Belletonte, Pa., January 9, 1914.

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

THINGS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY.

-The days are growing longer, but hardly enough, as yet, to notice it.

-The Bellefonte Academy and State College reopened this week for the winter term.

-The meat market of Hannah & Thompson in Crider's Exchange was closed by the sheriff last Friday.

---The annual meeting of the Bellefonte Board of Trade was held last night after the WATCHMAN went to press. ----Miss Sallie Fitzgerald on Tuesday

opened a kindergarten school in the check was given. parochial house, adjoining the Episcopal rectory, with fourteen pupils.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Wagner Geiss, is seridaughter Martha is also quite ill. -Henry Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs.

J. McClellan Davis, has taken the agency Sebring's garage.

---The postponed meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. will convene at the home of Miss Mary Hunter Linn Monday evening, January 12th, at half-past seven -Miss Florence Evey, one of the

operators in the Commercial telephone exchange has been confined to her home two weeks or more with illness, and at this writing is very little improved.

--- The county auditors are now hard at work auditing the accounts of the various county officers. This is a job that grows bigger every year and it will take from five to six weeks to do the work.

-A large granite slab was received in Bellefonte on Tuesday as a covering 1914, of \$6313.00. over the graves of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Sommerville. The slab weighs seven submitted by tax collector J. Kennedy tons and it took six horses to haul it to Johnston, which was as follows: the cemetery.

-A little daughter, who has been —A little daughter, who has been called, Anna Ione, was born to Mr. and Mrs. T. Coke Bell, of Coatesville, Mon-least Daniel Co. 1 Coatesville, Mon-least Daniel Co day December 22nd. As this is Mr. and Mrs. Bell's only child, the little one is a most welcome guest.

-Mrs. E. M. Broderick (nee Miss 1911 Duplicate. Balance due Mame Hamilton) became the mother of Less liens entered and cash an eight pound baby girl, at the Bellefonte hospital, on Monday morning. A 1912 Duplicate. Balance due as above.......\$5002 38 little son arrived in the home of Mr. and Less Mrs. Mark Williams the latter part of

-The question now is, did the new council legalize gambling in the borough Total present liability of Collector. when they drew lots to see who should get the long term and who the short? If so, the last Legislature is to blame for passing the Act providing for the choice to be made by drawing lots.

-On Monday evening burgess Edmund Blanchard tendered an informal reception to the members of council, borough and county officers and Judge Ellis L. Orvis, at his home on east Linn street. Refreshments were served and the gentlemen spent a very pleasant social even-

-Farmer's week exercises at State College closed on Saturday and the week was by far the most successful of that of any former year. The total registration of farmers and farmers wives was just 985 for the week, and the lectures and demonstrations included a wide range of subjects.

-The will of the late Israel Kauffman bequeaths \$1,000 to his housekeeper, Mrs. Purdue; \$3,000 to Mrs. Harry Eberhart, of east Lamb street, who was an adopted daughter; and the balance of his estate, including the town house and farm, to his second adopted daughter, Mrs. Laura Smith.

---Philip Beezer this week purchased from Samuel A. Donachy the old Jacob Runkle property on east Bishop street. It is a large brick residence with a goodsized yard and garden. Mr. Beezer and family will move there on April first from their present residence in the Schad house on Thomas street.

-The largest mortgage ever entered for record in Centre county is now in the office of Recorder Speer and it will voted. take two weeks continuous work to get it transcribed on the record books. It is up president Keller arose and in a brief a general mortgage of \$667,000,000, against the N. Y. C. R. R. and must be for their ever courteous and gentlemanentered in all counties in which that road ly treatment of him as their presiding ofowns property.

---John Spearley, who the past two or three years has occupied the C. Y. Wagner farm in Benner township, which was sold to James Kerstetter last week, has purchased the Colonel W. Fred Reynolds No. 1 farm, on the back road above Roopsburg. The farm contains about eighty acres and was occupied by Mr. Spearley before he moved onto the Wagner farm.

