

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

THINGS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY

Turkeys sold in Bellefonte last Saturday at 25 cents the pound, live weight.

W. G. Emerick, of the Emerick motor bus line, gave each one of his drivers a turkey for Thanksgiving.

Two inches of snow fell in the mountains on Saturday night and deer hunters are just hoping for a like fall tonight.

A car load of colored prisoners passed through Bellefonte on Tuesday on their way from Pittsburgh to the Rockview institution.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Garman will close their house on High street and occupy a part of Mrs. H. W. Tate's apartments in Petrikin hall, for the winter.

The Aid society of the Presbyterian church will hold an apron and food sale in the Presbyterian chapel on Thursday, December 13th. Open at 2 p. m.

The police on Tuesday night again raided the house of Mrs. Minnie Auman, of Pike alley, and caught that woman and two young men in their net, landing them in jail.

D. Wagner Geiss was taken to the Bellefonte hospital on Monday evening suffering with an attack of typhoid fever. His condition at present, however, is not considered serious.

Constable Howard Smead, of the North ward, will go to work for the Titan Motor company next Monday as driver of one of their new two and a half ton International motor trucks.

Twenty-nine liquor license applications have been filed this year as against thirty-six last year. Of this number twenty-two are for retail licenses, six wholesale and one brewer's license.

Lieut. Vincent Nicholas Taylor, son of Col. H. S. Taylor, of this place, has been transferred from Fort Sill, Oklahoma, to Camp Greene, Charlotte, N. C., where he is now with the 38th infantry.

Last week Bellefonte had a sugar famine and this week it is practically a coal famine as the only hard coal to be had in the town so far during the week is egg coal, and it has been limited in quantity.

The Ladies Guild of St. John's Episcopal church will have a sale in the parish house on December 6th, 1917. You will find articles suitable for Christmas gifts, also cakes, pies, candy and all good things to eat.

Miss Pauline Johnston, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Kennedy Johnston, has been ill for a week with diphtheria. Although some alarm had been felt concerning Miss Johnston's condition, she is now steadily improving.

On the second page of this issue of the "Watchman" will be found a most interesting article written by Mrs. J. Harvey Hile, of Boston, on "One Mother's Viewpoint." Mothers reading this article will readily be convinced as to their duty to their country in its present crisis.

The annual memorial services of the Bellefonte Lodge of Elks will be held on Sunday afternoon at three o'clock. The address will be delivered by Rev. M. DePue Maynard, of the Episcopal church. Since the Lodge was instituted there have been sixteen deaths in its roll of membership.

Prior to leaving for their hunting camp in the Bear Meadows the Modoc hunting club of Boalsburg entertained their friends at a Thanksgiving feast on Wednesday evening. About seventy people were present and helped dispose of the four big turkeys they had and the big stock of ice cream.

Last week the "Watchman" told of Col. Emanuel Noll's birthday party and stated that he had been with the railroad company going on thirty-seven years, and it will probably be news to most of our readers to learn that Joseph W. Undercoffer has been there equally as long, as he and Mr. Noll went there at the same time.

Miss Jane Hafer, who has been in France as a Red Cross nurse since early last spring, has broken down in health and is on her way back to the United States. While her friends will regret to learn of her poor health she will have the consolation of having done her bit in the great struggle for a world democracy.

Bill Doak, the blind man, has not yet gotten that overcoat that he sent out an appeal for several weeks ago, but he did get a nice, warm neck muffer from Clarence Rhoads, as a present, for which he is heartily thankful. Bill's appeal for an overcoat is still open and he hopes it will be helped by some generous hearted individual.

The "Watchman" a few weeks ago told of the City bakery's business increasing to such an extent that the proprietor was compelled to add a battery of new ovens. And now he has been compelled to invest in a new one ton truck in order to handle his output. The City bakery is putting out an unusually good quality of bread and there is no reason why they should not have all the custom in Bellefonte and Centre county.

How Bellefonte Soldiers Are Training in Camp.

