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THINGS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY.

The Runville band will hold a chicken and waffle supper on Saturday evening, November 4th.

Madame Johanna Gaski will appear at the Mishler theatre, Altoona, Thursday evening, November 2nd.

The Ladies Aid society of the United Brethren church will hold their annual chicken and waffle supper on Thursday, November 2nd.

PUBLIC SALE.—Mrs. John J. Walsh will sell all her household goods at public sale tomorrow (Saturday) afternoon at two o'clock. 41-3\*

FOR SALE.—Property of E. G. Osmer, Bush Addition. Good six room house and barn on large lot. All in fine condition. Enquire of Mrs. Hibler. 42-1t

Dr. M. A. Kirk is deploring the loss of his best cow, which was found dead in the field on Saturday morning, on his farm south of town.

A crowded house greeted "Peg O' My Heart" on Monday night and the company fully sustained the reputation made on its appearance here last year.

The Rev. W. H. McKinney gives a series of lectures in the Y. M. C. A., on "Life's Problems," every Tuesday night at 7 o'clock. Every young man in the community is urged to attend.

Robert Glasgow, the well known farmer of Potter township, was kicked by a horse last Friday morning, sustaining four fractured ribs and two other broken from the vertebrae.

Miss Marvin returned Tuesday from New York city, where she had been to replenish her millinery stock with the latest smart models for winter. Her new stock includes hats of all prices and for all ages.

The Bellefonte High school football team has cancelled their game with Huntingdon, scheduled to be played here tomorrow, and the High school band will play for the Pitt Freshmen—Academy game on new Hughes field.

The Ladies Aid of the Methodist church will hold an all day fair in Petrikin hall on Tuesday, November 7th, at which time will be on sale fancy work, all kinds of food stuffs and potted flowers. Special orders may be given Mrs. J. E. Warl.

The farm of the late Alexander McCoy, of Pottery Mills, was offered at public sale last Saturday but \$62.00 an acre being the highest bid received the sale was continued. There are 164 acres in the farm, all of which is under cultivation except some ten or twelve acres.

Next Tuesday night will be Halloween, and while the young people are looking forward to the event they should also decide to do nothing that will injure anybody or damage property. There are many ways of celebrating the evening, without doing anything unseemly.

While at work on Dr. George P. Bible's new house on Curtin street last Wednesday, Malcolm Weaver, of Axe Mann, stepped on a joist which broke and he fell to the floor below, a distance of ten feet. He sustained several bad cuts on the face and a sprained right arm.

Dr. Thomas C. VanTries is confined to the Presbyterian hospital in Pittsburgh with an attack of lumbago. He is not seriously ill but his locomotion is somewhat impaired, and he greatly regrets the fact that he will not be able to come home to vote for Woodrow Wilson and M. I. Gardner at the coming election.

Along with her line of corsets and hosiery, Mrs. M. C. Gephart is offering for sale, rubber eating aprons for children, larger ones for kitchen use or for the automobile man, when repairing his machine on the road. In addition to the aprons, are rubber-capes for school children and mackintoshes for older members of the family. 42-1t

On November first Mr. W. H. Taylor's contract with the government for carrying mail from the depot to the postoffice will expire, in accordance with an Act of Congress that provides that on and after that date the mail shall be delivered to the postoffice by the railroad company. What arrangements the latter will make is not yet known.

In view of the great opportunity football enthusiasts will have of seeing a thrilling game, Saturday afternoon, when the Academy meets the University of Pittsburgh Freshmen on the Hughes field, it has been suggested that the merchants having in their employ lovers of the sport give them an hour to see what will be the greatest battle of the Academy's series. The hour from three until four will be sufficient time to see the best of the game.

Soldier Boys On the Target Range.

Two Days Spent in Shooting With Real Bullets. The "Watchman" Correspondent Invaded Mexico, but Did it Peacefully.

By Corp. Harry J. Cohen. Camp Thomas J. Stewart, El Paso, Tex., Oct. 21.

