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THINGS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY.

—Don't forget the talking pictures at the opera house Monday evening next. Prices 5 and 10 cents.

—The treasurer's sale of unseated lands advertisement will be found on the sixth page of today's paper.

—Mr. and Mrs. William Bottorff have moved into the apartments in Petrikin hall, lately vacated by Mrs. Edward R. Chambers.

—Since the departure of George S. Grimm for Punsutawney Linn Blackford has been given charge of the Bellefonte and Nittany furnaces.

—Word was received in Bellefonte on Tuesday of the marriage of Charles Barnes, at Kookuk, Iowa, but the name of the bride could not be learned.

—The Women's Auxiliary of the Young Men's Christian association will meet in the Y. M. C. A. building Monday evening May 6th at eight o'clock.

—Scott Lose has gone to Phillipsburg and joined the Phillipsburg band as an alto player. He also expects to open up a tailoring establishment in that place.

—A corps of state highway surveyors arrived in Bellefonte on Wednesday and are working on the route laid out down through Nittany valley to Lock Haven.

—Joseph Shaughnessy has resigned as a member of the state constabulary and accepted a position as a detective with the Delaware and Hudson railroad company.

—To chase away "that tired feeling" attend the Bellefonte Academy minstrels on May 17th and 18th. A good laugh will do you good and you are sure to get it there.

—On Wednesday noon a party of State College students came down over the Bellefonte Central railroad in the new dynamometer car used at the College for electrical engineering work.

—Mrs. Louisa Harris entertained at a flitch Tuesday night, at her home on Allegheny street. Wednesday night Mrs. Dave Kelley gave a children's party in celebration of the fifth birthday of her daughter Jennie.

—Representatives of the E. Keeler Co., Williamsport, were in Bellefonte Wednesday night with a Kelly three ton forty-horse power motor truck which they were taking to Phillipsburg for the Lauderbach-Barber company.

—With the wet weather of the past two weeks farmers are away back with their spring work. Some oats has been sown but it is comparatively little and it will be some days yet before the ground is in fit condition to plant anything.

—G. Edward Harper has leased the store room formerly occupied by Charles Koozts, on Bishop street and will open up a grocery store there on or about May 15th. Mr. Koozts has located in one of the rooms under the Lyric theatre.

—Rheumatism seems to be prevalent in Bellefonte at the present time. Blaine Mabius has been confined to the house the past month with quite a severe attack of the disease, and John Love Jr. and Harry Haag have both been housed up for two weeks.

—The Ladies Aid Society of the Presbyterian church will hold the fourth one of their series of exchanges, on Saturday afternoon, at Spigelmyer's store. Home-made bread, buns, pies, cakes, puddings, salads, candy, etc., will be on sale, also, a variety of aprons.

—At a meeting of the Woman's Home Missionary society of the Central Pennsylvania M. E. conference, held in Altoona last Friday, Mrs. J. A. Woodcock, of this place, was elected one of five district managers. Mrs. Eddy, of Milesburg, was also chosen a district manager.

—Prof. J. Angel, the eye specialist, will be at the Brockert house on Wednesday and Thursday of next week, May 8th and 9th. He has been coming here for years and his abilities are well known. If you are in need of his services give him a call. Prices always right.

—A meeting of the Auxiliary of the Bellefonte hospital has been called, to meet at the home of Mrs. Joseph Ceador tonight, when final arrangements will be made for the big card benefit, to be given by these women in the Army during the early part of June. Every member of the auxiliary is asked to be present.

—During the past week L. H. Musser received a new Everett five passenger touring car which he will use for both business and pleasure. On Wednesday both sheriff Arthur B. Lee and William Groh Runkle placed orders with W. W. Keichline for new Ford cars. A number of other Bellefonters, it is said, will be driving new cars before many more days.

—The Woman's Club of Bellefonte will hold their regular meeting in Petrikin hall Saturday afternoon, May 4th, at three o'clock. At this meeting Miss Lovejoy, of State College, will talk to the women on "Domestic Science," after the annual election of officers for the club for the coming year. All members of the club and their friends are asked to hear Miss Lovejoy.