F. Cogan farm in Taylor township, Cen- their actions. No star chamber proceed- says must be true. Try it as a regular tre county, paying \$1,800 for the same. ings nor gum shoe methods had been re- patron.

were present at the final meeting of the Keller and Messrs. Beezer, Brockerhoff, Cherry, Daggett and Seibert. There were no verbal nor written communica-

The Water committee reported several meters repaired and set at the zero mark on January 2nd.

The secretary reported notifying the tion of a settlement with them for the assets. borough's share of the High street bridge had been accepted and ratified by council. He also stated that notice had been served on J. S. Keichline to remove the obstruction on the race bridge and the

same had been done. The burgess' report for the month of December showed a balance due the borough of \$11.00, for which amount his

The borough solicitor reported that the agreement with the State-Centre -David Geiss, the youngest son of Electric company had been consummated as of date November 18th, 1913, and ously ill with pleuro-pneumonia, and their that the borough treasurer had received a check for \$5,000 and five notes for \$2.-000 each, bearing four per cent. interest, payable yearly from 1914 to 1918 inclufor the Overland automobile for 1914, sive. He also reported that a lease had He now has two cars on exhibition at been drawn up for the rent of the Phoenix mill buildings to G. R. Danenhower & Sons, that the same had been duly signed by the president and secretary of council and sent to the head office of the ately withdrew as a candidate and nomifirm in Camden, N. J., for their signa-

> The president reported that an agreement extending the lease of Phoenix mill plant from Col. W. Fred Reynolds had been executed on December 2nd, 1913.

The borough solicitor reported entering liens for 1910 taxes and reviving all liens open prior to December 31st, 1913. Treasurer Gehret's report showed a balance of \$1304.62 December 1st, 1913, with receipts to January 1st, 1914, showing a total of \$13,947.37; expenditures of Geiss, who agreed to act as clerk and stable at Pleasant Gap also fell in, dam-\$7934.87, leaving a balance January 1st,

Dr. Brockerhoff then read a statement

1908 Duplicate. Balance due ...\$700.00 600 00 1900 00

\$3200 00 Less payments thereon to Jan 5th, 1914..... 1350 00

1878 25 Total due on old duplicates. 1913 Duplicate Balance due as of this date.....

Finance committee's report.

Dr. Brockerhoff, as a niember of the Finance committee, presented the following resolution:

WHEREAS: The sinking fund of this borough onsists of \$18,300.57 in the form of certificates of eposit bearing three per cent. interest, and here sinking fund orders of \$2,000.00 and \$4,000.00 respectively, each having not yet been co nto cash; and, WHEREAS, The treasurer of this borough now

has in his possession \$5000.00 in cash and five notes of the Moshannon Electric company, guar notes of the Moshannon Electric company, guaranteed by the State-Centre Electric company, in the sum of \$2000.00 each, due in November, 1914, 1915, 1916, 1917 and 1918, bearing interest at the sum of four per cent. per annum. Therefore rate of four per cent. per annum. Resolved. That the said treasurer is hereby

Resolved. That the said treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to convert into cash \$10,000.00 of the aforesaid certificates of deposit; to substitute therefore the said five notes aggregating the same amount; to apply \$6,000.00 of the cash so received to the payment of the aforesaid three sinking fund orders; and to apply the remainder of the cash so received, viz.: The sum of \$4,000.00, together with the \$5,000.00 of cash before mentioned, toward the payment and liquidation of such outstanding notes of this borough as council may direct.

Passed at a meeting of said town council held on Monday, the fifth day of January, A. D., 1914.

BOROUGH OF BELLERONTE

BOROUGH OF BELLEFONTE. By HARRY KELLER Attest: President of the Tow Council of the Borough of Bellefonte W. T. KELLY. the Borough of Bellef And now, January 5th, 1914, above resolution is hereby approved

JOHN J. BOWER.

Chief Burgess Bills amounting to \$5,801.48 (which included an order for \$4,000 to the sinking fund for 1912 and 1913) were approved and orders authorized to be drawn and paid.

