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THINGS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY.

June 2, sale and bazaar day at Geiss livery.
Harry McClellan, of Milesburg, was admitted as a medical patient in the Lock Haven hospital on Wednesday.
Work was suddenly and very unexpectedly halted on the sewer on east Lamb street last week owing to a demand from the workmen for more wages.
Miss Mary E. Devling, who during the winter conducted the Blue Heron hotel at Crystal Beach, Florida, has returned to St. Benedict Pa., for the summer.
The ladies of the United Brethren church will hold one of their famous food sales on Saturday afternoon and evening, May 27th, in the basement of the church.
The sixth annual Zeigler family reunion will be held at Grange Park, Centre Hall, on Saturday, June 17th. All relatives and friends are cordially invited to attend.
The Young People's society of the Milesburg M. E. church will serve lunch to the public on Memorial day, May 30th, in the Crider building. Ice cream and cake will also be served. Your patronage is solicited.
Boyd A. Musser, of Scranton, a member of the Bellefonte Commandery Knights Templar, at the annual convocation in Scranton on Wednesday was elected grand warden of the Grand Commandery of the State.
George T. Bush has been named as a member of the grand council of vice presidents of the National Historical society, of which he is one of the original life founders. He is one of five named in Pennsylvania.
A large card party will be given in the near future, by department 8, of the Pennsylvania women's division for national preparedness, for the purpose of raising funds to send young men to Plattsburg and other citizen's camps.
The New York Dramatic Mirror recently contained a quarter of a column of notes on the drama and movies throughout Central Pennsylvania from the pen of George T. Bush, who has been the Mirror's correspondent over twenty-five years.
When Sheriff Yarnell returned home from Pittsburgh on Tuesday he brought with him two colored gentlemen whom he installed as regular boarders in his castle on the hill. The two men are charged with badly beating up one of their own race in a free-for-all fight in Philipsburg.
Rev. W. C. Charlton has tendered his resignation as rector of St. John's Episcopal church of this place to take effect early in June, and is already making preparations to move to Jacksonville, Florida. In fact the Rev. Charlton will preach his last sermon to his Bellefonte congregation on Sunday, June 11th.
The Bellefonte High school is trying to create a community interest in the High school orchestra, and for this reason is asking you to honor it with your presence at the concert to be rendered on Friday evening, May 26th. Your presence and the presence of other prominent people in town will do a lot towards encouraging this feature of High school work.
On Sunday morning Capt. H. Laird Curtin, first lieutenant E. R. Taylor, second lieutenant Claude W. Smith, sergeants Wilbur E. Saxion, Harry Shreffler and Paul Wetzel, corporal Frank Taylor, with Wilbur Rhoads as cook and John Morrison as farrier, all of Troop L, left Bellefonte for Fort Meyer, Va., where they will spend ten days at a United States military instruction camp for officers. The soldiers did not take mounts with them but will be allowed to use the horses of the regular troops now stationed there.
The WATCHMAN has many appreciative readers and among the number is D. M. Kerlin, of Rudd, Iowa. In a letter enclosing a remittance which places him in the 1918 column he says: "I am now sixty-four years old, and I have read the WATCHMAN since the time I could read anything, and always admired its stand on any issue of the day. Here's to Wilson for President and the whole Democratic ticket." We appreciate Mr. Kerlin's kind words to the fullest extent and shall ever aim to keep the paper up to the standard he so much admires.
Next Wednesday will be circus day, the next to the biggest circus Bellefonte has ever had, and the probability is for a large crowd in Bellefonte. The show itself is of high standard in every way but if all reports are correct there are a lot of smooth-fingered gentlemen who probably have no connection with the show but follow it from place to place to make an easy living. WATCHMAN readers are cautioned to be on the lookout for such men. In fact, the wise thing is to bring no more money with you than you think you will need for the day, then you can't lose much at the worst. A big crowd is no place to be in, either with belching pocketbooks or a big display of jewelry.

