

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

THINGS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY.

—Mrs. W. E. Burkholder was taken to the Bellefonte hospital on Monday, suffering with an attack of typhoid fever.

—Special exercises in commemoration of the anniversary of Lincoln's birth will be held in the public schools next Thursday.

—The big delivery horse of the Adams Express company sickened and died last Friday night before a veterinary surgeon could be called.

—Philip Leister, of Centre Hall, recently bought the John H. Wagner farm in Georges valley, for \$5,000. The farm will be occupied by one of Mr. Leister's sons.

—Mrs. Thomas R. Hayes is offering for sale her home on Allegheny street, expecting to buy a bungalow at Atlantic City, where she will make her home in the future.

—A Basket ball game between the Pittsburgh collegians and Bellefonte Academy teams will come off at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium Saturday evening February 7th, to which the admission will be 25 cents.

—Members of the Study class! Have you consulted your program for Tuesday evening, February 10th? If so, then you know that Mr. Henry Clay Valentine will give an interesting talk to you on "Industries." He will have much to tell, so don't miss it.

—Beginning on Thursday State College students had a four day's vacation between semesters. A special train was run over the Bellefonte Central railroad to State College Sunday evening to get the boys back in time for early chapel Monday morning.

—The people of Bellefonte are requested not to forget the art exhibit which will be shown at the High school on Wednesday and Thursday of next week. It will be an interesting collection of reproductions of many famous paintings of the world and something worth seeing.

—Four Spring and Howard street boys have organized the Bellefonte Fur company and are now engaged trapping muskrats for their pelts, which are worth from thirty to forty cents apiece. So far their operations are confined to the banks of Spring creek, within the limits of Bellefonte borough.

—C. Y. Wagner on Tuesday received a new 1914 Chalmers Six car through the George A. Beezer agency. Mr. Beezer also expects a car load of new Studebaker cars in next week. Joseph Bros. on Wednesday closed a deal for the purchase of a new 1914 Cadillac car, trading their old car in as part pay.

—Sheriff A. B. Lee recently sold his home and blacksmith shop at Tusseyville to Emmett Jordan, of Colyer, who took possession on Monday. The price paid was \$1,300. Several days later the sheriff purchased the Michael Duck farm between Centre Hill and Spring Mills, for \$6,000. The farm contains 186 acres and is tenanted by Solomon Lingle.

—Saturday evening the police arrested a well known man of Bellefonte on suspicion of being the party who has been loafing in dark alleys and insulting women as they pass on the street. At a hearing before Squire Brown, on Wednesday, the man was discharged as the authorities could produce no evidence connecting him in any way with the party desired.

—Hon. A. G. Morris on Monday purchased the beautiful home of the late C. F. Montgomery, on east Linn street, and on April first will move there from his present residence on the same street. The home he now occupies will be occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morris and family while their present home will be taken by Mr. and Mrs. Robert Morris and family.

—Our Boys band, of Milesburg, will give their third winter concert in the band hall over Wetzler's store tomorrow (Saturday) evening, beginning at eight o'clock. Our Boys band has achieved quite a reputation for their good playing, which is remarkable considering the fact that every member is a boy in his teens. Residents of Milesburg and vicinity are urged to turn out tomorrow night and hear them.

—Petrikin hall was well filled on Monday evening with an audience anxious to hear Mrs. Mary Harris ARMOR, the "Georgia Cyclone," discuss the liquor question; and it must be confessed she did it very thoroughly from her viewpoint. Mrs. ARMOR is naturally working in the cause of temperance and the total abolishment of the liquor traffic and she presented some remarkable facts as evidence that she was in the right.

—John Fogleman, of Buffalo Run, was seriously injured in the beginning of the week, and is now lying practically helpless at his home. He was out on the side of the mountain cutting fence posts. A tree had been cut from the stump and lodged against another. In attempting to dislodge it the tree slipped, struck Mr. Fogleman on the back and knocked him down the mountain. His back is badly hurt and it is feared he is injured internally.

DR. HAWES AND EDITOR HARTER CALLED INTO COURT.—As an aftermath of the recent remonstrances against the granting of certain licenses in Centre county Dr. George E. Hawes, pastor of the Presbyterian church of Bellefonte, and Thomas H. Harter, publisher of the Keystone Gazette, were called into court on Saturday when the case against the Kohlbecker hotel at Milesburg was reopened for the purpose of taking more testimony.

