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THINGS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY

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The annual dance of the Centre county club of State College will be held next Wednesday evening, December 27th, instead of on the evening of the 26th.

The Bellefonte postoffice will be open from twelve until one o'clock on Sunday to enable patrons to get their mail, inasmuch as the next day will be Christmas.

Mrs. A. W. Rokenbrod, wife of landlord Rokenbrod, of the Spring Mills hotel, was able to return home on Friday after undergoing treatment for four weeks in Dr. Geire's private sanatorium at Sunbury.

Both the Bellefonte Academy and The Pennsylvania State College closed this week for the Christmas vacation. The Bellefonte public schools will close today and will have all of next week as the holiday vacation.

The "Watchman" has received from Dr. E. S. Dorworth, of Bellefonte, a sample box of his corn medicine which he assures us is an unfailing remedy. It sells at 35 cents a box and will be sent upon receipt of price.

Members of the Centre county bar and court house officials held their annual banquet at the Nittany Country club last Saturday afternoon. Just thirty-eight members sat down to the feast of roast turkey and other good edibles that had been prepared for them by the steward.

The "Watchman" was just one month ahead of time last week in announcing that James Alexander Leyden and Miss Constance Fowler, of Springfield, Mass., had been married November 16th. The item should have stated will be married on December 16th, which was last Saturday.

All the employees of the Bell Telephone company in this place will share in the six million dollar watermelon to be cut by the company in a few days. The amount they will receive will be equal to three weeks pay, which will come in very handy at this time of year.

A little son was born to Mrs. Risk at her home on north Thomas street, Wednesday afternoon. Persons joining in the donation to be sent to the Methodist church today and tomorrow for Mrs. Risk and her family, are asked to mark all baskets and packages sent for the Risk donation.

A little son was born to assistant county superintendent and Mrs. Milford F. Fletcher, of Howard, on Thursday last week, but this is really nothing unusual in the professor's family, as it is now composed of eight boys and two girls, ten children in all. Verily the professor is not an exponent of race suicide.

On Monday of last week Joseph Thall did his annual butchering and as has been his custom for a number of years he had William Doak, the blind man, taken to his place to enjoy the big feast at dinner always prepared by Mrs. Thall. They also insisted on him spending the afternoon there and gave him his supper before sending him home, all of which was very kind and thoughtful on the part of Mr. and Mrs. Thall and very much appreciated by Bill.

Notwithstanding the fact that Christmas comes next Monday and that all the week will be more or less a holiday, the Scenic will be open as usual, showing the customary programs of high standard pictures. In the relaxation that always follows the strenuous season of Christmas shopping men, women and children will appreciate a place to seek a little pleasant recreation and amusement, and nowhere in Bellefonte can this be had so satisfactorily as at the Scenic. Try it.

The weather the past week has been real Christmas-like. Beginning with zero cold last Friday morning the thermometer hovered between that mark and fifteen degrees above in the middle of the day until Monday morning, when it dropped to seven below at some places in the county. All week the weather has continued colder than normal at this time of year and the indications are that the snow that now covers the ground will lay and give us a white Christmas, and that is the only kind that is real Christmas.

Abraham Hulsizer, of Sunbury, a brakeman on the local freight on the Lewisburg and Tyrone railroad, met with an accident at Lemont on Saturday by which he lost his right hand. The crew was engaged in shifting cars and Hulsizer was in the act of making a coupling when he slipped on the ice and fell across the track. He managed to throw himself clear of the track but his right hand still grasped the rail when it was caught and one truck wheel passed over it, mangle the flesh and bones. He was brought to the Bellefonte hospital where the hand was amputated back of the finger joints, the thumb being saved.

CENTRE CO. LICENSE COURT.

Judge Quigley Grants Twenty Licenses, Refuses Seven and Holds Nine Over for Further Consideration.

Judge Henry C. Quigley held his first license court last Saturday morning and out of the thirty-six applications filed he promptly granted twenty, refused seven and held nine over for further consideration. As stated in last week's "Watchman" remonstrances were presented protesting against the granting of any and all licenses in the county. These, however, were only general in character and made no specific charges as to unfitness or violations of the law against any of the applicants.