Have just gotten back to my tent after an absence since early Wednesday morning, and haven't as yet washed or had a change of clothes, but as this is Saturday and late in the day must rush this through or my dear readers will be anxious as on former occasions. Then there will be another deluge of mail inquiring if anything did really happen to me, and I don't relish the job of answering so many personal and solicitous inquiries regarding my welfare, and why I had missed a letter recently. It is indeed gratifying to know that there are so many who watch for and read my letters, it makes me feel that I am sending them in a good cause. It seems that most of the fellows don't get much time to write and inform the folks at home as to what is really doing down here, so the top sergeant detailed me to perform the duty, and I do hope if he wants me to continue he will get some able-bodied man to groom "Old Jerry" in my stead.

Can't say that I am opposed to grooming, but the Colonel sure did give us the "once-over" while going through the process. He evidently didn't like our method and now we are back to where we started. This is the way it goes: "Stand to horse, commence grooming, march," and the battle then rages in all its fury for half an hour until the order of cease firing is given. It used to take exactly eleven minutes to water, groom and feed, and now we consider ourselves lucky if we can leave the picket line in less than an hour and a half, but as the old song goes, "We're in the Army Now," and no one gives it a second thought.

Getting back to news, it was Wednesday morning at exactly 8:10 o'clock, when our troop, with the balance of the third squadron, under command of Major Fetzler, the man who has won a warm spot in the heart of every trooper in the squadron, proceeded to what is called the Fort Bliss rifle range, located about twenty-five miles northwest of camp on the government ranch in the eastern end of Dona Ana county, New Mexico, to try our skill with the rifle and pistol. As this was the first practice with real bullets, the kind that sometimes hurt, we could hardly blame them for taking us that distance in order to insure some safety. When we were about half way on our journey we met the second squadron on its return from the range and we at once engaged them in a sham battle. Lucky for them that our ammunition at that time was composed of "blanks," otherwise there wouldn't have been any second squadron left to report the details of the terrible slaughter. We passed the First Pennsylvania artillery at practice on the Lewis ranch and it surely is wonderful to see the white flash of the gun, hear the boom and then watch the bursting of the shrapnel as it hits the mark.

We arrived at our destination at 3:30 p. m., set up our camp and made the necessary preparations to stay awhile. The range is ideally located, with all modern improvements for man and beast, and just about a fifteen minute walk to the nearest ranch-house, where the smallest and punkiest blackberry pie you ever ate can be bought for only forty cents the pie.

Thursday and Friday were spent at practice with both the rifle and pistol, and many a surprise—both ways—was sprung by those whom we thought could shoot and by those whom we thought couldn't; but every man without a doubt profited by the experience and improved his marksmanship by the tests, so much so that our mighty hunters, Earl Baird, Will Musser and Harry Schreffler, shouldered their shot guns and after a brief hunt brought back twenty-two jack rabbits, the ears on which were about the size of those on our army mules. I was to have gone along but some one made room for my shells. Needless to mention that Cook White-man served us rabbit potpie for Friday dinner.

We left the range this morning at 7:30 with Troop L in the lead as a patrol, and after trotting as we thought all the way arrived here shortly before one o'clock, making a new record for the 25 miles—about four and a half hours, not counting the time out for lunch and watering. We are all dirty but haven't heard a man say he was tired.

Myself in company with Henry Miller, of Clearfield, did the trick we came down here for. We each hired a suit of civilian clothes and crossed the border into Juarez, Mexico. We spent just about three hours there, visiting the race track, bull arena, cock-pits and the famous Jaures monument, church and jail, as well as the market place. What impressed us the most was the superiority of our American city of El Paso over that of the Mexican city on the other side of the Rio Grande, surely a difference of at least three centuries. We had little trouble in making the trip and are congratulating ourselves as having represented Troop L in the enemy's country.