Since the hearings on the license question Dr. Hawes has written two lengthy communications on the liquor question generally and its operation in Centre county in particular. Both of these communications were published in the Keystone Gazette. Accordingly, on Saturday when the Kohlbecker case was reopened attorneys Gettig, Bower and Zerby, representing the Kohlbeckers had a summons issued for Dr. Hawes and editor Harter. The former was put on the stand and interrogated as to the authorship of the article. He stated that he had written it. Then Mr. Harter was called: He was asked as to whether he had published the article in the form in which it had been given to him. He stated that he had.

There the records close leaving the purpose of calling these two men veiled in mystery.

On Monday evening, when Dr. Hawes was introducing the "Georgia Cyclone" to a crowded audience in Petrikin hall, he prefaced his introductory with a remark in substance about as follows:

If a certain young man who is a communicant in one of our churches could have had his way today I would probably be in jail at this minute instead of being with you on this auspicious occasion.

Naturally there was amazement on all sides. Few of those present knew of Saturday's proceedings in court and those who did thought little of serious consequences growing out of it. The WATCHMAN is not in a position to give any authoritative enlightenment on the question, but if there is anything at all in it it is a safe guess that the action indicated a movement on the part of Mr. Kohlbecker's attorneys to institute a libel proceeding against Dr. Hawes and Editor Harter.

Carefully rereading both of the articles Dr. Hawes wrote for the Gazette we find at the conclusion of the article headed "A Busy Week in a Dry Town," published on January 23rd last, the following:

"We are more than thrice aroused in this just cause. And we will see what we will see. If not this year, then next year; and if not next year—there will be no other next; Centre county goes dry. The time is come for those most interested to read the hand writing on the wall. Bellefonte's liquor situation has been weighed in the balance and found wanting."

Someone looking for grounds for an action in libel might find a semblance of them in the words above quoted. They might imagine that the minister was undertaking to intimidate the court. However that may be and without having heard Dr. Hawes interpret the meaning intended the WATCHMAN is one, at least, to believe that such a thought was furthest from his mind when he put the thought into words.

WORKMEN LAID OFF AT NEW PENITENTIARY.—During the past week the entire force of engineers and carpenters at the new penitentiary were dismissed with the exception of chief engineer Herron and head carpenter Ammon Kerstetter. The only explanation so far given is that all the surveying possible to do at this time has been done and there will be nothing more in this line until next spring when, if building operations are begun, a small force of engineers will likely be needed. The same excuse holds good for the carpenters dismissed, no more work for them this winter.

Head farmer Warren J. Ross was also discharged permanently and the work on the various farms, for the present, at least, will be looked after by the convicts themselves. What arrangements will be made next spring is not known.

STATE CENTRE ELECTRIC COMPANY TO CHANGE BELLEFONTE PLANT.—The State Centre Electric company, which recently purchased the plant of the Bellefonte Electric company, has given up the project of building a big central plant on the Moshannon creek and transmitting the electric fluid to Bellefonte by cable, and will reconstruct the Bellefonte plant. They will install a 750 kilowatt turbine engine and change the entire system from a direct to an alternating current, which will not only increase the power but render the lighting capacity stronger and much more brilliant. A large part of the system of pole lines and wires will also have to be changed and the estimated cost of the work is about \$100,000. This work will be done just as soon as it is possible to do it.

SKELETON FOUND IN FIRE RUINS.—Last week the WATCHMAN told the story of the disappearance of George Smolka, a Slavish miner of Snow Shoe, on the night of January 5th, when the Budinger store was entirely destroyed by fire. Smolka, who was more or less intoxicated, was put out of the Uzzle hotel and started for the Budinger store. He was never seen again. This week while cleaning up the debris from the burned store workmen uncovered portions of the skeleton of a man, and it is now believed that Smolka forced an entrance to the store, and that he in some way accidentally set fire to the building and was burned to death in the conflagration which followed.

—To miss the Valentine Card Party next Thursday night at the Elks Home, means that you will miss one of the most delightful social events of the winter. The tickets are only fifty cents and the proceeds will go to the fund for the laundry equipment at the hospital.