SPANISH-AMERICAN WAR VETERANS IN BELLEFONTE.

—About sixty members were present at the fifth anniversary of the Spanish-American War Veterans' association held in Bellefonte last Friday and Saturday. The social event of the gathering was the banquet held at the Brockert house on Friday evening at 9.30 o'clock. In addition to the members of the association quite a number of invited guests were present and all told just eighty-three people gathered around the festive board, among the guests being Col. Fulmer, of the Twelfth regiment N. G. P. and Major Rutherford, of the United States Army, who were in Bellefonte for the inspection of company L. Deitrick's orchestra furnished the music and the menu served was as follows:

- Celery, Olives, New Onions, Roast Philadelphia Capon—French Dressing, St. Julian, New Potatoes en Cream, Sugar Corn, Green Peas, Sweet-Bread Patties with Mushrooms, Asparagus Vinaigrette, New York Ice Cream, Assorted Cake, Toasted Wafers, Camembert Cheese, Cigars, Coffee, Cigarettes.

When cigars were lighted Dr. M. J. Locke, who was toastmaster, rapped for order and after a few pleasant welcoming remarks introduced as the first speaker Judge Ellis L. Orvis. Others who made brief responses were Col. H. S. Taylor, Col. Fulmer, Major Rutherford, George T. Bush, John J. Bower, Henry C. Quigley, James R. Hughes, J. Linn Harris, Robert F. Hunter, Major John F. Dunkle, of Huntingdon; Lieut. Col. Barber, of Lewisburg; Sergt. Joseph Butler, of Altoona; Lieut. R. B. Pearce, of Saltsburg; Sergt. Charles R. Simpson, of Altoona; Capt. Henry Taylor and Rev. John Hewitt. It was well on to two o'clock when the orchestra sounded taps and the crowd dispersed to their rooms and homes.

The business meeting of the association was held in the Logan hall in the public building at eight o'clock on Saturday morning. Altoona was selected as the place of meeting next year and the following officers were elected: President, Charles R. Simpson, Altoona; first vice president, H. W. Fe, Indiana; second vice president, R. G. H. Hayes, Bellefonte; third vice president, Joseph Butler, Altoona; secretary John F. Dunkle, Huntingdon; treasurer, Joseph Butler, Altoona; chaplain, William Bathurst, Huntingdon. The following were elected to honorary membership: Dr. M. J. Locke, Rev. John Hewitt, Henry C. Quigley Esq., and James R. Hughes.

Resolutions were adopted upon the death during the past year of Major McNamara, of Bedford, the old Fifth's battalion commander; and upon the drowning by the sinking of the ill-fated Titanic of Col. John Jacob Astor, inspector general of the Fifth during the Spanish-American war, and of Archibald Butt, President Taft's personal aid.

At the conclusion of the business meeting the visitors were taken in automobiles to the various places of interest in and near the town, and at one o'clock most of them departed for their homes.

ASHER JOHNSON'S BIG EXPENSE ACCOUNT.—Asher R. Johnson, of Bradford, who at the recent primaries was elected a delegate to this Congressional district to the Democratic National convention, spent \$1,017.43 to secure his election. This is by far the largest amount of money spent by any candidate in the district, although Congressman Charles E. Patton and W. T. DeHaas have not yet filed their expense accounts. Robert M. Foster spent \$77.00 to secure his nomination for the Legislature in this county and Guy B. Mayo's expenses for his election as a Roosevelt delegate to the Republican National convention was \$62.16. All the other candidates in this county with the exception of two or three have filed statements giving their expense as less than fifty dollars.

HIGH SCHOOL ALUMNI MEETING.—The High school alumni association held a meeting in the director's room in the new High school building on Monday evening to make arrangements for the annual reception to the 1912 graduating class. At a meeting of the association about two weeks ago Edward L. Gates was elected president and Miss Louise Brachbill secretary and the organization was completed on Monday evening by the election of Miss Marjorie McGinley treasurer. Miss Adelaide Olewine was made chairman of the decoration committee for the reception to the graduating class on Tuesday evening, May 28th, Miss Helen Crissman chairman of the music committee and Miss Mabel Fauble chairman of the refreshment committee.

