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THINGS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY.

—Miss Catharine Allison entertained a number of young friends yesterday at a Thanksgiving party.

—Mrs. F. W. Crider will entertain the Bellefonte chapter of the D. A. R. Thursday of next week, at the regular meeting for December.

—A girl baby was born to Mr. and Mrs. Clark Carson, of Bishop street, on Monday morning. Both mother and babe are getting along nicely.

—The Woman's Auxiliary of the Young Men's Christian Association will meet in the Y. M. C. A. building Monday evening, December 4th, at eight o'clock.

—Jacob Mesmer, of State College, was down at Nittany in the beginning of the week looking over a tract of land, the purchase of which he has under consideration.

—Dr. and Mrs. R. G. H. Hayes with their two younger sons and Mrs. Hayes' mother, Mrs. John Hoffer, will close their house at "Mapleshade" this week and go to the Bush house for the winter.

—Rev. John Hewitt and Archdeacon Radcliffe, of Ridgway, exchanged pulpits last Sunday. The Archdeacon will be remembered as having had charge of a mission held here several years ago.

—Last Saturday afternoon Frank E. Nagney autored over the Seven mountains to Milroy, taking with him Miss Irene Pressell, a trained nurse, to take charge of his sister, who is quite ill.

—Dr. Edith Schad and Mrs. James W. Boal entertained a thimble party at the former's home on Spring street on Tuesday afternoon from three to six o'clock. Seventeen guests were present.

—All the constables elected at the election in November will be sworn into office next Monday. The terms of office of the present constables was extended from March to December under the new primary law.

—Landlord James Noonan, of the Brant house, took a day off last week and went out to hunt for bear and deer, but the game evidently took to cover when it saw him and the only thing he brought back with him was an empty gun.

—W. C. Weaver, receiver for the Karthaus Brick company, recently sold the plant to C. B. McCullough, of Jersey Shore, one of the largest stock holders. It is his intention to organize a new company and put the plant in operation.

—Both the Brockherhoff house and the Bush house had their usual elaborate Thanksgiving dinners yesterday, and a number of Bellefontes ate their dinner at one or the other of the hotels in preference to having it prepared at home.

—William J. Dorworth, who the past three years has been located at Greensboro, North Carolina, has accepted a position with the General Electric company with headquarters at Baltimore. He will make the change on February 1st, 1912.

—While the stork was busy in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Girard Child, at Trenton, N. J., on Tuesday, burglars entered the house from the rear and stole over one hundred dollars worth of clothing. Fortunately the new son's wardrobe was left intact.

—The regular meeting for December of the Woman's Club of Bellefonte will be held at their rooms in Petrikin hall, Saturday afternoon, December 2nd, at half after three o'clock. At this meeting Miss Nan Hoy will read a paper of "The Value of Literary Clubs."

—A little son arrived in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Girard Childs, at Trenton, N. J., on Monday afternoon, and was immediately christened Girard Hall Childs. Mrs. Childs before her marriage was Miss Mary Weaver, grand-daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John P. Harris.

—State College and the Bellefonte Academy closed Wednesday for their Thanksgiving vacation, which will last until next Monday. Most of the students at the College went to Pittsburgh for the State-Pitt game while the Academy students went home for their Thanksgiving turkey.

—Fish Commissioner Nathan R. Buller has appointed Isaac G. Seyler, of Selingsgrove, assistant superintendent of the Bellefonte fish hatchery and he will take charge of his position on January 1st, 1912. Mr. Seyler has a whole life-time of experience as a fish culturist and will be a good man at the Bellefonte hatchery.

—A number of Bellefonte people will learn with regret of the death of Mrs. Joseph Hobart, of Harrisburg, which occurred last Saturday, after an illness which lasted the greater part of the summer. Prior to her marriage she was Miss Emma Shorkley, and frequently visited in Bellefonte. The funeral was held on Monday afternoon.