Boys of Troop L in Good Health, Drilling Hard and Paying No Attention to Rumors.

(By Corp. Henry Keller.)

Troop L, 101st U. S. Cav., Fort Hancock, Augusta, Ga., November 23rd, 1917.

Editor "Democratic Watchman": The troop has once more taken up active drilling and from all appearances we surely did not suffer from our ten days' dispersal. The boys were so glad to be cavalymen once more that they now drill as though they had never missed any time and, in fact, the drilling now is even better than before the grand "smash up."

The boys, especially those who had been with the engineers, are so glad to be again under our old officers that Sergeant Schreffler scarcely needs blow his whistle before the entire troop is formed. Many of the boys have been granted furloughs and although some are now at home, several have already returned. Troopers Tate, Steele and Deffley are among those who have returned and they reported that everything was well at home and from their experiences they must have enjoyed themselves immensely while visiting. We certainly were glad to welcome them back and, especially, since Trooper Steele has joined us again, the troop has shown more life and action during the hours of rest.

We missed his witticisms very much but feel sure that he will continue to act as troop oracle now that he is back. At present Sergeant Reynolds has been unable to join us but is with headquarters troop—the First City troop of Philadelphia. His transfer so far has been held up but we all hope to see him back, heading the first platoon soon again.

Sergeants Johnson and Stewart are now at home and Bugler Crissman expects to leave shortly. We know that they will enjoy their visit and hope that they will find time to deliver all the messages they were given.

Various rumors of all sorts continue to circulate through camp but we have ceased to pay any attention to them. One day it may be that rumor has it that we leave for the "Edge" inside of twenty-four hours. Next we hear that the cavalry is to be broken up again. And so it goes, but we do not bother at all about it, but go on with our drills. These drills have become very interesting and in the last few days have taken the form of sham battles. In our own squadron the two sides consists of two troops each. One side being marked by white bands upon their hats. The sides are divided into patrols and are sent into the woods and each patrol is given a special duty to perform. It must perform this duty without being captured, and also, they may capture opposing patrols. Our boys took to the work like veterans. As we had most of Richmond county to work over many of the boys traveled quite a number of miles. Referees were present to decide all disputes, so that no bad feelings were allowed to arise.

The boys crawled through swamps, ditches and underbrush, and today our boys came in with the record of having only one man captured. One patrol, in fact, passed within twenty-five feet of Lieut. Taylor without being seen and many boys declare that he has eyes in the back of his head, especially when he drills us.

The quartermaster department has given us some extremely necessary clothing, mostly overcoats, and now scarcely a boy in the troop is without one. As a rule, the weather has been wonderful here, quite warm and very little rain. The nights, though, have been a bit chilly, but of late we are beginning to realize that November is near a close. The last two days have been right cold and the new overcoats came in very handy.

We received quite a large box of tobacco, cigars and cigarettes, sent by George Carpeneto, and we surely wish to express our appreciation to those people at home who were so kind as to contribute to the box. It came just as our own tobacco had about given out, for although one's pay is supposed to last a month it never does and so, of course, we naturally are glad to get any necessities, such as tobacco. We all are looking forward to the Thanksgiving dinner. It will not be beans and canned beef, such as many people might suppose we get, but we will have a regular turkey dinner with all the trimmings. And when we get it we surely will try to live up to the Thanksgiving custom—to eat our fill and give thanks that our appetites are still with us.

Troopers E. O. Keller and Charles Scott have been transferred to the ordnance department, and are both located now at the Augusta arsenal. We wish them luck in their new work and feel sure that they will both make good. Everybody is well and sends their best wishes home, and hoping that all is well at home.

On Sunday morning sheriff George H. Yarnell received a call to go to Zion as two tramps had taken possession of the flag station on the Central Railroad of Pennsylvania. Taking along chief of police Duke-man the sheriff drove down and found the men comfortably domiciled. They had a good, hot fire in the stove and a supply of eatables to last several days. They were given the option of leaving the county or going to jail and packing their belongings the weary Willies left the comfort of the flag station and took to the highway.

