

Democratic Watchman

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THINGS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY.

—A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hughes, of Pine street, on Monday.

—Turkish Caramels, 15c per pound, in pounds only. Special this week.

—Home grown peaches were sold in Bellefonte on Tuesday for thirty-five cents a peck or one dollar a bushel.

—Miss Ruth Coxey has resigned her position as book-keeper in the five and ten cent store on Bishop street to accept a similar position with Hazel & Co.

—The Ladies Aid Society of the M. E. church invites the ladies of the church to a festival to be held in the lecture room on Thursday, September 9th, at 2.30 o'clock p. m.

—Adam A. Schroyer, of Milesburg, having reached the age limit in service with the P. R. R., will retire on pension October 1st, from the position as night watchman, at the Bellefonte passenger station.

—Garman's opera house will open for the 1915-16 season on Wednesday, September 15th, with the unusually strong attraction, "The Open Window." A number of excellent shows have already been booked for the season.

—The Sechler home on east Linn street was quarantined on Monday on account of William Armstrong Kirby Jr., developing a mild case of diphtheria. The boy with his mother are visitors at the Sechler home, having come here from Baltimore several weeks ago.

—Thirty-nine out of a total of forty-nine medical officers of the National Guard have passed the medical examination required by the course prescribed by Major Louis T. Hess, U. S. A., and among the number is Scott M. Huff, of Milesburg, who ranks as a first lieutenant.

—The unusually cool weather we have been experiencing lately is not only very unreasonable but an emphatic reminder that winter is not far off. Weather prognosticators are already predicting an early fall and winter from the fact that large flocks of birds are already migrating southward.

—Summer Riddle and William Leathers, two well known residents of Howard, were arrested last Saturday on the charge of stealing fifty dollars worth of auto tires from W. J. Kurtz and W. H. Thompson, that place, on June 5th. Being unable to secure bail they were sent to jail for trial at court.

—Between sixty and seventy Italian laborers were laid off at the White Rock quarries last Thursday and left Bellefonte for various sections of the country. Some of them went to Baltimore to work on tomato truck farms. The lay-off was occasioned by the expiration of the White Rock quarries contract for stone with the Cambria Iron company, and a refusal to renew the same at the same price.

—Charles S. Hughes arrived home in a Ford car on Tuesday, having spent the past month in the western part of the State and West Virginia in the interest of the Bellefonte Academy. He reports indications very favorable for a large influx of new students at the Academy when it opens on September 14th, and that they expect the largest attendance enrolled during the history of the institution.

—Any one enjoying a good laugh should not fail to see "How the Vote Won," played to-night in Petriken Hall by local talent. In the cast will be some of those who have made Bellefonte amateur plays a reputation which might be envied by professionals. An evening of genuine fun for twenty-five or thirty-five cents. Do not allow anything to interfere with you seeing this clever farce. Miss Claire Nicolls, who has already become a favorite with Bellefonte audiences, on account of her voice, will have a part on the program.

—The wedding of Samuel T. Gray, II, and Miss Anne Lyon will take place this month at the home of Judge and Miss Ellis L. Orvis, on east Linn street, and will be attended by the immediate relatives only. Mr. Gray has already secured apartments at State College where they will go to housekeeping, and where he holds the position of an assistant instructor in the engineering department. As now planned they will remain there two years and during that time Mr. Gray will take a post graduate course in addition to filling the position he was recently appointed to.

—Alfred Heaton, alias Pletcher, of Union township, is again in the toils of the law, having been arrested by officer Dukeman on Monday night at Milesburg just as he jumped off of a freight train with a bag of chickens over his shoulder. A man by the name of William Morris was with him but he escaped though he was later captured in Lock Haven and was brought to Bellefonte yesterday. All told the two men are charged with stealing upwards of fifty chickens from Bald Eagle valley farmers and also with robbing the store of J. C. Stere, at Unionville, and Harnish's store at Snow Shoe Intersection.

