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THINGS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY.

—Mrs. Wells Daggett and her son Frederic, have been spending the past week at the Nittany Country club.

—A little girl baby arrived in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Derstine, of south Spring street, on Saturday of last week.

—Mr. and Mrs. Paul D. Sheffer and family and Thomas Beaver are spending the week at the Masons camp down Bald Eagle.

—The Lyric gives four full reels of motion pictures every evening for five cents. What more can you ask for your money.

—John G. Love, Jr., having passed all the entrance examinations, will enter the course of Liberal Arts at Haverford in September.

—Five thousand fingerling trout have been taken from the Bellefonte fish hatchery to help restock the Spruce creek hatchery.

—The boardwalk out along Pine street is claimed by residents in that locality to be in a rather dangerous condition and badly in need of repair.

—A dance was given in the Logan hall on Monday evening at which the Misses Francies were the guests of honor. About twenty-five couples were present.

—Rube Cronemiller, of Scotia, having secured employment in Bellefonte has made arrangements for moving his family here about the first of August.

—There is a hog disease in Bellefonte that is carrying off some promising porkers. William McElhattan lost seven and William Adams four within the past few weeks.

—Company L, with fifty-five officers and men in line, left on the 6:35 a. m. train over the Lewisburg and Tyrone railroad, on Monday, for their annual ten days camp at Gettysburg.

—A crew of men are at work this week repairing the state road between Bellefonte and Milesburg. All the holes and depressions will be filled up and the road roll-d as smooth as when first built.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles G. MacAvoy and two children will go down to the Country club today to spend a week or ten days while Mr. MacAvoy is superintending the changing of their electric light plant.

—Mr. and Mrs. B. Franklin Boal, now of Altoona, were called back to their old home in this county, to attend the funeral of Mr. Boal's sister, Miss Emma Boal. Burial was made at the Tusseyville cemetery.

—A little son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Parks Hill, at their home in Syracuse, N. Y., on July 20th, and the new arrival has been christened Richard Morris Hill. Mrs. Hill during her maidenhood was Miss Mabel Otto, of this place.

—It is said that there is a young girl in Bellefonte, without a home and apparently friendless, as she is compelled to pass the nights as best she can, sleeping on porches and in out houses. The girl was sent to her home at Pine Hall on Wednesday.

—The Ladies Auxiliary of the Bellefonte hospital will hold a rummage sale during the month of October, for the benefit of the hospital. Residents of Bellefonte are kindly requested to carefully preserve anything they may wish to contribute until that time.

—The new auto-bus purchased by landlord H. S. Ray, of the Brockerhoff house, arrived in Bellefonte last Saturday evening and was put into service on Monday evening. It is an International Harvester machine and is built on graceful lines, equipped with electric signals and light, speaking tube, etc. It has a capacity for ten people including the driver.

—"Will there be a business men's picnic this year?" is a question frequently propounded to the writer, and we must confess ignorance. So far there has been no move in this direction by the Centre-Clinton County Business Men's Picnic association, though last year a meeting was held on July 25th to decide upon the holding of a picnic and fixing the day for same.

—Pathe's weekly every Wednesday night and a big feature picture every Friday night constitute special attractions at the Scenic that cannot be seen anywhere else in Bellefonte. These are given in addition to the regular program but manager T. Clayton Brown believes there is nothing too good for his patrons and he spares no expense to give them the best. Unless you are a regular attendant you miss many a good picture.

—The Altoona Motor club seems fated not to get a sociability run to Bellefonte this season. A month ago a run was scheduled for this place but it could not be made on account of rain. Wednesday of last week was then selected as the day but on Monday evening a hard rain storm caused so many washouts in that section that the run was postponed until Wednesday of this week, and then it was again prevented by an all day's rain. When the next attempt will be made is not known at this writing.

BIG PURSES FOR CENTRE COUNTY FAIR.—Bigger purses will be given this year for the races at the Centre county fair, which will be held on September 3rd, 4th, 5th and 6th, than ever given before and this will undoubtedly result in attracting horsemen from all over the State. For instance: A purse of \$300 will be given for the 2.12 class race on Wednesday, \$250 for the 2.30 class and \$100 for a running race. On Thursday the purses will be \$250 for the 2.18 class and \$200 for the 2.25 class. The purse for the big free-for-all on Friday will be \$300 with \$250 for the 2.20 class and \$100 for a running race. These will probably be the most attractive purses offered in Central Pennsylvania this season.