When court convened at ten o'clock on Saturday morning the court first disposed of a number of motions and petitions presented by several of the attorneys and when that business was concluded Judge Quigley announced that the court was ready to take up the applications for liquor licenses. Prothonotary David R. Foreman officially presented the applications and remonstrances to the court and the Judge then asked J. Kennedy Johnston Esq., who represented the remonstrants, if he had anything to say.

Mr. Johnston expressed a desire to be heard and beginning he stated that it was not the intention of the remonstrants to ask for a public hearing or the taking of testimony in any one case. That the remonstrances presented were simply general in character and they asked for the refusal of all licenses on the grounds of no necessity. He then took up the application for a license at Millheim and the remonstrance against the same then reviewed the same, following up with each applicant in Pennsylv. He laid particular emphasis on the remonstrance presented by State College, then took up the Phillipsburg applications and pointed out to the court that there were two many licenses there for the size of the town. Next he spoke on the application for a license at Howard and finally spoke briefly on the applications from Bellefonte.

The next case he took up was that of Samuel Markowitz for a license at Fowler. He had hardly started talking against this one when Judge Quigley told him he needn't go any further as that application would be refused by the court. Mr. Johnston concluded his talk by protesting against the granting of a license at Milesburg, and asked the court to take into consideration the number of voters who had signed all the remonstrances.

In reply Judge Quigley stated, that he had already thoroughly examined all the applications and remonstrances. That the latter all told were signed by less than one thousand voters in the county and that nine thousand or more had expressed no sentiment either way. That the law of the State provided for the granting of licenses by the court and the very fact that certain hotels have been licensed for from thirty to fifty years has always been held by the courts as a reason for its necessity, unless it was proven otherwise. And then without giving any further opinion, announcing any rules or exacting any pledges aside from the fact that he would expect every landlord to obey the law, and any willful violation thereof if brought properly before the court would receive prompt attention, he announced his disposition of the applications as follows:

GRANTED. Bellefonte:—Bush House, W. L. Dargett, Brockerhoff House, H. S. Ray, Gorman House, August Glinz, Hotel Haag, Henry Kline, Brant House, James A. Noonan.

PHILIPSBURG:—Coal Exchange, George W. Miller, Central Hotel, Wm. H. Hindle, Sheffer House, Grebe Bros. & Crago, Passmore House, James W. Passmore, Farmers Hotel, Wm. M. Bowers, Potter House, Valentine Koffler.

SNOW SHOES:—Mountain House, Lawrence Redding, Washington House, James F. Uzzie.

CLARENCE HOTEL, John M. Kachik. MILHEIM HOTEL, R. G. Allison. MILESBURG, Edward J. Gillen. REBERSBURG HOTEL, Clarence E. Long. CASSANOVA HOTEL, Lawrence Nugent. SANDY RIDGE HOTEL, J. B. Dagan. SNOW SHOE TOWNSHIP, Andrew Chambers, wholesale.

HELD OVER. Cassanova, Michael Porado, tavern. Centre Hall Hotel, J. W. Runkle. Old Fort Hotel, Maynard Meeker. Snow Shoe Township, John Boyce, wholesale. Phillipsburg, George E. Lamb. Phillipsburg, James Black. Phillipsburg, Harry S. Reel. Phillipsburg, George Parkes. Phillipsburg, Brewing Co.

To Give Library to Western Penitentiary. The Presbyterian Sunway school voted on Sunday to give their library to the western penitentiary at Rockview for the use of the prisoners. The library contains several hundred volumes, at least, and inasmuch as it is in little demand by the members of the school it was deemed a worthy move to give it to the penitentiary where it will at least help the prisoners to pass the long evenings and may be a means of doing much good. It is just possible that some of the other Sunday schools will also contribute some books.

It is rumored that William Daughenbaugh has resigned as warden at the penitentiary at Rockview to take effect January 1st, and that he will be succeeded by Mr. Healey.

No Paper Next Week.

In accordance with an old established custom no paper will be issued from this office next week, the employees being given their customary holiday vacation. The office, however, will be open every day for business as usual. The next issue of the "Watchman" will be on January 5th and in the meantime we wish for all a very Merry Christmas and a Happy and Successful New Year.