An Interesting Hearing.
Quite an interesting hearing took place before commissioner John S. Rilling, of the Public Service Commission, in Harrisburg on Monday afternoon, on the application of W. J. Emerick, of the Emerick motor bus line, for a certificate of public convenience as now required by law.
Mr. Emerick drove to Harrisburg Monday morning in his big White seven passenger car and took with him the following witnesses: Epley Gentzel, of Zion; W. L. Grenoble, of Hecla Park; Charles Lee, of Snyder-town; Charles Krape and John B. Harris, of Lamar, and Charles Dennis, of Clintondale. Mr. Emerick's attorney was James C. Furst Esq. Superintendent Wallace H. Gephart, of the Central Railroad of Pennsylvania, protested against the granting of a certificate of public convenience to the Emerick motor bus line and was represented before Commissioner Rilling by John Blanchard Esq. As witnesses he had Squire Solomon Peck, of Huston; John H. Beck, of Nittany; John D. Miller, of Hurlersburg; E. E. Yearick, of Nittany; John W. Evey, of Zion, and Dr. James Dumm, of Mackeyville.
The commissioner heard the testimony of both sides in the controversy and then stated that said testimony would be transcribed and the two attorneys were to submit briefs of argument for the Commissioner's consideration, and that a decision would be announced in due time.
On Tuesday morning a hearing was held on the application of Mr. Emerick for a certificate of public convenience for his motor bus line between Philipsburg and Houtzdale, the application being opposed by officials of the Pittsburgh and Susquehanna (Alloppoper) railroad.
The railroad company takes the position that they are operating under a charter which conveyed to them certain rights and privileges which are now being interfered with by the motor bus line. That the operation of this line has greatly reduced their passenger traffic and consequently their financial receipts. That the freight traffic alone is not sufficient to make operating the road a paying proposition and consequently they ask for redress. If the decision of the Public Service Commission is against the railroad, and their passenger traffic interfered with to the extent of making the company's receipts fall off considerably, they might be forced to allow their charter to lapse and quit operating the road, which would mean no freight traffic or anything through the total length of Nittany valley.

Escaped Prisoner Recaptured.
Constantine Gentile, whose escape from the new penitentiary at Rockview at 3.40 o'clock last Thursday afternoon was told in the "Watchman," was captured at Glenn Iron, on the Lewisburg and Tyrone railroad about three o'clock on Friday afternoon. Gentile had walked the entire distance, which is thirty miles or more, and his recapture was due to the tower operator at Paddy Mountain.
The latter was sitting at his desk in the tower idly looking out of the window when he espied a man walking down the track and glancing furtively to the right and left as if looking for somebody. When he approached the tower the operator saluted him and began a conversation. He told the man he looked tired and Gentile finally confessed that he was not only tired but hungry. The operator gave him some lunch and water and the Italian finally became confidential enough to confess who he was. Of course he got the operator's sympathy and the latter gave him money to go to Glenn Iron on the afternoon passenger train. In the meantime he called Coburn by telegraph and told the operator there to telephone the penitentiary officials and he would have the man held at Glenn Iron. When the afternoon train stopped at the tower the operator told the conductor and Gentile was taken aboard and carried to Glenn Iron where he was held until the arrival of the penitentiary car which brought him back to the Centre county jail.
Gentile was sent up from Pittsburgh on February 12th for not less than three years nor more than four after he had pleaded guilty on seventeen counts to receiving stolen goods and on fifteen counts for breaking into and entering. In disposing of the case Saturday evening Judge Quigley gave Gentile an additional sentence of not less than three nor more than four years, so that now he will have to serve not less than six nor more than eight years. He was taken back to Pittsburgh on Monday morning by Sheriff George H. Yarnell and Clarence Daley.
Have now on hand one hundred rose bushes, in six inch pots, at 50c each. Fifty hydrangeas at 25c each. Send your order in early.
21-1t THE POTTER HOY HARDWARE Co.