In Miss Cooney's Thanksgiving reduction sale, all the early winter stock of the Hat Shop will be sold at a sacrifice, to make room for later models. "Send him a photograph" Mallory Studio. 39-41

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there has been nothing heard here as to the facts in the matter. No word has come direct from any of the boys of Troop L regarding the order up to this writing so that it is not positively known that it is correct. If such an order has been issued and not countermanded it is quite likely that definite news of same will be received soon.

But whether the cavalry is to be dismembered again or not, it need not deter anyone from sending Christmas boxes to the soldier boys. In fact a telegram was received by a member of the Woman's club of Bellefonte on Wednesday morning from Capt. H. Laird Curtin stating that all boxes designed for the members of Troop L can be sent to him, and if any change takes place in the Troop he will personally see that each man gets the box intended for him.

ITEMS OF PERSONAL INTEREST.

Capt. Theodore Davis Boal arrived at his home at Boalsburg on Tuesday on a brief furlough, having recently returned with Major General Charles M. Clement from a trip to France.

Mrs. Frank McFarlane and Mrs. L. E. Kidder, of Boalsburg, will head the committee which will look after the Christmas boxes to be sent to the Machine Gun Troop at Camp Hancock.

Among the Bellefonte boys who are now home on a furlough is Francis Thomas, son of Supt. and Mrs. F. H. Thomas. He arrived in Bellefonte on Tuesday from the officers' training camp at Fort Niagara, N. Y., where he won his commission as a second lieutenant in the regular army and will be assigned to the Third U. S. artillery now stationed at Fort Meyer, Va., for which place he will leave on December 14th.

Bugler Frank Crissman, of Troop L, arrived home from Camp Hancock on Tuesday on a brief furlough and reports the Troop all in good shape. Paul J. Seanor went down to Philadelphia on Tuesday to take the examination for the U. S. aviation service, and if he passes, intends to enlist.

Word was received in Bellefonte this week that Ivan Walker and Earl Orr, who have been in training at Rockford, Ill., have been ordered for duty at the Watervliet arsenal, New York. Ivan is now a sergeant, having won his appointment quite recently.

Sergt. Claude Johnson, who had an attack of malaria fever since coming home on a furlough, has recovered sufficiently to be around again.

Lieut. Charles E. Garbrick, of the U. S. regular army, is home from Newport News on a ten days' furlough which he is spending with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Garbrick.

Centre Countians Get Commissions.

At the officers' training camp at Fort Niagara on Sunday the following commissions were issued, all the men being assigned to Camp Lee, Virginia:

First lieutenants, infantry: William E. Gladstone Taylor, Bellefonte; William E. Lewis, State College. Captain, field artillery, Wilbur C. Gillespie, State College. First lieutenant, field artillery, LeRoy Metzger, State College.

The Howard brick works were sold at sheriff's sale last Saturday morning and were purchased by Harry T. Mann for \$9,000.

While assisting W. E. Bower, near Salona, haul in corn fodder on Tuesday afternoon Lewis C. Beatty fell from the top of the load to the ground and the wagon ran over his head, crushing in his skull and causing instant death.

Mrs. W. F. Carson's Junior Red Cross organization is fast making a record for itself, through its work on snip pillows. Averaging an attendance of thirty-six, these children in six meetings have made fifty pillows. In relieving the Senior organization of the tedious work the children's "bit" is greatly appreciated and mothers should see to it that they be present at every Thursday afternoon meeting.

There is always a demand for "the best" in everything and that is the reason the Scenic is such a popular motion picture show, because manager T. Clayton Brown makes it a point to always have the best pictures obtainable. This not only means that the subject matter is good and treated from an artistic standpoint, but that all the pictures are new and of quite recent release. If you are interested in motion pictures try the Scenic.