CELEBRATED EIGHTY-FIFTH BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARY.—On Monday of this week, August 31st, Benjamin F. Schaeffer, of Nittany, was eighty-five years old and his family held a home-coming and reunion in his honor while fellow members of the Ex-Sheriff's Association of Centre county motored to his home and tendered their heartiest congratulations.

Mr. Schaeffer was born in Brush valley but when he was a boy his parents moved onto the farm near Nittany where he grew to manhood and spent eighty-one of his eighty-five years. During all that time he has been one of the most respected citizens of Nittany valley and many years ago served one term as sheriff of Centre county. He is a wonderful old gentleman, having enjoyed remarkable health all his life and his faculties are today just as acute as they were twenty-five years ago.

He loves to mingle among his friends and has never missed a meeting of the Ex-Sheriff's Association since its organization a number of years ago. He attended the Hazel-Schaeffer reunion at Madisonburg last Thursday and caught a cold, but was able to be around and enjoy the family reunion and the visit of his friends on Tuesday. And it might here be added that Mr. Schaeffer had enough of an inkling of what was going on that he had prepared an elaborate dinner for his guests, and they all showed their appreciation of his thoughtfulness by thoroughly enjoying it.

Of Mr. Schaeffer's family there were present Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Schaeffer, of Bellefonte; Mr. and Mrs. William Schaeffer, of Mifflinburg; Mr. and Mrs. Knecht, of Lock Haven; Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln H. Swartz, of Hubersburg, and Mrs. Allison, who presides over his home. The sheriff and ex-sheriff's association was represented by D. W. Woodring, W. Miles Walker, Col. H. S. Taylor, W. M. Cronister, Henry Kline and Arthur B. Lee, and ex-deputy sheriffs L. A. Schaeffer, Harry J. Jackson and W. C. Rowe.

In addition to tendering their congratulations the above friends presented Mr. Schaeffer with a comfortable and luxurious Morris chair. Col. H. S. Taylor made the presentation speech and did it to perfection. Following is the Colonel's speech in full:

Sheriff Schaeffer:
My dear old friend and the noblest Roman of them all. I arise upon this occasion and at this time to perform the most pleasant task ever imposed upon me.

Here, in your beautiful home, surrounded by your immediate family and your friends, who are present on this the eighty-fifth anniversary of your life and who have traveled with you on some of the most important duties of your life, performing the mandates of the law in the county in which you were elected to the high office of Sheriff; we, who have followed you through the same path of official duty, are here to congratulate you at this time upon reaching the age of eighty-five years. And on behalf of the members of the ex-Sheriff's Association of Centre county, I bring to you their glad greetings and best wishes for your future, in presenting to you at this time this beautiful chair, a gift coming from your friends so tried and true, and whose friendship is as everlasting as the eternal hills.

It is upon such occasions as this, and such an association as ours, that in this life we gather and garner the sparks of diamonds and dust of gold, of friendships forever joined by the golden links of Love, forged in the crucible of life.

In olden times, according to Roman history and Grecian mythology, those who reached your age in life were crowned in public places by wreaths placed upon their heads by the hands of little children, and proclaimed heroes of a pious and dutiful life; and as sages they were honored and respected throughout the great Empires.

I have now performed my mission, and in closing will add that the wish of your friends is, that may the rising sun of the future days of your life come over the eastern hills in glory and shed its brilliant rays upon you for many more years to come. With everlasting friendship for you, and with eternal respect and love, we all wish you God speed.

Sheriff Schaeffer's reply to the above was as follows:

My Dear Friends:
You certainly have accomplished your purpose, i. e., of giving me a surprise. I, however, had some idea of your intention to come down here on this, the eighty-fifth anniversary of my birth, and surprising me. I thought I was equal to the emergency, but I certainly have missed my calculation, and therefore I say to you that I thank you from the bottom of my heart for your manifestation of your kindness in coming here to my dinner to assist in the celebration of the passing of the eighty-fifth milestone of my life. I can't find words to express my appreciation in regard to the kind and friendly feeling that exists between us as friends and ex-officers.

