

To Correspondents.—No communications published unless accompanied by the real name of the writer.

THINGS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY

Dennis Mongan, who gave his residence as Milesburg, was among the men who enlisted at Altoona on Saturday.

Thus far the enrollment of students at The Pennsylvania State College has been about ninety per cent. of normal.

A beekeeper's field meeting will be held at the farm apiary of A. A. Howell, at Petersburg, on Tuesday, August 21st at two o'clock p. m.

Dr. M. Salm, the well known specialist of Pottsville, will visit Bellefonte next Tuesday. Read his advertisement published in this paper.

Peter Gray Meek II and George Reuben Meek Jr., entertained twenty-two of their little friends at their grandfather's cabin at Hecla, Wednesday afternoon.

Howard Casper has resigned his position as driver of the Adams Express company delivery wagon and has been succeeded temporarily by Harold Hollobaugh.

The ladies of the United Brethren church will hold a bake sale with ice cream and cake, Saturday afternoon and evening, August 11th, in the basement of the church.

On Saturday Governor Brumbaugh appointed Philip C. Shoemaker, son of Mrs. Thomas A. Shoemaker, of this place, second lieutenant of the Boal machine gun troop of Boalsburg.

Edward Zones, who for some time past has been a chauffeur in the employ of the Titan Metal company, on Monday moved his family to Clearfield, where he will drive for Dr. C. T. Hennig.

A dinner for which fourteen covers were laid, was given by Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Snyder at their home in Snow Shoe, Saturday evening, in celebration of their fifteenth wedding anniversary.

The Young People's society of the Methodist church of Milesburg will hold a parcel post sale on Friday evening, August 17th, at the home of Mrs. Lloyd Smith, on Main street. Ice cream, cake and candy will be on sale. The public is invited.

A habeas corpus hearing will be given William Shannon, of Sandy Ridge, next Monday. Shannon is in jail on the charge of shooting and killing Leanne Saylor, the three year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Saylor, of Sandy Ridge.

The new Nickel-Alloy company, in Clearfield, in which Dr. C. T. Hennig and a number of other Bellefonters are interested, started up about three weeks ago and are already turning out about twenty tons of valuable product daily.

One day last week a bull got into landlord August Glinz's truck patch up Spring creek and ate up and destroyed nine good-sized heads of cabbage, trampled down a lot of corn and left a blazed trail from one end of the patch to the other. And notwithstanding the damage Glinz has no redress because it was his own bull.

In the "Watchman's" list last week of the people who had contributed in work and money toward furnishing the members of Troop I, with sweaters the names of Mrs. Orin Kline, Miss Elizabeth Barnhart, Mrs. Samuel Shoffer and Mrs. Louis Grauer were unintentionally omitted, and herewith record them grateful recognition.

The tenth annual reunion of the society of the McAlisterville soldiers' orphans' school, 1864-1889, will be held on the old school grounds at McAlisterville on Wednesday and Thursday, August 22nd and 23rd. The festivities will open with a corn roast on the evening of the first day and close with a business meeting on the afternoon of the second day.

A fifteen month old Guernsey bull attacked Walter Rishel, son of A. M. Rishel, of near Axe Mann, last Friday afternoon when he was rounding up the herd to drive them to the barn. Rishel was knocked down and pretty badly bruised but fortunately no bones were broken. He might have fared worse, however, had the animal not been driven off by a fellow workman.

The scenic is still open to our soldier boys and any who see fit to take advantage of manager Brown's generosity are at liberty to do so. And all of "the boys" who have been there know that it is a good place to spend an evening. It is not only comfortable and pleasant but the pictures are always worth seeing. The best serials, good comics and most interesting pictures of the European war are shown.