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JOHN T. GEPHART SHOT. Had Narrow Escape While Hunting on Mountain Near Runville Last Thursday Morning.

John T. Gephart, formerly construction engineer for the State Highway Department but now civil engineer of Fayette county, with headquarters at Uniontown, had a narrow escape from death last Thursday morning when a bullet from the gun of an unknown hunter ploughed a furrow on the back of his neck right at the base of the skull, cutting away the hair and skin, but fortunately not reaching the bone.

Mr. Gephart, accompanied by his wife, came here from Uniontown last week for the express purpose of getting a wild turkey. He went down on the mountain near Hecla park on Wednesday and is credited with getting a turkey. On Thursday morning he went out in the neighborhood of Runville to hunt pheasants and other small game. He had not been there long when his dog raised a pheasant and he pulled up and shot at it. Almost simultaneously there was another shot and a bullet struck Mr. Gephart on the back of the neck.

He managed to get to Runville and was telephoned to Bellefonte for a doctor, as it was not known how badly Mr. Gephart was hurt. Dr. Sebring responded and an examination showed that the wound was not a very serious one by a fraction of an inch and Mr. Gephart was brought to Bellefonte and spent two days quietly in his room at the Bush house, though by Saturday he was able to be around again.

Who fired the gun that shot the bullet that hit Mr. Gephart is still a mystery. It is quite likely, however, that the man is entirely ignorant of how near he came to killing a man. He probably was using one of the present day high-power rifles and may have been a half a mile away at the time he fired the shot with no thought of any person being within range of his gun.

Harry Keller Made Fuel Controller of Centre County.

Harry Keller Esq., of Bellefonte, was last week appointed fuel controller for Centre county and it will be his duty to see that the coal allotted to Centre county, both anthracite and bituminous, is properly distributed to meet the wants of public utilities and for domestic purposes, and that there is no undue hoarding or piling up of a big reserve by any one.

In this connection it might be said that within the past two weeks every user of coal in Centre county, outside of for domestic purposes only, as well as every coal dealer, received blanks to fill out showing approximately the number of tons of coal used last year and giving a probable estimate on the number of tons they will require the coming year, based upon the actual expansion of their business, if there has been any. These statements will be used as a basis for the amount of coal to be allotted to Centre county and it will be Mr. Keller's business after the allotment is made to see that a proper distribution takes place.

The Panthers Off for Their Annual Hunt.

The Panther hunting club of Bellefonte left on Saturday morning, bag and baggage, for their camp in Shingletown gap, right at the entrance to the Bear Meadows, where they will spend a week hunting small game and a week hunting deer. The club's camp equipment was hauled out on Saturday by Edmund Blanchard, James Clark and W. C. Cassidy, of this place; Thomas Moore, of Philadelphia, and Charles Osmer, as cook. Other members of the club went out this week and inasmuch as it is only a two hours' trip by automobile the members will go back and forth just as they have the time during the period of the camp in the woods. Considering the fact that the Panthers are located in a good deer and bear locality they anticipate coming home with the bacon.

Dealers Must Not Sell Sugar "In Combination."

Numerous complaints have been made to the food department of the Committee of Public Safety that retail dealers throughout the State have been selling sugar "in combination," that is refusing to give a customer sugar unless he purchased a dollar, or two dollar's worth of other goods. The matter has been taken up with the food administration in Washington with the result that all combination sales are forbidden with the single exception of cornmeal and sugar, and this must be at the ratio of one pound of sugar to every two pounds of cornmeal. While the dealer is restricted in all other combination sales he is not required to make such sales of cornmeal and sugar but may do so at his discretion.

Child Burned to Death.

On Wednesday morning the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Robinson, near Gordon Heights, was totally destroyed by fire and with it the infant child of the family. The Robinsons formerly lived at Mt. Eagle. Details of the unfortunate incident are unavailable at this writing.