OF INTEREST TO AUTOMOBILISTS.—Under a recent ruling of the State Highway Department it is imperative that every person who drives a car (except the owner) must have a driver's license. The Department will not issue a special license to any one under the age of sixteen years. This means that neither a son nor daughter of the owner of a car, nor any employee at a garage can drive a car without first having secured a driver's license. If they do so they are liable to arrest and fine.

—Edward I. Gillen was over in Greens valley fishing one of the rainy days last week and though he did not notice it at the time he must have brushed against some poison ivy vines and early this week both sides of his face broke out. It was a rather disagreeable affliction but he has succeeded in doctoring it to a standstill and will soon be all right again.

—A C. Mingle received notice on Monday that he had been appointed one of the honorary staff to the Grand Commander of Pennsylvania, in the Grand Commandery parade to take place in Pittsburgh on May 28th. And he declares that he is very proud of the honor and would rather have it than a fifteen dollar bill. Quite a delegation of Bellefonte Masons will attend the Commandery meeting.

—Another Star course has been arranged for the Y. M. C. A. during the coming year to consist of five entertainments, one of which will be home talent. The other four will cost \$425.00 and will be high-class in every particular. A course ticket this year will cost but one dollar, instead of two as last year. All the entertainments will be held in Petrikin hall and the price for reserved seats will be but ten cents extra.

—The Bloomsburg Normal baseball team will be the Bellefonte Academy's opponents on Hughes field this (Friday) afternoon. Game will be called promptly at three o'clock and all baseball lovers are urged to go out and see the game. The Academy team has started in as winners and though the Bloomsburg aggregation is a strong one, they will play to win, and hope to do so. The regular admission price of twenty-five cents will be charged.

—"The Coming of Columbus" is the title of a special feature picture in three reels which Manager T. Clayton Brown has booked for the Scenic on Friday evening, May 17th, just one week after it has been released. An idea of what the picture will be like can be gleaned from the fact that it cost fifty thousand dollars to produce it. In the meantime there will be plenty of other good pictures at the Scenic, so that you are certain of being pleasantly entertained every evening.

—The Central Pennsylvania Odd Fellows' association will meet at Jersey Shore next year. Bellefonte Odd Fellows went to the meeting at Renovo on Friday of last week and made a big effort to have the association meet here but Jersey Shore won out by a few votes. Other towns wanting the meeting were Lewisburg and Shamokin. All the old officers were re-elected for the ensuing year. The annual membership fees were reduced from \$4.00 to \$3.00 dollars to lodges, \$2.00 to \$1.50 to encampments and \$1.00 to 50 cents for Rebekahs.

—On Tuesday Judge Thomas J. Baldrige, of Blair county, handed down a decree granting six out of the seven applications for liquor license in Tyrone borough, which have been held over since the first of April, the one refused being that of John Wilson, of the Central hotel, Tyrone has been dry for a month but the six hotels, for which licenses were granted, were opened for the sale of liquor at six o'clock on Tuesday evening. In his decree Judge Baldrige stated that the licenses had been withheld one month as a punishment of the landlords for certain infractions of the law.

—Supervising principal Jonas E. Wagner, of the Bellefonte schools, on Monday announced that Miss Sarah Shuey, of the Senior class of the Bellefonte High school, has been awarded the biographical essay prize. This prize for a number of years had been given by the late Hon. J. C. Meyer and this year there was some doubt as to it being offered until at a meeting of the school board Mrs. R. S. Brouse, a school director from the West ward, very generously announced that she would pay the prize, so that in the future it will be known as the Mrs. R. S. Brouse biographical essay prize.

