

Democratic Watchman

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THINGS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY.

—The Runville band will hold a chicken and waffle supper on Saturday evening, January 29th.

—Another euchre and five hundred will be held in Undine hall next Thursday evening, January 27th.

—Troop L underwent an inspection on Tuesday evening by Captain Rockwell, of the U. S. Army.

FOR RENT.—Large garage. Best location in town. Inquire of LYON & Co. 61-1-1f

—While wrestling with a fellow student at State College one day last week Marshall Cook fell and dislocated his left shoulder.

—In executive session on Tuesday night the United States Senate confirmed the appointment of P. H. Gherry as postmaster at Bellefonte.

—Mrs. Lewis Harvey opened her kindergarten in the Burns Crider home on Linn St., on Monday, with eight of the tiny tots of the town as her pupils.

—G. A. Packard resigned his position as Adams Express agent last week and returned to Canton, Pa. He has been succeeded by R. B. O'Hara, of Carlisle.

—A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Rosser, of Mill Hill, on Monday, who has been named J. Quinton Rosser. Mr. Rosser Sr. is mail agent on the Central Railroad of Pennsylvania.

—Announcement was made last week of the engagement of Miss Marjorie King Blakeley, of Chester, Pa., and Albert C. Hoy, of Bellefonte and New York. Arrangements have been made for a spring wedding.

—Miss Mary Shipley of Unionville, has been appointed registrar of vital statistics for Unionville borough, Taylor, Worth, Huston, Halfmoon, Patton and Union townships, succeeding her father, B. W. Shipley, resigned.

—Judge Henry C. Quigley filed his first opinion on Tuesday evening in which he denied a motion for a new trial in the case of the Commonwealth vs. Isaac Harpster, convicted last May of a crime preferred by a girl.

—During the year 1915 there were exactly 1132 births and 640 deaths in Centre county, Bellefonte leading with 107 births and 86 deaths. Snow Shoe had 17 births and 2 deaths and Unionville 3 births and 7 deaths.

—Squire Wm. Cassidy had his first case on Tuesday when M. D. Garman, of near Curtin, was taken before him after being arrested for cruelty to animals. He drove a horse to Bellefonte that was literally skin and bones. The "Squire fined him ten dollars and costs, or \$14.72 all told. The man paid.

—While in the act of cranking his car to go to the fire at State College last Wednesday night Morris Baum, of that place, had his right wrist broken in two places. On Friday N. A. Miller, the blacksmith on South Water street, Bellefonte, had his right arm broken cranking a Ford car which he was repairing.

—The Centre county school directors' association will hold its 29th annual session in the court house on Friday and Saturday of next week, January 28th and 29th. A splendid program has been arranged for the occasion and a good turnout of directors is anticipated, inasmuch as they are now allowed pay and mileage.

—Two degrees below zero last Saturday morning, down to zero on Monday morning and continued cold most of the week is the real spirit of winter, even if there isn't enough snow to cover the ground. Such weather is hard on the coal bins but the ice man is waiting anxiously for his crop of ice to mature.

—Two exciting games of basket ball are staged for this week. This (Friday) evening at 8.30 o'clock the Bellefonte Academy will meet the Altoona P. R. R. five. Tomorrow evening at eight o'clock the Tyrone P. R. R. Y. M. C. A. will be the Academy's opponents. The Academy team is very strong and expects to win both games. Lovers of basket ball should turn out and witness both contests.

—Under the most recent ruling of the Compensation Board Centre county will have to carry compensation insurance covering all deputies, clerks, assessors, constables, jurors, witnesses for the State in criminal cases and all like classes of employees. Threshermen, shredders and corn husker machine operators will be held for compensation for their helpers when working for hire on any other farm than their own.

—The new Methodist Episcopal church at Port Matilda has been completed at a cost of \$5,500. It is built of stone and is one of the handsomest and most modern churches in any of the small towns in Centre county. The edifice will be dedicated on Sunday, January 30th. The preachers for that occasion will be Rev. Dr. B. C. Conner, president of Williamsport Dickinson Seminary, and Dr. Ezra H. Yocum, of Bellefonte. Rev. J. Earle Jacobs is the pastor in charge, and he has been just as successful in his spiritual as well as material work on the charge.