On Saturday evening Andrew Engle accompanied a car load of gentlemen on a trip to Snyderstown to view the scene of the fatal automobile accident the day previous, and while there Mr. Engle accidentally stepped on an uneven spot of ground badly injuring his right ankle. He was brought to Bellefonte and taken to the hospital where an X-ray was taken to find out the extent of the injury. The photo showed no bones broken but some torn ligaments and a bad sprain and he was later taken to his home on Lamb street where he is undergoing treatment. The injury is just serious enough to keep Mr. Engle housed up for some time.

TWO LIVES LOST RECKLESSLY.

Speeding On Nittany Valley State Highway Proves Death-Trap That Hurlled Two Men Into Eternity.

KILLED ON A JOY RIDE.

Oscar Brown Crushed to Death When Car Overturns.

As the result of a night time joy ride there is unmitigated sorrow in one Bellefonte home and a widow has been left miras her main support. This is the story in brief of a trip to Lock Haven early last Friday morning by LeRoy Cowher, Harry Brandman, Robert Folk and Oscar Brown, in Clyde Blackford's big Super-Six Hudson car. Brown was practically killed outright when the car overturned after colliding with three maple trees while the car is so badly wrecked that it will cost hundreds of dollars to repair it.

LeRoy Cowher has been employed by Blackford as his chauffeur and last Thursday evening he drove Mr. and Mrs. Blackford and a party of friends to Lock Haven and back. They returned about eleven o'clock and then took a run down to Milesburg and back to try out the car which Mr. Blackford imagined was not working very good. Shortly before two o'clock the four young men above named appeared at Beezer's garage in quest of gasoline, which was furnished them by the night man, Edward Dorman. They informed him that they were going on a trip to Lock Haven with Mr. Blackford.

When they returned to the Blackford house, however, something interposed to keep him at home but the boys allege that he told them to take the car and make the trip themselves. In any event the boys went to Lock Haven and when returning shortly after four o'clock in the morning Cowher lost control of the steering wheel at the lower end of Snydertown, right at a rather sharp curve, with the result that the machine ran up on the bank on the left hand side of the road where there were three maple trees. The first tree was scraped by the fender of the car, the second tree was hit by the hub of the wheel and the machine plunged almost head-on against the third tree with the result that it was thrown almost straight across the road and turned over on the top.

Cowher, Brandman and Brown were riding on the front seat and when Brown saw that Cowher had lost control of the car he managed to get out onto the running board just as the car struck the third tree. The jolt threw him into the road and when the car overturned it fell full upon his head and the upper part of the body. Brown was not killed instantly because he cried out "For God's sake come and help me" loud enough that it was heard by Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Beck, who live only a short distance away, but they did not realize the seriousness of the accident. The other boys were thrown free of the car and while Brandman was somewhat injured the three of them tried to lift the car off of Brown but could not do so. Folk then ran to the Beck home and called for help.

Mrs. Beck was awake before the accident and heard the car coming but Mr. Beck was awakened by the crash of breaking glass. When Folk called for help he got up and asked what was wrong and on being told there was a man pinned under the wrecked car rushed his brother Luther and Harry Tressler, who were at his home, and hastily dressing themselves the three of them went to the scene of the wreck. Securing two fence rails they succeeded in prying the car up sufficiently to enable the boys to pull Brown out, but he was then dead.

When Mr. Beck and the others arrived on the scene the car was lying practically crosswise in the road and upside down. Brown was under the hood, but was evidently dead then, for he uttered no sound after they arrived and was lifeless when they got him out, which Mr. Beck thinks was not more than fifteen minutes after the accident actually occurred. A singular feature of the accident was that though the car was upside down and otherwise badly smashed up the engine was running smoothly when the men got to the scene and continued running until after they got Brown out, when Mr. Beck touched a button on the dash and it stopped.

Realizing the seriousness of the situation Mr. Beck sent Folk up to his house to telephone Beezer's garage about the accident and have some one sent down to get the body of the unfortunate young man as well as the car. While Folk was doing this Cowher and Brandman left on the pretense of going to the creek to wash up, but they failed to return until after everything was cleared up, when they made their appearance and came to Bellefonte on the motor bus.