—While in Tyrone on Monday Daniel McMonigal, of Port Matilda, was in the act of repairing a horse collar at the harness shop of H. L. Orr when his knife slipped and cut a big gash in his face under the left eye. A physician was summoned and the injury given proper attention, and while he will have a pretty sore face for a week or two no serious results are apprehended.

NO DEFINITE PENITENTIARY NEWS.—During the past week there have been many rumors floating around regarding the selection of a site for the new penitentiary but the WATCHMAN is in a position to state that up to this time no official announcement of any selection has been made. It appears to be an accepted fact that the pen will come to Centre county, the only issue undecided being whether it will be located in Benner township or over in Pennsvalley, and from present indications an official announcement of the place will be made in the very near future, probably within a few days.

As stated in last week's WATCHMAN, after spending the forepart of the week over around Boalsburg warden John Francis went to Harrisburg where the prison commission held a meeting Wednesday night but no decision was reached. Mr. Francis returned to Bellefonte on Friday morning and spent part of Saturday over in Pennsvalley where engineers had been at work all week. He remained until Monday when another corps of engineers arrived in Bellefonte and made surveys and computations of the water supply in McBride's gap, and also of the headwaters of the stream which flows down Pleasant Gap. While the present flow of water in McBride's gap is considered ample for the needs of the penitentiary, in time of extreme drought it would be well to have an extra supply to draw on, if needed, and for that reason options were this week secured on the John Houser and George W. Thomas farms on Nittany Mountain, where there is an abundance of water and where a reserve reservoir can be built and a pipe line laid to any place that may be selected for the location of the penitentiary buildings, in case that site is selected, and have ample fall for all purposes. With this additional supply of water, and everything else considered, the Benner township site is undoubtedly the best site that can be found in Centre county or elsewhere.

BRANDISHED RIFLE, NOW IN JAIL.—On Thursday of last week Darb Swisher, of Julian, went to the lumber operation of L. H. Musser near that place and brandishing a double-barreled rifle drove all the employees off the job. Then he very deliberately sat down, filled his pipe and with the gun across his knees defied any and all comers. No amount of threats or persuasion could move him and as a result John C. Rumberger, who is in charge of the operation, came to Bellefonte and swore out a warrant for the man's arrest before Squire W. H. Musser, charging him with assault, threats and brandishing a deadly weapon.

Constable R. B. Montgomery was given the warrant for Swisher's arrest and drove to Julian and out to the lumber job that afternoon. He found the man still holding the fort. He made no resistance to the arrest and agreed to go to Julian and give bail for a hearing. Constable Montgomery told him that he would have to come to Bellefonte to do that and then the man demurred most emphatically. He finally attempted to jump out of the buggy but a gun pointed right at his face induced him to change his mind. He was brought here and put in jail.

The next day he demanded a hearing, claiming that he was simply defending his own property, but the charges against him are such that the district attorney decided to hold him for trial at court without bail, and he is still in jail.

BEHEADED BY CIRCULAR SAW.—About eight o'clock Wednesday morning James Malone, an employee at George B. Thompson's saw mill at Alto, deliberately committed suicide by throwing himself in front of the rapidly revolving circular saw. His head and one hand were cut off and his body otherwise mutilated. Ill health and general depression is assigned as causes for the man's rash act.

When Malone appeared at the mill Wednesday morning his manner was rather abstracted but no one gave it a thought. When the mill was started he jumped onto the log carriage but was ordered off by the head sawyer, who was compelled to stop the carriage. Malone stood alongside and when the carriage was again put in motion he jumped upon it and threw himself in front of the saw before he could be reached by a detaining hand.

The mangled remains were gathered up by fellow workmen and Mr. Thompson notified, who in turn informed coroner S. M. Huff, of Milesburg, of the unfortunate affair. That official went to Alto and held an inquest, returning a verdict of deliberate suicide. Malone was only twenty-seven years old and leaves to survive him a young wife but no children. His parents are both dead, being buried in the Union cemetery in this place.

ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATED.—It was just seventeen years last Saturday since the organization of Tussey Council, No. 515, Order of Independent Americans, of Pine Grove Mills, and the event was fittingly celebrated in anniversary exercises held in their hall that evening. Rev. S. J. Pittinger made the principal address and spoke very enthusiastically of the patriotism and loyalty for which the order stands. The occasion was made a social event and was attended by the members and their wives and a number of invited guests. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were furnished by the ladies. J. H. Decker presided at the organ and led the music. The affair lasted until midnight.

—Turkeys at fifteen cents a pound were almost a drug on the market on the streets of Tyrone last week.

—The deer hunting season is at an end but bear and rabbits are still lawful game for the anxious hunter.

—"The Wolf" at the opera house tonight is by the same author who wrote "Paid in Full." It is full of dramatic scenes and thrilling climaxes, and cannot fail to please the audience.

—The Basket Shop will hold its annual Christmas sale in Petrikin hall December 13th to 23rd, open Wednesday and Saturday evenings. A specialty will be made of baskets ranging from 25 cts. to \$1.00.

—The Bellefonte Lodge of Elks will hold their annual memorial services in Petrikin hall on Sunday afternoon at three o'clock; at which time Rev. Father O'Hanlon will make the memorial address. These services are open to the public and every person who cares to do so is welcome to attend.

—Richard Searle, of Beech Creek, and William Lingle, of Blanchard, were in Bellefonte on Wednesday of last week closing a deal with H. E. Harter for the sale of the David timber tract on Bald Eagle mountain between the Beech Creek and Blanchard stations. Mr. Harter will move his saw mill to that place at once and begin active operations in manufacturing the timber into marketable lumber.

—Walter Hogue MacIntire, instructor of agronomy at the Pennsylvania State College, has accepted the professorship of agronomy in the University of Tennessee at Knoxville, to take effect next Spring. Mrs. MacIntire was formerly Miss Edna Meyer, daughter of the late Hon. J. C. Meyer, of Bellefonte, and her many friends will regret to learn that she and her husband contemplate leaving Centre county.

—It was left to the women to take active measures toward stopping the raffish matches for turkeys in Spring township, but this they did last Wednesday and a big match that was to have been pulled off that night was cancelled. The Bellefonte authorities and the Spring township people are now against this form of gambling for turkeys and the men who persist in doing so will have to hunt up a new base of operations.

—An adjourned meeting of the Huntington Presbytery will be held at Tyrone next Monday, December 4th, beginning at eleven o'clock a. m. Calls for several ministers will be received and if found in order arrangements made for their installation. Among the number will be the call from the Broad Avenue church of Altoona to Rev. William Porter VanTries. The pastors and elders elected last spring are entitled to go as commissioners.

—Rev. J. F. Hower, who was suddenly taken ill after preaching a sermon in his church more than a week ago, is still confined to the house and will not be able to preach next Sunday. In his absence Rev. S. E. Quimby, D. D., will preach in the local United Evangelical church in the morning at 10:30 and Rev. C. C. Shuey will preach in the evening at 7:30. These same brethren preached for Rev. Hower last Sunday with great acceptability.

—Contractor R. B. Taylor on Monday began work on putting in the curbing for the brick street paving between the High street and race bridges; the work to be pushed to completion as fast as possible so as to have the paving done before snow falls. Work on the new High street bridge is progressing steadily. The steel girders which span the creek are four feet high and each one weighs eight tons. All of them are now on the ground and being put in place for the south side of the bridge.

—Another big feature picture will be shown at the Scenic in the near future, and you want to watch for it. The Pathe weekly of current events is increasing in popularity every Wednesday night, all because it gives the public an idea of what is going on in the world by showing true and life-like pictures of the most important events of the week. This is along an educational line that is meeting with the approval of all patrons of moving picture theatres, and the wonder is that other film manufacturers do not branch out in this direction. But whether they do or not you will always see the best that can be procured at the Scenic.