But the races will not be the only big feature of the fair. A strong effort will be put forth to make the line of amusements and free attractions bigger and better than ever, something entirely new so far as the Centre county fair is concerned. These are things the management are planning to carry out, but these alone will not make a successful fair. It will take the hearty co-operation of the farmers and the farmers wives and families throughout the county to make the fair what it ought to be. It is your exhibits that count. Exhibits of all kinds of stock and farm produce, garden truck, bread, pies and cakes, jellies and all things eatable, as well as fancy needle work and anything fashioned and made by the ladies. These are the things that help to make a successful fair, and it is to be hoped that everybody in the county will do their part.

BOY INJURED BY AUTOMOBILE.—Shortly before seven o'clock on Saturday evening Malcolm Young, the ten year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Young, of south Allegheny street, was struck by an automobile, knocked down and just escaped being run over by the narrowest margin. Two good things about the accident are that the boy was not badly hurt and that the accident was not due to fast and careless running on the part of the driver of the machine. The boy was down town on an errand and was in a hurry to get home so he could return for the opening of the Lyric. Of course he was running and evidently started to cross the street without looking to one side or the other. Just at that moment Daniel Houser, of Houserville, came around the corner from Bishop street in his automobile. He was running very slow and the machine and boy collided. The lad was struck by the fender, knocked down and rolled under the machine between the front and rear wheels. Mr. Houser was able to stop the machine almost on the spot, but as it was the rear wheel was touching the boy. Passersby rescued him and carried him to Krumm's drug store where an examination revealed the fact that the only injury he sustained was a bruise on the left cheek. After he had recovered from the shock of the accident he walked home alone, and is now all right.

MULE KILLED BY AUTO.—A mule owned by the McCoy-Linn Iron company was struck and instantly killed by an automobile last Saturday evening and Samuel Lucas was thrown from another mule and pretty badly injured. The accident happened just over the brow of the hill on the state road north of the chain works, between eight and nine o'clock in the evening. Mr. Lucas was taking a team of mules from the Gatesburg bank to the furnace near Milesburg, riding the one and leading the other. When on the top of the chain works hill he heard an automobile coming and rode as close to the mountain as it was possible to do. The machine was being driven at a high rate of speed and before Mr. Lucas realized what was happening the mule he was leading was struck by the machine and knocked and dragged a distance of fifty-five feet, being killed almost instantly. Lucas was dragged from the back of the other mule and badly cut and bruised. The automobile which figured in the incident was owned by one of the Kelleys in Snow Shoe. It was occupied by two men and three women who were on their way home from Bellefonte. The mule killed was one of the most valuable belonging to the company.

OF INTEREST TO AUTOMOBILISTS.—Considerable complaint has been made by a number of residents of Bellefonte about the action of a large number of automobile drivers in using their accelerator to speed up their machines going up hill, thereby causing an unnecessary amount of noise, and the borough council will be appealed to at its next meeting to take some action to abolish what is claimed to be a nuisance. The use of the accelerator enables the driver to take the hills on the high gear and naturally the more power required the greater the noise made. While it is not so noticeable during the day it is very plainly heard at night and no doubt is more or less startling to a sick person or one of a high strung nervous temperament. Just what action council may take is not known, but it might be well for drivers of machines to practice a little forbearance rather than submit to compulsion.

—The fortieth annual camping at Newton Hamilton will be held August 8th to 20th. The grounds, however, are now open for campers. During the camping the religious services will be in charge of Rev. W. C. Wallace, of Black Lick, and the music will be under the direction of Prof. C. W. Hartzell, of Lewistown. Special excursion tickets will be sold for this gathering.

—A traveling man was walking up Bishop street on Tuesday morning when he was bitten by a dog. This is written as a caution to owners of cross dogs to keep them muzzled or penned up, as during the dog days a dog is more liable to bite than at any other time of the year.

—Thomas Patton, the Port Matilda huckster, has received a twenty-horse power International-Harvester truck for use in gathering up farm produce and hauling it over the mountain to the Phillipsburg markets. With the truck he will be able to cover more ground in one day than he could in three days with horses and wagon.