—The home of George Robb, along the mountain, is noted for at least one big dinner every year, and that is at butchering time in the fall. At that time he not only invites men and women to help with the butchering but about a dozen close personal friends just for the big "eats" his wife prepares, and it is always a jolly crowd and a good meal. But butchering time is away in the future and just to have a chance to give her friends another of her famous dinners Mrs. Robb had a quilting party last Thursday to which about twenty ladies were invited. Gentlemen were not included in this gathering.

—Contractor R. B. Taylor is now receiving the brick for the paving of High street between the Bush house and McClain block, though so far the only actual work done on the job is by Col. Taylor putting in two large manholes for the steam heat and gas. The weather, of course, has been against any paving but contractor Taylor avers that he will go to work within a few days. Last week the Bellefonte Electric company began work on drilling holes in the concrete pavement of the new bridge in order to install the new lighting system but they were notified by the county commissioners that they had better desist as the bridge had not yet been accepted. They resumed work, however, yesterday.

NIGHT CRAWLERS BUSY.—Night crawlers, those big, fat, juicy, black-headed fishing worms much sought after as bait by fishermen of all ages, are unusually numerous this year and their depredations in a number of Bellefonte gardens have been so manifest that measures have been taken to get rid of them. At one place on Linn street garden was dug and a bed of onions planted. The next morning almost one-third of the onions were found on top of the ground. They were replanted and the following morning a large quantity was again found on top of the ground. They were planted for the third time and the next morning the onions were not only on top of the ground but as many as five and seven were put together on a pile, a fact not only vouched for by the owner of the garden but which he declares he can prove by his next door neighbor. For a week the planting and digging went on until the gardener communicated his troubles to a friend who told him that it was night crawlers that were digging up his onions, as he knew of half a dozen similar instances in Bellefonte. The Linn street man then examined his onion bed and found it honey-combed from one end to the other with holes the size of a lead pencil, which left no doubt as to what was digging up his onions; but the only thing that still puzzles him is how and why they took the trouble to pile them up. To get rid of them an application of lime and salt was put on the ground and the night crawlers ceased their depredations.

AT THE HOSPITAL.—Ex-sheriff L. T. Munson underwent an operation at the Bellefonte hospital yesterday morning at nine o'clock for a growth on one of his legs that pressed against an artery and almost stopped circulation. He has been sick for a week and the operation was considered the only method of relief. Owing to the crowded condition of the hospital he was taken home as soon as the operation was over. At this writing it is impossible to tell whether his condition is serious or not. Other operations were Miss Gertrude Kane and Miss Elizabeth Cunningham, of Bellefonte; Mrs. Marcella Shope, of Milesburg; Mrs. Jennie Clevestine, of Zion; Joseph Mendenhall, a State College student, and Daniel McGinley, of Bellefonte. Miss Mary Graden, of Bellefonte, and Rev. T. S. Shultz, of Pine Grove Mills, were admitted for treatment. Five patients were discharged and there are still thirty-six inmates.

—A minstrel performance always draws a large crowd for the reason that the public always likes to be amused. On Friday and Saturday, May 17th and 18th, the people of Bellefonte will have an opportunity of witnessing the third annual performance of the Bellefonte Academy minstrels and we feel sure they will please all who attend. There is more and better musical talent among the student body this year than ever before and owing to the fact that they have been practising since last December there is every assurance that all the parts will be well taken. Everything will be new this year, from the stage setting and electrical effects to the last joke of the end men. A number of side-splitting specialties will also be introduced. A big free street parade will be given at noon on the days of the performance. Keep the above dates open for the minstrels.

—Somebody played a joke on Register J. Frank Smith, and the Bellefonte newspapers and baseball fans as well. Last week a typewritten article was sent to each newspaper, and published, setting forth the fact that Mr. Smith was a regular "Connie Mack" in baseball and that he already had gathered together two or three dozen local players from which to select a team for Bellefonte. An invitation was extended to all those interested to meet at the register's office at eight o'clock last Thursday evening to organize a team. A number of people went to the court house but they found the register's office locked and if Mr. Smith was there he was in hiding. Later it developed that the court house ring had perpetrated the joke.