Come to Bellefonte Friday evening, December 29th, and see "September Morn" at the opera house. It will be here in all its glory.

Lost Umbrella.—An umbrella with green top, with initials E. G. G., was lost either on Bellefonte Central train or in a store in Bellefonte. Finder will be suitably rewarded by returning same to this office.

The County Commissioners have completed the enrollment of all men in Centre county between the ages of 21 and 45, who are subject to military duty and the total is 5,400. This is very little more than one-half the voters of the county.

Invitations have been issued for the marriage of Margaret Shultz, of Latrobe, and T. Irvin Humes Jr., of Hartford, Conn. The wedding to take place in Latrobe on the second of January. Mr. Humes is the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Humes, of Latrobe.

Remember the Christmas candle. Inaugurating the custom in Bellefonte last year, we beg for its continuance and hope that every home in the town will send forth the greeting to the Christ child, which, according to an old Irish legend, is abroad on the Eve of Christmas.

The Associated Charities have arranged for a general distribution of Christmas presents among those who otherwise might not be well remembered on that day. The distribution will take place on Christmas morning and Burgess Edmund Blanchard will act the part of Santa Claus. May his mission bring gladness into the deserving homes.

The editor of this paper is under obligations to Hon. J. Will Kepler, of Pine Grove Mills, for a mess of delicious venison received on Saturday. Mr. Kepler, by the way, was the captain of the Excelsior hunting club that camped in Stonevalley. They got two fine deer during the season, one of which fell before Mr. Kepler's unerring aim and the other was brought down by Dr. R. M. Krebs.

"September Morn" will be the attraction at Garman's on Friday evening, December 29th. Bellefonte theatre goers are not unacquainted with this show. It has been here before and gave the best of satisfaction and the company producing it this season is excellent in every particular. The prices will be 35, 50 and 75 cents and \$1.00. Don't forget the date, Friday, December 29th.

The final closing and audit of the accounts of the Centre County Soldiers' Relief Association shows a surplus of funds amounting to several hundred dollars, and in order to make judicious disposal of this balance, a meeting of all the subscribers is called for Friday evening, December 22nd, 1916, at 8 o'clock, in the court house, at which meeting it is desired that suggestions will be made that will aid in the disposal of this fund to the best advantage.

On Friday of last week, December 16th, Rev. James P. H. Giles, principal emeritus of the Bellefonte Academy, was eighty-nine years old and in celebration of the event the student body gave him an informal banquet in the dining room of the Academy. Coach Hartman presided as toastmaster and short but very pleasing speeches were made by several members of the faculty and students to which Rev. Hughes responded in a manner which warmed the hearts of all present. Rev. Hughes has been connected with the Academy since 1868, forty-eight years, and he still enjoys good health notwithstanding his years.

Forest Bullock, the carriage builder of South Water street, has almost completed an auto fire truck for the Undine Fire company which, when it is ready for service will be the equal of any sent out from the big automobile factories. He used the chassis of the Cadillac car formerly owned by Albert Thompson and which is practically as good as new, and on that built the body himself over the latest and most convenient models. The body will be painted red and the handrails and some of the trimmings will be in nickle. The truck will be used as a hose truck and also for hauling the company's fire engine. The entire cost will be between six and seven hundred dollars but it will add greatly to the equipment of this very efficient fire company.

Troop L Ordered Home from Border.

Will Leave El Paso On or About January 10th, 1917.

At last the long-looked for order was issued on Monday which will bring Troop L and Boal's mounted machine gun troop back to Centre county and home. Among the sixteen thousand troops ordered from the border is the First Pennsylvania cavalry which will leave El Paso, Texas, on the 9th or 10th of January, possibly a day or two later. As it takes about five days to make the trip in a troop train they should arrive in Pennsylvania any time from January 14th on. Troop L will come direct to Bellefonte and be mustered out here. While the boys at the front will not be home for Christmas we'll wager that Santa couldn't have dropped anything into their soldier socks as a Christmas present that will please them more than that order to make preparations to go home. And every man of them is deserving of a lot of praise. They responded when called by their country and at the time they knew not what they would have to face. They went where ordered and performed every duty imposed upon them, and every man of Troop L will come home the better in every way for his six months of military training.