Up to Wednesday evening just 4135 hunters' licenses had been issued in this county against 4009 last year, an increase of 126. And this notwithstanding the fact that Centre county has sent in the neighborhood of four hundred young men into the service. The above number will be very close the maximum, as it is likely that all the hunters had secured their license when the number was taken.

NEWS PURELY PERSONAL.

Frank Shilling has been visiting with a cousin in Pittsburgh since the early part of the week.

While in Bellefonte the early part of the week, Mrs. Mills Alexander was a guest of Mrs. Francis Shreffler.

Mrs. George Marshall left Monday for Buffalo, where she will spend the winter with her son, William Marshall and family.

It is two weeks since Miss Elizabeth Gephart left Bellefonte for Chester, going down for a visit with Dr. and Mrs. Hiram Hiller.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Bible had as Thanksgiving guests their daughter, Mrs. C. M. Bowles, of Altoona, and her two children.

Mr. and Mrs. Eben Bower have been entertaining Mr. Bower's parents, who came here from Aaronsburg the early part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. George R. Meek are in Pittsburgh, having gone out for the game and to spend Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Crytzer and little daughter, of the Garman house, are out in New Kensington this week visiting Mr. Crytzer's parents.

M. A. Landry left on Monday on a trip to Philadelphia and Franklin before entering upon his duties as a clerk in Montgomery & Co's store.

Miss Mae E. Ballor went to New York on Wednesday to attend the sessions of the National Commercial Teachers' association, intending to return tomorrow or Sunday.

Mrs. W. C. Cassidy went down to Philadelphia on Saturday to visit for two weeks with Mrs. Thomas Moore while Mr. Moore is enjoying his annual hunt in Centre county.

Miss Emma Montgomery is at Aspinwall, Pa., where she will spend the winter with her sister, Mrs. C. J. McHugh. Miss Montgomery closed her home and left Bellefonte Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dawson, of Altoona, and Master George Tate, of Lock Haven, spent Thanksgiving day with Mrs. Dawson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Young, in this place.

Miss Louise J. Cruse, a Junior at Penn State, with Mr. Clark, of Philadelphia, a college mate, were guests for Thanksgiving of Miss Cruse's mother, Mrs. Charles Cruse, at her home on High street.

Samuel McClure is on his way over the States, after living seven years in China. Mr. McClure will visit in Des Moines, Columbus, Pittsburgh and Oil City, expecting to reach here shortly before Christmas.

Mrs. L. H. Gettig went to Cannonsburg Sunday, for a visit and to spend Thanksgiving with her daughter, Mrs. Wynn Davis. Mr. Gettig will join his wife Saturday, to be with Mr. and Mrs. Davis for the week-end.

Mrs. W. Morris Furey went to Pittsburgh a week ago, called there by the illness of her son, William Morris Furey, Jr., who will leave for Colorado to spend the winter, as soon as it is possible for him to make the journey.

Miss Betsy Hall, a daughter of Mr. Charles Hall, of Unionville, was in Bellefonte Tuesday, on her way down the valley to spend a few days with her sister, Mrs. Frank Grove, and to be a guest at the butchering Wednesday.

Miss Verna Emerick and Miss Mabel Arney drove here from Centre Hall Wednesday for Mrs. J. C. Harper and her daughter, Miss Helen Harper, who spent their Thanksgiving in Centre Hall, guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Emerick.

Rev. and Mrs. Walter Fay Carson have been spending the week in Philadelphia, leaving here Tuesday morning. Being there for Thanksgiving, Mr. Carson conducted the union services held in the Baptist church at Holmesburg, a suburb of Philadelphia.

Robert S. Walker and Milan Walker, both clerks in the Ordnance Department at League Island, Philadelphia, arrived in Bellefonte Wednesday night, to spend Thanksgiving with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John S. Walker and Mr. and Mrs. W. Miles Walker.

Mrs. Martin Hogan, of Unionville, passed through Bellefonte Saturday on her way to Centre Hall, where she will visit for a week with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dinges. From there Mrs. Hogan will go to Spring Mills, to spend the winter with her sister, Mrs. Aaron Ulrich.