—The WATCHMAN is in receipt of a letter from Rev. P. E. Paul, who for three years was pastor of the A. M. E. church of this place. At the recent conference in Erie he was assigned to Homestead but since moving from Bellefonte has been transferred to Meadville. In his letter he states that they all like their new location and the prospects are very cheering. His church membership is made up of a good class of people and the educational advantages of Meadville offer splendid opportunities for the education of his children. In his three years ministry in Bellefonte Rev. Paul labored assiduously for the welfare of his church and his pastorate was a particularly trying one because of the destruction of their church by fire and the big personal sacrifices he and his members were compelled to make in order to build a new one. He made many friends among the white people of Bellefonte and bore with him the respect of all when he departed.

BELLEFONTE MERCHANTS TO RUN SPECIAL TRAINS.—An innovation for the convenience of Christmas shoppers is to be inaugurated by Bellefonte merchants this year for the first time. It is a well known fact that all trains are late during the holiday season, and this is especially the case with the train on the Lewisburg and Tyrone railroad, which brings the bulk of the mail and express matter to Bellefonte and is compelled to wait for the connection with the train on the P. & E. Arriving in Bellefonte late it does not give the people of Pennsvalley and other places along the line the time or opportunity to do their shopping in Bellefonte and return the same day, and to overcome this the merchants of the town have arranged with the Pennsylvania railroad company for special return trains as far as Coburn on three days the week before Christmas, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, December 20th, 21st and 22nd, to leave Bellefonte between five and six o'clock in the evening.

While this is a new departure on the part of the merchants of the town, it will be made solely in the interest of the people living in that part of the county who have heretofore been handicapped in shopping in Bellefonte because of the inadequate train service. With a special return train for three days people living all along the line of the Lewisburg and Tyrone railroad, from Bellefonte to Coburn, will be able to come to town and have from six to eight hours in which to do their shopping and get home the same night. And there will be no additional expense to the shopper. Remember the days, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday before Christmas, December 20th, 21st, and 22nd, and take advantage of an opportunity never before given the public at large.

Right here it might be added that if the merchants desire to reap the benefit of this new venture on their part, they should advertise liberally and let the public know what they have to sell. The man who advertises judiciously will be the one to reap the harvest.

BELLEFONTE FISH HATCHERY TO BE IMPROVED.—Fish Commissioner Nathan R. Buller was in Bellefonte Monday and Tuesday on a trip of inspection of the Bellefonte fish hatchery, having come here from Johnstown where he spent Sunday. He was so well pleased with the Bellefonte hatchery and its location that he declared his intention of making it the biggest trout hatchery in the country. This will necessitate the building of more ponds and eventually another hatching house. It is Mr. Buller's intention to pipe the water from the Shugert spring down to the hatchery, so as to have an abundance of pure spring water and do away with the muddy water of Logan's branch, as is sometimes the case.

Mr. Buller has declared against putting out trout fry and intends to keep all trout until they are a year old before being distributed. Yearling trout will measure close to three inches in length and fish of this size will be able to take care of themselves when planted in the streams of the State, and the result is expected to be very much more satisfactory than 'ry planting fry. To keep the trout one year will naturally require more space and for this purpose the pond capacity at the Bellefonte hatchery will have to be largely increased. All the ponds will be built of concrete, and since the concrete retaining wall has been built at the upper end of the grounds the danger of damage and destruction by floods has been greatly lessened. In every way possible the new Fish Commissioner expressed himself as very much pleased with the Bellefonte hatchery and its environments. He further stated that the Spruce Creek hatchery, which was completely wrecked by high water last summer, would be abandoned entirely.

HUNTING NOTES.—The Panthers, the only hunting club which went out from Bellefonte this season, returned last Saturday night and every member was glad to get back home. They brought with them as spoils of the chase a yearling bear which weighed about ninety pounds, a few pheasants and a nice bunch of rabbits, but no deer. The bear was shot by Alpine Lucas, of Philadelphia. During their stay of two weeks only one shot was had at a deer and that was on Tuesday of last week when Al. Shawley shot a big buck. From the trail of blood it was evident that the animal had been shot through the body, but after following him for four miles they gave up the chase and the deer was later in the day gotten by another party.

So far as known at this writing the only Bellefonter who was successful in shooting a deer this season was editor T. H. Harter, of the Gazette, who shot a two pronged buck while hunting with the Chambers-Uzle party last week.