BEECH CREEK AUTO TRUCK DEMONSTRATION.—The big four wheel drive and four wheel steer auto truck manufactured at Beech Creek made another visit to Bellefonte last Friday and gave a demonstration on the Diamond that emphasized all the good points the company claims for it. With the truck were Paul J. Smith, the inventor and patentee; George F. Hess, president of the company; I. J. Rohrbaugh, treasurer; Ziba Hitt, chauffeur, and Henry C. Williams and Squire George W. Eaton.

The truck is of three ton capacity, with a thirty per cent. overload, making it equal to a four ton truck. It weighs 6,250 pounds and in addition to its load capacity it has a wonderful hauling power, having pulled a trailer with a four ton load over a freshly plowed field. Its maximum road speed is from fifteen to twenty miles, and loaded heavily from eight to ten miles. Its driving power is so great and well distributed that it navigates any kind of a grade or hill with ease. While in Bellefonte last Friday a demonstration was given on curb climbing, and the big truck was driven right against the curb and stopped, then without backing the fraction of an inch was driven up over the curb with ease. Its four wheel steer is just as important a feature in the handling of the truck as the four wheel drive is in its power capacity.

A number of prominent business men of Bellefonte watched the demonstration with considerable interest. The company announces that bids are now being received for an additional building and machinery already negotiated for, so that from 25 to 50 trucks of from two to three tons capacity can be turned out within the next year. The company now has standing orders for a half dozen or more of the trucks and the indications are that the present plant of the Beech Creek Truck and Auto Co. is but the beginning of what will ultimately grow into a big industry.

A GOOD ENTERTAINMENT.—The Old Home week minstrel and entertainment at Garman's opera house last Friday night proved a success both as a pleasing diversion as well as financially, proving that the young men who worked so hard to make the Old Home week a success are just as fertile in imagination and proficient in execution when it comes to giving a minstrel show to a crowded house, such as that of last Friday night, when the S. R. O. sign was hung out shortly after the doors opened.

Lewis Daggett, the promoter of the minstrel first part, was the only heirloom of the stage in the whole cast, all the others being new in minstrelsy. But Lewy has lost none of his cunning, and as interlocutor he guided the debutantes along the stagecraft pathway with such a skillful hand that it was smooth sailing from the beginning. Most of the songs had never been heard on the Bellefonte stage while many of the jokes were new and so aptly adapted to local characters that they were loudly applauded. The one act comedy skit "A Girl to Order," was rendered in a delightful manner, while "A Night at Castle House," was an artistic close to a delightful entertainment. The net amount realized for the Old Home week fund was \$202, which still leaves an indebtedness of between forty and fifty dollars. Already plans are being made whereby the total indebtedness can be wiped out.

A GOOD WORD FROM COLORADO.—Several days ago a prominent business man of Bellefonte, who by the way is so modest that he don't care to have his name mentioned, brought to this office a letter he received last week from the Gilliland Hardware Co., of La Junta, Col., in which the proprietor, Mr. J. Gilliland says:

DEAR SIR:—We came here from Clearfield, Pa., about two years ago, and to keep posted on what happens back in Central Pennsylvania, take the DEMOCRATIC WATCHMAN which, by the way, as a country newspaper, occupies a class by itself, as it is head and shoulders ahead of anything I have ever run across.

Mr. Gilliland's letter then calls attention to the business man's advertisement and the low prices quoted for a certain commodity, etc., which shows that advertising in the WATCHMAN is liable to bring results from most any point in the United States. This is a pointer that all wise business men should not overlook.

MORE BUSINESS CHANGES.—Last week the WATCHMAN announced that Gardner's china store could be bought. Today we announce that C. D. Casebeer, the jeweler, has bought it and will transform it into one of the most attractive business places in the town. He will dispose of all the cheaper lines of china and crockery in the store and will retain only the cut glass and rarer chinas in conjunction with his jewelry store which he will move into the new quarters as soon as possible.