The only real excitement in the troop street was the burning of tent No. 28, due to spontaneous combustion; in other words, a lighted cigarette, but as no other harm was done it was soon replaced with a new one. Will close with the best regards of all and assurances that our health is all that can be wished for.

Centre Hall and Howard are among the list of postoffices in the United States advanced from fourth class to presidential offices on October 1st, 1916. The salary connected with the former is \$1,100 and the latter \$1,200.

Some unknown individual forced an entrance into the cellar of the house occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Claire Miller, on Bishop street, at two o'clock last Friday morning, then tried to force the door leading to the kitchen. The noise awakened Mr. Miller and when he heard him the would-be robber left quite hurriedly.

The very first of the big trout to come up Spring creek to spawn were observed on the gravel and sand beds opposite the "Watchman" office on Sunday. There were only five of them but they were from a foot to sixteen inches in length and attracted the attention of quite a number of people as they passed back and forth over High street bridge.

The "True Blue Commonwealth Club" will give a benefit social at the home of Mrs. Alice Williams, of Leontown, on Saturday evening, October 28th, at 7:30 o'clock. There will be on sale cake, candy, pumpkin pies, doughnuts and cider, a fortune telling booth occupying a prominent place in the evening's entertainment. The public is most cordially invited to go, spend their money, and have a good time.

Notwithstanding the fact that carload after carload of apples are being shipped from Centre county every week hundreds of bushels are being turned into cider. In fact every cider press in the county has been squeezing out the juice by the hundreds of gallons, but it is doubtful if any of them have equalled the record of the cider press at Salona, which in one day last week turned out six thousand gallons of cider, which at forty-five gallons to the barrel would make a little over 123 barrels.

Dr. and Mrs. L. M. Houser, of Pennsylvania Furnace, have issued invitations for the marriage of their daughter, Miss Nan Elizabeth Musser Houser, to Randolph Hyatt Thompson, of Salona, the wedding to take place in the Presbyterian church at Graysville on Thursday, November 9th, at 8:30 o'clock in the evening. Mr. Thompson is a graduate of State College class of 1909 and is now in the lumber business at Salona.

Every man, woman and child is entitled to a little relaxation from the ordinary duties of the day and one of the best places to take it is at the Scenic. The motion pictures as they flash upon the screen make you forget the cares and worries of the day and put you into the right frame of mind to go home and enjoy a good night's sleep. Aside from this fact the pictures are interesting, entertaining and instructive, and the enjoyment of an hour or two at the Scenic every evening is worth more than it costs.

Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Mabus and family of three little children moved into their new house on Pine street on Wednesday. Ever since they have been married they have made their home with Mrs. Mabus' parents Mr. and Mrs. George Mallory, but during the summer Mr. Mabus built a house not far from the Mallory home. It was cosily designed and all newly furnished and they will now enjoy the delights of a home of their own. Mr. Mabus, by the way, is book-keeper for the Whiterock quarries.

Mrs. M. W. Furey has leased the Brokerhoff property on South Spring street now occupied by Jacob Knisely and family for her daughter, Mrs. John T. Larimer and family, who will move here from Mt. Carmel just as soon as some repairs can be made to the house. Mrs. Larimer has not been in good health since going to Mt. Carmel and it is owing to this fact that she is moving back to Bellefonte. Mr. Larimer will remain in Mt. Carmel for the present though it is likely he will return to Bellefonte in the future. Mr. Knisely and family will move into one side of the new house Mrs. Steele has erected on Quaker hill and his son, Albert Knisely and family will occupy the other side.

The old foundry building at the demolished Nittany furnace was entirely destroyed by fire on Sunday morning. The fire was first discovered about five o'clock but it had already gained such headway that no effort was made to stop it and by six o'clock it was nothing but a pile of smouldering ashes. The building was owned by R. B. Taylor and used as a store house for his wagons and road-making machinery. Fortunately at that time all his machinery was out of the building but he had considerable lumber stored therein. His loss is estimated at from seven to eight hundred dollars with no insurance. How the fire originated is a mystery, as there was no stove or fire place of any kind in the building, and it must have resulted from the careless act of some party unknown.