Sergt. Philip D. Foster received a telegram yesterday morning from Gen. Clement informing him that all men now at home on furlough were to remain there and join their troops on arrival home for mustering out.

New Time Table.

Effective, Monday, December 25th, 1916, trains will leave Bellefonte at 11:10 a. m. and 6:45 p. m., arriving at Mill Hall at 12:17 and 7:50 p. m. making direct connection with N. Y. C. for Lock Haven, Jersey Shore, Williamsport and points on P. & R.R. Trains will leave Mill Hall at 12:43 and 9:00 p. m. arriving at Bellefonte at 1:50 and 10:05 p. m., making direct connection with N. Y. C. trains from Clearfield and Phillipsburg. Train leaving Mill Hall at 9:00 p. m. will make connection with P. R. R. train from Williamsport arriving at Lock Haven at 8:09 p. m. Passengers desiring to make this connection will take 8:20 p. m. trolley car from Lock Haven arriving at Mill Hall at 8:50 p. m.

CENTRAL R. R. CO. OF PENNSYLVANIA.

A little daughter was born last Friday to Mr. and Mrs. William B. Daley, of Burlington, N. J. The happy father is a son of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Daley, of east Lamb street, and the little Miss has been christened Virginia Elizabeth Daley.

NEWS PURELY PERSONAL.

Mrs. Julia Shuey, of Lemont, was a Bellefonte visitor Tuesday doing Christmas shopping. John A. Lane Jr., left for Cambridge, Mass., Wednesday, for his annual winter visit with his parents. Mrs. Benjamin Bradley is entertaining her mother and sister, Mrs. Eyer and her daughter, both of East Aurora, N. Y. John P. Smith, of Chester, will arrive in Bellefonte tomorrow to be with his mother, Mrs. Peter Smith, for Christmas and the Holiday week. Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Peabody, of Washington, D. C., and Marie White of Williamsport will be Holiday guests of their aunt, Miss Powell at the Brockerhoff house. Mrs. J. M. Nissley went to McKeesport Wednesday, called there on account of the illness of her mother and father. Dr. Nissley will join her Saturday for Christmas. Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Topelt, of Brooklynd, and their son, Richard Stuart, will come to Bellefonte Sunday to be Holiday guests of Mrs. Topelt's mother, Mrs. R. S. Brouse. Judge and Mrs. Quigley will have with them for Christmas their three children, the Misses Henrietta and Mary, at school at Kent Place, N. J., and Hugh, from Williams college. Miss Laura Waite came from Georgia, Monday, to spend a two weeks vacation with her brother and sister, Darius and Miss Ella Waite. Other members of the family are expected to join their Christmas party. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lowery left yesterday to spend Christmas with their daughter, Mrs. James Parsons, at McKeesport and will later spend some time visiting friends in Pittsburgh. Mr. Joseph H. Heberling came down to Bellefonte on the Pennsylvania Lehigh and after transacting a little business returned on the Lehigh-Pennsylvania train to Tyrone yesterday afternoon. Miss Janet Scott doing library work in Pittsburgh; Miss Ellen Hayes, post graduate work at Wellesly; Miss Martha Barnhart a senior at Mt. Holyoke and Miss Emily Crider at the Girls Latin School of Baltimore are all home for the Holiday vacation. Miss Myrtle Sellers, of Waddle, was one of the charming visitors at the Watchman office yesterday morning, having come in to advance the label on her mother's paper as one of the incidents of her shopping trip to Bellefonte. The Christmas party at J. K. Barnharts will include Mrs. Barnhart's two sisters and an aunt, the Misses Cora and Margaret Campbell and Miss Margaret Depp, of Punxsutawney, and her brother, Dr. W. F. Campbell, of Seward, Pa. Miss Ethel Sparks came to Bellefonte Wednesday from Boston, where she has been working with Manning in the interest of her profession of landscape gardening. Miss Sparks was met by her mother and drove at once to the college, where she will spend the Holidays with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Sparks. W. Homer Crissman and his daughter, Miss Helen Crissman, will go to Baldwinville, N. Y. to be Christmas guests of Mr. Crissman's other daughter, Mrs. A. B. Cromer, and for a visit before Mr. and Mrs. Cromer leave for Detroit, where Mr. Cromer has been sent with a promotion by the company for which he works.