The deer hunting season closed yesterday and while it has been impossible to get an accurate account of the number killed in Centre county a conservative estimate places it at about seventy-five to one hundred, with about twenty bear. More deer were killed on the Seven mountains than in the Alleghenies, while a few were killed on Brush mountain and in the Barrens.

ORCHARD DEMONSTRATIONS.—The model orchard demonstrations for the investigation for San Jose scale and other injurious insects will be held in Centre county next week as follows:

December 6th, Miss Elizabeth D. Green, near Bellefonte.

December 8th, Howard J. Struble, Zion.

December 7th, John I. Gray, Port Matilda.

December 9th, C. P. Reese, Snow Shoe.

NEWS PURELY PERSONAL.

—George A. Beezer was over in Huntingdon on a business trip Saturday night.

—Mrs. Harry Condo, of York, is visiting Mrs. Benjamin Brown, on Howard street.

—Miss Florence Peters, of Lancaster, is in Bellefonte, the guest of Miss Harriet Ray.

—Merchant John H. Beck, of Snydertown, was a business visitor in Bellefonte on Tuesday.

—Lawrence McClure came home from Reno to eat his Thanksgiving turkey off of the parental table.

—Mrs. A. O. Furst spent her Thanksgiving with the family of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Snyder, at Snow Shoe.

—Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Quigley spent Sunday with Mr. Quigley's parents, Capt. and Mrs. J. A. Quigley, at Blanchard.

—Miss Marguerite Potter returned to Bellefonte Friday, after visiting for five weeks with Mrs. Dravo, at Sewickly.

—Miss Emma Aiken is in Beaver Falls, having gone out Sunday to visit for a week with Mr. and Mrs. George B. Johnson.

—Mr. and Mrs. John P. Harris went to Mount Union to spend their Thanksgiving with their son, John P. Harris Jr., and family.

—Allen Sheldon, of Philadelphia, spent Sunday in Bellefonte the guest of his mother, Mrs. Nora Sheldon, at her home on Linn street.

—M. Ward Fleming, wife and little daughter, of Philadelphia, were Thanksgiving guests at the W. I. Fleming home on Spring street.

—J. Harris Hoy, the coal operator of Snow Shoe, helped to swell the Centre county crowd in Pittsburg and root for the State team.

—Miss S. Ohnmacht went down to Williamsport on Wednesday to spend Thanksgiving with friends. She will remain until next Monday.

—After a pleasant few days visit with her old friends in Philadelphia Mrs. W. E. Hurley returned to her home in this place on Tuesday morning.

—Hon. J. Will Kepner, of Pine Grove Mills, was a business visitor in Bellefonte on Wednesday and found time to make a brief call at the WATCHMAN office.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Larimer went to Jersey Shore Thursday morning to spend the Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Larimer, returning to Bellefonte today.

—Mrs. C. U. Hoffer, of Philadelphia, came over on Wednesday to reside over the Thanksgiving dinner at the home of her father, C. T. Gerberich, on thomas street.

—Miss Anna Sechler returned the latter part of last week from Trappe, Md., where she has been with her sister, Mrs. Kirby, since the death of her husband about a month ago.

—Mr. and Mrs. James Dawson came down from Tyrone on Saturday and remained over Sunday with Mrs. Dawson's brother, Mr. Isaac Dawson, who is in bad health at present.

—Miss Margery Lyon has resigned her position at Washington and returned to Bellefonte Tuesday. Miss Lyon will be at her home here until resuming her work in February.

—Miss Mary Cooney went out to Pittsburg in the beginning of the week to visit her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Brennan and family and see the State-Pitt game yesterday.

—LeRoy Locke, a student at Haverford, spent Sunday at the home of his parents in this place, coming up from Lewisburg where the Haverford eleven played the Bucknell College team.

—Among the sedate gentlemen who went to Pittsburg on Wednesday—partly on business and mostly to see the State-Pitt game—were Messrs. F. H. Thomas, John S. Walker and Mitchell I. Gardner.