Cowher claims he was not running fast and that the wheel was knocked from his hand by a board in the road. The writer personally saw Mr. Beck and he declared there was no board in the road, while Mr. C. E. Emerick, who lives a short distance below where the accident happened, stated that he heard the car pass and it sounded as if it was being driven at high speed. The probability is that having driven the car most of the night Cowher was about tired out and hurrying to get home and the wheel slipped from his grasp and he could not recover it in time to prevent the accident.

Brown's body was brought to Bellefonte by F. E. Naginey and prepared (Continued on page 4, column 6.)

ANOTHER SPEED VICTIM.

Killed When Auto Crashes Into Moving Train.

Andrew J. Rapp, private secretary to John H. Weaver, a prominent coal operator of Williamsport, met a horrible death at noon on Tuesday when the Weaver auto crashed into a moving freight train at Dry Run crossing on the Central Railroad of Pennsylvania between Houston and Lamar. Mr. Weaver with his private secretary, valet and chauffeur left Williamsport about eleven o'clock on Tuesday in the former's big Marmon Six car to go to Weaver's coal mines at Colver, Cambria county. They intended making Bellefonte for luncheon and when they struck the mile straight away stretch of state highway between Lamar and Houston speeded up the car, evidently never thinking of the railroad crossing. The Dry Run crossing occurs right in a piece of woodland where the underbrush is pretty high and it is impossible to see the track any distance either way. In fact a stranger could approach to within two hundred feet without knowing there is a railroad there. And at that particular crossing there are no signs up warning the traveler of danger.

The Weaver party must have been less than two hundred feet from the railroad when local freight east, manned by Edward Whittaker engineer, Edward Daley fireman, and John Hall conductor emerged from the woodland right in front of them. The chauffeur evidently did all he could to stop the car as he slid the wheels for a distance of 155 feet, but the momentum was too great and when he saw that a collision was inevitable he attempted to turn to the right and take chances in running along the railroad but he acted too late. He was too near the crossing and in making the sharp turn to the right in order to run off the road the rear of the heavy car was swung full against the moving train. Rapp, who was sitting in the left of the tonneau, was thrown against the car with such force that his head was literally cut in two, death resulting instantly.

The chauffeur and Mr. Weaver were unhurt and the valet sustained a laceration of the scalp by being thrown from the machine. Naturally, engineer Whittaker, as soon as he saw that a collision was inevitable, did everything possible to stop the train and succeeded in doing so by the time the caboose crossed the road, and the entire crew went to the assistance of the automobilists, but there was little to be done.

The nearest house to the scene of the accident is occupied by Thomas Gunsallus and the family were all in the house but hearing the crash Foster, the eldest son, ran out and up to the scene of the disaster, and he was actually the first there outside of the train crew and the automobilists. In a very few minutes after the accident one of the men went to a telephone and called Bellefonte for an undertaker but not being able to get any here a Lock Haven undertaker was secured who went to the scene of the accident and took away the remains of the dead man which were later prepared for burial and shipped to his old home in Philadelphia. Another car was secured and Mr. Weaver and his valet returned to Williamsport. The car was hauled to the Beezer garage in this place for repairs.

The sergeant and five members of the eighteenth regiment, of Pittsburgh, who have been stationed at the Titan Metal company's plant the past three months, were ordered to join their regiment this week and left on Wednesday evening.

The will of the late Dr. Thomas C. VanTries was probated this week. In it the testator bequeathed one hundred dollars each to his sister, Mrs. Louise Harris, and his brother, George L. VanTries, all the balance of his property to go to his son, Rev. William Potter VanTries. The estate was appraised at about twelve thousand dollars.