The Finance committee then recommended that the list of exonerations asked by the tax collector for the years 1908 and 1909 be granted, and council so

There being no other business to clean speech thanked the members of council ficer the past two years. He also complimented them upon the good work they accomplished during the past year. He also paid a tribute to the borough treasurer for his business-like administration and to the borough solicitor for the faithful discharge of every duty, even though the salary was very meagre for the work

Mr. Brockerhoff then took the floor and on behalf of council thanked the re- rough weather outdoors but the Scenic tiring president for his courtesy and fair- is always comfortable and many of the -Milton Bickle, of Zion, recently ness at all times. The doctor further pictures are bright reminders of the sunpurchased through the George C. Waite said that while he was scattering flowers ny, summer days. Everybody is always real estate agency of Tyrone, the Wm. on the biers of the departed he thought welcome and the five cent price of ad-M. Way farm in Warriorsmark township, that the members of council themselves mission need keep no one away. Good Huntingdon county, for \$8,000, and will deserved considerable praise. That they programs every evening, and some evenmove there in the spring. Lawrence had always had the best interests of the ings four big reels. No better place for Gill, of Patton, Cambria county, pur- borough at heart and had never on any an evening's amusement in Bellefonte. chased through the same agency the H. occasion allowed politics to enter into Everybody says so, and what everybody

OLD COUNCIL HOLDS FINAL MEETING, sorted to but everything done in open NEW COUNCIL ORGANIZES.—Six members sessions and discussions. When council Much Damage.—The deepest and the was ushered in there were bills and notes heaviest snow experienced in Centre 1912-13 borough council at ten o'clock galore, a white elephant on its hands in county in years fell on Saturday and Sunon Monday morning, namely: President the shape of the Green mill property, day. It began on Saturday morning and and several threatened law suits. The although in Bellefonte and immediate white elephant has been disposed of, the vicinity most of Saturday's downfall was threatened law suits all amicably adjust- rain and sleet in other sections of the ed, bills reduced and \$9.000 appropriated county it was snow. In Bellefonte it beto pay off some of the floating indebted- gan to snow in earnest Saturday night ness. In addition he displayed Bellefonte and continued through Sunday, Sunday Trust company certificates of deposit for night and Monday morning. In this \$18,000 and five State Centre Electric place there were about fifteen inches. At county commissioners that the proposi- company notes for \$10,000 as available Pleasant Gap twenty-one inches; Snow

> made a few remarks after which the sec- temperature was comparatively mild and retary read the minutes of the meeting the snow melted more or less, else the which were approved and council ad- depth would probably have been greater. ourned sine die.

BURGESS SWORN IN, NEW COUNCIL ORGAN-IZES.

then administered the oath of office to of the snow, among them being the folthe incoming councilmen as follows: North ward, W. A. Lyon and Hard P. Harris; South ward, F. E. Naginey and James D. Seibert; West ward, W. Reynolds Shope and G. Edward Haunt.

Secretary of council W. T. Kelly then called the council to order and announc- roof collapsed. ed that he would receive nominations for president. Mr. Naginey nominated Mr. Brockerhoff. That gentleman immedinated Mr. Walker. No other nominations being made Mr. Brockerhoff moved that the nominations close. On motion the secretary was instructed to cast the ballot electing Mr. Walker. Mr. Walker being absent on account of illness Mr. Brockerhoff was chosen president pro tem. and took the chair.

He then announced that he was ready to hear nominations for secretary of council, Mr. Seibert nominated W. T. Kelly. Mr. Haupt nominated D. Wagner collect the water tax for \$240.00 per year. An aye and nay ballot was taken, the vote being as follows:

Kelly-Cherry, Harris, Naginey, Lyon, Seibert, Brockerhoff.

Geiss-Haupt. Shope declined to vote on the ground that he did not know enough about the proposition to vote on it. As it was, however, Kelly received six votes and Geiss one, and Kelly was declared elected.

Borough solicitor J. Thomas Mitchell then notified the new councilmen that one of their number was entitled to serve \$3026 94 only two years and that an Act of the Legislature prescribed that the choice was to be made by drawing lots. The \$3124 13 six drew lots and Mr. Naginey drew the short term. All the others will serve for \$8001 07 four years. Council then adjourned until Wednesday evening.