Calvin Riley, of Newton Hamilton, who is making his annual winter visit at Boalsburg, arrived in Bellefonte Tuesday. The greater part of Mr. Riley's vacation will be spent in the mountains, being a member of the Riley hunting party, whose lodge is located in the Bear Meadows.

Mrs. W. J. Ammerman, of Pleasant Gap, has shipped her household goods to Homestead, in anticipation of making her home in that place. Before leaving Centre county Mrs. Ammerman will make short visits with her sister, Mrs. Jacob Hoy, and other relatives.

Miss Ella A. Gates went to Altoona on Wednesday to spend Thanksgiving with her sister, Mrs. Charles Young and family, being accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Mary A. Gates, who has been visiting her children in Bellefonte the past week. Before returning home Miss Gates will go to Lewisport to spend a few days with her brother, Benner R. Gates and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Shively, of Glen Iron, with their two children, were in Bellefonte Wednesday for a short visit with Mrs. Shively's mother and uncle, Mrs. Wirth and Commissioner Isaac Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Shively were on their way to spend Thanksgiving in Clearfield. Mrs. Wirth, who makes her home with her brother, Mr. Miller, will leave today for a visit of ten days or two weeks with her children and other relatives in Union county. During her absence Mr. Miller will spend much of his time hunting.

James C. Waddle, the veteran ex-railroader of Lock Haven, was a Bellefonte visitor on Tuesday and a genial caller at the "Watchman" office. Although he will be eighty-four years old next February he is still enjoying the best of health, although his eyesight is not as good as in former years. For years Mr. Waddle was known as the veteran freight conductor on the Bald Eagle Valley railroad and continued in active service until seventy-two years of age and then deliberately quit of his own accord without waiting to be retired. And now, after having railroaded for many years and traveled thousands of miles, he does very little traveling, preferring the ease and comfort of his Lock Haven home.

Mrs. Thomas Mallory, of Altoona, was in Bellefonte between trains yesterday.

John L. Kulsely made a business trip to the eastern part of the State this week.

John H. Yocum, of East Orange, N. J., was with friends in Bellefonte for Thanksgiving day.

Burgess and Mrs. Edmund Blanchard spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Norris, in Harrisburg.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Montgomery spent their Thanksgiving in New York with their son Gordon.

Miss Bessie Sommerville, of Winburne, spent the week-end in Bellefonte, a guest of Mr. and Mrs. James L. Potter.

Mrs. Ellis L. Orris has been in Washington this week, called there by the illness of her niece, Mrs. Samuel H. Gray.

Mr. and Mrs. John P. Harris were guests yesterday of their son and his wife, Dr. and Mrs. Edward Harris, of Snow Shoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Otto, of Johnstown, and their two children, spent yesterday with Mrs. Otto's mother, Mrs. Nolan.

Mrs. C. K. Hicklin and her daughter, Miss Mary Hicklin, spent yesterday and the week-end in Pittsburgh, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Beck.

Mrs. Seel, of Paxtang, and Mrs. Houseman, of Steelton, have been guests of their mother, Mrs. Martin Fauble, for the greater part of the week.

Samuel B. Miller left Monday for a visit with his sister and brother, Mrs. Martha G. Fisher, of Hicksville, and William A. Miller, of Cleveland, Ohio.

John Hartwick and his daughter, Miss Mary Hartwick, were guests yesterday of Mr. Hartwick's sons, LeRoy and Harold, at the game in Pittsburgh.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Fox and family and Miss McMann, of Lock Haven, were guests on Thanksgiving day of Mrs. Fox's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Haupt.

Mr. and Mrs. Ramsey, of Altoona, and their small son, have been visiting this week with Mrs. Ramsey's father, John Dunlap, at his home on Thomas street.