Along about two o'clock Friday morning some unknown person attempted to steal Dr. M. J. Locke's automobile from in front of his residence on Allegheny street. Mrs. Locke was awakened by a noise in front of the house and awakening the doctor he jumped out of bed and ran to the balcony in time to see the car disappear with some person at the wheel who was wearing khaki trousers. The doctor hastily donned his clothes and ran downstairs, as he had the car locked and knew it couldn't be driven very far. And so it proved, as the car had been abandoned in front of the E. H. Richard home. Meeting a man on the street he knew the doctor inquired if he had seen a man dressed in khaki trousers and the individual in question stated that he had seen a man run up Howard street and turn up Penn, but he didn't notice his clothes. The doctor got in the car and hastily drove up Howard to Penn, up Penn to Lamb and east on Lamb street but saw no one. He crossed to Linn and returned home by way of Linn and Allegheny but failed to see a single person. And it was a good thing for the would-be thief that the doctor didn't catch him, as he emphatically avers that he would have saved Judge Quigley a job.

NEWS PURELY PERSONAL.

Eugene Hall, of Fleming, spent a part of the week visiting friends in Altoona.

Miss Jule Curtin and her nephew, Gregg Shelden, are at the Nittany Country club.

Miss Alice Kirk, of Altoona, spent the latter end of the week with friends in Bellefonte.

Miss Pearl MacLeod has returned home from spending her vacation with friends at Liverpool.

Miss Sarah Hockenbery, of State College, spent the latter part of the week in Bellefonte with friends.

Harry Spicer, of Scottsdale, is here visiting his parents, and Mrs. George Spicer, on Logan street.

Mrs. James Johnson, of Narbeth, has been visiting at Hecla, a guest of her cousin, Miss Louise McMullen.

Mrs. George Elliott returned home on Friday after spending a month or more with friends in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Harrison Walker spent the week-end at Bedford, having driven over in their car on Friday.

Miss Maude Johnston has been out in Clearfield county the past week while she will teach school the coming winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith and Miss Grace Smith, of Centre Hall, spent Saturday afternoon and evening in Bellefonte.

Mrs. M. Luther Erlenmeyer, of Liverpool, is visiting her parents, Rev. and Mrs. T. Hugh MacLeod, on west High street.

Mrs. James I. McClure left on Saturday to spend two weeks with her son, Lawrence McClure and family, at Renovo.

Albert Ammerman came up from Philadelphia on Friday to visit his sister, Mrs. Frank Compani, returning home on Monday.

C. D. Moore, for years a resident of State College, left last week for St. James, Me., where he expects to be for an indefinite time.

Mrs. Norman Winner and her young son, of Wilmington, Del., are here on their summer visit, making their headquarters with the Misses Pearl.

Mrs. J. M. Curtin, of Pittsburgh, and her two children, Betty and Harry, are here visiting with Mrs. Curtin's mother, Mrs. George F. Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Shook and little daughter, of Catskill, N. Y., are visiting Mrs. Shook's mother, Mrs. James Shook, on south Allegheny street.

Miss Emma Carpenter, of Elmira, who has been a guest of Mrs. Daggett at the Bush home for a week, will remain in Bellefonte for an indefinite time.

Mr. and Mrs. John G. Larimer, of Philadelphia, motored to Bellefonte the latter part of the week and have been visiting among friends in this vicinity.

Charles Wilson, of Julian, was a business visitor in Bellefonte on Tuesday and among the places that was favored by his presence was the "Watchman" office.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Twitmore, of Sunbury, spent the latter part of the week in Bellefonte, coming here on account of the death and burial of Mrs. John Larimer.

William P. Brew, of Hackensack, N. J., arrived in Bellefonte on Tuesday evening on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Fenlon and to look after some business interests.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Bell, of Huntingdon, accompanied by Mrs. Bell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Atherton, motored to Bellefonte on Sunday and spent the day as guests of Mr. Bell.

Mr. F. W. Topelt, of Brooklyn, N. Y., joined his wife here the latter part of the week and will spend his vacation here at the home of Mrs. Topelt's mother, Mrs. I. S. Brouse.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Mullen with their son, John Mullen 2nd and Mrs. Roberts, all of Shamokin, motored to Bellefonte last week and spent several days as guests at the Brockerhoff house.