FOREIGNER RUNS AMUCK.—At noon Wednesday a foreigner made his appearance at the Zimmerman farm near Peru and asked Mrs. Roy Zimmerman for something to eat. His actions were such that it was very evident the man was out of his mind and Mrs. Zimmerman telephoned for her husband, who was at Pleasant Gap, and he hurried home and with the assistance of neighbors took the man in charge and brought him to Bellefonte. He was put into jail and gave his name as Andy Spechok, a Slavishman. A commission will likely be appointed to inquire into the man's sanity.

PASTOR'S SUCCESSFUL WORK.—At the quarterly communion services at the Second Presbyterian church of Wilkingsburg, Sunday morning, of which Dr. J. Allison Platts is pastor, forty-six new members were received into the congregation. Two weeks ago the congregation's new \$75,000 church was dedicated and at that time twenty new members were received. Dr. Platts went to Wilkingsburg from the Bellefonte church about fifteen months ago and since then his congregation has increased two hundred and forty-five.

"Deacon Jones' Wife's Ghost" is the name of a rip-roaring, side-splitting farce with which the Bellefonte Academy Minstrels will close their performance on May 17th and 18th. The Jimtown Quartette will also be well worth hearing.

NEWS PURELY PERSONAL.

—Dr. W. H. Schuyler, of Centre Hall, was in Bellefonte Tuesday.

—William Chamberlin, of Milton, was the weekend guest of his sister, Mrs. A. O. Furst.

—S. E. Weber, proprietor of the Oak Hall flour mill, transacted business in Altoona on Tuesday.

—W. E. Royer, of Tyrone, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Orin Kline and family, on Bishop street.

—Mrs. J. Frank Bradford, of Centre Hall, was in Bellefonte Wednesday doing some of her spring shopping.

—James Davis, son of landlord and Mrs. J. McDavis, is visiting his uncle, H. H. Hart, at the hotel Bingham, Altoona.

—Mary Schad and Eleanor Parker will spend Saturday at State College, guests of Helen Foster, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Foster.

—Miss Beltz, superintendent of the Bellefonte hospital, returned from Harrisburg Friday, where she had been at her home for a two weeks rest.

—Cyrus C. Labe, of Harrisburg, spent Sunday with his wife and little daughter at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Lose, in the Bush Arcade.

—Mrs. George B. Thompson, of Alto, while spending Wednesday and Thursday of this week in Bellefonte, was the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. D. G. Bush.

—Miss Tresa Anderson, of Williamsport, who has been for several weeks with Mrs. John A. Woodcock, will remain in Bellefonte until the early part of June.

—Mrs. Gallagher, of Philadelphia, left Bellefonte Wednesday, after visiting for the greater part of the past week with Mrs. Satterfield, at her home on Bishop street.

—Mrs. John S. Walker left Bellefonte Tuesday for Hockessin, Del., where she will spend two weeks with Mr. Walker's mother, who has been seriously ill for several months.

—Mrs. Lewis Daggett went to Philadelphia last week, anticipating a visit of a week with her aunt, Mrs. W. C. Stoddard, at Wyncote, returning with Mr. Daggett Wednesday.

—Miss Alice Taylor, of Altoona, a schoolmate of the Misses Roxy and Helen Mingle at Frederic, Maryland, spent Wednesday and Thursday in Bellefonte as the guest of the Misses Mingle.

—Edward R. Taylor, military instructor at the Huntingdon reformatory, was here last Friday evening for the inspection of Company E, and was among the guests at the Spanish-American war veterans' banquet.

—Mrs. I. N. Sebring, of Philadelphia, and Mrs. Wilson Barber, of Millifield, have been visiting with Mrs. John A. Woodcock since Wednesday, expecting to be in Bellefonte the remainder of the week.

—Mrs. James K. Barnhart is with her mother and sisters at Punsutawney, having gone over Saturday of last week, for a visit of two weeks. Mrs. Barnhart has with her two younger daughters, Louise and Eleanor.