Basket Sale.
The Basket Shop announces a special sale of "seconds" Friday and Saturday, May 26th and 27th. Scrap, magazine, fruit, flower, work and other baskets suitable for making the porch attractive. We have never offered such good baskets at such low prices. Buy now. Sale will be held on the lawn at the residence of Miss Mary Miles Blanchard, 19 west Linn St. (side entrance.) 61-21-1t
Both State College and Lock Haven got another five hundred dollar slice of bacon in the "pork barrel" recommendation at Washington, last Friday, to be used in connection with the proposed new federal post-office building in each town.
Last week's "Watchman" gave the total amount made by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Bellefonte hospital during the past year as \$482.00, but they really got more money than that. The sale in May, 1915, netted \$138.00; in November, \$168.00, and the sale two weeks ago \$252.00, a total of \$558.00.
The Presbyterians of Milesburg who have been without a pastor for some time will have preaching service in their church Sunday evening, May 28th. At that time Rev. H. P. Howie, of Pottsgrove, will officiate for them and everybody is cordially invited to attend the service with them.
A general invitation is extended to the people of Bellefonte to become regular patrons of the Scenic. Manager T. Clayton Brown will do his very best to give you an interesting and delightful entertainment and send you home with the feeling that you got your money's worth. Some of the biggest and best pictures staged today are being shown on the screen at the Scenic right along and if you miss one it is as likely as not to be one of the best.
The Beech Creek Road and Gun club, which is composed entirely of Tyrone people, opened their club house below Beech Creek on Saturday for the season. Members use the club house as a delightful place for an outing, but it is especially well patronized during the bass fishing season which will open June 15th. The house is a twelve room bungalow entirely surrounded by a commodious porch. In the club's equipment are gasoline motor boats, skiffs and rowboats.
President J. D. Connelly, of the Central district Volunter Firemen's association, has appointed the following executive committee: Augustus Gleason, of DuBois; Henry G. Ogden, of Clearfield; H. L. Morgan, of Philipsburg; A. H. Rumberger, of Houtzdale; A. W. Baird, of Osceola Mills; W. A. Henderson, of Bellwood, and B. J. Murray, of Lock Haven. The above committee will have charge of all the arrangements for the annual convention which will this year be held in Clearfield.
Elliott Lyon Morris, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morris, of this place, has received through Congressman Charles H. Rowland the appointment as a cadet to the Annapolis Naval academy and, accompanied by his father, went to Annapolis on Wednesday to take the preliminary examination. Gordon Montgomery, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Montgomery, has also received through the same source an appointment as a cadet at West Point. The latter appointment came as quite a surprise at this time, as Gordon was not expecting it for some months to come.
Charles Douglass (colored) was electrocuted at the new penitentiary on Monday morning. Just five minutes after the first contact was made he was pronounced dead by Dr. Robert J. Campbell, penitentiary physician. Just about a year ago Douglass murdered Joseph Smith at Webster, Westmoreland county. He was convicted last August and sentenced to electrocution. The board of pardons refused to interfere in his behalf. Before being brought to the penitentiary last week Douglass maintained that he was innocent but refused to state who the guilty parties were.
Theodore Davis Boal, of Boalsburg, and George Boal Thompson, of Alto, are at the head of a preparedness movement to organize a mounted machine gun company at State College and vicinity and already have forty volunteers of the total of fifty men wanted. The equipment will consist of four machine guns and accessories. The United States government will co-operate in the movement and Major General Leonard Wood has made arrangements to spend Saturday, June 3rd, at the camp of instruction which is to be held for two weeks on the farm of Mr. Boal, at Boalsburg. On the day of the big gathering at Boalsburg Mr. Boal will be the host at an ox roast, and there will be music by the Boal band, and drilling by the new troop. In fact it will be a time worth going many miles to see.

A Bellefonte Investment Company.
A charter was granted in Harrisburg on May 13th to the Co-Operative Investment company of Pennsylvania, incorporated, which will have a capital stock of \$100,000, at a par value of \$1.00 per share, non-assessable. The home office of the company will be in Bellefonte and the officers already chosen are as follows: President, Walter Cohen; vice president, George A. Beezer; secretary and treasurer, G. Oscar Gray; directors, Walter Cohen, George A. Beezer, G. Oscar Gray, H. Laird Curtin, T. Clayton Brown, H. S. Taylor and Ellis L. Orvis.
The Company proposes, first to acquire and manage its own mercantile establishment with a profitable line of business already established and its desire and purpose is to have everyone in the employ of the mercantile business directly and financially interested in The Co-Operative Investment Company of Pennsylvania, Inc., to obtain the best possible service in that department. In addition, it is the purpose to obtain sufficient cash to buy upon the best possible basis, and not upon credit. When this enterprise is fully established the company plans to acquire a produce commission department, probably in connection with the mercantile establishment, which will enable the company to have a department wherein it can accept produce of any kind from the farmers and other producers of Centre county, with an experienced man financially interested in the company and under bond at its head.
Later, but only after these other enterprises have been placed upon a profit-making basis, it is the purpose to develop or acquire small industries along the lines of activity naturally in touch with and growing out of these enterprises, that, after careful investigation, will prove remunerative to this company and furnish employment for competent investors and a source of labor employment in the community.
All investments and purchases will be made on a cash basis, and wherever possible the company will favor its own stockholders wherever advisable in the selection of agents and employees.
Negotiations are now pending for a property at an attractive price which will unquestionably net the company very handsome returns. Every dollar of the stockholders' money will be used for conservative, legitimate investments.