The new council convened in their On motion of Dr. Brockerhoff the state- first regular session at 7.30 o'clock on ment was ordered filed as a part of the Wednesday evening. President Walker was in the chair and every member present. The first order of business was the announcement by the president of the standing committees for the ensuing year, as follows:

Finance.-Brockerhoff, Lyon, Naginey. Street.-Harris, Seibert, Brockerhoff. Water.-Seibert, Cherry, Shope. Fire and Police.-Naginey, Seibert,

Harris. Market. - Haupt, Naginey, Cherry. Sanitary.-Shope, Haupt, Lyon. Village Improvement.-Cherry, Brock-

erhoff, Harris. Special.- Lyon, Brockerhoff, Shope, Harris, Seibert.

There were no verbal communications and under the head of written communications the secretary read the following list of applications for the various appointments:

Borough engineer.-J. Henry Wetzel and William H. Brown, Bellefonte; William M. Derberard, Woolrich; Harry J. Muehler, Clearfield.

Fireman at water works.-Miles Shultz. Street commissioner.-John McGovern

Sr.; William Fredericks and Harry B. Kerns. Collector of water rentals.-William A.

Ishler. Chief of police.-Harry Dukeman; po-

ing after which council adjourned.

liceman, Jacob S. Knisely. The president referred all applications to the various committees for consultation and report at the next regular meet-

-Mrs. Joseph Ceader gave a bridge party New Year's eve. Mrs. John Noll entertained with a dinner on New Year's day. Mrs. J. J. Kilpatrick was hostess at a card party Friday night, and Joseph Ceader entertained a number of friends at dinner Monday evening. Mrs. John D. Miller, of Curtin street, entertained at dinner yesterday, for which ten covers were laid, the guests being members of a woman's club from Hublersburg and Nittany, of which Mrs. Miller was a mem-

-There may be a deep snow and

ber before coming to Bellefonte.

HEAVIEST SNOW IN YEARS CAUSES Shoe two feet and down Pennsvalley Retiring burgess John J. Bower also from two to two and a half feet. The

The snow was very wet and consequently heavy, the result being that considerable damage was done. Quite a Immediately after the adjournment of number of telephone wires throughout the old council Edmund Blanchard was the county were put out of service and sworn in as burgess of Bellefonte for the it was several days before complete ensuing four years by the retiring bur- communication was restored. Many gess, John J. Bower. Burgess Blanchard buildings were damaged by the weight lowing in Bellefonte:

William J. Musser's stable on east Lamb street, roof caved in, damaging huilding

Lewin property on east Linn street, occupied by Mrs. Geo. F. Harris, stable

James Schofield, on south Thomas

building. R. B. Taylor's ice house, up Spring creek, entire roof fell in.

On Edward Jodon farm between Nigh bank and Pleasant Gap, barn roof col- fore March. lapsed, pushing front of barn out into the barn yard.

On the Noll farm at Pleasant Gap, barn roof collapsed, spreading and almost completely wrecking the building. The barn was 40x80 feet in size and it will cost at least \$1,500 to repair it.

The roof on J. C. Mulfinger's barn in Pleasant Gap, and that on J. H. Herman's aging the buildings to some extent.

On the mountain above Coleville the roofs on the barns of G. Edward Haupt and Lemuel Hampton collapsed.

A big shed roof on the Shivery farm weight of the snow. At Waddle the outbuildings on the

Reed farm on Buffalo Run collapsed. Near Lemont the barn roofs on the farms of Jacob Ray and Elmer Ross collapsed but did no further damage.

At State College the snow crushed all of Phil D. Foster's coal sheds and a few outbuildings, but did no great amount of

BUDINGER'S STORE AT SNOW SHOE BURNED TO THE GROUND .- The whole-Snow Shoe, was burned to the ground with all its contents on Monday night. The fire was discovered between twelve and one o'clock, in the second story of gained such headway that it was impos- to Scottland Monday, while Mrs. Robb will resible to combat the flames with the meagre fire fighting apparatus at hand. In fact, the entire building was a mass of flames very soon after being discovered. The fire evidently resulted from an overheated or defective flue, and it spread so Parker returned to Cambria county Monday. rapidly that it was impossible to save anything in the store.