Miss Elizabeth Closter will move her millinery from the Claster store, where she is now located, to the rooms in the Sands building which Mr. Casebeer will vacate.

WELL KNOWN EYE SPECIALISTS WILL BE HERE NEXT WEDNESDAY.—Rubin & Rubin, Harrisburg's leading eye specialists will be at Krumrine's drug store, Bellefonte, and Mason's drug store, Lock Haven, on Wednesday, January 26th, for one weeks' time.

LOST.—During the past week, in Bellefonte, a gold Masonic chain, the double headed eagle. A very liberal reward is offered for its return to this office.

—Fred Noll resigned his position as clerk in the County Commissioners office last week and has accepted a clerkship with the State Highway Department in Temple Court.

—Col. Henry W. Shoemaker, proprietor of the Altoona Tribune, has presented a prize sword to The Pennsylvania State College to be awarded annually to the military company of the Freshman class which shows the greatest military efficiency at the review on Pennsylvania day. Another sword, which has been under competition the past three years, will now be contested for by the Sophomores only.

—Last Saturday morning, with the thermometer down near zero, George Ray, the five year old son of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Ray, started to walk to Hecla, a distance of seven miles. At Zion, five miles from Bellefonte, he was stopped by Jacob Stine who, after learning who the boy was telephoned to Bellefonte and a car was sent down to bring him home. Though very cold he was none the worse for his walk and in the afternoon was around as spry as ever.

—Jacob M. Levi, a Bellefonte young man who has been connected with the Rempe dry goods store in Lock Haven the past year or so, has resigned his position to take effect on February first. Mr. and Mrs. Levi will go to Wheeling, W. Va., where the former will become manager of the ready-to-wear department of The Hub store, one of the largest department stores in Wheeling. Mr. Levi is a son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Levi, of this place, while his wife is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Chery.

—Many people are patrons of the motion pictures who rarely go to any other kind of entertainment, and it is not difficult to tell why. The total cost of a week's attendance at the movies is only equal to one night at some other place. Then again, the pictures of today, the kind shown at the Scenic, have outgrown the blood and thunder of the western plains and cowboy episodes and are dealing with dramatic situations as real as any ever portrayed upon the legitimate stage. For the best of them, go to the Scenic.

—The congregation of the Market Square Presbyterian church, Harrisburg, evidently appreciates the work of Dr. George E. Hawes. At a congregational meeting held on Wednesday evening, January 12, the congregation approved the recommendation of the board of trustees to grant him a \$500 increase in salary, effective January first. Dr. Hawes went to Harrisburg September 15th, 1915, on a salary of \$3,000 a year, parsonage free and other perquisites, and the above increase is evidence that the congregation is well satisfied with his work.

—The young men of Bellefonte will give a dance in the armory on Friday, February 18th, that promises to be the society event of the winter. Meyer Davis' orchestra, of the Bellevue-Stratford, Philadelphia, has been engaged for the occasion. The price will be \$2.50 a couple, including refreshments. Fifty cents admission will be charged to those going as spectators only. The orchestra will give a special concert beginning at 8.30 o'clock. Dancing at nine. A special train will be run from State College to Bellefonte, returning after the dance.

—Bellefonte must have lost its mascot or is the victim of some Moloch of unkind fate just at present. Not only has the Steam Heating company been unable to get a sufficient supply of coal for this cold weather but the various coal dealers are short of bituminous coal right along. And on top of it all on Tuesday morning when the engineer attempted to start the steam pump at the water works one of the piston heads blew out, and the result was residents on the higher locations in the town were without water all day until in the evening when the Pennsylvania Match company put its big pump to work and helped out with the supply.

—Newton Hockman, the well known produce dealer of Zion, was badly burned last Friday morning and is thankful that he is still alive. In repairing a defect in his automobile he spilled a quantity of gasoline on his clothes. Some time afterwards he went into the house and struck a match to light his pipe. Instantly his clothing burst into flames. His son Clyde came into the room a few seconds later and smothered the flames with his coat, but not before Mr. Hockman's hands and arms were burned deep into the flesh. His eyebrows and moustache were burned off and his face slightly burned. Only the timely arrival of his son saved him from being burned to death.