There has always been a warm friendship between us, particularly since we, as ex-officers, have been having our annual banquets as an association. We have been coming together once a year and in a decent and social way have spent the day very pleasantly, (not as many people imagine, to have a regular drunken roustabout time,) but in relating incidents and reminiscences of our experience during our terms of office. And therefore, I have much reason to believe that those meetings have had much to do with the kind feeling that exists between us at this time and therefore when I say to you that I thank you, I express my feelings very slightly, and I hope that you fully realize how I appreciate your presence and courtesy to its full extent.

Now my friends, as ex-officers, I simply want to say to you what you already know, that when we were candidates for the high office of Sheriff of Centre county it was necessary that we have friends, and that they stand by us during our election campaign as well as our terms of office. A man without a friend is certainly a miser, no matter how much of this world's possessions he has at his command. He is not satisfied and ekes out his life grasping for more. And now, my friends in conclusion, may this friendship and kind feeling not only remain for a day, a week or a year, but until death do us part.

—Mrs. Elizabeth Meese, of Tyrone, is seeking the whereabouts of her son, Edward Bruce Meese, who disappeared from home recently leaving no trace as to his whereabouts. The young man is about twenty-five years of age and the sole support of his widowed mother. The Meeses have relatives in the western part of Centre county and it is possible that Mr. Meese may be visiting among them.

—On Tuesday morning there was filed in the office of the Recorder of Centre county a voluminous mortgage, covering one hundred and ten pages of printed matter, given by the Pennsylvania Railroad company to the Girard Trust company, of Philadelphia, and William N. Ely, trustees. It is probably next to the largest legal document ever filed for record in Centre county, the largest being that entered by the New York Central Railroad company about two years ago.

—At the annual meeting of the Bellefonte hospital association last Friday afternoon C. C. Shuey was re-elected president and Harry E. Fenlon, secretary and treasurer. Mrs. Mary H. Brouse was elected chairman of the committee on buildings and grounds and Andrew J. Cook was elected a member of the board of managers to succeed F. W. Crider, whose term expired. John M. Shugert was elected to succeed himself and Mrs. R. S. Brouse was elected to serve the unexpired term of the late A. Lukenbach.

—J. Norman Sherer will leave Bellefonte on September 10th for Uniontown, where he has accepted a position with one of the large coal and coke companies connected with the Josiah V. Thompson interests. Mrs. Sherer will remain in Bellefonte until her husband gets properly located when she will join him at Uniontown. Mr. and Mrs. Sherer have been in Bellefonte the past eighteen months while Mr. Sherer has been in charge of the closing out of the affairs of the Bellefonte Furnace company and Nittany Iron company.

—John Collier, a resident of Bellwood, was arrested near State College on Thursday of last week by constable C. O. Baker, of Altoona, on a charge of fraudulently obtaining the signature of his father, Nathan Collier, to notes aggregating \$200. The young man secured the money on the representation that he was coming to Centre county to buy horses but instead went to State College and used the long green in riotous living. When news of the son's doings reached the father he had the information made against him and his arrest followed.

—Just ninety-six tickets were sold at the Bellefonte depot for the Pennsylvania railroad's excursion to "Tolchester Beach on Sunday morning. But at that the train of seven cars was well filled by the time it reached Harrisburg and two additional cars were taken on there. The excursionists left Bellefonte at 2.15 Sunday morning and arrived at the Chesapeake bay resort shortly after eleven o'clock. Returning they left the Beach at four o'clock in the afternoon, came thirty-five miles by boat and arrived home about two o'clock Monday morning.