—Miss Grace Irene Beck, who has been in Atlantic City since last February, returned to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Beck, on Sunday last Friday; intending to remain until after the holidays.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Quigley and daughter went to Pittsburg on Wednesday to remain over Thanksgiving with Mr. Quigley's brother, J. Edwin Quigley and family, and be there for the football game yesterday.

—Joseph Katz, of Lewistown, came to Bellefonte on Wednesday evening and ate his Thanksgiving dinner with his parents at the Bush house. He came here from Philadelphia where he had been a day or two on a business trip.

—After visiting for a short time with her father, John I. Thompson, at Lemont, Mrs. Louis Crossman left the beginning of the week for Oala, Pa. Mr. and Mrs. Crossman, expecting to make Oaks their home, will go to house keeping immediately.

—W. Frank Gates, William P. Gates and J. C. Sunday, representative farmers of Ferguson township, were in Bellefonte between trains on Monday on their way home from Lemont where they attended the funeral on Sunday morning of James Mayes.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Sellers, of Helens, Mont., who will be in Pennsylvania for an indefinite time, came East to consult specialists concerning Mr. Sellers' eyes and while in Centre county will be guests of Mrs. Sellers' father, John I. Thompson, at Lemont.

—Lloyd R. Wilson, who has been over in Philadelphia, Thursday of last week, for a short visit with their relatives in Central Pennsylvania. Mr. Gilmore stopping with his mother at Milton, Mrs. Gilmore came on to Bellefonte returning Saturday to join Mr. Gilmore for the trip back to Philadelphia.

—Thomas Moore came to Bellefonte with the Panthers on Saturday night and remained until the beginning of the week before returning to his home in Philadelphia. He spent the two weeks with the hunters in their camp on the Big run and the only game they got was a bear about the size of a dog. Tom doubtless came along to Bellefonte to see that the rest of the bunch didn't lose it on the way home.

—Lawrence Frederick Maxwell, an old Penn State football star, was at the College the past week assisting in coaching the team for the Pitt game yesterday. He is formerly from Wilkes-Barre but is now located at Plymouth, four miles from that city, where he is in the ice and coal business and getting along nicely. He graduated in 1908 and this is the first trip he has made back to the College since that time.

—On Sunday William Keichline, James Haupt, Howard Smead, Samuel Cherry, Clarence Swartz, Foote Miller, Guy Dale, Frank Sasserman, Winfield Love and Frank Bartley, of Bellefonte; John Shecker, of Milesburg, and Edward Dean, of Tyrone, composed an automobile party who took a trip to Lock Haven in Keichline and Bartley's machines. They had supper at that city and returned home about eleven o'clock.

—Walking across the Diamond yesterday morning were four young men and to see them one was almost led to believe there was a bankers convention in town. They were Frank K. Lukenbach, of the Blair county bank, Tyrone; John D. Meyer, of the Blair county Title and Trust company; Harry E. Jenkins, of the First National bank of Howard, all here for their Thanksgiving dinner, and Charles Lukenbach, of the First National bank of Bellefonte; all relatives and bankers, and as good a body of young men as can be found anywhere.

—William Baird, of Juniata, spent Sunday with friends in Bellefonte.

—Mrs. Jane Marshall has returned from a visit with her son William at Buffalo, N. Y.

—Miss Mary Rice spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Joseph Smoyer, at Pleasant Gap.

—Mrs. John Sebring Jr., has had as her guest this week her sister, Mrs. William Mann, of Pottsville.

—Andrew Thompson, of Omalinda, Pa., is a guest for a week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Frou.

—Miss Mary Simpson, of Lock Haven, was a guest of Miss Mary Brockherhoff on Monday of this week.

—Miss Bertha Hayes went to DuBois last Friday, expecting to spend the winter with her sister in that place.

—Misses Pearl and Bertha Mewshaw went to Altoona last Friday where they expect to remain during the winter.

—Miss Justia Hoy, of Altoona, a sister of the late Dr. H. K. Hoy, spent last week visiting friends in Bellefonte.