—Bellefonte residents like to be amused. That is, they will flock to an entertainment with a good laugh in it and plenty of music in preference to a serious drama with a good moral in it. This was exemplified last week. The "Within the Law" company played to an eighty dollar house while the opera house was filled just two nights later when "The Million Dollar Doll" appeared. There was a good plot and a splendid moral to the first play while the latter had little plot to commend it, but its lively melange of music, dances and general comedy was loudly applauded and the presentation pleased the audience generally. Bellefontes can appreciate a good, legitimate drama, but the mood for the frivolous is oftenest on them.

ANNUAL MEETING OF BOARD OF TRADE.—The annual meeting of the Bellefonte Board of Trade was held in the hall of the public building last Thursday evening. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, J. Linn Harris; vice presidents, Dr. J. M. Brocknerhoff and Robert F. Hunter; treasurer, Charles M. McCurdy; secretary, W. T. Kelly.

Secretary Kelly submitted his report which showed receipts during the year as follows: Rent of ball field, \$55.00; dues, \$84.00, a total of \$139.00. The following propositions for new industries were also considered during the year by the executive committee:

Bellmont Hardware Co., of Bellmont, N. Y., manufacturers of padlocks, door pushes, sash lifts, iron handles, hammers, hatchets, etc., the kind sold in and 10 cent stores. Required 5,000 square feet of floor space and \$10,000 worth of common stock.

Weisel Manufacturing Co., of Brooklyn, N. Y., manufacturers of all kinds of machinery and machine parts. Employ 200 skilled workmen with an annual pay roll of \$200,000. Required building of brick or concrete, two railroad connections, two acres of land, to cost \$75,000 to \$100,000 to be decided to them in fee simple free of all encumbrances when they have paid out two million dollars in wages and are employing regularly 200 skilled men.

Alberta Pearl Button Co., of New York, manufacturers of pearl buttons and novelties. Employ 250 people, eighty per cent. male. Requires two floors 50x100 feet; \$2,000 to move, \$4,500 to pay old debts and \$4,000 for one-half interest in plant; and to be assured of borrowing power in moderate amounts. Still under consideration.

Thomas Holland, shoe factory to manufacture children's and young women's shoes. Requires 8,000 square feet of floor space and \$30,000 capital to start with. Still under consideration.

Courtney Tire Co., to manufacture automobile tires. Investigation developed that the people interested in the proposition were not responsible and no further action was taken.

AT THE OPERA HOUSE.—The producers of "September Morn, newest, most original and frolicsome of musical comedies, which comes to Garman's on Wednesday, January 26th, are extremely proud of the fact that they have gathered for the Gillespie-Stauffler play a remarkable chorus and ballet; one that is said to even surpass the memorable one gathered by Henry W. Savage for his "Prince of Pilsen" company. Now comes the Rowland & Clifford bunch with an assertion from them that their "roun' up" is a showy string with plenty of pace and lots of vim, all of which gives a cachet and elegance to the three dance finales closing each act of the farago.

Beautiful, flowery Japan, with its wonderful schemes, gold, silver and tinsel, is profusely illustrated in the stage settings used in "Japland," an operatic minstrel farce-comedy which comes to Garman's on Friday, February 4th. The offering is a novelty because of its absolute newness of idea and construction, containing a bit or two from every form of stage creation, opera, farce and minstrelsy predominating. The fact that a girl chorus of twenty is carried will be welcome news to the followers of minstrelsy, for, while John W. Vogel's Big Minstrels has ever been sufficient in itself to pack a theater, many theater-goers want to see and hear the girls, they of trim forms and beautiful voices together with their ability to cavort, pirouette and dance, and Mr. Vogel claims to have the best singing-dancing chorus ever seen in a play-house.