—In a folder issued last week by the Pennsylvania railroad company on the "Heroes of Peace" proper commendation is made of brakeman Harry E. Duesy's rescue of a little Austrian child from in front of a locomotive, on the railroad near Clarence, this county, by dashing along the running board, leaping to the pilot and grabbing the child just as the pilot touched its clothes. The incident happened on July 13th and was told in the papers at that time. Duesy is twenty-seven years old, a native of Sunbury, and is employed as a brakeman on the shifter at Snow Shoe.

—James J. Gramley, formerly of Rebersburg, this county, and at one time treasurer of Centre county, seems to be having the time of his life since he has passed the three score and tenth milestone on life's journey. For some time past he has been keeping books on a chicken farm at Freeport, Ill., owned by Henry Pfile, but just now is off on a recreation trip visiting among relatives. Last week he was with his brother, Rev. C. H. Gramley, at Howard, Kan., and from there he intends going to Mena, Ark., to visit another brother, Rev. A. J. Gramley, a retired minister.

—On Saturday night as I. J. Dreese and a party of friends, of Lemont, were on their way home from Lock Haven in the former's Studebaker car, the car skidded on the public road above Fleming and crashed into one of the concrete markers at the side of the road with such force that one of the front wheels was broken and the frame bent. The only occupant of the car who was hurt was Mr. Dreese, who was injured on the chest by being thrown against the steering wheel. He was taken to the Lock Haven hospital but his injuries were not very serious and he was up and around by Monday. The machine was hauled to Lock Haven for repairs.

VETERAN CLUB REUNION.—The annual reunion of the Centre county Veteran club will be held at the High school building on Saturday, September 11th. Burgess Edmund Blanchard will deliver the address of welcome and D. F. Fortney, Esq., the response. The club has arranged a program of speeches for the day. Twenty-five years ago the Veteran Club's picnic was one of the big gatherings in Centre county and people came many miles to attend it. For a number of years it was held at Hunter's park and if there were not a thousand people present, the picnic was considered almost a failure. Now the ranks of the old soldiers have thinned to such an extent that hardly two score can get to these annual gatherings and the reunion attracts very little public attention.

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HUNTING THE DENTIST IN A REFRIGERATOR.—Mrs. T. W. Cairns, who with her husband occupies apartments above the Potter-Hoy hardware store, surprised a man who was rifling her refrigerator on Saturday evening and demanded: "What are you doing there?" "Looking for the dentist," replied the thief.

"Well, you won't find him in my refrigerator," said Mrs. Cairns. It was yet early in the evening, along about 7.30 o'clock when Mrs. Ryan, a guest of Mrs. Cairns, said she heard some one in the hall. Both women listened and the noise was repeated. Mrs. Cairns opened the door leading from the kitchen into the hall, where the refrigerator is located, and sure enough there was a man; a great, big, uncouth looking man, and he not only had the door of the refrigerator open but already was loaded down with the roast Mrs. Cairns had laid in for the Sunday dinner, a bag of roasting ears and a roll of butter and was looking around for something else edible when Mrs. Cairns interrupted his depredations with the above demand. And having started it, she went through with it and made him put everything back where he got it, when he took his departure as fast as he could get down the stairway to the street.

Later in the evening Benton D. Tate, who, with Miss Alice Tate, occupies a part of the Curtin house on the corner of Allegheny and Howard streets, heard a noise on their rear porch where they have an ice box for the storage of meat and vegetables and going to the door saw a man run across the garden to the corner of the public building where he jumped the fence and ran up Howard street. Mr. Tate evidently heard him in the nick of time, as nothing had been disturbed there. He was probably the same man who narrowly missed getting a good Sunday dinner from Mrs. Cairns' refrigerator.

ROAD AND BRIDGE VIEWS.—A meeting of the Board of Road and Bridge viewers will be held in the grand jury room in the court house on Monday, September 20th, to hear testimony on the following applications:

A petition from citizens of Gregg township to locate a county bridge at Farmers Mills.