—Miss Bessie Miles, a graduate of Dickinson Seminary, has again been elected a teacher in the primary department of the Milesburg High school. She is at present taking the summer course for teachers at State College. Miss Laura Smith was elected principal of the above school and Chester Barnes teacher of the intermediate grade.

—Burdine Butler has stopped railroad improvements near Howard. All attempts to reach an amicable agreement with him over the purchase of his farm have so far failed, as he asks what the company deems an unreasonable price. The contractors who are changing the railroad worked right up to the line of Mr. Butler's farm then were compelled to quit. Just what the outcome will be hard to determine.

—The remodeling of the Nittany valley road is proving a slow job, owing to the fact that laborers cannot be secured to do the work, notwithstanding the fact that they are paying higher wages than is paid anywhere else. And yet there are a number of idle men around Bellefonte, who prefer staying idle to working on the state road. In the neighborhood of a mile and a half of road has been built and it is as good as any fully constructed state road, though two feet narrower. But at that it is a great improvement over the way the road has been.

—During the past several weeks B. G. Hatch & Co., have been shipping green groceries, fruit, etc., to Bellefonte in car load lots and retailing it from door to door cheaper than it could be purchased elsewhere in the town. This naturally aroused the ire of Bellefonte merchants and they insisted that he be compelled to pay a regular peddler's license, which is \$50 a year. Consequently when Mr. Hatch's representative came to Bellefonte on Wednesday he was held up and compromised the situation by taking out a license for three months and paying therefore \$12.50.

—Mr. Geo. H. Musser, of Boggs township, brought to the WATCHMAN office on Saturday last a bunch of timothy the shortest stalks of which measured 5 feet 10 inches in length and the longest 6 feet 3 inches. It was grown on Mr. Musser's Walnut hill farm just below Milesburg, and is the cleanest, healthiest looking timothy we have seen this year. Mr. Musser tells us it is not "Bull Moose" timothy but just the good old-fashioned kind, that makes good hay and raises good stock. If there is any farmer in the county, or for that matter anywhere else, who can beat it the WATCHMAN would like to hear from him.

—As a prophet St. Swithin is making good. Of course it may not rain every day for forty days, but with three days rain last week and the terrific downpour on Sunday he has a good percentage so far to his credit. And the rain came just in the nick of time, as both the corn and potatoes were suffering for moisture. Since the rain a person can almost see them grow and it will mean thousands of dollars to Centre county farmers. From the present outlook there will be a fair crop of corn while the potato crop promises to be large, and this at least will be good news to the consumer who was obliged to pay as high as \$1.50 a bushel for them last winter. But there are some farmers pessimistic over the outlook for a big crop as was evidenced by the comments overheard between two tillers of the soil last Saturday while in Bellefonte marketing. One of the farmers remarked that the chances were for a very good potato crop when the other said that "it didn't look very promising to him, as the potatoes would likely grow too big."

—Ordinarily it is easier for a man to get rid of money than it is to keep it but "Squire Musser" recently found it otherwise. Last March he adjudged a College township man guilty of dynamiting for fish and fined him \$100. A few days later he drew his check for same and sent it to the State Treasurer. Some time afterwards the check was returned with a request that it be certified. Just about that time he received two fines aggregating \$50 and getting a certified check for \$150 he sent it to the State Treasurer. In a few days it was returned with the advice that \$50 of the amount should be paid to the Pure Food Department and \$100 to the Treasurer of Centre county. The fifty was sent in a certified check and another certified check for \$100 was taken to the county treasurer on Tuesday, and that gentleman told Mr. Musser to take it to the commissioner's office, but by that time his patience was exhausted and if he wasn't a good Methodist there is no telling what he might have said, but what he did was to leave the check right there and walk out.

GATES—GORDON.—At 7.30 o'clock on Monday evening M. C. Gates, of Curtin, and Miss Rebecca Gordon, of Bellefonte, were united in marriage at the parsonage of the United Brethren church by the pastor, Rev. C. W. Winey. The young couple will make their home at Curtin.

NEWS PURELY PERSONAL.

—Miss Alice Jenkins, daughter of John Jenkins, has been a guest of Dr. and Mrs. E. S. Dorworth.

—Mr. and Mrs. Burns Crider and family left yesterday morning for a two week's sojourn at Atlantic City.