Aaron Katz will spend the Christmas in Lewistown with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Katz.

Miss Marilla Williams, of State College, will be a Christmas guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. McGinley.

Robert Laurie and his bride of two weeks, of Tyrone, were Sunday visitors with friends of Bellefonte.

Charles Potter Miller, of Wilkesburg, has been in Bellefonte within the past week, a guest of relatives.

Miss Rebecca Rhoads is making her annual visit in New York, having left Bellefonte the early part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Decker returned Sunday from New York, having done their Christmas shopping there and in Philadelphia.

Miss Mary Anne Johnston returned to Beaver Falls Sunday, after visiting here for a month with her grandmother, Mrs. J. A. Aikens.

Miss Pearl Royer will go to Niagara Falls tomorrow, to spend the winter vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William T. Royer.

Mrs. Charles Larimer has been spending the past ten days with Mr. Larimer in Johnstown, going there to do her Christmas shopping.

Charles Zindle, one of the assessors of Snow Shoe township, was in town Monday, making his returns and doing some Christmas buying.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Donachy are arranging to spend the Holiday week with Mrs. Donachy's brother, John Schrock and his family, in Altoona.

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Johnson will have as Christmas guests, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Coble and their child, of Lemont. Mrs. Coble is Mr. Johnson's daughter.

George Poorman and his daughter, Miss Blanche Poorman, of Windler, will come to Bellefonte to celebrate Christmas with Miss Poorman's aunt and sister, Miss Flack and Miss Nell Flack.

The Christmas house party to be entertained at the home of William B. Rankin will include Miss Rohrer, Miss Mary and Walter Rankin, all of Harrisburg, and Miss Frances Elmore, of Pittsburgh.

Mrs. Louise Mullen, who for some time past has been making her home with her son and daughter in Pittsburgh, has gone to Atlantic City to spend the winter with Dr. and Miss Mary Brockerhoff.

J. H. Strouse, of College township, was a "Watchman" office caller on Monday morning, having motored to Bellefonte unaware of the fact that the thermometer was hanging around the zero mark.

Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Morris, their son King, and Mrs. M. L. Valentine will come here tomorrow to celebrate Christmas in Bellefonte. Mrs. Valentine has been with Mr. and Mrs. Morris in Pittsburgh for two months.

Charles Wetzel, of Monessen, will join his son Andrew, at Mr. and Mrs. William Seig's for Christmas, the child having made his home for several years with his grandmother and aunt, Mrs. Wetzel and Mrs. Seig.

H. F. Keen, the popular butcher of Pleasant Gap, spent yesterday in Bellefonte making his final preparations for Christmas. Mr. Keen says he has had charge of twenty-six butchering this year as against thirty-five last.

Miss Katherine Allison and Miss Nancy Hunter, at school at Drexel in Philadelphia, came to Bellefonte yesterday for their vacation. Miss Mary Schrad, at the Western College for Women, at Oxford, Ohio, returned Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Allison Jr., of New York City, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Allison, of Toronto, Canada, will arrive in Spring Mills Saturday to join the Allison family Christmas party to be held at the home of Hon. Wm. M. Allison.

Dr. Edith Schrad left unexpectedly for Detroit, Sunday night, summoned there by word of the serious illness of her son Frederic. By telephone it was learned that he had been taken to the hospital suffering with pneumonia.

Mrs. Maurice Runkle, of Lancaster, and her daughter Dorothy, will arrive in Bellefonte tomorrow, Mr. Runkle joining them here Sunday to spend the Holidays in Bellefonte with Mrs. Runkle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Y. Wagner and their family.

Miss Jennie Miller will leave today for Greensburg where she expects to spend several months visiting her niece Mrs. James Lambert. From there she will go to Pitscairn for a visit with friends and does not expect to return here until early in the spring.

Mrs. Smith, who had been visiting in Bellefonte for two weeks, returned to Altoona Monday, accompanied by her father, Joel Johnson. Mrs. Smith had come over to be with her father on his eighty-sixth birthday, which was celebrated on the fourteenth of December.