A petition from the Pennsylvania railroad company for the appointment of viewers to view and assess damages occasioned by the taking of land for railroad purposes in Howard township belonging to Burdine Butler.

NEWS PURELY PERSONAL.

—Mrs. Frank Lukenbach, of Tyrone, was in Bellefonte Tuesday.

—Miss Lillian Williams left here Tuesday to visit with friends in West Virginia.

—Miss Adaline Olewine, who is in Pittsburgh, will be a guest of Mrs. Carl Beck while there.

—Mrs. Helen Shugert and her daughter Eliza, both visited for the greater part of the past week with friends in Altoona.

—Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Krumrine, of State College, will leave Sunday to spend some time in New York and Philadelphia.

—Jack Lane returned to Bellefonte yesterday after spending the past six weeks in New England, in the interest of the Basket Shop.

—Mrs. Paul Fortney with her son David, and Miss Erma Smith went to Altoona yesterday, expecting to visit there with friends until Sunday.

—Miss Alma Lichten, who spent the month of August with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Grauer, returned to Philadelphia last week.

—Miss Kathleen Seibert, of Pittsburgh, will come to Bellefonte from Altoona tomorrow to spend the week-end with Mrs. John A. Woodcock.

—Miss Jane Crowley, of Lock Haven, was in Bellefonte for a short time Wednesday, on her way to Briery, where she will visit until Monday evening with Miss Elizabeth Green.

—Mrs. R. B. Curry and her small son, who have been in Bellefonte for the past month with Mrs. Curry's father, Chas. F. Cook, will leave here within the week to go to their new home at Aspinwall.

—H. Walton Mitchell and his family returned to their home in Pittsburgh Tuesday, after having spent the greater part of the summer at State College, where they occupied one of the fraternity houses on the campus.

—Mrs. Buchanan, of Norristown, who has been a guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Richard for the past two weeks, left Bellefonte Wednesday with Mrs. Charles Shaffer and her daughter, Miss Shaffer, to return to Philadelphia.

—Mrs. Broderick and her small daughter will come to Bellefonte this week from State College for an indefinite stay with Mrs. Broderick's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thaddeus Hamilton. Their visit here at this time is to await the completion of their new house.

—Mrs. Robert Garman, of Tyrone, with her mother and aunt and Mrs. W. O. Wright as guests, drove to Bellefonte Monday to spend the day with friends. Mrs. Wright will be remembered by many persons in this part of the county, having lived at Milesburg a number of years.

—Rev. Curtin Roop, with Mrs. Roop and their youngest daughter, passed through Bellefonte Tuesday on their way home to Canton, N. Y., where Mr. Roop is in charge of the Presbyterian church of that place. They had been spending ten days with Mr. Roop's mother at State College.

—Mrs. M. R. Sample and her son Edgar returned to Philadelphia Wednesday, after Mrs. Sample had been visiting here for two weeks with her sisters, Mrs. G. F. Musser, in Bellefonte, and Mrs. Philip Foster, at State College. The child had spent the summer here with his aunt, Mrs. Musser.

—Miss Ella Levy, who has been living with her brother at Eau Claire, Wis., since resigning her position in the public schools of Bellefonte several years ago, is with her mother, Mrs. Fisher, at Milesburg. Miss Levy came east the fore-part of the week and will visit for an indefinite time with her mother.

—Miss Florence Finnegan, of St. David's, Pa., is in town on a short visit with Mrs. Charles Moran, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Wimer, of north Spring street. Miss Finnegan spent her childhood in Bellefonte and has many friends here. After the removal of the family to Philadelphia she entered a hospital for training as a nurse but her health failed and she was compelled to give up the work and has since been very pleasantly located at St. David's.

—Mrs. Joseph Twitmore, of Sunbury, spent Saturday in Bellefonte.

—Miss Catharine McGowan left yesterday to spend her ten day's vacation on a trip to Canada.