In addition to his retail trade Mr. Budinger did a good wholesale business and always carried a stock valued at from \$35,000 to \$45,000. The store building was of frame and was probably worth five or six thousand dollars, so that the loss was considerable. While the exact figures of the insurance could not be obtained Mr. Budinger stated that it was from \$20,000 to \$25,000 on both stock and building, which only about one-half covers their value.

SMALLPOX AT STATE COLLEGE.—The borough of State College has one well defined case of genuine smallpox in the person of Mrs. Harry D. Edmiston. The woman took sick the latter part of last week and on Saturday she began to show a breaking out which was thought might be chickenpox. By Sunday, however, the case had developed to such a stage that the disease was pronounced smallpox. Consequently the public schools of the borough were kept closed on Monday and the building thoroughly fumigated. It was planned to reopen the schools either Wednesday or yesterday. Whether the breaking out of the disease in the borough will have any effect on the college proper is not known. and it is hardly likely any will stay away. as to how to make the most money out of farm-The Edmiston home has been strictly quarantined and every effort will be put forth to prevent the spread of the disease.

-Beech Creek has two young men in the persons of Joseph and Robert Sanders, sons of Peter Sanders, who have achieved wide reputations as hunters. During 1913 they killed 90 rabbits, 31 pheasants, 18 squirrels, 11 muskrats, 12 and Centre Hall. wild ducks, 80 opossums, 2 skunks 5 owls and 3 groundhogs. Both young fail in bringing down their quarry.

-Mr. and Mrs. Hugh R. Bell with their son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Bell, moved yesterday from the Nittany country club to Bellefonte. Until April first the club will be in charge of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Herman.

-Have your Job Work done here.

NEWS PURELY PERSONAL.

-Miss Rose Rine, of Nittany, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Edward Young, part of last week

-Mrs. John Slack, of Tusseyville, has been a

in this place. -Mrs. Sylvester Beach, of Princeton, came to

Bellefonte Tuesday, and during her short stay will be the guest of relatives. -Mrs. William McClellan returned home last week from a visit of several weeks with her

daughter, Mrs. Blair Yarnell, in Snow Shoe. -Mrs. J. Thomas Mitchell left Bellefonte on Tuesday morning for Boston, Mass., where she expects to be until the latter part of the month. Hayes, since the death of Dr. Hayes, two weeks -Malin Murphy returned to his home in Phil- ago. adelphia Saturday, after spending the Holiday's in Bellefonte with his sister, Mrs. Ralph Mallory.

-Mrs. Charles Morris and her son Elliott, went to Wayne, Pa., Monday, where Elliott entered St. Luke's, a preparatory school for boys. -Harold Gardner is in Milroy with Mr. and

Mrs. Lester Sheffer and their family, for a week's vacation, before beginning his work at the Col--Bond Sommerville, of Crafton, Pa., was in Bellefonte Monday, making the final arrange-

ments for placing the tablet on the Sommerville lot in the cemetery. -Mrs. A. Wilson Norris, who has been the

guest of the Misses Blanchard and of Mrs. Bogle, during her stay in Bellefonte, left Tuesday for her home at Harrisburg.

-Mrs. Furey Larimer, who is in Philadelphia with her son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. John Sallada, of Jersey Shore. Larimer, left Bellefonte before Christmas, expecting to make a visit of several weeks.

-Mrs. Frank Montgomery and her sister, Miss | and will visit for some time with Mrs. Else moth-Hassel, are preparing to close their home on east street, stable roof collapsed, damaging Linn street, expecting to spend the remainder of the winter in Philadelphia and Atlantic City.