Mrs. D. G. Mosher, of Genoa, N. Y., who is a guest of her brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. McCargar, will spend the winter in Bellefonte. Mrs. Mosher came here two weeks ago with Mr. McCargar, having closed her home immediately after the death of Mr. Mosher.

Rev. W. D. Engle, of Indianapolis, and Mrs. Engle, will be guests for the Holiday season of their daughter, Mrs. J. Thomas Mitchell. Mrs. Engle came to Bellefonte Saturday with Mrs. Mitchell, who stopped in Indiana for a short time on her way home from Greenwood, Miss. Mr. Engle will join her here Monday.

Col. and Mrs. J. L. Spangler returned home last Friday from their month's trip to New York, Philadelphia and Atlantic City, coming from the balmy breezes of the latter place right into a spell of zero weather here. During his stay in Philadelphia the Colonel placed an order for a new Twin Six Packard car to be delivered the first of April, 1917.

Miss Helen Williams will leave tomorrow for Harrisburg to join the Christmas party given by her sister, Mrs. V. Lorne Hummel. Miss Eulalia Williams, of Syracuse, and her mother, Mrs. George Williams, who is spending the winter with her brother in Lock Haven, will also be guests of Mrs. Hummel. Mrs. Williams has only recently recovered from the serious effects of a fall down stairs.

Miss Nora Reynolds, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Reynolds, of Lancaster, has been a guest of her uncle and aunt, Col. and Mrs. W. E. Reynolds, for the past week. Her brother Samuel, with Frederick and Philip Reynolds, will all be here this week to spend Christmas in Bellefonte. A house party for these young people will be entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds over the New Year.

Miss Eliza M. Thomas, who has spent the summer and fall with Mrs. Wistar Morris, at her summer home in Jamestown, R. I., and at Overbrook, will return to Bellefonte today, accompanied by Miss Grace Mitchell, both to be guests of Mrs. John Porter Lyon for the Holidays. Miss Deborah Lyon is also home from Penn Hall, having with her a school mate, Miss Isabelle McPherson, whose home is on the Isle of Pine, one of the West Indies.

First Lieutenant E. R. Taylor, of Troop L, arrived in Bellefonte very unexpectedly last Thursday evening, having come from El Paso, Texas, to see his mother, Mrs. Hugh Taylor Sr., who is quite ill in a Pittsburgh hospital. Now that he is here the Lieutenant will remain until after Christmas and perhaps longer. On Saturday evening First Sergt. Wilbur Saxton and Bugler Donald Snyder arrived in Bellefonte from El Paso, the term of enlistment of each having expired, although they are still on the reserve list to be called out when needed. All the men who have returned from the border are in splendid health and look every inch the soldier.

David Washburn will be a Christmas guest of friends in Philadelphia.

Miss Grace Crawford was a guest for the week-end of friends in Lock Haven.

Dr. Lee B. Woodcock, of Scranton, will spend Christmas in Bellefonte with his mother, Mrs. John A. Woodcock.

Miss Mary Kline is in Philadelphia, going down to be with her sister, Miss Ruth Kline, during the Holidays.

Mrs. George Lentz and her daughter Mildred spent the after-part of last week visiting with friends at their former home in Harrisburg.

James Fox, of Philadelphia, will come to Bellefonte to join his mother, Mrs. Joseph Fox and her family, in their Christmas celebration.

Mr. and Mrs. Gammil Rice and their family will leave Bellefonte today to go to Niagara Falls, where they expect to make their home in the future.

Mrs. John Lucas, of Runville, and her daughter, Mrs. Davis, of Coleville, left yesterday for a month's visit with Mrs. Lucas' son Merrill, at Farsion, Iowa.

Mrs. W. I. Swope, of Clearfield, who had been visiting in Bellefonte as a guest of Mrs. Evelyn Rogers, returned to her home in Clearfield, Thursday of last week.

Miss Mary Stewart, of Titusville, will be a guest during the Holidays and the early part of January of Mr. and Mrs. John S. Walker, at their home on Linn street.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Royer, their son James, their youngest daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Royer drove from Centre Hall yesterday, to do their Christmas shopping in Bellefonte.

