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THINGS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY.

—D. Wagner Geiss' sale and exchange for horses, Saturday, April 29th. 17-1t
—Have you tried the "Sheridan Troop" Sgt. cigar? It makes a mighty satisfactory smoke. 61-17-3t
—Don't fail to see The State College Thespians in "Here and There" at the opera house to morrow evening.
—Ground was broken this week for Miss Olive Steele's new house on Quaker hill. Gehret & Lambert have the contract.
—State Highway Commissioner Robert J. Cunningham died very suddenly at his home at Sewickley on Wednesday afternoon.
—George Smith, son of Mrs. Peter Smith, of Bishop street, suffered a stroke of paralysis on Sunday and is in quite a serious condition.
—Early Sunday morning fire destroyed the upper part of R. B. Harrison's store at Boalsburg. The loss is entirely covered by insurance.
—The Clinton county bar was represented at Col. Fortney's funeral yesterday by Maj. Kress, T. M. Stevens, Henry Hipple, Mr. Geary and Harry Furst.
—Mail carrier Edward Woods was compelled to be off duty last week on account of illness. He was able to return to duty, however, on Tuesday morning.
—James Noonan, with characteristic good judgment, closed the bar of his hotel during the funeral services at the home of Col. D. F. Fortney yesterday morning.
—Miss Margaret Haupt entertained the sewing circle, composed of six of her girl friends, at her home on south Allegheny street on Tuesday evening. Refreshments were served and the evening proved a very pleasant one for all.
—Mr. Douglass, the grandson of Frederick Douglass, probably the most noted man of his race in the United States, will give a recital in the court house on Thursday evening, May 11th. The public is cordially invited to hear him.
—The Bellefonte High school alumni association will hold its regular annual meeting in the High school building Tuesday evening, May 2nd, at 8:00 o'clock. Inasmuch as business of importance is to be transacted a full attendance is requested.
—The Penn State Thespians have been drawing big houses on their trip throughout the State this week, and if Bellefonters miss their show to-morrow night it will be their disappointment. "Here and There" is said to be one of the best shows the Thespians have ever staged. See them at Garman's.
—Miss Cecile de Legarde, who is at home from the war district of France, will speak in Boal's hall, Boalsburg, this (Friday) evening at 7:30 o'clock, and will tell all about the Red Cross work in that stricken land. Admission will be free but an offering will be lifted, and it is hoped all present will show due liberality.
—A meeting will be held at State College Friday and Saturday of next week to organize the principals and school teachers of Central Pennsylvania into a permanent organization. The preliminaries are in charge of a committee on which are Prof. H. F. Whiting, of Bellefonte, and Hon. C. L. Gramley, of Rebersburg.
—Hon. A. G. Morris is having a substantial concrete wall put down along the side of his lawn abutting the property of Clement Dale Esq. Mr. Dale's garden is something like twenty feet lower than the adjoining property of Mr. Morris and in order to keep the latter from caving in on the former the concrete wall is being put down.
—John M. Keichline has rented the rooms in Temple Court formerly occupied by Judge Henry C. Quigley and expects to move there from the Garman building about the first of May. He will occupy one of the rooms and his daughter, Miss Anna Keichline, the architect, will move into the other room from the room she now occupies on the third floor of Temple Court.
—Easter day was not very propitious for a display of new finery. Following Friday night's terrific rain and thunder storm it blew up cold and overcoats and warm wraps were in demand on Sunday. Notwithstanding that fact all the churches were well attended both morning and evening. Most of them were rich in floral decorations and services appropriate to the day were held.
—Now that the big time is over for this week don't forget the ball game on Hughes field Saturday afternoon at three o'clock between the Bellefonte Academy team and former Academy stars. Symms will probably be in the box for the visitors and others on the team will include Beattie, Jamison, Dillon, Negley, Eisenbeis, etc. This will be a good opportunity to see how the Academy athletes of today compare with those of former years. Admission, 25 cents.

Odd Fellows Had Big Celebration.

Twelve Thousand People Thronged Bellefonte on Wednesday to See Big Parade and Other Doings. Athens Selected as Next Meeting Place.