—The New York Stock company will be at Garman's all next week when Harry Coleman will present Loeie Francis, late of the Lubin motion picture company, in a repertoire of high class plays. The company carries fourteen actors and actresses, and is said to be one of the best on the road. "Those four boys from Harmonyland" compose an excellent quartette who can be heard in vaudeville and songs each evening. Prices 10, 20, 30 and a few seats at 50 cents.

—Capt. John A. Hunter, the oldest and best known resident of Stormstown, has decided to leave his farm home in that place on or about April first and move to State College. Capt. Hunter is in his ninety-third year and while not as spry as a man of three score years, still enjoys good health and doubtless has a number of years of life ahead of him. He has been a resident of Stormstown many, many years and when he moves away he will be greatly missed by the residents of that place.

—Bellefonte friends of Rev. C. W. Winey will regret to learn that on a recent Sunday while he was preaching the gospel in his church at Greensburg some thief broke into the parsonage and stole a new suit of clothes which the reverend purchased shortly before leaving Bellefonte, a good overcoat, a small sum of money, a watch and a ladies gold brooch. So far as known the thief made his haul and got away without being seen by anybody so that Rev. Winey has little hope of getting any of his property back.

—During the past week T. Clayton Brown has arranged the Scenic so as to throw every precaution around the lives of his patrons and prevent any serious accident. This is one of the things he believes due every person who attends the Scenic. Another thing is to give them good programs of the best and most interesting pictures, obtainable and this he also looks after very closely. Good features almost every evening during the week and some unusually big ones booked for the near future. Watch for them.

—The hostesses for the pre-lenten entertaining of the past week include, Miss Humes, who entertained with three tables of finch Thursday evening of last week. Mrs. Reynolds, as hostess at a luncheon given Saturday and for which fifteen covers were laid, Mrs. Horne, of Yonkers, N. Y., and the Misses Harrar, of Williamsport being the honor guests. The Misses Mary and Blanche Underwood gave the second of a series of card parties Saturday night, four tables of five hundred and one table of finch was in play. Miss Eliza Egbert Morris entertained with an afternoon bridge Wednesday and Friday night will be hostess at a six hand euchre party, invitations having been issued for twelve tables. Thursday night the Bellefonte chapter of the D. A. R. were guests of Mrs. Harry Keller and Mrs. Irving L. Foster, of State College has sent out invitations for a tea Thursday of next week from three until six o'clock. Mrs. Foster will entertain for her home guest, Miss Ansart.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Casebeer have decided to quit housekeeping and after disposing of their furniture will take rooms at the Brockerhoff house; Dr. Coburn Rogers and family will move into the house to be vacated by the Casebeers and Clyde Smith and family will move into the place vacated by the Rogers family, Mr. Smith being one of the owners of the property. Miss Mollie Musser will move from the Curtin house on Allegheny street to rooms over Casebeer's store; Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Keichline will move from their present apartments over Lyon & Co's store to the house on Water street, opposite the garage, to be vacated by Russell Jury and family. Mrs. Sidney Keefer will move from the Parker house on east Bishop street into the Joseph house on Logan street now occupied by her brother, Linn Blackford and family. The latter will move to State College where he will have charge of all the property interests of Rev. C. T. Aiken and also conduct the motion picture show to be opened in the hotel property.

—The valentine card party to be given at the Elks home Thursday evening, February 12th, will be under the auspices of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Bellefonte Hospital, the proceeds of which will go to the fund for equipping the laundry. This is the second of a series of benefits which these women will hold during the coming year and in this unusual effort the co operation of the churches, all organizations and individuals throughout the county is asked. Bridge, five hundred, euchre and finch will be in play Thursday night and any one interested, though not able to come to Bellefonte, might arrange for a game at their home, and in this way make a contribution. A postoffice department distributing valentines, for which the receiver will pay a nominal sum, will be in the hands of a committee, who anticipate making it a feature of the party. A pleasant evening awaits everyone who will join the women in their charity work at the Elks home next week. The tickets which are being sold for fifty cents, can be gotten from the members of the Auxiliary or at Ceader's bakery.