Mrs. Mary Heaton and Mrs. Thomas Poorman, of Runville, were among the many visitors from the nearby country, who spent yesterday in the shops doing their Christmas buying.

Mr. and Mrs. Wynne Davis, of Canonsburg, will be in Bellefonte Sunday. Mr. Davis for a visit of several days while Mrs. Davis will remain for several weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Gettig.

J. E. C. Chubbuck, of Towanda, has been a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Conley during the week. Mr. Chubbuck will leave today and Mr. Wallis will come tomorrow to spend Christmas with Mrs. Wallis, at her parents.

Miss Eleanor Davis, a daughter of John Davis, of Coleville, left Wednesday for Johnstown, where she will be for an indefinite time with her sister, Mrs. Mianemeyer, who has been a surgical patient in one of the Johnstown hospitals.

J. W. Hess, of Altoona, passed through Bellefonte Saturday on his way home at the close of the hunting season. Mr. Hess was a member of one of the parties going out from Boalsburg, the party bringing in as trophies four deer and one bear.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton E. Hess with their two sons, their daughter-in-law and grandson, J. M. Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Hess and Newton E. Hess 2nd, as motor guests, drove from State College Wednesday afternoon, spending a short time visiting and in the shops of Bellefonte.

Mrs. H. P. Shook returned to Williamsport Friday of last week, after a visit of ten days with her sister, Mrs. C. M. Bower. Mrs. Shook had come to see her sister upon her return from the west, where Mrs. Bower had spent the fall and early winter visiting with relatives and friends.

Theodore B. Shank came to Bellefonte from Howard Wednesday, after the funeral of Mrs. Shank, remaining here as a guest of Mr. and Mrs. John S. Walker until yesterday afternoon. Leaving there to go to Jeannette, Mr. Shank will spend a few days there with friends, before returning to Idaho Falls.

Miss Margaret Ella Stewart, who for four years has made her home in Bellefonte with her grandmother, Mrs. P. E. Stewart, will leave shortly after the New Year to return to her home in Seattle, with her father, William Stewart. Mr. Stewart came east three weeks ago to spend Christmas with his mother and to accompany her daughter to the coast.

Calvin Smith, assistant superintendent of the Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co.'s largest plant, which is located at Crystal City, Mo., will come to Bellefonte to spend Christmas with his father and sister, J. Frank Smith and Miss Nellie Smith. With Mr. Smith will be Darville Panchoy and Paul Wagner, both of Crystal City, who will be members of Miss Smith's Holiday house party.

Robert Kinked, of Phillipsburg, and H. C. Angell, of Rush township, were in town Wednesday on business at the court house, relative to their work as assessors in Phillipsburg and Rush respectively. Usually Sol Schmidt and C. O. Hoffer, the other Phillipsburg assessors, come with them on such pilgrimages, but Sol wasn't ready this time and, we regret exceedingly to say, Mr. Hoffer was quite too ill to join them. But as neither of the gentlemen are kids any more and both of them know Bellefonte like a book they got through with their work in plenty of time to have several hours to devote to friends here and we were among the fortunate.

MONEY TO LOAN, Houses to Rent and real estate for sale—J. M. KEICHLINE, 61-47-2m* Bellefonte, Pa.

Fire insurance and automobile at a reduced rate. J. M. KEICHLINE Agent—48-1m*

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

Potatoes per bushel..... \$1.50 Onions..... 1.10 Eggs, per dozen..... 40 1/2, per pound..... 14 Butter per pound..... 35

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..... \$1.45 White Wheat..... 1.40 Rye, per bushel..... 90 Corn, shelled, per bushel..... 90 Corn, ears, per bushel..... 90 Oats, old and new, per bushel..... 60 Barley, per bushel..... 55

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

Wheat—Red..... \$1.62@1.65 Wheat—Yellow..... 1.58@1.61 Corn—Yellow..... 1.01@1.04 Corn—Mixed new..... 95@1.00 Oats..... 55@.56 Flour—Winter, per barrel..... 6.75@7.00 Flour—Favorite Brands..... 7.50@8.00 Rye Flour per barrel..... 8.00@12.00 Baled Hay—Choice Timothy No. 1..... 8.00@12.00 Traw..... Mixed No. 1..... 8.00@14.00