The Odd Fellows must have a special Deity that controls their destiny, else how on earth would they get such a nice day as Wednesday sandwiched in the spell of rainy weather we have been having lately? Even at that, Tuesday night's rain doubtless kept hundreds of people away from Bellefonte, but as it was, fully twelve thousand people were here to witness the thirty-second annual reunion of the Central Pennsylvania district Odd Fellows' association in honor of the ninety-seventh anniversary of the institution of Odd Fellowship in the United States. They came here in regular and special trains over every railroad entering Bellefonte, not counting the hundreds who came by automobile and other means of conveyance.
And nobody could find any fault with the arrangements made for the entertainment of the visitors by Centre Lodge No. 153, I. O. O. F., of this place. The hard work done the past two months by the executive committee, with J. Harry Eberhart as chairman, and all the sub-committees, brought the desired results, as there was not a single hitch in the entire day's program. The bulk of the visitors spent the morning in getting acquainted with each other and looking over the town, and the spirit of good fellowship was manifest in all.
The business meeting of the association was held in Odd Fellows' hall at ten o'clock in the morning, and it was largely attended by delegates from all over the district. All the old officers were re-elected as follows: President, William F. Losch; vice-president, N. T. Funston; secretary, Henry B. Eberly; treasurer, H. H. Blair, all of Williamsport. Charles Greevy, district attorney of Lycoming county, was elected secretary pro tem., owing to the illness of Mr. Eberly, who is confined to the Bellefonte hospital as the result of a stroke of paralysis sustained last week. The association voted an appropriation of \$50.00 to the Odd Fellows' orphanage at Sunbury, and selected Athens, Bradford county, as the place for holding next year's reunion.
The big parade in the afternoon was of course the spectacular feature of the gathering and the committee had so planned the route (as published in the WATCHMAN two weeks ago) that all the main part of the town was covered. The parade was only a few minutes late in moving, so that the big crowd didn't have time to grow impatient. According to count there were just 1561 people in line which included about eight hundred Odd Fellows, 127 Rebekahs in twenty-six automobiles, eight automobile loads of aged and infirm Odd Fellows and guests and twelve bands. As it appeared in line the parade was made up as follows:
FIRST DIVISION.
Troop L, escort, unmounted, 22 men in command of Lieut. Claude Smith.
Chief Marshall S. D. Gettig and 6 aides.
Automobile with Miss Lela Ardery as "Columbiad."
Grand Lodge officers in two autos.
Boys Orphanage band of Sunbury.
Mounted Grand Lodge officers, six.
Encampment—Ridgely Canton, 30.
Canton Friendship, 13.
Patriarchs Militant, 22.
Tyronne P. R. K. band.
Canton Tyronne, 34.
SECOND DIVISION.
Marshall F. W. Magrady and 4 aides.
The Talulala Tribe Red Men's band of Williamsport.
Williamsport Lodge, 27 men.
Oval Lodge, 12.
Mounted Marshalls, 4.
Lewisburg Lodge, 24.
Bald Eagle Lodge, 40 (estimated.)
Spring Mills Lodge, 95 (estimated.)
Citizens band of Ferguson township.
State College Lodge, 44.
Pennsylvania Lodge, of Pine Grove Mills, 40.
Centre Hall Lodge, 69, all in white.
Boal's band of Boalsburg.
Boalsburg Lodge, 19.
Lemont Lodge, 26.
Halfmoon Lodge, 23.
Osceola Cornet band.
Osceola and Phillipsburg Lodges, 69.
Snow Shoe band.
Snow Shoe Lodge, 33.
Lumen Lodge of Fleming, 37.
Blanchard Lodge, 52.
Port Matilda Lodge, 20.
Millheim band.
Millheim Lodge, 40, (linea suits and up-to-date high hats.)
Avis City band.
Avis Lodge, 40 men all in white.
Clearfield Lodge, 32 men, with red banners and rope.
THIRD DIVISION.
Marshall H. C. Jones and 3 aides.
Lockport band.
Lock Haven Lodge, 33 men, (frock coats and high hats.)
Our Boys band of Milesburg.
Centre Lodge No. 153, of Bellefonte, 103 men in frock coats and high hats.
Burgess and Town Council in autos.
Aged and infirm Odd Fellows and guests in 8 automobiles.
Rebekahs, 127 in twenty-six autos.
The parade formed on Academy hill, moved south on Logan street to Ridge, Ridge to Bishop, Bishop to Allegheny, Allegheny to Linn, Linn to Armor, Armor to Curtin, Curtin to Spring, Spring to Lamb, Lamb to Thomas, Thomas to High, High to Spring, where the various Lodges, etc., and the Tyronne band broke ranks, the other eleven bands marching to Bishop street where they massed, then with the veteran band leader of the Boys Orphanage band of Sunbury leading from the tonneau of an auto, and followed by the banner carriers of each organization, they all marched east on Bishop street to [Continued on page 4, Col. 6.]