—Miss Margaret Cassidy, daughter of Major and Mrs. Robert A. Cassidy, of Canton, Ohio, arrived in Bellefonte last Thursday evening for a visit with her brother, W. C. Cassidy, being on her way home from a visit with friends in Washington, D. C.

—John Cherry, of Big Spring, Texas, has been in Bellefonte this week visiting with his brother, Theodore Cherry, of Thomas street. Mr. Cherry is on his way to Harrisburg, having come north to attend the engineers convention to which he was sent as a delegate.

—Philip H. Garbrick, who has been working at Kane for some time, came home last week for the annual convention and reunion of the old Fifth Regiment, Spanish-American war veterans and will remain in Bellefonte for a vacation on account of ill health.

—Miss Elizabeth Blanchard will leave Bellefonte Sunday for Boston, where she will spend the greater part of three weeks in the interest of the Basket Shop. On her return trip Miss Blanchard will stop for a short time in both New York and Philadelphia.

—J. Linn Harris went to Harrisburg on Monday where he attended a meeting of the State Forestry Commission on Tuesday. From Harrisburg he went to Mt. Clemens, Mich., to have some of the rheumatism, with which he has been afflicted for some time, baked out of him.

—Mrs. George D. Green, of Lock Haven, with her two daughters, was in Bellefonte a short time Tuesday, on her return from Briarty. Mrs. Green had the children up the country for a week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Dorsey Green, while convalescing from chicken-pox.

—County chairman Henry C. Quigley, Edmund Harris, B. W. E. Hurley, Henry Kline, Hard P. Lard, R. B. Taylor and William H. Brown were among the Bellefonte contingent who attended the Republican State convention at Harrisburg on Wednesday; in addition to the Roosevelt delegates, George N. Fisher and Harry Austin.

—Miss Blanche Houser, a composer of this office, returned to Bellefonte Friday of last week, after visiting for a month with the family of her sister, Mrs. John Guisewite, at Cherry Tree. During Miss Houser's stay at Cherry Tree Mrs. Guisewite was in Bellefonte convalescing from an attack of the quinsy, returning to her home a week ago.

—Mrs. George S. Grimm with her daughter, Miss Mary Grimm will leave for their new home at Punsutawney, Wednesday of next week. Having shipped their household goods yesterday, Mrs. Grimm and her daughter will visit for the week with their friends in Bellefonte. Mr. Grimm and Miss Mildred Grimm, who had come from Pittsburgh to spend the Sunday with the family before their going, left Monday, Miss Grimm for Pittsburgh and Mr. Grimm to take charge of his new position at Punsutawney.

—John M. Shugert, Edmund Blanchard and John McCoy went to Pittsburgh, on Monday, and were there until yesterday engaged in a business proposition that might eventually mean a very nice thing for the industrial life of Bellefonte. Of course the actual fruits of their visit will not be known for some days but if it should turn out as they hope it will mean the early resumption of one of our largest plants on a scale that will make it more prosperous than it is in its best days.

—Wm. A. Moore, formerly president of the Nittany Iron Co., and until recently manager of the largest fluor-spar mine in the world, located at Roselair, Ill., arrived in town Wednesday evening and will visit his many friends here until Monday. He is on his way to Buffalo to look over a big blast furnace proposition that has been tendered him there. While there is nothing definite about it we hope he will accept the place for living so much nearer Bellefonte than would be assurance that we would see more of him than when he lived in Illinois.

—Mrs. W. A. Lyon is looking forward with a great deal of pleasure to a visit of her brother Franklin Greenslade, cashier of the Metropolitan bank, Cardiff, Wales. If nothing interfered with his arrangements he sailed on Wednesday and will land in New York the middle of next week. His first week in this country will be spent with Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Williams at their new home at Bayonne, N. J., and while there Mrs. Williams will accompany him to West Point to see Edward Lyon. When he comes to Bellefonte week after next he will be accompanied by Mrs. Williams and son Frederick and after a week or ten days sojourn here he and Mrs. Lyon will go to Rochester, N. Y., to visit Robert and Jack Lyon and Mrs. J. E. McGuiness. This will be Mr. Greenslade's first visit to this country since 1891 and he will remain a month or longer.