NEW CHURCH DEDICATED.—The new nine thousand dollar Presbyterian church at Mill Hill was dedicated on Sunday with appropriate services. Sixteen hundred dollars were raised at the two services, leaving only four hundred dollars to be raised to free the church of debt. Describing the church the Lock Haven Express on Monday said:

The new church is a handsome structure situated on Main street, Mill Hill. It was designed by Miss Anna Keichline, architect, of Bellefonte, and the contractors were Tidlow Brothers, of Flemington. The building is 45x75 feet in dimensions and is of vaneer brick. The main auditorium is 45x45 feet with seating accommodations for 275. There is an infant room and a Sunday school room with a capacity of 100. A kitchen is also a unique feature, which makes the building available for social purposes. The interior has the exposed truss effect and is very artistic. The walls are frescoed in three shades and the pews are quartered oak.

HARTSWICK-MORAN.—Thursday morning, January 13th, at the Reformed parsonage, Mr. Howard C. Hartswick and Miss Helen E. Moran were married by the Rev. Ambrose M. Schmidt, D. D., Harold is the youngest son of Mr. John M. Hartswick, of Willowbank street, and Miss Moran, formerly of Unionville, was a member of the training class for nurses in the Bellefonte hospital. The best wishes of their many friends go with them.

McCLELLAN-BAIRD.—Harry McClellan Jr., a son of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. McClellan, and Miss Harriet L. Baird, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Baird, both of Milesburg, were married at the Methodist parsonage last Saturday evening by Rev. E. H. Yocum. They were attended by John Bryan and Miss Vera Baird. Following the ceremony a reception was tendered the young couple at the home of the bride's parents.

LAIRD-UHL.—On Wednesday afternoon of last week William Laird, of Centre Hall, and Miss Emma E. Uhl, of Romola, were married at the parsonage of St. John's Lutheran church, Lock Haven, by the pastor, Rev. Charles W. Shindler.

NEWS PURELY PERSONAL.

—Miss Linn returned from Harrisburg Tuesday.

—Harold Gardner, of Altoona, stopped in Bellefonte Saturday for a short visit with his mother, Mrs. M. I. Grider.

—Miss Margaret Cook is expected in Bellefonte this week for a short visit, owing to the illness of her mother, Mrs. A. J. Cook.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Michaels have returned to their apartments at the Bush house, after a visit of several weeks in Ohio.

—Miss Helen Valentine is completing her arrangements for going to New York city shortly, to enter a training school for nurses.

—While in Bellefonte on Wednesday C. P. Long, of Spring Mills, came into the WATCHMAN office and boosted the label on his paper.

—Mr. and Mrs. Claude Jones and Mrs. T. F. Conner, of Tyrone, were in Bellefonte Monday, having come here for the funeral of their aunt, Miss Armer.

—Miss Peggy LeVan, of Altoona, is in Bellefonte, coming here for Mrs. Garber's dance to-night. During her stay Miss LeVan will be Mrs. Garber's guest.

—Miss Rebecca Valentine went to Philadelphia Wednesday, where she will visit for several weeks with Miss Katherine Fenlon and Miss Margaret Brockerhoff.

—Mrs. Phil D. Foster, of State College, and Mrs. G. Fred Musser, of Bellefonte, went to Philadelphia on Saturday on account of the illness of their sister, Mrs. Emanuel Klepfer.

—Dr. C. T. Hennig, of Titan metal fame, favored the WATCHMAN with a call on Wednesday and, like all the rest of us, he didn't take very kindly to the cold weather prevailing this week.

—William Mills spent a part of last week in Washington, Pa., returning to Bellefonte Friday, accompanied by his son Quinn, who on account of ill health will remain here with his parents for an indefinite time.

—W. H. Beck, of Nittany, was a business visitor in Bellefonte on Wednesday and he is one man who is not worrying about the scarcity of coal as he has enough in his bin to last till the robbers come again.

—Mrs. Sarah Brown came here Wednesday from East Brady, Pa., owing to the serious illness of Mrs. James Harris. Mrs. Brown has been with her daughter, Mrs. Robert Wray, since the latter part of the summer.