—Do you want to buy or sell a horse? If so patronize D. Wagner Geiss' sale and exchange Saturday, April 29th. 17-1t

—The Attorney General's department at Harrisburg last Thursday brought suit against Snow Shoe township to recover \$4,059 due on state road contracts. Centre county has paid its share of the money but the township was so far failed to do so, and now it will be in for a bill of costs as well as the above amount.

—On Monday night at 8 o'clock in the auditorium in the High school building Miss Cecile de Legarde will make an address about her work in Chambery, France, where there are sixteen hospitals containing three thousand beds. She will show lantern slides from pictures she has taken in the hospital. She is here on an important mission and hopes to take many supplies back with her when she returns to France in May.
—Big days will always draw a big crowd but it takes something of high merit to hold a crowd night after night like the Scenic. But it is easily accounted for in the high class motion pictures shown there as regular programs every day. The Triangle and Paramount releases today stand in the front rank of motion pictures and two nights of each are to be seen at the Scenic each week. Bellefonters generally flock to the Scenic and strangers in town follow the crowd.
—On the night of April 27th, Lewis Dumliski and August Zinki, two young foreigners of Rush township, broke into the school house at Munson and demolished seats, furniture, desks, windows and things generally. They were arrested and brought to the Centre county jail and at a session of court yesterday morning they both pleaded guilty and were sentenced by Judge Quigley to serve time in the Huntingdon reformatory. They will be taken to that institution today, and their departure will leave Sheriff Yarnell with but two boarders on his hands.
—The seventeenth annual reunion of the Fifth regiment Spanish-American war veterans will be held in Johnstown tomorrow. The morning will be devoted to sight-seeing. A business meeting will be held in the G. A. R. hall at three o'clock and in the evening the visitors will banquet at the Fort Stanwix hotel. A number of Bellefonters belong to the association. Capt. J. Swaw Taylor, of Johnstown, is president of the association, and Maj. John C. Dunkle, of Huntingdon, secretary. The office of treasurer is vacant owing to the death of Joseph H. Butler, of Altoona.
—While the water is still too high and cloudy for good trout fishing quite a number of the speckled beauties are being taken from the streams hereabouts. Friday T. Clayton Brown caught two fifteen inch trout in Spring creek right opposite the WATCHMAN office, while some fair catches have been made on Fishing creek. One of the proudest lads in Bellefonte is Joe Katz, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Katz, who came in one day last week with seven trout, all of legal size and all caught by himself. On Monday Matthew Wagner landed one which measured 25 inches.
—Mr. and Mrs. Shelton Custer, of Philadelphia, were in Bellefonte last Saturday and their visit to Bellefonte will undoubtedly result in improved telegraphic facilities for the town. Mr. Custer is vice president of the Western Union Telegraph company and he was here on a trip of inspection. He candidly confessed that the present office in Bellefonte was not what it should be and he spent several hours in trying to find a more suitable location. In fact he would like to get a ground floor room as near the Diamond as possible and then equip it with proper furnishings, etc. While nothing definite was accomplished last Saturday Mr. Custer will return to Bellefonte today or tomorrow and hopes to secure a room so that the change can be made at as early a date as possible. This is a move that the patrons of the Western Union in Bellefonte will appreciate, as there is no denying that the present office and location are not what they should be for a town like Bellefonte.
—Jasper E. Solt, the ten year old son of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Solt, narrowly escaped serious injury and possibly death on Saturday evening, when he ran right in front of John Shugert's car. He with some other boys were playing ball on south Allegheny street near Bishop about seven o'clock in the evening. Mr. Shugert drove his car down and stopped in front of the John Meese store. Just as he started a ball was thrown to the Solt lad and he ran backward right in front of the car to catch it. It was impossible for Mr. Shugert to stop the car but he did manage to turn sharply to one side so that the fender struck the boy. He was thrown to the paved street and bystanders thought the front wheel of the car ran over him. Mr. Shugert stopped the car almost immediately, got the boy and took him to a doctor's office and from there to the hospital. Aside from a bruise on the left side where the fender struck him and a few slight bruises and contusions he was uninjured; which was evidence that he had been merely knocked down and not run over. It should be a warning to boys, however, against playing ball on one of the busiest streets in the town.