Miss Martha Shoemaker, a nurse in training at the Mercy hospital, Pittsburgh, has been in Bellefonte spending her two week's vacation with her mother, Mrs. Thomas A. Shoemaker.

Among those who were called to Bellefonte last week on account of the death and burial of Mrs. John Larimer were Mr. and Mrs. William M. Furey, Miss Virginia Furey and Harry Higham, all of Pittsburgh.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Decker with their two children, Jane and Mary, of Bay City, Mich., arrived in Bellefonte on Saturday for their annual visit with Mr. Decker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Christ Decker.

Jean Fleming, of Williamsport, with his two daughters, the Misses Grace and Marion, and their brother motored to Bellefonte on Friday accompanied by Mr. Fleming's brother, W. I. Fleming, remaining here until Sunday as the latter's guest.

After spending her vacation with her parents and family in Bellefonte Miss M. Lillian Walker left on Friday for New York city where she will spend two weeks in a large wholesale millinery before going to her permanent position at Pen Yan, N. Y.

Miss Sarah Longwell, stenographer for Harry Keller and J. Thomas Mitchell Esqs., left on her summer vacation on Saturday, going direct to Steelton to see her mother. Mrs. Thad Longwell, of Des Moines, Iowa, and will spend some time with Miss Mary Rankin, in Harrisburg.

Calvin Smith, who has been working at Crystal City, Mo., now going on two years, arrived in Bellefonte last Thursday evening on a visit to his father and sister, ex-Register J. Frank Smith and Miss Nellie Smith. Inasmuch as he has a vacation of only two weeks he will be compelled to leave Bellefonte next Monday morning.

Among "Watchman" office callers on Saturday was Jeremiah Brungart, of Rebersburg, one of the old-time staunch Democrats of Brush valley. Accompanying him to Bellefonte were his daughter, Mrs. F. M. Emerick, with her husband and family, who were on their way home to Newton Hamilton after a brief sojourn at the parental home.

John L. Noll, of Juniata, was a "Watchman" office visitor last Saturday having come here to spend part of his vacation with his father, Col. Emanuel Noll. Mr. Noll is supervisor of manual training in the Altoona schools and has been a constant reader of the "Watchman" the past fifteen years. Mr. Noll has just compiled and had published a cardboard construction plate system of drawing which is one of the best that has ever come to the attention of the writer, and because of its very simplicity will no doubt be adopted in many manual training schools.

Mrs. Charles Hughes and children are visiting friends in Lewistown.

Mrs. William B. Wallis is entertaining her friend, Miss Angle, of Pittsburgh.

Mrs. Brown, of Snow Shoe, was a guest of Mrs. McGarvey several days this week.

Miss Mary McClure went to Pittsburgh last Friday to spend several weeks with her sister.

Ray Brandman took in the big fair in Altoona this week and also looked after some business matters.

John Pacini and children, of Lewistown, are in Bellefonte as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Robb.

Mrs. Miles Osmer and daughter, of Oberlin, Ohio, are here for a three week's visit among their many friends.

Mrs. Weber Thomas and son Victor, of Camden, N. J., are making their summer visit among Centre county friends.

Mrs. W. A. Lyon returned home yesterday from visiting her son, Robert V. Lyon and family, in Buffalo, N. Y.

Mother Elizabeth and Sister M. Rosaria were guests of Mrs. Thomas A. Shoemaker from Saturday until yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sommerville, of Robertsdale, motored to Bellefonte Sunday, spending the day visiting with friends.

Miss Mary Gray Meek and Mrs. Thomas King Morris, of Pittsburgh, are spending the week at the "Cabin," at Hecla park.

Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Kilpatrick with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Daggett as guests will leave Sunday for an eight day's drive through New York State.

Mrs. Silas Wetmore and her son Billy arrived from Norristown Wednesday evening for a visit with Mrs. Wetmore's mother, Mrs. Matilda Dale.