—Miss Mary Woods, of Osceola Mills, has been a guest the past week of her friend, Miss Norah Stover.

—Dr. Helfrich returned home on Sunday from a trip to Philadelphia and Atlantic City, where he spent most of last week.

—W. Homer Crissman, general manager of the Bellefonte Central railroad company, spent Sunday with friends in Snow Shoe.

—Mrs. John J. Musser returned to Bellefonte on Saturday after spending three weeks with her sister, Mrs. John Slack, at Tusseyville.

—Miss Louise Brachbill returned home on Monday after spending Old Home week in Lock Haven as the guest of Mrs. George Haworth.

—Edward Allison, of Potters Mills, was in Bellefonte on Monday attending to some business matters and visiting his brother, Archibald Allison and family.

—Miss Frances Elmore, a teacher in the Pittsburgh public schools, spent Friday and Saturday in Bellefonte as a guest at the W. B. Rankin home on Curtin street.

—James Sharp, of Trafford, Pa., has been spending the week in Bellefonte with his daughter, Mrs. John Kreamer, and visiting among other relatives hereabouts.

—Mrs. Howard Smith and two children returned home on Tuesday from Shamokin, where they had been for three weeks on account of the illness and death of a sister of Mr. Smith.

—Mrs. Andrew Glenn, of Cleveland, Ohio, spent Friday and Saturday in Bellefonte with her sister, Mrs. Fannie Shultz, and also visited her brother-in-law, Jerre Glenn and family, at Curtin.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edward Houser and two children and Mrs. John Houser and Miss Ella Watkins, of Pittsburgh, motored down from State College on Monday and spent the day looking after some business and visiting friends.

—Dorothy and Helen McKnight, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Robert McKnight, of Philadelphia, left for their home on Saturday after spending two months with their aunts, the Misses Martha and Margaret McKnight, up Buffalo Run.

—Miss Stella Daley returned home from her two week's vacation last Friday evening and was accompanied by her sister-in-law, Mrs. William Delaney, of Trenton, N. J., who will spend some time at the Daley home on east Lamb street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edward Green, of Philadelphia, will arrive in Bellefonte tomorrow for a ten days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Cairns. Mrs. E. Ryan, of Philadelphia, who was Mrs. Cairns' guest for a week, left for her home on Monday afternoon.

—Among the WATCHMAN office callers last Friday was William Bailey, of the Centre Hall Reporter force, who was over for the Robbins show. He is a wide awake young man and manages to get a glimpse of about all there is to see when he comes to Bellefonte.

—Mrs. Henry Haupt returned home from Lock Haven on Monday evening where she had been since last Friday with her daughter, Mrs. LeRoy Fox, who is suffering with an injured foot caused by stepping on a rusty nail. Mrs. Haupt brought with her her little grand-daughter, Dorothy Fox.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kase and family, of Sunbury, came to Bellefonte on Friday and remained over Sunday as guests of Mrs. Kase's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Spigelmyer. Returning home Monday they took with them their daughter Catharine, who spent most of the summer with her grandparents.

—Ex-County Commissioner Philip H. Meyer motored over from Centre Hall on Tuesday and had with him his daughter, Mrs. W. A. Odenkirk, and her guest, Miss Lulu Fetterhoff, a daughter of Rev. J. F. Fetterhoff, of Selinsgrove, who is just recovering from injuries sustained in an auto accident some time ago. Mr. Meyer favored this office with a brief call of the kind we always appreciate.

—Mr. and Mrs. William Magee, of Philadelphia, and their small son Huyett, were in Bellefonte Saturday, having driven here from Centre Hall, where they have been visiting with Mrs. Magee's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Huyett. Mrs. Magee came to Centre county a month ago and will remain until the latter part of September.

—Mr. Magee returned to Philadelphia Tuesday, after a ten days' visit with his family.