PASTOR INSTALLED.—A fair sized congregation assembled in the Presbyterian church on Sunday to witness the official installation of Rev. William Kerr McKinney as pastor of the church. Rev. William Potter VanTries, of Altoona, moderator of the Huntingdon Presbytery, presided. Rev. Walter Fay Carson read the scripture lesson and led in prayer, after which the formal installation services were conducted by Rev. Van Tries.

Rev. James E. Irvine, Ph. D., of Altoona, delivered the charge to the pastor. He told him first that it was his duty to take care of his health, and surrounded as he would be with beautiful mountains, athletic fields and tennis courts, and with so much pure water and invigorating air, he ought to have no trouble in keeping healthy. Second, he was to preach the good, old-fashioned gospel to his congregation and devote himself entirely to looking after the interests of his church and the upbuilding of God's kingdom within the confines of his pastorate.

Rev. Edward C. Reeve, of Clearfield, delivered the charge to the congregation and in starting out he announced that all he had to say began with one letter. First, pay your pastor. Not only pay him promptly but pay him according to his worth and the work you expect him to do. Second, praise him. When he preaches an able sermon or does any other worthy act, go to him and tell him about it. Preachers as well as men in other walks of life feel better and can work better if they are told that their efforts are appreciated. And lastly, pray for him, that his work among you may be sanctified and bring forth fruits according to its deserts.
The services concluded with the benediction by Rev. McKinney.
A reception will be held in the Presbyterian chapel this (Friday) evening, from 7:30 to 9 o'clock, to give the members of the congregation an opportunity to meet the pastor and his wife, and have a regular get together meeting.
SNOW SHOE Y. W. C. A. ORGANIZED.—The opening meeting of the Snow Shoe Young Women's Christian Association was held on Thursday evening. At that time it was voted to organize as a branch of the Centre county Y. W. C. A., and the county constitution was read by Miss Foresman, who explained the purpose of the Association. Various classes and clubs were talked of and more definite arrangements for them will be made at the meeting next week. A committee was appointed to nominate officers and another committee to draw up the by-laws of the Snow Shoe branch. Reports of these committees will be given next week.
After a free discussion it was unanimously voted to call the room which has been rented by the Association and is being beautified by the members "Community Hall," for the Y. W. C. A. is a community movement. The room may, of course, be secured for any good purpose for the use of various organizations of the community. Refreshments were served at the close of the business session.
MEETING OF ROAD AND BRIDGE VIEWERS.—A meeting of the board of road and bridge viewers will be held in the grand jury room at the court house on Monday, May 15th, to take testimony on the following:
A petition for a public road in Gregg township, from the Brush valley road near the Logan school house to a point on the road near the Penn's cave house.
A petition to vacate a road from the Starr school house to the German Settlement, near George Quick's home, a distance of one and a half miles.
—Buy or sell a horse at D. Wagner Geiss' sale and exchange, Saturday, April 29th. 17-1t
—Farmer George Stevenson, of Buffalo Run, can always be counted upon to lead the season just a few days. His garden is always a little earlier than his neighbors. In the fall he always brings fruit in regular order to market just a few days before the other fellow's is fit to bring. He is about the only man who brings squabs to town and on Monday he came in with a four foot racer, which is a species of a blacksnake. The reptile, which is about an inch thick, has been on exhibition this week in the window of Parrish's drug store, and has been attracting considerable attention.
—The wedding of Miss Jennie E. Rupp, of State College, and Harvey F. Bond, of Nescopeck, will take place at the home of the bride's brother, John E. Rupp, at State College, on June 20th.
—Smokers who are not familiar with the "Sheridan Troop" Sgt. cigar have missed a lot of smoking satisfaction. 61-17-3t
NEWS PURELY PERSONAL.
—Miss Rebek Noll is entertaining Miss Lane, of Warriorsmark.
—Charles Scott, Frederic Reynolds and Hugh Quigley were all home for Easter.
—Charles F. Cook was an Easter guest of his daughter, Mrs. Benjamin R. Curry, at Aspinwall.
—D. G. Meek and Calvin Krebs, of State College, were among those in town yesterday for the funeral of Mr. Fortney.
—Miss Nancy Hunter returned to Philadelphia Tuesday after spending a short Easter vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. Hunter.
—H. S. Cooper, who came to Bellefonte Monday for the wedding of his daughter, Miss Emelyn M. Cooper, left yesterday to return to Texas, on account of important business. Mrs. Cooper will leave to join him there within a week.