Hayes Schenck Sentenced.
Shortly after the opening of court at ten o'clock on Monday morning Hayes Schenck, for over twenty-five years justice of the peace at Howard, and who last week withdrew his application for a new trial in the case on which he was convicted at the February sessions of court for bounty swindling and plead guilty to nine other indictments, was called before the court for sentence and given not less than two nor more than three years in the western penitentiary.
In pronouncing sentence Judge Quigley told Mr. Schenck that to do so was a very unpleasant duty. That his family had been one of the pioneers in Centre county, had always borne an honorable name and that he was the first man to disgrace it by being convicted of a serious offense. That his friends and neighbors had entrusted him with one of the highest offices within their gift, and had shown their confidence in him by keeping him there over a quarter of a century, but he had betrayed their trust and used his office to perpetrate a crime against the Commonwealth and for private gain, and the law demanded that he pay the penalty. He further stated that on account of his advanced age (59 years) he intended being as lenient as possible and hoped when his time expired he would come back a better man and with the determination to so live that the stain he has put upon the family name would at least be forgotten.
Judge Quigley then stated that the sentence of the court is "that you forfeit your commission as justice of the peace, pay a fine of one dollar, costs of prosecution and undergo imprisonment in the western penitentiary for a period of not less than two years nor more than three, and stand committed until the sentence is complied with."
Sentence on the nine other indictments to which Mr. Schenck plead guilty will be suspended upon the payment of the costs. But if Mr. Schenck returns home after completing his present sentence and reverts to his old mode of life the court reserved the right to call him up and pass sentence on all the indictments.
Mr. Schenck was taken to the penitentiary on Wednesday morning by sheriff Yarnell. At the station he met a number of friends and shook hands with them. In fact he took the whole affair philosophically, giving no outward show of emotions of any kind.
Children's day services will be held in St. John's Catholic church next Sunday evening, at 7.30 o'clock.

NEWS PURELY PERSONAL.