—Mrs. Samuel Rote is spending this week in Bellefonte, a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jared Harper. Mrs. Rote has been nursing in Centre county for the past several months, coming here from Elk county, where she lives with her daughter.

—John C. Hoy, one of Lemont's representative citizens, was in Bellefonte on Wednesday and enrolled his name as a trial subscriber to the WATCHMAN, and now it is up to us to make the paper so good that he will never want to stop it.

—Miss Berenice Wallace came down from Tyrone on Sunday morning and in company with Mrs. Eben Bower and Catharine Schreffler went over to Centre Hall on the early train Monday morning to attend the funeral of the late Mrs. Irving Gettig.

—Mr. and Mrs. Curtin Garbrick, of Mill Hill; Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Slotman, of Lock Haven; Mr. and Mrs. Amos Cole, of Lewisport, and Frank Cole, of Chicago, were in Bellefonte on Wednesday for the funeral of the late J. Robert Cole.

—Paul Fenlon, of Philadelphia, was a guest of his brother, Harry E. Fenlon, while in Bellefonte for a short visit the latter part of last week. Mr. Fenlon's daughter, Miss Katherine Fenlon, is well known here, having spent a part of the last two or three summers with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fenlon.

—Mrs. John Rumberger came from Unionville, Monday, to visit for several days with friends in Bellefonte, going from here to Pleasant Gap Wednesday, where she spent a short time with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Rumberger. Mrs. Rumberger is staying with her mother, Mrs. Bruegger, during the winter.

—Miss E. M. Thomas and Isaac Mitchell left here Sunday afternoon for Indianapolis, to attend the Mitchell-Wainwright wedding on Tuesday. Joseph D. Mitchell, of Burnham, joined the team in Altoona. J. Thomas Mitchell returned home on Thursday. The entire party returned home this week.

—Mrs. Mollie L. Valentine will leave Sunday for Philadelphia, where she will spend a week before going south for the winter. According to her present arrangements Mrs. Valentine will go directly to Lake Helen, where she will be a guest until spring of Mrs. L. James.

—Logan Long, of Reynolds avenue, paid the WATCHMAN office a visit on Tuesday afternoon and put his name on our list as a regular subscriber. He also told us that the WATCHMAN was the first paper he learned to read and has read it ever since. It is such loyalty to the paper that we pride more than anything else in all of our hundreds of subscribers.

—Miss Jennie Morgan, who has been in Philadelphia since early fall, returned to Bellefonte Sunday accompanied by Dr. Coburn Kogers. Miss Morgan having been in ill health for the greater part of the past year, went to the city to be under the care of Dr. Alfred Gordon and other leading specialists of Philadelphia, under whose treatment it is thought her condition has improved.

—Col. and Mrs. J. L. Spangler are arranging to leave Bellefonte this week to go to Philadelphia where they will be joined by Mrs. Blackburn for a visit of a week or ten days with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harris, in Washington. From Washington Col. and Mrs. Spangler will go to Florida, accompanied by Dr. Joseph M. Brockerhoff, Crystal Beach being their destination for the present.

—Miss Flora Bruzger, of Unionville, is spending the winter with her aunt, Mrs. L. James, in Florida. Miss Bruzger, who is the architect instructor in the schools of Camden, left Philadelphia on the 31st of December for Lake Helen, to recuperate from an appendicitis operation. Her leave of absence being for six months, Miss Bruzger will not resume her work until fall and will not come north until the warm weather.

—W. Edward Shaffer, of Hanover, was in Bellefonte Tuesday night and Wednesday morning on his way over to Madisonburg to see his parents. Mr. Shaffer a number of years ago was "one of the boys" in Bellefonte but he finally found fortune's fickle smiles more alluring in other places, though he manages to get back once or twice a year to see his friends. He was accompanied by H. E. Ehrhart, a wholesale grocer of Hanover, and a whole-souled gentleman as well.

—Col. W. Fred Reynolds is away on a trip to Philadelphia.

—Hon. William M. Allison, of Spring Mills, was a Bellefonte visitor on Tuesday.