—Mrs. Russell Jury and Miss Marie Montgomery spent Sunday with friends in Tyrone.

—Miss Carrie Anderson has returned home from a month's sojourn with friends in Kane.

—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Katz and little son William, of Lewistown, were here for Easter with grandpa Aaron Katz.
—Mrs. Charles Heverley left on Monday to visit her brother in Altoona and her son in Duncansville, expecting to be away two weeks.
—Miss Ella Lose went down to Williamsport on Friday and remained until Tuesday as a guest of her brother, Harry Lose and family.
—Miss Miriam L. Dreese accompanied by her father, J. J. Dreese, of Lemont, is spending the week in Philadelphia and Atlantic City.
—Mr. and Mrs. Norman R. Wright had as an Easter guest, Mrs. Wright's father, Judge James W. Shull, of New Bloomfield, Perry county.
—Miss Mary Hawes, a daughter of Dr. and Mrs. George E. Hawes, of Harrisburg, spent from Saturday until yesterday visiting Bellefonte friends.
—Mrs. Edward Russell came up from Philadelphia the latter part of last week to spend some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Whitaker.
—Mrs. Walter T. Aukerbrand, of Philadelphia, is in Bellefonte visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Wain; expecting to be here another week or ten days.
—Miss Ruby Eberhart, a nurse in training at the Punksutawney hospital, spent Easter in Bellefonte with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Harry Eberhart.
—Dr. Frank Davis, of Johnstown, spent Easter in Bellefonte with his son, Frank Davis, wife and son, at the home of Mrs. E. C. Tuten, on south Spring street.
—Miss Marie White came up from Williamsport to spend Easter with her aunt and sister, Miss Powell and Miss Josephine White, at the Brockerhoff house.
—Mr. and Mrs. Broderick, of State College, were guests of Mrs. Broderick's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thaddeus Hamilton, during the I. O. O. F. convention this week.
—Cyril Moerschbacher could not resist the temptation to try his luck on the big trout in Spring creek so came over from his work at Burnham, on Saturday, for a few days' fishing.
—Mrs. C. B. Hanna and Mrs. J. Frey, both of Lock Haven, came to Bellefonte on Tuesday evening and were guests over Odd Fellows' day of Mrs. Frank P. Bartley, of east Lamb street.
—Mr. and Mrs. Blair Yarnell and children, of Snow Shoe, were Easter guests of Mrs. Yarnell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William McClellan, and remained over for the big Odd Fellows' celebration on Wednesday.
—Mrs. Grant S. Peifer, of Williamsburg, was a pleasant visitor at the WATCHMAN office on Wednesday. She is here spending two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hezekiah Hoy, and expects to visit Gettysburg before returning home.
—Mr. and Mrs. G. Ross Parker and son, George Ross, will leave today for Somerset to see Mr. Parker's mother, who had a serious fall recently and injured her hip. At this writing the doctors have been unable to determine whether the bone is fractured or not.
—Mrs. R. S. Brouse motored over to Lewisburg last Thursday to meet her daughter, Mrs. F. W. Topelt and little son, Richard S., of Brooklyn, who came here for a month's visit. Mr. Topelt came to Bellefonte on Friday evening and remained until Sunday.