NEWS PURELY PERSONAL.

Mrs. Hiram Hiller, of Chester, spent a short time in Bellefonte this week with Mrs. William P. Wilson.

Mrs. Appell, of York, Pa., is a guest of her sister, Miss Daisy Brisban, at the home of their uncle and aunt, Col. and Mrs. J. L. Spangler.

Mrs. M. L. Valentine will go to Pittsburgh next week, expecting to be with Mrs. Thomas K. Morris until the beginning of the year.

Mrs. Matilda Underwood, of Waynesboro, Ohio, came to Bellefonte on Saturday and was a guest over Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Underwood and family.

Miss Margaret Furey returned Saturday from Pittsburgh, where she had been visiting for several weeks with her brother, William Furey, and his family.

Mrs. H. M. Wetzel went to Bethlehem Wednesday, called there by the death of her brother, William Schneller, who died Monday night at his home in that place.

Mrs. S. H. Orwig left Wednesday for Atlantic City, where she will spend the winter. Mrs. Orwig has been here with her brother, Dr. Hayes, for several weeks.

Mrs. James Wolfenden, of Lamar, and her daughter, Mrs. Locke, were in Bellefonte Saturday, on their way to Pittsburgh for a visit with Mrs. Wolfenden's grandson, Henry Kaufmann.

Mrs. Isaac Smith and daughter, Miss Grace Smith, were guests of the former's son, Wimer W. Smith, from Saturday until Monday on their way home to Centre Hall from a visit with friends in Williamsport.

Mrs. A. B. Cromer returned to Baldwinville the fore-part of the week, intending to come to Bellefonte again in February, when she and Mr. Cromer will spend his vacation of two weeks here and in Pittsburgh.

Mrs. Lewis Crossman, of Oaks, Pa., with her two children, was in Bellefonte Saturday, on her way to Altoona for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Shaffer. Mrs. Crossman had been at Lemont with her father, John L. Thompson.

Miss Ellen Downing and her brother, Thomas Downing, both of Downingtown, Pa., spent the early part of the week with relatives in Bellefonte. Coming here Monday, they returned to their home in the eastern part of the State Wednesday.

Mrs. Chandler Hale and Miss Mary Cameron were guests of Donald McCormick on a drive from Harrisburg yesterday, remaining here over night with Miss Linn and her brother, H. S. Linn, the party will return to Harrisburg today.

Wilbur L. Malin went up to Erie on Tuesday where he attended the annual convention of the Pennsylvania agents of the New York Mutual Life Insurance company, held there Wednesday and yesterday. He will return home this morning.

Mrs. Thomas W. Chatman, with her baby boy, arrived in Bellefonte on Monday to join her husband and go to house-keeping in the Boyd Noll property on east Lamb street. Mr. Chatman is an accountant at the new penitentiary at Rockview.

Miss Josephine White left Saturday of last week for Washington, to spend a part of her vacation with her sister, Mrs. Peabody. From Washington Miss White will go to Philadelphia to visit for the remainder of her time with friends there and in New Jersey.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Willard Hall came up from Harrisburg on Saturday and will remain in Bellefonte until after the election on November 6th. Mr. Hall, by the way, holds the position of adjuster in the claim department of the Workmen's Compensation bureau, at Harrisburg.

William P. Rice, a pressman in the Philadelphia News Bureau offices, is home on a week's vacation, visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harper Rice, at the forge. William has spent the greater part of a year in Philadelphia, going there shortly after his return from Florida.

Mrs. Grant Pifer left here yesterday to spend some time in the eastern part of the State, expecting to visit with relatives at Harrisburg, Turbotville and Pottsgrove. Mrs. Pifer has been with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Hoy, for two weeks and will return to Bellefonte before going home to Wilkinsburg.