—Mr. and Mrs. Elsey with their little daughter are in Bellefonte visiting with Mrs. Hugh Taylor, on Howard street.

—Mrs. T. K. Morris is spending a few days in Pittsburgh, having gone out Wednesday for the week-end with Mr. Morris.

—Mrs. E. F. Tausig, of Harrisburg, with her two children, is in Bellefonte visiting with her mother, Mrs. Martin Fauble.

—Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Alters and three children, of Lamar, were week-end guests at the Joseph Alters home, Bellefonte.

—Miss Sara McKinley, who spent her vacation at Freeburg, as a guest of the Misses Brown, returned to Bellefonte last week.

—Miss Marzaret Haupt went down to Lock Haven on Tuesday evening to spend some time with her sister, Mrs. LeRoy Fox.

—Edward Ketchline with Guy and Jerome Dale all holding positions at Renovo, were week-end guests of their parents in Bellefonte.

—Miss Anna Cherry returned Friday of last week from Philadelphia, where she had been visiting with her sister, Mrs. Harry Dawson.

—Mrs. Thomas Smith, of State College, is spending the time while her husband is at Gettysburg, with Mrs. Peter Smith, of Bishop street.

—Miss Janet Scott spent several days the past week with the family of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Quigley, in the mountains near New Florence.

—Miss Sara Bogle was a guest of her mother, Mrs. E. Norris Bogle, at the Forge House, Tuesday, returning to Pittsburgh Wednesday morning.

—Miss Mildred Kirk went to Ebertsville Wednesday for a visit of several weeks, expecting to return to Bellefonte before returning to Bucknell.

—Jacob P. Fishburn, of Kansas City, Mo., with his brother George K. Fishburn, of Amboy, Ill., are east for a visit at their old home near Bellefonte.

—Mrs. Margaret Leggett, head nurse at the Bellefonte hospital, left Tuesday for Dennison, Ohio, where she will spend a part of her vacation at her home.

—While in Bellefonte attending the funeral of Mrs. Heylman Thursday, Charles H. Case was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Fitzgerald, of Spring street.

—Mrs. Margaret Hutchinson will go to Kane Wednesday of next week, where she will be for a time the guest of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Thomas Hutchinson.

—Mrs. R. G. H. Hayes with her three children Ellen, John and Thomas, will leave today on a motor trip to Hagerstown, Md. Miss Ellen Hayes will drive the car.

—Miss Mary Totscock, who has been visiting with relatives in New York city, returned to Bellefonte Sunday. Miss Totscock is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Totscock.

—Mrs. Margaret Dexter, of Washington, D. C., is visiting her brother, Jere Glenn and family at Curtin, also her sister, Mrs. Susan Nolan, at the old homestead near the above place.

—Miss Anna Blanchard, of Chicago, spent Thursday in Bellefonte, having come here from Lock Haven, where she and her sister, Miss Christine Blanchard, are visiting with their sister, Mrs. George Green.

—Morgan Shoop, who lives with his uncle, Reuben Lucas, at Phillipsburg, returned home Wednesday, after visiting three weeks with L. E. Jordan, at Nigh Bank, and with his grandmother, Mrs. Morgan Lucas, at Runville.

—Mrs. S. C. Hile and Mrs. Henry Kline, of the Haag house, have just returned from Atlantic City, where they spent the past two weeks at the La Fontaine. Miss Katherine, who accompanied them, will remain two weeks longer.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Meek, of State College, drove to Bellefonte yesterday in their motor car. Mrs. Meek's time was spent principally in the shops, in preparing to send her daughter Ruth to the Dickinson Seminary, at Williamsport, this fall.

—Dr. and Mrs. Ezra Yocum have been entertaining their son and his wife, who left Bellefonte a short time ago, and have as guests at the Bellefonte home, Mrs. Wharter, of Washington, D. C., and their grandson, Ezra Phelps Yocum, of Scranton.

—Mr. and Mrs. Homer Longwell with their two children are at Lemont with Mrs. Longwell's parents. Mr. and Mrs. Longwell arrived Monday, having come from Philadelphia in their motor car, to spend an indefinite time with their relatives in Centre county.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry G. Fitzgerald, of Columbus, Ohio, with their friends, Mr. and Mrs. B. Mauger and their two children, arrived in their Mitchell touring car. During their stay in Bellefonte they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Fitzgerald, of Spring street.