—Mrs. Mollie L. Valentine will return to Bellefonte next week from Philadelphia, expecting to occupy her apartment at the Bush house during the summer. Mrs. Valentine has been in Florida since February, coming north several weeks ago to Atlantic City, where she spent Easter at the "Chalfonte."
—Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Reed, of Altoona, and Mrs. W. J. Eddy, of Salona, came to Bellefonte on Saturday to visit Mrs. G. Wesley Gray and son Herbert, of west High street. Mr. and Mrs. Reed returned home on Sunday while Mrs. Eddy, who is a sister of Mrs. Gray, will remain during the week.
—John Martin came over from Clearfield last week to visit his aged mother and decided to remain over for the big gathering of Odd Fellows. Mr. Martin is a genial, whole-souled gentleman and though he has lived in Clearfield in the neighborhood of thirty years he always appreciates coming back to his native town.
—Mrs. William B. Wallis, of Crafton, came to Bellefonte on Friday to spend Easter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Will Conley, and to remain over for the Odd Fellows' reunion. Mr. and Mrs. Conley also had as guests over Odd Fellows' day Mr. Conley's mother, Mrs. John W. Conley, of Centre Hall, and Miss Mittie Lucas, of Howard.
—A. A. Witter, Esq., of Tyrone, was a Bellefonte visitor on Wednesday, attracted of course by the big day. Time was when Mr. Witter managed all the Pennsy trains for such an occasion, but he is retired now and says he is so busy looking after his grand-children that he doesn't know how he could find time to do any work that should fall on him.
—C. H. VanClousen, a member of the Gazette and Bulletin staffs, of Williamsport, was with the Lumber City Odd Fellows in Bellefonte on Wednesday, and called to pay his respects to the WATCHMAN. Mr. Van Clousen has all the earmarks of a thorough newspaper man and if he is a sample of the entire staff it is no wonder the Gazette is such a good paper.
—Among the men who came to Bellefonte on Wednesday for the Odd Fellows' celebration and who favored this office with a call were Sam Harpold, of Gettysburg, one of the best known men in that end of the county; James W. Swabb, of Linden Hall; William A. Sauerman, of Altoona; W. C. Kreamer, of Berwick; Lester Livingstone and Roy Berry, of Lock Haven.
—Mrs. C. B. Williams and son Frederick, of Bayonne, N. J., arrived in Bellefonte last Friday evening to spend Easter and this week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lyon. Jack Lyon also came home from Pittsburgh, owing to the strike for an eight hour day now hanging over the city. His visit here will probably be regulated by the duration of the strike.
—Last Friday we had a pleasant call from an old friend, William Showers, of Mingo, and what he didn't tell us about truck farming wasn't worth knowing. Mr. Showers several years ago gave up his position at the Bellefonte Lumber Co., plant to move to his own little farm where he raises produce that is just a bit better than that of most every other Centre county grower.
—Miss Anna Mary Hunter, of Stormtown, was in Bellefonte Friday night with her cousin, J. D. Hunter, looking after some business relative to the settlement of her father's estate. Miss Hunter and her sister, Mrs. A. W. Smith, left Monday for Mrs. Smith's home at Blairsville, where Miss Hunter anticipates making her home, going from there to spend a part of the time with her brothers, at Erie and Boulder, Co.