Herbert Gray being now permanently located in Lewisistown, will at the expiration of his lease, store his furniture and personal effects, while Mr. Richard Shuey will take his place as organist of the Methodist church, while Carl Detrick has been appointed to fill his position as collector and solicitor for the United telephone.

Miss Miriam Davis came to Bellefonte the early part of the week from Robertsdale, where she had been visiting with her sister, Mrs. John Sommersville. During the first part of Miss Davis' visit here she has been a guest of Miss Alice Wilson, expecting later to spend a short time with Miss Linn, before returning to her home in Milton.

Mr. and Mrs. William Longwell, of Gassaway, W. Va., and their daughter, Mrs. O. D. Waters, of Manassas, Va., left here Monday evening to return home, after a short visit with Mr. Longwell's sister and aunt, Miss Elizabeth Longwell and Miss Rachel Marshall. Mr. and Mrs. Longwell and their daughter came to Bellefonte Friday.

Mrs. Daniel Buck, Mrs. John Askins and Mrs. Abednego Williams, of Unionville, and Mrs. George Bullock, of Julian, spent Tuesday in Bellefonte, having come here for an all day session of the executive board meeting of the W. C. T. U. Mrs. Daniel Hall accompanied the women to Bellefonte but spent the day shopping and in visiting with Mrs. S. A. Bell.

Miss Clara Kapp, of Northumberland, a school friend of Mrs. John P. Harris, will be in Bellefonte for the week-end, coming here to join the family in the celebration of Mrs. Harris' birthday. Mrs. Harris has so nearly recovered from her recent serious illness that she was able to spend Monday with relatives and friends in Clinton county, a visit which necessitated a motor drive of thirty-five miles.

Mrs. John Walsh, whose public sale of furniture is advertised for Saturday afternoon, will leave here the beginning of the week, intending to make her home in New York city. Mrs. Walsh will be accompanied by her daughter, Miss Marie Walsh, Miss Margaret Walsh having been located there for some time. Mrs. Walsh's third daughter, Miss DeSales, who returned to Pittsburgh Sunday, after a visit of three weeks in Bellefonte, will join the family about Christmas time, expecting to continue her work in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Booser, of Centre Hall, spent yesterday afternoon in Bellefonte.

John Lane Jr. has returned to Bellefonte from a visit with his parents at Cambridge, Mass.

Mrs. D. W. Geiss spent Friday of last week in Centre Hall visiting her mother, Mrs. George L. Goodhart.

Mrs. Andrew G. Leib spent Wednesday and Thursday in Bellefonte, a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. Potts Green.

Miss Sommerville, of Winburne, has been visiting in Bellefonte, a guest of her cousins, the Misses Anna and Mary Hoy.

Miss Ella A. Gates was in Tyrone yesterday afternoon attending the funeral of her brother-in-law, the late Darius Blair.

Mrs. J. Irvin Underwood and daughter, of Erie, spent several days last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Underwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Badger and their son Wilbur spent Sunday in Millburg with Mr. Badger's mother, Mrs. Samuel Badger.

Mrs. Thomas R. Hayes returned to Atlantic City a week ago. Mrs. Hayes had been here for her annual visit with Mrs. Beaver.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Otto, of Johnstown, and their two children, were weekend guests of Mrs. Otto's mother, Mrs. Gere Nolan.

Mr. M. L. Altenderfer was at Jersey Shore on Monday attending the funeral of his mother-in-law, Mrs. Brown, who died last Friday.

Mrs. Sarah Brown will return to Bellefonte next week, to spend the winter with Mrs. James Harris. Mrs. Brown has been visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Robert Wray at Newark, N. J.

Rev. Dr. Schmidt left on Monday for Philadelphia, where he will attend a meeting of the General Synod Hymnal committee. Dr. Schmidt expects to be away from home until some time next week.

Miss Florence King, of New York city, came to Bellefonte Tuesday for a visit with her aunt, Mrs. A. G. Morris, who has been ill at her home on Linn street, for the greater part of the summer and fall.