—The following persons were among those registered at the Bush house during the past week: Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Reese and Miss Nell Thomas, of Pittsburgh; Mrs. Harry Washburn and Mrs. J. N. Meyer, Phillipsburg; Hon. J. H. Oamer and Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Oamer, Franklin.

—Miss Mary Moerschbacher left Tuesday morning for Pottsville, and from there will go to Shenandoah, Hazleton, Philadelphia and other points through the eastern part of the State. Miss Moerschbacher will not return to Bellefonte before the latter part of August or the first of September.

—State Highway Commissioner E. M. Bigelow and Secretary of the Commonwealth Robert McAfee were guests of John Francies and family, in Benner township, last Thursday night. The two gentlemen were en route to Pittsburgh and were caught in a storm near Sunbury which delayed them several hours so that it was late at night when they reached the Francies home. Their visit had no political significance or nothing to do with the plans for the new penitentiary. All the gentlemen are old-time friends and the state officials merely made it a point to spend the night with Mr. Francies.

—Judge John M. Garman and family, of Wilkes-Barre, were visitors to Bellefonte for a few hours on Wednesday. They were on their way to State College and from there purposed returning by Thompsonstown, Juniata county, the Judge's old home. It was the Judge's first sight of Nittany valley and he could not get through expressing his surprise at its beauty and its seeming prosperity as evidenced by its splendid farms, good buildings, and more than ordinarily good roads. He said, however, that since automobiling, the distance had become, he was fully impressed with the necessity of the new penitentiary and believed it was well located and that it should speedily be filled up with the bum supervisors who persist in building "shankie-mams" wherever a place could be found to have the water run across the road.

—John Toner Harris, of Harrisburg, was a Bellefonte visitor over Sunday.

—Miss Julia Curtin spent Sunday and part of Monday with friends in Tyrone.

—Miss Sarah McKinley returned home on Saturday from a month's visit with friends in Sunbury and Freeburg.

—Dr. Edwin Erie Sparks, president of The Pennsylvania State College, left on Sunday on a trip to Minneapolis, Minn.

—Charles Larimer, of Ebensburg, was with Mrs. Larimer and their daughter Elizabeth, at Mr. and Mrs. James Schofield's for the week-end.

—Mrs. Clyde Franks and little daughter Helen, of Williamsport, are spending ten days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Neal Martin, on Allegheny street.

—Mrs. W. I. Swope, of Clearfield, was in Bellefonte last week, spending the time while here with Mr. Swope's aunts, Mrs. Coburn and Mrs. Rogers.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Auman, of Danville, are spending the week with Bellefonte friends. Mr. Auman was formerly principal of the Bellefonte High school.

—Mrs. John McGee, who has been the guest of Mrs. Oscar Gray, came from her home in Philadelphia a week ago for a two week's visit with friends in Bellefonte.

—Sidney Keefer, who has not been in the best of health for some weeks, left on Monday for the western part of the State where he will enter a sanatorium for treatment.

—Dr. R. H. Meek and Mrs. Meek were in Bellefonte Monday on their way home to Avis, after having visited for a few days with Dr. Meek's mother, Mrs. D. L. Meek, at Waddle.

—Mrs. David A. Solly and daughter Mary, of Greensburg, were in Bellefonte over Monday night, guests of Mrs. Harry Jenkins. They were on their way over to Rebersburg to visit Mrs. Solly's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jared Kreamer.

—Mr. and Mrs. B. S. McKean, of Lima, Ohio, have been the guests of Rev. and Mrs. G. E. Hawes. Mr. McKean is a brother of Mrs. Hawes. Mr. McKean was in Bellefonte on Tuesday for Erie, where they will visit for a few days.

—Miss Mary Meyer was in Bellefonte Monday for a short time on her way to Pittsburgh. Miss Meyer, who is an instructor in the schools of Butler, N. J., has been spending the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Meyer, of Rebersburg.

—Mrs. James Harris is entertaining her sister, Miss Mary Slaymaker, of Clinton, Iowa, and her nieces, Miss Hetty Slaymaker, of Albany, Ill. The Misses Slaymaker, who have been in Bellefonte for a week, will remain with Mrs. Harris for several weeks.