ACME SUPPLY COMPANY MAY LOCATE PLANT HERE.—On Tuesday afternoon Harry H. Schreyer, of Chicago, and W. D. Conwell, of New York, representing the Acme Supply company, of Chicago, arrived in Bellefonte and their trip was one that may eventually mean much of benefit to Bellefonte. The present plant of the Acme Supply company in Chicago is being worked to its limit manufacturing supplies of all kinds for equipping Pullman and all steel cars. The stockholders of the company are very optimistic of the future and feel that it would be a good business policy to establish an eastern plant.

Mr. Schreyer and Mr. Conwell were on a trip looking for an available site for the same. They came to Bellefonte from Howard where they looked at the old roller mill. While here they looked at several available sites, but were more impressed with the location at the Bellefonte engineering works than any other around Bellefonte. There they would be able to rebuild the old dam and have all the water power they would need. Messrs. Seig and Harbold made them a very good offer which they are now considering.

Of course nothing definite has been done as Messrs. Schreyer and Conwell want to discuss the matter with the proper representatives of the Bellefonte Board of Trade, although it can be stated that they are not asking any cash bonus, stock subscription, etc. The main thing is whether they fully decide to establish an eastern branch. If they do it will probably be a plant capable of giving employment to from 150 to 200 men, and Mr. Schreyer stated that Bellefonte is the place that would likely be selected.

NEW TRUSTEES OF THE THOMAS ESTATE NAMED.—For several years the affairs of the Thomas estate have been more or less a bone of contention among some of its beneficiaries. The estate, as most of you know, is quite a substantial one and is variously valued at from \$250,000 to \$300,000. Since the death of the late Judge Daniel Rhoads Mr. John P. Harris had been acting as trustee of the estate. In recent years the onerous exactions of his trusteeship were wearing heavier on him and it was his desire to relinquish the trust, so when he filed his last annual report he expressed his intention of resigning. As it happened exceptions were filed to the report consequently the trustee could not withdraw until they were withdrawn.

We understand that the exceptions were based merely on differences of opinion among several beneficiaries as to the distribution of the estate, and how and when it should be distributed. Those matters were all cleared up recently when it was agreed to continue the trust, exceptions to Mr. Harris' account were withdrawn and his resignation accepted. Following that the court named Harry Keller, J. Kennedy Johnston and J. Thomas Mitchell as trustees. Mr. Mitchell representing his trustee's interest in the estate, Harry Keller representing the other heirs of the late Jacob Thomas and Mr. Johnston representing Isaac Thomas who has a one-third interest in the estate and at his demise the trust will end.

CENTRE COUNTIANS BANQUET.—According to the menu received at this office just eighty-nine former Centre countians, now residents of Philadelphia, partook of their tenth annual banquet at the Continental hotel on Friday evening of last week. Among the number we notice the names of "Miss Belle Fonte" and "Mr. Port Matilda." Of course there are no such personages and whoever registered those names were likely trying to get even with the menu which included "Nittany valley spring lamb, Hecla green peas, Centre County Association sherbet, Muncy mountain turkey, Spring creek water-cress salad, and Bellefonte pure spring water." Of course there were a whole lot of other things to eat which shows that gastronomically speaking the dinner committee was on the job. Among the after dinner speakers were Rev. Guido Bassard, D. D., Hon. William W. Porter, Rev. W. K. Foster and William H. Berry, while Miss Lydia Underwood read a very entertaining selection.

PLEASANT GAP PROPERTY CHANGES HANDS.—W. H. Noll & Bro., of Pleasant Gap, this week bought the John C. Mulfinger property at that place, better known as the old Haag distillery property. It is their intention to remodel the old hotel and fix it up for a good road house, where a traveler can get a good meal and a good bed. The old distillery will be converted into a double dwelling house and the old grist mill will be fixed up for manufacturing purposes. There are about nine acres of ground included in the property and a portion of this will be laid out into building lots. It is possible that the Nolls may build a few houses for renting purposes, if the demand for same continues.

PRIVATE SALE OF HOUSEHOLD GOODS.—Consisting of Circassian dining room suits, buffet, china closet, oval table, 2 doz. chairs, mahogany finished French dresser, chiffonier and chairs, colonial brass bed, felt mattress and springs, enameled iron bed, mattress and springs, refrigerator, oil stove, kitchen table, laundry tubs, boiler, wringer, etc., cooking utensils, etc., 9x12 ft. Axminster and velvet rugs, Oriental hall runner 11x3 ft., 5 ft. mission swing, 3 ft. swing, porch chairs, screens and rug. All goods in use only 18 months. Inquire of C. D. Casebeer, High St., Bellefonte.