Mrs. Charles Amann returned to North Warren yesterday, after a visit of several weeks in Centre county. While in Bellefonte Mrs. Amann was a guest of Mrs. Strickland and in the Woodring and Fortney families.

Miss Jane Crowley, of Lock Haven, visited with Mrs. Thomas Beaver last week, having come up to spend a day with Mrs. Beaver's mother, Mrs. W. W. Prince, who returned with Mr. Prince to Crafton, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. W. S. Cowdrick, of Niagara Falls, who has been in Bellefonte the past ten days visiting her sisters, Mrs. Martin Haines and Mrs. George Ingram, went to Altoona on Wednesday to spend several days with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smith, of Logan street, are entertaining Mr. Smith's sister, Mrs. Clyde Wetzel and her son, of Nelson, Nebraska. Mrs. Wetzel came east the early part of the month on account of the death of her mother, Mrs. A. V. Smith.

Miss Belle Weaver is visiting in Harrisburg with her brother, Cyrus W. Weaver, and his family. From Harrisburg Miss Weaver will go to Philadelphia to spend the remainder of her vacation with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Weaver and their family.

Mrs. Allison, Miss Mary Linn, Miss Kate Shugert and Miss Anna McCoy, were guests of Mrs. Frank McCoy on a drive Wednesday, to Huntingdon, where Miss Linn and Miss McCoy attended an executive meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary society.

Ex-Judge Ellis L. Orvis is away this week on a campaigning trip through the eastern part of the State and will be one of the speakers at a big meeting to be held in Philadelphia tomorrow evening, where he will join Mrs. Orvis, who has been in the city for more than a week.

Mrs. D. W. Denius, who is going to Reading on the 6th of November, will visit with her daughter, Mrs. Mallieu, for a week, before leaving Bellefonte. From Reading Mrs. Denius will go to Washington, thence to Delmont, W. Va., intending to return home by the first of April.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Richard went to Atlantic City Wednesday, from Norris-town, where Mrs. Richard had been visiting with relatives, while Mr. Richard was serving as juror at the U. S. District court at Scranton. Mr. and Mrs. Richard will be away from Bellefonte for a month.

Miss Margaret Gilmour, who has been home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gilmour, for the past ten days, left yesterday to return to Knoxville, Tenn., to resume her work at the National Pressman's home, where she has been since graduating from business college two years ago.

Miss Mary Brockerhoff and Mrs. T. A. Shoemaker went to Philadelphia Monday, where Mrs. Brockerhoff going down to be under the care of her physician, will not return to Bellefonte until after Thanksgiving. Dr. Brockerhoff joined his sister and Mrs. Shoemaker Tuesday, to be with Miss Brockerhoff during her operation at the University hospital Wednesday.

W. H. Smith, of Spring Mills, was a Bellefonte visitor on Monday and fearing that the "Watchman" exchequer was running a little low came in to give us a little of the long green; and just here we want to say that he is not one of the men to whom our appeal for money was sent last week, as that was meant for those who have evidently forgotten to keep close tabs on the label of their paper, and Mr. Smith is not one of them.

Col. J. L. Spangler, postmaster P. H. Gheertry, W. Miles Walker, C. Y. Wagner, D. W. Woodring, John L. VanFelt, W. D. Zerby and D. Paul Fortney composed the delegation of Bellefonte Democrats who were in Altoona on Saturday for the Bryan meeting. The great Commover extolled the virtues of Congressman Warren Worth Bailey and at the same time urged all his hearers to support Woodrow Wilson for re-election to the Presidency.

John Rich, of Tyrone, was in town on business yesterday and so busy that he didn't have time to accept an invitation to chat awhile in the "Watchman" office. Though John is an old Centre county boy, a son of the late Judge Benjamin Rich, of Unionville, he is gradually being weaned away and his visits are becoming rarer. This, however, is probably due to the fact that John covers the northwest territory for the Rich woolen mills and has fewer opportunities to get back to old Centre county.

