. Goss, by the way, expects to move his family to Williamsport about April first.

—Dr. Walter Stewart, of Wilkes-Barre, arrived in Bellefonte last Friday evening and remained until Monday with his mother, Mrs. Patsy Stewart, and his brother, Dr. Stewart. The doctor had just completed his three month term as house physician at the Wilkes-Barre hospital and came here for a few days rest.

—The people from a distance who were at Wadde Monday, to attend the funeral of Dempster L. Meek were: L. Olin Meek, of Philadelphia, a brother; Rev. George M. Glenn, of Sunbury, and Dr. Tom Glenn, of Bradford, both nephews; Mrs. Zane Gray, of Tyrone; Miss Gertrude Wilson and Howard Hall, of Altoona; Samuel Baiser, of Johnstown; John McCarty, of Bolivar, and Benner Waddle, of Jersey Shore.

—T. S. Strawn was a Bellefonte visitor last Friday and Saturday. For some time past he has been operating a broker's office in New Castle but he recently bought out the landlord of the Kensington hotel at New Kensington and will take charge of the same on April first. New Kensington is located about eighteen miles from Pittsburgh and is in the heart of the manufacturing district of Western Pennsylvania, hence is naturally a good hotel town.

—Dr. Thomas C. Van Tries returned last week from his southern trip. During the three weeks he was away he traveled three thousand five hundred miles, was in ten different States and stopped off in fifteen or sixteen different cities or points of interest in the South. At the request of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Lewistown hospital the doctor delivered his recital at Reedsville on Tuesday evening as a benefit and last evening gave his new lecture "Matters Matrimonial, or Getting Married," at Bellefonte.

—Mrs. Sarah C. Brown spent last Tuesday and Wednesday in Williamsport.

—Miss Josephine McDermott was the guest of her sister, Mrs. James Burns, of Snow Shoe, part of last week.

—After a pleasant visit of a month with her many friends in Pittsburg, Miss Maggie Faby returned to her home in this place last Thursday.

—Edward Decker, one of the employees at the Pennsylvania railroad freighting station in this place, spent Sunday with his parents at Pine Grove Mills.

—Mrs. M. L. Comerford, of Howard, will go out to Canton, Ohio, in the near future to stay with her daughter, Mrs. G. T. Thomas, indefinitely.

—Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Heverley and son Melvin, of Dunansville, were in Bellefonte the past week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles Heverley. They are making preparations to move to Altoona on or about the first of April.

—Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Bryant, of Tyrone, spent Sunday with friends in Bellefonte and the former was in his element among the members of the old Coleville band. Sam likes his new position in Tyrone and has established himself solidly as a cornet player with the P. R. R. band of that place; the real reason, by the way, of his being induced to quit Bellefonte.

—On account of the fact that Easter does not come until April 16th this year the regular Easter vacation at the various educational institutions is being held this year at the present time and among the Bellefonte students who have been home the past week are Frederick Reynolds from St. George's school, Providence, Rhode Island; Ebel Darman from Goucher College, Baltimore; and Helen Hartranft from the Bloomsburg Normal.

Sale Register.

MARCH 23RD.—At the residence of E. S. Tressler, in Ferguson township, two miles east of Penn Furnace, Horses, cattle, young cattle, hogs, farm implements of all kinds, and some household goods and other articles. Sale at 10 a. m. sharp.

Bellefonte Produce Markets.

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

Potatoes per bushel..... 30
Onions..... 75
Eggs, per dozen..... 16
Lard, per pound..... 11
Country shoulders..... 10
Sides..... 10
Hams..... 12
Tallow, per pound..... 4
Butter, per pound..... 25

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..... 85
White Wheat..... 80
Rye, per bushel..... 60
Corn, shelled, per bushel..... 50
Corn, ears, per bushel..... 50
Oats, old and new, per bushel..... 50
Barley, per bushel..... 50

Philadelphia Markets.

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

Wheat—Red..... \$ 90 91 1/2
 —No. 2..... 87 1/2
Corn —Yellow..... 52 1/2
 —Mixed new..... 50 1/2
Flour —Winter, per barrel..... 3 50 3 75
 —Favorite Brands..... 5 25 5 50
Rye Flour per barrel..... 4 00 4 15
Baled Hay—Choice Timothy No. 1..... 10 00 11 00
 Mixed No. 1..... 12 00 13 00
Straw..... 7 50 10 00

Receipts and Expenditures of Centre County for 1910.

Continued from page 7, column 6.

John L. Dunlap, County Commissioner, in account with Centre County.

By salary as County Commissioner..... \$ 1000 00
By necessary traveling expenses, delivering ballots, tax duplicates and viewing bridges..... 67 71
To sundry county orders..... \$ 1067 71

To balance..... \$ 1067 71

A. B. Kimpfort, Prothonotary, in account with Centre County.

By sundry fees, during the year 1910..... \$ 530 50
To sundry county orders..... 242 25
To balance..... 188 21

By balance due A. B. Kimpfort, Prothonotary..... \$ 188 21
W. E. Hurley, High Sheriff, in account with Centre County.

By sundry fees, boarding prisoners, etc..... \$ 2865 35
To sundry county orders..... 450 00
To balance..... 2215 35

By balance due W. E. Hurley, High Sheriff..... \$ 2215 35
G. G. Fink, Treasurer, in Acct. with Borough and Roads Funds arising from Liquor License, 1910.

Districts

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Commissioners
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We, the Commissioners of Centre County, do hereby certify that the foregoing report, to the best of our knowledge and belief, is a true and correct statement of the receipts and expenditures of said county for the year 1910, and that the same be published.

Attest:
E. J. WILLIAMS, Clerk.

JACOB WOODRING,
H. E. ZIMMERMAN,
JOHN L. DUNLAP,
Commissioners of Centre County

Commissioners' Office, Bellefonte, Penn'a., February 25, 1911.

We, the undersigned Auditors of Centre County, having carefully examined the accounts of the County Commissioners, Sheriff and Treasurer of said county, to certify that the foregoing is a true and correct statement of receipts and expenditures, and of their respective accounts for the year 1910.

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Commissioners Statement of Cost of Court House.

Cost of court house, court house grounds, retaining walls and pavements, heating system, fixtures, gas pipes and electric wiring and fixtures, repairs to outside and inside of old part of court house including front porch \$ 89,765.75

Court house building, new addition, electric wiring and fixtures, gas pipes and electric wiring and fixtures, repairs to outside and inside of old part of court house including front porch \$ 75,765.75

Heating plant for court house and jail (1/2 of which benefits the jail alone) 11,630.00

Filing equipment, vaults, safes, clocks, furniture for court room, judge's chambers, district attorney and other offices, blinds and linoleum, bills paid or rendered 14,388.77

Pavements, retaining walls sewers, water ways and pipes court house grounds 6,268.00

Total \$ 192,828.27

Total cost of court house building including 1/2 of heating plant \$ 95,586.75

(In County Treasurer Fink's recapitulation the amount of Constable Pay Account should read \$735.20 instead of \$195.20. In Treasurer's account with sheep funds, the debit total should read \$4615.58, instead of \$4715.58, making the amount to balance, January 2, 1911, \$443.22 instead of \$543.22.)

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