NEWS PURELY PERSONAL.

—Laurence Tate, of Lock Haven, spent Thursday in Bellefonte visiting friends.

—W. C. Snyder, of Snow Shoe, was in Bellefonte Tuesday, attending the funeral of General Beaver.

—Mrs. G. R. Spigelmyer spent several days last week visiting the Huffman family in Williamsport.

—Mrs. Claude Jones, of Tyrone, was in Bellefonte Wednesday morning for the Conner—ARMOR wedding.

—Miss Ida Klinger was at Hublersburg on Monday attending the funeral of her aunt, Mrs. George W. Younk.

—Mrs. James Burns, of Snow Shoe, was in Bellefonte several days last week visiting the Misses McDermott.

—Mrs. William Dawson went to Philadelphia on Wednesday last week to visit her daughter, Mrs. Thomas Moore.

—Mrs. Susan Peters, of Pine Grove Mills, was in Bellefonte over Sunday visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. Edward Decker.

—Miss Jennie Reifsnnyder, of Millheim, is a pleasant guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. McCargar, on Bishop street.

—Mrs. J. D. Geisinger will go to Harrisburg today, to spend several months with her sister, Mrs. G. W. Kerstetter.

—Mrs. Joseph Kleisus, of Altoona, spent the latter part of last week and Sunday with her many relatives in this place.

—Hon. J. Will Kepler, of Pine Grove Mills, was a business visitor in Bellefonte on Wednesday, the first time since June of last year.

—Charles Larimer, of Ebensburg, spent Sunday in Bellefonte with Mrs. Larimer and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Larimer.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Blanchard went to Pittsburgh Tuesday, Mrs. Blanchard having accompanied Mr. Blanchard on a business trip.

—Mrs. Blair Yarnell, of Snow Shoe, was an over Sunday visitor at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William McClellan, of east Lamb street.

—Miss Emily Parker, of Somerset, came to Bellefonte Monday, and will visit for two weeks with her brother and his family, Mr. and Mrs. G. Ross Parker.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. Norman Sherer, of Harrisburg, who are expected in Bellefonte tomorrow, will be guests for the week-end of Col. and Mrs. W. F. Reynolds.

—J. S. McCargar will leave today for Pittsburgh to attend a meeting of the Life Insurance Underwriters' association, which will be in session there for two days.

—J. Thomas Mitchell Esq., left for Boston last Saturday to spend several days with Mrs. Mitchell. Later he made a business trip to Maryland, returning home yesterday.

—Mrs. Henry P. Harris will return to Bellefonte next week. Mrs. Harris has been at Red Bank, Va., with her daughter, Mrs. William Galway, since before Christmas.

—Mrs. Charles P. Taylor with her little daughter, left Wednesday to join Mr. Taylor at their new home at Bellwood. Mr. Taylor has lately been appointed express agent at Bellwood.

—Miss Marie Heckroth, of West Chester, came to Bellefonte Monday, and while visiting here will be a guest in the family of Mr. and Mrs. W. Miles Walker, at their home on Linn street.

—Mrs. Adam Wagner is making her first visit with her daughter, Mrs. Maurice Runkle, at Lancaster. Mrs. Wagner went east Thursday, expecting to return to Bellefonte in two weeks.

—Mrs. C. F. Montgomery and her sister, Miss Hassell, left in the beginning of the week for Philadelphia, in which city and at Atlantic City they will spend the next month or six weeks.

—Miss Katherine Moore, of Tyrone, who has spent much of the past year in Bellefonte, came to the toll-gate Monday, for a short visit with her grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Miller.

—Mr. J. B. Mayes, of Lemont, was a Bellefonte visitor on Tuesday and a brief caller at this office. He is one of the substantial citizens of Colledge township and a man whom it is always a pleasure to meet.

—Mrs. C. M. Bowles, of Altoona, and her two children, are guests of Mrs. Bowles' father, W. Bible, of Bishop street.

—Mrs. F. Potts Green, Mrs. George L. Potter and Miss Emma Green were at Curtin yesterday, visiting for the day with Mrs. Harry Curtin.