—Miss Mary Blanchard left yesterday morning for New York to superintend the sale of the products of The Basket Shop.

—Mrs. Mose Levi and son Leopold are down in Lock Haven to spend Thanksgiving with the former's sister, Mrs. Edward Swiler.

—W. Harrison Walker Esq., went down to spend his Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. William H. Keller and family, at Lancaster.

—Mrs. J. F. Alexander, of Centre Hall, and Mr. William M. Allison, of Spring Mills, spent Thanksgiving with friends in Bellefonte.

—Lieutenant Richard S. Taylor, military instructor in the Huntington reformatory, came to Bellefonte on Friday and remained over Sunday.

—Mrs. Morris W. Furey returned on Wednesday evening from a two week's visit with her daughter, Mrs. Web Kerstetter, of Carneysville.

—Miss Margery McDermott left Tuesday for Pittsburg, where she will be with her sister, Mrs. John Swaney and other relatives for an indefinite time.

—Mrs. Sarah Eiters, of Lemont, and Mrs. Luther Dale, of Peru, were Bellefonte visitors last Friday; their trip being one of both business and pleasure.

—Mrs. James Noonan and two daughters went down to Williamsport yesterday to spend Thanksgiving and remain over Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Delaney.

—Irvin Humes, of Punxsutawney, but who is a student at State College, remained in Bellefonte over his Thanksgiving vacation as a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gilmore.

—Dr. and Mrs. A. A. Gerberich, of Shamokin, and Mrs. D. S. Rank, of Reading, are guests at the home of C. T. Gerberich. Mrs. Rank expects to spend the winter in Bellefonte.

—R. B. Taylor and four children went down to Williamsport yesterday, not so much for Thanksgiving as to see the Bellefonte Academy and Dickinson Seminary football game.

—Mrs. James L. Sommerville and daughter, Miss Bess Sommerville, of Winburne, spent most of the past week visiting the family of James H. Potter and other friends in Bellefonte.

—On the evening of December seventh Mrs. F. W. Crider and Mrs. Louise V. Harris will entertain the members of the Bellefonte Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution.

—Mr. John Strunk, of Yates Centre, Kan., who spent several months in Centre county visiting his sister, Mrs. C. M. Harter, at Zion, and other friends, departed for home on Tuesday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Orin Ishler, of Trenton, N. J., arrived in Bellefonte on Wednesday afternoon and will spend a week at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Ishler, on High street.

—Mrs. Jane Russell, of Abilene, Kan., arrived in Bellefonte on Wednesday morning to spend the winter with her brother, Abram V. Miller. She has lived in Kansas thirty-four years and this is but her second trip back east.

—Mrs. Jerry Nolan and daughter, Miss Anna, went out to Johnstown on Wednesday to spend Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Otto. Mrs. Nolan will go from there to visit friends in McKeesport while Miss Anna will return home on Sunday.

Bellefonte Produce Markets.

Corrected weekly by R. S. Brouse, Grocer.

The prices quoted are those paid for produce.

Potatoes per bushel, new	\$ 85
Onions	70
Eggs, per dozen	28
Lard, per pound	10
Country Shoulders	10
Sides	12
Tallow, per pound	4
Butter, per pound	28

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	\$.36
White Wheat	.36
Rye, per bushel	.70
Corn, shelled, per bushel	.70
Corn, ears, per bushel	.70
Oats, old and new, per bushel	.40
Barley, per bushel	.60

Philadelphia Markets.

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

Wheat—Red	\$ 94 1/2 @ 95
—No. 2	92 @ 93 1/2
Corn—Yellow	83 @ 85 1/2
—Mixed new	82 @ 84 1/2
Oats	51 @ 51 1/2
Flour—Winter, per barrel	2.85 @ 3.10
—Favorite Brands	3.00 @ 3.25
Rye Flour per barrel	3.00 @ 3.40
Baled Hay—Clover Timothy No. 1	13.00 @ 13.50
—Mixed No. 1	19.00 @ 22.50
Straw	10.00 @ 17.00

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