-Mrs. H. W. Tate, who went to Philadelphia a week ago, is visiting with her mother and sister, Mrs. Harmer and Miss Mabel Harmer. Mrs. Tate will probably not return to Bellefonte be- Mrs. William Dravo, of Sewickly, and Miss Mary

-Mrs. Harry Houser, of Colona, was summoned home last week on account of the serious illness of her father, Mr. David Rossman, who spending a short time with her mother, Mrs. suffered a stroke of paralysis, at his home on Nittany mountain. -Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Katz, of Lewistown,

who were married at Canton. Ohio, Tuesday of last week, will be in Bellefonte to spend the weekend with Mr. Katz' father, Aaron Katz, whose home is at the Bush house. -J. E. Hall, who since graduating at State

College in the class of '95, has made his home with his parents. Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Hall, at Unionville, spent Tuesday in Bellefonte visiting and looking after some business interest. -Mrs. Joseph Shulty, of Jamestown, N. Y.,

day visit with friends in this place. She was acnear Roopsburg went down with the companied by her sister, Mrs. Edward Woods, who will be her guest for a week or longer. -Miss Mary S. Thomas returned Tuesday from Philadelphia, where she has been since early in the winter. Miss Thomas has taken

charge of her house on north Alleghenv street, expecting to remain in Bellefonte for the present. -Mrs. J. M. Curtin, of Pittsburgh, having with her her daughter Betty, came to Bellefonte Wednesday, and will spend ten days with her mother, Mrs. George F. Harris. During Mrs. Curtin's absence, Mr. Curtin will be south on a business trip.

-Mrs. George S. Green, of Lock Haven, was in Bellefonte for the week-end, spending the time

sister, Miss Kathryn Brisbin, were among the guests whom Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Spangler enterthe main part of the store room, and had tained during the Holidays. Miss Brisbin returned previous year. Mr. Urell is quite well main in Bellefonte for a longer visit. -Miss Emily Parker, of Somerset, accom-

panied by her niece and nephew, Eleanor and Ferguson Parker, came to Bellefonte Saturday from Pittsburgh, where she had taken the young people from Somerset, for a two days visit. Miss -Mrs. Margaret Hanna will leave Bellefonte the 16th of February for the Pacific coast. Stop-

ping in Chicago, Denver and Salt Lake City. Mrs. Hanna expects to reach Colton, Cal., about the first of March, where she will visit with a mar ried daughter until June, when she will return east over the Canadian Pacific. -Mrs. Telford Fink, with her daughter Elizabeth, returned to their home at Huntingdon, Thursday. Mrs. Fink and her daughter came to

Bellefonte with Mr. Fink to spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Osmer. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Osmer, of Johnstown, were here also at the same time, guests of their relatives in -Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kirl: left for their home in North Tonawanda, N. Y., on Monday. Mrs. Kirk had been here since Thanksgiving while

Mr. Kirk came to Bellefonte the day before Christmas. The latter is employed by the North Tonawanda Iron & Steel company, of which W. A. Moore is superintendent, and holds a very large of the company o A. Moore is superintendent, and holds a very good position. -Among the holiday guests whom Mr. and Mrs. James K. Barnhart entertained at their Linn street home were Mrs. Barnhart's sisters the Misses Margaret and Cora Campbell, of Punxsutawney. Miss Margaret Campbell came to Bellefonte before Christmas, remaining for a

part of a week. Her visit was followed by that

of her sister, who was with Mrs. Barnhart until Monday. -Mr. Clifford H. Thomas was a Bellefonte visitor over Sunday on his way from attending the Farmer's week exercises at State College to his winter home in New York city. Mr. Thomas and family spend their winters in New York and their summers on their farm at Potters Mills. Most of the students who were home for that Mr. Thomas spent the week at the College the holiday vacation returned this week gathering all the practical information possible

> -The Altoona Tribune says: O. B. Krebs, of the Kipple cottage farm, has returned from a visit to his old home in Centre county, where they grow everything big and great, including imerous Governors for the State. On Christmas day Mr. Krebs attended the family reunion at the old homestead near Pine Grove Mills and enjoyed a dinner fit for a king, with twenty-five other members of the Krebs family-a real family reunion. Later he visited State College, Lemont

-'Squire W. J. Carlin, of Rebersburg, was in Bellefonte on Monday lifting his commission as men are expert marksmen and rarely justice of the peace for his seventh term, being one of twenty-seven men who were sworn in as justices that day. 'Squire Carlin has served six terms, or almost thirty-two years and if he lives to serve out the term upon which he has just entered, and which we hope he will do, he will have served thirty-eight consecutive years in that office. Speaking of Saturday and Sunday's big snow the 'Squire says it was over two feet in Brush and Pennsvalleys and that it took them two hours and a-half to drive from Rebersburg to Coburn, a trip that usually can be made in little over an hour.