—Hon. John T. McCormick, of State College, was a business visitor in Bellefonte on Wednesday.

—Mrs. Charles Moran went out to Columbus, Ohio, on Tuesday to spend several weeks with her husband.

—Mrs. William E. Seel, of Harrisburg, arrived in Bellefonte Wednesday to visit her mother, Mrs. M. Fauble.

—Miss Daise Keichline went over to Petersburg on Tuesday to visit her brother, Dr. John Keichline and family.

—Miss Rebelle Noll went out to Detroit, Mich., on Tuesday to spend two months with her sister, Mrs. Chauncey F. York and family.

—Mrs. Smith, who has been visiting in Bellefonte with her daughter, Mrs. D. R. Foreman, returned to her home in Philipsburg the latter part of last week.

—Mr. and Mrs. John S. Walker are spending this week in Chester county with Mr. Walker's mother, who has been seriously ill during the past several months.

—Mrs. James Aull and her son, who came here from Germantown the early part of the week, will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Richard during their stay in Bellefonte.

—Mrs. Sadie Eberts, of Pine Grove Mills, was summoned to Pittsburgh on Wednesday on account of the illness of her grandson, Edward Martz, who is very low with pneumonia.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Larimer came to Bellefonte from Mt. Carmel on Monday, Mrs. Larimer entering the Bellefonte hospital for treatment. Mr. Larimer returned home yesterday.

—Mrs. J. R. Walter, who is with her daughter, Mrs. C. D. Casebeer, will be in Bellefonte until February, at which time Mrs. Casebeer and her little daughter will return to Somerset with Mrs. Walter.

—Mrs. Hugh Taylor Sr., has returned from her consultation with the Mayo brothers at Rochester, Minn., and is now with her daughters in Pittsburgh, expecting to arrive home today or tomorrow.

—The Misses Anne and Caroline Valentine left Bellefonte yesterday for New York, where they will spend two months. Miss Caroline Valentine's time while in the city will be devoted to her art studies.

—Mrs. Earl Way, of Waddle, and her daughter Margery, are spending the month of January in Williamsport, having gone down to be with Mrs. H. D. Meek while she is convalescing from an appendicitis operation.

—Mrs. Ross and daughter, Miss Mary Ross, of Altoona, who are in Bellefonte for a visit of several weeks, came here the early part of the week to be with Mrs. A. G. Morris during Miss Lida Morris' absence in New York.

—Mrs. Ray D. Gilliland, of State College, was among the out-of-town people who spent yesterday in the stores of Bellefonte, taking advantage of the January reduction sales. While here Mrs. Gilliland was a guest of Miss Adaline Olewine.

—Mrs. John Stuart, of State College, and Miss Adaline Olewine are contemplating spending the late winter and spring in Florida. Leaving the early part of February they will come north until the bad weather of the spring is over.

—T. B. Buddinger, of Snow Shoe, with Mrs. Buddinger, their daughter Sara and son Robert, are among those from Centre county who will be in Florida during the winter. Mr. and Mrs. Buddinger and their children went south last week.

LOST.—Between Pennsylvania railroad station and Katz's store, gold cuff link; one link plain the other a setting of three pearls. Reward, if left at this office.

WANTED.—Competent girl for general housework. Apply to Miss ALICE REBER, 312 West College Ave., State College, Pa. Bell phone 30—m. 61-1-3t.

LOST OR STRAYED.—Scottish terrier pup, 4 months old. Yellow with white neck. Reward if returned to CLARENCE RHOADS, 61-3-1t.

At half price, suits, coats, waists—NEWMAN'S. 61-2-1t

Table with 2 columns: Commodity, Price per unit. Includes items like Corrected weekly by R. S. Brouse, Grocer, Potatoes per bushel, Onions, etc.

Table with 2 columns: Commodity, Price per unit. Includes items like Bellefonte Grain Markets, Corrected weekly by C. Y. WAGNER, Red Wheat, etc.

Table with 2 columns: Philadelphia Markets, Price per unit. Includes items like Wheat-Red, Corn, Oats, etc.

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