—Miss Katherine Hoover will go to Philadelphia tomorrow, expecting to spend the month of September visiting with friends there, at Atlantic City and in Holland, Bucks county. While in Philadelphia Miss Hoover will arrange to have her office goods shipped to Bellefonte in anticipation of opening a completely equipped chiropody parlor by October 1st, in the front room on the first floor of Miss Emma Montgomery's home.

—Mrs. Edmund Blanchard left Bellefonte this week for a six week's trip to the Pacific coast. After making a night's stop in Chicago, Mrs. Blanchard went to Denver, where she will spend a week or ten days with friends, going from there directly to California by way of Salt Lake City. While visiting both expositions she will spend much of the time with friends, expecting to return east over the southern route about the middle of October.

—A WATCHMAN office caller on Monday was Herbert M. Bartley, who was called here on account of the death of his father, the late Henry F. Bartley. Mr. Bartley, who is prominently connected with the Clark Printing company of Lock Haven, had been out in Illinois most of the summer for the benefit of his health and also underwent treatment by a Chicago specialist for the recovery of his voice. He is now looking better than he has for a number of years and has been given assurance by specialists that there is every reason to believe that he will regain his former good health. He will spend the week here, then return to his home in Lock Haven and resume his position with the Clark Printing company.

—Mr. H. E. Duck, of Millheim, was an over Sunday visitor in Bellefonte, having come up on Saturday to attend the funeral of the late Henry F. Bartley. Though seventy-seven years of age Mr. Duck enjoys vigorous health and takes an active interest in everything pertaining to the good of his home town, of which he is the honorable burgess. At the present time Millheim is having a little political excitement of its own kind over the contest for borough offices, especially by councilmen, and two tickets have been put in the field. Mr. Duck along with a lot of the other good citizens of Millheim are keeping close tab on the situation and something is liable to happen at the election in November.

—A very interesting visitor in Bellefonte on Monday was Rev. Watson, a Methodist minister of Bridgeport, Conn., who was brought here by Mrs. Cook, of Salona. Rev. Watson began his ministry on the Salona charge sixty some years ago when Central Pennsylvania Methodists were still under the old Baltimore conference. Sixty-one years ago he drove from Salona to Bellefonte on his way to Baltimore to attend the conference and remained here two days as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Tonner, parents of Mrs. Henry F. Harris. While here he preached in the Methodist church. This was his first visit to Bellefonte since that time and his coming was like an echo of the past, as he recalled meeting at that time Judge Burnside, the elder Harris and Linn and people who have been dead for many years. And the most surprising of all is the vigor and sprightliness of Rev. Watson, despite his age.

—L. A. Schaeffer, secretary of the White Rock quarries, went down to Philadelphia Tuesday on a business trip.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edward P. Irwin returned to Cherrytree Tuesday, after spending the week-end at their home on Spring street.

—Miss Mary Rhinesmith, of Clearfield, was an arrival in Bellefonte yesterday and is a guest at the home of Dr. and Mrs. M. A. Kirk.

—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kline and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kellerman will motor to Lewistown tomorrow to attend the firemen's convention.

—Miss Jennie Morgan, who has not been in the best of health for some time, went down to Philadelphia on Tuesday to consult a specialist.

—Mrs. Frank Wallace and her grand-daughter, Miss Berenice Wallace, returned home last Friday after spending six weeks in Tyrone with Mrs. Wallace's daughter, Mrs. Cornelius Blair.

—Mrs. E. F. Tausig came here from Harrisburg early in the week to join her daughters, who have been visiting with their grandmother, Mrs. Martin Fauble. Upon her return home Mrs. Tausig will be accompanied by the children.

—Mrs. Hiram Hiller and her two daughters, Margaret and Virginia, left here yesterday to return to their home at Chester. Mrs. Hiller and the children have been visiting in Bellefonte with Mrs. William P. Wilson for the greater part of the summer.