Mrs. George L. Goodhart is arranging to close her home at Centre Hall in anticipation of spending the winter in Bellefonte with her daughter, Mrs. D. Wagner Geiss.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hazel and their daughter Dorothy, have been visiting with Mrs. Hazel's parents at Nigh Bank, Mr. Hazel spending his time while there in the woods.

Jonas E. Wagner, supervising principal of the Bellefonte public schools, departed yesterday evening for Pittsburgh to attend a conference at the University of Pittsburgh.

Percy Blackford, of New Castle, came to Bellefonte last week to spend the hunting season in the Seven mountains with the Bradford hunting party, of which he is a member.

Mr. and Mrs. Blair Fisher and four children, of Unionville, were guests of Dr. and Mrs. M. A. Kirk for their Thanksgiving dinner, Mr. Fisher being a college mate of Norman Kirk.

J. Harris Hoy, of Snow Shoe; the Misses Sara and Elizabeth Barnhart and the Misses Elizabeth Gamble and Adaline Kline were among those who went to Pittsburgh Wednesday for the Pitt-State game.

Col. H. S. Taylor was in Altoona on Tuesday night where he was one of the principal speakers at the meeting in of the home defense police of the city. The guard is two hundred strong and is composed of men over thirty-one years of age.

Daniel Rhinesmith returned to his home in Clearfield yesterday, after spending two weeks here looking after the public sale of farm stock, etc., on the old homestead and seeing that his sister, Miss Bessie Rhinesmith, got comfortably settled in her new home on Logan street.

Mrs. Beach and Miss Blanchard will go to Philadelphia this week, to take instructions for the making of the new surgical bandages, for which the National Red Cross has sent out a call. Pennsylvania's quota being 28,500, all other work is to be laid aside until this order is completed.

W. Wilson Gephart arrived in Bellefonte yesterday from Philadelphia, coming up to spend the day with his mother, Mrs. J. Wesley Gephart. Wilson is now located in New York and Gamble and Kline home for several years conceived the idea of spending the day in Bellefonte, while on a business trip to Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lose, of east High street, had as Thanksgiving and butchering guests, Mrs. Lose's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Markie, of East Pittsburgh, who came in Wednesday, bringing with them their grand-daughter, Sara Lose. Mr. Lose is one of the successful pork raisers of this section, each hog killed weighing over 300 pounds.

Miss Eleanor Wallace MacOnchie, a cousin of Dr. W. K. McKinney, arrived in Bellefonte Saturday, from Pittsburgh, expecting to be Dr. and Mrs. McKinney's guest for an indefinite time. Miss MacOnchie has spent eight years in India, as a medical missionary and has had a number of thrilling experiences on the water, returning from there within the past year.

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Bellefonte Produce Markets.

Corrected weekly by R. S. Brouse, Grocer. The prices quoted are those paid for produce. Potatoes per bushel..... \$1.25 Onions..... 1.50 Corn, shelled, per bushel..... 2.50 Eggs, per dozen..... 38 Lard, per pound..... 22 Butter, per pound..... 38

Bellefonte Grain Markets.

The following are the quotations up to six o'clock Thursday evening, when our paper goes to press. Red Wheat..... 2.17 White Wheat..... 1.95 Rye, per bushel..... 1.50 Corn, shelled, per bushel..... 2.50 Corn, ears, per bushel..... 1.80 Oats, old and new, per bushel..... .60 Barley, per bushel..... .50

Philadelphia Markets.

The following are the closing prices of the Philadelphia markets on Wednesday evening: Wheat—Red..... \$ 2 17@ 2 19 No. 2..... 2 35@ 2 37 Corn—Yellow..... 2 30@ 2 32 Mixed new..... 2 30@ 2 32 Oats..... 7 2@ 7 3 Flour—Winter, per barrel..... 10 10@ 10 25 Favorite Brands..... 11 50@ 12 00 Rye Flour, per barrel..... 9 50@ 10 00 Baled Hay—Choice Timothy No. 1..... 15 00@ 27 00 Mixed No. 1..... 22 00@ 25 50 Straw..... 13 50@ 17 00