Frank Crisman spent the fore part of this week in Snow Shoe.
Miss Mollie Valentine went to Philadelphia on Tuesday for a brief sojourn.
Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Decker returned home last Saturday from a trip to Lancaster.
Mrs. W. B. Mingle, of Centre Hall, spent Monday in Bellefonte shopping and visiting friends.
Peter Mendis came north from Tampa, Florida, this week to look after some business matters.
Daniel Rhinesmith came over from Clearfield on Saturday and spent Sunday with his father, David Rhinesmith.
Mrs. Evelyn Rogers went over to Clearfield on Wednesday to spend several days as a guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Swoope.
Mrs. Frank H. Clemson went out to Pittsburgh last week to spend some time with Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Clemson and family.
Paul Mallory, Daniel Miller and Robert Thomas went to Pittsburgh on Monday where they all anticipated landing good positions.
Robert Gherrity, son of postmaster and Mrs. P. H. Gherrity, spent Sunday in Tyrone with his sister, Mrs. James C. Davis and family.
After spending the winter in Bellefonte with her brother, Dr. C. M. Parrish and family, Miss Florence Parrish left for her home in Ebensburg yesterday.
Mrs. B. H. Sweetwood and her young son, of Wilmington, Del., is in Bellefonte visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James L. McCafferty, on Bishop street.
Miss Lena Wright departed for her home in Newport on Monday, after spending a week in Bellefonte as a guest of her brother, Norman R. Wright and family.
Mr. and Mrs. J. Thomas Mitchell spent the week-end and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph D. Mitchell, at Burnham, returning home on Monday evening.
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hatton and son Gordon motored to Bellefonte from Wilkes-Barre last Thursday and spent several days with Squire and Mrs. G. W. Rees.
Mrs. Hannah C. Hall, of Williamsport, passed through Bellefonte on Wednesday on her way over to Centre Hall where she will spend a few days visiting friends.
Col. and Mrs. James A. McClain and little daughter Emily, of Spangler, motored to Bellefonte and spent the week-end and Sunday at the Col. J. L. Spangler home.
Col. J. L. Spangler, ex-Judge Ellis L. Orvis and John Van Pelt motored to Harrisburg in the Spangler car yesterday morning on a business trip, returning last evening.
After spending a few days in Bellefonte with his wife E. P. Irwin left on Wednesday morning for Pittsburgh, where he has his eye on something good in the line of a position.
Col. Emanuel Noll, Henry Taylor, Hammon Sechler and Amos Garbrick motored to Bellefonte on Tuesday to attend the funeral of the late Claude Hess, which was held at Meek's cemetery.
Rev. Dr. Schmidt left on Monday for Milliford to attend the sessions of West Susquehanna Classis. During its sessions Harry Keller Esq., and Charles Wetzel expect to attend as delegate elders.
Mrs. Harry E. Jenkins, of Tyrone, has been in Bellefonte this week owing to the illness of her sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Garman. Mr. Garman's condition is considered quite serious.
Mrs. Robert Sechler went down to Milliford on Tuesday to remain over Memorial day with her parents, Miss Myra Sechler, who has been with her sister, Mrs. Harry Cox, in Franklin, will return home this week.
Mrs. James C. Smith, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Isabelle Smith, and her sister, Mrs. Jodie Bates, all of Pine Glenn, have gone to Newark, N. J., to spend some time with Mrs. Smith's sons, Claude and Ralph.
Mrs. John J. Walsh and daughter, Miss Marie Walsh, who spent the winter at No. 37 Hamilton Place, N. Y., have returned to Bellefonte and are residing at their home on High street, opposite the court house, for the summer.
Wilson I. Fleming and George T. Bush departed on Monday morning for Scranton to attend the annual Convocation of the Grand Commandery Knights Templar of Pennsylvania, in session there three days this week.
Dr. J. J. Kilpatrick and family will leave tomorrow on a motor trip to Philadelphia and will be accompanied by Mrs. Kilpatrick's two sisters, the Misses Elsie and Daisy Clayton, who have been at the Kilpatrick home for some time.
Taking advantage of his wife and little son's absence on a visit in Ohio Joe Katz came over from Lewistown and spent Sunday with his father and brother William and family. He also expects to return on Sunday and remain over Memorial day.
Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Erlenmeyer, Mr. J. L. Erlenmeyer and Miss Mildred Erlenmeyer, of Liverpool, Pa., spent Sunday at the United Brethren parsonage. Upon their return home they were accompanied by Mrs. T. H. MacLeod, who will visit them for several weeks.
Miss Nan Houser passed through Bellefonte on Saturday on her way home to Pennsylvania Furnace after spending some time in Lock Haven with her brother, A. M. Houser. She was accompanied by her sister-in-law, who will spend several weeks at the Houser home at Pennsylvania Furnace.
Robert V. Lyon and little son Godfrey, of Buffalo, N. Y., spent from Friday until Monday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lyon. He reports the labor question in Buffalo today as one of the most perplexing questions confronting any large employer. Robert is now running one of the largest laundries in Buffalo.
Rev. and Mrs. W. K. McKinney went to Atlantic City on Monday to spend a few days in attending the sessions of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian church which are being held there. On their trip they will stop in Philadelphia and with Mrs. H. N. Hiller will select the piano Mrs. W. P. Wilson will present to the Presbyterian Sunday school.
Mr. and Mrs. W. Edward Shaffer motored up from their home in Hanover on Sunday and spent several days at Mr. Shaffer's old home at Madisonburg, and among old friends in Bellefonte, going home yesterday by way of Bedford and the southern part of the State. Mr. Shaffer is still enthusiastic over the Old Home week they had at Hanover last September and no one can blame him, either, because after all bills were paid the committee had a balance on hand of about one thousand dollars.
John P. Dwyer, managing editor of the Philadelphia Record; George J. Brennan, staff correspondent of the Inquirer; W. Francis Dooner, proprietor of Dooner's hotel, and Louis Boss composed a quartette of prominent Philadelphians who invaded the WATCHMAN office on Monday afternoon. They were a contingent of city who attended a dinner at the Hotel Clinton, in Renovo on Saturday night in celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of the incorporation of Renovo as a borough. They spent supper in the up-river town, had luncheon in Lock Haven on Monday then secured a car to make the trip to Bellefonte, going from here to State College and back to Lock Haven where they entrained for home in the evening.