—Miss Elizabeth Ardell, of Brooklyn, joined her sister, Miss Eleanor Ardell, in Bellefonte Tuesday. The Misses Ardell while in Bellefonte will spend much of the time with Dr. Edith Schad, from there visiting with their friends in and about Bellefonte.

—The Misses Sara Caldwell, Ella Gates, Fannie Hutchinson, Anne Confer, Mary Strunk, Emma Waite and Mary Hill will compose a party leaving here Wednesday of next week for Asbury Park, expecting to spend two weeks there and at Ocean Grove.

—Mrs. C. D. Runkle with her daughter-in-law Mrs. William Runkle, and two children, Gertrude and Hazel of Pittsburgh; Mrs. D. A. Booser, of Centre Hall, and Mrs. Charles Meyer, of Reidsville, were all guests at the McQuiston home on High street on Saturday.

—Martin McCafferty, who has been in Parkersville, Tenn., for the past year with his sister, Mrs. Edward Brown, was an over Sunday visitor with his many friends in Bellefonte, leaving Monday morning for Altoona, where he has a big contract of building a church.

—Mrs. E. P. Moore and her daughter, Miss Katherine Moore, of Tyrone, are with Mrs. Moore's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Miller for the summer. Mr. Moore will be with his family at the toll gate as much of the time as his work allows, their home in Tyrone having been closed for the season.

—Mrs. J. R. Woodcock with her two children and her mother, Mrs. William Thompson Jr., were in Bellefonte Friday on their way to Centre Furnace, where Mrs. Woodcock and the children will spend two weeks. Mrs. Thompson was returning home from a visit with Mrs. Woodcock, at Birmingham.

—Jacob Ghener, one of the well known residents of Benore, was a business visitor in Bellefonte on Tuesday and a welcome caller at this office. While everything is very quiet around the mines at Scotia Mr. Ghener says the farmers up in that section will have no cause to complain this year, because their crops are all good.

—Mr. and Mrs. Leo Sherry, of Pittsburgh, arrived in Bellefonte last Saturday for a week's visit at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Sherry. Leo, who started his trade as a printer in the WATCHMAN office, is now employed in one of the largest job printing offices in the Smoky, and is getting along first rate.

—Mrs. J. D. Mitchell and Mrs. Gregg, of Burnham, came to Bellefonte Thursday of last week for a short visit, and were joined Saturday by Mr. Mitchell and Mr. Gregg for the week-end. The men returned to Burnham Sunday evening, while Mrs. Mitchell and Mrs. Gregg remained to continue their visit with Mrs. J. Thomas Mitchell.

—Miss Mildred Grimm, of Punksutawney, came to Bellefonte Tuesday of last week, bringing with her Mrs. Charlotte Parker, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. Ross Parker, who has been visiting with the Grimm family for six weeks. Miss Grimm having spent a week in Bellefonte, was while here the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James Seibert.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Kurtz, of Reading, made a brief stop in Bellefonte on Tuesday on their way over to Clearfield to visit their sons Charles and Will. Mr. Kurtz will be remembered as having a number of years ago been proprietor of the stationery store which is now the Index. He and his wife were traveling in a big Locomobile, a trip they make every summer. While they naturally look some older than when they lived in Bellefonte both are still enjoying fairly good health.

—C. B. Williams, of Bayonne, N. J., came to Bellefonte last Saturday morning to spend Sunday with Mrs. Williams and their son, Frederic at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lyon, on east High street. He was accompanied by his friend, William Bostwick, of East Orange, N. J., and Saturday and Monday were devoted to touring over the county. This was Mr. Bostwick's first trip to Central Pennsylvania and he was quite enthusiastic over everything he saw, especially the farming valleys and picturesque mountainous scenery of Centre county. Both gentlemen left for home on Monday evening.

—Rev. John Hewitt was down in Columbia county in the fore part of the week on a very interesting mission, which was preaching the one hundredth anniversary sermon of the building of the St. Gabriel Sugar Loaf church. The congregation of this church held services as far back as 1792 but the first church was not built until 1812. It was a log building fifty feet square with a roof tapering from the four sides to the middle where there was an opening to allow the smoke to go out from a huge fireplace dug in the ground in the middle of the church. This served as a house of worship until 1876 when it was destroyed by fire. Through the efforts of Rev. Hewitt a modern church was built on the old foundation, and Tuesday being the anniversary date of the dedication of the old church appropriate services in commemorating the same were held.