—Dr. R. G. H. Hayes with Mrs. Hayes, their daughter Ellen, and the two younger boys, left Wednesday morning in Miss Hayes' touring car for a week's drive through the southern part of Pennsylvania and Virginia. Their longest stops will be made at Norfolk and Suffolk, Va.

—Mrs. Charles Morris went to Pittsburgh the latter part of the week, called there by the sudden and serious illness of her father, Elliott Lyon. Mr. Lyon had just returned to Pittsburgh after spending a short time here with his two daughters, Mrs. Thomas Ross and Mrs. Morris.

—Mr. and Mrs. Paul F. Willard, of Wilkinsburg, came to Bellefonte Thursday, to visit a week with Mr. Willard's sister, Miss Vera Willard, who will sail for Panama Thursday of next week to accept a position in a private hospital. Miss Frances Willard is also in Bellefonte, having returned from a six week's visit in Fayette county and with friends in Altoona.

—Mrs. J. O. Brewer with her son Orville, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Keichline left Bellefonte Monday for Kirksville, N. Y., where Mr. and Mrs. Keichline will visit for a week. Mrs. Brewer will remain for a month, Mr. Brewer joining her for the last two weeks of her stay and for the return trip to Bellefonte. The visit had been planned for earlier in the summer but owing to the child's illness had been postponed.

—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Conover, of Wellsboro, having as motor guests Mrs. Daggett and George Daggett, drove to Bellefonte Saturday to spend several days with Mr. and Mrs. Wells L. Daggett, at the Bush house. The party returned to Tioga county the fore-part of the week, leaving Miss Daggett to continue her visit in Bellefonte. Mr. Conover is associated with his father in publishing the Wellsboro Gazette.

—Miss Ruby Eberhart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Eberhart, and who is a nurse in training at the Puncxsutawney hospital, arrived home last Saturday for a ten day's vacation and to recover from a recent operation for the removal of her tonsils. The operation was performed ten days ago and for over two hours Miss Eberhart was in a precarious condition but finally rallied and now, except for the soreness of her throat, is getting along all right.

—Miss Grace McBride with her niece, Miss Margaret Musser, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Musser, returned to Scranton Tuesday after spending ten days in Bellefonte with Mr. G. F. Musser and Mrs. John Kline. Accompanying them was Mrs. Emanuel Musser, of State College, who will visit for an indefinite time with her son, Boyd A. Musser and his family, in Scranton. Mrs. Musser had just returned from New Jersey, where she had spent the greater part of the summer with her daughters, Mrs. Handlon and Mrs. Duff.

FOR SALE OR RENT.—A seven room stone house on Bishop street, a big lot and good garden. Old-time furniture also for sale. Inquire of Miss JULIA McDERMOTT.

FOR SALE.—All kinds of household furniture, in good condition, at private sale. J. S. POWNALL, Milesburg, 60-32-41*

Bellefonte Produce Markets.

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

Potatoes per bushel..... 50
Onions..... 65
Eggs, per dozen..... 29
Lard, per pound..... 22
Butter per pound..... 25

Bellefonte Grain Markets.

Corrected weekly by C. Y. WAGNER. The following are the quotations up to six o'clock Thursday evening, when our paper goes to press.

Red Wheat..... \$1.10
White Wheat..... 1.05
Rye, per bushel..... 80
Corn, shelled, per bushel..... 80
Corn, ears, per bushel..... 80
Oats, old and new, per bushel..... 45
Barley, per bushel..... 60

Philadelphia Markets.

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

Wheat—No. 2..... \$1.15@1.16
No. 3..... 1.10@1.12
Corn—Yellow..... 85@87
Mixed..... 85@86
Oats..... 75@76
Flour—Winter, per barrel..... 4.75@5.00
Favorite Brands..... 4.75@5.00
Rye Flour per barrel..... 4.75@5.00
Baled Hay—Choice Timothy No. 1..... 16.00@20.00
Mixed No. 1..... 14.00@18.00
Straw..... 9.00@12.50

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