Mrs. Hugh Boyle and two children, who have been in Bellefonte visiting Mrs. Boyle's mother, Mrs. Tanner, left for their home in Hazleton on Wednesday.

After a month's visit with friends in Bellefonte and Jacksonville, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Houser and two children will return to their home in Meadville this week.

C. B. Williams came up from Bayonne, N. J., on Sunday to see his wife and son Frederick, who are at the W. A. Lyon home, returning home on Monday.

Miss Mollie Snyder will leave Bellefonte tomorrow for Baltimore, Md., and Milford, Del., expecting later to go to New York to do her fall millinery shopping.

Mrs. William Perry and daughter, of Altoona, and Mrs. Rebecca Lucas and daughter, of Howard, have been guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. J. Will Conley.

Martin Drebleis, of College township, took time to motor to Bellefonte on Wednesday to look after a few business matters prior to going into the oats field yesterday.

John M. Bullock recently returned from a visit with relatives at Marcus Hook and accompanying him home were his two cousins, Miss Edith Johnson and Miss Myrtle Talley.

Dr. and Mrs. G. B. Shivery, of Woodland, accompanied by Mrs. Shivery's sister, Mrs. Forey, of Philadelphia, motored to Bellefonte on Tuesday on a visit to Dr. Harry Shivery and family.

Mrs. Joseph Harris, with her two children, of Detroit, Mich., were arrivals in town Saturday. They are here for a visit with Mr. Harris' sisters, Mrs. John VanPelt and Mrs. John McCoy.

Mrs. J. C. Grenoble, of Pleasant Gap, favored this office with a delightful call on Wednesday noon and naturally we were pleased to have her order the "Watchman" sent regularly to their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hoy, of New York city, and their little daughter, will come to Bellefonte today for a visit with Mr. Hoy's sisters, the Misses Anna and Mary Hoy and Mrs. W. Fred Reynolds.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Hamilton and Clarence Hamilton, of New York, motored to Bellefonte the latter part of last week and have been spending the gentlemen's vacation at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thad Hamilton.

Dr. E. H. Yocum went to Newton Hamilton on Wednesday where he was invited to deliver the address to the railroad men of the Middle division, comprising delegates from Harrisburg to Altoona. The address was given yesterday.

Having come here for the funeral of the late Dr. Thomas C. VanTries, with his wife and son, of Parkersburg, and George L. VanTries, of Pittsburgh, have remained in Bellefonte this week as guests of Mrs. Louise Harris, while making a preliminary settlement of the doctor's estate.

Mr. W. W. McCormick, of Potters Mills, was a business visitor in Bellefonte on Wednesday and found time to make a brief call at the "Watchman" office. Mr. McCormick has been a farmer on one of the Allison farms in Potter township for fifty years continuously, a record probably held by no other man in the county.

Mrs. Harry H. Showers, who came here from Chicago Tuesday, will be in Bellefonte with Mr. Showers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Showers, and with her own parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Mulfinger, at Pleasant Gap, until their household goods reach Beaver Falls, where she and Mr. Showers will make their home in the future. Mr. Showers has accepted a position with the Standard Scale Co.

Out of town people who were here for the funeral of Mrs. Archibald Allison on Monday were Irvin W. Humes with his son Richard and daughter Lucy, of Latrobe; Miss Mary Shorkey, of Williamsport; Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Emory, of Sunbury; Charles E. Allison, of Toronto, Can.; Hon. William Allison and family, of Spring Hill; Mrs. J. F. Alexander, of Centre Hall; Mrs. Elizabeth Allison, of Senaman, Ohio; Miss Mary Allison, of Howard; Allison Nixon and sister, of Mill Hall; Mr. and Mrs. William Hayes, of Howard; Mrs. Rosser, of Mill Hall; A. A. Witter, of Tyrone, and Mrs. William Hepburn, of Jersey Shore.