-Miss Marie Walshis in Bayonne, N. J., visiting, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Claire Willia -Mrs. Cyrus Labe is with her parents, Mr, and Mrs. George Lose, after visiting for several weeks

with her husband in Altoona -Mrs. Harry C. Yeager, Mrs. Ralph Mallory guest this week of her sister, Mrs. John Musser, and Mrs. Ross Parker went to Altoona Wednesday, to spend a day in the shops. -Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Krumrine, of State

College, were in Bellefonte Saturday of last week on their way to New York city. -Nelson Robb, of State College and Louis Robb, of Altoona, were in Bellefonte with their

mother, Mrs. Alice Robb, for the week end. -Mrs. James A. Beaver is home from Atlantic City, where she has been with her sister, Mrs

-Miss Dorothy Bible returned Wednesday to Philadelphia, after spending the fall and early winter in Bellefonte with her sister, Mrs. Russell

-Miss Madge Hughes, who is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. David Kelly, accompanied them to Bellefonte, upon their return from New York Sunday. -John D. Sourbeck went to New York last

week, expecting to visit with his daughter, Mrs. Herbert Bellringer, while looking after some -John Hall, of York, Pa., who for a number

of years was conductor on the Central Railroad of Pennsylvania, spent several days in Bellefor -Among those who spent the New Years day

with Mrs. Alice Parker, at her home on east Bishop street, were Paul Parker and Miss Hazel -Mrs. Warren Else, of Pittsburgh, with her daughter Olive, came to Bellefonte last week,

er, Mrs. Anna Taylor and her family. -Mrs. Nora Shelden and her grandson Gregg Shelden, came to Bellefonte Monday from Connecticut, where they have been with Mr. and

Mrs. Allen Shelden, during the holidays. -During their stay of a week in Bellefonte, Simpson, of Lock Haven, have been guests of Miss Brockerhoff and Miss Marguerite Potter.

-Mrs. Thomas Moore, of Philadelphia, is William Dawson, before leaving for Castleton, N. D., where she will visit with her daughter, Mrs. Walter H. Dahl.

-Miss Mary McGarvey will go to Philadelphia early in the week, to spend several days in selecting a camera for the new work she is about to begin. During her stay in the city Miss McGarvey will be in touch with the leading photographers of Philadelphia

-Miss Margaret McKnight, who with her sister, Miss Martha McKnight, lives along the mountains, a short distance west of Bellefonte, spent Wednesday and Thursday of this week in returned home on Tuesday after a pleasant holi- town, looking after some business relative to the McKnight estate. Miss McKnight when in Bellefonte is always the guest of some of her many friends.

-Prof. and Mrs. John Hamilton and Mr. and Mrs. James I. Thompson, of State College, were visitors in Bellefonte yesterday. Prof. Hamilton, by the way, has resigned his position as director of farmers' institutes in the United States Department of Agriculture and moved from Washington to his farm home near State College, and will take life a little easier during the remaining years of his life.

-Robert E. Urell, a cousin of landlord Wells L. Daggett, of the Bush house, who several months ago was inwith her cousins, the Misses Blanchard. Mrs. stalled as postmaster of Mansfield, Tioga sale and retail store of T. B. Budinger, at Green's two little daughters, who have been with county, issued a greeting to all patrons their aunt, Miss Green, at Briarly, returned with of the office through the Mansfield Advertiser last week in which he showed the big holiday business done through the postoffice and the increase over the known in Bellefonte, having resided here a year or longer and we can assure the people of Mansfield that they could not have a better postmaster than he will make.

> -At a meeting of the Patrons Fire Insurance company on Monday all the old officers were re-elected for another

Bellefonte Produce Markets. Corrected weekly by R. S. Brouse, Grocer.

The prices quoted are those paid for produce. Potatoes per bushel, new. 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.

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