—Mr. and Mrs. John S. Walker are at Atlantic City, having left Bellefonte a week ago.

—Mrs. T. F. Connerly, of Tyrone, is a guest of her sister, Mrs. Ray, at the Brockerhoff house.

—Mrs. E. C. Merriman, of Yonkers, N. Y., is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. John Blanchard.
—T. H. Harter, banker and lumberman, of Logansport, was a distinguished visitor in town on Monday.
—Mr. and Mrs. Carl Beck, of Wilkesburg, were Easter guests of Mrs. Beck's mother, Mrs. John Harrison.
—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Carver were among those from Runville who joined the I. O. O. F. in their celebration Wednesday.
—Among the large delegation of Ferguson township Odd Fellows in town on Wednesday, was James Hoover, of Penna. Furnace.
—Miss Roxey Crosthwaite returned to her home in Altoona Monday, after spending her Easter vacation with relatives and friends in Bellefonte.
—Jerome Dale, who is working in the P. R. R. Shops at Renovo, spent the week-end with his father, Martin Dale, at his home on Bishop street.
—John Q. Miles, of Martha, was in town for the big day and enjoyed the crowd as much as he used to when he was a moving spirit on all such occasions.
—Henry Armaquat, of Buffalo Run, was in town on Wednesday for the first time since early last fall. He suffered all winter with a severe attack of rheumatism.
—Among the thousands in Bellefonte for Odd Fellows' day was Capt. W. H. Fry, of Pine Grove Mills, who also remained over for the funeral of Col. D. F. Fortney yesterday morning.
—Mr. and Mrs. John H. Williams, of Pine Grove Mills, were in town Wednesday evening the parade and about as tired from jumping around as every body else must have felt.
—Dr. John Keichline, of Petersburg, and Edward Keichline, of Renovo, have both been in Bellefonte within the past week visiting with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Keichline.
—Fred P. Robison, of the Robison printery, Curwensville, with his wife and child, was here for the big time Wednesday and remained over until yesterday to see the town in its natural shape.
—Harry B. Rote, formerly of Bellefonte, but now one of the successful jewelers of Chestertown, Md., has been visiting with his parents at Axemans and with friends in Bellefonte during the past week.
—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Twitmore were among those from Sunbury who were in Bellefonte Wednesday for the I. O. O. F. convention. During their stay they were guests of Mr. Twitmore's father, Edgar T. Twitmore.
—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Adams, Mr. and Mrs. D. Kirk Taylor, and William Fogleman, of Lock Haven, and Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Anglehoffer and two children, of Jersey Shore, were among the visitors in Bellefonte on Wednesday.
—William Carson, of Spring Mills, was in town Wednesday, as Bill always is on big days. You know he sure is a big day visitor. He quit farming in the spring and cleared up over \$4100 with his stock. It paid him to move to Pennsylvania.
—Miss Rachel Scanlon, of Axe Mann, is visiting in Pittsburgh with her sister, Mrs. George D. Vetter, having left here Saturday of last week. On leaving Pittsburgh Miss Scanlon will come to Altoona, to continue her visit with Mrs. Bonon, another sister.
—David Miller, of Pine Grove Mills, and his son, John C. Miller, of Cleveland, Ohio, who is home making a short visit with his mother, were in Bellefonte yesterday for the funeral of Col. D. F. Fortney. Mrs. Miller has been in ill health for several years.
—Herb Ward, the phonograph man, of Shamokin, was among the Odd Fellows here on Wednesday. He came merely for the day because he knew he would meet Pennsylvania Lodge, of Pine Grove Mills, his old home, here strong. And he did and he was happy.
—Mr. Clevon Dinges, of Bellefonte, and Miss Lovejoy, of State College, who represented the Bellefonte Chapter of the D. A. R. at the congress in Washington last week, returned home early this week. Mrs. Dinges had spent seven weeks visiting in eastern Pennsylvania and New York before going to Washington.
—Horse sale and exchange, Saturday, April 29th, at D. Wagner Geiss' stable' Bellefonte. 17-1t
Bellefonte Produce Markets.
Corrected weekly by R. S. Brouse, Grocer.
The prices quoted are those paid for produce.
Potatoes per bushel..... \$3.90
Onions..... 65
Eggs, per dozen..... 18
Lard, per pound..... 15
Butter per pound..... 30
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..... 70
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..... \$1.13@1.16
—No. 2..... 1.10@1.13
Corn..... 76@77
—Mixed new..... 66@67
Oats..... 46@47
Flour—Winter, per barrel..... 4.90@5.15
—Favorite Brands..... 5.00@5.50
Rye Flour per barrel..... 5.00@5.50
Baled Hay—Choice Timothy No. 1..... 10.00@12.00
Mixed No. 2..... 12.00@15.00
Straw..... 8.50@14.00
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All legal and transient advertising running for four weeks or less.
First insertion, per line..... 10 cts.
Each additional insertion, per line..... 5 cts.
Local Notices, per line..... 20 cts.
Business Notices, per line..... 10 cts.
BUSINESS OR DISPLAY ADVERTISEMENTS
Per inch, first insertion..... 50 cts.
Each additional insertion per inch..... 25 cts.
The following discounts will be allowed on ad-vertisements continued for:
Three weeks, and under three mos. 10 per cent.
Four mos. and under six mos. 15 per cent.
Six mos. and under 12 mos. 25 per cent.
Advertisers, and especially Advertising Agents are respectfully informed that no notice will be taken of orders to insert advertisements at less rates than above, nor will any notice be given to orders of parties unknown to the publisher unless accompanied by the cash.