—P. Gray Meek with Mrs. Meek went to Philadelphia Tuesday, expecting to return to Bellefonte today.

—Miss Helen Schaeffer while in Centre Hall last Sunday was the guest of Miss Laura Runkle at the hotel.

—Miss Myrtle Williams, who has been in DuBois during the past winter, spent Sunday with her friends in Bellefonte.

—Mr. and Mrs. Roy Irvin, of Altoona, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Willard Barnhart, while spending Sunday in Bellefonte.

—Miss Julia Ives, of Philadelphia, a sister of Mrs. William Laurie, came to Bellefonte a week ago for an indefinite time.

—Mrs. Mary Miller, of Hagerstown, Maryland, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Miller Stewart, at her home on Linn street.

—Mrs. Elizabeth B. Callaway will return to Bellefonte today, after three weeks stay in Washington, Philadelphia and Atlantic City.

—Mrs. Albert Engles Blackburn, of Philadelphia, with her children, is expected in Bellefonte this week, for a visit with Col. and Mrs. J. L. Snaugler.

—Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Thomas, of Potters Mills, arrived in Bellefonte Thursday afternoon for a short visit with Mr. Thomas' sisters, Miss Mary Thomas and Mrs. James B. Lane.

—S. Linn Bottorff, who has been for the past three years in Ashville, North Carolina, on account of ill health, came to Centre county Wednesday to join his wife and family. Mrs. Bottorff and the children have been north since early in the spring, and hope now to be able to once more make their home in Centre county.

BELL-STICKEL.—A wedding in which most of the people of Harris township were interested was that on Tuesday noon of Mr. S. M. Bell, of Boalsburg, and Mrs. M. J. Stickel, of Harrisburg, the ceremony being performed by Rev. J. C. Stover at the parsonage of the Reformed church in Boalsburg. Following the ceremony a reception was held and wedding breakfast served at the Bell home after which the happy couple drove to Oak Hall and left on the train for a ten days wedding trip to eastern cities. The bridegroom is a prominent merchant of Boalsburg and has hosts of friends who wish him and his wife all kinds of happiness.

MCLAUGHLIN—HALL.—Joseph McLaughlin and Miss May Hall, both of Snow Shoe, went to Lock Haven last Thursday and procuring a marriage license went directly to the office of alderman E. K. Parsons, where they were united in marriage.

NEW BUGGIES AND CARRIAGES.—Forrest L. Bullock, the Water street dealer, has just received a carload of fine new rubber and steel tire buggies and carriages. They are all the product of the Ligonier Carriage Co., and in workmanship, quality and finish can't be surpassed at the price.

If you are thinking of buying a new vehicle this spring you would do well to look this shipment over because Mr. Bullock guarantees them and will sell them at a figure that marks them all as bargains. 17ft

The women in charge of the sewing school are planning for an exhibit of the work completed by the children during the past year. As arranged now it will be held in one of the rooms of the new High school building during the commencement week or about the 28th of May. The mothers of the children are especially asked to inspect the work, and encourage these women in this most commendable undertaking.

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

Potatoes per bushel, new	\$1.10
Onions	1.50
Eggs, per dozen	.45
Lard, per pound	.10
Country Shoulders	.10
Sides	.10
Hams	.12
Tallow, per pound	.08
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	\$1.00
White Wheat	.95
Rye, per bushel	.75
Corn, shelled, per bushel	.75
Corn, ears, per bushel	.75
Oats, old and new, per bushel	.55
Barley, per bushel	.65

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

Wheat—No. 1	\$1.01
Wheat—No. 2	.97
Corn—Yellow	.84
Corn—Mixed new	.82
Oats	.62
Flour—Winter, per barrel	3.85
Flour—Favorite Brand	3.80
Rye Flour per barrel	4.30
Baled Hay—Choice Timothy No. 1	17.00
Straw	13.00

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