Milan P. Walker, son of ex-Sheriff and Mrs. W. Miles Walker, left at noon Monday for Washington, D. C., to enlist in the ordnance department of the United States army. During the past three years Mr. Walker has held the position of local editor of the Centre Democrat and was making good in his chosen profession. Early in July he went to State College and took a course in storekeeping in the ordnance department with the result that he was summoned to Washington for service on Monday. Mr. Walker was accompanied by Robert S. Walker, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Miles Walker, and they were both given assignments as storekeepers in the engineering corps. They returned home on Tuesday evening but will report at Washington for duty next Monday.

Health and Happiness Series

BEGINNING next week, The Watchman will publish a series of five articles on the relation of bacteria to milk. The milk of our community is not beyond criticism and as education is the most efficient means of securing reform along any line, it is hoped that the information contained in these articles may be of benefit to both producer and consumer. Elizabeth B. Meek, (Editor)

Miss Hudson, of Huntingdon, has been a guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Thomas, at the Bush house.

Mrs. Joseph Undercoffer left yesterday for a short visit at her former home in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Wynn Davis, of Canonsburg, are visiting with Mrs. Davis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Gettig.

Miss Myra Sechler has returned to Franklin Pa., where she will be for an indefinite time with her sister, Mrs. Harry Cox.

Mrs. R. S. Brouse, her sister, Miss Caroline Harper, and Mr. and Mrs. Topelt, of Brooklyn, are at the Country club for a week.

Miss Anne Wallace, of Philadelphia, and Mr. and Mrs. Roger Francisus, of Tyrone, have been spending the past week at the Nittany Country club.

Rev. Frank Wetzel, of Stoystown, Pa., is here for a visit with his father, John Wetzel, and with his two daughters, the Misses Veda and Grace Wetzel.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Shuey have been entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Charles Doubchy, of Kingston, and their two children, and Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Rilling, of Altoona.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller and their two children have been guests for a week of Dr. and Mrs. S. M. Nissley, stopping here on their way home to Waynesburg, from a visit with Mrs. Miller's relatives in Sunbury. Mr. Miller is a brother of Mrs. Nissley.

Mrs. Richard Moore, of Dayton, Ohio, spent a part of Saturday in Bellefonte, stopping here on a drive to the Spruce Creek Country club, being a guest of friends from Altoona, where she is visiting. Mrs. Moore, who will be remembered as Miss Roxey McMillen, will spend the hay fever season in Gloucester, Mass., expecting to return to Ohio the middle of September.

J. E. Homer, of Phillipsburg, was in Bellefonte Wednesday evening on his way with a party of friends to State College. Mr. Homer is not seen in Bellefonte as frequently as he was when he dabbled in county politics and was head of the mercantile firm of Homer & Swires. He is retired now; doing nothing because some years ago he picked up a little coal property that worried him a long time before it set him down on Easy street.

The Knights of Columbus picnic originally scheduled for August 16th at Hecla park, has been postponed until August 22nd.

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Eggs, per dozen..... 37
Lard, per pound..... 22
Butter per pound..... 35

Bellefonte Grain Markets.

The following are the quotations up to six o'clock Thursday evening, when our paper goes to press.

Red Wheat..... \$2.00
White Wheat..... 1.50
Rye, per bushel..... 1.35
Corn, shelled, per bushel..... 1.50
Corn, ears, per bushel..... 1.00
Oats, old and new, per bushel..... 1.50
Barley, per bushel..... 1.80

Philadelphia Markets.

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

Corn - Yellow..... 2.25 @ 2.30
Mixed new..... 2.20 @ 2.24
Oats..... 1.00 @ 1.10
Flour - Winter, per barrel..... 10.75 @ 11.25
Favorite Brands..... 14.25 @ 14.75
Rye Flour per barrel..... 10.00 @ 11.00
Baked Hay - Choice Timothy No. 1..... 14.50 @ 15.00
Mixed No. 1..... 10.00 @ 10.50
Straw..... 1.00 @ 1.25

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