Miss Ida Klinger is spending part of this week in Zion.
Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Yeager spent yesterday afternoon at State College.
Miss Coburn, of State College, was in Bellefonte Thursday doing some shopping.
Mrs. J. A. Aiken left on Tuesday for a ten day's visit with friends at Palmyra, N. J.
Frank Derstine, of Altoona, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Derstine.
Mrs. J. Mac. Curtin, of Pittsburgh, spent Sunday and Monday in Bellefonte with her mother, Mrs. George F. Harris.
John Schiele, one of the obliging attaches at the P. R. R. passenger depot in this place, spent Sunday with his parents in Philipsburg.
Mr. and Mrs. Edward Fleming and children and Oliver Witmer motored from Altoona and spent Sunday with friends in Bellefonte.
J. Norman Sherer came up from Reading on Saturday to look after a few business matters and greet his many friends, returning home on Sunday.
Miss Ellen Downing and brother, Thomas W. Downing, of Downingtown, were guests of Bellefonte friends over Sunday, returning home on Tuesday morning.
Olin Meek came up from Philadelphia on Saturday evening to look after a few business matters in which he was interested, returning home the fore part of the week.
Mr. and Mrs. Miller came up from Williamsport the latter part of the week to visit Bellefonte friends. Mr. Miller returned home on Monday while Mrs. Miller will return today.
Thomas K. Morris came in from Pittsburgh on Saturday bringing with him Peter Gray Meek 2nd, who had been with his uncle and aunt in Pittsburgh about a week. Mr. Morris returned home on Sunday evening.

One of the hardest rains we have had this spring was that of Monday evening and night. Beginning about six o'clock it was one continual downpour until daylight Tuesday morning. But notwithstanding the big amount of rain that fell it did no damage, but a great amount of good. The ground had become quite dry and had so that farm work was being done at a handicap. The rain wet the soil and freshened all kinds of vegetation and the warm weather since is virtually making things jump out of the ground.
William Doak, the blind man, came into our office on Saturday and gave us the information that L. M. Rerick, who resided on Buffalo Run some years ago but who now lives at Evansville, Ind., after reading his item in the "Watchman" two weeks ago telling of his need of one or two good cants, sent him a dollar with which to buy one. Now if some person will tell Bill where he can get a suitable cane he will appreciate it very much, as he does not know the name or address of a good cane manufacturer.
Reports from all parts of Centre county are extremely favorable to a big crop of fruit this year. Apple trees are heavily laden with little green apples and the prospects for a big cherry crop were never better. In fact some farmers state that if nothing happens they will have the biggest crop of cherries ever grown on their trees. All other kinds of fruit also give promise of big crops.
Miss Rebekah Krebs, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Krebs, has been awarded the biographical essay prize in the Bellefonte High school.
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Bellefonte Produce Markets.
Corrected weekly by R. S. Brouse, Grocer.
The prices quoted are those paid for produce.
Potatoes per bushel..... \$1.00
Onions..... 65
Eggs, per dozen..... 18
Lard, per pound..... 14
Butter, per pound..... 28

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..... 1.05
White Wheat..... 1.00
Rye, per bushel..... 70
Corn, shelled, per bushel..... 70
Corn, ears, per bushel..... 70
Oats, old and new, per bushel..... 40
Barley, per bushel..... 40

Philadelphia Markets.
The following are the closing prices of the Philadelphia markets on Wednesday evening.
Wheat—Red..... \$1.13@1.16
Wheat—No. 2..... 1.10@1.13
Corn—No. 2..... 74@77
Mixed new..... 74@75
Oats—Winter, per barrel..... 4.90@5.15
Favorite Brands..... 6.15@6.65
Rye Flour per barrel..... 10.00@22.00
Best Hay—Choice Timothy No. 1..... 15.50@19.50
Mixed No. 1..... 8.50@14.00
Straw..... 5.50@11.00

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A strictly Democratic publication with independence enough to have, and with ability and courage to express, its own views, printed in eight-page form—six columns to page—and is read every week by more than ten thousand responsible people. It is issued every Friday morning, at the following rate:
Paid strictly in advance..... \$1.50
Paid after expiration of year..... 1.75
Paid after expiration of year..... 2.00
Papers will not be sent out of Centre county unless paid for in advance, nor will subscriptions be discontinued until all arrearages are settled, except at the option of the publisher.

ADVERTISING CHARGES:
A limited amount of advertising space will be sold at the following rates:
LEGAL AND TRANSIENT.
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 ver-tisements continued for
Four weeks, and under three mos..... 10 per ct.
Three mos. and under six mos..... 15 per ct.
Six mos. and under 12 mos..... 25 per ct.
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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 ver-tisements continued for
Four weeks, and under three mos..... 10 per ct.
Three mos. and under six mos..... 15 per ct.
Six mos. and under 12 mos..... 25 per ct.
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.

ADVERTISING CHARGES.
A limited amount of advertising space will be sold at the following rates:
LEGAL AND TRANSIENT.
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.