—Miss Helen Valentine went to Pittsburgh yesterday, expecting to spend the remainder of the winter in taking up a special course of study at Carnegie Tech.

—Miss Laura Rumberger, of Unionville, was in Bellefonte Saturday, on her return home from Brierly, where she had been spending a week with Miss Green.

—Mr. and Mrs. Nelson E. Robb, of State College, with two of their children, spent Sunday in Bellefonte with Mr. Robb's mother, Mrs. Alice Robb, of east Bishop street.

—Alden R. Meek, representing the Ridgway Dynamo & Engine Co., of Ridgway, was in Bellefonte Wednesday, looking after some business in the interest of his company.

—Miss Rachel Stearns, of Williamsport, who is visiting in Bellefonte, will be the guest during her stay, of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace H. Gephart and Miss Elizabeth Gephart.

—Miss Mary Bradley is in Philadelphia with her sister, Mrs. George P. Bible. Miss Bradley went to Philadelphia Monday, expecting to make a visit of ten days or two weeks.

—Mrs. Hendricks and Mrs. Shindle, sisters of Mrs. W. H. Crissman, who have been visiting with Mrs. Crissman at her home on Thomas street, returned to Sunbury Friday.

—Dr. and Mrs. James Thompson, of Port Matilda, were in Bellefonte Tuesday for the funeral of the late General Beaver, and while here were guests of Mrs. Miller Stewart, of Linn street.

—During their stay in Bellefonte the early part of the week, Rev. and Mrs. Graham, who came from Salona for Mrs. Mary Harris ARMOR's lecture Monday night, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Shuey.

—G. L. Stansbury, of Youngstown, Ohio, auditor for the Republic Rubber Co., of that place, spent the after part of last week in Bellefonte, as the guest of his uncle, Michael Lamb, of North Allegheny street.

—Conrad Miller has returned to Bellefonte from Texas where he and Mrs. Miller have been visiting for some time with their son Martin, of Angleton. Mrs. Miller will not come north until the early spring.

CONNERY—ARMOR—Quite a number of friends and acquaintances were present in the Catholic church at 7:30 o'clock on Wednesday morning to witness the marriage of Thomas Francis Connery, of Tyrone, and Miss Margaret Louise ARMOR, daughter of Mr. Monroe ARMOR, of Bellefonte. Mass was said and the marriage ceremony performed by Rev. Father McArdle. The young couple were attended by Mr. A. B. Vogt, of Tyrone, and Mrs. Broderick, of State College. Following the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served at the Brockerhoff house, about a dozen guests being present. Later Mr. and Mrs. Connery left for a brief wedding trip to eastern cities. The out-of-town guests included Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Vogt and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Jones and their son Ben, of Tyrone. Mr. and Mrs. Connery will reside in Tyrone where they have their home already furnished to go to housekeeping.

SAXION—BENNER.—On Wednesday of last week Edward L. Saxion and Miss Ruth E. Benner, both of Spring creek, were quietly married at the parsonage of the United Evangelical church by the pastor, Rev. A. F. Weaver. The young couple were attended by Miss Lulu Saxion, a sister of the bridegroom, and P. Benner Shuey. Both young people are quite well known in their home community as well as Bellefonte, and they have the best wishes of their many friends for their future success and happiness.

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

Bellefonte Produce Markets. Potatoes per bushel, new..... 75 Onions..... 1.00 Eggs, per dozen..... 33 Lard, per pound..... 32 Butter per pound..... 33

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.

New Wheat..... 90 Old Wheat..... 90 Rye, per bushel..... 70 Corn, shelled, per bushel..... 70 Corn, ears, per bushel..... 70 Oats, old and new, per bushel..... 40 Barley, per bushel..... 60

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

Wheat—Red..... 92 1/2 No. 2..... 91 1/2 No. 3..... 89 1/2 Yellow..... 88 1/2 Mixed new..... 87 1/2 Oats..... 37 1/2 Flour—Winter, per barrel..... 4.75-5.15 Favorite Brands..... 4.75-5.15 Rye Flour per barrel..... 3.50-3.60 Baled Hay—Choice Timothy No. 1..... 15.00-16.00 Mixed No. 1..... 15.00-16.00 Straw..... 3.00-3.12

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