Mrs. John C. Matthews, of Buffalo, is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Bidwell. Mrs. Matthews came here Wednesday, expecting to be in Bellefonte for a month.

Mrs. William S. Zeller in going with Miss Hoover to Lock Haven last Friday, made her first visit out of Bellefonte since her accident almost two years ago. Her time was spent visiting in the family of Mr. Zeller's brother, Mr. Zeller going down to return to Bellefonte with her Sunday afternoon.

Coal Mine Changes Owners. A deal was closed last week where by Thomas F. Kelley, of Cato; John A. Kelley, of Clearfield; John P. Kelley, of Snow Shoe, and A. G. Morris, of Hartsville, became the purchasers of the Ironva Coal and Coke company's properties at Ironva, Clearfield county. The property includes two hundred acres of coal lands on which the operating buildings now stand and thirteen hundred acres under royalty lease. The purchase was made from Hatfield and Hillis, coal brokers of Philadelphia, and the price stipulated in the agreement is \$275,000. The plant is in steady operation and putting out from six to eight hundred tons of coal a day.

The Ironva operation is located on the Bell's Gap railroad and was originally opened up by ex-Judge Ellis L. Orvis and W. J. Nichols. It has since passed through a number of hands and of late had been operated through the management of Hatfield and Hillis. In addition to the coal lands already under lease there are from fifteen hundred to two thousand acres of good coal lands abutting the Ironva's present holdings and which can be reached only through their operations.

At Miss Ethel Wetzel's musical and card party Wednesday night seven of the members of the Mandolin club of State College were honor guests. All of Miss Wetzel's decorations and refreshments were for the Halloween season. Miss Helen Ceder entertained the Thursday afternoon bridge luncheon yesterday, three tables being in play. Halloween will be observed by the younger set with a mask leap year dance, to be given in the town hall Tuesday evening. Miss Helen Beezer and Miss Agnes Gherity being the originators.

The same night Miss Harriet Bullock, of east High street, will be hostess at a "tacky party," the sewing club of which she is a member, being her guests.

Miss Anna Straub has issued invitations for a Halloween party to be given at her home at Sunnyside, Friday night of next week. The forty guests will include some of Miss Straub's out of town friends.

Mrs. F. H. Thomas entertained last night with a dinner, followed by night.

Put your ad. in the WATCHMAN.

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

Potatoes per bushel..... \$1.25  
Onions..... 1.00  
Eggs, per dozen..... 32  
Lard, per pound..... 14  
Butter per pound..... 32

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..... \$1.70  
White Wheat..... 1.65  
Rye, per bushel..... 90  
Corn, yellow, per bushel..... 90  
Corn, ears, per bushel..... 90  
Oats, old and new, per bushel..... 45  
Barley, per bushel..... 60

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

Wheat—Red..... \$ 1.74@1.77  
No. 2..... 1.70@1.73  
Yellow..... 1.68@1.70  
Mixed new..... 1.66@1.67  
Oats..... 57@ 58  
Flour—Winter, per barrel..... 7.75@ 8.25  
Favorite Brands..... 10.25@10.75  
Rye Flour per barrel..... 6.50@ 7.25  
Baled Hay—Choice Timothy No. 1..... 10.00@12.50  
Mixed No. 1..... 13.50@17.00  
Straw..... 8.00@14.00

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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.

No discount allowed on legal advertisements.

Business or Display Advertisements. Per inch, first insertion..... 50 cts.  
Each additional insertion per inch..... 25 cts.

The following discounts will be allowed on advertisements continued for:

Four weeks, and under three mos. 10 per cent  
Three mos. and under six mos. 15 per cent  
Six mos. and under 12 mos. 25 per cent  
Twelve months..... 50 per cent

Advertisers, and especially advertising Agents are respectfully informed that no notices 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.