—Miss Elizabeth Brown is in Wilmington, Del., the guest of her sister, Mrs. Winner.

—Miss Jean Malin, of Baltimore, was a week end guest of her uncle, W. L. Malin, of Howard street.

—Miss Julia Curtin went to Pittsburgh for the fore part of the week for a visit with Mrs. Robert Burns.

—Mrs. James McNichols, of Water street, is entertaining her sister, Mrs. Joseph Druing, and her two small sons, of Philadelphia.

—The Misses Anna and Elizabeth Badger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Badger, are in Lewisburg visiting with relatives.

—Mrs. Harry Otto, of Johnstown, came to Bellefonte Wednesday, and with her two children will visit with her mother, Mrs. Jerry Nolan.

—Mrs. William Dravo, of Sewickley, who has been visiting relatives in Lock Haven, is spending the week in Bellefonte, the guest of Mrs. Elizabeth Calaway.

—Mr. and Mrs. William Hamilton, of Penn street, spent several days last week visiting Mrs. Hamilton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claybaugh, in Huntingdon county.

—Bond Valentine, with the United Gas and Improvement company, of Philadelphia, has been the guest of his aunts, Mrs. Pugh and the Misses Valentine, this week.

—Mrs. Jean MacNaughton, of Philadelphia, and Mrs. Maus, of Atlantic City, who have been visiting at the home of Dr. E. H. Harris, in Snow Shoe, spent Thursday with Mrs. John P. Harris.

—Mrs. Latimer Curtin with her daughter Elizabeth, who has been visiting with Mr. Curtin's mother, Mrs. James L. Curtin, will leave Curtin to return to her home at Harnersville, Pa., on Tuesday.

—Richard Lane, of McKeesport, with Mrs. Lane and their two children arrived in Bellefonte Wednesday. Mrs. Lane and the children will visit with Mrs. James B. Lane, while Mr. Lane is on a trip through the West.

—Mrs. T. G. Cruse, of Wilkesburg, with her little daughter, who has been visiting with Mrs. Cruse's relatives at Millheim, and with Mr. Cruse's mother and sister, Mrs. Andrew J. Cruse and Mrs. Kline Woodring, of Howard street, came on a trip through the West.

—Mrs. A. G. Osmer has returned to Lincoln, Neb., after a visit of two weeks with relatives in Centre county. Mr. Osmer's brother, J. J. Osmer, of Los Angeles, Cal., who came east at the same time, will remain in Pennsylvania indefinitely.

—The Misses Lela and Verna Ardy departed on Wednesday for a visit with friends in Bedford and Altoona. Tomorrow they will be joined by their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Ardy and the family will spend a week or ten days in Blair county.

—Mrs. George M. Glenn, of Phillipsburg, who with her three children and maid, has been for three weeks with Mrs. Glenn's mother, Mrs. Isaac Gray, on her farm near Stormstown, will remain up Buffalo Run until the after part of the summer.

—Mr. and Mrs. Lemuel Osmer, who live three miles west of State College, drove to Bellefonte Tuesday, to spend the day with Mr. Osmer's brother, McKinley Osmer, a patient in the Bellefonte hospital. The time Mr. and Mrs. Osmer were not at the hospital was spent in the shops and transacting business.

—J. H. Osmer, of Franklin, with Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Osmer came to the Bush house Saturday of last week, from where he has been visiting with his sister, Mrs. Anne Clark, of Stormstown, and his brother, E. G. Osmer, of Bellefonte, and other relatives in the vicinity. Mr. Osmer, who is convalescing from a recent illness, came here from Franklin, hoping to recuperate more rapidly through a visit to Centre county.

—John L. Noll, son of Col. Emanuel Noll, of this place, and who has charge of the department of manual training in the Altoona High school, spent a few hours in Bellefonte on Wednesday on his way home from State College where he lectured on Tuesday evening to the teachers taking the summer course on the subject of manual training. This is a work Mr. Noll took up about six years ago and he has not only proved very successful in the Altoona schools but has won a reputation throughout the State and is frequently called to other places to lecture on the subject.

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

Table with 2 columns: Commodity and Price. Includes Wheat, Corn, Oats, Flour, Rye, and Straw.

The following are the quotations up to six o'clock Thursday evening, when our paper goes to press.

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